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Long Walk to Bush Theatre

Next film at the Nimbin Bush Theatre's monthly movie night is the epic biopic, *Mandela: Long Walk to Freedom* (2013), directed by Justin Chadwick and starring Idris Elba and Naomie Harris.

Based on Nelson Mandela's 1995 autobiography, *Long Walk to Freedom*, the film chronicles his life's journey from childhood in a rural village through 27 years of life imprisonment, and finally through to his inauguration as South Africa's first black chief executive and then its first democratically-elected President (1991-1997) – all the while tackling the institutionalised racism of that country and fostering the critical process of racial reconciliation.

Sadly, Mandela (1918-2013) passed away on the eve of this film's release, but this film stands as a testament to the man's courage and the strength of the relationships that helped him to rise to become such a beacon of love and peace for the world – a fitting antidote to 'September 11' hype,

The film screens at 7.30pm on Friday



with Aunty Maj and Uncle Norm

Dear SSHS,

My husband only goes to the Doctor when he is nearly dead. How can I persuade him to look after his health better? – Mrs H. Chondriac

She says

Dear H, getting men to the doctor is like taking your dog to the vet. You virtually have to put them on a lead and drag them in the door, shivering and shaking. Left to their own devices, especially if it's something embarrassing, it seems they would rather die than go to the doctor and get their vitals checked.

This is surely the reason women live longer than men, and married men live longer than bachelors. If I don't go with my husband he will say "there's nothing wrong with me, I only came because my wife made me."

It seems their only strategy for handling illness is to ignore it and hope it will go away. Maybe society is to blame for insisting they be stoic work-horses. My father retired without taking any of his sick days and then had to sue for all that sick pay owing him. He died not long after at 67. Would it have hurt to take a few days off and rest when he needed to? I'm sure it would have prolonged his life.

My husband wont even take his medicine. I have to administer it, but even then he resists. I've tried crushing it up and putting it in his food but he's not fooled that easily and



11th September, with free music from the *Dinkum Bohos* (5.30-7.30pm) next door at Phoenix Rising Café (full menu

available). Film tix \$10, available at the door or online: www.nimbinbushtheatre. com/events

refuses to eat it. I tried stuffing it down his throat when he's not looking, but he just spits it out. OK, that was the dog, but Norm is not much better. What peeves me is that I know it will be me who has to look after him if and when he gets some serious disease that could well have been prevented. To answer your question, I just don't know.

He says

Dear Mrs Chondriac, I would argue the point that men don't go to the doctor. We go when we need a medical certificate for a sickie or the dole office. We go when we accidentally hack something off at work or in the garage at home. Men go to the doctor when stretchered triumphantly unconscious from the sporting field, and yes if we do have a heart attack, stroke etc. we'll visit the hospital. But unless something happens which disrupts the normal bodily functions of eating, sleeping and shitting, we don't see the point.

Wifey always wants me to go when I feel perfectly well. Doctor says "what are you here for?" I say "I dunno, you tell me." I have to endure all that poking and prodding, the cold stethoscope and needles only to be told there's nothing wrong with me, but I should stop having such a good time, or there soon will be. Basically the doctor does unpleasant things to you and tells you things you don't want to hear, and with my lifestyle, I'm always worried he'll find something sinister and tell me to go gluten free!

In a perfect world all men would lead healthy, active lives, eat sensibly and see their doctor regularly. We'd all be living to 110 or even longer. Are you ladies sure you want to put up with us for that long? Be careful what you wish for.

Benny Zable reporting from New York

by Benny Zable

The Big Apple has been keeping me busy. Costumed people are now under attack again by New York law enforcers, so I have been avoiding showing up in my costume at protests around the place, although I have attended a number of Raging Grannies rallies (*pictured*).

However, I attended Hiroshima-Nagasaki 70th commemorations with flags and costume both in New York and Woodstock see: www.facebook.com/pages/ Woodstock-Walk-for-the-Universal-Day-of-Peace/786961271392159 In New York, I gathered with activist friends around the IMAGINE circle at Strawberry Fields in Central Park, and in the city in front of the Japanese Consulate. Ecofest, the environment festival I have decorated here in New York for a great many years, pulled it off again in Times Square. The overall theme was Climate Action Now! Two of the artists who were playing are planning to visit Nimbin next year. Check it out online at: http://spookhandy.com/wp and visit Woodstock's own Dharma Bums:



was being repeatedly being projected throughout the night, until after midnight.

This would be another great doco to have shown at the Nimbin Bush Theatre, with Nimbin Environment Centre involvement.

You just can't avoid the Presidential nominations race here. Donald Trump is all the talk on mainstream media towards the build-up for the nomination of a Republican candidate to take on the Democratic nominee Hillary Clinton, who is getting embroiled in a Julia Gillard-style media slur over some email confidential issue, while Bernie Sanders, the Democratic Senator from Vermont, is gaining popularity through social media, in spite of limited mainstream media attention. Vice President Biden has also joined the race to the White House now, with blessings from President Barack Obama. I will be off to the Woodstock Museum for their annual film festival with my son Wanagi, when he arrives in the first week of September. Also in September, the Pope will be visiting New York on the way to meet with the President...



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www.dharmabums.org In early August, I went out to check out the images projected on the Empire State Building, promoting the documentary 'Racing Extinction', see: www.racingextinction.com/thefilm New Yorkers and visitors stopped to look and listen on their electronic devices to what was being projected. It

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Over the airwaves



with Bob Tissot

Hello and welcome to *On Air*, Nim-FM's monthly print-radio program; radio you can start the fire with! It's nice to be with you again.

Well, after nearly five months in the making, our new studio 1 broadcast desk has finally (and definitively) arrived from Perth, which brings the studio upgrade and refurbishment program that much closer. You can smell the excitement in the office like an exotic incence.

And don't forget, there are still some vacant spots at various times during the week. Come down to the office and have a chat. And speaking of new shows, have you checked out *The Gumbo Shack* on Sunday and Tuesday mornings, 7am-10am with Chris? Motown, R & B, a little bit of gospel and so much more.

And now it's time for Spotlight, and this month the glare of publicity falls on Helmut Katterl (*pictured*), who produces *Tribal Planet* every Wednesday 11am-1pm. OA: Helmut, welcome to *On Air*. Could you tell us why you got involved with

- Community Radio?
- H: Thanks Bob. You know, I believe it stems from a desire to make other people feel good. It probably goes back to my childhood in Austria as the son of a refugee... just desperate to be loved.
- OA: And you thought community radio was a gateway to love?

H: (laughing) Possibly. But seriously, I've been involved with music and sound production for many years. Back in Melbourne in the bad old days I had a recording studio called Richmond Recorders. It was a very alternative studio and we tried to mix it with the big boys. We had a lot of product go through, but because everything was leased, not a lot of profit stayed with the company. I realised pretty quickly that musicians don't have much money so I introduced the cutprice midnight to dawn sessions. \$250 plus



the wages of whatever engineer they use. OA: So who recorded there?

H: Oh, just about everyone. Men at Work did a demo album there before going to the states, Nick Cave, The Models. This is late 70's, early 80's. Then, after going crazy down there I moved to Cairns for the next 25 years and got involved in Cairns Community Radio. And discovered that I really liked it. Later, when I came to Nimbin, you talked me into getting back into it. OA: So why *Tribal Planet?*

H: Well, I've always been fascinated with Indigenous peoples and their tribal structures, particularly because tribal structures are, without a doubt, the most successful structures in terms of sustainability. These structures not only embrace sharing but they have an understanding of limitation; all things have limits which to my way of thinking needs to applied to the whole planet, hence the theme of the show.

OA: How does this translate musically.
H: Oh, quite a bit of world music. But I like to explore issues. Last week we discussed prosperity without growth. Stuff like that. I also like to play music from "Trade Friendly" labels so to speak. Artists like John Butler and Jeff Tweedy who actively encourage people to freely share their music.
OA: Helmut, thanks for chatting.
H: It was good.

And briefly, a couple of musical recommendations with firstly, the latest offering from Blue King Brown. It's a great piece of work called *Born Free*. Recorded in both Melbourne and Jamaica, this CD is 100% revolutionary one-world reggae, definitely worth a listen. The other is from Nikki Bomba's outfit, Bustamento, entitled *Intercontinental Journal 7*, with a dozen tracks inspired by an equal number of countries that they've played in.

'Til next month, Ciao.

Garden guardians

by Diane Wilder

Nimbin Preschool children, parents and staff were recently presented with an amazing surprise: the Nimbin Garden Club had decided to donate \$500 to us towards the purchase of more trees and plants for our ever-growing and evolving garden.

Our thanks go to the members of the club and especially to Andrew Barton



Where do the clothes go?

The world according to Magenta Appel-Pye

woke up wondering where a certain beloved velvet, polo neck orange top had gone. Did I really throw it out or had someone stolen it? Along with my alpaca wool shawl that I wore as a skirt. I saved up a long time for that. What happened to my electric blue lycra boob tube? That was worth hanging on to just for the memories! I probably gave them to the op shop to make room. I have a strict rule that I can only acquire new clothes if I throw out the same number. At my age, my wardrobe is overflowing.

Recently I bought a jacket from Vinnies and when I got home I remembered that I had donated it last year! I like to think I'm doing them a favour but deep down I know it means I can now get new ones, secondhand, of course. I see the op shop purchase as a donation to the needy, especially when I am in need of a shopping fix.

When I was five I had a pair of mermaid pyjamas. I loved those pyjamas and every night I dreamt I was a mermaid cavorting with the sea creatures. One day my Mum



threw them out. I was furious with her. Things like this can ruin you for life if you let them. Anyway I still have a beautiful connection with the sea creatures and often dream of them so I guess the moral of the story is it's not so much about the clothes themselves, but who we think we are in those clothes. Yes, it's all in the imagination.

Though these days I'm more of a yippy – a yuppy hippie, I'm glad I still have my fabulous rainbow flares for Mardi Grass.

Time for compassion

by Marilyn Scott

ugust has been a big month... as we make Lout way into the last quarter of this mighty year. This is a big year – the power to manifest - its gift. What we manifest, that's the thing. It's the end of a cycle for me... being a Virgo – a new one unfolding. But I sense that it's also for us as a collective. Something is building – coming to a head. It must be time to rid ourselves of those who stand in positions of power and responsibility, who will not or cannot act with integrity, sincerity, honourable intention and basic human principles. It's surely time. A recent report from the UN states that the number of people displaced by war, conflict or persecution reached a record high of nearly 60 million around the world in 2014. This is not acceptable. Women, men, mothers, fathers, humans - we need to make a stand. This cannot continue. Many of these displaced refugees are children. This is heartbreaking; many having to flee with only the clothes they're wearing or what they



true human being. The first super full moon of the year closes the month of August and begins the last chapter of this great year of promise. A super full moon in Pisces – hopefully showering us with much needed compassion. Super moons are more potent than other full moons because of their proximity to the earth. This one is big. We need to face where we are. What we're doing and where we're going. We can no longer put the responsibility of our lives into another's hands. Emotions will be

heightened; things may come to a head. It has a climactic feel. The sense that Earth. The 21st September is International Day of Peace (check it out online, heaps happens around the world, events you can participate in, music, performance - it grows bigger every year)... Peace is possible - it's up to each and every one of us. Maybe we can celebrate Peace Day in our communities, bring it to public awareness - the need for peace in our world and within our self. To be a part of the solution participate in making this world a peaceful and loving place for all. This Earth was created with much abundance, enough for everyone. It's time to change the way we do things. We cannot continue the same way. We've come to the end of the road. The big super full moon in Pisces on August 30th is similar to the blood red full moon eclipse on August 29th 2007, when I 'saw' that everything had changed. Something big is in the air. Eight years since that similar event... eight in numerology is the number of power. Are we empowered? Eight is the sign of infinity. Happy Springtime.

for visiting the preschool to discuss the donation with us, and then organising this within the Nimbin Garden Club. We would also like to thank Lorraine, Peter and Sue for coming to the preschool with Andrew to see what we have been doing, and to present their cheque to Alyse and Siena.

We are all excited about the donation, and have started to make plans for the purchase of trees for the garden. We intend to invite the Garden Club back to help us plant some of the trees. We are grateful for the Nimbin Garden Club's spirit of generosity that is so much a part of the community we live in. Alyse and Siena accept the cheque from Andrew Barton of Nimbin Garden Club

can carry. Where has our humanity gone? And here in our ancient sacred country... we turn them away.

We need to understand we are all united – what happens to one happens to all. We are human beings, said to be the crown of creation – it's time for our humanity to take centre stage. It's time for kindness to sweep the earth. We have so much – whatever we give comes back to us tenfold. Kindness is our true nature, without it we're not really a

something is building is in the air. It's more important than ever to be anchored in our humanity – to live our life from heart, to use our true intelligence. To share the incredible bounty that is this magickal Earth. So much has been given to us. There is no lack; there is more than enough... plenty for all. It's only our greed that limits the supply. We need to break down our separateness; we need to join the human family. We need to create Peace on

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Match reports & photos by PAC

Men's 6th Division

Sat 8th August Headers v Thistles This was a top of the table clash with Thistles on 36 points and Headers on 34.

It began as an even game at a fast pace with both teams having a crack at the defences. On the 15 minute mark, Headers have a shot the keeper gathers it in and runs to the edge of his goal area He rolls the ball out to a back player who is waiting for the ball to arrive and then proceed with the push up field, but Headers left wing man Gary Whisker got to the ball first, took a couple of touches and slots it past the keeper at the near post. Nimbin Headers 1 Lismore Thistles 0.

Three minutes later, Thistles have a shot across the keeper just missing the far post.

Later, Headers' Harry Waddington is unlucky not to score as he clashed with the keeper. A nice cross by Headers' player Grant Mercer but the Thistles keeper plucks it out of the air. Thistles fire a ball across the Headers goal, Ted Cox clears and the first half comes to an end.

Thistles on the attack a ball is pushed through and the Headers' keeper Nigel Hayes is collected by an on rushing Thistles forward and free kick is awarded to the Headers. Nigel Hayes can't proceed and has to be replaced by Mark Wright.

Eight minutes in Headers have a corner; Harry Waddington fires the ball over the bar.

Another Headers corner nearly produces a goal as two forwards go for the same ball just wide of the post.

With 34 minutes down, Thistles hit the bar. Thistles are desperate to score now and the Headers have a couple of scary moments but hold them out to take top spot.

My man of the match goes to a tireless Gary Whisker who marshalled the team with a captain's performance. To be fair the Headers should have scored more goals, but one will do.

len's 2nd Division Sat 8th August Headers v Lennox This was a clash, with the top team (who have played 15 games) having 12 wins and 3 draws. Was any team going to take all three points off Lennox for the first time this season?

Headers down the eastern sideline from Beau Grabovsky, a lay-off to another player who finds Phil Courtney, who passes the ball on to Beau again who slams it past the Lennox keeper to open the scoring.

The Headers are now all over Lennox who are still lucky to be only one down. On the halfhour mark, there is a lovely run by Headers Huon Campbell to the goal line. He crosses the ball to Beau Grabovsky at the far post in the middle of two Lennox defenders, who heads the ball down past the keeper to put the Headers two up.

Three minutes later, Headers playmaker Phil Courtney has a similar run to Huon, turns inside, runs along the goal-line passing one defender and smacks the ball into the net. Headers 3 Lennox 0.

Headers' Beau Grabovsky hits the far post with his shot, and not long after, Lennox pull one back with a well-taken goal, and the first half ends at 3-1 to the Headers.

Early on in the second half, Headers' forward Phil Courtney runs right through the defence and shoots right through the Lennox keeper's legs: 4-1 Headers.

Headers' left wing Huon Campbell shoots. The keeper can't hold onto the ball and Chilo Pike is on hand to slot the ball home: Headers 5-1.

Lennox get the next two goals one a thumping header, to make the score. Headers 5 Lennox 3.

The last goal of the match deservedly went to Headers' front man Beau Grabovsky (who ended up my man of the match for terrorising the Lennox defence) with a well-taken goal to bring up his hat trick. He could have had six.

Women's 5th Division

Sun 9th August Headers v Rovers The first 20 minutes of the game is pretty even. As Rovers are second on the table and the Headers have been struggling lately to hang onto fifth spot, it's been a fine effort by the Headers girls so far. Headers' keeper, Debra Lindsay makes a fine save palming the ball down and regathering.

Up the other end, Rovers have



The Rovers keeper kicks the ball from her hands outside the goal area and a free kick is awarded to the Headers. The shot is fired in and the Rovers keeper can't hold it but regathers, as none of the Headers players has put any pressure on her.

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A minute later Rovers score their second goal. Later on in the match they get another one to make it 3-0. Headers have a corner but can't seem to get the ball into the vital area.

Time is running out fast and a Rovers' cross is smacked into the net, the Headers keeper gets her glove on it but it's struck too hard. So the game ends Nimbin Headers 0 Richmond Rovers 4. In this Headers team a few players have never played football before, so keeping them at 0-0 up to half time was a great effort.

Women's 3rd Division

Sun 9th August Headers v Thistles Before this game, Thistles were in third and Headers were in fifth spot. So it should be a cracker of a game.

About 16 minutes gone on the clock Headers' forward Tessa Rutley opens the scoring. Thistles on the attack, a shot is fired in, keeper saves.

Closing on the half hour mark, the Headers have a free kick about 10 meters inside there half. Laura Rutley takes it and floats the ball over the defence and her sister, Tessa who latches on to it and is away taking a couple of touches then glides the ball passed a stranded keeper into the left hand side of the net. Headers 2-0.

Thistles have a shot very close. Taylor Moses capitalises from a bouncing ball in the Thistles box and stabs one past the keeper Headers 3-0 and that brings the first half to an end.

Headers have a corner. It's headed out by a Thistles defender. A nice cross by the Headers and a volley over the bar. Thistles are trying hard to reduce the deficit and are rewarded as a forward beats the offside trap and with four defenders chasing her hits the ball passed the keeper Headers 3-1. With time running out, Thistles pile on the pressure but the Headers defence stand firm and see out the game and Thistles drop down a spot on the ladder.



the Workers keeper to open the scoring.

Whenever Workers mount an attack, the Headers defenders are dealing with it and the keeper, to this point is well protected.

Down the other end of the pitch Headers, have some shots but not on target but one nice header by Harry Wddington just goes the wrong side of the post. The first half comes to a close with Workers down one nil.

With about three minutes into the second half. Geri Price-Iones who had a few pots at goal in the first half, hits a screamer from outside the penalty box on the right of the field straight across the keeper and into the far corner of the net. Headers 2 Workers 0.

Just about three-quarter time, the Workers get a penalty and No. 9 steps up to take it. He fires the ball in (some kids off the field are watching and their hands go up in anticipation), sending the keeper the wrong way but just grazes the bar and goes over the top.

As the game is in the final phase Headers player Finlay Floate, jinks his way through the defence and puts the icing on the cake. So the final score is: Lismore Workers 0 Nimbin Headers 3.

Men's 2nd Division

Sat 8th August Souths v Headers The first goal comes after 13 minutes when the Headers make their first substitution and bring on their jack-in-the-box front man Beau Grabovsky who with his first touch of the ball, smacks an incoming cross with his head, straight back over the Souths keeper: 1-0 Headers.

Souths are doing their best to remedy the situation, being nine points off a finals berth, but the Headers defence are keeping them in check.

With 22 minutes down, Beau Grabovsky gets his brace, and there's now virtually no way back for Souths. Headers 2-0.

Then Headers' Phil Courtney takes the ball to the goal line and crosses the ball to a player in the six metre area in front of a defender (who is flagged offside). The goal does not stand. If an attacking player takes the ball to the goal line, he then puts everyone on-side. South Lismore have a few more shots on target early in the second stanza, but Headers keeper, Uri Ross deals with them pretty comfortably. With 20 minutes to go, the Headers change keepers with Craig Stieler replacing Uri Ross in goal. Then Headers defender Tom World, (who has put in a man of the match performance defending, supplying the forwards and making the odd run through the middle to the attack) makes one of those runs

and puts the ball past the keeper before they collide. Headers 3-0. Souths have a corner and the ball is hit towards the near post with the Headers keeper tipping it

out. Nothing comes of the second corner.

With the shadows now getting longer by the minute, Beau Grabovsky gets his hat-trick with a ball he pushes across the keeper, with two defenders left in his wake and the keeper sprawled on the ground. Headers 4-0.

Phil Courtney gets in on the act with a run at a defender, accelerating, turning and firing home past a defender on the near post who drops his head to head the ball, but it's already hitting the back of the net. Headers 5-0.

With the final minutes being played out, the Headers keeper makes two more fine saves, and the score at full time is South Lismore 0 Nimbin Headers 5, and Headers hang on to their second spot two points clear of Burringbar and heading for a home semi-final against said team.

Women's 5th Division

Sun 16th August Alstonville v Headers

This was a game the Headers were never going to win, as circumstances (say no more), collaborated to seal their fate. They went down one-nil.

Men's 6th Division

Sat 22nd August Headers v Caino First ten minutes even game so far Headers just shading it. Headers Gary Whisker on the left, shoots just wide of far post.

On the 25 minute mark some nice play, and a shot across the keeper by the Cobras (and with some confusion in the Headers defence) opens the scoring Headers 0 Casino 1.

Later a Casino player gets booked for a foul. Headers Gary Whisker, has a shot but the keeper saves, but the ball comes off a defender and out for a corner. The ball comes in and the defence clears but the ball falls to Headers Sam Madley (who's uncle Paul Madley used to play for Leeds United in the 1960's and 70's I've seen him a few times playing against Leicester City) He thumps the ball back passed a stranded keeper. Headers 1 Casino 1. Now the Headers are taking charge as they hit the post. Then Harry Waddington is knocked over in the box (no penalty). And so the first half comes to an end. Headers' Welsh wizard Geri Price-Jones, has a shot from way out just passed the post with the Casino keeper glued to the spot. Some nice passing play by the Headers from midfield to the right wing, finds Geri Price-Jones who floats a lovely cross over to left wing, Gary Whisker who slips the

Straight from the kick-off, Lennox kick the ball right at the Headers keeper (strange). I don't know what that was all about - maybe they have used it in the past and it came off, but not this time.

The Headers started like a firecracker but all shots are wide or over the bar and with 20 minutes down, a nice run by the

a corner and a forward heads just wide.

Then the Headers have a few moments but can't get a shot on target. After the drinks break the Headers' keeper makes another save from a corner this time. A nice run by a Headers player but she shoots wide. Just before half time, Headers have a free kick just outside the penalty box. Taken

Soon after the second half starts, a Rovers forward has a shot which just grazes the post and goes in 1-0

by Virginia Waters but it's fired

straight at the keeper so the first

half ends 0-0.

Men's 6th Division

Sun 16th August Workers v Headers The Workers were sitting in fourth spot but had lost the plot lately having a shock loss and a draw. Headers were straight into their rhythm and on eight minutes left wing forward, Gary Whisker runs through and in between two defenders fires the ball past

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ball across the keeper and two defenders into the far corner of the net. Headers 2 Casino 1.

Then Headers' Michael Longmuir hits the cross bar. Nigel Hayes then tries to chip the Casino keeper who just saves. The last of the play, Casino go for a spectacular shot trying to catch the Headers keeper out which did not work, and so the Nimbin Headers rejoice with a minor premiership win, taking top spot three weeks before and holding on to it.

Men's 2nd Division

Sat 22nd August Headers v Bangalow We heard before the game that Bangalow were short on players and might not come but they did, and a credit to them as they only had eight players. They were second last and Headers were second.

As the game progressed and the Headers were well on top, the large crowd were calling out for the Headers to take some players off and make it an even game, but they didn't and the Headers supporters started singing "Come on you Bangers". They responded by scoring a lovely goal and a big cheer went up.

Before the end of the game they scored two more, the last being a lovely halfvolley across the keeper. The Headers scored some spectacular goals too and it finished Nimbin Headers 13 Bangalow Bluedogs 3.

Women's 5th Division

Sun 23rd August Headers v Workers A Headers forward is through but

shoots wide, same player again shoots at keeper this time.

Then there was a period of one team attacking then the other without any break through.

Headers are piling on the pressure Geraldine Kerr has a shot wide. Then down the other end Headers keeper



palms a shot down corner. Headers have a free kick just wide of right hand post. Both teams had their chances but could not finish.

So at full time Nimbin Headers 0 Lismore Workers 0.

Women's 3rd Division

Sun 23rd August Headers v Rovers End to end stuff starts this game Headers have a shot, Rovers keeper saves.

Nice play by the Headers from defence to forwards and Tessa Rutley is on the end of it 1-0 Headers.

Tessa Rutley again receives the ball in the middle of the park looks around for support and then runs straight through the middle of two defenders and smacks the ball past the keeper 2-0 Headers.

With 25 minutes gone, Rovers take advantage of a defensive mishap and their centre forward hits a good goal past the Headers keeper. Headers 2 Rovers 1. Tessa Rutley for the Headers hits the post. So that's how it ended at half time. At the start of the second half, Tessa Rutley is unlucky not to get her hattrick.

A Rovers' player gets booked for barging a Headers defender over as she tries to shepherd a ball out for a goal kick.

Rovers are unlucky as a shot crashes back of the bar. Then Rovers No.11 hits a ball from 20m out a lovely goal. Headers 2 Rovers 2.

With time running out, Rovers get a slice of luck as two Headers players get in each others way in defence and the ball spills out to a Rovers player who smacks it back into the net. Rovers, before this game, were second last on the ladder and Headers with a win, would have gone to fourth spot and would have had a home semi-final. But Rovers produced a massive form reversal and the game ended. Nimbin Headers 2 Richmond Rovers 3.





Grade 9 at the Alstonville carnival by Karen Symonds & Rebecca Ryall

The Nimbin Headers Grade 9 (Whites) are an awesome group of local kids whose skills and strengths have really solidified over the course of the season. This group of talented and committed boys and girls, along with coach Jon Bell, have enjoyed their games, regardless of the result. While they haven't racked up too many wins this season, they have continued to approach each match with passion and enthusiasm. Tom, Tashi, Cooper, Aiden, Djamahl, Eve, Mika, Lydia, Phoenix and Zak have all found their place on the pitch and have played an impressive season of football of which they can all be proud. In addition to their regular Saturday morning games, the Grade 9's participated in the Alstonville Junior Carnival in which they played five games back to back, with some players

subbing for other teams and playing a total of 8 games of football over the course of the day.

Junior soccer is a great way for kids to gain and maintain fitness during the winter months, as well as finding new friends, and of course learning to get along as part of a team.

We encourage all families to consider membership of the Nimbin Headers Sports Club as a fun and fantastic contribution to both physical and mental health, as well as finding real connection with our wonderful community.

by Marco Bobbert + photo

Nimbin Headers Grade 8 (yellow) 2015 has proven that team spirit, enjoying football, and developing



Headers Grade 8 (yellow)

With skills and tactics improving each week... look out 2016!

Crossword

Nimbin Bushwalkers Club September-October walks program

13th September

Mount Cougal

Leader: Tony Isaac (07) 3206-2539 or 0421-810-248 late pm. Grade: 4 Following the tick-exclusion fence along the NSW/QLD border to the east peak. A steep rock climb to the peak is rewarded with views of Mt Warning, Border Ranges, Currumbin Valley to the sea. Meet: Corner of Garden of Eden Road and Tomewin Road 9.30am. Car pool from there to the start of the walk.

Bring: Lunch, water, hat, sunscreen and a hiking staff

27th September

Minyon to Condong Falls, returning on fire trails. Leaders: Anne Gilmore & Peter Spearritt (ring or email from Friday 18th Sept 0413-450-440 or: agilmore@ozemail.com.au) Grade: 2. 4 hours duration. All walking on made tracks and fire trails, with gradual descents and ascents. Start at Minyon Falls and then walk through gum, black wattle and Cyprus pine bush, which should also provide some pretty spring flowers on the drier side of Minyon Falls. Finish with picnic lunch at the carpark. Meet: 9.30am at the Minyon Falls carpark on Minyon Falls Road. Bring: Water, hat, lunch.

11th October

Mt Jerusalem National Park

Leader: Bill West (0429-933-544)

Grade: 4 All day 12 km walk to Mt Jerusalem Summit return. **Meet:** 9.30am at 689 Commissioners Creek Road. Go through Uki on Kyogle Road turn left into Doon Doon Road leading to Cramms Farm, turn into Commissioners Creek Road at the entrance to Cramms Farm – 689 is past the second creek crossing. **Bring:** Water, lunch and hat

24th 25th October weekend camp

Forest Tops, Border Ranges National Park Leader: Michele Alberth (02 6632-1214) Saturday: Set up camp at Forest Tops, drive back down to Sheepstation Creek for shorter walks – palm forest walk, possibly rock hopping down Sheepstation creek. Grade: 3 Sunday: Brindle Creek Walk: 5 km, 3 to 4 hours through very beautiful rainforest. Car Shuttle. Meet: Saturday 24th October, 10am behind Kyogle Visitors' Centre. Bring: Food, camping gear, water, rain protection, National Parks camping fees as well as NP vehicle access fees.

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5.30pm	6.00pm	Leaving	Arriving
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AUCTION – SAT 12th SEPT

Clearing Sale on account of Bill Charters at 711 Mountaintop Road, Nimbin

- Shibaura Tractor SE3040 w/ jib crane
 Yamaha Generator EF4000
- 1000 litre plastic water tank
- Timber slabs: Red Cedar, Silky Oak, Hoop Pine
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ESCAPE TO NATURE \$248,500 12/52-62 Cadell Road, Mount Burrell

This home is spacious yet cosy, enjoying a warm sunny aspect. The owners have developed the property over many years to provide a comfortable and sustainable lifestyle. Fully off the grid with solar power, yet connected to the wider world with an ADSL internet connection. The property is set amidst 3 acres of lush gardens and elevated rainforest in a small well established community bordering the Mebbin National Park.



STYLE & SUSTAINABILITY \$595,000 6 Cadell Road, Mount Burrell

Sitting high on 20 acres is this spacious 3 bedroom home taking in glorious views of the Blue Knob mountains and Tweed Valley country. Historic bridge timber and hand crafted detailing are a feature, as are the hand-made mud bricks and the high-spec kitchen. A walk up the elegant wide staircase leads to a lightbathed gallery featuring a library and office nook. The huge master bedroom opens out onto its own large private balcony.



NEW LISTINGS



TIL TILLY TALES \$319,000 433 Koonorigan Road, Koonorigan

Nestled into the hillside high on the Koonorigan ridge on a leafy road sits this pretty 1940's country home. Built for the schoolmaster, this home carries a lot of history. This is a sweet little 2 bedroom home, freshly painted with original features, like the lovely wood-fired stove in the kitchen, which have stood the test of time handsomely. Polished timber floors throughout and a large timber deck to enjoy the garden scenery.



INSTANT CALM \$655,000 958 Boyle Road, Coffee Camp

This 2 storey house is well hidden behind the tropical oasis that surrounds the in-ground pool. It has 4 bedrooms and can be divided into 3 separate self-contained dwellings. Large verandahs offer plenty of private space and are great for entertaining. There is a 3-car lock-up garage and a car park under the house. Connected to mains power with the added bonus of grid interactive solar. Set on 15 acres of fertile creek flats, bordered by Goolmangar Creek.



SECRET GARDEN 6 Sibley Street, Nimbin

\$220,000

Over the bridge and across the stream sits this character 2 bedroom village home. Tucked away on its large 1700 m2 of lush tropical gardens, this charming cottage has a wonderful leafy setting. A roomy kitchen and large sun-room are a bonus, along with a covered workshop or parking space under the house. Outside sits a terrific 2-bay shed with power and water, ideal for workshop or home business potential.



SITTING PRETTY 33/265 Martin Road, Larnook

\$255,000

This magical home sits atop 2.5 acres, making the most of its lush views to the Mackellar Ranges. The light and airy 2 bedroom cottage is full of charm and ambience. Sunny wrap-around verandahs provide the perfect spot to relax and soak up the views. Outside the rich, fertile gardens have been lovingly maintained with permaculture practices, providing fruit and veggies in abundance. The home has a new greywater system too.

RECENTLY SOLD

- 1. 761 Keerrong Road, Keerrong
- 2. 21/1175 Stony Chute Road, Nimbin

GREEN PARK \$450,000 166 Stony Chute Road, Nimbin

Sitting upon 29 luscious acres, you'll find this 3 bedroom brick home, boasting stunning views of the Iconic Nimbin Rocks. Spacious open-plan living and dining area with high ceilings and beautiful floor-to-ceiling windows. Beautifully renovated well-appointed timber kitchen. 9m x 5m Colourbond shed with power, including 2 x 15 amp outlets, and a double carport. Grid solar power and hot water, fully fenced yard, veggie garden and 3 grazing paddocks.

CONVENIENT RURAL LIVING \$349,000 22 Basil Road, Nimbin

Sitting on 1/2 acre in a quiet residential street just outside Nimbin, this 3 bedroom (plus huge rumpus space) family home is very well equipped for a sustainable lifestyle, benefiting from grid connected solar and solar ready hot water systems. A major plus of this property is the self contained large rumpus room located below the main house. All the hard yards are done: the front garden is as low maintenance as you want to make it.

3. 14 Donaldson Street, Coraki

4. 10 Sibley Street, Nimbin

5. 185 Gungas Road, Nimbin

- 6. 2 Nimbin Street, The Channon
- 7. 573 Blue Knob Road, Nimbin
- 8. 13/1057 Cawongla Road, Larnook
- 9. 128 Gungas Road, Nimbin

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