We would like to wish all Newslink readers a safe and happy Easter, and an enjoyable holiday to those who have school holidays during April.

Contributions for Newslink are due the last Tuesday of the month and can be left at the Post Office in the Newslink box, emailed to me at rockvale@northnet.com.au or faxed to 67248395.

Girl Guides' News.

Term one has been very busy at We have been doing Guides. some Scissors badge work with lots and lots of craft. We have already been involved in activities such as Thinking Day, Harmony Day, Clean up Australia Day (where we collected only about 5 kgs of rubbish for the whole of Delungra), as well as catering for the Mens' Community Diner which was a great success. A big thank you to Therese Cole, Di Brown, Mandy Hawke Laurelle Wales for all your hard work. Also a big thank you to the Guides who waited and served on the night.

We would also like to thank who has donated everyone batteries. This has been a great fundraiser and we will keep this as an ongoing fundraiser, so please keep them coming.

On the 13th April 5 Guides and 2 Leaders will set off to

JAMBOREE IN CANBERRA. WE CAN'T WAIT!

We would also like to thank the parents who have helped in Guides this term. This has all been in Term one and we wonder what's in store for Term Two.

Remember, Guides meet on Tuesdays, 4.30pm at the Uniting Church.

All interested girls are most welcome.

Veronica, Bronwyn & Summer.

Anglican Church Times.

April 1st – 11 am

April 6th – 8.30am Good Friday April 8th – 8.30am Easter Sunday

April 15th – 11am Graman April 22nd – 11am

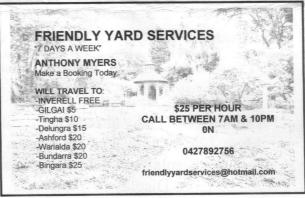
April 29th - 9am Combined

Presbyterian Church

May 6th – 11am

May $13^{th} - 8.30$ am.













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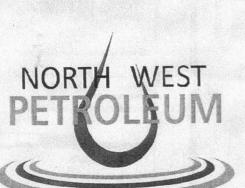
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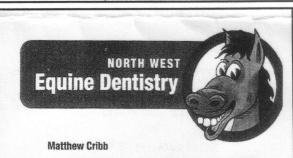
This Dinner is an initiative to provide a friendly event for local men to meet and socialise. It will give an opportunity for fellowship and friendship. For more information on these dinners please refer to this month's News link.

Bookings essential. Please phone or text numbers to 0414775906 before 02/05/2012. Bookings can also be made at the Liberty Service Station.

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ELUNGRA COMMUNITY MEAS DINNER

100% will tell their friends

100% will attend future dinners

100% were satisfied with the meal

This is the result of our feedback form completed on the night of our first Mens' Dinner

There was a pleasing number of guests at the first Delungra Men's Dinner and the feedback has been overwhelmingly positive.

Our first thankyou is to the boys at the Liberty Service Station who took bookings for the evening. This was a great assistance as when we are catering for a dinner it is so important that we get the numbers right. Brian has offered to continue to take names for the next dinner.

Everyone on the night found Steve Bostocks' talk on rural security a valuable reminder of the importance of securing our properties. We are lucky to live in a relatively safe district however we cannot afford to become complacent about security. Steve has more information on this topic available at the Delungra Police Station for anyone one who missed his talk or would like to know more.

Jim Brown was definitely a highlight of the evening. We must thank Jim who generously gave up his evening to attend our dinner and share with us his fabulous bush poetry. Everyone enjoyed his humour and we will certainly try to get Jim to become a regular at our dinners.

The Delungra Girl Guides were very appreciative of the opportunity to be involved. The profits from the dinner along with the proceeds of the raffle will go towards assisting guiding in Delungra. The raffle prizes were very generously donated by

- McGregor Gourlay
- Liberty Service Station
- New England Estate Winery

Everyone who attended took home some great offers. Inside the Men's Dinner Bags were discount vouchers, product samples and information leaflets. Thanks to those business that contributed to these bags.

- Delungra Ag and Auto
- Inverell truck and Trailer
- Salon Expresso
- Campbell Frebairn Pharmacy
- NAB
- Dust Jacket bookshop

Please ensure that you used these discounts vouchers soon as some are for a limited time.

The Delungra Bowling Club extended a great welcome to everyone who attended. The club is a tremendous Community facility and we are very appreciative of their hospitality and support.

Everyone was asked to complete a feedback form on the night. The results of these forms will be used to assist us in planning future dinners, The prize for the lucky feedback form was donated by the NAB.

As you can see there were a lot of people who did their bit to make the evening so successful. If the response to our dinner is an indication of the future of these dinners then we can be confident that they will certainly continue. Our next dinner will be held on Saturday 5th May at the Delungra Bowling Club commencing at 7.00pm

RSVP 02/05/2012 0414775906 or let the boys at the Liberty Service Station know your coming. Hope we see you there.

Delungra Golf Club.

April

1st – PAR – Guyra Open 4BBB

8th – Stroke Putt Score (Meeting) Easter

15th – 1st rnd President's Trophy

22nd – Stableford. Meeting 29th – 4BBB – Championships

1st rnd Gobbell Jug

May

6th – PAR – NEDGA

Championship Glen Innes 13th – Mixed Championships 18 hole Meeting

20th – Bundell Cup – Delungra 10am hit off.

Anyone wanting large bales of grass for their garden the golf club have approx.. 20 bales available.

Phone Keith 67248365 Kevin 67248379

New Members most welcome. We were saddened with the

We were saddened with the passing of our dear member and friend Jeff Hewat, who for the past 7-8 years did our mowing of the course. We will surely miss his cheery presence at our golfing days. We extend our deepest sympathy to his wife Margaret, Kim & Phillip, Ann & Brett and Brett & Emma and their families.

We also extend our sympathy to Albert and Sam Coote and family on the passing of Albert's mother Shirley Coote. *Marlene Ballinger*.

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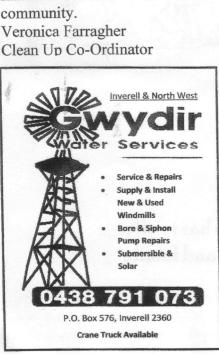
Clean Up Australia 2012.

big thankyou to Summer-Lea Stewart and Bronwyn Johnson for running our Clean Up Day this year. We had 18 volunteers who were made up of 5 adults and 13 children of which 4 were male and 14 females. Go girls! Thanks as usual to our guiding families who were the majority of volunteers. Also thanks to Jim Townsend who continues to help us out each year and first time volunteer Mal Page.

Congratulations to Delungra. The town was very clean and there was not much rubbish to clean up this year. There were bags of non-recyclable rubbish and 5.5 bags of recycling. Our annual cleanup day, plus a couple of volunteers who regularly pick up around town throughout the vear has made a huge difference to our community. I remember back in 2003 when we had 73 bags of rubbish which totalled some 1080kg. It just goes to show what a individuals can difference make. Especially when most of these individuals are under 12 years of age.

So congratulations again for a fantastic result in our community.

Clean Up Co-Ordinator



Senior Citizen's News.

Next meeting Thursday 16th April, 1pm CWA Rooms.

Bingo - 9.30am

Trading Table. All Welcome.

Muriel Woodward won the meat raffle

J Devlin – Publicity Officer.

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Delungra Bowling Club

Whats Happening in April

1st April – President's Day
4th April – Farmers Association meeting 7:30pm
22nd April – Lillys Pretty Woman
with massages, facials, manicures
& pedicures



Saturday 28th April – Hobday's Trasnport Bowls Day Mixed Fours \$15 per team \$8 for non players Sausage Sizzle Lunch Phone June on 02 6724 8213

or Lorna on 02 6732 1831



Tuesday Nights Bingo 6:30pm Thursday Nights Pizza Night \$10.00 Friday Nights Happy Hour Bar snacks Saturdays

Social Bowls 1:30pm
Saturday Nights

Raffles & Members Draw





For more information please ring
Delungra Bowling Club
02.6724.8204

Why not come and see what your local Club has to offer And enjoy a great day or night with friends and family