POP UP COMMUNITY NEWS

Mapleton and surrounds, Queensland

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WHAT IS ON THIS WEEKEND?

**** 25 November, Saturday, Mapleton Country Market, 8am to 12noon, Mapleton State School car park.**

**** 25-26 November, Saturday and Sunday, Christmas Fair**

**** 25-26 November, Saturday and Sunday, Sculptures on the Edge**

More details inside this edition

Left:: 1978 installation outside the Mapleton Co-op

Above: Recent location outside QML

Black Cockatoo Sculpture

Written by Peter Richards in 2020 especially for the Pop up Community News

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Carved by Peter Richards

I made this sculpture in 1987 as a promotional piece for the Mapleton Co-op. It doubled sales for a short while, and proved to be more durable than the co-operative.

It was made from the head-log of a local Tallowwood tree and sits in a hole about one metre deep. Tallowood is a top in-ground timber so the below-ground wood may still be serviceable, but it needs inspection.

The tree was inverted to make the sculpture, so the tail is a side branch. There was a hollow in the tree trunk which corresponded to the bird's breast, and under the tail. I inserted a separate piece of wood into the hollows and filled in the gaps with exterior glue and chainsaw dust.

I carved this pole with chainsaw, axe and carving gouge out in the Mapleton forest, but before I could have it transported into town it was stolen. News appeared in the Sunshine Coast Daily and included an image, so the thieves dumped it behind the Wappa Dam and called the police anonymously. Two officers duly brought it back to the Nambour police station in the back of their patrol

car… How they did that I do not know, but I retrieved it from there.

I received special assistance from Constable Greg Barton in its recovery – because he lived on the Range at Flaxton. The other cops just thought I was pulling their leg! Greg and Margi Barton went on to run the BP service station in Mapleton for several years until it was bought by the Anderson family.

The thieves had chopped off the bottom half of the sculpture to make it more transportable so I had to add on a separate piece of tallowwood with a large lap joint and two bolts. Checking this joint from the waiting room of the pathology premises behind it will show that the joint has deteriorated and needs work.

The new wood had a sealer paint applied and then two coats of Dulux Exterior acrylic over the top. That is the paint you can still see 34 years later, all covered in lichen. Now that's good paint! When the co-op folded and the old house was shifted - to beside the Mapleton Hall, and the doctor's surgery was built in its place, the sculpture was relocated from its temporary home at the (now defunct) scout den at Kondalilla. Having spent eight months there it was duly brought back to Mapleton and installed in front of the QML, where it stands to this day.

After all these years I am in no position to restore the sculpture, so I am hoping the Men's Shed or the Range Woodies will take Cocky on. I'm sure the local doctors would like to see something done about it. It may have deteriorated beyond viable restoration, but that could only be determined in a workshop somewhere.
I hope this information helps anyone who wishes to have something done about restoring the pole. I made the Cocky for the people of Mapleton, as public property. If the doctor's surgery still wants it that's fine, but if not it could be installed outside the Mapleton Library. Mmm… but get some machinery to dig the hole, as the ground around the library is full of rock!

Peter Richards

Peter carving the totem with the cockatoo and the lace monitor

Another installation image, this time from Joan W. collection—note not painted.

The Mapleton Men's Shed have undertaken to restore of the cockatoo.

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MALNENY GARDEN SHOW

The MGC are delighted to advise the 2023 Spring Fair was very successful raising $10,420.

Of this $3,000 will be donated to the Maleny Hospital Auxiliary to purchase equipment for the Palliative Care rooms.

$2,000 will be donated to the local Rural Fire Brigade for equipment and $2,000 to the local SES for equipment.

$500 was donated to Rotary to thank them for managing the parking on the day, this was very much appreciated by our members.

The balance will be used to purchase equipment for the Maleny Garden Club.

We have had very positive feedback from many people which makes it all worthwhile.

Our Photographer and Website Manager has put together a PP Presentation which I thought you might like to view.

With your permission I would like to send this to the Sunshine Coast Council as part of the Grant Acquittal to showcase the event.

Please click on the attached link: https://malenygardenclub.org/maleny-spring-fair-2023-photos/

HABITANCE ARCHITECTS

We did it!!

We won the Professional Services Small Business Award for 2023!

Thanks to the Sunshine Coast Business Awards for the amazing opportunity, to LPE - Queensland's Electricity Provider for being the main sponsor and to Travis Schultz & Partners for sponsoring our category.

Congratulations to Habitance.

DINNER NIGHT
MAPLETON BOWLS CLUB

FRIDAY 24 NOVEMBER

Orders taken from 6pm

Special Main

Kathy's Chicken and cashews with vegetables on a bed of rice

Nita's Creamy honey chicken

Dessert

Pavlova

Fruit compote with custard

Everyone is welcome

Make this a relaxing night away from the kitchen

A 10 multi-draw raffle– be a winner

MAPLETON COUNTRY MARKETS

25 NOVEMBER

The Mapleton Country Market is on this Saturday 25th November from 8am to Midday. Come and listen to our local entertainers - "The Impromptus" and while you're there grab a yummy waffle for breakfast or some hot food from the Lions stall. Pick up your Christmas gifts early with over 50 stalls. See you there!

BINGO BINGO BINGO

Fun on the Range in Mapleton

December Bingo has a Christmas theme so do attend and enjoy an outstanding morning tea and win as you play.

If you need a lift, call 5445 7011 and a volunteer will gladly collect you.

***Light the Lights* – only a week away**

Our Mapleton Christmas event is only a week away— 1 December. The recent rain has been wonderful and much needed. At this stage the Lilyponds Park is suitable for the function, however, if it does rain next Friday, we will relocate to the Mapleton State School and we will be able to continue with our exciting programme.

At 4:30, the *Sunshine Chimes* will perform and *Face Painting* begins. This year we have a Roving Christmas Character from 4:30. Wonderful and exciting goods and crafts will be available at the *Twilight Market*.

At 4:50, the Kindy children will lead us in *Welcome to Country*. *Miss Donna's Christmas Magic Show* will begin at 5:00. This year it is more magical with a duo Stage Show. The Mapleton Gym will be serving food from 5:00 and the Coffee van will be on site.

The *Fancy Dress Parade* will begin at 5:45. Children, let your imagination run wild! Prizes for the 'most Christmassy' and 'most imaginative' outfits.

Community Carols and Christmas songs led by Michele G. and Girl Friday will begin at 6:00. Santa arrives at 6:30 with a small gift for the children. Supported by the Sunshine Coast Council.

The multi-draw raffle has been generously supported by local businesses and organisations and it will be drawn at 6:45. Music by Michele G and Girl Friday will continue until 8:00pm.

Let the Magical Festive Tree Lighting Begin

Oh Christmas Tree, oh Christmas Tree, come and experience the magic of Montville's Christmas Tree! Come one and all to our free Festive Tree Lighting Event on the Montville Village Green Saturday December 2. Our free activities for the children start at 4pm with the hilarious Larrikins Puppets Christmas Show. We have a live band getting the party started at 4:40pm.

There are free activities for the children with the amazing Mr Jay balloon artist, face painting and Christmas Art activities. Our local Mapleton Choir who are celebrating 40 fabulous years, will be starring at 5:30pm so come and sing along.

You can snag a tasty bite at the Blackall Range Lions Sausage Sizzle with German Bratwurst sausages and prawns on a stick available and for dessert, we have the delicious Donut Kitchen on site! You can book dinner at a nearby restaurant or café.

Special guests, Santa and Mrs Santa are rumoured to arrive just after 6:30pm. Cr Winston Johnston will be turning the Christmas Tree lights on at 7pm.

Make a day of it and come up with your Christmas shopping list! Explore our boutique shops and galleries, you'll find unique gifts for all the family.

Our annual Festive Tree Lighting Event is supported by the Blackall Range Lions, Montville State School, Montville Rural Fire Brigade and sponsored by Montville Chamber of Commerce, the MVA and with special thanks to the Sunshine Coast Council for the festive event funding.

A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Kim Kirkman's Christmas concert has become a tradition at St Georges-in-the Hills as the final in their series for the year. It's coming up this year on Sunday December 3 at 3pm at the church on 2 Walkers Drive Maleny, and you won't want to miss it.

There will be lots of sing-alongs, songs and carols with Caloundra Community and Inspiration choirs, Hinterland symphony orchestra and soloists.

For your $25 ticket you also get Christmas nibbles after the show. Book at Humanitix.com , phone Susan on 0754943062, or just buy a ticket at the door. But be early there is limited space.

Lions iced Christmas cakes are now available—look for them across the Range.

KOALA BREEDING SEASON

It's koala breeding season, so let's all slow down and keep our furry friends safe on the roads.

These adorable creatures might be crossing, so be extra cautious to ensure a happy and safe season for both humans and koalas!

To report a sick or injured koala in Queensland, please call 1300 ANIMAL

How important the Mapleton Sportgrounds are? This image shows one of the helicopters used in the recent fire fighting process.

Lions Club of Blackall Range & Mapleton Public House

CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

$2 PER TICKET

DRAWN: Sunday 24th December

All proceeds going back to the local community.

lions australia
we serve

"There is something for everyone in the Lions Christmas Raffle this year.

Hurry on down to the Mapleton Public House and ask the friendly staff at the Bottle Shop to sell you your tickets."

INTRODUCING THE NEW $15 MILLION ACTIVE WOMEN AND GIRLS FUNDING PROGRAMME

The Queensland Government's new Active Women and Girls program aims to increase female participation across all areas of sports and recreation – from coaching and volunteering, to umpiring and team management, to inspire the next generation of female athletes and secure the sporting future of women and girls across Queensland.

Funding can be used for female coach employment, volunteer and team management training courses, equipment procurement, volunteer recognition, open days, and targeted programs, to name a few.

Join us in investing not just in sport and recreation, but in equality. By applying for this funding, you contribute to creating a level playing field for women and girls in sports and active recreation.

Organisations are only eligible in one of the following categories:

Category 1 – applicants are eligible for $7,500 in funding.
Category 2 – applicants are eligible for $25,000 om funding.
Key dates
Applications open – 20 November 2023
Applications close – 6 March 2024 (5pm AEST)
Successful projects announced – December 2023 to May 2024
Head to the Active Women and Girls Programme web page for more information.

THANK YOU FOR THE INFORMATION

PAT'S SHOP

AT THE MAPLETON TIP

I found exactly what I have been looking for, for months. This is such a great resource for the community, so thank you Pop up Community News team for the information.

Library Kids Play

What a great idea. My child enjoyed playing along side other children last week. Gives me time to watch the other children and make new friends. Driving from a neighbouring town was well worth the effort.

Looking forward our next visit to **Library Kids Play** at the Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

LOCAL

Lewin’s Honeyeater

Meliphaga lewinii

The Lewin’s honeyeater is renowned for its appetite for fruit. It has been considered a pest in some regions for its depredations in orchards, particularly in crops of bananas. Large, soft fruit is pecked at until its skin is pierced, and then pieces of flesh are broken off and eaten, while small fruits are swallowed whole. It may eat fruit from the plant or fallen fruit from the ground, and some are even attracted to fruit in compost heaps.

On the Range, the Lewin loves the nectar of grevillea, hakeas and melaleucas.

The Lewin's honeyeater is small to medium in size. It is dark green grey in colour, with a creamy yellow gape (fleshy corners of the mouth). It has large, yellow crescent shaped ear patches. In flight, the pale yellow edges of the flight feathers can be seen. The bill is black and the eye is blue grey. Both sexes are similar in appearance. Young Lewin's honeyeaters are similar to the adults, but have brown eyes.

Early morning and throughout the day, they are now singing. The rains have increased bird song volumes.

LOCAL

Boronia keysii

Boronia keysii is an open thin stemmed sprawling shrub to 2m in height. The plant spreads to almost 2m, the secondary branches in one plane. The young stems are covered in short, golden brown, star shaped hairs.

Flowers are a deep rose pink (or white) and grow in clusters of 2 to 6.

Leaves are in opposite pairs along the branch and are either a single blade, or divided into 3, 5 or 7 leaflets arranged along each side of a winged stalk (pinnate). The leaflets are lance like and the top leaf is at least twice the size of the side leaves. The simple leaves are usually on the lateral flowering branches. They are dark green above, paler beneath and measure up to 3cm by 8mm. Both leaf surfaces are hairless and the margins are curved under.

Even in dry times, this species will flower if in part shaded location.

Check the Coolum Community Nursery for availability.

Who are the two people portrayed in this painting by Rembrandt?

- **Two strangers**
- **The artist and his wife**
- **Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn**

Rembrandt Harmensz. van Rijn (1606–69)
Self-Portrait with Saskia, ca. 1634

Oil on canvas, 161 x 131 cm (63⅜ x 51⅝ in.)
Dresden, Gemäldegalerie Alter Meister

The renown enjoyed by Dutch Baroque painting is indissolubly linked with Rembrandt's name. Although Rembrandt had never been to Italy, the mysterious effects of light in Rembrandt's early work reveal the influence of Caravaggio. The most famous portrait painter in Amsterdam, he was showered with commissions in his early period. His *Self-Portrait with Saskia* dates from this period. In 1634 Rembrandt married the daughter of a prosperous attorney. Portraying himself in the uniform of an officer, Rembrandt convincingly conveys pride and an exuberant mood.

Community Service

JP SERVICE

Monday morning from 8:30am to 11:30am without an appointment at the Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

Or

Telephone 5445 7182 for a booking in Mapleton.

WELCOME PACK FOR NEW RESIDENTS
Are you a new resident?

Collect your pack from the
Mapleton Library and Community Centre

Hours: 2pm to 5pm week days (summer)
9am to 12noon Saturdays

What does the pack include?

- Brochures promoting community organisations
- Pop up Community News - a free weekly news for everyone with information about the events in your neighbourhood
- List of community organisations in both Mapleton Flaxton and Montville
- Zonta Business Directory
- Recent publications such as the History of the Mapleton Bowls Club

Also available at the COMMUNITY STALL at the Mapleton Country Market.

MAPLETON RURAL FIRE BRIGADE

Mapleton Rural Fire Brigade
Monthly Training: 5:30pm on the 2nd Tuesday of Month
Monthly Meeting: 5:30pm on the 3rd Tuesday of Month
First Officer (all operational matters): 0499 778806
Fire Warden (fire permits, safety checks): 0499 778806
Secretary (new members, administration): 0499 883019
Website: https://www.facebook.com/mapletonruralfirebrigade/
E-Mail: MapletonRFB@gmail.com
Address: 37 Obi Obi Road, Mapleton 4560
Postal: PO Box 366, Mapleton 4560

ST. MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

On the green, Montville

Sunday Eucharist at 8am
Wednesday Meditation with Maureen 9am
For general enquiries contact Carole Phillips at 5445 7839
Baptisms and weddings enquiries welcome.

Contact Rev'd Deb Bird 0457 519899
MalenyAnglicanParish.com.au or angmaleny@westnet.com.au

Montville Uniting Church

Services are held each Sunday at 8.15 am, except on the 5th Sunday of a month when a combined service is held at Maleny Uniting Church at 9.45pm. All welcome.

Contact: Rev. Liena Hoffman 0490 421874.

The church is open as a Reflection Gallery every day from at least 10am till 3pm.

Date Claims

LOCAL FIRE BAN

23 November-10December Sculpture on the Edge, Flaxton Gardens.

24 November Mapleton Bowls Club Friday dinner night.

24-25 November Christmas Fair, Maleny Community Centre.

25 November Mapleton Country Market, Mapleton School Carpark 8am to 12pm. Enquires countrymarket.mapleton@gmail.com or message us on Facebook.

25 November-11 December Disability Action Week.

1 December Bingo 9:30am-11:30am, Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

1 December Light the Lights, Lilyponds Park, 5pm-7:30pm/8pm plus Mapleton Country Twilight Market. If it rains, check out the Mapleton State School.

1 December Sunshine Swing Band reunion, Woombye Hall, 7pm.

2 December Festive Tree Lighting, Montville Village Green, 4-7pm. Free event.

3 December Sunday, A very merry Christmas concert, 3pm, Maleny.

13 December Corals on the Green, Montville.

2024

14 February Lovers of Books evening event, Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

17 March Sunday afternoon, Lovers of Opera Cinema Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

13 April Book Fair and min market, 8am to 12noon, Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

5 October Maleny Garden Club Spring Fair.

12 October Book Fair and min market, 8am to 12noon, Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

CHAPLAINCY AT MAPLETON STATE SCHOOL

The Christmas Gift Party was a great success raising just over $2950 towards the Chaplaincy Program at Mapleton State School. The funding the school receives covers only part of the money needed to provide this vital service, leaving a shortfall. To help cover this shortfall, fundraising is a necessary part of having our Chappy at school for two and a half days a week.

Chappy Vicki supports the school community with social, emotional and spiritual matters. On any given day you may find her running a program to help our younger students find friends and keep friends, talking individually with a student who is going through a tough time in their life, providing resources to a family who is finding the financial burden a bit hard to bear, working with a group of students drumming on Djembe drums while talking about respectful relationships or talking to the year 6 students about their transition to high school. The school chaplain role is quite varied and often adapts to the needs of the school.

Next year we are planning on opening up a Mentoring program at school. This program uses volunteers from our community to meet with a student each week and develop a positive and supportive relationship. The mentor may share one of their skills with the student (e.g. guitar playing, painting, handball) or simply play a board game with them. By participating in this program, the students get to know another trustworthy adult who will take the time to listen to them and cares about them. The adults who participate in this program will have some training provided by the chaplain and will have to have a volunteer blue card.

If you are interested in finding out more about being a mentor, please contact Chappy Vicki, velan1@eq.edu.au

Families with young children in Mapleton and surrounds, please join some fellow parents in the Library Centre on Wednesday mornings from 9-11am. There will be books, some songs and rhymes, puzzles, a HUGE teddy and some water play on the verandah.

And lots of smiles and laughs of course! We will be running this as a trial from November 15th until the end of the year. Aircon and kettle facilities included :)

Free! We just ask that you be a member of the Library Centre which is 10$ per year.

Repeats

The Maleny Arts and Crafts Group is holding its Annual Christmas Fair from Thursday November 23 to Sunday November 26 at the Maleny Community Centre in Maple Street.

The Fair is a great opportunity for visitors to sample the huge range of beautifully crafted and often unique products created by our talented members. Work that ranges over a wide range of modalities including quilting, pottery and sculpture, creative glass, fine arts, textile and fibre products, wood crafting and so much more. A wonderful range of gifts for friends, relatives or a treat for the purchaser!

We have three separate raffle prizes this year, an evocative painting, a delightful quilt and a timber bench and table.

Opening hours are:

Thursday 23/11, 5pm-7pm; Friday 24/11 and Saturday 25/11, 9–4pm,

Sunday 26/11, 9–4pm. The raffle will be drawn on Sunday at 3pm.

LIBRARY BAGS

Over the past three years, Pat Bethke has sewn dozens and dozen of library bags for children in the community distributing them via the Mapleton Library and Community Centre. When children visit the Library Centre they are gifted a bag. Additionally, each year bags are given to the Range Community Kindergarten for the new enrolments. The image includes Belinda, the Kindy teacher. The programme concludes in a few weeks time .

Pat Bethke is central. Pat is a full-time Mapleton Bowls Club member and so enjoys supporting the community in all ways she can.

Nita, on the right, facilitated the exchange from the Library Centre to the Kindergarten. Nita is also a supporter of the Mapleton Bowls Club so this is how this successful partnership has developed.

Repeats

COMMUNITY STALL

Thank you to all the community members for the support given to the October Community Stall at the Mapleton Country Market. Organisations represented included: Blackall Range Lions, Mapleton Bowls Club, Blackall Range Gym and Fitness Centre, Mapleton Men's Shed, and Mapleton Library and Community Centre.

Being on the roster gives your organisation's members an opportunity to chat and promote the features of your community group as well as provide support to all other groups. Community not-for-profit groups are represented via brochures and posters.

There has been such an increase in brochures, a new display unit will be trialled at the November market.

Located opposite the Lions barbecue stall, look for your friends in November and make sure your organisation has supplied brochures for distribution.

The Community Stall is run by the community for the community.

Text contributed by community members

PAT'S SHOP

AT THE MAPLETON TIP

Thank you for the support shown by the community for this useful facility. We have Pat's Shop back!

The disruption to the Mapleton Transfer Station shop occurred as Council transitioned to a new operations contract.

Pat's Shop is open every Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 8am to 1pm.

Pat has a good eye for knowing what our community can re-use and re-purpose.

Do not be surprised if he selects some of your 'junk' for his shop.

Sunshine Coast COUNCIL

ANOTHER JOB COMPLETED BY

MAPLETON MEN'S SHED

The second slab bench top was installed at La Botiga Cafe this week. This is the second slab of Rose Gum that was slabbed, dried and prepared by the Men's Shed for installation at the café.

Each slab represents many hours of work in preparation for installation. The slab is shaped, planed, filled and sanded many times over before it is finally oiled a installed. John Eurell, one of our long-standing members oversees and completes much of this work at the shed.

Thank you John.

Photograph above is L-R John Eurell, Karl Penna and Rob Evans

MARKET SPECIALS

China mugs = $5
Bucket hat = $10
Pot stand with cork backing = $6
Professional apron with pockets = $12
Leather book marks = $5

On the Community Stall this Saturday All funds are returned to the community.

Repeats

Maleny Printmakers

Collectables 2023

Grow the Collection

An exhibition of original collectable hand-made prints in Maleny

Forest Heart ecoNursery

Gallery Space
20 Coral Street, Maleny

Friday 10th November - Saturday 9th December 2023

Opening event on Saturday 11th November at 3pm - all welcome!

Collectables 2023

10th November - Saturday 9th December 2023
Opening event - Saturday 11th November - 3pm

Please join us to view and purchase works exhibited by:

Jacky Lowry
Jenni Matthews
Jennifer Eurell
Jillian Bergman
Karen Shaw
Katie White

Maisie Jane Fielding
Marie Farr
Megan Ruby Lee
Noela Mills
Robyn Jay
Susan Haddock

An exhibition of original hand-made fine art pieces.
All works for sale for $40 each

Friday 10th November to Saturday 9th December 2023
Open Tuesday - Friday 9am to 4pm,
Saturday 9am to 2pm

LIST OF COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS

A COMBINED LISTING FOR FLAXTON, KUREELPA, MAPLETON AND MONTVILLE

Blackall Range Care Group Ltd www.rangecare.com.au

Blackall Range Lions Club E: blackallrangelionsclub@outlook.com; facebook.com/blackallrangelionsclub/ ; http://www.brlc.org.au

Blackall Range Visual Artists www.blackallrangevisualartists.com.au

Blackall Range Woodcrafter's Guild Inc. Meets Montville Sports Ground 230 Balmoral Rd Montville. Open 8.00am to 11.30am Mondays to Saturdays.

Blackall Range Zonta Club Email: info@zontablackallrange.org.au www.zontablackallrange.org.au

Bush and Beach walking group. Meets Mapleton Public House car park on Tuesdays at 7am (winter start time) and car pools.

Hinterland Quarry Action Group
Anne Veivers 0416 155 116; aveivers@iprimus.com.au

History Group montvillehistorygroup@gmail.com

Kureelpa & Dulong Community Hall kureelpahall@gmail.com

Mah-jong Telephone 5478 6303 Mapleton Bowls Club.

Mapleton and District Community Association
(MADCA) madca.inc@gmail.com https://www.facebook.com/madca4560

Mapleton Art mapletonlibrary@gmail.com

Mapleton Bowls Club Telephone 5445 7479 www.mapletonbowlsclub.com.au

Mapleton Bridge Club Mapleton.bridgeaustralia.org
mapletoncontractbridgeclub@gmail.com

Mapleton Choir Kureelpa Hall 7pm, Mondays

Mapleton Country Market every 4th Saturday at the Mapleton State School car park. Contact Paula 0419 726603 email: countrymarket.mapleton@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.

Mapleton Library and Community Centre
mapletonlibrary@gmail.com www.mapletoncommunitylibrary.com Telephone 5445 7011

Mapleton Craft Group Wednesdays 9-12noon, Mapleton Bowls Club

Mapleton Hall and Sportsgrounds mapletonhall@gmail.com

Mapleton Men's Shed www.mapletonmenshed.org.au

Mapleton Movers Heart Foundation Walking Group meet in the afternoons every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at the Lilypond's carpark for enquiries call 0408 756353

Mapleton Quilters Mondays 9-12 noon, Mapleton Bowls Club

Mapleton RSL Sub Branch Matt Dykes 0427263595; mdykes7@gmail.com

Mapleton Rural Fire Brigade Telephone 0499 778806; 0499 883019

Mapleton Tennis Club mapletontennis@gmail.com www.tennis.com.au/mapleton-tennis-club

Montville Anglican Church huesong2@gmail.com

Montville Chamber of Commerce montvillechamber@gmail.com

Montville Masonic Lodge montville260@outlook.com

Montville Rural Fire Bridage
montville.rfb@bigpond.com

Montville School P&C msspandcpresident@gmail.com

Montville Uniting Church
minister@ourcommonlife.org.au

Montville Village Association secretary.mva@gmail.com
www.montvillevillageassociation.org.au

MVA MARKET montvillemarket.mva@gmail.com

RangeCare OP SHOP 17 Obi Obi Road

Probus Club of North Blackall Range Secretary 0493 632703
nbrprobus@gmail.com

Range Community Gym and Fitness Centre
mapletongym@gmail.com www.rangecommunitygym.com.au

RANGE United Soccer Club info.rangeunited@gmail.com

Sunshine Coast U3A u3aoffice@u3asunshine.org.au

Tennis Club montvilletennisclub1925@gmail.com

The Flaxton Craft Group lkathypatterson@gmail.com

The Range Community Kindergarten
www.rangekindy.qld.edu.au

Wildlife Volunteers Association Inc (WILVOS)

Hotline 5441 6200 www.wilvos.org.au

Mapleton Community Facebook page

www.facebook.com/groups/mapletonqueensland/

Montville Community Facebook page

www.facebook.com/groups/780987252874906/

Flaxton Community Facebook page

www.facebook.com/groups/388815358233538

Happenings – Montville and surrounds email newsletter

Subscribe: www.montvillevillageassociation.org.au/subscribe-to-happenings/ Editor.mvahappenings@gmail.com

SCHOOLS

Blackall Range Independent School
office1@brischool.com.au

Mapleton State School principal@mapletonss.eq.edu.au

Montville State School admin@montvilless.eq.edu.au

If your organisation is not listed, please let me know.
Many thanks, nita

mapletonqueensland@gmail.com

RECYCLING IN MAPLETON

SPECTACLES are collected by Lions at the Mapleton Library and Community Centre and the Mapleton Bowls Club.

CANS and BOTTLES - **Containers for Change**

Mapleton Bowls Club - There is a convenient collection point which is a wheelie bin placed near the entrance. This bin can be distinguished from others by its bright blue lid.

Mapleton State School P & C. All your donations would be gratefully received and will go towards resources for our school and students.

Mapleton Men's Shed These may be left in the bins in front of the storage shed in Mapleton Forest Drive.

RangeCare All fund raised will improve services for their clients. 360-362 Flaxton Drive Flaxton;36 Doolan Street, Nambour; 17B Bean Street, Maleny.

Please do not crush the cans you deposit for recycling.

MOBILE TELEPHONES
Roger Loughnan Real Estate, corner Post Office Road and Obi Obi Road Mapleton, is a registered drop off location for people to donate their old working phones with chargers etc. The staff will deliver these to DVSafe Phone. **Also place in any Lion's spectacle box.**

Plastic lids from drink bottles only—collection container on the Mapleton Library Centre verandah

Blister packs—plastic container on the Mapleton Library Centre verandah

Used pens—plastic container on the Mapleton Library Centre verandah

Tooth brushes—plastic container on the Mapleton Library Community Centre verandah

YARN LIBRARY- Sewing, knitting and embroidery items to swap—container inside the Library Centre

PLANT LIBRARY – there is a stand outside where you can leave you plants some one else might like.

THANK YOU to all who have already recycled many of the above items.

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Procedures for Pop Up Community News management

The Pop Up Community News was launched in 2016. The News has gone through many changes with no one organisation controlling the News—it is truly a community news: for the community by the community. Auspiced by the Mapleton Library and Community Centre since 2016 which provides insurance, financial support and much more.

The News offers opportunity to promote events and provide information to all community groups right across the Range and the surrounding hinterland

Thank you everyone.

The Pop Up Community News is edited, published and distributed by volunteers.
There will be no discussion or correspondence on matters pertaining to the Pop Up Community News.

- All articles for the Pop Up Community News are to be sent to mapletonqueensland@gmail.com
- If it is important to have an article included in a specific edition, forward article as early as possible. Generally the cut off time for publication is 12noon Tuesday each week but as this is a fully volunteer publication inclusion is not guaranteed.
- Articles can be emailed at any time. Please include contact name and contact details.
- All articles are to be sent digitally unless otherwise pre-arranged.
- Pop up Community News is published weekly but open to review at any time. A short holiday over Festive Season each year to give the volunteers a well earned holiday.
- Currently Thursday night for distribution is the target time.
- No lost animals, political, religious, personal opinions or missing person notification will be published.
- Negative or derogatory comments will not be published.

Email mapletonqueensland@gmail.com requesting guidelines.

Anyone wishing to receive the Pop Up Community News, send your email address to mapletonqueensland@gmail.com

Anyone wishing to cease receiving the Pop Up Community News, send your email to mapletonqueensland@gmail.com

Keep informed through the web and social media

www.facebook.com/groups/mapletonqueensland/

www.mapletoncommunitylibrary.com

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