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View towards Tynong North from Mt Cannibal

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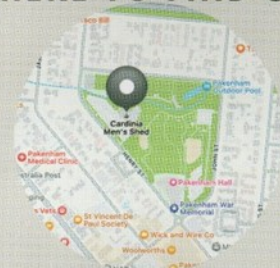
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A note from the editor...

Dear Tynong,

It's been a tumultuous month in the Railway Towns, with a series of break-ins affecting businesses in Garfield, and of course our very own Post Office. We're very glad the damage wasn't worse and of course thankful that no one was hurt, however it's a very unsettling experience, and thankfully very rare. In such a close knit community, not much goes unnoticed and being vigilant and observant is the best way to protect yourselves and our neighbours.

Even in this wintry weather, it's a great time to get out and about exploring the local community—case in point is the cover photo of the view from Mt Cannibal. If you haven't climbed Mt Cannibal recently, go and reacquaint yourself with this gorgeous spot. While it's quite a short walk (around 45 minutes), it is steep, slippery and rocky at points, so not suitable for prams, bikes or wheelchairs unfortunately, but it's still reasonably achievable for anyone with moderate fitness and wanting to take in the views. If anyone has a favourite local walk they'd like to share photos from, send them in!

We have a small town working bee at the end of the month and would love to see you there for some minor beautification works on the town—from the memorial to the community rooms. A small spruce up just before spring will be just the thing.

This month also sees Vietnam Veterans Day, observed on the 18th. It's a day to say thank you to those who were called to service in the Vietnam War. You might know that some veterans didn't feel properly honoured for having served their country in Vietnam. In 1987, veterans received the welcome home parade that some felt had been denied them when they returned from war. Around 22,000 Vietnam veterans marched through Sydney, in front of a crowd of some 100,000 Australians.

Hope you all have a fantastic month.

Happy reading!

Caroline



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Tynong Post Office Break In | Pauline Preston

It is disappointing to report that the Tynong Post Office was the target of a burglary on 16 July, which left damage to the front window of the post office, and several Tynong residents without parcels.

Vic Police are investigating this and several other similar break-ins in the area and hope to find the offenders soon.

Thank you to all that have expressed concern about this happening in our tiny town, it is always comforting to know that we have your support and good wishes.

Even though the post office itself was as secure as it can be, it is a reminder that we should all be aware that this can happen in Tynong so, lock up your houses and garages; and don't leave purses, wallets or purses valuables in your cars overnight.



Maurie and Pauline Preston, Tynong LPO Licensees



Bang a gong for someone in Tynong!

Thanks to the local resident who pulled over on Tynong Road at the bend just before the freeway and picked up the rubbish that had been strewn along there. Your efforts did not go unnoticed—thank you for taking the time to tidy our town.

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A Brief History of the Cunningham Family in and Around the Railway Towns | Gerard Cunningham

Thomas Cunningham emigrated from County Clare, Ireland in 1856, and had 12 children with Margaret Burke. The two eldest sons, Matt and Ned took up tenant farms on land owned by the Chirnsides family at Werribee South.

The area of the Koo Wee Rup swamp as yet uncleared was opened up for selection and purchase of blocks in 1901, ranging from 60 to 120 acres. Paddy Cunningham, younger brother of Matt and Ned took up one of these blocks in 1903 on the corner of the 11 Mile and 9 Mile drains. Paddy's older brother Tom who had been gold mining in WA, took up another 120 acres next to Paddy on the Nine Mile Road. The brothers worked together on clearing their blocks.

About 1907, Paddy and Tom took up another block on Daly Road, just off the 9 Mile Road, in the name of their father Thomas. Tom (Senior's) wife Margaret had come to Daly Road with their 3 younger daughters, Julia, Kit (Catherine) and Ellen (Nell) and their youngest son James (Jim). An elder daughter Margaret who was a widow with one daughter had come to NNG with her parents at the same time. One of the Bunyip South (Iona) settlers, Michael Scanlon, had left his block at Iona and was now running a Butcher shop from Tynong. He teamed up with Margaret McCarthy (Cunningham) in 1912 and they went on to have 6 children.

When my brother Barry and I compiled the list of descendants of Mathew and Margaret in 2002, the Scanlon line had the greatest number of descendants. About 1915, Tom junior who now had 10 children swapped his block on the 9 Mile Road for a block next door to his parents on Daly Road. His original block on the 9 Mile was taken over by Michael and Margaret Scanlon.

Meanwhile eldest son Mathew who had been tenant farming for the Chirnsides' at Werribee decided to join the family in the NNG district in 1913 by purchasing a property of 120 acres on the 8 Mile Road. They came with 10 children – Mary, Julia, Joseph, Agnes, Thomas, Mathew, John, Vince, Daniel and Bridget. They called the property "Iona Vale". The property had been pioneered by the Stribling family who had the store in NNG. The original homestead still remains having been beautifully restored by its present owner Trevor Parker.

A further 3 blocks were added to the original purchase by Mathew and Margaret. "Fergusons" on the southern corner of the Convent School Road, "Denman's" on the northern corner of the 8 Mile Road and Convent Road and the "Costellos" on the eastern side of the 8 Mile Road.

With so many children belonging to the Cunningham and related families around the 8 and 9 Mile Roads, a Convent Catholic School was required. Under the leadership of Matt Cunningham and Michael Scanlon, a Catholic school – St Josephs, Cora Lynn was opened in 1918 in Convent School Road. The building still stands and is now owned and occupied by Ambrose Byrne, the son of the famous Goon residents Bernie and Phyllis Byrne of "Creekside", Nar Nar Goon South.

From this point, I shall concentrate on the family of Matt and Margaret. "Iona Vale" on the 8 Mile Road and their children and grand children. Of the 10 children, only 3 of the boys married. Two of the daughters of Matt and Margaret – Julie and Bridget- became Nuns with the Sisters of St Joseph. They spent the next 50 plus years teaching in Catholic schools all over Victoria.

Joe married Rita Finnigan from Cora Lynn. They had 2 children, Matt and Veronica. Joe died very young in 1941. Tom "Pompey" Cunningham married Winnie O'Donoghue from Dunnstown near Ballarat. They had 6 children – Maureen, Barry, John (Jack), Gerard, Patricia and Gregory. Dan Cunningham married Bridie McGrath from Nar Nar Goon. They had nine children: Phonse, Bryan, Peter, Maree, Dan, John, Carmel, Pauline and Bernard. Dan was the businessman of the family. In the 1940s, he and Bridie set up a carrying business based in NNG. Milk cartage in cans to the Bayles factory was the mainstay of the business plus the cartage of potatoes and other farm supplies around the Nar Nar Goon district.



Nar Nar Goon Football Club 1970 Premiership Team (four Cunninghams in the team)

For the male members of the family, football was the sport of choice. All 6 sons of Matt and Margaret played for the Nar Nar Goon and the Nar Nar Goon/Iona successful teams during the 1920s and 30s. Joe and Dan were both captains of a couple of those teams. Pompey was one of the star players. He continued to play with Nar Nar Goon until he was 44 years old!!! He played a couple of games for Richmond in the early 30s and a couple of games for St Kilda a few years later. Dan played a couple of games for Melbourne. One would have to ask why they didn't go on? Perhaps they weren't good enough!!!

The next generation produced a couple of VFL players. Of Matt and Margaret's 10 children, their son Joe was the father of Matt the third, who was a star player for Nar Nar Goon in the early 1950s. In 1954 he won the Clancy medal for the Best and Fairest in the Gippsland League. He was recruited by Fitzroy in the VFL in 1956 and played 3 seasons there before returning to play with Cora Lynn. Pompey's eldest Barry, was on the list at Collingwood as a 16 year old but returned to play for the Goon. As a 21 year old he was appointed playing/coach of Nar Nar Goon and led them to be runners up, losing the Grand Final to Pakenham.

Phonse Cunningham (Dan's eldest) played in the 1965 Nar Nar Goon premiership coached by Billy Drake from Pakenham.

Tom (Pompey's) second son John (Jack) was part of Hawthorn's 1961 first VFL Premiership team.

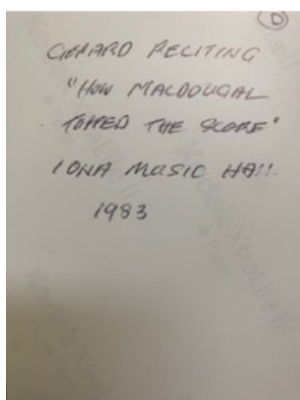
Barry also coached at Lang Lang and Cora Lynn before returning to the Goon to play for them in the 1970 Premiership team. Four Cunninghams – Barry, John, Dan and Gerard played in the 1970 premiership team at Nar Nar Goon.

On the girls side, netball featured strongly. Pompey's second daughter Patricia (Patsy) had a long and successful career playing NNG. Dan's wife Bridie one of the original organisers of the West Gippsland Basketball (Netball) Association in the early 1950s.

Political involvement at both a Local and a Federal level was a feature of the family over the years. Matt from "Iona Vale" was a Councilor for the Berwick Shire from 1918 to 1932. His son Dan, took up that role at the Berwick Shire 1960 to 1980. Pompey's eldest son Barry was elected to the Federal seat of McMillan (now Monash) in 1980. It was most unusual for a famer to be elected for the Labor Party. Barry had inherited his support for Labor from his father who stuck with Labor when most of his religious connections and relations had gone over to the DLP and eventually finished up with the Liberals. He also had loyalty to Ned Hogan, a cousin on his mother's side who was Labor Premier of Victoria in the 1930s.

Barry was a great supporter and friend of Bob Hawke and ended up Chief Government Whip in the Hawke Government. Barry held the seat for 13 years until he was defeated in 2013.

As shared with the Nar Nar Goon History Group.



Gerard Cunningham over the years

Nar Nar Goon History Group is next meeting on Monday 18 August, 2pm, at St John's Church in Nar Nar Goon. Guest speaker Jason Downes will share the story of his family who have been part of the fabric of Nar Nar Goon for many years.

Fancy a Drag? Bingo at The Garfield Hotel

The Garfield hosted its first Drag Bingo Night on Friday 8 August and a sold out audience was treated to a night of frivolity and hilarity. Drag performer Brenda Bressed sashayed around the packed dining room calling out numbers, calling out patrons, providing some light singing entertainment and handing out prizes to the lucky ones who managed to concentrate on their bingo cards amid all the fun. The night finished with a round of music bingo, which really got the crowd shouting out the names of their favourite guilty pleasure hits in an attempt to be the first to get the coveted double bingo row! A great local night out, with hugely generous meals and a sparkling night's entertainment. Keep an eye out for your next chance to break out the glittery wigs!



Brenda Bressed strutting her stuff



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Tynong Progress News

The meeting held on Wednesday 13th August saw the committee of 2025 – 2026 take its place.

Our committee consists of Pauline Preston as President; Josh Busuttill as Vice President and Minutes Secretary; Janet Chandler as Secretary; Denise Vanderveer as Treasurer and Gladys Quigley, John Sarafis, Paul McGrath and Caroline Taylor as committee members with Caroline Taylor once again, agreeing to be editor of the Tynong Tabloid. Well done Janet for taking on the role of Secretary!

We have a full year of projects to work on to reach successful outcomes, with advocating for a master plan for the Princes Highway still on the agenda. We are preparing to upgrade the Tynong Memorial on Railway Avenue on 31st August from 10am with light lunch provided. If you have a bit of a green thumb, we would love to have your help as we will be replacing some of the existing plants and adding some new ones.

Christmas will be upon us before we know it and we are once again offering to give residents wooden Christmas trees similar to last year's for you and your families to decorate and display at your homes. Keep an eye out for the details. Our Christmas party in December has been a hugely popular event and this year's will be no exception with a few new attractions.

The Tynong Strategy and town drainage are still projects that we are working on and we hope to have the ear of Cardinia Council and MP Wayne Farnham to help us make sure that these issues are seen and resolved. We also hope to have Wayne attend a meeting in the near future who is more than happy to listen to any concerns that we have

We are also quietly working at funding for renovations to our new community rooms (formerly the old Infant Welfare Centre) on Railway Avenue. We were reminded at the Progress meeting that we need to find a name for the building so keep an eye out for your opportunity to help us name the building.

We are also contributing information on Tynong to the West Gippsland Rail Towns website that will be accessible to all the towns along the line. It will include details of community groups and local businesses. If anyone would like to have their group or business added to this page, please contact us by email tynongprogressassoc@hotmail.com

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 10th September 2025, 7.30pm at the Tynong Fire Station, feel free to come and join us.



Pauline Preston accepting the Garfield Community Community Shop Grant on behalf of the Tynong Progress Association

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Reader Request: Tips for Dealing with Barking Dogs (cardinia.vic.gov.au)**If you hear a barking dog...**

1. Let the owner know about the problem. Speak to the owner first to make them aware of the problem and let them know how it is affecting you. Sometimes owners may not be aware their dog is barking too much if it happens when they are not home. Letting them know about the problem gives them the opportunity to fix it.

If you are not comfortable speaking with the owner directly, we suggest you print off and fill in the details on this Letter to owner of barking dog (available via cardinia.vic.gov.au) and drop it in their letterbox.

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**If you own a barking dog...**

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Tips for reducing barking

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To our Infill planting of the 2023 planting site. We have around 1500 indigenous tube stock to fill some gaps along Lovers Lane to continue the ongoing revegetation project. This creates vital habitat for local endangered species like the Southern Brown Bandicoot and contributes to the Cardinia Shire's Biolink Plan.

When: Sunday 14th September
9:30am - 2pm

Where: Lovers Lane - follow directions for parking

RSVP: Monday 8th September

Coffee Van
and Sausage
Sizzle

What to bring:
Gloves, sturdy and waterproof footwear, Raincoat, Sunscreen, hat, water bottle and eye protection





Pam - 0407 876 935 or
cannibalcreeklandcare@gmail.com

Pam Cunningham

July has been a busy month for the members of the group with a planting on a private property in Tynong North. This was followed up with 2 plantings at Lovers Lane with the staff from Ausnet plus some year 9 students from Pakenham Secondary college.

August looks to be busy with Chobani and Ausnet staff coming again to do another planting. Pakenham Secondary College are visiting the site also. Garfield Recreation Reserve is holding a planting on the 10th August, which our group will support.

In September we are holding a planting to finalise our planting days and we invite the local community to join us to see the growth in our last years of planting.

If you are interested in joining the group or attending any of these events, please contact Pam Cunningham on 0407 876 935 or via cannibalcreeklandcare@gmail.com

Garfield Rec Reserve Enviro Action Team

Beswick st, Garfield

This Greening Garfield Project has grown from the following Cardinia Shire Grants:

- 2022 Beautification Grant 500 plants + CEC Plant Giveaway
- 2023 CEC Indigenous Plant Giveaway + mulch
- 2024 Mulch
- 2025 Biodiversity Grant 1000 plants + CEC Plant Giveaway



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Cardinia Shire Council News | cardinia.vic.gov.au**Garfield North Community Centre starts to take shape**

Construction is progressing on the much-needed Garfield North Community centre, a multifunctional space for local residents and organisations to hold community gatherings and events.

Since commencing works in May, More Building Group has been on site completing earthworks and preparing the land for construction. The slab pouring was completed in early June, roofing and framing works are complete and external cladding, window and door installations are currently underway.

Modules have arrived on site to support the new community centre's modular build, including a social room, kitchen, meeting room, storage, amenities, and a spectator cover/veranda.

Cardinia Shire Council Mayor, Cr Jack Kowarzik says the new building is set to become a central gathering point for the community.

'Located within Cannibal Creek Reserve, the new facility will be a hub perfect for community and social events, supporting various user groups in the area'.

'We're grateful for the community's patience and support throughout the construction process and look forward to seeing this project come to life' he says.

The project is supported by a \$1.3 million Victorian Government Growing Suburbs Fund grant, advocated for by user groups and the Cannibal Creek Reserve Committee, as well as a \$1 million investment from Cardinia Shire Council.

Over the coming months, contractors will be finalising the window installation, the solar PV system, and completing the mechanical, electrical and plumbing services rough in. Works are anticipated for completion late September/early October, pending weather conditions.

To follow the progress of the Garfield North Community centre build, please visit

<https://projects.cardinia.vic.gov.au/places/garfield-north-community-centre-garfield-north/>



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Arborist (Tree care)	Tree Designs	Matt 0400 645 606 matt@treedesigns.com.au
Arborist	Davidson's Tree Services	Brendan 0477 117 774 tynongtrees@gmail.com
Auto mechanical repairs and service and tyres	Bunyip Tyre Service	12 Bunyip-Modella Road, Bunyip 5629 6100/0407 879 443 info@bunipytyres.com
Bank	Community Bank Bunyip & District	18 Main Street, Bunyip (03) 5629 6091
Builders	RAW Building Group	Rod Hall 0473 233 509 rod@rawbg.com.au
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Café	Brewsters	81-83 Main St Garfield 0407 151202
Café	Granite Café	36A Railway Ave Tynong 56162931
Carpet care	Sterling Carpet Care	0409 010 106 sterlingcc@bigpond.com.au Garfield
Dental clinic	Bunyip Dental Clinic	7 Main St, Bunyip (03) 56295676 0415 207212
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Service type	Business name	Contact
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Opportunity shop	POSH Opportunity Shop	8 Main Street, Nar Nar Goon 0404 696 333
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Old Time Dance

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\$10.00 admission (includes supper)
Music by Lloyd Poole

All Welcome!

Enquiries
Phone Kaye 0407 343 754



Cardinia Residents and Ratepayers Association

Address: GPO Box 161, Officer 3809.
Email: crara@gmail.com Website: www.crara.org.au
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Ring Maree McRae on 0468 411 144 for further information or you are welcome to just turn up.
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Mobile Library and Internet Access

The Mobile Library visits Tynong every Monday at the Tynong Hall car park at 18 Railway Ave, Tynong from 3:30pm to 5:30pm. Membership is free!

Free Internet access is available at all libraries in Cardinia Shire including Emerald, Pakenham and the Mobile Library service. Many neighbourhood houses and community centres across Cardinia Shire also provide public Internet access, which is funded through a state government program. For your nearest neighbourhood house, contact Council on 1300 787 624.

Cannibal Creek Landcare Group

The Cannibal Creek Land Care Group meets every 3rd Sunday of the month from 9.30am – 12.30pm at various properties.

For more information contact Secretary Pam Cunningham on 0407876935 or email: cannibalcreeklandcare@gmail.com.



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Community Notes

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Tynong Hall Committee

To hire the Tynong Hall please contact Denise Davidson on 0415 552 539

Tynong North Friday Group

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from 10am (except Good Friday) at various locations.

For more information and details contact

Kaye Howells on 0435585964

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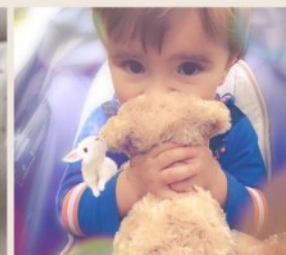
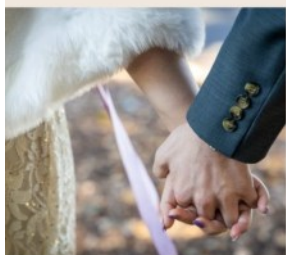
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Bunyip Doctors 03 5629 5111
Bunyip Police 03 5629 5205
Email: bunyip-uni-oic@police.vic.gov.au
Non urgent Police contact 13 14 44

Council 24/7 1300 787 624
Councillor Alanna Pomeroy
Phone: [0436 353 194](tel:0436353194)
Email: alanna.pomeroy@cardinia.vic.gov.au

Garfield Chemist 03 5629 2408
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1 September Mobile Library 3.30 Tynong Hall	2 Tynong Playgroup 20 Railway Avenue 9.30-11.30	3	4	5 Tynong North Friday Group	6	7
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