



# TALKING TURKEY



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

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**WTKCA MEETING**  
Next meeting:  
**A G M**  
8th July  
All welcome!

## JULY at WAGSTAFFE HALL

### MONDAYS

9:30 - 11.00 am

Hatha Yoga:

Gai Davies (0432 119 940)

6:00 – 7.00 pm Pilates

Michelle (4384 5005) /

Simon (0425 224532)

### TUESDAYS

10:30 - 12 noon July 2 only

Movement & Mindfulness :

Jacqui Dawson

(0408 602 669)

1:30 - 4:00 pm Knit Two Chat

Too: Helen Reid 0412 947 036

9th & 23rd 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 Yoga Laurie Jones

0423 589 877

1:30 - 4:00 pm

Wagstaffe Bridge Club:

Graeme Anderson

(0414 689 922)

SUNDAY 28th

Restorative Yoga Workshop :

Abi Couchman

(0418 211 212)

**MONDAY 2.00—4.00pm PRETTY**

**BEACH BUSHCARE** along

**THE DOG TRACK—Come along**

**and help the good work that is**

**being done to remove weeds.**

## BOUDDI WILDLIFE

"Bouddi Wildlife" is a newly licensed, incorporated organisation at MacMasters Beach dedicated to protecting and rehabilitating wildlife species in need. With a strong focus on conservation and community engagement, this group aims to make a meaningful impact on the well-being of local wildlife populations on the Bouddi Peninsula.



The group has been very busy running a flight school program for orphaned flying foxes. These 'megabats' are keystone pollinators and our temperate forests depend on them. Following several extreme heat days last Summer, many pups came into care, were raised and successfully released to join the flying fox colony at North Avoca.

Knowledge is power when it comes to protecting our wildlife. That's why we're out in the community spreading the word about conservation, habitat protection, and how everyone can play a part in helping our furry and feathered friends thrive. There are a few things that you can do to help:

1) Preserve native habitat— even small bushes and fallen logs provide homes and food.

2) Keep cats indoors and domestic animals under control

3) Slow down on the roads - especially between dusk and dawn.

4) Use wildlife-friendly fruit tree netting and avoid using barbed wire

5) Avoid using toxic rat and snail baits



Bouddi Wildlife is your go-to local crew for saving our furry and feathered friends in need. Our team of animal enthusiasts is here to make sure every wild critter gets a second chance. For help call 0484 520 333. If we are not able to provide the right care, we work with vets and other wildlife groups to make sure the animal gets the help it needs

If you're inspired by the Wildlife Rescue Group's dedication to wildlife conservation and want to lend a helping hand, there are several ways you can show your support. From making donations to participating in fundraising campaigns, or even exploring corporate partnership opportunities; every contribution makes a difference in safeguarding our region's precious wildlife for future generations to enjoy.

Paula Paananen 0484 520 333 or [bouddiwildlife@gmail.com](mailto:bouddiwildlife@gmail.com)



## Presidents Notes July 2024

One of the things WTKCA has been pursuing for a number of years now is the planned telecommunications tower on Wards Hill Road. The planning process has had its ups and downs, but we understand Central Coast Council are close to a determination on the DA for this facility. After various requests for more detail, and in fact more than has ever been asked of the proponents in relation to any other site, the assessment process is now in its final phase. There has been no further public advertisement of the proposal, which is largely unchanged. Despite this, if you would like to express your views on the importance of this facility, you can make them known to the assessment officer, Emily Goodworth [Emily.goodworth@centralcoast.nsw.gov.au](mailto:Emily.goodworth@centralcoast.nsw.gov.au) who will collate them as part of the history of responses on the matter.

Lastly, in a piece of good news, WTKCA were successful in our application for a grant under the NSW Government Community Building Partnership program. We will use these funds as part of our planned kitchen refurbishment at Wagstaffe Hall. The photo here shows Member for Terrigal, Adam Crouch, handing over the symbolic cheque to Robyn Warburton, Ian Bull and myself. Adam continues to be a great supporter of community groups in our area, with grant applications in recent years also benefiting the Hardys Bay Club and Hardys Bay Community Church.

Mike Allsop



'Big Bad Banksia Person' Photo by Ian Bull

## WTKCA CONTACTS

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## HAVE YOUR SAY THE KILLY CARES WAY

Killy Cares is a community-based charity founded in 2015 to harness the care, compassion, generosity, and expertise inherent within our community. Our mission is to foster the growth and education of the local community, cultivating resilience, and offering support during times of need. Over the years this has included in-home support, meal delivery, community defibrillators and pertinent training.

Part of our mission also includes nominating and supporting charities that address significant community issues, leading to meaningful improvements for everyone involved. To date we have raised thousands of dollars for the Cancer Council as one of our selected causes.

To ensure our efforts continue to align with the community's needs and to enhance our impact, we are excited to announce the launch of a survey in July. This survey will aim to gather invaluable feedback from community members. Your insights will be crucial in shaping Killy Cares' programs and strategies. By understanding your perspectives, needs and suggestions, we can better tailor our activities and fundraising initiatives to serve the community effectively. Killy Cares recognises that community engagement is vital for the success of our mission, and we deeply value your input in guiding our future endeavours.

We will be making this survey accessible online and at various upcoming community events. We encourage everyone to participate and share their thoughts. Your feedback will play an essential role in helping Killy Cares continue to support and uplift our community.



Thank you for your time and contribution; we look forward to your valuable insights and suggestions.

Amanda Malony

### *Huge Success at Australia's Biggest Morning Tea*

*This year's Australia's Biggest Morning Tea was held on May 24<sup>th</sup> at Hardys Bay Church, and it proved to be an overwhelming success. Organised by the dedicated team at Killy Cares, the event brought together the community in a heart-warming display of generosity and unity. Participants from all corners of the community came together to support a great cause, contributing to the fight against cancer through their donations. Our original goal was \$2,000 but together we raised an outstanding \$3,653.*

*The atmosphere at Hardys Bay Church was nothing short of festive, with tables adorned with delicious treats and beverages, creating a welcoming environment for everyone. Laughter and conversation filled the air as attendees shared stories, connected with old friends, and made new ones. The success of the event is a testament to the incredible spirit of the Killcare Community. The generous donations and enthusiastic participation reflected a collective commitment to making a difference and helped bring us closer to a cancer-free future.*

*Australia's Biggest Morning Tea was more than just a fundraising event; it was a celebration of community, compassion, and the power of working together towards a common goal! Thank you once again to everyone who joined us, donated prizes for the raffle and our auction making this year's Australia's Biggest Morning Tea a resounding success. A special thanks to the church ladies and all others that rolled up their sleeves to help us on the day including the many wonderful cooks that provided lots of the delicious food for us all to enjoy.*

Amanda Malony



# HARDYS ARCHIE

2024

PORTRAIT OF A LOCAL PERSON  
PAINTED BY A LOCAL ARTIST



Exhibition Open  
Friday 12th July to  
Thursday 29th August

RSVP for entries by 17/06/24  
[kerrie.pentecost@bigpond.com](mailto:kerrie.pentecost@bigpond.com)

14 Heath Road Hardys Bay 2257

## Bouddi Peninsula Arts Trail

The Arts Trail 2024  
is on the  
October Long Weekend  
5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> October  
More information closer  
to the time  
Enquiries to Leanne Koppen  
[leannekoppen@bigpond.com](mailto:leannekoppen@bigpond.com) or  
call Leanne on 437 403 994

Hardys Bay Club

### TRIVIA FUNDRAISER AUCTION

Friday July 5th  
7:30pm  
*Hosted by Heather*



If you would like to donate, please contact [www.hardysbayclub.com.au](http://www.hardysbayclub.com.au)

### 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  
Thursdays - 6.30 – 7.30am Mindfulness in Motion  
Pilates with Melissa  
Fridays - 7 – 45am – 8.45 Yoga with Robyn  
9.30 – 10.30am Yoga with Robyn

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



## Cathi Ogden & the Freddie Stafford Trio Celebrate Ella Fitzgerald at Wagstaffe Hall

Saturday, 27 July, the Bouddi Society will present a return of Jazz Singer Cathi Ogden to Wagstaffe Hall at 7 pm. The Freddie Stafford Trio joins Cathi in celebrating a jazz great.

Jazz has a habit of awakening a sense of wonder in people... a moment that first swept over local singer Cathi Ogden when she cheekily stumbled across an Ella Fitzgerald record as a 17-year-old. Cathi and her cousin borrowed a treasured record of the American jazz legend.

Cathi was then a budding jazz singer, mostly listening to Billie Holiday, Nat King Cole and his daughter Natalie Cole. But Ella Fitzgerald was something else. Says Cathi, "Everything I thought I knew about jazz changed. I was instantly in love with her voice.... that voice was like feeling her emotions. It was addictive."

The two teenagers felt guilty... but inspired. "We decided to make a mixed cassette tape anyway. I copied a recording repeatedly as each tape wore out." Years later, Cathi discovered that the album is "Ella Swings Lightly", and she's been singing these and other songs from Ella's repertoire ever since.

Now a renowned jazz singer who has performed in Sydney, London, and New York and has released three jazz albums, Cathi will introduce to the Central Coast three talented young musicians who share her love of Ella Fitzgerald. Enter Freddie Stafford on piano, accompanied by his cohorts Jacob Graham on double bass and Tim Geldens on drums—all hailing from the prestigious Conservatorium of Music in Sydney. Freddie is still a student there, although he plays regularly in the Sydney and Newcastle jazz scenes. Plus, he's performed in Europe and the United States.

According to Cathi: "When I spoke to Freddie about doing the show and mentioned "Ella Swings Lightly," he instantly told me about his favourite tracks on the album, and we discussed the beauty of their arrangements. I absolutely can't wait to introduce these brilliant young Jazz musicians... with songs from a wide range of Ella's repertoire while sharing stories of Ella Fitzgerald's incredible life and her music." Net proceeds from the concert will support The Bouddi Foundation for the Arts and its grant program for young Central Coast Artists.

Cathi's first concert hosted by the Bouddi Society at Wagstaffe in February sold out fast. She hopes others will feel the "Ella" emotion of a live performance on Saturday, 27 July, at 7 pm. TICKETS: [www.bouddisociety.org.au/jazz](http://www.bouddisociety.org.au/jazz) or at Wagstaffe Store or use QR Code.



Peter Park—President—The Bouddi Society



# WHAT'S ON at HARDYS BAY CLUB in JULY

Thursday 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th  
Farmers Market 4.00pm

Fri 5th	Trivia Fundraiser Auction	7.30pm
Sat 6th	The Gypsies	6.00pm
Sun 7th	Past Echoes	1.00pm
Fri 12th	Hardies Archies	5.00pm
	Opening Night	7.00pm
	Sweet Remedy Duo & Friends	
Sat 13th	Winter Dance Party Loungephonics	6.00pm
Sun 14th	Jane Germaine & Peter Tos	1.00pm
Fri 19th	Musical Bingo	7.30pm
Sat 20th	Paul Wilson	6.00pm
Fri 26th	Men's Lunch	12.00pm
Sat 27th	Ironic	6.00pm
Sun 28th	Louie the Fly	1.00pm

## YOUR COMMUNITY CLUB

14 Heath Rd, Hardys Bay NSW 2257

HARDYS HIDEAWAY RESTAURANT OPEN THURSDAY TO SUNDAY



Our Sunday services begin at 9.30am, followed by a cuppa - you are always welcome.

July is the month in which we focus on thanking people - like you, our local community for your support with Community events like Clean-up Australia, our Easter Art Show and services, and Cancer Council Morning Tea.

Each Sunday this month we're looking at Issues churches have to deal with, such as false sources of wisdom and spiritual truth, questions about life after death, individualism in the church, and scandals caused by immorality and abuse - all from St Paul's New Testament letter to a first century church in Greece.

*Create at the Bay* is on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July from 10am to 1pm - for anyone who needs a quiet space to bring a creative project to work on.

On Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> we'll have an update on our support for chaplains in our local schools.

Our next Man2man is on Sat 11 August, 9 to 10.30am.

Hall hire bookings:  
call Terry 0405 909 070

Other enquiries:  
Stephen 0439 744 657  
[www.hbcc.com.au](http://www.hbcc.com.au)

CENTRAL COAST COUNCIL MOBILE LIBRARY  
will visit WAGSTAFFE on FRIDAY 26th JULY  
at 12.00 noon to 12.45

### 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].....

BOUDDI ADDRESS .....

MAILING ADDRESS.....

EMAIL ADDRESS.....PHONE.....

SIGNED .....