

TAROONA COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION Inc.

*"Enhancing Tarooma as a Place of Residence
and Employment"*

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RESIDENTS' NEWSLETTER June 2001

From the President

General Meeting March 2001

Many residents showed great interest in the presentation on the Public Land Survey, which is being conducted by the Kingborough Council, given by Dr Roger Kellaway. Each parcel of land owned by the Council in Tarooma was visited by residents and Dr Kellaway. Comments on its usefulness were brought forward at the meeting. Overheads gave an impression of the types of block of land spread all over the Tarooma area. The comments on each piece of land are being collated by Dr Kellaway's Committee and will be passed on to the Council for further evaluation. In general, residents of Tarooma are very happy to live in a suburb interspersed with many

'green areas' and would be hesitant to see any parcel of land sold. For further information phone Dr Kellaway on 6227.8374.



FM Classic Radio Reception

Are you interested to improve the reception of your FM Radio programs? Residents have come forward with the suggestion of self-help. For the cost of approximately \$8,000 per station, a transmitter and antennae with its own frequency number could be erected using the mast that is already in position at White Rock Repeater Station. Any Tarooma resident willing to donate funds to make a better FM Classic Radio reception possible, please fill in the attached slip with the appropriate details (see page 4).

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Adopt-a-Highway

Due to rainy weather, our litter Drive was changed to Saturday, 24 March 2001. Our thanks go to our helpers, June Flood, Ian Gardner, Michael and Annette Hitchman, Roger Kellaway, Elizabeth Pigott and Alan Wallace for a job well done. Next Litter Drive will be held on Saturday, 23 June 2001.

Sewerage Works

The Association has been advised by the Council that ex-

tension work is to be done on the foreshore to improve handling of sewerage—due for completion, in large part, by 30 June 2001.

Subscriptions—are due and should be forwarded to the Treasurer please (see pg. 4).

Taroona Hotel—we are pleased to welcome Craig & Claire Winter (the new licensees) and wish them well. Members are urged to support the Hotel and other businesses in Taroona.



Taroona Park Redevelopment

A recent Committee meeting expressed concern at the apparent lack of activity with this project. The Committee believes that provision of a skateboard park is a high priority and that its location is critical to its being a useful community asset. The current view of the Committee is that the location should be in the western part of the Taroona Park, fairly near the Hall.



History of Taroona Primary School

Congratulations are due to Stephen Hay (Deputy Principal, Taroona Primary School) on production of this history entitled, "*Lessons Not Lost*".

The book will be of great interest to many longer term residents of Taroona—a few copies are still available at the school office, cost: \$25.00



Taroona Tennis Club

It has been a very busy summer season at the Tennis Club. One of the highlights was National Tennis Day on 18 February when 45 people of all ages, players and would-be players joined us at the Club for a day's free tennis activities.

Coming up in June we have a joint venture with the Taroona Environment Network to rejuvenate our gardens and environs. On Sunday 3 June, starting at 1 pm, we hope that large numbers of our members will join forces with members of the Network to help remove environmental weeds and replant to establish low maintenance, aesthetically pleasing environs for our Club. Enquiries re the gardening activities on 3 June, phone 6227.8506. For information re club membership, please phone 6227.8506 or 6227.8445.



Grange Villas

This development, by Mary's Grange, at 26 Channel Highway, is now well underway and will be followed with interest by many residents. There will be 15 two bedroom and 5 three bedroom units (each with garage and outside courtyard) and this will be a welcome addition to accommodation available in Taroona. For more information—Richard Tyberek, phone: 6227.8804.



Taroona Gardening Forum

Continuing interest is being shown in meetings of the Forum — now meeting on the first Wednesday each month.

The next meeting is Wednesday, 6 June.

**Topics: "Pruning of Roses and Fruit Trees"
"Other Winter Jobs"**

Further information: David Stephen, Phone: 6227.8390.

DATES TO REMEMBER

- ◆ Garden Forum Meeting—Wed, 6 June 2001 (6227.8390)
- ◆ Litter Drive—Sat. 23 June 2001 (6227.8374)
- ◆ Market—Sun, 24 June 2001 (Shopping Centre)
- ◆ TEN Activities—Sun, 1 July 2001 (6227.8209)
- ◆ General Meeting—Thur, 26 July 2001



FM Radio Receiver/Transmitter Fund

I am interested in assisting with ensuring provision of adequate FM radio reception in Tarooma and may be able to contribute towards the cost, in due course.

Name:

Address:

Phone: Possible Donation! \$50 \$100
(please tick a box)

For information—Tony Sprent . phone: 6227.8107
Frank Lawrence phone: 6227.8012

Please return to 7 Belhaven Ave, Tarooma by Wednesday 13 June 2001.

Membership Application

Subscriptions for 2001 are due and should be forwarded to the Treasurer, please.



I wish to renew/initiate membership of the Association and would like to assist with: (please tick a box)

Committee Letterboxing Administration

Name

Address

Phone/Fax

Membership fee: single, family or "corporate" to 31/12/01 is \$10.00. Please return to the Treasurer: Ian Gardner 34 Taronga Road, Tarooma. Phone: 6227.9246