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Contributors please note, that articles should be no more than 500 words.

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CBCA Update

Our July meeting saw attendance down on the usual numbers, winter and school holidays probably playing a part. Members are reminded that for the months of June, July and August meeting times have been moved to 2.00 pm on the third Saturday of the month, so please note your diaries. While facebook is a great way to communicate the CBCA is reluctant to act on issues raised without knowing the actual circumstances. If you have something you want raised or acted upon, then we can be contacted on admin@callalabaycommunityassociation.com or you can come along to a meeting and voice your concerns.

Duncan Marshall gave a presentation on the potential impacts of a Marina in Callala Bay. These included environmental, commercial, and social concerns and are a follow up to the article in last month's edition of the CB News. Development has to be planned and in keeping with community values. Copies of Duncan's presentation are available on request.

The issue of break ins was raised. It was suggested that we could adopt a neighbourhood care model where clusters of neighbours could mutually agree to "look out" for each other, report events and share information, without the emotive reporting that is currently seen on the various Callala face book pages. It's certainly worth a thought.

The CBCA has been busy this month. As part of the path enhancement project for which we received a State Government Grant, we have commissioned Uncle Noel Wellington to create two more Indigenous Poles and a carved bench to go at Headland overlooking Callala Point and extend the path to the look out. We have spoken with Council about erecting two more covered picnic tables on the foreshore in the boat ramp precinct. Our proposals will have to be assessed by the Department of OEH, and may require an AHIP, before we can proceed.

Keen observers will have seen us at the Skate Park this month. Some two years ago we submitted plans to Council and received approval to erect a shelter over the existing picnic table. Much of our fund raising was being directed to purchase a suitable shelter. In May this year we were offered and accepted 4 x 4 Metre skillion roof shelter from Council. There were sufficient funds to demolish the existing slab and construct a new one. We also renovated the picnic table and converted it to disabled friendly. The shelter will be erected later this month. We are also discussing with Shoalhaven Water the installation of a water station. Volunteers to assist us are always welcome, for information call Howard 0414858710

Our thanks go to Sandra Irwin and the Callala Market Stall holders for taking on the running of the Callala Markets, which will continue to be held the second Saturday of the month. All profits from the stall hire will be donated to community projects decided by the stall holders. Please continue to support this event. For information about stall holders please contact Sandra on: 0413 581 419.

Our next meeting will be August 18th at 2.00pm at the Callala Community Centre.

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Callala Golf Exchange 11th hole Challenge

Saturday 7th July -

What an Unbelievable Day at the Callala Golf Course.

Today at Callala was to turn out a very unusual and unbelievable day of golf and two players although not outright winners of the Monthly Medal shone like the brightest star in the heavens. Glenn Hosking who executed a fantastic shot on the "Golf Exchange" 11th Hole to land his ball within the circle to win \$440. It was calculated that some 3,200 players have attempted to win the challenge but Glenn has triumphed over all to take the bucks.



But wait, in the following group was Greg Mytilinios who being the remarkable player that he is launched his ball from the now infamous 11th hole and without too much fan fare landed his ball straight into the cup, Yes, "Hole In One". Big congratulations to both Glenn and Greg for their achievements.



The monthly today was won by Brendon Wade who also played great golf to secure his win and the "C" grade division. Greg Mytilinios added the "A" Grade division to his hole in one and Perry Cousins took out the "B" grade division.



Big thanks to Gary & Michelle at the "Golf Exchange" for their continued support of Callala golf and the 11th Hole Challenge.

Interested in playing Golf at your local Callala Golf Course? If so why don't you come join us on either Tuesday Vets if you are over 55 or, if you are still working, then Saturday morning comp.

Local Golf report continues on Page 31

Frosty Winter In The Bay

The frosty photo from the front page plus the one below were taken behind the Community Centre on Emmett Street, as our coastal village shivered through an icy morning. The temperature dropped to a chilly 1.8 degrees on the 26th June, the closest morning so far this season

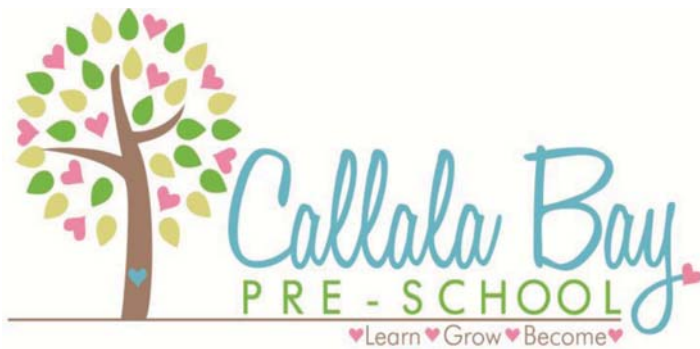
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Callala Medical Report

The Callala Medical Centre would like to announce two new arrivals.

The first is that of a beautiful baby boy, Alexander William Zhou!

Dr.Jing and Jennifer are very proud parents and both mother and baby are well.

The second is that one of Shoalhaven's finest locally trained Doctors will be joining our team.

Dr.Carter will be starting in August and we are very excited to welcome her to the Callala area.

As a local Graduate of the UOW Graduate School of Medicine, she completed her hospital training at the Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital and The Wollongong Hospital.

She is experienced in Emergency and Intensive Care Medicine and enjoys the rewarding challenges of Rural General Practice.

She is also looking forward to better exploring our area on her kayak!

Also it was National Diabetes Week 7-14 July. So watch your sugar intake and visit www.diabetesaustralia.com.au

Garden Club

The July meeting will be our 27th birthday.

The first inaugural meeting took place in at the Culburra Beach Progress Hall on Penguin Head Rd in 1991 with 26 foundation members present. It was on that day that they decided that the meetings will be held every third Saturday of the month at 1. 30pm. Since then there have been many Presidents and committee members but the organization of meetings has not changed all that much. Sadly, many members have passed away but Jean Helliwell, a founding member, still attends meetings and looks after her garden.

Our theme is Christmas in July and we've asked members to bring a plant for the specimen table with a Christmas decoration. Callala Anglican

celebrated Christmas in July last week and I managed to get some poinsettias to decorate the Church.

According to google "the plant's association with Christmas began in 16th-century Mexico, where a popular legend tells of a girl, commonly called Pepita or Maria, who was too poor to provide a gift for the celebration of Jesus' birthday and was inspired by an angel to gather weeds from the roadside and place them in front of the church altar. Crimson blossoms sprouted from the weeds and became poinsettias. The botanical name for Poinsettias is *euphorbia pulcherrima* which translates to "very beautiful". Poinsettias grow best in full sun through to about half shade. They like rich, well-drained soil and need protection from strong winds. They can be pruned after flowering to encourage a more compact shrub. Only water the plant when the soil feels dry to the touch, do not allow the plant to sit in the standing water and avoid fertilising the plant while it is in bloom.



In Callala Bay, there's a massive Poinsettia shrub growing in a back yard overlooking the boat ramp car park. Every year it has a dazzling display of what look like flowers but are actually coloured bracts or modified leaves. The flowers are the yellow buds in the centre.

If you would like to join us and learn more about plants/gardening, we meet every 3rd Saturday of the month at the Banksia Senior Citizens Hall, IRT entrance, Culburra Beach at 1.30 pm starting time. Happy gardening!

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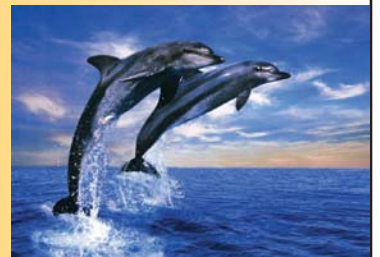
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The crooks now days have woken up to these hiding places and now there are many items on the market that you can purchase to place your spare house key in. You've probably already seen them about near the front doors. These are a great idea however like everything else that you buy, do your research. Please make sure that the Key safe that you purchase will withstand a beating or the force of a screwdriver being jammed into it etc. A crook is not going to go lightly on a key safe if he/she believes that it can be forced open. Once they have the key they can obviously get into your house. Again, do your research make sure that the Key Safe will keep your key safe.

It's tax time and hopefully you will get a decent tax return. Remember that there are scammers out there that also would like you to get a decent tax return so they can scam it off you. There are many scams going around these days, some are obvious but others are not. Some rely on fear. For instance, If someone rings you saying that they are from the tax office you may panic and give out personal details that you normally wouldn't. Be very wary of scammers. We hear this message every day however there is no shortage of people being ripped off.

Do yourself a favour and get onto the google, type in "Scamwatch" and read about the latest scams and how to identify them.

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Callala Anglican Church

At this moment in time, rural Australia is experiencing devastating drought. Farmers are struggling to feed and water their livestock. Sometimes life for us is difficult and we feel lost not knowing where to go for help. The image of the good shepherd in John 10:11-18 has, been woven into the language and imagery of the Bible. In the history of Christianity it is the most ancient and beloved symbols of Christ. The beautiful picture of Jesus as the Good Shepherd carrying home high on his shoulder a lost sheep illustrating care, concern, strength and tenderness, a picture that appeals to every human heart.

Today in rural Australia the farmers have first hand experience of the difficulties and challenges which were part of a shepherd's life 2000 years ago. Jesus' deep dedication to his flock extends even to risking his life for them.

We are told that sheep are defenceless animals, prone to getting lost, renowned for straying and without protection of a good shepherd fall easy prey to wild animals. Once they become familiar with their master's voice they are totally dependent on him to lead them to fresh pastures and to keep them together out of harm's way at night.

Jesus uses this powerfully appropriate imagery to teach us something about himself as the good shepherd. It demonstrates the protection he can offer us especially if we have been knocked off course, lost our way and neglected the life of our Christian teachings and faith.

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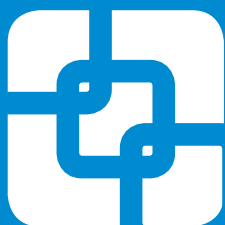
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Living in a media age with all sorts of voices craving for our attention it is easy to lose our sense of direction and fall prey to ways of thinking that are not acceptable to God. Even when we do have momentary lapses and walk in the wrong direction, Jesus will not leave us, nor just wait patiently until our return, no he will go seek us out with a love that knows no limit.

As the shepherd was appointed by God to be in-charge of the flock, Jesus lets us know that he has a distinctive interest in us, that we are the objects of his special love and that he is willing to sacrifice his life for us.

Jesus teaches us the right pathway to follow where we can confidently go through life with all its joys and sorrows and find safety security and peace. Jesus is an ever watchful friend and the surest guide to safety.

Evil, sin and death will no longer have any power over us, will no longer be able to hurt or hinder us for they have been dealt with, defeated and we are free from their power by the love of Jesus.

We may still have to face difficulties but we know we are not alone; Jesus will guide us and lead us to pastures new.

As we continue to pray for the farmers, may they too know the same love and put their trust in Him. Amen.

*Rev Sue Fisher
Assistant Minister
Culburra Beach, Callala, and Currarong
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Microwave Self Saucing Chocolate Pudding in a Mug

1 heaped tablespoon self raising flour
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1 heaped tablespoon sugar
1 and a half tablespoons milk
Topping:

1/2 tablespoon cocoa
1 tablespoon brown sugar
1 tablespoon hot water
Mix together self raising flour, cocoa, sugar and milk in a coffee mug (or other small microwave proof jug).
Sprinkle on top extra cocoa and brown sugar and carefully pour on hot water.
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Community Church

Why am I a Christian? We have plenty of publicity of the failures of the Christian church, many people believe that the church is no longer relevant in modern society, but, are we really prepared to examine the teaching and life of Jesus, are we interested in the personal testimony of those whose lives have been transformed by Jesus? It is interesting that Hollywood is interested in doing a remake of the 1959 block buster movie “Ben Hur”; the story behind the movie is from the book titled, “a Tale of Christ” by author Major General Lew Wallace. It would appear that after a conversation with a well-known atheist Robert Ingersoll who had a better understanding of Christianity than Lew, he decided to investigate the story of Christ for himself. The result was that he became a believer in Christ and the book became not only a best seller but the inspiration for the films that followed.

C.S. Lewis was another academic atheist turned Christian, who after years of investigation became a follower of Jesus, a gifted theologian and prolific writer of Christian literature.

But for me the most compelling evidence is my own journey, becoming a Christian in my early teens, but having many periods of doubt, non-attendance at church, and struggles with my faith. Perhaps that might be familiar to some of you the reader! What changed me was when I looked at other things to fill my life they never satisfied for long. God was very patient with me; and it took several incidents and times of deep trouble before I came to a place where the fullness of God’s grace and love began to transform me from a religious believer to one who knew he was accepted as a child of the loving heavenly Father. Perhaps the words penned by the former slave trader and later Anglican priest John Newton says it well;

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me.

I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.

Despite the advances in technology, and the advances in medical science, and the apparent wealth of Australia as a nation, we are presented with plenty of evidence that all is not well.

Drug addiction, violence, suicide and increasing numbers of people suffering mental health issues are all pointing to a society that needs hope.

Is it possible that what C.S. Lewis, John Newton, Lew Wallace and I found is the answer that brings hope that could change us and the world we live in – one life at a time?

God so loved the world – that means the atheist, those who are angry with God over events in their lives, and those who may have lost faith in the church and its ability to make a difference in our lives.

If you would like to discuss these or any other issues, maybe over a cup of coffee (my shout) give me a call – 0437338739 – Kevin Kettlewell Pastor Callala Community Church.

Callala Bay Village Markets

We have had many enquiries about the Callala Bay Monthly Markets. We can now advise that the markets are being run by the stall holders themselves with Sandra Irwin being the coordinator.

Sandra can be contacted on
0413 581 419 or email:
sandairwincallala@yahoo.com.

All profits from stall hire will be donated back to the community. What a fantastic gesture from Sandra and the stall holders, Markets will still be held the second Saturday of the month at the Callala Community Centre.

Neighbourhood Groups Callala Proposal

Neighbourhood Groups – interested?

Even if we haven't been directly affected ourselves, most of us have heard stories of occasional thefts, break-ins, anti-social behaviour or vandalism within our Callala neighbourhoods. This is unfortunate as it places a small but dark shadow on what is predominantly an outstanding community and a most beautiful place to live and visit. We all know stuff like this happens in every community and we also know the police can't be everywhere. We understand their resources are limited and we know their other priorities across the region will often take precedence. So, could harnessing the resources of neighbourhood groups be of value?

It's widely accepted there's greater safety in numbers and more power through working as a group than as an individual. Knowing some of your neighbours has many benefits. Apart from simply having a friendly welcoming neighbour close by, there's more eyes and ears to spot something suspicious, more opportunity to share information and more speedy access to help when needed.

The Neighbourhood Watch organisation still exists and is a fairly rich source of information and resources for communities.

So, could this work for the benefit of Callala? A neighbourhood group could be as few as 2 or 3 close neighbours or as many as 20 to 30 neighbours across 2 or 3 streets – and I am sure groups like this already exist. They work to keep in touch, connect when needed, share information, and keep an eye out for anything suspicious. If there is interest in connecting these groups (and creating more) we could look at meeting on a regular - say quarterly - basis with a representative from each group.

The outcomes could be 1) we are overall better

informed, 2) create an opportunity for a stronger connection with the local police, and 3) has a louder voice in raising and addressing any issues. We want to continue to have a Callala that is known widely for both its natural beauty and for being an outstanding community!

If you are interested in seeing this idea develop further, please share your feedback with The Secretary of the Callala Bay Community Association at

admin@callalabaycommunityassociation.com

We will review all feedback received with the aim of further discussion at the next Callala Bay Community Association Meeting.

Callala Bay Marina Follow Up

After we published the article on the proposed Callala Bay Marina in the July issue of the Callala Bay News, the face book ran hot with comments. Amongst the least flattering were comments that labelled us stupid, left wingers, opposed to development and failing to represent the views of the community. However, most respondents were opposed to the development, in fact a whopping 80% registered their disapproval. Perhaps the community's response is sufficient answer.

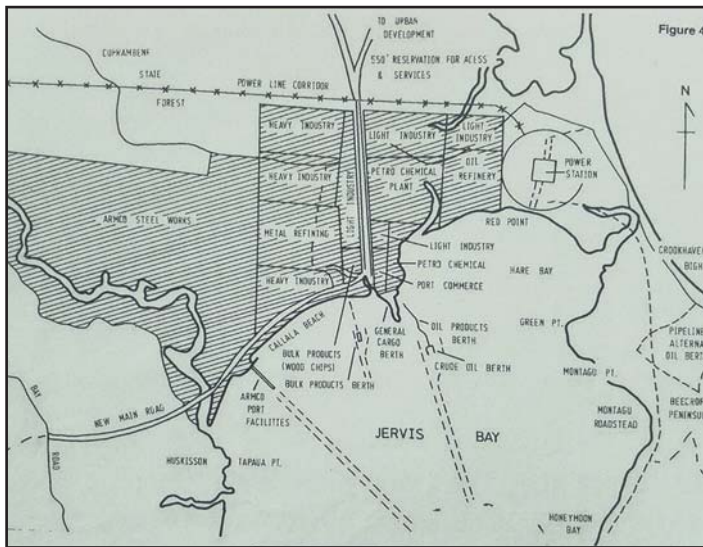
Callala Bay has been the target of development plans in previous times. Old Callalaites will recall the plans for a massive industrial Armco complex, for those who may not be familiar we have reprinted the original map. To those who say we are opposed to development should study the map closely and see what Callala Bay might have been.

The Bay we now enjoy was preserved by others, and passed to us, to preserve, nurture and treasure. We owe a debt of thanks to those who opposed that development.

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Callala Bay Marina *Continued*

The CBCA is not opposed to sensible development, but it must be planned, and in keeping with community values and expectations, and not at the expense of environmental destruction, or putting private profit takers ahead of public interest. That is our responsibility as community representatives, and it would seem from the face book response we do have the support of the community.



Microwaving Water!

A 26-year old man decided to have a cup of coffee. He took a cup of water and put it in the microwave to heat it up (something that he had done numerous times before). I am not sure how long he set the timer for, but he wanted to bring the water to a boil. When the timer shut the oven off, he removed the cup from the oven. As he looked into the cup, he noted that the water was not boiling, but suddenly the water in the cup 'blew up' into his face. The cup remained intact until he threw it out of his hand, but all the water had flown out into his face due to the build-up of energy. His whole face is blistered and he has 1st and 2nd degree burns to his face which may leave scarring.

He also may have lost partial sight in his left eye. While at the hospital, the doctor who was

attending to him stated that this is a fairly common occurrence and water (alone) should never be heated in a microwave oven. If water is heated in this manner, something should be placed in the cup to diffuse the energy such as a wooden stir stick, tea bag, etc, (nothing metal).

General Electric's Response:

Thanks for contacting us; I will be happy to assist you. The e-mail that you received is correct. Microwaved water and other liquids do not always bubble when they reach boiling point. They can actually get superheated and not bubble at all. The superheated liquid will bubble up out of the cup when it is moved or when something like a spoon or tea bag is put into it.

To prevent this from happening and causing injury, do not heat any liquid for more than two minutes per cup. After heating, let the cup stand in the microwave for thirty seconds before moving it or adding anything into it.

Here is what a local high school science teacher had to say on the matter:

Thanks for the microwave warning. I have seen this happen before. It is caused by a phenomenon known as super heating. It can occur any time water is heated and will particularly occur if the vessel that the water is heated in is new, or when heating a small amount of water (less than half a cup).

What happens is that the water heats faster than the vapour bubbles can form. If the cup is very new, then it is unlikely to have small surface scratches inside it that provide a place for the bubbles to form. As the bubbles cannot form and release some of the heat that has built up, the liquid does not boil, and the liquid continues to heat up well past its boiling point.

What then usually happens is that the liquid is bumped or jarred, which is just enough of a shock to cause the bubbles to rapidly form and expel the hot liquid. The rapid formation of bubbles is also why a carbonated beverage spews when opened after having been shaken.



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Splatters From The Studio



The next exhibition at The Studio will be Miniatures. If you have work in the current exhibition, would you please ensure it is collected by Sunday 12 August at the very latest.

If you'd like to enter the Miniatures Exhibition, your new work must be delivered to The Studio on Wednesday 15 August. Each painting must be no larger than 7" x 5" excluding frame. You may enter up to six entries at \$5 per art work for members.

Submission forms can be emailed to you or picked up from The Studio. There is no subject matter for this Exhibition, and work can be in any medium you wish. Opening night is Friday 17 August at 6:00pm. We look forward to seeing you there.

Our Children's Art Sessions have been a great treat for those who took part – wand making, clay selfies and children's kokedama. Lots of fun and something creative to develop young minds. Our Sketch Club is held on Wednesdays – the first class is from 10:00 to 12noon, with the evening class from 7:00 to 9:00pm.

If you'd like to learn about different mediums, please feel free to contact The Studio and let us know what would interest you. We hope to develop a number of workshops which will appeal to many of our community members.

Currently we are offering Living Garden Art Workshops every couple of weeks, as well as Lauren's Paint and Sip which is always a huge success. If you're interested or you have a group

that would like to take part, please contact The Studio to register.

At the moment, we have a large number of pre-loved frames for sale that might just enhance a piece of your artwork. Prices range from \$5. Get in early to see what's on offer.

Deb Dally ran a Polymer Clay Jewellery Workshop on Saturday 28th July. For information about future courses please contact The Studio.



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South Coast Vet Report

How to Create a Safe Relationship Between Your Children and a Pet Dog.

Having a pet dog is a wonderful thing for a family and for the dog. Dogs are great companions. Having a pet dog provides psychological benefits to children emotionally, behaviourally, educationally and socially.

Tragically, sometimes, it all goes wrong and children can be bitten, resulting in trauma for the family and the dog.

The aim of this article is to provide some insight into dog behaviour and what they are trying to tell us that, sometimes, we may interpret incorrectly.

Children need to be taught how to behave safely around all dogs; their own dog, their friend's dogs and other dogs they come across. This involves understanding and reading canine body language and facial expressions.

It is a natural tendency to show affection to your pet by hugging and kissing them. Unfortunately, dogs find this intrusive and often scary, their personal space is being invaded. Dogs will be tolerant but, if the invasion continues and they are not in a positive emotional state, their reaction will be to bite. This will seem out of character but they will have been giving subtle warning signs which are being ignored and biting is the only defence they have left.

The same thing can happen if children are allowed to climb and sit on the dog. It looks cute and the dog may tolerate it for a while but if they are having a bad day or happen to have a sore back one day, their 'emotional cup' may overflow and the seemingly unpredictable bite may happen.

Children should be taught to never disturb the dog if it is sleeping. When a dog is woken, it may be cranky or just disorientated and may lash out

before they realise what is going on.

Dogs should never be disturbed while they are eating, this includes when they are enjoying treats and bones.

Children should be taught, that when a dog is playing with a toy, not to remove the toy from the dog.

Canine body language includes firstly subtle displacement behaviours, these behaviours indicate that the dog is highly, emotionally aroused and act as a warning to not upset the dog further. Displacement behaviour includes; a dog shaking (like it would after a swim but in this case it is not wet), yawning and stretching and licking the lips or the owners face. (Sometimes mistaken for an affectionate kiss!).

Warning signs that a dog is angry or aggressive include, raised hackles (the hair on the back the neck and body standing up), ears back, showing teeth, pupils dilated, face muscles very tense, tail clamped down between the back legs, and wagging only the tip of the tail.

Children should be taught to respect the dog and know that even though it is a loved family member, it is not a human and canines have different emotional needs to humans and different ways of expressing their needs.

Winter Pet Tip

Keep a healthy appetite

No more frozen dinners. Try to feed them room temperature meals. It takes more energy to stay warm in the cold, so try to also feed outside animals more calories (as much as a 30% increase) during winter to keep the body warm. Indoor pets sleep more and exercise less, so adjust their meals accordingly.

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Callala Community Garden



The Callala Community Garden Family have had a busy month, with some highs and lows.

On the June long weekend, we held both a Devonshire Tea/ Soup fund raising stall and a barbecue at the Callala Winter Arts group function.

We were overwhelmed with both the level of volunteering and the community support; all funds raised from this event will be utilised in the establishment of the CCG. The team looked very glam in their new aprons courtesy of Robyn Hannan and Joan Lewis. Thank you to all of the volunteers and supporters.

For those of you who purchased raffle tickets, the winner will be drawn at the next monthly meeting – details below.

Some more good news during the month was a grant win from Stocklands, sadly we were declined in one other application, however we are keeping our fingers crossed for more wins soon!

At one stage during the month we thought that we may not be able to proceed with the garden due to some last minute restrictions, however we are overwhelming thrilled to announce that we are now in possession of the licence agreement for 52 Emmett St Callala Bay and the dream is now becoming a reality, for more details join us at our next meeting. CCG now has 49 members; will you be number 50?

We will continue to update the Facebook page, if you are unable to attend the monthly meetings and would like further information please direct all enquiries to Robyn Hannan 0417 259 392.

If you live in the local area and would like to attend the monthly meetings and need assistance getting there, please give Julia a call on 0418 412 675

We look forward to welcoming you to the next meeting – Sat 4th August 2pm at St Marks. Corner Emmett & Hunter Streets Callala Bay!

Fishing Club

Callala Fishing Clubs first winter weigh-in week end 23-24 June.

Conditions were chilly but that did not stop our Fisho's from reeling them in.

Results were:

Mens BRE – Biggest Catch – Phil Bowerman

Mens BRE – Biggest Fish – Stephen Lawrence

Ladies BRE – Biggest Catch – Lisa Lawrence

Mens Deep Sea – Biggest Catch- Paul Gentles

Mystery Fish – Biggest Drummer - Stephen Blackley

Our fishing competition weigh-in is on 2pm the 4th Sunday of the month in the BBQ area at the back of Club Callala. If you have an interest in fishing come along, our club has fishing and social members.



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We meet on the 3rd Monday of the month at the Callala Beach Hall Quay Rd Callala Beach starting at 9.30....and whether you can sew or not really doesn't matter there are lots of jobs and we have lots of laughs....

We would like to say a **big thank you** to the local community for filling our donation tins your generosity help to fund needles and cotton to keep us sewing. And thank you to the Callala Beach Facilities Committee for the use of the community hall.

Do you have any fabric you would like to donate...want to join us to help stop plastic bags **contact Kay on 4446 5974** to get all the infojoin our email list to keep up-to-date?

Visit us on our Facebook page -**Boomerang bags** Callala Bay Callala Beach and Myola...

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**Sat 18th - CIA'S Karaoke – 6:30pm in
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West Culburra Development and Long Bow Point Golf Course Proposal

The proposed development at Culburra Beach has divided the community.

Public meetings were held by the Independent Planning Commission regarding proposals for the West Culburra Development and Long Bow Point Golf Course on Tuesday, following the Department of Planning and Environment's recommendations to refuse both proposals.

The West Culburra development proposal, located on the southern bank of the Crookhaven River, covers nearly 100 hectares of land, and would include 650 homes, 3.5 hectares of industrial development, tourist accommodation, cafes, restaurants, cycleways, picnic areas and a sports field.

In its recommendation to the IPC, the department concluded the proposal should be refused due to the potential for significant adverse impacts on water quality, Aboriginal heritage, and would require clearing of over 90 hectares of native vegetation.

Frances Bray of the Lake Wollumboola Protection Association spoke in favour of the department's refusal recommendation, saying the proposal could have negative impacts on the Crookhaven River and the lake.

"Clearing on extensive coastal forest and wetlands including endangered ecological communities for urban development would result in significant loss of threatened species' habitat and environmental degradation," she said.

"We're not opposed to ecologically sustainable development in Culburra Beach. We consider that the Halloran Planning Proposal offers a better approach to achieve ecologically

sustainable development and to protect Aboriginal cultural heritage."

Orient Point resident John Castellan said the West Culburra development would see young families flock to the area, while also creating more jobs in the community.

Culburra Beach & Districts Chamber Of Commerce president Brian Muller said if the proposal were to be refused, businesses would continue to suffer and more people would leave the village.

Gilmore MP and Culburra Beach resident Ann Sudmalis also made a submission in favour of the development at the meeting. Ms Sudmalis said "the majority" of the community were in favour of the development.

"Small area developments of this scale have the ability to provide a vast range of housing types and styles in order to resolve the problems that exist right now," she said.

The Long Bow Point Golf Course proposal, expected to cost \$9 million, also caused mixed reaction among the community.

Ms Bray again spoke out in favour of the Department of Environment and Planning's recommendation to refuse the proposal.

She was worried the golf course would impact on the migratory bird species that visited the lake each year, as well as the wetlands and water quality. Narelle Wright and Robert Dunn on behalf of Birdlife Australia CEO Paul Sullivan, also made submissions in favour of refusal.

The Independent Planning Commission will now make a determination on whether to approve or refuse both the West Culburra and Long Bow Point Golf Course proposals.

No timeframe has been given as to how long this will take.



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CJSS has been run by an enthusiastic group of volunteers since its inception. A 'learn by doing' approach is used, rather than formal lessons. If you have previous experience with sailing or boating, even as a youth, you can help the students learn how to sail. You don't need formal yachting tuition experience. The dinghies are simple to rig and control, and the basics of sailing are easy to master. Students progress to larger and more complicated boats as they get older and get more experience.

Many former CJSS students have gone on to win major regattas and been selected for Olympic training squads.

Volunteers help in many ways apart from sailing. There is great companionship and social benefits as well. Below are some of the ways volunteers can join in and help:

Sailing Instructors - Teach students how to rig and sail the range of sail-boats available. This is done by wading in the shallows, or from the rubber-duckies as the more experienced students move offshore and practice sailing around buoys and marks.

Support Boat - CJSS has 2 rubber-ducky support boats. We need people with a boat licence and some experience with small-boat handling and outboard motors. Crew on board these boats help students with tuition and help students who get into difficulty or capsize.

Boat Rigging and Set-up - Teaches students to rig and handle the boats. The dinghies need to be carried from the shed to the shore for rigging and launching, and returned to the shed after sailing. Students and their parents do most of this boat handling work, once they learn the ropes.

Boat Care and Maintenance - The 'Seafarers Work Group' offers Mens & Womens Shed opportunities, for repairing and maintaining the boats and equipment. The group also helps maintain the boat-shed facilities, which are shared by various other clubs as well. The 'Seafarers Work Group' meets on Thursday mornings from 0830-1130 for work sessions and yarns. It is a very easy going and friendly group. Pop in any time to check out what the group do, and see the facilities and boats.

Administration - People who can help with administration and accounts are also most welcome.

On-Shore Tuition and Class Work - The school runs seminars and tuition sessions to provide introductory lessons for newcomers. Other skills are also taught such as boat maintenance, knot tying and rope work. People who have these presentation skills are most welcome. Games, training videos, and wind and weather tuition, are offered on-shore when the weather is unsuitable for sailing.

Note 1: Working with Children - All volunteers must have a current 'working with children' certification, which is easy to obtain using an online checking procedure.

Note 2: Parents and Carers are encouraged to stay during the classes and to offer assistance in a variety of ways such as boat rigging and setup, boat launching, crewing on the support vessels. It is a family activity.

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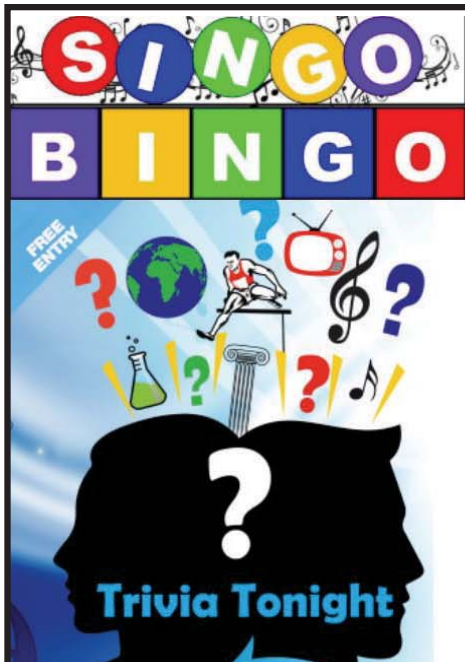
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Callala Men's & Vet's Golf Club

Saturday 16th June

Rob Ash was the most consistent and talented golfer today, winning by a massive one point for his 38 stableford points. Well Done Rob! Second and third place was determined by the count back with both John Dobson and Barry Jarman coming home with 37 stableford points.



John Dobson 2nd, Graham Lewington Cpt, Barry Jarman & Rob Ash winner

Saturday 23rd June

Two-person ambrose was the format for the days golf. The team of Jeff Coe and Craig Wassell were the golfers who used their skills and consistency most to stamp their dominance and take a well-deserved win. Congratulations to Jeff and Craig. Second and Third places had to be determined by the count back with Michael Inness & John Dobson the victors over third father son team of John and Taj Love.



Right 1st Jeff Coe & Craig Wassell, Graham Lewington 2nd, Michael Inness & John Dobson

Tuesday 26th June

Today's golf game for the Vets was a Par round golf. Winner was Lee Bebbber with a total of +4 off a 26 Handicap. Good game Lee, two fine games in a row as Lee won the C grade in the Monday interclub comp held at Callala. Second

was John Latta on + 2 off a 28 handicap. Third place went to William Snelgrove who ended up all square off an 11 handicap.



Winner Lee Bebbber



John Latta 2nd



Bill Snelgrove

Saturday 30th June

Today was single stableford format which was well supported. Number one spot went to Col Chessell, 2nd spot went to Scott McEwan and 3rd was taken by Perry Cousins.



Cpt Graham Lewington, Perry Cousins 3rd, Scott McEwan 2nd and Col Chessell winner

Tuesday 3rd July

Vets Monthly Medal day at Callala with a good field of players. Dave Dickeson played a great round to take the honours and the Monthly Medal. Bob Bell followed up with an also good round of golf to secure his 2nd overall. Geoff Blackshaw took the honours for third overall.

Tuesday 10th July

Today's Ambrose event winners were Harold Reynolds and Graeme Weston with a total of 62 off a 10 handicap. Second home was Colin Chessell and Barry Jarman with a 63.750 off a 9.250 handicap. Third place team was Allan Mearns and Bob Bell with a 65.250 off a 10.750 handicap.

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Golf Club *continued*



Saturday 14th July

Obviously, Doug Ingle found his Mojo while on his holiday taking the top dog spot with 36 stableford points. Welcome back Doug and congratulations on your well-earned win. The next three placings relied on the count back to sort placings with all three coming home with 35 stableford points.

Second spot today was allocated to Neil Sparks who played some great golf to secure his place. Congratulations Neil.

Third went to Perry Cousins who has been spending more and more time in the winner's circle of late. Congratulations Perry on your return to playing consistent and good golf. Fourth was taken out by visitor Sandra Marshall who also played some great golf to secure her spot. Congratulations Sandra and thanks for your humour during the day.



Perry Cousins 3rd, Doug Ingle 1st, Cpt Graham Lewington, Neil Sparks 2nd and Sandra Marshall 4th

Tuesday 17th July

Another beautiful winters day greeted a field of 38 players for today's Vets single Stableford game. First home today with a score of 40 points off a 20 handicap was John Marriott. Second was Kenneth Higgs with a score

of 39 points off a 25 handicap. Third was Alan Schatzman also with 39 points off a 22 handicap. Forth home today was Perry Cousins with 36 points off a 21 handicap.



Saturday 21st July.

Today at Callala it did not matter if you got a hole in one, an Eagle of a Birdie the end result was the same in this game called Par. (+, - or). The winner today with a final score of +3 was Lee Bebbler who obviously loves this format as the last time this was played at Callala he won with a +4. Congratulations Lee on a well-earned win. Second home was determined by the count back with both Neil Sparks and Steve Chapman coming home with +2. Neil Sparks won the second spot with the luck of the count back falling his way. Well done Neil. Third place went to Steve Chapman who played some very consistent golf to win his spot. Congratulations and commiserations on the count back. Fourth spot with +1 went to Bill Downton who could not maintain his early consistency for the full 18-holes and suffered as a result.





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Callala Men's Bowls

Fine sunny but cold conditions were the order of the day for the final of the Men's Pairs Championship played on Saturday, June 23. Dennis Beazley and Bob Fowler took the early lead 7 nil against Terry Castle and Chris Harbrow. Chris and Terry picked up 6 on the next end and 1 on the 7th end to equal the score. Dennis and Bob won the next 7 ends to take a commanding lead 19 – 7 on the 15th end. Dennis and Bob went on to win their first Pairs Championship. Congratulations to both teams.

A chilly, windy afternoon greeted the players for the first round of the Men's Triples Championship on Saturday, June 30. Eddie Semovente, Steve Roberson and Ron Wilkinson had a close game, hanging on to win against Terry Castle, Chris Harbrow and Grant Ridges, 21 – 19. On the next rink, Paul Mitchell, Craig Taylor and Greg McMillan dominated their game against Dennis Beazley, Barry Schey and Bob Fowler, winning 25 - 13. The last game saw Marty Gehrke, Pat Ford and Phill Bowerman take the early lead against Steve Blackley, Bob Wood and Garry Gordon. Garry's team stepped up to keep Phill's team scoreless for the last 8 ends, winning the game 27 -13.

Strong cold, westerly winds made for tough bowling conditions for the men in the second round of the Triples Championship on Saturday, July 7. Young guns, Dion Gadd, Pauli Kennedy and Anthony Fisher handled the conditions better than Steve Blackley, Graham Hulbert and Garry Gordon, winning the game 32 – 10. The other game was closer with Paul Mitchell, Craig Taylor and Greg McMillan defeating Eddie Semovente (sub for Norm Delaney), Steve Robertson and Ron Wilkinson by 5 shots, 26 – 21.

The final of the men's Triples was played on

Saturday, July 14, in fine, cool conditions. This was one of the best games I've seen, worthy of being on TV. Young guns, Dion Gadd, Pauli Kennedy and Anthony Fisher led Paul Mitchell, Craig Taylor and Greg McMillan from the second end with both teams playing some fantastic shots. Greg's team left their run a bit late to catch Anthony's team with the final score 27 – 16 on the 20th end. Well done both teams and thank you to the big crowd of spectators who attended to support the players.



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Callala Women's Bowls

Tuesday, June 26, the ladies played a game of triples. Jan Wright (swinger), Colleen Tracy and Bev Young led Jan Wright (swinger), Dianne Dawes and Lyn Byrne all the way in the game until the second last end when Lyn's team won the game 17 – 13. Also, entries are open for our Flannel Flower Tournament on September, 26.



Tuesday, July 3, saw Terry McMillan (swinger), Jan Wright and Dianne Dawes lead for the first 9 ends when Terry McMillan (swinger), Audrey Mansfield and Lyn Byrne equalled the score on the 10th end, 9 all. Lyn's team kept the lead to win the game 16 – 10.

The ladies had a great game of triples last Tuesday, July 10. Jan Wright (swinger), Dianne Dawes and Lyn Byrne defeated Jan Wright (swinger), Colleen Tracy and Terry McMillan 16 – 6.

Our AGM was held on Tuesday, July 17. A big thank you to the out- going committee and welcome to the new office bearers. We are still trying to find new members, so if you would like to play or can play bowls, come down at 9.00am on Tuesday mornings.

Community Update

Thanks to the Shoalhaven City Council donating a 4x4 metre skillion roof shelter, we will be able to install a shelter over the existing picnic table setting at the Eastern end of the Skate Park ramp on Emmett Street.

We will also refurbish the existing table with new timber and convert it to disabled friendly setting. This will provide shade and shelter not only for the kids who use the skate park but also other park users.

The upgrading of the table, concrete and site works will be funded from the CBCA Community Fund Account.



L to R Howard Duncan, Jim Townsend and James Morris



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