



Karuah News

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THE KARUAH CENTRE NEWS

The Karuah Centre proudly features new signage at the front reading “Language, Learning and Meeting”. The Centre welcomes anyone who would like to connect with others, learn something new, or simply drop in for a chat. The Centre is managed by Michelle Perry, a very approachable and highly respected Elder in Karuah.

Several groups are already making use of the space, including some TAFE classes that are already underway.

A friendship group is currently meeting at the Centre on Thursday’s 10am to 12pm.



The Karuah Centre, 393 Tarean Road, Karuah

Coming Next Term at the Karuah Centre:

1. Gathang Language Classes (open to anyone)

We are seeking expressions of interest from people who would like to learn the local Indigenous language, Gathang. Classes will be facilitated by Michelle Perry and will focus on basic language using the Gathang Dictionary.

If you are interested, please contact Michelle on 0434 212 480.

2. Men’s Group (open to all men)

We are inviting expressions of interest from men who would like to be part of forming a Men’s Group. This will be a social group focused on building friendships and providing mutual support.

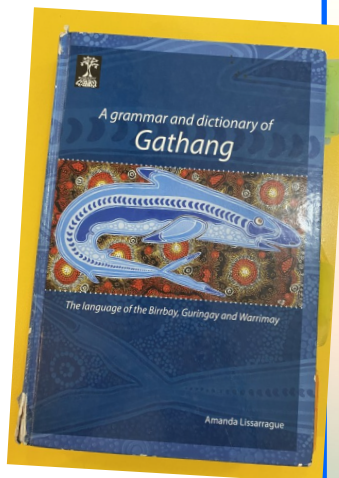
If you would like more information, please contact Kiah on 0403 351 142.

DROP IN AND HAVE A CHAT

Gathang Language:

is an Australian Aboriginal language spoken by the Birrbay, Guringay, and Warrimay (Worimi) peoples, and originated from approx. Port Macquarie north to Port Stephens south and inland to Gloucester.

The language is used in many areas of life including: Welcoming people to Country and religious ceremonies, such as funerals. Schools are using Gathang in signage, assemblies and language classes.
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Karuah Progress Assoc Inc

**AGM
TUES 24 MAR 2026**

Meeting 7pm in the RSL Committee Room

Love KARUAH? So do we!

Join a progressive community association made up of people of all ages who care about our town.

- Meet like-minded locals, share ideas, and make things happen.
- Fresh faces mean fresh ideas—and extra hands to turn plans into action!

We meet 2 monthly to keep things flexible, with relaxed catch-ups in between so no one feels overwhelmed

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Our appreciation goes to the team at the KARUAH RSL for proof reading and printing



NEWS FROM KARUAH RSL



Fridays **TRACE ME 6th**
Main Bar
RUSTY BUCKET 13th
Main Bar
CHILL PILL 20th
Main Bar
SHAZA'S KARAOKE 27th
Function Room

Saturdays

7th MIKE HORBACZ
Main Bar
14th BRENDAN MURPHY
Main Bar
21st DARREN
Main Bar
28th BIG PETE
Main Bar

SUN 29TH MAR

EASTER Raffle

Drawn after the Meat Raffle

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\$300 kids colouring competition | **Face Painting 12-3PM**

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KARUAH RSL EVENTS Ph.: 4997 5297

MONDAY

Open 10am - 10pm
BINGO - Eyes Down 11am

TUESDAY

Open 10am - 10pm
Tuesday Bowls
Names in by 9.30am and play at 10am

EUCHRE 10.30am

DROP IN MUSIC JAM 1pm ALL WELCOME
KARUAH ROO'S MEAT RAFFLE drawn 6.30pm
ALL YOU CAN EAT ASIAN BUFFET 5pm

WEDNESDAY

Open 10am - 10pm
KNITTING WITH LOVE 10am - 12 Noon
KARUAH TENNIS CLUB MEAT RAFFLE Drawn 6.30pm
POOL COMP for minimum \$100 6pm Start

THURSDAY

Open 10am - 10pm
BINGO - Eyes down 11am
Thursday Bowls
Names in by 9.30am to play at 10am
CRICKET CLUB MEAT RAFFLE drawn from 6.30pm
FUN TRIVIA from 7pm

FRIDAY

Open 10am - Midnight
MEAT RAFFLE drawn from 6.30pm PLUS
\$200 CASH GIVEAWAY DRAW 7.45pm
LIVE MUSIC 7- 10pm

SATURDAY

Open 10am - Midnight
COURTESY BUS AVAILABLE 11.30am
HAPPY HOUR 1 to 3pm
Excellent TAB facilities
MEMBERS FREE RAFFLE drawn 4.45pm
LIVE MUSIC 7-10pm

SUNDAY

Open 10am
SUNDAY BREKKY BOWLS
ON HOLD UNTIL AFTER PENNANTS APP. MAY
MEAT RAFFLE drawn from 12.30pm PLUS
\$200 CASH GIVEAWAY DRAW 1.45pm
POKER 11.30am Rego. WIN \$500 only \$30 to play!

PEEPING INTO THE PAST

The Gould League of Bird Lovers *Story from Hope Simpson*

Hope first became a member of the League in 1941, when she was a pupil at North Auburn Primary School. Here is her story:

When the Gould League of Bird Lovers was formed it was the only organisation involved in educating children about nature, the bush, and its inhabitants.. The League was founded by a young Wellington teacher, Walter Finigan, and his Principal Edward Webster in October 1910. At that time killing birds for sport was very popular with young boys, many of whom also had a hobby of collecting the eggs of wild birds. The League aimed to educate children and adults that our native birds would not survive if they continued to be killed in large numbers and their eggs raided. It was the first organisation to instil in children an appreciation of the natural world and a desire to protect it.

Members – mostly schoolchildren who joined for life for a penny – signed the Gould League Pledge – *“to protect all birds except those that are noxious, and to refrain from the unnecessary collection of wild bird eggs.”* Within a year, branches had been formed in about 1,000 schools. At the League’s peak in the late 1950s, membership was about 155,000. Colourful enamelled badges and annual membership cards featuring a selection of birds were introduced. The League’s name celebrated the famous ornithologist John Gould (1804-1881).

WIKIPEDIA UPDATE - After the 1960s the League focused on more general environmental education, and the name "Gould League" was adopted, without specific reference to birds. The League promoted the teaching of Environmental Education in schools. During the 1990s there was a shift of emphasis to "Education for [Sustainability](#)". In 2006 The Gould League changed its name from Gould League to Gould Group Ltd. In August 2008, Gould Group was under voluntary administration. Administrators found a buyer for the ailing organisation, with a NSW land care group taking over its running and reviewing the Gould League's operations in a bid to have it continue into the future.



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Karuah Community Hall 2 Engel Avenue, Karuah

Due to lack of numbers the
Karuah Community Hall AGM
has been rescheduled to
Thursday 12th of March 2025
6 pm

*New volunteers are
welcome to join the committee*

MOBILE LIBRARY TIMES

2025

Karuah Community Centre
Every Tuesday—9 - 11am



Access over 10,000 items on board with the added benefit of borrowing from the entire Newcastle Region Library collection.

Services include: Computers, Free Internet and Wi-Fi, Books, Magazines, DVDs, CDs, Printing and photocopying, Seed library.

When is Easter 2006?

Good Friday April 3
Easter Sunday April 5
Easter Monday April 6

Remember!

Shops are closed on Good Friday.
The Sydney Royal Easter Show
runs from 2—13 April 2026



EVERY WEDNESDAY

10AM - 12NN | FUNCTION ROOM

Wrap with Love

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OSHC Service

Karuah OSHC (Located at Karuah Public School)
4997 5670/ oshc@karuahpreschool.org.au
Before & After School Care + Vacation Care
admin@karuahpreschool.org.au

What an amazing start to the 2026 school year!

OSHC has been buzzing with excitement as we welcomed so many new faces into our community. It's been wonderful getting to know our new children and families, and just as special to reconnect with our returning families. We are looking forward to a fantastic year ahead filled with fun, friendships, learning, and lots of laughter.

April School Holidays are fast approaching, and we are busy putting together an action-packed and fun Vacation Care program for our OSHC families! Keep an eye out in the next newsletter where we'll be sharing all the exciting details about what we have planned.

It's never too late to enrol in OSHC! If you're interested in finding out more about our program or securing a spot for the holidays or our before and after school programs, we'd love to hear from you.

For enrolment enquiries, please contact the office at admin@karuahpreschool.org.au or call **4997 5670**.

Kind regards, Melissa Mills, Coordinator Karuah OSHC & VC



Shop 1, 410 Tarean Rd, Karuah NSW 2324

Ph: 02 4987 0188—phill@phillica.com.au

Windows 11 is killing Legacy Printer Drivers in 2026

A Windows update that was released on January 15, will no longer support legacy V3 and V4 printer drivers. Now that support has officially ended, printers that rely exclusively on V3 or V4 drivers may fail to install or stop working altogether.

If no supported driver exists, users may need to consider replacing the printer or switching to a newer printing solution before installing the non-security update (KB5074105) released in January, or before installing the February 2026 Security Update to avoid disruptions.

From July 1, 2026, Windows will change its internal driver ranking order rules to "prefer" the built-in Microsoft IPP class driver when multiple options are available. A year later, on July 1, 2027, third-party printer driver updates delivered via Windows Update will be restricted to security-fixes only.

This only affects old printers. V3 drivers were from the year 2000 and V4 from 2012 and following the release of Windows 10 21H2, in 2004, which removed the need for print device manufacturers to provide their own installers.

Prior to this windows would not identify a printer without installing the software from the manufacturer. All manufacturers were required to submit signed driver files to Microsoft through **WHCP (Windows Hardware Compatibility Program)**.

If available you still should install the manufacturers software otherwise not all function will work such as scanning.



RediCommunities Karuah

RediCommunities is an Australian Red Cross initiative that empowers local communities to create and implement their own disaster resilience action plans.

We will be hosting a series of 3 workshops here in your Hall for community members to assess risks, build on local strengths and identify priority areas for resilience building interventions.

~~Tuesday Feb 3rd - Workshop 1 - Introduction~~

~~Wednesday Feb 18th - Workshop 2 - RediCat (community assessment tool)~~

Wednesday March 4th - Workshop 3 - Brainstorming and prioritising

Venue: Karuah Waters Community Hall, 96 Holdom Road, Karuah, NSW

Time: 10:00 - 13:00

For more information contact

Trevor Whitehorn - 0428 834 068

Catering provided



The 2nd Red Cross disaster meeting was held at the Big 4 Village attended by Port Stephens Council, SES, Police, RSL, RFS and concerned residents, to focus on the needs of isolated villages in the area.

The RSL activated its emergency plan due to smoke from fires burning nearby .

Always ring 000 in emergencies.

Chris Hemsworth is Australian and Thor is from space does that make him an Australian



Karuah

Karuah Rural Fire Brigade News

Karuah RFS has been in action 24hrs most days, over the past weeks, mainly due to the major fire activity close by.

Other incidents attended were: 3 motor vehicle accidents, 1 oil spill, 3 car fires, 2 B Double highway closures, 2 Assist Ambulance. Please consider becoming a brigade member.

Be aware of Total Fire Ban periods. Remember, a permit to burn is now required.

Visit the station for a chat on Sundays 9am until 12pm.

All visitors are welcome at the station.

Always call 000 in emergencies

For more information about volunteering with RFS:

<https://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/volunteer/join-the-nsw-rfs>

You can contact Captain Jim Semple at the station
Sunday 9am - 12pm or Wed 10am-12pm



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Did you know? Meals on Wheels has been operating for over 40 years in our area. We are always on the lookout for volunteers either in our local kitchen or delivering meals.

For more information phone our friendly office staff on 4997 0800

Karuah Konnect

On-demand bus service

Service times: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10am to 2pm

Gold coin donation, to invest back into the service



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PLEASE BOOK IN ADVANCE

The service will pick you up from your home and drop you anywhere in the designated area.

Please remember to leave your mobile number with the Karuah RSL when booking.



Karuah Local History Group

*Meet in the Karuah Centre,
393 Tarean Road, Karuah
7.00pm on the
first Tuesday of each month*

The local group works towards recording to preserve events and local people's history. We have produced small, reasonable cost publications from information received by members. Most of these books have been prepared by our members and are available for perusal and purchase at the Karuah Centre or from members.

If you are interested, please call in at the Centre to check what is there. We are keen to have people with information / photos or new members to join us at our meetings.

**If you wish to contact our group:
Cliff Johnson on 4997 5217 or
Paul Mulvaney on 0407 583 623**



KARUAH LANDCARE GROUP

Anyone interested could contact the group at:

karuahlandcare@portstephens.net

or check out our Facebook page:

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SNIPPETS FROM THE PAST

Submitted by Robyn Witt

The snippet below appeared in the newsletter of the Australian Surveying Association NSW Division in October 1980. Titled *What Is A Surveyor*, and supposedly *Seen Through The Eyes Of A Child*, which will explain the spelling that adds to the humour. Today's surveyors, with all the sophisticated equipment available to them, would have a good chuckle as they read the piece.

"A Sirveyor is somefing what grubs around in the bush all day looking for little sticks and stones. When he finds 'em he does some kind of weerd dance around them with a funny looking three-legged crutch. 'He puts a camera on this thing and takes pictures of his mates hitting other sticks in the ground or holding somefing hanging on a string. When he don't find 'em he walks around all day

like he's lost. Sometimes you see them squashed by cars along the rodes, espeshelly in the summer when all the other bugs are out. A sirveyor has one big eye and one little one, like Popeye. He usually walks bent over all the time, which is why he always looks so stooped. His face looks like old leather and he swears terrabul clothes. He can't read, because he measures between things and writes down a number in his little book which is always diffrent to what his little map says.

He always measures to a stick, stops near it, puts in another stick. He is not too brite 'cause he is always making marks on footpaths and rodes so he can find his way home. He wears bagy shorts with the bottom out and the pockets full of junk, his books are always covered with mud. He works in all kinds of weather, people stare at him, dogs chase him and he always looks wore out. I don't know why anyone wants to be a surveyor."



Magenta Lilly Pilly (*Syzygium paniculatum*)

Magenta Lilly Pilly is a stunning Australian native rainforest tree known for its broad, dense, and bushy growth habit. It features glossy, tapered foliage and produces clusters of fluffy white flowers in spring. These are followed by highly ornamental fruit that add vibrant colour to the landscape.

A well-known bush tucker species, its showy fruit is edible and typically glossy magenta-pink. The fruit is popular for use in jams and sauces and is highly attractive to birds.

LILLY PILLY JAM

Ingredients:

300g lilly pilly fruit 120ml water
150g white sugar 40ml lemon juice
1 teaspoon vanilla bean paste

1. Remove seeds by breaking apart the soft fruit with fingers (this is time consuming but well worth it).
2. Place all ingredients in saucepan and mash.
3. Simmer for 25 – 30 minutes.
4. Test if jam if jam is ready by testing on a very cold plate
5. Bottle

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The KARUAH Rural Fire Service is currently seeking dedicated and enthusiastic individuals to join our team as volunteer Firefighters. As a member of our team, you will be part of a community-based organisation that plays a critical role in protecting the lives and property of our community members.

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Or scan here to find out more

rfs.nsw.gov.au/join

Myall Lake Dingo Facts (*Dapin in Gathang language*)

The **Myall Lakes Dingo/Dapin Project (MLDP)** is a collaboration between the Centre for Ecosystem Science at UNSW, Taronga Conservation Society, NSW National Parks and Wildlife Service and MidCoast Council.

Research on the **Myall Lakes dingo** explores the lives of eight family groups (around 27 individuals) in eastern Myall Lakes and their influence on the surrounding ecosystem. Led by scientists from UNSW Sydney, the team uses camera traps, direct observation and GPS radio collars to track movements, behaviour, territory use and interactions with people and other species. Each family breeds once a year within a defended territory.

DNA research by Dr Kylie Cairns confirms the **Myall Lakes dingo** population is of high genetic purity, showing no evidence of breeding with domestic dogs despite their proximity to towns. Dingoes are NEVER actively aggressive towards humans. They will always flee before confrontation, but will protect their partner or young. They do not bark, but will howl melodically. They are driven by annual breeding seasons governed by circadian rhythms.

FACT: *Australia's record is the world's worse in exterminating dingoes and other native species in a mere 250 years.* As Australia faces ongoing biodiversity loss, protecting top predators like the **Myall Lakes dingo** is an important step toward restoring ecological balance.

FACT: The dingo and the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples were the first placental mammalian predators to inhabit Australia. They have lived and adapted in harmony with Australian flora and fauna for thousands of years.

FACT: Fossil evidence shows dingoes have lived in Australia for at least 5,000 years, adapting alongside native species.



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TRAINING

ROOS & ROOETTES



Tuesday & Thursday
LIONEL MORTEN OVAL

6pm



No experience needed

KARUAH RLFC JUNIOR PLAYERS

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GET IN CONTACT ASAP

EOI Expression of Interest

KARUAH PEARLS NETBALL CLUB
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FOR 2026!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

EMAIL:

Karuahpearlignetballclub@gmail.com



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NetSetGo
5-10

\$175

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The Karuah playgroup is run by the team at Firstchance and led by our Specialist Educators, providing local families with:

- A community-led, playgroup for 1.5 hours per week during school terms
- A Speech Therapist and Occupational Therapist to support children and families
- Individual support to parents/carers

All welcome - parents, carers, grandparents, and siblings.



Communities for Children Facilitating Partner Initiative Raymond Terrace & Karuah is funded by the Australian Government and Facilitated by The Smith Family

Days:

Every Monday during school terms

Time:

10am to 11:30am

Location:

Aboriginal Community Hall, Mustons Road, Karuah

Join Us:

No need to book a place. Just come along and meet our team

Want to know more:

Phone: Aunty Michelle on 0434 212 480 or 02 4910 3130
email: reception@firstchance.org.au or visit our website www.firstchance.org.au

Living Through Grief Group

This group will give people experiencing grief and loss, an opportunity to meet with others in similar circumstances and to share their feelings and concerns. It will be a time for people to talk in a safe and comfortable setting, with some general input provided by Lee, both of whom have experience in working with these groups. Feel free to buy a coffee and bring into the meeting.

Friday 13 March—Karuah RSL, 10.30-12.00pm

Friday 27 March—The Grange, Tea Gardens 10.30-12.00pm

For more information contact:

Lee Clayton - agiftofsong@icloud.com

All welcome, this is a safe, inclusive, respectful place. Healing isn't always about therapy, it's often about:

- ◇ People
- ◇ Recognising we need them and
- ◇ Sometimes not knowing how to trust

It's allowing ourselves to exhale in the presence of someone safe, and trust ourselves there.

Dr Glenn Doyle:

- Can't clean up the whole room? Clean a corner of it.*
- Can't do all the dishes? Do a dish.*
- Can't get in the shower? Wash your face.*

Always look for the things you CAN do, with the energy and focus you DO have. Little wins pave the way for bigger wins. 1% beats 0%.

KARUAH MEDICAL CENTRE

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*I stayed up all night and tried to figure out where the sun was.
Then it dawned on me.*

Karuah Motor Yacht Club

WELCOME
to our family-friendly sports club!

Join us every Friday night from 5pm at our licensed venue for delicious family meals and desserts.

On special nights, enjoy live music

Our courtesy bus is available every Friday night for your convenience.

Stay updated by following us on Facebook and the Karuah Community website - www.karuah.org

mail@kmyc.net.au
<https://www.facebook.com/karuahmotoryachtclub/>
Off Pacific Hwy, Karuah Waterfront, Karuah

THE SCHOOL – “Karuah Public School wins debating challenge”, screams the headlines. On Thursday 18th November 1993 the annual debates between Bulahdelah and Karuah took place. This was a great day for our primary school. The students from Bulahdelah travelled by the Myall River. Can you imagine the excitement?

THE KARUAH UNITING CHURCH

The Karuah Uniting Church services & times for March 2026 are currently as follows:

Any changes to this can be found on our website: grahamstown.uca.org.au



Date: March 1	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: Rev Waisea LogoLogo
Holy Communion with lunch after church.		
Date: March 8	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: Barbara Lyle
Date: March 15	Time: 2.00 pm	Minister: Joe Kalou
Date: March 22	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: Rev Waisea LogoLogo
Date: March 29	Time: 9.00am	Minister: Rev Waisea LogoLogo

No service in Karuah. Service will be at Grahamstown Congregational Service at Raymond Terrace.

Our Hall is available for hire. We have a form to be filled for that purpose and it is available from myself, Andrew, I can be contacted by email at: johnlanda@gmail.com or phone 0437 115 032.

Be Blessed. Andrew Landa for the Karuah Uniting Church



ST COLUMBA ANGLICAN CHURCH — 414a Tarean Rd, KARUAH

You are warmly invited to join us on Sunday mornings at 9:00am to sing some inspiring hymns and songs, hear a message of hope from the Bible, and then enjoy coffee and morning tea afterwards.

Our congregation ranges in ages from 4 to 94 and everyone is welcome!

Messy Church is on Sunday from 4:00-5:30pm. This is for families who would like to get creative, enjoy fun activities, hear a Bible story, sing some songs and then enjoy a hot dinner together afterwards. It is free, but there is a donations box if anyone would like to contribute.

Little Fish Playgroup is on every Friday during school term from 10:00-11:30am.

Big Fish Fridays Kids Club is lots of fun for primary aged children in years 4-6.

The OpShop is open 4 days from Wednesday to Saturday from 9:00am to 1:00pm.

For enquiries about Sunday services and the Opshop contact:

Reverend Alison Williams at alisonwilliams1@zoho.com or call/text 0491 112 681

For enquiries about Playgroup, Kids Club or Messy Church, contact Vicki or Joel Cottier at messychurch2324@gmail.com

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY, CATHOLIC CHURCH, KARUAH

Mass Times for MARCH 2026

1st, 3rd and 5th weeks are Saturday evening @ 6.30pm

2nd and 4th weeks are Sundays @ 8.30am

The 2nd Sunday is a celebration of the Eucharist with Communion without a priest.

After the 4th Sunday Mass we have a community morning tea in Marian House with the Catholic community invited.

Our Lady of the Rosary parishioners have commenced a monthly

Women's Shed

to be held on the

**2nd Wednesday of each month at
2.30pm in our
Church Hall, Marian House.**

This is for all women in our town who would like to come and share a cuppa, chat & bring along any craft to work on.

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