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COVID-19 Update



Only 1 Active Case in the Northern Tablelands

Today has seen further easing of COVID-19 restrictions and the Northern Tablelands electorate finds itself in the enviable position of having only 1 active coronavirus case – in Armidale and now 9 people having recovered.

These figures directly reflect the outstanding work you, the community, have done in abiding by social distancing measures.

In terms of the State's COVID-19 figures there are currently 421 active cases, 3,063 confirmed cases with an impressive 2,595 recovered. 3,112 tests have been completed across the electorate, and over the past three weeks the Armidale Hospital drive through screening clinic has added close to 1,000 tests to that figure – with not one positive.

Hunter New England Local Health District (HNELHD) has advised the service at Armidale Hospital will draw to a close today, however, from next week the people of Inverell and Glen Innes will have the convenience of drive through testing at their hospitals.

The clinics will operate Monday to Friday between the hours 1pm and 3pm. Similar to the Armidale service, those looking to be tested must book an appointment in advance by phoning the Inverell clinic on 6721 9520 and Glen Innes clinic on 0438 925 949, between 8am and 4.30pm.

You do not have to have symptoms of COVID-19 to be tested, but if you are exhibiting cold or flu-like symptoms such as fever, sore throat, cough or shortness of breath you should jump on the phone straight away and book an appointment.

On Friday, the Premier stated more than 12,000 people across NSW had been tested for the illness and she expressed how important it is, as restrictions are eased, these high screening rates continue.

In NSW the following restrictions are now in place, under Stage 1 of the Commonwealth Government's COVIDSafe Australia framework:

- **Outdoor gatherings of up to 10 people**
- **Cafes, restaurants, pubs and clubs can seat 10 patrons at any one time**
- **Up to 5 visitors to a household at any one time**
- **Weddings up to 10 guests**
- **Indoor funerals up to 20 mourners, outdoor funerals up to 30**
- **Religious gatherings/places of worship up to 10 worshippers**
- **Use of outdoor equipment with caution**
- **Outdoor pools open with restrictions**

It needs to be made very clear, with restrictions easing, there will be an increase in the number of confirmed cases. With this in mind it is more important than ever the community abides by the 1.5 metres social distancing rule and increases its level of hygiene. Noticeably, there has already been an increase in the number of people out and about, at the shops and in public places. We must be hyper vigilant and not assume those we gather with, or the places we congregate at, are free of coronavirus infection. While it is great to see people able to get back to work, we must continue to put our health first and in particular do the right thing to protect the elderly and vulnerable. We will all anxiously watch on to see how the infection rate shifts in coming weeks. I will continue to keep you updated on changes to restrictions as they are adjusted.

Until next time, stay safe and stay home.

Adam Marshall, Member for Northern Tablelands

Robert Bell was elected to Uralla Shire Council in September 2016 and has served one term as Deputy Mayor. He was previously Director of Engineering for Uralla Shire, lives in town, and has a grazing block at Kentucky. In his regular column, Cr Bell gives a personal view of some of the more important matters concerning Council and ratepayers in recent weeks.

Parks are now reopening access to equipment, and limited numbers are allowed in cafes. Schools are edging towards normal classes, and the world is slowly returning to normal. The enormous pressure that has been placed on Uralla's pubs, motels, cafes, shops, not to mention all their staff, seems to be a huge price to pay for only one positive COVID-19 test in the past two months.

Congratulations to the ladies at the Uralla Library, who have used this opportunity to paint one section, rearrange the bookshelves and books, including sending any that haven't been borrowed for a long period back to Tamworth, as well as setting up the computer work stations ready for when they can reopen with distancing restrictions.

Council's April meeting (held on May 5), was via Zoom. I found this very impersonal, and hope that our next meeting will be held in the Council Chambers. The two development applications for the Foodworks site and a Natural Burial Ground were deferred, at the request of the applicants.

The defeat of the rescission motion submitted on the March 2020 resolution in relation to the Local Drought Stimulus Package, means that we now see the awarding of the contract for the refurbishment of the Visitor Information Centre to Rice Construction Group. It would be good to get this work underway while the Centre remains closed to the public. The stimulus package-approved works also included funding for development of the industrial land, Constellation of the South Project at "The Glen" and a shire wide map of businesses and tourist attractions.

Great job by Roadwork Industries on the asphalt work in Hill Street from Bridge Street to Duke Street. While this work, in some sections, was long overdue, the \$344,000 estimated cost will be provided from Roads to Recovery funding, and Federal Assistance Grants.

Councillors were not impressed to learn via Facebook that this project was occurring, as this was not included in our Works Progress and Planning Report to our April Council meeting, nor in the latest Civil Works advice included in our May Council newsletter.

Council resolution 09.03/20 stated that the Acting General Manager would assure Councillors "will always receive the Capital Works Program, Roads to Recovery Program, and the Internal Works Program and draft amendments for approval prior to works commencing."

Residents of Retreat Road are justifiably feeling frustrated, as the same resolution also stated that "subject to sufficient funds being allocated in 2020/21 identify Retreat Road as having first priority in the next Operational Plan".

Bligh Avenue was top of Council's Transport Asset Management Plan for urban road upgrades. This has not happened. It was also suggested that the asphaltting of the shoulders beside the highway would have reinvigorated the Central Business District.

Council has invited tenders to be submitted for the Bundarra Sewage Scheme. Tenders close on June 30, 2020. Council will need to consider the sewerage rates for the Bundarra residents, as it will be at least twelve months before the scheme will come into operation. It has been 4 years since the NSW Government first offered funding for this project. The latest estimate is \$8,812,630. The previous estimate was \$5,043,500.

Let's hope that Council's next meeting with the Bundarra residents is more positive than the last one we had. Council resolved at its last meeting to terminate the engagement of The NSW Government Public Works Advisors as project manager for the construction phase, and to undertake the project management of the construction phase of the scheme through the engagement of project management staff or consultants. This followed a report from staff and includes the Officer's Recommendation.

Councillors would normally expect to be reviewing the 2020/21 Draft Budget by this time; however the current COVID-19 situation has definitely caused some challenges.

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**Robert Bell,
Uralla Shire Resident**



There are lots of local businesses listed in this paper, but here are some more with online shops you might

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Look After Yourself

Selina Anne Fitness - Get in touch via her facebook page for details of her Home Workout Challenge, remember she is opening her gym in Uralla as soon as this is over too, so it would be great to support her in the mean time : [Selina Anne Fitness](#)

Way of Water Kung Fu - FREE Tai Chi classes online : Sign up at their Facebook Page, [Way of Water Kung Fu](#)

Uralla Neighbourhood Centre Phone Support only - 6778 3277

Food Pantry Monday 12noon - 2pm (back on 4th May)

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Beyond Blue 1300 22 4636

ABC Education Resources - freely available - for Primary and Secondary as well as early childhood : <https://education.abc.net.au/home#!/home>

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With many thanks for everyone's support, Tara

Some Handy Links from the Wordsworth Team :

For questions about receiving additional financial support as a result of COVID-19, or looking for more information on support options available to you, see the below websites:

☐ ATO : www.ato.gov.au/

☐ Treasury: www.treasury.gov.au/

☐ Services Australia: www.servicesaustralia.gov.au/.../affected-coronavirus-covid-19

☐ Services NSW : <https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/covid-19>

Stay Well, Stay Home, Spend Locally

Through The Eyes Of Strangers

Recently, I saw my beloved Uralla through the eyes of strangers.

Two beautiful people from France, Michel and Marie-France Goehen, who, for the first time, walked our streets, met our people, visited our own McCrossin's Mill, talked with children in our schools, dined at our pubs and restaurants and were invited into our homes.

They expressed awe at the spontaneous generosity of our people. The friendship and the spirit that makes our community buzz. And as they marvelled at each new experience, they reminded me again and again of the treasure that is our own little town.

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It is an honour to work amongst and with such people.

Sometimes it takes the eyes of a stranger to remind us what we have. I am unashamedly proud to live in Uralla, and I intend to go on doing so for many years to come.

Cheryl Nolan, Uralla resident

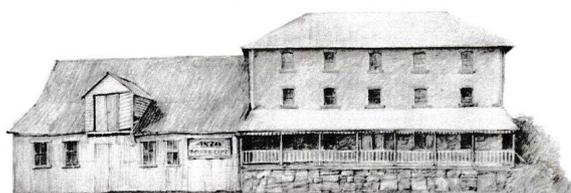
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Please explore our digital collection library.

View the list of exhibitions at the museum on display and discover more about the characters and objects that make us who we are today.

See you in person when we re-open!



McCrossin's Mill

URALLA HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.
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I encourage people to send me a message on Facebook or Instagram if they see something they would like more info or prices on. I'm happy to organise postage and local delivery.

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Uralla Golf Club

I have a fair bit of soft drink just sitting in the store room and cool room. If anyone is interested in purchasing from the list beside please let me know via commenting below, inbox or call me on 0458784059. I'm selling this soft drink close to cost price.

Amy Barraclough, Uralla Golf Club

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Sprite	\$2 Each
Solo	\$2 Each



2020 Vision... A Post Pandemic Prediction

Everybody's feeling down about having their freedoms restricted, but what say we count our blessings that we don't live in less fortunate parts of this currently dismal world.

And here's a prediction that might lift your spirits, and don't mean your rum.

When this pandemic is passé, there will be an influx of newcomers keen to relocate to Uralla. "Why?" I hear you ask, midst your peals of laughter. Consider this.

Lots of people have just discovered that they don't really have to "go to work" to go to work.

They don't have to suffer the open-plan office on the twentieth floor of an ugly glass tower.

They don't have to suffer tollway torture every morning and evening, and the pace of life that says "Get out of the way or you'll get knocked over."

And they're worried about their children ... can't have a pet, nor a veggie garden, no magpies to feed, can't walk home safely from school or a friend's birthday party, can't ride their bike around the block, can't see how beautifully blue the sky really is and what a racket a flock of cockatoos makes ... all that.

It's why some "boutique suburbs" in Sydney have become so sought after. And expensive! Because they all boast about being "a village" ... Erskineville, Paddington, Woollahra, Newport, Manly, Newtown, Summer Hill, Hunters Hill ... and so on, all part of Lord Mayor Clover Moore's vision of Sydney as "a city of villages".

But, you see, that's what Uralla already is ... a village. A fair-dinkum one! And during the pandemic Uralla has shown its true colours ... polite, safe, caring, peaceful, and cheerful.

But what's more, it has that "first impressions" factor. It is very appealing, compared to other towns. The heritage buildings indicate that the place has history, embedded stories, generational character, and its own atmosphere. It's not a shonky Ikea place, hastily thrown together by developers who care only about the quids, not the koalas.

No, Uralla has substance, a distinctive charm worth conserving, and for newcomers ... a "welcome mat". And it has countryside, and bushland, and birds and creeks and dawns and sunsets and sounds and smells so foreign to the sameness and grunge of the big towns and the honking, shrieking, pushing-and-shoving city.

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Surely we've all seen visitors peering into Uralla's real estate agents' windows, and saying "if only" ... No, not about the price. "If only" we could pack up and move here".

Well now, you see, more people will realise it's possible.

Sure, most will head for the coast and take their city attitudes with them to share with their salty coastal cousins.

But for others, after a bad day in an office on the twentieth floor, or because of the rat-race getting home, a different decision will be made about a destination.

"Let's do it. Let's go and live in one of the loveliest towns in Australia, Uralla!"

Kent Mayo, Uralla resident



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Many of Uralla's businesses are now open - see the Bridge Street Observer column on p. 25 for details

Covid News

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Chris and Mandy Mowle, Proprietors

Life Force Seeds & Little Ladybird Nursery

Another business you may like to discover :
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Daily updates on the specials will be posted on Instagram and facebook. Sending love and best wishes to all of the local community at this unsettling and sad time, and let's hope Uralla is back to some kind of normal sooner rather than later. We are all in this together. Stay well, Sonia x

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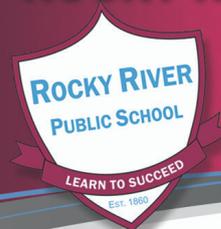
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Andrew Murray's Diary

...continued

“Sunday February 26, 1860:

Mr. John Bell would not hear of my going over to the camp. I would have preferred it as I was never a good publican's customer, but incessant, pressing invitations from an old companion of by-gone days and arrangements with the party to hobble and look after my horses, prevailed, and I stayed with him over Sunday and fared well, as the day was showery.

Monday February 27, 1860:

Mr. Bell told me that his business there was buying cattle. He had, the evening before we arrived, bought some 300 or 330 head from the landlord Mr. Walker, after a hard deal which ended in his favour, on the strength of his playing the violin to Mr. Walker's satisfaction and singing a few songs aided by a member of the Force, the chorus of whose song was "We'll laugh and sing God save the King, etc." Mr. Bell said buying the cattle was a hard bargain; getting a reliable man to drove them still harder for he could not get one worth a button. Would I help him I replied that I would if my companions would agree to do my work and pack up my kit and look after my horses. This they readily agreed to do, so I am now to be, for a time at least, a cattle drover.

Tuesday February 28, 1860:

Matters being arranged satisfactorily, I stared out in the N. Easterly direction to where the cattle were being herded. There were about 500 head in the lot. There being no yard to count out, it was mutually agreed between Mr. Walker and Mr. Bell that as the stockman and myself were disinterested we were to cut the mob and whichever was the bigger lot was to be Mr. Bell's. The cattle were a mixed lot from Yandillo, Darling Downs. After rounding them up and mixing them as fairly as we could, we cut. When heavy and light cattle are ringing around, the heavy cattle keep together. I had the lead and the cut was made, which was considered satisfactory to both parties. All the bullocks were in Bell's lot. They were then counted and a man came with me to help me drive them, whilst Mr. Bell and Mr. Walker returned to Gayndah to settle up for them. Bell soon returned and together we drove them down to Mr. Reid's station Iderway, where we had a yard to put them in. At the house, a hearty squatter's welcome, good fare, and a good sleep awaited us.

Wednesday February 29, 1860:

Had breakfast and a good start and travelled level with the Burnett on the West bank to a creek emptying into the Burnett River. As we had no yard tonight, we camped the cattle between the creek and the river, near the junction. It seemed to be an out-station. A Mr. Bates lived there, the name of the place being Yanda.

Thursday March 1, 1860:

Started early and went on over some well-grassed country to a place called Minga where we had to keep night watch again.

Friday March 2, 1860:

Went on, and after a hard day's drive we reached Messrs. Leviston and Lamot's station "Twinyaring". In the distance we saw large yards and hoped to get the cattle in. On Mr. Bell's asking, however, the use of the yards for cattle was refused. They were sheep yards and the cattle would tread them up. So we had a third night, watching. We camped on the east side of the creek, which served as a break, and a fence came into it, which, with a dense vine scrub, served as a fairly good camp. We had little trouble but felt the want of sleep.

Saturday March 3, 1860:

Started as early as possible. The ridges were very stoney with sharp slate and rock. A wind storm had caused the fall, by the roots, of many spotted gums. The cattle were footsore and travelled very slowly. We had only one apology for a stock-whip which we exchanged from time to time and, by hard work, got about three miles by midday. Had a razor-back to rise, so put the cattle on to it to feed up whilst we had a little to eat. While at dinner, one of the station owners came along. He thought we could not make the next station, so had better camp at a creek some distance ahead. The ground on the top of the ridge was softer travelling and by hard work we reached Walla after sundown. Mr. Bell got leave to put them in the yard. I think he gave in a short count. The yard was not big enough but we were inside a paddock, so if a few were left out, no matter. However, we got them packed in, the rails up, something to eat, and lay down on the couch on the lower side of the yard – a nice soft bed and dry. We soon slept. It was cloudy and had been all day. We slept soundly, very soundly. I awakened near morning. We were in a water-course coming through the yard, more than a little damp. I awakened Bell; we gathered up our traps and went into a hut, where we fixed up on a stretcher, and the water dripping off us till morning.

Sunday March 4, 1860:

At daylight we got away. A deep-banked creek came into the river sand. The river had not risen so we got over all right. I drove all day with a hat and shirt on, my pants and boots on the saddle, and the horse with the cattle swam a scrubby creek and reached Jin Jin in good time. Got a yard for the cattle and a dry suit from Mr. Engean Brown who, with Mrs. Brown, at the British Lion, were very kind to us both. My exploring mates were camped on the opposite side of Jin Jin Creek."

To be continued.....

Noel Marshall, Uralla Historical Society

Community Calendar

Please email urallawordsworth@gmail.com if you have an event or meeting for Uralla, Kentucky or Invergowrie.

Please check with Event Organisers about Status of Listed Events

Uralla Rotary Club meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays at 6.15pm at the Uralla Bowling Club, dinner optional after the meeting

Uralla Lions Club meets on the 1st Wednesday of each month from 5/5.30 in the CWA Rooms

Uralla Fire & Rescue meet on Tuesday nights at the Uralla Fire Station from 6-7.30pm

Uralla CWA meets on the 4th Friday of each month at 10am at CWA Rooms in the Literary Institute **Uralla Computer Bank** is open Mon, Tues & Thurs from 9.30am – 3.30pm at Uralla Shire Waste Depot

Computer Bank New England Computer Classes are each Friday from 9am - 12noon at the Uralla Community Centre

Uralla Hospital Auxillary meets on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 2pm at the CWA Rooms in the Literary Institute

Uralla Show Society meetings are on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 7.30pm at the Uralla Showgrounds

Uralla Shire Business Chamber meets 1st Thursday of each month at 5.30pm at the Uralla Bowling Club

Uralla Progressive Cinema meets on the last Tuesday of each month, 6pm at McCrossin's Mill, all welcome, entry is free and donations welcome

Uralla Town & Environs Committee meets on the second Tuesday of each month from 6-7pm in the Uralla Shire Council Chambers

Tennis is on Wednesday from 6.30pm at the Uralla Sporting Complex

Knattering Knitters meet at Uralla Library on Tuesdays at 10am and Sundays at 2pm

Uralla Men's Shed is open each Tuesday and Wednesday from 9am - 1pm in the Old Scout Hall, Uralla North Rd (just off the Bundarra Road).

Uralla Auto Club Inc. meets at 7 pm on the first Tuesday of each month at The Bottom Pub.

Uralla Red Cross meets on the first Friday of each month at 2pm in the CWA rooms in the Literary Institute opposite Foodworks

Uralla Historical Society meets on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 5pm at McCrossin's Mill

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Upcoming Events

Uralla Shire Council Ordinary Meeting Tuesday 26th May - Agendas and business papers will be published the week prior to the meeting. Council meetings are open to the public, but details of attendance options have not yet been provided.

We're in this together

- Get it to go - you can still spend locally and this edition of the paper is full of good ideas to help you out
- Leave a 5 star review - so many local businesses and organisations are going above and beyond right now, they deserve it!
- Like + Follow - it costs nothing but makes a HUGE difference
- Tell a Friend - if you had a great experience, enjoyed your meal or loved your products, spread the word
- Say Thank You - being kind costs nothing and it will truly make someone's day
- Need Help? Reach out, we are in this together and we are here for one another. The Uralla Neighbourhood Centre are a good starting point, they are available on the phone at 67783277.

Isolation: Now Everyone is Doing it!

Those who know me, know that 'iso' has been my default for many years and is not a problem. There are a few reasons for this, but we don't need to go into them here. Possibly the most important thing to know is that I rather enjoy my own company – my sense of humour is amazing!

The past three or four months have taught me many things about isolation – from others' perspectives. Before the days of COVID19 lockdown, I was clearly in a minority. These days, I think I still belong to a minority – one of few who likes iso and would appreciate less 'meetings' in my day. The problem is that now there are so many interruptions to my comfortable solitude because so many people *don't* like iso!

The pandemic unfolded while I was on a working trip overseas. It was interesting to 'experience' the escalation in the different countries. The trip took in Singapore, the Netherlands, England and Scotland. In Singapore in mid-February, distancing was in force and the screening at the airport was quick, but thorough (if you classify taking all passengers' temperatures as thorough). Arrival in the UK in late February was 'business as usual' – no screening, no distancing. Then off to the Netherlands for a few days. There, some measures were in place and some landmarks were closed. Business meetings were slightly impacted as we maintained a level of distance. Their lockdown occurred a few days after I returned to the UK, where, once again, there were no visible signs of restrictions.

As my journey progressed, businesses and tourist attractions started to implement distancing measures. In Manchester in early March, for example, aged care residences were restricting visitors. Realising that the situation was worsening, I decided that I would avoid public transport and hired a car for the rest of the time away. That was great – it gave me a greater level of freedom to wander around!

Fast forward to mid/late March when things really began to tighten up. I was in Inverness when the message came through that Aussies were advised to head home asap. The trip from Inverness to London (with a few stopovers, of course!) was interesting. Each day, more businesses and tourist attractions closed down. In Stratford Upon Avon, for example, the Royal Shakespeare Company closed 12 hours before I arrived.

By the time I got to Heathrow, so much had closed down. The airport was chaotic – delayed flights, cancelled flights, still no sign of screening. Then, the flight home (via Singapore) was delayed, but not significantly in the scheme of things. The first sign of screening was in Singapore. There, even though it was just a quick stopover, every passenger was screened (temperature checks again). Arrival in Sydney was also chaotic. There was some screening, but many mixed messages about distancing. I had to spend a night in Sydney ('quarantined' in a hotel) and then managed to get a flight to Armidale the next day and spent the next 14 days in mandatory iso.

One thing I have noticed since getting home is the proliferation of 'new' videoconferencing apps we can use to conduct meetings is one of the biggest bugbears. Pre-lockdown, I was quite happy with phone, email (although the amount of spam can be quite confronting!), zoom, Skype – and the odd foray into Messenger and to 'in-person' meetings and networking events. The regularity of meetings was manageable then, but now ... oh wow.

I've had to download so many meeting apps, particularly in the past three weeks, because everyone has their own favourite and now a phone call or email is not enough – we have to have a briefing on Messenger, a work-in-progress meeting on Teams, an executive roundtable on Skype for Business (yes, it is different!), a training session on zoom, a client meeting on FaceTime ... webinars, casual drinks sessions – the list goes on! It seems that we have to see and be seen on screen.

Having said that, I am not an advocate of rushing out of lockdown and back to the way we did business before COVID19. Caution is important!

So, how is iso treating you?!

Joanna Dolan, Rocky River



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Letters to the Editor

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Dear Editor,

I refer to your criticism of Council's decision to formally notify only the near neighbours of the proposed Foodworks redevelopment (Editorial in the Uralla Wordsworth of 4 May 2020).

Council staff elected to use this same method of selective notification for our development application (DA) to establish a Natural Burial Ground at Banded Bee Farm (DA-44/2018). More than a year later we are still attempting to unravel the mess this created.

Selective notification is not appropriate for a project like a natural burial ground that offers potential benefit to the entire local community and ecosystem. Further, DAs concerning funeral homes, mortuaries, crematoria or cemeteries are known to draw near resident objections. By notifying only the immediate neighbours of Banded Bee Farm, Council staff literally guaranteed opposing submissions, and at the same time deprived members of the wider community of the opportunity to engage.

At our request, Council provided us copies of 18 opposing submissions from near neighbours, but with all the names and addresses redacted. This meant we could not contact those people or address their concerns directly, so we took the initiative of reaching out to the community to determine support for the development. As a result, Council received submissions from individuals and groups (including Progressive Cinema, Armidale Tree Group, Sustainable Living Armidale) that collectively represented the supportive voices of around 350 people.

The burial ground DA was to be determined at the Council meeting of 5 May 2020; however, we instructed our lawyers to seek a deferral because the Report to Council (produced by Council staff) was, in our view, biased and misleading. Here is one example. The Report included opposing submissions, but excluded all supporting submissions. Council staff claimed this was because they were received after the notification period had ended. However, neither development application nor the closing date were ever publicly advertised.

Excluding supportive submissions misrepresented the genuine community support for this development. Withholding the identities of near neighbour objectors limited our ability to engage with complainants.

Further, when the identities of the objectors were eventually published in the Report released on 28 April 2020 a significant conflict of interest was revealed. The most strident opposing submission having been made by a near neighbour of Banded Bee Farm with links to Council staff.

Courts, councils and other public authorities are not only expected to be fair and impartial in their dealings, but must also be seen to be fair and impartial. Our experience to date leaves us with reservations on both counts. Nonetheless, we remain confident that if the Uralla Shire Councillors are provided with complete and accurate information that they will recognise the merit of this important initiative.

Kevin Hartley
Project Director
Earth Funerals
www.earthfunerals.org

Dear Editor.

Some good reasons to be suspicious of the USA

American Football ("Grid Iron"): A game takes three hours, during which the ball is in play for about only eleven minutes. Forty-eight players in each team but only eleven on the field at once. Each team has an Offence team and a Defence team, but can't even pronounce the terms properly. They score a "touch down", but don't actually touch down.

Each player appears to have more body enhancements than the whole Kardashian clan!

It is violent. It is simply a vehicle for advertising.

War Movies: Where they always win, when in fact ...

Basketball: Two teams of five grossly overpaid giants charge around a tiny court, 30mx15m, trying to bend down to drop a ball into a waste paper basket on a stick, making intolerable squeaky noises with their shoes. How irritating and boring is that?! Why not start both teams on 80 points each and then play for five minutes? Then go home?!

Donald Trump: There are no words.

Baseball Caps: The game of baseball does make some sense, except that you can only hit the ball within a ninety-degree field. Otherwise it's a "fowl", because that's where the chook houses used to be, on the edges of the "diamond", which is actually a square. And they use a round bat, not flat. How stupid is that? Don Bradman used to practice by hitting a ball with a round cricket stump, till he heard about the bat. Look what happened then!

However, the stupid baseball caps are now ubiquitous, worn backwards, sideways and as an expensive fashion statement, and completely useless as a hat!

In Australia there should be a statute that says wearers of baseball caps will have them decapitated, along with the heads, in a public place every Friday afternoon just before beer-o'clock.

Hollywood: A place where really stupid but very good-looking people get paid massive amounts for saying other people's stupid words into a camera. (e.g. "Love means never having to say you're sorry") while there are rippling piano chords and a full honey-dripping orchestra just to help explain how you should be feeling about this muck. There is also obligatory smashing up of lots of cars, and almost incessant shooting, "kind of" like what's going on outside the theatre. (It's a cinema, actually!)

Many of these movies have dialogue that consists of a continuous stream of expletives, (up to six different obscenities), which earns the "writer" an Oscar for Best Screenplay!

This form of indoctrination has now descended to movies about cartoon characters, y'know, from comic books, (how stupid!), and so much animation that viewers can't tell what's real and what's not. (Just like outside in the street.)

Bollywood: The fault of Hollywood. (See above.)

Pop Corn & Coca Cola: (See above.) A guarantee that movie goers won't hear the first half hour of the on-screen dialogue. Not that it really matters.

Coca-Cola: Invented in 1888 by the USA Dental Association. To make money, what else?!!

Donald Trump: No words ...

Clothing: ("clothes", "raiment", "garments", etc.) It is to keep us warm and for modesty. Clothing was never meant to be an advertising medium. So USA, stop it! And "Everlast", you've got to be joking, right?! Get the words off our shirts!

Donald Trump: No ...

Bathroom: It's called a toilet!

Guys: Nope. They're "blokes" or "fellas" or "mates". And girls are not guys. They're girls.

Ass Hole: Originally where they buried a dead donkey. Now used to describe everybody outside the immediate family ... usually.

To be continued

Kent Mayo, Uralla resident

Dear Editor,

I am very conscious of the need for Foodworks to increase its Display and Back-up Storage areas in Uralla to provide a larger range of products for its customers.

What I can't comprehend is the enormous increase in floor areas and the remoteness of new parking facilities relative to proposed Entrances. My concern relates to the fact that we have a current Village population of under 3000 and a total Shire roughly double this number used to determine an increased need! Surely this should have been taken into consideration in the initial Feasibility Study undertaken for Foodworks and the building owner.

Considering the area of influence for potential new customers one cannot consider Armidale or Tamworth as they are well serviced by Woolworths, Coles and Aldi. Also Bendemeer is closer to Tamworth than Uralla. The tendency to Tele-order and organise home delivery now and in the future will minimise extra customers visiting the store, minimising extra parking, use of trolleys and current patterns of purchasing. It seems the 'Planners' have totally ignored the 'Boutique Character' of our Village and the respect for the Heritage importance of adjacent and close buildings. This project is in a Conservation Area and if approved has the potential to destroy the uniform scale, and mass of our existing buildings as one approaches from the South!

The current building, re-constructed in 1904 and identified as 'The W Curtis Building Arcade 1859' was originally the site of John McCrossin's Post Office Store. The current mass of the building on the North side boundary respects the garden area of the National Trust Registered Bank of NSW c. 1874 (now Michael's Cafe). The Heritage listed McCrossin's Stables c. 1878 has an entrance to the West with a commendable garden atmosphere and no provision seems to have been made to recognise this access.

It would be interesting to view the 'Statement of Environmental Effects' submitted to Council as this needs to identify the following design elements:

1. The likely impact of the proposal and how the design affects and MINIMISES such impact.
2. The Design Statement is important as it impacts on a State Heritage Building, a National Trust building and is in a Conservation Area.
3. The Statement requires the Owner/Planner to comment on
 - (a) Site suitability (including compatibility with adjoining properties)
 - (b) Local Council planning objectives
 - (c) Wall and overall height relevance and details of hard and soft landscape areas
 - (d) Streetscape, building envelope massing and context.
 - (e) The expected number of customers to justify the area.
 - (f) Pedestrian amenity (encroachment on existing footpaths for ramp access!
 - (g) Stormwater drainage.

Considering that the existing Ground Floor level is to be retained, I cannot see the need for a wheelchair ramp and steps at the corner of Bridge and Salisbury Streets. The footpath in this area is level and with a similar recess and gentle internal slope to automatic sliding doors this would be quite adequate. To put such a structure and steps at the corner of the site would be highly dangerous.

I strongly suggest that the current impact of this proposal is not acceptable as it is, in my opinion, an over-development of the building's function and should be re-assessed by the Owner/Planner to ensure its design should respect the Conservation standards of our Village.

Gordon Fuller
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Positive Response to Arts North West Panorama Project

11 May 2020

The phrase 'Alone together' is about to take a creative twist as hundreds regional residents are about to receive their sketchbooks for the Arts North West Panorama Project.

These small books have been posted out to artists, writers and keen participants across the New England North West to keep and fill for the next two months before they all come together for a travelling exhibition beginning in late 2020.

"It's a way for creative people to document their lives and experience living through this extraordinary time in history," project coordinator Michèle Jedlicka said.

"People might express how they've coped through this COVID-19 crisis, whether it's been positive or challenging, or they may want to use their books as an extension of their ongoing work, their culture, or thoughts. There is no limit to what they do with their books."

Arts North West expects to collect the sketchbooks from 1 August and from there, up to 1000 of the little books will travel across regional libraries for people to browse. All books will be returned to their owners after the exhibition.

Sketchbooks have now been sent to individuals who have registered through the Arts North West site, and disability and aged care support services.

"We are delighted by the positive response from our region, and we have had registrations from all our LGAs," Arts North West executive director Caroline Downer said.

"We are looking forward to seeing all the creative responses."

Panorama Project sketchbooks are still available through the Arts North West site at artsnw.com.au or phone 6732 4988. Eligibility is for residents aged 16 and older and living in one of the 12 council areas supported by Arts North West.

For more information, contact office@artsnw.com.au.

Photo: Arts North West Executive Director Caroline Downer sends out Panorama Project sketchbooks.

Arts North West acknowledges Aboriginal people as the traditional custodians of the lands we work on; we recognise the strength, resilience and capacity of Aboriginal people and respect the Aboriginal Elders past and present. Arts North West is assisted by the NSW Government through Create NSW and the partnership of 12 local government authorities in the New England North West



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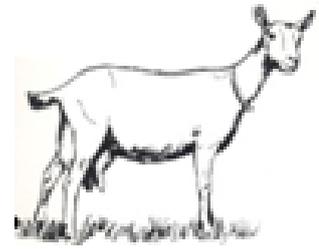
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Succulent chicken breast stuffed with stewed figs, semi-dried tomatoes and Creamy brie, wrapped in prosciutto, served with sweet potato chips, baby spinach + creamy white wine sauce.
- Stir Fried Salmon Vermicelli (GF) 34
With cherry tomatoes, Spanish onion, semi-dried tomatoes, broccoli, spinach leaves + basil. Topped with parmesan cheese.
- Stir Fried Tofu Vermicelli (GF) (V) 34
(Can be made vegan)
With cherry tomatoes, Spanish onion, semi-dried tomatoes, broccoli, spinach leaves + basil. Topped with parmesan cheese.
- Crispy Grilled Tasmanian Salmon (GF) 34
On a Thai Green Apple salad with roasted crushed cashew nuts finished with a mild chilli citrus dressing. Served with a side of chips.
- Surf on Salmon 39
(Can be made gluten free)
Aussie prawns on crispy skin Tasmanian salmon with Creamy garlic + lemon sauce, served with vegies + chips.

- Thai Crispy Chicken and Cashew Nut 26
(Can be made gluten free)
With seasonal vegetables, steamed Jasmine rice, in an authentic Thai sauce.

- Thai Crispy Tofu (GF) (V) (Vegan) 26
With seasonal vegetables, steamed Jasmine rice, in an authentic Thai sauce.

- Surf and Turf (GF) 40
Succulent Milky Hill Eye Fillet with our Creamy garlic sauce + topped with Aussie prawns, served with your choice of Creamy mash + garden vegetables, or chips + salad.

- Steaks 34
300g Scotch Fillet 200g Eye Fillet 400g T Bone
Served with your choice of: Fresh steamed garden vegetables and Creamy potato mash or chips + Greek salad.

- Sauces
Home-style Diane, Green Peppercorn or Creamy mushroom.
Sauces are included with all steaks, however a charge of \$4 applies if requested with other meals as all sauces are made to order.

Steaks ordered above Medium will take an extra 10-15 minutes to prepare.
Please note the chefs recommend your steak to be cooked medium or below to maximize flavour.
Any extras or changes from our menu will incur a charge.

FAVOURITES

- Mickey's Carbonara 23
(Can be made dairy free with Napoli Sauce)
Chicken, bacon, mushroom + Creamy garlic white wine sauce. Topped with parmesan cheese.
- Chilli, Prawns and Squid Fettuccine 28
With cherry tomatoes, Spanish onion, baby spinach leaves + Kalamata olives, tossed in lemon, garlic + olive oil. Topped with parmesan cheese.
- Zucchini Fettuccine (GF) (V) 24
(Can be made vegan)
Ribbons of zucchini tossed with tomatoes, mushrooms, basil, baby spinach, lemon + chilli, topped with parmesan cheese.
- Add Chicken 28
Add Prawns 32
- New England Lamb Crumbed Cutlets 28
Dale's tender lamb cutlets (3) served with gravy on a bed of Creamy mash + garden vegetables.
- Chicken Schnitzel 22
Tender chicken breast hand crumbed and served with homemade gravy, chips + Greek salad.
- Chicken Parmigiana 24
Tender chicken breast hand crumbed, topped with traditional Napoli sauce + cheese, served with chips + Greek salad.
- Beer Battered Barramundi 22
(Can be made gluten free)
Delicately portioned filets stacked over fries with a side of Greek salad + homemade tangy aioli.
- Beer Battered Flathead 23
(Can be made gluten free)
Delicately portioned filets stacked over fries with a side of Greek salad + our homemade tangy aioli.
- Bangas and Mash 19
Dale's famous sausages on a bed of Creamy mash with garden vegetables smothered in home made gravy.

Top Pub Mixed Grill	28		
Steak, sausage, crumbed Cutlet, bacon, egg, fried mushrooms + grilled tomato, chips, side of gravy + garlic bread. with a side of chips.			
Chicken Burger	21		
(Can be made gluten free) Tuscan grilled chicken breast with bacon, lettuce, tomato + cheese, topped with aioli, served on a fresh lightly toasted damper roll, with a side of chips.			
Top Pub Burger	22		
(Can be made gluten free) Grilled tender scotch fillet with caramelised onion, egg, bacon, beetroot, pineapple, loose leaf lettuce, tomato + cheese. Finished with smokey BBQ sauce, served on a fresh lightly toasted damper roll, with a side of chips.			
Veggie Burger (V)	22		
(Can be made gluten free or vegan) Homemade veggie patties with caramelised onion, egg, beetroot, pineapple, loose leaf lettuce, tomato + cheese. Finished with smokey BBQ sauce, served on a fresh lightly toasted damper roll, with a side of chips.			
Honey Mustard Chicken	22		
(Can be made gluten free) Sautéed tender chicken breast, finished in a local bush honey cream and whole seed mustard sauce, served on creamy mash with garden vegetables.			
Chicken or Prawn Caesar Salad			
Chicken	22		
Prawn	28		
Done with Tuscan herbs + classic croutons, bacon, lettuce + Caesar dressing, topped with a local free range Chook-a-Look egg + parmesan cheese.			
Thai BBQ Chicken Salad (GF)	22		
Grilled chicken pieces, marinated in authentic Thai spices, served with salad + topped with a special homemade sweet chilli sauce + coriander.			
Homemade Spinach Pie (GF) (V)	20		
A thin crisp GF pastry filled with spinach and ricotta cheese served with sweet Potato chips + Greek salad.			
Wild Mushroom + Goat Cheese Tart (GF) (V)	20		
Made with goat cheese, sage + mixed mushrooms on a gluten free base served with lemon infused black rice + Greek salad.			
Rubie Veggie Fritters (GF) (V) (Vegan)	24		
Made with beetroot, carrot, zucchini, fresh herbs served with crispy rough potatoes, wilted spinach, broccolini, with a side of chilli tomato relish.			
Chicken + Mushroom Crepe	23		
(Can be made gluten free) Tender chicken pieces in creamy white wine sauce with sautéed mushrooms, wrapped in a daily home made crepe topped with cheese then lightly grilled. Served with Greek salad.			
Prawn Crepe	28		
(Can be made gluten free) Creamy garlic prawns, wrapped in a daily home made crepe, topped with cheese and lightly grilled. Served with Greek salad.			
Mediterranean Veggie Crepe (V)	23		
(Can be made gluten free) Mixed Mediterranean vegetables with Napoli sauce, fresh basil + feta in tomato herb, wrapped in a daily home made crepe topped with cheese + lightly grilled. Served with Greek salad.			
Greek Salad	15		
Authentic Spicy Thai Red Curry (GF)			
(Can be made mild) With seasonal vegetables and fresh basil, served on steamed Jasmine rice, with your choice of:			
Chicken	22	Beef	22
Prawns	28	Tofu	22
Vegetables	22		

KIDS MENU - Under 12 Only -	10
Including a poppa + ice cream cup	
Hot Dog + Chips	
Sausage, mash + veg (GF)	
Chicken strips, salad + chips	
Fish, Chips + salad	
Baby Pies + chips	

HOME MADE DESSERTS 15

* All desserts served with cream and ice cream.
** Gluten Free Ice Cream is also available -
Please let staff know when ordering.

Crème Brulee (GF)	
Borzenka's Baked Blueberry White Chocolate Cheese Cake (GF)	
Deconstructed Chocolate Dulce De-leche (GF)	
Incomparable chocolate caramel, served with slightly salted, crumbled baked biscuit and top with orange infused Italian snow.	
Sticky Fig, Date + Ginger Pudding (GF)	
Chocolate Coffee Roulade (GF)	
Baileys Chocolate Caramel Roulade	
Warm Real Chocolate Pear Pudding (GF)	
Seasonal Berry Crepes (ask to have made GF)	

Dobson's Le Caf ~	
From our neighbours at East View Winery Italian Espresso, with Vanilla Bean Ice Cream and chocolate on top.	
Half Nip (with 2 scoops of ice cream)	15
Full Nip (with 3 scoops of ice cream)	19

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CURRIED DISHES

Curry Chicken.....	\$ 18.00
Curry Beef.....	\$ 18.00
Curry Prawns.....	\$ 18.00
Curry Combination.....	\$ 19.50
Curry King Prawns.....	\$ 21.50
Curry Seafood Combination.....	\$ 22.00

NOODLE DISHES

Chicken Chow Mein.....	\$ 18.00
Beef Chow Mein.....	\$ 18.00
BBQ Pork Chow Mein.....	\$ 18.00
Combination Chow Mein.....	\$ 18.50
Prawn Chow Mein.....	\$ 18.00
King Prawn Chow Mein.....	\$ 21.50
Singapore Fried Noodle.....	\$ 17.50
- Soft Noodle Extra -	\$ 1.00

RICE

Boiled Rice Small.....	\$ 5.50
Large.....	\$ 7.00
Fried Rice Small.....	\$ 8.80
Large.....	\$ 9.80
Special Fried Rice.....	\$ 13.00
Nasi Goreng.....	\$ 14.50

LAKSA

SOUP

Chicken and Sweet Corn Soup.....	\$ 7.80
Crab Meat and Sweet Corn Soup...	\$ 7.80
Long and Short Soup.....	\$ 7.80
Combination Long or Short Soup...	\$ 15.00

ENTRÉE

Mixed Entrée.....	\$ 9.60
(Spring roll, Dim Sim, Sesame Toast and Chicken Ham Roll)	
Mini Spring Roll (10).....	\$ 8.80
Dim Sim – Steamed or Fried (6)....	\$ 9.60
Ham and Chicken Roll (4).....	\$ 8.80
Sesame Toast (4).....	\$ 8.00
Fried Calamari (10).....	\$ 18.00
King Prawn Cutlets (6).....	\$ 17.00

SWEET & SOUR DISHES

Sweet and Sour Pork.....	\$ 17.00
Sweet and Sour Chicken.....	\$ 17.00
Sweet and Sour Fish Pieces in Batter..	\$ 17.00
Sweet and Sour King Prawns in Batter.	\$ 21.50
Sweet and Sour Combination.....	\$ 18.50

DUCK

Deep Fried Duck	\$ 23.00
(With Lemon, Orange, or Plum Sauce)	
Steamed Duck	\$ 23.00
(Crab Meat Or Mushroom Sauce)	

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POULTRY

Honey Chicken.....	\$ 18.00
Chicken with Vegetable.....	\$ 18.00
Chicken in Oyster Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Chicken with Cashew Nuts	\$ 18.00
Satay Chicken.....	\$ 18.00
Lemon Chicken (Boneless).....	\$ 18.00
Chicken in Black Bean Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Chicken Chilli Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Kun Poh Chicken (Spicy).....	\$ 18.00
Chicken in Szechuan Sauce(Spicy)	\$ 18.00
Chicken in BBQ sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Crispy Chicken in Peking Sauce...	\$ 18.00
Garlic Chicken.....	\$ 18.00
Garlic Chilli Chicken.....	\$ 18.00
Chicken in Special Sauce.....	\$ 18.00

BEEF OR PORK

Beef in Oyster Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef with Vegetables.....	\$ 18.00
Beef in Satay Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef with Cashew Nuts	\$ 18.00
Beef in Szechuan Sauce (Spicy)....	\$ 18.00
Beef Strips in Peking Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef in Black Bean Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef in Garlic Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef in Garlic Chilli Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef in Black Pepper Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Beef in Special Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
Pork Rib with Plum or Chilli Sauce	\$ 18.00
Pork Rib with Peking Sauce.....	\$ 18.00
BBQ pork with Plum Sauce	\$ 18.00
San Choy Bow.....	\$ 18.00
Satay combination.....	\$ 18.00

LAMB

Mongolian Lamb.....	\$ 19.00
Lamb in Special Sauce.....	\$ 19.00
Lamb in Black Pepper Sauce.....	\$ 19.00
Lamb in Szechuan Sauce.....	\$ 19.00

SEAFOOD

King Prawns with Cashew nuts.....	\$ 21.50
Honey King Prawns.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Satay Sauce.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns with Vegetables.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Plum or Chilli Sauce..	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Black Bean Sauce.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns Fritters.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Special Sauce.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Garlic sauce.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Garlic Chilli Sauce....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Ginger & Shallot.....	\$ 21.50
King Prawns in Black Pepper Sauce...	\$ 21.50
Seafood Combination.....	\$ 22.00
Seafood Combination in Black Bean Sauce	\$ 22.00
Seafood Combination in Chilli Sauce.....	\$ 22.00
Seafood Combination Ginger & Shallot....	\$ 22.00
Seafood Combination in Satay Sauce.....	\$ 22.00
Seafood Combination in Garlic Sauce.....	\$ 22.00
Seafood Supreme.....	\$ 24.00

OMELETTE- With Gravy

Plain Omelette.....	\$ 13.00
Vegetable Omelette.....	\$ 16.00
Ham Omelette.....	\$ 16.00
Chicken Omelette.....	\$ 17.00
BBQ Pork Omelette.....	\$ 17.00
Prawn Omelette.....	\$ 18.00
Combination Omelette.....	\$ 18.50
King Prawn Omelette.....	\$ 21.50

Fung Wah Restaurant Order by phone or come in, pay instore with contactless EFTPOS or cash – delivery cash only. Collect by arrangement to pickup or if they cannot, we can deliver for \$7 within 5km of our restaurant. Normal social distancing applies when in the restaurant – 2m apart.

OMELETTE

49. Plain Omelette	\$16.90
50. Chicken Omelette	\$17.90
51. Combination Omelette	\$19.90
King Prawns Omelette	\$21.90
BBQ Pork Omelette	\$18.90
Beef Omelette	\$19.90
Vegetable Omelette	\$16.90
Prawn Omelette	\$18.90

NOODLES

52. Singapore Noodles	\$17.90
53. Chow Mein (crispy) - Chicken	\$17.90
54. - Beef	\$19.90
55. - Combination	\$20.90
56. - King Prawn	\$21.90
- Prawn	\$18.90
- BBQ Pork	\$18.90
57. Extra Crispy Noodles	\$3.00

LAKSA SOUP

58. Laksa Soup - Chicken	\$18.90
59. - Beef	\$19.90
60. - King Prawn	\$21.90
61. - Seafood	\$21.90
62. - Vegetarian	\$16.90

RICE

63. Boiled Rice - Small	\$4.00
64. - Large	\$5.50
65. Fried Rice - Small	\$8.90
66. - Large	\$9.90
67. Special Fried Rice with prawns	\$16.90
68. Nasi Goreng with chicken	\$16.90
69. Vegetarian Fried Rice	\$9.90

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ENTREE

1. Fung Wah Spring Rolls (4)	\$6.90
2. Fung Wah Dim Sim (Steamed/Fried) (4)	\$6.90
3. Fung Wah Prawn Cutlets (4)	\$9.50
4. Fung Wah Sesame Prawn Toast (4)	\$8.50
5. Prawn Crackers (bag)	\$3.00
6. Mixed Entree (10)	\$15.00
7. Curry Puff (6)	\$6.50
Chicken Nuggets & Chips	\$10.00
Calamari Rings & Chips	\$10.00
Fish & Chips	\$10.00

SOUP

8. Combination Short Soup	\$19.90
9. Combination Long Soup	\$19.90
10. Chicken & Sweet Corn	\$6.90
11. Short Soup	\$6.90
12. Long Soup	\$6.90

PRAWNS

13. Honey King Prawns	\$21.90
14. Cashew Nut King Prawns	\$21.90
15. Garlic Butter King Prawns	\$21.90
16. Sweet & Sour King Prawns	\$21.90
(battered or braised)	
17. Satay King Prawns	\$21.90
18. Curry King Prawns with Boiled Rice	\$21.90
(Red, Green or Yellow)	

SEAFOOD

Salt & Pepper Squid	\$21.90
Seafood Combination Satay	\$21.90
Seafood Combination Garlic	\$21.90
Seafood Combination Mongolian	\$21.90
Seafood Combination Chilli	\$21.90

DESSERT

71. Banana Fritter with Icecream	\$6.00
72. Deep Fried Icecream	\$6.00

TAKEAWAY PACKS

PACK A	\$45.00
4 x Spring Rolls, Prawn Chips, Honey Chicken, Cashew Chicken, Large Fried Rice	

PACK B	\$75.00
6 x Spring Rolls, Prawn Chips, Honey Chicken, Cashew Chicken, Mongolian Beef, Satay Chicken, Large Special Fried Rice and free 1.25lt drink	

PACK C	\$105.00
6 x Spring Rolls, 6 x Prawn Cutlets, 6 x Dim Sims, Prawn Chips, Honey Chicken, Sweet & Sour Pork, Satay Chicken, Garlic King Prawns, Beef with Oyster Sauce, Large Special Fried Rice and free 1.25lt drink	

LUNCH SPECIAL

Any meal takeaway with boiled rice (except seafood)	\$13.00
with Fried Rice instead	\$14.00
(Dine in price remains the same as listed on this menu)	

BEEF

19. Beef in Black Bean Sauce	\$19.60
20. Mongolian Beef	\$19.60
21. Satay Beef	\$19.60
22. Garlic Beef	\$19.60
23. Red Curry Beef with Boiled Rice	\$19.60
24. Green Curry Beef with Boiled Rice	\$19.60
25. Curry Beef with Boiled Rice	\$19.60
26. Black Pepper Beef	\$19.60
27. Szechuan Beef	\$19.60
Chilli Beef	\$19.60

PORK

28. Salt & Pepper Pork Ribs	\$18.90
29. Sweet & Sour Pork	\$18.90
30. Thai Sweet Chilli Pork Ribs	\$18.90
31. Peking Pork Ribs	\$18.90
Barbeque Pork with Plum Sauce	\$18.90

CHICKEN

32. Chicken in Black Bean Sauce	\$17.60
33. Satay Chicken	\$18.60
34. Szechuan Chicken	\$17.60
35. Cashew Nut Chicken	\$17.60
36. Honey Chicken	\$17.60
37. Lemon Chicken (boneless)	\$17.60
38. Chicken with Oyster Sauce	\$17.60
39. Sweet & Sour Chicken	\$17.60
(battered or braised)	
Curry Chicken with Boiled Rice	\$17.60
Red Curry Chicken with Boiled Rice	\$17.60
Green Curry Chicken with Boiled Rice	\$17.60
Crispy Chicken	\$17.60
Shan Dong Chicken	\$17.60
Chilli Chicken	\$17.60

FUNG WAH RESTAURANT

ASIAN TAKE-AWAY MENU



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OPENING HOURS

LUNCH DINNER

MON	
TUES	11.30am - 2pm
WED	and
THURS	
FRI	5pm - 8pm
SAT	daily
SUN	

SUBJECT TO CHANGE
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KING PRAWN & CHICKEN

Black Bean King Prawns & Chicken	\$19.90
Mongolian King Prawns & Chicken	\$19.90
Curry King Prawns & Chicken	\$19.90
Szechuan King Prawns & Chicken	\$19.90
Garlic King Prawns & Chicken	\$19.90
Satay King Prawns & Chicken	\$20.90

COMBINATION

40. Satay Combination	\$20.90
41. Szechuan Combination	\$19.90
42. Cashew Nut Combination	\$19.90
43. Seafood Combination	\$21.90
44. Garlic Combination	\$19.90
45. Curry Combination with Boiled Rice	\$19.90
Mongolian Combination	\$19.90

X.O. SAUCE

Chicken in XO Sauce	\$18.90
Combination in XO Sauce	\$20.90
Seafood Combination in XO Sauce	\$21.90
King Prawns in XO Sauce	\$21.90

VEGETARIAN

46. Stir Fried Mixed Greens	\$16.90
47. Salt & Pepper Tofu	\$16.90
48. Mixed Vegetables with Tofu	\$16.90
Szechuan Vegetables	\$16.90
Chilli Vegetables	\$16.90

Delivery ONLY within 5km \$7

Please let us know of any allergies when ordering.
We will endeavour to meet all dietary requirements.



繁体中文菜单



Dishes Normally For Bookings Only
- just ask :)

Traditional Chinese Menu

Fung Wah Asian Restaurant
49 Bridge St, Uralla (02) 6778 3357

Authentic Chinese dishes from the Sichuan and other regions of China.

Most of these dishes need at least two days notice to prepare and can be ordered individually so please talk to Nana to make a booking with an order from this very tasty array.

Banquets for 6 or more people with a mix of these dishes is very good value normally with a fixed price normally at \$35/head. Please discuss the options with Nana.

Starters



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|---|------|---------------|---|---|------|
| 1 | 春卷 | Chuen juan | Home-made crispy vegetable spring rolls with sweet and sour dipping sauce | V | \$7 |
| 2 | 炸点心 | Zha dian xin | Home made fried dim sims | | \$7 |
| 3 | 炸馄饨 | Zha hun xin | Home made fried wontons | | \$8 |
| 4 | 韭菜盒子 | Jiu cai he zi | Egg and garlic chive pancake pockets, grilled with dipping sauce | V | \$20 |
| 5 | 水饺 | Shui jiao | Pork dumplings with dipping sauce | | \$20 |



Seafood

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|----|--------|-------------------------|--|----|------|
| 6 | 麻辣虾 | Ma la xia | Soft shell prawns with whole dried Chengdu chillis | GF | \$24 |
| 7 | 水煮鱼 | Shui zhu yu | White fish in soupy Szechuan pepper sauce | GF | \$25 |
| 8 | 清蒸盲曹鱼 | Qing zheng mang cao yu | Whole steamed Barramundi | GF | \$45 |
| 9 | 椒盐偏口鱼 | Jiao yan pian ko yu | Salt and pepper deep fried whole Flounder | GF | \$38 |
| 10 | 椒盐鱿鱼 | Jiao yan pian you yu | Salt and pepper deep fried squid | GF | \$24 |
| 11 | 西兰花炒虾仁 | Xi lan hua chao xia yer | Stir-fried broccoli and prawn with garlic | GF | \$24 |



Meat and Vegetables

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|----|--------|-------------------------|--|--------------|------|
| 12 | 红烧肉 | Hong shao rou | Shanghai style slow cooked pork belly in soy sauce | GF | \$23 |
| 13 | 狮子头 | Hong shao shi zi tou | Red Braised Lion's Head pork meat balls | GF | \$23 |
| 14 | 白斩鸡 | Bai zhan ji | Sliced cold poached chicken with ginger sauce | GF | \$23 |
| 15 | 火爆白莲 | Huo bao bai lian | Stir fried cabbage with spicy sauce | V, GF, Vegan | \$20 |
| 16 | 干煸豆角 | Gan bian dou jiao | Fried green beans with minced pork | GF | \$20 |
| 17 | 鱼香茄子 | Yu xiang qie zi | Braised eggplant with black bean sauce | V, GF, Vegan | \$20 |
| 18 | 家常豆腐 | jia chang dou fu | Soft tofu and pork mince with mild Szechuan pepper sauce | GF | \$20 |
| 19 | 家常豆腐 | jia chang dou fu | Soft tofu with mild Szechuan pepper sauce | V, GF, Vegan | \$20 |
| 20 | 西红柿炒鸡蛋 | Xi hang shi chao ji dan | Stir-fried eggs and tomato | V, GF | \$20 |



Salads

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|----|------|---------------------|---|--------------|------|
| 21 | 白菜大拌 | Liang cai da ban | Vermicelli noodle salad with Chinese cabbage | V, GF, Vegan | \$20 |
| 22 | 拍黄瓜 | Liang ban huang gua | Sliced cucumber salad with coriander and garlic | V, GF, Vegan | \$20 |



Dessert

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|----|-----|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|------|
| 23 | 南瓜饼 | Nan gua bing | Pumpkin and glutinous rice flour cake | V, GF, Vegan | \$18 |
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V = Vegetarian, GF = Gluten Free, Vegan = Vegan



TUCK-IN TAKEAWAY

OPENING HOURS: TUES 11AM-7PM WED-FRI 9.30AM-8PM SAT 10AM-8PM SUN 10AM-7PM

BURGERS

Plain.....	\$8.00
Cheese.....	\$8.50
Bacon & Cheese.....	\$10.00
Works.....	\$11.50
Mr Big (double patty & cheese).....	\$12.50
Bacon & Egg roll.....	\$7.50
Chicken Snitty.....	\$9.50
Snitty w bacon & cheese.....	\$12.00
Fish.....	\$9.20
Veggie.....	\$8.00

SANDWICHES AND WRAPS

Toasted sandwich.....	\$5.50
Steak.....	\$9.50
Steak & Salad.....	\$11.50
Veggie wrap.....	\$8.50
Chicken tender wrap.....	\$9.50
Chicken & gravy roll.....	\$6.50
Chippy & gravy roll.....	\$4.00

CHIPS

Min serve.....	\$4.00
Wedges, sour cream & sw chilli.....	\$8.00
Cheesy chips.....	\$6.50
Gravy cup.....	\$2.40

HOT DOGS

Plain & sauce.....	\$4.00
Cheese & sauce.....	\$4.50
Cheese, onion & sauce.....	\$6.20

SAUSAGE DOGS

Plain & sauce.....	\$6.20
Cheese & onion/sauce.....	\$7.20
Cheese, onion & relish.....	\$8.20

MEALS

Specials on board.....	\$10.50
Snitty, gravy & chips.....	\$15.00
Cutlets, gravy & chips.....	\$15.00
Fish, chips & salad.....	\$15.00

All served with salad

KIDS MEALS

6 nuggets.....	\$4.50
10 Chicken chippies.....	\$4.00
Cheeseburger.....	\$6.00
Hot Dog.....	\$4.00
Any of above w chips & poppa.....	\$8.50

FISH N FRIED

Crumbed fish.....	\$5.20
Grilled fish.....	\$5.20
Battered fish.....	\$5.20
Fish & small chips.....	\$9.20
Fish cocktails.....	90¢
Calamari.....	90¢
Prawn cutlet.....	\$1.90
Potato scallop.....	\$1.80
Pineapple fritter.....	\$3.00
Pluto pup.....	\$4.00
Chiko roll.....	\$3.50
Corn jack.....	\$3.30
Spring Roll.....	\$3.50
Onion rings x 6.....	\$4.50

FISHERMAN'S BASKET

\$15

\$3 chips, 2 scallops, 3 calamari, 3 fish cockta
1 prawn cutlet & 2 pineapple fritter

\$20

\$3 chips, 3 scallops, 2 battered fish, 3 calamari
2 prawn cutlets

BREAKFAST SAT & SUN

Waffles w cream/ice-cream.....	\$8.50
Pancakes w cream/ice-cream.....	\$8.50
Bacon & Eggs on toast.....	\$8.50
Fruit toast.....	\$4.50
Big breakfast.....	\$15.00

Eggs, Bacon, sausage, toast, tomato n chips

PIZZA FROM 5PM

Hawaiian.....	\$10.90
<i>Sauce, cheese, ham & pineapple,</i>	
Margherita.....	\$10.00
<i>Sauce, cheese and herbs</i>	
BBQ chicken.....	\$13.90
<i>BBQ sauce, cheese, chicken, bacon, onions, mushies, capsicum, shallots & pineapple</i>	
Pepperoni.....	\$13.00
<i>Sauce, cheese & pepperoni</i>	
Meatlovers.....	\$15.00
<i>BBQ Sauce, cheese, pepperoni, salami, ground beef, sausage & bacon</i>	
Supreme.....	\$15.00
<i>Sauce, cheese, pepperoni, ham, sausage, garlic, onions, mushroom, capsicum, olives & shallots</i>	
Veggie.....	\$14.90
<i>Aioli sauce, cheese, spinach, pumpkin, feta and basil</i>	
Gourmet Veggie.....	\$14.90
<i>Sauce, cheese, capsicum, mushrooms, cherry tomatoes, spinach, onions, olives & feta</i>	

HOME DELIVERIES THURS, FRI, SAT 6-8PM

SWEETS

Slice of cake.....	\$4.50
<i>Cakes in cake fridge</i>	
Waffles w cream/ice-cream.....	\$8.00
<i>Waffles, sauce, ice-cream and cream</i>	
Banana Split.....	\$7.50
<i>Banana, ice-cream, cream and sauce with sprinkles</i>	
Sundae.....	\$5.50
<i>Chocolate, strawberry or vanilla sundae, with vanilla ice-cream, cream, topping & sprinkles.</i>	

Tuck in Takeaway

Facebook : [Tuck in Takeaway](#), Phone : 6778 4368. Delivery is \$2, 5 nights a week, Wednesday to Sunday. Please adhere to usual social distancing in the shop.

Foodworks

Foodworks hours are the same. We do home deliveries like we have in the past, customers can ring on 67784502 or email uralla@matadorgroup.com.au.

We prefer if they pay over the phone or we can still take cash. If they can ring before 12noon with their orders, it gives us time to get it ready to deliver. We do charge a delivery fee of \$8 for phone or email delivered to your house. We charge \$5 if you want us to get an order together for someone else to pick up (as of Monday 6th April). We just ask that for any customers who are self isolating, that they pay over the phone as it makes it easier to just drop the groceries at the door and have no contact. We are taking the health of everyone involved seriously and Sean has gloves and sanitizer with him at all times and we do deliver in plastic bags only.

We have been told a limit of 200 customers in the store at one time which we are well under at this stage. We ask that people please keep their social distance of 1.5 while in the store and to not engage in conversations while doing their shopping we need them in and out as quickly as possible.

The Bridge Street Observer

The Subway building (50 Bridge Street) has a newly repaired roof, done by Charlie Cooper.

Hill Street has been resurfaced all the way from the highway to the split roadway past the police station and on to Duke Street. I believe it was not on Council's priority list. The work included a large apron from the kerb line to the highway carriageway, Council being responsible for all but the actual carriageway of the highway (which is, of course, Bridge Street).

The Uralla Wool Room (38 Bridge Street) has returned to normal trading hours.

Peter Philips' shop (84 Bridge Street) is getting a new floor. Towards the back of the shop you can see a fireplace, which used to be in the office of the newsagency run by Peter's father Ray. The shop was owned by Peter's uncle Roy Hagan from 1940 until Peter bought it.

Cafes are reopening as lockdown restrictions ease. Thunderbolt Country Kitchen (44 Bridge Street), Caffe Gusto (46 Bridge Street), Michael's Café (98 Bridge Street), and Tuck in Takeaway (53 Bridge Street) will all be welcoming customers to sit and partake, no more than ten at a time, with suitable distancing and hygiene measures in place. Michael's is still doing Indian takeaway on weekends, and will be doing Lebanese on Friday 22 May.

The Alternate Root (48 Bridge Street) remains closed with no sign of activity. I have been unable to contact the business owner. Stay alert for a reopening. Similarly, The Bottom Pub (31 Bridge Street) has been closed for some weeks and remains so as I write. I suspect they will need more than ten to make reopening worthwhile.

On the west side of Bridge Street most businesses, including Fung Wah Restaurant (49 Bridge Street) and Thunder Graphics (51 Bridge Street) are trading normal hours. The Bushranger Motor Inn has had a predictably very quiet time, but Toby says bookings are starting to trickle in.

Anna & Co has closed at 58 Bridge Street and has space at Little Birdy in Hill Street.

At 40 Bridge Street, Properties Uralla are well settled in the commercial building at the front of the site, and work has commenced on construction of the accommodation units at the rear of the site. Laminated bearers and joists are in place for the first building.

The fairies are proliferating, with occasional mishaps. The "fat butcher" gnome at Dale's Downtown Meats (76 Bridge Street) has already been stolen, to the great chagrin of the fat butcher himself and his staff. He was returned, thank you, but please leave him alone.

Long-time Uralla resident Lorna Barraclough of 1 Bridge Street died recently. Widow of Peter, sister-in-law of Billy, mother of David and Frances, grandmother to many, she will be sorely missed. Current restrictions necessitated a private service and burial. One of her achievements was the crossing and 40 km/hr zone at the northern entrance to town, expressly to keep her grandchildren safe.

Ross Burnet, Bridge Street

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