



# TALKING TURKEY

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE WAGSTAFFE TO KILLCARE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INC

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**NEXT  
WTKCA MEETING WILL  
BE the AGM  
Monday  
May 11th 7.30 pm  
Wagstaffe Hall  
followed by supper All  
welcome**

## **MAY AT HARDY'S BAY CLUB**

**Friday 1 May @7pm:**  
The Moods

**Saturday 2 May @ 7pm:**  
Familiar Ground

**Sunday 3 May @ 2pm:**  
Jam led by Ben Woodham

**Friday 8 May @ 7pm:**  
Frecko & Frecko

**Saturday 9 May @ 7pm:** Rewind

**Sunday 10 May @ noon:**  
Mother's Day – 3 course lunch  
with live music & free sparkling  
wine for mum from 12pm. Book  
your table today: 4360 2014 or  
bistro14@hardysbayclub.com.au  
**3pm:** Jam led by Bouddi Blondes

**Friday 15 May @7pm:**  
Shane Shepherd

**Sunday 17 May @ 2pm:**  
Jam led by Pete Thompson

**Friday 22 May @ 7pm:**  
Ben Woodham

**Saturday 23 May @ 7pm:**  
Good Times She Wrote

**Sunday 24 May @ 2pm:**  
Jam led by Bob Jackson

**Friday 29 May @ 7pm:**  
Original Sin

**Saturday 30 May @ 7pm:**  
Null & Void

**Sunday 31st May @ 2pm:** Jam led  
by Shane Shepherd

**Jag the Joker every Friday night  
at 6pm!**



## **TRASH 'N' TREASURE - Easter Saturday, 4 April**

Dramas, downpours and 'derringdo' could not spoil the fun that every one had for the annual Trash and Treasure on Easter Saturday.

We are reliant on our fabulous helpers for this event, with over 40 people helping with the set up of the stalls, the selling on the day, the cleaning up afterwards and delivery of leftovers to charity and the skip as well as the roadside bulk collection. And as well as that, the community provides interesting goods for us to sell, including this year some lovely crystal, antique coffee cups, intriguing books, high quality furniture, and a rattling money box which contributed over \$17 to the tally. And despite the downpour which drenched our helpers and ended with the sad collapse and burial of our marquee, over \$4000 was collected for community purposes - including the replacement tree at the Hall, we hope.

So thank you to everyone, for your forbearance, to our ring master/ mistress Fay Gunther for heraplomb, and we hope you're collecting now to participate next year.

Peta Colebatch



## **JUNE ART SHOW**

**'Creative Perspectives'**

**June Long Weekend**

**(6th – 8th)**

**Saturday & Sunday**

**9am – 4pm**

**Monday 9am – 3pm**

**at Wagstaffe Hall**



The WTKCA hosted exhibition will again showcase experienced and emerging local talent. It is anticipated that locals and visitors will come along and support the exhibition and enjoy the "creative perspectives" on offer from all the artists. Our goals are to give artists a forum to show their talent, and to make art both accessible and affordable to the community.

For further details email: [wtkcjuneartshow@gmail.com](mailto:wtkcjuneartshow@gmail.com)

**Artists Anon'**





## Seeking volunteer mentors

Are you interested in sharing your skills and experiences with young people as a volunteer mentor or do you know someone who is?

Youth Frontiers, a NSW Government youth mentoring program, has been launched.

It targets students in Years 8 and 9 providing them with the opportunity to build life skills and self-confidence by working collaboratively with their mentors to undertake a community project that makes a positive difference in their local community.

The success of the program is dependent on the commitment of volunteer mentors who can give their time to share their skills and experiences with young people.

If you are interested in participating as a mentor, please contact Mara Greenwood, YWCA NSW on 9285 6272 or [marag@ywcansw.com.au](mailto:marag@ywcansw.com.au).

For more information on the program, please visit the website or email [youth@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:youth@det.nsw.edu.au).

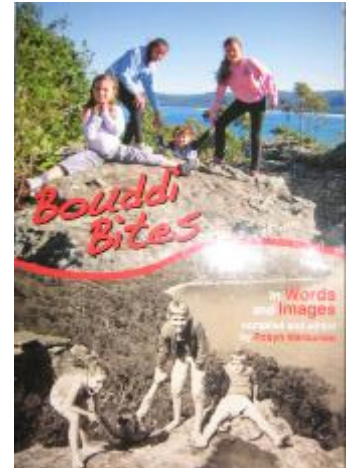
## BOUDDI BITES

in WORDS and IMAGES

by Robyn Warburton—

— a collection of stories to tell more of the local history

Just \$25 at Wagstaffe Store



## HELP MAKE HISTORY

### WANTED:

Photographs of the old houses of the Bouddi Peninsula.

House names – **then** and **now**.

I am interested in adding to the collection of photographs of houses of yesteryear and also the names of the old houses and their corresponding addresses today. As you probably know 'in the old days' houses were identified by their name rather than their number and street.

Pictured is *Naomi* at Pretty Beach. Current names are of interest as well, OR! You might like to ask me if there is a house-name associated with your address. The photographs (and information) collected will become part of the Bouddi Society Collection and given to Gosford City Library, Local Studies.

Please send photographs (and information and enquiries) to [robynwarburton@ozemail.com.au](mailto:robynwarburton@ozemail.com.au) or phone Robyn on 4360 1709 or 0416 069 311 and arrangements will be made to collect, scan and return ASAP.



## NPWS News

**Aerial spraying** to control Bitou Bush will be undertaken from May 4th - depending on the weather. The spraying will be along the cliffs in Bouddi National Park from Lobster Beach to Macmasters Beach as well in council Putty Beach Reserve. Access to the park and a portion of the beach will be closed off during spraying. Signage will be in place.

[deb.holloman@environment.nsw.gov.au](mailto:deb.holloman@environment.nsw.gov.au)

## IMPROPER USE OF TENNIS COURT FENCE

Since the release of a recent article in Talking Turkey, advising of undesirable behaviour at our splendid court facility, matters have improved considerably. However, soccer-ball blasting into the court fence from outside the court area remains of major concern. The Association (WTKCA) manages the facility under licence from Gosford Council, and therefore, is responsible for the costs involved to repair any damages that may occur to the fence. Half of the present \$5 per hour hire fee is put aside to meet the cost of replacing the surface approximately every 10 years. The remaining funds are used for various community projects such as the current upgrade of Turo Park extension. The cost of repairs does not come out of our council rates, so the community suffers when our funds are diverted for any other purpose. It would be greatly appreciated if community members could ensure that their children understand.....NO SOCCER BALL BLASTING. PLEASE!





### WTKCA AGM Meeting May 11th

A delicious supper follows WTKCA's meetings! To assist with the costs associated with providing this, a raffle is conducted among attendees on the night.

Appreciation is extended to Vanessa Simpson for donating a fine bottle of whisky (held over from the April meeting), which will be the raffle prize at the Annual General Meeting!

### WAGGY UNPLUGGED

Waggy Unplugged held on Saturday 11th April, was a huge success. Thanks to all who attended and supported the event, which resulted in raising \$1350, for 'Incawasi' in Peru. We wish to acknowledge the Wagstaffe to Killcare Community Association and the Bouddi Society for their practical and enthusiastic support of the event. The next Waggy Unplugged event is planned for October - WATCH THIS SPACE.

Loco Voco Acapella Group

### KILLCARE WAGSTAFFE TRUST PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

The competition, with a "Sandstone" theme, was judged and the winner announced over Easter.

Congratulations to Ian Bull for being a second-time winner. Ian submitted a photo of a small cave situated on the Iron Ladder Beach track on Lion Island. While the field was small, entries were reported to be of a high standard and will be on display at the Maitland Bay Centre until the Trust's AGM, on 4th May.

### EASTER PhoTTex

The quarterly PhoTTex photographic exhibition held for the first time at the Killcare Surf Lifesaving Club was, at the new venue, a great success. Despite inclement weather we had over 800 admiring viewers, achieved good sales and thoroughly enjoyed the weekend! We are all very proud and humbled by the fabulous community support attending in such numbers, and also the support of the media, WTKCA (Talking Turkey), Express/advocate, local Real Estate Agents, Meredith Gilmore on the air, and the many local merchants who very kindly distributed our brochures. Thanks go particularly to Barrie and Amanda Gibson of Horizons at Killcare Restaurant at the SLSC for their generosity.

We are pleased to advise that the Killcare Surf Club received in excess of \$1000 in donations from the exhibition."

Brendon Weston

### NOTICE OF AGM, MONDAY 11 May, at 7.30 pm.

Notice is hereby given for the Annual General meeting (AGM) of the WTKCA, which will be held on 11 May, at 7.30 pm in the Wagstaffe Hall. All committee positions will be declared vacant at the meeting and the Secretary will accept any nominations (with a second order and agreement of the person nominated) for any vacant position, either before the meeting or at the meeting itself.

Members please join us for the meeting and give us your ideas on how we might further benefit our community. We look forward to seeing you there.

### THE CANCER COUNCIL'S BIGGEST MORNING TEA

Hardys Bay Community Church invites YOU to bring some friends and drop in to the church on Friday, 15th May, between 10.00am and noon to enjoy a delicious morning tea and a good chat as we all support the Cancer Council's annual fundraiser.

A donation at the door would be appreciated plus there will be raffles and similar fundraising activities.

All money collected will be donated to the Cancer Council.

We thank you for your support in previous years and, has been the pattern, we trust this year will be even bigger than the last.

Look forward to seeing you on the 15th May, at the Church Hall, Araluen Drive, Hardy's Bay.

Sharyn Teasdale

### KILLY CARES (UPDATE)

Killy Cares, the local charity caring for the needs of the Bouddi community, is pleased to announce the appointment of a Volunteers Coordinator, Elizabeth Reynolds. Elizabeth is well known within the community and has served with other volunteer organisations and committees in education and welfare, the elderly and Children with cancer in Australia. Her role is to co-ordinate the overall delivery of services and support by Killy Cares volunteers to members in need in our community and, in turn, to support the volunteers in the delivery of volunteer support. Anyone enquiring about or seeking assistance from KillyCares for themselves or someone they know who may be in need, should contact Elizabeth at [killycares@gmail.com](mailto:killycares@gmail.com) or on 0411 389 600. Alternatively, they may also contact Stephen Hinks (President) on 0439 744 657 or Sarah Bolt (Secretary) on 0448 822 225 or any other member of the Killy Cares committee. Congratulations to Clara Hunt from Sydney who was the winner of the Killy Cares raffle held over the Easter long weekend. Our many thanks to all those who generously purchased raffle tickets in support of our charity.

**Save the Date!!** Killy Cares will host a Public Meeting/Information Night on Wednesday, 22 July 2015 at the Community Church in Araluen Drive commencing at 7.30pm. The purpose of the meeting is to update members of Killy Cares as well as interested members of the Bouddi community on the status of the charity, its plans for the future including social and fundraising events, and provide an opportunity for people to ask questions and learn more about how they can support Killy Cares. Light refreshments will be provided.

Jenni Bouchier

**MAY AT THE HALL****For bookings call 0459 152 642****\*Monday**

9.30-11.00 Yoga with Gai 4360 1854

3.30-4.30 Karate with Greg Van Borssum  
[greg@gregvanborssum.com](mailto:greg@gregvanborssum.com)

6.00-7.00 Pilates 4384 5005

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**\*Tuesday**9.15 & 11.30 Tai-Chi Alain Bianchini  
0422 795 365

1.30-4.00 Knit &amp; Chat 43 602926

4.30-6.00 Karate with Greg (see above)

**\*Wednesday**

3.30-4.30 Karate with Greg (see above)

6.00-7.00 pm Clinical Pilates with Jo  
Frize 4360 2707 (Booking & by term)7.00-8.00 pm Labor Party - Jim  
MacFadyen (first Wednesday of the  
month) May 6th**\*Thursday**9.15-10.15 Clinical Pilates - Jo Frize  
(Booking & by term 4360 2707)

2.00-5.00 Mahjong 4360 2178

5.15-6.15 Karate with Greg (see above)

7.30-8.30 Adult Karate with Greg

**\*Friday**9.30-11.30 Yoga with Laurie Jones  
04235898771.30-4.30 Old Wags Bridge Group  
4360 1612 (except 4th Friday)4th Friday 22 May 1.30-5.00 South  
Bouddi Friendship Group  
Ken Yates - 4360 2332**The Association's Annual General  
Meeting will be held on 11 May,  
7.30pm at Wagstaffe Hall.****WTKCA CONTACTS****President:***Peta Colebatch***Vice President:***Ian Bull 0419 833 945***Secretary:***Helen Ferguson***Treasurer:***Graeme Anderson***Membership Secretary:***Bruce Fraser***Hall Bookings:***Roger Hayward 0459 152 642***Public Officer:** *Fay Gunther***Newsletter:** *Helen Ferguson***[tt@wagstaffetokillcare.org.au](mailto:tt@wagstaffetokillcare.org.au)****(Please note: PDFs not accepted)****Webmaster:** *Bill Gregor***[www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au](http://www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au)****Playgroup** every Wednesday morning**Friday Club** weekly from 10.30-12.30pm**Church** on Sunday 9.30am**Special events in May:****# Mothers' Day service 10 May  
9.30am****# Cancer Council Biggest Morning  
Tea - Fri 15 May- come & give your  
\$upport**Thank you to all who came to our  
ANZAC commemoration service.**Pastor:** Stephen Hinks 0439 744 657**Church Office:** 4360 1293**Hall Hire:** Terry 4360 1492

**Pretty Beach  
Seaside Community  
MARKETS**

**MANY EXCITING NEW STALLS  
& LIVE ENTERTAINMENT!**

Handmade gifts, vintage clothes and shoes, homemade and organic food, unique jewellery, live music, local photography and art, gorgeous homewares, children's wear and more!

[prettybeachmarkets](https://www.facebook.com/prettybeachmarkets)

**Pretty Beach Markets**

Sunday 7 June 9am-2pm

at

Pretty Beach Public School

**BUSHCARE VOLUNTEERS  
NEEDED**

Along the Dog Track

Mondays: 2.00pm - 4.00 pm

You'll find the group about half way along  
the track.Come along, have a chat, and hopefully  
join in. Long sleeves, long trousers, hat &  
water needed.

Tools are supplied.

Ray - 4360 2377

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.  
**Current Members will be advised when renewals are due.**

**New Members only:** By signing this form you agree to uphold the Association's Aims and Objectives [refer to the website [www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au](http://www.wagstaffetokillcare.org.au) for further information] (1) **Complete** this form (2) **Enclose** payment of \$5 per household [includes joining fee] (3) **List** members of household aged 18 years or older covered by this application (4) **Sign** this form and return to **WTKCA Membership Secretary PO BOX 4069 WAGSTAFFE 2257.**

FULL NAME/S of eligible members in Household [use block letters].....

Mailing address .....

Phones .....Email.....

Signed: .....