

*Around & About*



*December 2018*

# GREENETHORPE

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## *December Birthdays*



*3rd Emma Taylor  
5th Phillip Amezdroz  
5th Allan Hodgson  
10th Dixie Orford  
11th Judy Bryant  
12th David Brien  
12th Julie Brien  
12th Justina Holland  
13th Chris Wills  
13th Jill Barr  
15th Tom Allen  
16th Janet Weyers  
21st Grant Holland  
21st Erin Watt  
22nd Di Watt  
31st Nicola Robertson*

## *Special Church Service at Iandra*



The Greenethorpe Uniting Church will be holding their 1<sup>st</sup> service of the month at the Iandra Church on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December at 4pm. Enjoy carols and readings in the freshly painted interior. All locals welcome. Come and enjoy our own history. Please B.Y.O chairs.

*Greenethorpe Village Uniting Church services for December*

*Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> December at 9am  
Christmas Day at 9am*

## **Greenethorpe Public School Presentation Day**

Please join us on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December at 9.30am at the GSM Hall to celebrate the children's achievements. This year's play has a pirate theme and the students and Mrs. Hodges have been working hard to create an entertaining performance. Also, you are all invited to join our Scripture service in the Uniting Church hall this Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 9.15.

*Greenethorpe's Christmas Lights competition entries will be judged on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> of December.*

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Congratulations to Jim Bryant who was awarded Life Membership of the Cowra Golf Club last month at the Club's Presentation Night. He is pictured above with his Mum, Helen.

### Greenethorpe SMH News

The Greenethorpe Community gathered on the 11th November to commemorate the signing of the Armistice, which signalled the end to WW1, 100 years ago. Some 50 people attended to observe 2 minutes silence, the laying of wreaths, the reading of the names of The Fallen and a history of the building of the GSMH written by Jude Bryant. It was a simple and moving ceremony. Judy Bryant, Kevin Bryant and Warwick Hodges were asked to take up the "silver" crowbar and turn the first sod (in the form of a rock!) to indicate the start of the work on the Outdoor War Memorial. Most people stayed for the "quick" cuppa and it was good to catch up with new and old friends. It is a rumour there is no such thing as a "quick" cuppa in The Thorpe!!

The GSM Hall meeting was well attended, with 11 present and 6 apologies. Main agenda items were the Christmas Gathering, Outdoor Memorial - work to commence in January (Early Mornings) to be notified, Christmas Lights competition, Nominations for Citizen of the Year, gutters, heaters and grain drive. Minutes will be on the Community noticeboard for anyone

interested. PLEASE let everyone know about the Gathering on the 8th Dec.  
Jill Allen, Hall Secretary.



Kevin & Judy Bryant and Warwick Hodges 'turning the sod'.

## Greenethorpe Christmas Fair

Saturday December 8<sup>th</sup> from 3pm  
Greenethorpe Hall

Kids activities, Jumping Castle, Stalls, B.B.Q,  
Greenethorpe Public School P&C Meat Raffle,  
Christmas Raffle and More!!

Entry by Gold Coin donation

Come and have a fantastic afternoon, bring  
a picnic and enjoy the festivities.

B.Y.O Alcohol permitted after 5pm.



The Aag is looking for sponsorship. If you have previously offered and it has slipped my mind, my apologies. I am best contacted by phone this month as I may not have internet access at all times. I hope it's a lovely Christmas for all.

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