

Time for another Newsletter informing readers of what's happening around the district!

It's certainly been a cold winter but it was great to have some much needed rain, hopefully in time for the crops.



We should see wattles flowering soon and native orchid leaves and flowers.

Liz Hopkins



Helpers at the plantout on Saturday July 26

Laharum Landcare-Wartook Vegetable swap

SPRING 2025 First Sunday of the month at 10am



September 7
Proo & Will Pyke
445 Smiths Rd, Laharum
October 5
Wendy McInnes
2155 Northern Gramps Rd,
Wartook
November 2
Judy & Barry Berendsen
1266 Staehrs Rd, Laharum

For further information contact
Wendy on 0428 840662



'HEART HEALTH' WORLD FIRST IN HORSHAM!



Join the Rotary Club of Horsham East on
Wednesday August 20 to hear firsthand about a
pioneering heart failure research project being
conducted at Lister House, Horsham. Arrival time is
6pm for 6.30-8.30pm at Horsham Golf Club.



Professor Simon Stewart is a health
researcher from the University of Notre
Dame Australia who has dedicated his
career to better understanding and
responding to the needs of people most
affected by poor heart health.

He will discuss the project and how it might
improve your health or your family. The cost of the
dinner (main meal) and presentation is \$50.

All proceeds will be donated to purchase extra
AI-based equipment to more rapidly determine the
heart health and needs of people living in the
Wimmera.

Tickets can be purchased (cash only) at
Horsham Plaza Centre Management or by credit card
from Robyn Lardner 0400 769900.



Borough Huts Fire Recovery work

2025

28TH WIMMERA BIODIVERSITY SEMINAR

'Creatures of the night'

28th Wimmera Biodiversity Seminar 2025

REGISTER HERE!

WHEN: From 12:30pm - 4th September

WHERE: Dimboola Golf Club,
Old Racecourse Rd, Dimboola VIC

TICKETS FROM \$65 **FOLLOW US!**
Fieldtrip Included! @wimmerabiodiversity

Local Vocals

Laharum Hall

Leader - Merryyn Eagle



Thursday August 7, 7.30pm

Tune up your voice and come and join us for a
happy and relaxing singing evening

*"Singing is not just about hitting the notes,
it's about touching souls!" "It lifts your spirits!"*

Enjoy the friendship - it's lots of fun!

If you haven't been before, come and give it a try!

We love to have new members

Minimal charge

Singing ability definitely not necessary

Gariwerd Artists

Meeting dates at Laharum Hall, 10am-3pm on
**Saturday August 16, Friday September 5,
Saturday September 20 & Friday October 3.**

Tea & coffee supplied – BYO lunch.

All welcome. Please bring a project you're working on
or start something new!

Gill Venn 0408 837530

Laharum Football Netball Club



Sunday August 3 was a landmark day for our club and region, as the first-ever Grand Final for the newly formed



Female Football League was held. It was a beautiful sunny day, and the event was well-supported by a large, enthusiastic crowd.

Our Under 14.5 Girls team took on the undefeated Horsham side and gave it everything, narrowly going down by just 9 points. Georgia Foster kicked both of our goals. To have reached the Grand Final is a phenomenal achievement - especially given that at the beginning of the season we had just two players. It is a testament to the resilience, growth, and commitment of the girls, their coaches, and the support staff.

The Women's Grand Final was just as significant. Having gone through the season undefeated, our senior women's team faced a strong and vocal Minyip Murtoa side. Despite a determined effort, we went down by 11 points. Olivia Lenehan and Rylee Hateley kicked our two goals. Minyip Murtoa managed to disrupt our fast running game, and although we couldn't find our rhythm, we're incredibly proud of the team's efforts and growth. See photos page 12.

Laharum FNC is beyond proud of both female teams. Reaching Grand Finals in the first year of this new league highlights the massive undertaking by our club to establish and support these teams in the higher Wimmera League. As Coach Rocket Hogan described, *"Launching the team was like building an aeroplane while it's running down the tarmac - and it still doesn't have seatbelts."* We're thrilled that Rocket has committed to another season, and we hope to see all our girls and women return stronger in 2026. Our club is richer and stronger because of their involvement.

As we approach the business end of the regular season, we're proud to share that Laharum FNC will host a home 1st Elimination Final on **Sunday August 31**. This will also include a junior carnival - a great opportunity to showcase our club, our players and our facilities.

With two rounds remaining, we currently have four football teams and five netball teams sitting inside the top five on their respective ladders. We're optimistic about a strong finals campaign and hope to see plenty of red and blue support on the sidelines.

A huge shout out goes to Chase Whelan, who has just returned from representing Victoria in the U15 Boys Australian School Sports Championships. Chase captained the team, was named tournament 'Most Valuable Player', top goal kicker, selected in the All-Australian team, and - just to top it off - led his team to win the national title! Chase, you've made your home club proud! The name 'Laharum' is well

and truly on the national map thanks to your efforts. We can't wait to welcome you back.

There's been plenty happening behind the scenes too:

- Our Gold Bullion Raffle has been drawn - thank you to everyone who supported it.
- The Goods and Services Auction was a great success with strong community backing.
- Laharum FNC has officially joined the CoRE Alliance, showing our commitment to a safe, equal, and respectful community for all.

Pat Lattanzio was again crowned LFNC's Speediest Demon, promoting the TAC road safety message: "Be a Speed Demon on the Field and not on the road".

We're excited to announce several recent funding successes:

- \$20,000 from Murra Warra to support oval lighting upgrades.
- \$3,500 from HRCC for new seating around the junior oval.
- \$2,000 from HSCC for relocating the junior oval.
- \$2,000 in sporting equipment from the Australian Sports Foundation for our junior teams.

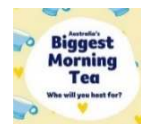
We are incredibly grateful for these contributions, which continue to help us grow, improve facilities, and create a safe, inclusive and thriving environment for all members.

Here's to a strong finish to an amazing 2025 season and an even brighter future ahead for the Red and the Blue!

Rowena Doyle, Secretary

Thank you

Grampians Health Horsham and Wimmera Cancer Centre acknowledged and thanked our community for the donation of \$700 which was raised at Laharum's Biggest Morning Tea on May 22.



"Funds raised help us to provide our growing community with accessible and comprehensive health care. Your generosity enables us to purchase equipment, build facilities and provide programs for staff development and patient care".

Grampians Health also assured us that our donation would stay within Horsham to support and grow their services locally.

Received from Site Director & Director of Nursing Horsham, Maree Markby

NURSE ON CALL
1300 606 024

Grampians National Park



Fire Recovery – Staged Reopening -

Throughout the summer of 2024-25 the central, southern and western areas of Grampians (Gariwerd) National Park were impacted by multiple bushfires. Since then, Parks Victoria have implemented a staged re-opening plan and many popular visitor areas have now re-opened in the northern, Wonderland & southern areas of the park.

By Easter 2025 (only three months post-fire), additional visitor sites were re-opened, including three campgrounds and multiple popular walks in the Silverband and Wonderland areas: part of the northern and southern routes of the GPT and five designated climbing areas.

At the start of the July school holidays, local park staff re-opened popular campgrounds including Borough Huts and walks including the Tunnel walk (near Pomonal), Mount Rosea walk (south of Wonderland Range), the central section of Grampians Peaks Trail (from Halls Gap to Borough Huts campground) and also access to the southern section of the Grampians Peaks Trail from Griffin Trail-head towards Dunkeld.

A number of unsealed public roads in the Victoria Valley were scheduled to re-open mid-July, after Fire DEECA and Parks Victoria completed recovery stabilisation road works. However, heavy rain impacted these newly repaired roads and some remain closed until road surfaces begin to dry out. Some unsealed roads throughout the National Park may require longer term closures due to washouts and damaged culverts. An updated list of public roads and their status can be found on the Parks Victoria website.

Parks Victoria is now in the process of confirming further recovery funding and insurance processes for the longer-term recovery effort. The focus of these will be to ensure the staged re-opening continues and priority visitor sites are re-opened to the public as soon as it is safe and practical to do so. For up-to-date staged reopening information please visit the link below.

<https://www.parks.vic.gov.au/projects/western-victoria/grampians-gariwerd-national-park-fire-recovery>

Bushbank Program - Parks Victoria has recently completed a series of plant-outs within Grampians-Gariwerd National Park as part of 'Healing Gariwerd Country through Bushland Restoration Project' funded by The Bushbank Program.

The project delivered revegetation works in areas impacted by previous land use or where recent intensive Sallow Wattle control works have taken place. In these sites, suitable local species were chosen to outcompete regrowth of the invasive Sallow Wattle and to increase the floristic and habitat value of the area. Key planting sites in the northern area of the park include Roses Gap, Golton Creek,

off Pohlner Road and in the Stapylton area, including the end of Millars Road. Other sites include the Brambuk area of Halls Gap and Mt Christabel in the southern Grampians.

The Bushbank Program is focussed on revegetating land to reduce carbon emissions and create habitat for some of Victoria's most iconic species.

For more information contact Brambuk. The National Park and Cultural Centre is located 2km south of Halls Gap and is open 7 days a week (except Christmas Day) from 9am-4pm or phone 8427 2058.

Charlie Richardson, Area Chief Ranger Grampians (Gariwerd)/Western Region

Wonwondah Landcare Group



Wonwondah Landcare Group has now fulfilled all of its office bearers, to continue on with the works we have identified in the coming year.

Some members have obtained grants and the group will undertake its normal activities of rabbit ripping and snail baiting in sites which have been identified.

The snails and slugs have been a minimal problem for the landholders so far this year.

Our next meeting will not be held until late October.

Chris Guest

Wonwondah Community

We will have our Wonwondah Fleece and Flower show on **Sunday October 19**. Afternoon tea and guest speaker after 3pm.

For entry enquiries or to get a copy of the schedule, please contact me on 0438 304948.

All entries must be at the hall prior to 11am on the day. Fleeces must be delivered the day prior or collection can be arranged.

Fleece queries to Andrew Bell or Leigh McGennissen.

Wonwondah Hall Christmas Tree & Santa is on **Saturday December 13**.

More details will be in the next newsletter or you can contact me.

Sue Ahern

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Horsham Rural City Council



Council Seeks Community Feedback on Draft Road Management Plan - Horsham

Rural City Council is inviting the community to have their say on its updated Road Management Plan; a key document that outlines how Council maintains and manages its extensive road network across both urban and rural areas. The Plan defines Council's responsibilities, along with those of landowners and utility providers, and outlines specific maintenance standards and response times for road and footpath maintenance - ensuring safety, consistency and accountability. Written submissions are open until **Wednesday September 17** and community members can provide feedback by completing the [online feedback form](#).

'Freestyle Kings Live' coming to Horsham as part of a world tour. Freestyle Kings Live, the ultimate action-sports theatrical spectacular, is set to ignite Horsham's City Oval on **Saturday February 14, 2026** as part of its explosive 6-country, 50-show World Tour. This family-friendly event brings together the world's elite riders in Freestyle Motocross (FMX) and BMX.

Headlining the tour is the modern-day Evel Knievel himself, Robbie Maddison, alongside his two sons - 14 year old Kruz and 11 year old Jagger - proving that while Robbie is the face of Freestyle Kings, his sons represent its exciting future. Tickets go on sale on **Thursday August 28** through Ticketek.

Seniors Festival - just around the corner in October comes one of the most joyful celebrations on our local calendar - the 2025 Horsham Seniors Festival. I'm proud to share that Horsham Rural City Council is once again partnering with local community groups to bring this month-long festival to life. It's a time to recognise and celebrate the contribution of older residents in our region, and there'll be plenty of opportunities to connect, participate and enjoy.

One of the standout events will be the free Seniors Concert on **Monday October 20** at Horsham Lutheran Church Hall, featuring the Everly Brothers & Buddy Holly Tribute Show. It's going to be a toe-tapping journey through the golden age of rock 'n' roll with timeless classics like 'Bye Bye Love' and 'That'll Be the Day'. I know this will be a fun and nostalgic afternoon that many of you won't want to miss!

We're also encouraging local groups to get involved and host their own events. If your group would like to take part, Council has a small fund available to help cover costs like venue hire or catering. Expressions of Interest close **Friday August 29**, so now is the time to get planning!

What's on at the library this August? There's a lot happening at Wimmera Libraries this August with events and activities for all ages and interests - from little ones through to seniors. Whether you're a

regular visitor or haven't been in a while, now's a great time to pop in and see what's on.

We're also inviting the community to help shape the future of our library services by taking part in the Library Services Survey, open until **Monday August 25**. It's open to everyone.

Your feedback will help ensure our libraries remain welcoming, inclusive and useful spaces for everyone. You can have your say via Council's Engage Horsham page.

<https://www.hrcc.vic.gov.au/Our-Council/News-and-Media/Latest-News/Whats-on-at-the-library-August>

Karen Turner, Acting Coordinator Community Relations & Advocacy

Laharum Hall Committee



Laharum Hall has been successful in achieving two grants recently.

We would like to thank Horsham Sports & Community Club for their continued support.

We have been successful also in achieving a Horsham Rural City Council (HRCC) community grant. Over many years we have benefited from their grants to purchase items at the hall which benefit all hall users.

We have also been successful in achieving a Community Event grant from HRCC to support a Festival of Small Halls event in March 2026. This grant will bring world class acts to Laharum Hall to perform for our community.

I would like to thank the Hall Committee members who have assisted in working bees lately.

Judy Berendsen, Secretary/Treasurer

Yoga at Laharum Hall



Yoga will resume again in October. Please contact me on 5383 6265 if you're interested in attending for the first time.

Judy Berendsen



Batteries

Used vehicle batteries can be left at Pam & Des Geue's property at 1922 Northern Grampians Road.

Spare pallets can be left behind the shed. They are useful for storing the batteries. Batteries help raise funds for Laharum Hall.

Laharum Landcare Group



Laharum Landcare hosted a plantout on Saturday July 26 along the creek line behind Laharum Oval. A big thank you to the brave souls who helped put >1,000 plants in the ground on that wet and chilly day. We really appreciated it! See photo front page.

We've started looking into some of the nest boxes in the area with our nest box camera. Although many of the 14 boxes examined so far were empty, we did find a possum in one, an Australian Owlet-nightjar in another and evidence of use in two others with eucalyptus leaves and bird feathers in the nest. See photo page 11.

Join us on **Sunday August 17**, 11am at Laharum Hall for close encounters with live animals such as sugar gliders and blue-tongue lizards. We're excited to host Fair Dinkum Fauna (www.fairdinkumfauna.com.au) who will talk about the wildlife around us which rely on tree hollows and corridors. Stick around for lunch at the Hall, followed by a workshop in the afternoon to assemble nest boxes at Bruce McInnes'. You're welcome to join for one or all activities. Please RSVP for catering purposes.

We're also organising a birding 'walk 'n talk' on a few Laharum Landcare Group members' properties for later in August or September - details coming soon.

If you're interested in training for the use of farm chemicals (ACUP) and 1080/PAPP endorsement – for weed and pest animal control – Project Platypus is offering a 50% subsidy on the cost of these courses, to people who attended their 'Partnerships Against Pests' workshops and demonstration days held in Pomonal, Minyip and Laharum and for other Landcare members.

Course dates are –

Thursday/Friday August 28-29 in Horsham,
Monday/Tuesday September 29-30 in Stawell, and
Monday/Tuesday November 24-25 in Halls Gap.

Please contact me if you'd like to register or learn more.

Our next meeting is on **Tuesday August 12**, 6pm at Laharum Hall.

Julie Groce, Secretary 0431 882164
laharumlandcare@gmail.com

Weed Control –

Gazanias can be spot-sprayed while actively growing. Sallow Wattle can be pulled or cut above roots in damp soil.

St John's Wort can be sprayed in spring.

Leave Stinkwort until it's starting to flower in summer.

Gil Hopkins

North West Grampians Branch of Green Park Lions Club



Rain, glorious rain - almost 50mm of rain has fallen in our region and heaps more in the Grampians.

Our members have only one more football gate to 'man' on **Saturday August 9**. The season has gone very quickly.

Next meeting will be held at Laharum Hall Supper Room on **Tuesday August 19** at 6.30pm for 7pm start. A special roast lamb and trimmings will be enjoyed.

Our fundraising event featuring the Bushwackers Concert was very successful. Thank you for the donations received for the door prizes, RSL for meals for the Bushwackers, Horsham Town House for accommodation, HRCC for making the concert possible, Green Park Lions Club for their support, Andrew & Mal for their organising and securing grants.

Your support was appreciated and as a result, \$1,600 will be forwarded onto Rural Outreach Program.

Libby Peucker 5382 5221

Laharum Cricket Club



Ah, not long to wait now!

Cricket season is only a couple of months away and we are all looking forward to the coming season.

We have a great bunch of energetic youngsters in the club, mixed with a bit of experience, success/silverware can't be too far away!

We plan to again nominate A and C Grade teams for the coming 2025/26 Horsham Cricket Club season.

If numbers and interest permits, we would also love to relaunch our junior grades as well.

We will host a pop-up blasters session for the youngsters in the New Year - this program was really popular earlier this year.

Our AGM was held on August 3. There will be more information to come in the next edition of the newsletter, or keep an eye on Laharum Cricket Club Facebook page for more information.

As always, if you are interested in a game of cricket, please reach out, new players are always welcome.

Ben Peucker

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Horsham Rural City Council Landcare



Recent events - For the July school holidays, 20 young nature lovers enjoyed a Youth Nature Crew incursion from Fair Dinkum Fauna and learnt about wildlife corridors and sugar gliders. Very cute! Register your interest for future Youth Nature Crew activities (ages 10-18): <https://forms.office.com/r/4zx4jZx21c>

Horsham District Landcare Network (HDLN) hosted a successful community planting weekend on private property in the Arapiles area on **Saturday/Sunday July 19-20**. Twenty volunteers helped plant 2,400 native trees and shrubs to improve biodiversity and create native habitat. A wonderful collective effort!

HDLN also partnered with Zoos Victoria to host two school groups planting 500 Creeping Boobialla to provide habitat for the endangered Golden-rayed Blue Butterfly at Grass Flat later that week. We will continue to plant with schools through August and will likely have another community plant-out near Horsham in August too.

Upcoming Events - The Wimmera Biodiversity Seminar is occurring on **Thursday September 4** at Dimboola Golf Club from 12:30pm and this year's theme is 'Creatures of the Night'. Subsidised tickets available for Landcare volunteers/First Nations community – these are limited so get in quick! See poster on page 2.

Tickets are on sale at:

<https://events.humanitix.com/2025-wimmera-biodiversity-seminar-creatures-of-the-night>

On **Saturday October 4** (afternoon/evening), HDLN will be hosting a frog identification, ecology and monitoring workshop with passionate frog expert David De Angelis. This will be a mix of classroom and field-based learning with the aim to train volunteers to go out and collect citizen science data on frog populations in the Horsham district. Register your interest at <https://forms.office.com/r/dUmcF6Kw2r>

Check out Laharum Landcare and Wonwondah Landcare to get involved with their local groups. Laharum Landcare Group is hosting several great events in the coming months including Fair Dinkum Fauna on **Sunday August 17** and their monthly produce swaps too.

Do you need help with environmental restoration work? Woodcroft College will be back in October and November for their annual Year 9 camp in Wartook, and they're keen to get involved in environmental restoration activities. If you're a landholder with suitable tasks for a small group of students, please get in touch. I'm currently putting together a list of host sites.

Horsham District Landcare Network is now able to receive tax-deductible donations through the Landcare Victoria donation facility. If you would like to support our work, you can make a tax-deductible donation through the Landcare Victoria website.

Make sure you put 'Horsham District Landcare Network' under group name. Your donation will support biodiversity conservation and sustainable agriculture in the Horsham district. Visit <https://www.hdln.org.au/> for more information and follow us on

<https://www.instagram.com/horshamdistrictlandcare/> and

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61561150481872>

Jen Gao, Landcare Facilitator 0407 914498
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Brimpaen Craft Group



Tuesday September 2, 10am-2pm at
Brimpaen Hall. BYO craft.

Tuesday November 4, 10am-4pm –
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Road, Wartook.

Loretta Emerson



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Laharum Rural CFA



Finally we've seen some welcomed rain over the area these last few weeks, and no doubt has put some smiles on a few faces. Hopefully follow up rains will

continue for crops and pastures to grow and we get some water run off to fill water storages. Depending on what weather site you follow, some are saying it could be a wettish spring, but as we all know, things could change!

Early June I attended a meeting where we were presented with some statistics around our rainfall situation. At that time, we were on par with the winter of 1982.

Obviously depending on our spring rainfall, we have ourselves a similar situation from 1982 leading into the upcoming bush fire season. That rainfall deficit then led to the 1983 Ash Wednesday fires that burnt massive areas of Victoria and many lives were lost. Definitely hoping this doesn't occur, but residents need to be aware of this and not to be complacent with their fire prevention works on properties. If you haven't already started planning & preparing, I suggest you make a start and act on it.

Emergency Services Volunteer Fund - With the Victorian State Government voting in this new fund, CFA members are eligible for rebates. Every member has a 'volunteer number'. From what I know, every member who owns property and wants to claim the rebate, will have to sign-in using their CFA members' number on the 'CFA members online' site.

I know probably 70% of members across the area have never used the CFA members online or even know their membership number. My suggestion is to go into the CFA office in Horsham (McLachlan Street opposite the RSL) and ask for your membership number and assistance in getting the 3-pronged log-in sorted for you.

Please note, the CFA staff in the office aren't there to help fill in your rebate, just getting you organised to get to the rebate form filled in. Depending on how your rate notices are set up, one or possibly three or more people in your family could be eligible for the rebate. Please visit the relevant websites for more information.

Who knows how the Victorian Government will handle this topic next year. One of the conditions to be eligible is that you have to be a CFA member for 12 months. If you're not a member and would like to be eligible for the rebate, I recommend that you join sooner rather than later. Your community would greatly appreciate you joining the CFA and completing the General Fire Fighter Course so you are trained up to be an operational member. Visit the main CFA website to register.

Ultra-Light Tanker - Laharum Brigade is still accepting donations towards the new Ultra-Light Tanker. Again, thanks to everyone who has already

donated. I haven't had any more information on this but it's still planned to arrive in December this year.

New Radios - In recent weeks, all tankers have received new 'fire radios' installed. All group officers, captains and some lieutenants also had their radios updated. The new radios have similar functions to the old ones. We'll be holding refresher training on them in the near future.

Training - Many members will start getting training notifications about either their 'entrapment drill', and potentially their 'tree hazard awareness' is nearing expiry. We will be running sessions in the near future for these to be renewed. It's highly encouraged that every member attends these refresher sessions.

Please remember if you have some spare time, feel free to take either of the tankers for a run, even if you aren't on the rostered week. Keep familiarising yourself with what's in the lockers and giving the pump a run with the water recirculating between the tank and pump and back into the tank.

If you have any enquiries for the fire brigade, please call me on 0428 838242.

Luke Dumesny, Captain

Library Collection Lockers & Returns Bin at Laharum Hall

For those wanting Wimmera Library items delivered to Laharum Lockers located at Laharum Hall or wanting to return items via the Laharum Returns Bin, Wimmera Libraries will be picking up returned items and dropping off held items fortnightly on Thursdays.

How to get items delivered to Laharum Lockers? When placing a 'hold', choose Laharum as your pick up location. Once items are placed in a locker, you will be emailed access details or you can ring Wimmera Libraries on 5382 5707 to organise/change your 'holds' to be delivered to Laharum on your behalf.

Wimmera Library Headquarters



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Immediately report any problems to the Captain.

Captains are: Laharum - Luke Dumesny 0428 838242; Brimpaen – Gerard Matthews 0419 542569.

Truck radio will be on Vicfire Channel 517 for emergency callout (UHF Channel 10 for Grampians Group)

Call Grampians Remote 275# before taking the truck on a run. When returning change back to 517#

LAHARUM

Your rostered week as paged/SMS'd may be earlier than printed in the newsletter

	Tanker 1		Tanker 2	
Week	Name	Name	Name	Name
04/08/2025	Gary Staehr	Rob Staehr	Maurice Dumesny	Glenn Steadman
11/08/2025	Steve Suter	Nigel Hallam	Luke Dumesny	Leigh Mibus
18/08/2025	Gil Hopkins	Eh Doh Jah	Nathan Metcalf	Jenny Uebergang
25/08/2025	Jim Carter	Nathan Metcalf	Mark Uebergang	Glenn Steadman
01/09/2025	Bruce McInnes	David Wegman	Maurice Dumesny	David Pratt
08/09/2025	Francoise van der Plank	Jenny Gaulke	Luke Dumesny	David Wegman
15/09/2025	Jack Shields	Adam Shields	Bruce McInnes	Jenny Gaulke
22/09/25	Rob Jess	Daniel Doherty	Francoise van der Plank	Adam Shields
29/09/2025	Brendan Dunn	Peter Dunn	Jack Shields	Daniel Doherty
06/10/2025	Paul van der Plank	Stuart Combe	Rob Jess	Peter Dunn

BRIMPAEN

	Tanker 1 Driver	Tanker 1 Support	Tanker 3 Driver	Tanker 3 Support	Tanker 2 Glenisla Driver	Tanker 2 Glenisla Support
Week	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name	Name
04/08/2025	Luke Dunn & Josh Dunn	Rod Miller	Des Roberts	Christine Roberts	Matt Barber	Jo Barber
11/08/2025	Steve Jager	Ben Starick	Courtney Dunn	Shannon Arnott	Ken French	Theresa & Hettie French
18/08/2025	Peter McGennissen	Rachel McGennissen	Andrew Bell	Hamish Bell	Rod Miller	Sue, Alana, Will & Harry Miller
25/08/2025	Cameron McDonald	David Schmidt	Gerard Matthews	Sarah Matthews	Luke Barber	Stephen Barber
01/09/2025	Andrew Chincarini	Kerryanne, Tristan, Hugo Chincarini	Jamie Parfett	Caroline Price	Matt Barber	Jo Barber
08/09/2025	Courtney Dunn	Shannon Arnott	Luke Dunn & Josh Dunn	Rod Miller	Ken French	Theresa & Hettie French
15/09/2025	Brenton Roberts	Amanda Roberts	Steve Jager	Ben Starick	Rod Miller	Sue, Alana, Will & Harry Miller
22/09/2025	Des Roberts	Christine Roberts	Peter McGennissen	Rachel McGennissen	Luke Barber	Stephen Barber
29/09/2025	Andrew Bell	Hamish Bell	Andrew Chincarini	Kerryanne, Tristan, Hugo Chincarini	Matt Barber	Jo Barber
06/10/2025	Gerard Matthews	Sarah Matthews	Cameron McDonald	David Schmidt	Ken French	Theresa & Hettie French

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Total Fire Bans – Fire Restrictions - Bushfire Planning – Major Fires

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An Australian Owlet-nightjar in one of Laharum Landcare's nest box



Julie, Ray, Norm & Susan choosing produce at Bruce's Veggie Swap on August 3



Volunteers after a successful planting during Saturday/Sunday July 19-20 at Arapiles



Laharum Girls Football team with their runner-up medals



Joint team photo of Laharum girls and women's football side taken after the Grand Final



Pat Lattanzio as 2025 Speed Demon Medal with President Hamish Roberts



Laharum Girls team supporting the banner run through the Women's side