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### Rual Care Link Carers Support Group News

We look forward to meeting at The Fox & Brew on the **3rd Tuesday of each month** this year, for **Morning Tea at 10.30 am.** Peer support, respite and information sharing is the focus of the Carer Group.

This year will also include an outing with the Border Carer Reference Group, Carer Week celebratory activities, a Movie at the Cinema, art and music in our lovely Jindera Village Green. Please call the Coordinator, Vickie, prior to attending to check details.

Being a Carer is an often-unrecognised role. If you have any queries, would like to attend the group or know of someone else in our community who would benefit from attending please make contact. There is no obligation to attend every month as we realise that life is very busy, especially if you are caring for someone who has extra needs. The Carer Group is here to support you and offer you some brief respite from your role as needed.

Please call Vickie Priscina - Carer Group Co-Ordinator on 0428 406 060 for more information.





## VOTE 1 JENNY O'NEILL WEST WARD

- \* Community Minded
- \* Proactive
- \* Productive

GREATER HUME COUNCIL ELECTIONS

September 14th 2024

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# FAREWELL TO Joyce Mary SKERRY 02.03.1925 - 11.08.2024



On the 11<sup>th</sup>August 2024 family and friends sadly said goodbye to Joyce Skerry (my mum and nan to Sarah Morris and Tim Skerry).

Joyce was aged 99 years and would have celebrated her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday in March 2025.

The second youngest of 13 children, Mum was born in Albury where she lived her entire life and she had an incredible past knowledge of Albury and surrounding areas, having witnessed many changes throughout her long life.

Until recently Mum had lived independently in Lavington but after a fall moved to Estia Aged Care Hostel at Thurgoona where she was loved by nursing staff and residents alike. There was always laughter and visitors coming and going from her room. Mum had a great sense of humor.

Mum was an amazing strong and loving lady who raised a family of 5 children through both hard economic times and the 2<sup>nd</sup> World war, having a brother who was lost in action in WW2 and never returned home. She was also a hard worker.

Many grandchildren and great grandchildren and great grandchildren joined the family over the years, and she dearly loved them all.

She will be greatly missed by family and friends.

Remembered forever
Allan Skerry and family xo



### **BURRUMBUTTOCK PUBLIC SCHOOL**

Banksia had a great time marking 100 Days of Learning with engaging creative arts projects, cooking activities, and dressing up to look 100 years old.



100 Days of Learning



## Athletics

Students displayed great sportsmanship while trying Carnival Congratulations to all students their personal best.



#### ırrumbuttock's Got Talent

Burrumbuttock highlighted a variety of talents, from students singing and dancing to a sheep-shearing performance. What a wonderful community night.

## Potato

Students from K-2 participated in the 2024 Potato Olympics with various events like diving, gymnastics, and weightlifting. All competitors had the chance to win gold, silver, or bronze.



#### **Education Week Celebration**

Education Week themed 'Proud to Belong' included a community breakfast, open classrooms, and a special assembly to showcase students' progress.





#### NAIDOC Week Celebration

For NAIDOC week, the students travelled to Morgan's Lookout to explore the aspects of Aboriginal people and their land.

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WEST WARD September 14, 2024



#### **ASHLEY** LINDNER

VALUING PEOPLE

**VALUING FAMILY** 

#### VALUING COMMUNITY

... A 6<sup>th</sup> Generation Family that is still passionately committed to community & rural living.

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A vote for Ashley is a vote for:

- Honesty
- Reliability
- Confidentiality

These 3 qualities I committed to during my first term on council and will continue to do so should I be elected on September 14. And yes, I choose to make them part of my political conversations and life.

Highlights of my first term in council include:

- # Advocating for ALL communities,
- irrespective of size and population
  - # Transparence in funding distribution
- ensuring ALL communities are included
  - # Prioritising our road network,
- safety and ease of commute is paramount to ALL communities

#### # Instigating the 'Funding Allocation Tool',

 a framework and criteria to assist ALL communities gaining funding for essential community projects and infrastructure

#### # Working collaboratively

 with the Mayor, Councillors & Council Management, to obtain the BEST outcomes for ALL residents and businesses

REFFERENDUM - I will be voting to end the current ward system, - to move forward collectively, all Councillors need to wear their 'My Shire Hat', as opposed to a 'my town' or 'my ward hat'.



#### **BURRUMBUTTOCK TENNIS CLUB**

The club has entered 6 teams (Sect 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 5, 6) HCTA 2024-25 Summer Pennant. The club will welcome more than 20 new members to the club.

To prepare Juniors for the season the club will conduct Coaching Classes each Thursday starting September 26 at 3.45 pm. For Bookings Contact Brad 0428293229.

Club stalwart and Burrumbuttock Identity **Brad Schulz celebrated his 50**<sup>th</sup> **birthday** with Family and Friends on Sunday (Aug.25) at the Famers Inn.

(pictured right — Brad & Bill enjoying a birthday tea)

#### **Burrumbuttock Preschool**

We are currently taking Enrolments for Preschool in 2025 and for this year if your child is turning 3!). If you would like more information or know someone that might please contact the Preschool mobile 0480186371 or via our email burrumpreschool@bigpond.com

Olympics: we spent a great deal of time exploring the Olympics whilst they were on, including learning about different sports via the internet, as well as trying sports like discuss and archery. We also played with mini-Olympic sport set ups our teachers created with Lego figurines -so we could explore sports like diving, swimming and bike riding that we cannot do at Preschool. We started the Olympics by firstly chatting and finding out what we knew and then also finding out what we would like to know more about. We then worked our way through the list of things we wanted to learn more about.









Science is fun! We have been learning about Primary and Secondary colours and how to make them at Preschool. We created our own colour addition sums, predicted the answers and then did the "sums" to learn what two colours make what. We also extended this to colouring flowers. This involved adding some food dye to paint pots and putting several flowers in each of them then waiting!!! Overnight we found that they drew up the colours and changed. We interestingly found that in the purple one some lines of just blue as well.





In between all of this we visited the school for Book Week, have researched about marine animals and birds including learning Wiradjuri words for animals and traditional ways to catch fish, learnt about adding numbers, the letters of the alphabet and several of us explored writing the names of colours including labelling our coloured flower containers.

## BURRUMBUTTOCK GOES DIGITAL

Welcome to the launching of our NEW Burrumbuttock Community Facebook page.

To join the face book page, use this link:

https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61 559625405316



#### **BURRUMBUTTOCK PUBLIC HALL**

**Annual General Meeting** 

WEDNESDAY 4th September

7.30pm at the Hall.

Please come along and share your ideas about how we can best use and

look after this valuable community asset.

All Welcome!

RSVP/Enquiries:

Marion Vile, Secretary ph. 0425 852702



**Burrumbuttock 150th celebrations** 

Planning meeting - Wed 18th Sept

for sub-committee representatives to attend

7.30pm at the Public Hall





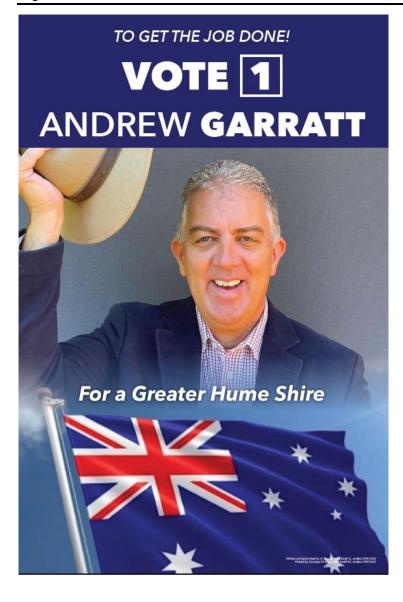
# Farmers Inn Hotel Burrumbuttock Opening hours:-

Wednesday to Saturday: 4pm to close Sunday 11am to 10pm.

Coming soon—Smoked meat lunches!







#### About:

Living in Jindera for the past 7 years with wife Mary and children Florence, Raphael, Ignatius and Gabriel, I am an active member of the Catholic community attending St Mary's Catholic Church and children at St Mary Mackillop College.

I have more than 20 years community engagement experience across mining, manufacturing, infrastructure, telecommunications, logistics and government with expertise in organisational communications, event management, marketing, business management and business administration.

I am a proud Australian, a faithful practicing Catholic and I love where I live.

#### **Patriotism**

Australia first.

Celebrate Australia Day on Australia Day.

#### Health

Ensuring we have sufficient health care facilities and medical partitioners to support our current and future needs.

#### **Safety and Security**

Establishment of satellite offices for police and ambulance to improve emergency response times.

Ensure the safety of children in all public spaces, pools, schools, playgrounds and libraries.

#### **Employment and Local Industry Support**

Our local council as a great place to work.

Attraction and retention of new industries and job creation in our backyard.

Thriving local businesses and revitalisation of central business districts.

Support for our forestry and agricultural industry the backbone of our region.

Marketing of our industrial estates and local expertise.

Improvements to the telecommunications network, 4G. 5G and NBN.

#### **Vital Relationships**

Strong relationships with our neighbouring councils, our state and federal members.

#### Roads

Ensuring our fair share for local roads.

#### Community

Continued improvements to our parks, gardens and recreational facilities.

Action on the Lavington-Jindera recreational shared pathway.

Preservation of our visual amenity and tranquillity.

Support for our current festivals and events and the establishment of new ones to grow our shire's attractiveness as a tourism destination.

#### Value

A strong return on investment for expenditure of ratepayer's money.

Rental and residential housing availability and affordability.

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#### **Brock Burrum Football Club**

In the words of Charles Dickens, - "It was the best of times, it was the worst of times".

What a season 2024 has been.

From the highest of highs to the lowest of lows, this season has had it all.

Whilst not our most successful season on field, the way the local community and the other Hume League clubs rallied around to help when required was truly amazing and inspirational and makes me so proud to be involved with this "Family Club".

Having said that, a great big congratulations to our teams that have made Finals this year. The Under 14s in the Football and the Under 13s and Under 17s in the netball Finals. We wish them all the best and hope that all our supporters come along and support our future senior stars!!

### Next, we would like to say a big thank you to all our coaches.

Thank you, Darcy for putting your hand up in hour of need and taking over the Senior Coach's job only a fortnight before the first game. Darcy has spent the year sowing the seeds of our future success. Getting game time and mentoring into our players coming up from our juniors and giving them that all important senior experience, Always positive and optimistic, Darcy has done a commendable job building a strong foundation for the next few seasons and after the boys had their first win (that lifted them off the bottom of the ladder in the last round against Murray Magpies), the smart money has us back into Finals contention next year, so watch this space.



(Girls waiting in the rooms to CONGRATULATE the boys on their WIN!)

Danny Williams, Coach of our Reserves has gone above and beyond what is normally required. His phone bill must be phenomenal, spending most weeks chasing players from the four corners of the globe. He too has been instrumental in giving our lads from the juniors a taste of playing open age football. He always managed to put a side on the field and liked a mix of youth and experience in his side. From 15-year-olds to players in their 50s and 60s Danny has used them all. He has had players from interstate (W.A. Tassie) and others that had not touched a football in 10 years help us out this year. We will be forever in his debt.



(Ash Lindner and the Under 17's team photo)

Ash Lindner our under 17s coach also deserves our thanks. Starting off just organising our very successful "Come and Try AFL" - Women's Footy day, to putting his hand up when a couple of months out from the start of the season we had no coach and only 4 players, to coach the Under 17s side. Again, with true grit and hard work, Ash managed to not only put a side on the field every week but also improve the boys every week to the point where they were all wishing there was more of the season to go, as they would have upset some of their more fancied opponents. Ash also recruited some permit players from town that have relished playing under Ash and are liking what they see at the "Brock Burrum Saints". We may be seeing more of these boys next year in a more permanent situation.

What about our all-conquering U14 side and their Supa Coach Alex "Mr T" Takle. Anyone who knows Alex can appreciate his long-term plan. His want, when he took over as coach last year, was to build a premiership side over time and this year our boys will have their time in the Finals. Always quietly spoken with an unnervingly calm voice (no matter what the situation) Alex's school teacher background is always at the fore' as he goes about imparting his considerable knowledge to our young boys (and girl) and constructing a side built on teamwork and self-belief. I implore you all to come and support our youngest side as they vie for September Supremacy. Thanks again Alex and all the best for your finals campaign.

I big thank you also to our trusty and reliable trainers Chris (Barrell), Anne, Brett Brad and Megan Morey who look after us every week (rain hail or shine (not much rain this year though). Even throughout his own health battles late last year, Barrell could not wait to get back to the footy club and do what he does best (Give the players a hard time – when required). Also helping with training duties was Hoge's and Nathan Tran. Thanks again to all of you.

Also thank you to Luke "Sugar" Gardiner and his loyal band of men in White (or should that be Green now??). Without umpires we could not play the game we love, and your efforts and commitment are much appreciated.

Junior
Presentation
Sunday 15th September

BROCK CLUB ROOMS- COMMENCING AT 11AM WITH PRESENTATION FOLLOWED BY BBQ LUNCH. MEAT SUPPLIED. PLEASE BRING SALAD TO SHARE.

We also appreciate the ongoing support of our sponsors and Award donators, thanks again.

Finally thank you so much to all our volunteers, parents' family and supporters that not only help with football but also with our non-football/community efforts. As the old proverb goes: "Many hands make light work" and we appreciate everything that anybody does for us.

Thanks to all that attended our 35<sup>th</sup> Sportsman's Lunch last Friday, a very successful event with over 300 in attendance to hear from Retired Australian Cricket legend Brett Lee. A great time was had by all that attended.

Also, thanks to everyone who attended the second "Annual Brocklesby Burrumbuttock Ferrit Cup". What a sensational evening and congratulations to the Winner trained by Lachie Thomas as D Will cashed in big.

Now don't forget our Junior Vote Count and Presentation Day will be held on Sunday the 17th of September at Brocklesby, always a great family day for lunch – see you there.

Also be reminded that our Senior Vote count and Presentation will be held on Friday the 27<sup>th of</sup> September at the SS&A, tickets are on sale now, don't miss out on this night of nights.

So have a great day today and every day, thanks you to everyone involved and look out 2025!!!!



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#### **Dates for your Diary**

Wed 4th Sept—Public Hall AGM

Sat 14th Sept—Greater Hume Council Elections

Sun 15th Sept—Jindera Tennis Tournament

Wed 18th Sept—Burrumbuttock 150th Celebrations planning meeting.

Burrumbuttock Preschool taking enrolments for 2025.

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