



THE VILLAGE POST

WINDSOR COUNTRY VILLAGE MONTHLY

NOVEMBER 2024

Events

1ST, 2 PM -
MELBOURNE CUP

4TH, 2 PM -
KEY & POWER BOARD
AUDIT

19TH, 1 PM -
DONNA LOU FASHIONS &
TJM JEWELLERY SALE

23RD, 10 AM - 12 PM -
CAKE STALL

27TH, 9:30AM -
WOLLONGONG DAY TRIP

Village News

A NOTE FROM THE SOCIAL CLUB

November is here already, not long until Christmas.

We had a great turn out for the Sausage Sizzle on the 6th October which was the Grand Final night for the footy. Residents enjoyed the food, dessert was yummy and Austen won the lucky door price.

Maria's farewell on the 1th October was well attended by Residents and Management. It was a sad occasion for us all to see her go but life moves on for all of us.

The bus outing on the 16th October was to Leura where we visited Everglades House and Gardens. It was a lovely day out. The gardens are magnificent and it was very refreshing to be in the "mountain air". Lunch at Katoomba R.S.L. was also enjoyable.

The Village 37th Birthday Party on the 19th October went off with a bang. Lomie the entertainer was a big hit! He sang songs for the Residents to dance to and mingled with Residents. The food as usual was excellent and the birthday cake was also magnificent.

Thank you to Bernie for organising the cake, it was lovely for desert with ice cream.

The Village Christmas Party is on the 14th December. Please register your interest on the notice board. Tickets cost \$30.

Keep a look out on the notice board for further events.

Take Care
WCV Social Club.



Village Manager's Report

Hello Everyone,
What a month October has been. We have bid Bon Voyage to Maria on 11/10, sending her off with a lovely afternoon tea and a swag of presents as she makes the move to Port Macquarie.

Spring has really kicked into gear with serious heat coming in waves. As the weather warms up, I remind you that it's a good time to get your air conditioner filters cleaned to ensure efficient operation. It's a quick process so please see the village manager if you need help.

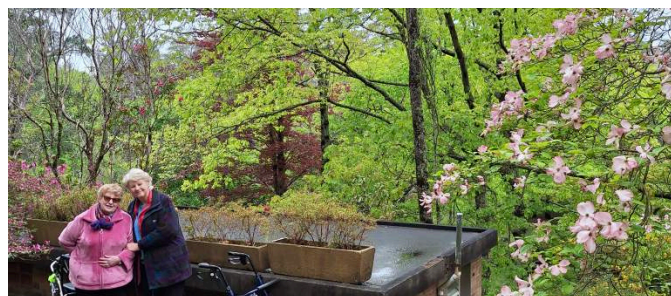
We have created a new work request form to streamline the repairs & maintenance process, and to provide clarity of pricing for everyone. For all work requests please grab a form from the community centre noticeboard, or submit one via email. Any works that have not been requested by a form may not be completed. I'm happy to talk through any questions to assist with filling in the form.

We have completed the line marking of the new car port parking spaces, new posts have been installed to repair and secure the Western boundary fence line, and also completed the AGM meetings.

We are currently in the process of recruiting Maria's replacement and it is my pleasure to be in the role as interim village manager. We have had a strong response and plan to have selected our new VM in the coming weeks. In the meantime, thanks for your patience as my office door has been shut more than usual to conduct phone interviews after reviewing a huge number of applications.

The village bus AC has been reconditioned and that means we will have a crisp, strong flow of air for the summer months for residents and our drivers. Melbourne Cup for me always marks the start of the festive season. With multiple excursions and outings including Jesus Christ Superstar and Wollongong, it truly is the season to be jolly! Be sure to check the What's On section, emails and community centre noticeboard to make sure you don't miss out on any of the action.

Best regards, Paddy





Need a Hand with Your Electricity Bill or Service?

If you're dealing with a tricky issue like a high electricity bill, unexpected disconnection, or a service complaint, the Energy & Water Ombudsman NSW (EWON) is here to support you. EWON is a friendly, independent service that has recently helped our residents resolve issues with electricity, gas, and water providers—at no cost to them.

What EWON Can Help With:

- Incorrect or unusually high bills
- Concerns about disconnection or reconnection
- Service quality issues or complaints
- Understanding your bill or payment options

Easy Ways to Contact EWON:

- Phone: 1800 246 545 (free call)
- Website: ewon.com.au for easy online forms
- Email: complaints@ewon.com.au

"IT'S BEEN A BUSY MONTH
AT THE VILLAGE..."



TJM DESIGNS

Stunning Donna Lou
Fashion &
TJM Jewellery Event

Join us on Tuesday 19th Nov
1 pm in community centre

Bring your friends and family along for some Xmas Shopping



RECYCLING

To help keep our village clean and green, we kindly ask for your support in placing items in the correct recycling bins. Proper sorting makes a big difference to our environment and our village's sustainability efforts. Here are a few friendly reminders:

Use Labeled Bins: Each bin is labeled for specific recyclables—please check the signs to ensure items go in the right place.

Clean Items Only: To prevent contamination, make sure items like containers are rinsed and free from food residue.

Unsure? Just Ask!: If you're uncertain about where something belongs, feel free to reach out to the village manager or a friendly neighbor.

Thank you for helping keep our village beautiful and eco-friendly!



KEY AND POWER BOARD AUDIT CHANGE OF DATE

Audit now on Monday, 4th Nov. Chief Fire Warden, Barbara Halton and Caroline Fisher will be conducting the key audit and inspecting the electrical power boards from 2 pm each day.





Resident Profile

Congratulations to Johanna Cronje, our Resident of the Month! Winner of our overall garden competition, Johanna's "green fingers" have transformed our village's gardens into lush, colorful spaces. As a Tai Chi instructor, she also brings peace and wellness to our community, and her generous help with neighbors' gardens has touched many lives here. Join us in wishing Johanna a very happy birthday this month! Thank you, Johanna, for making our village a more beautiful place to live.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

9th - V14 Dawn Fuller

9th - V59 Johanna Cronje

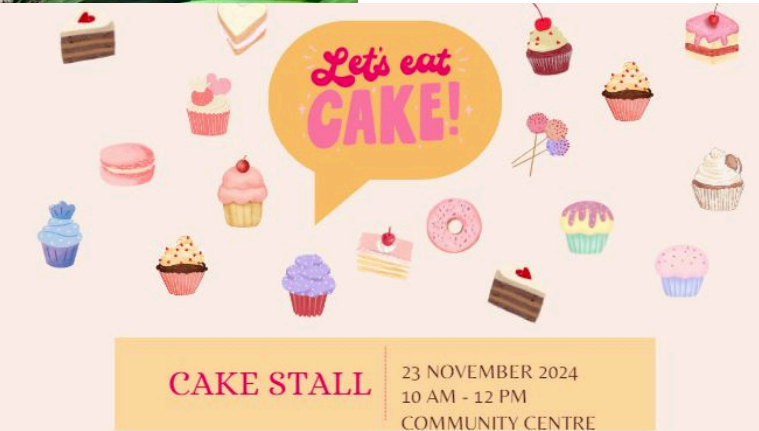
15th - V85 Carol Thorpe

18th - V57 Valerie Quirk

28th - V32 Patricia McCullough



Hello Everyone,
We have settled in at the in-laws and things are going ok. Have not had time to smell the roses yet, as we went back down to south coast for grandsons rugby league tournament this past weekend which was 7 games in 2 days. Hope you are all well, and I do miss you all. Maria xx



CAKE STALL

23 NOVEMBER 2024
10 AM - 12 PM
COMMUNITY CENTRE



MELBOURNE CUP

2pm Tuesday 11th Nov 2024

Put on your finest attire and join us for an unforgettable day!
Enjoy a lively Hat Parade, indulge in a fabulous high tea in the Community Centre, and check out our exciting sweeps on the notice board.
Let the fun begin—see you there!

Be nice to
THE BUS DRIVER,
it's a long walk home

WEDNESDAY BUS TRIPS

- 6th Penrith, Westfield
- 13th The Vintage Restaurant
- 20th Rouse Hill Shops
- 27th Day trip to Wollongong

Save The Date

2nd to 4th Dec- Garage sale

12th Dec - Vineyard PS
Christmas visit

14th Dec - Village Christmas
Party

18th Dec- Lunch at West HQ-
Rooty Hill

25th Dec - BYO
Christmas Lunch

31st Dec - New Year's Eve
Drinks and Nibbles

26th Jan -
Australia Day BBQ