THE JINDERA NEWS

FREE local Newsletter distributed by the first Saturday of each month (except January) published by:-

A Jindera based, not-for-profit charity organisation.

Our local <u>OP SHOP VOLUNTEERS</u> *WIN* a well deserved AWARD



Rural Link inc.

What an amazing Australia Day with Rural Care Link **OP SHOP Volunteers** winning the Australia Day Award for **Volunteers/Group of the Year** – in conjunction with Holbrook Meals on Wheels.

This award was contested by a number of other very worthy local volunteers so the Jindera OP SHOP Volunteers are very proud of this achievement. The **Op Shop has been part of the Jindera Village for 29 years** providing funding for Rural Care Link to support people in need and provide financial support towards community projects.

While at first glance it may seem that the volunteer workers just sell pre-loved clothing, bric-a-brac and household items to the many shoppers who come into the Op Shop however there is much more these enthusiastic locals do. They provide a clean and welcoming shop for people to browse while detailed shop displays ensure that the shopper is able to view items for sale in a relaxed and inviting manner.

This hard working group provide a social forum to the community as well as a safe place for people to come and have a chat and feel supported and cared for. They are exceptional at engaging with people, reducing social isolation and loneliness in the community.



The volunteers will tell you that they '*love*' coming to work as it provides an out from day-to-day life and gives them a sense of purpose while at the same time, helping their local community. The Op Shop is the face of Rural Care Link and often the first place that people in need will approach for assistance.

Another large part of their work is the proactive approach to a **reusing/recycling** philosophy to reduce the impact of landfill.

These hard workers sort through and inspect thoroughly every item that is donated as only clean items in good condition are sold in the Op Shop. The volunteers

- \star recycle items unsuitable for sale
- \star make up bags of rags for sale





- \star cut off buttons for resale
- ★ collect cotton textiles for the 'Red Bantam' Workshop Rags collection
- ★ collect clothes and textiles for the Southern Cross Recycling Group. These items are then sent to Pacific



and also world-wide communities that urgently need them. This also helps to reduce the local and Australia's domestic landfill.





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Headlines and Happenings

By Lizzie Pogson. (Secretary, RCL).

New Members - we have welcomed some new members in the past month, but we would love to add to this list.

Community Assist meeting Monday 3 March at 2pm

Keep your eyes peeled for sandwich boards and posters in the Op Shop, Post Office, Community Board, Facebook, Church and School Noticeboards - we invite you to attend a meeting to discuss the Community Assist Volunteer Group, where you can become part of a growing group of Good Samaritans who have offered their help, if and when it's required to lend a hand for those in our community who might need a little support along the way. Please come and hear how it works (see page 17).

Centrelink- Monday March 10th from 10-11am

The staff from Services Australia in Albury will again be

visiting The Hub. Please come and get the benefit of their knowledge and advice on matters relating to your Centrelink accessibility. We hope some more visible signage will remind people of their presence centrelink on this day (see page 3). All are welcome to pop in and have a chat.



Hume Bank – Increase in Scams!

The Hume Bank has highlighted the increase in scams, that can so easily take advantage of the unwary. The Committee is liaising with bank staff



to organise a Jindera community session with the Hume Bank. Watch this space!

Donation of \$500 to Walla Walla Men's Shed.

When asked for a donation to purchase electrical items for their meeting room, RCL were very happy to offer a \$500 donation towards their purchase of items such as kettle, toaster or microwave. It is wonderful that Jindera residents may be a member of the Walla Walla Men's shed, and RCL see it as a worthwhile venture to support.

Jindera Playgroup Update

A letter will go out to the Playgroup organiser Josie who will further liaise with Greater Hume Council regarding questions about the venue, baby change tables, etc. RCL can support the Playgroup with specific requests and as with many other local initiatives, can offer our RCL bank account for Jindera Playgroup to use, until they set up a committee, etc.

For general RCL (Rural CareLink) Enquiries including Volunteering, Hardship, Personal Assistance and Community Assist. Please call the RCL Office 0475 594 073

SAVE THE DATE! Jindera Community **GARAGE SALE**

SUNDAY 4th May 2025

For Residents of Jindera and Jindera Postal Area Only

CONGRATULATIONS!!!! OP SHOP VOLUNTEER GROUP OF THE YEAR!!! How unbelievably proud is the Committee, of the Op

Shop Award-winners!!! For their absolute dedication and

generosity of spirit to give so selflessly of their time and energy, to ensure the Op Shop is the success it is, and how this enables RCL to be able to provide the widespread supports in our local community. We recognise that without them, this would not be possible.



THANK YOU and CONGRATULATONS to All of our AMAZING VOLUNTEERS!!!!

Rural Care Link Annual General Meeting: SUNDAY 23rd MARCH 2025

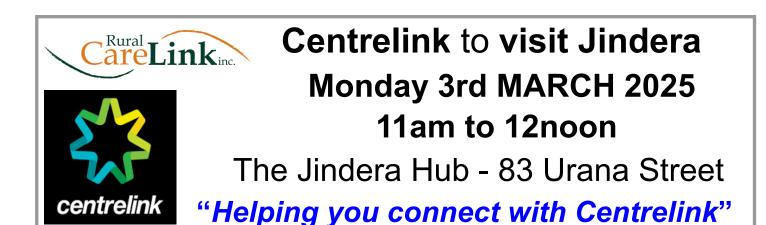
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Carer Support Group

By Vickie Priscina. (Carer Group Co Ordinator, RCL).

The Rural Care Link (RCL) Carer Group met for the first time this year at the lovely Fox and Brew Café. Thank you, Karen, from our RCL Office for joining us.

It was wonderful for people to be able to catch up with their good news and be happy for one another. Of course, there are some difficult issues daily in the caring role and each person was quick to offer ongoing peer support.

Suggestions for this year's meetings were that we consider having a "Paint and Sip" session, that will be fun I'm sure. Another idea is that we have the "In the Groove" African drumming again, a Guest Speaker who will talk about making time for yourself as a Carer "Time for Me", and a speaker from Centrelink.

Next Month we will be meeting at the Village Green for a Barbeque, this is always popular.

We have welcomed three new Carers, and we look forward to enjoying a chance to all catch up outdoors before we lose the sunny weather.

If you are a Carer or know someone in our community who is please let them know of our Carer Group.

Not everyone recognises themselves as a Carer but if you are looking after a Partner, Relative or Friend who has a Disability, Illness, Mental Illness or who is aged please Australia support by people in a similar situation.

For any questions, please call The Carer Group Co Ordinator Vickie Priscina on 0428 406060

Carers Support Group

We *usually* meet monthly on the 3rd Tuesday of each month Please call Vickie - 0428 406060 for venue and dates of these meetings.

Peer support, respite & information sharing is the focus of the Carer Group. For more information call Vickie Priscina - Carer Group Co-Ordinator on 0428 406 060

DEFIBRILLATOR'S in Jindera

TWO Defibrillators are available 24 Hours a Day

★ Jindera Hub Building

* Jindera Country Golf Club easy to access from carpark Other Defibrillators are available during the following

- Jindera Facilities Open Hours
 - ★ Football Club
 - ★ Swimming Pool
 - ★ Tennis Club
 - ★ Fire Brigade
 - ★ Anglers' Club
 - ★ Jindera Medical Centre
 - ★ Jindera Public School

In case of EMERGENCIES please familiarise yourself with these locations.

OP SHOP News

By Jason McKenzie (Op Shop Coordinator, RCL)

We very much look forward to celebrating the incredible Award Winning Volunteer Staff, who were co-winners of the Australia Day Volunteer Group of the Year (see front page).

On Monday 3rd March, a staff meeting will be held followed by a *special* Morning Tea where each Volunteer will be formally acknowledged.

We stress the message from Staff and Coordinator, Jason McKenzie, to please keep your DONATIONS coming, but only bring clean and unbroken items (see page 9). It costs RCL money to take unsaleable items to the tip - money that we need to be spending on our Community Supports.

Thank you for supporting us all at your local Op Shop.

Op Shop ONLY enquiries (02) 6026 3001

This is the dedicated Op Shop number and therefore, if you need assistance outside of trading hours, please use the RCL office number 0475 594073.

Op Shop Trading Hours:

Tues - Fri 10am to 4pm (closed for lunch 1pm to 1.45pm) Saturdays - 10am to 1pm

83 Urana Street, Jindera NSW

Op Shop Facebook please click on this link







Our Captain, Graham Yensch, wants to thank everyone who has helped the brigade by making sure your properties are

well prepared for the remainder of our Bush Fire Danger Period. We need to remind everyone that you still need a permit to burn until the end of the danger period. Please remember that landowners still need to notify their neighbours, and the NSW RFS 24 hours prior to burning off. You can do this online using the following link:

https://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/fire-information/BFDP/burn-notifications or point your smart phone camera at this QR Code to link you to the NSW RFS notification site

Our Bushfire Danger period is in place until the 31st of March please keep an eye on the display board at the station to see the fire danger rating for the day.

We are aware that there have been a few small fires in the Village and surrounds recently. Getting a permit, notifying your neighbours and the NSW RFS that you are burning will be an immense help to us to prevent unnecessary call outs. If the NSW RFS knows about a fire before you light it, they do not always have to call us out, and you will not have a number of fire trucks arrive at your house.

Local Brigades have been busy with several fires started by dry lighting strikes around the region. We ask that you continue to be vigilant and keep an eye on your property. Fires may not be visible for a day or two after the thunderstorms have passed. The Jindera brigade has been assisting other brigades and areas with these types of fires following thunderstorm activity in the area.

The Jindera Brigade has several members qualified as Chainsaw operators to manage problem trees that are often on fire. These burning trees can burn for weeks, and if the weather conditions worsen, with stronger winds, embers can spread easily, potentially starting new fires.

During the fire season the brigade undertakes a lot of maintenance on the fire trucks and training for crews; until the end of the danger period, we are at the station every second Saturday morning and you will see our trucks out on drives around the areas as well.

The Brigade is always on the look out for new members; if you are interested, drop-in and have a chat to us if you see us at the station. We have many roles that you can help us with if you do not want to get on a fire truck. Thanks for your ongoing support of the Brigade.

Help to keep us safe so we can keep Jindera safe!







WHEN BURNING

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Greater Hume's Australia Day WINNERS



Australia Day celebrations were held at the Henty Recreation Grounds on Sunday 26th January. It was a fabulous ceremony, with over 350 people attending. Our Master of Ceremonies, Cr Brian Liston ran the official ceremony, announcing the local nominees and winners for our award categories.

The Award Nominations included two from Jindera, the RCL Op Shop Volunteers and Dr. Glen Mobila.

The Australia Day Ambassador, Mr James Pittar along with Cr Lea Parker, Mayor, gave a wonderful addresses and the Australian flag was unfurled by Henty community representative, Harlan Candy.

The Henty Singers led Advance Australia Fair and provided entertainment throughout the ceremony and the Rivereens entertained everyone after the ceremony.

Two residents of Greater Hume, Alison Crilly from Culcairn and Alana Rickard from Little Billabong became Australian citizens following an official Australian Citizenship Ceremony. Congratulations to all the award nominees **AUSTRALIA DAY** and winners who were recognised for their IN GREATER HUME hard work on behalf of the Greater Hume community, and **the winners were**:

- Citizen of the Year Alison Schuster, Henty.
- Youth Empowerment Award Lucy Grills, Holbrook
- Individual Volunteers of the Year joint winners, Kerry Small, Henty, Colin Barrett, Henty and Andrew Kotzur, Walla Walla
- Group Volunteers of the Year joint winners, Holbrook Meals on Wheels and Rural Care Link Op Shop Volunteers, Jindera
- Sports Person/Team of the Year Ashley-James Bender, Holbrook
- Sports Volunteer/s of the Year joint winners, John Mullavey, Walla Walla and Debbie Mills, Holbrook
- Community Event of the Year joint winners Brock -Burrum Big Freeze and Walla Walla Lutheran Church Centenary.

Jindera was represented in the School Citizenship Awards by Isaac Thompson from



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Morgan Country Car Club Inc.

Sunday 30th March 2025 Jindera



- Gates open to public 7am
 Breakfast, Lunch, refreshments
- Camping overnight permitted
 NO DOGS
 NO FIRES, ALCOHOL, NOISE
 NO SATURDAY TRADE
 All site holders must comply with

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28th Annual Swap Meet

+ Show & Shine

ENQUIRIES: Neil — Mobile 0447 652 014 neilmci65@gmail.com BOOKINGS CHACA MORGAN INC. PO BOX 428, ALBURY NSW 2640

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JINDERA BLOKES WALK

On **Saturday 22nd March**, Albury/Wodonga will be one of 19 locations (3 internationally & 16 nationally) walking 25km in unison to raise awareness and funds to tackle **Men's Mental Health and Suicide prevention**.

I, Ant Maw, was asked to be the Albury/Wodonga Ambassador for the charity **Spoke to a Bloke** to lead the event *'Walk for a Bloke'*, with the opportunity provided due to the work we are doing on a local level with both the **Jindera** (JBW) and more recently the **Thurgoona Blokes Walk** (TBW).

With the JBW (4 years) and TBW (15mths) proving extremely effective in building a '*village*' of support and connection for men of all ages and backgrounds we know very well the benefits of men connecting in a safe and mutually minded space and the impact of getting men talking.

Anyone interested in joining us for a walk are welcome, we meet every Sunday morning at the Jindera Football Club carpark at 8am.

The event on the 22nd March, will start from **Ernest Grant Park** in **Thurgoona at 7am**, winding its way through Albury, into Wodonga and then finishing with a celebration of music, guest speakers and a monster raffle at **The Thirsty Devil** brewery.

Registrations for the walk can be made via the website: Walk For A Bloke

<u>DONATIONS</u> can be made directly to the Jindera/ Thurgoona Blokes Walk team via the following: <u>Spoke to a Bloke - Blokes Walk (Jindera & Thurgoona)</u>



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ALBURY / WODONGA



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TOYS and BOOKS NOT Broken or Ripped

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> Unsaleable Items become Rubbish which '<u>Costs us Money</u>'!

We Can <u>NOT</u> Accept:

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Cups, Plates or Glasses with Chips or Cracks



Broken Toys and Ripped Books

Broken Electrical Items



PLEASE ONLY DONATE ITEMS THAT ARE <u>CLEAN</u> AND <u>NOT</u> <u>BROKEN</u>!

Our OP SHOP Volunteers *WIN* AWARD

Another regular job is the thongs, collection of and runners sneakers unsuitable for sale which are delivered for recycling to the Athletes Foot in Albury for the 'Fit for Purpose' program that recycle these shoes into rubber mats, flooring and playgrounds. They embrace modern also technology with very



popular and profitable face book sales as well as having a modern warehouse storage system to assist in rotating seasonal clothing and items.

The Op Shop staff are very proud of the amount of money their volunteer work helps to raise which provides the resources to pay for the ongoing upkeep of the Op Shop



and Rural Care Link as well as all the local charity works that Rural Care Link undertake. Some of the community projects they have supported are the **Jindera Museum**, **Multipurpose Stadium**, **School of Arts Hall**, **Up-lights** in the Village Green, **Shade Sails** in the new **Jindera Playground** and the very successful **Jindera Battle of the Bands** event. The Op Shop have also been able to financially assist the Annual Schools' Grants to provide support to students in need as well as Family Pool Season Passes when required. They helped supply the Burrumbuttock Public School Defibrillator and supported the Jindera Community the Jindera Garden and Community Carols.

All the volunteers say that being able to choose days and hours to work and having the ability to connect and make



new friendships with fellow workers and customers alike is the best part of this job.

A *huge congratulations and thank you* to all the Op Shop volunteers, sponsors, and everyone who continually help to make our Jindera Op Shop the incredible success that it is - *we couldn't do it without you!*

If you would like to become part of this exceptional group see page 11 for more info.







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Jindera Community Diary

<u>March</u> 2025

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Do you have an event you would like added to the Jindera Community Diary

CONTACT US ON: jinderanews@ruralcarelink.org.au



4th - 8th MARCH 50% off STOREVIDE

Rural Care Link OP SHOP - Open 5 Days Tues - Fri 10am to 4pm (closed for lunch 1pm to 1.45pm) Saturdays - 10am to 1pm

Ph: (02) 6026 3001 - 83 Urana Street, Jindera NSW

NO CONDITIONS

Glenellen Solar Farm



Construction Update 21 February 2025

With most of the mechanical work completed, the sound of the piling will decrease soon which should be welcome news to all.

Works completed or in progress

- Piling is 75% completed
- Substation work has begun (see photos)
- Mechanical installation is almost complete
- Over 3.000 trackers installed
- 24 inverters have been delivered, more expected in April.
- There are currently approximately 100 people working on-site







Upcoming works on site

- Module installation (panels) to begin 24/2/25
- Civil works on the Transgrid collector sub-station continue
- Landscape screening planting will begin onsite

Bundaberg Solar Development Pty Ltd

Phone: 0488 215 575 (Philip Beattie – Community and Stakeholder Engagement) Email: glenellensolarfarm@globalpower-generation.com.au or philip.beattie@globalpower-generation.com.au Mail: Glenellen Asset Pty Ltd, Suite A, Level 3, 73 Northbourne Avenue, Canberra ACT 2601



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Hueske Rd Intersection Street Lights

Hueske Rd-Urana Rd intersection lights are finally switched on and residents travelling that route are happy to see them.

Tree Removal at Adventure Playground

Works at the Jindera Adventure Playground will not be completed by Easter due to concerns about the removal of trees there and near the swimming pool.

At the last council meeting (Wednesday 19th) a motion was passed to revise the car parks plans to accommodate the healthy trees as determined by a qualified arborist.

New plans will have to be undertaken as this decision involves the footpath between Ann Drive and Dight Steet the new fencing, the dump point and tree planting.

Shade sails at Adventure Playground

I am happy to announce that the last section of the shade sails at the Adventure Playground will be constructed following the transfer of \$25000 which had been set aside for a share in the cost of a feasibility study for the shared Jindera- Lavington path. Unfortunately, the joint investigation by both councils failed a couple of years ago because Albury were no longer interested and now it can be used to finish off this important project.

Riding/walking paths

It is hoped that people interested in more shared riding-walking paths be established connecting areas in and around Jindera have noted that when they filled out the recent survey.

Community Engagement survey

Thank you to everyone who completed the Community Engagement survey over the past two weeks. Your involvement will help inform the council's planning for the next ten years with a four yearly review.

Greater Hume Council MONTHLY MEETING will be held in JINDERA at the Jindera Hub Meeting Room Wednesday March 19th



More information will be given in regards to **Time** and **Procedure** for the public to speak before the meeting regarding any local issues.

Cr. Jenny O'Neill

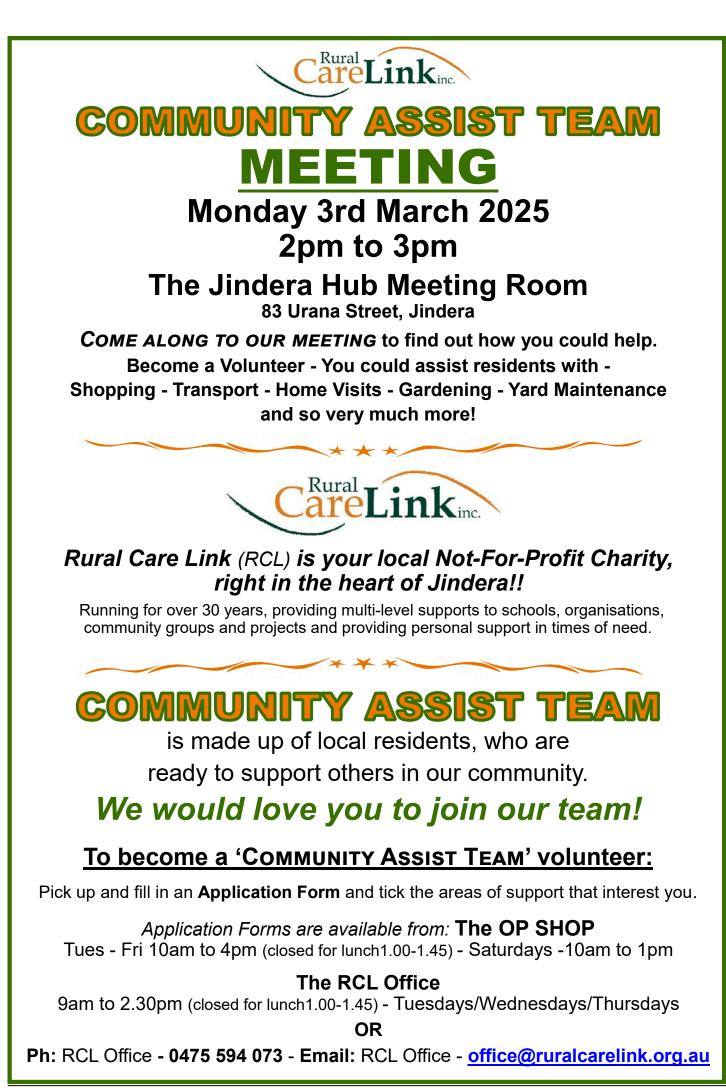
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Friends in Action (Caritas)	0438 262 480
Greater Hume Children's Services	1800 954 999
Community Forum	0498 092 200
Conway Printing	6026 3611
CWA	0400 490 992
Football Club	0427 253 587
Friends of Jindera Wet Lands	0423 204 263
Golf Club	0418 690 510
Jindera Lutheran Church	0438 263 417
Jindera Pioneer Museum	6026 3622
Jindera Public School	6026 3280
Jindera Post Office	6026 3201

Morgan Country CAR CLUB Multi Purpose Stadium Committee	
Netball Club	
OP SHOP	
Pony Club	6026 3484
Pre School	6026 3468
Recreation Reserve	0438 263 417
Rural Care Link (RCL)	0475 594 073
St Johns Lutheran School	6026 3220
St Mary MacKillop College	
St Paul's Anglican Church	
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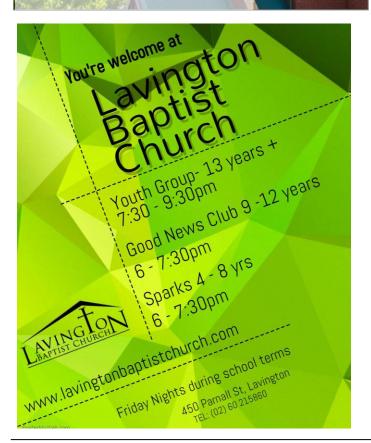
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lavington@wagga.catholic.org.au website: holyspiritlavington.org.au

Parish Priest: Fr. P Murphy Assistant Priest: Fr. M Perry

Mass times: Saturday 8am Sunday 9am Confessions before Mass

Baptisms and Weddings by Appointment





Anglican Parish of Northern Albury To Know Christ and Make Him Known

St. Paul's Jindera

Sundays 8.30am

Priest - The Rev'd Emily Payne Mobile: 0408 666 119 Parish office : 6040 6457

Email: vicarnorthernalbury@gmail.com website: https:// anglicannorthernalbury.org.au



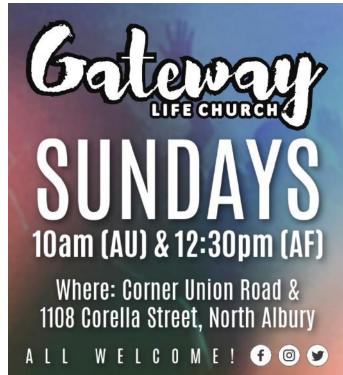
Growing Where We are Planted

Sunday Worship Service Times

Bethlehem Jindera 9am Adams Street, Jindera

Trinity Bethel, Holy Cross Burrumbuttock and St Peter's Gerogery: please check our website for worship times

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Welcome Back!

We are delighted to welcome our children and families back to Little Saints Preschool as we begin another exciting year of learning and growth! It has been a joy getting to know our new and returning children, as well as their families, and we look forward to building strong connections throughout the year.

We are also excited to welcome **our new teacher**, **Laura Edstrom**, to the Little Saints team. Laura brings a wealth of experience and knowledge, supporting our practices and striving for the best outcomes for our children. We look forward to seeing the wonderful contributions she will bring to our service.

Our programs are designed to foster curiosity, creativity, and a love of learning in a warm and nurturing environment. We appreciate the trust our families place in us and are committed to providing a safe, supportive, and enriching experience for every child.

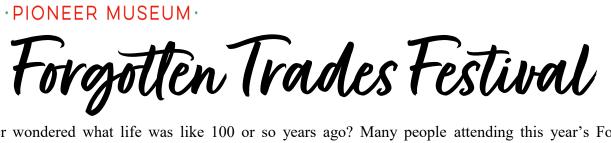
Thank you for being part of our Little Saints community—we look forward to a fantastic year ahead!











Ever wondered what life was like 100 or so years ago? Many people attending this year's Forgotten Trades Festival found out how different and difficult life could be before many of our tools of trade became so commonplace.

When making or creating something from scratch it is always known what goes into it - there is no concern for quality or additives, so the trades seen on the day were earth skills, pure and simple, that anyone could try their hand at.

The Forgotten Trades Festival highlighted the bygone ways of bygone days and visitors got to see old crafts such as basket weaving, felt craft, spinning, weaving, lace making, calligraphy, jewellery making, hand shearing, bush wood crafting, watch making, stone walling and many more.













Forgotten Trades Festival

One of the aims of the event was to provide visitors with the experience of seeing things made by hand or from scratch, and this was very evident from presentations such as milking a cow, to churning butter and hand shearing sheep. Wood workers, blacksmithing, chaff cutters, grain grinders, rope making, timber work with hand tools, calligraphy, leather work and horse collars, watch repairs, basketweaving, knitting and herbalism were all available for the interested to watch and learn or try, along with many and varied hand-made or grown items for sale.

This was the fourth festival held at the museum, with the first being held



in conjunction with the township 150th celebrations in 2018. The next was held with the opening of the Tim Fischer Working Machines shed the following year and the third was 2 years later. These are a major fund-raiser for the museum to help raise capital for the new building project. This year's event was again very successful with large numbers of people flowing through the doors from 10 am. Steve Bowen helped keep people entertained throughout the day with his witty and vibrant personality. Exhibitors and stall holders were all pleased with the day and many visitors commented on having a thoroughly enjoyable time.





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We have had a fantastic start to the year!

We have spent the first few weeks of preschool learning our new routine, making new connections with peers and educators and settling into preschool life!

We are thrilled to be seeing our existing families back through our doors & to warmly welcome a lot of new families to our preschool community.



Jindera Preschool Annual General Meeting

All welcome to attend the Jindera Preschool AGM! Tuesday 4th March, 2025

7:30pm Held at Jindera Preschool, 151 Adams Street, Jindera





yellow (Sth)

Close dominant index fingertip onto thumb, other fingers spread. Place tip of this formation on temple and swivel formation several times. (Vic, SA, WA, NT, Tas)

Our Kookaburra group has been learning about colour, in particular the colour yellow! We have been reading books, doing fun activities and learning the Auslan sign for yellow. Can you sign yellow?!

Kangaroos – Tuesday/ThursdayTeacher – Chloe Roberts -- Bach of Ed. Early Childhood
Masters of Special EducationWombats – Monday/WednesdayTeacher – Jessica Parascos -- Bach of Ed. Early Childhood

 Kookaburras – Friday
 Teacher – Olivia Phegan -- Bach of Ed. Early Childhood

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Our Wombats have been working on their self-portraits. This is an exercise in self-recognition for the children and will be completed again towards the end of the year. It is wonderful for the children to see how their features have changed and how refined their drawing skills become.



Our Kangaroos have been honing their gross motor skills on a fantastic new resource we purchased at the end of last year. The 'wiggle walk' has been a big hit! We've also been reading Panda Bear, Panda Bear, what do you see? and creating our own animals with

collage. What animals do you see?





It has been a busy month as we planned and prepared for the **Forgotten Trades Day**; there will be a feature in this edition with news (see page 20-21) and photos from the day.

The hot weather has played havoc with the garden over the last month, with many dry patches appearing. Members have been working hard to get the site looking good for the Forgotten Trades Day, so the recent rain has been welcome.

It has also been busy with other projects that have been in the pipeline for a few months, finally coming to fruition.

The **signwriting** above the shop has been completed and from all comments received, looks terrific. This was a two -stage project as the veranda iron needed replacing, so the old came off to allow access for the sign-writers to be able to work on the space above. The signwriters were very slick, with the work to the sign being completed in just a day. Hand-painting of signs is a skill that is

becoming a lost art and, try as I might, I couldn't convince them to come back and do additional some work for the Forgotten Trades Day! The veranda now iron is with replaced.



new downpipes and gutters, which have given the front entrance a lovely facelift.

Members of the Executive have met with our architect recently to get the **building project** underway, and it is our hope to begin building this year. Stage 1 will see the footings and slab appear with the remainder of the building being in 2 further stages. As with all buildings, there are many decisions to be made that impact costs, and with costs having risen so much in the building world in recent years, this is critical to the progress of the development. Funding is a high priority for us, and we continue to look for, and apply for, government grants that fit our situation.



The **new shed** is completed, and we should be able to move items into this in the next weeks. We will keep a space for the building of a **vintage plane**, thanks to **Robert Bunn of Bungowannah**. When it is complete, this will be a feature in the machinery area. Robert is an extraordinary veteran of the flying world; he has piloted planes for much of his life and is considered one of the only people still able to fix the old engines used in early flying machines. There is considerable work to be done to get this flying machine, that will feature in the museum's exhibits, back in one piece, but we have had the offer of some expertise in this area. You will be able to see the work in progress over the next months as it will be a feature of the new shed exhibits.

We have recently completed our new **Strategic Plan** that looks at how we will move forward in the next 4 years. Thanks to Kathie Heyman as facilitator, this was an interesting and purposeful project that has given us clear direction for the period ahead. It is a very useful exercise to sit down and take a good look at your organisation and see where it is up to, then to consider where you are wanting to head into the future and how you might be able to get there. I think the process gave us many insights into some of the areas that we need to focus on as we move forward.

During March there are several **Cottage Craft workshops** being held at the museum; these have been supported by a government grant, so offer great value if you find one you would like to attend. These are mostly being held on a Saturday; you will find the program within the Jindera News - see page 39.

March is also our **Autumn High Tea** month and this will be held on **Sunday 23rd March**. Tickets for the High Tea are available via **Trybooking** from 4th March. See page 25.

 Discover two acres this renowned museum features multiple dwellings, exhibits and displays which showcase the early pioneering days and heritage of the region. All set within lovely gardens in the heart of Jindera.
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118 Urana Street, 15kms north of Albury www.jinderamuseum.com.au Entry fees apply

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Jindera Museum - Upcoming Events 2025

Day	Date / Time	Event	
Saturday	1 st March / 10 – 11.30 am	Cottage Craft workshop	
Monday	10 th March / 7.30pm	Museum Annual General Meeting	
Thursday	13 th March	Tourism night – North of the Murray	
Sunday	23 rd March / 2-4pm	High Tea	
Saturday	5 th April / 10 – 11.30am	Cottage Craft Workshop	
Saturday	12 th April / 9.30 – 12.30	Cottage Craft Workshop	
	/ 1 – 2.30pm	Cottage Craft Workshop	
Sunday	13 th April / 10 – 12 noon	Easter Egg Workshop	
Friday	25 th April	Anzac Day closed till 12 noon	
Saturday	3 rd May / 9.30 – 12.30pm	Cottage Craft Workshop	
	/ 1 – 2.30pm	Cottage Craft Workshop	
Saturday	10 th May / 10 – 11.30am	Cottage Craft Workshop	
	1-2.30pm	Cottage Craft Workshop	
Saturday	17 th May / 10 – 11.30am	Cottage Craft Workshop	
	1-2.30pm	Cottage Craft Workshop	
Saturday	7 th June / 6.30pm	Walk and Dine Down Memory Lane	
Sunday	15th June / 10 – 12 noon	Wicker Workshop	

More information on each event will be available on our website and through our Facebook page.

Or contact 0408 409 842 - Email: info@jinderamuseum.com.au

MARCH 2025

PIONEER MUSEUM

Making Waves at the Jindera Pool with SwimVac 2025

SwimVac provides swimming and water safety education across New South Wales. In 2025, the program welcomed 2,217 enrolments over two action-packed weeks.

Two of these dedicated teachers, Sue and Marg, play a significant role in the SwimVac experience here in Jindera. In 2021, COVID limited school-based swimming programs, leaving them without their usual teaching opportunities so Marg suggested applying for a SwimVac position in Jindera, a rural town near her daughter's home and to their delight, they were accepted.

Sue and Marg quickly embraced their new roles sharing their aquatic expertise with the Jindera community. Parents were amazed by the rapid progress their children made and appreciated the dedication of the two teachers who had travelled from Sydney to support their town. They were asked if they would return the following year and they quickly accepted.

As word of their program spread, enrolments grew and by 2023, the demand had become so great that Royal Life Saving NSW sent a film crew to Jindera to capture the program for a promotional video. This recognition reinforced their commitment to teaching swimming and water safety through SwimVac.

This year both teachers worked full-day shifts to accommodate the increased numbers of students. They

Some of their most memorable moments include, witnessing young children overcome their fear of water and watching students initially terrified of deep water gain the confidence to jump in and return to safety on their own. Sue and Marg cherished have become of the Jindera members community and teaching in SwimVac has become a highlight of their year, as they



continue to make a difference, one lesson at a time.

Sue and Marg highly recommend joining SwimVac.as it is a unique opportunity to inspire confidence, instill essential life skills, and witness the joy of children achieving what once seemed impossible.

Anyone interested in learning more about SwimVac and how to get involved please visit:

https://www.drowningprevention.org.au/swimvac or email swimandsurvive@royalnsw.com.au





Jindera Pool Final Day is Sunday 9th March

Wally Wipeout cousin's Last Splash!

The pool will be closing with a splash – Wally's Cousin will be making his final appearance for the season.

Committee News

This year the canteen was run completely by volunteers. We would like to thank all of the following; with a huge apology if you have been missed off the list.

Bernie Bell-Chambers 🎔 Brendan Burt Marita Christensen
 Lisa Doughty Ruth Dunn 🎔 Matthew Gillespie 🎔 Emma Ginnivan Michelle Ingram 🎔 Baz and Cyrus Jafari Jenny O'Neill 🎔 Adam Paris 🎔 Karen Power Louise Quirk 🎔 Miranda Roberts 🎔 Tim Schulz Alisha Stead 🎔 Sally Wildon

Without these people giving a few hours of their time we would **not** have had a canteen this summer.



It is very likely the Pool Committee will need to do this again when the next swim season starts in November.



Please give them a huge thank you



Please consider volunteering – it has been a wonderful opportunity for many of us to meet new people and make connections in our growing community.

It is also a great chance for young teens to gain confidence and experience before heading out into the workforce.

For more POOL information contact Jenny O'Neill on 0438 263 417 or Facebook - https://www.facebook.com/ JinderaSwimmingPool/

If you are having trouble getting to the pool – head down Adams Street, onto Fallon Street and you will see the western entrance to the oval on Dight Street. Follow the track around the oval.



See you there!

More Pool page 28



Jindera Pool * *Fun* * *Gwim* *

The local community certainly took advantage of having our very own '*cool pool*' in this hot weather and enjoyed having a splash with Wally's Cousin before this swimming season finishes. *Jindera Pool CLOSES for this season on Sunday 9th March - Don't miss out on the fun!*





St Paul's Anglican Ladies Knitting Group

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Tuesday 10.00 to 11.30am Jindera Community Hub Library

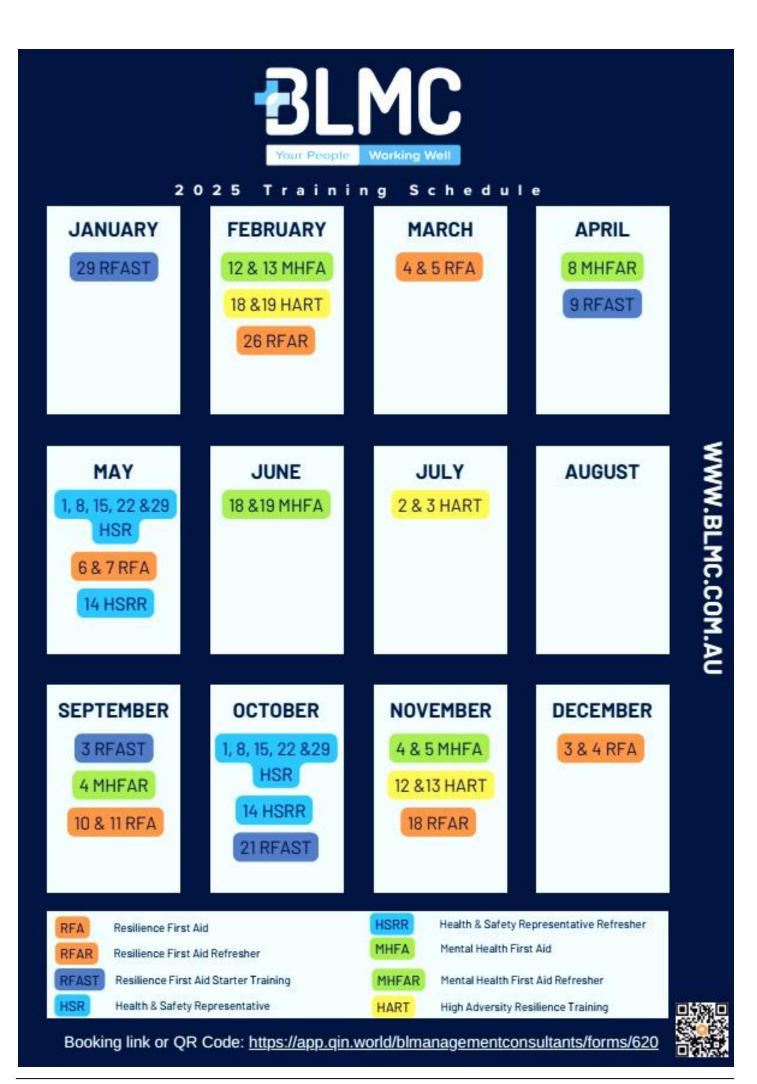
Join us to knit for a charity or bring your own knitting project (if you can't knit we'll show you)

All welcome

For more information phone 0400 424 437

SAVE THE DATE! Jindera Community GARAGE SALE SUNDAY 4th May 2025

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Jindera CWA News

March 2025

CWA Country of Study for 2025:

REPUBLIC OF KOREA, commonly referred to as **SOUTH KOREA** in Australia. Surprisingly, this small country has a population of over 51 million, with many living in and around the capital city Seoul.

The national FLAG is called the TAEGEUKGI, and was named the national flag in 1897 since the foundation of the Korean Empire.

The national FLOWER, MUGUNGHWA (Rose of Sharon) means "Eternal blossom that never fades".

National COSTUME is called HANBOK and is reserved for special occasions.

Korean people maintain food and medicine share the same origin "food is the best medicine".

K-FOOD has taken the world by storm.

CWA International Seminar on South Korea was held at Dubbo on the 1st February, Olivia Hanel attended, representing Jindera. Members thoroughly enjoyed a range of Korean cuisine.

Our **March meeting** will be held in the School of Arts Hall, Jindera at 10.00am and will include the Land Cookery Competition. *VISITORS ARE MOST WELCOME*.

Yours in CWA Friendship, Bev. Blair – Publicity Officer.







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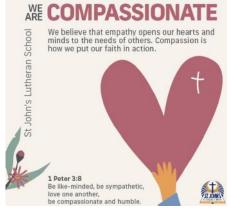
Interim Principal: Anna-Marie Bothe

What a start to the year!

We have hit the ground running with our staff professional development days, AFL visit, annual swim carnival, plus lots and lots of learning.

This year we are deep diving into our school values with each term focusing on one of our four values of **Compassionate**, **Adventurous**, **Empowered and Connected**. This term Compassionate is our focus and we have seen our students show love for one another with open hearts and minds, in particular to our new students and families as they settle into life at St John's.

We are also preparing for our upcoming **Open Day** so please reach out if you have a child who is ready for **Kindergarten in 2026** and beyond! You can contact us at <u>admin@stjls.nsw.edu.au</u> or on 6026 3220 or come in, say hello and meet our friendly team. Positions are filling fast so do not delay!







St John's Lutheran School - continued



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PROBUS Monthly News - by Helen Squires

Introduction - Probus is a club for retirees and aims to promote growth, development and support for former professional and business people fostering the true spirit of Probus - FRIENDSHIP - FELLOWSHIP - FUN. The Henty Probus Club meet on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 10.am at Henty Bowling Club. Membership is \$30 p.a. Anyone from Jindera would be very welcome to attend our meetings.



For more information - www.probussouthpacific.org or contact: Yvonne Booth 0428293193 - Kevin Fogarty 0428293480

The Henty/Culcairn Probus Club met at Culcairn on Wednesday 12th February 2025.

Our President Warren welcomed us all and visitors too. Our new member is Fiona Sanderson. Fiona is a new resident to Henty and her family members Sapper and Wendy Sutherland came to visit.

Alan and Marjorie Rayner were also guests.

Fiona was our five minute speaker, and she spoke of her mother Helen Emily Sutherland, who mothered nine children and founded the Murray Grey breed of cattle. We were told the Murray Grey Society started in 1962. Helen Emily Sutherland did not drive a car but rode a horse and knew animals by sight and their pedigrees too. Warren presented our Probus pen as a thankyou for a most interesting talk.

We have sung 'Kookaburra Sitting on the Old Gum Tree' as a round, and after a demonstration by Steve and Herb, we are sounding pretty good.

Our main speaker was Alan Rayner. He told of his family history investigations and the hazardous journey of folks to Australia. Some had come after the English cotton industry collapsed, some because of potato famine in Ireland, and some due to Scottish landlords evicting tenants, some due to religious persecution in Europe, and then gold was found in Australia.

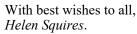
Alan told of tent makers and people with multiple children living in carpet floored tents to hunt for gold. Alan's father purchased Myrtleford bakery where he worked for thirty years. Joan Pitson thanked Alan for sharing his family history and presented him with our Probus pen.

On Wednesday 12th March we will have our Annual General Meeting at Walla Walla Lutheran church hall - 9.30 for a 10.00 am start.

There will be picnic lunch available for purchase. Membership costs seem set rise to cover increase in hall hire.

This will be my last newsletter for Probus. After three years of writing, it is time for a new person to write about Probus. Thank you to all my helpers and readers, I have enjoyed the challenge of being a reporter. I have been asked to consider a new challenge within Probus, so elections at AGM will see what happens.

And ... Yes - there will be another Beanie Competition with a nursery rhyme theme as well as just beanies. **June 10th** is the date for the opening evening. Yvonne will be happy to have all donations.







We are a social group who are creating a garden for EVERYONE to enjoy. Check our news on Facebook, and read *here* each month for updates. If anyone has ideas or suggestions, please let us know. Phone or Message - Eileen at JCG on Ph: 0400 023 290 or email jinderacommunitygarden@gmail.com.

Doctors are Prescribing Gardening

Gardening for Physical and Mental Health has numerous benefits. Time spending in a garden gives you a pleasure while contacting with Nature.

Anxiety, Depression and Loneliness can be a huge struggle for some people. Patients are being encouraged to spend time outdoors amongst the greenery.

The evidence based on this theory is growing; that social gardening is improving levels of Anxiety and Depression.

Don't let gardening become a burden or a labour. Only plant Vegies that your family eat. Don't go overboard with quality - you must consider water and time just enjoy it.



Connecting to a Path

No matter where you live you will often find a Bike Path or Walking Track that leads down to a Community Garden



Mother's Day Cake Stall

We have booked IGA for our Cake Stall for "Mother's Day" Saturday 10th May







Gardeners like to Celebrate

After our Meeting at Lorriane and Shawn's we had a reason to socialise.

sponge cake; it gets harder to blow out these candles every vear candles every year.

I'm sure someone deliberately pushed that sponge further away from me.



- We are getting excited about a few social card games during winter.
- Please let me know if you would love to join us.



Is there anyone out there who is a Chess player, young Daryl is looking for a challenge



We still have our coffee at the Fox and Brew on Saturday mornings around 10am. If anyone would like to catch up or help us with some new ideas please join us!



We would love to hear from you if you have any news of interest to our local community!

Please email your article to jinderanews@ruralcarelink.org.au or to Rural Care Link, The Jindera Hub, Urana Street, Jindera



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To ensure a smooth and timely service, we request you place your orders no later than 1:00 pm the day **prior** to your delivery day, which is **Thursday** in the **Jindera** area. Tania will be calling as usual on Wednesday but if you have time earlier in the week, we are happy to take your order sooner.

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If you would like a **menu** or have any **questions**, please call the office on 02 **60363677**.

Our menu is also available on our website: <u>https://holbrookmealsonwheels.com.au/</u> orr you can email: <u>office@holbrookmealsonwheels.com.au</u>



The Walla Walla Community Men's Shed Inc will be holding the next Monthly Meeting on

SUNDAY 2ND MARCH 2025 at the Walla Walla Lions Dwelling 45 Commercial Street Walla Walla

commencing at 2.00pm

Please join us for a cuppa and afternoon tea. A plate of food to share would be greatly appreciated. Contact: **Ted Ackerley - Mobile 0410 594 044**



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SENIORS WEEK 2025 **JOIN US FOR A RELAXING & CREATIVE** PAINT & PLATTER SESSION AS PART OF **SENIORS WEEK!**

WHEN: Tuesday 11 March at 9.30am WHERE: Jindera Library WHAT: Enjoy a guided painting activity while indulging in a delicious platter of refreshments.

To book your spot at this FREE event please call 60360 100 or speak to one of our **Customer Relations Officers.**

Bookings are essential - spots are limited



Wiggle and Giggle Tindera

Wiggle and Giggle is a free group for parents and carers with children under school age (0-5 years) where they can enjoy songs, nursery rhymes and stories while connecting with others.



When: Each Tuesday from 25 February to 1 April 2025

Where: Jindera Community Hub, 83 Urana Street

Time: 10am - 12pm

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Jindera Cottage Crafts Group Upcoming workshops details for skills based workshops .

Macro Photography Workshop 10th & 17th May 2025

John Naimo Photographer

John has been photographing life/nature, as he murrayarts sees it, for over 50 years. Most of his photographs are close up or macro images of the natural world. He is fascinated and amazed by the diversity, colour, patterns and beauty of nature.





John Naimo's macro photography of nature reflects his passion for the natural world and the beauty and complexity that is revealed through the macro lens.





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Jindera Female Football

We are excited to announce an exciting opportunity for the creation of new teams for the 2026 season, in the North East Border Female Football League (NEBFFL)

Jindera is looking for dedicated players to join us in building strong, competitive teams for the upcoming year. Whether you're just starting out or have years of experience, we have a spot for you!

We're forming teams for the following age groups:

- U12 For our youngest stars, ready to shine on the field!
- U14 Players looking to refine their skills and compete at a higher level.
- U17 For the growing athletes who are passionate about football and want to take it to the next stage.
- Opens Open to all players eager to be part of our senior competition team.

Our training days will be on Monday and Wednesday nights and the games are held on a Sunday,

Please register your interest and be part of the 2026 Season!

(We will look at training to begin in September)

For more information, contact us via FFCjindera@gmail.com or call 0419332314 or check out our Facebook page via the QR link below





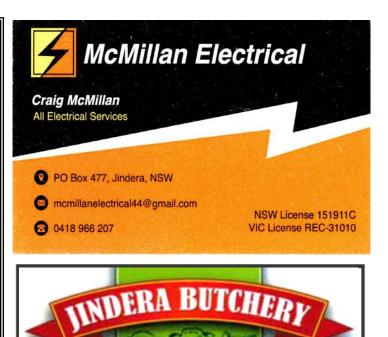
Put on those thinking caps, folks! We need your enthusiasm and support. Have you got any old machines, vintage vehicles, or retro rides just gathering dust? Let us know if you want to flaunt them! (Saturday Morning)

Plus, we're on the hunt for founding families and sporting clubs willing to put a float together that showcases the good old days versus the fabulous present! Let's make some magic happen!

We need to wrangle up some numbers and details for our program and insurance needs.

To help with this mission, reach out to: Louise Haberman (call or text) 0429366334 Colin Habermann (calls only) at 04285781770.





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The walk commemorates the visit by Hamilton Hume and William Hovell on Sunday 14th November 1824

Walkers can place a stone as their contribution to building a Memorial Cairn at the top of Table Top Mountain

Directions: About 30 minutes drive from Albury. Turn right off the Olympic Highway at the Peregrines Reception Centre sign. NO DOGS. https://www.kalawa.com.au/peregrines_location.pdf

> The 6km walk is suited to moderately fit persons above the age of six. Waiver to be signed. Participation Entry Charges. \$25 per car, \$50 per mini-bus, \$100 per coach Enquiries: rouvrayw@bigpond.net.au

Raffle tickets available before and after the Walk BBQ / Sausage Sizzle outside Reception Centre after the Walk

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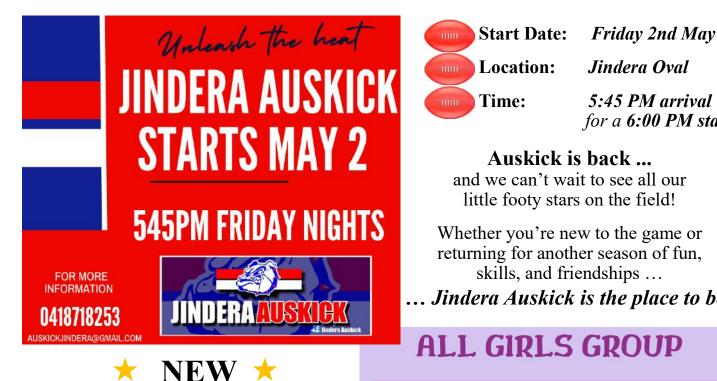
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5:45 PM arrival for a 6:00 PM start

Auskick is back ... and we can't wait to see all our little footy stars on the field!

Whether you're new to the game or returning for another season of fun, skills, and friendships ...

... Jindera Auskick is the place to be!

ALL GIRLS GROUP



While girls make up just over 20% of current registered Auskickers, Jindera Auskick is striving to increase that number for the fifth consecutive year with an all-female group. Sign up now to receive a \$25 discount on your registration.

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Happy Kicking ... see you at the oval!



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All are welcome to come and experience the scenic Jindera golf course. Whether it be through weekly 9 or 18-hole competitions in men's, ladies or VETS groups.

Yearly **memberships** are paid in March, \$140 for the year, or \$35 for junior members. Download a membership from our website. Or **Social Golf** available any time the course is open 10/\$15 payable via card or cash at the clubhouse.

The course is looking tip top with all the sprinklers and volunteers working hard to keep the fairways and synthetic greens - golf ready.

The 2025 season is due to begin with a season **Opening Day** coming up on **9th March**, **9:00am**, with the day following a 2 ball Ambrose format in both mixed and men's competitions.

Cost is \$35 includes breakfast, lunch and prizes. Contact Craig McMillan or email <u>admin@jinderagolfclub.com</u> for entries. *(See page 45 opposite)* Jindera Golf Club would like to advise that their <u>DELIBERATOR</u>, (see Deliberators page 3) situated in the breezeway under the front veranda is <u>Accessible 24 Hours a Day</u> Available for Jindera residents if this type of medical assistance is needed.



Current competitions include:

- Sunday Men's 18/9 holes, Tee-off 8.30am
- Wednesday–VETS 9 Holes, Stableford Tee-off 8.30am
- Friday Chook Run 9 Holes, Open to all 4-5pm start.
- Ladies Social Golf 9-holes -Mondays, tee off 8am

Ladies competitions to begin shortly: Monday/Thursday/ Sunday 9 or 18-holes.

New Competition Fees: 9-holes \$15 - 18-holes \$20 - effective 10/02/24

Members can now book and register for a comp by going to the website - <u>https://jindera.1golf.com.au/welcome/</u> <u>index.mhtml</u> or visit the Jindera Golf club website -<u>www.jinderagolfclub.com > Events</u> and click on the link.

SCORES Summary - February 2025

SUNDAY COMPETITION

SUN 2/02/2025 - Stableford 18 Players

Postn	Player	DLY Hcap	Gross	Nett	18-Hole Result	9-Hole Result FRONT
1	Tony CORRIN	14	83	37	W \$30	
2	Scott MCMILLAN	19	89	36	R/U \$10	
3	David GRAY	24	94	36	В	W,21 \$20
4	Brendan BURT	22	86	35	В	
5	Graeme EVANS	16	88	34	В	
6	Jason STEINKE	29	88	33	В	
7	Daryl KLEIN	24	85	33	В	
8	Russell GUEHO	18	85	32		
9	Neville POWER	15	69	32		R/U,17 2B

SUN 9/02/2025 - Stableford 20 Players

Posn	Player	DLY Hcap	Gross	Nett	18-Hole Result	9-Hole Result BACK
1	Neville POWER	15	76	39	W \$30	W, \$20,24
2	Craig CHRISTENSEN	27	96	37	R/U \$10	
3	Tony CORRIN	13	79	35	В	R/U,2B,20
4	Aaron JENNINGS	22	86	35	В	
5	Rhett PRESCOTT	24	88	34	В	
6	Jeff DONNEY	23	87	34	В	
7	Robin WELDON	20	93	33	В	
8	Craig MCMILLAN	9	75	33	В	

SUN 16/2/2025 Stableford 11 Players

Postn	Player	DLY Hcap	Gross	Nett	18-Hole Result	9-Hole Result FRONT
1	Peter PENNY	15	87	40	W \$30	W, \$20,21
2	Robin WELDON	27	75	36	R/U \$10	
3	David GRAY	13	94	35	В	
4	Daryl KLEIN	22	97	33	В	
5	Tony CORRIN	24	73	32	В	
6	Gray SPURR	20		32		R/U,2B,19



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VETS COMPETITION - Wednesday morning - 9 Holes.

VETS Wed. - 29/01/2025 Stableford 16 Players

Postn	Player	Dly Hcap	Nett	Result
1	Stan DUFFIELD	26	21	W
2	Steve BURGESS	28	21	R/U
3	Neville POWER	14	20	В
4	Frank SHANNON	20	18	В
5	Bruce HILL	20	16	В

VETS Wed. - 5/02025 3 Ball, 21 Players

Postn	Player 1	Player 2	Player 3	Result
1	Ian PRETZEL	Peter CHASTON	John MCMAUGH	W
2	Max CARMODY	Frank CARMODY	Mark PEARSAL	R/U

VETS Wed. - 12/02/2025 Stableford 16 Players

Postn	Player	Dly Hcap	Nett	Result
1	Bruce HILL	20	20	W
2	John Wiesner	22	17	R/U
3	Daryl RIXON	18	15	В
4	Stan DUFFIELD	26	14	В
5	Mark PEARSALL	30	14	В

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Winners are grinners. New Jindera Country Golf Club, Grounds Co-Ordinator: Peter Penny got the better of the field on Sunday 16 Feb. with a solid score of 40 points. Runner up was new President Robin Weldon with 36 points with Garry Spurr winning the 9-hole competition.



Regular social golfers out early to beat the heat – finished by morning tea time! (The putt went in.) Special mention to Judy Gray with a terrific 9-hole score of 20 – but unfortunately, not playing in a competition and so no prize.

CHOOK RUN - Friday afternoon - 9 Holes STABLEFORD

Chook Run - Fri 31/01/2025 - Stableford - 30 Players

Postn	Player	Dly Hcap	Nett	Result FRONT
1	Peter REID	36	20	W \$40
2	Craig MCMILLAN	8	19	R/U \$20
3	Simon COSSOR	8	19	В
4	David PAECH	26	19	В
5	Shannon ROBERTSON	17	19	В
6	Cam BURT	19	19	В
7	Marita CHRISTENSEN	42	18	В
8	Neville POWER	16	18	В
9	Craig CHRISTENSEN	27	18	В
10	Neville BRAND	21	18	В
11	Graeme MOORE	16	18	В

Chook Run - Fri 7/0/2025 - Stableford - 18 Players

Posn	Player	DLY Hcap	Nett	Result BACK
1	Greg PRESTON	18	21	W \$30
2	Wade MCPHERSON	35	19	R/U \$10
3	Simon COSSOR	9	17	В
4	Garry SPURR	21	16	В
5	David PAECH	27	16	В
6	Aaron TAYLOR	18	16	В
7	David GRAY	25	16	В

Jindera Golf Club <u>2025 Season</u> <u>Opening Day</u>

2 ball Ambrose both Men's and Mixed competitions

Date: Sunday 9th March Time: 9am for 9.30am shotgun start

Cost: \$35.00

Breakfast, Lunch and Prizes included!

Registration required Come join in for a great day of golf



If you intend to play: call or text Craig McMillan on **0418 966207**

Poor hardworking golf cart had to sit out in the sun all day on the beautiful 3rd hole with a flat tyre, with the members calling an SOS to the club captains for a rescue.

The cart is now fixed and available for hire by members and also visitors.

For bookings contact: admin@jinderagolfclub.com

Chook Run - Fri 14/02/2025 - Stableford - 29 Players

Postn	Player	Dly Hcap	Nett	Result FRONT
1	Walter PAECH	43	22	W \$50
2	Daryl KLEIN	23	22	R/U \$20
3	Robin WELDON	20	20	В
4	Craig MCMILLAN	9	19	В
5	Simon COSSOR	8	19	В
6	Trevor FREEMAN	18	18	В
7	Dave HOLWERDA	21	17	В
8	Kevin WALSH	36	16	В
9	Marita CHRISTENSEN	38	16	В
10	Shayne MCINTYRE	8	16	В
11	Thomas NOORDAM	21	16	В
12	David GRAY	23	16	В

LADIES Mon/Thurs/Sun

Competitions begin after opening day.

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JINDERA ANGLERS CLUB INC.

What a great month February is for the Jindera Anglers Club.

Their annual Daryl Girling Memorial competition held down at the 12 mile reserve was a huge success. What started off with a fire truck and cockatoos, ended in 11 legal fish caught with the biggest going 90cm !!

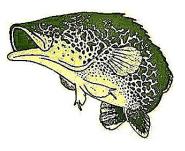
RESULTS:

- 🖘 Biggest Cod, 90cm Jacob Guy
- 🖘 Biggest Ladies, 55cm Kirsty Taylor
- Sest Bag, 172cm for 3 cod Dick Crampton

Thank you to everyone for making the effort to come to this event. It was great to see old members return and plenty of new faces.

Another big shout out to the businesses and members who donated prizes for the raffle, we had over 40 prizes up for grabs.

I'm sure everyone enjoyed a night of entertainment with the annual **Yabby Races**, 30 Yabbies were auctioned off on Saturday night and fought it out in several heats with the winning Yabby claiming its owner \$1,000 in cash, which was donated back to the Club. Stats for the weekend saw 60 plus people fish and 11 legal Murray Cod caught, 29 undersized Murray Cod, 9 Trout Cod and 5 Turtles.



It was slow going for fishos but plenty of memories made, fat lips, quick dips, sleepless nights, a few bruises and many more stories that will continue to be told.

If you would like to JOIN UP to the Jindera Anglers Club or need more information please contact Kerri Lynch on 0427 238 281, follow us on <u>Facebook</u> or head down to the Club house on Friday evening from 5:30pm for a social gathering.

Next Competition is an Open one on March 21st, 22nd & 23rd with weigh at 5pm at the clubhouse.

Tight Lines!















SAVE THE DATE! Jindera Community GARAGE SALE Sunday 4th May 2025

Registrations will be opening in <u>March</u> Look for promotional material in the mail and on Facebook



Enquiries to: Rural Care Link 0475 594 073 Jenny O'Neill 0438 263 417





Trading Hours

Mon – Fri 7:30am-7:00pm Sat & Sun 8:00am-7:00pm Find us on for to see our great specials, new lines recipes and loads more!