

# GREENETHORPE

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## IT'S PARTY TIME

### June Birthdays

1st Sam Robinson  
9th David Miles  
13th Sophie Bryant  
16th Nigel Smith  
18<sup>th</sup> Duncan Holland  
20th Laura Watt  
22nd Stuart Barr  
25th Lindsay Swadling  
28th James Grossman  
28th Philip Grossman

feel free to e-mail Jane ([jane.tyrrell@tyrrells.com.au](mailto:jane.tyrrell@tyrrells.com.au)) with information on your upcoming event, or images from any events held at the Hall.

Greenethorpe's Website address is <http://greenethorpe.nsw.au/> or enter 'Greenethorpe' into your search engine. Here you will find the latest News items, a Photo Gallery, Newsletters, Meeting minutes, our ANZACS and more.

The website is managed by Corrie Bryant, who can be contacted through the website by clicking on the 'Contact Us' tab.

The Greenethorpe History Group was established to allow past and present members of the Greenethorpe Community to connect with its history. This group is managed by Jude Bryant and below is the link to the History Group Facebook page. <https://www.facebook.com/Greenethorpe-History-Group-386227385163075>

Henry Lawson Festival Grenfell 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> June

### **SMH Social Media and Website**

The Greenethorpe Soldiers' Memorial Hall has a Facebook account (@Greenethorpe Soldiers' Memorial Hall Events) and an Instagram account (@greenethorpehallevents) dedicated to promoting the Hall and all events held there. These accounts are moderated by Danielle Allen and Jane Tyrrell.

If you are on social media please ensure you follow both accounts to keep up to date on all the events happening at the Hall. Danielle and Jane are always looking for content, and most importantly photos, so please

### **NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE**

Greenethorpe Brigade members are invited to the **2019 Annual General Meeting** for the Greenethorpe Brigade

Date: **Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

Venue: Soldier's memorial Hall

Time: **7:00pm**

The field officers for 2019/20 will be elected at the meeting. We hope to see you there.

### **Uniting Church Services June**



Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> at 9am  
Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> at 9am



**BEWARE!!!**

**GSM Hall is a WORK SITE!**

*Keep Away Please. No Trespassing*

*Wednesday 5th June is Jack and Pattie Chapple's 65th Wedding Anniversary. What a milestone!!*

**Another First for Greenethorpe RFS**

The coldest May day on record for the Cowra/Young area certainly didn't stop a very successful Working Bee at the Greenethorpe Hall on Thursday. Huge thankyou to ALL volunteers who worked so hard to make the day very productive. A particular thanks to our big machine operators, Chris Wills, Rod Kershaw and Jim Bryant who cleared the new site for the Outdoor Memorial. An amazing effort. We had a visit from Des and Jim from Australian Forge who have done the quote for the outdoor Honour Boards. Very constructive visit. The Community Notice Board was lifted from its current position. We are awaiting a decision from Weddin Council as to its new site. Four loads of firewood were delivered to previously "cold" customers. Once again, John and Scott Guymer helped with the wood pile reduction. THANKYOU again to everyone involved in the Working Bee.

Local Greenethorpe fire fighter, Harvey Nicholson from Bumbaldry, has just completed 6 months rigorous training and is now a qualified Remote Area Firefighter. He joins the Mid Lachlan Valley RFS RAFT. The training involves reaching a high level of fitness, bushcraft and survival, and navigation in trackless and remote areas. They are also trained to determine co-ordinates for water bombing. RAFT personnel are generally deployed to remote area fires by helicopter, then hike into the location and carry out dry firefighting techniques to control the fire, using rack and hoe, chainsaws, and blowers. The teams often operate without support from other fire fighters, trucks or water. This appointment will be an asset for the local area, as it gives local fire controllers the opportunity to use this training to access remote fires, especially in the ranges in the Bumbaldry, Yambira, and Bendick Murrel areas. Well done Harvey.

After the April Hall meeting a "CallOut" was sent to everyone to submit ideas for projects within the Greenethorpe Village. Three suggestions have been received, thankyou. One for a fitness circuit and bubbler in Edward square, another for a History Room (many unsuccessful applications for Grants have been made over many years) and also some financial support to complete the Outdoor Memorial. These will be submitted to Weddin Council. We have been allocated \$50,000. Our submissions must meet certain criteria. Will certainly keep you posted. Jill Allen, Hall Secretary

Graham and Lynne Watt and family would like to express their sincere thanks for the expressions of love and support (and food!) received during Lynne's recent health scare. We have always known Greenethorpe to be a great community and it was lovely to have this reaffirmed. Thanks again!

**Iandra Castle Open Day**



This Sunday June 9<sup>th</sup>  
Gates open at 10am

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[www.greenethorpe.nsw.au](http://www.greenethorpe.nsw.au)



# Grazing Management Workshop

*The benefits of effective land management with Dick Richardson*

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June from 9 am to 4 pm**  
**Murray and David Walker's property**  
**'Cumnock Farm' 4283 Henry Lawson Way Grenfell**  
(9 km from Grenfell on the Young Road)

This workshop will focus on:

- The effect of management changes on ecology
- Gaining an insight into the failure of grazing systems
- Why holistic and cell grazing works initially, then fails or leads to stagnation
- The importance of soil depth on profitability and practical ways to increase it
- Using animals to build soil depth and maturity
- The relationship between management decisions and landscape function
- Sole, Toe, Ankle and Calf (STAC) method of feed assessment
- An introduction to the Maia computer program for whole of property grazing plans and monitoring grazing history
- A question and answer session during a paddock walk



Dick Richardson is an internationally recognised natural grazing expert with over 20 years' experience in grazing management and stock farming. He delivers practical and engaging workshops designed to enable land managers to make effective decisions around landscape management.

**This event is free with catering provided. RSVP to Stephen Pereira on 0409 814 182 or email [stephen.pereira@lils.nsw.gov.au](mailto:stephen.pereira@lils.nsw.gov.au)**

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