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Our Thoughts

We are continuing to travel through a particularly dry period and as a result the ground is drying out more and more every day.

With the few frosts that we had in June and July the combustible fuel load in our rural areas has grown and adds an element of fire danger this year.

This is most particular is we see further drying winds and some hot days.

Now is the time to do what you can to clean up around your place to reduce the risk of fire. Don't leave it until it is too late.

HAVE A LOOK AT THE MALENY AND DISTRICT PRECINCT LAND

Over the last few months we have heard all sorts of rumours about the Maleny and District Precinct Land.

Here is your opportunity to have a look first hand at the land in question, after all as a ratepayer you helped pay for it.

On Sunday 19th at 9.30a.m. and 12.30p.m. a free walk and guided tour over the land has been organised by the Caloundra City Council.

You do need to register however. You can do this by phone on 5420 8200. Once registered you will be asked to meet at the Maleny Show Grounds. From there you will be bussed to the Precinct Land in North Maleny.

Good walking shoes are essential as is a hat and possibly a water bottle.

Unique Opportunity to share passion for hinterland landmark

Residents with a passion for the natural environment have a unique opportunity to get involved with all the behind the scenes action at one of the City's premier nature reserves, with a call for volunteers at the Mary Cairncross Scenic Reserve.

Caloundra City Mayor Don Aldous said the Reserve is currently on a recruiting drive to attract more volunteers following a host of upgrades to the site over the past twelve months.

"Mary Cairncross Reserve is without a doubt one of the City's premier nature reserves as well as a major focus for the local community, and we are looking for some passionate, committed local residents to help ensure it retains its reputation as a pristine learning environment.," Cr Aldous said.

Cr Aldous said the recent up-

Learn about local pioneers at Museum

Most of the research undertaken at Landsborough Museum is regarding the history of Caloundra and particularly, the background and family history of our local pioneers.

This time consuming work is an ongoing project and this week this work in progress will be celebrated during National Family History Week, from August 4-12, with interviews of some of our pioneer's descendants.

The great granddaughter of Robert Bulcock MLA, Lyn Fairlie of Maleny, is giving the museum a lot of valuable details about her

grades to the Reserve have sparked a renewed flurry of interest, with new interpretive signage, eco-friendly toilets and improved user-friendly track surfacing.

Divisional Councillor Dick Newman said volunteers form the backbone of what has become a very dedicated support network.

Volunteers are involved in a host of activities, from guiding interpretive walks, staffing the Visitor Information Centre, planting and working bees.

There are presently approximately 60 volunteers involved with the reserve but more are needed to keep pace with its growing popularity.

If you wish to share your passion for Mary Cairncross reserve with others then you can get more information on the Mary Cairncross Scenic Reserve on 54999907.

grandfather, including the fact that he was the member for Enoggera Legislative Assembly.

His son, also named Robert, was a Landsborough Shire councillor and has Bulcock Road in Caloundra shopping district and Bulcock Beach named after him.

In coming weeks we will be talking with Alan King, whose ancestors had Kings Beach named after him.

For more information visit Landsborough Museum, open daily (except Wednesdays) between 9am and 3pm

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Truthful Jones Tells...



us that when he went to church last week the Priest told the following tale in his sermon;

When everybody on earth was dead and waiting to enter Paradise, God appeared and said, "I want the men to make two lines. One line for the men who were true head's of their household, and the other line for the men who were dominated by their women. I want all the women to report to St. Peter."

Soon, the women were gone and there were two lines of men. The line of the men who were dominated by their wives was a million miles long, and in the line of men who truly were heads of their household, there was only one man.

God said, "You men should be ashamed of yourselves. I created you to be the head of your household! You have been disobedient and not fulfilled your purpose! Of all of you, only one has obeyed. Learn from him!

God turned to the one man, "How did you manage to be the only one in this line?"

The man replied, "I don't know. My wife told me to stand here."

There must be a moral to this sermon somewhere, but I am not sure what it is.

This week's Saying

Never miss a good chance to shut your trapThink about it

This weeks Special

from

Maleny Paint Place

**10 lts Decking Oil
by Wattyl**

10 lts - \$99.00

Another paint hint from Maleny Paint Place

What clear can I use on my exterior decking?

Scenario: A 12-month-old timber decking that has never been coated and has gone slightly grey from weathering. It is in full sunlight for the majority of the day. It is made from Jarrah and the customer wants to enhance the natural look of the timber.

Answer

The decking will need to be treated with a wood cleaner to be able to remove the weathered timber and built up dirt. The timber must be allowed plenty of time to dry before coating.

The best clear coating for a decking is a penetrating oil specifically designed for decking that is absorbed by the timber. The coating will last slightly longer if a decking stain is used rather than just a clear, due to the fact that the stains contain dyes/pigments that protect from the UV rays a little better than a clear.

Two coats should be used for extra protection. No clear coating or stain is considered a long lasting system for exterior conditions, so the customer has to be prepared to maintain and recoat the area every couple of years or so.

For more information click here:

Paint Place, Maleny



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Click on the word Paint on the right hand side of page.

Daybro Lions go to the dogs..

Dayboro Lions members have again come together to stage this most spectacular event, the K9 Dog Day.

Once again on Sunday 19th August the Dayboro Showground will come alive with fun for everyone and races all day, so come along and enter your pet in one of the many events. This is a fun day where you will be able to enter your pet in any of the many classes. Admission is Adults \$3, Children/concession \$2 and children under 5yrs free.

Our major sponsor for the event again this year is The Old Mill Veterinary Clinic situated on Mt Mee Road Dayboro.

The event is in support of the great work done by the R.S.P.C.A. Funds will also be directed to the Laurel Sellin Fund.

The day kicks off at 8-30am and runs through until 3-30 pm. The program of events will start with the novelty races such as Obstacle, Treasure Hunt & Mug Races.

We will once again have in attendance the R.S.P.C.A, Guide Dogs Queensland, Hearing Dogs, The Dog Whisperer, and many other attractions.

Delicious food and drinks including our famous Hot Roast Beef Rolls and Hot Dogs will be there, but feel free to bring a picnic when you come to enjoy a GREAT DAY OUT in Dayboro.

No dog! No problem, then be a spectator and you may even give a dog a home from the R.S.P.C.A. stall.

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the internet at the time)**

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Don't get bitten by internet fraud

Every now and again we hear in the media about internet fraud bringing pain to people who cannot afford to lose their meagre savings.

In spite of the many warnings that we get people still continue to get caught. Of recent days there has been another round of emails circulating around the Sunshine Coast purporting to be from the Commonwealth Savings Bank asking people to supply details of their bank accounts through email contacts.

There are a few simple rules that, if followed every time lessens the chances of any attacks on your bank accounts. If followed internet banking is as safe as any other way of banking and is very convenient.

Phishing of email addresses has become a very lucrative way of obtaining personal banking details. It is extremely important to remember that Australian Banks NEVER ask its customers to verify their account details by email. Don't be fooled that an email may appear to come from an official looking web site or professional looking email message.

Don't be fooled into believing that money from a previously unexpected source is going to be paid into your account so don't supply the email sender with your account details by email.

Whenever you are going to use internet banking always type the web site into the address bar of the internet browser yourself, do not follow links received in an email. These links can be re-directed to an unofficial site thus your details are also re-directed.

Banks provide passwords for you to use with your accounts. It is always a good idea to change these passwords on a regular basis, and generally it is very easy to do. Usually on the same page that you are doing your internet banking there is the option to change your password. By regular changing of your password difficulty is created in accessing your account. When selecting a new password do not pick on obvious ones such as birthdays etc. Pick one that may be easy for you but not easily connected to you by other people.

By keeping your anti virus and spy-ware software up to date you can limit access indirectly to your computer. Whilst it may cost a few dollars to purchase good anti-virus and spy-ware software it can also save you a lot of heartbreak. Once this software is installed it is important to keep it updated as new viruses and spy-ware are being distributed all of the time.

Should you receive a suspicious email, don't open it and don't open any attachments attached to it.

Attachments can contain viruses and spy-ware and when open can take control of your computer.

Personal computers keep track of all keystrokes that are used on them so be very careful when using public computers, such as at libraries and internet cafes. It is always best to restrict any internet banking transactions on these computers.

If it is imperative that you do use a public computer to conduct internet banking transactions then don't leave the banking site logged in when you leave the computer and don't leave the computer unattended when you are logged in, even if you intend to return to continue on that site.

If you suspect any communications that you believe that you are having with your bank then check with your bank yourself. Don't just ring a number that is given to you by the caller. Obtain the name and location of the person and look up the phone number yourself. By this method you can be certain that you are speaking to the person to whom you believe that you are speaking.

Remember, if something sounds too good to be true it certainly won't be true. There is no fairy godmother out there so don't be fooled.

*Need Help buying
a car?*

*New or second hand
Get the best price and advice
from Dan and Sandra at*

SunCoast Auto Brokers

Phone 1300 365 352

*This week's Saying
Only the good die young...
.....Think about it*

Mum's favourite Recipes

Cheese Biscuits

- usually double recipe they disappear so fast!



Ingredients

Equal quantities of-

* grated sharp cheddar cheese - * margarine - * sifted flour -
* Seasoning - * salt - * pepper - * tobasco - * worcester sauce

Directions

Cream margarine and cheese. Add seasoning to taste. Add flour. Press out with biscuit press and bake in 210-220 degree oven until brown.

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Jobs from Hinterland Employment Services

Do you have a job vacancy that you want filled?

or

Do you want a job?

Here is the answer to both questions;

Email: employment@hinterland.biz

PH: 54999850

Local Restaurant continues winning streak

When Pauline and Craig Mitchell left the Terraces Restaurant at Cairnscross Corner many thought that it would never be the same.

Congratulations to Jade and Nigel Gutteridge for taking out another award at the recent Sunshine Coast Business Awards. Just shows what a diverse talent we have in Maleny.

An insight into Maleny History

Maleny Historian - Harvey Bryce
Teachers and horsing around...



About 100 years ago many stories originated about horses, buggies, etc.

Here are a few:-

Three young boys were kicked out of a church for playing up and when left outside to wait for their dad to kick their bums when they got home, they decided they might as well make the belting worthwhile.

So, they unhitched the parson's horse from the sulky and pushed the shaft through the church's picket fence. Then they took old dolly, the horse, around the other side and hitched her up to the shafts again on the other side. I think Dolly was just as surprised as the parson.

One schoolteacher who rode his horse to school each day, always wore leggings over his trousers to keep them clean. He used to leave them on his saddle each day

and put them on to ride home.

He never could work out why the horse was often wearing the leggings on his front legs after school.

A horse owner had fallen on bad times and couldn't afford to feed his horse properly, so he started to reduce his feed each day until he had the horse living on nothing most successfully.

The horse died. (Would I Lie!)?

Visit the Maleny Historical Village web site at www.hinterlandgrapevine.com (Community Groups & Follow prompts)

Click here to go to our "Events Guide" (Must be connected to the internet at the time)

I thought I had a dream!

With the push for local government amalgamation there will be a deal done to exclude the Noosa Council from the Sunshine Coast Super Council.

Included in the Noosa Council will be a proposal to have the hinterland area, excluding Nambour and Palmwoods included as part of the Noosa Council and there will be divisions to ensure local representation..

Remember! If this comes to pass then remember where you heard it first.

If it doesn't come to pass then remember that it was just a dream....

Support your local Businesses

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Glasshouse Country Printing	-	5494 6011
Hinterland Employment Service		5499 9850
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Maleny Cheese Factory	-	5494 2207
Maleny Print & Copy Centre	-	5494 2888
Maleny Paint Place	-	5494 2002
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Local Businesses offer support and services to you and your business. They also provide local employment. Why not support them.

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