

DISPATCHES

Sunbury RSL Sub Branch



A recruitment poster from early in the war. Everyone was expected to help in some way.



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Look at who arrived.

Scarlett Rae, 6lb 8oz.

She is very beautiful.

Nothing like a new baby to make life busy.

And so, back to the real world, Life has been (apart from becoming Granny again) pretty quiet.





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Happening @ Your R.S.L.



JUNE 12	(Mom) Queen's birthday	
13	General Meeting	7:30pm
14	C.O.M.	2pm
	Coach Tour (Date & Destination TBA)	
20	RSL Dinner @ Footy Club	6:30
30	Nibble night	

JULY 4	State Conference	Caulfield
10	General Meeting	7:30PM
18	RSL Dinner @ Foot Club	6:30pm
26	Region & Forum	Kerang
28	Nibble night @ RSL	7:30pm

Aug 9	C.O.M.	2pm
14	General Meeting	19:30pm
	Coach Tour	
15	RSL Dinner @ Foot Club	6:30pm
18	Vietnam Veteran's Day	(Long Tan)
	Nibble night @ RSL	7:30pm



Australia 1922

Thanks Harry

April C.W.A. formed in Sydney on the initiative of the Stock and Station Journal.

Sept. Hugh Dennison launches the morning Tabloid Sun News-Pictorial in Melbourne.

Nov. Qantas begins its first regular air service, B/W Charleville and Cloncurry, Qld.

Maj-Gen Sir John Gellibrand founds the first Legacy Club (called at first the Remembrance Club) in Hobart, Tas.

Jack O'Hagan composes the song "Along the Road to Gundagai" which sells 97,000 copies of sheet music within two years.

Melbourne University Press founded.

Commonwealth Basic wage: 3 pound 16 shillings (\$7.60).

King Ingoda wins the Melbourne Cup

Race Info:

Placings: 1st Place King Ingoda, 2nd Place The Cypher, 3rd Place Mufti

Jockeys: A. Wilson, E. O'Sullivan, F. Straker

Trainers: J. Scobie, P. Guinane, J. Mulcahy

Winner's Time: 3:28.25

Weight: 45.09kg

Odds: 8/1

Prize money: £12,624





The RSL Sunbury Sub-Branch, would like to thank Josh Bull for printing the Newsletter each month.

I hope Josh doesn't mind, I thought it might be fun to have a different picture each month.

Joshua Michael "Josh" Bull (born 4 April 1985) is an Australian politician. He has been an [Australian Labor Party](#) member of the [Victorian Legislative Assembly](#) since November 2014, representing the Legislative Assembly seat of [Sunbury](#).^[1]

Bull was born in Sunbury, Victoria in 1985. He attended Sunbury Heights Primary, and graduated from Sunbury College as school captain in 2002. He went on to study at Deakin University from 2004 to 2007, undertaking a double degree in education and science.

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That's Funny



*I went to the doctor
with fluid on the knee
and he said "You're
not aiming straight"*



**TODAY'S
WEATHER FORECAST:**

**YOU'RE GONNA FREEZE
YOUR ASS OFF**

The R.S.L. in Sunbury:

Wednesday afternoons: Refreshments, & great company from 1pm ish.

Sausages in bread usually available \$1.

Last Friday of the

Month: From 7:30pm refreshments available. Please bring nibbles to share. This is a very informal evening, sitting around the table enjoying the company.

Dinner at the Footy Club: The dates for this are listed in this newsletter.

June 20th

July 18th

August 15th

September 19th

October 17th

November 11th







Sunbury
raised
\$34,700



What's on at the Shrine?

Normandy Veterans Association with Glen Waverley Secondary College 2017

6 June 2017, 11:00am

Wreath Laying on the Forecourt

Shrine Representatives:

Shrine Life Governor Lieutenant Colonel Adrian Lombardo

Shrine Governor Lieutenant Colonel Don Reid

Held annually on 6th June this service commemorates the Allied landings in Normandy, France on 6 June 1944, better known as 'D-Day'. The largest amphibious landing in history, almost 200,000 men were involved in the invasion on the first day alone and it is now considered to mark the true beginning of the liberation of Europe. The service also pays respects to those men who would fight in Normandy over the coming weeks as the Allies fought to break out of the beach head and push the Germans back.



Shrine Monthly Memorial Service - June 2017

15 June 2017, 11:30am

Wreath Laying in the Sanctuary

Shrine Representatives:

Shrine Life Governor Mr. Peter Whitelaw

Shrine Governor Lieutenant Colonel Don Reid

In the month of June we commemorate the following events:

28 June 1919: Treaty of Versailles

More than seven months after the Armistice came into effect the Great War officially ended with the signing of the Treaty of Versailles.

6 June 1944: 'D-Day'

The Allied invasion of France on June 6 1944 was the largest single amphibious operation in the history of mankind. Hundreds of thousands of soldiers, sailors and airmen would be involved in the fighting on this day alone. Australian forces were largely involved in the Pacific theatre by this time but RAAF forces attached to the RAF played crucial roles in pre-landing bombings and in providing fighter cover for the landing forces.

25 June 1950: Outbreak of the Korean War

The 'Forgotten War' breaks out when North Korean forces launch a surprise attack on South Korean and US forces. In the three years of fighting to follow 17,000 Australians in the Army, Navy and Air Force would serve with the United Nations forces defending South Korea, 340 would lose their lives and thousands more would serve in peacekeeping forces as late as 1957.

May - Jun 1968: Battle of Coral-Balmoral

The largest, most sustained and arguably most hazardous battles fought by Australian soldiers during the Vietnam War. Units of the 1st Australian Task Force (1ATF) confronted regimental-sized formations of the North Vietnamese regular army in fierce actions around Fire Support Patrol Bases (FSPB) Coral and Balmoral in what was then known as Bien Hoa province.



Armour, Antiques & Museum

Coach Tour will be here

Date to be advised



I hope you find this interesting, and if it is incorrect, Wicki is looking for additional info

Tullamarine

The name is thought to derive from [Tullamareena](#), a young member of the [Wurundjeri](#) (who later in 1838 escaped from the first Melbourne Gaol, burning it down in the process) according to Reverend Langhorne, an advisor to the first government surveyor, Robert Hoddle. Forty years ago the area was named as Toolimerin.

Tullamarine Village was on Bulla or Lancefield Road, which is now Melrose Drive. It was positioned at the intersection of three municipal boundaries ([Broadmeadows](#), [Bulla](#) and [Keilor](#)), which came together at Victoria Street and Melrose Drive. The primary school was on land now in the airport (south of Victoria Street) and the post office was near the present day Tullamarine Reserve. Originally Tullamarine extended westwards to the Organ Pipes National Park, and the nearby area bounded by the [Maribyrnong River](#), [Jacksons Creek](#) and [Deep Creek](#) was called Tullamarine Island because of the difficulties faced by inhabitants in getting across the watercourses during wet weather.

When the land in the Tullamarine Parish was subdivided into farm lots in 1842 only one lot sold, and the rest were sold by selection in 1850. A Wesleyan school was opened in 1855 and two other schools in 1859 and 1864. The Wesleyan one continued until the State primary school was opened in 1884. Tullamarine Post Office opened on 4 March 1859.^[2] By 1865 Tullamarine had a hotel and a district population of about 200 persons.

In 1988, Anthony Rowhead of [F.A.C.](#) developed a scheme to rename roadways within the airport after aborigines, and pioneers of Tullamarine and aviation. It was fully developed when it was cancelled at the last moment with no reason given, with Gowrie Park Drive the only named road. It was named after the farm owned by James Lane in the 1920s when it was used as a landing ground by those daring young men who would visit the Inverness Hotel (near the north end of the runway). When Donovans had the farm during [WW2](#), planes were parked there overnight in case a bombing raid struck [Essendon Aerodrome](#).

Section 1 of the parish of Tullamarine was just over the river from [Keilor](#). Its most noted occupants were Edward Wilson, editor of [The Argus](#), and an acclimatation enthusiast, and Robert McDougall, a famed breeder of the Booth strain of Shorthorns. Section 2, Annandale, gave Annandale Road its name. Its most noted occupant was Bill Parr. Section 3 was granted to William Foster and became known as the Springs. His younger brother J.F.L.Foster took it, and section 21 Doutta Galla (south of Sharps Road) over later while he was acting Governor and the homestead on 21DG was called the Governor's House by locals. Section 21 became James Sharp's "Hillside" and the Crotty family's dairy farm called Broomfield. The southern part of Section 3 became the Reddans' "Brightview" and Tommy Loft's "Dalkeith". The Wesleyan School was near the bend in Cherie Street and the Methodist Church was on the south corner of Post office Lane at the northern boundary of Section 3. Also on Section 3 was the Junction Hotel (which later became The Greens Corner store run by Cec and Lily Green.) A [7-Eleven](#) now stands on this site. Between there and Derby Street was "Broombank" farmed by John Cock, Keith Williams' parents and Ray Loft, on which stood David Niall's Lady of the Lake Hotel when Burke and Wills passed by.

Between Broadmeadows-Mickleham Rd and the Moonee Moonee Ponds was section 4, the southern half of which became E. E. Kenny's "Camp Hill" because diggers bound for the goldfields camped on his property. Eventually the part west of Bulla Rd (Melrose Drive) was sold off and became (Samuel) Mansfield's Triangle. The northern half of section 4 became Edmond Dunn's "Viewpoint". It was between Mickleham Road and the creek, north of Camp Hill Park to the Lackenheath Drive corner. North of Viewpoint was "Stewarton" whose occupant (1846–1855) was Peter McCracken, who later had a dairy in [Kensington](#) and built Ardmillan in [Moonee Ponds](#). He was followed by John Kerr and, from 1892, by John Cock. A later prominent owner was Jim Barrow who had the first tractor in the district. Stewarton was renamed Gladstone and now, with Viewpoint, comprises the 1,014 acres (4.10 km²) of Gladstone Park.

From Wicki, so I hope its correct

RSL Sunbury

The RSL needs to keep the details of members up to date (securely retained).

There have been instances in the past when members are recouping from matters but not knowing their whereabouts, we the RSL are unable to contact them.

Please complete the following details and return to the Secretary

Thank you.

MEMBER

Name: _____ Spouse: _____
Address: _____ Suburb: _____
Postcode: _____ Phone: _____
Mobile _____ Email _____

Type of Membership (circle One) Service L/S Affiliate Associate Social

Armed Forces (circle) Army Navy Air Force

Theatre _____

Time Frame _____

Date Joined R.S.L. ___/___/___

NEXT OF KIN

Name: _____ Spouse: _____
Address: _____ Suburb: _____
Postcode: _____ Phone: _____
Mobile _____ Email _____

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PREGNANT ON THE BUS

ACTUAL AUSTRALIAN COURT DOCKET 12659 ---

A lady about 8 months pregnant got on a bus.

She noticed the man opposite her was smiling at her.

She immediately moved to another seat.

This time the smile turned into a grin, so she moved again.

The man seemed more amused.

When on the fourth move, the man burst out laughing,

She complained to the driver and he had the man arrested.

The case came up in court.

The judge asked the man (about 20 years old)

What he had to say for himself ..

The man replied,

'Well your Honour, it was like this:

When the lady got on the bus,

I couldn't help but notice her condition.

She sat down under a sign that said,

'The Double Mint Twins are coming' and I grinned.

Then she moved and sat under a sign that said,

'Logan's Liniment will reduce the swelling,' and I had to smile.

Then she placed herself under a deodorant sign that said,

'William's Big Stick Did the Trick,' and I could hardly contain myself.

But, Your Honour, when she moved the fourth time

And sat under a sign that said,

'Goodyear Rubber could have prevented this Accident!'

... I just lost it.'

'CASE DISMISSED!!'



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