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Welcome to the November issue of Community Capers, volume 209. Our December issue will be folded and distributed on Thursday, December 3. The deadline for this issue is Friday, November 20. News items, events, dates for the calendar etc. are inserted free. Send them to the editor, Brent Barlow, 38 Mudgee Street, Rylstone, NSW 2849 or phone Brent on 6379 1020. For details and prices on advertising, sponsorship etc., contact Brian Neaves on 6379 4092.

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A Festival as well as a Feast

With ticket sales for Westfund Health - Rylstone StreetFeast's Long Lunch exceeding 440 – around 90 or more up on last year's event, we're all guaranteed a great atmosphere in Rylstone's main street and the invitation is well and truly open for everyone to come along and join in the fun. StreetFeast President Peter Monaghan says this year's event is unique and with so much going on it will definitely be the place to be on Saturday, November 7.

"A lot of interesting things have come together on this day including the annual Hill Top Arts Exhibition just around the corner at St James Anglican Church Hall, the Wood Symposium with artists creating their sculptures from logs of wood nearby at the Sheep Shed in the showground and the march through the street by the Kookaburra Marchers between 8.30 and 9am. Add to this some vintage and classic cars to view, free entertainment and music from mid-morning on, a great selection of market stalls and you have a festival atmosphere that adds up to a fabulous day out."

Our local cafés, wine bar and hotels will cater for everyone's food and drink tastes with delicious meals and refreshments, while street stalls will add a touch of flavour as well.

Everyone is encouraged to take a stroll along Rylstone's Louee Street to sample the diverse range of local foods, produce, wines, art and craftwork. As always there'll be plenty to see and do with the street market and buskers providing live entertainment from 10am. Bag a bargain, find a treasure, or just sit and enjoy. There'll be live music centre stage throughout the afternoon. This year's feature act is Jess Holland accompanied by Nick Wall. They'll be supported by a variety of other acts. Children will again be catered for with lots of activities to keep them entertained. Come along and help make this a Festival as well as a Feast.



Come along and enjoy the Festival atmosphere at this year's StreetFeast on Saturday, November 7.

Kandos Scouts weekend

The 1st Kandos Scouts will celebrate 90 years of continuous scouting in Kandos with a weekend of activities on Saturday and Sunday, November 28 and 29 including getting together at Camp Cudgegong. The Kandos Scout Hall will also be open on Saturday morning from 10am to midday for people to come and look over the hall, where there will be memorabilia on display. The group is also planning to place a plaque in the garden to commemorate 90 years. Kandos Museum will also have a display on

the Scouts' 90 years and it will be open on the Saturday for people to view it. The weekend is for all interested people and all past and present members of the 1st Kandos Scout Group - an opportunity for everyone to get back together and catch up. If anyone would like to attend the weekend or wants further information, please contact Barbara Murray on 6337 7090 or email barbara.murray53@gmail.com. For those wishing to come and camp there will be a camp fee charged, otherwise it is self-catering.

Wood Symposium

The inaugural Wood Symposium is on at the Sheep Shed, Rylstone Showground from Thursday, October 29 to Sunday, November 8 when local residents and visitors will get an opportunity to watch nine sculptors create works of art from nine large trunks of hardwood. These home-grown and international artists will bring forth their sculptural visions for all to see from concept

to creation in 10 days and people are encouraged to call in to experience the process on a daily basis between 9am and 5pm.

It's absolutely free for onlookers and is a great opportunity to watch and learn about the amazing art of wood sculpture, the tools they use and the methods used in creating something unique from a log of wood.

Hill Top Arts

The 12th Annual Hill Top Art Exhibition in conjunction with Rylstone StreetFeast opens at 7pm on Friday, November 6 at St James Church Hall, Mudgee Street, Rylstone. Come along to opening night. Tickets are \$20 which includes a sumptuous

supper and entertainment while admiring the artworks.

The exhibition will remain open on Saturday from 10am to 5pm and Sunday from 10am to 1pm and entry on these days is \$2 for 15 years and over.

Capers info

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their meeting times, events, dates and venues. Please send all information to the editor, Brent Barlow, 38 Mudgee Street, Rylstone, NSW 2849, or email him at brenbar@winsoft.net.au or phone him on 6379 1020. If meeting times or dates etc. change, please contact Brent as soon as possible with corrections. Advertising space is limited but we do require advertising support to fund our newsletter. Usually it's on a "first in, best dressed" basis. If you wish to advertise or sponsor a page, please contact Brian Neaves on 6379 4092.

Has anyone seen Ralph the dog?

Clandulla couple Martia and Greg Wilson are distraught over losing their beloved dog Ralph. The desexed male Kelpie x Border Collie x Bull Arab went missing in July from Clandulla but the owners have not given up hope of finding him. According to Martia, he is extremely friendly and would go with anyone.

"He is stock friendly and has been brought up with horses, sheep and cattle. Please, if you have seen him or know of his whereabouts phone me, Martia on 0409 791 174 or Greg on 0428 791 174."

Thanks for the donations

President of the Kids & Carers Support Group Kandos/Rylstone, Maureen Phillips has issued a big thank you for some recent generous donations.

"I would like to thank the following businesses and individuals: First National Real Estate Rylstone - \$500, Kandos Events - \$300, an anonymous donation of \$100 and an anonymous donation of \$3000. Every contribution we receive helps toward getting KAC's House up and running and we thank everyone for their continued support," Mrs Phillips said.

Rylstone CWA celebrates 90 years

Rylstone CWA celebrated its 90th birthday on Friday with members, guests and former members meeting together after the group's Annual General Meeting for lunch and the cutting of their birthday cake. The current CWA Rooms and Baby Health Centre were opened by Mrs W.H. Cullen, State President of CWA NSW on November 16, 1957. The President of CWA Rylstone at that time was Mrs D.A. Dunn. Prior to the rooms being built, CWA members met in the small hall next to the Council Chambers. The CWA Rooms accommodated the Baby Health Centre until it was transferred to Rylstone Hospital some years ago.

During Friday's celebration, newly elected President Robin Johnston welcomed guests, especially those who had travelled some distance to be there and Cr Esme Martens congratulated the branch on behalf of Mid-Western Regional Council. The 'Pamper a Lady' raffle was won by Robin Cole.

Office bearers for the next 12 months are: President and Publicity Officer - Robin Johnston,

Secretary and Treasurer - Margaret Baxter, Minute Secretary - Jenni Farrell, Vice-Presidents - Nola Fraser and Di Page, Land Cookery Officer - Mavis Loble, Land & Environment Officer and Cultural Officer - Bev Duff, Handicraft Officer - Jenni Farrell, International Officer - Margaret Skropeta.



Patron and Life Member of Rylstone CWA Shirley McQuiggin and former Rylstone CWA member and Group President Gwen Nicholson cutting the beautifully decorated birthday cake which was donated by Diane Mundy.

Nell's All Sorts on KRR

One of Kandos Rylstone Community Radio's newest presenters, Nell Brydon decided to become a member of KRR 98.7FM because her children wouldn't let her listen to her own music.

"I just love music and when the kids took over the music scene I knew I had to do something about it."

The title of her show 'Nell's all Sorts' on Mondays from 12 midday to 4pm describes her music content perfectly. She plays music from the 50's through to modern contemporary.

"I play all sorts of music for all sorts of people for all sorts of days."

Nell moved from Rockhampton to the Rylstone-Kandos district and couldn't be happier.

"I love the district and I love doing my show on KRR."



New presenter Nell Brydon, at home in KRR's studio playing all sorts of music for all sorts of people.

Easy listening on KRR

Another of KRR's newest presenters, Maree Maiden has always dreamt being on radio and after becoming a member and doing the required training, she now has her own show. Maree, who moved from Dubbo to the Rylstone district some time ago, plays a range of easy listening music.

"I've been playing in bands since I was 15 and this is an extension of that I suppose. I plays songs that I enjoy and that I hope others enjoy as well. I guess it depends on my mood. Sometimes I play heavier rock than at other times."

Her program is on Tuesdays from 4pm to 6pm. Tune in and enjoy her great range of music.



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Meals on Wheels

Rylstone Kandos District Meals on Wheels (RKMOW) supplies frozen meals to anyone who is frail, aged or a younger person with a disability and their Carers. You can contact RKMOW on 6379 1519 or call into the office at HealthOne Ilford Road, Rylstone. Office hours are Monday to Thursday - 9am to 4pm and Friday - 9am to 1pm.

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The end of an era for arts committee

After many years, the Wollemi Children's Creative Arts Committee is calling it a day, but hopes another group will step forward to continue to foster creative arts in the community's children. The "Special Journey" for the Wollemi Children's Creative Arts Committee began 15 years ago when a group of like-minded people decided to organize an art exhibition where all the local children from Kinder to Year 12 could display their art work and showcase their talents to the wider community. Thus began an innovative venture and "Angels are Everywhere", with over 300 entries, was held in the old St Dominic's School, Kandos, in August 2000.

Spurred on by the success of the art exhibition and the realization that the youth of the area were disadvantaged by limited exposure to the world of art, the first of the Winter Holiday Art workshops, began. These workshops, for seniors only, were held on July 17, 2001 in St Dominic's Hall Kandos with three presenters and 90 participants. It was declared a resounding success and became an annual event to include both juniors and seniors, held over two days. Later in 2001 The Children's Arts Committee (as it was formerly known) was selected to be part of the 2001 state-wide "ArtStart Festival" and a wonderful Weekend Drama Workshop for Youth presented by Suzanne Miller from NIDA and ably assisted by KHS Yr11 student Nick Baskerville, a member of Twin Town Players, was held in December at St James Hall, Rylstone with 25 participants. On Australia Day 2002 the committee was thrilled to receive an Achievement Award for Cultural Organisation of the Year 2001 and also the Junior Cultural Award. They were also winners in 2004 and again in 2009.

Service for marchers in Kandos

The re-enactment of the 1915 Tooraweenah 'Kookaburras' Recruiting Marches along the Castlereagh Highway celebrating 100 years of ANZAC will take place from Friday, October 30 (when marchers will assemble at Tooraweenah) to Wednesday, November 11 when the marchers, after joining others at Bathurst, will board the train to Sydney where they will march to Hyde Park for the Armistice Day ceremony at 11am.

On Friday, November 6 during the 'Kookaburras' will march via Lue to Rylstone where they will overnight at a camp at Rylstone Showground before marching to Kandos through Rylstone's main street between 9am and 9.30am on Saturday. In Kandos, the marchers will attend a service at the war memorial next to the Kandos Community Hall at 12 midday. Members of the public are invited to attend the service.

From Sculpture in sandstone, wire and clay to Textiles such as batik, felting and screen printing, the children developed new ideas and techniques. Drawing took place in many forms from cartooning, and fantasy, to still life and wild life using pastels, pencils, pens and charcoal. From Aboriginal Art to Copper Art, Waste-to-Art and Mosaic Madness the variety was endless and the workshops were a most popular activity for the winter holidays - not to be missed. These workshops were always a prelude to the big event of the year, the Children's Art Exhibition, with an opening night and guest speaker, where the community was treated to a feast of imaginative and colourful display of children's art. "Regrettably this remarkable journey has reached its destination and all good things must come to an end. However all of this would not have been possible without the dedication and passion of a harmonious and hardworking committee and the generous support of the local schools and the wider community of businesses, organisations and individuals, with special thanks to Rylstone Kandos Rotary and Mid-Western Regional Council. The most important thing a community can do is foster the creative arts in its children. The Wollemi Children's Creative Arts has achieved this. Now who will take up the challenge?"



Lots of great memories and plenty of achievements for the Wollemi Children's Creative Arts Committee (l-r) Jenny Conlon, Dorothy Harrison, Sonja Christie, Jo Williams, Sandra McIntosh, Wendy Best and Margaret Malone.

Australia Day Awards

Mid-Western Regional Council is calling for nominations for the 2016 Australia Day Awards. This is your chance to nominate someone who has made a difference in the community and recognise them for their achievements and contributions. Council is encouraging online nominations via the Council website (www.midwestern.nsw.gov.au). For those that are not able to nominate online, nomination forms which include the selection criteria for each category are available from Mid-Western Regional Council offices and Libraries. Award recipients will be announced during the official ceremony of Council's Australia Day Celebrations at Gulgong on Tuesday, January 26, 2016. Nominations close on Friday, November 27 and should be addressed to the General Manager, Mid-Western Regional Council: PO Box 156 Mudgee NSW 2850.

Club's Charity Day donations

Rylstone Club's annual Charity Day resulted in \$7,300 being distributed to five recipients on Thursday evening during the club's weekly Raffle. Rylstone Hospital Auxiliary, ADA Cottage, Rylstone Public School, Kandos Public School and Kandos High School SRC shared in the fabulous donations. Although participation in this year's charity event was a little down on last year, around 80 golfers hit the fairways this year and quite a few of them played bowls afterwards. As usual, the charity auction held later in the day was very successful with great support from everyone. Club president Peter Mogg thanked them for their support on the day. He said local businesses as well as some from Mudgee made donations which were very much appreciated.

Wollemi Amigos donate to KRR

The Wollemi Amigos line dancing group enjoyed another terrific annual fundraising social recently with participants coming from Orange, Bathurst, Lithgow, Mudgee, Rylstone and Kandos. The annual event was held at the Kandos Returned Services Community Club, much to the delight of members who joined in for a spot of entertainment. Organiser of the event, Meg Wales said it was a wonderful turnout.

"We hold the social each year and give the money we raise to a community service. Over the years we have given to many groups and this year we decided to donate to our local community radio station KRR."

Mrs Wales said all of KRR's member are volunteers and thoroughly deserve the donation to help their efforts.

"They do a great job of entertaining and informing our community so it gives us great pleasure to be able to make this donation of \$500 to them. We had a really good day and it's the most money we've raised so far," she said.

President of KRR, Brent Barlow said it was a wonderful surprise to be selected for the Wollemi Amigos donation this year.

"I'd like to thank Meg and her group along with all the participants of the social for this donation. KRR will certainly make good use of the money. We are constantly replacing and upgrading equipment and this will help a lot. Thank you very much."

Nominate for showgirl competition

Nominations are now open for the 2016 Rylstone Kandos Showgirl Competition. Young ladies aged between 18 years and under 25 years by May 1, 2015 are invited to enter this year's competition which is sponsored by First National Real Estate - Kandos Rylstone. Leanne Neilsen said the committee is looking for young ladies that would like to be an ambassador for our wonderful community.

"You do not need to be off the land, you need to have a passion for community and would like to represent our Show Society and community. A get together will be organized for all of those entering so you can be informed on everything you will need to know to have a great time and any questions will be answered."

Judging will be held on Saturday, November 28 and nominations need to be in to Leanne Neilsen, phone 0419 028 498 by Friday, November 6.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
1 One Life Family Church services, 10am every 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday at the corner of Noyes and Dunn Streets, Kandos	2 Scouts meet at 6pm on Mondays at Kandos Scout Hall, Cubs meet at 4.30pm.	3 Rotary meets every Tuesday at the Rylstone Club, 6.30 for 7pm.	4 R/K VRA Rescue Squad meeting at 7.30pm.	5 Rylstone Rural Fire Brigade meeting at 7.30pm. *RKB&T meet at 5.30pm.	6 Rylstone CWA meeting at 10am.	7 Westfund Health – Rylstone Street Feast
8 Cottage Museum, Rylstone open every Sunday from 10am to 3pm.	9	10	11 Kandos RSL Sub Branch meeting. *Ryl. Hospital Auxiliary Meeting. *Remembrance Day Service at 10.45am.	12 Kandos CPSA meeting on 2nd Thursday of the month, 2pm at the Kandos Ret. Serv. Comm. Club.	13	14 Rylstone Artisan and Producer Market
15 Alcoholics Anonymous meets Sundays, 6.30pm at the Anglican Church Hall, Kandos. Phone Jeffrey on 6379 6046. Al-Anon contact number: Pam at 6379 4613.	16	17	18 Ryl. CPSA meeting 11am at the Rylstone Club. *Messy Church.	19 Scrabble on 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of each month, 10am to 1pm at the Rylstone Club.	20 Storytime for kids, 10am to 11am Fridays at Kandos Library.	21 Kandos Markets *Kandos Museum is open every Saturday, Sunday and Thursday from 10am to 4pm.
22 Uniting Church holds services at Rylstone at 9.30am every Sunday and the Sharing Shed, 4th Saturday of each month at 5pm.	23	24 Kandos CWA meeting at 2pm. *Rylstone-Kandos Street Machine Club meeting at 7.30pm.	25 Community Radio Station meeting, 7.30pm at KRR studios 50 Angus Ave Kandos.	26 Ladies Tennis, 9am Thursdays at Henbury Sport & Rec. Club.	27	28 Rylstone-Kandos Rescue Squad's Open Day. *1st Kandos Scouts 90 years Celebrations.
29 1st Kandos Scouts 90 years Celebrations. *KRSCC Markets on the bowling green.	30		The Craft Group meets at 10am each Wednesday at the VRA shed, Rylstone.	Rylstone Sculpture's Wood Symposium until November 8.		KRR Broadcasting on 98.7FM

Dates for the Diary

November 28...Rylstone-Kandos Rescue Squad's Open Day, November 28 & 29...1st Kandos Scouts 90 years Celebrations

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Rylstone market day

The next Rylstone Artisan and Producer's Market is on Saturday, November 14. Come along, pick up a bargain or two and enjoy the atmosphere at the Rylstone Memorial Hall from 9am to 1.30pm. There'll be lots of stalls, food and drinks. To join the association or to have a stall at the market, please phone the secretary, Marilyn Mosher on 6379 0849 or email rylstonemarkets@hotmail.com.

Kandos Community Markets

The Kandos Community Markets are on Saturday November 21 in the grounds of St Laurence Church, Kandos from 9am to 1pm. Come along for some great bargains and interesting gifts, enjoy a cuppa and have a bite to eat. There will be all the usual stalls including fruit and vegies, books, plants, handmade soy wax candles, Devonshire teas, and a barbecue. For stall bookings, phone Rose on 6379 4179 or Joy on 6379 6097.

Animal carers

There is always a need for animal or bird carers or someone to give advice to people with injured animals or birds. If you are able to help and would like your phone number or contact details to be placed on Community Radio KRR's notice board, please phone the station on 6379 4360 or write to: KRR PO Box 99 Kandos NSW 2848..

Remembrance Day

A Remembrance Day Service will be held at the Kandos War Memorial on November 11 at 10.45am. Members of the public are invited to attend.

Aqua Fitness

Aqua Fitness Classes start at the Kandos Swimming Pool on Tuesday, October 27 at 10am. They will also be held on Thursday's at 3pm. Cost is pool entry and registration forms are to be completed and returned to HealthOne Rylstone prior to commencement. For further enquiries and registration forms, contact HealthOne on 6357 8150.

Rescue Squad's Open Day

The Rylstone – Kandos Rescue Squad is celebrating its 40th Anniversary with an open day on Saturday, November 28. Call into the squad's complex in Cox Street (next to the Rylstone Club) between 10am and 2pm and enjoy a sausage sizzle. All welcome.

KRSCC Markets

The Kandos Returned Services Community Club are holding markets on their bowling green on the last Sunday of each month from 10am to 2pm. Stalls are available free for unpowered sites and \$5 for powered. All welcome, contact the club on 6379 6591 to book a site.

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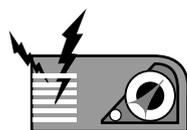
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