

# PAGININI COMES TO DELEGATE.

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March, saw a unique opportunity for a local audience to hear an internationally renowned violinist perform in their own town. An appreciative crowd in the Delegate School of Arts on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March were treated to Jonathon Glonek's masterful rendition of the Paginini's 24 Caprices, considered one of the most difficult ever written for the violin.

Jonathon who has played in St James Church on Picadilly, London, Carnegie Hall in New York, and Sydney Opera House, likes promoting serious classical repertoire to audiences which would not normally have the opportunity.

Jonathon who lives in Thailand visits his property over the border at Bendoc several times a year, and during one visit offered to do a performance of classical violin music, to raise money for maintenance of the historic School of Arts Building. He has promised that this performance won't be the last, and I am sure although there was a good crowd in attendance on



Saturday, there will be even more when news of his performance spreads. Next time he hopes to have a pianist to accompany him. R: Jonathon shows his mastery of the violin Below: L. Marian Ingram and Trish Campbell chat with Jonathon after the performance, Centre: The Ponsford family enjoyed the show, R: Some of the lovely items on display at the Borderline Gallery (see page 16)







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# • <u>Dates for your Calendar</u>

- 14th July Friends of Errinundera AGM
- 16th July—Men From Snowy River meeting
- 17th July—School of Arts Meeting
- 20th July—Darts Grand Finals, Delegate Hotel
- 27th July—Darts Doubles
- 21st August—History Panels workshop

## IN MEMORIUM

# Pat Ventry 26/7/2007 Friends are Forever Memories are Eternal Gail, Max and the girls

## THANKYOU

The Delegate Public school P & C would like to thank, parents, families and community for their donations and help for their street stall held 21st June.

## **DELEGATE MPS**

Jane Redmond, Women's Health Nurse Clinical Nurse Consultant



# FRIENDS OF ERRINUNDERA

Annual General Meeting Sunday 14th July, 2013 2.30pm Bonang Hall All Welcome

### WOOD RAFFLE TICKETS

Yr. 6 fundraiser drawn week 16/7/13– tickets available at post office and general store.

# Visiting Staff Profile

Name: Jane Redmond

**Job Description:** Women's Health Nurse/Clinical Nurse Consultant.

Jane has worked in this field for 26yrs. Jane is based in Cooma at the Cooma Community Health Centre and provides regular free, confidential outreach services to the townships of Jindabyne, Bombala and Delegate.

**Service provided:** Pap test, Breast examination, contraceptive advice, pregnancy testing/counselling, sexuality issues and menopause counselling. Jane also provides Education and information sessions on Women's Health Topics.

**Highlight of Career:** This is a fantastic job. Living and working in a rural area and working one on one with Women is so rewarding. Being able to "make a difference" in Women's lives and to normalise otherwise embarrassing procedures has assisted in her acceptance within the local communities.

**Appointments for Delegate MPS** are on the Third Wednesday of the month – For appointments ph: 6459 8000

Appointments are also available in Bombala on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month Ph: 6458 5777

# YOUNG FOOTBALLER WITH LOCAL CONNECTIONS

Pictured on left of photo is Declan Leaney, son of Darren and Kristy (nee Nichol), of Coffs Harbour, who with the two other boys in the photo has been selected in the NSW Country Junior Cockatoos Rugby Union under 14 Squad. Many will remember Declan's grandfather Bill Nichol playing with the successful Delegate Tigers Rugby League side which made the Grand Final in group 19 in 1976. Unfortunately for the team Bill moved to Coffs Harbour with his parents, the late Win and Arthur Nichol, a few weeks before the finals, and his presence was missed in the forward pack. Declan is the great grandson of Pat Walker formerly of "Bendolba", Delegate. His

coach Dave Nicol tips the boys are on the springboard to great careers in the 15-a-side game, and said that having three players emerge from the same coastal zone is remarkable.



# **Council and Other Doings from Bill Bateman**

As I will be away for some weeks if you see no action over the next month or so on the issues I raised in last month's Delegate Doings I would recommend you ring Council and ask when action might possibly be taken on your particular issue.

Budget and planning meetings have agreed that, barring last minute changes, the following major works items will be undertaken in the Delegate area during the 2012/2013 financial year;

- Bitumen the steep hill out of Corrawong Creek on the Corrawong Road, and other resheetings \$160.000.
- Upgrade the Delegate Showground toilets \$95,000;
- Improvements to the Delegate caravan park, \$30,000; and
- Another 1Km of tar on the Highway South, \$170,000
- Minor works such as replacement of sewage pumps and other local jobs will also be undertaken.

Major works planned for 2014/2015 include;

- Delegate grandstand repairs \$20,000;
- Repair Showground bull yards and shed \$20,000;
- Continue Footpath upgrade \$20,000; and
- Tingaringi Rd 6.1Km resheet, \$116,900

I continue to lobby hard for other unfunded major works items in the district including;

- Widening of a culvert on the Tombong Rd;
- Delegate main street upgrade;
- Delegate Cemetery entrance and gutters;
- Further improvements to the Caravan park amenities block and a kitchen upgrade; and
- Tennis courts upgrade

The Delegate water supply problem is being worked on by staff and further information will become available as and when Government departments get back to us with more details on what might be done

## **ENJOYING PAGININI**







Above left: Trish Campbell and Denise Nichol.

Above right: Sue Walcott and Leonie Walmsley caught up over a cuppa.

Jan Farrell, daughter-in-law Kathy, and grand-daughter came from Bombala to hear the violin presentation by Jonathon Glonek.

## THE GEMINI BIRTHDAY GROUP

Those pictured below all celebrated birthdays in July, from left to right: Trumby Thompson, Phil Pope, Sandra O'Hagan, Anthony Twomey.

Sandra was pleasantly surprised to be greeted on arrival at the home of Maree and Phil Pope, by the crowd singing "Happy Birthday". She was also the recipient of some very nice gifts.



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## DELEGATE RIVER BREAKS IT'S BANKS

Heavy winter rains, particularly in the Victorian border area, has seen the Delegate River breaking it's banks in sections of 9 Bill Jeffreys Park. A good sign, as the level had been quite low prior to the rain.





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An elderly hospital patient was tired of one particular nurse, talking to him like he was a little child. He had had enough of this particular nurse, and one day he took the apple juice off his breakfast tray and put it on his locker. Later he was given a urine bottle to fill for testing, so he tipped the juice into the urine bottle. When the nurse came a little later, she picked up the urine bottle and said "My, it seems we are a little cloudy today".

At this he snatched up the bottle, and drank the contents down, saying, "Well, I'll run it through again, maybe I can filter it better this time. The nurse fainted.

# **Some Alternative Meanings:**

Wrinkles: Something other people have, similar to my character lines.

Committee: A body that keeps minutes and wastes hours.

# THE TUESDAY CLUB DO TRIVIA

Members of the Tuesday Club had a pleasant afternoon at the Delegate Cafe exercising their brains answering Trivia Questions compiled by Natalie, followed by a cuppa. Members were asked for ideas for future gatherings, and some interesting suggestions were put forward. The next one in July will be held again in the warmth of the Cafe, and then it will be eyes down for Bingo. There were two lucky door prizes, 2 lovely hand knitted scarves, kindly donated by Alma and Evelyn, won by Lorraine Kading and Natalie.







Above: L. Sandra Walker, Heather Jones and Jean Talbot were part of the winning table, missing from photo Marie Chapman and Gloria Cotterill. Above right: Jayne Sellers, Lorraine Kading, Jean Manning and Bessie Cameron, missing from photo Sue Guthrie and Lorraine Cottrell. Right: Natalie reads the questions.

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## SUCCESSFUL WORKSHOP

An interesting workshop was conducted by Andrew Gray of South East Arts, a the RTCT Centre on Wednesday 26th. June. Participants were tutored on the art of doing labels and history panels for museums and galleries, advertising panels and how to write descriptions of the article on show. Advertising panels for the History Museum at the School of Arts, Lavender House, The Settlers Hut, and the Borderline and Bundian Way Galleries will be a project for the group to work on. Participants were encouraged to bring their ideas to the next workshop to be held on 21st August. Below: The group, found the workshop helpful.



## **BRUMBYS SCULPTURE**

Doreen Standen advises the following:

She has contacted several experts, including Ann Cummins who is a conservator at Sydney Artefacts Conservation, and Paul Hopmeier, regarding the problems which have arisen with the brumbys' sculpture. Unfortunately the sculpture has proved to be unsuitable for outdoors, due to plaster and shellac being used as a finish. One way would be to take a mould and recast, which would prove to be very expensive. In it's present state it would have to be placed under cover, and finding a suitable spot which is open to the public, is proving to be a problem.

One area being considered is the verandah of the RT/CT Centre, but it would have to be partly covered in, because of our very cold winter climate. Doreen continues to make enquiries to find appropriate conservators who may live closer to Delegate, but it looks like whatever is decided it will involve a great deal of cost.

We will keep you posted, when we have more information.

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# **Cherry Blossom Time.**

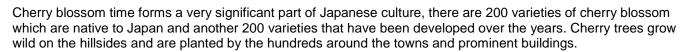
Our ship the "Sea Princess" called at three ports, Nagasaki, Osaka and Yokohama, in Japan, on our Cherry Blossom Cruise, last March / April. At each port we went on excursions to see a little more of the countryside and

culture.

At Nagasaki I chose to visit Arita, where there is a famous 600 year old porcelain pottery factory. Pottery from this place was exported to England and Europe over two centuries ago showing for the first time, their thin porcelain pottery ware which was highly prized. We saw the pottery being made, decorated and then saw the kiln used to fire it. The finished urns, vases and plates etc. were on show in their specialist shop, beautiful but I'm sorry to say well out of my price range!

On the drive to Arita, we travelled through wooded mountains, dotted with wild cherry trees, with flat farming valleys that followed the tiny rivers and streams. Agriculture appeared to be fairly primitive

like rice paddies and orchards but with no sign of any mechanical equipment in use anywhere.



The cherry blossom season is of short duration as well as being unpredictable. After a very long cold winter, Japan had a few days of quite hot weather the week before our ship arrived in Osaka, so we were very fortunate with our timing to see the cherry blossoms this season.

We visited Osaka Castle whilst we were in Japan where there were at least 600 trees out in flower, it was an unforgettable sight with hundreds of people having their picnics under the blossoming trees, because they believe their Gods will look favourably on them, sending down blessings with the falling blossoms.

At Yokohama, on Tokyo Bay, our last port in Japan, we were greeted with wind and pouring rain, weather not

withstanding, we took our coach to Hakone National Park. On our journey we had a pit stop at an ultra modern toilet block, which consisted of about 50 + toilet cubicles, as you entered, the light went on inside and outside, the seat was heated (sheer bliss in 14\* C temp.) and when you left the toilet, it automatically flushed. It was a real eye opener! We continued on to our destination, where we took a cable car

over a volcanic valley exuding sulphur fumes and the nearby hot springs, then we had a sail on a large volcanic lake. It was a shame that the rain persisted so we didn't catch sight of our main objective, Mount Fuji. We returned to the port and when everyone was back on board we set sail for our next





# **Delegate Multi Purpose Service**

<u>Wellness Clinic</u> is held at the MPS, in Craigie Street Delegate. People come to the clinic for procedures and assessment by nursing staff.

The clinic is open

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Every week except public holidays No.

Every week except public holidays. No appointments necessary.

A variety of procedures are available.

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# Pathology clinic

Wednesday 9.30am – 10.30 am. No appointment necessary. Closed public holidays.

# **Other Services**

Women's Health Nurse

3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of the month

Dietician and Diabetes Educator

2<sup>nd</sup> Thur of the month

Immunisations – 4<sup>th</sup> Fri of the month

Podiatry – for HACC clients – monthly

Ring the MPS for appointments for the dietician, diabetes, immunisation, podiatry and women's health 6459 8000

<u>Child and Family Health</u> – visits Delegate MPS on a regular basis ring Kirsty on 6458 5777 for an appointment.

## ABORIGINAL STORIES SHARED

The photo below appeared in a paper in the ACT. It was taken on the day of the celebration organised by the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage, Manager for southern NSW Paul House. It shows one of the McLeod descendents, and in the background Philomena Collins, who was an interested spectator at the ceremony.



# **DELEGATE SCHOOL NEWS**

## PRINCIPALS' PUBLIC SPEAKING

On Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May the annual Principals' Public Speaking competition took place. It is earlier this year so the potential winner can compete in the district competition the next week.

Thank you to Brahnie, Faith and Russell who competed so well at the recent Public Speaking. We were very proud of their efforts. Congratulations to Jessica Feilen who won the Judges' award and to Chloe Wilson who won the Encouragement award.

children per day. The NSW Government is committed to reducing the risk to our children.

Our children do not have the natural ability to read canine body language and so need to be taught about warning signs and what to do in a potentially dangerous situation. Children do not have an innate understanding of dogs.



## K12 CLASS ROOM- PET CARE DAY

On the 19th June 2013 the Responsible Pet Education Program educators will bring their tested dog to our school and present a dynamic 40 minute interactive presentation. The presentation uses song and dance, role plays, and question and answer methods to empower the students with the knowledge and skills to stay safe when interacting with dogs.

Statistics show that children between the ages of 0 - 9 years are those most at risk of dog attack and, unfortunately, most incidents between dogs and children occur in the family home with a dog that the child is familiar with.

In the past three years there has been an average of one death, 482 hospital admissions and 1628 hospital emergency room visits with injuries as a result of dog attack . . . Almost 6



Per Westman presented It's a Mad World on the 18<sup>th</sup> June 2013. Two very different characters, Firstly the stagehand – a simple man, shy and out of place, who is forced onto stage where he confronts his nerves and nerdiness to triumph over all his fears. Secondly the star – cool, calm and confident, the consummate professional, he craves the adoration of the audience and knows exactly how do get it! The Children all laughed and clapped and enjoyed the show.



# Canberra Trip

The year 3,4,5,6 students of Delegate Public School recently enjoyed an exciting excursion that was about mingling learning with fun experiences. Day 1 Saw the students touring the War Memorial and National Museum before an evening off and some ten pin bowling. Day 2 had the group visiting the Australian Institute of Sports, Questacon, the Australian Electoral Commission and Old Parliament house before an evening with CSRIO. On the final day it was a tour of Parliament House and a game of Zone 3 Laser Tag before they headed home.





## Report from Bill Bateman (contd)

Meetings attended in the last month included:

- Councillors' meeting with Bombala business houses regarding heavy vehicle parking issues;
- Delegate Bush Fire Unit's Annual General Meeting;
- Hospital Auxiliary Annual General Meeting;
- Council Monthly Meeting; I was appointed as the Delegate representative on the Committee which will organise the local celebrations of the 100th anniversary of the Anzac landings;
- Delegate Country Club monthly meeting;
- Delegate Progress Association monthly Meetings attended in the last month included;
- Meeting of the Men From Snowy River March Committee, at which I was nominated as the Committee's liaison person for Council related issues, and accepted.
- Council meeting to endorse the Community Strategic Plan.

Unfortunately I missed a Meeting with the Grants Commission for a briefing, along with other Councillors, on how grants to local government work.

I am organising a meeting in September with all of the local Section 355 Committees of Council. Also I will be trying to get the Mila and Craigie communities for a "meet you" session during September and October.

At the Delegate Country Club, with our Chef Judy Dare, we cooked up a storm on Friday the 28th. The evening was a great success and we saw a lot of meals served. It's your Club. Use it!! Will see you all again in Mid August and I wish you all well.

Bill Bateman

## THE MEN FROM SNOWY RIVER MARCH COMMITEE FORMED

At a well attended meeting on 16th June, 2013 and committee was formed to plan the re-enactments of the Men From Snowy River March, which left Delegate on 6th January, 1916. Two separate items were on the agenda, one being the staging of the re-enactment in Delegate in 2016, the other being the Australia wide 100 year Anzac Centenary to be celebrated in 1915.

Nine recruitment marches took place in NSW during 1915/16, and there are plans to re-enact those marches to arrive in Sydney at the same time on the 11th November 2015. Councils and RSL branches will need to come on board for this to be achieved, and there has already been a meeting in Sydney at which representatives of the RTA were present. The logistics will be a big task, considering the difference in the traffic on our roads 100 years on, but if it can be achieved it would be a sight to see in Sydney. It was remarked at the meeting that the young men of today may not be as fit as those who marched off in 2016, so perhaps training would need to start now.

The local re-enactment will be along the same lines as the one held in 2006, which was very successful. The Duntroon Band has been reserved for the occasion, and other attractions are being planned. The Committee are as follows:

President: Ian Sellers, Vice President: Peter Stuart, Minute Secretary: Maree Pope,

Publicity Officer: Natalie Armstrong, Assistant Publicity: Kate Wilson, Council Liaison:

Penny Judge, Sharon Buckman, Council Representative: Bill Bateman

# **HERE & THERE**

*Many happy* returns to those who celebrated birthdays in July, including Robyn Mikula, Su King, Josh Stuart, Bradley Matthews, Kay Reed. Connie Cotterill and Kirby Schofield, Phil Pope, Sandra O'Hagan, Jimmy Thompson

The Progress Association is now on Facebook, and will be updating happenings from time to time.

The Bundian Way and Borderline Galleries winter exhibitions opening, and the Men From Snowy River Re-enactment are some of the important items on the agenda. There is also a Delegate Doings Album where other items of interest will be posted from time to time. It's great to see some former residents "liking" the site.

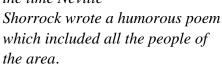
Those watching Johathon Glonek playing the violin with such skill were amazed at the hand movement required to master the difficult 24 caprices by Paginini.

It is interesting to note that Paginini himself had extremely long thin fingers, and was able to negotiate the difficult movements with ease, but it was an exercise in skill for those with a normal hand span. He was reputed to have been affected by Marfan

syndrome, characteristics of which are disproportionately long thin limbs, fingers and toes



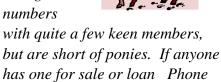
I believe the 50 year anniversary of the switch on of electricity at Bonang is coming up soon. At the time Neville



The Delegate Pony Club is gaining in strength and numbers

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banks.



Naidoc Week is from the 8th to 12th July, and the Bendoc DEPI will have a flag raising ceremony on 9th July. Their impressive building is nearing completion.

The District has had plenty of rain of late, particularly the Victorian Border areas, and as a result the Delegate river broke it's

(see photos page 7)

Doreen Standen visited the Bombala Historical Society's book launch on Saturday last. The author of the book "The Man From Snowy River" W.F. Refshauge gave an interesting address on his research into the story behind the famous poem by Banjo Patterson. The author finally decided that there was no definite person in mind for "The Man", but perhaps a mixture of personalities Banjo met in the Mountain Regions.

A charity night for Cancer Council held in Bombala proved a great success raising \$4500. The evening took the form of a fashion parade. We hear Janice Lewis walked the catwalk with her usual flair.

Tyler Jones, son of Shane and Sheree, is having a great season with the Cooma Colts Under 16's, who are leading the Can-

berra, U16 Zone 2 Competition, and Tyler who plays half or five eight is one of their key players.



Long time Courier Ivan Roberson has called it a day after 20 years of delivering parcels of all shapes and sizes to the district. We wish him well in his retirement.

# LOOKING BACK



A glimpse into the interior of one of Delegate's earliest shops owned by Edward Booth. In those days local stores carried everything from staple food items, to hardware, clothing and furniture.

Large biscuit tins can be seen in the background, and the contents were weighed into 1lb or 1/2 lb lots depending on the customers requirements and put into a paper bag. The same thing happened with tea, sugar, and flour etc. Nothing prepackaged in those days. Cheese came in large round blocks and slices were cut off and weighed as required.

The large amount of landfill caused by today's pre-packaged items was not a problem back then.

The wastage of food which takes place today, would not have happened, then, because people knew how to be thrifty, often by necessity.

Schoolboy photo from 1982—a combined Delegate/Bombala team

Back: Coach Doug Cameron



Back row L. to R Stuart Frost, Drew Manning, David Turnbull, Andrew Adamson, David Kennedy.

Middle Row L. to R. Jeffrey Douch, Jason Chaplin, Dean Lock, Ben Russo.

Front: Kristan McCarthy, John Hite, Marshall Cameron, Darren Douch.

In front holding ball: Ballboy Jordan Cameron.

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# OSWALD BRIERLY EXHIBITION OPENS AT BUNDIAN WAY GALLERY

Bill Guthrie opened proceedings and invited Ossie Cruse to give the Welcome To Country. Ossie explained how when the people move from place to place the families and friends are always welcomed to the country. Karen Cash then acknowledged the roles played by all of the groups involved in the Bundian Way Project. The Eden Aboriginal Lands Council, the Bombala Council and the Bundian Way Committee. She also announced the funding of a project co-ordinator for the Bundian Way project. John Blay then explained how this amazing collection was put together with the help of Mark McKenna and the Mitchell Library. The Brierly journals had been in the Mitchell Library since the late 1850's when they were purchased by the founder of the library David Mitchell. This exhibition is the first time this work has been represented in a public arena. In putting together this exhibition and in collecting information about the Bundian Way many interesting stories have come to light.

John Blay was then joined by Mark McKenna as they shared some of Brierly's stories and their significance to the local people, in particular the links to the Bundian Way.

Oswald Brierly worked for Ben Boyd and travelled to the Monaro over the various routes from the coast. Brierly kept two journals, one for his in situ thoughts and sketches, another for the more considered watercolours and journal entries that could be completed in his time of relaxation. Brierly was very young at this time and his fascination with the indigenous people is reflected in his enthusiastic depictions of their way of life. Brierly's journals are one of the earliest records of the indigenous life and of the impact of European settlement. After a sharing of ideas between John, Ossie, Mark and the audience Mark formally opened the exhibition.

Councillor Sue Haslingden on behalf of the mayor then opened the Borderline Exhibition Fall into Winter, commenting that this exhibition like the Brierly exhibition represents the local artists interpretation of local life.

The people attending were then invited to partake of drinks and nibblies in the Borderline gallery and to wander at leisure the many rooms of both galleries.

Below: L. To R. Ossie Cruse, John Blay, Mark McKenna, Council representatives Karen Cash, Sue Haslington and Bill Bateman. Far right: Part of the "Fall into Winter exhibition."











Below: L. to R. Painting of a bark canoe, section of gallery, Guess, Sally Girvan, Rob Cash and Maureen Peisley, Jane Sellers and Roma Brownlie









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