

RANGE AND HINTERLAND POPUK COMMUNITY NEWS

Weekly News

A community service since 2016

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WHAT IS ON THIS WEEKEND?

- ** 27-28 September: Spring Art Spectacular, St Mary's Hall, Montville**
- ** 27 September: Mapleton Country Market, 8am-Noon, Mapleton State School**
- ** 28 September: Kenilworth and District Singers Free Concert, 2pm, Gheerulla Hall**

DETAILS INSIDE THIS EDITION



MAPLETON MEN'S SHED MURAL

An appreciative crowd assembled to admire and to locate the hidden animals. As usual, relaxed conversations happened providing the much needed support and understanding for our locals.

Well done artist, Tom Davies and Ellie [lower image], and well done to the Men's Shed members.

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Mapleton Bowls Club meets Mapleton State School

Nine Bowls Club members [image above] and one School mum gave up their time recently to guide and support the Year 4s, 5s and 6s on the green. Nita Lester, supported by Penny Shaw [opposite] planned the sessions. Using specially purchased bowls and official Bowls Queensland Junior bowls, the children practiced aiming, working as a team and correct green etiquette. Thank you to the Principal and the teachers for making this experience happen.





COMMUNITY STALL

AT MAPLETON MARKET THIS SATURDAY

Collect community information and brochures; purchase speciality gift cards, recipe book and more.

Free library bag and story book for children.

Members of the following organisations will be manning the stall this month:

Range Gym and Fitness Centre, Mapleton Bowls Club, Mapleton Craft Group, Mapleton Library Community Centre, Mapleton Art



Are you a new resident to the northern end of the Range—collect your Welcome Pack from the Community Stall.

WELCOME TO THE COMMUNITY



With compliments from the
Mapleton library Community Centre

Join us on Saturday 27th September at the Mapleton Country Market from 8am to Midday.

The Hungarian Langos team of Judit and Jozsi will be serving the finest gourmet Hungarian street food, including their famous lángos creations they are renowned for.

Also check out these Bee Pollinator Houses at Terry's stall. They are designed to house native solitary nesting bees and to help create pollinator corridors between our wild spaces for habitats affected by land clearing and urbanisation.

With over 50 stalls to browse.

See you there!



28 September

KENILWORTH AND DISTRICT SINGERS

FREE CONCERT

FINALE OF THE BETTER SINGING, BETTER HEALTH PROJECT

Proudly supported
by the Grants Program
 **Sunshine Coast**
COUNCIL



SUNDAY 2PM
28TH SEPTEMBER
GHEERULLA HALL

2184 EUMUNDI-KENILWORTH RD

FOR MORE INFORMATION RING 0408686800

OR EMAIL [KADSINGERS@GMAIL.COM](mailto:kadsingers@gmail.com)

SPECIAL REDUCED FARE IF
BOOKING KENILWORTH
COMMUNITY CAR TO GET TO
CONCERT



27-28 September

BLACKALL RANGE
Visual Artists



Spring
Art
Spectacular



FROM.....

Tuesday 23th September to Sunday 28th
September 2025, from 10am to 3.30pm at St
Mary's Hall, Montville.

We will be displaying a diverse and colourful selection of paintings
by the members of our well-known BRVA artists' group.

The entry is FREE

All commissions and donations go toward the
upkeep of the lovely St. Mary's Hall

DINNER NIGHT MAPLETON BOWLS CLUB

FRIDAY 26 SEPTEMBER

Orders taken when you arrive

Serving begins at 6pm

SPECIAL MEALS

Bbq Meatloaf with Chips and Salad

Lamb Moussaka with Chips and Salad

DESSERTS

Red velvet cake with chocolate ganache and
Raspberry Coulis

Warm sticky date pudding with Caramel Sauce
and ice cream

Everyone is welcome

Make this a relaxing night away from the
kitchen

A 10 multi-draw raffle—be a winner

YOU CAN BOOK ONLINE

<https://mapleton.bowls.com.au/reservations/>

This link will take you directly to the booking page of the Mapleton Bowls Club. When a booking is made on the form an email is automatically sent to Kathy Lambe's new Dinner Night Email Account and thus will allow for more accurate catering.



Mapleton Bowls Club Div 7 and Div 11 get runners up in the 2025 Sunshine Coast District Pennant Competition

The Pennant season has wrapped up for another year. We are very happy to announce that both Mapleton divisions (7 and 11), made it through to the finals last Saturday.

Div 11 defeated Palmwoods in the semis and went on to play Pelican Waters.

Div 7 defeated Pelican Waters and then played Glasshouse in the final.

A big thanks to all the players who slogged it out on the green week after week, and all the supporters throughout the season.

Quarry Services Notification



BLAST NOTIFICATION - DULONG QUARRY

We advise residents of an upcoming rock blast scheduled to occur at Dulong Quarry.

Tuesday 30 September 2025

Between 9am and 3pm (weather and site conditions permitting)

Dulong Quarry, Corner of Sherwell Road and Dulong School Road, Dulong

On the scheduled day of the blast, please ensure adequate measures are in place for household occupants, animals and livestock.

We appreciate your understanding as we work to ensure the safe and efficient operation of Dulong Quarry.

Vibration and noise information

Ground vibration and air overpressure (noise) may occur from blasting activities. We apply best practice blasting techniques to minimise disturbance where possible.

Noise limitations are specified by Environmentally Relevant Authority (ERA) Permit EPPR00777413 issued by the Department of Environment and Science.

Council's qualified blasting contractors operate within compliance guidelines set by the Department of Environment and Science for conditions of environmental authorities issued under the Environmental Protection Act 1994.

About Council's quarries

Sunshine Coast Council's quarries are located at Image Flat and Dulong. Image Flat quarry has been in operation since the 1960s, and Dulong since the 1970s.

Rock product is extracted from Image Flat and Dulong quarry sites through blasting activities using explosives to break the rock. Today these quarries supply premium quality rock products for the construction, maintenance and repair of the region's 2597km of sealed roads and 474km of unsealed roads.

Blasting is undertaken by qualified service providers to extract rock product for supply to Council projects, road maintenance and external commercial contractors.



Identifying Rainforest Plants of the Blackall Range: the Rainforest Ancients

Saturday, 4 October, 9am - 11am Barung Landcare Native Plant Nursery, Parkland Drive, North Maleny

Our Blackall Range rainforests contain species with ancient lineages. We know well our gymnosperms such as bunya pine, hoop pine and brown pine, ancient groups represented in the fossils of Antarctica. But the very early groups of flowering plants are also thriving in our forests, trees, vines and herbs with primitive flowers, strange pollination systems, and interesting smells! These include the bolwarra, zigzag vine, socketwood, wilkiea, the birdwing butterfly vine, and the delicate peperomias with their minute flowers, and others. What are the characteristics of these ancient groups?

Participation is limited to 15 places so please book in to attend!

<https://events.humanitix.com/identifying-rainforest-plants-of-the-blackall-range-the-rainforest-ancients>

FISHTALES PRESENTS

Candle lit dine in for TWO
Wednesday 1st October - One night only
Call 0493 267 288 to book / No walk-ins

SET MENU
STARTER / MAIN / DESSERT
+ Complimentary Sangria on Arrival!!

\$55 P/P

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US AS WE
 SHOWCASE OUR CULINARY SKILLS AND
 30+ YEARS EXPERIENCE AS
 PROFESSIONAL CHEFS.
 WE LOOK FORWARD TO DINING WITH YOU.
 - NATALIA & TIM.

FISHTALES cafe
 FULLY LICENSED

ANNOUNCING ...

**TWO COHORTS
 FOR 2026!**

INCLUDING A LIMITED NUMBER OF
 EARLY-ENTRY PLACEMENTS

The Range
 Community Kindergarten

This exciting development is the result of the dedication and hard work of our management team, and reflects our ongoing commitment to providing high quality early childhood education for families across the Blackall Range community.

In 2026, our two groups will each run a 5 days/fortnight kindergarten program.

- Wongai Group: Mondays, Tuesdays, and every second Wednesday

- Warbu Group: Thursdays and Fridays and every other Wednesday

Both Kindergarten Programs will provide 30 hours of early childhood education per fortnight. Offers of enrolment will be sent to families on our waitlist over the coming weeks.

We're also pleased to share that we'll have a limited number of early entry placements available! (Please note that early entry is not eligible for the Free Kindy funding). With new vacancies available for 2026, join our waitlist on our website at www.rangekindy.qld.edu.au.



PARKINSON'S DISEASE?



Did you know that the Red Tulip is the international symbol for Parkinson's Awareness? The tulip represents hope, perseverance and effort to find a cure for Parkinson's.

Mapleton now has a Self Help Support group established to support people who have been diagnosed as living with Parkinson's and their carers and/or support persons.

The next meeting is to be held on Thursday 9 October 2025 at 1.30pm. The group's meeting lasts about 2 hours depending on the enthusiasm of those attending!

This fourth meeting will be held at the Mapleton Men's Shed, 52 Delicia Rd, Mapleton. Tea and coffee will be provided. Karen Malcolm a Speech Language Pathologist from Restoring Hope will be available to chat about speech and language and Parkinson's Disease.

If you have been diagnosed as living with Parkinson's or are helping someone living with Parkinson's, you are most welcome to attend. Or if you know of someone living with Parkinson's Disease please let them know of this get together.

For further information, please contact Peter 5478 6109.

ROSETTA BOOKS

Literary Lunch

with
Garry Disher

Sat 18 Oct
from 11.30am
Tranquil Park
Maleny

2 course
lunch + author
talk
\$70

Winner of
NED KELLY
Lifetime
Achievement
Award

GARRY DISHER
THE NED KELLY NOVELS
MISCHANCE CREEK

We are very excited to welcome Garry Disher to the hinterland. He has written over 60 novels, won the Australian Crime Writers Association's Ned Kelly Award three times for Best Novel, and has just been shortlisted again for the award in 2025. He received the Ned Kelly Lifetime Achievement Award in 2018 for his extensive contributions to Australian crime writing.

The booking link is <https://rosettabooks.com.au/p/garry-disher-literary-lunch-18-10-25>

www.rosettabooks.com.au

The Rosetta Books Team



ROSETTA BOOKS



GREEN LIGHT FOR GRASSROOTS ENVIRONMENTAL GRANTS

Community groups across Mapleton and the hinterland are being encouraged to apply for the State Government's Grassroots Environmental Grants, with funding now available to support local projects aimed at protecting and preserving our environment.

The program provides annual funding rounds to back small but impactful initiatives in towns, rural centres, and cities right across the state.

Member for Nicklin Marty Hunt said the grants deliver \$800,000 to support local, community-led conservation efforts.

"We've got many community groups who are already rolling up their sleeves to protect our incredible natural environment," Mr Hunt said.

"Groups can apply for up to \$15,000 for equipment purchases or facility upgrades to boost their capability and reach, and up to \$30,000 for on-ground conservation projects such as revegetation, habitat restoration, and native species protection."

Applications for Round 1: Environmental Conservation close at 4pm, Wednesday 8 October 2025.

"The strength of this program is that it's designed for grassroots groups - it's about locals making a difference right here in our own backyard," he said.

"If you've been thinking about a project to restore habitat, protect native species, or improve sustainability, now is the time to get your application in."

Visit www.qld.gov.au/environment/management/funding/environmental-grants/grassroots

INTERSECTION UPGRADES

If you live in Palmwoods, Cooroy or Woombye, you'll know how frustrating our long-neglected intersections have been. I'm pleased to share that I've secured funding for their future upgrades. Planning is now underway to make sure the designs ease congestion and improve traffic flow.

<https://martyhunt.com.au/stay-updated/>

SENIORS MONTH – FREE MOVIE SCREENING

To celebrate Seniors Month, I'm hosting a *free* movie screening for Nicklin residents aged 60+. Join me for a screening of *The Travellers* at Nambour Cinemas on Wednesday 22 October at 10am. A big thank you to our Major Sponsor Nambour RSL. [Seats are limited - RSVPs are essential here.](#)

<https://martyhunt.com.au/how-can-i-help/seniors-month-movie-screening/>

NATIVE PLANTS QUEENSLAND

Native Plants Queensland are holding a plant market at the Maleny Showgrounds on October 11, 2025, from 9am to 3pm.

This is your chance to buy a wide variety of native plants directly from growers specialising in natives. Popular and rare plants for all situations and all gardens are well priced and expert advice is available on the day.

Entry and parking are free and a coffee van will be on site.

Sign up for updates and to be advised of the list of available plants at npq.org.au.

facebook.com/NativePlantsQld



Book Fair and Mini Market

Sunday 19th October
8am - 12pm

books - \$10 a bag

Stalls include:

plants

gifts

home made cakes, slices etc

Lions barbecue

home made morning tea

puzzles

children's books

gently loved treasures



Mapleton Library
Community Centre

Mapleton Library
Community Centre

The LIND THEATRE

16 Mitchell St, Nambour

CLUE On Stage-Directed by
Kathryn Barnes



Friday 24 October 2025 - Saturday 1 November 2025

On a dark and stormy evening at Boddy Manor, you're invited to join iconic characters Scarlet, Plum, White, Green, Peacock, and Mustard as they race to use their weapons and find the murderer before the body count stacks up. Based on the cult classic film and the popular board game, Cluedo, this madcap comedy will keep you guessing until the final crazy twist. Come along as your favourite character!

Clue on Stage Tickets, The LIND THEATRE (selected seating),
NAMBOUR | TryBooking Australia



WEEKLY UPDATE – EMBRACING COURAGE, ADVENTURE, AND ACCESSIBILITY

As we journey through the second week of the spring school holidays, QCCC Mapleton is privileged to host a meaningful and diverse range of camps. Over the weekend, we are welcoming a Children's Camp run by a prominent children's charity. This annual event provides respite, joy, and community for children facing serious health challenges and their families. It's always a highlight for our team to support such a significant cause, and we're honoured to contribute to the healing and hope it represents.

Throughout the coming week, we will run the Mapleton Adventure Camp—a school holiday tradition with more than 40 years of legacy. This camp brings primary-aged children together for a week of outdoor adventure, connection, and fun in our beautiful hinterland environment. Alongside this, we're proud to be hosting a program for a not-for-profit community organisation supporting people living with disability. This aligns closely with our commitment to accessibility—we've made significant investments in adaptive equipment and infrastructure so that all guests can participate fully and safely in outdoor activities. Our staff are especially excited to serve this group, reflecting the deep value we place on inclusion and hospitality.

We step into this week with full hearts, knowing that QCCC Mapleton exists to serve communities with excellence, compassion, and care.

BLACKALL 100 – ONLY THREE WEEKS AWAY!

One of Mapleton's biggest weekends is just around the corner! From October 18–20, our town will once again host the Blackall 100 Ultra Marathon, now in its 11th edition. This iconic event brings more than 1,000 runners to our beautiful hinterland trails, joined by their families, support crews, and friends - making it the busiest weekend on the town calendar.

Residents may have already noticed increased foot traffic in the Mapleton Forest and surrounding areas, with many runners training on the course in recent months. We're pleased to report that QCCC Mapleton is once again working closely with Run Queensland to ensure that the event runs smoothly and respectfully. We are using private event forums and discussion groups to:

- Encourage respectful behaviour
- Promote considerate parking around town
- Highlight the importance of supporting local businesses

This is a great opportunity for the Mapleton community—not only to cheer on some of Australia's most dedicated trail runners but also to benefit from the economic activity the event generates.

For more information about the event or how it affects local areas, visit: www.runqld.com.au/blackall-100



Accessible Canoe Stabiliser

Who can visit the Foot bus?
This service is for EVERYONE!

How much does it cost?
It is a FREE service funded by
Queensland Health.

Do I need to book an
appointment?
No appointment is required; the mobile foot
clinic operates on a walk-in basis.

Where to find us?
Check your local community and Facebook
pages and newsletters for our foot bus
timetable. For additional details, feel free to
contact the Footprints team at 0487 763 417
or email SCFootprintsWalkingonCountry@
health.qld.gov.au

Alternatively, scan our QR code to visit our
website and learn more about Footprints
Walking on Country and bus locations.



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Free foot and diabetes
prevention clinic



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October 2025

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
		1 st Kenilworth Showgrounds 9-2pm
6 th Public Holiday King's Birthday	7 th SCUH Hospital 9-1:30PM	8 th Cooloola Cove Shopping Centre 9-1:30PM
13 th Gympie Nelson Reserve 8-2pm	14 th Morris House Landsborough 9-1:30pm	15 th To Be Advised
20 th Nambour General Hospital 9-11am	21 st Maleny Neighbourhood Centre 9:30-1:30pm	22 nd PHP Nambour Eye clinic 9-1:30pm
27 th Opal St, Cooroy with BreastScreen 9-1:30pm	28 th Coolum Uniting Church with orange Sky 9-1:30pm	29 th

For more information about Footprints Walking on Country
and bus locations, scan our QR code to visit our website:



Sunshine Coast
Health



For more information, please contact Footprints Walking on Country on 0487 763 417

RECENT DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS IN DIVISIONS 5 AND 10

This is an initiative of Pop Up Community News aimed at providing information and heightened awareness as to developments in our region. Hopefully the information will provide a spring board should anyone wish to dive deeper into any specific application. Using the link: <https://developmenti.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/> or entering "development i sunshine coast" into a browser will take you to the Development i home page. Click on "Application Search" and enter the application number. Select "Details" if you want to dive deeper. The supporting documents can typically be downloaded or viewed by selecting "Application Documents" in the right hand section of the screen. In the listings below, typically a brief editorial comment is provided after each application description. These are shown in *italics*.

DIVISION 10:

Lodged: 16/09/2025 DA#: OPW25/0394

4 Gridley St EUMUNDI - Clearing Vegetation - Kip McCauley-Wassell. *Removal of a number of trees close to structures. Removal of further trees that appear not to threaten structures. Species of trees and size appears not specified.*

Lodged: 18/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0269

1 Windsor Rd BURNSIDE - Establish a Food and Drink Outlet - Quattro Shers Property Investments Pty Ltd TTE - Murray & Associates (QLD) Pty Ltd. *Small café in an industrial complex.*

Lodged: 16/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0268 & OPW25/0398

3-7 Old Gympie Rd YANDINA - Childcare Centre, Roadworks, Landscaping, Stormwater, Earthworks, Clearing Vegetation, Access & Carparking - Griffco Holdings Pty Ltd - Project Urban. *7 activity room child care centre with staff amenities above. 4 outdoor play areas included. Request to remove trees to establish 2 of the outdoor play areas.*

DIVISION 5:

Lodged: 15/09/2025 DA#: RAL25/0079

445 & 461 Chevallum Rd CHEVALLUM - Boundary Realignment (2 Lots into 2 Lots) and Access Easement - Richard Twist, David Twist and Jeffery Twist - Adams & Sparkes Town Planning. *Boundary realignment to ensure structures are within the set back limits of the lot, and access Easement.*

Lodged: 15/09/2025 DA#: RAL25/0080

383 & 405 Chevallum Rd CHEVALLUM - Boundary Realignment (2 Lots in 2 Lots) - Twist Bros Pty Ltd and Richard Twist, David Twist and Jeffery Twist - Adams & Sparkes Town Planning. *Boundary realignment to ensure structure is within set back limits of the lot.*

Lodged: 17/09/2025 DA#: POS25/0164

17 Bradbury Pl MALENY - BFP for Duplex - Lots 1 & 2 SP357835 - Bennett & Bennett. *Administration , Approving Plans*

Lodged: 17/09/2025 DA#: RAL25/0082

PRAS - 11 Lower Trail Rd MALENY - Reconfiguring a Lot via Minor Boundary Realignment - S McLean - Murray & Associates (QLD) Pty Ltd. *Change lot boundary to reflect the position of an existing fence.*

Lodged: 18/09/2025 DA#: OPW25/0401

2 Summer Pl & 91-97 Woombye - Palmwoods Road PALMWOODS - Electrical reticulation - Robin Russell & Associates Pty Ltd. *Continuation of large scale subdivision.*

Lodged: 19/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0273 Impact Assessable

585 Chevallum Rd CHEVALLUM - Transport Depot - Chevallum Project No 1 Pty Ltd - Development Directive. *16 by 9M undercover bays of 800m2 and 640m2 storage above. Also 160m2 administration area and a further 1,620 m2 covered hardstand area some suitable for B-Doubles.*

Grow Australian Plants

LOCAL

Hibbertia vestita

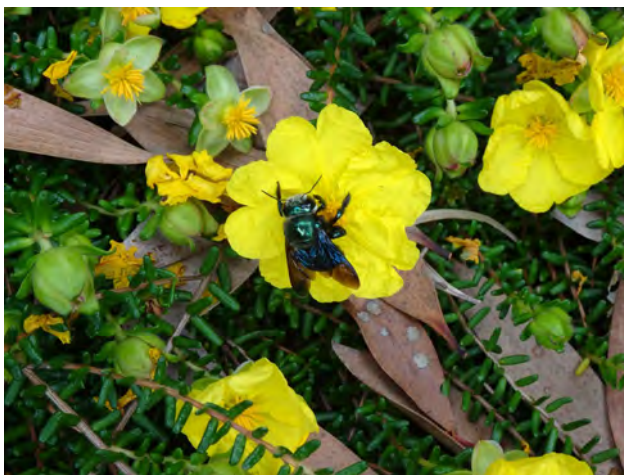
Hairy guinea flower

Hibbertia vestita is a small rounded shrub, with compact growth of around 30 cm high and 40-50 cm wide. It is a fairly sturdy little plant with fairly stiff stems of very small, short, blunt leaves, and both stems and leaves are covered with minute hairs.

The yellow flowers are usually seen in spring.

Its natural habitats vary; it is common in both the Wallum wetlands and the drier high dunes along the east coast. It is plentiful in the understorey of scribbly gum (*Eucalyptus racemosa*) open forests on coastal sands and the sandstones of montane heaths.

Distribution: From Rockhampton in Queensland to central eastern New South Wales.



Images: nita

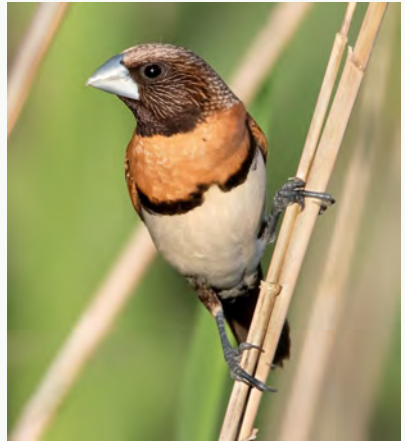
Chestnut-breasted Mannikin

LOCAL

Lonchura castaneothorax

11-12cm

The Chestnut-breasted Mannikin is a thick set brown finch with a grey crown, black face and a heavy grey bill. It has a chestnut brown breast divided from white underparts by a black bar. The rump and tail are golden orange, with a black undertail.



Females are paler than males and young birds are uniformly olive brown above, pale below with a brown buff chest and no black face or chest bar. Like other finches, this species is a very social bird and is most often seen in flocks.



Distribution: The Chestnut-breasted Mannikin is found across northern and eastern coastal Australia, from the Kimberley region, Northern Territory, to the Shoalhaven River, New South Wales. It is also found in New Guinea.

Habitat: The Chestnut-breasted Mannikin is found in reed beds, long grasses, swamps and mangroves.

Seasonal movements: Locally nomadic, especially in the north. Can form flocks of several hundred birds.

Feeding: The Chestnut-breasted Mannikin feeds on grass seeds, usually on the stalk rather than from the ground. It will also eat winged termites at the beginning of breeding season.

Breeding: The Chestnut-breasted Mannikin nests in colonies, with the nests close together in grass clumps, sugar cane or reeds, less than 2 m from the ground. The rounded nest is made from green or dried grass blades and is lined with fine grasses. It lacks an entrance tunnel but the entrance may have a hood. Both parents build the nest, incubate the eggs and feed the young, but only the female stays in the nest overnight.

Call: Bell like or drawn out: 'teet'.

https://ebird.org/species/chbmun1?siteLanguage=en_AU..



Mannikins at Beth and Jonathan's Place, Dulong



WEED

Ochna, Mickey Mouse plant

Ochna serrulata

Native to Southern Africa

Ochna is an extremely hardy plant, capable of growing in harsh, dry conditions. It is difficult to kill, especially larger specimens. It can grow to 4 metres in situations where it is supported by other plants, but mostly grows to about 2 metres.

Has rough pimply textured bark. Its alternately arranged leaves are narrowly oval or elongated and have finely toothed margins. Its bright yellow flowers (2-3cm across) have five petals, five sepals and numerous stamens. The sepals are initially green, but they turn bright red as the fruit develop. The small fruit (5-8 mm long) turn from green to black as they mature.

Ochna is a significant environmental weed in Queensland and New South Wales, and is regarded as a potential environmental weed or "sleeper weed" in other parts of Australia.



Community Service

JP SERVICE

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

Or Thursday mornings 9am to 11am.

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 Community Centre**

Borrowing hours: 1pm to 4pm week days
9am to 12noon Saturdays

What does the pack include?

- Brochures promoting community organisations
- Range Popup Community News - a free weekly news for everyone with information about the events in your neighbourhood
- List of community organisations in 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 monthly Mapleton Country Market.

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): 0428 137927

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

Following the recent Annual Meeting the above details are current.

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.

Parish Office: 07 5499 9130

Email: maleny@anglicanchurchsq.org.au

Montville Uniting Church

Services are held each Sunday at 8.15am when a combined service is held at Maleny Uniting Church at 9.45pm. All welcome.

Minister: Rev Nathan Barton

E: minister@ourcommonlife.org.au

M: 0429 632527

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

Date Claims

27-28 September Spring Art Spectacular, St Mary's Hall, Montville.

27 September Mapleton Country Market 8am to 12pm at the Mapleton State School car park.

29 September The Baroon History Group, Themes of Early Queensland Colonisation. Talk by Millroy, 5:00pm, Green Room, Mapleton Public House.

1-30 October Seniors Month.

1 October Fishtales, Candle lit dine in for two.

3 October Mapleton Bingo Mapleton Library Community Centre

4 October Spring Garden Fair, Maleny.

4-5 October Wonderful Weekend of Wood, Woodies, Montville.

9 October Self Help Support Group Parkinson's Disease, Mapleton Men's Shed.

11 October Native Plants Market, Maleny Showgrounds, Dairy Pavilion.

18-20 October Blackall 100.

18 October Literacy Lunch, Garry Disher.

19 October Book Fair and Mini Market, Mapleton Library Community Centre.

20 October The Baroon History Group, The Intricate Interaction between Art and Religion in the World View of Australia's First Nations Peoples. Talk by Fiona McGill, 5:00pm, Green Room, Mapleton Public House.

20-26 October Aussie Bird Count.

21 October Lions Hinterland Dinner, Flaxton Gardens.

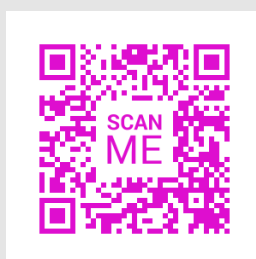
29 November—7 December Sculpture on the Edge, Flaxton Gardens.

6 December Open Day, QCCC.

2026

14 February Lovers of Books, Mapleton Library Community Centre.

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THANK YOU FOR THE GIFTED PLANTS AT THE MAPLETON LIBRARY COMMUNITY CENTRE

Your donations give joy to others especially at times of increasing prices.

Just \$2 each or 3 for \$5 and the plants are yours.

Funds raised go to the printing of the 'Walks on the Range' brochure.

SO POPULAR, ANOTHER PRINT RUN IS NOW UNDERWAY.

Walks Trail brochures are available at the Library Community Centre, and at the Montville and Maleny Visitors' Centres.

If you have any unwanted pot plants that someone else may desire, please donate.



10th Annual Lions Hinterland *community dinner*

sponsored by Mapleton **IGA**

Do you live in the communities of Montville, Flaxton, Mapleton, Kureelipa, Dulong and surrounds?
WE INVITE YOU! Come along and meet other locals and make new friends while enjoying a great dinner!!

TICKETS	COST
MAPLETON PO, MONTVILLE IGA, THE BARN OR → 	• \$50 per person • Dress smart casual • beer/wine from \$10 includes: • gourmet meal • guest speaker

TUESDAY 21ST OCTOBER 2025

🕒 6PM FOR 7PM (CANAPES FROM 6:15PM) 📍 FLAXTON GARDENS

📞 **FOR MORE INFO** JAN COLLINS 0407 159 498 | RACHEL ROWE 0409 567 398

Blackall Range Woodies Open Day

Wonderful Weekend of Wood
4 & 5 October 2025, 9am - 3pm

At 230-238 Balmoral Road, Montville

Unique hand-crafted timber gifts for sale -

Toys, Platters, Bowls, Jewellery Boxes, Stools, Clocks,
Chess Boards, Christmas Decorations, Decorative
Tableware and lots more.

Demonstrations of Timber Milling, Woodturning,
Pyrography, Scroll sawing and more.

Stock up on Slabs and Turning Blanks from our extensive
Woodshed.

Of course there's also our RAFFLE with wonderful prizes.

Blackall Range Woodcrafters Guild
 Montville Sportsground
 230 - 238 Balmoral Road
 Montville 4560
secretary@blackallrangewoodies.org.au



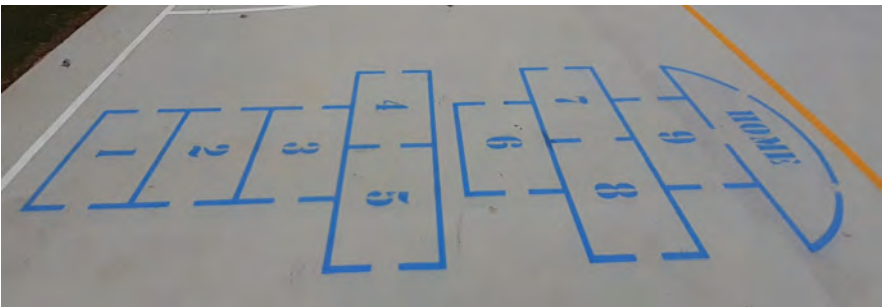
MAPLETON LILYPONDS PARK

Located in the heart of Mapleton grass and natural shade, there is a playground, shelters with picnic facilities, skate park, access and views of the lake and large open grassed areas. It also has a fenced dog off leash park.

Park facilities

- Playground, including climbing nets, flying fox, swings, a slide plus more
- Exercise equipment node (east side near the Bowls Club and shops)
- Dog off leash park (fenced with seating). Dogs are permitted off leash at indicated times shown on park signs provided.
- Public amenities (toilets) Temporary toilets are available while new amenities are being constructed. See image below.
- Shelters with picnic facilities (including barbecues)
- Skate park. The facility is ideal for beginners and intermediates. Target Audience: Ideal for beginners and intermediate skaters. Features: Flat banks, Grind rails, Tabletop, Mini spine, Quarter pipes, Curved bowl
- Large open grassed area for kick and throw activities.

NEW—concrete space featuring: Hop scotch, hand ball, net ball, basket ball and whatever else residents and visitors would like to play. See images below



Old structure stripped, additional pad laid ... work in progress

Queensland Child Protection Week shares the important message that is:

Protecting **children** is
EVERYBODY'S
BUSINESS

Each year, artists design a special craft project to celebrate this message. This year, the project is inspired by the Lotus Flower.

The Lotus Flower is often thought to be a symbol of life's ebbs and flows. The flower's ability to rise from murky waters into something beautiful makes it a powerful symbol of hope and perseverance. This incredible process is a reminder that as a community we must together support the safety and protection of children to ensure they reach their full potential.



We thank the Mapleton community for helping to keep our students safe and protected.



MAPLETON STATE SCHOOL YEAR THREE

Beautiful Lotus Flower artwork on display at the Mapleton Library Community Centre

Fiona Longhurst, Year 3 teacher with Ruby, the Library's work experience student from Nambour State College, enjoyed displaying these colourful symbols of hope and perseverance. Do drop by and enjoy.

Ruby is spending the full week at the Library Community Centre.



A useful web site listing plant species that grow successfully in this area:

<http://australianplants.au>

Includes local nurseries supplying Australian species.

The Baroon History Group

29 September, 5:00 – 6:45pm

The Green Room, The Mapleton Public House

Fee 5:00

Topic : The Themes of Queensland's Early Colonisation, with Tony Millroy.

Queensland History splits neatly in two : before and after separation from New South Wales in 1859. The racist and exceptionalist attitudes and ideologies that arrived in Moreton Bay were centuries in the making and played out in a verdant

forbidding land isolated by the tyrannies of time and distance from the rest of the world. These themes mutated and developed over the century as the industrial revolution shrunk the globe and as science and empirical evidence replaced God as the reason for everything.

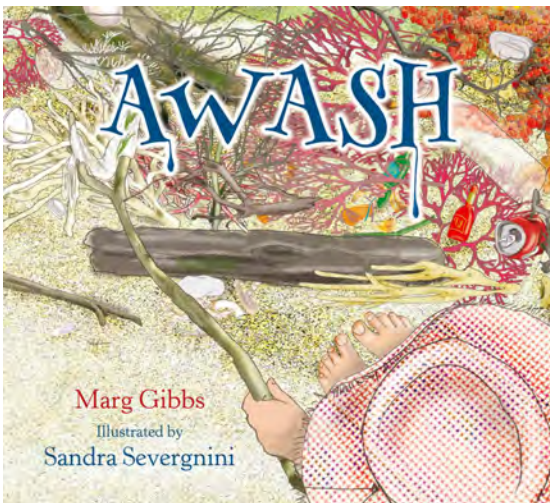


The arriving themes will be demonstrated against a backdrop of race relations changed from fear to benign paternalism by the time of the 1897 Aboriginal Protection and Restriction of Opium Act (Qld). This talk will cover the pre-separation decades that saw the dramatic changes that would shape Queensland well

into the 20th century.

All welcome.

Please RSVP to info@talkingcountrybuildingbridges.com



A CALL TO CARE

Mapleton writers Marg Gibbs and Noosa illustrator, Sandra Severgnini have teamed up to create AWASH, a beautiful picture story that blends the thrill of a treasure hunt with an environmental message.

Cassie is searching for the perfect shell to make a necklace. Instead, along the shore, she sees rubbish, sparking the question: can one girl make a difference?

Support our local author and buy a copy from the Mapleton Post Office or contact Marg for teachers notes.

Email - m.j.gibbs@bigpond.com



2025 SUNSHINE COAST FILM FESTIVAL

October up now !!

Opening film Sentimental Value (Norway-France)
Winner at Cannes-headed for the Oscars

It Was Just An Accident (Iran-France) Winner Palme
D'Or -Best Film at Cannes

Vermiglio-The Winter Bride (Italy) Winner Grand
Jury Prize Venice Film Festival

Exceptional films across the board:Quisling-The Final Days
(Norway) /The Little Sister (France) /

This Life Of Mine (France) /The Ties That Bind Us (France) /DJ
Ahmet (North Macedonia)

Incredible Documentaries: Orwell 2+2=5 (France-
U.S.)"Dazzling"/Cutting Through Rocks (Iran) "Striking"/

Journey Home David Gulpilil (Aus) "Revelatory"/ Deeper (Aus)
"Astounding"/

Last films before the break: Tue 16th Cali The Goldsmith's
Secret (Spain)

Wed 17th Cali ---The Thread (France) now in 2 cinemas

Details: <https://www.scfilmfestival.com/>



Outstanding botanical art booklets

Artists from across the state including two from the
Blackall Range

View these at the Mapleton Library Community Centre

Join the Inaugural Maleny Farm Fest 22 November 2025



The Maleny Agricultural Show Society is thrilled to launch a bold new initiative: the Maleny Farm Fest – a one-day celebration of innovation, resilience, and opportunity in farming.

This highly anticipated event is dedicated to supporting our region's vibrant community of landholders and local producers – from small blocks to large-scale farms – this event delivers a full day designed to educate, equip, and connect.

Hands-On Workshops & Demonstrations

Topics include:

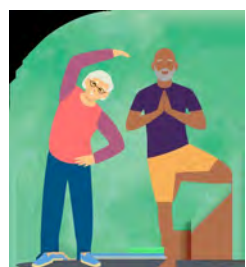
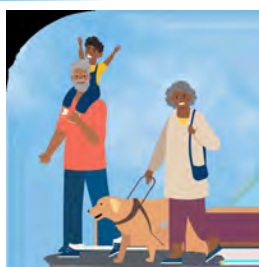
- Chainsaw Safety
 - Orchid Growing
 - Animal Nutrition
 - Animal Health & Biosecurity
 - Bee Keeping
 - Soil Health & Composting
 - Small Engine Maintenance
 - Cooking & Sausage Making
- and much more

Live Equipment Demos & Trade Displays

Showcase your products in front of a qualified audience interested in:

- Small Tractors & Implements
 - Hill-Ready Mowers
 - Animal Nutrition
 - Side-by-Side Utility Vehicles
 - Fencing Solutions
 - Irrigation Systems
 - Renewable Energy & Drones
 - Local Produce & Farm Supplies
 - Hardware, Tools & Accessories
- and much more!

<https://www.malenyshowsociety.org.au/events/maleny-farm-fest>



QUEENSLAND SENIORS MONTH

Queensland Seniors Month provides opportunities to promote positive community attitudes towards older people and ageing, facilitate community participation, and enhance community connections, aligning with the Queensland Government's vision of building age-friendly communities in Queensland.

In 2025, Queensland Seniors Month will be celebrated from Wednesday 1 October to Friday 31 October.

Queensland Seniors Month includes United Nations International Day of Older Persons (1 October) and National Grandparents Day (26 October), days that recognise the important contribution of older people in their families and communities.

The Queensland Government funds the Council on the Ageing Queensland to coordinate Seniors Month on its behalf.

For more information: <https://qldseniorsmonth.org.au/>

<https://www.qld.gov.au/seniors/recreation-staying-connected/events-awards/seniors-month>

Recent Development Applications in Divisions 5 and 10

This is an initiative of Pop Up Community News aimed at providing information and heightened awareness as to developments in our region. Hopefully the information will provide a spring board should anyone wish to dive deeper into any specific application. Using the link: <https://developmenti.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/> or entering "development i sunshine coast" into a browser will take you to the Development i home page. Click on "Application Search" and enter the application number. Select "Details" if you want to dive deeper. The supporting documents can typically be downloaded or viewed by selecting "Application Documents" in the right hand section of the screen. In the listings below, typically a brief editorial comment is provided after each application description. These are shown in *italics*.

DIVISION 10:

Lodged: 08/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0256

8 & 10 Bury St, 114-118, 120-122 & 124-126 Currie St NAMBOUR - Rooming Accommodation (152 rooms) & Food and Drink Outlet - ARM Property Investment Group Pty Ltd - Danya Cook Town Planning. *Application is Code Assessment – **Not** Impact. Carparking and commercial on ground floor, 4 levels of apartments each level containing 38 rooms. 5th level is roof top gardens and gym. Apartments are 2.9M by 9.5M some have 2 balconies, 2M by 2.9M others have one balcony, 2M by 2.9M. Largest apartments are maximum 39.15m3. Best to look up the application on Development i.*

Lodged: 05/09/2025 DA#: RAL19/0005.03

10 Garden Pl NAMBOUR - Minor Change to Development Approval - Reconfiguring of a Lot into 63 lots - Sean Kelly and Karen Hoult - Danya Cook Town Planning. *Application to vary the position of the building envelope on one lot because the creation of a drain has changed the topography of the lot.*

Lodged: 10/09/2025 DA#: POS25/0160

52 Netherton St NAMBOUR - Reconfiguration of Lots - 2 Lots into 3 Lots- SP355661 (& Easements) - Murray and Associates. *Administrative, Approving Plans*

Lodged: 11/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0262 (Impact Assessable) &

38, 42 & 48 Arundell Ave NAMBOUR - Hardware & Trade Supplies & Reconfiguring a Lot by Boundary Realignment (5 Lots into 2 Lots) - Marr's Management - Murray & Associates (QLD) Pty Ltd. **Impact Assessable.** *Redevelopment of site with a new outlet for hardware, including parking and access. Building covers some 675m2.*

Lodged: 11/09/2025 DA#: RAL25/0078 (Code Assessable)

38, 42 & 48 Arundell Ave NAMBOUR - Hardware & Trade Supplies & Reconfiguring a Lot by Boundary Realignment (5 Lots into 2 Lots) - Marr's Management - Murray & Associates (QLD) Pty Ltd. *Boundary realignment for above development MCU25/0262.*

DIVISION 5:

Lodged: 08/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0254

64 Mill Hill Rd MONTVILLE - Dwelling House (Secondary Dwelling) - Trevor Anthony and Louise-Ann Land. *2 bed, 1 bath secondary dwelling 22.6 degree hip roof, and enclosed pergola added to primary dwelling on 24,660m2 site.*

Lodged: 09/09/2025 DA#: OPW25/0384

31 Wilkins Lane PALMWOODS - Earthworks, Clearing Vegetation & Excavation - Casey Flynn. *Proposal to retain existing cut with sandstone blocks and selective clearing.*

Lodged: 09/09/2025 DA#: OPW25/0386

2 Clinton Ct GLENVIEW - Vegetation Clearing - Tony Wratten. *Removal of 2 gums, 2 turpentines, a blood wood and a brush box, all carbon sequestering trees, whose fall radius places structures under threat.*

Lodged: 11/09/2025 DA#: MCU25/0258 & OPW25/0388 – Impact Assessable

766 Eudlo Rd PALMWOODS - Dual Occupancy, Landscaping & Vehicle Crossover - Sanks Construction Pty Ltd - Innovative Planning Solutions. **Impact Assessable.** *2 stand alone dwellings, both with 3 bed, 2.5 bath, 2 garages, one has a media room, with 2 cross overs, on 700m2, with most of the site built upon, or under hard surface.*

Lodged: 10/09/2025 DA#: MCU21/0257.01

24-26 Keil St WOOMBYE - Minor Change to Development Approval - Dual Occupancy - Huan Cleeton - JDBA Certifiers. *The application is requesting a relaxation of the set back rule from 6M to 1.4M to accommodate an existing carport.*

Lodged: 10/09/2025 DA#: POS25/0168

Crayfish Farm 12 Freshwater Ct GLENVIEW - Reconfigure a Lot (1 into 2 Lots) - SP356666 - Easements A & D in Lots 11 & 12 & With Covenant B in Lot 11 - Max Watterson & Associates.
Administrative, Approving Plans

Lodged: 15/09/2025 DA#: EXE25/0004

Mooloolah River National Park, Old Caloundra Road, Glenview - proposed upgrades to an existing telecommunications facility, Exemption Certificate – Downer. *EXE is a new code for me. Assume the application relates to the existing tower that exists on a hill top in the Park.*

Note to this week's report:

Firstly, an explanation: **Impact Assessable vs Code Assessable** - Code assessable development is typically straightforward and complies with local planning codes, not requiring public notification. In contrast, impact assessable development involves a more detailed review process, including public notification and community input, due to its potential impacts on the surrounding area. Typically, under code assessment, if the application is correctly made, is appropriate to the zone it is situated in, and addresses positively the defined outcomes of the code, and does not contravene any specially defined overlay, the application will succeed.

This specific report highlights the inconsistencies present in terms of applying assessment levels, Code or Impact, to applications. Of particular note, **MCU25/0258** relates to an application for dual living on a 700m2 lot. The application is regarded as **impact assessable**. Creates the potential for 2 families on 700m2.

MCU25/0262 is a large (675m2) sales outlet, in commercial Nambour, gabled with landscaped car parking. Again, this application is **impact assessable**.

However, less than 500M from MCU25/0262 is **MCU25/0256**, which will create a **6 level apartment** complex with **152 apartments**, which are designated "rooming". They contain **no** kitchen per say, and the living area, (bedroom, lounge, laundry in a cupboard etc), of each is 27.55m2 excluding balconies. Such a development has the potential to change the character of Nambour on various levels. Yet the development is deemed to be **code assessable**.

The last call for submissions to the new planning scheme is midnight 19th September 2025.

The link is:

<https://haveyoursay.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/newplanningscheme/make-submission>



WHY COUNTING MATTERS?

Birds are everywhere. In our backyards, balconies, local parks and schoolyards, and they have amazing stories to tell about the health of our environment. Right now, one in six Australian birds faces the threat of extinction, making it more important than ever to pay attention.

The Aussie Bird Count is a fun, easy way for all of us to take a national snapshot of the birds we see and start noticing the nature around us. With just 20 minutes, you can help build a picture of how our feathered friends are faring and contribute to something that really counts.

[https://aussiebirdcount.org.au/?](https://aussiebirdcount.org.au/?utm_medium=Email&utm_source=Pardot&utm_campaign=sep_e)

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PLAN AND PLANT YOUR NATIVE GARDEN

*How to design a layout
and select local plants for
your own garden*

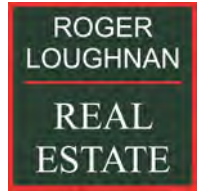
- A one day **family** event
- **Listen to experts** provide advice
- **Experience** our Garden with experts
- An opportunity to **buy the plants** you have just experienced on your walk
- You too can **design a beautiful native garden**
- **Coffee, tea and snacks** available all day or pack a picnic

*This is a **free event**
Bookings to attend talks
and walks are essential
and should be made
through Eventbrite
([Eventbrite.com.au](https://www.eventbrite.com.au))
Places are limited.*

Saturday 27 September...9.00am to 3.00pm
At The Arts and Ecology Building
Maroochy Regional Bushland Botanic Gardens
51 Palm Creek Rd, Tanawha QLD 4556
www.friendsofmaroochybotanicgardens.org.au




Supporting local businesses that support the community



Mapleton



KEEPING OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES STRONG IS A TOP PRIORITY FOR US ALL.

If you take you mail into the Mapleton Post Office, the credit goes to the Mapleton Post Office.

... See you inside the post office ...



LOCAL VENUES FOR HIRE

KUREELPA PUBLIC HALL

Our modern and clean hall is available for hire for meetings, community events and classes.

Contact: Dianne Fitzgerald E: fitzies56@gmail.com

MAPLETON BOWLS CLUB

Cost: for meeting \$50.00. Rent of premises, or large gathering [Trivia] \$100.00

Space: Can accommodate up to 90 persons standing or 80 persons seated.

Other: The use of the Bar and its staff should be requested, while the use of the kitchen and/or its staff is limited and would need discussion.

Contact: The Club Secretary, Martin Lambe

E: mapletonbowlsclub350@gmail.com T: 0428 898734

MAPLETON COMMUNITY HALL and SPORTSGROUND

The historic timber 109year old hall including grounds. Includes tables, chairs and a basic kitchen. Capacity is 110 persons in the hall.

To enquire email mapletonhall@gmail.com

Two tennis courts managed by The Mapleton Tennis Club are available for Hire.

MAPLETON LIBRARY COMMUNITY CENTRE

Obi Obi Road, Mapleton T: 5445 7011

E: mapletonlibrary@gmail.com

Cost: meeting \$20 per hour; plus use of the kitchen \$30 per hour

Includes: indoor and outdoor spaces, fully carpeted indoor; small kitchen; toilet inside; data projector with screen on the ceiling; 40 chairs, folding tables available. There are also small grass areas, gazebos available, chairs can be used on the grass.

MONTVILLE VILLAGE HALL

Our versatile hall is the perfect venue for everything from weddings to birthday parties to community gatherings. With ample space and beautiful views, you'll be sure to impress your guests.

Contact us today to make a reservation.

<https://www.montvillevillageassociation.org/village-hall-hire>

OBI OBI HALL

Obi Obi hall is owned by the Obi Obi and Kidaman Creek communities, and operated by members of the Obi Obi and Kidaman Creek District Community Hall Association Inc.

856 Obi Obi Road, Obi Obi 4574; PO Box 276 Mapleton Queensland 4560

Calendar, floor plan and more all on the following web site

<https://obiobihall.blog/obi-obi-hall/obi-obi-hall-hire/>



LIST OF COMMUNITY ORGANISATIONS

LISTING FOR FLAXTON, KUREELPA, MAPLETON

AND MONTVILLE

Blackall Range Lions Club blackallrangelionsclub@outlook.com;
facebook.com/blackallrangelionsclub/ <http://www.brhc.org.au>

Blackall Range Visual Artists www.blackallrangevisualartists.com.au

Blackall Range Woodcrafter's Guild secretary.brwg@gmail.com

Blackall Range Zonta Club membership@zontablackallrange.org.au.
www.zontablackallrange.org.au

Bush and Beach Walking Group bushbeachwalkers@gmail.com

Hinterland Quarry Action Group T: 0416 155116
aveivers@iprimus.com.au

History Group montvillehistorygroup@gmail.com

Kureelpa & Dulong Community Hall kureelpahall@gmail.com

Mah-jong Wednesday weekly at Mapleton Bowls Club

Maleny Golf Club T: 5499 9960 gm@malenygolfclub.com.au
www.malenygolfclub.com.au

Mapleton and District Community Association madca@gmail.com

Mapleton Art Thursdays weekly at Mapleton Library Community Centre.
Contact: mapletonlibrary@gmail.com

Mapleton Bowls Club T: 5445 7913 www.mapletonbowlsclub.com.au

Mapleton Bridge Club bridgeaustralia.org
mapletoncontractbridgeclub@gmail.com

Mapleton Choir Kureelpa Hall themapletonchoir@outlook.com

Mapleton Country Market countrymarket.mapleton@gmail.com

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

Mapleton Fire Warden T: 0493 044052

Mapleton Library Community Centre mapletonlibrary@gmail.com
www.mapletonlibrary.au T 5445 7011

Mapleton Hall and Sportsground Trustee mapletonhall@gmail.com

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

Mapleton Movers Heart Foundation Walking Group T: 0417 476768

Mapleton State School Parents and Carers Association: mapletonpandc@gmail.com

Mapleton Quilters Mondays 9-12 noon, Mapleton Bowls Club

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

Mapleton Rural Fire Brigade First Officer T: 0428 137927, Secretary:
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 Brigade montville.rfb@bigpond.com

Montville School P&C msspandcpresident@gmail.com

Montville Tennis Club montvilletennisclub1925@gmail.com

Montville Uniting Church minister@ourcommonlife.org.au

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

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

The Flaxton Craft Group lkathypatterson@gmail.com

The Range Community Kindergarten
www.rangekindy.qld.edu.au rangekindergarten@bigpond.com

Wildlife Volunteers Association Inc (WILVOS) Hotline 5441 6200
www.wilvos.org.au

Schools

Blackall Range Independent School
office1@brschool.com.au T: 5476 4301

Mapleton State School principal@mapletonss.eq.edu.au T:
5456 3333

Montville State School admin@montvilless.eq.edu.au T:
5452 1333

Facebooks

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

Mapleton Library Community Centre Facebook page
www.facebook.com/p/Mapleton-Community-Library-100064769136195/

Happenings – Montville and surrounds email newsletter
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Editor: mvahappenings@gmail.com

If your organisation is not listed, please let me know.
Many thanks, nita
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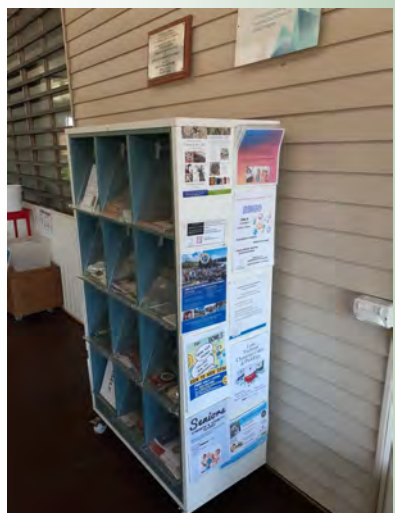
Community brochure and poster display on the
verandah of the

Mapleton Library Community Centre

If your organisation has brochures or short term posters, consider adding them to this community service.

If you are looking for information, check out this collection.

Currently over flowing with posters and brochures—there is something for everyone.





RECYCLING IN MAPLETON

SPECTACLES are collected by Lions from the Mapleton Library Community Centre .

CANS and BOTTLES - Containers for Change

Mapleton Bowls Club - There is a convenient collection point which is a wheelie bin placed near the entrance. Bins 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.

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 and these will be handed on.

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



Blister packs—container on the Mapleton Library Community Centre verandah



Used pens—container on the Mapleton Library Community Centre verandah



Tooth brushes—container on the Mapleton Library Community Centre verandah



Ring pulls from aluminium cans.
Lions will forward these for wheel chairs for children. Container on the Library Community Centre verandah

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



PLANTS – there are stands outside where you can leave plants for someone else who might like them.

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



Procedures for Range and Hinterland PopUp Community News management

The Range and Hinterland PopUp 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 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 across the Range and the Hinterland

Thank you everyone.

The Range and Hinterland PopUp Community News is edited, published and distributed by volunteers.

There will be no discussion or correspondence on matters pertaining to the Range and Hinterland PopUp Community News.

- All articles for the Range and Hinterland PopUp 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 noon 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 Range and Hinterland PopUp Community News, send your email address to mapletonqueensland@gmail.com

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