

THE MENANGLE NEWS

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St James

Minister: Rev Chris Moroney
Enquiries: Ph. 4633 8594

8.30am: Traditional Service

10am: Family Service and Sunday School

Families are welcome to join us on Sundays. We run a children's program while the 10am service is on. This caters for children 3 years old to year 6. Under 3's are welcome in church and the service is live streamed to the adjacent room – The Stables



www.menangle.anglican.asn.au

BELL RINGING PRACTICE 7 to 8 PM

1st, 3rd & 5th Wednesday evenings
New members welcome.

Menangle Music Time

for children 0-5 and their carers
during the school term

Tuesday at 9.30 for 9.45am start

We meet in the lower room of
5 Sulman Place

Cost is \$3 /child or \$5/family

Contact Michelle 0405 677 281

St. Patrick's Church

Mass: 1st Sunday of each Month at 6pm

ANGLICARE

☺ TOYS-N-TUCKER APPEAL ☺

During November the St James' Church will be collecting tinned and packaged food and Christmas gifts for those in local communities who are less well off.

If you would like to help out you can leave your contributions at the church on Sunday or on my verandah at 10 Station Street.

MEN @ SHOP

...an opportunity for men to relax, with other men, over a cup of coffee or tea in a friendly atmosphere once a week at 10.30 a.m. on Thursdays at the Menangle Store.

The meetings usually last about an hour.
Contacts: Chris 46338594 Graham 46338810
Now incorporating...

*"The Australasian Order of Old Bastards" Camden – Menangle Branch **

This "Fraternity" is now over 50 years since inception and has raised well over \$7,500,000 for charity. This includes Westmead Children's Hospital, Renal Clinic and Laboratory, to which, our Arch Bastard, Leo Bradshaw MBE is dedicated.

Our order was launched in Camden RSL in 2010 and has now moved to Menangle. Since our inception we have raised over \$70,000 for local kids and our legacy, Westmead Children's Hospital, Renal Clinic and Laboratory.

We have reduced in numbers due to health and general condition. However, my wife Dollina & I are keeping our office afloat as long as we are able.

Big Kev Gunn "OB"

**Registered with the NSW Office of Charities*

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THE MENANGLE STORE

Phone 46338101 Fax 46338686

RAINBOW REFLECTIONS

What a difference the rain has made to our little village! It is always such a lovely surprise to realise afresh that even in drought the earth contains the potential to produce life. Water truly is life - and the water falling from above refreshes the earth like nothing else.

I sometimes picture my internal world – my soul – as an earthly globe. So much potential for life, but sometimes experiencing seasons of drought when life seems particularly hard.

Knowing that love is patient and kind, and knowing that love pleases God, I think if I can just overcome impatience my soul will be a well-watered garden, and I will be happy!

Recently I was impacted by a statement “Everything God does is to make us more dependent on Him.” He has “confined all under sin” the bible writer Paul tells us in his letter to the Galatians.

Sin is simply living life independently of God.

My quest to overcome impatience has not succeeded. In the light of the above statement I am now understanding that impatience (which is all I am capable of on my own) is the very thing that will keep me dependent on God, for a supply of His patience. When I become aware of impatient thoughts in my mind it is actually the alert for me that I have moved out from dependency upon God.

The great privilege I have as a follower of Jesus, is God the Holy Spirit living inside me. The Holy Spirit is patient and kind, self-effacing, has perfect manners, is courteous, gracious, honest and totally reliable. When I live my life under His influence the fruit of my life is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

And that makes my internal world a well-watered garden!

If you would like to find out more about following Jesus please send an email to byp@gmail.com and we will be very happy to have a chat.

Blessings and love,

Sue Peacock

Beersheba Day Event at Menangle Fire Shed

It was delightful to see the Menangle 7th Historic Light Horse Troopers interacting with some children from Douglas Park School. They have such a wealth of knowledge about the WW1 history of this wonderfully colourful section of the Australian Infantry Force.

They were called "Light Horse" because they were so

lightly armed, and had virtually no body protection. Apparently, legend has it that the emu feather was a trophy that each trooper earned by chasing an emu and actually plucking out one of its tail feathers!!!

The horses were the star attraction of course, but the rifles were of great interest, as were the saddles.

The saddles were made of a single layer of leather, and were deliberately very basic as they were only expected to last a few weeks in battle.



Menangle Light Horse regiment a tribute to father's memory



Proud: Len Carter points to the items on display at Club Menangle's new Beersheba Museum which pays tribute to Australia's Light Horsemen.

Picture: Jeff McGill

Len Carter was a man with a mission when he set out to form a tribute to the 7th Light Horse Regiment. Four years later the Camden resident feels like his mission has been accomplished.

Mr Carter teamed up with fellow Camden resident Steve Wisbey to form the regiment and pay tribute to the soldiers who trained in Menangle from 1900 to 1921.

"I initially wanted to organise the tribute in memory of my dad, Lieutenant Roy Sidney Carter, and his mentor Brigadier George Macarthur Onslow," he said.

"I also wanted to recognise the military history of the Macarthur family that appears in many ways to have been forgotten by the Camden community."

Mr Carter said his father's military service began at the age of 14.

"Dad did not talk much about his war service at home and in the light horse, only to mention he was disappointed in not being allowed to go overseas," he said.

"In 1916 he joined the 7th Light Horse Regiment AIF at Holsworthy but was refused to go overseas initially because he was too young.

"He was 16 but it was compulsory for all Light Horsemen to be 17.

"He again tried at 17 but was found to have a medical condition that prevented active service overseas

"However he remained in the Regiment training Light Horsemen in artillery and mounted rifle and bayonet charge before their deployment gaining."

By Kayla Osborne; Camden-Narellan Advertiser

Carols on the Hill

St James' Reserve

7pm SUNDAY 9th Dec

with Ben Pakula

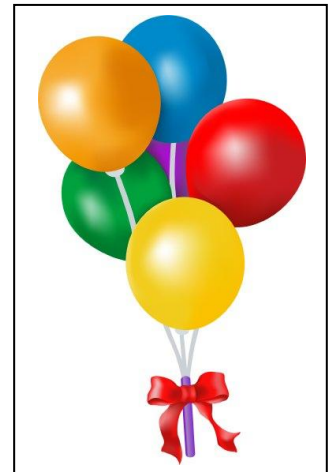
Sausage Sizzle - Glow-sticks

Coffee Cart

ALL WELCOME

BIRTHDAYS

- 1st Kerry Taylor
- 9th Janice Warner
- 13th Mark Haines
- 13th Elana Reece
- 15th Mathew Foulks
- 16th Sarah Howard
- 17th Sam Margin
- 18th Isabella Mealing
- 19th Tahlia Bond
- 21st Jason Burt
- 21st Allie Margin
- 21st Angus Terry
- 21st Sharon Foulks
- 22nd Marlene Gordon
- 25th Michael Abberton
- 26th Francis Warner
- 27th Izaac Margin
- 28th Geoff Hughes
- 29th Karen Halfpenny
- 30th Mathew Robertson



ANNIVERSARIES

- 12th Keith & Judith Lynch

Add your special dates to our list by sending an email to: byp257@gmail.com

Probus Club

Menangle district Probus Club is a club specially catering for retirees in our community. It joins clubs in United Kingdom, Australia and New Zealand designed for fellowship, friendship and fun for retirees. A large number of the members live in the Durham Green Village, but from retirees in the district area of Menangle and Menangle Park would be eligible to join – applications welcome. If interested, it is suggested that contact could be made with the President, Pat McDonall (46339203) or Secretary Leon Warren (46338989) for further information.

ADVERTS



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CAMDEN AGLOW MEETING

10am 3rd Wednesday of the month
Upstairs at Narellan Library
All Welcome
Contact Sue Peacock 4633 8261

The Forbidden Dance Company

We currently provide fun private dancing classes to suit every individual. Salsa, Bachata & Merengue.

NUTRIMETICS

If anyone is interested in getting a Nutrimetics Brochure delivered to your door please contact Katie on 0404140659

AVON CALLING

Antonia 0411 602 400

LIBRARY

The Wollondilly mobile library visits Menangle every Friday between 11am and 12noon. You will find it parked in St James Ave

ADVERTS

LIONS CLUB OF CAMDEN MARKETS

from 7:30am Saturday
at Onslow Park
[next to Camden Showground]
Ph: 0417 230 418

MACARTHUR LEARN TO SWIM

2/53 Cawdor Rd Camden
ph. 4655 7735

House Cleaning

My name is Malaika Hall [15yrs old]; I am working to earn extra pocket money by cleaning houses
If interested, please contact me on:
0451-142-947 (Price negotiable)

AFTER SCHOOL CREATIVE ART CLASSES

1A/31 Cawdor Rd, Camden



Local Macarthur artist Hannedora has teamed up with professional art therapist Julie Finch to produce an arts based after school program that will foster creativity, imaginative thinking problem solving skills and self confidence. They will deliver a range of stimulating creative activities that will encourage interaction and relationship building, while developing one's own unique visual language for self expression and self exploration.

The fun and creative program will cultivate the imagination through the exploration of a range of artistic modalities and mediums.

Classes:

Primary School

Monday & Wednesday 3.45pm – 5.15pm

High School

Monday & Thursday 5.45pm – 7.15pm

Limited to 8 students per class

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