



LOCAL GOINGS ON

HiARTS FACING CHALLENGES

At the recent meeting on the future of HiArts, it became very clear that HiArts faces a 'fork in the road'.

After ten exciting and successful years HiArts has become a well known and recognized event in the district.

Over those years around 140 artists have exhibited their work, some on a regular basis.

HiArts is known for the quality of the art it displays and especially for the pride it takes in presenting works in a sensitive and thoughtful way.



The weekends became a place for people, both local and from wider afield, to not only view and purchase art, but meet over great food, wine, coffee and tea.

It was a place of conviviality.

HiArts has featured the artwork of the students from the Highlands Primary School. In addition annual prizes have been awarded to the best art students from both Yea and Seymour Colleges.

**Now a new chapter beckons.
It is time to reconsider the direction of HiArts.**

This has arisen because some of the members of the Committee feel in need of a rest, as some have said 'we are not getting any younger'.

Some have indicated that they will be retiring from the Committee.

Certainly the future of the exhibition is in doubt. Maybe it is time for new blood, new ideas and different faces.

With this in mind HiArts will hold its AGM on Tuesday October 22nd at 7.30pm in the Highlands Community Hall.

We invite all members of the community who believe in HiArts to come along and give voice to their ideas and express their commitment for HiArts.

By Stuart Reid

FINDING 'FOXY'

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(Sorry, Foxy was invisible in Issue30 print copies)

NOTES FROM HIGHLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

Student of the Week Stohm



For achieving terrific results with his maths and managing distractions. Well done!

Sad news: This week we farewelled Dude, our school budgie. Dude had a severe respiratory infection and had to be put to sleep. We will miss his constant chatter in our classroom. Thank you to the Gilbert family for looking after him on his final weekend.

Eggs: Does anyone have an excess supply of eggs? We need egg donations for VORRA. Please let us know if you can help out.

Beanbag cover: The beanbag in the senior room is getting very worn and beans are escaping. Is there anyone who is able to sew a new cover for it?

By Meagan Callander—Principal, HPS



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WELCOME to SPRING 2013

READERS' WRITES

"Congratulations on another great TGN. I had to get help via the magnification of the pages, but in the end, perseverance paid off. I found "him". The hunt helped pass the time on this overcast Sunday afternoon."

—Jan Sporry, Caveat

LANDCARE NOTICE BOARD

THE TIME IS CLOSE FOR SPRAYING PATTERSONS CURSE

Once again the time has come to think about looking for and spraying infestations of Pattersons curse.



Paton Air will be in our area over the next few months for helicopter spraying, so it's a good idea to contact them early if you are interested.

The HCCC is once again offering a subsidy on chemical and helicopter fees, limits apply.

Please contact Simone as soon as possible to get on the list.

hughes.creek1@gmail.com.

Poultry Auctions.....I love them !

Very few people know that Euroa regularly hosts one of Victoria's biggest and best poultry auctions.

Every 2nd month hundreds of fanciers from across Southern Australia spend their Sunday afternoon at the Euroa show grounds trading chooks, ducks, turkeys, geese and even boxes of fertile eggs.

The range of breeds up for sale is amazing. So many different colours and sizes. Prices vary greatly according to the season. This month it was a sellers market, with prices three times greater than those at the April auction. In April I paid \$2 each for quails, today I spent \$35 for a pair. Stud rare breed trios were going up to \$199, sometimes you can be lucky and get them for \$15 each.

I love the broad cross section of the community that attend with many cultures, backgrounds and ages mingling in hot pursuit of their favourite chook breeds.

Metry's Auction Company and Euroa Poultry Club run these events.

Check their website for the dates of upcoming auctions.


The next one is on October 6th 2013 starting 11am.

By Janet Hagen



Plenty of action inside & outside the cages at the Euroa Poultry Auction

COMMUNITY “WHAT’S ON” CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 2013

Wednesday 4th September 10am-4pm Until 30th September	GALLERY 34 “FERTILE GROUND” EXHIBITION At Gallery 34, High St., Yea Ceramics by Margaret Anne Milburn & Digital Photography & Mixed media by Jill Maclean Contact Jo Miller 5797 3222
SEPTEMBER	RUFFY PLAYGROUP Will Not be Happening in September We'll Resume Playgroup in October....We hope to see you and your children then. Sally 5790 4335
Saturday 7th  pm & Sunday 8th Sept 4:00pm	EUROA CINEMA “Fast and Furious” 103 mins (M) Action / Crime *** 3.5 stars This movie will get your heart pumping from the ‘get-go’! It bursts onto the screen as two cars thunder out of a mountain tunnel and it never stops! Some of the action scenes are truly imaginative and outrageously over the top—but what else do you expect from this franchise? The plot doesn't have to have depth (or width for that matter) but it does engage—so jump on for the ride, you will be entertained! It's funny, crazy and laugh-out-loud ridiculous! Starring Vin Diesel, Paul Walker and Jordana Brewster. Saturday screening is 8:00pm
Saturday 7th September 9am-2pm	YEA COUNTRY MARKET Yea Railway Park, Station Street, Yea Showcasing local producers, growers and makers offering an array of stalls, the best in fresh local produce, arts and crafts, children's activities, play ground and skate park. Gold coin donation entry
Sunday 8th September 11:15am	St. DAVID’S UNITING CHURCH Terip-Ruffy Ruffy Road, Terip Terip This service with Holy Communion will be conducted by our Reverend Glenys Gill. All welcome. For any information please Contact Jennifer Penny 5790 4233
Sunday 8th September 2:00pm	“FANTASIA” AUSTRAL HARMONY Tour on Historical Instruments Seymour Anglican Church Anzac Ave Jane Downer & Peter Hagen present the work of Johann Ludwig Krebs. Tickets at Door \$25, \$20 Concession Contact 5794 2858 or 0439 066553
Friday 13th September 6:30pm	‘DRINKS ON THE DECK’ at Highlands Community Hall Bring food to share for a meal together and catch up with friends old and new. All welcome - especially new faces. Gold coin donation to cover power. Contact Judy Cameron 5796 9247
Tuesday 17th September 7:30pm	TERIP TERIP RECREATION RESERVE—Annual General Meeting Terip Terip Rec Reserve All are welcome to attend this meeting to work on the future directions of the Rec Reserve and elect new committee members. Note Change of Date from 19th Sept Contact Andrew Holloway (Secretary) 5790 4080
Friday 22nd September 7:00pm	RUFFY HAPPY HOUR (or TWO!) Ruffy Community Hall, Nolans Road “Come along and catch up with friends or meet someone new, everyone welcome!” BBQ provided BYO meat/drinks and a salad or sweet to share Contact Henry 5790 4246
Saturday 21st September 9am-1:00pm	EUROA VILLAGE FARMERS MARKET Rotary Park, Kirkland Ave., Euroa “Meet, Greet, Eat & Shop” A wonderful range of farm fresh produce from “local” producers. Contact Leah Jones 5795 1886 or hunaleah@mcmedia.com.au
Saturday 21st September 7:00pm	RUFFY PRODUCE STORE Spring Solstice Dinner with DELATITE Nolans Rd., Ruffy Three courses and two glasses of wine, \$60 per person. An opportunity to enjoy Freya's fantastic food, sample a number of Delatite Reserve Wines and talk with Andy, their maker. Bookings are necessary. Contact Helen or Freya 5790 4387
Sunday 22nd September	St. DAVID’S UNITING CHURCH TERIP-RUFFY Ruffy Road, Terip Terip Due to the exciting “ SPRING-FLING ”, organised by the Euroa Uniting Church, the service at our Terip-Ruffy Church has been cancelled but an alternative service will be arranged in Euroa. Look out for more details in later editions of the Granite News.
Friday 27th September From 6:00pm	ROCKY PASSES TAPAS NIGHT Rocky Passes Winery 1590 Highlands Rd., Whiteheads Creek The popular Tapas Nights provide a relaxing way to end the week by enjoying great food & wine with friends. Contact 5796 9366 or contact@rockypasses.com.au
Saturday 28th September 6:00pm	RUFFY PROGRESSIVE DINNER Tablelands Community Centre (Old School)/Rec Reserve/Ruffy Hall This will be a Good Old-Fashioned Community progressive Dinner. Everybody is invited to come along in your Footy Colours and to be entertained by local artist Jim Davidson Tickets are \$25 per head All proceeds to Ruffy Rec Reserve Contact Pam Sprunt 5790 4240

Classifieds & Community Notices

LOCAL GOINGS ON



'Fertile Ground'



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Pam Bannister 0411 217476

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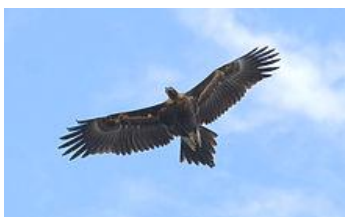


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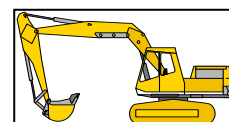
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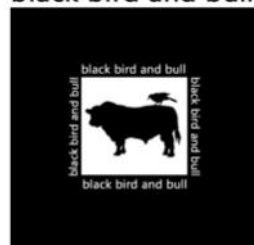
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