



A community service initiative of the Yarramalong Valley Progress Association

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All items for the next edition to Sandie or Annette by 21 November – Tel: 4356 1364 or 4356 1521  
Or hand deliver to 1850 or 1282 Yarramalong Road – Or via email: [annette@lucidity.com.au](mailto:annette@lucidity.com.au)

Wednesdays	<b>PLAYGROUP</b> – Yarramalong Hall Every Wednesday except during school holidays	10 to 12 noon	T: 4393 2383
Thursdays	<b>THURSDAY NIGHTS AT THE MANOR</b> – Yarramalong Manor \$15 main meals		T: 4356 1066
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>GOURMET GALLOPS</b> – Wyong Creek Hall Three course meal plus entertainment - \$60 pp	7pm	T: 4356 1502
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>CRAFT GROUP</b> – Fire Station BYO craft – Morning tea provided – proposed activity for November is cork reindeers (see over)	9.30am	T: 4356 1549
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>MELBOURNE CUP DAY LUNCHEON</b> At Felde Farm, 696 Brush Creek Road , CEDAR BRUSH CREEK	From 11.30am	T: 4356 1549
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup>	<b>FIRE BRIGADE TRAINING</b> – Fire station New members always welcome	7.00pm	T: 4356 1219
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>WINE TASTING</b> – Yarramalong Manor	4.30pm	T: 4356 1066
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup>	<b>VALLEY GET TOGETHER</b> – Yarramalong Manor Every second Thursday of the month	from 6.30pm	T: 4356 1066
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>MARDI-MANGROVE LINK PROJECT</b> – Yarramalong Store Community Feedback Drop In Session (see over)	9am – 1pm	T: 4350 1678
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<b>2<sup>ND</sup> MONDAY BOOK CLUB</b> – Yarramalong Manor Sumptuous morning tea and book discussion "1000 splendid suns " by Khaled Hosseini	9.30am	T: 4356 1549
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup>	<b>NEW MURDER MYSTERY NIGHT</b> – Yarramalong Manor Booking required	6.30 for 7pm	T: 4356 1066
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>FIRE BRIGADE MAINTENANCE DAY</b> – Fire station New members always welcome	8.30am	T: 4356 1219
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>ST. BARNABUS ECUMENICAL CHURCH SERVICE</b> Bookings for Baptisms, Weddings & Funerals – email: <a href="mailto:peter.say@bigpond.com">peter.say@bigpond.com</a>	11am	T: 4356 1733
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup>	<b>CRAFT GROUP</b> – Fire Station BYO craft – Morning tea provided – proposed activity for November is cork reindeers (see over)	9.30am	T: 4356 1549
★ Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> ★	<b>YARRAMALONG PROGRESS ASSOCIATION AGM</b> Yarramalong Hall – Please note new date for AGM and read the attached flyer	7.30pm	T:4356 1900
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>FIRE BRIGADE TRAINING</b> – Fire station New members always welcome	7.00pm	T: 4356 1219
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>FAIR DINKUM COCKTAIL PARTY</b> – Yarramalong Manor Bookings essential – Ring for details	7.00pm	T: 4356 1066
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>WINE TASTING</b> – Yarramalong Manor	4.30pm	T: 4356 1066
Friday 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>CHRISTMAS BINGO</b> – Yarramalong Hall Santa is making an appearance	7.30pm	T: 4356 1072



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## Community Safety Tip

*from the Yarramalong Rural Fire Brigade*

In preparing your property for bushfire, it's important to have an easily sourced independent water supply available to protect your home. Large tanks, dams and swimming pools are ideal for this purpose and dependant upon their size can provide a number of hours of good water supply. You should attach either a petrol or diesel pump, with sufficient heavy duty hoses and/or sprinklers to reach all sides of your house. As the electricity may go out during a bushfire, it is important that you do not rely on an electric pump for this purpose. Also, to aid any Rural Fire Service Brigade that maybe protecting your property during a bushfire, it is helpful to ensure that all tanks are fitted with gate valves and 38mm Storz couplings. Remember, in the event of a fire, always call 000 immediately.

## XMAS MARKET DAY

SUNDAY DECEMBER 2ND - FROM 8.30am to 12.30pm  
COME AND BUY YOUR XMAS GIFTS, GRAB A BARGAIN,  
A BITE TO EAT AND SAY "HELLO" TO SANTA WHO  
ARRIVES AT 10.30am  
TO RESERVE A STALL FOR THE MARKET DAY - COST \$10  
Ring Jenny after 6.00 pm on 4356 1072

### SUPPORT VALLEY VENTURES SPONSORS

ANNOUNCE WEB DESIGN – T:4356 1888  
[www.announce.com.au](http://www.announce.com.au)

BEAUTY THERAPIST – Sue Curtis - T: 4356 1057  
Massages, facials, waxing, manicures, pedicures

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MISTY MOUNTAIN RURAL CONTRACTORS – T: 4353 0990  
Specialising in property development (M: 0418 221 495)

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Ring David for a free quote M:0417 234 094

PRIDE MOWERS – T: 4353 1648  
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WINTER GROUP ARCHITECTS – T: 0409 513 793  
Residential and Commercial Architecture

YARRAMALONG MACADAMIA NUT FARM – T:4356 1170  
Tours, coffee shop, delicious nuts & other local products

YARRAMALONG MANOR – T: 4356 1066  
Bottle shop, accommodation & restaurant

YARRAMALONG STORE – T:4356 1222  
Takeaway food, newspapers, fuel, groceries, stamps, produce



## THANK YOU!

Thank you to all of Yarramalong Community for going to 'Hey Hey' and for supporting Yarramalong Public School!

The money that was raised is going towards more books for the School library for the Premier's Reading Challenge so it will be more interesting for the kids. The other idea is that we will buy more softfall for the play-ground so it is safer.

Thank you again! The children of Yarramalong Public School are very grateful and so is the staff!

Thank you to Woolley and Libby who organised it and the people that went there!

## Mardi-Mangrove Link Project

**Saturday 10th November - 9am to 1pm - Yarramalong Store**

The purpose of this feedback session is for Yarramalong Valley residents to drop in at their convenience and provide input into the route selection process. A corridor has been identified for the project, but not a specific route, and the project team would like to consult with residents before finalising the preferred route. The project team are also happy to make alternative arrangements for residents who are not available at this time but would like to provide us with information that might assist this process. For further information contact the project office on 4350 1678 or [mardimangrovelink@wyong.nsw.gov.au](mailto:mardimangrovelink@wyong.nsw.gov.au).



## Craft Group

**November activity is cork reindeers.**

*Requirements* : 1 champagne cork, 5 ordinary corks, stanley knife, board to cut on , glue gun (if you have one) and plenty of talent.... if no talent come anyway and have a fun time!!

### Our Christmas Breakup

On Monday 3rd December, 11.30a.m at Di Salmons  
"Twin Ponds" 822 Yarramalong Rd, Wyong Creek  
Call 4356 1502 to RSVP and confirm food contribution to Di.



## Fitness and Pilates



At Yarramalong Hall – 8am on Mondays and Wednesdays

All welcome - \$10 fee – Contact Dorothy on 4356 1195

## New numbers for safety's sake

Two weeks ago there was a medical emergency in the Valley when a man collapsed. It took the ambulance nearly 50 minutes to find the correct address as so many people have not yet removed the old RMB numbers from their letter boxes and some of the new numbers duplicate old ones at different ends of the Valley.

For your and your family's safety, please remove the old numbers and place the new numbers on your letter boxes or gate entrances if no boxes. Who knows when you might need the Fire Brigade, Ambulance or Police in an emergency.



### Dates for Your Diary

December 2<sup>nd</sup> Yarramalong Christmas Markets

December 3<sup>rd</sup> Craft Group Breakup