

# TALKING TURKEY



WTKCA WEBSITE: [www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au](http://www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au)

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**WTKCA MEETING**  
Monday  
14th August  
WTKCA Community  
Meeting  
All welcome!

## AUGUST at WAGSTAFFE HALL

### MONDAYS

9:30 - 11.00 am Hatha  
Yoga : Gai Davies  
(024360 1854)

6:00 - 7:00

pm Pilates : Michelle  
(4384 5005) / Simon (0425  
224532)

**NB: 21st + 28th only**

### TUESDAYS

10:30 - 12 noon Movement  
and Mindfulness : Jacqui  
Dawson (0408 602 669)

1:30 - 4:00 pm Knit Two  
Chat Too : Helen Reid  
(43602926)

**NB: 8th + 22nd only**

### WEDNESDAYS

9:30 - 10:30 am COTA Live  
Longer Live Stronger  
Exercise : Mai Speirs (0411  
039 643)

### THURSDAYS

2:00 - 5:00 pm Mah-  
jong : Pat Hamilton (0404  
955 259)

### FRIDAYS

9:30 - 11:00 am Yoga :  
Laurie Jones (0423 589  
877)

1:30 - 4:00 pm Wagstaffe  
Bridge Club : Graeme An-  
derson (0414 689 922)

SUNDAY (once monthly)  
3:30 - 5:30 pm Restorative  
Yoga Workshop :  
Abi Couchman (0418 211  
212) **NB: 27th Aug. only**

## AFTERNOON BY THE BAY with JULIE DOLAN

SATURDAY 26th AUGUST at 2.00pm at  
WAGSTAFFE HALL

THE  
**Bouddi**  
Society

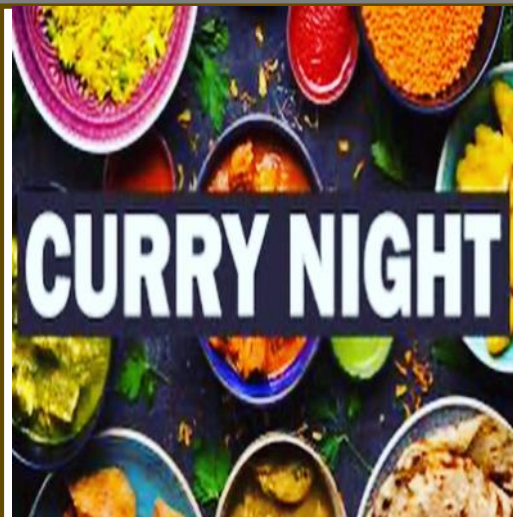
\$15 members

\$20 non-members



Former Matilda, Julie Dolan AM, started  
playing at the age of 14 and became Aus-  
tralia's inaugural captain at just 18. Dolan  
played 34 matches for Australia across a  
14-year career

In 1988, the Australian Women's Soccer Association created the Julie  
Dolan Medal for the best female footballer of the year.



**FRIGID DIGITS**  
@ KILLCARE SURF CLUB

**SATURDAY 12th AUGUST**

We'll have we got a cracking event hosted by  
the awesome Frigid Digits lined up for you.  
Come along to the #KSLSC for a delicious  
Curry Night on Saturday the 12th August  
(6-10pm) and enjoy a curry feast, music and  
some beverages! Bar will open at 6pm.

\$25 p/p Killcare SLSC Members

\$30 p/p Visitors

Purchase tickets at  
- <https://www.trybooking.com/CJXMY>

Limited Tickets so book quickly before it sells  
out! \*PLEASE NOTE: No tickets will be avail-  
able to purchase on the night.

COAST OPERA AUSTRALIA PRESENTS

# DEBORAH



**HUMBLE**  
Internationally Acclaimed Mezzo Soprano  
In Recital: Sea Pictures by Edward Elgar  
and Wagner's Wesendonck Lieder

1PM 13th AUGUST TICKETS \$125

55 WAGSTAFFE AVENUE, 2257

CANAPES AND WINE ON ARRIVAL  
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www.coastoperaaustralia.com/store](https://www.coastoperaaustralia.com/store)

**Tickets: \$125**

**Angela Brewer**

Executive Director - Founder -  
Artistic Director

**COAST OPERA (0434 067 372)**



## President's Notes

So, the Ettalong Channel is silted up again and the Palm Beach ferry is diverted to Patonga. This is due to the abject failure of Transport NSW to meet their obligations in their Coastal Dredging Strategy for regular minor maintenance to the channel profile. They have known for over 12 months that some trimming was needed and never progressed the basic selection of operators to do the job. Not only the ferries, but any deep draft vessel is now compromised on safety until this is fixed.

Fantasea have a standard diversion timetable used in times of major storm events etc, but this time the diversion is longer term. How do you get to and from Patonga other than driving 40 minutes from Killcare? Fortunately, and with the help of both Adam Crouch and Liesl Tesch, Transport NSW has arranged a free shuttle ferry between Wagstaffe and Ettalong meeting up with a free shuttle bus between Ettalong and Patonga. It might add 45 mins to your journey, but you can make it. Ditto for travellers coming our way for day trips or to stay.

For us, the shuttle ferry operates in peak periods during weekdays and all day during weekends. You can find the timetable on the Fantasea website, along with times for Patonga - Palm Beach. We'll need to show that it is used, otherwise we'll lose it.

There is nothing definitive yet announced for dredging. Best case is the ferry may resume in September, worst case November / December. This is farcical and should never have happened.

On a completely different topic, you may have seen the concept for a Men's Shed to be sited in the back area of Turo Park. This was very well meaning of the proponents in their quest to find a home but is subject to all sorts of difficulties in permission to use the site as well as concerns of neighbours. This group are well funded and well resourced for equipment but have nowhere to go at present - other sites being knocked back by neighbours as well. In fact "Men's Shed" is probably a bit of a misnomer since many ladies in the area would also like to be part of the activities and skills development etc on offer. This indeed is the intention as we understand it. So, please help them find a site for a "Community Shed" so that everyone may benefit. The same plea applies to the proponents of the Community Garden who were working with the shed group to get site permission and governance arrangements in place to operate.

Lastly, by the time you read this, the comment period for the proposed telecoms tower on Wards Hill Road will have closed. For those commenting either way, it is fair to say that the DA determination will not be based on a popularity contest. We trust that the assessors will ignore some of the more outlandish claims submitted and rather focus on the merits of the proposal for community safety and amenity as voiced by many, along with technical compliance asserted by the proponents. Given past experience, there could still be further challenges if the determination is in favour of the proposal. We hope for the sake of the community that it will all resolve in favour of improved mobile service.  
Mike Allsop



### 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

Wednesdays - 6-7.15pm Whole Body Strength  
& Mobility with Josh

Fridays - 7-8am Yoga with Robyn

KSLSC Community Open Day -

Sunday 24 th September

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

## WTKCA CONTACTS

### **President:**

*Mike Allsop*

### **Vice President:**

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**Hall Convenor:** *Martin Sieper*

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### **Newsletter:**

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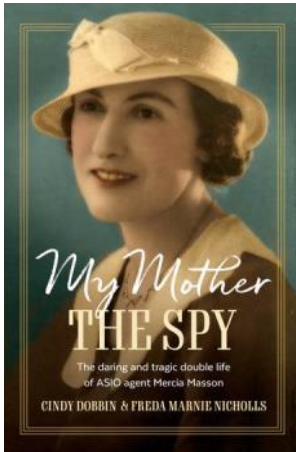


## EVENTS to LOOK FORWARD to in OCTOBER and DATES TO KEEP

The Bouddi Society  
presents an



Afternoon by the Bay



OCTOBER 8th  
at Wagstaffe Hall  
at 2.00pm

Cindy Dobbin and  
Freda Marnie Nicholls  
will talk about their  
book with  
David Abrahams  
*My Mother the Spy*

Q and A to follow

\$15 members \$20 non-members

Tickets available at Wagstaffe Store and  
Eventbrite or at the door



### OCTOBER LONG WEEKEND

#### WAGSTAFFE HALL

#### Calling for Artists

The Bouddi Society is pleased to announce that once again, it will be hosting an Art Show at Wagstaffe Hall on the October long weekend (30 Sept - 1 October, 2022). This Art Show together with the community organised Arts Trail provides a great Arts Weekend event for the Bouddi Peninsula community.

The theme for the Art Show is 'Seasons'.

The Bouddi Society is calling on local artists from the Bouddi Peninsula (including McMasters Beach) who are interested in exhibiting at the Art Show to please  
Contact Margaret Crane at [bouddisociety1@gmail.com](mailto:bouddisociety1@gmail.com)

## Bouddi Peninsula Arts Trail

OCTOBER  
LONG WEEKEND



## PINK FRIDAY

### HIGH TEA LUNCHEON

FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER  
12PM-3PM

\$55 PER PERSON

Ticket includes glass of bubbles on arrival, High Tea Lunch, Pink Friday Gift Bag & Lucky door ticket.

Raising funds for women's cancers

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## WHAT'S ON at HARDYS BAY CLUB in AUGUST

**Fri 4 th Trivia 7.30pm**

**Sun 6 th Len Newman 1.00pm**

**Fri 11 th Louis the Fly 6.00pm**

**Sat 12 th Aubrey & Purton band 6.00pm**

**Sun 13 th Jane Germain & Peter Tos  
1.00pm**

**Fri 14 th Musical Bingo 7.30pm**

**Sat 19 th The Citations 6.00pm**

**Sun 20 th Boho Bees**

**Hardys Archie's Presentation 2.00pm**

**Fri 25 th Music Mates / Peter Bates 6.00pm**

**Sat 26 th Sofa Cobras 6.00pm**

**Sun 27 th Suz Dorahy 1.00pm**

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



### HBCC in AUGUST

We start a new topic in this year's theme: *The Lord is MY Shepherd* – Sundays at 9.30, we'll focus on How we listen to God.

Sat 19 August, 10am to 1pm -  
*Create at the Bay*

For anyone wanting a quiet space to work on an arts project, bring it, enjoy good company and morning tea.

Advanced notice:

Dad's Day service – Sun 3 Sept, 9.30am

RFS & Surf Club season commencement service Sun 17 Sept, 9.30am

Hire our historic building for private or community use – call

Terry: 0405 909 070

Enquiries and pastoral care – call

Stephen: 0439 744 657.

For more information, go to our website:

**W:** [www.hbcc.com.au](http://www.hbcc.com.au)

**E:** [shinks1@bigpond.com](mailto:shinks1@bigpond.com)

### CENTRAL COAST COUNCIL

**MOBILE LIBRARY:**  
will visit **WAGSTAFFE** on  
4th and 18th August

### 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](http://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.....