

# Locky News

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### LOCKY LEGEND'S BRONZE

Locky local, Col Pearse, swam in his first ever Paralympic event on Tuesday, with what can be described as an outstanding result. Col qualified third in the heats, and backed that up with a BRONZE medal in the final. What's more... Col's time set a new Australian record for the event.

Col will race in two more events later this week (Thursday and Friday) so stay tuned to your tellies and cheer him on.

There is a video of Col on the 7Plus app for those wanting to view, and channel 7 as well as 7Plus will be streaming the events live...

### **EVENTS**

100m butterfly - 31 August 2021 BRONZE

100m backstroke - 2 September (Thursday) Heats - 9am to 11.35am Finals - 5pm to 8.50pm

200m individual medley - 3 September (Friday) Heats - 9am to 11.35am Finals - 5pm to 9pm



Congratulations!

Wishing you the best of luck for your next two events Col

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MONDAY, September 13 (Entries by 10am)

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This week's Locky News was prepared by... Alison

### **RURAL AID 10 TOWN RESCUE**

At the Planning Meeting held on the 16th August the community decided to ask Rural Aid to again postpone the volunteers from coming to assist Lockington in the many projects we had nominated over the past year. We are thankful that Rural Aid will allow us the funding for the first year so that planned projects can begin using just local volunteers. Funding for the following two years will be available for future projects - hopefully with outside volunteers

If your organisation / group had put forward a funding submission could you please update your proposal and resubmit it to me by the end of September (longer time line due to current lockdown).

Once the submissions are in, I will forward them to Rural Aid for approval. I envisage that some of the original projects that your organisation / group submitted will have been completed and therefore ask that if you have new projects, that you submit the costings for these.

Once we receive funding I will advertise when you are starting your projects. As this will now not happen during the one week in September (as originally planned with the outside volunteers) I hope that projects can be staggered over the next few coming months. This will give our local community the opportunity to assist each other complete works proposed.

If you have any queries about what needs to be submitted or any other general enquiries, please

Wendy Sims, Chair, Lockington Planning Group wendvs1904@gmail.com





### **LOCKINGTON & DISTRICT LIVING HERITAGE COMPLEX**

Complex: 5486 2515 - Open Sunday's 1pm to 4pm or by appointment President: Kevin "Jack" Oliver - Secretary: Beryl Marshall 5486 2353 Website: http://www.lockingtonvic.com.au

Hello again Everyone,

We've been reading early newspaper reports to learn what life was like for the farming families who lived in our district in the 1880s. After enjoying two or three good seasons in the early 1870s, the selector farmers faced a series of harsh seasons when rainfall was insufficient and crop yields were poor, but the 'water famine' of 1882 dealt the hardest blow yet. Local Member, Mr Hugh McColl visited his distressed constituents and his description of the conditions he encountered, when published by the Leader on 25 February 1882, aroused "public sentiment." The Elmore Standard expressed the feelings of many, in trusting "that good may come out of the evil in drawing the attention of the Government and shire councils to the time lost in providing water storage in the past and the necessity of taking immediate steps to provide for the future." In one of the earliest responses to the need, the Echuca Shire Council resolved to apply for a Government Loan to construct a canal from the Goulburn River to the Picaninny Creek for "water supply and irrigational purposes.'

Little or no rain fell and by March 1882, a Terricks plains resident wrote to the Mount Alexander Mail that "The general state of the country is something frightful from want of water. Cattle are dropping dead all along the roads, and many people are ill from the use of bad water." Another was quoted in the Maitland Mercury and Hunter River General Advertiser on 25 March, stating that "Nothing has been done to prepare the land for the next crop, carting water and driving stock occupying the whole of the farmer's time. The season is getting advanced, and it is to be feared that the drought will not only cause the present losses, but injuriously affect the next year's harvest." A little rain fell in early April, and some a little heavier at the end of that month. These latter filled "nearly all the tanks" and gave the settlers some hope that the seed they had sown would do well in the coming months. However, the Campaspe remained "very low," and grass was "not very plentiful" so, by 25 May 1882, a Pannoobamawm correspondent wrote to the Bendigo Advertiser that "Another good soaker would, of course, improve things considerably." Severe frosts in June had the effect of further drying-out the land. On 8 July, the Melbourne Herald reported that "In the Runnymede and Terricks districts, the selectors are still carting water for miles, both for their own use and that of their cattle. The cattle are still dying from low condition, want of food, and the cold weather, some of the selectors losing as many as a dozen, while two or three is a common occurrence."

On 24 July, there were heavy showers across the plains, accompanied by gale-force winds which, at

Pannoobamawm, unroofed a great many sheds and stables, and smashed off limbs and uprooted trees. As reported in the Argus on 4 August, at Milloo, Mitiamo and Dingee, "a terrific hurricane" passed from north-west to south-east over the districts, doing a very large amount of damage. A Miss Worner, who had been milking her cow, had a very narrow escape, having just let the cow out of the cow-bail when the tree against which the bail was erected came crashing down. This rain event was sufficient to meet present needs, but the crops were still backward, and farmers hoped for a wet spring to ensure a good harvest. Good rains in early Spring appeared to meet that need, but by 14 October 1882, the Australasian was reporting that "Rain is urgently needed in this district for over 30 miles, both to the east and west of Rochester; the crops are already suffering severely, and in the direction of the Terricks and Kerang things are still worse. Should rain come within a fortnight most of the crops would recover sufficiently to produce a good average yield, but a very extensive failure must result should the drought be further protracted." More rain fell a fortnight later, but it too was insufficient. The Geelong Advertiser on 4 November, reported that "The country was so parched up that it drank the rain as fast as it fell," and predicted that the outlook for the selectors was dark. Late November 1882, brought a plague of locusts to Milloo, Pannoobamawm, Pannoomilloo and Wanurp, and inevitably, the harvest was a poor one yet again.

It had been a stressful year, but it was not without its lighter Plans were in hand for improved teacheraccommodation at Terrick Terrick East and Milloo and, at Pine Grove East there was a new school. It was opened on 7 July, with an evening of varied entertainment – including a performance by a visiting Austrian pianist - attended by a large audience. On 9 November 1882, the bachelors of Pannoobamawm held a Ball in Mr Archibald's barn, in honour of the anniversary of the Prince of Wales's Birthday. More than fifty couples attended, and the Elmore Standard recorded that "the gathering was one of the most enjoyable ever held on the plains." On 17 November, the 'Terrick East Quadrille Assembly' held a Ball at Mr H Luelf's hotel, and the following week, the bachelors there held a supper to farewell one of their number who was leaving the district. Once again, cricket was a significant feature of community life, with matches reported regularly and enthusiastically in the local press, and social activities for 1883 were off to a fine beginning when sports were held in Mr. Brereton's paddock on New Year's Day.

'Bye until next time,

at Marg O'Brien.

# LOCKINGTON COMMUNITY NEWS INC. CONTACT AND PUBLISHING DETAILS

Website: www.lockingtonvic.com.au Email: lockynews@bigpond.com

Typed Monday fortnightly, distributed the following Friday.

**Deadline:** 10am on typing days, earlier if possible please. Leave items at our office at the Heritage Centre (through the slot). We welcome news, reports and personal items, photos etc. sent in via email. Please try to limit file sizes to about 1000kb (1Mb).

**Tel/Fax:** 5486 2515 Leave a message on answering machine if office is unattended.

**Postal:** 2-10 Market Street, Lockington, 3563 **Editor:** Alison Stewart Ph: 0417 177 807

**Casual Advertisements -** must be accompanied by name, address and telephone number (without this information the advert cannot be printed)

**Charges:** Minimum 5.5cm x 5.5cm \$8.50 incl GST (Locals), \$12.50 (Non Locals). Contact our office re larger advertisements and prices. No charge for non profit organizations.

**Reports -** a word count limit of approx. 500 words is sufficient for most reports, preference will be given to shorter reports. Due to space limitations your report may need to be edited.

Letters to the Editor, articles and reports should be typed or printed, and must show the author's name and contact details. We do not include controversial political issues or party policies unless we can give equal space to all parties or sides of the argument. (Contact details are for office use only and will only be published by request.)

Articles printed in this paper are printed in good faith and in no way reflect the views held by the 'Locky News' voluntary workers. We reserve the right to reject items deemed to be unsuitable. Any malicious information will be forwarded to the Police.

All news items will be put on website unless we're advised not to.



Hamilton. Shaun and Trudee are thrilled to welcome a beautiful baby daughter Matilda Jessica on August 20 th at Echuca Hospital . Both well .Marg, Tom and family are delighted with the safe arrival of our first Great Grand Daughter. Family very excited.

Do you enjoy reading our FREE **Locky News?** 



Please keep in mind that it costs us \$1 per paper to produce.

Please drop a donation in one of our tins around town.

Donation Tins are located at...

Giddinas Helens Takeaway **Business Centre** 

**Stay Positive** and the ups will be more frequent than the downs.

### DEATH

Jensen, Annice May. 03.05.1928 ~ 20.08.2021 Beloved wife of Len (dec). Loving mother and mother-inlaw of Peter and Tracie, Darryl and Therese, and Robyn and Charlie (dec).

Cherished Nana grandchildren, partners and four great-grandchildren.

Always so loving, thoughtful and kind. What beautiful memories

you leave behind.



For advertising on our local

### FM 88 Radio

**Contact** 

Aileen Brewer on 5456 7307



### Anglican Parish of **ROCHESTER & LOCKINGTON**

No services during COVID19 lockdown. Bendigo Diocese providing zoom services.

**Enquiries:** Jeff Millard 0477 944 964



### ST JAMES **COMMUNITY CHURCH**



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Contacts: Pastor Bill Cochrane 0427 865474 or Edwin Keele 5484 3117

## CATHOLIC CHURCH



St Canice's, Lockington 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays 8:00am Mass

St Joseph's, Rochester Every Sunday - 10:00am Mass

Sacred Heart, Elmore Every Saturday - Vigil 5.30 pm

### NORTHERN RIVERS UNITING CHURCH CLUSTER

Worship begins 10am at: † September 5, Bamawm, St. Mary's joining in. † September 12, Rochester

ZOOM connection is available at churches and homes every week. The link is: https://us04web.zoom.us/i/826-6681-8761 Password 22

Via phone: 03 7018 2005. Meeting ID: 826 6681 8761# Password 22# Contacts:



Rev Brian Morgan 0419 933 939 or Graeme Haines 0427 862 353

### "300 WORDS" CHALLENGE

Please send us your articles and photos for inclusion in the paper, and receive a \$10 Locky Dollars Voucher.

Email your word document and photo to ... lockynews@bigpond.com

Local businesses... please contact Alison 0417 177 807 for redemption of vouchers





### Ephesians c 6 v 14

Stand therefor, having girded your waist with truth, having put on the breastplate of righteousness, v15 and having shod your feet with the preparation of the gospel of peace.

### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

Currently being delivered by Intereach Aged Care Services



# Shop Local, Buy Local - Advertising Spot

### Support Local Business, Your Neighbours, Your Friends, Your Community

### CIURLEO'S ICE CREAM & WAFFLE HOUSE

"You Scream, I Scream, We All Scream... CIURLEO'S ICE CREAM"

I know what you're thinking, we have the best job in the world, spending all day sampling and creating delicious food extravaganza's to excite the senses and leave our customers wanting more. The answer is you're right... and we love what we do... just ask us.

0435 871 493 Our retro inspired ice creamery and waffle house brings the fun and colour that can only be expected from such an establishment. So come one come all to try our 24 flavours of unique premium hand made gelato, along with Ciurleo's signature hot dogs and waffles, you are sure to find something to tantalise the taste buds.



We recommend taking an adventure on a lazy Sunday afternoons drive to come say hi. Come rain hail or shine (because we have both indoor and outdoor seating) you'll never be disappointed with what Ciurleo's have to offer.

Open 10am-4pm Thursday to Sunday

3-5 Lockington Road, Lockington

### **KYLAH MASSAGE THERAPY**

"providing professional massage treatments tailored to each individual's needs"

Kylie is a Registered Nurse/Midwife and completes a full Comprehensive Health Assessment in order to deliver a The benefits of this holistic approach, personal service. improves not only your physical, but also your mental and emotional health and wellbeing.



### Specialising in...

Relaxation/ Therapeutic Massage - a smooth, gentle, Hot Stones Massage - best for people who have flowing style that promotes general relaxation, muscle pain and tension or who simply want to relax. relieves muscular tension, and improves circulation. The massage therapist uses heated stones in lieu of or and movement range. Your therapist will aim to relax, in addition to their hands. It eases muscle tension, revive and rejuvenate you at a massage depth that improves blood flow, and relieves pain by using does not cause discomfort.

heated stones.

option if you have chronic muscle problems, such as body aches, reduce stress, and ease muscle tension.

Deep Tissue/Common Injury Massage - a good Pregnancy Massage - can help reduce pregnancy soreness, injury, or imbalance. It can help relieve tight You can get a massage at any time during your muscles, chronic muscle pain, and anxiety.

You can get a massage at any time during your pregnancy, 1st, 2nd & 3rd Trimester.

# Shop Local, Buy Local - Advertising Spotlig

### **Support Local Business, Your Neighbours, Your Friends, Your Community**

### GIDDINGS CO



"Locals employing locals"

Ged and Breanna Giddings along with their children, Raffy, Orby and Cydie are proud to continue the family business started over 40 years ago by Breanna's grandparents Des and Dorothy Pentreath.

Since acquiring the business from Brendan and Leanne Pentreath they have continued to expand the business and are delighted with what they have achieved.

Giddings is one of the largest employers in the district, providing employment to over 40 locals during the seven days they are open each week. In addition to the delicious bakery goods, deli produce, liquor,

butcher range, they provide an enormous range of groceries. Gas deliveries, pump installation and repairs, farm supplies, hardware and stock supplies compliment their services.

Online shopping has proven a great asset to the business over the last year, with deliveries being made to the surrounding district, covering the area from Pyramid Hill, Calivil, Mitiamo, Dingee, Kamarooka, Tennyson and Kotta.

Catering for your every need, whether it be a new product or catering for a function you are holding, Giddings is willing to assist. Call for a quote when arranging your next function.

Giddings assists many local organisations through their annual sponsorship budget. They have helped many local organisations over the years, including the Lockington Bamawm United Football Netball Club, Bamawm Lockington Cricket Club, Lockington Golf Club, Bamawm Golf Club and Lockington Bowls Club.

During the school term each week Giddings provide a large pizza to the Lockington District Business Centre's Yagers group.

Breanna has continued her passion for hairdressing whist maintaining a connection to the supermarket. Ged, a qualified builder has expanded his skills to include all facets of running the supermarket including baking, hardware knowledge and also become proficient as a pump specialist.

We can also get most supplies in - whether it be grocery items, hardware, farming supplies, stock feed, etc. You can contact Ged to get quotes, or to proceed with ordering anything.

On Tuesdays seniors can show their Seniors card and get 10% off their grocery

shop, also every time customers spend over \$50 they get a Hot chook voucher (collect 5 and get a free hot chook)

Breanna, Ged and the children look forward to greeting you when you do your shopping and continuing their involvement in the Lockington community.



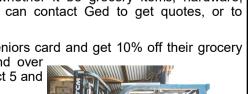
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- Supermarket & instore bakery Online shopping/deliveries
- Café Newsagent Hardware store
- PVC & Poly pipe & fittings
   Farming supplies Stock and Pet Food
- Pump Installation & Repairs Gas bottle deliveries and refills

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### **Lockington Neighbourhood House**

Ph: 0499 170 329 E: nhldbc@gmail.com Terri Hateley, Coordinator

The Neighbourhood House
Coordinator
will be away from
Tuesday 24th August
and returning on
Tuesday 14th September



# LOCKINGTON COMMUNITY



COME AND HAVE A LOOK TAKE SOME PRODUCE TO TRY



Unfortunately our programs do not operate during lockdown. You can see our updates on our Locky News page or our Lockington Neighbourhood House Facebook page. We hope you are all staying safe.

# POWER SAVING BONUS Do you hold one of the following?

- Centrelink Pensioner Concession Card
- JobSeeker
- Youth Allowance
- Austudy / Abstudy
- Department of Veterans Affairs Pensioner
- Concession Card/Gold Card
   You may be eligible for \$250
   Ask us how

### **Lockington Library**



### **OPEN**

Tuesday: 10am – 2pm

Wednesday: 10am - 5.00 pm

> Thursday: 10am – 2pm



### LOCKINGTON PLAYGROUP

Wednesdays during school terms CONTACT BETHANY ON: 0429 636 578 FOR MORE INFORMATION

### Tuesday

8.00am - 5.00pm Wednesday

8.00am - 6.00pm

Thursday 8.00am - 5.00pm

Every
Wednesday
4pm—6pm

Hours



# During school terms only

Must be in secondary school
and have a 2021 consent form
signed by a parent or guardian
to attend
Forms are available from
Lockington
Neighbourhood House



NEED HELP TO CREATE OR UPDATE A RESUME?

CALL INTO
NEIGHBOUHOOD HOUSE
FOR ASSISTANCE



Lockington Men's Shed

Morning tea and activities every
Tuesday
morning from
10.00am—12.00pm.

Come along and enjoy Morning Tea, activities and mateship

# Pannoo Bamawm Cemetery (Pine Grove)

The Trust members would like to thank members of the Lockington Action Club for once again for mowing, whipper snipping and general care of the cemetery grounds. The cemetery is looking great.

The cemetery is located in O'Brien Road, Pine Grove, just north of Whinfield Road corner.

Ken Sims, Sexton 0428 868307



### **LOCKINGTON LANDCARE**

Lockington landcare is compiling maps of areas where weeds are found along the roadsides in our community. These maps are then being forwarded to the Shire of Campaspe to be part of their annual spraying programme. If you have



noticed any noxious weeds along the roadway near where you live can you please mark the exact location of the weeds and what they are and forward this information to me or to the Shire of Campaspe.

You can collect a map from the front counter at the Lockington District Business Centre. They are on the back of the community news rack. Once you have marked and identified the weeds, please either email it to me or return to the LDBC. Please put your name and phone number on the map so that if we need further information about the weeds we can contact you.

Wendy Sims, Secretary E: wendys1904@gmail.com





The only way to be sure is with a test at the first sign of any symptom.

ONLY A TEST CAN TELL For testing locations, visit CORONAVIRUS.vic.gov.au



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### COMMUNITY

# ACTION CLUB OF LOCKINGTON

MONTHLY MEETINGS: 1st Wednesday - Dinner at Clubrooms 3rd Wednesday - Activity



President: John Wright: 0409 259 723

Secretary: Tommy Eade: 0417 899 806

### COMMUNITY



### **LOCKINGTON RECREATION RESERVE**

For venue hire (including outside toilets) contact... Toni Hardess ph: 0409265529

Venue hire prices are as follows: \$100 for function room \$140 for function room and kitchen.

### HEALTH

# LOCKINGTON & DISTRICT BUSH NURSING CENTRE INC.

Registered Number: A11551

Caring for the Lockington Community

MON - FRI 8.30am to 4.00pm (Lunchbreak 12.30-1.30) Phone 54862544

to book an appointment

Nursing Care & Pathology Doctor Tuesdays from 9.30am Allied Health services

### **HEALTH**

# Coburn & Reid Pharmacy 177 Annesley Street, Echuca

For Deliveries of Medicines & Prescriptions

Phone 5480 6011 or Fax 5480 2486

Week days only

# BAMAWM Recreation Reserve

**AVAILABLE FOR HIRE DAY & NIGHT** 

Indoor Stadium & Sports Ovals Indoor Netball, Basketball, Badminton, Tennis & Cricket Nets

\$12 per hour plus \$2 light meter Meeting & Social Rooms for Private Hire

Contact Nigel: 0438 862 280

# Lockington District Family Landcare Group



President
John Wright 0409 259 723
Secretary
Wendy Sims 0427 868 307

Meetings...7:00 pm At the Lockington Community Hotel on the first Thursday of even months

(Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct, Dec)

### New

### ANNUAL ADVERTISER

**COMING SOON** 

# Kylah Massage Therapy Osylie Smith Massage Therapist 963 Foster Road Rochester, Vic 3361 PH: 0409 926 050

### **RETAIL**

# Trading hours of Lockington Branch



### Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

10.00am - 2.00pm

### <u>Thursday & Friday</u>

9.30am - 12 Noon, 12.45pm - 4.00pm

For more information please contact Lockington branch on 5486 2304

Elmore/Lockington/Rochester Community Bank® branches

Bendigo Bank

## **ADVERTISING SPACE AVAILABLE...**

The end of July was the cut-off for our Annual Advertising pages.

All spaces will now be filled on a first-in basis.

Please make your advertising payment as soon as possible.

Any new advertising is welcomed, please email lockynews@bigpond.com



Open 10am-4pm Thursday to Sunday

3-5 Lockington Road, Lockington 0435 871 493

### RETAIL

# DAVEY

**Local Davey Pump dealer** 

Pump repairs and sales

Call Ged anytime 0400829797

### **RETAIL**

### New

### Annual Advertiser

### **COMING SOON**

### RETAIL

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- AGRIBUSINESS
- BANKING & FINANCE
- LITIGATION &
- RESOLUTION ■ DEBT RECOVERY
- CRIMINAL LAW

CALL NOW FOR AN APPOINTMENT TEL: (03) 5482 2222 www.morsaw.com.au

Mon - Thur: 7.30am - 6.30pm SAT: 7.30am - 7.30pm SUN: 9.00am - 1.00pm

### ONLINE ORDERS:

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- Supermarket & instore bakery
- Online shopping/deliveries
- Café Newsagent Hardware store
  - PVC & Poly pipe & fittings
- Farming supplies Stock and Pet Food
  - Pump Installation & Repairs
  - Gas bottle deliveries and refills





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### Lockington Community Ho-<u>tel</u> Co-operative Ltd 1-3 Archibald St LOCKINGTON



(Cnr Lockington Road) Lockington, VIC 3563

## Nampara Spit Roast & Catering.

We work You Party We use china crockery & stainless steel cutlery

Contact Steve - 0499 348 260 Email

namparaspitroast@ozemail.com.au To discuss your next event



## Kleer Water Deliveries

For your fresh water requirements Delivering to Lockington and surrounding districts

> Ph David Hann 0448 878 210



### KOTTA PANEL WORKS

Ph Rob: 0458 438 351 Email : kottapanelworks@gmail.com Address : 2034 Echuca/Mitiamo Rd, Kotta, 3565, Victoria



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### **Lockington District Business Centre Inc.**

Ph 5486 2683

Monday to Friday 8am to 5pm

Saturday 8am to 12:30pm



### New

### **ANNUAL ADVERTISER**

**COMING SOON** 

### **Moran's Water Deliveries**

### Servicing...

Rochester, Elmore, Lockington, Echuca & Districts

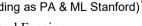
Ph Drew on 0418558578



### RURAL

### **BAMAWM** FARM SERVICES

(Trading as PA & ML Stanford)





•Mini Bobcat Hire - Rotovating; Site Clearing; Post Hole Digging; Leveling; Shed Cleaning (calves)

"Your Second Hand" Phone Phil Stanford 0429 865 424 / 5486 5424 A/H

# MAGNETS • APPA SFO • LOGO Nigel Riordan (03) 5486 5457 63 Twaddle Lane Bamawm vic 3561 E: print@hammergraphics.com.au

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# PETER WALSH MP MEMBER FOR MURRAY PLAINS

### Electorate office:

496 High St

Echuca 3564

Ph: 5482 2039

Local Call:1300 467 606

W: www.peterwalsh.org.au

E: peter.walsh@parliament.vic.gov.au

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## Capsicum delight



Capsicums are rich in vitamins A and C and come in a variety of colours which bring a visual delight to any dish. They are also a good source of vitamin B6 which is good for the metabolism of protein, fats and carbohydrates. They are also known to be beneficial in boosting the immune system. Being a versatile vegetable, they are great stuffed, roasted or sliced and work well in stir fries.





# Want to volunteer but only for a short time?



Lockington District Business Centre has been busy with the park, landscaping and renovating areas. We will shortly be installing a new mulch pit and have all of the materials to get started. If you are interested in volunteering for short timeframes or projects and willing to use some muscle, please leave your name and phone number at the front fuel counter. Even if it is only an hour or two you have spare, we would love to hear from you! There are also other upcoming projects that we will be putting together to benefit the community.

Volunteering is a great way to feel connected to the community, combatting social isolation and making new friends! Of course if you would like to volunteer for more hours, you are more than welcome.

You can also call the Business Centre on (03) 5486 2683 to register your interest if you can't make it in.

### **Lockington & District Business Centre**

Annual General Meeting
Will be held
Monday 11th October at 7.30 pm
At the Lockington Business Centre.

For Information call Wendy Sims on 0427868307

# Lockmore Financial Services Ltd ABN 41 106 113 599

Lockmore Financial Services Ltd.

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Lockmore Financial Services Ltd Annual General Meeting will be held

### THURSDAY 28 OCTOBER 2021 COMMENCING AT 7.00PM

at the Rochester Junior Football Club Rooms Reserve Street, Rochester unless otherwise advised.

### **Well Womens Clinic**

Next visit date TBA



For appts/enquiries ring 54862544

Subject to change Re: Covid19 updates

### Campaspe Shire Council Immunisation Session

By appointment only

Ph: 1300 666 535
Monday, September 27
11.30am – 12noon
Lockington Bush Nursing Centre
Vaccines for children & adults,
including flu vaccine

Refer to Council website for more info.

### JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

We volunteer our time in the community to witness documents

A phone call to arrange a convenient time for this service would be appreciated.



Wendy Sims 0427 868 307 (Victoria)

Paul Harrison 0436 306 388 (N.S.W)

### Tipper Hire & Rock Cartage.

10 Cubic Meter Tipper Hire Hourly Rate Crushed Rock Cartage Hay, Grain & silage Cartage.



Please Phone Wade 0428-548-179

### **For Sale**

Irrigated Lucerne Hay 5" X 4' rolls



V.G. Quality, shedded \$250 a ton +GST D. Main 0427831110 Bamawm

### **For Sale**

Wheaten Hay

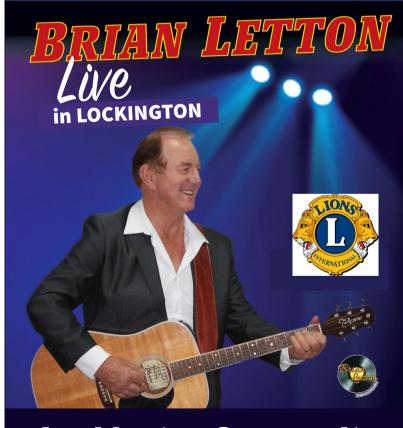


Large Squares \$50.00 per bale.

Kotta

0428 511 746

# Lockington Lions Club Proudly Presents...



Lockington Community
Centre
8pm Friday 12th November

# Shop Local, Buy Local

<u>Support Local Business, Your Neighbours, Your Friends, Your Community</u>

Our Locky News would not exist without the support of our Annual Advertisers.

In coming editions we will be doing a Shop Local, Buy Local - Advertising Spotlight on each of our Annual Advertisers. Please show your support of the businesses who support us, by making them your first choice.

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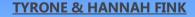
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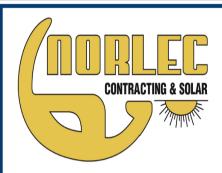
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# THE EDITOR'S SNAPSHOT FARMING - THE QUIET, EASY LIFE?

If you think farming is easy and quiet... think again.

A farmer's day often starts before dawn and doesn't finish until into the night. There are always some jobs that must be done whilst exposed to the elements, be that a frosty morning, pouring rain or sweltering heat. Have a look at an old farmer's skin, wrinkled like leather with sun spots, possibly some chunks cut out too.

Farming is often a very physical job, requiring strength and stamina, and being able to dig deep when you need to, both physically and mentally, to get things done.

A farmer's job description is very loose, and there's no place for an attitude like "that's not my job". Farming needs people who are quick thinkers and adaptable, as plans change quickly and frequently, that's just the nature of it.

So easy, farming is not....

A lot of farming activities use machinery that's noisy and smelly. There's many an old farmer who's half deaf from using machinery all his life.

Then there's the livestock, that when calves or lambs are weaned, moo and baa all night and all day trying to get back to their mums.

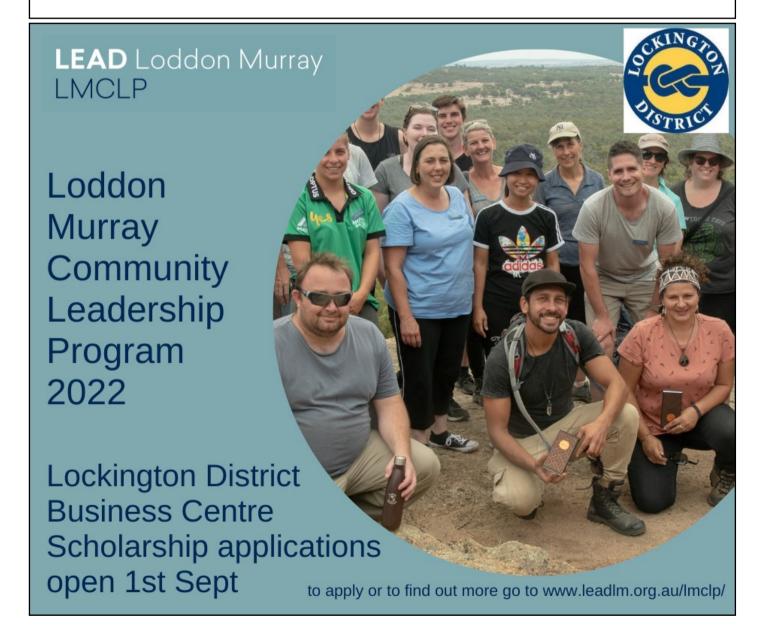
So quiet, often farming is not...

And don't get me started on the smells... be it cow, sheep or pig manure, silage or grease and oils.

And dust and dirt and grain dust or grass seeds... I swear that the only way sunscreen works is from all that stuff sticking to it and stopping the suns rays from hitting your skin. Then you come inside like a chocolate coated farmer... its really quite laughable some days.

And then there is death, that farmers see on a more regular basis than most people. A farmer's heart is not hard, it breaks with the loss of every animal they care for, and often try to hide the tears in their eyes.

So the next time you think fondly of a farmer's life, just remember the flip side. And the next time you see an old farmer. take the time and effort to see the scars that have been left from farming.





### **Shire Council News**

### Wednesday, 15 September

Council meeting, 6pm

The meeting can be viewed via live streaming at campaspe.vic.gov.au/livestreaming

### NOW OPEN

For all projects and applications open, www.campaspe.vic.gov.au/nowopen

### **Draft Council Plan**

The Council Plan sets the strategic direction for the next four years and is now open for community comment, closing Wednesday, 22 September.

### **Draft Financial Plan**

Financial Plan The describes the financial resources required to support the Council Plan and other key strategic documents. Comments close Wednesday, 22 September.

### **Seniors Grants Program**

Grants of up to \$1,000 to deliver programs or activities to older citizens, closing Friday, 3 September.

### #MyCampaspe photo competition

Show off what you love about where you live, work or visit. Applications close Thursday, 30 September.

### **Road Management Plan**

The plan details the standards for the maintenance and upgrade of roads, footpaths, drains and other road-related assets. Comments close Friday, 10 September.

### **Community Grants Program**

Grants for community groups up to \$4,000. To close Friday, 10 September.

### **Business Assistance Grants**

Grants for businesses, from \$3,000 to \$10,000. To close Friday, 10 September.

### **Immunisations**

Campaspe Shire Council Immunisation Session

### By appointment only

Ph: 1300 666 535 Monday, 27 September 11.30am – 12noon Lockington Bush Nursing Centre Vaccines for children & adults Refer to Council website for more info.



22 August 2021

### Walsh says there is a better plan 'to give Vic's the Vax'

The Nationals leader and Member for Murray Plains, Peter Walsh, says confirmation vaccination rates in Victoria have fallen significantly behind NSW must be immediately addressed by the Andrews Government.

reach National Cabinet's key 70 per cent vaccination target until September 29 - more than three weeks He said the Andrews Labor Government needs to after NSW.

Victoria will not reach the 80 per cent target until October and broken. 19 – almost five weeks after NSW.

"Daniel Andrews has no plan to boost his sluggish and tighter restrictions – it's like watching the replay of a and get our state vaccinated," Mr Walsh said. football game and hoping for a different result," Mr Walsh said.

"In contrast, the Victorian Liberal Nationals have a rates," he added.

He said the cornerstone of the plan is to:

- Immediately redirect funds spent on wasteful selfpromoting State Government advertising into vaccination ads.
- Ensure teachers and early childhood educators are supported with priority vaccination to keep our schools open safely.
- Open vaccine bookings until the end of the year at all state-run hubs.
- Introduce mobile vaccine centres to target at-risk cohorts and hotspots.
- Ensure AstraZeneca vaccinations are available for under 40's at all state run facilities.
- Fully commit to national cabinet's agreed pathway out of lockdowns.

Mr Walsh said Daniel Andrews is guilty of dangerous Mr Walsh says at current uptakes rates, Victoria will not mixed messaging about vaccines; and that is adding to vaccine hesitancy.

commit to the National Cabinet plan to reopen rather Furthermore, he said the latest data also confirms than a zero cases crusade that will leave Victoria broke

"With every week in lockdown costing our state \$1 billion - and compounding social and mental health harms vaccine uptake rates - only a plan for more lockdowns Daniel Andrews must immediately adopt these measures

"It's unacceptable Victoria remains a month behind NSW with millions of vaccine doses still on the shelf," he said.

"Daniel Andrews is guilty of having no plan get more jabs plan to jump-start Victoria's lagging vaccination in more arms, just a plan to shut down face-to-face learning, close business and playgrounds and tear communities apart.

> "Every effort must be made to Vic's the vax as quickly and safely as possible."

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### BAMAWM GOLF CLUB BELL DAY

The Annual Edie Tonkin Bell Day sponsored by Rich River Golf Club Resort was held on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> August, 2021. Teams and represented were: Clubs Rich River.

individual Lockington, Belvoir Park, Neangar Park, Rochester, Campaspe, Elmore and Mitiamo.

Captain Kath Connors thanked the Clubs for their support, and the members who assisted on the day to make it such a success. She then presented the winners Trophies.



The Edi Tonkin Bell was won by the Rochester Team of Jenny Major, Barb McCarty and Raylee Willis with a total score of 228 points. (Shown above).

Runner-up (Shown right) was the Rich River Team of Lyn Kingston, Cath Kelly and Melva Howell on 233 on a countback from the Lockington Team of Annette Brereton, Phyllis Macfarlane and Helen Haves also on 233.



Individual Winners were:

A Grade Scratch: Annette Brereton - 86-15-71

A Grade Nett: Cath Kelly - 92-18-74 B Grade Scratch: Jenny Holt - 103-26-77 B Grade Nett: Barb McCarty - 103-31-72

Novelties:

Longest Drive A Grade: Annette Brereton Longest Drive B Grade: Jenny Holt Straightest Drive: Janine Wiltshire NTP: 3<sup>rd</sup> Shot on 4<sup>th</sup> Raylee Willis NTP 2<sup>nd</sup> Shot on 5<sup>th</sup> Marg Knight NTP 7<sup>th</sup> June Reimes NTP 8<sup>th</sup> Annette Brereton.

### LOCKINGTON BOWLS CLUB REPORT

August 28

From all the recent State Lockdowns and wet weather, the members have been fortunate to

play a day of Scrounge during the past fortnight. A good roll up saw four rinks in play with the competition extremely hot. Rink one went to the left-handed Russell Shawcross with a tally of 67 points ahead of another "leftie" John van den Bosch on 46. Club President Ray Hanson dominated rink two to score a game winning 45 points and edge out the luckless Tom Davis on 41 points. Rink three resulted in a close affair with Graeme Turner collecting the spoils on 47 points ahead of John Fisher 39 pts. The final rink was claimed by the Lady President Ann Lowrie scoring 46 points and winning the trophy ahead of a couple of bowlers who had "menacing intent" in Lorraine Appleby 42 points and Margaret Davis on 41 points. Scrounge will continue to be played on a Wednesday (weather and lockdowns) permitting. Game commences at 1.00pm. Flat soled shoes required.

The club has entered Pennant teams in Division Three and Division Four. Members are required to list names available for Pennant. The Campaspe Area has published the Pennant Draws and there are two Sections in Division Four - namely Division 4A and Division 4B. Lockington has been drawn in Division 4B.

Saturday Pennant will commence on Saturday 16th October at 1.00pm. The duration of the games will be the same 21 ends. There is a condition owing to hot weather, that a ten minute break may be taken after twelve ends. The women will commence their Pennant season on Friday 15th October.

Club members were saddened to learn of the passing of former club member Annice Jensen last week. Annice was Lady Club President in the years 1987-88 and 1988-89 and proved to be a capable pennant player and very popular in the club environment. Condolences are offered to the Jensen families.

The club will hold the Opening Day on Friday 10th September at 6.30pm - for a 7.00pm meal. Names are to be listed for catering purposes.

### September 1

With the ongoing restrictions through COVID-19, wet weather and Lockdowns, our members have found it difficult to play bowls. It reminds one of the story re. the mechanic asking the car owner if the Indicators are working?. The reply was yes- no-yes-no! Sounds a bit similar to the impractical lockdowns - any moment!!.

In the recent game of Scrounge there were four rinks in play with some exciting results to hand. On rink one Russell Shawcross displayed some pre-season Pennant form to amass 67 points and finish ahead of John van den Bosch on 47 points. Next door the Club President Ray Hanson continued on his recent good form to score 46 points with Tom Davis next best with 42 points. Graham Turner collected the spoils on rink three with a majestic 48 points ahead of Owen "Smiley" McPhee on 43 points. In the battle of the women on rink four, Lady President Ann Lowrie won a close encounter scoring 47 points with Margaret Davis 44 and Lorraine Appleby 42 points. A thrilling display of bowls. The game of Scrounge will continue on a given Wednesday (weather permitting among other obstacles), starting at 1.00pm. Flat soled shoes to be worn.

The club will hold the Opening day for season 2021-2022 on Friday 10th September at 6.30pm for a 7.00pm meal. Names to be listed for catering purposes.

Club members were saddened to learn of the passing of past member Annice Jensen recently. Annice was Lady President 1987-88 and 1988-89 and was a keen Pennant player and consistent contributor to the future of the Bowls Club.

The Sixty and Over competition is due to start during September with the local Campaspe Pennant season to begin on Saturday 16th October. Duration of matches will remain at 21 ends, with a fifteen minute break after 12 ends if both managers agree. Our club has entered teams in Division Three and Division Four. Division Four will be trying to go for back-to-back Premierships.



### **Season 2021 Club News**

### Staying united on and off the field

### **ROUND 17**



### LBU v Heathcote

### Results:

### **Football**

**Under 18's:** LBU 13.7-85 def H/cote 6.5-41 **Seniors:** LBU 25.14-164 def Heathcote 0.7-7

### **Netball**

15 & Under: LBU 28 def Heathcote 25
17 &Under: LBU 55 def Heathcote 15
B Reserve: LBU 40 drew Heathcote 40
B Grade: LBU 46 def Heathcote 20
A Reserve: LBU 52 def Heathcote 32
A Grade: LBU 28 def by Heathcote 32

### Round 17 Results & Awards

### **FOOTBALL**

### **Seniors**

LBU 25.14 - 164 def Heathcote 0.7 - 7

### Goals

T Leech 4, P Gardiner 3, J McPhee 3, J Bacon 3, L Collins 3, T McMahon 2, B McPhee, J Collins, T Bacon, J Wolfe, B Phillips, F Monahan, P Gardiner

### <u>Awards</u>

Lockington Hotel - J Wolfe National Hotel - J Collins Hip Pocket - B McPhee Giddings Co - P Gardiner National Hotel - B Phillips Moama Bakery - J Bacon

### 18 & Under

LBU 13.7 - 85 def Heathcote 6.5 - 41

### Goals

S Bell 4, C Cox 2, D Verhey 2, N Stone, H Danziger, H Byrne, C Mitchell, D Ritchie

### Awards

Morans Water - C Mitchell Hip Pocket - J Priestley Roma Pizza - E Brentnall McDonalds - N Stone Bennetts Sports - S Bell LBU Canteen - D Ritchie

### 16 & Under

The Wanderers 10.11 - 71 def Echuca Bombers 7.10 - 52 Goals Awards

### 14 & Under

LBU 1.0 - 6 def by Rochester 14.10 - 94

### Goals

O Palmer

Awards - T Cox, C Withers, X Johnson, H Gibbs-McDonald, A Pierce, C Roberts

### 12 & Under

LBU v Kyabram

Awards - C McIntyre, H Condliffe, R Sims, H Williams, N Holgate

### **NETBALL**

### A Grade:

LBU: 28 - Heathcote : 32 Best on: Mug - Amee Hardess

Coaches award: Athletes Foot - Abi Sergienko

National Hotel - Jemma McNair

### A Reserve:

LBU: 52 - Heathcote: 32

Best on, Lockington Hotel - Maddy Combridge Coaches award, National Hotel - Sarah Ogden

F45 - Ellie Monaghan

### B Grade:

LBU: 46 - Heathcote: 20

Best on, Lockington Hotel - Meg Howlett

Mug - Chandler Phelan

Coaches award, National Hotel- Heidi Moncrieff

F45 - Shelby Stone

### B Reserve:

LBU: 40 - Heathcote: 40
Best on, Hip Pocket - Mel McNair
Coaches award, Giddings Co - Sarah Plowright
National Hotel - Kristy Allison

### 17 & Under:

LBU: 55 - Heathcote: 15
Best on, Bennetts Sports - Giselle Crawford
Coaches award, Giddings Co - Chelsea Jones
Yoga - Ali Howlett

### 15 & Under:

LBU: 28 - Heathcote: 25
Best on, Giddings Co - Miranda Crawford
Coaches award, Yoga - Chloe Pollock
Roma - Ela Carnegie

### 13 & Under:

Roma Pizza - Jaz Milligan KFC - Mia Collins McDonalds - Ziah Haines



## Season 2021 Club News

Staying united on and off the field

### Lightning Premiership!

girls all gave it their best shot and finished the day in fourth place.



### Pictured:

Back L-R: Mel Haines (coach), Rebecca Dobson, Charlette Davison, Jaz Milligan, Mia Collins, Taya Munro & Jessie Milligan (team manager)

Front L-R: Ziva Windridge, Keira Mitchell, Taya Tamblyn, Cadence Major & Ziah Haines

### **Junior Umpire Award: Milly Haines**

Congratulations to our 13 & under team who participated A big shout out to Milly Haines who umpired her first in the Lightning Premiership last Sunday at Colbo. The senior game last weekend. Then on Sunday, on her birthday she umpired the U13's tournament and won the iunior umpire award.

> Milly is LBUFNC's 3rd umpire to receive this award. It's really nice to have young umpires developing as we cannot play the game without them. So congratulations

Pictured right... is donator of the trophy Raelene Baker presenting to Milly.



## FOSTERVILLE **GOLD MINE**

### KL FOSTERVILLE GOLD LIGHTNING PREMIERSHIP RESULTS

Sunday 15th August 2021 Colbinabbin FNC

### Winning Team:

1st: Leitchville Gunbower FNC:

On the same points as Elmore, it came down to the last round and then goals for and against.

Leitchville Gunbower finished up with a percentage of 3.6% and in second place ELMORE FNC percentage was, 2.7%.

3rd - Mount Pleasant FNC

4th -Lockington Bamawm United FNC

5th - Huntly FNC

Equal 6th - Colbinabbin FNC, Heathcote FNC and North Bendigo FNC.

Fosterville Gold Best Player of the day: Matilda Anderson - Elmore FNC

Fosterville Gold Junior Umpire Award: Milly Haines Lockington Bamawm United FNC. Millie was also presented with her whistle by Raylene

Baker - Life member of HDFNL.

Well Done to all players, coaches and parents that took part in the Lightning Premiership. It was fantastic to finally have an event for the junior netballers and a huge thank you to Colbinabbin FNC for hosting the event.

### End of the home & away season:

What has been a difficult on again, off again season for all, a big shout out to everyone who continued to bring their all week in week out (committee, players & supporters). Well done to everyone!

### **Netball ladders:**

Congratulations to our Under 17's who finished fourth and are now into the finals

### Football ladders:

Congratulations to our Under 18's and Reserves who have both finished the season in fourth position. Also a massive shout out to Brodie and the seniors bovs who have finished the season on top the the ladder and also undefeated for the season.

### **\$50 TICKETS!!!**

Don't forget \$50 tickets are up for grabs!! (A date for the event is yet to be scheduled).

Tickets have been handed out so please make sure you sell & return them as soon as possible. If you would like to purchase a ticket, please get in touch.

Remember, YOU HAVE TO BE IN IT TO WIN IT!!



Although there are lots of things **NOT** happening of late, due to COVID19 restrictions...

**Getting Outdoors is not cancelled** 

**Music is not cancelled** 

Family is not cancelled

Reading is not cancelled

Singing to yourself is not cancelled

Dancing while cleaning is not cancelled

Laughing is not cancelled **Hope <u>is not cancelled</u>** 

**Let's embrace what we have** 

With regards to **COVID** restrictions... Please check ALL calendar events.

We do not accept any responsibility for events that have been cancelled or postponed

### **LOCKINGTON LIBRARY HOURS:**

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# **Weekly Activities**

### **MONDAYS**

- Strength & Balance Class 9.00 am - Bush Nursing Centre
- Nicole Hocking Podiatrist 9.30 - 4.30. - Bush Nursing Centre. Phone: 5486 2544.

### **TUESDAYS**

- Men's Shed 10:00 am - 12:00 pm Phone 0499 170 329
- Dr. Patrick Nzegwu 9.30 am - 5.00 pm **Bush Nursing Centre** Phone: 5486 2544.

### **W**EDNESDAYS

- Strength & Balance Class 9.00 am - Bush Nursing Centi
- Massage with Anita. Phone 5486 2544 for a p
- Tai Chi 5:30- 6:30 pm Bush Nursing ( \$8 per session, with Fay \$
- Lockington Playgroup 9:30am - 11:30am (not during school holiday St. James Church Hall. Enquiries: Bethany: 0429
- Social Scrounge Men's & Names in by 12:45pm

### **THURSDAYS**

- Social Activity Day 10am - Bush Nursing Centre Phone: 5480 6701
- Men's Shed By appointment Phone: 0499 170 329
- Ladies Social Badminton 9:30am - Bamawm Sports Enquiries: 0458 548 622

### **SATURDAYS**

• Bingo 7:15 pm - St. Joseph's Hall Campaspe St, Rochester.











