

Around and About Greenethorpe

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Birthdays for July

1st Joel Watt
 1st Robert Taylor
 7th Nick Watt
 9th Clare Watt
 11th Julia Reilly
 12th Corrie Bryant
 13th Lachlan Fisher
 17th Margaret Bradley
 18th Dorrie Cashen
 20th Mandy Taylor
 21st Joseph Kershaw
 22nd Adam Grossman
 22nd Rod Kershaw
 26th Margaret Stonestreet



The Sydney Mail and New South Wales Advertiser
 Saturday 22 June 1889

Mr. G. H. Greene, M.L.A. for Grenfell, is the fourth son of William Pomeroy Greene, an officer in H.M. Navy. He was born at Collon, county Louth, Ireland, where his father had settled with his family after retiring from the navy. In 1842 his father, having been given a grant of land in Victoria, in acknowledgment of his valuable services, came out to Australia with his family, and brought with him all his farm labourers and servants, with their families and a valuable stud of thoroughbred horses. Mr. Greene was also accompanied by Mr. Stawell, subsequently Chief Justice of Victoria. Mr. Greene built his residence, well known as "Woodlands," on his land, about 14 miles from Melbourne. There the subject of this memoir lived, and with his brothers received private tuition until his twelfth year. After being educated at Mr. Trollope's, Collingwood, the Melbourne Diocesan Grammar School, and Mr. Northcott's school at Richmond, Mr. Greene. at the age of 16, entered the Melbourne University, and after undergoing a very successful course took his B.A. degree on the first occasion that degrees were conferred by that University. After this Mr. Greene went on a cattle station in which he had a share, known as "The Billabung," in the Albury district, which he subsequently managed, and after selling out he, in partnership with the present Judge Chomley, purchased the Tooma and Maragle stations, on the Upper Murray, from Messrs. Dight and Hay, and lived there until 1875. In 1870 Mr. Greene married a daughter of Colonel Crawford, from India, and now residing in Tasmania. After travelling round the world with his wife for a couple of years, he finally purchased the Iandra property, in the Grenfell district, from Mr. M'Kinnon, the present junior member for Young, and has since resided there, effecting valuable and permanent improvements thereon. Mr. Greene, who has been chairman of the Young Pastures and Stock Board for several years, has always taken a great interest in the "rabbit" question, claiming to be the first to show the Government the necessity of "rabbit proof fencing." The last general election was the first occasion that Mr. Greene sought Parliamentary honours, and he was elected to the seat in the constituency.

What's happening at Greenethorpe PO

End of Financial Year Sale

With Winter school holidays as well as the end of the financial year, we have decided to hold a stock-take sale, with 30-50% off most items in the shop. This covers:



- Toys and activity kits for children, 30% off
- Grown-up gifts, 30% off
- Books for all ages 50% off

The PO can now provide

- Gift cards inc. iTunes, Myers, DJs and JB HiFi
- Prepaid VISA cards inc multi-currency cards
- Optus pre-paid SIM cards
- Recharges for most mobile phones
- Bill payments via cash, cheque or credit cards
- EFTPOS withdrawals and deposits

Grocery items

- Milk, cream and sour cream
- Butter and margarine
- Bread, local eggs, local jams
- Tea, coffee, rolled oats, sugar, flour
- Tinned soups, cup-a-soups, noodle cups
- Streets ice creams
- Soft drinks, bottled water
- Chocolates, chips and sweets

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MAIL SERVICE

ARRIVALS

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

Sydney Young T.P.O. S and W Weddin	} Per COACH 1.5 p.m.
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday	
Sydney Young T.P.O. S and W Cowra Koorawatha Greenthorpe Iandra	} Per TRAIN 10.55 a.m.

DEPARTURES.

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Sydney Young T.P.O., S. and W Weddin	} Ordinary 11.45 a.m. } Late fee 11.30 a.m. } Coach, 11.45 a.m.
Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.	
Sydney Young T.P.O., S. and W. Cowra Koorawatha Greenthorpe Iandra	} Ordinary, 1.30 p.m. } Late fee, 1.45 p.m. } Registered and } Parcel 1.15 } Train

Uniting Church Services this month

Sun 12 July 9.00 am
Sun 19 July 9.00 am



As mentioned previously, Jill Barr left the village earlier this year. The Hall Committee gave her a gift voucher and a flower arrangement, for her many years of work for the Greenethorpe community in different forms.



These were presented to her in late June by Jill Allen.

Federal Member for Hume Angus Taylor has announced 18 mobile phone towers for Hume.

Mr Taylor said the towers would be located at:

Binalong, Buxton, Dalton, Darbys Falls, Golspie, Mayfield, Mt Hunter, Murringo, Nattai, Tarlo, Windellama, Billimari, Cultowa (nr Canowindra), Gooloogong, Koorawatha, Noonbinna, Werombi, and Woodstock.

“This is a great result, amongst the highest number of any electorate in Australia. We have lobbied long and hard for this - and the Government has listened. Towers will be located for maximum signal spread and the benefit will be shared by many of us because coverage will extend along a number of roads and highway sections.”



Le Tour de Greenethorpe is coming up again - this year's event will be held on Sunday 20th Sep.

Cyclists have been seen whizzing through the village on their training runs, preparing for the big day.

As usual there will be events for the younger ones, as well as the main 42km ride. Non-participants can help in other ways - contact Sam Allen for details.

What's on at the Calare Tavern, Bendick Murrell

- Sunday meal specials from 11.00 am
- 2 Sunday pool comps - starts 3.00 pm, \$5 entry (winner takes all)
- Closed Monday
- Thursday night pool comp starts 8.00 pm, \$5 entry (winner takes all)
- Friday night raffles drawn 8.00 pm (4 prizes)
- Saturday night raffles and Jackpot Joker draw 8.00 pm (4 prizes)
- Saturday darts comp 7.30 pm for 8.00 pm start (flying start double finish)

Live entertainment at least once a month

4th Jul: Peter from Sole Trader 5.00 pm till late (Peter is from Temora, has entertained at the Tavern previously and is a crowd pleaser)

8th Aug: Paul Albert from Katoomba was seen at the Koorawatha Hotel earlier in the year. This will be his first visit to the Tavern.

12th Sep: our car boot sale fun day is on again.

Kristie Hodges' father, Terry Lester, died in late June after a long illness. His funeral was held Wed July 1st on the Central Coast. Our thoughts are with Kristie and Marilyn and their families.

Overseas travel seems to be popular among Greenethorpians at present:

Belinda and Toni have returned from their PAC trip to Sri Lanka, where the highlight for Toni was cuddling an elephant!

Jude and Sophie Bryant are in Cambodia at present, taking part in a bicycle ride to raise awareness (including their own) of human trafficking.

Georgie Chapple is travelling to Helsinki later this month, as part of a team from Cowra taking part in the 2015 Gymnaestrada, run by the Finnish Gymnastics Federation.

Cowra Wine Show - Sam Allen is organising a bus to travel from Greenethorpe on July 25th, leaving the Shamrock at 5.30 pm. Please contact Sam if you wish to be part of this expedition.

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