

Yorkeys Knob Matters

President's Report

Thank you to all the members who came along to our annual and special general meetings on Tuesday 26th October. The Yorkeys Knob Residents Association confirmed the existing committee going forward to the coming year.

We were joined by Belinda Finnigan of Yorkeys Knob State School who gave a presentation on volunteering opportunities within the school. See inside this newsletter for more information.

Following the Covid cancellation in 2020, your residents association has been working hard to develop a Christmas event within our lovely beachside community. This year, the event will move to our beautiful foreshore as the centre for a family friendly Christmas Twilight Market. This year, we will have entertainment on a central stage featuring Yorkeys Knob State School Choir, FNQ Brass Band, Japanese Drummers, Stringed Orchestra, Hip Hop Dancers and more! There will be rides available for children from Wonderfair and we're happy to provide a free ride ticket to the first 100 children to arrive.



Yorkeys Knob
**TWILIGHT
CHRISTMAS MARKET**
Saturday 27 November 2021
4pm to 8pm

- Entertainment • Markets
- Food • Refreshments

Sims Esplanade
Yorkeys Knob



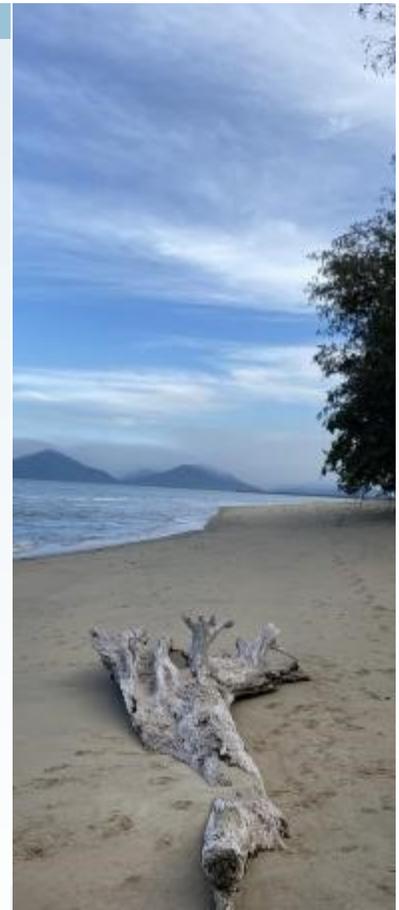
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Supporting our Esplanade restaurants of Hidden @ Yorkeys and Ten06, will be food providers of Smok'n'Steel, German Sausages, Frying Dutchies, MacAlister Brewing Company, Ice-Cream and more!

Bring your picnic rug down between 4pm and 8pm on Saturday 27th November and enjoy the entertainment and the great Christmas shopping options of our Christmas Markets.

NEXT MONTHLY MEETING
7.30PM TUESDAY 30th
NOVEMBER, 2021
At the Yorkeys Knob
Community Centre.

Adrian Gover
President



Driftwood on Yorkeys Knob Beach

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**YORKEYS KNOB
RESIDENTS
ASSOCIATION**





Yorkeys Medical expansion

Exciting news “We are expecting!” Doctors to join Yorkeys Medical

Yorkeys Medical is excited to announce we are expanding the centre with the arrival of two doctors in January 2022.

To welcome the doctors and enable increased services for the community, we will need a brief closure of Yorkeys Medical to complete renovations.

The scheduled closure will be the 11th November 2021 to the 21st November 2021.

During this time, existing patients will be able to book telehealth appointments via HotDoc.

We would like to thank the Yorkeys Knob and Northern Beaches community for your support and we look forward to providing additional services in 2022.

Practice Manager Wendy

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Roll up your sleeves for our school

Schools are an integral part of any community. The education and development of young people is integral to the development of the community as a whole. At our last meeting of the Yorkeys Knob Residents Association, we were visited by Belinda Finnigan, the school's operations manager. Belinda has highlighted a range of opportunities for volunteering in a range of school activities and wrote to us:

Hello Yorkeys Knob Residents Association members,

Thank you for allowing me the time to talk at your general meeting last Tuesday night. As I mentioned, our school is eager to build connections with the local community by encouraging interested members to volunteer at our school and come along to events we hold throughout the year.

Our next event is the School Garden Working Bee which is being held this Saturday (6/11/21) from 8.30am to 11.30am. On this day we will be cleaning up the existing garden beds, planting out our Bush Tucker garden and setting up recycling areas. Everyone is welcome to come along.

For those that are interested in volunteering at the school, we will have to organise a Blue Card. This process is done online and takes about half an hour to complete. Please contact me via email: operations@yksspandc.com or by phone 0458 507 671 to arrange a time to process your application.



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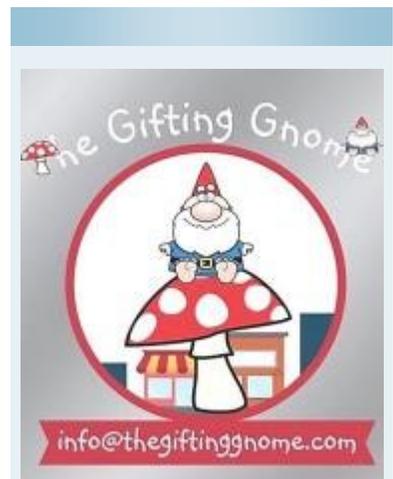


Refurbished Crowns Revealed

The King and Queen of the Knob, Adrian and Kirsty were crowned at the Festival of the Knob in June this year. After many years of service, the crowns were showing quite a lot of wear so Liz D'Achille of the Gifting Gnome in Yorkeys Knob stepped up to the challenge.

The crowns have been refurbished using local materials to continue use in times ahead.

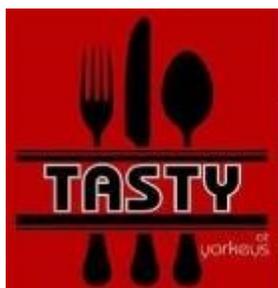
Thank you to Liz and all at the Gifting Gnome for your support and assistance.



Vale Noel Joseph Draper

Andy from Ten06 contacted Yorkeys Knob Matters to advise of the passing of a local resident, Noel Draper. Noel was regularly seen popping in and out of local venues on his mobility scooter and Andy said he was a regular guest at his restaurant. Noel passed away on the 19th October at the age of 85.

Our thoughts go out to Noel's family.



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Changes to Ray Howarth Reserve

Last month we raised concerns about apparent changes to the Ray Howarth Reserve description and zoning. Following this, Councillor Coghlan of Cairns Regional Council was contacted for clarification. Inquiries revealed that the Ray Howarth Reserve has been zoned Sport and Recreation since Cairns Plan 2005 with no changes in subsequent planning updates.

The most recent update to Cairns Plan 2016 is underway and this will be monitored going forward to ensure the protection of this parcel of green space.



Christmas Markets being planned for Yorkeys Knob

The Yorkeys Knob Twilight Christmas Markets are planned to go ahead on Saturday 27th November between 4pm and 8pm. A full schedule of entertainment will be on the stage, situated on the Sims Esplanade parklands, opposite Wattle Street. There will be food vans available with MacAlisters Brewing Company to provide food and refreshment, while our local restaurants, Hidden @ Yorkeys and Ten06 will be open and welcoming guests to their venues. Market stalls will be spread out along the Sims Esplanade parklands, offering great Christmas gift ideas.

The Yorkeys Knob Residents Association have produced polo shirts with the new logo representing our coastal headland and website. These will be available for sale at the Christmas event for \$45 each and will be available at a special price of \$40 for members of the Yorkeys Knob Residents Association. For any inquiries about polo shirts, market stalls or the event in general, contact residents@yorkeysknob.com



Thank you for assistance

Yorkeys Knob Residents Association maintains two community noticeboards in our shopping centre. Recognising that these were starting to look a bit worn, Tim from Café Yorkeys stepped up to assist. Tim provided paint and his father Andrew gave a bit of time to paint both noticeboards, freshening them up. Many people stop and read the newsletters in these noticeboards, so a big Thank You to Tim and Andrew.



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