



August 2025

Notice of 2025 STAG AGM

The AGM of the Strathbogie Tableland Action Group will be at

11:00 am Sunday 21st September at the Strathbogie Memorial Hall.

Everyone in our Tableland Community is most welcome to attend, contribute and then share in the BBQ lunch which follows.

We welcome anyone from our community, who wishes to be part of this important group, to come along and join STAG. Our goals include assisting our various community based committees in achieving better outcomes for Tablelanders, including liaison with Council.

STAG is one of eight action groups established across the Shire in 2005 to provide direction to Council regarding community development and strengthening through the development of a Community Action Plan, and to generally act as a liaison between Council and the community.

STAG has four sub-committees all of which include both STAG committee members and members of the community:

Communications sub-committee which oversees:

- Strathbogie Tableland email group: *Bogie-tree*
- Tableland Community Directory
- Tableland Talk: our local Community newsletter
- Our Tableland Community Website: strathbogie.org

Emergency sub-committee which:

- liaises with the CFA and Council
- has developed community specific emergency guides
- keeps the emergency information pages on strathbogie.org up to date
- provides: bushfire emergency and preparation information and other general emergency information
- with the Strathbogie Hall committee, it has established a Recovery Hub at the Strathbogie Hall
 - has compiled the Strathbogie Tableland Emergency Information Folder, copies of which can be inspected at the Strathbogie General Store, the Recreation Reserve, the Strathbogie Memorial Hall, Boho South Hall, Kelvin View Hall and the Strathbogie Golf club

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Every Last Saturday of the month - Strathbogie Golf Club Community Meals.

Every First Monday of the month - Strathbogie Tableland History Group meets 1.30pm, Strathbogie Memorial Hall. strathbogiehistory@gmail.com

Every Second Wednesday of the month - Strathbogie Memorial Hall Committee meets 7pm in the Soldiers Room.
Enq Mary Wynne 0419 592 211

Every Wednesday - Material Girls - usual times 10am - Rec Ground
BYO lunch. Newcomers welcome
Ph: Jill Smith 5790 5159.

Every Wednesday - 7.30pm
Strathbogie Singing Group -
St Andrews Church
Ph: Di Mackrell 0439 008 500

Every Second and Fourth Sunday
Church service at St Andrews Church -
Strathbogie 11.00am

Every First Wednesday of the month -
1.30pm Strathbogie Garden Group.
Co-ordinator Kay Righetti
0418 171 439

Every Fourth Saturday of the month -
Australian Plants Society Group
meeting Pete 0402 882 959

Every Third Sunday of the month
9.30am STAG Committee at the Hall.
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Tennis at the Recreation Reserve.
Enquiries about social tennis: Secretary
Mayra Walsh 0423 475 564

Every Second Thursday 2pm starting.
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Every Monday during school term -
Strathbogie Community Playgroup 9.30
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The Friend M Aug 23 7.30pm, Aug 24 4pm

The Great Lillian Hall M Aug 30 7.30pm, Aug 31 4pm

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A riddle to work out

Q: What 8 letter word can have a letter taken away and it still makes a word. Take another letter away and it still makes a word. Keep on doing that until you have one letter left. What is the word?

A: Starting - but the real challenge is for you to work out how to do it!

Contribute to Tableland Talk

Our community newsletter relies on community contributions to publish. We are all about sharing and enjoying Tableland stories and activities. Send us your local tall tales and true, photos and sketches, community and business advertisements. We love to hear from community members of all ages. See email below >>>

Tableland Talk is a community newsletter run by volunteers.

This newsletter is entirely made up of contributions. Contributions to this newsletter are published as a forum for public discussion.

The opinions expressed are the opinions of the contributors and not necessarily the opinions of the TT Team. By publishing contributions this newsletter does not give its authority to the truth or validity of the material contained in contributions.

Readers are reminded that all contributions **MUST** be submitted with the name and address of the writer.

We would appreciate it if all invoices for advertising are paid in full, and promptly - we have to pay to publish.

The TT Team

Library Service

The library service Mondays 10.00—12.00 in the Soldier's Room at the Hall. Next: August 11 & 25.

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You can also contact Gambler's Help on 1800 858 858 or go to gamblerhelp.com.au 24hrs a day for immediate support.

The Deadline for the September edition of Tableland Talk is Wednesday, August 27, 2025.

e: tablelandtalk@gmail.com, m: 0400 019 607

Preferred formats: Word or Publisher files, font Arial 11, convert pdf to jpeg, images <250k. TT Team.

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Melbourne Cup Weekend Festival – Strathbogie sub-committee which:

- is responsible for organising the festivities for the Cup Weekend celebrations held on the Strathbogie Tableland

Safer Roads Strathbogie subcommittee which:

- aims to make the roads a safer place for both drivers and wildlife
- works with Council to have wildlife signage installed at wildlife hotspots
- liaises with Council regarding speed limits
- collaborates with the community to raise awareness of wildlife welfare

The STAG Report

The following notes are from our most recent Strathbogie Tableland Action Group meeting, which was held on Sunday 20th July 2025 at the Strathbogie memorial hall.

- The approval for the erection of a standpipe at the recreation reserve has been approved by the Strathbogie Shire Council. We are waiting for the job to be allocated to the appropriate contractor.
- The community directory is on hold pending more funds to become available to pay for its compilation. The funds for its printing have been obtained.
- The footpath route from the Strathbogie recreation ground to Main Street has been surveyed. We are waiting on more Council funding to have it constructed.
- New rubbish bin contractor: A new rubbish removing contractor has been appointed by Council and has commenced collections. They are prepared to cover more routes (along unmade roads, etc) to collect rubbish and recycling. Adrian is gathering information from the community on routes that can be added to the exiting collection.
- Community bus service to Euroa: Marion has met with the Strathbogie Shire Council and Department of Transport regarding this project. The Dept of Transport are seeking a greater understanding of the intending demand/ need and functionality of the proposed service before they are prepared to assist with its establishment. The Strathbogie Shire Council is assisting with preparing a survey for the community to provide feedback, and looking at ways the service may be funded.

The Strathbogie Cup Weekend Festival has been renamed the Melbourne Cup Weekend Festival – Strathbogie and a new logo with a puma has been designed. The organising committee are seeking more volunteers to assist with the event.

Stuart Bridgman

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Call for Volunteers

Our annual **Strathbogie Festival** will once again be held over Cup Weekend in November this year.

If you would like this fun social activity to continue with much needed funds raised for the community, please help the committee by volunteering your time/skills.

If you are available to help at all, please sign the roster sign up sheet in the general store. All assistance (big or small) will be greatly appreciated.

Any questions please contact me: *Deb McKie*

Chair, Strathbogie Festival Committee

Debmckie7@gmail.com

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Bogie Tree

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 Bogie Tree is our unofficial Strathbogie Tableland bush telegraph. It is an email list based on Gaggie Mail and covers a fair percentage of the Tableland population and friends (both transient and permanent). Through this, we share the following information and more:

- Lifts / rides / car shares
- Requests for assistance
- Offers of assistance
- Local job advertisements
- Lost / missing animals or people!

- Announcements of social activities / get-togethers
 - Fire sightings / road washouts
 - Any other thing you might want to contact other Tablelanders about
 - Information on your local business or service
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 To learn more or join Bogie Tree, please send an email to Stuart on stuartb446@gmail.com or call on 0422 408 915



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Nice warm toes? Remember where the smoke goes.



iPad drawing: Sean Mathews

Victoria's environmental watchdog has some handy tips for everyone who has a wood burning heater keeping their toes warm this winter.

EPA Victoria says the condition of the heater, the flue and the fuel you're using all contribute to seeing more, or less, smoke from your chimney.

EPA's Chief Environmental Scientist Jen Martin says you'll get less smoke and more heat for your money, if you do it right.

"Have your chimney professionally cleaned every year, only burn dry, clean wood, and extinguish your fire before going to bed or leaving the house," Dr Martin said.

"Don't leave it smouldering, it's inefficient, generates more smoke and creates a fire hazard," she said.

Wood heater owners have an obligation, under the Environment Protection Act's General Environment Duty, to minimise the smoke from their wood heater. EPA urges anyone burning wood to consider their neighbours' health and seek alternative heat sources, especially on calm days with not much wind.

The people most sensitive to smoke from wood heaters are those with heart or lung conditions such as asthma, pregnant women, young children, those aged 65 years and over, people with diabetes and smokers.

Another important tip is to avoid burning the wrong things, including coal, coke, driftwood, household rubbish, painted wood, chemically treated timber or the green-coloured pine logs used at parks and playgrounds.

The EPA website has more information for anyone who wants to be a good neighbour and create more heat and [less smoke from their wood heater](http://epa.vic.gov.au/manage-smoke-wood-heaters) (epa.vic.gov.au/manage-smoke-wood-heaters).

Members of the public can report pollution by calling EPA's 24-hour hotline on 1300 372 842 or visiting [What pollution and waste you can report](http://epa.vic.gov.au/what-pollution-and-waste-you-can-report) (epa.vic.gov.au/what-pollution-and-waste-you-can-report).



Community Invited to view the Final Euroa Railway Precinct Masterplan

Strathbogie Shire Council is inviting the community to view the final Euroa Railway Precinct Masterplan and learn more about the next steps in this significant project.

The Masterplan, shaped by community and stakeholder input, outlines a clear and staged vision for revitalising the Euroa railway precinct. It seeks to deliver better connectivity, enhanced public spaces, increased amenity, and new opportunities for local business, tourism, and community gathering.

Mayor Claire Ewart-Kennedy said the Masterplan reflects the community's aspirations and is a vital opportunity for Euroa to benefit from the broader Inland Rail development. "This is a transformational project for Euroa. It's not just about rail – it's about reimagining the heart of our town. This Masterplan provides us with the blueprint to secure State and Federal investment to bring this vision to life, and we want our community to come along on the journey."

Public comment closes August 13 online at share.strathbogie.vic.gov.au

The Masterplan builds on the Euroa Township Strategy 2020 and aligns with key funding programs including the Federal Government's Regional Precincts and Partnerships Program and the State Government's Investment Fast Track Fund.

For more information, visit: <https://share.strathbogie.vic.gov.au/euroa-railway-precinct-masterplan>



Strathbogie Recreation Ground

All bookings are to be made with
John O'Brien
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rec@strathbogie.org

Strathbogie Recreation Reserve Community Strengthening Grant Success

The Strathbogie Recreation Reserve Committee of Management has been successful in its application for a Strathbogie Shire Community Strengthening Grant. The \$10,000 funding will go to providing electricity to a new electric BBQ and power points to the recreation reserve oval fence.

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- Be part of building our community playgroup
- Older siblings welcome; please keep in mind playgroup is screen free



Strathbogie Memorial Hall Report

With the last month of winter upon us, it is time to let you all know what is happening at the Strathbogie Memorial Hall.

There are two great functions coming up in August.

Firstly, there is the Trivia Night for Tanya Lumley's Firefighters Stair Climb on Saturday 16th and tickets are selling fast for this event.

Secondly, we have a wonderful Senegal in Strathbogie! Film, Food and Music night on Saturday 23rd and it is looking to be a colourful night. I hope you can join us.

Of course, if you are curious about our hall committee, a reminder that our AGM is coming up in September. We would welcome any new members.

[Dana Last](#)

Secretary

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Strathbogie Community Playgroup



This month has brought some lovely moments to our playgroup community. We were thrilled to welcome Danny, the CEO of Playgroup Victoria, to our little corner of the world. It was a great opportunity to share the special energy of our group and the joy our children find in simple, meaningful play.

We've also continued to enjoy our regular visits from the library bus- a welcome part of the fortnight. André drops by with a fresh collection of books and it's always a treat for families to take home some new stories to enjoy together.

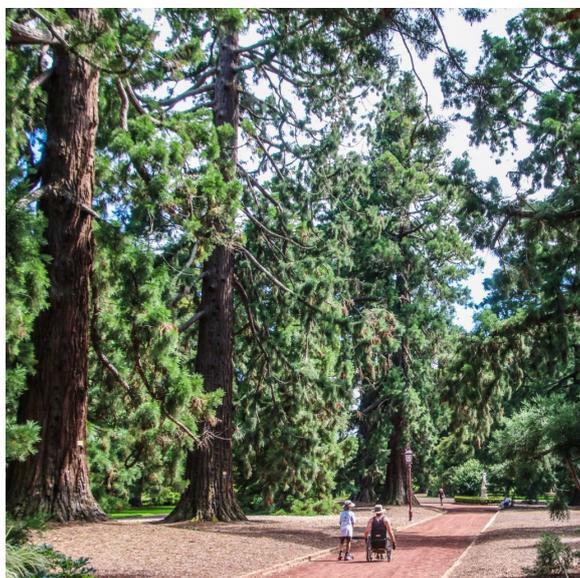
Craft has been a big hit lately! If you've been in the Rec clubrooms recently, you might have spotted some cheerful jellyfish creations decorating the space. It's always lovely to see the kids' creativity on display.

This month we also went for a walk around the Euroa Arboretum where the children brought their bikes and enjoyed a gentle ride along the tracks. It was a beautiful way for everyone to enjoy the crisp winter air together.

As the frosty mornings roll on we're especially grateful for the warm, safe space where our children (and adults!) can play, explore, and connect. There's something really comforting about gathering together in these colder months — hot drinks in hand, little ones laughing, and a strong sense of community holding it all together.

If you have a little one in your family, whether you're a parent, grandparent or carer, and you haven't popped along to playgroup yet just remember: you're always welcome. It's a relaxed and friendly space to meet other local families, let the kids play, enjoy a cuppa, and duck in & out as you need to. We'd love to see you at the Rec on Monday mornings 9.30am-11.30am.

Warmly,
The Strathbogie Community Playgroup Team



Harro & Jack

Walking and rolling with Harro and son, Jack.
Under giant California Redwoods in Ballarat.
Where they hold up the sky and you marvel at that.

But just being able to be there is something else to marvel at, for a father and son, called Harro and Jack. While creating another accessible walking map. It is my great pleasure to be part of all that.

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Sean Mathews



Brianna King

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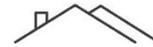
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“Hi” to all newcomers to our beautiful Strathbogie Tableland & Community

STAG (Strathbogie Tableland Action Group), has prepared a number of Strathbogie Tableland Welcome Packs, which are available for all newcomers to our Tableland community.

The pack contains information on local committees and community groups, local events, bushfire emergency information, an edition of Tableland Talk (our local monthly newsletter), our local website (strathbogie.org), a local business directory, maps, some local goodies, etc.

If you would like one of these packs, please contact:

Kath Handasyde: kathstuart60@gmail.com

or

Pennie Beard: claneypenne@gmail.com

Mystery House



I grew up in Strathbogie in the Smart family. This is a photo taken by my grandma Lilian Smart back in the 1970s I think, but its not labelled.

So, **The Mystery:** Does anyone remember this old house?

It may be near Strathbogie North Hall, because she seems to have taken it at the same time (from the sequence of the negatives).

If you know anything about this house, please let me know.

Shelly Smart

E: shelleys@crystalclearclinic.com.au

Applications Now Open for Strathbogie Shire's 2025 Community Leadership Program

Strathbogie Shire Council is calling on passionate locals over the age of 18 to take the next step in their leadership journey with the launch of its 2025 Community Leadership Program. This free, engaging program is open to anyone over the age of 18 with an interest in leadership—no prior experience required. Whether you're already active in your community or simply curious about how to make a difference, this opportunity is designed to support you in growing your confidence, skills, and impact.

Strathbogie Shire's Community Leadership Program 2025 is proudly funded by the State of Victoria through Emergency Recovery Victoria's Recovery Hub Grant Program. The program will equip community leaders—whether new, emerging or established—to build resilient and connected communities, address local challenges, prepare for emergencies, and consider decision-making that aligns with the needs and values of the community.

Over the course of six in-person workshops, participants will explore practical leadership tools in areas such as governance, strategy, policy, public speaking, and community engagement. They'll also develop skills to lead during emergencies and strengthen community resilience.

Key features of the program include:

- Six interactive workshops for a small group of up to 20 participants
- Hands-on learning and shared experiences from October to December 2025
- A celebratory graduation event to reflect on and showcase participant growth

A focus on real-world leadership values, including integrity, inclusion, accountability and collaboration. Participants will experience the full program together, building strong connections and a shared sense of purpose.

Applicants must be available to attend all six workshops, which are thoughtfully designed to broaden perspectives, build practical leadership capacity, and encourage community-led action. Apply now! Applications open 30 July and close Monday, 1 September 2025.

To learn more or submit your expression of interest, visit:

www.share.strathbogie.vic.gov.au

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the meantime mark it in the calendar!



A road management plan for the next four years



Strathbogie Shire Council is encouraging residents to share their thoughts on how the Shire's Road network is managed and maintained. At Council's July 15 meeting the Draft 2025 Road Management Plan was adopted to be released for community consultation.

Strathbogie Shire Council Mayor, Claire Ewart-Kennedy, said this was an important document for our community as it outlines the way Council maintains its extensive road network.

"We know the upkeep of our roads is essential to our community," Mayor Ewart-Kennedy said. "With about 748 km of sealed roads and more than 1465 km of unsealed roads – it's a tough job."

This Draft Road Management Plan:

- Describes road assets within road reserves for which Council is responsible.
- Outlines areas within Council's responsibility including public roads, bridges and major culverts, footpaths, on-street and off-street car parks.
- Sets out inspection intervals and response times for maintenance
- Considers how staff inspect, maintain and repair roads and to show a duty of care for ratepayers, while providing sustainable, safe and economic maintenance.
- Sets out how Council works with other authorities and implements processes and systems to ensure compliance and standards are met.

Forms an integral part of Council's Asset Management Strategy.

Mayor Ewart Kennedy said the Road Management Plan was a framework for undertaking asset management in a structured and coordinated way.

"This plan recognises the linkage between the management of road assets and the standard maintenance expected by our ratepayers," she said.

"It's our duty of care, and the framework of the plan takes into account inspection, maintenance and the repair of roads for which Council is responsible."

To [view the draft plan visit a Customer Service Centre in Euroa or Nagambie](#) or go to www.share.strathbogie.vic.gov.au

The community can have their say by:

Visiting Council's online engagement platform www.share.strathbogie.vic.gov.au.

Here you can read the plan, find out some more information and have your say.

Submissions open July 23 through to 11:59 pm August 21

For more information, visit: www.strathbogie.vic.gov.au



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Find the page here: https://strathbogie.org/?page_id=211

STAG Communications subcommittee



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Ridge and Rockface Walk, Tabilk

3—4 km, 1 hour, easy, but can be rough underfoot. Map: <https://walkingmaps.com.au/walk/4605>

Walk a ridge line gathering enough elevation to see across grand scale landscapes. Return along a low rock face of intriguing geological formation and small scale ecosystems.

Hughes Creek Hill Bushland Reserve is an interesting location for able walkers and families.

Drive into the Reserve via Stray's Lane. Two main tracks run uphill from Stray's Lane to the ridge line.

As outlined below, follow the ridge line itself or the parallel track to the peak. Walk down from the peak on the eastern slope to the base of the rock face.

Follow the rock face either at its base (very rocky), or on the flatland just below it, to return to your starting position.



Options

1 The middle track continues to the peak and is shorter (2.5km), easy walking.

2 The end track meets the lower ridge. Walking from here is easy to navigate, but is longer (3.3km). It has no formed path and is very rocky underfoot. However, it is also quite open with much better views of the surrounding countryside along the way. Sadly, this route is not recommended for anyone unsteady on their feet.

Topography and Geology



Hughes Creek Hill has a peculiar topography due to the significant feature of a modestly ascending ridge line above an unusual sedimentary rock face. The ridge line provides increasingly expansive views of the surrounding landscapes as you climb. Quarried in the past at each end, the rock face presents fascinating forms, colours, flora and fauna habitat during your return. These include geometric quartz seams, weathered wood, massed wildflowers, nooks, crannies and animal sized caves. The site is an artist's and photographer's

delight due to the glorious light, vistas, diverse textures, colours, flora and fauna.

Flora

The canopy is formed of Grey Box eucalypts. Wattles and Casuarina make up the mid story. Shrubbery includes Cassinia and Bossaia. The ground is often rocky and barren on the lower slope. Lichens and mosses increase as you go higher, with Flax Lily dominant amongst indigenous and introduced grasses. Seasonal wildflowers and fungi are key attractions.

Fauna

It is usual to spot resident Eastern Grey Kangaroos and Echidna. Be alert for Goanna and snakes as well.

Birdlife

Hughes Creek Hill is an eBird hot spot, recording 83 species. The birdwatching is delightful. Sit in one spot for a while and you will be rewarded.

Dogs are not allowed.

Sean Mathews

Strathbogie Landcare 2025 Planting Days



This year we're having two planting days - a rocky outcrop and a wetland.

Day 1 Wondoomarook Bushland Reserve, Strathbogie

When - Saturday 30th August, 8.30 am to 12 pm, morning tea included.

Where - Wondoomarook I58 Bushland Reserve. Entry from Carpenters Lane (off Mt Wombat Rd) - follow the signs.

What to bring - tree planting tools, gloves, sturdy shoes etc. Dress for the weather.

RSVP - for catering and in case of cancellation due to weather, text name and numbers to Bert 0409433276

This is a small, public reserve that is a 'stepping stone' between Mt Wombat Flora and Fauna Reserve and Seven Creeks Wildlife Reserve. It's a rocky site that the adjacent landholder has begun to revegetate - this year Landcare will lend a hand. The site gets substantial grazing pressure from wildlife, so will need special treatment to ensure success.

The day will demonstrate a planting and protection design that has a higher up-front cost, but spreads those costs over several years through re-use of materials. The design can be varied to suit different conditions. Most importantly, plant survival and revegetation success are improved.

The field day includes an introductory discussion covering - site and tree selection, preparation and planting, planting design and cost. The morning will also include a planting blitz to fill in some gaps in the corridor we planted last year.

All welcome - please join in, have some fun and make a difference to our local landscape!

Day 2 Wetland revegetation on Myra Park, Ankers Rd, Boho South - late September

More details coming.



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