

DISPATCHES





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The End

Deb's words

Hello everybody,

We had a wonderful bus tour.

But I do wish more people would join us. It really is a great day out.

In the last 4 weeks I have had a birthday, a wedding anniversary, mothers day, and my grand daughters first birthday. My husband is feeling somewhat

Poorer. I don't feel bad, it was in the contract. He earns it, I spend it. It works well for me.





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June 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

-  **General Meeting 7:30pm**
-  **Committee of Management 2pm**
-  **Dinner at the Footy Club 6:30pm**
-  **Nibbles at the RSL 7:30 bring a share plate**
-  **Chat, drinks & free sausage from 1pm**
-  **Coach Tour Leaving from RSL 9:30am sharp**

-  Selling
-  Region 7
-  ANZAC Day prep



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UPCOMING EVENTS Vietnam Vetrans Melton

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Bunnings Warehouse Melton BBQ Friday 25th May 2018.

Long Tan Dinner Dance 17th August 2018 at the Melton Country Club.

Vietnam Veterans Remembrance Day 18th August 2018.

Bunnings Warehouse Melton BBQ Sunday 23rd September 2018.

Lunch at Galli Restaurant 18th October 2018.

Melbourne Cup Day 6th November 2018 at the Vietnam Veterans House.

Remembrance Day 11th November 2018 at the Memorial precinct High Street Melton.

Children's Xmas party 2nd December 2018

Xmas Dinner Dance 7th December 2018 at the Melton County Club.

Contact Secretary or Treasurer to make a booking to attend any of these events



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Lock in these dates NOW



DINNER @ The Footy Club **

19 June

17 July

21 August

18 Sept

16 Oct

20 November

6:30 for 7pm

****Senior meals are available**

Much fun and laughter usually

9th December 2018

Christmas Lunch



Bring a share plate & enjoy

Nibble Nights for 2018

29 June

27 July

31 August

28 Sept

19 Oct

30 November



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Wednesday Afternoons @ the RSL

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Wednesday Arvo

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June 29th

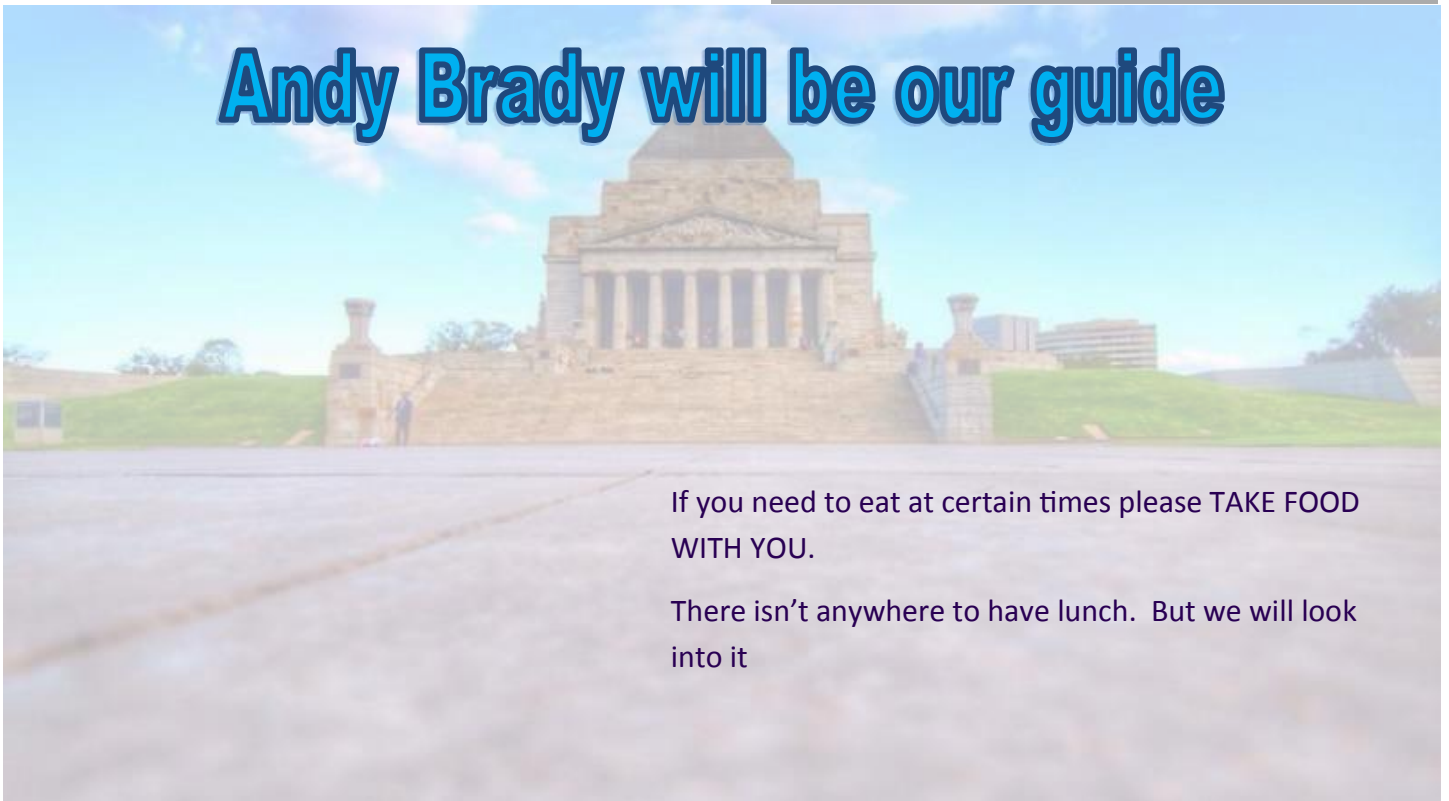


To The Shrine



9:30am from the RSL

Andy Brady will be our guide



If you need to eat at certain times please TAKE FOOD WITH YOU.

There isn't anywhere to have lunch. But we will look into it



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Australia in time 1934

- JAN Charles Ulm in then aircraft 'Faith in Australia" carries first air mail from Australia to New Zealand
- SEP body of the 'pyjama girl' found in s culvert near Albury NSW.
- OCT Prince Henry, Duke of Gloucester, opens Victoria's centenary celebrations in Melbourne
- NOV Melbourne's Shrine of Remembrance dedicated by the Duke of Gloucester
Returned Victorian Police act as Shrine Guards until 1970-Currently –
Now performed by Victoria Police P.S.O.

Captain Cook's Cottage in Melbourne's Fitzroy Garden formally handed over to Victoria by Philanthropist Russell Grimwade

Ford & GM-H independently produce the coupe utility



Melbourne's new His Majesty's Theatre opens (28 July)

Peter Pan wins Melbourne Cup

Team	1	2	3	Final
Richmond	4.4	10.8	16.11	19.14 (128)
South Melbourne	4.3	6.5	6.11	12.17 (89)



MELTON RSL ACTIVE



Prepared by Stephen COOK

WHAT DOES RSL ACTIVE DO?

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SOURCE: RSL ACTIVE INFORMATION PACK 2017

WHAT IS THE ISSUE?

- THE VICTORIAN VETERANS COUNCIL'S VETERANS STUDY REPORT FOUND THE VETERAN COMMUNITY IS CHANGING AND A RETHINK REGARDING SUPPORT STRATEGIES WAS NEEDED. THE STUDY FOUND THAT ALTHOUGH MANY VETERANS TRANSITION TO CIVILIAN LIFE WITH MINIMAL DISRUPTION, SOME DO EXPERIENCE ISSUES INCLUDING ISOLATION, MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEMS AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE.
- FOR MANY YOUNG VETERANS, THE PHYSICAL AND EMOTIONAL ADJUSTMENT TO CIVILIAN LIFE IS EXTREMELY DIFFICULT AND CAN LEAD TO DEVELOPING OR WORSENING OF SERIOUS MENTAL HEALTH DIFFICULTIES

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OUR EVENTS

- AUGUST 2017 SAS NIGHT
- OCT 2017 BUSH WALK LERDEDERG
- FEB 2018 GOLF DAY
- APRIL 2018 BAREFOOT BOWLS
- JULY 2018 PAINTBALL
- AUGUST 2019 KOKODA

NIGHT WITH THE SAS – MELTON AUG 2017



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LERDEDERG
NATIONAL PARK OCT
2017



EYNESBURY GOLF
COURSE FEB 2018



PAINTBALL ANAKIE JULY 2018



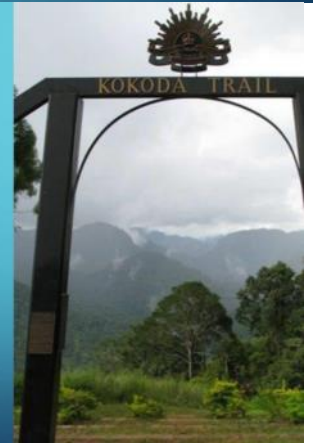
BAREFOOT BOWLS MELTON APRIL 2018



BLIND TIGER YOGA – ALTONA RSL APRIL 2018



KOKODA 2019



FUTURE PROJECTS

FACEBOOK PAGE WHERE EACH RSL WILL HAVE AN ADMIN TO POST THEIR EVENTS (EG: WESTERN VETERANS)

REGULAR CATCH UPS OF AMBASSADORS

TRAINING UP OF ADVOCATES AND PENSION OFFICERS TO CATER SPECIFICALLY FOR THE YOUNG VETERANS

MORE EVENTS!!!

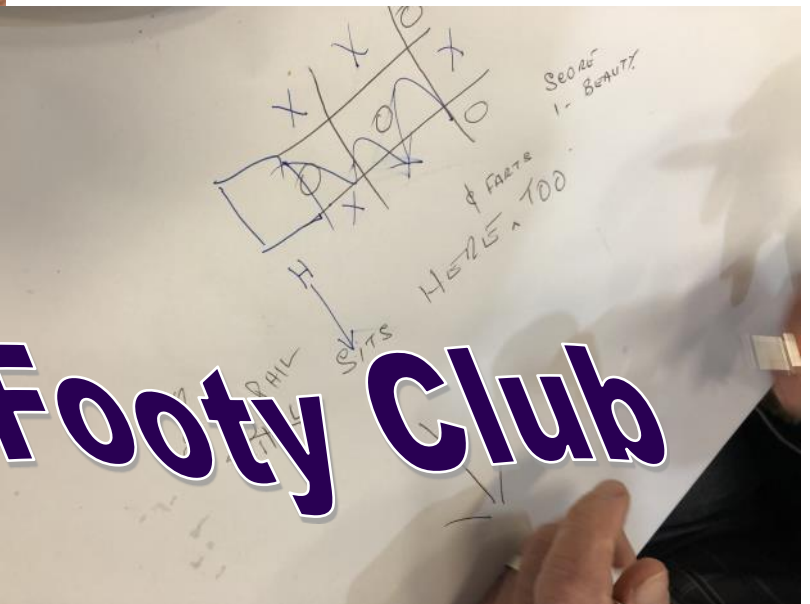


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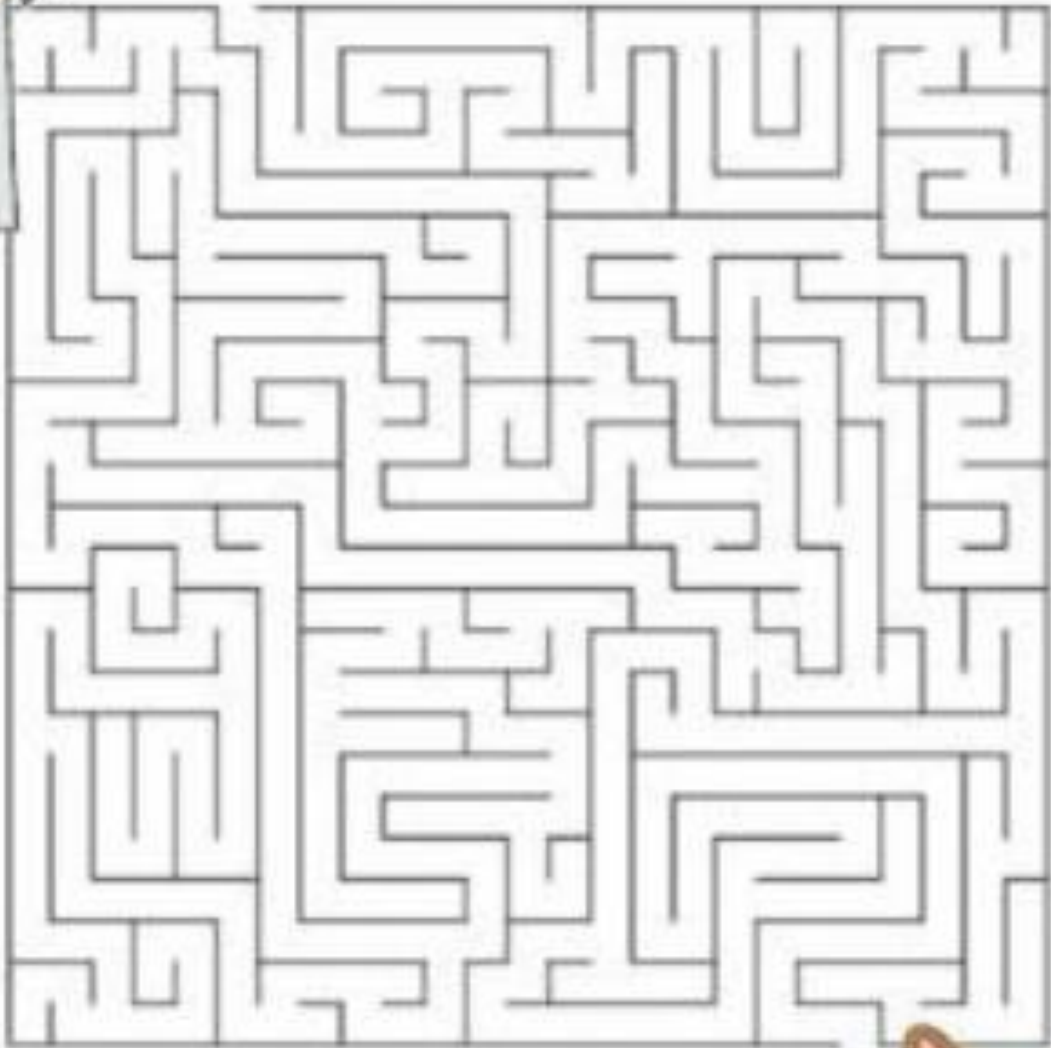


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Hunt the Corgi!

The Queen has lost her favourite corgi!
Can you help her find him?



England Word Search

E G D I R B N O D N O L N B U
P G C M H C U B V R D U O O N
E B Y V R S S C I R U W D B I
E E K O K L I Y K G J W N B O
H E W H E N Y T D I B R O Y N
S N Z W K I N G I R N E L B J
H T E B A Z I L E R A G N R A
R J T R I F L E N B B U H C C
S H A K E S P E A R E F G A K
F I S H B N D C H I P S O B M

Big Ben
British
Buckingham
crown
Elizabeth
fish
chips
guard

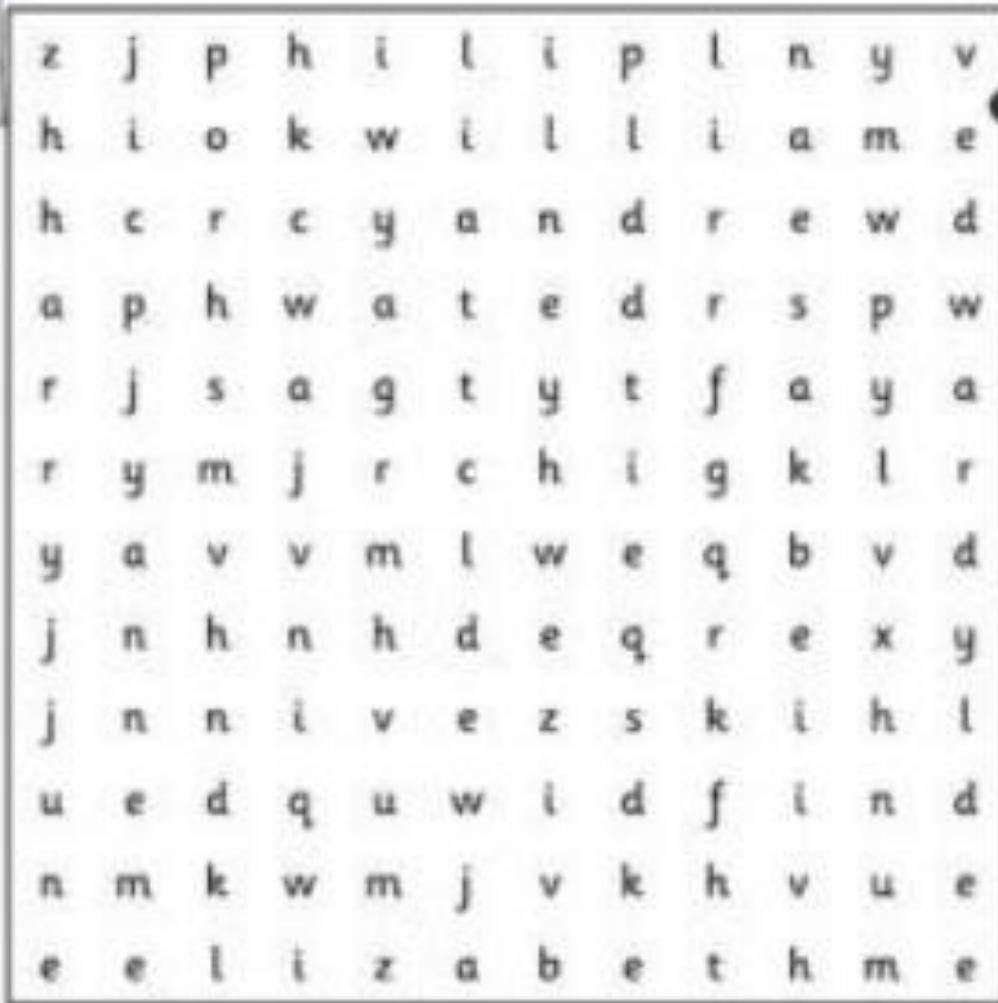


jewels
King
London
London bridge
Shakespeare
sheep
trifle
Union jack





Royal Family Word Search



Andrew

Anne

Catherine

Charles

Edward

Elizabeth

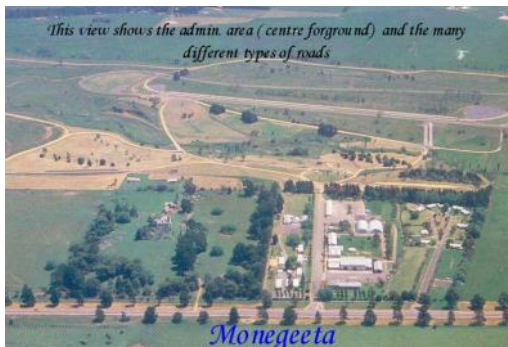
Harry

Philip

William



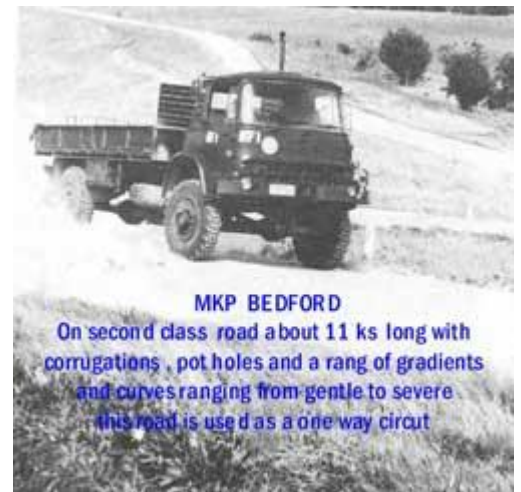
I was just roaming around the internet and found this, though you also might find it interesting.....For many years the Australian Army has tested vehicles at Monegeetta proving grounds. Photos stretching back as far as World War Two show vehicles being tested to destruction there.....enjoy



An overview of Monegeetta proving grounds. The centre is the administration area with the tracks in the surrounding areas.



No explanation needed.



This MKP Bedford is on an 11 km stretch of second class road which has corrugations, pot holes and a range of gradients and turns ranging from gentle to severe. It is one way.



Gradients: The ability to negotiate a grade of 60% of 1:1/76 (about 31 degrees) is required of GS vehicles.



Sand & Mud. Pits are 24m square, and 1.4m deep. One is sand, one is mud. This tests the mobility of vehicles in straight line and continuous figure eight patterns.



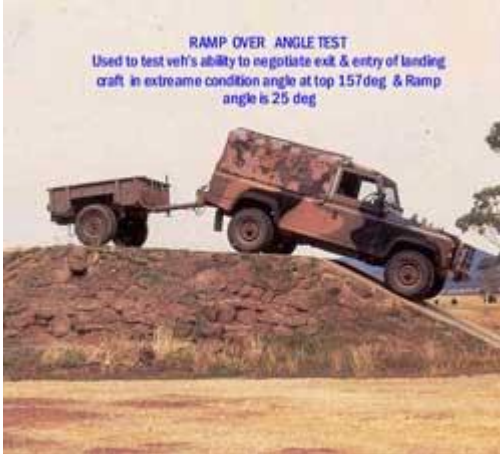
A prototype M113 negotiating one of the gradients

Turns, winching, residual draw bar tractive effort, tyre aggressiveness and track treads patterns with and without trailers are tested.

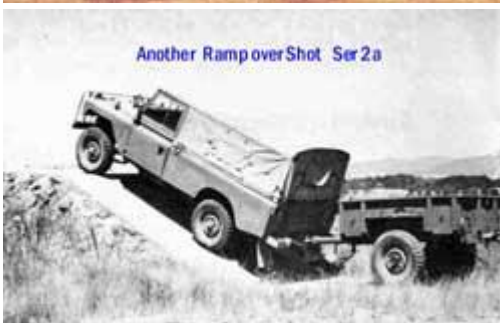




Tilt table: Used to measure roll over angle on a dry smooth surface and show any fuel & oil leaks. And engine stability at angles.



Ramp over angle testing: Used to test vehicle ability to negotiate exit and entry ramps of landing craft in extreme conditions.



Deep fording pool: Length, 12m Water depth, up to 2.4m. Entry and exit ramps of 1.4 and 1.2 to simulate steep river banks or ramps on landing craft etc. Used to determine fording capabilities and flotation abilities and characteristics of vehicle



Compound articulation gauge 4X4 mobility test: side by side/ up down profile of blocks determines whether mobility can be maintained without damage to steering, brakes and suspension. Depression and bumps are 150mm, total 300mm.





HISTORY

The Post Office opened on 23 January 1911 as Monegatta South, was re-named Monegeeta (sic) in 1917 then Monegeetta around 1960 and closed in 1992. Another office nearby, Duck Holes, had opened in 1866, was renamed Monegatta in 1875, North Monegeeta in 1917, North Monegeetta around 1961 and closed in 1969.[2]

Monegeetta North, occasionally referred to as Duckholes, was historically a distinct locality, once featuring its own Hotel (1862-1896) and State school (1868-1903). The former Hotel building remains as a local landmark for travellers on the Melbourne-Lancefield Road.[3]

Both Monegeetta and North Monegeetta were stopping points on the Clarkefield-Lancefield railway.

TODAY

Monegeetta features Mintaro Homestead (1882), a smaller replica of Melbourne's Government House built by a Captain Gardiner.

The Land Engineering Agency (LEA) of the Australian Department of Defence operates a heavy vehicle testing course near the town.

The town contains a CFA fire station and general store, and a private bus company operates a commuter bus service to Melbourne for residents from Monday to Friday.



MINTARO



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That's

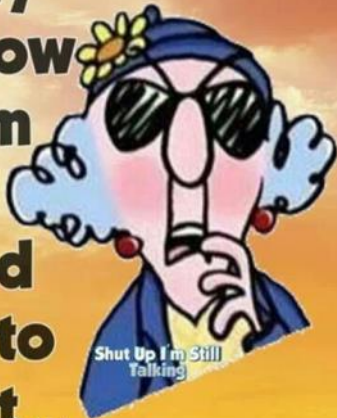


My brain is like the Bermuda Triangle.
Information goes in
and then it's never
found again.



Nothing messes up
your Friday,
like finding out
that it's only Tuesday.

**My body
knows How
old I am
but
my mind
refuses to
believe it....**



You're the man I want our children
to spend their
weekends with.



**EVERYTHING IS
FUNNY, AS LONG AS
IT'S HAPPENING TO
SOMEBODY ELSE.**

Dad's sayings *favorite*

- 10) When I was your age...
- 9) A little bit of dirt never hurt anyone.
- 8) Go ask your mother.
- 7) Were you raised in barn?
- 6) You don't know what hardwork is.
- 5) It builds character.
- 4) Don't make me stop this car!
- 3) You're grounded till you're thirty.
- 2) Money doesn't grow on trees.
- 1) Because I said so.





Look @ these beautiful pics



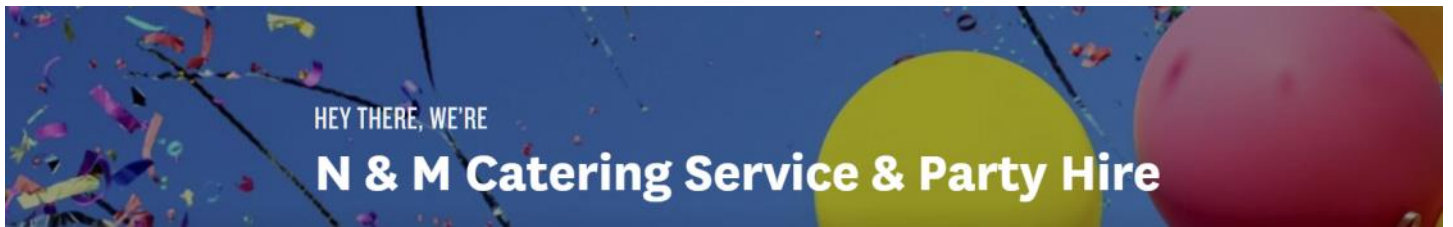
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20th May, I went to the Gisborne Steam Rally, I had a great day, here are some pics



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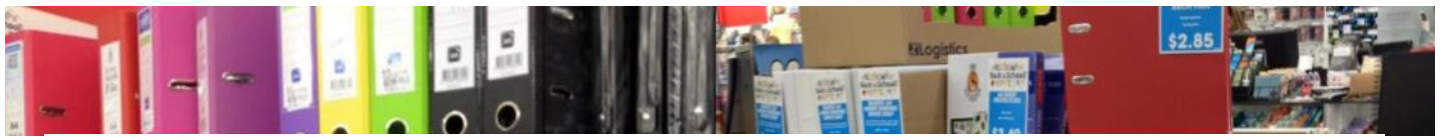
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Nibble Night



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RSL Sunbury

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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 Affiliate Associate Social

Armed Forces (circle) Army Navy Airforce

Theatre _____

Time Frame _____

Date Joined R.S.L. __/__/__

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