

# *Nundle Community Newsletter*

*Supported By Tamworth Regional Council March 2019*

## Welcome to the Nundle Community Newsletter We need your news!

The Newsletter is in simple format. Articles should be either delivered in hard copy to the TRC Nundle Office, or emailed to Gae Sipple: [g.sipple@tamworth.nsw.gov.au](mailto:g.sipple@tamworth.nsw.gov.au)

All material must be at Council by the 24<sup>th</sup> of each month, for the following month's edition.

## Nundle Library / Council Office

### Opening hours

Nundle Council Office & Library is opened 10am—2pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday & Saturday. The Office & Library are CLOSED THURSDAY & SUNDAY Ph 67693109

Nundle Book Club -Will be held on Wednesday 6th March 2019 at 7.30pm at Nundle Library.

Everyone welcome

Movie Night@ Nundle Library Movie night will be on Wednesday 20th March 2019 at 7.30pm. Bring your own chair and nibbles For more information about the movies please ring 67693109 during library hours or join our Facebook page

Out of Hours Returns Box—for library books will be at the Nundle Visitor's Outlet. If you need to return books outside Nundle Library opening hours just place them in the box and they will be collected by library staff



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The smart way to

- ◆ Report a problem
- ◆ Check if a sports field is open
- ◆ Check your waste service pick up

### Tamworth Regional Council website

For up to date information about the opening hours of council facilities please visit the Tamworth Regional council website [www.tamworth.nsw.gov.au](http://www.tamworth.nsw.gov.au)

## Nundle Australia Day Celebrations

Almost 150 people gathered at the Nundle Public School recently to celebrate being Australian and to acknowledge citizens who have contributed significantly to our community. It was an honour and privilege to welcome our Australia Day Ambassador, Father Chris Riley, CEO and founder of Youth Off The Streets, an organisation world renowned for the invaluable work carried out to help young people in need. Father Riley has been working in this area for 45 years, and has a multitude of prestigious awards and qualifications and is a member of boards too numerous to mention, pertaining to the care of disadvantaged youth. He is quietly spoken, non judgmental, gentle and humble, but comes with a great sense of humour and a passion to fight for justice for those unable to fight for themselves. Father Riley is a remarkable man, one whose actions reflect his compassion for mankind.

We always look forward to hearing from our young people, and our two youth speakers, Clay Clarkson from Nundle School and Bladen Steel from Woolomin School, did not disappoint. Clay spoke about the change from city to country living, the joy of having so much space and being able to enjoy many wonderful activities. Clay enjoys swimming, riding motor bikes, fishing, looking after animals and the usual chores that come with country living. Bladen Steel spoke about achieving goals and mentioned two high achievers he admired - Steve Irwin and Colin Thiele, author of Storm Boy. And he says that even though not everyone can be a high achiever, we can all make a big difference to the world by respecting our parents, being a kind brother, a good student and a caring mate. Well done, Clay and Bladen. And while mentioning young people, a huge thank you to Jasmine Humbles, the young girl with the beautiful voice who very capably led us in the singing of the National Anthem. These young people, along with our youth volunteers, Gemma and Emily Borchard and Chloe and Milla McCorristor are already displaying a great sense of what it means to belong to a community and we are very proud of them all. Thank you all.

AWARDEES FOR 2018 Congratulations to the following recipients of awards for the year 2018. Nundle is justifiably proud of you.

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR. SHIRLEY RYAN : COMMUNITY APPRECIATION. FAYE INMAN: COMMUNITY RECOGNITION. BLADEN STEEL (Woolomin School)

This year, we had occasion to present another award - the DINKY-DI AUSSIE AWARD to M Fitzgerald. M had already been officially granted Australian Citizenship at a ceremony in Tamworth, an experience she says she will never forget, but Nundle is proud to welcome M as a Nundle/Aussie citizen.

During our celebration, Geoff Cummins read a fitting tribute to the late Rev. Stephen Millar, Nundle's well known and esteemed Anglican Vicar who lost his battle with cancer early January. On behalf of those gathered, sympathy was extended to Stephen's wife Wendy and their family.

Sheep shearing using an antique hand held machine has been an interesting and popular part of our celebration and this year we have Jeff Gibson (Gibbo) to thank for stepping in and helping out when our usual shearer was on sick leave and thanks to Stan Shorten for providing the sheep. Gibbo, well known, local country singer and guitarist, provided music for the day so a big thank you to Jeff for adding to the enjoyment of the day.

Our thanks also to Councillor Charles Impey, representing Tamworth Regional Council, for sharing in our celebration, to Gae Sipple for the Trivia Questions and more importantly answers and to the Department of Education for the use of the grounds and facilities.

To Chairman Robert and Emcee Stephen, and all committee members, thank you for your contribution to another great Australia Day. To those who attended, we appreciate your effort to make our celebration a success and we know that you, like us, came away with a sense of pride to be called Aussies. And last but by no means least, a huge thank you to our very special Lions Club Members who are always there when needed and who once again provided a very substantial and tasty breakfast. Australia surely is THE place to live.

## GoCo Services

Rachel from GoCo will be at the Nundle Office of Tamworth Regional council every Friday from 10am-3pm  
Look for the GoCo sign on the footpath— call in and have a chat or call 67603937 or 0427822768



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## 2018-19

### January

Fund raiser Go for Gold-  
Trivia Night- 2019 17th  
January

### February

28th -Rates Installment  
Due

### March

Nundle Country Picnic  
17th March  
Fundraiser Go for Gold  
Bingo Night -29th March

### April

Go for Gold Chinese  
Festival

### May

Great Nundle Dog Race  
1st Sunday in May  
(Ph.67693253)

31st—Rates Installment  
Due

### June

### July

### August

31st—Rates Installment  
Due

### September

Nundle CWA Preschool  
Fundraiser  
(ph:67693188)

### October

Nundle Campdraft  
(ph:67693368)

### November

Nundle CWA Art Show  
(ph: 0429 816 472)

31st—Rates Installment  
due

### December

Nundle Pool Party

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### Nundle Catholic Church Service -

St Peters' 10am on 2nd &  
4th Sunday of month

### Nundle Anglican Church Services- All Saints'

### Nundle

9:00am every Sunday  
except

11am every 3rd Sunday  
St Mary's Woolomin

9am 3rd Sunday of month

## ***Nundle Country Picnic 17th March 2018***

In the beautiful grounds of the Nundle Woollen Mill

For detailed menu and ticket sales see [nundle.com.au](http://nundle.com.au) or call  
0418866072



## ***Nundle Bushwalking Social club***

Please note the change of name, it was decided that after 20 years the committee executives deserved a rest and we would be a social club with no committee. We still meet at the Log Cabin at Hanging Rock Lookout Road at 9.30 am. A walk to be decided on the day and it is BYO everything and no charges.

For inquiries please contact David on 04 90 795 166.

## ***Nundle Hanging Rock Mature Men's Group.***

This group meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday each month except January at The Mt Misery Gold Mine 10.00am for Cuppa and discussion. Come along and join us. For inquiries please contact David on 0490 795 166.

## ***Nundle District Lion's Club.***

We had the pleasure of hosting Lion's District Cabinet Meeting this week end. Thirty cabinet members and their partners attended starting with a Meet and Greet on Friday evening, this was followed by a workshop Saturday, morning tea, and a catered evening meal, Sunday morning tea, workshop, social meeting followed by a BBQ lunch and then closure. The lion's club wish to thank the members and lion's helpers who assisted on making this a successful and enjoyable week end. David Leonard. Publicity Officer.

## ***Nundle District Craft Co-op Inc***

Is hoping to hold a display of heirloom crafts during April 2019. They will be collecting items during March.

If you have any items for display please contact Marlies Elbourne on 0407151625

## ***Nundle Memorial Hall***

The Nundle Memorial Hall Committee are working to towards demolishing the existing kitchen and rebuilding a new kitchen facility for use by the Nundle Community

This will be a great community facility and the Nundle Memorial Hall are asking for community help by donations towards the costs involved in this undertaking—if you can help or for more information please contact Margaret Schofield on 0411694948



**Tamworth Regional Council** The Nundle Office & Library is open Mon, Tues, Wed & Fri 10am-2pm Sat 10am-2pm(Library Only) Closed Thurs & Sun

**Nundle Office** ph:67693 205 or Nundle Library ph: 67693109 For emergencies please call 6767 5555.

**Nundle Landfill hours** Wed 1pm-4pm Thurs 9am-12noon & Sunday 9am-12 noon

**Nundle Heated Pool.** ph: 6769 3111 Mon Closed Tues - Fri 12:00pm - 6:00pm Sat & Sun 12:00pm - 6:00pm January school holidays Mon closed Tues-Sun 12noon to 7pm