PITCHFORK

Pappinbarra Valley Monthly News

Pappinbarra Progress Association

September issue

Valley Happenings

August FF saw our FRRR-funded fence - complete with paths and a flagpole beside - officially opened by Princess Mary of Buckinghamshire. Although resident in Australia for some time, she has lost none of her Pommie accent, airs or graces. The \$25 voucher raffle was won by Jim Adams (again!) and the Members' Draw has jackpotted to \$20.

September FF at the Hall on the 6th from 6 pm - do join us. The usual barbecue with vegetarian and gluten-free options will be on offer with poppers and soft drinks for sale.

At the **AGM** Lyn Blythe, Jan Childs, Kelly Benson, Chay Khamsone and Bev Sibthorpe retired from the Committee. We welcome new committee members Sharada Boyce, Meg Allison and George Hegarty for 2013-2014. Our new Treasurer is Sue Frost. Jan Childs is Public Officer.



'Bushed' rehearsals are continuing at the Hall every Sunday at 4.30 pm, with singing workshops for the soloists beforehand.

Pitchfork Choir will meet at the Hall at 10am on Saturday, 14 September. Come and sing for fun! All welcome - \$10 (\$5 to the Hall). Elly Franchimont 6587-6097 or 0424 220 937 www.vocalpointevents.com

If there is enough interest, Lyn Blythe is happy to resurrect weekly, week-day **exercise** sessions at the Hall. Call Lyn on 6587-6186 if you are interested.

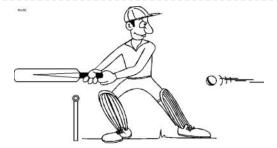
Anyone for Tennis?

The local night competition at the Recreation Grounds, Upper Pappinbarra will recommence in mid-October. Play will be on Thursday nights in two seasons – October to mid-December then end February to April. Cost = \$5 per night. All players welcome. Contact Emma Frost 6587-6103

Many thanks to Jan Childs and Mary Walker for the Australian flag and to Pat Murray for work on the carpark.

PPA Annual Membership is due at the end of June. \$5 per person. Pay at First Friday or complete the form on p.8.

Cricket Match



Annual Cricket Match Sunday, 8 September

The Greg Ostler Memorial Shield Cricket Match at the Upper Pappinbarra Recreation Ground is on! All players are welcome, young and not-so-young. Registration for players will be at 9.30am – gold coin donation. BBQ lunch, cakes, delicious 'real' coffee and frozen banana cones for sale. Free cups of tea available all day. Bring something delectable or useful for the raffle hamper – proceeds will go to the fire brigades. *This is a great community day out so come along and join the fun even if you only want to barrack from the sidelines for the 'dirt' or the 'tar' or eat a sausage under the trees.* Play usually ends mid-afternoon.

On the second Sunday in August, Pappinbarra's beloved Mervyn Wallis travelled down the valley for the last time; he died peacefully in the Base Hospital on Monday the 12th. Our heartfelt condolences go to his wife Pam and their families. (See Tribute p2)

Gone for a ride Merv Wallis 17 December 1928 – 12 August 2013

Merv was a Pappinbarra boy through and through. In his youth, folk rarely went to town - it was a long ride, a winding drive by horse-and-sulky or a rough trip in the cream lorry. As a kid, he went with the family by train to Penrith a few times to stay with an uncle, but only once as an adult - there were eight lanes of traffic and Pam missed her exit. "Bullocky found dead on the highway", Merv remarked in his usual dry style. Early on, they went to Port every Christmas; later, he was resistant to venturing 'over the railway line'. Port was another world and one in which he had no interest.

He had, however, great interest in what was happening along the Pappinbarra and kept in touch with Wauchope events from his varied perch on the bench outside the Co-op Department Store or supermarket, or mingling with the throng at the saleyards. Even if he missed a sale he didn't miss the news: "I hear you got some heifers and a bull from Bellangry"! He didn't miss much on the drive (slow and mid-road) to town either: "Ploughed up the flats I see - what are you putting in?"

He used to joke with Pam that she came fifth - after the farm, his horses, his cattle and his dogs. He loved the land and was a great horseman; he learnt to ride as little more than a toddler and took Ruby out for the last time three days before he died. A couple of months ago, he and mate Jim Galbraith were mustering. After the lunch break, Merv grabbed the reins and was heading off. When told the job wasn't finished, he said, "I know - I'm not as young as you blokes and I'm just looking for a possie to get up on the horse!" About six years ago, Merv took charge of getting Steve Bryson's cattle home from agistment at Buthmann's. One cow broke away up a steep ridge; Merv took off after her, yelling. There was consternation in the ranks - what do we tell Pam if he comes off? With the cow back in the mob, Merv fell to the rear and was nowhere to be seen. He was found having a wonderful time, stopping at every driveway to have a yarn!

Merv seemed to be always there when someone needed help. Folk starting life on the land found a true friend and advisor in him. He and Pam forged great and enduring friendships with their neighbours. Drivers, however, often came to grief on his corner; he righted a rolled ute with his tractor just a few days before the end. In 1980, when Peter and Jenny Wall bought *Riversleigh*, part of the old Wallis holding, the post-and-rail fence between them and *The Oak* didn't keep Merv's bull out of Peter's rye and clover. Merv agreed on the need for a fence and was less agreeable to helping build it, but the new fence is still there. While clearing the line with a Skid Steer dozer, Peter was asked to flatten out the bank next to the small creek. "Say no more! The Skid Steer got bogged with green ooze and grey mud coming over the track and into the seat!" "I don't like your chances," said Merv, but went home to get a very heavy wire rope - 'too heavy



Merv, as a young lad at Riversleigh 1938

really'. Chained to the dozer and looped round a tree, the rope was ready: "I hope I don't stretch your rope, Merv." "No bloody chance of that!" - (much amused). The machine pulled itself out and the wire rope was stretched beyond belief - useless. Peter offered to pay for it but was told to "chuck it in that bloody great hole you left - too heavy to cart around anyway!"

Of the old school, intensely private, Merv kept his feelings to himself, but was 'a good man - a really caring person'. He spent his younger years hauling timber with bullocks out of *Riversleigh*, *Ferndale* and up and down the valley, and was a bullocky, horse driver and shingle-splitter at *Timbertown* for almost sixteen years. 'With it' till the end, he was 84 years young; he never let age prevent him doing the things he loved. The valley has lost one of its last links to the pioneers; our sincere condolences go to Pam and the extended family on their loss.

Jean Hegarty



On his trusty horse, Ruby, in Pappinbarra River 2012

Have you seen the new improved classifieds section on the back page? If you are a PPA member the first month is free! Advertise things for sale, houses to rent, livestock for sale, excess produce, help wanted, babysitters, etc!







PPA Inc Annual Report (2012-2013) - Summary

PPA membership for this year reached 110. Your current committee sees its role as twofold: firstly to promote and nurture the community spirit in the valley; secondly, to maintain and improve the community's greatest asset - the historic Ellengrove Schoolroom and the attached Hollisdale Hall.

We have continued the tradition of running a barbecue at the hall on the first Friday of every month except January, to give everyone the opportunity to meet newcomers and visitors, make friends, network, and eat and drink together.

Our second year-round activity is publication of *Pitchfork*, PPA's monthly newsletter (Dec-Jan issue combined), popped into roadside mailboxes along the Pappinbarra and environs, available at Beechwood Store and PO, and sent by email to a steadily increasing number of ex-Pappinbarrans and parties interested in what can be accomplished by a small rural community. Under Bev Sibthorpe's inspired editing, we feel it keeps readers informed of valley happenings and is a real factor in community cohesion. I mention with gratitude the enormous and ongoing contributions of all who play a part in the production process. Our advertisers play a vital part in its success - please support those who support us.

I want to again acknowledge all the organisations from whom we have received grant funds during the year: Port Macquarie Hastings Council Community Fund (for floor sanding and an island bench), the Regional Cancer Council (for shadesails over the sandpit), the NSW Government Community Building Partnership Program (for extensions to the outdoor concreted area), the Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal (for the fence to keep our children safe), the Community Arts Support Program (for Bushed) and the Commonwealth Government Volunteer Support Program (for a ride-on mower). Submission of grant applications is a time-consuming process, involving planning, design, sourcing of quotes, and sitting down at a computer to write. Since we are a small association, we rely on grant moneys to achieve PPA's vision for the future of our hall and our community. Sincere thanks to all who have been involved in that process and to all who are willing to participate in executing the vision - hall cleaners, decorators, repairers and improvers; ground keepers; First Friday shoppers, cooks and ticket sellers; event organisers; calendar contributors and compilers; grant writers and Pitchfork deliverers!

It has been an interesting and busy year, with several projects coming to fruition, others ongoing, and yet others just ideas in someone's head. I feel very privileged to have been at the helm during this time of growth in membership and improvement of our hall. I have great admiration for those who have not only chosen to make their home in this beautiful valley and environs but who also find time in their busy lives to work for the good of the community. I especially want to acknowledge the wonderful help and support I have had from your Committee: Kelly Benson, Jan Childs, Elly Franchimont, Sue Frost, Chay Khamsone, Bev Sibthorpe and Mary Walker. Thank you to you all.

Please contact me if you would like a copy of the full report jeanmay@bluemaxx.com.au

Jean Hegarty President PPA Inc.

New Editor for Pitchfork

I'm stepping down as Editor of Pitchfork after 24 issues and handing the job over to Jean Hegarty. I want to devote more of my time to Pappinbarra Landholders Conservation Group and it's time for 'fresh blood'. Pitchfork continues to go from strength to strength thanks to a great team effort-all our contributors, regular and occasional, underpinned by the work of the small dedicated team of Angela Frost looking after production, Chay Khamsone handling advertising and Jan Childs doing a sterling job with printing. Thanks to our advertisers for your continued

support. We've tried to produce a newsletter that's of interest to the diverse population of this great Valley and helps create a sense of community. The vast majority of the feedback we get suggests we're achieving that goal. Pitchfork's reputation has also spread well beyond the Valley. This is best captured by a recent snippet of conversation – when told by someone that they came from Pappinbarra Valley the reply came back - "Ah, you come from Pitchfork country"!

Bev Sibthorpe

New Delivery Arrangements for Pitchfork – Commencing 2014

We're moving to new delivery arrangements for Pitchfork from the beginning of 2014. From January onwards you will be able to:

- Have *ePitchfork* delivered electronically to your inbox; and/or
- Pick up a hard copy from drop boxes outside the Beechwood Store and Post Office. There will be flags on the drop boxes to alert people to the fact that Pitchfork is available.



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Offset for Giant Barred Frog Habitat

offset that contains Giant Barred Frog habitat for the Oxley funding provided by a Trust account (in perpetuity) plus other Highway to Kempsey project. Around 20-25 ha of confirmed lost opportunity costs (land value). habitat is required, however as offsets are also required for Alternatively, depending on property size and location if the Tiger Quoll and Koala, larger areas that provide habitat for landowners are not interested in managing their properties for these species would also be great. Finding confirmed Giant conservation but are interested in selling, their properties could Barred Frog habitat is the hardest of the three.

I understand that there are a number of landholders in the located adjacent). I can advise on what registering a biobank Pappinbarra area who have Giant Barred Frogs on their agreement means in terms of land use constraint, depreciation properties and [may have] an interest in registering a biobank of property value (and how to recover/compensate), process to site or similar. Please pass on my details to them to call me so formally assess and register and how this could be paid for etc. that I can discuss their interest in registering a conservation Robert Humphries covenant such as a Biobanking Agreement whereby the RTA Eco Logical Australia Pty Ltd would purchase the credits generated and the landowners T+61 2 8536 8620 | F+61 2 9542 5622 | M+61 417 258 264 would manage part of the property for conservation (access roberth@ecoaus.com.au http://www.ecoaus.com.au

I have been engaged by the RTA to try and locate and secure an management, weed and feral animals control) with annual

be purchased and added to an existing conservation reserve (if

Giant Barred Frog

There are two species (at least) of Barred Frogs in Pappinbarra. The genus name of these frogs is Mixophyes and the two species are iteratus (the GIANT Barred Frog) and fasciolatus (the GREAT Barred Frog). The one that is considered endangered and is the focus of the highway offset (see above article) is M. iteratus or the Giant Barred Frog. We have found it in a couple of places along Pappinbarra river and it could be relatively common here aren't we lucky! We will continue with frog surveys as the weather warms up so hopefully we will find a lot more of them. Stream breeders, they can be found around the river and tributaries during the summer. They have bigger and more blotchy-looking bars on the hind legs than fasciolatus and the call is different. There are heaps of images and a lot of information on the net for those who are interested.



Angela Frost

A young Giant Barred Frog found in Pappinbarra River last summer

Could you use some help in the garden?

There are now two groups within the Valley who meet at each great boost for me to keep on whittling away at those tasks I'd other's properties on a regular basis throughout the year to like to get to "sometime". give an energetic helping hand - especially for those tasks The current groups are closed - both have chosen to limit need an energy boost to get things moving.

you name it, we did it! Then we topped it all off with a interest? veritable feast of wonderful foods contributed by the participants. It was a day of support, energy, enthusiasm and a

which need more hands and feet than you have available, or themselves to 6 properties each for workability - but how about getting together with others in the area and forming your At the beginning of August there was one of these working bees own "Gardening Auxilliary", "Gardening Enthusiasts", or at my place and we pulled asparagus ferns, trimmed bushes, "Green Thumbs"? Go on, it's fun, and the "work" disappears settled logs on a steep slope, planted pot-bound plants, made a under your very nose. Maybe a place a notice on the Hall Board pathway, pulled out cocos palm seedlings, cut down trees or an ad in Pitchfork Classifieds or ring around to indicate your

Sharada Boyce







willingness to learn Elly Franchimont: 6587 6097 or 0424 220 937 elly@vocalpointevents.com



Plant of the Month - Cherry guava (Psidium cattleianum Myrtaceae)

The idea for featuring cherry guava as plant of the month occurred to me as I was tucking into one the other day at home. We inherited about six different types of guava when we moved

here five years ago: three cherry guavas, one common guava (Psidium guajava) and two pineapple guavas (or feijoa) (Feijoa sellowiana). All are vulnerable to fruit fly and. regretfully, Psidium species are also capable of naturalising beyond the garden fence (if anyone has knowledge of pineapple guava spreading from dispersed seed, I would be very keen to hear about

it).



Leaves and ripe fruit

in their own right, dominating road corridors and over-running look-out for - and report - infestations of new plants. paddocks and fence lines. Worldwide, cherry guava is ranked in the top 100 global invasive species (the list includes all life forms). It is a shrub to small tree (usually less than 5m in FURTHER INFORMATION cultivation) and can be identified by smooth, light-brown bark Port Macquarie-Hastings Council (Noxious Weeds Officer or and stiff, glossy, opposite leaves that draw to a blunt tip. When Municipal Ecologist) 6581 8111. crushed, the leaves have a faint sweet menthol-type odour, Or, feel free to drop any plant ID specimens in my mailbox includes lilly-pilly and *Eucalyptus*). The fruit is the key to the details and I'll get back to you. invasive success as it is a yellow-to-red many-seeded berry up to 30mm in diameter. The colour, combined with its accessible size and sweet smell make cherry guavas near-irresistible to many birds and flying foxes. The dispersal of the seeds by voiding



Dense infestation

(including regurgitation) at other feeding sites or while on the move facilitates its spread. Pigs are also significant dispersers of seeds. The

Of the two Psidium species, cherry guava is considered to be the short of all of this is that if you like your guavas, manage them 'weediest', although some of the common guava infestations I responsibly to prevent their spread (ours are in a netted saw recently between Maryborough and Gympie are substantial orchard), look for and root out self-sown plants and be on the

typical of many members of the Myrtaceae family (which also (sealed plastic bag please) (2011 Pappinbarra Rd) with your

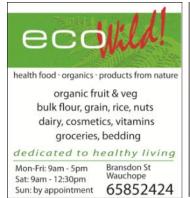
Peter Michael

Pappinbarra Landholders Conservation Group (PLCG) - Nest Boxes

cut the timber to specifications. We had a very enjoyable members morning chatting (some more than others!) whilst assembling bigmarksmail@yahoo.com or 6587-6033 nest-boxes for Powerful Owls, Black Cockatoos, micro-bats and

A dozen PLCG members eagerly attended a nest-box making gliders. In addition to Paul's considerable carpentry skills he workshop last month. Background research by Bev Sibthorpe and treated us to morning tea and a BBQ lunch. Thank you Paul, for Ken Aplin ensured we had design specifications for targeted your considerable preparation time and patience in teaching us Pappinbarra fauna. It turned out to be a great social day creating to safely use electrical tools. We could not have done it without habitat breeding boxes for our native animals to supplement the you. This is another example of the extensive skills and nesting sites in our valley. Paul Pollett very generously opened generosity of the people of our Valley, put to good use to help his extensive workshop, provided carpentry expertise and pre- enhance and conserve our natural assets. PLCG welcomes new to find out more contact

Kelly Miller, President





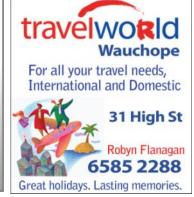
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Rural Fire Service Update - 'Before you light that fire'!

1. Do you need an ENVIRONMENTAL APPROVAL?

Sometimes! An approval is usually required to clear the vegetation you intend to burn and to conduct the burn. If your clearing and burning is for hazard reduction purposes you can apply for an environmental approval (Hazard Reduction Certificate) through the NSW RFS. If your burning is not for hazard reduction purposes (garden maintenance etc), you need to contact your local Catchment Management Authority and Council to see if you require an environmental approval for vegetation clearing or burning in the open (air pollution).

2. Do you need a FIRE PERMIT?

Sometimes! You will need a Fire Permit if:

- you are burning during the Bush Fire Danger Period (usually October to March)
- your burn is likely to endanger a building, or
- your fire is in a Fire & Rescue NSW area.

You can obtain a Fire Permit from your local NSW RFS Fire Control Centre or Fire & Rescue NSW Station.

3. Do you need to NOTIFY anyone before burning?

Yes! It is a legislative requirement to provide a minimum of 24 hours notice (unless specified otherwise in your Fire Permit) to:

- your local fire authority (Rural Fire Service or Fire & Rescue NSW), and
- all adjoining landowners (or occupiers).

Damian Privett

Bushfire danger period begins from midnight on Saturday 31 August. As well, owing to the fire indicator, KBDI, being more than 70, ALL permit issuing is suspended until further notice. **NO BURNING OFF IS PERMITTED**

Fire Permit Officers:- Upper Pappinbarra: Steve Ostler 6587-6090, Bob Ostler 6587-6180, Anthony Wall 6587-6127 or Andrew Jarrett 6587-6181; Hollisdale and Lower Pappinbarra: Lyn Blythe 6587-6186; Beechwood: Sam Elphick 0428-856-222.

Ant Lions and Valley Kids

There are many benefits to living in a beautiful rural students knew that the cone shaped community. As an ageing school teacher I'm acutely and at depressions in the dirt were the residences times embarrassingly aware that the computer age has of ant lions. As a child I was entertained for revolutionised not only our entertainment but also our access many hours trying to coax ant lions out of to knowledge. The flashing lights of screens enthral us and so their moon-like craters using thread. become an easy source of entertainment - not just TV, but Mark returned home recently from a socially computer and mobile phone as well. Children and adults can enriching and physically tiring Pappinbarra Landholders find endless amusement in computer games, social media like Conservation Group (PLCG) working bee. He was not home Facebook and YouTube clips. educational opportunities seem boundless also instantaneous. You can have an answer to your most pressing watching them entertain themselves, using their imaginations question in the time it takes to press the 'send' button. Like the to create, explore, climb trees, stalk cats, and play together in flyers from Boys Town Lotteries that show a TV with a beautiful their natural world. A fisher himself, he was particularly beach pressed against a window overlooking a beautiful beach, impressed by the little boy with his fishing rod dangled into a I wonder if the increasingly pervasive 'virtual world' is as frog pond, hopeful of catching a fish big enough to swallow that enriching as our real world.

I recently took 29 Year 11 students (16 or 17 years old) on a Maybe I'm just showing my age, and perhaps I have just platform. When we stopped for lunch, not one of the 29 exploring outside.

It's not only for fun; the long before he was singing the praises of the children there for and the after-work lunch. He was genuinely heartened after

field trip. I'm increasingly surprised at their lack of knowledge become an old ant lion but it truly is wonderful to see our of the natural world. They knew nothing of the life on a rock Valley children learn and enjoy each other's company whilst **Kelly Miller**









Community News and Events

Camping Crusaders - an event to raise money for equipment in the children's ward at Port Base Hospital. Families can register to camp for the weekend and participate in the games, exploring and charity auction. To register, donate to the auction or for more info: www.facebook.com.au/campingcrusaders Katrina 0414 598 727; Linda 0403 121 326, Cappa 0422 332 533; or Sandra 0423 233 933.

Cheese Making

What a fun and beautifully organised day. Nine participants were shown the intricacies of making several different cheeses:-Quark, Mascarpone, Ricotta, Feta and Camembert. Kelly Miller and George Hegarty were our teachers and Kelly had outdone herself with yummy recipes to make such as mini fruit meringue stacks, cheese balls, lime and honey dip and mini cheesecakes using the Quark and Mascarpone we had made earlier. Kelly prepared a superb lunch with, needless to say, a cheesy theme. We all learned a lot and were so enthused that many of us bought a basic kit so that we could try our hand at home. We finished the day by bringing home some of the cheeses we had made, all beautifully presented in a gift bag. Well done Kelly for your organisation and teaching skills and George for assistance and your beautiful Feta.

Mary Walker

Tree Fiesta

Tree Fiesta in Bain Park on 3 August was a glorious day for all who were there. It's a wonderful way to celebrate trees with friends old and new and will be on again next winter. If anyone wants to comment or has any ideas for next year's fiesta please feel free to email me on amyhubers@hotmail.com.

Amy Hubers

2014 Pappinbarra Calendar

Does anyone have a photo of the last floods which indicate how fast the water was flowing - e.g. flowing around tree trunks like a bow wave? How about a shot of the winter fog rising through the hills, or the sunshine streaming through the trees? Be alert for those perfect shots of people, places or things. Submit them to sharadaboyce@yahoo.com.au or save them to a disc and bring it to First Friday. The 'calendar team' will select the best shots. It would be great to have 12 different contributors to next year's calendar. Submissions close on Saturday, 16 November so the Calendar will be available for purchase at the December First Friday.

Sharada Boyce

In the Vegie Patch

It's time to prepare the vegie patch for Spring. The addition of lime, organic matter such as cow or chicken manure and a mulch of sugarcane will set you up for a good vegie season. Spring vegetables ready to plant now: sweet potato, cucumbers, zuchinni, eggplant, tomato, corn, beetroot and lettuce. Herbs: basil is back in season as well as the old favourites rosemary, thyme, oregano and parsley. Happy Gardening!



Alison

New/Featured at Hastings Farmers' Market

This month the Hastings Farmers' Market is looking forward to having Marrook Farm back again with their delicious European/ Swiss style matured cheeses which were processed on the farm from their own biodynamic milk. Another new vendor starting in August was Ausbuff Stuff. They farm and produce products from their buffalo, such as gelato, cheese, yoghurt and they also offer fresh meat and hot pies. Buffalo milk has some wonderful properties and people with lactose intolerance are generally ok with it, and the meat is high in protein and low in fat.

Elly Franchimont, Market Coordinator









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Got something to sell? Want to buy something? Why not advertise here? First month free for PPA members. Contact Chay 6587-6022.

For Sale

Josh Groban sheet music (original keys for singers vocal/piano). 22 songs. \$25 call Stan 65856602

Free range fresh eggs \$3/ dozen. Will deliver to your letterbox. Call Angela 65876129.

Wanted

Wanted - Rental Property

Mature person and cat (both with great references) desire quiet, peaceful home in Pappinbarra area. Three bedrooms is great, can be smaller or larger depending on location and land. Would love space for a veggie garden. Cat goes on a leash so is not a danger to wildlife. Call Maggie 6556 7661 and thank you.

Anything else you would like to advertise?

Livestock? Selling your car? **Help Wanted?**

Use the *Pitchfork* Classifieds to buy, sell, find...there are a lot of great resources within our own valley!

PPA Matters

PPA Committee meetings - Usually the Friday before First Friday at 6pm. All welcome.

General Meetings – quarterly. Next general meeting will be in November. All welcome

Facilities for Hire

Hollisdale Hall – contact Sue Frost 6587 6129 Upper Pappinbarra facilities and tennis court - contact Damian Privett 6587 6185

All Saints Church

Services are held every fourth Sunday at 2 pm with a cuppa 'off the back of the ute' around 2.45p.m. All welcome.



Pitchfork

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Pitchfork has hardcopy and email circulation of approximately 280. It comes out on the weekend before First Friday - Friday, 27 September for the October Issue. Material for the October Issue to the Editor by Wednesday, 18 September. We run both casual and regular advertisements at very competitive rates. Contact Chay Khamsone.

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