

DARLING RIVER OUTBACK SURFBOAT CLASSIC

6TH 7TH 8TH OCTOBER

BROADCASTING LIVE WITH 2WEB

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

**The following clubs have verified they will be attending
PAMBULA, PACIFIC PALMS, FRESHWATER,
STH CURL CURL, NORTH CURL CURL,
NTH NARRABEEN, TWEED HEADS, COOLANGATTA**

THE PEOPLE OF BREWARRINA CAN HARDLY WAIT FOR THE SURF BOATS TO ARRIVE AND GIVE THE SURF BOATERS A HEARTY WELCOME.

ARE YOU ALL GETTING PREPARED

MAKING THOSE FLOATS

BUILDING RAFTS

TRAINING FOR THE IRON MAN COMP

(THE CHALLENGE HAS BEEN PUT OUT BY THE POM)

("HE WILL BE THE ONE IN THE SPEEDOS")

BUILDING UP THOSE MUSCLES FOR THE WOOL BALE ROLLING

STRETCHING THE LEGS FOR THE BIKE RACE

**(THEY TELL ME JOHN TAYLOR HAS A FEW TIPS UP HIS SLEEVES FOR THIS
GREAT EVENT)**

**SO COME ALONG AND HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND
IN BREWARRINA STYLE**

BREWARRINA & DISTRICT GOLF CLUB NEWS

Sunday 27th August was a 9 Hole stroke novelty event, followed by a BBQ Lunch and then the big game between Brisbane Broncos & Sydney City. Trophies for the day were novelty prizes won by A Wilson, K Wilson, M Smith, L Walford, D Mcguiness, B Finlayson, P Hutchinson, N English, S Harding P Biles and G Bennett

Last Sunday 3rd September was a 18 hole stroke event Club and Trophy Day. Winners were N English, & J Boyd Runners Up W Moore, J Parker and Ball Comp Winners Were L Walford, & C Grant Winners for near the pin were T Eastwood, Q Backhouse, C Grant & D Bishop

The first draw for the 200 club will be this Sunday 10.09.00 at the Brewarrina Golf Club, the draws consist of four prizes of \$250 and four prizes of \$100 winners will be notified as soon as possible and they will be announced in the Golf News next fortnight

This Sunday the 10/09/00 is Noel Coopers Trophy Day which is an 18 Hole verses Par event

Good luck every body.

ALL
SQUARE



WEILMORINGLE MERINO SHEEP BREEDERS ASSOCIATION

THE ASSOCIATION IS ABOUT TO CONDUCT THE FOURTH "EWE EVALUATION DAY" ON THE 19TH OCTOBER 2000.

IT WILL BE OPEN TO BREWARRINA/GOODDOOGA BREEDERS THAT ARE INTERESTED IN YARDING THEIR MAIDEN EWES ON THAT DAY FOR THE ASSESSMENT BY TWO ASSESSORS AND OTHER BREEDERS.

IT IS A LEARNING DISCUSSION TYPE DAY THAT HAS PROVED SUCCESSFUL. THE ASSOCIATION WISHES TO MAKE THE DAY ON EACH YEAR, WITH SOME BREEDERS SHOWING THEIR EWES EVERY SECOND YEAR, THAT MEANS THE DISTRICT WILL BE SPLIT INTO TWO SO THAT DISTANCE IS NOT A BURDEN.

IF INTERESTED PLEASE CONFIRM WITH MICHAEL DAVIS 68296012 OR BOB BROWN 68744933.



BREWARRINA CENTRAL SCHOOL NEWS

OUR SCHOOL OUR - FUTURE
TOGETHER WE LEARN

It has been an extremely busy term for staff and students at Brewarrina Central School. Students have been involved in a variety of sporting, cultural and academic pursuits and have excelled in a range of areas. Last Tuesday the itinerant HSC markers arrived from Sydney to mark the year 12 major works for Design and Technology. Craig Peterson, Brendon Hardy and Jamie Hardy have spent the past three terms on the production of these items. The boys had to design and construct a major work in timber. They were required to document the whole process in a folio and the results were impressive. Our much awaited technology networking began this week. It is very exciting to see the plans that have been spoken about for months finally take shape. The introduction of such up to date technology should further enhance the opportunities for the Central School students.

Kinderstart begins Tuesday, 4 October. The program runs from 9.00am to 1.00pm Monday to Thursday each week. The school will also be operating year 6- year 7 transition program each Wednesday. Enrolments are now being taken for Year 7, 2001. If your child is not currently attending Brewarrina Central School but will be enrolling next year for Year 7 please contact Maree Angus, School Principal.

Gail Marbo conducted workshops for interested dance students for three days last week. The students learnt a great deal from Gail and there are some excellent dancers in the groups. This year's presentation night should be very entertaining. The School received official recognition last week from the Director General of Education and Training for the time and effort staff members have devoted to improving programs and therefore learning outcomes for the students. Staff have worked very hard in this area and it was gratifying to have this acknowledged. Year 3 Gum Nuts recently entered a poetry competition which has been set up by the Australasian Publishing Group. The competition is open to all school students in Australia and New Zealand. The competition offers big Prize Money.

As a result of our entries, the Australian Publish Group has written to all the students who entered asking for their permission to publish their poems in a book which is due for publication in December. The competition will be drawn on 31 October, with first prize being \$1000! We have our fingers crossed. Congratulations to all the year 3 students and their teacher Mrs Cindy Tom. This is a once in a life time opportunity to see their own work in a book. The year 3 students: Ethan Johnson, Louise Dennis, Shanice Weatheral, Tamara Hardy, Brenton Wright, John Kirby, Daniel Salt, April Gordon, Jade Morgan, Barbie-Lee and Dean Boney.

The school has really embraced the Olympic spirit with the assistance of Kimmy Hardy, Blanche Gordon, Dianne Kelly, Cheryl Crawford, Chris Boney, and the students. The library walls are now festooned with colorful pictures of the Olympic mascots. Thanks also to a member of our local constabulary, Lionel White, for his help in "hanging" the work. The School looks fantastic.

KINDERSTART PROGRAM 2001

The Brewarrina Central School Kenderstart program begins on the first day of term 4 2000. Children turning 5 before the 31 July 2001 are eligible to enroll. The program is designed to prepare children for Kindergarten and get them used to the routines of the school Please contact Kate White or Bobby Willetts for further information.

POSITIONS VACANT

Aboriginal Community Options Home Care Service of NSW Brewarrina Branch

Home Care is a community-based service assisting the frail aged and people with disabilities to live independently in their homes.

We are seeking to employ a Field Staff on a casual basis. This position could be offered as a permanent part-time position in the future.

Duties include assistance with personal care, housekeeping, and respite care. The successful applicant will need to be able to work flexible hours at different times and be able to work some weekend work.

Essential requirements are good communication skills, basic housekeeping skills, and a sensitivity towards the needs of customers from different backgrounds.

Desirable requirements include possession of a current drivers licence, own car and telephone.

Rate of pay for Grade 2 Field Staff is \$16.05 according to the LMU award. Conditions of employment include a kilometre allowance, loadings for out of hours work and non-contributory superannuation.

For a Duty Statement and Application form contact Freda Harvey on 6839 2237.

All applications in writing to: F Harvey
PO Box 110
Brewarrina 2839

Applications close 2pm Wednesday 20th September 2000

Brewarrina Child Care Centre

Clerical Assistant
Permanent Part-Time
(16 hours per week)

Essential:

Experience in office procedures
Knowledge of Bookkeeping
Sound typing and computer skills
Ability to administer fees
Knowledge of meeting procedures
Good communication skills
Self motivated and show initiative
Ability to work as part of a team

Desirable: Payroll experience

Salary: Award conditions apply

Closing date: 15 September 2000

Written applications including resume are to be sent to:

The Director
PO Box 102
Brewarrina NSW 2839

Further enquiries:

Please phone 02 6839 2385



Roads and Traffic Authority
www.rta.nsw.gov.au

Western Region Client Services

BARWON BRIDGE

The RTA advises that the load limit on the Brewarrina bridge, just north of Brewarrina on the Kamilaroi Highway has now been removed and is open to all legally loaded vehicles, including road trains. An RTA bridge services crew has been working on repairing the bridge since it was damaged by an overloaded truck in mid July 2000. Because of width restriction within the bailey trusses, a 20km/h speed limit and a 2.5m width restriction will remain and only one heavy vehicle can cross the bridge at a time. The work involved the attachment of steel bailey trusses and the placement of additional steel support girders. Work will continue on the bridge with more permanent repairs, including an improved width, expected to be completed by February 2001. The RTA appreciates motorists' patience while this essential work is being carried out. Further information can be obtained by contacting the RTA on 131782.

ROADS AND TRAFFIC AUTHORITY NEW SOUTH WALES

Western Regional Office, 51-55 Currafong Street (PO Box 334) PARKES NSW 2870.

Telephone: (02) 6861 650 Facsimile (02) 6861 1414 DX 20256 Email: neil-peden@rta.nsw.gov.au

BARBARIANS GO DOWN FIGHTING

After a thrilling last minute victory against arch rivals Bourke to qualify for the grand final the Barbarians rated themselves a good chance to topple the odds on favorites Cobar in the season final last weekend. The Barbarians took the game right up to Cobar with some punishing defense and sparkling attack which saw Cobar camped on their own line for the majority of the first half. Then Cobar was forced to come up with try saver after try saver as the Barbarians punched the ball up through the forwards and spun the ball through the back line. Despite crossing the line twice and coming close on numerous occasions, the Barbarians failed to post any points and the Camels (with the aid of some dubious refereeing) managed to turn the game around and score a try late in the first half.

A fiery half time rev up from everyone and anyone who cared to throw in their "two cents" seemed to work wonders for the Barbarians who were determined not to let their season slip away without a fight. The Barbarians threw everything at Cobar, and were first to score in the second half to get within a try of the Camels. Unfortunately that's as close as they came as time and again a wayward last pass or penalty extinguished the Barbarians attack. As the Barbarians frustration grew the Camels continued to control the ball and make the most of their attacking raids. The Camels managed to seal the match with two quick tries late in the game to well and truly lock up the Reserve Grade Grand Final for 2000.

Since Brewarrina, Carinda, and Lightning Ridge formed the Barbarians two years ago, they have been battling the great obstacle of distance to form a great club that has performed extremely well in both grades. It is a credit to all involved that, despite never training as a team, the club fielded two competitive grades each. Congratulations to everyone on a successful season 2000. The Barbarians wish to thank our loyal sponsors and supporters for a wonderful season in 2000 and look forward to a successful 2001.

I WANNA BE A



WALLABY



DOES HE MEAN WALLABY OR WALLY?



BREWARRINA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

WORKING BEE

SATURDAY 9.30 TILL 11.30

TUESDAY 9.30 TILL 11.30

AT THE BREWARRINA BOWLING CLUB

THE MEETING IS TO DISCUSS THE ERECTION OF THE NEW ARENA

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT

GERARD OR SUE GLOVER 68391-801

On Monday 21st of August A Brewarrina Team went to Cobar to contest the Annual Inter Towns Commonwealth Bank Quiz Open to Senior Citizens, The team consisted of Mrs Betty Simmons Mrs Shirley Hughes, Mrs Shirley Biles & Mrs Peggy Reid. The Brewarrina Team won the Shield in 1992, 1999 and again in 2000.

Thanks to Cobar for their Hospitality, a good day was had by all next years competition will be held in Nyngan



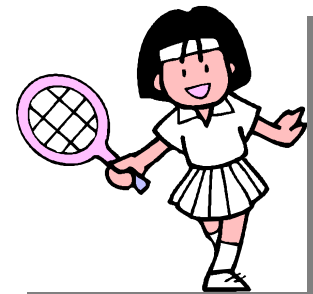
WEILMORINGLE FAMILY TENNIS DAY

SUNDAY 10th SEPTEMBER 2000

11am START (BDST)

PROCEEDS TO LEGACY

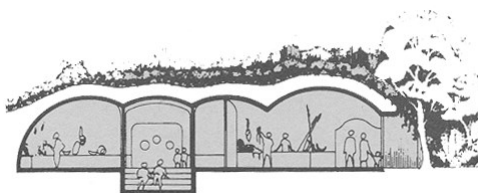
MORNING & AFTERNOON
TEAS LUNCH
& REFRESHMENTS
READILY AVAILABLE
PRIZES



COME ALONG AND HAVE SOME FUN

**REMEMBER, WE ONLY ASK
REMEMBER
LEGACY**

POSITIONS VACANT



BREWARRINA ABORIGINAL CULTURAL MUSEUM ABORIGINAL CORPORATION
We are seeking suitable applications for the following positions:

LANGUAGE OFFICER

DESIRABLE: Previous experience in a similar role. An ability to work as part of a team.. Willingness to work weekends if required. Statement of Attainment in computer skills.

ESSENTIALS: Aboriginality, understanding and knowledge of Aboriginal History (Local and Regional) A genuine interest in Aboriginal language and culture in traditional society and today's society. Willingness to deal with non-Aboriginal people and organizations e.g. The Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies. Experience in researching and compiling information. Must be computer literate, confident in oral and written communication skills. Current driver's licence. Ability to work to a routine while part of a team or unsupervised.

GENERAL: Applications should provide 2 copies of recent references. Race is a genuine occupational qualification and is authorized in terms of section 14 of the Anti Discrimination Act 1997.

MANAGER

DUTIES: To undertake duties of administration of organization's policies and funding guidelines, with an emphasis on submissions maintaining accountability, personnel, payroll and shop accountability.

ESSENTIALS: Must be of Aboriginal descent. Applicants must have experience in office management administration, negotiation skills, ability to communicate with Aboriginal people and an understanding of Aboriginal Issues. Current drivers licence.

GENERAL: Applicants should provide 2 copies of recent references, race is a genuine occupational qualification and is authorized in terms of Section 14 of the Anti Discrimination Act 1997

All written Applications to:

**CHAIRPERSON BREWARRINA ABORIGINAL CULTURAL MUSEUM
ABORIGINAL CORPORATION P.O BOX 12 BREWARRINA NSW 2839**

APPLICATIONS CLOSE: 15 SEPTEMBER 2000

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT

**ABORIGINAL CULTURAL MUSEUM ABORIGINAL CORPORATION ON
0268392/421**

COMING ATTRACTIONS

BREWARRINA RSL CLUB

PHONE 0268392/151

PICK—A— BOX



**Friday Night tickets on sale from 7pm Draw starts at 8 pm
Ten meat trays & Five Pick- a - Box Prizes to be won**

MEMBERS PICK- A - BOX

\$600

The Weekly Members Draw

\$220.00

6pm & 7pm from Monday to
Saturday



Sunday's Members Draw

1pm & 1.15 pm & 1.30 pm.

\$900.00

FRIDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER/ LEE FAMILY BAND & FIREWORKS
(FAMILY NIGHT) FOR MEMBERS & BONIFIED VISITORS
WITH FIRE WORKS DISPLAY

FRIDAY 22 SEPTEMBER TWISTER MECHANICAL BULL & DISCO

FRIDAY 6th OCTOBER/ MIKE WOODS BAND (HOSPITAL BALL)

SATURDAY 7th OCTOBER SURF BOAT CLASSIC WITH THE
MIKE WOODS BAND AT THE 4 MILE

FRIDAY 3rd NOVEMBER JONAH (ROCK BAND)

SATURDAY 2ND DECEMBER ELVIS & J.o'Keef show

FRIDAY 15th DECEMBER BASTILLE

For the information of members & bonafide guests



DATE TO REMEMBER:

6th 7th 8th OCTOBER

DARLING RIVER OUTBACK

SURF BOAT CLASSIC



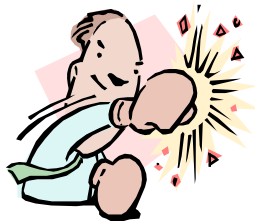
**PARENTS YOU ARE REMINDED TO SUPERVISE YOUR CHILDREN WHEN ON
CLUB PREMISES & THAT BAD LANGUAGE WILL NOT BE TOLERATED**

THE BARE KNUCKLE FIGHT

JACK FARMER

Jack and I were drinking in the pub one afternoon when a group of shearers came in. Jack glanced at them with a sneer on his face, "shearers", he said, "somehow seem to be different from ordinary human beings". I knew he wasn't very keen on them proclaiming they were the biggest skytes and drunkards in the bush. There were about seven in the team and they sat down and began to drink their beers and talk about how much this one kicked, how rough that one was and etc. Now Jack was a bush 'pug', a superb athlete and wasn't frightened of anything on this planet, so he began to insult this real skinny Shearer, saying nice things like, "your mother wears army boots, you smell like a polecat, and you can't shear neither". The skinny one took it all in and never answered him back so Jack got serious with the insults, "I slept with your missus, you would be the biggest crawler I have ever seen, you wouldn't be worth feeding you narrow gutted, greasy bastard". With that the Shearer looked Jack straight in the eye, and said, "Do you want a bit of a go down at the river, big mouth". A look of gleeful insanity came on Jack's face as he said back to him, "your on but I admire your guts mate, because I am just about to murder you, you skinny greasy bastard", Down at the river as the boys got ready, Jack took his shirt off and you could see straight away this man was made of steel, his muscles rippled with health and hard work, he was well built and never been knocked off his feet. Even a couple of drunk Sheila's' in the crowd gave gasps of delight as they feasted on his body. On the other hand the skinny one looked pitiful, he was narrow gutted and wormy and a real pale white colour. I saw big Ab down the pub pull in bigger fish. The referee called them together and muttered a few rules, which Jack ignored, and the other chap couldn't hear them, he was shaking too much. The slaughter began, with Jack hitting the Shearer with everything but the kitchen sink. Lefts and rights, uppercuts and crosses, they all hit their target. He was pretty to watch in action this boy. After about a half hour of taking punishment, the Shearer looked awful, his face was a pulp, one eye was closed and he was limping badly from a low blow from Jack. "Jesus Jack, go easy on him, you'll kill the poor bugger", I said to Jack, "he'll be right mate". Jack said as he glanced across at me at the edge as Jack was momentarily looked away, he swung this roundhouse punch that hit poor Jack fair in the throat, with a gurgle Jack slumped to the ground choking and purple in the face, I couldn't believe it! Surely there was a mistake somewhere as I gradually bought Jack back to our world the air was blue with language as Jack realized what happened. About a fortnight later we walked into the pub and there was the victor, quietly sipping his beer, Jack went berserk and wanted to fight him right or wrong. "Not much good us fighting again mate" he said to Jack, "why" screamed Jack "because I have already beaten you".

The Legend.



SHIRE BRIEFS



Why Brewarrina
Shire Council is introducing a
50km/h urban speed limit.



Brewarrina Shire Council is introducing a 50km/h speed limit in the townships of Brewarrina and Goodooga. These streets and local traffic areas will be signposted.

Brewarrina Shire Council will start sign-posting areas with 50km/h urban speed limit signs in the next few weeks. The sign-posting and implementation is totally funded by the Roads and Traffic Authority.

WHY A LOWER LIMIT

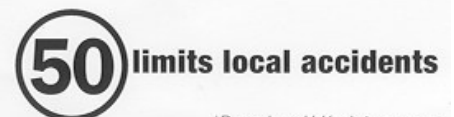
A recent trial of a 50km/h urban speed limit in a selection of local council areas across NSW showed substantial reductions in crashes and casualties compared to the rest of the state. Did you know that if a car hits a pedestrian at around 60km/h there is an 85% chance that the pedestrian will die, but at around 50km/h the chance of death drops to 45% Children are particularly vulnerable. And did you know that the difference in stopping distance between 50km/h and 60km/h is more than 10 metres? Enough to significantly reduce the chance of a crash. The difference between 50km/h and 60km/h can be the difference between life and death.

WHO BENEFITS?

Most local councils across NSW are introducing a 50km/h speed limit in their urban streets and local traffic areas. Councils are doing this because of the demonstrated safety benefits for the community which include saving lives and reducing the number and severity of crashes.

WHERE DOES THE NEW LIMIT APPLY?

The new 50km/h urban speed limit only applies to signposted local streets and local traffic areas in the townships of Brewarrina and Goodooga. The speed limits on through roads, highways and arterial roads will remain at their sign posted speed limit and 40km/h school zones will remain at 40km/h. The 50km/h urban speed limit will be legally enforceable and normal Police enforcement procedures will apply. So when you drive through local streets and local traffic areas look out for the new 50km/h speed limit signs and please drive at 50km/h not 60km/h.



*Based on U.K. data. #TA2827

GOODDOGA C.W.A WOOL DAY

**SATURDAY 7TH OCTOBER
BRENDA WOOLSHED**

FLEECES TO BE AT SITE BY 9AM



**SPONSORS
ELDERS BREWARRINA**

**GUEST SPEAKER:
MANAGER WOOL INTERNATIONAL
MR CRAIG TURNER**

COMBINING WITH "BRENDA FIELD DAY"

**WOOL DAY
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**

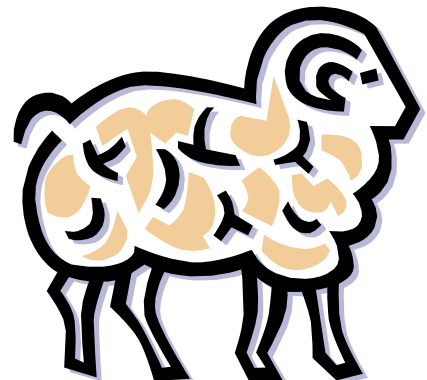
**1.30 PM BRING OWN DRINKS
LIGHT LUNCH FOR SALE**

ENQUIRIES

J O'BRIEN 68296/269

D PETERSEN 68296/011

W O'BRIEN 682090/771



PONY CLUB INSTRUCTOR SCHOOL HELD AT BOURKE

Jane Williams: A Pony Club Association State Coaching Director came to Bourke to give a train-the-trainer course in general riding, diagonals and Show Jumping. The weekend was a great success with all the Instructors taking home a great deal of knowledge. Two children from Brewarrina were chosen to ride and demonstrate on the day; Zoe McQueen & Lauren Gilligan. These two girls gave up their weekend and did a wonderful job on both the days. It would be great to see more things like this take place not only in Bourke but Brewarrina. Well done to every one involved.



Jane Williams
Instructor on the Day



Jordon Gilligan,
Zoe Mc Queen
&
Lauren Gilligan
Helping out on the day



Lauren Gilligan
Showing her style and what a great style



BIODIVERSITY

Earth Alive! Biodiversity Month

Australia is one of the key centres of life. Nearly 10 per cent of the Earth's animal, plant and microbe species live here and, in most cases, only here. Yet, as we race into next century, most Australians living in cities and towns don't realise that beyond our backyards and beaches, Australia's biggest environmental problem - the continuing loss of that rich diversity of life - is gathering momentum. What has taken millions of years to evolve is now being destroyed at a breathtaking rate.

The challenge of the twenty-first century will be to build a safety net for our living heritage, as part of broader moves to get on the track of ecologically sustainable development.

Biodiversity Month is held in September each year, the first month of Spring - the season of life. Earth Alive! Biodiversity Month is a national celebration of Australia's rich diversity of life, and what all Australians can do to help conserve wildlife habitat.