

GREENETHORPE

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Sadly, one of our locals Lisa Jones (nee Donges) passed away on 8 July 2018. Lisa, for 5 years had endured the effects of a malignant brain tumour; Lisa was only 47 years old.

Lisa attended Greenethorpe Public School (GPS) from Kindergarten to Year 6; from Years 7-10 she attended Cowra High School and then transferred to Tara for Years 11 and 12.

Lisa had such fond memories of her school days at Greenethorpe, especially when the school was managed by the fabulous Principal, Dennis Astill.

After attending UNSW and working away for a few years, Lisa returned to her parents' property, "Warrawee" in 2001 together with her three children Ben, Madeleine and Lucy. Meg arrived a few years later. Lisa's children also attended GPS. Lisa was known to many through the activities of her children – sport, school and hall functions just to name a few.

Lisa was very well known in Grenfell as she worked "front of house" as the office manager at Grenfell Pre School for 15 years.

Lisa was a tireless member of Ken Hutchinson's yoga classes, not missing a Monday night until May this year. She had also become a keen cyclist and squash player; this photo was taken by her friend Janene Eyles immediately after they had completed an event of 120 kms in Victoria in early 2017.

During Lisa's last months of illness, the community has been incredibly supportive, generous and thoughtful in so many ways: giving up days to sit with her (thank you Kristie, Leonie, Lyn, Hayley, Janene) dropping in casseroles, delivering wood (thank you Mark), and visiting just to mention a few. Lisa's family wish to thank each and everyone of you and we will be forever grateful for the support. Lisa has left a huge hole in our lives and she is sadly missed; we have beautiful memories and her four fabulous children.



Uniting Church Services August

Sunday 12th at 9am

Sunday 19th at 9am

Des McKellar, formerly of “Avondale” Cowra Road, Grenfell (Near Bumbaldry), passed away 14th July 2018, aged 93 years. Loving husband of Ella, father & father-in-law of John & Colleen, Helen & Barry, Donna & Chris & a loving grandfather of his 16 grandchildren & 11 great grandchildren. Des was the last WWII serving member from Greenethorpe. He was awarded recognition by the Soldiers’ Memorial Hall some years ago. Des spent all his life in the district, prior to moving to Cowra in late 2013.

**SMH Quiz Night meeting this Thursday
2nd Aug at 5pm in the supper room!**



Circa 1935 café’s art competition was a big success with lots of local children getting involved. The ordeal of judging proved too much though for Belinda and Jody so they called on Chris, our resident policeman, to tackle the job. Winning prizes went to Charlotte Pieren in the 5 years and under category, for her colourful painting ‘Sheep in the Paddock’, Dixie Orford, in the 6-9 years age group, for her painting of the iconic Iandra Castle and Thomas Murphy, in the 10-12 years category, for his painting

of the Anglican Church in Greenethorpe’s Main street.



Prize winning artwork

All the wonderful artworks are now displayed as placemats at the Café. Thanks Belinda for creating a fun community event and thanks to Chris for bravely taking on the role of judge. As Ian McColl said, ‘Lad, it doesn’t matter which you choose, you’re gonna upset *someone.*’



Greenethorpe’s budding artists

Keeping the 'Green' in Greenethorpe

A former resident of Greenethorpe, **John Freebairn**, has been honoured as an Officer of the Order of Australia, for achievements in economics, in this year's Queen's Birthday Honours List. John lived in Greenethorpe as a child, on 'Kingswood' farm, with his parents Maxwell and Bertha and siblings Robert, Ruth and David. The Freebairn family originally moved to the area from South Australia in 1901.



Collection made on a short walk outside of the village

A thoughtful resident decided to have a clean up of our local area recently and found a decent amount of rubbish and other interesting items. I'm feeling inspired to tidy (and to make Yorkshire pudding this Sunday!).



August Birthdays

1st Fiona Griffith
4th Kim Bannerman
4th Clyde Orford Hill
11th Ian McColl
12th Jenny-Lynne Watt
13th Dean Schaeffer
17th Daryl Cashen
19th Trent Webb
23rd Jim Bannerman
24th Harriet McColl
25th Tom Wills
26th Graham Watt
28th Nikki McColl
30th Lily Brien
30th Ian Mark

James and June would like to thank everyone who has donated, lent or gifted clothing, furniture, bedding, toiletries, footwear accommodation and cash. We look forward to the trivia night and are in the process of submitting a D.A to slowly rebuild. If we have not sent a thank you please let aag know and we will get in touch. Surprise donations were an 18c lacy black bra and gents leopard print undies along with 2 beers and a candle.
Laugh Out Loud

If the layout of the aag looks a little odd this month it's due to technical issues that have me flummoxed!

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QUIZ NIGHT

Beat the winter blues!

***Greenethorpe Soldiers' Memorial Hall are holding a Quiz Night on
Saturday August 11th***

6.00 pm for a 6.30 start

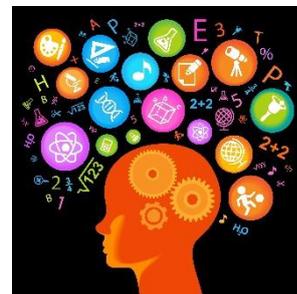
Join us at the hall for a fun filled evening of entertainment!!

***This is a charity event to raise funds for James Rowe and June Iddon who recently
lost their home in a house fire.***

- ***Cost is \$10 per adult and \$5 per school age child, pay on the night***
- ***Tables up to a maximum of 8***
- ***If you're not part of a group come along and join a table on the night***
- ***Bring your own nibblies and drinks***

Start contacting your most knowledgeable friends now!!

- ***Prize for the best themed table***
- ***Lucky Door Prize***
- ***Major Raffle prize***
- ***Lots of fun prizewinning games***



Warm your heart & your mind!

Bookings essential!!

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