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# PYRAMID PRESS

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## WINNERS!!



***In this issue: A Bowl by Bowl re-cap of the PHBC Premiership victory, Drag Bingo, Church of Christ Easter services, Rock and Roll Dancing coming to Pyramid Hill, Firewood season approaches, amended V/Line Timetable for the month of March, Goulburn Murray Water coming to Pyramid Hill, PHFNC Practise Match series commences, What Can I do at Neighbourhood House, College news, St Pats students from 70's 80's the museum needs your help! Landcare grants***

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**WHAT'S ON**

**Puddle Jumping**

Sunday | Mount Hope

**Boortanica - Boort Easter Art Show**

4 & 5 April Free art entry, drop artwork off at BRIC by 31 March

**Finders Keepers Op Shop - furniture and tools**

Shed next to Pyramid Hill Store

Opening times Sunday **10am - 1pm** | All proceeds from sales go back into our community. Accepting donations of quality used goods. **\*\*CLOSED MARCH 8\*\***

**Pyramid Hill Golf Trail Park Run**

Saturdays | 7.45am for an 8am start at the Hill

**Minelab Wedderburn Detector Jamboree**

Family weekend, competitions, displays and demonstrations Saturday 7 - Sunday 8 March (03) 5494 1257 [www.visitloddonvalley.com.au](http://www.visitloddonvalley.com.au)

**Flavours of Loddon - Bridgewater foreshore**

Sunday 8 March 4pm - 8pm

**Yarawalla Day / Cousins Day**

Sunday 8 March 11am | Yarrawalla Hall, contact Owen Rule 0448112233

**Kayaking in Loddon | Durham Ox | Serp Creek**

21 & 22 March 10am and 3pm

**VALE - Graham Cockerill**

It is with sadness we have heard of the passing of Graham this week, after a long illness. Our thoughts go out to his friends and family at this time.

**REGULAR ACTIVITIES**

**TUESDAYS**

**Staying Strong Exercises** | Kelly Park Exercise Equipment | 9.30am - 10.30am \$5 per class

**Coffee and Catch Up** | 10:15 AM | All Welcome | Neighbourhood House

**Justice of the Peace** | Neighbourhood House | Tuesdays 12.30PM - 2PM, 3rd March, 17th March, 31st March

**Goldfields Library visit** | 11:30 AM | Neighbourhood House

**Bowls Practise** Each Tuesday at 4.30pm Pyramid Hill Bowling Club

**WEDNESDAYS**

**Book Club** | 4:30 PM | FIRST Wednesday of each month. This month *'Daughters of Batavia'* by Stefanie Koens TWO vacant spots in Book Club! Come join us.

**Moderate Movers**

12.30PM | Community Centre in McKay St | Bring a towel / exercise mat and a cold drink.

**THURSDAYS**

**Art Group** | 10.30 AM | informal crafty arty gathering | Neighbourhood House

**Card Sharks** | 2PM | Neighbourhood House [other games available too]

**FRIDAYS**

**Pyramid Hill Playgroup** | 10:00 AM | Preschool, 67 Kelly St [Storytime and activities once a month with Goldfields Libraries see Pyramid Hill Playgroup on FB for more details].

**Senior Citizens** each Friday | Community Centre McKay Street. Cuppa, chat and games. On the 2nd and 4th Fridays join us for a community meal commencing at 12 noon. Other Fridays commence at 1pm. **For more information please contact Terry on 0429843479 or Lyn on 0428564006.**



Registrations are essential! Scan the QR code or visit the link below to register. [healthyloddoncampspe.au/kayaking-loddon](http://healthyloddoncampspe.au/kayaking-loddon)



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SATURDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> MARCH  
6:30PM - 9PM  
BOORT MEMORIAL HALL

**Hosted by: Della Katessen**

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**ANGLICAN CHURCH—Durham Ox Rd Pyramid Hill**

1st Sunday of each month join with the UCA at Tyndale Church at 10.00am  
2nd Sunday 9.00am HC at St Thomas' Anglican Church  
3rd Sunday join with the UCA at Tyndale Church at 10.00am  
4th Sunday 11.00am HC at St Thomas' Anglican Church

Enquiries: Rev Sue Allen 0417 365 386  
Bill Boyd 0448 219 457

**CHURCH OF CHRIST—Kelly St Pyramid Hill**

Every Sunday at 11.00am  
Enquiries: June Smith 0438 062 646

**ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH—Victoria St Pyramid Hill**

Saturday Mass 6.30pm each week  
Wednesday Mass 6.00pm each week  
Enquiries: Contact Kerang Presbytery 5452 1041

**TYNDALE UNITING CHURCH—Victoria St Pyramid Hill**

1st Sunday of each month 10.00am at Tyndale Church  
2nd Sunday 9.00am join with Anglicans at St Thomas' Church  
3rd Sunday 10.00am at Tyndale Church  
4th Sunday 11.00am join with Anglicans at St Thomas' Church  
Enquiries: Rev'd Mark Boyce 0402 906 780

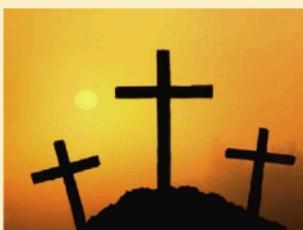
**PYRAMID HILL KIDS ROCK—for all school-aged children**

Every second Tuesday during term 3:30-5:00 PM  
Uniting Church Enquiries: Robyn 0427 561 973

**Pyramid Hill Church of Christ**  
Kelly Street, Pyramid Hill

**Good Friday Service**

**3rd April, 2026**  
**10.00 am**



**All Welcome**

# PUBLIC NOTICES

## Help Needed Please

Anyone who attended  
St. Pat's School in the  
late 1970s and  
early 1980s.

The museum has a number of  
school photos without names.

Museum open Tuesdays  
at 10.00 am

## ROCK N ROLL DANCE LESSONS

Courtesy of Bendigo Jailhouse rockers  
club



Pyramid Hill Hall Friday Nights  
20<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> March  
10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> of April (easter off)  
7-9pm (arrive at 6:45)

\$60 per person for 4 weeks  
to be paid upfront on the 20th

please no children in the hall during lessons, great  
excuse to get a sitter and have a night out

Contact

Meg Stewart : 0429 366 470  
or Trevor Mac : 0428 633 345

# BOWLS NOTES

## *Premiers Premiers Premiers Premiers Premiers*

*In a result that will be remembered for years to come, our PHBC Division 2 team produced a wonderful and completely unexpected victory in the Saturday Pennant last weekend. Premiers! How good does that sound!! Around forty years in the making.*

Facing the Cohuna Golf team who had finished second on the ladder, I doubt few gave us much chance, although we, ourselves, sort of had some self-belief. Neither side really had bragging rights as we had played off three times during sectional play and pretty much shared the chocolates, although one could well presume that Cohuna Golf were blessed with more confidence and consistency having been in finals play offs previously. But as every bowler knows, on the day, composure and teamwork can outweigh statistics. We entered the finals as underdogs, but we dared to give credit to our determination and unity that would carry us all the way to the title. We dared to believe! We had already beaten Barham and Wakool. Now it was time for "little David to take on one more giant".

From the very first few ends it was clear that maybe, just maybe, something special was unfolding. Four ends played on each rink and we would have liked to call "game over" as we had all started well and, by establishing a handy overall lead, were looking the goods. Lionel Mann with Carmen Cauchi, Glen Atkins and Joe Cauchi were up 6 shots to 1. Marie Scott, with Marie Noelker, Terry Stobaus and Ian Bartels were 4 shots to 3 up, while Jan Leed, with Jean Mann, Kate Wood and Rose Harris had shot out of the blocks to get a 7 shot to 1 lead. Jan was on fire early and had secured four shots on her third end. Things were looking really promising. Our Lead bowlers, Joe, Rose and Ian set the tone brilliantly, drawing shots and placing pressure on the opposition. The Seconds (Glen, Terry and Kate) were building steadily. The Thirds, (Carmen, Marie N. and Jean) were responding to the directions from the Skips to protect slender advantages and limit any big scoring ends. Precision drawing and clever tactical play by Lionel, Jan and Marie S. kept the scoreboard tight throughout the opening stages.



As the match progressed momentum began to shift. We seemed to flag - with only Jan's rink holding firm. By afternoon tea, it seemed the rot had set in. Lionel's rink had plummeted to give up twelve shots over five ends, including one tally of five, allowing Cohuna Golf to attain a lead of six shots. In like fashion, Marie S and team forfeited ten shots over three ends also gifting the opposition five shots on one end to allow Cohuna Golf an eleven shot lead on that rink. Thankfully, Jan's crew were more than holding their own and keeping us all in the game. They were eight shots up. The aggregate scoreboard showed a tight contest, but the ten shot deficit was going to require something special to bridge the gap.

The turning point came somewhere after the sandwich break, because by the time 48 of the required 63 ends came along, a quick glimpse of the aggregated board showed PH two shots in front, 43- 41. How that

happened is a bit of a blur! Marie S. and co closed the gap slightly but were still six shots down. Lionel and his team were still seven shots down, but both rinks were limiting the damage of their opponents – keeping them to scores of one each time. In the meantime our ladies team kept forging ahead not allowing their opponents to score at all for seven ends.

Suddenly, on the playing of the fifty-seventh end, belief surged through the whole side. Crucial multiple-shot ends tallying twelve shots across the rinks lifted spirits and narrowed the gap. From that point on confidence grew visibly, but so did the butterflies stir and the nerves jingle. Every bowl delivered carried purpose. Even if we didn't hold shot we had to negate big scores from our opposition. Every measure was met with hopeful anticipation from teammates and supporters alike.

In the closing ends, nerves were tested but never broken. Calm heads, steady hands, clear communication (and sick stomachs) carried the team through. The final ends were tense and dramatic. Inch by inch, end by end, we whittled away the shortfall. Under pressure our Skips were hanging firm. Lionel in particular was drawing raucous cheers from the spectators, producing brilliant shots that could edge into perfect resting places for shot. Suddenly the handbrake was released and his team surged ahead. Trailing by two shots with just one end to play, his crew put in a mighty effort to complete their match just one shot in arrears – 19-20. They were actually holding five shots on the last end but the opposing Skip cut them back to just one – dang! It was not a win, but could well be classed as a win, as they placed the whole match in an advantageous position. Next to complete their match was Jan and her ladies. It was not their finest moment of the hours when, on their last end, they looked like giving up 6+ shots which could well have set the cat amongst the pigeons. But rally and steady they did! Both Jean and Jan drew in beautiful (oh such beautiful) bowls, to go from six down to three up and complete a magnificent day out of the office with a victory 31-9. Albanese give them a public holiday!!! Last to finish was the rink with Marie S and her troops. Under great duress they had managed to contain their loss to a side-manageable seven shots down. Picking up four shots on their second last end was a bonus. All match they had had to contend with the impeccable bowling of the opposing Lead whose precision was admirable, but, to us, painful. They finished with a tally of 16-23 loss but they had combined well, never panicked and gave of their best to add to the overall win.

When the final bowl was delivered and the last measure completed, the scoreboard confirmed what had seemed an improbable dream only hours (3 ½ long hours) earlier – we were Premiers. A fourteen shot victory – 66 -52. Cheers and applause erupted around the greens as players embraced, scarcely believing what had happened. We were like deers caught in the headlights- shocked, amazed, elated, struggling to take in what had just happened. Premiers! What a sweet sounding word!

The victory was not built on individual brilliance alone but on unity, resilience, and faith in one another. Pats on the backs and words of encouragement and praise flowed throughout the game as we egged each other along. This victory was not just about skill, but about teamwork, resilience, and belief. Every member of the



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side contributed – steady Leads, reliable Seconds, strategic Thirds, and inspired leadership from the Skips. Accolades are also extended to our pivotal and dedicated emergency players, David Demaine and Lyn Claridge, who were vital to our success. All in all it was a triumph of persistence over reputation and teamwork over expectation.

A wonderful and surprising win – and a Premiership that will be treasured by players, supporters and Club Members alike. Well done, one and all! Up the Hill, On Ya - and all of that. The celebratory dinner at the Victoria Hotel was so sweet. Thanks for the meals and the decorations. Much appreciated.

**Hearty Congratulations** to other Premiership winners: Super League = Murray Downs over Cohuna Golf by one shot; Division 1 = Wakool over Cohuna Golf by 9 shots; Division 3 = Cohuna over Kerang Golf by eight shots. Some very thrilling matches.

**Congratulations to Marie Scott** on being awarded a Life Membership with NDPA. Marie spends hours and hours working behind the scenes to ensure we all stay organised and on track. Her skills as a Secretary and Manager are second to none. A well-deserved bestowment.

**Next Tournament at PH** is Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March, at 4:30pm. All hands on deck, please.

***On the brighter side: What could possibly be brighter than winning a Premiership – that is no joke***

## Landcare Grants to boost outstanding work of volunteers

Landcare groups and environmental volunteers are receiving more support to care for nature.

The Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action (DEECA) is inviting applications for the Victorian Government Landcare Grants totaling \$3.55 million to fund projects making a difference to enhance and protect Victoria's great outdoors.

Landcare and environmental volunteer groups can apply for grants of up to \$20,000 for projects, and \$500 for support, from now until 23 April 2026.

Last year 509 Landcare and environmental groups across the state shared in \$3.56 million in grants, helping fund on-ground works, community education and engagement activities, group development and small grants supporting administrative functions including insurance, incorporation and operational costs.

Grants are available to all Victorian Landcare and environmental volunteer groups, including Landcare and Friends groups, Conservation Management Networks, Committees of Management, Coastcare groups and Traditional Owner or Aboriginal groups and organisations working on Country.

For more information, visit [environment.vic.gov.au/grants/victorian-landcare-grants](https://environment.vic.gov.au/grants/victorian-landcare-grants)



# Pyramid Hill College

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## Principal's Meeting

We at Pyramid Hill College were delighted to host 25 principals from the Loddon and Campaspe Shires on February 26. It was a valuable opportunity to connect, share ideas, and showcase our school community. Guests enjoyed a tour of our learning spaces and witnessed the positive and engaging environment our students experience every day.

## Sandhurst Swimming

We are incredibly proud of Lucy and Tia for being selected to compete in the Sandhurst Primary Swimming Competition. Both girls represented our school with determination and sportsmanship, swimming brilliantly and achieving personal best times. What a fantastic achievement!



## Hands-on Learning

Hands-on Learning has kicked off the year with energy and enthusiasm. Students have embraced a range of practical activities, building teamwork and confidence along the way. One highlight was preparing and cooking their own morning tea — a wonderful opportunity to develop independence and life skills.



## QUICK Updates

**MARCH 2026**

- 9** Public Holiday
- 10** LMR Swimming  
Lego Group
- 11-13** NAPLAN



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### PYRAMID HILL RECYCLE CENTRE & TIP

Ballast Road Pyramid Hill

Opening Hours Tuesday - 1pm-5pm and Sunday - 8am-12pm  
For more information on garbage & recycling visit [loddon.vic.gov.au](http://loddon.vic.gov.au)

### PYRAMID HILL COMMUNITY OP SHOP

Opening hours  
**Tuesday to Friday**  
**11:00 AM - 04:00 PM**

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## Firewood collection areas open on Sunday March 1

Victorians can collect free firewood for personal use from designated state forest firewood collection areas from Sunday 1 March.

Due to ongoing elevated fire risk, the season will start on Wednesday, 1 April in the Murray Goldfields District, which spans from Cohuna and Echuca in the north through Bendigo and surrounding forests to Kyneton and Macedon in the south.

Forest Fire Management Victoria (FFMVic) Loddon Mallee Region Director Forest and Fire Operations Scott Falconer said supporting regional communities to access firewood remains a priority.

“We know how important firewood is for many regional Victorians, which is why we are working with our neighbouring district to bring storm debris from the Wombat State Forest into our local collection areas,” Mr Falconer said.

“This work will ensure firewood is available for our communities this autumn, and we’re moving quickly to establish additional collection points.”

Mr Falconer said collection areas in the Murray Goldfield District would open on Wednesday, 1 April.

“Predicted low rainfall and elevated fire risk mean extra precautions are needed to protect communities and the environment,” he said.

He also reminded collectors to stay on formed tracks and only gather from designated areas, to reduce both fire risk and environmental impacts.

Once the season opens, firewood collection from Central Victorian state forests will be limited to residents of the following Local Government Areas to ensure local communities have fair access:

*Buloke Shire Council, Greater Shepparton City Council, Mt Alexander Shire Council, Campaspe Shire Council, Hepburn Shire Council, Northern Grampians Shire Council, Central Goldfields Shire Council, Loddon Shire Council, Pyrenees Shire Council, Gannawarra Shire Council, Macedon Ranges Shire Council, Strathbogie Shire Council, City of Greater Bendigo, Mitchell Shire Council*



“If your driver’s licence shows your address as being in one of these LGAs, you can collect wood from the designated areas,” Mr Falconer said.

Restrictions remain in place for firewood collection near Cohuna. Only residents from Campaspe, Gannawarra, Loddon and Swan Hill Rural City Council areas are permitted to collect from Gunbower State Forest.

Residents can collect free firewood from 1 April until 30 June 2025, although individual sites may close earlier if supplies run out. People can collect up to two cubic metres per person per day and a maximum of 16 cubic metres per household per financial year.

Authorised Officers patrol state forests and can issue fines of more than \$814 to those caught breaking the firewood collection rules. If prosecuted in court more serious offending can result in maximum penalties of \$10,175 and/or 12 months in prison. Authorised Officers can also seize chainsaws, trailers, vehicles, and equipment that’s used in the commission of offending.

Information and updates, including maps of collection areas, are available on [www.ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood](http://www.ffm.vic.gov.au/firewood).

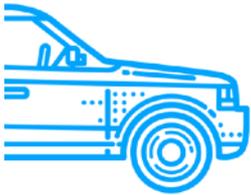
**Maps are available online from 1 March, except for the Murray Goldfields District whose maps will be published on 1 April.**

Community members can find out more about collecting firewood by calling 136 186. Suspected illegal firewood collection can be reported to Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.

# Pyramid Hill Community Transport

Price List as of 1 March 2025

Return trip leaving from Pyramid  
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- BENDIGO \$70
- ECHUCA \$65
- KERANG \$45
- COHUNA \$35
- BOORT \$35
- SWAN HILL \$95
- MELBOURNE \$200\*

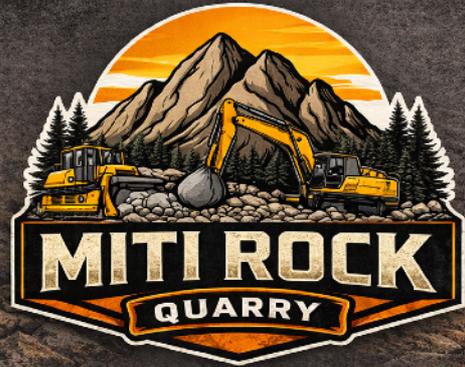


\*price depending on destination

If your journey is more than 100km one way, you could be eligible for a VPTAS refund.

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## Media Release

**4 March 2026**

### Drop into sessions to get the rundown on new WaterLINE

Goulburn-Murray Water (GMW) is encouraging customers to attend upcoming drop-in sessions to help transition to the new version of its online water ordering system, WaterLINE.

The improved functionality in the updated version means people can place orders, monitor water use, see real-time allocation bank balances and manage deliveries from any supported device at any time, anywhere.

Customers are being encouraged to make the switch to the new version before the legacy version is switched off on 15 May, following a six-month transition phase.

Customers can drop in to sessions being held at:

#### Kerang

Wednesday 11 March, 10am to 12.30pm

GMW Customer Service Centre, 78 Kerang-Koondrook Road, Kerang

#### Shepparton

Thursday 12 March, 10am to 12.30pm

GMW Customer Service Centre, 21 Wheeler Street

#### Tatura

Monday 16 March, 10am to 12.30pm

GMW Customer Service Centre, 40 Casey Street

#### Cobram

Tuesday 17 March, 10am to 12.30pm

Cobram Library, Punt Road

#### Rochester

Thursday 19 March, 10am to 12.30pm

GMW Customer Service Centre, 41 High Street

#### Pyramid Hill

Friday 20 March, 10am to 12.30pm

Coffee Bank, 36 Kelly Street

#### Online

Thursday 23 April

Register here: [yoursay.gmwater.com.au/waterline](https://yoursay.gmwater.com.au/waterline)

Following customer feedback, GMW also rolled out a number of additional improvements to WaterLINE in February to improve user experience.



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## What can I do at Pyramid Hill Neighbourhood House?

### Business Services

Printing, simple desktop publishing and design. Use our free wifi and computers. Printing, scanning, laminating and printing on plastic signage

### Services Australia

Got some Centrelink, Medicare or other related business to do? We are a Services Australia Access Point.

### Pyramid Press Newspaper

Our local weekly newspaper has all the good news stories. Community submissions to the paper to be received by 6pm Tuesday evening. Subscribe online at our website.

### CLEO the Community Car

Cleo-patra the car can be booked to take you to an important appointment, shopping and more. Door to door service! Bookings essential.

### L2P

Need Help Getting Your P's? We can help you get in the car! Contact [email2p@ncllen.org.au](mailto:email2p@ncllen.org.au) or 5491 1144 to register.

### Book a Meeting Room

Our small meeting rooms may be just perfect for you to see clients, or run a meeting. Free for community groups and not-for-profits.

### Vege Patch

Get involved with our growing garden, or just sit in the sunshine and use our free wifi.

### Justice of the Peace

Our JP visits every second Tuesday during School Terms. Check the Press for latest dates.

### Grants writing services for community groups

We can assist you with finding appropriate grants for your projects, mentoring you to write your own grant applications, or be an auspice for unincorporated groups. Talk to us about writing a grant on your behalf for a fee.

### Information Resource

We have loads of information on local and specialised services – financial counselling, community legal service, mental health, information for carers and so much more.

### Community Pantry

A free service with a range of items from pantry staples to toiletries. Open 24 hours. Please only take what you need.

### Book Swap

We have a Little Library out the front of Neighbourhood House. Come and choose a book, or donate a book!

### IT Support

Got a tricky question about your mobile, laptop or iPad? We can help you out. [bookings recommended].

### School Holiday Program

Each holiday holds a new range of activities from gardening, cooking, craft and more.

### Social Coffee Mornings

Tuesdays at 10.15am  
Catch up over a cuppa and some morning tea.

### Goldfields Library

Tuesdays at 11am  
Come and browse our collection, join the library, order books from the main collection and enjoy this wonderful service. Storytime once a month. Weekly visits from our Librarian partners.

### Moderate Movers

Wednesdays at 12.30pm  
Community Centre  
Bring your own exercise mat, towel and drink bottle. This is an active exercise group!

### Book Club

Our popular first Wednesday of the month club for book lovers!

### Art, Craft and Coffee

Thursdays at 10.30am  
Drop in to learn watercolour techniques or bring a project to work on and get some guidance.

### Scrabble Fever / Card Sharks

2pm Thursday afternoons.

**Give us a call to talk about our programs and book in for courses and special events as they come up. Always, check the Press for the most up to date information!**

Monday – Thursday 10am - 4pm  
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[pyramidhillcoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:pyramidhillcoordinator@gmail.com)





# Pyramid Hill Football Netball Club

## O'CONNORS COMMUNITY PRACTICE MATCH SERIES

SATURDAY 28TH MARCH  
MITCHELL PARK RECREATION RESERVE

### 11:00AM - MATCH 1

 Pyramid Hill

**SENIOR NETBALL**

V

 Charlton

### 12:30 PM - MATCH 2

 Tooleybuc Manangatang

V

 Leitchville Gunbower

### 2PM - MATCH 3

 Moulamein

V

 Wandella

### 3:30 - MATCH 4

 Koondrook - Barham

V

 Sea Lake Nandaly

### 5PM - MATCH 5

**SENIOR FOOTBALL**

 Pyramid Hill

V

 Kerang

# O'CONNORS

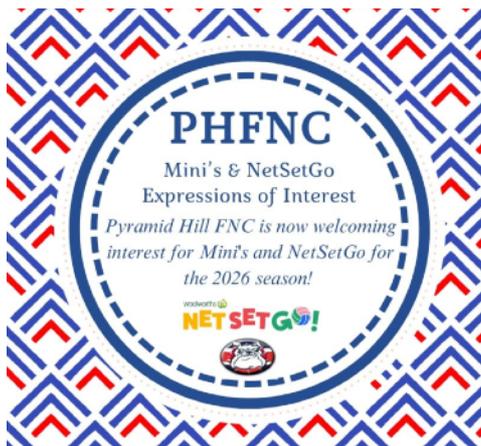
## Sportstrap

Sport Medicine Supplies



Entry: Gold coin donation. Proudly supporting our local CFA with proceeds being donated directly to the Pyramid Hill Fire Brigade. Supported by LVFNL and Central Rivers Umpires

### Mini's & NetSetGo 2026 – Expressions of Interest



Pyramid Hill Football Netball Club is now welcoming expressions of interest for the 2026 netball season, with Mini's (born 2015 or later) and NetSetGO (born on or before 31 December 2020).

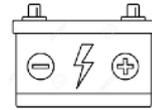
#### More information

For any questions or to express interest directly, please contact our Netball Operations Manager, Gemma Scott, on 0458 580 250.



For any enquiries call or message  
**Emelia | 0428 586 516**  
 Email: chrisleerson@gmail.com

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### Battery Round Up Fundraiser

If you have any old car, truck or large batteries laying around and getting in the way drop them off to **Trevor McIntosh in McKay Street**



## Northern District Community Health

Services located in Kerang, Cohuna, Boort, Pyramid Hill, Quambatook and Swan Hill

### Services Available:

Medical Clinic | Allied Health | Community Health Nurse | Community Care |  
 Community Support | Health Promotion

#### Community Health Nurse Services Include:

- Take blood/pathology samples
- Wound care
- Chronic disease support
- Palliative care
- and more!

#### Allied Health Services Include:

- Occupational Therapy
- Chronic Disease Management
- Podiatry & Footcare
- Diabetes Education
- Speech Pathology
- Dietitian

#### Main Office (Kerang)

- 📍 24 Fitzroy Street, Kerang
- ☎ 03 5451 0200
- 📅 Mon - Friday | 8:30am - 5:00pm

#### Kerang Medical Clinic

- 📍 34 Fitzroy Street, Kerang
- ☎ 03 5452 1366
- 📅 Mon - Friday | 8:45am - 5:00pm

#### Pyramid Hill (Community Centre)

- 📍 6 - 10 McKay Street, Pyramid Hill
- ☎ 03 5455 7065
- 📅 Mon - Friday | 9:00am - 10:00am (other times by appointment)



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Following major works, temporary speed restrictions will be in place on parts of the Bendigo, Echuca and Swan Hill lines from **Monday 9 March to Saturday 28 March**.

During this time, trains will run at slower than normal speeds between Bendigo and Sunbury to allow the tracks to bed down. There will be **changes to arrival and departure times** so please plan ahead and check the temporary train timetable or journey planner before you travel.

This information was true and correct at time of printing Pyramid Press - but please always check with Raeleen when booking tickets or the V/Line website.

## Melbourne to Swan Hill

	Mon-Fri <sup>‡</sup>		M,W,F <sup>‡</sup>	Tue	Thu	M-F <sup>‡</sup>	Friday	Saturday			Mon 9 Mar & Sunday		
Service	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN
<b>Service Information</b>	▼					▼		▼		▼	▼		▼
SOUTHERN CROSS <i>dep</i>	07.38	10.02	13.02	13.02	13.02	18.08	19.11	07.40	10.02	18.40	07.40	10.02	18.40
Footscray	07.47u	10.10u	13.10u	13.10u	13.10u	18.17u	19.19u	07.48u	10.10u	18.48u	07.48u	10.10u	18.48u
BENDIGO <i>arr</i>	09.59	12.02	15.01	15.01	15.01	20.25	21.06	09.59	12.02	20.54	09.59	12.02	20.54
<b>Change Service</b>		COACH	COACH	COACH	COACH		COACH		COACH			COACH	
<b>Service Information</b>		♿	♿	♿	♿		♿		♿			♿	
BENDIGO <i>dep</i>	10.03	12.17	15.07	15.07	15.10	20.29	21.13	10.03	12.17	20.58	10.03	12.17	20.58
Eaglehawk Station	10.11	-	-	-	-	20.38	-	10.11	-	21.06	10.11	-	21.06
Eaglehawk	-	-	-	15.20	15.23	-	21.23	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sebastian	-	-	-	-	15.37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Raywood Station	10.28	-	-	-	-	20.55	-	10.28	-	21.23	10.28	-	21.23
Raywood	-	-	-	-	15.42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dingee Station	10.43	-	-	-	-	21.09	-	10.43	-	21.37	10.43	-	21.37
Dingee	-	-	-	-	15.52	-	21.51	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mitiamo	-	-	-	-	16.05	-	22.04	-	-	-	-	-	-
Serpentine	-	12.57	-	15.49	-	-	-	-	12.57	-	-	12.57	-
Bears Lagoon	-	13.03	-	15.54	-	-	-	-	13.03	-	-	13.03	-
Durham Ox	-	13.18	-	16.10	-	-	-	-	13.18	-	-	13.18	-
Pyramid Station	11.12	-	-	-	-	21.38	-	11.12	-	22.05	11.12	-	22.06
Pyramid	-	-	-	16.26	16.29	-	22.28	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cohuna	-	-	-	16.57	17.00	-	22.58	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kerang	11.40	13.53	-	17.27	17.30	22.06	23.23	11.40	13.53	22.33	11.40	13.53	22.34
Lake Charm	-	14.08	-	17.41	17.44	-	23.37	-	14.08	-	-	14.08	-
Lake Boga	-	14.23	-	17.57	18.00	-	23.52	-	14.23	-	-	14.23	-
Maiden Gully	-	-	15.17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marong	-	-	15.22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bridgewater	-	-	15.38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inglewood	-	-	15.46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wedderburn	-	-	16.08	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korong Vale	-	-	16.22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Borong	-	-	16.32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mysia	-	-	16.37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Boort	-	-	16.52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barraport	-	-	17.02	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gredgwin	-	-	17.07	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quambatook	-	-	17.22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cannie (See Note)	-	-	†	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lalbert	-	-	17.42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meatian (See Note)	-	-	†	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
SWAN HILL <i>arr</i>	12.28	14.35	18.17	18.12	18.15	22.54	00.07	12.28	14.35	23.22	12.28	14.35	23.23

# Swan Hill to Melbourne

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<b>Service Information</b>	▼	♿				▼		▼		▼	▼		▼
SWAN HILL dep	06.49	08.58	08.58	08.58	10.40	13.33	15.50	06.49	09.40	13.35	06.49	12.50	16.33
Meatian (See Note)	-	†	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lalbert	-	09.28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Quambatook	-	09.48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Barraport	-	10.08	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Boort	-	10.18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mysia	-	10.28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Borong	-	10.33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Korong Vale	-	10.43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wedderburn	-	10.58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inglewood	-	11.18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bridgewater	-	11.28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marong	-	11.48	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maiden Gully	-	11.53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake Boga	-	-	09.13	09.13	10.52	-	16.05	-	09.52	-	-	13.02	-
Lake Charm	-	-	09.28	09.28	11.08	-	16.15	-	10.08	-	-	13.18	-
Kerang	07.33	-	09.48	09.48	11.26	14.17	16.30	07.33	10.26	14.19	07.33	13.36	17.17
Cohuna	-	-	10.20	10.20	-	-	16.57	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pyramid Station	08.00	-	-	-	-	14.44	-	08.00	-	14.46	08.00	-	17.44
Pyramid	-	-	10.53	10.53	-	-	17.30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Durham Ox	-	-	11.08	-	11.56	-	-	-	10.56	-	-	14.06	-
Bears Lagoon	-	-	11.23	-	12.11	-	-	-	11.11	-	-	14.21	-
Serpentine	-	-	11.28	-	12.16	-	-	-	11.16	-	-	14.26	-
Mitiamo	-	-	-	11.10	-	-	17.50	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dingee Station	08.30	-	-	-	-	15.14	-	08.30	-	15.16	08.30	-	18.14
Dingee	-	-	-	11.20	-	-	18.00	-	-	-	-	-	-
Raywood Station	08.44	-	-	-	-	15.27	-	08.43	-	15.29	08.43	-	18.27
Raywood	-	-	-	11.35	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sebastian	-	-	-	11.40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Eaglehawk Station	09.04	-	-	-	-	15.45	-	09.01	-	15.47	09.01	-	18.46
Eaglehawk	-	-	11.58	11.58	-	-	18.30	-	-	-	-	-	-
BENDIGO arr	09.16	12.13	12.13	12.13	12.57	15.57	18.45	09.13	11.57	15.59	09.13	15.07	18.58
<b>Change Service</b>		<b>TRAIN</b>	<b>TRAIN</b>	<b>TRAIN</b>	<b>TRAIN</b>		<b>TRAIN</b>		<b>TRAIN</b>			<b>TRAIN</b>	
BENDIGO dep	09.18	12.25	12.25	12.25	13.26	15.59	19.06	09.15	12.25	16.01	09.15	15.25	19.01
Footscray	11.19d	14.19d	14.19d	14.19d	15.18d	17.58d	21.05d	11.19d	14.19d	17.59d	11.19d	17.19d	21.01d
SOUTHERN CROSS arr	11.30	14.29	14.29	14.29	15.28	18.09	21.16	11.30	14.29	18.10	11.30	17.29	21.12

