

THE VILLAGE DIARY



This is the last diary for 2018. It will resume February 2019. I would like to thank all those involved, that have helped me get this Diary/Newsletter out. It keeps us informed what is happening and what is coming up.

Centenary of Armistice Day Service

Thank you to everyone who helped in any way towards making the Centenary of Armistice Service and afternoon tea such a success.

Special thanks to all the children and young people who participated. To Cathy for her beautiful panel, to Isabelle for all the work she did in the kitchen and Hooch for taking the lectern mic and chairs to and from the park.

Barmedman still knows how to throw a party, it was a wonderful day.

Thank you again

Shirley and the Anzac Committee.

Shirley should also be congratulated for co-ordinating such an event, it was great.

NAME CHANGE

The post office will be referred to as the Barmedman General Store, and the Post Office will operate in the same manner, giving us a great service as before.

The General Store not only carries groceries but we have the convenience of hot food, pet food, coffee and giftware etc. How wonderful is this.

A pamphlet is on the counter at the PO will give you a rundown of what is available at the PO and store, or just come and look. Linda and Steve are introducing new items all the time.

MINI MARKET

A mini market was held inside and outside the Post Office on Saturday the 17th November. People had stalls of a wonderful array of items. Items for sale were mainly hand made products. There was a write up and photo in the Temora paper; I wonder who put it there? From all accounts it was a great success, and hopefully it will happen again, (I will keep you posted).

THE VISITORS

There was a visit from local Councilman, Bruce Baker and Deputy Mayor Liz McGlynn. Both are looking into ways to repair roads, beautify our town and a possible financial assistance for town features.

CHURCH NOTICES

St Joseph's Catholic Church 2nd and 4th Sunday. at 8am

St John's Anglican Church 1st and 3rd Sunday at 8am

Senior citizens Luncheon, Barmedman Bowling Club

Date; Saturday 1st December

Time; 12 for 12.30

The names of people attending should be in by now.

Death by Chocolate, A Christmas Celebration

Venue; Craft/Coffee shop

Date; Thursday 6th December

Time; 10am

Cost; eight dollars

People with special diets will be catered for, but please let us know.

Barmedman Community Centre Christmas Carnival

Date; Saturday 8th December

Venue; Community Centre

Time; 5.30

This is a family event, and will have activities, such as a jumping castle, a chocolate wheel and even a visit from Santa.

Donations for raffle can be left at the post office, a wheel barrow supplied.

Anyone with spare time to help set up the hall for the Christmas Carnival the time will be 11.30 and on.

CAROLS AT THE POOL with Temora Town Band

Date; Thursday 20th December

Time; 7.00 bring a small snack and chat with the band members

CAROL SERVICE AT ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

When; Christmas Eve 24th Christmas Eve

Time; 8pm

All Welcome

Coming Events 2019

A road trip to Weethalle, to view the painted silos and lunch (car pool).

Temora railway museum, followed by lunch (car pool).

Picnic lunch at Lake Centenary

World Day of prayer, at St Johns Anglican Church, Friday 1st March at 10am 2019.

Bible Study, to commence 2019.

Australia Day at the pool 25th January

Thought for the Month; May each and every one have a happy, joyous and peaceful Christmas and may the New year bring to you all that you need. Jill

Barmedman Craft and Coffee Shop (AKA Barmedman Development Association Inc.)

All Association members are advised that a Special General Meeting of current *members* is to be held commencing 4:30pm, Thursday 20th December at the shop - 74 Queen Street.

The Committee thanks the many local residents who continue to support the Association by donating time, service, encouragement and goods for sale. We also thank our tireless volunteers, including the Luckies who travel from Ungarie each week to work a shift. That's commitment!

Thanks everyone: your efforts are paying off as the Association is going from strength to strength. We will publicise the financial results for 2018, early in the new year.

As we intend to budget a large portion of annual surplus funds to community-supported projects, we will appreciate receiving your written project suggestions.

Special thanks to Linda and Steve at the General Store. Thanks for your ongoing encouragement and support and also for the Craft Shop's inclusion in the 17th November stalls event that you organised.

We invite all to come and see what is on offer at the shop.

Anne and the team