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Rupert and Marianne - The Kendall Shop

New owners - The Kendall Shop

A big welcome to the local area to Rupert and Marianne, the new owners of The Kendall Shop! Taking over from Jackie and Courtney Scott, who bought the old butcher shop, reconstructed it as a convenience shop and ran it for exactly four years, Rupert and Marianne are continuing to provide a convenience service to the local community. They have expanded the selection of items available and have employed three locals to assist in the shop.

Rupert said that they are endeavouring to focus on serving the community and are keen to hear of any suggestions of further items to stock in the process of building up the business.

Rupert and Marianne had moved to Monterey as a retired couple, however have found themselves back working, and loving it. Please continue to support The Kendall Shop - open seven days – phone 6559 0201.

A big thank you to Jackie and Courtney for ensuring Kendall had a shop after the closure of the Kendall General Store. The local community appreciates your efforts!

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Kendall Showground -Welcomes Grant

The members of the Camden Haven Pastoral Agricultural Horticultural and Industrial Society (aka Kendall Showground) were absolutely delighted to receive two State Government grants recently.

The first grant of \$114,744 from the Crown Reserve Improvement Fund will fund the replacement of the horse stables and the second grant of \$39,729 from the Community Building Partnership Grant program will replace the cattle marshalling and holding yards.

Show Society President Ron Porter spoke of the urgent need to replace these aging facilities to accommodate the horses and cattle entrants for the upcoming Camden Haven Show in October. *Continued on page 2*

Members of the Show Society below with MP Leslie Williams at the front of the old horse stalls: (from left to right) Carol Hall, Sue Carter, President Ron Porter, Secretary Alison Haylett, Steve Tisdell (at back), MP Leslie Williams, and John Carter.



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"We will concentrate on engaging local tradesmen and as always rely on our volunteers. We really need more volunteers to assist with this project, so if you are interested, please contact me on 0427 569 690 and find out how you can help."

Member for Port Macquarie Leslie Williams, who has always been a great supporter of the local Kendall and Kew area, congratulated members of the Camden Haven PAH&I Society - see photo on page one.

A little of the history of Kendall Showground ... At a meeting of the Agricultural Bureau in 1931 chaired by Mr ST Boyd a motion was carried that a Junior Farmers Club be formed at Kendall. This show was held at the School in the Autumn of 1932 and was a great success. However, it was not until 1941 that the next show was held. It was decided that it should be held on the Sports Ground in November of that year. A lot of hard work ensued, poles cut for frameworks to be covered with tarpaulins for stalls, and coops for poultry. The Show was opened by Mr Clive Evatt, the Ringmaster was A. Wallace-Smith. With World War II came expected difficulties but the 1942 show went ahead.

Soon after in 1944 it was felt that a showground was needed and about 30 acres of land was purchased on Batar Creek Road from Mr H Everingham for ten pounds per acre. Two acres were later added from the Smith Estate on the northern end. It was years before the heavily timbered land was cleared and ready for a show. In 1948 a Show Committee was formed and the three committees were amalgamated to form the Camden Haven Show PAH&I Society, with HW Arnold, President, and JW Thickett as Secretary. The first Show on this ground was held in 1949.

Today the Kendall Showground is home to the annual Camden Haven Show as well as regular equestrian events, Camden Haven Pony Club, Kendall Men's Shed, Camden Haven Boxing Team, Kendall Blues Football Club, Tactile Arts Group, Kendall Markets and many, many other functions and events

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that happen within this magnificent community.

The Kendall Showground is unique, being one of only five privately owned Showgrounds in the New South Wales. That's right ... PMH Council does not own the Kendall Showground. That's why our members and supporters are so important. The Camden Haven PAH&I Society has to raise the funds for all upkeep, maintenance and improvements on the grounds. Become a member!

Kendall Community Op Shop News

... From the Community ... For the Community ... To the Community

Welcome to Winter!

A warm welcome to new volunteers Jonathan Swain and Linda Prisk.

Op Shop is open on Sunday 7th July, the first Sunday of the month. This coincides with the Kendall Showground Markets

Look out for a display of fascinating or unusual items these are always in the collectables and jewellery cabinets: volunteers interested in these areas are dedicating time and effort to research using the internet, each piece thoroughly to give a 'market' description with a fair price – in your favour for sure. Keep an eye on the shop's Facebook page, as unusual items are often pictured here.

Wintery weather finds us feeling like doing things at home: haberdashery, knitting needles, patterns and wool are available at the shop at very pleasing prices!

The upcoming end of the season SALE might be soon on the cards - WINTER CLOTHING galore is on display at the moment and heaps to choose from before spring arrives. At the shop there is a wide range of many "keeping-you-warm" and "rug-up" items at always favourable pricing levels.

How about these soul warming items like tea/coffee pots, winter warming socks and foot warmers in the wintery season? Come in and browse, plenty to choose from.

Looking for cooking utensils? Plenty of steak knives sets and cutting helpers waiting on new owners – just ask to see. They are kept in the sorting room for safety reasons.

Books.... What is your passion? Australian Poetry, Auto- or Biography, Children's books, Crime/Mystery, Fishing, Gardening, General Fiction, Non-fiction, Religion, Sports, Travel are only a few of the categories in stock. Next to books are CDs, DVDs, records/vinyls to keep you entertained at home.

Note the volunteers can advise you on what is appropriate to donate: You donate what you would give to a friend and family member. At the front counter there is also a list published of items and goods which cannot be accepted as resale of these items is not possible.

Let's recycle best we can to give assistance to the planet, keep plastic waste down and shop at the Op Shop to protect our children's future – and your wallet.

Lets all do more to become more sustainable – shopping second hand is improving survival for our next generations... Reuse, donate items you no longer want, give more of your things as a contribution to a sustainable life and make some extra money – or re-use/purchase others 'treasured items' to save money and the environment – and you do a huge favour to the planet. Also, it makes everyday items more affordable to a person, to a family in need as we all know, cost of living expenses are on the rise.

Do you know that Aussies have an average of 19 unused items in their wardrobes/homes – find yours and donate them – somebody else make good use of them!

If you are interested in volunteering and being part of giving back to the community: get an "Expression of Interest" form from the OpShop at 1a Comboyne St, Kendall NSW 2439 or tel. 6559 0084.

Browse www.kendallcommunityopshop.com.au and/or look <u>www.facebook.com/kendallcommunityopshop</u> up. Make the volunteers proud for donating their effort and time for a good cause. Everyone can pass by at the Op Shop (check the opening times). Just follow the health safety rules and regulations given by the NSW's government – it's for the protection of us all.

Selling 2nd hand isn't new, but what the planet needs is more buyers!



If you require any help, please speak to a Volunteer for assistance



Camden Haven Landcare WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THE BIRDS AND THE BEES?

As part of an Energy Forever grant, five local Landcare groups will present a day of interesting workshops on Saturday 13th July at Laurieton United Services Club from 10.30-3.30 pm.

Les Mitchell, from Port Macquarie Landcare with his expert background in botany from Port will talk about the emerging concept of urban or microforests. This involves creating 'multi -storey habitat' on small pockets of urban land. Butterfly and moth expert Tony Moore will present fascinating information about the role that insects play in creating healthy environments.

Sue Baker from Dunbogan and Laurieton Landcare will address the issue of invasion and spread of weeds such as bitou bush, lantana and morning glory vine, a problem now so serious in transforming our ecosystems that they are listed nationally as Key Threatening Processes to our ecosystems

In recent years, many local people have become interested in native bees. Two community members well-known for their commitment to helping to save these endangered bees will explore this topic with Diane Norris, doing a presentation and over lunch Jim Marchment showing how to build a native bee hotel.

With a strong background in ecology, John Broadbent who is currently writing a book about the flora and fauna of the Camden Haven, will talk about native fauna including several endangered species that call our area home.

Python and snake breeder Michael Banicek will show how he has created a variety of habitats in his urban garden and the astonishing array



Photo above by Ted Hunt

of fauna such as frogs and lizards that have been attracted to, and now flourish there.

The workshop and lunch are free. Information on how to book will be available in the local paper the week prior plus on the Hastings Landcare website hastingslandcare.org.au and facebook.com/HastingsLandcare.

Camden Haven Rural Fire Brigade

held their AGM recently. The outgoing Captain Tom Patrick thanked all the members for their dedication over the year and spoke about some impressive statistics. Over the year the brigade volunteered 4,235 hours which included 146 incidents, training, community engagement and PR.

The core business of the RFB is Bushfire suppression, they also provide fire protection at motor vehicle accidents, assist Ambulance and police and assist SES for flood and storm related incidents.

They welcomed their new Captain David Handley and Senior Deputy Captain Jackson Boswell. 5 deputy Captains were also elected.

If you are interested in joining and learning some great skills and meet new friends you can contact David (Captain) 0402292550. We meet on the Third Wednesday of the month at 7 pm at the Station 179 Kendall Rd Kew (alongside the Kew Country Club). Our next is

18th July 2024.

Monday10:00am to 1:00pmTuesday10:00am to 1:00pmWednesday10:00am to 1:00pmThursday9:00am to 1:00pmFriday10:00am to 1:00pmSaturday10:00am to 1:00pm

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PHOTO left to right/ Outgoing Capt. Tom Patrick, Henry Thrash, Mathew Sproul, Capt. David Handley, Jackson Boswell, Ron Morris and Brett Morrow.



Kendall District

Garden Club News

At the June meeting Doug Pope chaired the meeting in the absence of John Carter.

Doug discussed the excursion to Cairncross today and that it will be repeated at the August meeting with a corresponding meeting here at the Hall for those not attending. There are still a few spots available for the excursion in August for anyone wishing to go.

July meeting will be our birthday party meeting. Jim and Janet will talk to us about their trip to Iceland. All contributions to morning tea and to the lucky door prize at that meeting will be very welcome.

Show and Tell. Don explained about 'good senna' (senna acclinis) and bad senna (senna pendula) .He had some free samples of senna acclinis and information sheets for those interested. Diane had some camellia and poinsettia flowers to give away. She also outlined the plants and fertilisers available for sale on a help yourself and put money in the tin basis. There are also a number of seedling trays available in exchange for a donation.

Garden Problems. Helen has pansy seedlings collapsing in her garden. Discussion as to the cause and solutions were inconclusive.

Gail told us of the problem of a satin bower bird eating the leaves of her passion fruit vine.

Controlling bandicoots discussed. Don has used ammonia and wire netting and rocks around small plants with some success.

Discussion on controlling onion weed. Very difficult. Spraying where possible, cutting and pasting (Diane suggested using scissors dipped in undiluted roundup to cut the tops off) removing flowers to prevent seeding, salt, vinegar and boiling water, and digging the bulbs out, along with the soil around the bulbs. All difficult when there are other plants around.

A thank you to all those who brought morning tea and to Diane for organising.

Guest Speaker Jenna O'Connor. Jenna is the Liveable Communities Education Officer with the Port Macquarie Hastings Council. Jenna spoke to us about the Urban Water Cycle.

The Urban Water Cycle is the man-made cycle that takes water from the environment, makes it available to humans and then returns it to the environment. Our catchment is unique because we cannot catch water where it is to be stored (like the Warragamba Dam) because of the unsuitable terrain. The Urban Water Cycle consists of two parts. The collecting and distribution of water and the collection and cleaning of used water.

The **first part** of the cycle involves taking water from the Hastings River and either pumping it directly to homes in the Wauchope region or pumping it to storage dams at Cowarra and Port Macquarie and then distributing it throughout the Council area. Camden Haven is serviced by the South Arm Trunk pipe and a series of reservoirs.

There are three pumping stations situated on Koree Island near Wauchope and they extract 120 mega litres (ML) per day from the centre layer of the Hastings River where the cleanest water is. Water is not pumped during droughts. Cowarra Dam has a capacity of 10,000 ML and 20 ML is used each day. Households conserved water during the drought but Cowarra still got down to30% capacity.

Future water security, with decreasing dependency on rainfall, is being researched at the moment. Strategies include raising the dam wall, a desalination plant and recycled water.

The **second part** of the Urban Water Cycle involves managing storm water and waste water. Managing waste water is done at a number of waste water treatment plants and involves firstly, educating households to keep solid contaminants like wet wipes, cotton buds, fats and oils and other things out of the waste water system. It is very expensive and disruptive to remove huge accumulations of wipes and fat burgers. Cotton buds are small and will go through fine mesh into treatment plants and interfere with aeration processes. Residents are asked to flush only the three Ps. Pee, Poo and paper.

Once the solid waste is removed from waste water, the water goes into aeration ponds where it is biologically treated using bacteria, oxygen and nitrogen. No chemicals are used. It becomes treated water or effluent. This effluent is skimmed off and the sludge below is taken to green waste facilities, dewatered and turned into compost. It is sold to large scale operators like avocado farms.

The effluent is further treated using UV before being able to be discharged into creeks. It is still not fit to drink and can be further treated using ultrafiltration and semi permeable membranes and UV again. Reverse osmosis can remove salts and chemicals which bind to the water molecules along with more UV. Chlorine is then added to help keep pipes clean. This water is still not potable but can be used to water playing fields and some new estates in Port Macquarie have dual reticulation systems which will use it. The Council web site has a section on water with lots of information.

Next meeting will be held on Monday 15th July 2024



Kendall Community Garden

Cabbage Eating Moths Minimise Through the Efforts of Social Butterflies

The Global Food Garden has been chugging away nicely, despite the onset of cold weather and shorter days. Cabbages have been faring particularly well which was not the case in last year's autumn.



This success is likely attributable to the management of white moths which seemed over fond of our beautiful brassicas previously. We have engineered a brilliant frame with netting to keep the moths away, whilst allowing the young plants to grow unimpeded by the weight of the net. There has also been some conjecture that a

wetter season may have also inhibited the moth numbers.

LAURIETON HOTEL FISHING CLUB

Only 1 category fished this weekend, Estuary. Fish caught were Leatherjacket, Bream, Flathead and Blackfish, winner of Estuary was Jack Miller who also took out the \$50 prize. Peter Lowe took out the \$20 Social Members' prize.

Thank you to Jess and Ben for manning the BBQ and Shaz for our yummy Buns and Salads. Thank you to T-Bones Premium Meats Laurieton for our Delicious meats and Taste Bakehouse Laurieton for our buns.

Annual memberships run from June to June each year and are now due to be paid, Single \$25 and Families \$50. Membership fees must be paid to be eligible for to participate in weigh ins and family days. If you have recently joined our Club in the last 3 months your membership will carry you until June 2025. See Dee or Yas to pay your fees.

Anyone wishing to join our Fishing Club please come along to our next Weigh In every 3rd Sunday of the month out front of the Pub at 1pm and we'll sign you up. Our fees are listed above. Club Caps are available with velcro or metal adjustment straps \$25 due to cost increases, Club shirts \$40 and Black winter hoodies \$50. See Yas or Dee to order.

From 1 March 2024 Eastern Blue Groper are not to be caught by any method.

If you're going out on the water please check that you have all safety gear required for Estuary or Deep Sea Boats, you have your serviced life jackets and Fishing Licence if you need to carry one. Please be mindful of those fish sizes and bag limits.

FishSmart and SharkSmart Apps are available to download to your phones for Bag, Size & Limits, Bar information, Shark sightings etc, just go to your App Store or Google Play and download. You can also visit Service NSW and the DPI, Department of Primary Industry websites for more information. Next Weigh In 21 July 2024 1pm start out front of the Pub, Committee Meeting to follow, all members are welcome to attend. Regardless, some very impressive cabbages are about ready for harvest.

The gardening crew have been busy, as always, with maintenance and seasonal planting. We have also been preparing a new area for growing along the fenceline. All work and no play is not our goal, however, so we were delighted to attend lunch at Tin and lan's farm in Logan's Crossing. We were treated to a range of Burmese dishes which featured locally grown, organic produce and the company was excellent as always. The Global Food Gardeners meet every week on a Thursday morning to work in the garden and share knowledge (sometimes seedlings too). If you are inclined to join, or are looking to purchase some delicious seasonal veg, feel free to pop in from around 9.30am.



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What's next at Kendall Music Exchange?

I hear you ask. Well, I'm so glad you asked. Its that time of year again and those cheeky rascals **BLOKES NOTES** are returning to perform for us. **WHERE:** Kendall Community Hall, Comboyne St, Kendall

WHEN; 5 July, 2024

DOORS OPEN AT 6.30 PM

Bring an instrument, or not, and be part of the entertainment in our OPEN $\ensuremath{\mathsf{MIC}}$

Meet friends, and make new ones during our ever popular light supper. Feel free to bring a cold finger food plate to add to our supplied supper.

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Then enjoy the sights and sounds of our feature act for the night.

If you'd like to join our small team of volunteers, on occasion, we can always do with more helping hands.

See you there, and thank you for supporting live music and friendship in the community.

Kennedy Returns for PhiloMusica

The brilliant pianist Nicholas Kennedy will return to Kendall on Sunday, August 4 at 2 pm for a Philomusica recital. After standing ovations in Kendall last year for performances of Beethoven, Brahms and Schubert, Nicholas will present a varied program of piano works by Bach, Chopin,

Miriam Hyde, Beethoven and Liszt. This will be a unique concert which also features an appearance of The Occasional Choir from Port Macquarie directed by Robyn Ryan OAM performing a Schubert Mass.

Nicholas Kennedy is one of Australia's most exciting young musicians and his performance have been acclaimed as "stirring, magnetic and powerful".



Tickets for PhiloMusica concerts are \$ 30 and can be booked at <u>www.kendallviolin.org.au</u> or by phoning Mavis Barnes (02) 6559 4339 or by emailing

mavis.barnes@bigpond.com

Profits from the performances will benefit the Kendall National Violin Competition. Details about all of this year's Kendall Philomusica concerts are found on the Competition's website (<u>www.kendallviolin.org.au</u>).

KENDALL MUSIC EXCHANGE



Mens acapella group Blokes Notes have been inflicting their vocal prowess on audiences willing and unwilling, throughout the wide

Port Macquarie and beyond since 2009. The Kendall MusicExchange has been a favourite annual pilgrimage for the Blokes since 2016 sharing their nostalgia, whimsical, inspirational, furious, embarrassed & bewildered song repertoire. If you enjoy acapella singing in the bass clef, have a secret thing for beards, or simply revel in the spectacle of a bunch of blokes all trying to march with the same foot first, then come along and see them perform on 5 July

Blokes return with some of their Bloke top hits, including four songs they will take to the International stage the following week competing in the *World Choir Games In Auckland*, along with over 250 choirs from all over the globe, with their illustrious, talented Musical Director (not a bloke) Leanne Johnson.



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KENDALL CWA News

The ladies of the Kendall CWA have again been busy this past month.

The highlight was our Mid North Coast Group, annual Agricultural / Environment and Handicraft Day on the 4th June. Kendall CWA Members hosted this annual event held at the Kendall Community Hall. Lots of effort and teamwork went into making this day a huge success.

The day was divided into two sessions. The morning was Agricultural and Environment and the afternoon session Handicraft. Scones for morning tea and a box with sandwiches, slices and fruit salad for lunch. Thank you to all our members for their contribution to the day.

Louise Waterson from Gloucester was our Guest Speaker in the morning session.

Louise spoke and shared her knowledge on the topic of Fungi. Every year we study different topics and Fungi has been chosen for this year.



Louise works as a home support worker and has grown an interest and passion in this subject. Louise interest and fascination in Fungi has developed over the last nine years and loves to go bush walking and to forage in her local area. Louise has set up and runs a face book page, called NEW SOUTH WALES FUNGI. We saw many different specimens of Fungi gathered by Louise the day prior to her presentation. I am sure a lot of us were encouraged to start taking an interest in fungi on our next bush walk and even in our own backyards.

FUNGI:

Just a little information to, whet your appetite on this amazing subject.

Mycology is the branch of biology concerned with the study of fungi. Little is known of the true biodiversity of the fungus kingdom, which has been estimated at around 2.2 million to 3.8 million species. Of these only about 148,000 have been described. Fungi perform an essential role in the decomposition of organic matter and have fundamental roles in nutrient cycling and exchange in the environment. They have been long used as direct source of human food, in form of mushrooms and truffles, as a leavening agent for bread, and fermentation of various food products, such as wine, beer and soy sauce.. Since 1940s fungi have been used for production of antibiotics. Various enzymes produced by fungi are used industrially and in detergents and the list goes on about this fascinating fungi. En.m.wilipedia.org

The afternoon session on Handicraft was organised by our very own Handicraft Officer Elizabeth Watson. We were presented with the opportunity to participate in a number of workshops on Candle Wicking Embroidery, Slow Stitching, Blocking your knits and crochet work and Quilt as you go blocks and joining techniques. Many of us went away with great ideas for our future handicraft work.

Social Day: 1st Tuesday of the month at 11am. Monthly Meeting: 3rd Tuesday of the month at 10.00am. Kendall War Memorial Trust Hall, Graham Street, Kendall (next to the Services Club)

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE CWA KENDALL BRANCH Phone Nan Bowman – 0400 265 056.

Kendall Community Boatshed Update

On Saturday 25th of May 2024, 13 paddlers set off from the Log Wharf Reserve at Telegraph Point for a relatively easy and incident free entry to the water!

This historical Telegraph Point area was first settled by Europeans in the 1820's and, in 1869, a telegraph line was constructed between Port Macquarie and Armidale. Work on the line was held up here for some time, hence the name Telegraph Point.

As we left the boat ramp, we paddled upstream on the Wilsons River. The cool autumn air, with a little cloud cover, made for perfect paddling conditions - with no need for the usual groans about wind, tides or rain! The river meanders its way up past farmland and some beautiful riverside houses and after around 4 kms, we stopped on the riverbank for a

not always been quite so tranquil, with some impressively fast racing craft using the river for their practices runs! After returning to the water, we paddled a further 15 minutes upstream before turning around and making our way

quiet morning tea break. Previous paddles on this river have

minutes upstream before turning around and making our way back to the boat ramp. After packing up, the group headed to the Rivermark Cafe (joined by some fellow kayakers who were

unable to make the paddle) for lunch, a good chat and inevitable talks of upcoming excursions. Excitement is building for the next 3-day "away" paddle at lovely Stuarts Point. Not long now!



Have you donated to the WINTER APPEAL

Theo Hazelgrove from Community at 3 has highlighted the rising costs in assisting people with an increase of approx,. 25% on this time last year.

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July 2024

What's on in and around the Camden Haven

BOWLS ON THURSDAY - 9.00am at Kew Country Club. LUSC mixed triples - Warren 0497 808 230

CAMDEN HAVEN DAY VIEW CLUB - 3rd Monday of month at LUSC at 11am - Helen on 6585 4454 or email camdenhavendayview@gmail.com

CAMDEN HAVEN DRAGON BOATS - Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Sat & Sun - am & pm runs - back of LUSC - contact Maureen Phinn 0421 610 321

CAMDEN HAVEN GIRL GUIDES - Thursdays - Junior - 4:30-6:00pm; Guides & Seniors - 6:30-8:30pm - Laurieton Sea Scout Hall, Tunis St, Laurieton - Kim Woodhouse - 0427 645 145 every Thursday

CAMDEN HAVEN PAH&I SOCIETY - Office open Wednesday - 9am-12pm - Kendall Showground phone 6559 4463 - President Ron Porter

CAMDEN HAVEN RURAL FIRE BRIGADE - 3rd Wednesday - 7:30pm - 179 Kendall Road, Kew - Captain David Handley 0402 295 550

CAMDEN HAVEN LANDCARE - 4th Monday - 7:30pm - Kendall War Memorial Hall - Jim 6559 4352

CAMDEN HAVEN ORCHID SOCIETY - 3rd Tuesday - 2:30pm - 5:00pm - LUSC - Phone Don 0429 930 022.

CAMDEN HAVEN COMBINED PROBUS CLUB - meet LUSC - 2nd Wednesday at 10am. Contact Sue Moore 0448 999 339 or Wilma Boyd 0427 859 581.

CAMDEN HAVEN SEA SCOUTS - Mondays 6.15pm-8.15pm for Venturers ages 14-18years, Tuesdays 6-8pm for Scouts 11-14 years and Wednesdays 6-7.30pm for Cubs 8-11 years - Scout Hall Tunis St Laurieton - Joy McInally 0437 526 232

CAMDEN HAVEN UNITED HOSPITAL AUXILIARY - meet Mondays 9am -12md - HACC Building, Laurie St, Laurieton. Bronwyne 0401 528 692.

GOLF COACHING - Sundays - 9am - Kew Country Club - Luke Garel 6559 4596

HEART HEALTH WALKING GROUP - Mondays - behind the LUSC at 9am - coffee and chat at 10am in the club - Reg 0400 143 182

KENDALL BOAT SHED - kayaking on the river - Tuesday & Thursday 9am - Kendall Boat Ramp - Diane 6559 0159

KENDALL BOOK CLUB - 1st Wednesday - 2pm - at 'Bookends' - next meeting - 5th June.

KENDALL COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP - 2nd Wednesday (term time) - 9am-10:30am - Kendall Public School - 6559 0040

KENDALL CWA - 3rd Tuesday - 10am - Kendall War Memorial Hall - Nan Bowman - 0400 265 056

KENDALL GARDEN GROUP - 3rd Monday - 10am - Kendall Community Hall - John Carter - 6556 9677

KENDALL COMMUNITY GARDEN - Thursday - 10am-12pm - Kendall Community Centre - Tin Hta Nu - 6559 4834 / 0448 315 169

KENDALL KETTLES CRAFT GROUP - 2nd & 4th Monday - 9am-1pm - Kendall S&C Club - Sue Ward 0474 873 835

KENDALL SHOWGROUND MARKETS - 1st Sunday - 8am-12pm - Kendall Showground - Louise Hudson 6559 4163

KENDALL MEN'S SHED - Tuesday & Thursday - 8am-4pm & 8am-12pm - Kendall Showground - John White 0427 562 800

KENDALL RIDING FOR THE DISABLED - Tuesday & Wednesday - 8:30am-1:30pm - 29 The Old Coach Road Kendall - 0450 798 874

KENDALL RSL SUB-BRANCH - 2nd Sunday - 10am Kendall Services & Citizens Club - Lance 6559 4478 / 0402 477 390

KENDALL TENNIS & PICKLEBALL CLUB - Check out the Club's website for court hire & competition details - <u>https://play.tennis.com.au/kendalltennisclub</u> Phone Wendy on 0419 634 848.

KEW MEN'S BOWLS - Wednesday & Alternate Fri/Sat - 9am & 12:30pm - Kew Country Club - Phone Chicka Thompson 0423 787 325 or text Frank 0417 698 899

LAURIETON LIBRARY * DISCUSSION GROUP - Mondays 10am to 12md - Carolyn 6559 8849 or Anne 6559 4690.

* SENIORS RIGHTS ADVOCATE - 1st Friday of month in 2024 10am to 11am. - your local advocate Jill McDonnell.

LINE DANCING - DIAMONDS AND DENIM - Mondays (not 3rd Monday) 11am - Beginners welcome - Kendall Community Hall - Di Andrews - 0418 636 278

LONE RANGERS CRAFT - Wednesdays - 10am - Lorne Community Hall - Phone Nicole - 6559 9773

LORNE RURAL FIRE BRIGADE - 2nd Monday - 7:30pm - Fire Station Stewarts River Road - Aaron 0438 074 828

NORTH HAVEN PHYSICAL CULTURE CLUB - Tuesday - Ladies classes - 10am - North Haven Community Hall) & Tuesday - little ones, juniors, teenagers & ladies - 4pm - Laurieton School of Arts - Narelle 0402 329 500 or <u>northhavenphysie@gmail.com</u>

PILATES WITH ALI - Monday 4.30 - 5.30pm and Friday 9am - 10am - Kendall Community Hall - Phone Ali - 0431 463 461

TACTILE ARTS GROUP @ KENDALL - Monday to Saturday - 9am-3pm by arrangement - Kendall Showground - Carol 0427 625 751

THE MEETING PLACE CAFE & MARKET BAZAAR - Every Thursday - 9am - 12md - Kendall Community Centre - Phone 6559 0055 for bookings

The last word ... A little nonsense now and then is relished by the wisest men. - ROALD DAHL