



TALKING TURKEY



WTKCA WEBSITE: www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au

No 235 April 2023

WTKCA MEETING
Monday
8th May
All welcome!
No meeting in April

**TRASH & TREASURE 2023 at WAGSTAFFE HALL on
EASTER SATURDAY - GOOD FUN & BARGAINS GALORE!!!**

Clean Up Australia Day on the Bouddi Peninsula



APRIL at WAGSTAFFE HALL

*MONDAYS

9.30 - 11.00 am Hatha
Yoga - Gai Davies
(4360154)

6.00 - 7.00 pm Pilates -
Michelle (4384 5005) / Si-
mon (0425 224 532)

TUESDAYS

10.30 - 12 noon Movement
& Mindfulness - Jacqui
Dawson (0408 602 669)

Knit 2 Chat 2 1.30—4pm
2nd and 4th Tuesdays
11 & 25 April --
Helen (4360 2926)

*WEDNESDAYS

9.30— 10.30 COTA—
Live Longer Live Stronger
Exercise with Mai Speirs
(0411 039 643)
NB Pre-assessment required

* **THURSDAYS** 2.00 – 5.00
pm Mah-jong –
Pat Hamilton (0404 955 259)

* **FRIDAYS** 9.30 -
11.00am am Yoga - Laurie
Jones (0423 589 877)
1.30 – 4.30 pm Wagstaffe
Hall Bridge Club (0414 689
922)



The Bouddi clean up was, as in past years, divided into two efforts. The Hardys Bay Clean Up on Saturday 4th March spearheaded by Stephen Hinks, aided by twelve hardy! volunteers, set out from the Hardys Bay Community Church, covering the foreshore from the Dog Track to Riley's Bay. In the afternoon at low tide the tideline was cleared from RSL Creek to Pretty Beach Boat Ramp.

On Sunday 5th Dave and Helen Reid headed the collection at Killcare Heights. This collection covered Scenic Road from Wards Hill Road to MacMasters, Maitland Bay Drive, and Wards Hill Rd. from Empire Bay to Scenic Rd. Many thanks to the sixteen volunteers who filled seventeen bags (4m³) of rubbish of every description + 11 tyres/wheels (pictured above).

Ian Bull

HARDYS BAY CLUB _ ANZAC DAY 2023

6.00am Light up the Dawn

and lowering the Flag

11.00am Memorial service

12.00pm Bar Opens

12.30pm Lunch available

at Hardys Hideaway

1.00pm Live Music with

Aubrey & Purton Band

3.00pm Flags raised to full mast

We Remember
ANZAC DAY 2023
Never forgotten. Always remembered. Let us give thanks to all fallen heroes.

SERVICE 11AM
DOUBLE UP LUNCH 12.30PM
ADULTS \$25 KIDS \$18

TRADITIONAL ANZAC FEAST
(VEGIE FRIENDLY)
CHOOSE 2 COURSES
ENTREE / MAIN OR MAIN / DESSERT



President's Notes April 2023

By the time this edition is on the streets the State Election will be done and dusted. We were pleased to hear from the candidates of the 3 major parties at Wagstaffe Hall early in the campaign, with over 60 locals plus a few ring-ins in attendance to both listen and engage in Q&A. As always, it is good to see the whites of the eyes, as they say. I think we all appreciated the opportunity to hear their respective positions on things seen as important in the community. This Association is non-political, so we will be pleased to work with our elected member of State Parliament to progress the interests of the community.

In mid March the Bouddi Society hosted the Words at Wagstaffe day in Wagstaffe Hall with stimulating speakers and discussion on the theme of "From the Frontline". This was an exceptional event relating remarkable tales and thanks go to the speakers and to the wider Words on the Waves Festival organisers who arranged for them to join us. Well done to all.

Last month we noted some priority actions we would like to see to improve our local infrastructure. Despite various "not a priority at present" responses from council and others, WTKCA and a number of individuals in our community have been hammering the case and will continue to do so. We look forward soon to taking the CCC Administrator on site through our concerns particularly over Araluen Drive traffic and parking impediments, pedestrian safety and parkland degradation.

Over the next few months, WTKCA would like to progress various ideas with the community for an outline Masterplan for the entire Hardys Bay foreshore. CCC have said that one was prepared 15 years ago but community agreement could not be achieved. I do not know the detail, but you clearly cannot have improvement if you cannot accept recommendations. It just needs to be appropriate, and maybe there were some aspects that were not "right". This community pays a fortune in rates and we have had our infrastructure ignored for too long. We'd like to hear your thoughts on what might be needed.

Traffic turning issues at the Empire Bay Drive intersection with Wards Hill Rd are also being progressed. Improvements would require a combined State and Council project and our interests are to get it on their priority list. We believe that Dr Gordon Reid (our Federal Member) is adding weight to our concerns thanks to various representations that his office has received, so we look forward to whatever added traction may be achieved. It does not require a death to get attention.

I hope you agree.

Mike Allsop

STOP PRESS

The challenge to the DA for the mobile phone tower has been successful, unfortunately. Further delays will now ensue, but the positive news is that the proponents (the telcos) are in the process of preparing a new DA for assessment under the CCC Local Environment Plan 2022. They are still keen to improve services to us. Public comment will be sought.



COMMUNITY CONNECT CALENDAR

Mondays - 10.30-11.30am Zumba with Fiona

Tuesdays - 7.45-8.45am Yoga with Robyn

9.15-10.15am Yoga with Abi

7-8pm Yoga with Abi

Thursdays - 9-10am Tai Chi with Lesley

Fridays - 7-8am Yoga with Robyn

9.30-10.30am Yoga with Robyn

SUNDAY SIPS

Every Sunday upstairs on the balcony everyone welcome 4-7pm

For further details please contact the KSLSC on Ph (02) 4360 1150

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EASTER ART EXHIBITION & SALE

Hosted by Hardys Bay Community Church




GIULIANO BALOS




BERENGERE DE TALLE

FREE ENTRY FOR ALL




TERRY BAKER


BESS




INEL DATE



WALTER KOPPEN



COLIN TAPPING



CHERYL STONE

EXHIBITION OPEN
 Good Friday to Easter Monday
 Friday & Sunday 11-5pm
 Saturday 9-5pm
 Monday 10-3pm
 114 Araluen Drive, Hardys Bay
www.hbcc.com.au

KNIT Two—CHAT Too at Wagstaffe Hall
 We use 8ply yarn, 4mm needles to knit or crochet
 28 squares (25cm) for each blanket.
 Google **Wrap with Love** for patterns and information.

We completed another **70 Wraps** in 2022.

Well done everyone.
 Another great result.

We look forward to many more productive afternoons, enjoying a chat and a cuppa together in 2023.

Come and join us on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday each month at 1.30pm.

Donations of colourful 8ply yarn always welcome.
 Contact Helen 43602926

KILLCARE WINTER SWIMMERS TO START NEW SEASON

The Killcare Winter Swimmers, the Frigid Digits, are setting up for their season.

The water is warm and will be until at least June. The Frigid Digits are part of the Killcare Surf Club and offer members the opportunity to keep fit in the off season. Cold water has proven health benefits and the Club has members from five to over eighty years old.

The Club will meet every Sunday morning at the Putty end from 30th April at 9.00am sharp.

Everyone is welcome. It doesn't matter how slow or fast you are as the races are handicapped over 30 and 50 metres, so everyone has a chance to win, but no wet suits allowed. Nothing beats Putty after a swim and a hot soup on a Sunday morning.

The AGM is on Sunday 16th April at the Killcare SLSC at 3.00pm to elect officers and set up for the season. We will aim to conclude by 4.00pm for Sunday Sips and a catch up on the balcony. So come along and find out about this friendly community club.





WHAT'S ON at HARDYS BAY CLUB

FREE Live Music in April

- Sat 1/4 The TOFS 6.00pm
- Sun 2/4 Ruby 1.00pm
- Fri 7/4 Trivia 7.30pm
- Sat 8/4 Past Echoes 6.00pm
- Sun 9/4 Mirrabooka 1.00pm
- Fri 14/4 GI Jane 6.00pm
- Sat 15/4 Bohemian Bees 6.00pm
- Sun 16/4 Jane Germain & Peter Tos 1.00pm
- Fri 21/4 Musical Bingo 7.30pm
- Sat 22/4 Dawg Dayz 6.00pm
- Sun 23/4 Paul Wilson with the Million Dollar Quartet 1.00pm
- Tue 25/4 Anzac Day with Aubrey & Purton 1.00pm
- Fri 28/4 Sports Lunch with Jim Maxwell 12.00pm
- Fri 28/4 Music Mates with Shaun Wilson 6.00pm
- Sat 29/4 Night Owls 6.00pm
- Sun 30/4 Les Lowe 1.00pm

YOUR COMMUNITY CLUB 14 Heath Rd, Hardys Bay
NSW 2257 | 02 4308 7521

**HARDYS HIDEAWAY RESTAURANT OPEN
THURSDAY TO SUNDAY**



HBCC in APRIL

Happy Easter!

Easter services:

Friday & Sunday 9.30am

Good Fri 7th April: *Jesus' death – the result of a perfect storm?*

Easter Sunday 9th April: *Christ's resurrection – good news for three reasons.*

Our Annual ART EXHIBITION & Sale – Friday to Monday

Featuring **local artists**: Terry Baker, Giuliano Balos, Inel Date, Berengere de Tarle, Walter Koppen, Colin Tapping, Cheryl Stone.

Opening times – FREE ENTRY:

Fri & Sun 11am-5pm

Sat 9am-5pm

Mon 10am-3pm

Venue: 114 Araluen Dr, Hardys Bay.

Our Sunday series continues at services *Jesus: The Man, his Mission, his Message* 9.30-10.30am + morning tea

Sun 23 April - **Colin Scott with news on Bangladesh**

Sun 30 April to Wed 3 May - **Men's spiritual retreat at Stanwell Tops.**

Enquiries, pastoral care, & hall is available for hire for regular & one-off events: Stephen Hinks 0439 744 657

PLEASE JOIN US

The Association has a proud history of promoting everything good about the unique character of the Bouddi Peninsula - the environment, the village character and the sense of community. Please consider joining us by completing the form below. **(Note: Current Members will be advised when renewals are due).** **Form is for New Members only:** By signing this form you agree to uphold the Association's Aims and Objectives [find at www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au or contact WTKCA for a copy or further information].
(1) Complete this form **(2) Enclose** payment of \$5p.p. [includes joining fee] **(3) List** details in spaces provided **(4) Sign** this form and return to **WTKCA Membership Secretary, PO Box 4069 WAGSTAFFE NSW 2257.**

FULL NAME of new member/s [use BLOCK letters].....

Mailing address.....

Email address.....

Phone/s.....

Signed.....