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### 21st Anniversary of Historic Journey



*Kyogle Mayor Danielle Mulholland with Dick Smith and John Wallington in a "balloon" made by local school children.*

Dick Smith and his hot air balloon co-pilot John Wallington were welcomed back to Tabulam with open arms on Saturday, 14 June, at a community celebration to mark the 21st anniversary of the pair's record breaking trans-Australia balloon flight.

About 200 people attended the community event at the Tabulam Oval, with many getting to hear first-hand from Mr Smith and Mr Wallington about

their historic adventure which ended in a paddock outside Tabulam on 18 June, 1993.

The pair told the crowd of the frightening reality of the 3867km balloon ride which took them from Carnarvon, Western Australia, to Tabulam in just 40 hours and 23 minutes.

The balloon hurtled through the atmosphere at up to 140km an hour flying at altitudes of up to 18,000 feet. When the balloon touched down safely outside Tabulam, the pair became the first people to fly a hot air balloon non-stop across Australia.

During the community celebrations to mark the anniversary of the event, Kyogle Mayor Danielle Mulholland unveiled a plan to erect a roadside marker and information bay opposite the balloon's landing site.

Mr Smith and Mr Wallington agreed they would return to Tabulam in 2018 for the 25th anniversary of the record breaking flight and see the finished information bay. While in Tabulam, Mr Smith also matched an offer of \$2750 from local blueberry farmer Ridley Bell to enable local TAFE Hospitality students to re-open the Twisted Tucker café.

## Audio Recordings of Council Meetings

Kyogle Council will take audio recordings of its ordinary, closed and extraordinary meetings from June this year. The recordings (except for those of the closed meetings) will be available to the public to purchase at a minimal cost.

The move is aimed at improving transparency, building stronger relationships with the community and encouraging inclusion. It will mean that interested community members who are unable to attend Council meetings will be able to hear debate on the wide ranging issues which Councillors are required to consider at every meeting. The audio recordings will be transferred to CDs and will be available to purchase from Council's administration centre for \$5 (plus postage if they have



to be mailed out) within a week of a Council meeting. For further information contact Kyogle Council's administration centre on 6632 1611.

## Maintenance and Construction Works

The first of the East of the Range maintenance grading crews has completed work on Ironpot Creek Road, Dam Access Road and Afterlee Road and will move on to Sextonville Road and then the Eden Creek area.

The West of the Range maintenance grading crew has completed works on Simpkins Creek Rd and Morrows Rd and has moved to grade a section of the Clarence Way on the southern side of Minneys Bridge. Construction works on

Kyogle Road east of Cawongla have been completed and the construction crew has now commenced works on a bus bay at the intersection of Rodgers Road and the Bruxner Highway. They will then move to Blackspot-funded works on the Clarence Way just south of Woodenbong. The Jetpatcher has been working in and around Kyogle and is now moving to Kyogle Road and then the Sextonville, Cawongla and Gradys Creek areas. Roadside slashing has been completed on the Summerland Way, Findon Creek Road and Gradys Creek Road and is continuing on Afterlee Road before heading to the Sextonville area.

Slashing will commence shortly on the Clarence Way. Roadside spraying has been completed on the Bruxner Highway. Work to replace two timber bridges, one on Toonumbar Road and the other on Yabbra Road, is continuing. Works will start soon to repair a landslip on the Summerland Way near the Glen Road. Minneys Bridge on the unsealed section of the Clarence Way south of the Bruxner Highway remains closed. Construction of a sidetrack to bypass the bridge is underway. A big thank you goes to the adjoining landowners for their cooperation throughout the process.

## From the Mayor

When I was young I used to wonder what there was to do in a small town. Now I know that there are so many things going on in our Local Government Area that to try to attend them all would be impossible, although I give it a good try! Here's a quick selection of what I've been up to lately.

It's certainly been a busy few weeks. Since my last column, Woodenbong has hosted another successful *Yamaha Weekend* and I'm told a good time was had by almost all. Well done to all the organisers and supporters!

The *Bonalbo Garden Club* hosted a friendship day on 26 May 2014 with special guest, effervescent Costa Georgiadis from Gardening Australia. It was a great day and I'm hoping that we can host many more just like this to highlight the region's natural beauty and its many attractions to tourists and visitors alike.

I really do think that for many people we are a hidden treasure yet to be discovered. Then on Saturday, 14 June, 2014, the irrepressible Dick Smith, his co-pilot John Wallington and his wife Pip joined the community to commemorate the 21st anniversary of his landing at Tabulam following his 1993 trans-Australian balloon flight.

What a day!

And by the time this newsletter is published, I will have returned from the *Australian Local Government Association (ALGA)* annual conference in Canberra.

For those not familiar with the annual ALGA conference, it's a valuable opportunity to meet and discuss issues with other similar sized councils from around Australia and see how they're tackling some of the same problems that we confront and of course, get suggestions on better ways to deliver services to our community.

There's lots of innovative work happening in other areas and this is a prime opportunity to mine that knowledge and bring ideas back for implementation in our own area. My aim while in Canberra was to chew a

few Ministers' ears post budget and to advocate as strongly as possible for appropriate funding and consideration for our area.

One of the most vexing issues that Council has to deal with is complaints.

Now – you may think I'm talking about ratepayers and residents that aren't happy with Council but what I really mean is neighbours complaining to Council about each other.

Come on everyone, there has to be a better way of managing issues between people than fronting up to Council to complain!

Sure – there are some difficult and challenging folks out there, but at least try to sit down over a cup of tea and resolve things face to face. Council is happy to help if it can, but we should be the last resort, not the first port of call.

A big thank you to everyone who came along to the last Mayoral meeting at Wangaree on Wednesday, 11 June.

I'm really enjoying getting out and meeting with people across the LGA and its pleasing to note the meetings have been well received.

It's also great that we've been able to get some long standing issues resolved.

The next Mayoral meeting will be on Wednesday, 16 July, 2014 at the Etrick Hall so if you have issues you would like us to know about, or if you'd just like to come along and say hello, I'd be very pleased to see you there.

Simply ring and book a time with Ms Janelle McLennan at Council on 6632 0214 so that you won't be kept waiting.

If you can also advise her of your issue and contact details, this will help me to make some background enquiries so that any information you receive is correct and up to date.

*Until next time, Cr Danielle Mulholland  
Mayor Kyogle Council*



## Draft Budget Feedback

Kyogle Council is asking for the community's feedback on its draft budget for the coming year.

Council adopted the draft Operational Plan 2014/15 and Delivery Program 2014/18 for public exhibition at an Extraordinary Meeting on Monday 26 May, 2014. Both documents, together with Council's draft fees and charges for 2014/15, will be on exhibition for public comment until 23 June. All written submissions received from the public will be considered by the Council before it adopts its final budget at an Extraordinary Meeting on 30 June.

The draft operational plan provides for a rate

increase of 2.3% (the State Government pegged limit) and increases to sewerage and water charges of 3% and 5% respectively.

General garbage collection fees are set to increase by \$11 and for the first time the Council is planning on charging properties outside the garbage collection area a \$37 annual landfill management charge.

This is aimed at ensuring all ratepayers who have access to council's landfill and waste station services share the cost of operating them.

Council is proposing to keep increases to most of its other fees and charges to 3%. Of council's \$26.14 million budget, it is proposing to spend:

- \$7.28 million (about 27.85% of Council's total budget) on road improvements and maintenance;
- \$4.1 million (about 15.6% of Council's total budget)



on bridge improvements and maintenance;

- \$5.25 million (about 20% of Council's total budget) on water, sewerage and stormwater improvements and maintenance.
- The Draft Operational Plan and Delivery Program and the draft Fees and Charges can be viewed online at council's website [www.kyogle.nsw.gov.au](http://www.kyogle.nsw.gov.au), at Council's Administration Centre, 1 Strattheden Street, Kyogle and at local stores and post offices throughout the LGA.

## Development Applications – May 2014

*DURING MAY COUNCIL RECEIVED 10 DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS.*

14/29	Dwelling additions	17 Gill Street, Bonalbo
14/30	Shed	79 Summerland Way, New Park
14/31	Food premises	34 Unumgar Street, Woodenbong
14/32	Dwelling additions	118 Fawcetts Plain Road, Fawcetts Plain
14/34	Swimming Pool	54 Horseshoe Creek, Horseshoe Creek
14/35	Attached Dwellings & Strata	2 Howard Court, Kyogle
14/36	Dwelling & sheds	Brindle Creek Road, Loadstone
14/37	Dwelling	1046 Afterlee Road, Eden Creek
14/38	Dwelling	12 Collins Creek Road, New Park
14/39	Dwelling	Sargents Road, Cawongla

*DURING THE SAME PERIOD, THE FOLLOWING DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS WERE APPROVED:*

14/28	Shed	11-29 Craig Street, Kyogle
14/29	Dwelling additions	17 Gill Street, Bonalbo
14/30	Shed	79 Summerland Way, New Park
14/34	Swimming Pool	54 Horseshoe Creek, Horseshoe Creek

## Funding & Grants



Kyogle Council has successfully applied for and received the following grants:

**Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Funding** of \$151,489 to repair roads and other assets damaged in the 2013 January/February floods.

**NSW Community Facilities Development Program** grant of \$25,000 to upgrade facilities at Don Gully Oval, Kyogle.

**Department of Transport – 2013/14 Road Safety and Traffic Management Program Blackspot Funding** 2012/13 of \$220,000 for the Clarence Way.

**Department of Transport – 2013/14 Road Safety and Traffic Management Program Blackspot Funding** 2012/13 of \$140,000 for Ettrick Road.

**Country Passenger Transport Infrastructure Grants Scheme** funding of \$25,526 for bus stops at Woodenbong and Wangaree.

**Transport NSW** grant of \$45,000 for the Kyogle Flexi Bus operating two services: Service

number 1 operating two days/week between Kyogle, Woodenbong and Urbenville; Service number 2, a flexible service around Wangaree, Geneva, and Kyogle.

**Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Funding** of \$883,000 for the reinstatement of roads and bridges following the January 2013 flood.

**EPA-Waste Less, Recycle More Litter Reduction Program Grant** of \$65,000 to purchase dedicated event skip bin, a bin lifter, 1100l and 240l mobile garbage bins and a trailer to transport the bins and lifter.

**Department of Transport – 2013/14 Road Safety and Traffic Management Program Grant** of \$45,000 for Rogers Road – Bruxner Highway bus stop.

**Department of Planning and Environment** grant of \$12,500 to implement an on-line DA tracking system.

**NSW Environmental Trust/NSW Protection Authority** grant of \$104,935 to construct a community recycling centre at the Kyogle Landfill targeting low toxic problem household waste for recycling and safe disposal.

Kyogle Council has also applied for a **NSW Community Facilities Development Program** grant of \$25,000 for the construction of a skate park at Woodenbong in partnership with the Woodenbong Progress Association. This application is still being assessed.

## Chamber News

On a cool 4 June morning, the *Kyogle Chamber of Commerce* held its monthly meeting.

There was a good roll up of 14 members at the meeting and plenty of exciting discussion on several matters.

It is that time of year again when the chamber is looking for new ideas and new members to work together to keep Kyogle an active and vibrant town.

The chamber has about 35 current members, but would like to see the whole of the town contribute to its future growth with suggestions, opinions and ideas.

There has been eight new businesses start-up in Kyogle in the last 12 months which is a good indication that confidence is still strong in the Kyogle area.

The meeting discussed the recent Red Hot Sale Day/Garage Sale Day and it was decided that in future the two events should be held separately.

There was discussion on recreating the Red Hot Sale day to be more of a festive event that attracts people to the area.

There are three major events coming to the Kyogle area starting at the end of July and following through until the long weekend in October.

The first event is the *Border Ranges Rally* which will be shared between the Kyogle and Woodenbong areas over four days from 31 July to 3 August.

The final day of the event will be held at the Kyogle Showground.

The inaugural *Kyogle Billy Cart Bonanza* will be held on the Father's Day weekend on 7 September.

Finally, the Lions TT is still a work in progress and is to be held over the long weekend in October.

With this in mind, the *Kyogle Chamber of Commerce*, with the support of the CBD, would like to do a TV advertising campaign to highlight the TV events to a broader audience.

## What is 'depositing litter' according to the law?

The definition of 'depositing litter' under section 144A of the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997 (POEO Act):

Depositing litter in or on a place includes –

- a** dropping or throwing litter in, on, into or onto the place, or
- b** leaving litter in or on the place, or
- c** putting litter in such a location that it falls, descends, blows, is washed, percolates or otherwise escapes or is likely to fall, descend, blow, be washed, percolate or otherwise escape into or onto the place, or
- d** causing, permitting or allowing litter to fall, descend, blow, be washed, percolate or otherwise escape into or onto the place.'

Examples of depositing litter:

- throwing confectionary wrappers and cigarette butts from a vehicle
- leaving a food container under a park bench
- stubbing a cigarette onto a footpath
- allowing soil, sand or garden waste to blow from a moving vehicle

'Litter' includes:

- a** 'any solid or liquid domestic or commercial refuse, debris or rubbish and, without limiting the generality of the above, includes any glass, metal, cigarette butts, paper, fabric, wood, food, abandoned vehicles,

abandoned vehicle parts, construction or demolition material, garden remnants and clippings, soil, sand or rocks and

- b** any other material, substance or thing deposited in a place if its size, shape, nature or volume makes the place where it is deposited disorderly or detrimentally affects the proper use of that place, deposited, in or on a place, whether or not it has any value when or after being deposited in or on the place.'

Littering offences are – **littering (including littering from vehicles):** depositing litter on land or waters in a public place or an open private place

**aggravated littering:** littering which is reasonably likely to cause or contribute to appreciable danger or harm to any persons, animals, premises or property depositing, or causing someone to deposit,

advertising material in a public place or open private place other than in a mail box or under a door depositing, or causing someone to deposit, advertising material on any vehicle.

A single fine for littering has been replaced with a tiered range of fines – these are:

**\$60** for littering with small items such as bottle tops and cigarette butts; **\$200** for general littering and for littering from vehicles; **\$400** for littering from a vehicle (corporations); **\$375** for aggravated littering which threatens public safety or the environment, such as intentionally breaking glass or depositing lit cigarette butts during fire season; **\$750** for aggravated littering (corporations)

To read the full act go to [www.legislation.nsw.gov.au](http://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au) and search for the Protection of the Environment Operations Act 1997.

*Spectacular cattle dog trials, wall to wall horses, cattle, poultry, show dogs and pavilion exhibits brought competitors and spectators from far and wide to the 86th Annual Bonalbo Show on 2 – 3 May. This competitor in the Olympic jumping at the show was caught on camera 'flying through the air with the greatest of ease' by local photography enthusiast Geoff Bateman.*



Foodbank  
Kicks Off



A Foodbank is about to open its doors in Kyogle.

The *Kyogle Seventh Day Adventist Church* will operate the *Foodbank* agency within the church building in Bloore Street (opposite the Kyogle Council Chambers). It will be officially opened on Tuesday, 24 June, at 1.30pm by Kyogle Council Mayor Danielle Mulholland.

The *Foodbank* will provide a range of grocery items at significantly reduced prices and aims to make it easier for people in need to put a daily meal on the table.

It will open every Thursday between 10am and 3pm.

*Kyogle Seventh Day Adventist Church* Elder Peter Kalytis said as an agency of

Australia's Foodbank organisation, the *Kyogle Foodbank* was bound by strict guidelines that governed its operations. "We envisage our client base to be primarily those who are holders of some form of Centrelink payment such as the Pension or Newstart Allowance," he said. "Our long term goal as a Christian Church group is to actively engage in demonstrating those Christian principles that encourage tolerance and enhance relationships within the wider community regardless of belief, race, colour, age, status or gender."

## Propagation & Seed Workshop

*Northern Landcare Support Services* will hold a native seed and propagation workshop at the Community Nursery, Kyogle, on Saturday, 28 June, from 9am-12.30pm. It will be a practical, hands-on workshop where participants will learn how to germinate a variety of native plant seeds.

Morning tea and lunch will be provided to participants.

People wanting to attend the workshop are asked to contact NLSS by Thursday, 26 June, on 6632 3722. Participants are asked to come along to the day in sensible shoes and to wear a hat, sunglasses, protective clothing and sunscreen.



## From Kyogle to Crete – til 28 June

The Roxy Gallery's latest exhibition, 'From Kyogle to Crete' features paintings by Ruth Riordan that explore environments across continents.

This is Ruth Riordan's first solo exhibition and the works in the show stem from her own journey tracing her father's life story.

The exhibition runs until



28 June and comprises a collection of landscape paintings that tell a story of the environments Ruth's father lived in and the landscapes they both have shared.

Ruth's father, Frank Ezzy fought in the Middle East, Greece and Crete from 1940 where he was taken prisoner. He escaped the POW camp with two other Australians and all three were sheltered by a Cretan farmer.

This farmer and his family cared and sheltered the men for two years before they were finally evacuated in 1943.

Ruth's paintings show landscapes from two different continents and tell a story of fragility, vulnerability, delicateness and commonality. Her own journey has seen her retrace her father's footsteps to find the descendants of the

Georgiakakis family of Koustogerako, Crete who had the compassion and tenacity to protect the three soldiers in a foreign land.

As a practicing artist Ruth has been pursuing her interest in painting, working in watercolour and exploring the medium of oils when studying with Coraki artist Joanna Burgler. She calls herself a lazy realist as she likes to paint scapes she sees without being overly realistic. Ruth has lived in the Kyogle region for over 11 years and actively shares her skills and love for painting with members of the Casino Men's Shed painting group.

### Roxy Gallery

143 Summertime Way,  
KYOGLE  
Ph/Fax (02) 6632 3518  
Gallery Hours  
Tues to Fri (10am to 4pm)  
Saturday (9.30am to 12pm)

### Perform Kyogle

John Summons, patron and judge of the *Playwrights' Competition*, will be attending *Perform Kyogle*, a two-day festival of theatre, music and art staged by the *Village Hall Players*.

Mr Summons has been writing stories and plays for adults and children for more than 30 years.

As a playwright he has had plays produced by

a number of leading Sydney theatres and was playwright-in-residence at Sydney's Ensemble Theatre.

He has been a high school English, ESL, history and drama teacher and a lecturer in a course for playwrights at Sydney's Institute of Technology. VHP's initial public performance, *Grand Tour*, was the first of John Summons plays performed by the group.

VHP has since performed

two other of his adult plays, *Law Of The Jungle* and *Two In A Room*. His children's play, *The Shadow Boy*, was the basis for the first *DIRT* semester. It was from the reading of this play the *DIRT* kids developed *Unbreakable*, an improvisation work with the theme of bullying. Full details of the *Perform Kyogle* program will be advertised in the Kyogle Council newsletter and local newspapers over the coming weeks.



## Kyogle Community Gym Membership Card



All users of the *Kyogle Community Gym* are asked to show their membership card on entry from now on.

The decision to enforce the membership rule comes after the *Kyogle Together* Board moved to partially staff the gym with volunteers in a bid to reduce costs. The future of the gym came under a cloud in the middle of last year when funding for the project ran out.

As a result, the *Kyogle Together* Board, which runs the gym, decided to restructure its operations to keep the facility in community hands.

*"It was realised that if actions were not taken the community would lose not only the gym, but its youth services as well,"* a spokesman for *Kyogle Together* said.

*"Rather than sell the gym for a ridiculously small amount of money with no guarantee that it would remain open, we decided to restructure the management of the gym in*

*an effort to create a small profit to cover depreciation or at worse, break even.*

*"One of the changes put into place to achieve those objectives was to have the gym partially staffed by volunteers.*

*"In order to keep some control of entry it became evident that we had to insist that the clause in the member's contract that states that gym users must present their cards on entry, be enforced.*

*"We realise this can be annoying, but all gyms require presentation of a card or card swipe for entry.*

*"Anyone who refuses, unfortunately, will be unable to renew their membership when it becomes due later this month."*

*Kyogle Together would like to thank all gym users for their co-operation in the matter.*

### Hidden Treasures

Communities in the Kyogle Council area are being urged to nominate women volunteers for the 2014 *Hidden Treasures Honour Roll*.

NSW Minister for Primary Industries, Katrina Hodgkinson, said the *Hidden Treasures Honour Roll* created a lasting archive which recognised women volunteers living and working in rural, regional and remote NSW.

*"Rural women play an important role in ensuring the survival of many important community groups including charities, emergency services, the arts, environment, social justice, education and sporting organisations – without their valuable contributions some of these groups would simply not be able to continue their good work,"* she said.

*"Every year we are overwhelmed by the scope of these women's stories, so many volunteers do not seek the limelight and go*

*about their work quietly and diligently, but Hidden Treasures is our opportunity to say thank you to some outstanding women."*

The NSW Government values the significant contribution of the state's two-million plus volunteers and the honour roll gives special recognition to rural women. To nominate a woman for the honour roll, simply complete the nomination online or download a nomination form and share a few paragraphs about why your nominee is worthy. All women nominated will be included in the 2014 Roll which will be launched at the annual NSW Rural Women's Gathering in Coolamon on 12-14 September 2014.

To see who was on last year's roll visit: [www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/rwn/activities/hidden-treasures](http://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/rwn/activities/hidden-treasures). For more information, contact the Rural Women's Network on 02 6391 3433 or email [rural.women@dpi.nsw.gov.au](mailto:rural.women@dpi.nsw.gov.au). Nominations close Wednesday, 16 July, 2014.

## Kyogle Library News

**What's happening at YOUR library in JULY?**



### **DATES FOR THE CALENDAR**

All these groups are free and welcome new members, so why not drop-in, enjoy sharing your interest and make some new friends while you have a cuppa at Kyogle Library.

**Kyogle Literary Group:** Meets the first Saturday morning of each month, 10am-noon at Kyogle library. Next meeting 5 July.

**Kyogle Readers Group:** Meets on the second Tuesday of the month from 1.30-3pm at Kyogle library. Next meeting 8 July.

**Paper Daisies Paper Crafting Group:** Meets fortnightly on Tuesdays from 10am-noon at Kyogle Library. Next meeting 8 July.

### **DID YOU KNOW?**

You or your group can use Kyogle Library's free public space for your meetings? Contact Kyogle Library staff on 6632 1134 for further details. Kyogle Library is the hub of the community and a great, free, central, friendly location to meet, catch-up or have a chat in Kyogle. You're welcome to bring a coffee and snack to enjoy too!

### **BENTLEY ART PRIZE**

Bentley Art Prize information/entry forms pamphlets are now available from Kyogle Library. Entries close 23 July, 2014.

### **FUNERAL PLANNING**

A community information and discussion session on funeral planning will be held at Kyogle Library on Wednesday, 30 July.



*Julie Blinco receives a chocolate surprise at the Kyogle Library as part of the library's Mothers Day celebrations. Julie is pictured with her daughter Coral.*

The loss of a loved one is always tragic and sometimes very sudden and funeral planning can assist at what is a difficult time for most people.

Danny and Rachel Woods, proprietors of *A.C. Raymond Funerals*, Kyogle will present this free community information and open discussion session on funeral planning at Kyogle Library.

The session opens at 10am with a free morning tea provided before the information session begins at 10.30am, including open discussion and question time and concluding with a cuppa at 11.30am.

Bookings for this free information session are essential. Contact Kyogle Library staff on 6632 1134 or call into the library at Stratheden Street for bookings and further details.

### **KYOGLER LIBRARY STRATHEDEN STREET,**

KYOGLER NSW 2474 Ph: 6632 1134

Fax: 6632 2242 Email: [rucl@richmondvalley.nsw.gov.au](mailto:rucl@richmondvalley.nsw.gov.au)

## Upcoming community events

### Yowie Country Market

The *Yowie Country Market* will be held on Saturday, 28 June, at the Woodenbong Hall and grounds. The market always has live music (jammers welcome), a variety of stalls, hot food and the Woodenbong Art Group's kids art. Dates for upcoming markets are: Saturday, 26 July; Saturday, 30 August.

### Kyogle Farmers Market

The *Kyogle Farmers*

*Market* is held on Saturday mornings in Stratheden Street, Kyogle (between the Summerland Way and the library). To book a stall phone Rupert on 0403 628 292 or Anne on 6632 1851.

### DIRT

*DIRT*, a program of the *Village Hall Players*, presents its end of year production on 25 June from 4.30pm to 6pm at the KMI Hall, Stratheden Street, Kyogle. The production will include *Science Fair Melt Down*, a play written and performed by the students, improv work, a short skit

and will conclude with the cutting of a birthday cake celebrating *DIRT's* third birthday. Everyone is welcome and entry is by gold coin donation.

### Bonalbo Ball

The *Bonalbo RSL Ladies Auxiliary* will host a ball at Bonalbo on the Saturday, 25 October. The fun will start at 8pm and those attending are asked to bring their own basket supper. Tickets will cost \$25 each. For further information phone Narelle on 6665 3253 or Christine on 6665 1121.

### St Brigid's Centenary

With the St. Brigid's Kyogle Centenary celebrations fast approaching on 16-17 August, the Centenary Committee is looking for the community's help to ensure it's a weekend to remember.

The program of events includes an Open Day at the school on Saturday, followed by a formal dinner on Saturday night.

On Sunday, a Mass will be celebrated to mark the centenary followed by morning tea.

The committee also is putting together a history book on the last 100 years and an updated version of the cook book the school produced in the past. And it's the two books where the committee needs the community's help.

They are looking for past students with stories about their school days at St Brigid's and people who may have old school

photographs which could be included in the history book.

Recipes of all sorts are also needed for the cook book. If you can help with stories, photos or recipes email [cinnamonclark@gmail.com](mailto:cinnamonclark@gmail.com). Meanwhile, anyone visiting Kyogle for the celebrations and in need of accommodation is asked to contact the Tourist Information Centre in Kyogle on 02 6632 2700. Similarly, if you live locally and can offer a room to visitors on the centenary weekend, please ring the VIC.

The events on the centenary weekend are open to all past and current students, teachers, friends and community members – people do not need an invitation. However, anyone wanting to attend the formal dinner must book as places are limited and bookings will be closing soon.

Should you have an event which you would like advertised in Council's Newsletter please email to [council@kyogle.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@kyogle.nsw.gov.au) attention Janelle by the 2nd Monday of each month.



**Kyogle Community Cinema**  
EST. 1988 BY THE KYOGLE COMMUNITY

### Movies Screening

20th June to 23rd July

★ **Maleficent** ★

**A Million Ways To Die In The West**  
22 Jump Street

**How To Train Your Dragon II**  
**The Fault In Our Stars**  
Rio 2

★ **Transformers 2** ★

**Please check the website for online session times and movie classifications**

[www.kyoglecommunitycinema.com.au](http://www.kyoglecommunitycinema.com.au)

**Moveline: 0266 321 888**

**Tickets - \$14.  
Under 12/Pension - \$12**

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email: [kyoglecinema4@gmail.com](mailto:kyoglecinema4@gmail.com)



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#### Robert Dwyer

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### C WARD

#### Danielle Mulholland

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#### Lindsay Passfield

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## Council Meetings



**Council Meetings:** The Ordinary meeting for July will be held on Monday, 14 July, at 5pm.

An Extraordinary meeting of Council to adopt the *Draft Delivery Program 2014/2018* and *Operational Plan 2014/2015* will be held on Monday, June 30, at 5pm.

Ordinary meetings are held on the second Monday of every month except January. Meetings start at 5pm and are held at the Kyogle Council Chambers, 1 Stratheden Street, Kyogle.

The first item of general business is Question Time which provides an opportunity for the public to ask questions of Councillors and senior staff. To speak to Council on a specific issue during the meeting, please apply in writing to the General Manager prior to the close of business on the day preceding the meeting for public access.

**Kyogle Council's office hours:** 8.30am – 4pm Mon-Fri

After hours emergency telephone number is 6626 6800

Regional Roads Information [www.myroadinfo.com.au](http://www.myroadinfo.com.au)

**The Landfill hours are: Kyogle:** 7.30am – 12pm Mon to Fri and 9am – 4pm Sat & Sun **Woodenbong:** Tues & Sat 9am – 4pm **Bonalbo:** Wed & Sat 9am – 4pm **Mallanganee:** Thurs & Sun 9am – 4pm

### Recycling Facilities Available.

All landfills have recycling capabilities (if separated) and can recover oil, paper, cardboard, steel, aluminum, glass & plastic at no charge.

## COMMUNITY VISION

Working together to balance Environment, Lifestyle and Opportunity.

### OUR MISSION

To meet the challenges of our unique and diverse region

### OUR VALUES

- Respect and respond to community needs
- Improve the quality of our services
- Be open and accessible
- Act with honesty and integrity
- Value people's contribution
- Support the culture of teamwork, cooperation and safety

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