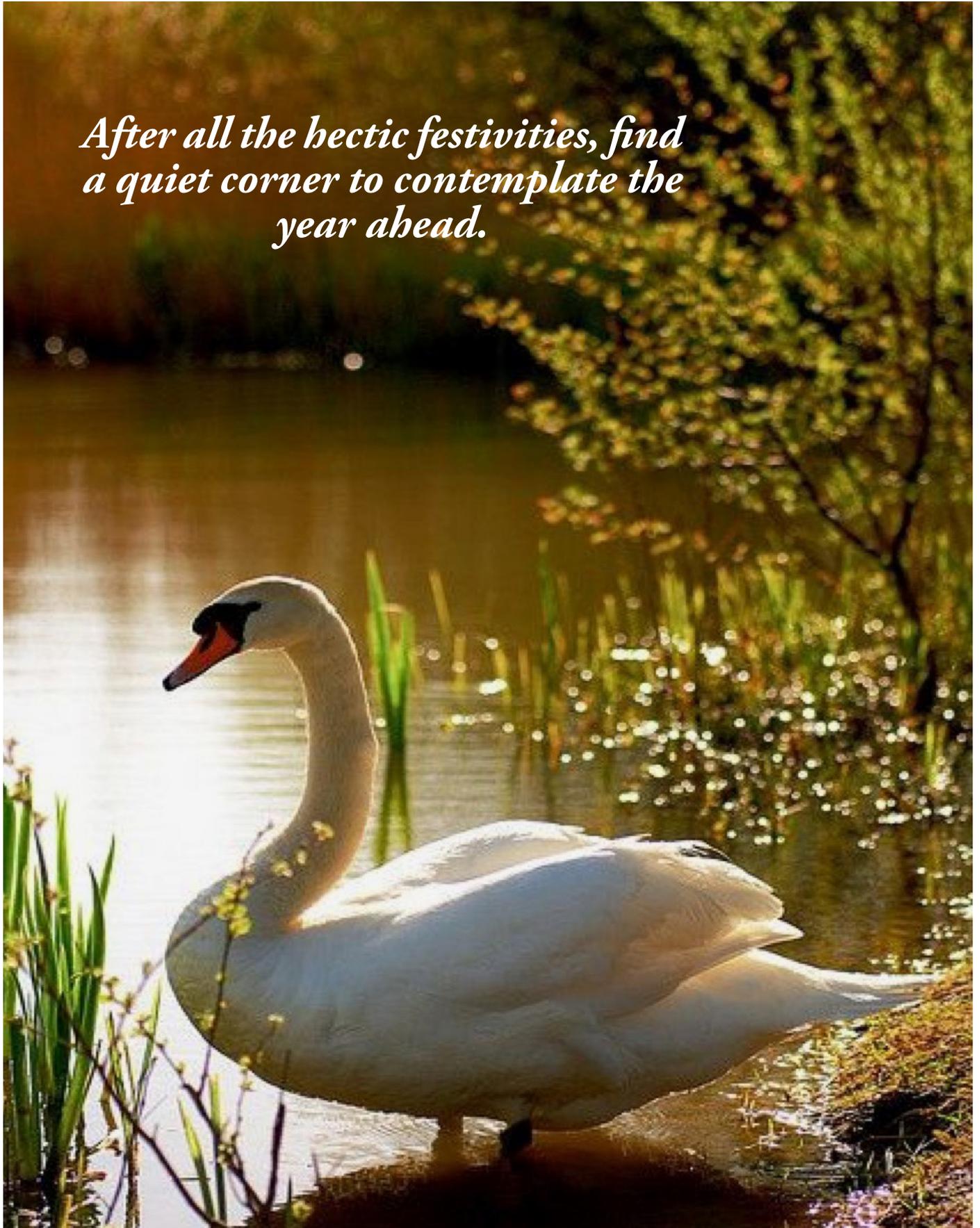


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February 2017

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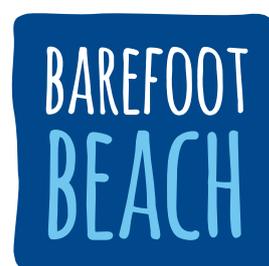
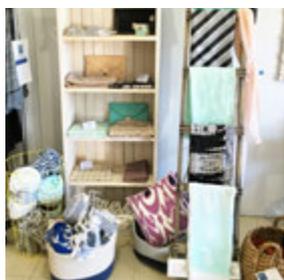
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*The results of the election of the CBCA Executive and Committee for 2017 will be announced in March's issue.*

## WATCH THIS SPACE!

### Note from the Editor:

Have you had a rethink about joining the Association? The AGM of the CBCA is this month(February). If you have an issue or concern that needs to be raised, why not send it to the Editor. This should be brief, to the point and with the intention of having it published. With each monthly newsletter, it gains more interest. *Ed.*

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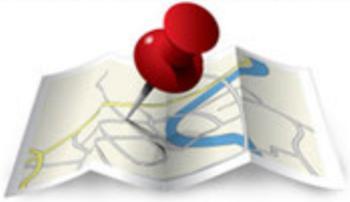
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CBCA will print the directory in A5 format (*the same size as our Callala Bay News*), and distribute (*free*) in the retail area of Callala.

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## Dear Readers



It is now over 6 months since I was persuaded to take on this challenging task of bringing you the monthly newsletter. I am thoroughly enjoying the process of learning to master the concepts of this software. Believe me, to take up these skills required to bring you something new each month, is not easy.

Apart from collating all the articles that our contributors send me, and showing you the advertisements that enable us to bring to you, *our readers* - this fabulous publication; it's all about the art of creating something interesting, informative that can be read, referred to (*and return to*) - at a later date.

However to be practical, if I am to continue in this same vein, I do need someone who will be my backup, in the event of any unexpected circumstances.

Come and learn with me or pass on your skills. I use both iMac and PC. But - I construct the Newsletter on the iMac, using Adobe InDesign CC 17 software.

So, if there is anyone who has some time to spare and wants to volunteer that time - to take up a new challenge and connect with the community, please contact me. (*details page 3.*)

P.S. Here's hoping that you get up to a little bit of mischief this year, and have fun doing it!

*Ed.*



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# CBCA Report for January

## A Year in Review

*Happy New Year to all our members, readers and the Callala Bay Community.*

Another year has gone and the time marker has been turned over heralding the start of the next. I am reminded of the catch line from a very old TV soapie "Like sands through the hourglass, so are the Days of Our Lives."

So, what had we been up to last year?

A primary concern was to re-energize the Newsletter. This involved finding a new editor and reverting to the A5 format of the production. We had obtained a grant in 2015 from Southern Phones (*thank you*) to purchase a new printer which we did in February 2016. This printer allowed us to print in colour (albeit only the front and back pages). Joan Lewis came on board and undertook the editing process, however Joan had to learn the CS InDesign Program from scratch - not an easy job. We also engaged the services of Scott Morgan - a multi-media designer, to both provide tuition for Joan as well as compile the newsletter ready for printing. The result is a newsletter of which we are extremely proud. We salute Joan and Scott.

2016 saw the completion of Chisolm Street.

After many years of frustration, we negotiated an agreed design with Shoalhaven City Council (SCC). The finished result exceeded our expectations and we now have a safe thoroughfare with footpath to provide passage for all users.

Thank you to the team - Duncan Marshall, Joe Kowal, Jim Townsend and Howard Duncan for their input which brought this to project to a successful conclusion.

Throughout the year we responded to issues from the Community and were in constant contact with Council to resolve concerns raised. One such issue was the remediation to the badly renovated access for the Sailing School. This resulted in an on-site inspection and further work

done to rectify the problem. We also committed to, and participated in - the Little Blue Dinosaur Program for child awareness on the roads during the school holidays.

We hosted the "Meet the Candidates" Forum for the local council elections. In December, we were advised that we had been successful in obtaining a grant to put a roof over the fishing table at the boat ramp. This will be installed in 2017. We also obtained an Arts Grant from Shoalhaven City Council. This enabled us to commission local Jerrinja artist Uncle Noel Wellington, to create three traditional contemporary wooden logs depicting the traditional use of Callala Bay for fishing by the Jerrinja Community. These logs will be installed early in 2017 along the Callala Headland Pathway. We hope this will encourage a greater respect for the Jerrinja culture and help to provide a better understanding between both communities.

This year we operated successfully, without a President or Vice President - James Morris and Howard Duncan sharing the executive decision-making functions together with the rest of the committee of Joan Lewis, Margaret Duncan, Pauline Townsend, Jim Townsend, John Green, Ray Plevy and Sandra McKenzie-Clark. However, we are severely stretched. We do need a minutes secretary for 2017 so with the Annual General Meeting (AGM) coming up in February, we would like to fill that role, as well as the President and Vice President roles.

We would also like to thank and expand the pool of members who do give of their time to support the committee in the fund-raising activities. Your help is very much appreciated.

There are a number of projects we would like to undertake in 2017 including finishing the path from Sheaffe to Watts Streets, and putting a roof over the picnic table set in the Skate Board Park. The AGM is on the 8<sup>th</sup> February 2017, followed by a General Meeting - at the Callala Community Centre in Emmett St.

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Those words, struck something deep in her soul. They kept circling in her mind. "For God so loved the world --for God so loved the world".

She began to notice the poster each day; its tattered old image started to become a daily blessing

Jesus' words seemed to take hold of her and with dawning joy she realised that she must simply be part of the creation that God so loves; that every soul is in fact an irreplaceable instance of that broken but beloved world.

After Christmas the church enters into Epiphany. (*The season of awakening*) Epiphanies, come from God to us all. You must keep your eyes closed if you want to avoid them. In this season we celebrate all of the Epiphanies of Jesus in the gospels.

Gospel Epiphanies usually come to people on the fringe, on the outside, who think that they couldn't possibly be part of God's world.

The Epiphany we celebrate today comes to foreign star-gazers from the East – people who were not part of the holy nation. But to them is given the Epiphany that Jesus is the

Saviour of all people. Each person is unique, and someone who God so loves.

You'll know if you've had an Epiphany, because you'll have a deep sense of being included in something sacred, healing and holy that you thought excluded you.

Earlier this month, I heard of an Epiphany about person. complaining to a disabled friend, about a cold they had. "Well", said the disable person "at least you can wipe your nose". Think about those poor quadriplegics, who can't. They get colds too.

Imagine what it feels like to have a cold, and not be able to clear your nose. You have to sit and wait and wait, till a nurse comes and remembers to do it for you. But then, when they've gone, you need to do it all over again 5 seconds later.

God's Epiphany to a wounded world, is that He has chosen to be touched by the most basic needs of the body, and knows what it feels like to be able to do nothing to meet them. He sent Jesus to share all feelings of desperation, rage, frustration and make them – all of them – His own. Not just in his birth but in his life and death.

The Epiphany of Jesus reaches out, in the most tattered, humble way, to you, me, and all people, on every journey, in this most fragile, broken, so-loved world.

*Rev Sue Fisher  
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# CALLALA COMMUNITY CHURCH

I'm certain that I am not the only person to receive face book posts or e-mails containing dramatic news or statements that might create concern; or information that seems to threaten our way of life.

One I received recently indicating a certain Queensland town that had banned any Christmas festivities. The result was a stream of angry replies and someone was organizing a bus to go to the town and demonstrate; of course the truth being that the report was indeed totally false.

In an age where it seems that news can be reported with half truths or statements taken out of context - it would seem so easy to manipulate public debates and current affairs programs by choosing a biased panel or the compere controlling the debate to arrive at their predetermined conclusion. In the world of politics we fare no better. Do we trust our elected representatives? The answer I get from many people is a resounding 'no'.

In studies conducted during the post-modern period we learn that many young people believe only what they can personally experience.

Philosophers during the centuries have tried to work out the meaning of life and trying to understand what is truth? What then is truth?

In my understanding, truth is more than a list of facts or statistics, such as the cricket score, or the daily temperature, surely truth is also trying to understand just what am I here for?

What might life look like in a world that was a little less hectic, where there was real peace, no road rage, no vandalism and a community that truly looked after one another? What I'm describing is relationship at the highest level.

In attempting to achieve this, politics have failed, stricter regulations and more laws have failed, and religion has failed.

It might be true that each of these have had some success but often that has been neither lasting nor complete. I believe it is possible to begin a transition to a better world because Jesus said; "I am the Truth, and I am the Way and I am the Life". If the truth is a person, then the answer lies in a relationship with Him; this is more than a religion, it becomes a way of life centered on the single fact that God loves all the people in the world and desires to have a relationship with them.

As followers of Jesus we at Callala Community Church desire to be people who are becoming the people who might bring about the changes that make our world a little bit better; as such if there is any way we might be of assistance please feel free to contact me.

I trust that all are surviving the heat, keeping cool both in body and temperament and looking forward to a great year ahead.

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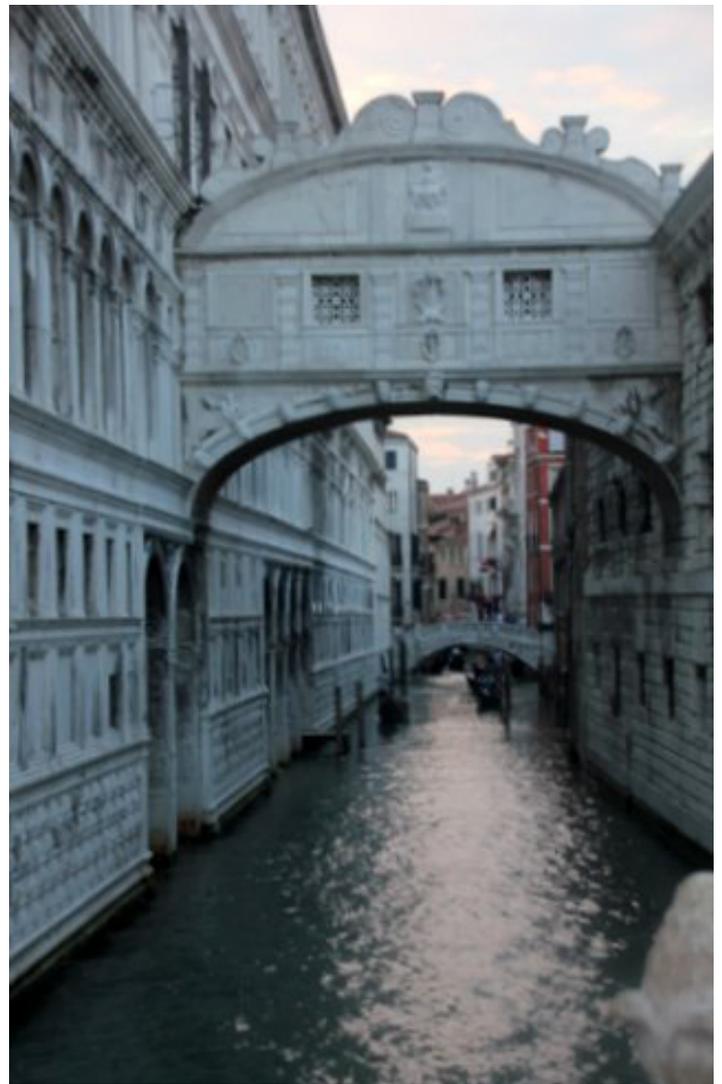
The Bridge of Sighs' name is based on a legend, which says that in Serenissima's time the prisoners, crossing the bridge, sighing at the standpoint of seeing for the last time the outside world.

However, the legend is totally unfounded, partly because there is almost nothing to see from that angle.

The name sighs indicate only the last breath of the prisoners in the free world because, once convicted in the kingdom of Dogi they never could go back.

The emblem displayed on the bridge shows that it was built in between the 16th and 17th century - in Istrian stone, white and elegant.

Today, its symbol is over-romantic in connection with the sight of the lover's walks in the gondola. It is perhaps the biggest attractions in Venice, and it is said that if a couple passes under the Bridge of Sighs their love will last forever.



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# POLICE REPORT

## *ON THE BEAT* by S/C Jory

I have been the Shoalhaven Local Area Command's Crime Prevention Officer for the last 3 years and in that time I have learned a lot in relation to the subject and I hope that by reading multiple episodes of "On the Beat" you have learned something as well.

However, nobody knows it all and we should keep learning about crime prevention and then put that knowledge to the test every day. That being said, while you are sitting at the table chewing on your vegemite and toast, ask yourself, "What is crime prevention?"

If you go on to the Google website you will find that Wikipedia says that, "It is the attempt to reduce and deter crime and criminals". I myself believe it to be something like "The act of reducing crime and deterring criminals". Attempt means that you will try, but rather than try wouldn't it be better if we do?

Locking the doors of our vehicles for example, not only reduces the ability for the criminals to get into the vehicle it also deters them from committing the crime. If the vehicle is locked, the crook will have to make some noise breaking the window. Having to do this would deter most crooks as they do not wish to be detected - however if the benefits outweigh the risks, a crook will break a window.

If you have left a wallet or other valuable item within the vehicle that can be seen from outside it is a sight that some crooks cannot resist, and therefore would take the risk of being detected just to get at your credit cards and cash. You can stop this crime (*Stealing a wallet from the vehicle*) by not leaving any valuable property in the vehicle.

If your cards have been stolen you will soon know what Fraud means. If you are asleep whilst your cards have been stolen you may be in for a big surprise, the crooks may have gone shopping and used up to \$1,000 of your hard earned savings or your credit, by way of the Pay Wave/Pass chip.

Imagine waking up and having multiple cards missing \$1,000 each, how would you be feeling about that. I can tell you now, you wouldn't be saying, "Good morning sunshine".

Then there is a broken car window that you have to pay for.

This is a simple illustration to show that the single act of leaving your wallet in a locked car can snowball and be very costly to you and the community.

This is why I keep going on about vehicle, house and personal security. Please make this the year that we make an effort and actively practice Crime Prevention.

Remember, you are the person responsible for securing and protecting your property.

As always, in case of emergency, call **000**  
Non Emergencies contact Police Link on **131444** or your local Police

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# Gardening Club



The garden club is still in recess at the moment and we won't be back until February 18<sup>th</sup> 2017.

How are your gardens faring in this heat wave and hot winds that we've been experiencing? The best advice we received from garden club member Fran in our last garden club newsletter was to water and mulch your garden well to help plants survive the summer heat. I have followed her advice and so far most plants are thriving but more rain would certainly help.

One plant which is tolerating these harsh weather conditions is the Rhubarb. I don't eat it myself but I give it to friends who love to make apple and rhubarb crumble. I grew mine from a crown and it's in full sun. I water it regularly and fertilise it about twice yearly.

On the other hand some of my Fuchsias have not fared very well in this weather even though they are in part shade and I water them often. They look stressed and I think it's due to the soil drying out –I hope they improve once the cooler weather starts.

Here's some handy hints to help you in your garden:

- Use crushed eggshells when you are planting tomatoes-put a handful in each hole as the extra calcium prevents blossom end rot. You can also sprinkle them under seedlings to help repel snails and slugs.

- Bury over ripe bananas under your roses for extra potassium. A banana or just the peel also makes excellent fertiliser for tree ferns, stag horn ferns and native orchids.
- Don't like using herbicides to get rid of weeds in the garden-use boiling water instead. For pathways (where you don't want anything to grow) follow the boiling water with a sprinkle of salt and vinegar. Weeds will find it difficult to sprout there again.
- Don't be afraid to transplant or remove any plants which are struggling.
- Beware if people are pulling up large sections of plant to give you. It might be an invasive pest in your garden too.
- From Hazel King (*Berry Garden Club*) wLawns "thorough watering is required as this encourages roots to go deeper in to the soil thus helping grass to withstand dry periods. Hand held hosing is a relaxing past-time for the gardener, however of no benefit to the lawn unless you are prepared to stand still in the one spot for a very long time!"

We meet every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month at the Banksia Senior Citizens Hall, IRT entrance, Culburra Beach at 1.30pm starting time.

Happy gardening.

*Doris Carpenter*  
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# CALLALA MEN'S & VET'S GOLF CLUB NEWS

*Bill Downton*

## Tuesday Vet's 20th December 2016 Single Stableford

A very pleasant day for golf as the large field of players attest to.

Gordie Hargrave thought he would show the rest of the field how the game of golf was played with him putting in a very impressive game to come home as the best man/woman on the day.

Coming into the runner up spot was Allan Mearns also playing impressive golf just one point behind Gordie. Third home after beating Col Chessell and Charlie Crane on the count back was Lee Bebbber with a great 38 points.

## Saturday 24th December 2016 Single Stableford.

Christmas Eve at Callala was played by those who attended in great spirit and good will with perfect weather for the single Stableford event.

The overall winner today was Michael Inness who supporting a handicap of 14 played a very impressive and consistent game to come home with 43 stableford points ensuring his number one spot on the podium.

Second home today was Jamie Reardon who played a blinder of a back nine with 25 points to go toward his total of 42 and also beating Bill Downton also on 42 when the count back was applied. Bad luck Bill and you played so well too.



*Michael Inness and Jamie Reardon*

## Tuesday Vet's 27th December 2016 Single Stableford

Carmel Downton dominated the day today with a massive score of 46 points with her nearest rival being Terry London coming in with an also very impressive 43 points to secure his runner up spot after beating Ken Higgs on the count back. Coming into fourth with a very respectful 41 points was Graham Lewington.

Congratulations Carmel on an outstanding game and win.



*Graham Lewington, Carmel Downton & Terry London*

## Saturday 31st December 2016 Single Stableford

Farewell 2016 with all its great memories and Hello 2017

A great way for Callala Saturday Golf to say farewell to 2016 and archive it to the annuals of the Callala History books.

The 2016 Men's Golf Committee wish to take this opportunity to thank all the Sponsors who helped to make the 2016 Callala Open the best and most successful event ever conducted at the Course. Of special mention and appreciation is to Steve and Nardia Foley from Leaves Away who have been the major sponsor since the Opens inception.

The Committee also wishes to thank everyone who helped over the year and to all the players who supported the Saturday golf and in doing so we also wish everyone a very good and successful 2017.

The final Single Stableford event for 2016 must have stirred the inner Champion in Glenn Hughes as he powered to a very convincing win with 45 points, three clear points clear of his nearest rival.

Congratulation Glenn on a near perfect game to finish the year and set the stage for a very successful 2017.

Runner up today was Ken Clifton who also chose the last day of 2016 to demonstrate to all other players including lovely wife and playing partner Olga just what he was capable of.

Well done Ken and I am sure Olga was most impressed at your game and of course will expect this to be the norm for 2017.



*Ken Clifton 2nd, Glenn Hughes 1st, Steve Chapman 3rd & Captain Ilija Sesum*

### **Tuesday Vet's 3rd January 2017**

A new year and it appears that Glenn Hughes has taken a liking to this winning thing as he again today as on Saturday played excellent golf to come home as overall winner and Monthly Medal winner as well.

Coming home as runner up just one point behind Glenn was Birthday Boy Graham Lewington.

### **Tuesday Vet's 10th January 2017**

A day of high achievers with Doug Ingle putting a side all his thoughts of Course and Club organisation to get right into the zone of the winner's circle.

Doug played his best New Year's golf to come home with a fantastic score of 45 points.

Also, playing great golf Noel Smith and Graeme Weston both come home with 43 points each but after the count back was applied Noel came in to second spot with Graeme coming into third. Graham Mitchell also had a very impressive came with 42 points for 4th spot.

### **Saturday 14th January 2017**

A day where players were pleased to have the shade of the fairway trees to shelter them from the heat. Along with the shade to assist in keeping cool was the very much appreciated ice water at the 12th to rehydrate players for their charge home.

Today saw our youngest and most talented player, Cody Wehmeyer step up and demonstrate his talent with 42 stableford points securing him top spot on the podium.

Congratulation Cody and good to see you back in the winner's circle.

Coming into second spot just one point behind Cody was our wiley old fox, Barry Jarman who was kind enough to take the day off blackfishing to come along and show the rest of us how to play the game.

Well done Barry and here is hoping you have as much success with your fishing.

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### **Tuesday Vet's 17th January 2017**

Today was single stableford format and was played in extreme heat with all players thankful for the shade of the trees and the ice water on the 12th tee.

Winning the event under such trying conditions was Carmel Downton who recorded one of her best ever scores with 43 points. Second, third and fourth all recorded 41 points but after the count back was applied Ken Nicholls was declared second with 41 points. Third was Alex Lichacz and fourth Perry Cousins.



# Happy Valentine's Day

What is Valentine's Day? St Valentine's Day is an annual festival to celebrate romantic love, friendship and admiration. Every year on 14 February people celebrate this day by sending messages of love and affection to partners, family and friends. Couples send Valentine's Day cards and flowers and spend special time together to honour their love for each other.

## The Early History of Valentine's Day

Valentine's Day is named after Saint Valentine, a Catholic priest who lived in Rome in the 3rd Century. There are many stories about St Valentine and over time these stories grew into the legend we know today.

At the time of Valentine's life, many Romans were converting to Christianity, but the Emperor Claudius II was a pagan and created strict laws about what Christians were allowed to do.

Claudius believed that Roman soldiers should be completely devoted to Rome and therefore passed a law preventing them from marrying. St Valentine began to marry these soldiers in secret Christian ceremonies and this was the beginning of his reputation for believing in the importance of love.

Eventually Valentine was found out and jailed for his crimes against Claudius. While imprisoned, Valentine cared for his fellow prisoners and also his jailor's blind daughter. Legend has it that Valentine cured the girl's blindness and that his final act before being executed was to write her a love message signed 'from your Valentine'. Valentine was executed on 14 February in the year 270.

It wasn't until more than 200 years later that 14 February was proclaimed St Valentine's Day.

By this time Rome had become Christian and the Catholic Church was determined to stamp out any remaining paganism. A pagan fertility ritual was held in February each year and the Pope abolished this festival and proclaimed 14 February Saint Valentine's Day, thus establishing this feast day on the Catholic Calendar of Saints.

The poet Chaucer in the Middle Ages was the first to link St Valentine with romantic love. This was the beginning of the tradition of courtly love, a ritual of expressing love and admiration, usually in secret.

This custom spread throughout Europe and stories grew about a High Court of Love where female judges would rule on issues related to love on 14 February each year. Historians believe that these meetings were in fact gatherings where people read love poetry and played games of flirtation.

## Valentine's Day Symbols

The practice of sending love messages developed into people sending special cards expressing their affection. These cards were beautiful creations handmade by the sender and individually designed to show how much they loved the recipient. Cards would usually contain sentimental verse, proclaiming the beauty of the receiver and how much they were loved.

Saint Valentine's Day cards were decorated with pictures of cupid, hearts and flowers and trimmed with lace and ribbon. These images are still used today to symbolise love and are recognised all over the world.

### **What is Valentine's Day in Contemporary Times?**

While Valentine's Day is celebrated in most countries, different cultures have developed their own traditions for this festival. In some parts of the world Valentine's Day is observed as a day for expressing love between family members and friends, rather than that of romantic couples. Some traditions include leaving lollies and gifts for children and others include acts of appreciation between friends.

Valentine's Day is most commonly associated with romantic love, with millions of Valentine's Day cards being exchanged each year. Gifts of flowers or a single red rose are sent with romantic messages to loved ones and couples spend special time together. Valentine's Day gift hampers are also a popular gift and typically include flowers, champagne and chocolates.

Many couples choose to celebrate Valentine's Day with dinner, a picnic or special home-cooked meal. Many restaurants offer Valentine's Day dinner promotions and food is often presented with symbols of love like hearts and flowers.

Another popular Valentine's Day activity is to indulge in a luxury hotel stay in a beautiful location, allowing a couple to get away from it all and enjoy some quality time together. Marriage proposals are also popular on Valentine's Day, and it is often chosen as the perfect day to express their love and commitment.

Some marriage proposals are delivered very creatively, such as after climbing to the top of a mountain, or posting a message on a billboard.

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# CALLALA BOWLS NEWS

The 2017 Callala Men's Bowls year started in a big way over the weekend, January 14 and 15, with the Fours Championship being run and won over the 2 days in a round robin format. In very hot and humid conditions on Saturday, the first game saw Stephen Blackley, Steve Robinson, Terry Renaud and Craig Taylor defeat Glenn Brindle, Pat Ford, Garry Manning and Greg McMillan. Dion Gadd, Corey Carter, Pauli Kennedy and Anthony Fisher defeated John Young, Eddie Semevente, Steve Irwin and Steve Foley. In the last game of the morning, Tiger Mason, Barry Schey, Dennis Beazley and Bob Fowler defeated Marty Gehrke, Terry Castle, Chris Harbrow and Phill Bowerman.



2017 Fours Champions Dennis Beazley, Bob Fowler, Barry Schey and Tiger Mason

The afternoon's games saw different winners and losers. Bob Fowler's team defeated Craig Taylor's team. Phill Bowerman's team defeated Anthony Fisher's team and Greg McMillan's team defeated Steve Irwin's team.

The final was played on Sunday 15, in cooler conditions with the occasional spattering of rain, in a close game between Tiger Mason, Barry Schey, Dennis Beazley and Bob Fowler versus Glenn Brindle, Pat Ford, Garry Manning and Greg McMillan. Bob's team held on to win the game 21 - 16, giving them the 2017 Fours Championship. Congratulations to all the teams for their participation in trying weather conditions.



Runners Up Fours Championship Garry Manning, Glenn Brindle, Greg McMillan and Patrick Ford



Marty Gehrke, Chris Harbrow, Terry Castle and Phill Bowerman after their Fours round

The Callala Women's Bowlers resumed their 2017 bowls season on Tuesday, January 7, after the January meeting. In very hot and humid conditions, 10 ladies braved the conditions for a game of pairs and triples in the first round of the 7UP competition. Colleen Tracy and Lyn Byrne defeated Dianne Dawes and Audrey Mansfield. Jan Wright, Lyn McIver and Bev Young defeated Joy Green, Debbie Allen and Tracey Semevente.

If there are any ladies in the area who would like to play or learn to play bowls, please contact our Secretary Elaine 44464550 or the Club on 44465313.

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## BUSHCARE

*Lesley Oliver*

Despite a break from Bushcare sessions over the Christmas /New Year period, planning continued for the proposed Callala Wetland Walkway. The 1km path (one way) will start at the corner of Sheaffe and Chisholm Streets Callala Bay and end at the salt pan just north of Callala Creek. It will traverse several different vegetation communities and include a raised section through the wet area.

## CALLALA MEDICAL NEWS

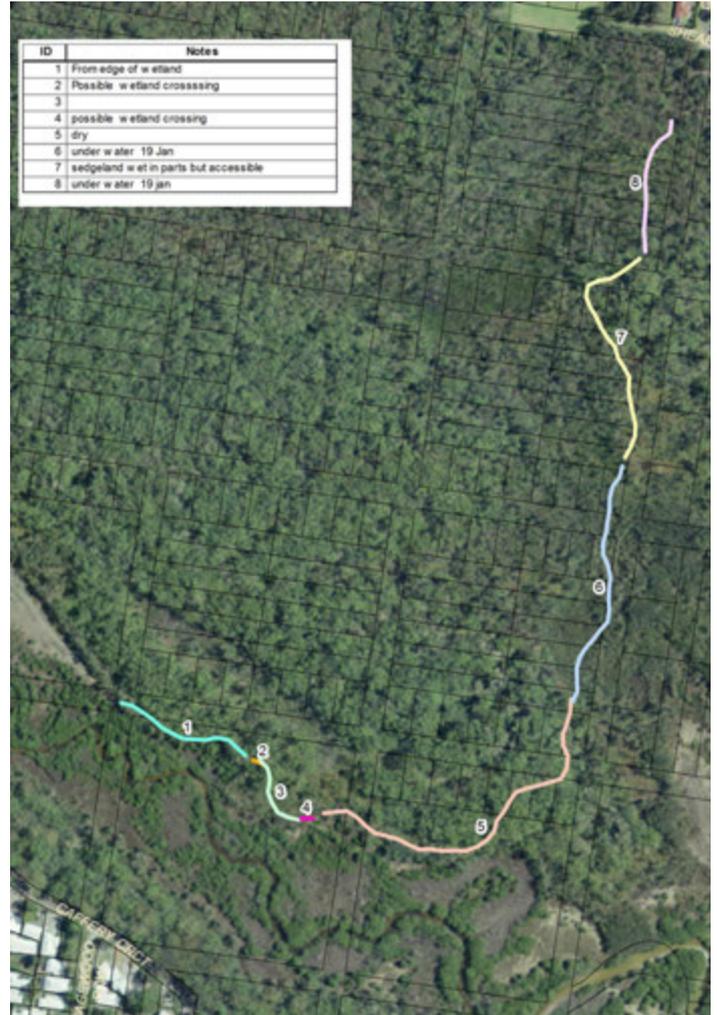
We have come to the end of the school holiday period, and with that, most of the tourists have all gone home. During our busiest period of the year, we at the Callala Medical Centre, had the chance to meet many travellers from all parts of Australia, each with their own medical issues.

To help them, we may need all their medical history, and sometimes we may want very specific details about them, such as medication doses, or allergies.

However, to minimize the detective work of chasing such information, the government is rolling out electronic health records throughout the country.

So that if you land on the other side of this vast nation of ours without your medical records, - the medical centre/hospital will be able to access your information. (*you decide what goes into your records with your GP, and you can access your information from home*).

To find out more about this development in health care, and to enroll access [www.ehealth.gov.au](http://www.ehealth.gov.au) or visit your friendly team at *Callala Medical Centre*.



Construction is planned to begin in March with a “turning the sod” celebration on site. We hope to attract volunteers from the community to help erect the raised sections of the walk. Working bees will generally be no longer than 2 hours duration and all necessary equipment and refreshments are provided. If you are interested in joining us for some easy and satisfying work in your local bushland, please contact Bryan Lenne on **44464157** or [scribblybark@gmail.com](mailto:scribblybark@gmail.com)



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### **Bush Fire Danger Period**

As it is the busy season it's important to remind everyone of the **Bush Fire Danger Period**. In the Shoalhaven this period commences *1<sup>st</sup> September and ceases 31<sup>st</sup> March*. During which, fires in the open air are restricted. As a result - a fire safety permit is required for any burning off in open areas. Permits may be obtained by contacting Shoalhaven Fire Control Centre on **4424 4424**. On days of very high or extreme fire danger, permits are suspended and a total fire ban may be declared. Notices of total fire bans are issued through radio, TV and on social media/Facebook pages.

(FACEBOOK: NSW Rural Fire Service, NSW Rural Fire Service Shoalhaven). You can access Fire Danger Ratings via the RFS website [www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/fire-information](http://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/fire-information) or by calling Shoalhaven Fire Control.

Additionally, you can also stay up to date with fires state-wide by downloading the RFS *'Fires Near Me NSW'* app through the App Store or Google Play.

### **Total Fire Bans**

Total Fire Ban means a ban on the lighting of any fires out in the open, including wood or solid fuel barbecues. A gas or electric barbecue is allowed, but only if:

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- You have an immediate and continuous supply of water available.

### **Bush Fire Survival Plans**

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Stay safe everyone and remember:

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*Kyrie Rodgers*

*At the time of writing this, the Cat 5 truck (the smaller of their 2 trucks) is on its way to a Lake George fire.*

*Good Luck .....Ed*



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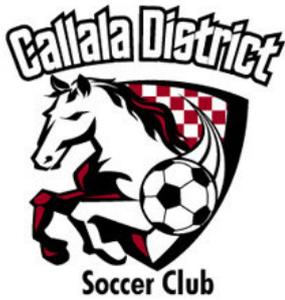
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## Brumbies Report.

As February approaches and summer draws to a close we prepare to bid farewell to another fun filled season of summer football and start the preparations for the upcoming winter of football.

Thanks to Brad Scotcher, Tony Wehmeyer and Kerry Levick for their continuing work in making it another successful summer season.

Keep your eyes on the website and notice board for details on winter season start dates and when registrations open, for both the myfootball website and local club registration days. The Brumbies are looking for players across all age groups as well as coaches and managers for the junior grades.

If you are interested in playing or coaching please contact, (for those age groups U/6 through to U16) Andy Coppin or Natalie Holbrow, for the Ladies Jackie Lyons or Jarrod Horton, and for the Men Brad Scotcher or Josh Tasker.

All the contact details for the above are available on the Brumbies website or contact club President Andy Coppin or Vice President Natalie Holbrow

The myfootball website allows you to register online. It will have all our club details and fees loaded on to the site by late February so you can do it at your own convenience, it also allows for payment online.

The site is reasonably easy to follow but if you do have any problems contact Natalie Holbrow or one of our club registers for assistance.

I don't know if the local community realises but the Callala IGA is the biggest supporter of the Brumbies Football club at both Junior and Senior levels. Through their involvement and support we have been able to increase our training equipment and provide playing strips to all our players over the previous years.

This year through the IGA community chest, Phil and the team at Callala IGA have generously donated \$3935.19 to the Callala Brumbies Soccer Club. This assists the club and community in the development of our facilities for the club and local community to use. They also provide stock for the club canteen at very competitive rates, so remember to shop local and if you see Phil, Ringo or the IGA team take the time to thank them for the ongoing generous support.

As you may have noticed over the previous months the fence has been erected around the boundaries of the playing area to try and stop the loss of some balls by keeping them out of the drain and surrounding bushland.

Thanks go to the NSW Office of Sport, Shelley Hancock and Shoalhaven council for their support in achieving the funding for this project, and a big thank you to the volunteers who gave up their Saturdays to make up the fencing crews that did the hard slog of putting up the fence for all to benefit from.

That's all for this month, and we are looking forward to seeing you either on the sporting oval playing, or cheering for the Brumbies from the sidelines during the upcoming football season.

*Andy Coppin*

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### **FRIDAY**

Fitness Exercise  
Class from 10am



## **RAFFLES**

### **TUESDAY**

Free Meat Raffle - drawn every half hour between  
3:30pm-6:30pm - swipe your Member's card to  
receive a free ticket with ANY bar purchase.

### **THURSDAY**

Bowlers Extensive Raffle from 6pm with great  
prizes Lucky Member's Badge Draw

### **FRIDAY**

Meat Mart Best value Friday night in town Meat  
Tray prizes with value over \$1,000 - Tickets on  
sale 6pm Draw commences approx 7pm

### **SATURDAY**

**Fisho's Raffle** From 12 noon to 1:30pm

### **SUNDAY**

Meat & Seafood Raffle. Tickets on sale 4pm,  
draw commences @ 5pm



### **MONDAY**

Free Trivia 6.30pm Start

### **TUESDAY**

Members Good Time Happy Hour  
4pm to 5pm - All Drinks Discounted.  
darts - Comp & Social from 7pm

### **WEDNESDAY**

NPL POKER - Only \$2 to Play  
7pm Start - Ca\$h prizes and regional  
tournament tickets to be won every week

### **THURSDAY**

Bingo - Eyes down at 11am

## **BOWLS**

**Monday** - Indoor starting @ 12pm

**Tuesday** - Women's bowls from  
9:30am

**Wednesday** - Men's social bowls  
12:30pm from 1pm

**Thursday** - Mixed Social Bowls - Ring  
for details

**Friday** - Twilight Bowls from 4:30pm  
\$5pp

**Sunday** - Social bowls from 1pm \$6.  
Jackpot prizes



**4446 5509**

Mon - Wed 11.30am  
Thurs - Friday 10am  
Sat - Sun 8am

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**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OR RENEWAL OF  
CALLALA BAY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED**  
(Incorporated under the *Associations Incorporation Act 1984*)

I/we

Applicant 1 ( Full Name)

Applicant 2 (Full Name)

Your Callala home address

Email Address 1

Email Address 2

Daytime Contact Phone No(s):

**Hereby apply to become a member/s or renewal of the above named incorporated association. In the event of my admission as a member, I/we agree to be bound by the rules of the Association for the time being in force.**

Signature of Applicant 1

Date

Signature of Applicant 2

Date

Date presented to membership for ratification at following monthly meeting

Annual Membership fee paid on date Receipt Number

Fees \$5 per household

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Emergency Police Fire Ambulance – **000**  
Nowra Police Local Area Command – **4421 9699**  
Crime Stoppers – **1800 333 000** (anonymous reporting)  
Police Assistance line – **131 444** (non-emergencies)

State Emergency Service – **132 500**  
Jervis Bay Marine Park – **4441 7752**

Callala Doctor's Surgery – **4446 5350**

Shoalhaven City Council  
General enquiries, business hours – **4429 3111**  
Emergencies and after hours – **4421 3100**

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Daniels, Nancy – **4446 6817**  
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Garry, Rexeen(Rikki) – **4446 6649**  
Hannan, Robyn – **4446 4428**  
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Culburra & District Garden Club  
Every 3rd Saturday of the month at 1.30pm at the Banksia Hall Community Hall,  
Fred Evans Lane, Culburra Beach (IRT entry) For more details contact Doris  
Carpenter - **4446 5631**

Culburra & Districts Community Health Service  
Visit the Op Shop and pick up a bargain! Proceeds help maintain the Medical Bus  
that transfers people to Nowra for medical appointments from Greenwell Point,  
Culburra Beach, Callala Bay & Beach, Currarong and Myola. Please contact  
Culburra Pharmacy on **4447 2382** to arrange transport.

If you have good saleable furniture to donate, contact Jim on **4446 6733**

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