

LISMORE NEWS

11th June 2026

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Thank you for the generous donation from **Ion Filip** and thank you to all who contribute in so many ways to keep Lismore News free for our community.



Special thanks also to **Lismore Primary School** for stapling the last newsletter—they may have set a stapling record: *stapling 300 copies with two attachments in just under one hour!*

Congratulations to Lismore Land Protection Group facilitator, **Jake Tanner** (right), for presenting at the Biodiversity Conference at Federation University on the 5th June. Jake presented a poster on recovery of land care plantations after the 2026 fires.



Wishing a very happy birthday to all our community members born in June. Special wishes and celebrations to our super seniors **Carmel Murray** and **Delma Buchholz**, who are celebrating their 96th and 92nd birthdays!

We have a new Lismore resident! Welcome to **Dylan Jones**, who has moved here from **Bannockburn**. A very warm welcome to our dog friendly community!



Save the date! FREE screening of *Just A Farmer*. Guest speaker with Q&A, plus supper provided. 7.30pm on Friday 16th October at **Darlington Hall**.



Want to go paperless? Lismore News is online! Scan the QR code to read it on your device in glorious colour!



Support our local Top Tourism Towns! **Camperdown** and **Port Campbell** are finalists in this year's Top Tourism Towns and now need local support to bring home the award! Place your vote, see the submissions and find out more information on the finalists at vtic.com.au/toptourismtown/2026finalists.

Prescriptions direct to Pharmacy: You can forward your pharmacy prescriptions from your medical service directly to the Lismore Pharmacy. Quick, convenient and easy! See *Pharmacy advert inside for contact details*.



L I S M O R E How many words can you make out of the letters in LISMORE? Write your answers here:

See wordmaker.info/how-many/lismore.html for answers!



SUNDAY 21 JUNE | 11 AM ONWARDS
BROWNS WATERHOLES, LISMORE

Join us for the official opening of Lismore Footbridge!

Celebrate this special occasion and then continue the journey with the Lismore Walking Group as we explore the Lismore Discovery Trail.

Enjoy fascinating local history with a live speaker at the Lismore Church and Cemetery, before wrapping up the day by supporting Lismore's local eateries for lunch.



Lismore Progress Association acknowledges and pays respects to the Wadawurrung people, the traditional custodians of the unceded lands where we live and work. We extend this respect to all First Nations Elders and people past, present and future.

Always was, always will be.

DIARY DATES 2026

*Next Newsletter: Ed. No. 10 Thurs. 25th June 2026. Typist: Janette Devlin. Staplers: Sue and Deb
Community items by Thurs. 18th June to lismorenews@gmail.com or in Newsletter box at Blue Yabby Café.*

JUNE

11 Jun	Navigation Support Program Derrinallum Library 1-3pm session. Tel 555 83 000
Fri 12	<i>Tinderella and the Eight Unique Uses of Tinder.</i> Performance 7pm Theatre Royal Camperdown
Sat 13	Lismore Derri Football Netball play Ararat Eagles, in Round 8
Sun 14	Murnong Indigenous Garden 4pm-5pm speakers on uses of Australian native wood \$10 Incl tea/coffee
Wed 17	Explore and Talk. The Shed Noorat 10am start, tour of landmarks then a local café Booking 5593 7100
Thur 18	Falls Prevention Program - Continece information + strength & balance session. Lismore Community Health Centre 12.30 - 2pm. Bookings essential, ph 555 83 000
	Navigation Support Program 1-3pm Derrinallum Library Refer Council Notes
Fri 19	Lismore Craft Shop Members Meeting 1pm to discuss the future of the group
Sat 20	Lismore Derri Football Netball play Glen Thompson-Dunkeld at Lismore Round 9
Thur 25	Falls Prevention Program - Dietitian information + strength & balance session. Lismore Community Health Centre 12.30 - 2pm. Bookings essential, ph 555 83 000
Fri 26	Last day school term 2. (note: First Day Term 3 Monday 13th July)

ONGOING

Pilates Club (Western District): Lismore Footy Club Social Rooms, Tue 6.30pm, \$10 cash, BYO mat. All levels, all welcome! Instagram: @wd_pilatesclub, Inquiries Katie: 0429 631 152

Social Support Group: Every Mon & Wed 10.30am - 2.30pm, Lismore Community Health Centre

Monthly Men's Bus Trips: Ph: Lismore Community Health on 55 583 000

Power Pals Strength Training: Every Thur 2 - 3pm, Lismore Community Health Centre

Cars & Coffee Lismore Fairway Café: Last Sunday morning of the month. Have a cuppa and a chat!

Line Dancing @ Derri: Tue nights, 7pm. \$15 for 2 hours and supper

DLCA History Rooms Derrinallum: First Sunday of the month, 1 - 4pm

Derri Library Book Group: First Thursday of the month, 2.30 - 4pm

Mahjong: Derri Library, every Mon, 1.30pm

Mount Elephant and Visitor Centre: Sundays 1 - 4pm, or by appointment unless unsafe weather

Seniors' free morning "Movie a Month": First Tue of the month. RSVP Belinda or Lesa at the Shire: 55 937100

Creative Hub: 31 High St, Derri, 10am - 2pm every Wed to Sat

Gentle Exercises: @ 1pm, **Pilates:** @ 2pm, Mondays at Derri Hall



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- HARVEST WRAP & EQUIPMENT

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Lismore Driver Reviver was again active over the long weekend, helping keep travellers safe. Thanks to the Lismore Lions Club, long-term Driver Reviver coordinator Ted Goodacre, and other community volunteers.

Note to Lismore News advertisers: Invoices for the 2026/2027 financial year will be sent out mid June. Rates remain the same as for the last financial year.



Please refer to ads within for further event details. To avoid clashes, please check dates and email your diary dates/times to lismorenews@gmail.com (or leave in box at Blue Yabby Café) to have them included.

COMMUNITY NOTICES



Lismore Progress Association: The Association is considering an Electric Vehicle (EV) Charging Station for Lismore. Find proposal details and contact for comments at: <https://lismore.vic.au/ev-power.html>

To attend a Progress meeting or raise an issue, contact Val Lang: 0407 054 823

Corangamite Shire free movies: Enjoy good company, morning tea and some free Aussie movies with Council's Positive Ageing, Access & Inclusion program.

Keeping Us All Safe: To report a serious incident in real time, call 000. To report a road issue call 13 11 70. Make a Crimestoppers report on: 1800 333 000 or: crimestoppersvic.com.au

The National Anti-Scam Centre: For information on how to avoid or report a scam, visit the Scamwatch Website: scamwatch.gov.au

Farm Drought Support Funding: Up to \$10,000 in funding is available to Primary Producers in the Corangamite Shire to install or upgrade infrastructure to help drought proof your property. Funding must be match dollar for dollar in co-contribution. Works can include: Stock Containment Areas; grain and fodder storage; feed system upgrades and others. Visit Rural Finance for more info: ruralfinance.com.au/grants/

Wildlife Rescue: Val Carter is registered with Wildlife Victoria to transport injured wildlife to refuges. Please wildlife hit by vehicles. Take care, particularly between Lismore & Derri. Val Carter: 0493 231 028 Wildlife Victoria: 03 8400 7300 | 0429 170 036



LISMORE LAND PROTECTION GROUP

Promoting Sustainable Landscapes

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of every month. If you'd like a topic raised at a meeting, contact Facilitator Jake Tanner or a committee member by the Tuesday prior.

Jake is working part-time Tue/Thur/Fri half
Mob 0439 059202 | lismorelpg@gmail.com

Murnong Indigenous Garden | 30 William Street, Lismore

Australian Native Timbers and their Uses

4pm– 5pm Sunday 14th June

\$10 includes tea/coffee (Members free)

Noah Sycopoulis, Andrew Lang & Rob Horner will share their specialist knowledge

Social and weeding gatherings on Fridays between 5pm and 6pm. All welcome to call in.

Ph Secretary: 0428 831 191



Deepest Sympathies—Travis Miller, 1974-2026. We would like to thank the community of Lismore for all the kindness they showed to Travis, our Dad, during his time in Lismore. We are sure he will be missed over that way. Paige, Taylah, Lilly, Sam, Gypsey and James.



Our community sends its sincerest condolences to Travis's family.

Lismore Craft Shop:

open the first weekend of the month, and when the open sign is out. It focuses on local produce and preserves, and provides opportunities and space for art and craft projects. The shop is seeking new members to help provide the community with homemade produce. Three hours work a month, \$10 yearly membership. Contact Tracey for information: 0418 315 295. (Pictured: art & craft space)



Corangamite Shire Childcare: currently has vacancies at the Western Plains Centre (Lismore/Derrinallum) on Mon, Wed & Thurs. Phone 555 937 100 for bookings and enquiries.

COMMUNITY CONVERSATION ABOUT RECOVERY
with David Younger
WED 17 JUNE, 6.30 - 8.30 PM
SKIPTON RECREATION RESERVE
FREE EVENT - EVERYONE WELCOME

Derrinallum Community Shop
Open Hours
Contact

Tuesdays	10am—4.30pm
Wednesday	10am - 4.30pm
Thursday	10am - 4.30pm
Friday	9.30am - 4.30pm
Saturday	10am - 1pm

Robyn Gellie after hours on 5597 6583

COMMUNITY INFO



For a list of ongoing community info: CFA updates; places of worship; community projects, etc., view previous newsletters lismore.vic.au/newsletters-media.html.

Derrinallum Transfer Station (rubbish tip) open FRI & SUN 1pm - 5pm. Contact Emma on: 55 937 100.

Justice of the Peace Derrinallum / Lismore district. Nola Landrigan 0417 014 635. Please leave a voicemail or text if unanswered.

Lismore Newsagency & Post Office: Contact Steve and Gail: 55962105. Open 7 days

Derrinallum Library: 44 Main St, ph: 5597 6658. Open Thur 11am-12:30pm, 1pm-5pm, and Sat 10am-12pm. Visit: cmllibraries.com.au

Lake Tooliorook Camping: Unpowered campsites, modern & clean toilet block with showers. No bookings required. Ph Ray: 0438 546 427 for availability. \$10 adult p.n. Great fishing, boating & relaxing!

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Laundry facilities available/hot water & showers. Book a place near the swimming pool!

Ring Gwenda 0417 071523 or Sherrill 0416 124778

Lismore Recreation Reserve has a variety of venues available for hire:

- Large hall with gas heating
- Hall kitchen
- Squash courts
- Smaller heated areas for meetings
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- Two kitchens fully equipped for catering

Committee meetings 3rd Mon every second month.

President: Matt Halloran 0437 245 244

Secretary: Shari McConachy 0409 070 089

Venue bookings: Barb Niblett 0429 336 151

Defibrillators (accessible 24/7):

Gorst Rural: 135 High Street

Australia Post (Lismore Post Office): 35 - 39 High St

Victoria Police: 61 High St

Rec Reserve (Community Centre East Side): Seymour St

CONTACT US

Lismore Community Health
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Flu Vaccinations FREE at Lismore Health Centre

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Derrinallum & Lismore Community Association Inc. HISTORY GROUP

Local history: people, families, towns, property, business, buildings, maps, photos, newspapers, events, clubs, schools, etc.



OPEN 1st Sunday/month 1pm—4pm *except Dec, Jan & July* | derrinallum.lismore.history@gmail.com

46 Main Street, Derrinallum, Victoria, 3325

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Avon Buchholz: 0490 078 420

Pres. Sandy Gibson: 0427 962 987

Mental Health care: Lismore Community Health can give advice & referrals. Ph: 5558 3000, Mon-Fri, 9am - 4pm. For free 24/7 counselling & crisis support, contact Beyond Blue: 1300 224 636 or Lifeline: 13 11 14. Visit beyondblue.org.au or lifeline.org.au to chat to someone online.

Lismore Bowls Club: Ph Secretary Lyn Brown 0429 358 483 or President John Trotter on 0412 520 802

Lismore Golf Club: New members welcome! For details contact Tom Brett: 0488 489 766. Saturday Golf competition from 12pm. Green Fees Welcome!

Gentle Exercises Mon 1-1.45pm, \$5

Pilates Mon 2-3pm, \$10

@ Derri Hall. Ph Carole Manifold 0427 406 699. *If you would like to give a session a go, come along to a session at no charge.*



Community Gym: Lismore Community Health Centre has a small gym with exercise bikes, a treadmill, rowing machine, elliptical walker, weights machine and free weights. As the gym is unsupervised, prior to attendance it is a requirement that a medical clearance form be signed by your GP and orientation completed with the SWH physiotherapist. They can design a personalised exercise program to suit you.

Mon - Fri 9am - 3pm. Ph 555 83 000 for more info.

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LISMORE NEWS

Collect your newsletter at the Post Office, Foodworks or the Blue Yabby Café.

Contribute to Lismore News: To help keep our newsletter relevant, exciting and current, send your community events, news items and highlights to lismorenews@gmail.com or drop items into the Blue Yabby Café box.

Articles due by THURSDAY prior to publication. Small community announcements are free.

Volunteer with us: New typists and staplers are always welcome to join the Lismore News roster (usually 3 times a year). Training available. Put your hand up to help our town newsletter remain free! Please contact Val on 0407 054 823

What's new at lismore.vic.au? Visit "Coming Events" at: lismore.vic.au/coming-events.html or:

Facebook at facebook.com/lismorevic/

We are promoting a different business each edition.

What's to see in Lismore? Check lismore.vic.au/tourism/ or scan the QR code to view.



We have a list of local Facebook groups at: lismore.vic.au/facebook-groups.html

If you want us to list other Facebook or Instagram groups send a note on: lismore.vic.au/contact-us-search.html. Our website is always being updated. Details at: lismore.vic.au/business/

Lismore News is also on 'Trove' State Library at: nla.gov.au/nla.obj-3052561254_search-Term=Lismore%20Newsletter%20Victoria

You can also register to receive Lismore News online via Mailchimp. Email: lismorenews@gmail.com

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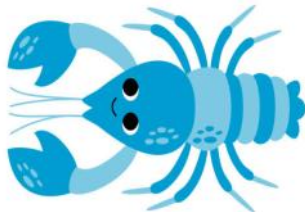
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Phone Nathan Micalleff 0421 825 006**

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to talk with any of the members and
see the shed in action. **ALL WELCOME!**



Stan Foote (Sec) 53 402 036

Jim (Pres) 0417 008 818

You can donate your 'deposit scheme
containers' into the Men's Shed drop-off bin to
support the Men's Shed

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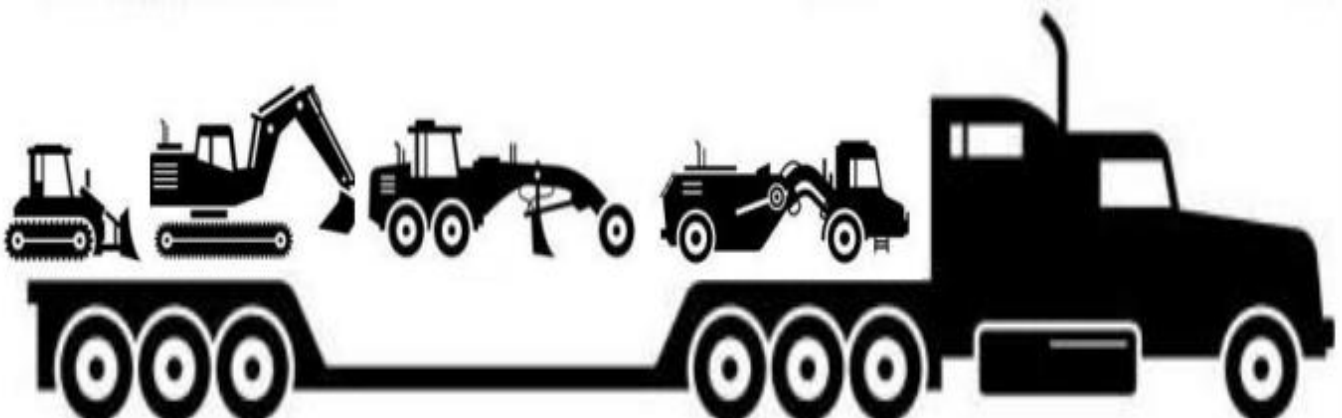
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