

# COMMUNITY NEWS

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## Mangrove Mountain Union Church What Next?

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and Wyong District Advocate  
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[From Our Correspondents.]**

Mangrove. The annual general meeting of the Mangrove Mountain Union Church was held on Sunday last, when there was a large gathering of members present. The President (Major W. Cowlshaw) presided, and offered apologies for absence from Revs. P. Davis and W. G. Clark-Duff, both of whom had services elsewhere. The Secretary (Mr. Hugh P. Hallard) in his annual report pointed out that the Church was formed in August, exactly a year ago. Representatives from the Church of England, Methodist and Presbyterian denominations had conducted services during the year, and at the present time regular services were being conducted. The Minister for Lands had approved of a 2-acre block as a site for the erection of the church, and the Committee had accepted the tender of Mr. Gibson for £182 10s, and would result in a suitable edifice and make a further landmark in the progress of the district. During the year in the absence of a Church building service had been held at the residence of Mr. W. H. Kelynack, J.P., and thanks are due to that gentleman

and Mrs. Kelynack for their kindness in offering their home for this purpose. The Treasurer (Mr. G. Hunt) read a very satisfactory balance sheet. The President in an address foreshadowed that the Church (which would hold 80 persons) would be completed by Xmas, and urged all to further the success which had so far been attained by co-operating heartily, both financially and otherwise. Election of officers resulted as follows : Committee, Messrs. W. Cowlshaw (President), G. Hunt (Treasurer), W. H. and L. A. Kelynack, J. U. Wood, H. W. Roughley, and H. R. Hallard (Secretary) ; Auditor, Mr. W. H. J. Kelynack ; Trustees, Messrs. Hunt, Cowlshaw and Hallard

The Union Church has been part of the district for a very long time and from the time of its conception and construction has been a focal point for the local community.

Usage of the Church and hall has declined over the years but it is still greatly valued by the community and is seen as a testament to the efforts of the early settlers and a symbol of the district's heritage.

Credit is to be given to the current committee who have continued to raise funds and maintain the Church, buildings and grounds over the recent

years.

The affection of the community toward the Church was demonstrated by the number of people who filled the Church hall at the meeting held on Friday 10th April and who were very passionate about its future.

The on-line discussions elicited a host of fond memories from people still living in the district and others long moved away but still in touch.

The Church has for over a century served the community hosting local weddings, christenings, funerals, Church services and for many years, Monday school (Sunday School) for local children in the area. More recently, the Church and Church hall has also hosted singing and craft groups, Poet's breakfasts, cooking workshops, Harvest festival activities and more.

A meeting is to be held on Thursday 22nd of April at Mangrove Mountain Hall at 7pm to field ideas and suggestions and discuss the future of the Church and how as a community we can better support our historic community buildings to ensure they are not lost for future generations.

Please bring your ideas and enthusiasm to support the future of the Mangrove Mountain Union Church.

It would be a shame to see the Mangrove Mountain Union Church go the way of the Golf course and the Country Club.



## ANZAC COMMEMORATION SERVICE

Sunday 18th April 2021, 2pm  
Afternoon Tea served afterwards  
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## DOORALONG UKE JAM + PICNIC

YOU ARE INVITED. Lake Macquarie Ukestra is having another Uke Jam at the Dooralong Community Hall from 11-4 on Saturday 17 April.

All locals welcome. Lots of performers and strum / singalongs. Bring your voice, plus uke or guitar if you have one. BYO picnic lunch.

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If possible please let me know if you are coming (or just turn up for all or part of the day).

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Rodney Gray



The church in its original form

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**\*\* 30th April '21 \*\***

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# Australian Blues and Roots legend coming to the Mountain

Popular Australian Blues and Roots legend, Ash Grunwald, will be performing two special shows at the historic Mangrove Mountain Hall on Saturday the 24th of April!

Ash Grunwald has transformed the Blues and Roots scene for modern times, bringing Blues and Roots music to a whole new generation of fans at major festivals all over the world and collaborating with artists across multiple music genres such as The Living End, Kram, The Funkoars, Joe Bonamassa, Kasey Chambers, and of course most recently with Josh Teskey of the Aria Award winning band the Teskey Brothers.

Heralded as one of Australia's great Blues and Roots performers Ash Grunwald will be performing songs from his 9 studio albums, 3 live albums and his newly released #8 debuting album "Push The Blues Away" with Josh Teskey.

"Bringing Ash Grunwald to Mangrove Mountain Hall has been a long held goal and years in the making,



and we cannot wait for Ash to take the stage at the Mountain's very own historic hall for the first time" Ryan Howard – organiser of Blues on the Mountain said.

Ash Grunwald's early 6pm show, featuring special guest Taj Farrant has already sold out, but tickets are now

available for the 9pm show, which has just been announced due to popular demand and features special guest Brandon Dodd (Grizzlee Train, Kasey Chambers).

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*Blues on the Mountain  
Press Release*

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MANGROVE MOUNTAIN HALL**

## Kulnura & Districts Garden Club

What a lovely visit we had to Paul's Linga Longa at Yarramalong..... very interesting garden with its own amphitheatre and the beautiful home dating back to 1875! Our Show and Tell was great with several Members contributing. It was the largest number of Members we had seen for some time – its was such a beautiful day and folk were glad to be out and about again. It was well worth the effort and so good to catch up again after the Covid restrictions.

We have members from Chatswood,



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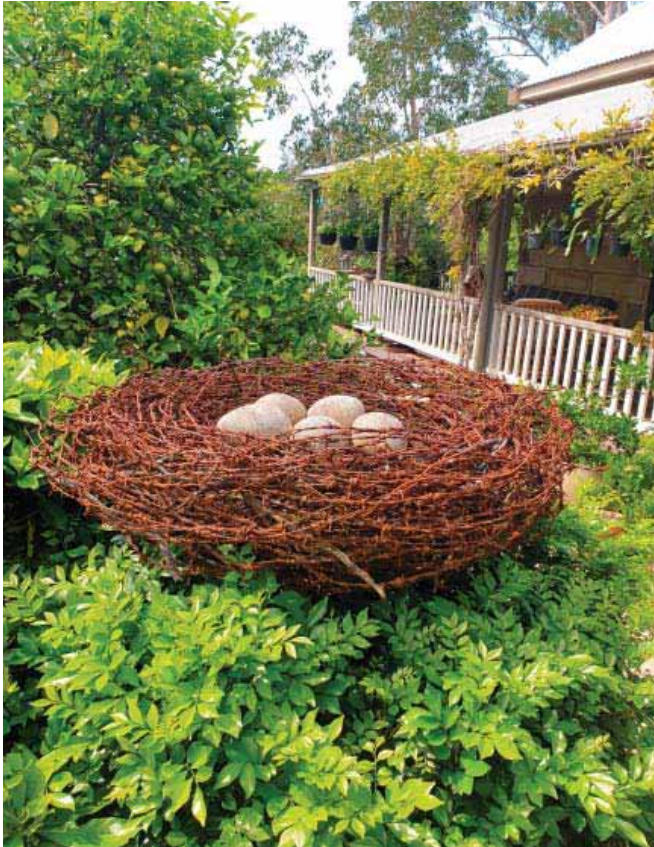


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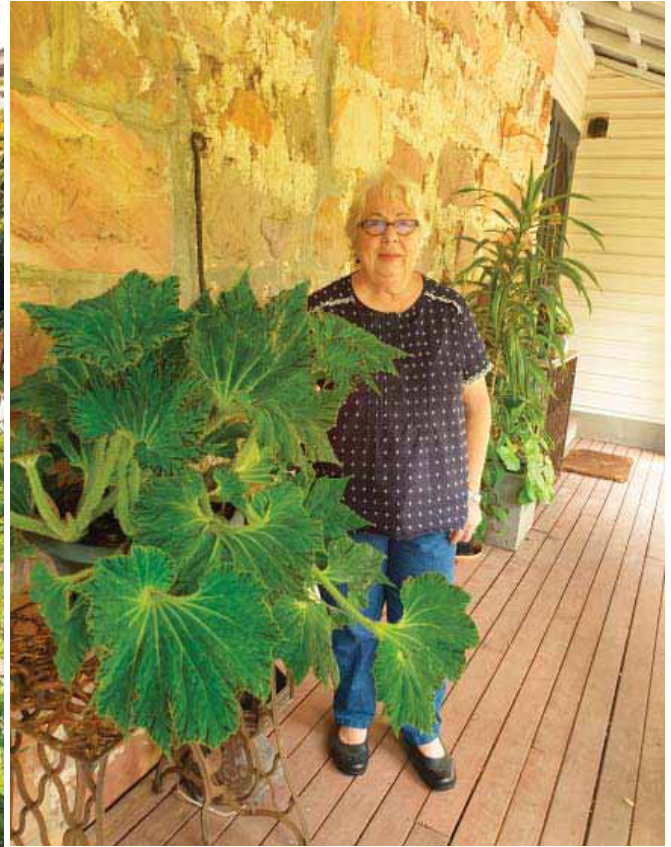




Forrester's Beach and Dural who come all the way to join in! The formal part of our gatherings is much shorter now due to Dept Fair Trading's easing of the rules for taking Minutes etc and this makes it much quicker and allows more time to view the property we are visiting and more time for mingling too of course!

Our April meeting will be held on Monday 12th April at Kulnura Cottages, 61 Finns Road, Kulnura and as usual will begin with a cuppa at 9.30. Please bring your own mug, chair and a small plate of morning tea. Are hosts will be serving home made pizza!

As usual we will be having our



plant/veggie competition and Show and Tell where Members bring along something they have grown and tell us about it or ask questions – we have several very knowledgeable gardeners in our group and they are always happy to help.

Look forward to seeing everyone!

Glynnis Golsby



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## WILL WE HAVE A COUNTRY FAIR?

Are we going to have a Country Fair this year? This is a question I am getting asked all the time right now. And the answer lies somewhere between "Yes we want to" and "Only if enough people volunteer to help make it happen".

Everyone I speak to wants the Country Fair to happen this year, but are you one of the ones helping to actually make it happen? Or just sitting back waiting for other people to do all the work?

Like so many of our "community assets", the Mangrove Mountain & Districts Country Fair is coming perilously close to becoming a thing of the past. There a very real thing called volunteer burn-out and a lot of the people who put up their hands to help make the Country Fair happen are getting older, have done it for so many years that they want a "break", or have moved away from the area, or

have died.

So what's involved? What can you do to help make it happen this year? For starters contact either Crystal, our fabulous Secretary, or myself, and tell us what you might be able to do to help.

Just coming to one of our monthly Country Fair meetings - which are held on the 2nd Thursday of every month at 7.30pm at the Mangrove Mountain Union Church hall on Wisemans Ferry Road - will let you see and hear how we're progressing on getting the DA to hold the Fair, getting permission from the Hall and the Reserve Trust to hold the Fair on their grounds and negotiating affordable fees, working out what the entertainment line-up will be, how we are going to raise much-needed sponsorship money.

Your input might help us determine how we're going to be able to implement Covid social distancing and crowd control measures, and adhere to our mandatory Covid Plan. Who will run the parking areas? Who will actually help sell drinks, t-shirts, raffle tickets, plants at the Plant stall, make coffees etc? Who will physically help string up the power leads across the grounds, unpack, move and put up all the gazebos, put out and then collect all the star steaks, the tables and chairs, erect the animal enclosures

etc, etc. You get the idea.

Some of the jobs don't require any physical exertion. All we need is someone to make a few phone calls from home one afternoon. Or offer to drive around to pick up supplies the week before the Fairs. Or help Jodie take details for the Arts and Crafts competition entries the days before the Fair. Or decorate the Hall for a few hours. Or help put up signs. Or string barrier tape between star stakes. Get your older kids involved. They'll appreciate the Fair even more if they are involved in the set-up.

So if you want our Country Fair to happen this year, now is the time to get involved. If everyone reading this article could give us 2-3 hours help between now and the end of the Fair - which will be on Sat 16th October this year - then we could definitely say YES our community WILL be having a Country Fair in 2021.

The more people we have to help, the less work there is for everyone. Let's make 2021 a great Country Fair!! Either email Crystal at secretary-MMCF@hotmail.com, or call me to have a chat.

Shane Eastman  
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Mangrove Mountain & Districts Country Fair, President

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Minister for Customer Service Victor Dominello said businesses would be able to access the scheme through Service NSW.

Under the scheme, small businesses, sole traders and non-profit organisations can apply to be reimbursed up to \$1500 for NSW and local government fees and charges that are related to the cost of doing business. These include:

- Food authority licences
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- Council rates
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For more information: [www.service.nsw.gov.au/small-business-fees-and-charges-rebate](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au/small-business-fees-and-charges-rebate)

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Media Release



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**Visit [yourvoiceourcoast.com/waterways](http://yourvoiceourcoast.com/waterways) to tell us what matters to you.**

## Let's Bomb our Community

The first meeting of the Mangrove Mountain Yarn Bombing project was a great success. We had a great turnout and everyone really enjoyed themselves.

Over cups of coffee and tea and delicious tarts and slices of cake, people really got into the spirit, showing newbies how to knit or crochet, sharing stories about how

they learned how to crochet or knit from Mum or Gran or a friend, and making us laugh about projects they had tackled in the past that, well, let's say "didn't quite work out".

Many people turned up with some wool and crochet needles and/or knitting needles, and by the end of the session quite a few patches brightly-coloured expanding circles and squares were already taking shape.

The plan is to make knitted or crocheted "sleeves" for the trees outside The Hub of Mangrove Mountain as a brightly-coloured art



## CURTAIN CLOSES ON QUIETEST FIRE SEASON IN A DECADE

The end of March marked the official end to the quietest fire season in more than a decade, a stark contrast to the devastating 2019/20 season.

NSW Rural Fire Service (NSW RFS) Commissioner Rob Rogers said this bush fire season had been welcome change in terms of fire activity, property damage and hours committed by volunteer firefighters.

"Firefighters have responded to just over 5500 bush and grass fires burning 30,963 hectares across NSW, considerably less than the 11,400

installation. Our theme is to highlight the importance of mental health in our community, particularly as over the past 18 months we have been through the devastating bushfires, then storms, Covid and more recently torrential rains and severe flooding. Staying positive and resilient through all this has been hard for many of us, and this is an opportunity to make new friends, talk about things generally and just

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fires and 5.5 million hectares lost last season”, Commissioner Rogers said.

“There has been just 11 days of total fire bans compared to 60 days last season, marking the quietest bush fire season since 2010/11.

Commissioner Rogers said that despite the low level of fire activity this season, our members had been kept busy over recent weeks assisting flood affected communities across the state.

“Time and time again when called upon, our members have stepped up to help.

“As communities up and down the coast were inundated by flood waters, our firefighters were there to help, both on the ground and in the air.

“I am humbled by their want to serve locally and the broader NSW community.

“To see hundreds of our firefighters travelling across the state to help communities in need is testament to their dedication and commitment.

Commission Rogers said that despite

have a fun time.

We will be meeting every Monday from 2-4pm at The Hub of Mangrove Mountain. It’s free to come and join us, and refreshments will be served, also at no cost to the participants. So, don’t be shy, come along on any Monday and join us to have some fun. No experience necessary! ☺

Shane Eastman

the low instances of bush and grass fires across the season high grass fuel loads remained west of the divide.

“Over the coming weeks and months crews will begin hazard reduction burning when weather opportunities are more favourable to reduce these fuel loads.

“It is vital for people living near Bush Fire Prone Land to not become complacent and to ensure they take the time now to clear, prepare and maintain their properties.”

While Fire Permits are not required

outside the BFDP, property owners conducting private hazard reduction burns are usually required to have a Hazard Reduction Certificate before lighting up. Hazard Reduction Certificates are free and can be obtained from NSW RFS Fire Control Centres.

“While firefighting agencies will be looking to conduct as many hazard reduction activities as possible, I encourage landholders to do the same.” said Commissioner Rogers.

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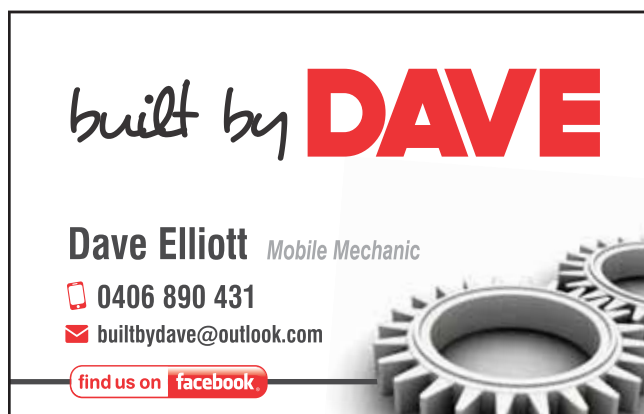


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# Mountain Parrots Win at the Sydney Royal!

Ross Pratley of Mangrove Mountain is a specialist breeding Eclectus parrots and has won again at the Sydney Royal.

2021 Sydney Royal has been described by the news media as the biggest event to take place in the World during the COVID 19 pandemic. 800 birds in all were exhibited with 80 entries in the parrot category. Ross entered four Eclectus parrots that he had bred and hand reared, about 300 feeds each, before they were weaned and moved into an aviary. One cannot keep all that are bred and many sold with a few kept, in hope of improving a particular sub species. From these Ross chose four superb examples to be

entered in this year's Sydney Royal. Witnessing the judging of your own birds is a little stressful, yet extremely exciting watching the results of firstly the breed classifications and then it is narrowed down to ten champions, one from each class to again be closely inspected to determine the Grand Champion Parrot. They are judged on confirmation, plumage has to be perfect, bright eyes, perfect beak and nails, even their mannerism is considered. A bird that is animated catches the judge's eye. After about 2 hours of judging the decision was handed down and Ross's Ambon Grand Eclectus was the Grand Champion Parrot for 2021. This meant his winning Reserve Champion Eclectus was brought into contention for the Reserve Grand Champion and as the contestants were being eliminated, including three past Grand Champions it was down to an African Grey and the Eclectus. No hard feelings, it went to the African Grey. Ross with his main interest in numismatics was extremely thrilled with the magnificent medal awarded.

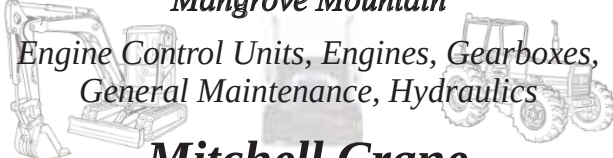



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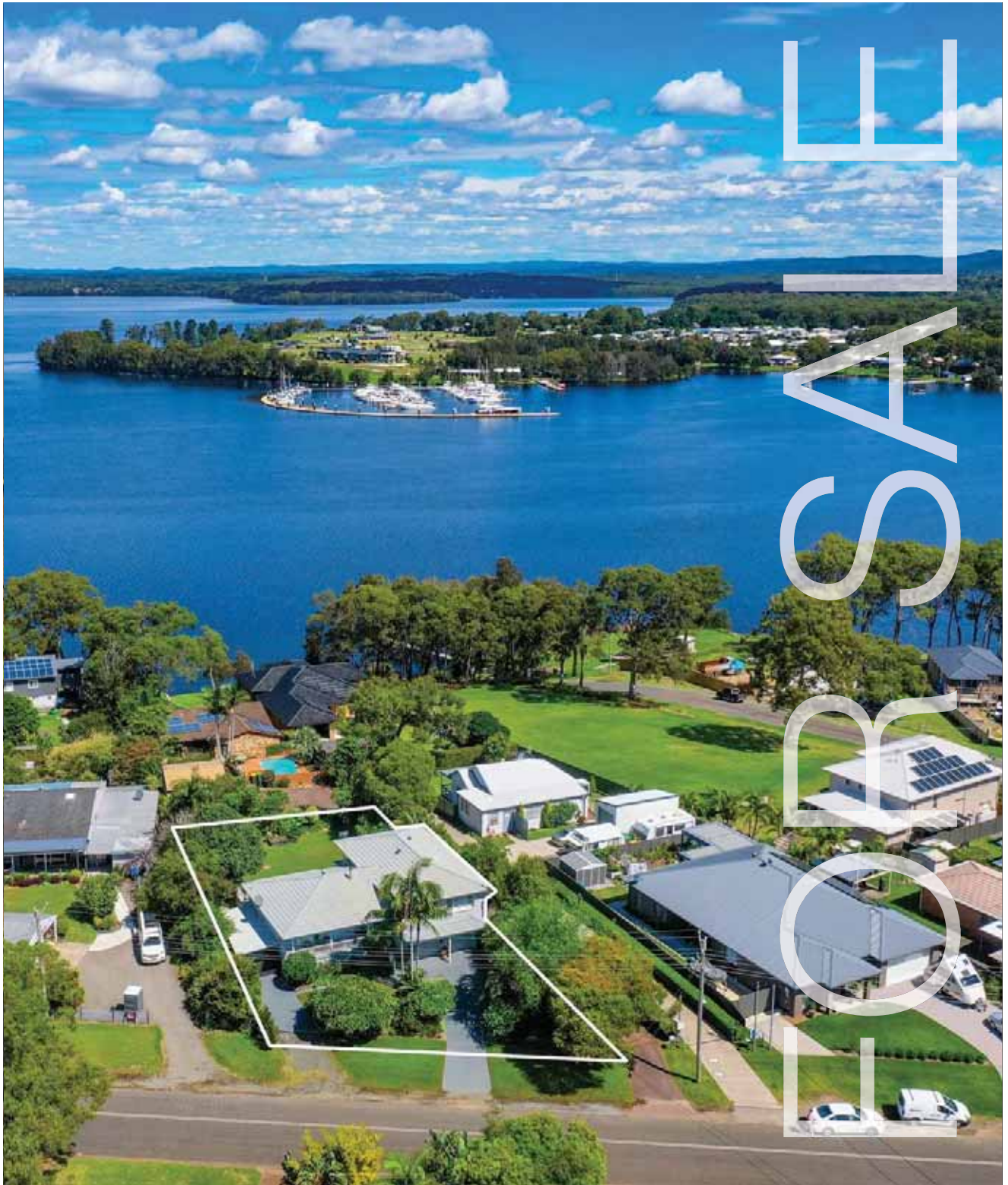
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## Haybrook horse haven with huge barn

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Set on 16.5 acres of mostly cleared land, 'HAYBROOK' sits midway between the popular Central Coast and sort after Lake Macquarie districts with Wyee Creek running along one boundary. Positioned on a sealed road, with a huge operational barn style shed, extensive paddocks, dams and plenty of green grass for frolicking, it is the perfect home for horses.

HAYBROOK is an organic property having never been treated with chemical herbicides, pesticides or fertilisers.

The numerous natural waterholes, beautiful billabong and native flora attracts a great variety of native pollinators and bird life including many water birds, kookaburras and even a pair of Wedge Tailed Eagles. Waking at dawn to the glorious birdsong of the Currawongs and the resident family of Pied Butcher Birds makes morning coffee time seem never long enough.

The main house includes fresh modern interiors, including recently renovated kitchen with Miele appliances, a fireplace, airconditioning, modern bathroom and a charming white wraparound veranda which leads out to an alfresco dining cabana and covered barbecue gazebo, both with power. Overlooking the beautiful surrounding countryside, it's the perfect place to entertain, sit around the fire pit or just relax after your day.

Working from home need not just be reserved for the office workers. The barn shed has been set up perfectly for a home business, with an attached office space that includes two bathrooms, a kitchen and meals area and lock-up garage. The zoning allows for a Veterinary practice or Boarding Kennels etc (STCA).

There are three main colourbond sheds on the property, all are metal framed w concrete floor, professionally built and have underground power supplied.

**SHED 1:** Barn style main shed 27m x 12m with an office annex 27m x 6m, 1 x Concrete Water tank 22,000ltrs plus 3 x Poly tanks w combined 58,000ltrs capacity and 80amps single phase 240v power.

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**SHED 3:** is an open wash bay/machinery shed w 5,000ltr Poly tank and 10amp 240v Power.

The property has good fencing to 12 separate horse paddocks with water, all have electrified top wire. There is post & rail to the home paddock, feed shed and rear round yard paddock. Seven of the paddocks have dams and four have 3m x 3m treated pine and colourbond shelters.

HAYBROOK is located just under an hour from Wahroonga and Newcastle Airport via the M1, 3 klm to the new Wyee shopping centre, school and train station and close to Westfield and Tuggerah SuperCentres, Lake Macquarie, local beaches, cafes, taverns and the modern and popular Doyalson Wyee RSL Club 'THE DOYLO'.

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# ARTS NEWS

The Wollombi Valley Arts Council encourages and fosters all kinds of artistic and cultural expression within the Wollombi Valley in order to support and promote artists and our community.

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## 'LANDSCAPE & ARCHETYPE'

Julia Francis

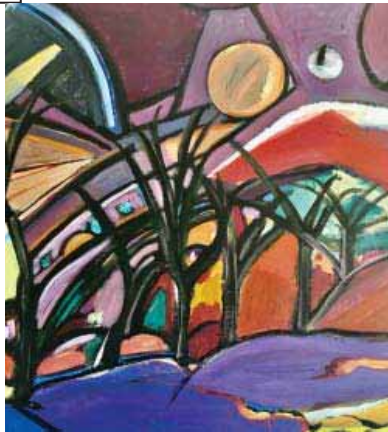
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Old Fireshed Gallery

Julia is a venerated Wollombi artist and long time resident. She has been exhibiting in the Old Fireshed Gallery

*Below: Woman with Wombat  
Below Right: Oasis*



for 15 years or more, we welcome her back. Now in her eighties, Julia's art spans two continents, her work draws on her life experiences in India, the UK, and Australia. This exhibition is a celebration of her life and art.

"My individual inner experience as a woman is within these works, personal experience feeling tones. A world which may be unnoticed is set in ideas and images all related to one another, with connections to places with spiritual and metaphorical links. This exhibition is an expression of my total experience."

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The 3-bedroom home is roomy, comfortable, well maintained and presented. Home is air-conditioned with combustion fire. Roof was recently re-sheeted and external walls re-clad. A large covered alfresco area makes outdoor living very comfortable adjacent to a manicured tiered garden and house yard lawns. There are numerous healthy fruit trees.

The slab and fireplace of the original home, along with building frame and roof are still located next to the main building and offer the convenience of a potential refurbished second home S.T.C.A.

A 4-bay steel shed, 2-bay lockable and 2 open offers substantial storage space. A 22,500-litre concrete tank is provided to receive water from the lower spring fed dam, following some overhaul of the pumping system and several rainwater tanks are holding rainwater from roof collection.

Fencing is well thought out and generally in good condition creating several paddocks and a well-defined house yard of approximately 800 sqm.

A delightfully landscaped garden and lawns finish off the picture.

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# Peats Ridge Venturers, Scouts and Cubs go hiking

Peats Ridge Scout Group have had a wonderful first term to the year, with four new members joining being the highlight, and with the easing of Covid restrictions we were able to start meeting together again and having a lot of fun.

This term all sections got back on track, quite literally and all did night



time hikes; the Venturer section (15-18 years) tackled the difficult Piles Creek Loop track at Somersby, and smashed the four hour hike in two hours; the Scouts (11-14 years) set off from Walkers Ridge Road at Bucketty and followed the Great North Walk down to Cedar Brush (10-14 years); and the Cub section (8-10 years) did the Hieroglyphics walk at Kariong.

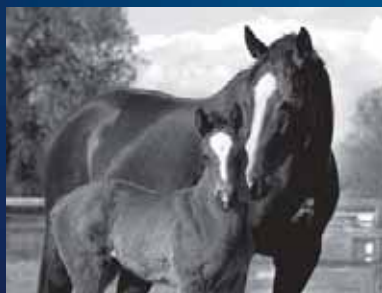
Whilst the Cubs were on their night time hike, we checked out all the carvings on the cave and bush rock walls and discussed all the possibilities on who carved them. Was it the Egyptians who visited our shores before European settlement? Was it our indigenous or first people? Was it a WWI soldier returned from Egypt? Or was it university students in the 60's and

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70's, which would describe the space ship carvings?

After debating the truth we also found a small cave that the Cubs could climb into, inside was a geo case where we were able to read some notes recent visitors had left, and we were also able to leave a little cloth badge with our logo on it as a memento of our visit.

Before leaving the caves, we invested our two newest Cubs into our group.

Next term the adventure will continue with a lot more activities since the weather is cooling down. Campfires and camp cooking is sure to return; camping and overnight hikes are on the program; plus many more nights of fun, excitement and adventure.

If you feel that your children would like to join us on our adventures, and join one of the best youth organisations in the world, why not get in touch with me? We are happy to offer trials to see if it suits your child. Scouts is inclusive and everyone is welcome. I can be contacted at [James.lutwyche@nsw.scouts.com.au](mailto:James.lutwyche@nsw.scouts.com.au) or on 0438 476 562.

Looking forward to meeting you around the campfire, or out on the track tonight or anywhere in between.

*Yours in Scouting.  
James Lutwyche  
Peats Ridge Scout Group Leader*



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# MARKET IN REVIEW



Hi, Jay Talbot here from TalbotPartners Real Estate - your local lifestyle property specialists. Sue Williams from Domain recently published this article and it does make interesting reading.

Despite the most rapid surge in home prices in 32 years, the Reserve Bank of Australia is to hold the record low interest rate of 0.10 per cent steady, it announced after its monthly meeting on April 6. In good news for first-home buyers trying to break into the market, and continued encouragement for investors to return, RBA governor Philip Lowe has indicated he's determined to resist calls to raise the rate in order to cool red-hot property prices. "It's all about 'steady as she goes'," said Westpac senior economist Matthew Hassan. "He'll want to get us over the end of JobKeeper and JobSeeker ... and

make sure everything else is going well. "At this stage, he wants to keep the wider economy in a delicate hold, and doesn't want to remotely rattle any part of it.

The economy is doing well, the vaccine roll-out is looking good and the virus isn't running amok here. He can take a more nuanced role later in the year when we've got through this period." Australian Prudential Regulation Authority (APRA) chairman Wayne Byres has already said that trying to curb rising house prices isn't its role, and at the moment he doesn't see the 2.8 per cent national jump in March on Core Logic figures — with Sydney prices rocketing up 3.7 per cent and Melbourne prices jumping 2.4 per cent — as any threat to financial stability.

With that kind of narrow mandate, and the RBA's broader wish list of

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factors such as a stronger labour market and wages growth, the decision not to raise the interest rates has come as no surprise.

Dr Shane Oliver, chief economist of AMP Capital, said he believed Mr Lowe would also like to see an inflation rate of between two and three per cent, rather than its current rate of around one per cent. "But this could well be the lull before the storm," said Dr Oliver. "You never know whether there might be rougher seas ahead with bond yields rising again, as they did before, and a few clouds gathering on the horizon, like a pick-up in headline inflation or the housing boom gathering pace and putting more pressure on the RBA and APRA."

"Already we see headline inflation heading up to maybe 3.5 per cent or 4 per cent with the Consumer Price Index coming back up as a result of childcare costs no longer being covered, the excise tax increase and petrol prices up. And they will be keeping an eye on the housing market as they don't want to see any deterioration in lending standards." There would also need to be decisions made about when quantitative easing might end before any change in the interest rate could even be considered, said Tim Reardon, chief economist of the Housing Industry Association.

But at the moment, the low interest rate is helping drive the market, along with improving economic conditions,

rising confidence levels, government incentives and a lack of supply. "Those rising prices will end up acting as a shock absorber for first-home buyers who are currently making up 43 per cent of the market," said Mr Reardon. "But as capital growth improves and rents pick up, we'll see investors returning. "We're now seeing a demographic shift in the country, too, with a move away from apartments and capital cities with the restriction on overseas migration and the drop in hospitality employment and number of students, and an increase in popularity of detached houses in residential areas as people want more space."

First-home buyers are, as a result, being driven further away from the middle-ring suburbs of cities, into outer suburbs or regions, as unaffordability gradually edges out the advantages of low interest rates and grants. With investors facing uncertainty, Real Estate Institute of Australia president Adrian Kelly said first-home buyers were making hay while the sun shone. "On the plus side for them, there's also a bit of talk about the 'relaxation' of lending restrictions, and we've had a few conversations with the Federal Government around that," he said.

"But mostly, the difficulty we're facing at the moment is a supply problem," he said. "In a normal market, you have a happy seller and a happy buyer. Now, you have a happy seller and a happy buyer ... and 19

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| Kulnura VBFB          | General meeting                                            | 1st Wednesday of the month, 7.30pm                                                                                                                                         |
| at Greta Rd Station   | Training                                                   | 3rd Wednesday of the month 7.00pm                                                                                                                                          |
| Mangrove Mountain RFS | General Meeting                                            | Last Wednesday of the month, 7 pm,                                                                                                                                         |
| Bloodtree Rd          | Training / Maintenance                                     | All Wednesday's except last of month, 7 pm                                                                                                                                 |
| Spencer RFS           | General Meeting                                            | 2nd Monday of the month Meeting 6.30pm                                                                                                                                     |
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| Mangrove Mountain & Districts<br>Community Group Meeting          | First Thursday of the Month, 8pm, Mangrove<br>Mountain Hall. No meeting in January. Hon.<br>Sec Danny Willmott 0407275653   |
| Mangrove Emergency Planning Committee                             | Third Wednesday bi-monthly, Mangrove Hall                                                                                   |
| Mangrove Mountain Country Fair<br>Committee Meeting               | 2nd Thur of month except Jan, 7:30pm, Union<br>Church Hall. Pres- Shane 0417 436 529                                        |
| Mangrove Mountain RSL Women's Auxiliary                           | Third Tuesday of the month, 2pm Mangrove<br>Mountain Memorial Club New Members<br>welcome. Secretary Keitha Coty 43771773   |
| Mountain District Football Club Meeting                           | Second Tuesday of the Month 6.30pm at the<br>Mangrove Memorial Club                                                         |
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Creating a magical story - It is so easy when you just let your mind fly anywhere, with no boundaries or limitations to clutter you, or restrict you in any way. You can do anything and go anywhere with anyone or be anything else at all.

I actually discovered the Monarch butterfly on one of my bush walks in about 2009. On that day I was walking alone, along a fire trail, and I was suddenly completely surrounded from above and all around, by a great mass of these beautiful black, red-orange, butterflies. I could not believe what was happening! Of course, although I was surrounded, their presence was soft and gentle. I was mesmerized, and completely fascinated.

After that I tried to find out more about them and how they came to exist, how they could travel across continents and had virtually come to infiltrate the whole world. For example, they can exist anywhere that the "milk weed plant" grows (and at that time we had some of that in our bush). They start life as a caterpillar, of course, and they form inside a cocoon. The cocoon appears as if it is actually a beautiful golden jewel. Eventually the butterfly emerges from that cocoon and gets on with the process to procreate.

Sadly, they now face extinction as the "milkweed" has almost been wiped out and without that food source, they cannot exist. I rarely see them any more in my locality.

Back in 2013, I wrote my first book, and it was published in May of 2013. It was for children in the genre 4 to 8. Because the genre was for such young children there are some wonderful illustrations meant to help their imaginations. The location for the magical side was the Somersby Falls area and the standard time story was on Dangar Island (just off Brooklyn). When in "magic mode" time stood still (and still does in the sequel). The only differences between the two books is that the first one took place in one day, and there are no illustrations. Older children are more imaginative and should be encouraged to create their own images. The second book is longer and takes about six (6) weeks to play out. In the first book they are on earth, however the second book takes them out into the Universe, where the butterflies are as if they take on the form of aliens who travel through the Universe keeping the balance and helping to avoid disasters. Their leader is the Universal Queen Samantha. In this book you can all go out into space with the children and, I hope,



feel their excitement experiencing the adventure. The second book also captures more of the character of the magnificent giant creature "Wonambee", who is reputed to be the precursor of the "Rainbow Serpent" which was in existence 100,000 years ago only in the southeast region of south Australia.

I will not spoil the story for you. However, I will give you the websites from which you are able to order either of the books, (Kindle would probably be the cheaper option,):

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Holy Trinity Church, 2nd Sat of the month  
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# Do you snore? You could be suffering from sleep apnoea and not know it

Sleep apnoea is a common sleeping disorder caused when your regular breathing is interrupted during sleep.

This may be either a partial, or total, temporary cessation in the ability to breathe. An apnoea event is classified as an obstruction of the airway for ten seconds or longer. Sleep apnoea is a serious medical condition, and should not be dismissed as “just” snoring or feeling tired during the day. It can severely affect your overall health and quality of life.

During a sleep apnoea episode, sufferers will either:

- Completely stop breathing (known as an apnoea), and/or
- Have their breathing severely restricted (a hypopnea)

These events can happen hundreds of times per night. During each breathing interruption cycle, the body is starved of vital oxygen and increases carbon dioxide (a waste product of breathing) levels in the blood. The lack of oxygen supply to the body signals the brain to “wake” the body to start breathing again.

## What is the difference between snoring and sleep apnoea?

Not all people who snore have sleep apnoea, but most people who suffer from sleep apnoea will snore. Whilst snoring is a common symptom of sleep apnoea, sleep apnoea snoring is different from regular snoring.

## Obstructive sleep apnoea (OSA):

The most common type of sleep apnoea is Obstructive Sleep Apnoea (OSA). OSA occurs when the tongue, as well as the muscles and soft tissue at the back of the throat, relax during sleep. This causes them to collapse onto the airway, blocking the airway off. Luckily OSA is a treatable condition and for many patients the treatment may be as simple as wearing a dental appliance at night (which is also effective for the treatment of snoring).

## Sleep apnoea symptoms:

A proper diagnosis of sleep apnoea requires a sleep study to be completed. However, sleep apnoea can impact your health in many ways, and common symptoms include: loud and persistent snoring during sleep, pauses in breathing during sleep accompanied by episodes of choking or gasping for

air, excessive restlessness during the night, morning headaches, waking up feeling unrefreshed, and day-time sleepiness.

## Health consequences of sleep apnoea:

Sleep apnoea can severely affect your overall health and quality of life. Research suggests it may be a contributing factor in the development of many systemic health conditions, including: high blood pressure/hypertension, heart disease, stroke, diabetes and depression.

## Dentist consultation and sleep

## study:

If you are concerned about your snoring or worried you may be suffering from obstructive sleep apnoea, the first step is to have an initial consultation with a dentist. You may be referred to a specialist to conduct a sleep study. After your sleep study is completed, results will be reviewed and treatment options will be discussed.

## Treatment options:

There are three main treatment options for obstructive sleep apnoea. These are a dental appliance, a Continuous Positive Air Pressure (CPAP) machine, or in some cases surgery by an ear, nose and throat specialist. The appropriate treatment will depend on the cause and severity of each individual's condition.

Article by VC Dental.

## WILD DOG AND FOX CONTROL PROGRAM



Local Land Services  
Greater Sydney



Forestry Corporation



Dear neighbours,

Greater Sydney Local Land Services will be leading a wild dog and fox control program in the Central Coast.

As a result of strong support from local landholders, National Parks, Central Coast Council and the Forestry Corporation we have been able to develop and lead a broad, integrated pest animal control program. The high number of properties involved has been critical to achieving optimal outcomes and is crucial to the success of the program's implementation.

This program is part of our ongoing work to reduce pest animal numbers and their impact on primary production and native wildlife in these areas.

The below landholders are participating in the current program and will be laying 1080 wild dog and fox ground baits and Canid Pest Ejectors on the listed properties. The program will commence on the 8 April and run until 14 May 2021. Please restrain all domestic pets and working dogs during this time. In the unlikely event of accidental poisoning of domestic pets seek immediate veterinary assistance.

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707 Settlers Road Lower McDonald  
365 Oystershell Road Lower Mangrove  
1 Beans Place Somersby  
13 Springs Road Kulnura  
84 Phil Tunks Lane Lemon Tree  
3653 Wisemans Ferry Road Greengrove  
270 Grants Road Somersby  
1310 Wisemans Ferry Road Somersby  
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59 Chandlers Lane Wyong Creek  
380 Somersby falls Road Somersby  
277 Ravensdale Road Ravensdale  
2964 Wisemans Ferry Rd Mangrove Mountain  
Wyrabalalong National Park (northern section of Reserve at Magenta on both sides of Wilfred Barrett Drive)  
Tuggerah Nature Reserve (Lot 32 DP 1096069)  
Tuggerah State Conservation Area (Lot 2 DP 1093922)

If you would like to participate in a future program or have any questions please contact Gareth Cleal Phone – 0417 235 366, (02) 4724 2100 Email – gareth.cleal@lls.nsw.gov.au



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