



HIBISCUS HERALD

Seaforth Progress & Sports Assn. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hello all, once again. It seems like this year is melting away faster than usual.

The Mega Market has proved successful once again, thanks to some new volunteers and some regular helpers. On that note, I would like to thank Peta Jaine Wienert (PJ) and the Calen Freemasons for their continued hard work.

Also, a big thank you to Len Turvey for his huge effort each week to ensure that the markets run as smoothly as they do.

Sadly, we failed again to get a quorum at our last meeting. We need members to make things happen in our community.

A lot of people have approached us with ideas that could benefit our community, but they never come to meetings. With limited numbers, we are limited in what we can achieve.

We are taking a slightly different approach to our meeting this month. It will be held on **TUESDAY 19th JULY at 5.30pm** at the Community Hall.

The key difference will be that the Progress Association will be supplying Dazza's Wood Fired Pizzas to those at the meeting. These will be served during the meeting.

Everyone is encouraged to bring their partners and children. The children will be safe in the enclosed playground at the rear of the hall, and should it be raining, there is an area on the back veranda.

Please make the effort to attend, and if you can let me know beforehand for the pizza orders that would be appreciated very much. My contact details are on the next page.

Our meetings are only once a month and go for roughly an hour. Please show your support for our community by attending the meeting - *and who can argue with a free pizza?*

The Councillors for our area, Laurence Bonaventura and Ross Gee, will be present so take this opportunity to raise any council related issues that you may have.

On a positive note, Councillor Ross Gee has confirmed that we will be getting some new signage at the highway to promote Seaforth and the surrounding areas.

The Victor Creek Boat Ramp cameras are to be installed finally, and not a moment too soon either.

As always, stay safe and keep out of trouble.

Israel Vogiatzis—President

Markets Report

The markets in June were well attended even though the date clashed with a couple of really big events in the area.

The Marian Markets moved their market date back two weeks, and Radio Station 101.9 also had a huge fundraiser at the showgrounds on the same day. Still we were able to attract over 100 stalls and a very good crowd.

A number of stallholders did not show on the day, so these will be moved to the wait list for the next Mega Markets. This is as per the Stallholders Information Sheet that all stallholders have received.

These guidelines have been introduced to give stallholders and the market convenor clear guidelines for the operation of the Mega Market.

The Mega Markets have turned into a major event for the area, and for the Progress Association. For this to continue and for it to continue being run by volunteers, we cannot have stallholders dropping in and out when it suits and then expect to have the market rearranged so they can go back into the same site.

The BBQ run on the day by the FAD Dance Group went really well. We have increased the expected donation from the organisations running the BBQ to 10% of their profit to ensure we have sufficient funds to cover the costs of their use of our BBQ trailer.

There is a lot of interest from several organisations in the Mackay area to operate the BBQ on the Mega Market days, so if you are part of a local not-for-profit group and would like to raise money using the Mega Market BBQ, please contact the Market Convenor on **0400 446 876** or email seaforthmarkets@gmail.com



Seaforth Health and Welfare Group

CENT SALE & MORNING

TEA

Seaforth Community Hall

THURSDAY, 4th AUGUST 2016 - 9.30am

\$8 admission

includes Morning Tea & Lucky Door Ticket

* Door Raffle * Cent Sale Tickets: \$5 per sheet

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SEAFORTH POLICE BEAT NEWS

Non urgent service: 131 444 In an emergency please call 000

Police Beat 4959 0056 Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000

(Provided by Officer in Charge—Senior Constable Adam McLoughlin)

As most of you are aware the cane hauling season has well and truly kicked off. You would have noticed the cane hauling vehicles regularly using the Yakapari Seaforth Road and surrounding roads. Please be **PATIENT** with these vehicles, give them a wide berth, and be aware of them turning on and off the side roads.

Be mindful of when and where you overtake these vehicles. Only do so when the line markings allow it, and when it's safe. By not doing this you are putting your life and lives of others at risk. Cane hauling is a part of the livelihood of local farmers and driving on roads in our area is their right. I am hoping we can get through the season without incident.

Remember if you are in doubt about overtaking, don't do it. I have and will continue to issue traffic infringement notices for vehicles crossing double lines or overtaking when it's not safe.

Avoid Computer Crime

Police are reminding the public to remain vigilant and be computer wise to avoid becoming the victim of computer based crime. The Mackay region has recently been heavily targeted by offenders.

Offenders are becoming more organised and efficient and are often overseas based. They are not only keeping up with technology, but are often one step ahead of it in order to steal your money.

Phishing emails or Malware software are common ways for offenders to obtain the details they need to access your banking accounts.

A phishing email often looks like a genuine email sent from your bank and could even include official logos. They will ask you to enter or confirm your banking or account details to keep your account activated or current. Another method can involve you being directed to an online form which asks you to fill in personal details.

Banks will not send emails like this to you. No matter how genuine it may look, do not respond. Deleting any email from your account as soon as it arrives will help prevent you from becoming a victim.

Malware software is often attached to emails which are sent in bulk by the offenders. The software is activated when you open the email and/or an attachment associated with that email. It will then 'hunt' through your computer looking for personal details, account numbers and passwords to send back to the offender. Malware may also lay dormant on your computer until activated at a later time.

In order to ensure you don't become a victim of these scams, install reputable anti-virus software and delete emails received from those you don't know. Do not reply and do not give out your personal details to anyone over the internet unless it is a source you know and trust.

Incidents can be reported through the *Australian Cyber-crime On-line Reporting Network* – known as ACORN (acorn.com.au). On this site you can also learn how to better protect yourself.

Locally, if you would like to stay in touch with what Police are up to in the Mackay and Whitsunday area, you can head to www.mypolice.qld.gov.au/mackay/. Here there are stories on Community events involving police, crime statistics, Crime and Alert stories and there are also still shots where police are seeking the assistance of the community to help identify suspects and offenders.

We have solved many criminal offences this way, thanks to the help of the community.

OFFICE HOURS: I endeavour to have the Police Beat office open on THURSDAYS from 8am to 11am. However, this is subject to calls for service, operational requirements, days off etc.

If I'm not there, simply use the blue phone on the wall outside the office. Policelink is a 24 hours a day, seven days a week service on 131 444.

Stay safe,
Adam

Community Organisations/Clubs Contact List

Police/Fire/Ambulance

Emergencies	000
Non-Urgent	131 444
Police Beat	4959 0056
Crime Stoppers	1800 333 000

Fire Wardens

Seaforth Town—Bert Benson	4959 0669
Seaforth District—Steve Smith	0417 731 569
Chris Fredrickson	4959 0886 0429 067 134

Emergency Liaison Officers

Charlie Symons (Seaforth Town)	0408 776 564
Jessica Newton (School area)	0409 587 128
Dwayne Shea (Cape Hillsborough Rd, Ball Bay & Holiday Bay)	0407 647 166

Seaforth Progress & Sports Association

- Israel Vogiatzis (President)
killer-smurf@hotmail.com
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buffstarscoffee@gmail.com
- Len Turvey (Secretary) 0429 897 045
lturvey5@bigpond.com
- Frank Cowley (Treasurer) 0428 386 621
youngfrank77@gmail.com
- Market Co-ordinator 0400 446 876
seaforthmarkets@gmail.com
- Carolyn Martin (Editor Hibiscus Herald)
editor.hibiscusherald@gmail.com 0409 400249

Community Hall/Sports Ground Enquiries

Maralyn Ross	0407 640 135
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Mackay & District Bowmen

Mike Beard (President)	0439 677 293
Debbie Lamb (Secretary)	0407 022 906

QCWA Seaforth

Mary Vassallo (President)	4954 0961
Carolyn Martin (Secretary)	0409 400 249
Cottage Convenor	0476 394 849
<i>bookings.qcwaseaforth@gmail.com</i>	

Red Hatters

Queen Joan	0401 208 003
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Seaforth Boating Club

Gordon Baxter (President)	4959 0048
<i>phillip.gordon.baxter@gmail.com</i>	
Janelle Cowan (Secretary)	0419 799 725
<i>coljane3@bigpond.net.au</i>	
Meredith Sunderland (Treasurer)	
<i>yachtstraycat@bigpond.com</i>	

Seaforth Bowls Club

Clubhouse	4959 0201
<i>seaforthbowlsclub@bigpond.com</i>	
Paul Foot (President)	0419 658 576
Linda Nicolai (Ladies Pres)	0437 239 950

Seaforth Ladies Tennis Assn

 Hayley Windsor (President)	0419 404 082
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If you would like to add your Club/Organisation contact details to this list, please phone Carolyn 0409 400249 or send details to editor.hibiscusherald@gmail.com

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS 2016	REGULAR HAPPENINGS in the COMMUNITY
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Month	Date	Event
JUL	3 Sun	SPSA MEGA MARKET
	19 Tue	SPSA Monthly Meeting 5.30pm at the Community Hall
	23 Sat	QCWA Seaforth—at the QCWA Shed Knitting & Crochet and Cookery Contest Judging; International Day . Entries must be in by 12.30pm. Also Afternoon Tea and Cent Sale. Admission \$10 (details on page 7)
	29 Fri	QCWA Seaforth Branch: Annual General Meeting 9.00am
AUG	4 Thurs.	CENT SALE & MORNING TEA at the Community Hall at 9.30am Seaforth Seniors Group (see page 1)
	6 Sat	TRIVIA NIGHT (Details on page 4) at Seaforth Pines 6pm
	7 Sun	SPSA MEGA MARKET
	14 Sun	SPSA CAR SHOW (Cancelled)
	21 Sun	HEALTH & LIFESTYLE EXPO Old Station Teahouse

Day	Time	Event	Contact	Contact No	
MON	9.00am	Hibiscus Dieters Club	Shirley	4959 0452	*
	9.00am	Monday Munchkins Community Playgroup at Seaforth State School 9-11am	Sarah	4959 0133	*
TUE	9.00am	QCWA Activity/Craft morning every Tuesday at "The Shed"	Carol Josie	0427 800 324 4959 0108	*
	9.00am	NO Aqua Aerobics <i>during winter—starts up again approx Sept.</i>	Sandy	4959 0821	*
	5.30pm	SPSA Meeting - 19th JULY	Len	0429 897 045	1
WED	9.00am	"Fitness can be Fun" Exercise Class (<i>with a qualified Instructor</i>)	Narelle	4959 0976	1
THU	9.30am	Health & Welfare Group (every second Thursday) <i>14th & 28th July-</i> Morning Tea & Bingo NOTE: Cent Sale 4th August	Maralyn	4959 0332	1
	6.30pm	Line Dancing at the Kuttabul Pub Hall	Mel	0408 878 751	*
FRI	9.00am	Tai Chi at Seaforth School (<i>does not operate during school holidays</i>)	Carol	4959 0755	*
		Free Women's Health Services —Mackay Base Hospital Women's Clinic every Friday—phone to book		4885 7200	*
SAT	8.30am	Seaforth Town Rural Brigade Training 9th July	Ross	4959 0298 0439 352 266	*
	8.30am	Ball Bay/Holiday Bay Fire Brigade (<i>Training 1st Sat each month</i>)	Frank	4959 0532 0413 026 639	*
	9.00am	Quilting craft session at Yakapari Country Crafts	Angie	0484 649 505	*
	9.00am	QCWA Monthly Meeting 2nd Saturday every month at "The Shed"	Mary	4954 0961	*
	4.00pm	Seaforth District Rural Fire Brigade (<i>Members' Training 1st Saturday each month</i>)	Wade	0419 510 198	*
SUN	8.30am	Seaforth Markets	Market Co-ord	0400 446 876	*
	9.00am	Mky & District Bowmen Shoot (<i>1st & 3rd Sunday each month</i>)	Mick	0439 677 293	*
	2.00pm	Garden Club (Last Sunday each month)	Sandy	4959 0821	*
	3.00pm	Mackay Home Grown Trading event at Kuttabul Hotel— <i>anyone can swap home grown food, jams, garden equipment, etc</i>	Naomi	0416 247 218	*



The DSD STATION TEA

Delicious Devonshire Teas—Espresso & Coffee—
Light Lunches

**** NOW OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK ****
from 9am to 3.30pm
Closed some public holidays
CAPE HILLSBOROUGH ROAD

Friday is Pizza Night Out
Enjoy Soup, Wood Fired Pizza, Salad & Sweets
\$35.00 per person (BYO Alcohol welcome)
Bookings are essential (before 5pm on the Friday)
ALSO AVAILABLE...

Yummy Wood Fired Pizza for
SATURDAY & SUNDAY LUNCH TIME
Bookings advised - 49590 528

* SEE SPECIAL JULY "2 for 1 OFFER" on FRONT PAGE *

Tai Chi for Health Classes

FRIDAYS: 9am to 10am
Seaforth School - Cost: \$5.00
For more information please contact



Carol on 49590 755
NO BOOKINGS REQUIRED

1. Community Hall * Contact the individual for venue information

LOCAL SERVICES

MOBILE LIBRARY

WED July 13 & 27
August 10 & 24

Ball Bay

10:30 am-11:30 am

Seaforth School

12:30-2:00 pm

Seaforth Beach

2:30 pm- 4:15 pm

RECYCLE BIN DAYS

WED July 13 & 27
August 10 & 24

**SEAFORTH
WASTE TRANSFER
STATION (The Tip)**

Open
Thursday, Friday,
Saturday, Sunday
7am to 5pm



LOCAL NEWS & NOTICES

SEAFORTH STATE SCHOOL

TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday 6th August at Seaforth Pines

6.00pm - 9.00pm

Get your table of 8 - 12 team members!

\$15.00 per head—includes entry and hot/cold nibbles
Alcohol available for purchase (basic spirits, beer & wine)
No BYO!

Lucky door prize - Prizes for winning team

Pick your team theme - Kid free event
(check out Seaforth Community Noticeboard for
babysitters) - Bookings are essential!

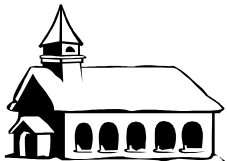
FUNDRAISING for shade cover over school's
multi-purpose court!!!

Bookings or enquiries contact

Kathy Frost 49 590133 (School)
Jenece Condon 0428 596 737
or Louise Bowman 0411 695 167



**Seaforth
CHURCH SERVICES**



Uniting Church - 9.00 am
1st & 3rd Sunday each month

Star of the Sea Catholic Church - 7.00 am
every Sunday

Do you need the services of a JP ?

We thank the following Commissioner for Declarations and/or Justices of the Peace who have made their names available for this newsletter. Please phone them to arrange a convenient time.

Debbie Roberts	Seaforth	4959 0229
Doug Scells JP (Qual)	Haliday Bay	4959 0241
Vicki McGuren JP (Qual)	Ball Bay	4959 0074
Jennifer Borg	Kuttabul area	4954 0487
Mavis Gibson JP (Qual)	Mt Jukes area	4959 0447

Some of the above volunteers work during the day and may not be available at the time of your choosing. Please show some consideration when arranging a time suitable to both parties to avail yourself of this service.

Should you be new to our area and have these qualifications and would like to be included on the list, please contact the Editor (editor.hibiscusherald@gmail.com)

LOCAL COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP

Monday Munchkins

Calling all children under school age - Come and join our playgroup on
Monday mornings from 9am - 11am at Seaforth State School — Cost \$2.00 each week

Playgroup helps children - Playgroup helps adults

- * Social Skills * Meet other local families, develop new friendships
- * Learn sharing, cooperation and simple routines * Relax and talk
- * Interact with adults and children in safe environment * Share experiences and ideas
- * Learn more about their world * Play with children and encourage development
- * HAVE FUN!!!



Hope to see many new and old faces and all those happy munchkins! For any further information please call **49 590133** during office hours (Seaforth State School).

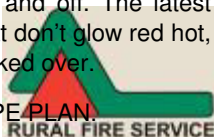
**Seaforth Town Rural Fire
Brigade**

WINTER HOUSE FIRES

Now winter has finally turned up, take time to check your heaters. The old ones had coils in them and when heated up were actually red hot. Many fires were started if they came in contact with fabric or were knocked over.

The safest heaters are oil filled - they won't set fire to fabrics, and can be set to turn on and off. The latest small heaters have ceramic coils that don't glow red hot, and will turn off automatically if knocked over.

REMEMBER to have a FIRE ESCAPE PLAN.



SEAFORTH BOATING CLUB



It will be only a short newsletter article this month as I have been away on other matters for some time.

On the Seaforth Boating Club facebook page I see an invitation to our Club from the Mackay Cruising Club to join in on a cruise on 23rd July 2016.

I do hope that some of the boaties from our Club support this cruise as it is a great opportunity to gain some knowledge of close cruising destinations from those who know the area.

We would like to increase our boat storage/membership numbers in our little Club as normal attrition has not been replaced by many incoming boats. If anyone knows of anybody who may wish to take advantage of our storage facilities, please have them call me as we have plenty of room for more boats.

Safe and happy boating.

Gordon Baxter (President) Phone: 4959 0048

LOCAL SERVICES



SEAFORTH BOWLS CLUB

for BISTRO BOOKINGS & *COURTESY BUS BOOKINGS

Phone 49590 201

*Courtesy Bus available from
5.30pm FRIDAYS and 6pm SATURDAYS

EVERY WEEK

FRIDAYS: 5.30 to 7pm Raffles
7 to 7.30pm Membership Draw
(must be a financial member & in attendance to win)

SATURDAYS: Goose Club drawn at 3pm (tickets available all week)
FREE Jukebox nights

Available from the bar every day..

Pizzas \$12 (Members) / \$14 (non-members)
Byrnes Pies \$4.60 (Members) / \$5.30 (non-members)

SPECIAL EVENTS THIS MONTH

Saturday 9th. Italian Night in the Bistro
Wednesday 13th State of Origin 3.
Prizes, drink specials &
Platters \$20 head (min. 4 persons)

Friday 15th Live Entertainment TBA

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

AUGUST
Saturday 13th Thai Cuisine in the Bistro
Saturday 27th Opening of the new Kids Playground
with a mini Eat Street Market
out front under the paperbark tree

BOWLS PLAYING DAYS:

WEDNESDAY: Ladies Competition & Mixed Social - 1pm start
(Dress: Club or neat casual & footwear)
New Players on Wednesday Most Welcome!!!
Phone Rhona 49664460

FRIDAY: Mixed Medley Pairs - 1.30pm start
(Dress: Mufti/shoes preferred)
Names on the board by 1pm.

SATURDAY: Men's Competition and/or Social - 1.30pm start.
Names on the board by 1pm.

FIRST SUNDAY EVERY MONTH: Mixed Social - 1.30pm start.
Names on the board by 1pm.

NEW PLAYERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME !

FITNESS can be FUN !!!

Weekly sessions at the
SEAFORTH COMMUNITY HALL
WEDNESDAYS - 9am to 10am

with Qualified Instructors

Cost is only \$10 per session - the FIRST CLASS is FREE !!

*New Members (regardless of age or ability)
are always made welcome by this very friendly group.*

More info from Narelle on 49590 976
or just turn up at 8.45am any Wednesday.

Mackay Regional Council
COUNCILLOR REPRESENTATIVES for OUR AREA

These councillors are the contact point for any council related concerns.

Cr. Laurence Bonaventura 0427 638 673

Cr. Ross Gee 0438 549 002

or you can lodge a Council Customer Request
by phoning **1300 622 529**

Seaforth Bowls Club

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The Chef writes.....

Hi Seaforth,
Thank you for welcoming me to your lovely community.
This month a coffee machine and cake fridge will be installed
so I can fill it with homemade treats; gluten free, low sugar and
just naughty. If you have a dietary requirement, just let me
know.
There will be a Mums and Bubs morning on Wednesdays. Cake
and Coffee will be \$8, and slices will start at \$3.75.
As we move into the colder months, the menu is expanding
with comfort foods. It's a fact...you need to eat more calories in
winter, your body works harder to keep warm.
Sunday lunches will be extended until 4pm.
I look forward to seeing everyone soon. Kind regards, Stace.

BISTRO OPENING HOURS:

WEDNESDAY:
Morning 10am to 12noon
Mums & Bubs; Coffee & Cake
until 4pm
Afternoon
THURSDAY
Dinner* 6pm to 8pm
FRIDAY
Lunch 12 noon to 4pm. \$10 Bar Meals
Dinner* 6pm to 8pm
SATURDAY
Lunch 12 noon to 4pm. \$10 Bar Meals
Dinner** 6pm to 8pm
SUNDAY
Lunch 12noon to 4pm. \$15 Menu plus Entrees

Seaforth Bowls Club
ITALIAN NIGHT
SATURDAY 9th JULY 2016

Cold Selection *ANTIPASTO
*VITELLO TORNADO
(poached veal with capers & tuna mayo)
*MARINATED ROASTED VEGETABLES
*CAPRESE (tomato, bocconcini & basil salad)
*CURED FISH *Housemade FOCACCIA

Hot Selection
Fresh Housemade TAGATELLE PASTA
with Arrabiatta Sauce
BRAISED BEEF CHEEK RAGOUT
Housemade GNOCCHI with
Gorgonzola Dulce Cream
FRITTO MISTO (FRIED SEAFOOD)
with Garlic Sauce
Adults \$20 / Kids under 12 \$10.

BOOKINGS ADVISED
49590 201



Mackay: 07 4944 0662 Canberra: 02 6277 4539

Plan for better mobile coverage

I AM looking forward to improved mobile phone coverage in the region with new mobile base stations at both Mount Ossa and Yalboroo on the list for rollout, pending the results of the July 2 election. This is part of an additional \$60 million Liberal National Government commitment to extend the successful Mobile Black Spot Programme.

These two base stations north of Mackay will bring a much-needed boost to mobile coverage, providing benefits to emergency service operators, businesses, and residents.

We have selected these areas of the electorate because they have been overlooked by mobile network operators due to commercial factors. The Coalition is committed to improving mobile coverage along major transport routes, in small communities, as well as addressing unique mobile coverage problems such as areas with high seasonal demand.

Help for young sports stars

MEETING the costs of competing at the national level was made a little easier for a bunch of Mackay's young sports stars who secured grants under the Local Sporting Champions Program. I met up with three young basketball stars and a touch football representative in Mackay recently and I hope to catch up with a number of others in the days ahead.

Jayde Trapnell and Lucinda Smith represented the state in the Under 14s team at Ipswich in April and Denesha Bobongie was an Under 16 state representative at Townsville. Touch player Zoe Aitkin (Pictured at left with George Christensen) represented the North Queensland Cyclones at Coffs Harbour in March.

These girls were each congratulated on receiving a Local Sporting Champions Program grant of \$500. Others I hope to catch up with are: Jaxn Sign (Indoor Cricket), Zac Chrzanowski (Swimming), Sam Bartolo (BMX), and Tayla Donnell-Wales (Rowing).



Home for the homeless

I WAS happy to be able to present a grant for \$20,000 to the Mackay Drop In Centre (MDIC) recently and this will assist with the construction of a purpose-built building for the homeless who need access to basic necessities such as showers, washing machines, kitchen facilities and storage lockers.

The centre will also ensure that homeless people can access GPs, allied health and domestic violence services. MDIC will build the Day Service Building in partnership with Salvation Army Mackay, and this \$20,000 Stronger Communities Grant will go towards providing some of the essential capital items for the facility.

A small group of people, including former councillor Alison Jones and committee member Don Leckenby has been working on this project for a number of years now, and we look like seeing it become a reality by the end of the year.



George Christensen with Rachel Busst (Salvation Army), Alison Jones, Don Leckenby

Authorised by Federal Member for Dawson George Christensen, 2/21 Milton St, Mackay Qld 4740.

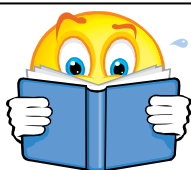
Wood Chip For Sale

The Seaforth Progress & Sports Association has wood chip available for sale. Cost is \$10.00 per trailer load and you must be able to collect yourself.

Payment can be made to the Treasurer (Frank Cowley 0428 386 621)

or pay at the SPSA Book Stall at the Markets.

For enquires phone Len Turvey on 0429 897 045



PROGRESS MARKETS

We are always in need of books, especially those by popular authors (fiction and non-fiction).

Popular weekly and monthly magazines (preferably from this year) for both men and women are always in demand.

Any donations would be greatly appreciated.

Please drop them off to our stall at the markets any Sunday, or phone Len Turvey 0429 897 045

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Landscaping & Hire Services

Services Include:

- Lawn Maintenance from \$50
- Yard Cleans
- Tree Lopping & Removal
- Stump Grinding
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Find us on Facebook



Hello everyone, firstly I would like to begin by saying thank you for the ongoing support and encouragement whilst in my role as QCWA Seaforth Branch Press Secretary. I have thoroughly enjoyed writing this column for the Hibiscus Herald and spreading the word for the branch in this role.

Due to work, family, and study commitments I have decided that I need to hand over the reins. Thanks for reading every month; I hope you all have enjoyed reading as much as I have enjoyed writing. I will still be a member of the QCWA Seaforth Branch although not as active.

For the branch to continue to flourish, grow and do all the wonderful things in the community we need more members. Whether you choose to be a supporting member or active member just know that it all counts in the bigger scheme of things. Also if you are interested in perhaps holding a position on the branch executive all positions will be vacant at the upcoming AGM.

For further information on the branch and how to become a member please contact either

QCWA Seaforth Branch President
 email pres.qcwaseaforth@gmail.com
QCWA Seaforth Branch Secretary
 email qcwaseaforth@gmail.com

Feel free pop on down to "The Shed" (the green shed behind the cottage) The ladies meet every Tuesday morning for craft to which everyone is welcome; or you will always find the ladies every Sunday at the Seaforth Markets from 8:30am.

The first piece of business for this month is the PNG Project. Many of you know the wonderful work that has been achieved over the past years on the project. Large shipping containers are filled to the brim with a large variety of necessities for the people of PNG. If you have any of the following items please contact Carol Tandridge on mobile 0427800324 or email carolnco@hotmail.com

Baby clothing, bunny rugs, footwear, luggage, backpacks, blankets, doonas, linen, pillows, towels, pots & pans, baking utensils, storage containers, kitchen items, school supplies, all or any leftovers from sets of pencils and crayons, half used writing pads etc, spectacles and basic medical supplies.

Please NO ELECTRICAL, CHINA or GLASSWARE.

Again, thank you all for the support.

Louise Cowan
 (Outgoing QCWA Seaforth Branch Press Secretary)

"Everyone you meet is fighting their own battles,

RAFFLE WINNER: Mega Market 5th June: Reg Briggs
 Our thanks also to all who supported our election day raffle at the Community Hall polling booth. Results on the noticeboard opposite the PO Shop.

The Management Committee of the Seaforth Progress & Sports Association is most appreciative of the support received from



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Everyone is invited to our annual

INTERNATIONAL DAY

(country of study is Greenland)
 which includes our

COOKERY, CROCHET and KNITTING CONTEST JUDGING

with **AFTERNOON TEA**
& Mini CENT SALE

SATURDAY, 23rd JULY 2016 from 1pm

at the QCWA SHED (behind the CWA Cottage)

Admission: **\$10 Adults / \$5 Children** (5-12 yrs)
 (includes Afternoon Tea & Lucky Door Ticket)

- * For schedule of cooking entries, please contact Mary Vassallo on 49540 961.
- * All contest entries must be handed in before the commencement of judging at 12.30pm.
- * Knitting and crochet entries can be dropped off at our shed during Tuesday Craft Mornings

How you can help our local Wildlife

The Australian Wildlife Rescue Service is a not for profit, charitable organization that was established more than 30 years ago to care for sick, injured or orphaned native wildlife. At present we are keen to hear from anyone who is interested in helping with the following:

- Providing release sites. We particularly need more release sites so if you live on acreage and can give a creature a little bit of food or a bottle until they are ready to leave this would be a big help
- Being a carer for kangaroos, wallabies, possums, bats and birds
- Being a snake catcher
- Manning the hotline when it suits you and you have a bit of spare time. This involves taking calls for help and asking the closest AWRS member to assist.
- If you can help and/or would like to know more about AWRS and its activities please call **Yvette on 4943 2610 or on mobile 0429 022 436.**


Our association offers Congratulations to the Payne Print Staff.

- on their recent "CONNECTING in the COMMUNITY" Chairman's Award on behalf of the Resource Industry Network.
- Our association with Payne Print goes back more than 25 years and during that time they have always been most generous with their time and the amount of top quality work that they have given us either at no charge or at a substantial discount.
- When it was time to produce our book on the history of Seaforth, "Seaforth from the beginning", there was never any question as to who would print this publication for us (and what a wonderful job they did, too!).
- The recognition of the generous support they have given to us and countless other organisations is well deserved.
- Thank you to the entire family: Tom (who started the business 40 years ago), family members Lyn, Kerry, Karen and John and the next generation, Lyn's daughter, Jamie.
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