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GARDENING IN JUNE

(From "New Idea")

(We regret that this was received too late for inclusion in the May issue.)

Every gardener should know about the 'birds and bees' because these tireless workers are in harmony with Mother Nature. Bees cross-pollinate the flowers, which become the fruit on the trees and shrubs and in the vegetable patch. Birds, besides being lovely to look at, can be thanked for gobbling many of the tiny creatures that might become pests in the garden.

To attract birds and bees to the garden, provide their favorite plants, such as Callistemons (bottle brush). Most Grevilleas attract birds, as do the long brushes or banksias. Also consider the correa's attractive small shrubs. Varieties that grow in the area are *c. pulchella*, *c. manni*, and *c. reflexa*. The flower colour can vary. Other plants to attract birds are *melaleuca hypericifolia*, *hakea laurina*, *anigozanthos flavidus* (Kangaroo Paw) and *Kunzea Baxteri*.

INDIGENOUS PLANTS are those that grow well in a particular area.

(Courtesy "Dianthora")

Plant or transplant any evergreen or deciduous shrub or tree, including roses.

Divide up perennials such as Ajuga, Snow-in-Summer, Michaelmas Daisy, and Agapanthus and plant where gaps occur in your beds, so that you can create a total ground cover to choke out weeds.

Prune all summer flowering shrubs such as Hydrangeas, Lavender, Abelia, Hebe, Rock Rose, May, Hypericum, Welgela, Kolkwitzia. Lift dahlias at the end of June and place under a hedge or in light shade.

Mulch with compost all garden beds to protect the roots of your plants from biting frost. Dig over the vegetable patch with added decomposed manure. Use fallen leaves and manure to prepare compost heaps.

(Courtesy Michael Bligh)

VILLAGE RAINFALL : APRIL 63mm -
251mm Progressive total for 1996

DATES TO KEEP IN MIND

June	5	Community bus, Playgroup 10-12
	10	Queen's Birthday holiday
	12	Playgroup
	13	CWA 10am
	14	Bushfire Meeting 7.30pm Truck Sheds
	17	Progress Meeting 7.30pm
	19	Community bus, Playgroup, <u>6pm deadline for July issue.</u>
	22	Tupperware Party at Hall 2pm
	24	Marulan Hall Show Meeting 7pm
	26	Playgroup

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CHURCH NEWS

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Pianists: Judith Dannelly
Margaret Symonds
Flute: Bianca Dannelly
Saxophone: Heath Dannelly
Percussion: All other children

CLEANING AND FLOWER ROSTER:

JUNE: Edwards family.

NEXT FORMAL SERVICE:

June 9: Holy Communion 5pm
Every other Sunday there is a family service at 5pm. Come and enjoy the singing and a cup of tea afterwards.
EVERYONE WELCOME!

On the FIFTH SUNDAY of this month, June 30th, there will be NO service at Bungonia. All are invited to the 9.00am worship at St. Nicholas' in Goulburn.

GROUP STUDY SESSIONS:

Wednesday nights at 7.30pm.
Supper! All welcome!

ST. STEPHEN'S UNITING CHURCH, MARULAN

CONTACT: Maureen Eddy 41.1648

A Ladies' Fellowship Meeting is held on the third Monday at 1pm. Contact Jill Farnworth 41.1849.

Kids' Club Friday afternoons 3.30pm

All welcome. Contact Dorothy Weeks 41.1650

ST. PATRICK'S, MARULAN

Priest: Father Brannelly 21.1022

MASS is celebrated each Sunday at 4pm.

ST. PATRICK'S, MARULAN, DISCUSSION GROUP (June 11, 10.15am, at the church.)

contact Megan Howard - 41 0295

COOKERY CORNER

QUICK, WARMING, EASY, YUMMY MICROWAVE CASSEROLE

Large can peeled tomatoes and juice 2 cans sliced mushrooms in juice
cup of cooked rice fat-free mince
frozen chopped onions salt to taste

Microwave slowly on medium heat until cooked to your satisfaction.

If you cook it very slowly, you can use a couple of tablespoons of uncooked rice.

CHICKEN CASSEROLE:

1 steamed chicken (already cooked), meat removed from bones.

4 oz finely chopped bacon

can of cream of mushroom soup (or can of mushrooms)

paprika

1/2 cup milk

1/2 cup cream

Stir all the above ingredients together

Top with fresh breadcrumbs and small pieces of butter.

Bake in moderate oven until light brown.

Our grateful thanks to those contributors who are able to get their material or advertisements in to us by the deadline, or even earlier! The newsletter goes to the printer on the Friday morning so therefore we can't include anything which arrives after the Wednesday deadline at 6pm.

BUNGONIA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

CONTACT and HALL HIRE: Moira McGinity Tel. 44 4266
NEXT MEETING: Monday, June 17, 7.30pm
BUNGONIA FAIR: This event has been cancelled for 1996 as there weren't enough volunteers to run it.
HALL: The toilets have been painted and look very clean and bright.
CEMETERY: Anyone with an hour to spare is invited to spend some time either cutting the grass or cleaning the grounds.
OTHER MATTERS OF INTEREST: Noeline Davidson is organising a Tupperware Party at the Hall on June 22, at 2pm. The Hostess gift is to be donated as a raffle prize so please come along and give Noeline plenty of support.

COUNTRY WOMENS' ASSOCIATION

CONTACTS: Secretary: Ruth Dole 44 7179
Publicity: Pat Young 44 7178

NEXT MEETING: Thursday, June 13, 10am, CWA Hall
RAFFLE WINNER: Ruth Dole
LAWN MOWING (if needed) and GIFT FOR RAFFLE: Pat Young

We are all very pleased to see our new side fence has been started at the CWA Hall. It was also very nice to see a new face at our last meeting. A warm welcome goes to Annette Davies and to anyone else who would like to join us, or just pop in for a cuppa.

BUNGONIA BUSHFIRE BRIGADE

The next Bushfire Brigade meetings, during our trial period, will be held on the SECOND FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH IN JUNE AND JULY, that is, on June 14 and July 12. We will have our meeting combined with the truck maintenance, starting at 7.30pm at the truck sheds (opposite the village tennis courts). It is hoped that a convivial atmosphere will be created around a drum fire or two.

Burning-off permits are not required during these winter months, provided that fires are not left unattended, but you must notify your neighbours to avoid any alarms being raised. Naturally fires in incinerators or within well-raked areas are preferred, but larger burn-offs are permitted, provided the proper precautions are taken.

Please keep those donations for our new shed rolling in. We wish to acknowledge those given previously. It has been very encouraging.

Thanks, Brian. Tel. 44.4343



MAKE YOUR OWN AIR FRESHENER: (*Readers' Digest Practical Problem Solver*)
1/4 cup dried sage, 1/2 cup crushed bay leaves, 1 cup witch hazel.
Mix well in a large jar. Cover and let it sit for 3 days. Strain out the herbs and pour liquid into a spray bottle.
