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Dear Trumpet Readers

ANZAC Day was commemorated in Trentham on Monday 25 April with, as in every year, two special events. The Dawn Service took place at 6am at the Cenotaph. It was cool and crisp as locals gathered to remember those who served their country during times of war. Special focus was given to women in war with Kath Morrison sharing her Aunty Kath’s story. Kathleen Tresidder attended school in Little Hampton and enlisted in 1942 at the age of 34. Serving as a nurse in Papua New Guinea for four years, Kathleen rarely spoke about her war-time experiences. Kathleen continued her nursing career in Trentham and the surrounding area when tuberculosis put an end to her military service on 16 May 1947. Tresidder Court is named after her family.

It was also an honour to be invited to lay the Community Wreath at Trentham’s Dawn Service. My family and I have lived here for close to seven years now. To represent Trentham and remember those whose names appear on our Cenotaph was a daunting privilege and a role I was pleased to fulfill.

The 11.30am Service kicked off with a march from the town square to the Cenotaph led by a catafalque party of Army Reservists, three young Trentham District Primary School students, each carrying a flag, and Flight Sergeant Rick Nolan (yes, hubby!). It was a glorious day and the street was lined with locals come to pay their respects.

Perhaps next year you’d like to join us!

It’s been a few months now since the Trumpet published much in the way of Hub related material. This issue has generated strong feelings in our community and it was hoped the moratorium would contribute to a calming effect. Whether the desired result has been achieved only you can say.

Submissions relating to the proposed new Hub, both from community organisations and residents in the form of Letters to the Trumpet, will once more be considered for publication from the June edition onwards. Contributors are requested to keep their submissions respectful and to consider others’ feelings when writing about this contentious issue.

Locals either want to save our Mechanics Institute Hall or erect a larger building for community use. In the end whether the Hall is saved and the new building is constructed on another location, or the existing Hall forms part of the new building, or the new building totally replaces the Hall, we are still a community. A community which lives and works together, one which shares its joys and sorrows, that celebrates together, supports one another and one that can achieve amazing things. Surely somewhere there is a solution that members of our community will be content with. A solution may mean both sides giving a little to accomplish a great deal; a solution which saves our existing Hall as well as creating a wonderful new space to be shared and celebrated.

Why is it that to achieve one of these outcomes it must be at the sacrifice of the other?

Pauline Nolan
Editorial Team

Welcome to new members

Stitch, Knit and Spin meet Friday mornings at the Mechanics from 10am – 12pm. Contact Di Clausen 5424 8586.

The Foodies next lunch will be at Blackwood Ridge Nursery. Date and time to be advised in members’ newsletter. Contact Jill McCallum 0403 650 811.

The Petanque men meet Thursdays at 10am in the Town Square. Contact Ian MacBean 5424 1727 or Alvin Clausen 5424 8586.

Petticoat Petanque meet Tuesdays at 2pm in the Lelant Street car park. Contact Di Clausen 5424 8586.

Mah Jong meets in the Mechanics on Fridays at 1pm. Contact Carol and Luke Lubeek 0477 006 656.

The Chinese Exercise/Qigong group meets in the Mechanics on Friday afternoons from 2-3pm. Contact Patricia Kent 5424 1123.

The Garden Lovers meet on the 4th Monday of every month, leaving from the Mechanics at 1pm to car pool. This month visit Sue McBratney’s one year old garden. Also, Steve Vella will talk about landscaping. Contact Anne Walker 5424 1575.

For Horse riding contact Julie Samson on 5424 8545 or 0427 859 586.

Bush walking heads off monthly on a Monday at 10.30am. Contact Judy Weatherhead 5424 1309.

For Irish Set Dancing contact Ina and Graeme Bertrand 5424 1449.

Life’s Better Together

Lynne Mohr – President
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A BRIEF HISTORY

TRATA was formed just after the Commonwealth Bank closed its Trentham branch in 1996. A whole new committee rejuvenated TRATA in 2001 following a decline. At that time TRATA was asked to take over the old Trentham Agricultural & Railway Museum (TARM) which included the lease for Trentham Railway Station and leases along the rail corridor to Bullarto. At the time the Station building was in disrepair and required a substantial upgrade.

Under the watchful eye of then TRATA President, Sandra Proksa, a substantial funding grant was applied for and received which meant the Station could be restored and upgraded for the future benefit of the Trentham community. At the time the funding grant was split between TRATA and the ACT group (Actively Conserving Trentham) which had applied for funding to establish the Domino Trail walking trail, quite separate to the Station group.

Although TRATA had an excellent working relationship with the Shire, the committee themselves took on the task as project managers for the refurbishment of the Station; employing as many local tradesmen as possible and thus extending the funding dollars as far as possible. The Station today is credit to the hard working committee members over the years.

With the support of Hepburn Shire, the Visitor Information Centre was established in the Station and was the focal point and meeting place of many visitors to Trentham. From its inception until recent years when it came under the control of the Shire, the VIC was run entirely by TRATA; from preparing the rosters to stocking it with appropriate information for visitors. The VIC was manned every weekend with morning and afternoon volunteers. Being a non-accredited Information Centre, as it is today, it was not required to operate 7 days a week.

As the Station has always been self-funded, TRATA recognised the need to provide an income stream to ensure the Station always remained in the hands of the community. This was why the Sunday Market was established and continues today.

The TRATA committee eventually saw only residents on it, however it never lost sight of its origins and always worked hard to bring visitors to town so all would benefit. With progressive thinking and initiative, in 2001 TRATA established the monthly Trentham Community Newsletter. TRATA also established and ran the Trentham Easter Art & Craft Show, ran Spudfest under its umbrella from the initial thoughts of Kirk Bradbury, conducted a very successful Annual Line Dance for 14 years at the Mechanics Hall as well as a number of Street Fairs where High Street and then eventually Market Street were closed for the day and the many visitors strolled among the stalls and activities. Shopkeepers also moved their merchandise to the street to be part of the fun.

The formation of the Trentham Sustainability Group was another TRATA initiative. TRATA also provided the annual Christmas decorations for the street and town square. Over the years TRATA has provided sponsorship for the football/netball club and has donated much needed funds to various groups and clubs in and around Trentham.

Things do change over time and several of the previous TRATA activities are now autonomous and have their own committees, so these days TRATA (now known as Friends Of The Station) mainly concentrates on your Station to ensure that it does remain a Trentham icon. The Station is still a meeting place and focal point for visitors and the committee works exceptionally hard to keep it looking its best. As they look to the future many ideas crop up and will be assessed accordingly.

Lyn Gray

Located in the grounds of Historic Trentham Station
4th Sunday of every month 8.30am – 2.30pm
Enq/Bookings – Kaye/Leigh 5424 1466
All funds raised go to the upkeep of the Station

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April was a fabulous month to get out into the community and participate in any number of events and functions taking place. The team at Trentham & Districts Community Bank® Branch made the most of the opportunity!

Our very own Piggy joined in the parade at the Blackwood Easter Carnival & Woodchop. There was royalty to meet, children to hug and games to play along with prizes for best in parade proudly supported by Trentham & Districts Community Bank® Branch. It was a wonderful day out for the whole family.

Growers, cookers and eaters gathered at the Trentham Mechanics Institute to showcase local food and talent at the annual Growers Cookers & Eaters Dinner. Trentham and surrounding districts is home to some amazing farmers producing high quality food and beverages, many of which were indulged on the night!

Congratulations also to the Trentham Easter Art & Craft Show on another hugely successful event for 2016. The Art Show is a wonderful way of showcasing the artistic talent in the district from paintings and craft to photography and the very popular People’s Choice Awards, again proudly supported by Trentham & Districts Community Bank® Branch.

It’s great to be a part of this wonderful community and partner with local organisations to support their events. Hats off to each of these organisations for their wonderful contribution to our community.

For all your banking, financial and insurance requirements drop into the branch at 37B High Street, Trentham or phone 5424 1608.
Finally, after four years of lobbying on my part, and a much longer history of activism from community members, the Cosmo Road footpath is being completed. This much needed work will make our town safer, healthier and more accessible.

Thanks to everyone who has brought their footpaths to my attention, particularly the number of people who brought the footpath along the south side of High Street around the Trent Creek bridge.

Meanwhile, watch for some exciting Trentham-based developments in the 2016/17 budget – namely more funding for street scape works, a water security study for the footy ground and golf club, additional funding for the New Mechanics Institute, a public art project for Trentham, a long term plan for the footy ground and of course more funds for the extension of footpaths around Trentham and beyond.

Some other exciting projects include funding for solar panels on council and community buildings, a national flagship bioenergy project and pool consultation and design for Creswick.

Unfortunately $20,000 that was allocated to Trentham for the construction of long-needed netball change rooms has been re-allocated for another ward. This was because for the fourth time in a row the state government has knocked back a funding application in Trentham in favour of projects elsewhere.

Some might say that our disunity gives our State and Federal government representatives a free run to ignore a divided community who can’t get their act together – but what about no-brainer ribbon-cutting opportunities like street scape works, library facilities and netball change-rooms?

Let alone the much-needed investment in a community facility that is warm, safe, accessible, and takes into account the future needs of our vibrant and growing community.

There is a need for decent and equitable community facilities in town, leaving a number of people asking loudly: “Who is batting for TRENTHAM?!”

Hooroo
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Jane Clark, Senior Research Curator at Hobart’s MONA, drew a compelling comparison between MONA’s founder and Renaissance arts patron, Cosimo de’ Medici, in ‘David Walsh’s bold experiment: the evolving Museum of Old and New Art’, on 14 April at the Kyneton Town Hall. Around 130 members and guests heard Jane Clark’s insights into the person whose vision has put Tasmania on the international arts map. She said that Walsh is currently wrestling with the question of ‘What is Art?’ and the exhibition opening on 5 November, ‘On the origin of Art’, will address this.

In other events, members viewed Howard Arkley’s paintings at TarraWarra Gallery and award-winning Alowyn Gardens in Yarra Glen in February; and ‘Marilyn Monroe’ at Bendigo Art Gallery in March. The next event is a May party to welcome new members.

In the next lecture, on 12 May, China specialist from the UK, David Rosier, will go inside Beijing’s Forbidden Palace to reveal ‘The Ultimate Renaissance Ruler’ Emperor Qianlong (1735-1796). Qianlong guided China through a period of political, economic and cultural growth. His achievements in the sciences and arts provided some of his greatest contributions to China’s heritage.

You may attend individual lectures for $30 at the Kyneton Town Hall, 129 Mollison Street, Kyneton. Arrive from 7pm, lectures commence at 7.30pm. Supper is served afterwards with local wine.

ADFAS relies on a healthy membership base. Membership of ADFAS is for everyone who enjoys the arts. It covers eight lectures (six international lecturers and two local), held through the year, usually on 2nd Thursdays of the month, supplemented by excursions and other events. Membership is $150 (including a one-off $25 joining fee).

Try ADFAS – we hope you will be inspired to become a member! 2016 programs and membership applications are available at Trentham Neighbourhood Centre or email adfascenvic@gmail.com.

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ADFAS Central Victoria, PO Box 44, Kyneton Vic 3444
http://www.adfas.org.au/societies/centralvictoria

IT TAKES THREE, NOT TWO, TO TANGO

One to lead, one to follow and one to play the rhythm and tune. In economic terms: consumers lead, producers follow and traders play the tune.

On the “free” market the giant supermarkets play the tune: dictating producers what to produce, to their specifications for which price; and super-economies from overseas buy up our organic produce for double prices. Producers and traders who refuse to dance to the tune of industrialized farming, mass food processing and price-dumping are hit from both sides. Producers need to ask realistic prices, traders need to confront consumers who take unrealistically low prices for granted.

If you are a bakery and café, aiming at using high quality organic local produce and supporting work opportunity, you must pay more for the produce and charge more for your products than supermarkets do. As consumers we have become used to paying unrealistic, unfair prices for our food. We often have become like the legendary eastern despots, who demanded and got whatever they wanted. We often demand without realizing the cost of satisfying us.

This is the situation I glean from a conversation I had with John Reid and Thais Sansom of Redbeard Bakery. I approached them about the surcharge on public holidays. They understand that people might not like it, but they are disturbed by the disinformation and suggestions as if they make lots of money, which they don’t, because they take what a wage means seriously: a wage is not a price for work, work for sale as a commodity on a ‘labour-market’. They treat a wage as a fair share in the revenue generated by the result of work together, which by law and common sense is higher on public holidays than other. John and Thais agreed they didn’t “have to” stay open, but “chose” to not disappoint the overwhelming demand, true to their ideal. They and their staff are still discussing whether they choose to close or open on those days.

As a town we have in the mid-nineties chosen for tourism as source of income; in 2008/9 we chose for sustainable development: Redbeard Bakery does both. I think it only fair that we support them in pursuing this double aim of our town.

Henk Bak
Trentham Photography Club had an interesting excursion in late March with a visit to the Malmsbury viaduct. We timed it to include a few trains travelling over the viaduct. With a slow shutter speed one of our members in particular captured a beautifully blurred image of the Vline to Bendigo whilst maintaining a clear, sharp image of the viaduct itself.

Three of the club’s more experienced members took the time to explain their camera equipment at our April 13 meeting. We had a Nikon, Canon and Sony on display together with assorted lenses and tripods. It was beneficial to hear what these photographers used their different lenses for and the types of photography each of them enjoyed.

The club’s May meetings are yet to be finalised. For additional information please contact Pauline on 0407 380 958 or Dianne at trenthamphotographyclub@gmail.com.

Happy shooting!

Pauline Nolan
Another amazing result for the Trentham Easter Art & Craft Show – 61 pieces or 28% of the available works for sale were sold! So good for the Artisans!

We made the ‘Junior Entries’ free entry this year and allowed the Juniors to show their works and be “Not for Sale” (a first time for our Show). There were many entries from Trentham District Primary School and Bullarto Primary School (YAY!) and an individual junior entry from Marni won the Junior Craft award.

WINNERS

Best in Show was won by Helen Cottle for her Acrylic “Summer landscape near Trentham” sponsored by a local benefactor.

Best Local Artist was won by Ellie Young for her photo of an “Alley in Hangzhou”. Hangzhou is in Asia but it could easily be an alley in Trentham?! Prize sponsored by East Trentham Fellowship.

Winner People’s Choice Art went to “Bear” a local character as painted by Vanessa Gellibrand, a student of Louise Otten. Prize sponsored by Trentham & Districts Community Bank® Branch.

Winner People’s Choice Craft went to “My Summer Garden” (quilt) by Jane Bloom who was ecstatic with her first win! Prize sponsored by Trentham & Districts Community Bank® Branch.

Winner of Raffle was S. Nankervis mother of a Junior Art entry and daughter of Trentham’s dearly remembered Ellie Kemp (previous owner of the Trentham Pharmacy). A master class for 6-8 people with Annie Smithers of du Fermier valued at $900-$1200 sponsored by Annie Smithers and the Art Show is her prize.

Bette McLaren
FILM SOCIETY IS OUTSIDE LOOKING IN

Important changes in the life of a young girl was the topic of the film at the April screening of Inside Out. As if moving house isn’t enough, Riley has a new school and neighbourhood to cope with. Joy, Fear and Anger are just a few of the emotions that assault our heroine as she navigates her way into her changed situation. This is a smart and compassionate film and won the Academy Award for the Best Animated Film for 2015.

In May, hold on to your hat for stellar performances from Meryl Streep and Julia Roberts as Director John Wells puts high drama in the Weston family on the screen in the 2013 film, August: Osage County. A rural area outside Pawhuska, Oklahoma is the setting for cat fights and unrest and much, much more.

The Macedon Ranges Film Society meets on the second Wednesday of every month at the Woodend Community Centre. Film notes and an informal supper are part of the evening.

MRFS is a membership-based club so initial enquiries must be made by emailing mrfilmsociety@gmail.com or by phoning Lorraine on 5427 0921 or Christine on 5427 1011.
SMOKING IMPACTS YOUR HEALTH

QUIT Smoking for the health of yourself and your family. Tobacco causes more preventable illness and death than any other drug.

Smoking causes a range of cancers as well as heart disease, stroke and emphysema.

The health impacts of second-hand smoke, on other members living with a smoker, especially children, have been shown to be quite significant in many cases. For that reason alone, it is very important that there is no smoking in the house and especially not in the car.

The cost of smoking is not only the impact on you and your family's health, it has now become an immense financial cost, and will continue to increase as the years go by. On today's costs, if you smoked 15 cigarettes per day, at an average cost of $23 per packet of 20 cigarettes, it will cost you $131 per week, $525 per month, $6296 per year. Over 10 years you will have spent $56,666!

 Quitting smoking can take several attempts – but never give up giving up.

Consider any past attempts at quitting as practice and experience. You will be successful eventually.

The earlier you quit, the greater the health benefits, but quitting at any age is beneficial. Your health will improve in the first few months after quitting, benefiting your heart and lungs, increasing blood flow to your hands and feet, and improving your immune system. Also your sense of taste and smell will return.

There are a number of strategies to help you stop smoking and avoid relapses. Quit courses, counseling, telephone support, nicotine replacement therapy and or medication with the direction and support of your Doctor.

Springs Medical Centre in Trentham and Daylesford are encouraging our clients to improve their health by providing support from our Smoking Cessation Nurse and the Doctors.

Please call and book a smoking cessation appointment with the nurse and your doctor.

www.springsmedical.com.au

The Holly and The Ivy

Midwinter Feast
The Trentham Combined Churches invite you to celebrate solstice and the turning of the year.

Mechanics Institute Hall, High St, Trentham
Saturday June 25
6:30 pm
(Mark it on your calendar now!)
Enquiries - 5424 1572

Words in Winter 2016 will happen throughout the month of August, with two preliminary writers’ workshops in May and June to whet your wordy appetites.

The events will include:

- The Ellen Kemp Memorial Writer’s Prize (for short story)
- Contemporary and bush poetry competitions and recital events
- Redbeard Bakery Microfiction 50 word competition
- Clever Towns Challenge
- Music and performances
- Children events and author talks
- Photography exhibition.

A web site will be up and running soon with all the details and entry forms. Keep a look out for further information.

Committee: Natalie and Mike Gretton, Gael Elliott, Neville Bullard, Pauline Nolan, Karen McCrea and Saskia Post
ANZAC DAY 2016
TRENTHAM
Lest We Forget
SCREENINGS: 7.30pm (unless programmed otherwise) on
the second Saturday of each month (except December &
January) at the Trentham Neighbourhood Centre. Friendly
supper after the film. TFS welcomes any prospective member
to a complimentary introductory screening.

No screenings on days designated as Total Fire Ban days
in the CFA Central Region.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS: Payable at screenings
from 7pm. Full 10 month subscription $50; 5 consecutive
months $25; 4 consecutive months $20; 3 consecutive months
$15. No single admissions.

DVDs of past screenings lent to members at no charge.
GUESTS: Each full member may bring one guest per year;
a guest may attend one event annually.

ENQUIRIES:
Josie (5424 1517) or Carol (carol1900@gmail.com).

MAY 14
SALT OF THE
EARTH
(USA, 2014, 110 mins.
Photography/world affairs/
conservation /biography)
Directors J.R. Salgado & Wim Wenders;
featuring S. Salgado, L.W.Salgado,
Wim Wenders.
Language: English

For the past 40 years, Brazilian photographer Sebastiao
Selgado has traveled our ever-changing world, recording
its social and environmental troubles through images both
beautiful and powerful. The film memorably portrays a
hugely talented and decent humanist whose photography,
philosophy and adventurous projects thoroughly deserve more
public exposure. Winner of 10 international film awards and
nominated for 8 more.

JUNE 11
WHIPLASH
(Argentina/Spain, 2014, 122 mins.
Thriller/drama/black comedy)
Director Damian Szifron
Featuring Ricardo Darin,
Leonardo Sharaglia, Dario Grandinetti,
Erica Rivas, Maria Marull, Monica Villa.
Language: Spanish (MA15+, violence)

In these six short films involving distressed people, many
people experience stress and depression because of the
inequality, injustice and demands of the world in which we
live. Some of them, however, explode. Wickedly hilarious
and delightfully deranged, Wild Tales is a subversive satire.
It may seem a long time coming, but a meeting with Hepburn Shire regarding the land in Albert Street is expected before the end of April.

A committee member found a TRATA newsletter from July/August 2006 containing a Hepburn Health Service article initiating moves for a Men’s Shed in Trentham. Here we are 10 years on and finally on our way to achieving that goal.

In the past month we have signed 23 locals as members and have Application for Membership forms at TNC and the Hardware Store (Chrissy’s shop).

If you have an interest, please complete one of the forms, which will assist with our funding application to establish a Men’s Shed.

As mentioned in April’s Trumpet we invite the community to design a logo for the Men’s Shed based on the purposes of association:

- To provide a welcoming environment for men from all walks of life where they can socialise and enjoy trades and hobbies.
- To address the issues of men’s health (physical, emotional and social) in the Trentham and district community.
- To support the social interaction of men in transitional periods in non-exclusive, non-judgemental way.
- To share, disseminate and preserve the skills, abilities and interests relevant to the men of Trentham and district.
- To undertake community development and support activities.

Entries close on June 30, 2016. The best entry wins dinner at The Cosmopolitan Hotel (donated by a generous community member) to the value of $150.

Please email your entry to:
cool.country.mens.shed.@gmail.com

Next meeting is Tuesday, May 10 at 2pm
Trentham Neighbourhood Centre

Everyone welcome.

Dorothy Hancock
Vice President Cool Country Men’s Shed Inc.

TRENTHAM TRACTOR PULL

With the success of the Bullarto tractor pull, TRATA was approached about the possibility of holding a similar event during Trentham’s Spudfest.

After numerous negotiations with VicTrack, the Hepburn Shire and insurers we are pleased to announce that on Saturday, May 7, a tractor pull will be held at the Trentham Railway Station together with a classic car show and market.

The tractor pull will start at 10am and run to about 3pm.

We hope to see a great turnout for what could become an annual event.

John Gray
Dear Trumpet,

Yesterday a friend and I had a day trip to Trentham. What a beautiful town you have, we had the most wonderful day:

- A visit to the falls – yes it is summer and they were obviously not at their most impressive; but still how impressive the rock formations and our beautiful Australian bush.
- A visit to the Art Show – oh my goodness the standard of artist and their labours of love were a delight to view and how wonderful we were included in your day by being able to vote and contribute to the People’s Choice Awards.
- A visit to the delightful retail outlets – how impressive they were with quality products, carefully merchandised. The staff so very warm, friendly and ever so helpful. We ambled along your even more delightful streets with the old verandahs lending shelter from the sunshine.
- And we found the water park (Quarry Reserve Lake) where we had our picnic, just a perfect finish to a perfectly lovely day.

Congratulations Trentham and thank you.

Cheryl and Dot

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Dear Editor,

I was delighted to read in the ‘Trumpet’ that the Stoney Creek Reserve will be further extended south along the creek.

Andy Robertson and all the volunteers who have worked to plan, clear, plant and maintain the Reserve deserve congratulations. Stoney Creek Reserve is an outstanding community amenity we can all feel proud of. Both residents and visitors have the opportunity to enjoy the beautiful natural surroundings on well-maintained paths with sensitively designed seating amidst a developing landscape of native plants. The area is a lesson to the whole Shire on what can be achieved by people working together to improve our public parklands for the benefit of all.

Yours faithfully,

Di Parsons

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A Mystery of Magic Sauce

Dear Trumpet,

I wonder if any other Trentham gmai bers have been blessed by Magic Sauce?

Gmail has a great system of labelling e-mails: e.g.: “Important mainly because of people in the conversation” “Important because this email was sent directly to you” “Important according to our magic sauce” Etc.

Many of my emails seem to have lashings of this magic sauce.

One question I have: Is it gluten-free?

Dennis Trehwella
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Dear Trentham Community,

I am now available at The Trentham Collective from 9am to 3pm Mondays and Thursdays.

Kind regards,

Leanne Pearman | Flight Centre Home Agent
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Phone 0467 594 444

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What’s on at TRENTHAM LIBRARY in May

Simon Rickard - History of the potato
Hepburn Libraries is proud to bring you local author Simon Rickard as part of Trentham SPUDFEST.

1.45 pm  Saturday 7th May
Spudfest Main Stage
Quarry Street Reserve, Trentham
All ages welcome.

Spuddy Storytimes
The Library Team will also be holding Spuddy Storytimes in the Spudfest Children’s area throughout the day.

Free WiFi and Public Computers.

Opening Hours
10am-5pm Tuesdays & Fridays (Closed 1-2pm)
10am-1pm Saturdays
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**CWA**
2nd Monday monthly
10am Trentham Historic Railway Station
Enq: Tracey Williams 0447 836 171

**Free Bus to Wendouree**
3rd Monday monthly
Departs Trentham 9am.
Bookings essential.
Enq: Vicki @ TNC 5424 1354

**Friends of the Station**
1st Wednesday monthly
7.30pm at Historical Railway Meeting Room
Enq: Kaye/Leigh 5424 1446

**Lions Club of Trentham Inc**
Dinner Meetings 7.00pm for 7.30pm
1st Thursday of the month
at various local eateries
Enq: Tim Walsh 5424 8291 or Bette McLaren 5424 1127

**Old Time Dance**
2nd Friday monthly
8pm at Mechanics Hall $8 per person
Enq Dorothy 0447 257 925

**Peace Meditation**
Monday weekly
8.30am-9.30am
Neighbourhood Centre
Gold coin donation to TNC
Enq: Henk Bak 5424 1702

**St George’s Trentham**
Sunday weekly
9am Worship. All welcome
Enq: Rev. Melissa Clark 0411 722 718

**St Andrew’s Uniting Church**
Cnr Camp & Market Streets
2nd & 4th Sundays fortnightly
9.30 am
All Welcome - Enq: Jenny Hayes 5422 1334 or 0428 215 291

**Table Tennis Apr – Sept**
Wednesday weekly
7pm at Mechanics Hall
Enq: Robyn De La Haye 0488124105

**Trentham Adult Riding Club**
1st Saturday monthly
Enq: Kathryn Clark 0437 073 713 / 5424 1804

**Trentham Car Club**
2nd Wednesday monthly
7.30pm at Cosmo 6.00pm meal
Enq: John 5424 1166

**Trentham District Landcare Group**
2nd Thursday alt. even months
8.00pm, The Cosmopolitan Hotel, Trentham or 6:00pm-6:30pm for prior meal
Enq: Ann Keane 5424 1010

**Trentham Farmers Market**
3rd Saturday monthly
9am-1.00pm at Town Square
Enq Shirley 0427 542 811

**Trentham Film Society**
2nd Saturday (monthly) Feb-Nov inclusive
7.30pm at Neighbourhood Centre
Enq: Josie 5424 1517
Carol carol1900@gmail.com

**Trentham Historical Society**
2nd Monday (monthly) Committee Meeting 7.30pm
Trentham Library
3rd Monday (evenings) Feb/Apr/Aug AGM/Oct
Public Meetings
Subject to change posters advertise
Enq: Susie 5424 1272
John 0428 464 225

**Trentham Hospital Auxiliary**
4th Monday monthly
10am at the Hospital
Enq: President, Heather Gray 5424 8224

**Trentham Life Activities Club**
Enq: Lyn, President 5424 1194
mohrylyne@yahoo.com.au
Di, Secretary 5424 8586
diclausen@hotmail.com
Jill, Activities 0403 650 811
Jillmccallum@live.com

**Trentham Playgroup**
Tuesday weekly
10am-12pm at Mechanics Hall
$3 per family
Bring a piece of fruit to share
Enq: Leanne 0400 947 799

**Trentham Pony Club**
1st Sunday monthly
Newbury Reserve
Enq: Kathryn Clark 0437073713/54241804

**Trentham Station Market**
4th Sunday monthly
8.30am-2.30pm at Historical Railway Grounds
Enq: Kaye/Leigh 5424 1466

**Trentham Sustainability Group**
Monthly meetings and activities
For details contact
Glenda 5424 1727 or Charles 0423 020 699

**Uke Group: Cool Country Ukes**
Every Friday 10am – 12 noon
Trentham Neighbourhood Centre
Free. Beginners welcome!
Enq: Mez 54241245 or Sue 0418320735

**WeedFree Trentham**
4th Saturday monthly
1pm-4pm at various locations
Enq: Jan 5424 1100 / Brad 5424 1126

**Youth Group**
Monday weekly
except school holidays
4pm-6pm Neighbourhood Centre
Enq: Jess 5424 1354
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