

Our Own News

WOLLOMBI LIGHTS UP AGAIN ! JUNE CRACKER NIGHT

WOLLOMBI TAVERN DOES IT AGAIN!



Thank you to the Wollombi Tavern and their hardworking staff for a fabulous effort in hosting their spectacular annual Fireworks Cracker Night.

A huge and popular family event, this year was no exception, filling every corner of the Tavern grounds with picnic blankets, festoon lights, yummy local food, cosy firepits staving off the cold night air, fun activities for the kids and of course the special fireworks display!

Well done for another successful event!



WOLLOMBI MARKET DAY—JUNE 8TH

A successful and outstanding effort by the local RFS and the bevy of regular local volunteers to make our June Markets an overwhelming success!

From our generous Tea Room ladies and their baked goods, to the delicious aroma of the next door BBQ, and the usual local cuprits who contribute to the day with their beloved goods & wares, or volunteered dedication to supporting community associations.

Thank you to all the stallholders for making our markets so special!



UPCOMING EVENTS

27 May to 3 June, - National Reconciliation Week

27 June to 12 July TAOTOCS -Artists Exhibition P4

JULY

5th Sun—Celebrate NAIDOC Week, Little Yengo Room P5

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18th Sat- Wollombi Tennis Club AGM, 4pm P9

20th Mon-Chamber Social meeting at Wollombi Tennis Club—catch up with other members at WGS.

25th Sat—Opera in the Valley, St Michaels Wollombi P3

26th Sun- Resilience Car Boot Sale - 10am-1pm Laguna Green P3

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9th Sun- Tennis Club Bunnings BBQ—Cessnock

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What's on at The Wollombi Cultural Centre

June – July 2026

The Wollombi Valley Arts Council encourages and fosters all kinds of artistic and cultural expression within the Wollombi Valley in order to support and promote artists and our community.

Please visit our website www.wollombi.org
We are now also on Instagram

'TAOTOCS' – THE ARTISTS OF THE OLD CHURCH STUDIO

27 June – 12 July Open DAILY 10am – 4pm

You are warmly invited to the exhibition opening at 12 noon Saturday 27 June 2026

"The Artists of the Old Church Studio return again with a fresh collection of paintings, prints and cards showcased in their Winter Exhibition at the Old Fireshed Gallery. Many artists have been very successfully winning prizes again this year.



This exhibition brings together the diverse work of a collective of artists who share both a studio space and a deep passion for art. Each artist brings their own voice to the exhibition, landscapes, abstracts, miniatures, drawings. The Old Fireshed Gallery is a cosy and welcoming space in the heart of historic Wollombi. Visitors can meet the artists and have the opportunity to take home original and unique gifts."

2026 EXHIBITIONS in the OLD FIRESHED GALLERY

Taotocs: 27 June - 12 July

Fiona Bateman & Michael O'Sullivan: 18 July - 2 August

Wayne Munce: 8 - 16 August

Artz Emergence: 22 August - 6 Sept

Sculpture in the Vineyards: 7 - 27 Sept

Family Ties: 3 - 11 Oct

Susanna Chen Chow: 17 - 25 Oct

Jodie Usher: 31 Oct - 8 Nov

Glenda Mellows: 14 - 29 Nov

The Artists Market: 5 Dec - 3 Jan 2027

LIFE DRAWING at the OLD FIRESHED GALLERY

3rd & 24th June, 15th July, 5th & 19th August, 30th September, 14th & 28th October, 11th November, 2nd December

Wednesdays 3 hours, 1 – 4pm Phone Mick to register 0468-730955

NAIDOC WEEK – 50 YEARS DEADLY

5 – 12 July



THE LITTLE YENGO GALLERY

The Little Yengo Gallery was built and is maintained and run by volunteers to celebrate the rich Aboriginal history and culture of Wollombi and surrounding areas. The non-profit gallery displays an extensive range of Aboriginal paintings, artworks and artefacts. The proceeds from the sale of the works, minus a small administrative fee, go directly to the artists. Wollombi means 'meeting place', our totem is the waterhen. Please come and learn the waterhen story and meet the artists. New volunteers and artists are welcome.

Visit <https://www.wollombi.org/little-yengo-gallery> for our online gallery

Wollombi Valley Arts Council Inc

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Wollombi Valley Pony Club

What a fantastic day we had on Sunday! We were incredibly lucky with the weather, with the rain holding off until just after we finished riding.

Riders enjoyed a fun and productive morning of dressage, show jumping, and sporting activities. It was wonderful to see so many members making the most of the day, with several riders heading out to the cross-country area. Some took the opportunity to enjoy a trail ride, while others challenged themselves by tackling a variety of cross-country jumps.

A big thank you to everyone who attended and helped make the day such a success & especially to Peter Migan for slashing our cross country area.

On the 28 June we will be holding an exciting training day which will give riders the opportunity to experience all three phases of a One Day Event:

- Dressage
- Show Jumping
- Cross Country

Less experienced riders will also be catered for, with a focus on developing confidence and trail-riding skills in a supportive environment.

We look forward to seeing everyone at the Training Clinic for another enjoyable day of riding, learning, and having fun with our horses.



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NAIDOC WEEK

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5-12 JULY 2026

SAT 4 JULY	WHAT'S ON	WED 8 JULY
KIRAY PUTJUNG ABORIGINAL CORPORATION FLAG RAISING AND WELCOME TO COUNTRY Join us to honour NAIDOC Week 2026, our local Aboriginal community and acknowledge the culture of all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. 10am-10.30am Cessnock TAFE Grounds	MON 6 JULY WAYAPA RHYMETIME First Nations Rhymetime/Music session to celebrate NAIDOC Week and incorporate the theme 50 Years of Deadly with stories, songs, activities and seasonally available bush tucker. 10am-10.45am Cessnock Library	BOOMERANG ARTS Come join us and celebrate NAIDOC Week. Lets create art and tell our own stories using Wooden Boomerangs and Paint Pens. 2pm-4pm Cessnock Youth Centre
SAT 4 JULY KIRAY PUTJUNG ABORIGINAL CORPORATION NAIDOC FAMILY FUN DAY We invite everyone to join us for this great day out to celebrate Aboriginal culture. It will be a full day of music, raffles, rides Aboriginal dancers, a BBQ and much more. Lots of fun for everyone! 10am-2.30pm Cessnock TAFE Grounds	TUE 7 JULY BARKUMA'S NAIDOC FAMILY FUN DAY Celebrate NAIDOC Week these school holidays with Barkuma's Family Fun Day. Raising awareness within our non-Indigenous community and providing positive access to various services for our Indigenous community. Free entertainment and give-aways for all ages. Food and drinks available for purchase. No pets. No alcohol. 10am-2pm Binari Jina-ma-Gu	THUR 9 JULY KURRI KURRI COMMUNITY CELEBRATION Join us for a special NAIDOC Week celebration bringing community together to recognise and honour Aboriginal culture. Experience a meaningful Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony led by Worriwarri Elder Uncle Warren Taggart, followed by an afternoon of connection, creativity and community. 12pm-3pm Kurri Kurri Community Services
SUN 5 - SUN 12 JULY LES ELVIN KUNGERA ART GALLERY AT THE HUNTER VALLEY VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE Immerse yourself in the vibrant world of Indigenous art at the Les Elvin Kungera Art Gallery. Discover local treasures including scarves, jewellery, placemats, and native-inspired culinary delights. Mon-Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 9am-4pm Hunter Valley Visitor Information Centre	TUE 7 JULY WAYAPA RHYMETIME First Nations Rhymetime/Music session to celebrate NAIDOC Week and incorporate the theme 50 Years of Deadly with stories, songs, activities and seasonally available bush tucker. 10am-10.45am Cessnock Library	FRI 10 JULY MINDARIBBA LALC FAMILY FUN DAY Join us for Mindaribba's NAIDOC Family Fun Day. Lots of fun to be had by all! The event includes elders tent, entertainment, market stalls, free sausage sizzle and much more! 10am-2pm Harold Gregson Park
SUN 5 JULY LITTLE YENGO GALLERY Visit the Little Yengo Gallery in the beautiful Wollombi Valley and view the works of Aboriginal artists. Artworks and giftware are also available for purchase at the gallery. 10am-4pm Little Yengo Gallery	WED 8 JULY FILM: THE SAPPHIRES Join us at PACC for a special screening of The Sapphires. In 1968, four talented young Australian Aboriginal girls learn about love, friendship, and war when their all-girl group The Sapphires entertains the US troops in Vietnam. 10am-11.30am Performance Arts Culture Cessnock	SAT 11 JULY ABORIGINAL GENEALOGY WORKSHOP Join us for a hands-on session with Ithamma Williams of Dhilyaan Nharya Aboriginal Genealogy (live via Zoom). Ithamma will guide you through the most reliable online tools for tracing Aboriginal ancestry. 9.30am-12pm Cessnock Library
MON 6 JULY MY STORY, MY WAY Come and join Ash from Them Thirties - Connecting the Dots to create 'My Story, My Way'. You will be led through creating pieces that represent Strength, Place, and Hope. Drop in for a little while or stay for the whole session. 9.30am-11.30am Makers Space, Performance Arts Culture Cessnock	SUN 12 JULY LITTLE YENGO GALLERY Visit the Little Yengo Gallery in the beautiful Wollombi Valley and view the works of Aboriginal artists. Artworks and giftware are also available for purchase at the gallery. 10am-4pm Little Yengo Gallery	QR CODE For more information, scan the QR code or visit www.cessnock.nsw.gov.au/NAIDOCWeek2026



Greetings from the Wollombi School Community Centre Committee (WSCC).

Our volunteer Committee is facing increasing pressures to continue to retain the historic Wollombi School precinct in community hands rather than it be lost to us forever. Are YOU interested in joining in the efforts to retain it with us for all of our community.

If you are, please consider coming to next Committee Meeting on Tuesday 14 July 2026 at 10 am at the front cottage on the Wollombi School campus. You would be most welcome.

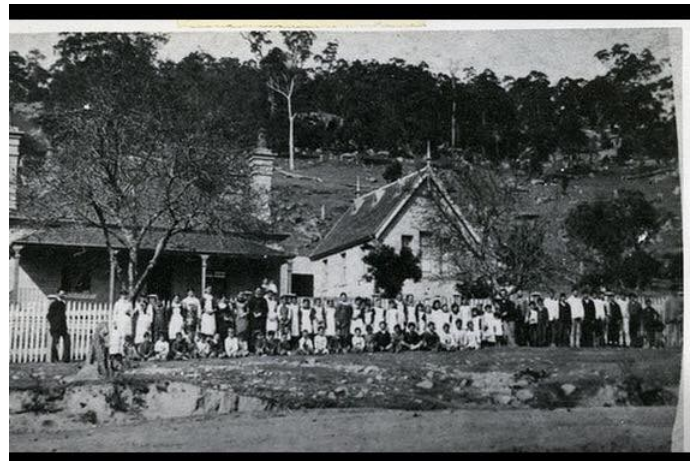
If you re otherwise engaged, or this is a bridge too far at the moment, think about showing your support by becoming a member of the Wollombi School Community Centre Inc by joining up via our website wollombischoolcommunitycentre.com.au

You are also invited to consider organising your regular or one-off event at the Wollombi School cottage. Just contact Suzanne on secretary@wollombischool.com.au to find out what's available and booking arrangements.

Some rooms are not available when the Pre School is operating two days a week, and also on days which are already used by regular or occasional groups, but feel free to inquire and discuss.

If we don't keep its history and historic buildings on behalf of our community, it will disappear forever.

The WSCC Committee members





Sculpture

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Wollombi Valley Sculpture Festival

12th – 27th September 2026

Host a Sculptor : Help support the artists who make the Wollombi Valley Sculpture Festival possible!

Every two years our valley comes alive with sculpture. We are hoping to offer free or discounted accommodation to all of the sculptors while they install/deinstall their sculptures.

Installation/Opening Weekend: Monday 7th – Sunday 13th September

Deinstallation: Sunday 27th and Monday 28th September

For you personally, it is fun to have a chance to get to know sculptors and be part of this wonderful festival in the valley. It also communicates to guests how warm and friendly this part of the world is.

Would it be possible for you to give the following?

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As we near the end of another fantastic term at Laguna Public School, we have been reminded once again of the incredible strength of our school community and the wonderful opportunities our students embrace.

Our whole-school excursion to Hunter Valley Zoo was a tremendous success. Students enjoyed an engaging day of learning about wildlife and conservation while creating lasting memories with their classmates. We were exceptionally proud of every student, whose exemplary behaviour, respectful attitudes and enthusiasm were commented on throughout the day. They represented Laguna Public School with pride and were outstanding ambassadors for our community.

Our Small Schools Athletics Carnival was another highlight, bringing together students, families and supporters for a day filled with encouragement, determination and celebration. It was inspiring to watch our students challenge themselves, achieve personal success and cheer each other on. Days like these remind us that our greatest strength lies in the way our community comes together to support every child as they grow in confidence and strive to achieve their personal best.

To finish the term in true Laguna style, our community came together for our much-loved Sock Hop and Swamp Stomp. The evening was filled with laughter, dancing and delicious treats, including hot dogs and the ever-popular zombie milkshakes. It was wonderful to see students, staff, families and community members filling the dance floor together, with The Dave Rambler Band keeping everyone entertained with fantastic live music. Seeing adults dust off their dancing shoes and show off their best moves alongside our students created a memorable evening that perfectly captured the spirit of our school.

Thank you to everyone who contributed to these wonderful events. The support, generosity and community spirit shown by our families continues to make Laguna Public School such a special place to learn, grow and belong.



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It's been great to see keen attendance for our regular social tennis games on Thursday afternoons 4:30 and Sunday mornings .

Additional players always welcome!

Contact Julia to organise a game 0403-500 381

Enjoy **Cards 500** held on the last Mondays of the month. Everyone welcome.

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Diary notes:

Saturday 18th July—our Tennis Club AGM is on Saturday 4pm

Sunday 9th August—come support our next Bunnings BBQ at Cessnock

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WOLLOMBI GARDEN CLUB

WOLLOMBI VALLEY GARDEN CLUB

Our June outing saw us head out to Paxton to Anna's gorgeous garden. It was a beautiful, sunny winters afternoon. Anna has packed a lot into her old style quarter acre block. Natives, shade loving plants, herbs, annuals, vegetable gardens and beautiful mature shade trees which included a River Birch with the most amazing rough barked trunk & close by a huge Flame tree with a smooth green trunk. There were also fruit trees & annuals. Anna & her husband Gary have also been working on bush regeneration in the park across the road so a number of us wondered over to see the amazing work they are doing there. To top off a great afternoon Gary made & served a delicious Cauliflower soup to us all.

We are off to Cheryl's garden in Wollombi for our July outing but it will be on the 3rd Monday of the month 20th July, (not the 1st). If you would like to join our group contact me & I can add you to our mailing list.

Regards

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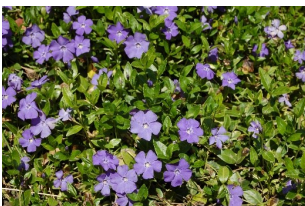
Gardening in the Wollombi Valley can be challenging and those of us who have ornamentals in our gardens often favour plants which are able to withstand drought, heat, frost and prolonged rain events. It is also a bonus if the ornamentals are unappealing to native animals as a food source!

But unfortunately, precisely because of the hardiness of certain plants, they are also able to bolt into the bush or along a stream bank if we leave them uncontrolled. Here are a few that are fairly common and need watching. It so happens that all four typically produce either blue or white flowers or sometimes pink...

Wisteria - a woody climber that produces pendulous, highly fragrant flowers in spring, wisteria is usually grown on a support structure, but it can climb vertically or along the ground if the soil is rich.



Periwinkle or Vinka - a pretty creeper that flowers for much of the year, it will grow in most soil types and is a real bolter if given the chance.



Violets - while they may seem harmless enough, don't underestimate the ability of violets to spread, either by runners or seed. If the soil is moist, they will try and make a run for it.



Agapanthus - a strappy plant that produces large, showy flower heads in summer. Agapanthus grow from rhizomes that will walk with little encouragement. Make sure you cut off the spent flower heads or otherwise the seeds will scatter easily.



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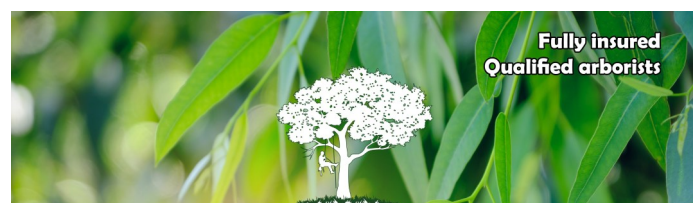
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Wollombi of Old

Wollombi. July 29th 1841.

To those who take the trouble of thinking on statistical subjects, the information may be interesting, that twelve years ago, the sound of the woodman's axe had not been heard in the Wollombi, where there is now a population of six or seven hundred persons and that the settler's gene rally speaking are, what in England would he called, an independent yeomanry. Perhaps, in few instances, in the American States, has there been a more rapid increase in the population and wealth acquired by individuals, and probably, in no instance an increase in the value of land, being from five hundred to one thousand per cent.

The state of the police is a matter of no ordinary importance to the community of every district, as in a great degree on their exertions depend on the security of person and property. On this subject we have nothing particular to report, not having heard of any outrage for a considerable time. We cannot refrain from expressing an opinion, that if Police Magistrates were to communicate with the settlers, by passing through their districts, a better feeling would be generated, and cooperation secured in arresting the progress of crime. Such seems to have been the result in this quarter.

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Simply sign up to Grow It Local+ using an address in the Cessnock LGA to automatically receive your 50% rebate. Membership also allows you to participate in any Cessnock City Council gardening workshop free of charge.

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- **Workshops:** access to monthly live workshops hosted by Paul West, featuring Australia's most accomplished and celebrated growers. Also available on-demand
- **Ask an expert:** get advice and access support to help you overcome any problems in your patch

Visit www.growitlocal.com for more information or to sign up to the program.

Cessnock City Council Completes \$1.6m Major Wollombi Safety and Connectivity Upgrades

Council has completed the Wollombi Road T-intersection upgrade and High Pedestrian Activity Area safety improvements project, marking a significant milestone in improving pedestrian safety and enhancing the historic village's public domain.

The works, delivered in response to high pedestrian activity in the area, have transformed a key section of Wollombi into a safer, more accessible and more inviting space for residents and visitors.

The project, made possible thanks to funding from the NSW Government's Round 2 of the Towards Zero Safer Roads Program, includes traffic calming measures, improved pedestrian crossings, upgraded road surfaces a reduced High Pedestrian Activity Area speed zone, and carefully designed streetscape elements that complement the village's heritage character.

As part of a broader program of works, Council has also completed upgrades to the Wollombi Walking Trail, converting it into a higher-quality shared pathway for pedestrians and cyclists including path widening, surface and drainage upgrades. These broader program of works were funded by the Australian and NSW Governments' Community Assets Program (CAP).

Together, these projects enhance connectivity within the village and encourage safer, more active ways to move through Wollombi.

Cessnock City Mayor Dan Watton said the projects reflect Council's commitment to balancing safety, accessibility and heritage preservation.

"These projects are about creating a safer environment for everyone who lives in, works in or visits Wollombi, while respecting the unique heritage character that defines the village," Cllr Watton said.

"We know Wollombi is a much-loved visitor destination in the Hunter region, and these improvements ensure it can continue to thrive as a place where people can gather, explore and enjoy everything the village has to offer."

"I'd particularly like to acknowledge the support of the Australian and NSW Government, whose funding has been instrumental in delivering these important upgrades for the Wollombi community."

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For more information on the Wollombi Road T-Intersection upgrade, visit www.cessnock.nsw.gov.au/Works/Current-works/Wollombi-Road-T-Intersection-High-Pedestrian-Activity-Area

Diary & Events

Church Services

St John's Anglican Church Wollombi is a festival church. There is a service at Christmas and Easter. Baptisms, weddings, funerals and other services are by arrangement. Please contact the Parish on 02-4991 4761 or 0418-269 892 or email: stjohnscottage@bigpond.com

St Michael's Wollombi, Mass is on the 2nd and 5th Sunday of the month at 2pm

Wollombi Valley Home Church

Meets at Tennis Club
1st Sunday of the month at 2pm, followed by afternoon tea.
Contact Keith 0409-909 971 or Pastor Neville 0467-210 478

Crafty Yarns

Knitting/crochet group meets in Wollombi.
For more information contact Jane 4998 8158 or Jillian 0477 519 996.

500 Cards—Wollombi

commence at 6 pm on last Monday in the month.
Wollombi Tennis Clubhouse
Contact: Jan Harrison
janeceharrison08@gmail.com

Chamber of Commerce - Wollombi Valley

General Meetings held every 2nd month. See www.wollombivalleytourism.com.au for venue.

Fire Brigade—Laguna

Training 3rd Saturday of the month with breakfast at 8.30am followed by training from 9am to 11am. Laguna Fire Station. Members meeting 11am after training in March, June, September and December.

Fire Brigade—Wollombi

Training 3rd Saturday monthly 8.30am Wollombi Fire Station. Members meeting 11am following training in even months, All welcome. Enquiries to brigade@wollombibushfire.org.au

Fire Brigade - Bucketty and District

Training 3rd Saturday monthly from 9am - 12pm
Members meeting 4 times per year
Enquiries to: bucketty@lowerhunterffs.com.au

Garden Group

1st Monday monthly.
Contact Judy Zieren 0405-281845

Conversations en francais à Wollombi

Rencontres detendues pour ceux qui veulent parler francais a Wollombi. Nous nous reunissons les samedis une fois par mois vers 17 heures chez des particuliers. On discute l'art, l'histoire, la politique, la France – avec un bon vin et fromage bien sur.
Contactez: Gwen Lansbury, glsansbury@gmail.com
Ph: 02-4998 3141, 0451 693 376

Landcare Group - Wollombi Valley

Join us to learn more about caring for the land and the wildlife on it. We meet regularly for workshops, planting days and other events. New members are always welcome! Contact us at www.wollombilandcare.org.au or wollombi.landcare@gmail.com

Monthly Historical Ghost Tours

Newcastle Ghost Tours & Jo Potter Ph: 0411-357 519

Museum—Wollombi

6pm summer – 5pm winter, 1st Wednesday monthly except January, Wollombi Cultural Centre
Contact: David Roache 0400330760
or Lindsay Self 04091239589

Pony Club—Wollombi Valley

Every 3 weeks contact President Simone 02-4998 8214 for details

Playgroup (all kids 5 and under welcome)

10.30am every Wednesday, at Slacks Park Wollombi

Theology in the Pub discussion group:

4th Sun/month at Wollombi School Residence 2:00.pm

Wollombi Valley Community Association

Community meetings held 3rd Thursday of the month,

Wollombi Tidy Valleys

11am, every 2nd Thursday Bi-Monthly Wollombi School Meeting Room. All welcome. Contact—Bernice 4991 1688

Wollombi School Community Centre:

Committee meetings held 10am on 2nd Tuesday of each month. Venue is the Principal's Cottage on Cnr of Crawford & Wollombi Roads, Wollombi. Interested persons welcome.

Transport

Grape Experience Tours 0414 457 956

Wine country taxis Cessnock (02) 4990 1111

Sport and Fitness

Pilates Classes

Mat Classes are held Wednesday 9.30am & Fridays 10.30am.
Wollombi Community Hall
Contact: Susan 0403-270 365

Wollombi Tennis

Thursday from 4:30pm
Sunday 8:00 am
All welcome.
Contact: Julia Brooke 0403-500 381

Eureka Taekwondo

Thursdays 4pm – 5pm
Wollombi Community Hall
Contact: Steve Turner 0400-002 951

YOGA

Wednesday 7:30-8:30am Vinyasa
Saturday 8.30-9.30am Hatha Flow
Wollombi Community Hall

Zumba Classes:

Fitness With Milly Monday Wollombi Hall
7:45am HIIT
9:00am Zumba Gold
Friday Wollombi Tennis Club 8:30am Zumba
Contact: Milly Ph 0414-435 576

Services

Dog and Cat Beds and Accessories 0421 431 451
<http://growls-hisses.com>
houndsfelines@mail.com

Local Accommodation**Bellbird**

Tabitha Hill Cottage 0429 657 166

Laguna

Byora Farm House 02 4998 8227
 Ipakey Cottage 02 4998 3219
 Kawalang Studio –Bucketty/Murrays Run 0404 896 396
 Laguna Cottages 02 4998 3219
 Twin Pines Cottage 0403 083 381
 Valle Laguna 0408 809 471
 Valley Field Escape 0488 436 001

Millfield

Bellbird & Swallows Cottages 0414 786 705
 Neudorf Country Retreat 0414 920 013

Congewai

Brown Muir Cottage 0409 416 416

Wollombi

Applegums 0419 416 416
 Blair Athol Estate 02 4998 3323
 Capers Cottage 0409 305 285
 Cedar Creek Cottages 02 4998 1576
 Corrabare Cottage 0409 416 416
 Cowboys Cabin 0423 109 558
 Cranky Rock Cottage 0438 757 442
 The Farm @ Hunter Escape 0418 114 303
 Grays Inn 02 4998 3483
 Gypsy Willows 02 4998 3404
 Hollybrook Hunter Valley 0411 968 873
 Hunter Valley Escapes 0409 416 416
 Ironbark Cottage 02 4998 3427
 Maggies in Wollombi 0416 039 081
 Mystwood Retreats 02 4998 3234
 Myrtle Cottage Accommodation 0409 416 416
 Pepper Tree Cottage 0416 039 081
 Redleaf Hunter Valley 0412 566 637
 Somewhere Unique 02 4998 3257
 The Studios 02 4998 3182
 Tiny Escape 0426 891 870
 two8seven5 Boutique Stays 0437 977 798
 Undercliff Settlers Cottage 02 4998 3322
 Wild Edge Retreat 02 4998 3304
 Wollombi Barn Stay 02 4998 3221
 Wollombi Birdhouse 0423 376 804
 Wollombi Brook Family Farm Stay 0422 515 905
 Wollombi Bush Retreat 0432 156 396
 Wollombi Farm Country House 0416 039 081
 Wollombi Stays 0416 039 081
 Woodcutters House 0416 039 081
 Yango Creek Farmhouse 0416 039 081

Fernances Crossing

Willows Retreat 0249 988623

Restaurants, Pubs and Stores

Laguna Village Providore 0478-712613
 Millfield General Store 02 4998 1263
 Myrtle & Stone Cafe 02 4998 3220
 The Trading Post Laguna 02 4998 8244
 Twine Home Store 02 4498 3331
 Wollombi Café—Next Door 0408-599177
 Wollombi General Store 02 4998 3230
 Wollombi Tavern 02 4998 3261

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