



Karuah News

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Anzac Day:

A Community United in Remembrance

This year’s Anzac Day was a powerful reminder of the strength, respect, and unity that define our community. From the first light of dawn to the later morning service, it was heartening to see so many people come together to honour those who have served and sacrificed.

The Dawn March and Service drew a very large crowd, with community members of all ages standing shoulder to shoulder in quiet reflection. That same spirit carried through to the 9am service, where strong attendance reflected the deep respect held for this important day. The 335 Squadron Australian Air Force Cadets served as the Catafalque Guard and Port Stephens Council Deputy Mayor, Chris Doohan, gave the address.

Students from Karuah Primary School, shared messages in both Gathang and English, thoughtfully bridging cultures and generations.

Lucas Woolley’s heartfelt words about his time in service, resonated deeply with those present. His reflections brought a personal perspective to the day, reminding us of the realities behind the history we commemorate.

The wreath laying ceremony was particularly moving, with each family tribute placed with care, gratitude and respect. Donations of books for Karuah Public School, from our local community groups and businesses, highlighted the generosity and spirit of our community—honouring the past while supporting the future.

Anzac Day is always significant, but this year felt especially meaningful. The strong turnout, the shared moments of reflection, and the contributions from across the community all combined to create a very moving day and allowing greater participation from veterans, students, families, and community groups. And of course it wasn’t Anzac Day without the RSL free breakfast following the dawn Service and two-up at the conclusion of the 9:30am service.



Dawn March along Tarean road



Lucas Woolley



RSL Memorial

STROUD BICENTENARY — Friday 20 to Sunday 29 November 2026

Stroud has a rich history spanning 200 years. To mark its bicentenary, the Stroud and District Historical Society is planning a wide range of celebrations.

Events will feature heritage walks, historical plays inspired by the journey of AA Company Chief Agent Robert Dawson, guided tours, bush dances, film screenings, monastery open days, trivia nights, and much more.

Accommodation in Stroud will be limited, so support from nearby towns will be important. Located close to Karuah, Stroud has strong community ties, with many residents regularly supporting Karuah’s businesses.

Be sure to mark the dates in your diary and show your support for this significant milestone celebration.

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



NEWS FROM KARUAH RSL



Fridays
PETER STEFANSON 1th
 Main Bar
BRAD KNIGHT 8th
 Main Bar
GREG BRYCE DUO 15th
 Main Bar
CHRIS WILCOX 22nd
 Main Bar
TONY FERGUSON 29th
 Main Bar

Saturdays
2nd MARK HENDERSON
 Main Bar
9th MIKE HORBACZ
 Main Bar
16th ANTHONY LEE
 Main Bar
23rd JAI MAREE
 Main Bar
30th SCOTTY MAC
 Main Bar



MOTHERS DAY Raffle

**Sun 10 May
Drawn 12:30pm**

Over \$1,300 worth of meat
up for grabs!

**BONUS
PRIZE!**

**\$500
Mothers Day
Gift Hamper!**

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 - FIREFIGHTING IN 1939 *Submitted by Robyn Witt*

This is a heavily edited portion of a longer article in the Newcastle Morning Herald on 17th January 1939. The article mentions that the headquarters of Wallaroo National Forest, (as it was then, not a State Forest) opened in August 1938, and that there was still much work to be done. With the new fire season imminent, the article is timely and makes interesting reading. Compare the methods used then with the way our RFS Brigades do things now.

“Employees of the four national forests in the Northern District have been particularly watchful in the past weeks. In an interview, Mr F E Hutchinson, Forester of the Wallaroo National Forest, spoke on bush fires, their causes and prevention.

Wallaroo, Mr Hutchinson explained, comprised about 10,000 acres, and is situated chiefly on the western side of the Pacific Highway between Limeburner’s Creek and Raymond Terrace.

From the backyard of his house Mr Hutchinson peered at a watchtower perched on a conical hill (*possibly Baldy Knob, just west of LBC. I have photos of the old wooden tower there.*) The sentinel’s eyrie was plainly visible, though the watcher could not be seen with the naked eye.

“Is the man always on duty?” the correspondent asked. “Yes, provided it is bad weather - bad weather for fires, that is” he replied. “He takes his lunch up and sometimes remains there at night. The tower is connected by telephone with my house. If he sees anything suspicious he plots the danger zone by means of a compass and then telephones me.”

A huge chart of the district showed the watchtower in the centre. A circle of about 6” in diameter was divided into four right angles. When the location of a fire was telephoned to him in degrees he lies a ruler along the line to obtain an approximate idea of the area of the fire.

Then firefighters have to be mobilised and rushed to the fire. If a good road lay beside the fire, men could be on the spot very quickly. Unfortunately, there were not enough good roads. Sometimes regrettable delays were caused through lack of roads.

Fire prevention was an important part of his job. What fire-fighting apparatus was there? Mr Hutchinson pointed to some contraptions in a corner of his shed. Asked to demonstrate, he buckled on his back a tin container with a length of hose attached. The container held about four gallons of water and would last about 10 minutes if worked feverishly. It was with these that he and his men fought fires in the forests under their care.

He continues: “It is usual for overlanders to boil a billy when they camp. Sometimes the fires are not put out and the forest is endangered. To prevent carelessness we have a motorcycle patrolman. He travels along the highway boundary and asks campers to put out their fires. To obviate this danger we have prepared a special picnic ground where we can control the fires. Fireplaces have been built, and wood provided.” *I remember this picnic ground well, with the Old Man in the Stocks front and centre .*



During WW2 many “American LaFrance” vehicles came to Australia with the US troops, and were left here after the war. Wallaroo eventually received one, which I remember from the 1960s. By then the roads were very good, but they are now sadly neglected and would be a challenge for any vehicle, fire or otherwise. The photo shows a 1942 LaFrance pumper unit, owned by the Museum of Fire at Penrith.

Happy Mother's Day :)



It's Mother's Day! Leave all this for tomorrow...



Karuah Progress Inc (KPA)

www.karuah.org

KPA is a non-profit organisation dedicated to enhancing the Karuah community. Its mission is to improve residents’ quality of life through social, economic and environmental initiatives.

We welcome new members, volunteers and community support

Meetings are held monthly.

Next Meeting: Wed 27 May, 2026 in the RSL Boardroom

Contact: karuahpa@outlook.com or follow Facebook to support event updates & announcements

@ Karuah Progress Association—KPA

MOBILE LIBRARY TIMES

2026

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.

LOCAL DEFIBRILLATOR LOCATIONS

- Voluntary Fire Brigade, Karuah
- Karuah Medical Centre
- Karuah Community Hall
- Karuah RSL
- KRLFC Lionel Morten Oval, Karuah
- Karuah Tennis Clubhouse
- Community Centre—North Arm Cove
- Karuah Waters Estate (over 50's)

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OSHC Service

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

Incredible Vacation Care Program

What an incredible Vacation Care program we've just wrapped up at Karuah OSHC! Our days were filled with fun, laughter, and plenty of opportunities for children to connect, play, and try something new.

From a relaxing trip to the movies, to an action-packed adventure at the skate park, and even building new skills at our tennis workshop, there was truly something for everyone. Our creative minds shone during craft sessions, while our sports enthusiasts thrived during our high-energy sports day filled with teamwork & friendly competition.

It has been wonderful to see so many smiling faces, new friendships forming, and children stepping out of their comfort zones to give everything a go. Each day brought something special, making this Vacation Care program one to remember!

A big thank you to our amazing families for your continued support—it's what helps make programs like this so successful and enjoyable for all.

We are all excited to see everyone return for Term 2 and can't wait to share our adventures.

It's never too late to join the fun at OSHC! If you'd like to learn more about our service and what we offer, 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 / 0476 454 037 / oshcteam@gmail.com



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- Celebrating Aboriginal culture and identity
- Sharing practical tips for at-home learning
- Building confidence in children for preschool and school readiness
- Fostering family connections and mutual support



The program is free, family-led, and rooted in the strengths and knowledge of the families involved.

KARUAH PLAYGROUP
Wednesdays - During School Terms
10:00am to 11:30am
Karuah Community Hall
2 Engel Ave, Karuah

Contact us: Kerrie Mullard
0249103130 | reception@firstchance.org.au



Karuah

Karuah Rural Fire Brigade News

Karuah Fire Brigade has been paged to the Nerong fire on going, for many weeks now.

- Members turned out for 3 pile burns, assisted Ambo's, 1 truck fire and several MVA's.
- Cat 1 passed rego keeping us on the road.
- New courses for on line training are now starting.

PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING OUR FIRE BRIGADE

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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MEALS ON WHEELS More than just a meal!

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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.

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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:

Karuah Landcare Group

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SNIPPETS FROM THE PAST *By Gwen Neil*

A Little Piece Of Karuah's Past was destroyed early in Sept 2010, when the old shop and a residence burnt down taking the next door home with it. It was built in the 1930s, by Mr & Mrs Maynie Johnson and used as a grocery store, café & carrying business.

One side of the store had built in booths for the café side of the business and in the 1950s it was a hub of activity, a meeting place for the young people of the town, who would sit and enjoy such treats as Banana Splits, soft drinks, and sandwiches etc.

On the grocery side, such things as sugar, cheese and biscuits etc. were weighed up and bagged separately not like the prepacked items of today. The carrying business was run by Owen Johnson and was the only way people could get goods brought into the town. When his parents retired, Owen took over the shop as well and lots of the young girls had jobs there when they left school. The residence was a substantial building with high ceilings, 3 three bedrooms, large lounge, sunroom, pantry and an upstairs room.

The shop was eventually sold and passed through many hands before it ceased operating as a store.

Many of Karuah's older generation felt saddened to see another of our older buildings destroyed.

History of MEMORIAL DRIVE

Memorial Drive-Karuah was very different 50 years ago.

Long gone are so many nice old buildings that were

very important to the town, in those days firstly as you turned into Memorial Dr was the School Residence,- opposite the Lion Memorial, a beautiful Federation style home with wrap around verandas and spacious rooms with French doors. Sadly, the Education Dept. chose to remove it in the 1970s.

Next on the corner of Bonser's Lane and Memorial Dr was the post office, residence and the general store, sturdy buildings, built in the early 1900s. The residence nested between the PO and the store. It was busy as there was no mail delivery in those days, so mail had to be collected at the P.O. and the newspaper and groceries from the store.

Next door was the family Mr & Mrs Morant and their sons Neville & Jeff, Neville sadly lost his life when the house burnt down some years ago.

Then there was the shop belonging to Mr & Mrs Mamie Johnson & son Owen, selling groceries and chook feed etc., it also operated as a café (Hespers Café,) and was popular with the young people as a meeting place to get together. Lastly there was the home of Ms Bessy Farley whom lived in the old family home built low to the ground with many out buildings and a wide front veranda the view was beautiful. Miss Farley had a wonderful menagerie of geese, chooks, ducks, and pet's she also had cows as the land extended as far down as the river, near the boat ramp.

Today modern homes with attractive gardens line this street, with the views over the park to our Karuah River.



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Age Verification to be Included inside Operating System by 2027

Age Verification Laws Are Multiplying Like a Virus

Australia has age verification on social media plus Porn and Gambling Sites in 2026. The **UK** Online Safety Act's child safety duties went into force in July 2025.

Brazil has gone further. The Digital Statute of the Child and Adolescent come into effect on March 17, 2026, and it explicitly names operating systems and app stores by definition.

Singapore's approach skips the OS side of things and goes straight for the app stores themselves. They require Apple, Google, Huawei, Microsoft, and Samsung to implement age verification by March 31, 2026.

Half of all US States have some form of age verification law, around nine of those were passed in 2025 alone, covering everything from adult content sites to social media platforms to app stores. **California's** Digital Age Assurance Act (AB 1043) is all the rage right now, which targets not only websites and apps but also operating systems. Come January 2027, every OS provider must collect a user's age at account setup and provide that data to app developers via a real-time API.

Predictably, the **Linux** community has not taken this quietly. While there is a bunch of misinformation strewn about, they have 3 options. - include age verification in all version, - restrict its use in regions that require age verification, - face fines for every operating system currently in use.

KARUAH MEDICAL CENTRE

406 Tarean Rd, Karuah, NSW 2324

Phone: 4997 5510 / 4997 5912

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- **Mental Health Plan**
- **Counselling**
- **Hypnosis**
- **Hearing Check**

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 who has experience working with these groups.

Feel free to buy a coffee and bring into the meeting.

2nd Friday of the month —Karuah RSL Boardroom, 10.30-12.00pm

4th Friday of the month —The Grange Boardroom, 33-93 Spinifex Ave, Tea Gardens 10.30-12.00pm

**For more information contact:
Lee Clayton - agiftofsong@icloud.com**

ALL PEOPLE 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.



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

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<https://www.facebook.com/karuahmotoryachtclub/>

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DID YOU KNOW ???

Raymond Terrace has a Parkrun every Saturday morning 8am, approximately 5km

The Terrace Parkrun is a free, weekly, community event encouraging people to get outdoors, exercise and socialise. Parkrun is a positive, welcoming and inclusive experience where there is no time limit and no one finishes last. It ends with a coffee and a chat.

Everyone is welcome to come along, whether you walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate.

The event takes place at Riverside Park, Hunter Street, Raymond Terrace, New South Wales, 2324

<https://www.portstephens.org.au/events/show/the-terrace-parkrun> — Ph: 4988 8888

THE KARUAH UNITING CHURCH

The Karuah Uniting Church services & times for MAY 2026 are currently as follows:
Any changes to this can be found on our website: grahamstown.uca.org.au



Date: May 3	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: TBA
Date: May 10	Time: 2.00 pm	Minister: Joe Kalou
Date: May 17	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: TBA
Date: May 24	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: TBA
Date: May 31	Time: 11.00 am	Minister: TBA

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

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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, and then enjoy coffee and morning tea afterwards.

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

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.

Youth Group is a new group for high school students - on every second Friday from 6:00-8:00pm.

Messy Church fun, faith and dinner for young families- 12th April from 4:00-5:30pm

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

For enquiries about Sunday services, the Opshop or Youth 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 MAY 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
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Karuah Roos Rugby League Football Club

Contact Information: 0402 283 316 /
karuahroosrlfc@gmail.com

Congrats to Hinton

It was a tough, hard-fought game, but the Roos never gave up and kept pushing right to the end.

A great effort all round — now time to recover from a few injuries and come back ready for the next one.



Congrats to the Rooettes

They have come home with the win!

Our ladies headed down to Windale for a Friday night game under the lights and came away with the win. A strong effort across the park



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ROUND 1 2nd May

8:00am – Arrive for March Pass (All Welcome)
8:30am – March to Begin

10:35am – Ladybugs (MNC) vs Dolphins, Court 3

11:55am – Karuah Sapphires vs Star Force (StBNC), Court 6

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