DELUNGRA AND DISTRICT NEWSLINK OCTOBER 2001 EDITION.

Welcome to the October 2001 Edition of the Delungra Newslink.

INVITATION to a LUNCHEON at DELLVIEW featuring

Fashion Parade of Natalieann

Men's and Ladies Shirts & Wool Awards Winning entry

at 11.00 am

on Saturday 6th October 2001

Proceeds from luncheon and trading table to Delungra Anglican Church.

All welcome Cost \$8.00

Further details please phone Natalie or Marlene (02) 67 248379

Delungra Golf Club

October
7th Final Gobbell Jug
14th Closing Day Burke and Wills Ambrose
21st Bundarra OPEN
27th Inverell OPEN
November
4th NEDGA Pennants Guyra
24th Guyra OPEN

December

1st and 2nd Deepwater Sandgreen Masters

Delungra Catholic Ladies

The next monthly meeting of the Catholic Ladies will be held on Thursday 11th October at 2 p.m.

Eunice McGrath

Delungra Catholic Ladies Fashion Parade

Delungra Bowling Club

on Saturday 3rd November 2 p.m.

Fashions by Capri Boutique at 2.30 p.m. Displays of Antique Jewellery - Essential Oils

Trading table and many other attractions - Raffles - Open Orders

Admission \$5 - Children Gold Coin

Afternoon Tea

Delungra District Development Council

The next meeting of the Delungra District Development Council will be held at the Bowling Club at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday 9th October 2001 All interested residents very welcome to attend.

Margaret McGrath Secretary

Neighbour Aid Service

Bingo

Our next Bingo morning will be held on Wednesday 3rd October. We start with morning tea at 9.45am in the Brownie Room at the Delungra Multi Purpose Hall. Followed by

Lunch Club

Come and join us at our regular Wednesday Lunch Club (12 noon) to book please call Lorraine Polock on 67248533

<u>Cent Auction</u> - Garden Court, Glen Innes – 10th October 2001 (Morning/Afternoon tea and Lunch) – Heaps of Prizes to be won. Anyone interested in going please contact Beryl Townsend on 67248432

MOW Volunteer Roster for October/November/December 2001

* 3rd & 5th Oct Fred & Nancy Calderbank 8th 10th, 12th Oct George & Elaine Wenzel 15th & 19th Oct Gail Mureau 22nd & 26th Oct Trix Penberthy & Yvonne Rainger 29th & 2nd Oct Delungra School P & C Nov 5th & 9th Delungra CWA Ladies 12th & 16th Nov Beryl Townsend & Helper 19th & 23rd Nov Ron & Beryl White 26th & 30th Nov Claire Kent & Helper Dec 3rd & 7th **Anglican Ladies**

Dec 10th & 14th Audrey Clark & Kerry Campagner
Dec 17th & 21st Gloria Anderson & Pat McGrath

Dec 24th & 28th Cynthia Kent & Helper

If you are unable to carry out your MOW delivery, it would be much appreciated if you could find a replacement

The Delungra/ Inverell Community Bus Run will operate on

Friday October 12th 2001

departing Weeds & Waterholes 9am.

The Warialda HACC Bus will be going to Inverell next on Thursday 4th October 2001 – Please ring Virginnia Boland on 67291889 if you need to book a seat.

The Annual General Meeting of the Delungra Citizen's Association Inc., will be held on Monday 22nd October 2001 at 7pm in the Guide Room at the Delungra Multi-Purpose Hall – All welcome to attend.

The Neighbour Aid office will be closed from Monday $1^{st} - 5^{th}$ October, Inclusive

Tricia Turner

Neighbour Aid Co-ordinator

CWA Hall, Burnett Street, Delungra Phone/Fax: (02) 6724 8554 or a/h (02) 6723 6477

Delungra P & C

The Delungra Public School P & C Committee and members would like to personally thank all the Dad's Mum's children and friends that helped with our B B Q and other activities at the XXXX Variety Bash on 11th August 2001. We had a very successful day, with all the proceeds going to benefit the children at the school. Once again a very big thank - you as it was very much appreciated.

Kim Anderson Secretary

Delungra C W A News

Our next meeting will be held on 16 October at 1 p.m.. This will be our Annual General meeting. We will start at 9.30 am and will be making bags for children with cancer to put their medical equipment in. If you have any soft fabrics such as cotton or interlock please bring along with sewing machine etc. We will have lunch about 12 noon and are having a Thai Lunch if you would like to bring a dish. As always new members are always welcome or feel free to come along for a visit and see what you think.

Christine Plumbe 67248557 Publicity Officer.

Delungra Womens Bowls Report

We had a Committee meeting at 1.30 p.m. on 18th September. President Edna thanked all for helping make sure our 35th Birthday a success. Results from games our girls have played.

21st August - Jean McKinnon Day Moree. 4 players attended this day. J Leader, D Sheen, E Mepham and B White. They had a lovely day.

4th September at Bingara - E Thomson J Hobday, J Fairweather, D Sheen. The girls had a win this day. Well done !!!

10th - 12th September A & B Group at Yamba. By all reports a good time was had by all. Our players were:- E Mepham, J Leader, E Thomson & D Sheen.

A team consisting of N Scott, J Leader E Mepham and K Leader were runners-up in the District Mixed Fours. Good team work. We will be catering for the Health talk being held at the Bowling Club on the 25th September at 7 p.m. Super vets Day well be held at Glen Innes on 3rd October 2001. A Team of 4 ladies are off to Delightful Croppa Creek on Thursday 27th September. East Gwydir Quarterly Meeting will be held at Delungra on the 19th October at 9.30 p.m.

Good Bowling Elaine

Delungra Bowling Club

- For the information of members and their guests
- Congratulations to Janice Pollock and Bob Woodwind winners of the Giant meat trays and carton of refreshments. The next months members draw will be held on 27th October so keep placing your tickets in the barrel.
- Entertainment:-
 - 27th October Peter Denovan to Play
 - 8th December Two bucks to Play

Be there for some interesting goodies and support your local club.

- The Club Presentation night will be held on Friday 9th November 7.30 p.m. for a Chicken and Salad Smorgasbord. All members are invited to attend. Cost for the meal is only \$10 a head. So book early.
- Another SATURDAY NIGHT JACKPOT DRAW has been won. A very happy "Alan Regan selected the lucky range of numbers this time Congratulations Alan and thank you for your continuing support of the Club
- This Jackpot draw will once again start with a Delungra BASH Shirt and two of Local New England Estate Wines next week. Be there to go in the draw for the chance to play.
- Members and Guests Christmas Party will be held on Friday night 21st December

Delungra Multi Purpose Hall Committee

The next Birmonthly meeting of the Multipurpose Hall will be held on Monday 15th October at 7.30 p.m. All community residents are very welcome to attend. Margaret McGrath Secretary

Inspirational Message: Without Spot

If we believe that we are Christians, then let us be true to this name.

To be a Christian is to be Christlike.

It means to follow Jesus in self denial, carrying high His banner of love

It means honouring Him with unselfish words and deeds.

In the life of a true Christian there is nothing of self because self is dead.

There was no selfishness in the life that Jesus lived while on this earth.

He had our nature and He lived a life wholly devoted to helping others.

All our words and actions, must be pure and true.

All that we do must be free of selfishness and corruption.

In His great love, Christ surrendered himself for us and we are to surrender ourselves to Him.

When this surrender is complete, Christ can finish the work He began for us by the surrender of Himself. Then He can bring to us complete restoration.

Christ gave himself for the redemption of all mankind, that all who believe in Him may have eternal life. When we appreciate this great sacrifice we will receive from our Saviour the Most precious of all gifts, a clean heart.

This experience is more precious than all the gold, silver and precious stones that we can receive.

We will love him with all our heart, mind soul and strength, which will be a soul a sequence of the sequence o

realising that we are His blood-brought heritage.

Worldly policies or worldly aims will not dim our spiritual eyesight.

we will be one with Christ as He is one with the Father.

Syd and Val Poole Phone 6724 8417

Delungra Community Health

Greetings to Delungra residents. I have had a wonderful holiday. Hervey Bay is surely the place to be at this time of year. whale watching is a must!!! It only happens in August, September and October when the whales move to warmer waters from the Antarctica to breed and deliver their young.

From September 2001, I will be responsible for the footcare in Delungra. Joanne Hamilton will relieve me when I am on leave. So that will mean the service is not interrupted at all. I will continue to come on a Tuesday. I will give the specific dates in the Newslink. Anyone wishing to have their toenails cut please call Community Health and leave a message with the receptionist. Please leave your phone number and address with the receptionist.

Footcare dates: October 23 2001

November 20 2001; and

December 18 2001.

Have a good month. Spring is here!

Regards Joanne Campbell RN Community Health Inverell Ph 67 288411

Delungra Senior Citizens

Our next meeting will be held at C W A Hall Burnett Street on 18th October. It's a Bingo Morning starting at 10 am with finger luncheon and meeting to start at 1 p.m.. Special Guest will be Tessa Newmarch. Everyone most welcome to come.

Bus to Jane Leaders on 20th October is full and leaving Weeds and Waterholes at 9 am. Claiming the data for Xmas party on 17th November. More next Newsletter.

Anne McNaughton (67 248445) Secretary

For Sale:

One Honda xr350 Motorbike good condition \$800 O N O Phone 67210526 Inverell
One Pair French windows 2125 x 460 mm Each (7ftx161/4") \$50 O N O Phone 67248474
Muriel Woodward.

St Columbas Anglican Church

Calendar October 7 9am Holy Communion

14 9am Morning Service

21 9am Holy Communion

26-28 Parish Weekend away at Copeton Dam

28 6.30 pm Evening Service

Please note that as of October 21, our normal service times will be:

1st and 3rd Sunday 9am

2nd and 4th Sunday 6.30 p.m.

For further inquiries, contact Christopher Pears. 67 25 4466

Delungra Community Health Service Plan

Many thanks to members of the Delungra Community for attending the meeting at the Delungra Bowling Club on 25th September 2001.

Delungra is certainly a community with a strong community spirit and a commitment to improving Delungra.

The meeting, the first of many, was well attended and held to discuss and get feedback flowing in regards to the development of a health service plan for Delungra.

Many issues were raised and will be further looked into. Examples of these issues are as follows:-

- Transport access, suitable time-table and best way to provide service. Is the service affordable?
- Lack of relief staff for community nurse.
- A central base in Delungra for all services to come and allows privacy for consultations.
- A Delivery service for pharmacy supplies.
- Community Aged Care packages for Delungra residents
- Meals on Wheels program may need to be revised.
- What help is available for home modification if needed.
- The need for a handyman service.
- A Service directory for Delungra to assist in finding out what services are available and how to get them.
- Suggestions for the community survey.
- Requests for helpers to assist to give out and collect surveys.
- Needs of the younger members of the community

I look forward to further meeting with Delungra community members. Please feel free to contact me on PH 6722 2655 and talk of any issue(s) that may be of concern. Remember the community's input into the development an success of the health service plans is vital.

Tessa Newmarch - Project Planner.

Delungra Guides

The Delungra District Management team of Girl Guides will meet at 9 a m at the Guide Room on Monday 15th October.

N Calderbank

Delungra R S L Auxiliary

The next monthly meeting of the Delungra RSL Womens Auxiliary will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday 3rd October at the Delungra Bowling Club. A good attendance is requested to make final plans for Melbourne Cup afternoon on Tuesday 3rd November 2001. N Calderbank

Calendar

October	Saturday	6th	Natalieann Fashion Parade and Luncheon
	Tuesday	9th	Delungra District Development Council
	Thursday	11th	Delungra Catholic Ladies Committee
	Monday	15th	Delungra District Management Team of Girl Guides.
			Delungra Multipurpose Hall Committee
	Tuesday	16th	Delungra C W A Meeting
	Thursday	18th	Dleungra Senior Citizens Meeting
November	Saturday	3rd	Delungra Catholic Ladies Fashion Parade
	Friday	9th	Delungra Bowling Club Presentation Night
	Saturday	17th	Delungra Senior Citizens Christmas Party
December	Friday	21st	Delungra Bowling Club Christmas Party

Thanks very much to those who supplied their information early for me. As we have been away for most of the last 10 days of Sept and we had quite a few pieces still to go in the Newslink on the last day it has been a little later in going out this month. Hope it does not inconvenience too many.

Written notices for the next Newslink can be left in our Mailbox at 79 Inverell Street. Closing date for the next edition MUST be Friday 2nd November for a delivery of Tuesday 6th November 2001

Margaret McGrath 67 248353 Ph /Fax