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Notice to All Members
The second leg of the Rainbow Shield will be held on Sunday 4th March at Lake Tooliorook, 8am - 4 pm.
This event is hosted by Lismore Anglers Club.
C. Brown, Secretary,
Derrinallum Anglers Club



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Mount Elephant open every Sunday 1pm—4pm

Coming Events in our Community

FEBRUARY	
Saturday 24th	Book Launch-History of Lismore Oddfellows Cricket— Lismore Rec Reserve -11 am RSVP 0409 501 639
Saturday/Sunday 24/25th	Cancer Relay for Life at Terang Rec Res, Strong St Terang— Sat 5pm-Sunday 11am.
Monday 26th	Barefoot Bowls Derri Club 6.15pm
MARCH	
Thursday 1st	Book Group at Derri Library 3.30pm—Ph 55 976 658
Friday 2nd	Senior Citz Meeting at Lismore—Lunch at Hotel 12 noon, Grimwade Rooms 1.30pm for meeting.
Sunday 4th	Rainbow Shield 2nd Leg, Lake Tooliorook, 8-4pm
Wednesday 7th	Pre-Opera discussion and what it's about with Karen Robertson—7pm Grimwade Rooms
Wednesday 7th	Darlington Field and Game AGM—7.30pm—Club Rooms Deep Lake
Monday 12th	Lismore Swimming Pool summer season closes LONG WEEKEND LABOUR DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
Sunday 18th	“The Barber of Seville” Opera in Lismore—Arrive 4.40pm for a 5pm start. Tickets \$40
Monday 19th	CWA Meeting at Grimwade Rooms, Lismore Health Centre— 7.30pm
Monday 19th	Garden Club TBC
Wednesday 21st	Book Group discussion “St Kilda Blues” 7.30pm Library Derri
Thursday 22nd	Writing Workshop with Graeme Gibson at Derri Library 1-4pm Bookings essential 55 976 658
Thursday 22nd	Live Well Project—Camperdown 1.45-3pm Killara Centre
Friday 23rd	Darlington Film Night at 8pm—\$5 includes supper
Friday 30th	GOOD FRIDAY—SCHOOL HOLIDAYS BEGIN
APRIL	
Thursday 5th	Book Group Derri Library 3.30pm—Ph 55 976 658
Monday 16th	CWA Evening Branch, Grimwade Rooms Lismore 7.30pm
Saturday 28th	Western Plains Photographic Show at Lismore
Saturday/Sunday 28/29	Halls Gap 2 day trip Lis/Derri Heart Foundation Walking Group— NB Change of Date. \$80pp

President's Report

First meeting for 2018 was well attended by 13 members, which was very pleasing.

The Derri P-12 College Report was received with news that maintenance work was going very well. The Trade Training Centre was completed. We also welcome a new staff member in Mrs. Sanderson, who will be teaching Grades 5 and 6.

Congratulations to the new Leaders in Will French, 'Primary' with Stella Cameron and Casey Bignall, 'Secondary'.

The fundraising for the Defibrillator is going along quite well, but still a long way to go. So please keep donations coming, 'small and large'.

It was decided that it would be placed in the foyer of the Post Office, which is easily accessed by all. I attended a small meeting with Shire members, Leslie Brown, Councilor and others from Derri and Lismore to update our 'Disaster Recovery Plans'.

Clive May gave a Report from the Deep Lake Foreshore Committee, on small changes to the camping ground. Advised that there will be no advanced booking for camping spaces. Fees still to be collected at businesses and that there is no fresh water until it rains again.

Work on the wind towers in the Dundonnell area is beginning, with some workers living in Derri.

Gordon Fisher

President Derrinallum Progress Association

NEWS FROM DEEP LAKE

The Deep Lake Reserve Committee of Management held a meeting on February 6, following the resignations of President/Cleaning Contractor, and Secretary.

The Committee has decided to make some ongoing changes to the usage of the Reserve, with the aim of encouraging all the local community to enjoy our facilities.

1. There will be no bookings taken for camping spaces.
2. Some areas will be allocated to day visitors and others for car and trailer parking.
3. Camping fees will be reviewed at a later date after consultation with DWELP.

All ideas from members of the community are welcome and will be considered by the Committee as it plans any further changes.

Clive May
Vice President

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Community Info Sessions and Refreshments

1.45-3pm Thursday March 22

Killara Centre, Manifold St Camperdown

RSVP 55 937 100 by Monday 19.3.18

Corangamite Relay For Life 2018

Saturday 24th—Sunday 25th February

5pm Sat—11am Sunday

Terang Recreation Reserve



SCHOLARSHIPS OPEN TO WANNON VOLUNTEERS

Member for Wannon, Dan Tehan has called for local volunteers to apply for a scholarship to attend this year's National Volunteering Conference.



Mr Tehan said the scholarships would support volunteer coordinators and community leaders in Wannon to travel to Sydney for the national conference.

"The scholarships recognise the vital role volunteers play in our communities by funding conference registration, accommodation and travel costs for managers and leaders of volunteers in rural, regional or disadvantaged communities," Mr Tehan said.

"Volunteers in Wannon are at the heart of our community – from fighting fires to raising money for local sport and caring for our most vulnerable.

"I strongly encourage the leaders, managers and coordinators of volunteer and community organisations to apply for the scholarships, so they take an active part in shaping volunteering into the future."

Mr Tehan said the conference funding was part of the Australian Government's \$63 million support for volunteering to 2020-21.

"It's important to support the Australians who sacrifice their time and energy giving back to the community," Mr Tehan said.

Volunteering Australia will assess the applications on merit.

For information on the National Volunteering Conference 2018 (20-22 June) and to apply for the scholarships go to <http://nvc2018.com.au/>

Applications close 15 March.

DLCA HISTORY NEWS

Our 2018 calendars are for sale \$10/copy.

They can be purchased at the History Rooms at Derrinallum, the Wooltrack Store and Petals Plus Gallery Lismore and Derri Disc.

Derrinallum and Lismore—A Spoken History is a great record of local history and available for sale at the above at \$20/copy.

Limited print run, so get your copy before it sells out. Put a copy away as a birthday present, Father's Day gift and produce it through the year!

Cricket Book Launch 24th Feb 2018 *Brigadiers, Knight, Brownlows & Blokes*

11am .. books available cost \$35

Book launch ..11.30am

Light Lunch/ arvo tea \$10

1pm ..Cricket Match,

6pm... BBQ dinner (Gold coin)

7pmPlayers reunion

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Lismore Garden Club News—January 2018

Welcome back everyone.

Our first meeting was a social meeting. 12 members came with the rest of our group still enjoying their holidays.

We are needing hosts for the rest of the year.

Market day on the 27th January was a hot success

13 stall holders battled the heat.

Dorothy also opened the Hall

Stall holders came from as far as Pakenham, Skipton, Camperdown, Derrinallum and Lismore

Thank you to all.

Money raised over the past year has gone back into the community through donations to -

Lismore and District Lions Club

Lismore Men's Shed

Lismore Progress Association

And Lismore and District CWA

Catch you soon—Shirley Fleming (Sec)



We hear a good deal about the main players in our district's history but now and again a little is revealed about some who passed through and how they survived in those early times. Here is one such story, which by chance I discovered when a fellow researcher gave me a marriage certificate which she hoped would be of one of my relatives, alas it was not, but they shared the same name and both were from Somerset.

Sarah Ann/e VOWELS was this this young lady's name and she came out to Australia aged 20 years without any other family members in 1854. Sarah was on the ship "Joshua" which sailed from Southampton on June 24th and arrived at Geelong, September 28th. There were 340 immigrants aboard and many other single woman listed as domestic servants aged between 15 and 27, who were all employed on arrival, on short contracts.

Dr McFarlane, of Mt Elephant Bridge employed Sarah for 25 pounds p.a. and rations, with a six-month contract. Dr McFarlane was later to own **Eeyeuk** but at this stage was living near Darlington.

Sarah Ann VOWLES married **William BISHOP** on 7th of July, 1855 at Keilambete -District of Kilnoorat Church No in Register 19.

William Bishop was a 26 yr old bullocky living at **Keilambete** and Sarah was 21 yrs still living at Darlington as a domestic servant. Both Sarah and Will were born in Somerset, England, Sarah at Butcombe in the Blagdon district in the north and Will in Crewkerne in the south of Somerset.

There is no evidence of children from this relationship and William is said to have died but no record to confirm this is to be found, not unusual in those times. Sarah's first recorded child born in her later relationship is named William in 1858, so it would suggest she chose to acknowledge her first partner in this way. On baby William's birth certificate it is recorded that she remarried **Roger/ Rodger COOK/COOKE** at Port Fairy in 1857 other evidence suggests they may have married at Wickcliffe but again no official record. Roger/ Rodger and Sarah Ann COOK/E then moved to the Amherst area where they finally settled at a Talbot on a small holding after a stint at gold mining.

They had 9 children -

William, John, Rodger, James, Mary, Frances, Richard, Florence & George. According to some evidence one son became a police officer another served as Mayor of Fremantle (W.A.) while descendants include farmers, nurses, teachers and bank officers.

Rodger COOKE died in 1890 at 63 yrs and Sarah COOKE in 1903 at 69 yrs and are buried at the Amherst Cemetery.

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Another young woman **Matilda WILKINS** was on the 'JOSHUA' and she is related to the **TOULMIN, STONE, LINDENBERG, LAKEY** families. (More on this in another issue)

A description of droving at Keilambete—as **William BISHOP Sarah Ann VOWLES** husband would have done.

Camperdown Chronicle (Vic. : 1877 - 1954), Thursday 15 September 1932, page 3

CHAT WITH MR. JONAS JEFFERS, OF COBDEN. He was 84 and died the following year b. 1848 d.1933

Giving up bullock driving after a lengthy experience. Mr. Jeffers took up a contract droving bullocks from Mr. John Thomson's **Keilambete Station**, Terang to the Ballarat market.

Two men and himself handled the work and a covered in waggonette was used for sleeping purposes. They divided the night into three shifts, so that the bullocks, wild brutes as a rule, were always under supervision. The journey took four days, the first camp being at Darlington, and then through Chirnside and Logan's property.

The manager of Keilambete was Mr. John McKinnon, brother of Mr. Dan McKinnon. When store cattle were being brought down from New South Wales to Keilambete, Jeffers used to meet the drovers on the other side of Ballarat and pilot them for the rest of the journey. As many as 600 cattle under five drovers might be in the mob and there was a sigh of relief all round when they were landed at **Elephant Swamp (now Derrinallum)** under the Mount. Coming through Chirnside and Logan's property, the cattle one night started "ringing," that is wheeling round and round like a Catherine wheel, the beasts on the outside galloping their hardest. They flattened down a stonewall fence for some distance and all hands were hard put to stop the stampede.

Submitted by Kay Anderson

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Commences MONDAY 26th Feb 2018

Derrinallum Lismore and District RSL Sub Branch

Our Sub Branch is interested in purchasing
lockable display cabinets for a range of
memorabilia items.

We are wondering if there are any suitable
cabinets in the community that could be donated
or purchased for this purpose.

Please contact Lesley on
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Lesley Brown, President



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shed in action.....**

Join us on the first Wednesday each month between 12.30—1.30pm for some lunch and a chat.

Cost. \$3.00 for lunch.

***Remember this is the community's shed so if you have an hour or two to spare, call
in and share your ideas on what we are doing.***

ALL WELCOME—

Stan Foote 5340 2036 (Sec.)....Geoff Spencer 0437 770 586 (Treas.)



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Derrinallum Library

Phone/Fax: 03 5597 6658
Opening hours:

Thursday	11.00am - 12.30pm	1.00pm - 5.00pm
Friday	11.00am - 12.30pm	1.00pm - 5.00pm
Saturday	10.00am - 12 noon	

Derrinallum & Lismore Community Association Inc. HISTORY GROUP

Local history: people, families, towns, properties, businesses,
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CONTACT: President: Sandy Gibson
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Thursday	10am - 4.30pm
Friday	10am - 4.30pm
Saturday	10am - 12noon



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Contact
Robyn Gellie after hours on 55976 583



Combined Anglican & Uniting Church at Derrinallum UCA Building

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The Corangamite Shire is responsible for assessing clients for eligibility and also takes all bookings. 55937100

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A small fee applies for this service.

Bus pick up points - The bus leaves Lismore from the Post Office at 9.45am, and Derrinallum at 10am from the shelter opposite the Post office.

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Sat. 24th Feb. 2018

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Maps at “The Shed”

Thank You

The Family of the late Betty Eccles wish to thank the residents of Derrinallum and Lismore for their prayers, phone calls, care and concern for her during her illness and to us, following her death.

Sincerest thanks to all for the food, flowers and to those who helped supply the afternoon tea after the funeral.

Mum was a caring, devoted and much loved Mother, Mother in law, Nanna and Nan Bet.

Sincere thanks, Doreen, Liz, Dianne (Tiny) and Families.





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Opera in Lismore VICTORIA.

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Opera: what's it all about? Everything you didn't, and probably never wanted, to know. A pre-opera discussion and information session hosted by Karen Robertson at the Lismore Community Health Centre, Grimwade Room 7pm Wednesday 7th March. Gold coin donation. All Welcome.

The staging of this Opera has been organised by members of the Lismore Progress Association, Lismore and District Lions Club and the Lismore and District Garden Club. It also has much appreciated support from the Corangamite Shire and other helpful local and distant bodies.



Darlington platypus survey

Wednesday 7th March, 6:30pm at Darlington Hall



Following on from the platypus survey along Mt Emu Creek at Skipton last October, another survey will be held to assess the activity of platypus in Mount Emu Creek at Darlington. Interested people are invited to come along and help spot platypus along Mount Emu Creek in Darlington. No experience is necessary, just patience!

The survey will take place on **Wednesday 7th March, 2018, 6:30pm at the Darlington Hall**, for a discussion and cuppa before moving down to the creek. The survey itself will take around 1 hour. Bring binoculars and wear suitable clothing and foot wear as some sights will have long grass. No dogs please. Register your interest with Shari McConachy, 0409 070 089 or email llpgsharim@westnet.com.au



DARLINGTON COMMUNITY

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FRIDAY 23 MARCH – 8PM

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On Tuesday and Wednesday.

\$12 per session

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To check times or if you're unsure because of the weather ring Nigel at the pool on 55 962 212

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Day Admissions—Family \$13.50, Adult \$4.50, Child \$3.60, School \$2.30pp, Lane hire \$19.00



Darlington Field and Game

AGM NOTICE

Date: Wednesday 7th March

Time: 7.30pm

Where: Club rooms at Deep Lake

Any Enquiries please contact:-

Jammie Neil ph. 0419 524 404

Col Pickering Ph. 0439 876 620

Tim Blomeley Ph. 0409 330 105



Corangamite Youth Council needs You

If you're between 12 and 23, live in Corangamite Shire, and want to make a difference in the community, apply now for a seat on the Youth Council.

Corangamite Youth Council is a way for young people to address issues and needs within their own communities.

Councillor representatives to the Youth Council, Lesley Brown and Helen Durant encouraged young people to make the most of opportunity.

Cr Brown said Youth Councillors benefitted from mentoring and guidance in event management, community awareness and personal development.

"Sitting on the Youth Council builds confidence and teaches young people valuable life skills in leadership, communication, team work and project management," Cr Brown said.

"It's a wonderful opportunity to learn about local government and what it does for the people of Corangamite Shire.

"Youth Councillors provide advice and recommendations to the Council on issues affecting young people and initiate programs to help in the development of young people."

Cr Durant said Youth Councillors would have a voice in what services were delivered to young people in Corangamite and would encourage their peers to take part in all facets of community life.

"If you're interested, fill in an application form and tell us about any involvement you have had in your local community—such as being on committees, volunteer work, action groups, school groups, sport groups or community groups—why you want to join the Youth Council and why you would make a good Youth Council member.

"We want to hear what you think are important issues for young people in the Shire so Council can act on what is important to the youth of Corangamite."

Each member of the Youth Council will be eligible for membership for two years with a third year negotiable based on performance, input and enthusiasm.

The Youth Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Secretary and two publicity officers will be elected at the first meeting.

All applications must be received by 5pm Friday 16 February Application forms are available from secondary schools, the Civic Centre in Camperdown, <https://www.corangamite.vic.gov.au/Community/Youth/Youth-Council>, or by contacting Mrs Wood on 5593 7100 or sally.wood@corangamite.vic.gov.au.

TRADES & SERVICES GUIDE

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All Community announcements are free, we love to share and hear about what's going on in Derrinallum and District. Due to printing costs, for a free announcement and advertising, please keep to a quarter page or less as a half page may incur a cost of \$15. Sizes are for 1/4 page 17cm x 7 cm (6½ in. x 3 in) or 13cm x 9 cm (5in x 3 ½in) (sample size is this N&N ad) Donations are always welcome

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The 2018 Barwon South Western Skate Park Series event on Saturday 24 February will focus on embracing skate park culture and giving all ages and levels of experience the chance to shred.

The series features scooter, BMX, and skateboard competitions across the region between January and April and February is Camperdown's time to shine.

Entries are open for all rounds of the competition with participants eligible for overall regional competition points and prizes each round.

The Barwon South Western League aims to provide opportunities for young people to showcase their skills in a safe and welcoming environment.

Corangamite Shire Council Recreation Development Officer Lucy Vesey said the grass roots competition was about connecting skate parks users and improving their skills.

"Nobody gets to be an expert without practice and these events are a great way to meet other skaters, scooters and riders and pick up some tips.

"There's a strict 'no haters' policy so it's all about good sportsmanship, respecting diversity, and welcoming people of all abilities."

The action will start at the park at 2 pm, with scooter riders kicking off at 2:30 pm, BMX at 4 pm and skateboarding rounding up the day at 5 pm.

The Camperdown round has been brought to life through a partnership between YMCA Action Sports, the Victorian Skateboarding Association and Corangamite Shire Council.

**Entrants can register rock up on the day or register online
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Caption: Hayden Vesey gets some air at the Camperdown Skate Park.

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Noxious weeds to cop a spray

BLACKBERRY has been a thorny issue and tops a list of noxious weed Corangamite Shire Council is working to control.

Council's 2017/18 blackberry and roadside weed control programs are under way until the end of May 2018.

Mayor Jo Beard said contractors would be spraying the Shires' roadsides for a range of noxious and environmental weeds.

"When all weed treatments are added together, there will



be a massive total of 3693 kilometres of roadsides treated for various weeds in the next three months," Cr Beard said.

"The main weed species to be targeted include ragwort, sweet pittosporum, pampas

grass, gorse, St John's wort, boxthorn, sweet briar, mirror bush, English Ivy and cape Ivy." Cr Beard said the budget for this year's program was more than \$218,000, with the largest proportion to be spent fighting blackberry.

"Almost a third of our Shire's economy depends on the agricultural sector so it's essential that we do everything we can to control these weeds and prevent them spreading to farmland."

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Healthy activities

Groups and organisations across the Shire have plenty of fun activities to help you be healthy and happy this summer as part of the Eat Well! Move Well!

Be Well! Program from February 17 - 24. From meditation to beach volleyball, gentle exercise classes to fermentation workshops, the Trestle 10 fun run and multi sports fun sessions at the Timboon and Camperdown stadiums, the program aims to help locals invest in their health and enjoy trying something new. Go to the full list of activities at www.corangamite.vic.gov.au and find something you love, so you can love life more.

Event, festival grants open

IF YOU'RE planning an event or festival in Corangamite Shire, it's time to apply for funding from Council's Events and Festivals Grant Program. Applications will close on Monday 19 March. Submissions will be accepted at www.corangamite.vic.gov.au/Council/Grants-and-funding/Events-Festivals-Grant-Program. Hard copy forms will be available to download or by contacting Council on 5593 7100.

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“News from the Rink”

The Bowling Club have been busy again with members playing rounds in Club Tournament Finals. Don Harrison & Bill Dobie will play off in the Semi Final of the Mixed 100 up Championship and the winner will play off in the Final against Lance Eade.

John Reichman & Fiona Noone will play off against Andrea Morrison & Ken Wynd in the Mixed Pairs Final Championship. These matches will be played in the next week or two.

The Club hosted its first night of **Bare Foot Bowls** with a great turn out of teams. There were many laughs and giggles coming from all the rinks over the night. **It's not too late to get your team in for our next night on the 26th Feb.**

With only 2 rounds to go for our pennant teams, our division 2 team have managed to get back into the top four after a tough match last week against Apollo Bay. Our Division 4 team shared the points against Lorne for last Saturday's results.

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DERRI UNDER 16'S CRICKET REPORTDerri vs Rokewood 3.2.18—**Round 8**

The Christmas break is over and it's back into it for our Young Tigers. Our first game back for 2018 is against Rokewood at Rokewood. We need to play well and try to get a win and secure a spot in the top four, to make the finals.

It was a very dewy morning and we won the toss and went in for a bat. Max and Ned Uren our opening batsmen got off to a good start, putting on a few runs. In the 11th over Rokewood broke through and bowled Ned out for 7 runs. Our next five batsmen put on 20 runs between them. A great effort from Max Uren, with a score of 51 runs, saw our Young Tigers at the end of our 25 overs of batting, 3 for 109.

After morning tea, our Young Tigers know they have to bowl well to knock over Rokewood who are sitting in 2nd spot on the ladder. Our opening bowlers bowled well, but no wickets fell. At the 16th over, Rokewood are 0 wickets for 68 runs. It looked like this game was slipping away from us, until Jake Thurrowgood broke through, bowling one of their opening batsmen in the 17th over. Then Ned Uren bowled Rokewood's next opening batsman 3 overs later. The pressure was now on Rokewood. Hunter Thompson got the next 2 wickets and Rokewood ran out of overs. Derri 3 for 109, beat Rokewood 4 for 88. A great effort for our YoungTigers to knock off Rokewood, who were 2nd on the ladder. Well done boys!

With the bat -

M. Uren	Retired	51 runs
N Uren	Bowled	7 runs
H. Thompson	Caught	9 runs
R. Gordon	Bowled	0 runs
J. Tonks	Retired	2 runs
E. Faull	Not out	3 runs
L. Maslin	Not out	6 runs

Extras 33 runs

Derri's Total 3 for 109

With the ball -	Overs	Maiden	Extras	Wickets	Runs
M. Uren	5	1	2	0	8
H. Thompson	5	2	0	2	8
E. Faull	3	0	7	0	12
J. Tonks	3	0	6	0	21
R.Gordon	2	0	1	0	16
N. Uren	5	1	1	1	12
J. Thurrowgood	2	0	0	1	8

3 byes

Total extras 20

Rokewood's Total 4 for 88

Well done Young Tigers!

The Ladder after Round 8

1st Carngham	48 points	758%
2nd Rokewood	27 points	98%
3rd Lismore	24 points	111%
4th Derrinallum	24 points	107%
5th Smythesdale	21 points	98%
6th Skipton	0 points	8%

DERRI UNDER 16'S CRICKET REPORTSkipton vs Derri 10.2.18—**Round 9**

This week we come up against a very Young Skipton side, and need a good win to get us up the ladder before finals, but our Young Tigers need to respect the Young Skipton side, because in sport you never know what can happen. Skipton won the toss and went in for a bat. Our opening bowlers did slow their bowling down in fairness to the Young Skipton lads. Hunter Thompson was the first to get 2 wickets in his 5th over. Jake Thurrowgood got another wicket in the 12th over and Ned Uren getting 3 wickets for 1 run off his 4 overs, a good start for the morning which saw Skipton 6 for 39 after their 25 overs. After morning tea our Young Tigers have to put runs on the board and go for a good win and boost our percentage. And that's what they did. Max Uren led the way making 50 runs and retired, then Ned Uren was the next to make 51 runs and retire. Hunter Thompson then getting his 50 runs and retired. Liam Maslin also had a good knock making 22 runs, his highest score. Well done big fella.

And young Gordo making a solid 13 runs, also his top score. A good day out for our batsmen and at the end of our 25 overs, we had a score of 1 for 210. Well done to our Young Tigers and that win has put us into 2nd spot on the ladder with 30 points and percentage of 138%.

With the ball -

	Overs	Maidens	Extras	Wickets	Runs
M. Uren	5	2	3	0	4
H. Thompson	5	0	3	2	6
N. Uren	4	3	1	3	1
J. Thurrowgood	4	1	1	1	3
J. Tonks	2	0	7	0	7
W. Hinkley	3	0	2	0	5
R. Gordon	1	0	1	0	9
F. Galea	1	0	2	0	2

Byes 2

Total extras 22

Skipton 6 for 39

With the bat -

M. Uren	Retired	50 runs
N. Uren	Retired	51 runs
H. Thompson	Retired	50 runs
L. Maslin	Not out	22 runs
J. Thurrowgood	Bowled	0 runs
R. Gordon	Not out	13 runs

Extras 24 runs

Derri 1 for 210

A good win for our Young Tigers. Go Derri Tigers!!

Next week's game is against Carngham at Snake Valley. It is a 50 over game on Sunday 18th starting at 10am.

The ladder after Round 9

1st Carngham	54 points	896%
2nd Derrinallum	30 points	138%
3rd Smythesdale	27 points	99%
4th Rokewood	27 points	98%
5th Lismore	24 points	81%
6th Skipton	0 points	8%

DERRI UNDER 16TH CRICKET REPORT

Carngham vs Derri 18.2.18—**Round 10**

This week our Young Tigers head off to Snake Valley for a 50 over game, the last game of the Home and Away Season. It's been a very even competition this year and this last round has two sides fighting for positions in the top four and two sides playing off for a position in the top four. Our Young Tigers have to win today to stay in 2nd spot on the ladder or maybe slip down to 4th. But win or lose they are guaranteed a spot in the finals. We have to be on our game today as Carngham haven't been beaten for two seasons and our Young Tigers are up for the challenge. Winning the toss in we go for a bat. We need the opening batsmen to get off to a good start. That part of the plan went a bit wrong, with Carngham claiming their first wicket getting Max Uren out for 2 runs in the second over. Derri now 1 for 3 runs. It is now up to Ned and Hunter to put some runs on and that's what they did. They had a great partnership of 70 runs together until Carngham claimed Hunter's wicket in the 18th over. A great knock of 31 runs to Hunter. Derri now 2 for 73 runs.

Ethan Faull is the next one for the Tigers. Ned and Ethan need to stay in and get us to the break and they did. At the end of our first 25 overs of batting our Young Tigers are 2 for 92. A great start. After a short break it's our turn for a 25 over bowling stint at Carngham. Early wickets are the key to beating Carngham and Hunter got us off to good start, getting his first wicket in the 6th over. We have them 1 for 24. The two Carngham boys settled down and put together a 70 run partnership. We need to get a wicket soon, then in the 24th over Hunter got two more wickets and put the pressure back on Carngham. At the end of our first 25 over bowling session, we have them 3 for 103—only 11 runs in front of our Young Tigers.

After the lunch break out we go again for our second 25 overs of batting. Ned and Ethan batted together for another 9 overs, until Ned made his 50 runs and had to retire. Well batted Ned. Ethan's wicket fell a few balls later. Derri now 3 or 118. After that our Young Tigers had another middle order collapse, losing 4 quick wickets in as many overs. Derri now 8 for 127.

Young Coady Maslin and Neave Thompson batted well together for another 5 overs, Coady getting his highest score of 9 runs. Well done!

Carngham getting us all out for 135 runs in the 47th over. Now it's time for our Young Tigers to go out for their last 25 overs of bowling.

We are now 32 runs in front, but the Carngham boys have still got a couple of good batsmen left. We need quick wickets. It wasn't long and we got a run out and in the same over Hunter got his 4th wicket for the day. We have Carngham 5 for 126. Two overs later and Carngham pass our score to win the game. Derri 10 for 135—Carngham 5 for 145.

Even though it was a loss for our Young Tigers, they put up a great effort, being the only team to score over 100 runs against Carngham for the year, and also we get to play finals. Something we haven't done for 3 years.

So good luck to our Young Tigers in the finals, and give it all you've got.

Go the Derri Tigers.

With the bat -

M. Uren	Caught	2 runs
N. Uren	Not out	51 runs
H. Thompson	Bowled	32 runs
E. Faull	Bowled	9 runs
R. Gordon	Bowled	2 runs
L. Maslin	LBW	3 runs
J. Thurrowgood	Stumped	2 runs
J. Tonks	Caught	0 runs
C. Maslin	Caught	9 runs
D. Gordon	Bowled	0 runs
N. Thompson	Run out	0 runs

Extras

26 runs

Derri 10 for 135

With the ball -

	Overs	Maiden	Extras	Wickets	Runs
M. Uren	8	1	0	0	41
H. Thompson	8	1	0	4	39
E. Faull	2	1	0	0	11
J. Thurrowgood	3	0	1	0	10
J. Tonks	3	0	5	0	12
N. Uren	6	2	0	0	14

Byes 18

Total extras

24

Carngham 5 for 145

Our Young Tigers have finished in 4th spot on the ladder. In the first semi final we play Carngham again, a tough match but if we all have a good go and give 100% you never know what can happen.

So good luck in the finals and **Go Derri Tigers!!**

The ladder after round 10

The end of the home and away season

1st Carngham	60 points	708.41%
2nd Rokewood	33 points	122.40%
3rd Smythesdale	33 points	113.67%
4th Derrinallum	30 points	120.84%
5th Lismore	24 points	73.31%
6th Skipton	0 points	8.63%

First Semi Finals -

Carngham vs Derri

Rokewood vs Smythesdale

GOOD LUCK TO ALL SIDES IN THE FINALS

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RAINFALL

2018	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRI	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
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RAIN	9.2												9.2
DAYS	7												7
2017													
RAIN	45.8	35.4	51.4	135.0	46.2	16.8	49.4	68.0	72.6	45.4	81.8	35.2	683.0
DAYS	9	9	12	16	23	18	25	28	22	15	11	8	196



Derrinallum Rural Fire Brigade

Thank you to all volunteers who turned out to assist with the Derrinallum Fire at the Recreation Reserve on Thursday 15th February. As a result of quick responses the fire was able to be put out quickly with no damage to personal, buildings or livestock. There were 10 CFA tankers in attendance plus one private firefighting unit. There were also 5 or 6 other CFA tankers plus the aircraft that were turned back when the major threat was eliminated. Less than 1 ha of land was burnt which was investigated the following morning, however no cause was able to be found.

A reminder to all Community Members to be alert and aware of what is going on around them. The CFA encourages people to be proactive when it comes to fire preparedness. Warnings and notifications come through a variety of channels, including the Vic Emergency App and website, <http://www.emergency.vic.gov.au/respond/> via ABC radio and commercial broadcasters, via the Vic Emergency Hotline on 1800 226 226. These emergency warnings are updated regularly during each event.

At the beginning of each fire season, there are Community Safety Information Sessions held each year in both Derrinallum and Lismore, that are advertised locally but are not well attended. If anyone requires information these community meetings are recommended.

A reminder notice to all landholders, working in paddocks, to have a working fire extinguisher on their equipment and also be aware of local recommendations to suspend paddock operations when the weather is extreme.

Farmers will be commencing Stubble Burning sometime in the next month, so please be aware of smoke in our area.

If anyone has any questions please feel free to contact the Derrinallum Captain, Stephen Bignell on 0428527605 or the Lismore Captain, John Patterson on 0418365719.

Stephen Bignell -Derrinallum Fire Brigade Captain