



PEOPLE AND PLACES

CHARLTON MEMORIAL WINDOW — RESTORED & READY FOR RELAUNCH

Granite News readers have had insight to the 'Charlton Window' project since it was first featured back in February 2014 in our article titled "The Man Under the Floor".

Since it's discovery under the floor of St Paul's Anglican church in Euroa this significant piece of our district's history has been completely restored and it's provenance has been thoroughly researched.

The window will be officially launched by Victoria's Governor and the public is invited to attend.

The Shrine of Remembrance Trustees are pleased to invite you to the launch of

Private John Charlton Boer War Memorial Window

to be launched by
Her Excellency the Honourable
Linda Dessau AC
Governor of Victoria

2.15pm, Thursday 8 June 2017
Shrine of Remembrance Auditorium
Birdwood Avenue, South Yarra

RSVP by Friday 2 June 2017
reception@shrine.org.au
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LANDCARE NOTICE BOARD

We are currently building a Database of weeds in the district. If you know of a roadside or property that has significant issues with Blackberries, Pater-sons Curse or any other weed of concern please contact Melinda Bronca.

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hughes.creek1@gmail.com

All information will remain anonymous

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The Bungle Boori Times (continued)

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GERMAN MEASLES ATTACK

ARE YOU
LOOKING FOR
MOSSY ROCKS TO
DECORATE
YOUR GARDEN



PH. 969 244 Darren Maclean

The German Measles are spreading throughout the township of Bungle Boori. It already has two victims Peter (8) and Darren Maclean (16). Darren is a student at school and is forced to take time off. Darren's first day was on a Tuesday and spots broke out all over him. The next day he went to the doctor in Seymour who said it was a serious attack. The victims will have to rest for a few days.

REPORTER A. MACLEAN.

BUILDERS CONTINUE

Malcom Little, the builder, has almost finished the new section to the Tolley's house. They are adding a bathroom a bedroom an office and extending the kitchen.

On Friday the 18th the Macleans veranda was being done. They were replacing the tin, and laying some more, new, corrugated iron.

REPORTER: A. MACLEAN.

KEEP @@
BUNGLE ☺
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BEAUTIFUL.

READERS' WRITES

"There is an old adage that says that if we want to get on with people you should not talk politics, religion or sex.

Well I want to!

In our community it is certainly OK to talk about stock prices, the weather, dogs, other people, the state of the economy, MKR and football. No doubt there are other areas that come up.

Politics may be raised circumspectly and religion only by the way. Sex stays strictly at the level of humour.

True, in some intimate gatherings we can be more open on these matters, but what are we afraid of in avoiding creative political discussions?

Are we afraid of conflict?

If so that is a pity.

With religion there may be other fears, such as being vulnerable or a sense of inadequacy. With sexuality we certainly move into vulnerabilities, and feelings (an area of taboo for many).

My suspicion is, that while many people don't want to engage in such subjects and that's their right, there are others who'd like to engage in some genuine political discussion or even explore different expressions of spirituality.

It is a pity to close off such important aspects of human life.

Small talk has its place but it is hardly enough if we are to develop effective relationships and community.

Hopefully as regards religion we may be able to get beyond the platitudes and discover the rich variety of different spiritual beliefs and traditions.

Given the absolute paucity of current political debate among politicians and the media, maybe we have the responsibility to bring back some integrity to the political conversation.

Only then can we demand it of our leaders.

What do you think?"

Stuart Reid — Highlands

INTERESTING AND SLIGHTLY USEFUL FACT

Written language was invented independently by the Egyptians, Sumerians, Chinese, and Mayans.

Take a Bite out of Winter Curry Night (Or Casserole)

Saturday 24th June
6:30pm

Bring a dish or slow cooker to share
Rice. Potatoes. Bread sticks provided.
BYO Drinks.

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Please let us know if you can make it
Mel : 0417 126 975 Judy 5796 9247

COMMUNITY "WHAT'S ON" CALENDAR — MAY/JUNE 2017

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| Wednesday 24th May 7:30pm | RUFFY COMMUNITY ACTION GROUP at the Ruffy Hall, Nolans Rd Ruffy Quarterly Meeting — A warm invitation to the Ruffy Community to come along to this meeting to hear what Council has decided on how Action Groups will operate in the future. Also an update on current and future projects. Everyone is welcome For information contact Verena 5790 4309 |
|  Thursday 25th May 5:30pm | SECRET MEN'S BUSINESS Old Caveat Church, Caveat-Dropmore Rd, Caveat Come along and have a casual chat with other local blokes. BBQ Tea Provided (Gold Coin) BYO Drinks |
| Saturday 27th May 7:00pm | GOBUR CEMETRY TRUST DINNER at the Ruffy Hall Nolans Rd Ruffy Two Course Casserole Dinner to support the work of the Gobur Cemetery Trust in restoring the historical headstones. \$25 per head—Music and Fun assured. Contact Millie 5773 4287 |
| Sunday 28th May 9:00am—1pm | NAGAMBIE FARMERS MARKET on centre median strip High St Nagambie Experience a true accredited farmers' market in the picturesque lakeside town of Nagambie. Further details Contact nagambiefarmersmarket.com.au |
| Sunday 28th May 10:30am | HIGHLANDS RAMBLERS meet at Highlands Hall Andrew Shaw will take us from Spaniaks Road across country to Lade Road. Bring lunch & water. If it suits you better, meet us at the corner of Spaniaks Road & Highlands Road at 10.45am. For more information contact Judy Reid 5796 9358 |
|  Wednesday 31st May 7:30pm | HIGHLANDS CAVEAT RURAL FIRE BRIGADE Highlands Fire Shed "Office" End of Season Meeting. All Members are encouraged to attend. Contact Peter Roberts 0427 529551 |
| Saturday 3rd June 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 & crafts, children's activities, play ground and skate park. Gold coin donation entry |
| Sunday 4th June 9am — 1pm | TALLAROOK FARMERS' MARKET Mechanics Institute Hall, Main Road, Tallarook One of Victoria's strongest farmers' markets, the Tallarook market is well worth a visit. A generous variety of locally grown fresh produce is on offer. |
| Friday 9th June 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 5796 9247 |
| Sunday 11th June 9am—1pm | AVENEL COMMUNITY MARKET at Jubilee Park, Avenel Join our community at this iconic country market where each month we support local makers, artisans, musicians and farmers. For more information Contact Cynthia 0403 831520 |
| SAVE THE DATE! Saturday 24th June 6:30pm | TAKE A BITE OUT OF WINTER at Highlands Hall Curry and Casserole night - bring a slow cooker or Casserole to share. BYO drinks. Gold coin donation. More details and an invite to come in next week's Granite News.... or maybe the week after! |

