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## DATES TO KEEP IN MIND FOR MAY 2002

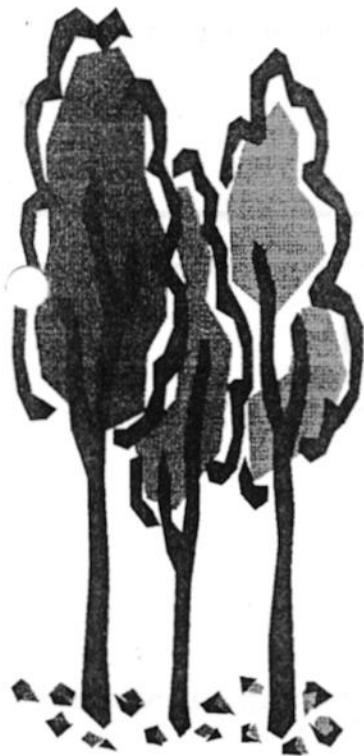
Park Trust - Friday 3rd May 7.30pm

CWA Meeting - Thursday 9th May 10am

Progress Association - Monday 13th May 7.30pm

Bush Fire Brigade - Friday 10th May 7.30pm

## THE TREE



*Some people touch a tree and find but wood to feed a fire:  
Yet, carpenters can feel a floor or sense a soaring spire.  
The sculpter looks upon its trunk and carvings fill the air,  
while others come and see the hearts which lovers whittled  
there. The farmer reaches for its fruit: the traveler seeks its  
shade; The boy can see a raft of logs on streams of flowing  
jade. The outdoorsman will think of crafts to blunt an  
ocean's rage; The pharmacist will see its roots, the  
publisher a page. The bird finds one beloved branch; but  
mothers see the beds wherein at nightfall they will tuck  
their precious heads. The artist grasps the golden flame  
that leaves of autumn toss, and some, whose souls are deep  
as time, can see a Savior's Cross.*

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### BUNGONIA TIMES DEADLINE: 12 noon Monday 20th May, 2002

Please ensure that all contributions are received by the above time and date. For late entries please contact Susie Byrne on 4844 7102 or email 'wolfcon@bigpond.com.au'.

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## BUNGONIA PARK TRUST

President: Diana Moran: 4844 4234

Secretary: Moira McGinity: 4844 4266

Treasurer: Paul Bayliss: 4844 4234

Monthly meetings at the Village Hall: 7.30pm Friday 3rd May, 2002

7.30pm Friday 7th June, 2002

The War Memorial Garden has been planted and all the rosemary plants benefited from the recent rain. Congratulations to Sherri and Paul on the birth of their baby daughter.

Next meeting will be at 7.30pm on Friday 3rd May, 2002 at the Village Hall.

## COUNTRY WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

President: Shirley Smith 4841 1976

Secretary: Ruth Dole 4844 7179

Treasurer & Publicity Officer: Colleen Cooper 4821 1856

**NEXT MEETING:** Thursday 9th May, 2002 at 10am

Our small group of Handicraft ladies produced some lovely work which was displayed at the Group Day held in Goulburn recently. Kath Hogg had her lovely Hand Knitted Pure Wool Vest chosen to go on to State Judging at Grennadah in early May. Congratulations Kath. Bungonia branch gained 620 points, the winning branch got 643 points.

Many thanks to our members and husbands for cutting our grass and keeping our property clean and tidy. April competition winner Shirley Smith. Next meeting will be on 9th May at 10am.

Colleen Cooper, Publicity Officer

# BUNGONIA BUSHFIRE BRIGADE

Emergency Numbers: 000 Andy Smith: 48215009 or Bungonia Base

**NEXT MEETING:** Friday 10th May, 2002 at 7.30pm in the Fire Shed

**Contacts:** President - Dennis Jenkins 4822 4241      Secretary - Cherie Jenkins 4822 4241  
                Captain - John Edwards 4821 5489         Treasurer - Paul Bayliss 4844 4359

## CAPTAINS REPORT:

With the fire season over I would like to thank all for there help during the summer months. We had one big fire on Christmas day - thanks to all.

Remember basic training will be on at Bungonia station on Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th of May, 2002 from 9.30am to 4.30pm. Meals will be provided. So all come along and update your skills and get to know the working of the trucks. Ring in names to myself on 4821 5489.

We would like to put up a large noticeboard in front of the fire station, so if anyone can help in making a noticeboard please let us know.

Remember when burning off to let your neighbours know 24 hrs in advance. Also Bungonia Base on 4821 5009. Clean your chimneys and be careful with fire around your house.

A working bee will be happening soon to install cupboard and lay carpet in the fire station.

A survey will be sent out in next months Times to help us in knowing what equipment is needed in our area! Please fill this out and send back. It is a Government Strategic Management Plan so each area has the right equipment to fight fires.

Thanks again.

John Edwards - Fire Captain

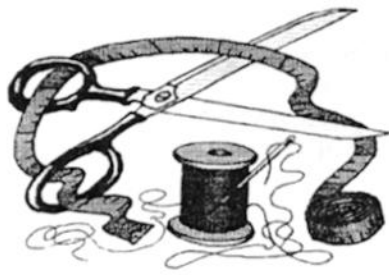
## BUNGONIA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

**PRESIDENT:** John Wiggan 4844 4228      **SECRETARY:** Sandy Wooderson 4844 4366  
**TREASURER:** Diana Moran 4844 4234      **HALL HIRE :** Moira McGinity 4844 4266

Monthly Meetings at the Village Hall:      7.30pm Monday 13th May, 2002  
   7.30pm Monday 10th June, 2002

Quilt & Craft Exhibition:      Congratulations to the Bungonia Quilters. The Exhibition was excellent, beautifully presented and made the Hall look great (which is no mean fete). A very big thank you for the generous donation of over \$500 from the proceeds. This will go towards Hall improvements.

**NEXT MEETING:** 7.30 pm, Monday, 13th May, 2002 at the Village Hall.



## Patchwork & Quilting Classes

Contacts: Pauline Dickson 4844 4202 or Cherie Jenkins 4822 4241

On Easter Saturday the Bungonia Quilters held a very successful display of quilts and crafts. The most popular quilt of the day was won by Shirly Dunn for her beautiful Butterfly Quilt. Congratulations to all the ladies for an excellent display, the hall has never looked so good.

Thanks to all who helped set up the display and who worked tirelessly on the day. Well done to everyone.

The raffle of the quilt made by the group was won by Adele Hyam of Bungonia and drawn by a visitor from the UK Mrs Marjorie Nicholson of Ianbridge Wells. This raffle raised \$604 for the Bungonia Times. The group also donated \$500 to the Progress Association for improvements to the Hall.

If you would like to join our group, classes are held every Monday from 9am to 12 noon in the Village Hall. Contact Pauline on 4844 4202 or Cherie on 4822 4241.

## *Gardening in May*

This is the time of year when a lot of general cleaning up can be carried out in your garden.

With cooler nights, mildew which is a fungus, can be seen on the leaves of Dahlias, Hydrangea, Petunias, Delphiniums, Easter Daisies, Pumpkins and Cucumbers as well as some others but it is not worth spraying with a fungicide. Delphiniums and Easter Daisies can be cut back about 8cm, above ground and with Dahlias, cut the stems above the leaf node. If you cut between the nodes, the stems being hollow can fill with water and the bulbs can rot. Any leaves covered with mildew should not be put in compost heaps as this fungus will spread through your garden when the compost is spread next season. Make sure you burn those leaves or put them in the bin as garbage.

This month many perennial plants such as Polyanthus, Russell Lupin and Delphiniums can be divided making sure when you replant them to dig some compost into the garden as well as a light dressing of complete fertiliser.

Vegetables to sow are very limited as any seedlings planted now lay dormant during the winter months. Broad Beans are excellent to plant now, they do very well in the cooler climate, but before sowing the seed only, give the bed a good dressing of garden lime. Onion plants are available now as well in nurseries. Plant white and odourless onions only though. Onions need very little water, plenty of sun, good drainage and before sowing a light dressing of complete fertiliser.

Flower seedlings that can be planted now include Calendula, Stock, Wallflower, Alyssum, Poppy, Pansy, Viola and Verbena. Another general clean up job is to lift Gladioli bulbs and store them in a box or hang them up in an airy shed.

Happy Cleaning Up Your Garden!