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Citizens of the Year

With the Annual Community Dinner approaching, it is now time to nominate the Male and Female Citizens of the Year.

The award is made to citizens who have contributed to the Clunes Community. Last year's winners were Ian MacFarlane and Enid Steart.

The public are invited to nominate their "Citizen of the Year". Nomination forms can be collected from the Clunes Newsagency. Nominations close on Friday 24th July, and are to be sent to:

Trish Toole, Chairperson Selection Committee
Clunes Health Service, 69 Service St, Clunes. 3370

Words in Winter Programme 2009

The programme of Events to be held in Clunes, as part of the Shire

Words in Winter Festival is now available.

Our Green Brochure is ready to pick up at many of the shops in Clunes. As well as the Main Events of the Festival, the brochure also lists various activities and features, provided by our local Traders, Clubs and Groups.

Or get it online from
http://www.clunes.org/clunes_activities.html

Make sure you collect your copy and be ready to join in the fun.

The Festival commences on
Friday 31st July
and continues over the weekend of
August 1st & 2nd

Some Clubs and Groups will be holding their activities during the following week.

FILM REVIEW

THE GHOSTS OF GIRLFRIENDS PAST

By Louise Coleman & Vicky Robertson

RATING: LOUISE ★★★ VICKY★★★★

The film was about a guy who cheats on all his girlfriends. This uncle who has passed away taught him ways to be a player of women. He came back as a ghost to try and teach him to have feelings and respect for people. He ends up changing his ways and becomes a good boyfriend to his childhood sweetheart. The film is a romantic comedy.



Woolly Weekend

Clunes Art and Craft Cottage played host recently to a "Woolly Weekend. Numerous visitors came to watch spinning and weaving demonstrations, and several took advantage of the free lessons in knitting and crochet. Free soup and crackers were also available and these proved popular on the cold wintry days. The Cottage sells natural fleeces, including coloured ones, spun wool, alpaca fleece and alpaca yarn. Many visitors took advantage of the opportunity to buy some fleece to spin for themselves, or some yarn to make an original garment.

Many items made from wool and alpaca yarn are sold at the Cottage, including beanies, hats, scarves, gloves, mittens, socks and jumpers. With the weather being so cold lately, now is the perfect time for patrons to buy themselves a lovely warm woolly item for winter. The Clunes Art and Craft Cottage is open every Fri, Sat & Sun from 10am-4pm, plus Mon & Thurs, 2-5pm. The Cottage is run as a cooperative, with members taking turns to work there. Visitors are always welcome, as are new members of the Group. Enquiries: ring **5345 3853** or **0408 088119**.



Phoenix the sheep was the mascot for the Woolly Weekend. He enjoyed being led through the town by his owner, Chris Roger, and both Chris and Phoenix made many friends among the locals and visitors to Clunes.

LOST - Diamond Ring

On the weekend of last years Clunes show I lost a Diamond and Gold ring. I know that it was along time ago but I've been hoping the ring would show up around the house...and it hasn't. I did attend the show so it may have been lost there. If you found it or know who did, please call me as the ring is very important to me...and naturally there will be a reward. **Rachel 041 421 4543**

President's Report *From Chris Fenner*

This is my last report as President of the CTDA. Due to a change in my employment situation, I am unable to continue in this position and I will not be seeking re-election at the Annual General Meeting to be held in July. I wish my successor well and will assist in any way I can.

Last week, two meetings were held of importance to the community. At the first, the Hepburn Shire Council passed a resolution to construct a new toilet block facility on the east side of Collins Place, which was originally planned for immediately south of the existing toilets (towards the Town Hall). I'm disappointed that there was little, or no, community consultation or discussion regarding this proposal that will have a long-term impact on an important community space and a significant piece of open space. I understand that a community meeting is to be called to 'advise' of this decision. It would have been far preferable to have a community meeting before the resolution was passed to discuss the merits, or otherwise, of this proposal.

On the Wednesday evening, a budget information meeting was held to provide residents with the opportunity to question Councillors and officers on the draft 2009/2010 Council budget. A significant rate rise is proposed again (8.3%) and I expected a good attendance to discuss and ask questions on the need and/or desirability of this increase. Many people contacted me last year to complain of the increase on their last assessment. Unfortunately, only four residents attended the session.

I congratulate Hepburn Shire for holding these budget information evenings, and wish that more people would take the opportunity to attend, to become informed and to question rather than simply become disgruntled when the next assessment arrives in the mail. Whilst I am sure that many think these things are foregone conclusions, I found the Councillors and officers receptive to questions and genuinely interested in exploring ways of modifying the budget to address the issues that were raised. Of course, if people don't attend, and don't ask questions, then concerns can't be addressed and, in many respects, it does become a foregone conclusion.

The next meeting of the CTDA will include the AGM. People seeking to become office bearers will need to fill out a nomination form. These are available at the Clunes newsagency or by contacting me (53453337 or emailing cdfenner@bigpond.com).

I have enjoyed my time as President of the CTDA and regret that I can't continue. I would like to take the opportunity to thank all those who have assisted me over the past year. In particular, I would like to thank Geoff Nicholson, former Vice-president, for his sound knowledge and advice, and Jane Lesock, Treasurer, for her indefatigable work for the CTDA and for the community at large. I wish the organisation, my successor and the people of Clunes every success.

Clunes Police

ATHOL CHAFFEY, Clunes Police Station
Hannah St, Clunes, PH: 5345 3211 or 000
Mob: 0427 683 940 Email: athol.chaffey@police.vic.gov.au



G'day everyone, its that time again. The last month has been a relatively quiet time around the town except I have had a reasonable amount of property handed in, so if you have misplaced something in or around the town, drop in or call because I may have it locked up here at the station.

The Clunes Blue Light Disco is being held at the Clunes Town Hall on Friday the 26th of June, 2009. The disco is for any primary school aged kids in the area and their friends that would like to attend. The world famous 'Disco Des' will be playing the tunes for the evening and the disco will be Fully Supervised by myself and other police from the area, who have given up their own personal time

to come out to Clunes and give me a hand. I am hoping for a good turn out of kids. If so, I will run a disco at or near the end of each term. Thanks to the Town Hall committee who have allowed me to utilise the town hall for the event. The disco kicks off at 6.30pm and runs through to 9pm, there will be **NO passouts**. So come along and have a great time!!

Like I mentioned in the last newsletter, I encourage local groups to contact me if they wish for me to come to meetings etc. I attended at the Clunes Kinder today, Thursday 18th June, and had some fun with the kids, and I think the kids enjoyed the visit.

As I always say I am YOUR local copper and as always I can be contacted on 5345 3211, 0427 683940 or athol.chaffey@police.vic.gov.au

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Cameron Ward Councilor Report From Tim Hayes, Councilor, Cameron Ward

PAYPHONES IN CLUNES

Despite representations by Council, Telstra has removed several payphones across the municipality, including one of the two phones in Clunes. Telstra advised that apart from Council, there were only half a dozen objections lodged. Council has written to Telstra advising of its concerns and has requested details of the objections received. If any residents lodged an objection please contact me.

CLUNES COMMUNITY PLAN

The *Draft Clunes Community Plan* public meeting was well attended and of the 45 or so 'actions' included in the plan, the following issues were those the meeting considered to be of high priority:

- ◆ Support further development of events such as the Clunes Agricultural Show & Back to Booktown;
- ◆ Support for the proposal for the redevelopment of the Clunes Museum;
- ◆ Maintain & improve our heritage buildings;
- ◆ Look at the feasibility of one central location for sporting facilities;
- ◆ Public Transport needs and
- ◆ Support for local industries & tourism

A Focus Group has now been formed to determine the best course of action in which these issues can be progressed, which will provide feedback to the community on a regular basis.

CLUNES MUSEUM REDEVELOPMENT

Years ago the Clunes Museum, aided by the Hugh Williamson Foundation and Council, developed concept plans for the redevelopment of the museum,

aiming to make the building more accessible, provide space for displays and research and establish what would effectively be a 'gold interpretative centre' in Victoria's First Gold Town. Little work was undertaken to progress the concept plans, but with the announcement of the Federal Government's Jobs Stimulus Packages the project has now been revised.

Much has happened over the past six months including a Federal Government grant of \$235,000 to construct new toilet facilities and a State Government grant of \$90,000 (announced on 19 June by Joe Helper, MLA for Ripon) to construct a Rotunda – both facilities to be located in Collins Place. Council will be submitting an application for funding the Museum Redevelopment, including a suggestion that the Clunes Branch Library be re-located in the Museum Complex giving the project the best possible chance of success in its funding application.

Council has been working closely with the Museum Committee, the Regional Library Corporation and various government departments to submit an application in the near future. In order to give residents of **Clunes** an overview of this exciting development, a **meeting** will be held at the **Town Hall** on **Monday 6 July at 7pm**.

SERVICE REQUESTS

To register any issue relating to maintenance of roads, drains, streets and roadside trees etc, these contact details will make the response to your requests much more efficient: Phone: 5348 1577
Fax: 5348 2911 Email: shire@hepburn.vic.gov.au

CLUNES PLAYGROUP

Playgroup offers lots of Fun & Friendship for Babies, Toddlers and Pre-School aged Children, together with their parent or care-giver.



10am-12pm each Wednesday of the School Term at the Clunes Health Services Centre
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Warning parents – school holidays approach. For a bit of relief we are holding Games days on the second week. \$10 per day – and we're open on the Friday too. So, for one week \$10 all day computer access, whether it be games, web browsing or internet games.

Classes? Who wants training in what? Ring up! Email! Let us know what you need. An Office 2007 training course will be run next semester. This is for people who are used to the old software, have updated or upgraded, and are now saying "Where did that go?" or "Where is this?". Come and learn all the new tricks and techniques, or just to find out where all the usual things are now.

The Community Garden is looking very nice. The orchard has been prepared and planting is soon to commence. A very big thank you to the Hepburn Shire Council for their assistance. Tables and benches, and a brick BBQ will be in place soon – thanks to a grant from the Hepburn Shire Council. Remember – the garden is available at all times and the key is available from Lyn and Noel at the service station. The Community Garden regulars are there on Monday. Feel free to drop in for a cuppa and a chat.

Have you been to www.clunes.org? The Clunes Neighbourhood House maintains this web site, which is hosted by Tad Kozdra for free as a community service. Do you have activities, notices or information that should be on the web? Just send it to thegateway@clunes.org and we'll put it on the website.

Men's Health Matters

Men can now get involved with a supervised gym program in Clunes. The Hepburn Health Service offers a weekly supervised men's gym session on Monday nights from 7:30pm to 8:20pm.

The session is held in the meeting room at the back of the Clunes Community Health Centre. The gym session caters for beginners to more experienced gym users and men of all ages are welcome. The cost to attend each session is only \$2, thanks to a Federal Government Healthy Active Australia Grant. Come along and have a look, you won't regret it. For more details call **Rob** on 5345 9197 or 0419 548 406.

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We wish to obtain photographs, prize cards, minute books, newspaper cuttings, reminiscences etc, relating to past shows. Any items loaned to the society will be copied and returned.

Your help is also required to assist in locating trophies and memorabilia from bygone shows.

Please contact

Robert Campbell 53 453 082

if you are able to assist in any way



INFORMATION SESSION

CLUNES MUSEUM AND COLLINS PLACE

Hepburn Shire Council will host an information session on the evening of Monday 6 July to provide details of a proposal to redevelop the Clunes Museum and improvements to Collins Place.

The session will be held at the Clunes Town Hall, commencing 7pm.

For further details contact:

Councilor Tim Hayes 0400 906 599

Clunes Carer Support Group

Do you care for someone with a disability, dementia, is frail aged, or has a mental illness? Join other carers at our meetings held on the 1st Monday of the month, 10.30am at the Clunes Day Centre

Support Groups give you an opportunity :

- ♦ to share experiences with others in a similar situation
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- ♦ to be informed about services in the region
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For more information, please call **Sue** or **Rita** at the Commonwealth Carer Respite Centre Ph: 5333 7104

Apricot Date Slice

Quick, easy and inexpensive!

By Jill Taig

- 1/2 cup Dried Apricots, washed & chopped roughly
(Can substitute raisins or sultanas if preferred)
- 1/2 cup Dates, chopped roughly
- 1 cup Raw Sugar
- 2 cups SR Flour
- 3/4 cup Dessicated Coconut
- 180 gm Butter
- Sandwich Tray 18 x 28cm

1. Place all dry ingredients into a bowl
2. Add fruit and mix thoroughly
3. Melt butter, mix into dry ingredients
4. Spread into sandwich tray & press down
5. Bake 180 degress for approximately 25 minutes
6. Cut into fingers when cool

Choc/Coconut Cake

By Beverley Woolfe

- 4 oz Butter
- 1 cup Sugar
- 2 Eggs
- 2 tbsp Milk
- 1 tbsp Cocoa
- 2 tbsp Dessicated Coconut
- 4 oz SR Flour
- Cake Tin

1. Cream Butter and Sugar in a bowl
2. Add Eggs and beat well
3. Add Flour and Cocoa alternatively with Milk and Coconut. Mix well.
4. Bake in hot oven for approximately 30 minutes.

Happy Eating!

THINK IT - FIND IT - CREATE IT Attention Creative Community! "Art from Recycled Materials Exhibition"

Sunday, 25 October - Sunday, 1st November, Albert Hall Gallery and Persephone's Garden

as part of the Creswick Forestry Fiesta 2009. Entries are welcome from local artists, schools and community groups.

Now is the time to gather materials that may be reused or recycled, to create your own masterpiece to enter in the exhibit. The only requirement is to use materials that can be reused or recycled, and it is encouraged to give attention to a theme of environmental sustainability.

Artworks will be offered for sale if the artist selects to do so and no commission will be taken. No prizes will be awarded or judging of the entries. A \$5 entry fee for each exhibit will be charged, excluding entries from schools.

A gold coin donation to enter the exhibit is encouraged. An artwork has been generously donated as a raffle prize. All proceeds from artist entry fees, gold coin donations and the raffle will go to the Bald Hills-Creswick Landcare Group.

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A Thank You Note *by Janine Wilson*

My family and I were unfortunately involved in a vehicle accident in Clunes on Saturday May 16th, and I am writing this to thank the many wonderful people who appeared immediately at the scene to help my children, mum and myself until the ambulances arrived. You were all amazing, and your assistance, caring and compassion very much appreciated.

I remember some of you introducing yourselves at the time but as things go, your names escape me now so I can't thank you individually although I would like to. Please accept this as our personal thanks. I would also like to thank the many people who have popped in to help with offers of food, transport and general support for myself and my kids since the accident, even though we are only new to the town and we don't know many of you yet. We are all doing well, and Elly who was flown to Melbourne is back home and recovering nicely.

Will the train stop here? *by Richard Gilbert*

Residents will have received the glossy brochure from the state government extolling their many initiatives undertaken so far, and planned for the future, such as the passenger train service returning to Maryborough.

However, the devil is in the detail. No mention of services to intermediate locations, such as Clunes and what does the political spin statement of 14 services per week mean. Is it 2 trips per day seven days a week, or some other formula. Overall, there is no detail spelled out other than the fact the train service is planned to run to and from Maryborough.

At this point in time it is not possible to do a day return from Melbourne to Clunes by public transport and we are therefore not on the tourist/visitor trail for those people who otherwise may visit Clunes. Maryborough currently has a day return service via Castlemaine (bus between Castlemaine and Maryborough) and when the train returns, should logically, judging by the promotional material, have a day return by train, via Ballarat, as well as retaining a day return via Castlemaine. Creswick also currently has a day return service from Melbourne with the local Ballarat Davis bus service serving that town throughout the day. But, Clunes misses out.

The railway track still passes beside the station platform at Clunes. The platform is 47 metres in length, having been shortened some years ago whilst the passenger service was still running. The earth mounds of the cut back platform are still there at each end of the shortened platform and only one of them is required to be built out to the track again to fit a 3 car Velocity train at Clunes station. The earth remains are 40 metres each in length and a 3 car Velocity train is 79 metres in length. The Velocity trains, as shown on the glossy brochure, would provide the Maryborough service. Therefore rebuilding over one of the earth mounds would give a 87 metre platform neatly accommodating a Velocity train and this construction is no major engineering event.

It is too important to have Clunes by-passed by political decisions emanating from Melbourne when such an important and major project of restoring the Ballarat to Maryborough passenger service is being implemented.



Hey CLUNES Kids!!
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(Primary School Aged Disco)

June Blue Light Disco Party

Friday 26th June, 6.30pm to 9pm

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Did you know?

- ◆ The Djadja Wurrung people were the first inhabitants of the Clunes area, and these people occupied most of central Victoria. The words Djadja Wurrung defines the name of the tribe and the language they spoke. It is a combination of 'djadja' (yes) and 'wurrung' (speech). Being called the "yes people" suggests that the tribe were considered to be a friendly group of people.
- ◆ The first European settler in the area was 21-year-old Donald Cameron, an overlander from Sydney, who took up a pastoral run in 1839, naming it Clunes after his birthplace in Scotland.
- ◆ Clunes means 'a pleasant place' in Gaelic.



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Meeting are held on the 1st Monday of the month 7.30pm - old SMB building behind Fraz garage.

Clunes Art & Craft Cottage

Keep Sat July 25th free for Rose Pruning Day. All are welcome to come, with or without secateurs, to take cuttings of any of the lovely roses you might like to grow for yourself, at 99 Bailey St, 1.30-3.30pm. Cuttings can also be taken in the following few days, if any left.

Words in Winter

Clunes Art and Craft Cottage will be running a competition: **How I acquired my favourite jumper**, in 300 words or less. Here is your chance to tell a story. Win great prizes of Gift Vouchers for the Cottage. Entry forms available at the Cottage from July 4th.

The Clunes Bowls Club Inc.

Christmas in July "Funday", 19th July, 12.30pm club rooms. \$15 per head three course meal. Bookings close 12th July.
Father |Christmas su/prizes & raffles. Phone **5345 3539** or lodge name/s on Club notice board.

The Clunes Community Garden

The Clunes Community Garden would like to thank the following businesses, clubs, individuals and Hepburn Council for supporting our winter Orchard Project. Firstly, Lambley Nursery for the donation of 10 meters of mulched top soil and with David Glen's purchase power we can now afford a row of Olive trees along the northern fence line. Secondly, Council for their quick response to our request for the supply of resources to transport soil and dig the subsoil of the orchard plots at such short notice. Shane Dellavedova's Maryborough Fertiliser Service for 2 free trailer loads of much needed gypsum to further break down the clay.



Finally Ron Hatley, Veronica's Salon, Ken and Margaret Gibson, Ian Baker, Clunes Senior Citizens and Gardening Club, James Brincat and Lindsay Semmens for their generous support in our '\$25 a tree' sponsorship / fundraiser. The participants of the Clunes Community Garden Orchard Project are heartened by such wide community support and now with left over funds can afford watering systems, companion plants and bales of lucerne to complete the task. A big thank you also to Andrew Burke and CEO Kaylene Conrick.

Clunes Field & Game

Clunes Field & Game Branch conducted the June monthly shoot as a Side by Side Event in conjunction with a 75 Target Handicap Shoot. A varied set up of challenging targets was provided for participants resulting in an enjoyable well supported event.

RESULTS

Side by Side Event:

1st: J Garipoli 65/75 5th: P Dalbrun 61/75
2nd: J Lawrence 63/75 6th: R Pratt 60/75
3rd: T Brown 63/75 7th: E Jones 60/75
4th: A Edwards 63/75

Overall:

1st: T Nolan 75/75 5th: M Reams 64/75
2nd: C Lorensini 70/75 6th: J Johns 64/75
3rd: A Landale 69/75 7th: J Lester 64/75
4th: J Toose 69/75

Clunes Garden Club Contact Andy Hill 5345 3351

Our July Meeting is on the 6th, and we are having a "Christmas in July" Lunch. Could members please bring a casserole or sweet with them. All welcome.

Clunes Golf Club Inc. PH: 5345 3499. Contact Kevin Steart 5345 3127 or Laurie Lees 5345 3034

We continue to actively seek new players of any age group or gender. The course features 18 holes, sandscrapes, par 70 and all year round play. Every Wednesday is over 55's (but younger players welcome).

Clunes Museum

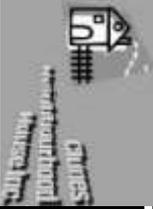
Marysville Historical Society lost their collection on Saturday February 7th and needs your support. The Committees of the Clunes Museum has donated \$500 to the Society to help them re-establish their collection or equipment. **How can you help?** Look at your own photographs, postcards, ephemera, family history or stories from Marysville and bring them to the Clunes Museum on Saturday July 18th between 11am & 4pm. We will scan them and collate your information, and send it on your behalf to Glen Turnbull, councillor Royal Historical Society of Victoria who is collecting material on behalf of the Marysville Historical Society.

Clunes Probus Club Our next meeting will be at the Town Hall, Tuesday 14th July at 9.45am

The guest speaker will be Clayton Edwards, after which we will visit the bottle museum. Visitors are most welcome.

Our next coach trip is a special Mystery Trip which includes a show which is sure to entertain. The last coach trip was to Pakenham, visiting Robert Gordon Pottery and the Serendipity Lavender Farm. It was enjoyed by all. We are also planning a longer trip in April next year. It will be to spend 4 days in beautiful Bright - the heart of the High Country. There will be organised trips each day and we will be staying at a motel. The area has a wealth of scenery and interesting places to visit. The cost will be \$440. For trip information contact Kate on **5345 3070** or Heather on **5345 3445**.

Probus is for the retired or semi-retired. Our aims are to have intellectual and cultural activities, opportunities for fellowship and to be a worthwhile organization in our community.



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6 Community Garden Garden Club Meeting Gym Carers Morning Tea Games Day	7 Legal Clinic Games Day School Holidays	8 Games Day School Holidays	9 Life Skills Games Day School Holidays	10 Games Day <small>NH OPEN FOR GAMES DAY</small> School Holidays	11 Doggy Playskool School Holidays	12 Clunes Market School Holidays
13 Community Garden Back to School Gym Flexi Computer	14 YOGA Genealogy	15 Karate	16 Yoga Tai-Chi Life Skills	17 <u>Neighbourhood House Closed</u>	18 Doggy Playskool Dancing for Children	19 Talbot Market
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