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Welcome to WOLLONDILLY

FAST FACTS

The name Wollondilly comes from its earliest known inhabitants, the indigenous people of the **Gundungurra Tribe** and means

-'water trickling over rocks'-

The region is spread across

34 unique towns and villages

Wollondilly is home to 5 dams, some of which are the largest in NSW.

Population: Over 54,000

Area: 2,560 SQ KM

- Wolfondilly is located -

60 minutes

from Sydney

45 minutes

from Wollongong

40 minutes

from the Southern Highlands

2 hours 40 minutes

from Canberra

The region will have a new neighbour in 2026, the Western Sydney (Nancy-Bird Walton) Airport



Mickey Robertson

About me

I was once a city girl and interior designer. I grew up in Sydney's Eastern Suburbs dreaming of a country way of life...of gardens and baskets filled with vegetables and flowers, a kitchen filled with delicious food and muddy boots at the door. My dreams took me to the UK where I studied interior design in London. (Well.... gardens do need houses attached and I do equally love houses!). I worked and lived in London for several years, where I also met and married Larry, who promptly brought me back to Australia. Arriving at Glenmore just two years into our marriage changed our lives completely and gave me the opportunity, in time, to pursue those long-held dreams.

About Glenmore House

At Glenmore House I run workshops and events on an intimate scale...idyllic days in the country...where you can learn, dream, eat and be inspired. The concept grew from my own desire to learn how to grow seasonal, organic produce for my family; initiating the concept in 2009 that was 'Kitchen Gardening at Glenmore House'. It has since expanded to include a multitude of topics close to my heart and imagination...allowing me to invite a range of experts in their field, broadening the scope of what the garden here has to share with the wider community.

Originally, it was my interior design business that I ran here from the Barn, which opened (post restoration) in 1993. That aspect of the business grew from my love of creating beautiful domestic lives and interiors for others (which I still do...but only for old clients and dear friends!).

Why Glenmore?

That's a very good question! It wasn't planned...but our lives took a little detour via Glenmore almost 35 years ago...and I guess you could say we put down very deep roots. Now, I can't imagine living anywhere else on earth.

Sneak peek

I'm about to introduce a new series of workshops integrating the 'Field of Flowers'. Following on from the introduction of Botanical Waters, this is a project that's been long in the making and bringing it to fruition...to see the joy on the faces of participants... will be a lovely achievement. The days will be about pure immersion in colour and scent and I hope to see interest in this intoxicating aspect equal the interest in kitchen gardening these last 14 years. I also intend to introduce the collection of recently planted local, aromatic indigenous plants into this next phase as a point of interest to the local (and wider) community.

Favourite Dilly town

Picton...for its charming architecture and surrounding landscape.

A must see in the Dilly

The Burragorang Lookout...is breathtakingly beautiful. The scale of the view is overwhelming and in such contrast to the landscape one travels en route to get there. It never fails to surprise and I love when it's so quiet and empty you could hear a pin drop.







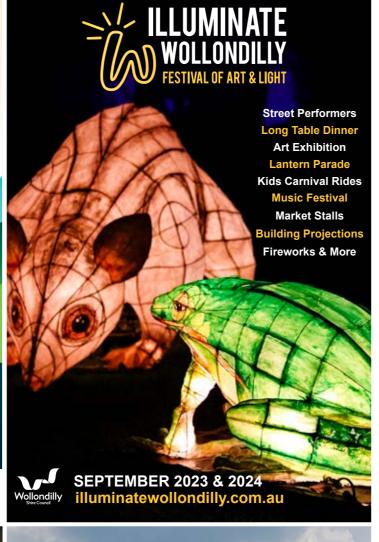
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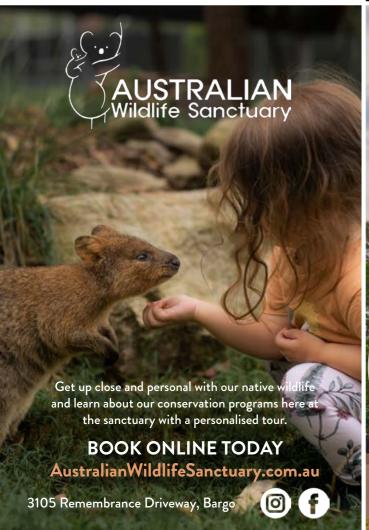
















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Joe Quilter

About me

I grew up in between Australia (where I was born), the United States and New Zealand, both on a farm and in the city. Professionally my qualifications are in Philosophy and Fine Art with Honours in Conflict and Dispute Resolution. I also hold a Masters of Professional Ethics and a Masters of Research and am currently undertaking my PhD in the relationships between graffiti art, street art and fine art. I am foremost a professional visual artist with an interest in academic research and teaching, my PhD is practice led by my art work and occasionally I teach units in applied ethics, cultural studies and aesthetics. I love basketball and have both played and coached the men's Wollondilly Razorbacks squad. Currently I am progressing in Brazilian Jiu Jitsu and Shaolin Martial Arts. I am married with three children and live in Tahmoor.

About Joe Quilter Art

My business is in visual arts where I paint murals and canvases by commission and exhibit from time to time. I started my business while I was still doing my undergraduate studies back in 2000 and have received steady commissions since then. I also enjoy being involved in community projects particularly ones which support vulnerable community members. I have done volunteer and paid work on the side across a range of community support sectors such as domestic and community violence prevention, refugee and migrant support, autism and in the indigenous community. My work has evolved naturally over time, my various interests have synthesised and deepened in the quality and scope of my work. I enjoy painting ethically themed art works that raise awareness around community themed moral issues, and my primary sense of achievement in doing so is inspiring positive change.

I credit the success of my business to my patrons and community appreciation for arts and culture, and especially my wife Jessica who is my greatest muse and supporter whilst keeping me organised and focused.

My inspiration

My inspiration for my own aesthetic narrative comes from the often-concealed emotional lives of individuals encountered in the day-to-day. People tend to inhibit their true feelings to fit in or function in society, but it is those deeper, truer feelings that intrigue and inspire me.

Why Wollondilly?

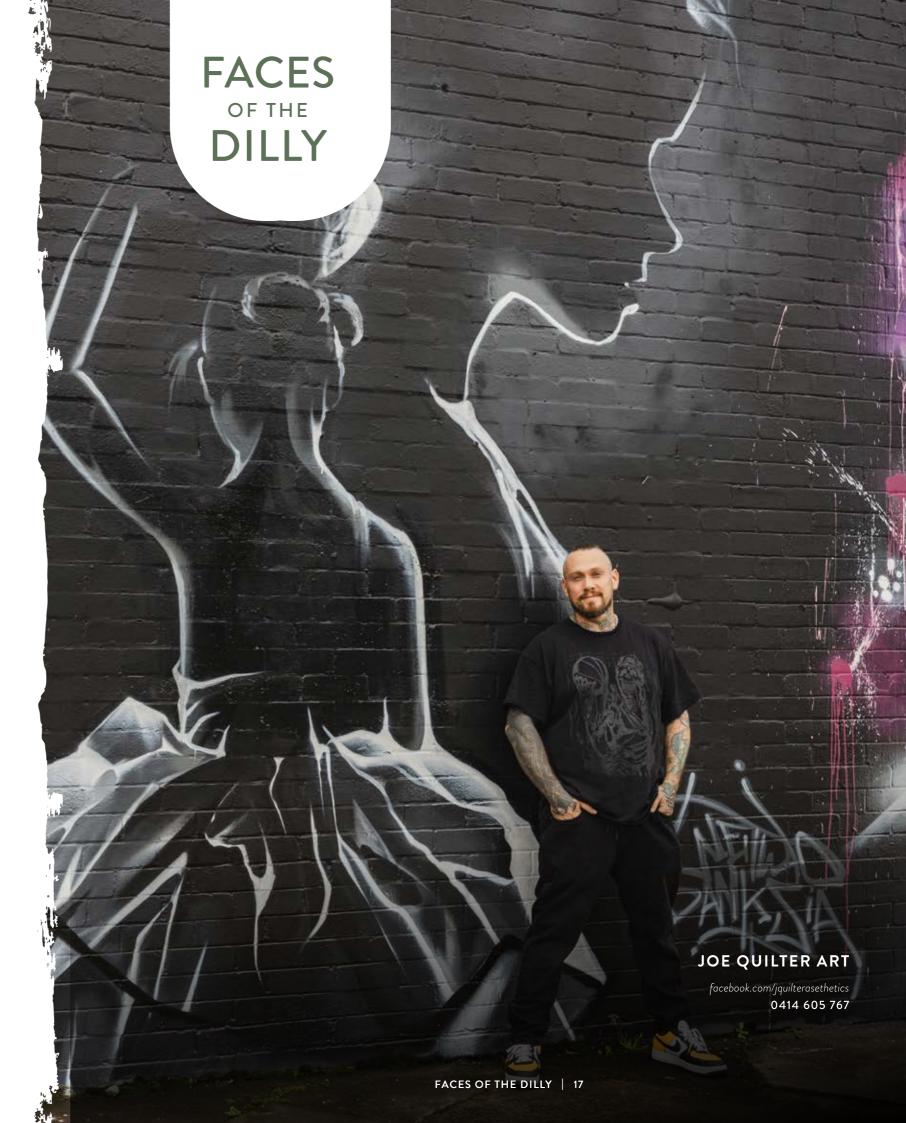
Each Dilly town brings something unique to Wollondilly overall but collectively as a shire the Dilly's natural beauty and down to earth people are in my opinion what makes living here great.

A must see or do in the Dilly?

A must see in the Dilly is the series of murals we have produced so far for Paint the Town, but places like Picton Social in Picton, Crispy's Take Away in Thirlmere, Wollondilly Meats Tahmoor and Pheasants Nest Produce are places I tend to frequent. Art Fixation is a great addition to the shire also, and you can't go past Berrylicious Strawberry Farm, The Australian Wildlife Sanctuary in Bargo and Thirlmere Lakes. More often than not, you'll generally find me at the Wollondilly Leisure Centre shifting between the gym and the basketball courts there.

Proudest accomplishment?

Proudest accomplishment is having a family. And while they are not an accomplishment in the sense that they are not a personal or professional achievement, watching my children grow to become kind, hardworking individuals means everything to me.



DOG FRIENDLY DAY TRIP

The majority of family day trips and exploring outside the bounds of your own neighbourhood usually means our beloved four-legged friends have to spend another weekend stuck at home. Finding pet friendly locations and activities close to Sydney can be few and far between, but not in the Dilly. When taking a day trip to Wollondilly your good boy (or girl) can jump in the car too!

EXPLORE HISTORIC PICTON

The Historic Picton Walking Tour is a free self-guided tour around the highlights of Wollondilly's largest town. Granted the weather is on your side, it's the perfect way to step not only into history but the shoes of a local and experience the sights, sounds and smells of Picton.

The Historic Picton Walking Tour covers 30 different stops to visit at your leisure. These include the Old Picton Post Office, St Marks Church of England, National Australian Bank, Mushroom Tunnel, the Viaduct and many more. Best of all, this tour is totally outdoors and dog friendly!

STOP FOR COFFEE & BRUNCH

Discover a number of cafés throughout Wollondilly that offer outdoor seating so your pup can join you for a cup of coffee, brekky or lunch. Stop into dog friendly cafés such as Gather Coffee House in Appin, The Ark, Picton Social and more.

HIT THE PARK

Get those tails wagging with the Dilly's long list of dog friendly parks, walking tracks and reserves. Enjoy free BBQ facilities (at some of our locations), watch the kids enjoy the playground and let your pup run out those zoomies in the sunshine. BYO balls and poop bags.

Picton Sportsground 15 Fairleys Road, Picton

Picton Botanic Gardens Walking Track
13 Regreme Road, Picton

Appin Park (Wonson Oval) 4 Market Street, Appin

Bingara Gorge Park Eather Street, Wilton

Bargo Sportsground Remembrance Driveway, Bargo

Tahmoor Sportsground 140 Thirlmere Way, Tahmoor

Lin Gordon Reserve Thirlmere Oaks Road, Thirlmere

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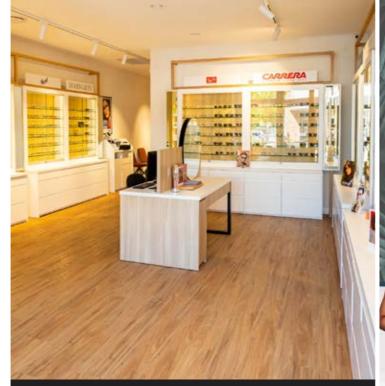
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Ashlee Laura

About me

I am the founder of The Bathhouse located in Douglas Park. I live locally in Menangle and I also own a day spa in Camden (Eden Spa). I have 2 beautiful children and the most supportive husband who is always on board with my crazy business ideas. I wouldn't be where I am today without him! Growing up, I always struggled in the workplace and found it hard to find supportive mentors. My number one goal when creating these businesses was to ensure that my team had a supportive mentor and a welcoming environment.

About The Bathhouse

The Bathhouse is a Palm Springs inspired day spa located in Douglas Park situated on 1/2 an acre. The concept of The Bathhouse was created during the pandemic as people were restricted to travel. I wanted to create an atmosphere where clients felt like they were on holidays. The Bathhouse opened in February 2022 and has been thriving since we opened our doors with our clients tracing from all areas across NSW, including Canberra, South Coast and Sydney CBD.

During a visit to The Bathhouse, there are a number of amazing facilities to enjoy which include 3 hydrotherapy spas, sauna, steam room and heated magnesium plunge pool. Our guests can also enjoy a number of treatments including float therapy, vichy showers (full body scrub & wrap) massages and facials.

Our most favourite thing about the bathhouse is the VIBE! Bright colours and a team of passionate therapists ensure every client has the most amazing experience. We wanted to create a space different to your mainstream day spa, we wanted a space that was upbeat and vibrant where clients can let their hair down and have some fun!

We have been lucky to host quite a few social media influencers along with Jules & Cameron from Married at First Sight.

Why Wollondilly?

I have lived in Menangle for a long time now and absolutely love the area. The very first time I drove through Menangle, I fell in love. The sun was shining and the properties all had beautiful green grass, I just remember that feeling of happiness I felt. Not to mention the beautiful community I have grown to love throughout the years of living here. A seven-minute drive to work also gives me more flexibility to pop home and visit the kids and fur babies.

Douglas Park was selected for the location of The Bathhouse as there is so much growth and development in the area. We also wanted a location that is a nice drive and away from the hustle and busy city living.

Go to businesses in the Dilly

Since opening The Bathhouse I visit Lucy's Café to enjoy her delicious sweets.... her lemon tarts and cannoli are

I also absolutely love visiting Porter & Hudson in Picton. They have the most beautiful flowers and Beck the owner, has such a beautiful soul!

Fun facts about me

My first job was as a check out chick at Woolworths and my favourite beauty product is the Dr Spiller Sanvita Cream! Dr Spiller products are so hydrating and work with the skin's natural layers to provide long lasting hydration.





PAMPER IN THE DILLY

On any visit to Wollondilly you'll be sorted for all your essential beauty and health needs as well as be tempted by one of a kind experiences with our quality hair and beauty salons, yoga studios, healthcare professionals and more.

FREE YOURSELF WITH A FACIAL OR MASSAGE

Treat yourself to a refreshing facial or take the time to enjoy a relaxing massage with one of our fabulous local beauty therapists such as Alicia's In Spa Therapies in Bargo, Cathy's Nails & Beauty in Tahmoor or Picton's very own The Skin Loft.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR HAIR

If you're in need of a total hair miracle, a little colour or just simple trim, ladies can book in with Argyle Hair Design Picton, Charlie James Hair & Co in the Oaks, Hair Design Tahmoor, Hair Bomb Bargo or Iconix Salon located in both Bargo and Thirlmere. Gents are also sorted with popular barbers Jim's Barber Shop in Tahmoor, Picton Barber or the Appin Barber Shop.

PAMPER WITH LOCALLY MADE PRODUCTS

We're lucky enough to have beauty experts in the Dilly who not only offer treatments but produce their very own collections of small batch skincare. Lavinia Botanica located in Thirlmere handmakes her products with the finest organic ingredients and offers a range of natural essential oil skincare solutions, soaps, candles, pet care and more. Wilton is home to Enlightened Beauty run by local Carly who hand creates her tried and tested beauty range inclusive of everything required for head to toe happy skin.

RELAX YOUR MIND & BODY

Float your worries away or sweat it out with a sauna at City Cave Float & Wellness Centre in Picton. The centre's specialised services provide natural mental health remedies and support physical recovery.

Yoga is another way to holistically take charge of your health. Try a class with My Yoga Space in Thirlmere, Yoga with Fiona in Thirlmere or the Wollondilly Leisure Centre located in Picton.

TRY THE ULTIMATE PAMPER EXPERIENCE

Allow yourself to relax and unwind at the Bathhouse in Douglas Park. This mini slice of paradise offers sessions in their steam room, hydrotherapy spa, plunge pool and mindfulness gardens as well as a selection of massages, facials and body treatments.

There are a number of packages available to suit your needs whether you're on a couples retreat, celebrating with the girls, treating yourself to some pre-baby bliss or simply taking some relaxing time just for you. REDKEN

For more Dilly pampering and health & beauty businesses head to VisitWollondilly.com.au





DAMS, NATIONAL PARKS & DINGOS

The Dilly is blessed with 2,560 square kilometres or fresh air, rolling hills, native wildlife and unspoilt bushland.

Animal lovers can discover our very own Australian Wildlife Sanctuary and experience getting close and personal to some Aussie natives like the Wombat, Kangaroo and Quokka. Next door you can also learn about the resident Dingos at the Bargo Dingo Sanctuary. Nature enthusiasts can rejoice with a hike in the great outdoors, picnic at one of our national parks or a visit to one or all of our five iconic dams.

HIKE IN UNSPOILED BUSHLAND

- Starlight's Trail, Nattai National Park 11km | 4-5 hours return | Start from Wattle Ridge Road cark park, Hilltop
- Thirlmere Lakes National Park Walking Track 6km | 1.5-2.5 hours return | Start from the Couridjah Picnic Area Car Park
- Couridjah Corridor Walk, Thirlmere Lakes & Nattai National Parks 14km | 4-6 hours return | Start from Bluegum carpark
- Dilly bush walker Robert Sloss has published a series of books listing locations of other local walks. See Business Directory for details.

PACK A PICNIC

- Burragorang Lookout Burragorang Road, Nattai
- Picton Botanic Gardens 13 Regreme Road, Picton
- Razorback Lookout Remembrance Driveway, Razorback
- Glenrock Reserve Antill Street, Picton
- Lin Gordon Reserve Oaks Road, Thirlmere

HIT THE PLAYGROUND

- Livvi's Place Fourteenth Street, Warragamba
- Picton RSL Park Argyle Street, Picton
- Thirlmere Memorial Park Oaks Street, Thirlmere
- Telopea Park Buxton 57 Buxton Avenue, Buxton
- Appin Park Appin Road, Appin
- Bingara Gorge Park Bingara Gorge, Wilton

HAVE A DAM GOOD **AFTERNOON**

- Warragamba Dam Production Avenue, Warragamba
- Cataract Dam Cataract Road, Appin
- Cordeaux Dam Fire Trail No. 6, Wilton
- Nepean Dam Avon Dam Road, Bargo
- Avon Dam Avon Dam Road, Yanderra















Wollondilly has many beautiful national parks to visit:

Part of the World Heritage-listed Greater Blue Mountains Area, Thirlmere Lakes National Park is perfect for a relaxing picnic, walk, birdwatching, and glimpse into locomotive history, near Picton south of Sydney.

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Richard & Patricia

About us

Richard: My background is in Mechanical Engineering associated with the design and manufacture of special purpose machinery, equipment and manufacturing plant. During this time, we planted some vines as a hobby on our property at Menangle. This hobby got out-of-hand and the rest is history!

My interests include the restoration of classic cars, camping, fishing and exploring outback Australia.

Patricia: I worked in education prior to retiring and becoming involved in Razorback Ridge Wines. My hobbies include yoga, singing in a choir, gardening and also exploring outback Australia.

About Razorback Ridge Wines

Razorback Ridge Wines is a small family run business. We planted our first vines in 2000 at Menangle and initially it was intended to be a hobby BUT... ideas grew and here we are now with a 10-acre vineyard, a winery, a winemaking degree and a cellar door! It has been hands on for us all of the way with the planting, picking and pruning of the grapes in the vineyard through to winemaking and marketing.

This was a totally new venture in every respect, and we love it. We have met many wonderful people, have learned so much, get to work outdoors and all whilst living and working in a beautiful environment. Ten years ago, we opened our cellar door.

Over the years our wine making skills and knowledge have grown, and of course our wine quality has improved and as a result, we have received several silver and bronze medals for our wines at the South Coast Wine Show, where coastal wineries from Newcastle right down to the Victorian boarder are represented, with between 150 to 200 entries. We have come close to getting that elusive gold medal and are still aiming to get there!

To the best of our knowledge, we are one of only two remaining fully functioning family run wineries in the greater Sydney region. We offer hand crafted wines produced on-site from estate-grown grapes.

Aspirations for the future

The aspirations that come readily to mind are the production of fortified wines such as Port and Muscat, the planting of alternate varieties particularly from Spain and Italy that are suited to our warmer climate and expansion of our cellar door operations.

Favourite Dilly town

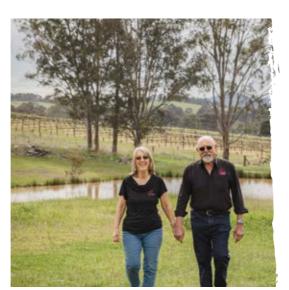
Picton would be our favourite Dilly town. It has a unique old-world charm combined with a strong underlying sense of community. There is also a wide range of speciality shops and eateries creating a great atmosphere.

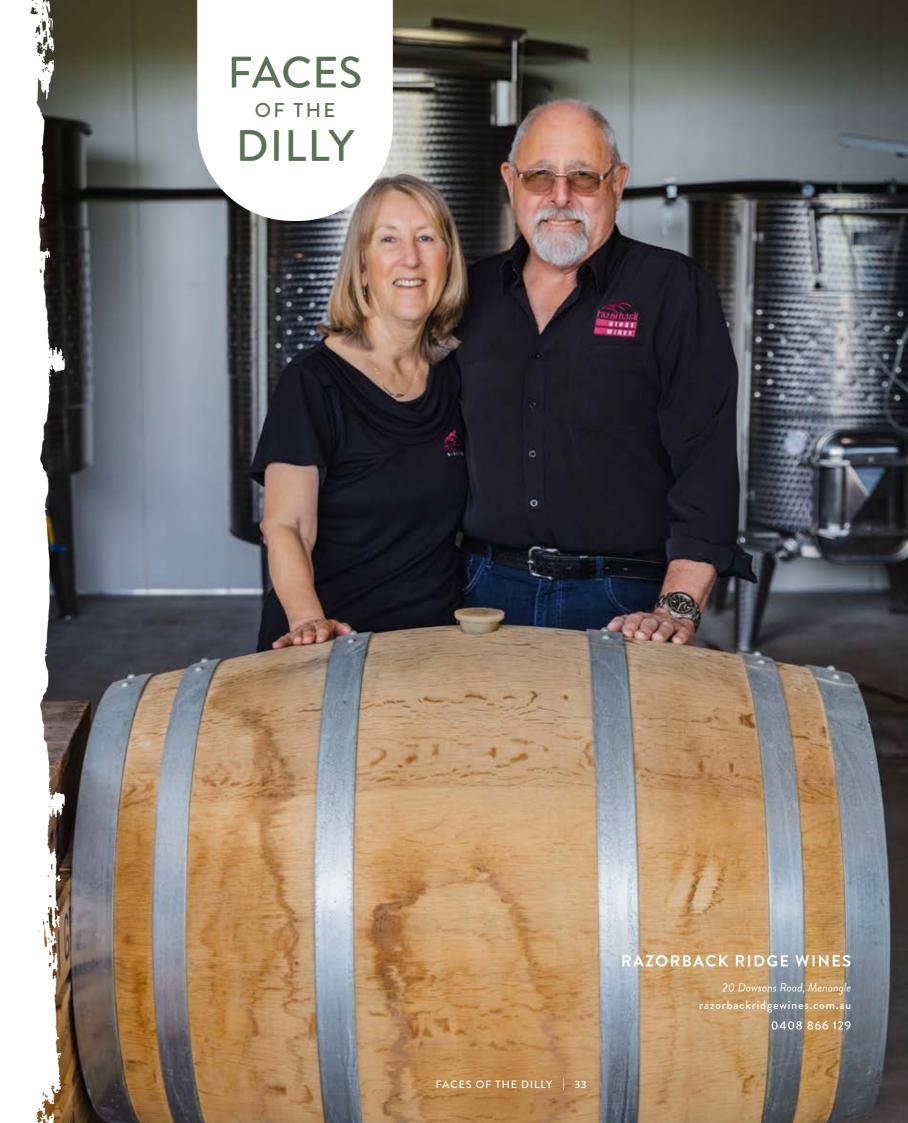
A must see in the Dilly

We are spoilt for choice with a diverse range of things to do and see in Wollondilly. Among the highlights are the NSW Rail Museum in Thirlmere, Thirlmere Lakes, the Australian Wildlife Sanctuary at Bargo, Mowbray Park Farmstay, the Picton Botanic Gardens and a myriad of beautiful walking trails across the shire.

Favourite coffee spot

Menangle Store serves a great brew and a tempting selection of treats in an historic, rustic, peaceful setting.











PICK, TASTE & TAKE HOME FRESH DILLY PRODUCE

We've all heard the saying 'fresh is best' and this couldn't be closer to our hearts in the Dilly. Amazing growers and suppliers surround us and you can experience the freshness first hand! Our working farms, orchards and cellar doors are open for you to pick, taste and take home delicious Dilly delights that will have you coming back for more.

PICK YOUR OWN

Berrylicious Strawberries

200 West Parade, Thirlmere

These juicy strawberries are grown in a unique greenhouse inside tunnels elevated two metres from the ground and can be picked daily, rain or shine. Bookings are encouraged and can be made via their Facebook Page.

Cedar Creek Orchard

296 Mullhollands Road, Thirlmere

Experience picking your very own apples, persimmons and peaches and take a tractor ride around of the sprawling orchard to uncover the history of the Silm family who planted the very first fruit tree in 1940. Picking is seasonal so go to their website for details. P.S. make sure you sample the Cedar Creek Cider!

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TAKE HOME TO ENJOY

Jonima Flowers

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Downes Wholesale Nursery

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Downes specialises in a variety of sun-hardy Australian native plants and exotic trees, shrubs, groundcovers and perennials.

For other great places to visit such as Thornton Bros Roses, Thirlmere Nursery and Tahmoor Garden Centre, go to VisitWollondillly.com.au



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Cajun Barramundi & Corn Salad

by Tuck'In Restaurant, Picton 10 minutes prep | 10 minutes cook | serves 4

Ingredients

- 1 ½ tbsp Chopped fresh thyme leaves
- 3 tsp Smoked paprika
- 3 tsp Ground cumin
- 1 Lemon (rind finely grated + juice)
- 4 Barramundi fillets (skin on, 125q)
- · 2 Corn cobbs
- 2 Bunches of asparagus (trimmed)
- 1 Red chilli (deseeded & finely chopped)
- 2 tsp Extra virgin olive oil
- · Olive oil spray
- 1 Lettuce of choice
- 1 Punnet of cherry tomatoes
- 1 Mango (peeled & cubed)

Method

- 1. Combine thyme, paprika, cumin and lemon rind on large plate. Coat the barramundi fillets.
- 2. Preheat grill or pan on high. Lightly spray corn cobbs, asparagus and coated barramundi fillets with olive oil.
- 3. Cook Corn, turning for 8-10 minutes until charred and tender. Cook the barramundi for 2-3 minutes each side and asparagus for 2 minutes each side. Set aside to cool.
- 4. Remove kernels from cobb, slice asparagus in half lengthways.
- 5. Whisk together the chili, oil and lemon juice in a small bowl. Arrange the lettuce, mango, asparagus and corn on a plate. Top with barramundi and drizzle over dressing to serve.



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Anthony Penna

About me

I am Anthony Penna the owner of Pietro Italian Restaurant. I am 44 years young and love my family, food, cool cars and music. You will hear me rocking some country music on a Saturday night from 7:30 at our restaurant, but I love all music from metal and classic rock to high energy dance.

Professionally, I have a history in motorsport and mining transport, my previous business was Select Quarry Materials in which I was one of 3 directors who ran one of the largest independently owned quarry material reselling companies in Sydney, I remained in that industry for near 22 years.

About Pietro Italian Restaurant

Pietro Italian Restaurant is a place where you come and enjoy authentic Southern Italian style cooking in a chilled but fun environment catering for guests at the restaurant and private functions. We have capacity to seat up to 110 people comfortably.

Established as Pietro Ristorante Italiano 12 or so years ago under previous management of Peter (Pietro), I purchased the business in July 2021 with the dream to continue the great food and bring new love and energy to the restaurant. July 2021 was one of the toughest economic times for hospitality and we rebranded to Pietro Italian Restaurant, gave the building a fresh look inside and continued to build to the restaurant we have today. We kept Pietro as a business name, out of respect to the previous owner and what he had accomplished prior to our taking over.

In 2022 we were honoured to be awarded Outstanding Restaurant at the Wollondilly Local Business Awards. This award cemented the fact that our vision for great food and a welcoming environment for locals and visitors is on track.

Favourite recipe

Roast pork-loin roll with roasted vegetables, Peperonata and pasta Aglio e olio.

Why Warragamba?

I love Warragamba and have so many childhood memories here. As a kid our family would drive from the Fairfield area to enjoy family picnics at the iconic Warragamba Dam, just thinking about it brings so many happy times flooding back. If you haven't seen Warragamba Dam, it is a must see for locals and out of towners, but in saying this if you jump in your car and explore Wollondilly you will find many beautiful places to stop, relax and support local businesses.

Now, being local to the Warragamba area, I understand how the area is enriched with so much of Sydney's history, it is an iconic Wollondilly town.

I always wanted to open a venue in Warragamba. I see Warragamba as such a beautiful little town with so much potential, so when I was offered to purchase one of my favourites established restaurants, I jumped at the opportunity.

Dilly favourites

When not eating and drinking from my own restaurant I enjoy a coffee from Horse and Harpy on Silverdale Road, Silverdale. I pay many visits to Ambrosia in Silverdale, where we pick up fresh produce for use in our kitchen. Stavros (Steve) and Dawn, along with brother Andrew have always treated me like family.

My first job

I grew up watching Smokey and the Bandit, eating my mother's home cooking and hoping to one day own my own trucks. I eventually did own trucks and now I am proud to own an Italian Restaurant to continue sharing the Italian food my mother taught me. My very first job however, was working at my parent's general store in Rossmore.







TASTE THE DILLY

Foodies love visiting the Dilly for our charming cafes, popular bakeries, authentic restaurants and classic pubs. Sip on a coffee over brunch, treat your taste buds with freshly baked goods, sample a locally grown produce or stop in for a gourmet lunch.

PUBS & CLUBS

Classic, family friendly and always a crowd pleaser

Enjoy date night, family night, a catch up with friends or watch the game on the big screen at one of Wollondilly's popular pubs and clubs. You can't go wrong with family friendly menus, cold beer on tap and generous pub portions. Stop in at Appin Hotel, Picton Bowling Club, Bargo Sports Club, Oakdale Workers Club, Warragamba Workers & Sporting Club or one of Australia's oldest pubs, the George IV Inn in Picton.

RESTAURANTS

Dining experiences to remember

Enjoy a sit-down brekky, lunch or dinner with good old-fashioned hospitality in Wollondilly. Be transported to the streets of Bangkok at Home No.9 Thai in Tahmoor, tantalise your tastebuds with a bowl of pasta marinara at Pietro Italian Restaurant, try out the Indian menu at Hemani in Tahmoor or kick back with a cocktail and pizza at Camden Valley Inn.

TAKEAWAY

Gourmet and easy options on the go

When out on the road, takeaway meals are perfect to keep you fuelled whilst exploring on a tight schedule. Whether you're looking to grab a gourmet lunch on the go, feeding the little backseat bandits or sussing out options for an impromptu dinner, you'll find something for everyone. Treat yourself to an authentic spread from the Golden Palace in Bargo, take home delicious fish and chips from Crispy's at Thirlmere, pick up a cooked chicken and sides from George's on Argyle or enjoy the drive home with a cone or cup from Dave's Gelato in Warragamba.

CAFES & BAKERIES

Something sweet, savoury, caffeinated and delicious

Whether you're in the mood for a sweet treat or something more savoury the Dilly has you covered. Catch up for brunch at The Ark in Picton, enjoy a milkshake and cupcake at DeliciousLeigh Cakes in Thirlmere or pick up some sweet treats and a coffee from Bean2Bargo.

Be sure to taste some freshly baked goodies at popular bakeries like Bread n Beyond at Wilton, Bargo Hot Bread Bakery, Appin Bakery, Loop Line Pies at Thirlmere to name a few.

Order a brekky spread at one of Picton's many cafés such as La Crema Café, Picton Social, Leaf & Bean and Moses Barnes.



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Dilly Sunset The Oaks Hotel

Ingredients

- 30m Midori
- 30m Vodka
- 90m Orange juice
- Splash of grenadine

Method

- 1. Place ice in glass and add a splash of grenadine over the top
- 2. Pour ice and grenadine into a shaker with 30m vodka and 30m midori...shake!
- 3. Pour 90m of orange juice into glass
- 4. Double strain midori and vodka over the top

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Picton & Bargo

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Dilly Shopping & Gift Ideas

- 1. Support small Australian labels and independent designers at Pixie & Stone in Picton
- 2. Take home something special created by local artists and artisans at Earth Air Fire Water Organics in Tahmoor. They stock a collection of handmade artworks, crystals, candles, macramé pieces and more
- 3. Find eclectic and specialty goodies at Hippy Luxe, Forest of Wisdom and The Kids Cottage Toy Boutique in Picton
- 4. Browse environmentally friendly and ethically sourced home wares, apparel and gifts at The Elephant Emporium and Ruuska in Picton
- **5.** Spruce up or re-style your home with goodies from Tanya's Trinkets or Timeless Treasures in Picton
- 6. Pick up all your equestrian apparel at Saddle Up Western Ware in Bargo, Equissentials in Tahmoor or at K-Ranch Arena's very own boutique The Western Ranch in Mount Hunter
- 7. Treat yourself to something sweet at The Candy Train or Wild at Heart Candy Bar in Picton
- **8.** Discover the latest trends in fashion at Quarryman Surf in Picton and Tormonz Collective in Tahmoor

If you're into boutique shopping, fossicking among stylish fashion, homewares, and handcraft stores on a daytrip in the Dilly.





















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SPEND THE NIGHT IN THE DILLY

From luxury estates, pub style inns, quaint B&Bs right through to unique farm stay experiences, Wollondilly has a range of accommodation options available. If you're looking for a romantic getaway, family road trip or desire to get away you're sure to find the perfect option to suit your needs and budget.

FARM EXPERIENCES, AIRBNB & LUXURY STAYS

A taste of country life

You don't need to drive to the middle of nowhere to get a taste of the country life when we have it all right here in the Dilly. Take in the serenity and spend time with animals at Mowbray Park Farm, feel secluded on 30 acres of rainforest at the Flower Farm Guest House in Oakdale or settle into a tiny house with spectacular uninterrupted views at the Razorback Ridge Retreat. For a luxury stay, the award winning Kalinya Estate in Bargo offers exclusive use of the 6-acre property and high-end facilities.

MOTELS & INNS

Enjoy a classic stay

A motel, inn or pub-style stay is always a cosy and cost-effective way to spend a night in the Dilly. There are a number of options to suit your budget, style and location preference to ensure you're close to family and friends, tourist attractions and local shops. George IV Inn, Tahmoor Inn, Hotel Bargo, Picton Valley Motel are all popular choices.

RV SITES

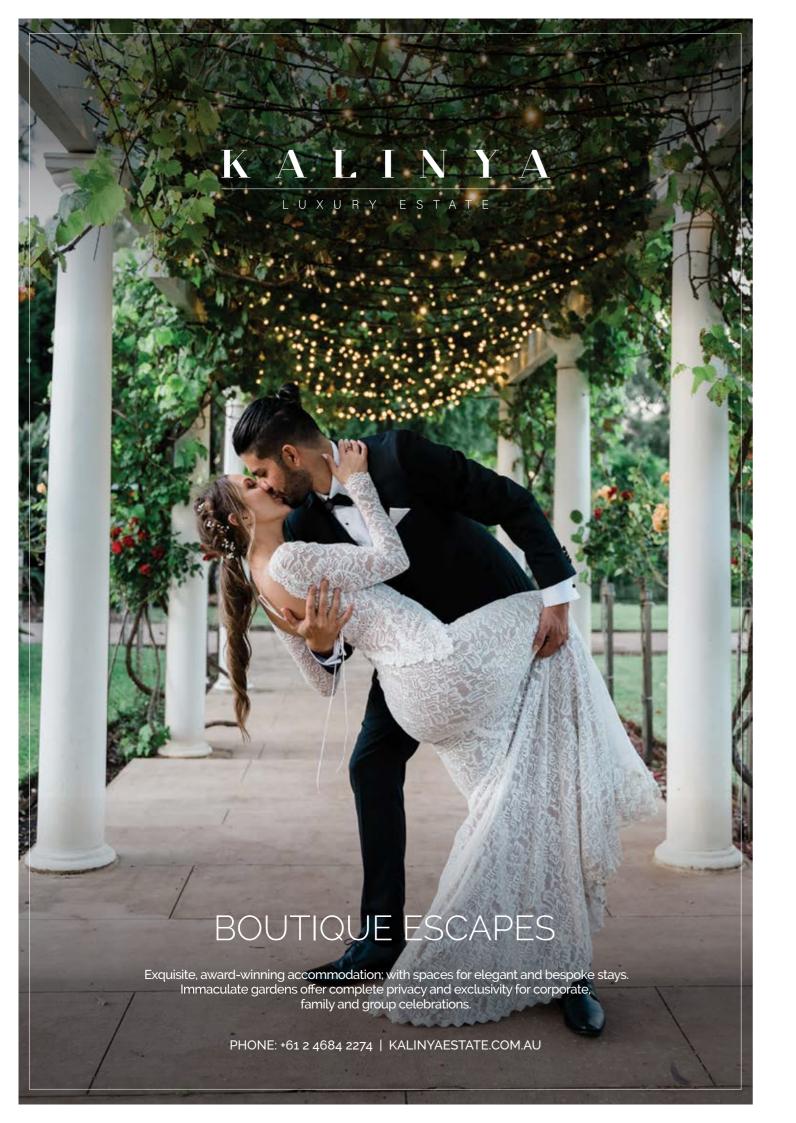
Accommodation behind the wheel

If you're on the road exploring the Dilly behind the wheel of your RV or just passing through there are a few different places to stop overnight. The RV sites available are either free of charge or low cost. There are also a number of RV Dump Points located around the Dilly in Picton, Appin and Warragamba which are free to access. Check out the RV Short Stay Site in Warragamba or K Ranch Arena in Mount Hunter who offer 120 powered sites for you and your four-legged horse companion.

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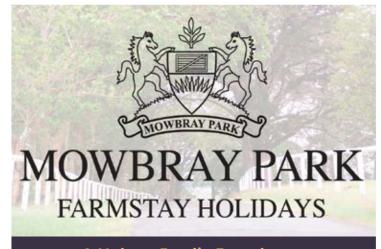


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Ingrid & John

About us

Ingrid: I am the owner of Jonima Flowers with my husband John. Prior to marrying John I worked in finance in Sydney. We decided to have a tree change when our family was small and this is where we landed. When I was young I aspired to be a fashion designer and my first job was working in a local chemist.

John: I am a third-generation flower grower. I started working on my family flower farm at a very young age. I decided to branch out on my own to create what we have today at Yanderra – Jonima flowers. We are proud to have built a business that the next generation are interested in and want to be part of.

About Jonima

We are both the owners of Jonima flowers, we are a small family business specialising in cut flowers. We grow up to 100 different flowers and foliages. We began 17 years ago and have evolved over that period of time. In the beginning we focussed on selling cut flowers wholesale and now have moved into retail by selling at farmers' markets, opening the farm flower shed from Monday to Friday and also providing an online flower store for the local area.

We enjoy the challenges of growing a beautiful product, where each day is different to the next. Being surrounded by nature and its change of seasons, being able to work and be with family and interact directly with community and seeing the joy our product brings to people is a bonus.

Why is Jonima Flowers successful?

We work together as a family to showcase the best of local and seasonality. We are also very passionate about supporting local farmers and making conscious, environmentally sustainable decisions in our farming practices.

We minimise the challenges of the business by being flexible and adaptable to challenges that are thrown

Our goal is to evolve our business to not only grow flowers but also to educate people on the process.

Why Yanderra?

Yanderra is a small local village that was also easily accessible to Sydney, the South Coast and Canberra. The climate was important for flower growing, it is cooler than Sydney, however being on the foothills of the Southern Highlands not as cold allowing us to grow for longer seasons.

Favourite Dilly town

Our favourite Dilly town would have to be my hometown of Bargo. Bargo still has that country feel, is a small community, but still has all the facilities you need close at hand. I also enjoy picking up my morning coffee and also some sweets from Bean2Bargo and Pheasants Nest Produce is only a short trip to pick up my favourite fresh produce and baked goods.

A must see in the Dilly?

We love Burragorang Lookout. Any day trip through the Wollondilly brings a connection to nature and the great





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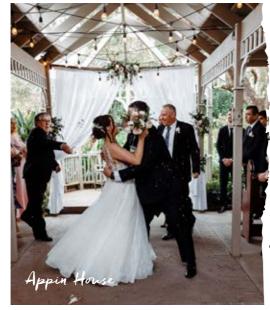
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Our region has the perfect venue to suit your unique style. Perhaps you've always pictured a historic church or a rustic barn, or maybe you'll be swayed by picturesque gardens, a modern function centre or a stunning open space.

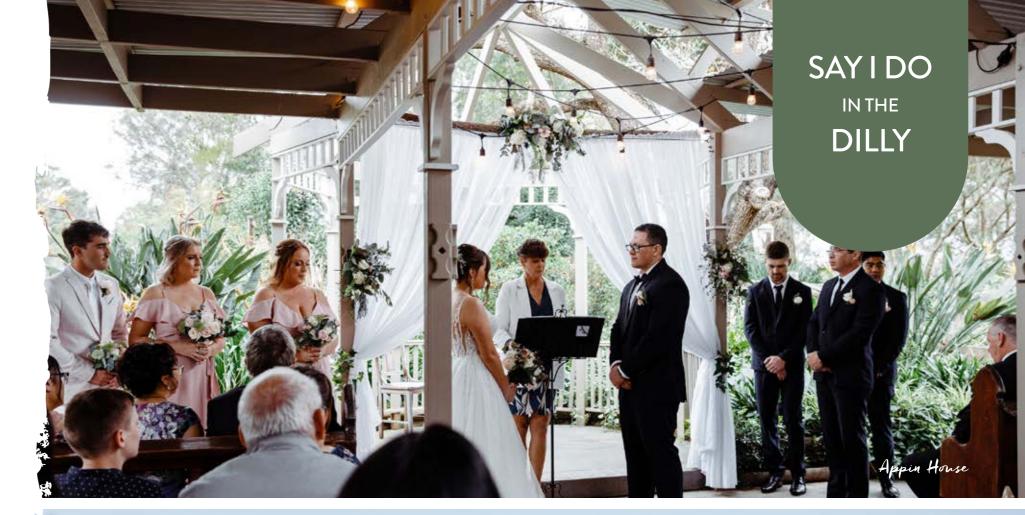
The Dilly is also home to a selection of bespoke wedding suppliers who will be delighted to help you plan your big day. Our local photographers will capture all the magical moments, our florists will create décor fit for a fairy tale and our caterers will have your guests boasting about the food for years to come.

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Marjo Hallowell

Affectionately known as 'Marjo from Bargo', Marjo Hallowell is a community stalwart who volunteers on many community-led organisations, raises money for research and is an all-round great asset to Wollondilly. Marjo holds a wealth of very deserving accolades including Wollondilly Citizen of the Year in 2022, Inaugural Wollondilly Women in Excellence Awards Patron and Wollondilly Woman of the Year 2020, just to

We caught up with Marjo to find out a bit more about her and the book she recently published.

Tell us a bit about yourself?

I am someone who can't stay still. I was born in the Netherlands and came to Australia in 1954. My family moved to Mt Canobolas and Borenore. We then moved to the Riverina followed by the Gold Coast. I moved down to Sydney and bought a unit at Warwick Farm before moving to Bargo. I worked numerous jobs from the NAB, vegie picking to cleaning and then, once my children all started school, I worked as a journalist for over 25 years. This suited my nature because I always want to know what is happening around me (I'm really just a 'sticky beak'). I moved to Bargo over 40 years ago to ensure my children had room to move and grow.

Tell us about the book you have written.

Bargo - Two Hundred Years in the Making was released in November 2022 to commemorate the bicentenary of the first land grants in Bargo. It has been a work involving many more people than just myself, as I considered it to be a project by the people of Bargo about Bargo, past and present.

I got serious about this in June 2021 when I was at a talk at the Picton & District Historical and Family History Society Inc. I told them I had been sourcing information over many years and they pointed out that 2022 was the bicentenary year so suggested that it would be a good deadline to set. The book does not only highlight historical aspects of Bargo, but also what is happening around town today.

Don't be shy tell us about your volunteer roles

There have been too many to list, suffice to say, I started volunteering when still at school (over 60 years ago). My most memorable volunteer role would probably be the Founding President of the Southern Highlands Photographic Society and being the Charter Secretary of the Tain Rotary Club in Scotland in 2010.

I have supported the CMRI (Children's Medical Research Institute) since 2017 with the Great Cycle Challenge and this is memorable in that my three grandsons, Eddie 9, Doug 7 and Hugh 5 have also been supporting this cause for 4 and 5 years, instilling in them the importance of helping others. We ride the streets locally and I am always extremely grateful for the sponsorships received from the local community.

I have volunteered wherever needed and available as I appreciate that 'many hands make light work'.

What is a must see in the Dilly?

The Dams in Bargo, Avon and Nepean as they are architectural classics. Warragamba, Cataract and Cordeaux Dams are also worth a visit. The Australian Wildlife Sanctuary has grown like a phoenix after the bushfires and has great plans for the future. The NSW Rail Museum at Thirlmere and the township of Picton are also just a few of the places I would recommend to

What is something most people wouldn't know about you?

I travelled at over 100mph on the world's longest / fastest zipline, I have abseiled down a castle turret, I have climbed Ben Nevis (Scotland's highest mountain), I shaved my head three times, raising \$20,000 in total for different charities. The last was when Ronn Moss from The Bold and the Beautiful and Angela Bishop shaved it live on Studio 10. I have also ridden many kms and raised money for the Children's Medical Research Institute. Our team - Awesome Kids4Kids have raised over \$25,000 and plan to continue this for a few years















SPORTS

Wollondilly has a great selection of dedicated sporting clubs ready to welcome new members to their team. Whatever your sporting preference there are a number of clubs close to home that will suit your busy schedule. Popular local sports include soccer, rugby, little athletics, tennis, netball, gymnastics, dance and martial arts.

FACILITIES

You will also find many sporting and recreational facilities across the region. Sweat it out in a group fitness class at Wollondilly Leisure Centre, swim relaxing laps at Warragamba Pool, challenge your friends to a social game of netball at the Bridge Street Sport Centre or borrow a book or five from the Wollondilly Library.

COMMUNITY GROUPS

Connect with friendly and welcoming locals by joining one of our many clubs or groups for people of all ages where you will meet new friends, gain new skills and support the region you call home. Checkout the Men's Shed, Picton Lions Club, Rotary Club of Picton, Robin Davies Wollondilly Community Nursery and Wollondilly Arts Group. There are also groups such as Café Connect which provide information and workshops about health, wellbeing and more for over 55s. For more information head to wollondilly.nsw.gov.au

BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS

Local business owners are encouraged to join a local chamber or organisation in the Dilly. Picton and Appin Chambers of Commerce meet to discuss opportunities, form business relationships and share information. If you are a local business interested in supporting tourism in the region, join the Wollondilly Tourism Association Inc. The Wollondilly Women in Business Network is another great option for local ladies to provide support, encouragement and business inspiration to one another.

CO-WORKING SPACE

Wollondilly's first co-working space will open mid 2023 in the Old Picton Post Office, Corner Menangle and Argyle Streets,

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Corner of Argyle and Menangle Street, Picton 4677 1235 | facebook.com/DeeJaysPicton

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Wilton enlightenedbeauty@outlook.com enlightenedbeauty.com.au

F45 Training Picton

81-83 Argyle Street, Picton 0499 777 755 | f45training.com.au/picton

IC Care

65 Menangle Street, Picton 4677 2524 | wsacci.org.au

IconiX Salon Bargo

209 Great Southern Road, Bargo 4684 1143 | iconixsalon.com

IconiX Salon Thirlmere

81-87 Westbourne Avenue, Thirlmere 4683 0001 | iconixsalon.com

IMB

1a/148 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 6800 | imb.com.au

Infinity Photo Booths

Technology Drive, Appin 0450 100 093 | infinityphotobooths.com.au

Jims Barber Shop

Shop 4, 152-158 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 1543 | jimsbarbershop.com.au

JJ Performance Smash Repairs

3564 Remembrance Driveway, Bargo 4684 1862 | jjperformance.com.au

Kylie's K9 Country Retreat

25 Alkoomie Place Wilton 0408 207 162 | anakysamoyeds.com

Luxe Skin Emporium

5/72-80 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 3422 | luxeskinandbrows.com.au

Marve Photography

Douglas Park marvephotography.com.au

Moments By Beck

Buxton 0488 220 036 | facebook.com/ MomentsByBeck

My Body Temple Pilates Studio

1665 Burragorang Road, Oakdale 0438 463 383 | pilates@mybodytemple.com.au

My Yoga Space

1 - 25 Oaks Street, Thirlmere 0404 075 700 | myyogaspace.com.au

NAB Tahmoor

131-133 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 13 22 65 | nab.com.au

PharmaSave

4/70 Railside Avenue, Bargo 4684 1657 | pharmasave.com.au

Photogreff

87 Argyle Street, Picton 0400 144 844 | photogreff.com

Picton Eyecare

Shop 1, 102 Argyle Street, Picton 4603 2309 | pictoneyecare.com.au

Picton Pharmacy

9 Margaret Street, Picton 4677 1294 | discountdrugstores.com.au

Picton Tattoos

183 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 3333 | pictontattoos.com

Pilates Comes To You

Shop 3, 81-83 Argyle Street, Picton 0491 254 938 | pilatescomestoyou.com.au

Plus Fitness

Wollondilly plusfitness.com.au

Priceline Tahmoor

117 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 8713 | priceline.com.au

Tahmoor Early Learning Centre

33 Castlereagh Street, Tahmoor 4681 8646 | tahmoorelc.com.au

Tahmoor Signs

Shop 1 - 88 York Street, Tahmoor 4681 8496 | tahmoorsigns.com.au

The Mac Credit Union

109-111 Argyle Street, Picton 1300 622 278 | 1300 622 278

The Mac Credit Union

7/117 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 1300 622 278 | themaccu.com.au

The Oaks Barber

1/79 John Street, The Oaks facebook.com/theoaksbarber

The Skin Loft

2/167 Argyle Street, Picton 0409 479 813 | theskinloft.com.au

Thirlmere Pharmacy

29 Oaks Street, Thirlmere 4683 2866

Wilton Pharmacy

1 Greenbridge Drive, Wilton 4630 9333 facebook.com/wiltonpharmacy

SHOP

Antiques, Collectables & Old Wares

95 Burragorang Road, Mt Hunter 4654 5990

Auto Parts Picton

162 Arayle Street, Picton 4677 2737 | autopartspicton.com.au

Bargo Newsagency

45/2 Railside Avenue, Bargo 4684 1323 | jonghuang@hotmail.com

Chadwicks Fine Arts

Shop 2, 72 - 80 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 3359 facebook.com/chadwicksfinearts

Chellowdeen Florist

3210 Remembrance Driveway, Bargo 4684 1235 | chellowdeenflorist.com.au

Collectables at Picton

91 Argyle Street, Picton 0412 992 495 | info@mhccamden.org.au

Curves & Edges

curvesandedges.com.au sharon@curvesandedges.com.au

Downes Wholesale Nursery

111 Stanhope Road, Theresa Park 4651 0999 | downesnursery.com.au

Earth.Air.Fire.Water Organics Collective

1 - 149 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor earth-air-fire-water-organics-4. myshopify.com

Eccentric Art by Sharon

The Oaks 0413 397 558 facebook.com/eccentricartbysharon

Equissentials

Shop 6 Larkin Street, Tahmoor 4683 1762 | equissentials.com.au

Forest of Wisdom

2 - 112 Argyle Street, Picton 4601 2763 | forestofwisdom.com.au

Hippy Luxe

Shop 5 - 100 Argyle Street, Picton 0407 204 693 | facebook.com/hippyluxetribe

House Warehouse Tahmoor

Shop 15 - 117 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 3111

Jonima Flowers

10 Carlisle Road, Yanderra 0401 055 125 | jonimaflowers.com

Khans SUPA IGA Bargo

90 Railside Avenue, Bargo 4684 2434 | khangroup.com.au

Khans SUPA IGA Picton

100 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 2922 | khangroup.com.au

Lavinia Bontanica

15 Estonian Road, Thirlmere 0409 905 003 | laviniabotanica.com.au

Nick's Deli & Grocery Warragamba

3 - 5 Fourteenth Street, Warragamba 4774 0904

Oakdale Condiments

Oakdale | 0422 649 206 facebook.com/Oakdalecondiments

Phantom Cycles

1A/147 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 1262 | phantomcycles.com.au

Pixie & Stone

Shop 2, 67 Argyle Street, Picton 0424 188 525 | pixieandstone.com.au

Porter & Hudson

Shop 5, 165-167 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 0767 | porterandhudson.com

Possum & Frog

Silverdale possumandfrog.com.au

Quarryman Surf

Shop 1 - 149 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 1427 | facebook.com/ quarrymansurfpicton

Ruuska

Shop 10, 150 - 158 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 0714 | ruuskaonline.com

Saddle-Up Western Wear

Shop 1 - 78 Railside Avenue, Bargo 0493 139 608 | facebook.com/saddleup. westernwear

Shoe Talk

Shop 1, 119 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 0081 | shoetalk.com.au

SportsPower Picton

85 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 1688 | sportspowerpicton.com.au

Tanya's Trinkets

4/123 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 0449 | tanyastrinkets@hotmail.com

That Office Place

3/92-100 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 3322 | onet.net.au/shop/en/ thatofficeplace

The Candy Train

183 Argyle Street, Picton 0452 008 004 | thecandytrain.com.au

The Elephant Emporium

167 Argyle Street, Picton 0402 334 144 | theelephantemporium.

The Humble Hunter

Mount Hunter 0418 690 867 | thehumblehunter.com.au

The Kids Cottage Toy Boutique

Shop 11 - 150-158 Argyle Stree, Picton 4677 1448 | thekidscottage.com.au

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The Little Workshop

Shop 1/100 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 1623 | littleworkshop.com.au

The Oopty Doop Journey

152 - 156 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 0011 | facebook.com/ The Oopty Doop Journey

The Western Ranch

180 Monks Lane, Mount Hunter 4654 5603 | kranch.com.au

Thirlmere Wholesale Nursery

240a Thirlmere Way, Thirlmere 0406 634 316 | thirlmerenursery.com.au

Thornton Bros Roses

45 Cedar Creek Road, Thirlmere 4683 1062 | facebook.com/ thorntonbrosroses

Timeless Treasures Gifts & Décor

Shop 4 72/80 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 2905 | facebook.com/ timelesstreasurespicton

Tormonz Collective

1/90 York Street, Tahmoor tormonzcollective.com.au

Wick'd Candles

8 Stirling Drive, Wilton 0418 457 183 | wickdcandles.com.au

Wild at Heart Candy Bar

Shop 2A/67 Argyle Street, Picton 0493 112 484 | wildatheartcandybar.com

STAY

Appin Homestay Bed & Breakfast

120 Macquariedale Road, Appin 0455 459 519 | appinhomestaybb.com.au

Appin Village Motel

74 Appin Road, Appin 4631 1122 | appinvillage.com.au

Avon Caravan Village

79 Avon Dam Road, Bargo 4684 1026 | avoncaravanvillage.com.au

Bargo Motor Inn

3568 Remembrance Driveway, Bargo 4684 3727 | bargomotorinn.com.au

Camden Valley Inn

290 Remembrance Driveway, Camden 4655 8413 | camdenvalleyinn.com.au

Camellia Cottage

15 Estonian Road, Thirlmere 0409 905 003 | bit.ly/camellia-cottage

Cumnock Cottage and Guesthouse

Cumnock, 5 Eastview Drive, Orangeville 0410 570 933 | facebook.com/ cumnockcottage

Fullcircle Farm & Riders Rest

Roundhill, 423/245 Wilton Park Road, Wilton 0414 567 895 | fullcirclefarmbnb.sydney

Gemden Lodge

50 Creighton Road, Lakesland 0425 320 597 | airbnb.com.au/rooms/43160768

George IV Inn

180 Argyle Street, Picton 4601 7730 | georgeiv.com.au

Georgie Cabin Picton

Picton intothewildescapes.com

Kalinya Estate

60 Great Southern Road, Bargo 4684 2274 | kalinyaestate.com.au

Kiah Ridge Christian Conference Centre

25 Bargo River Road, Tahmoor 4683 1111 | kiahridge.org.au

Le Petit Palais B&B

150 Mitchell Road, Thirlmere 4681 8239 | le-petit-palais.com.au

Mowbray Park FarmStay

745 Barkers Lodge Road, Mowbray Park 4680 9243 | farmstayholidays.com.au

Picton Valley Motel

1665 Remembrance Driveway, Picton 4677 2122 | pictonvalleymotel.com.au

Romantic Flower Farm Guest House

Russell Lane, Oakdale 0416 960 075 | facebook.com/theoldewildflowerfarm

St Mary's Towers Retreat Centre

415 Douglas Park Drive, Douglas Park 4630 0233 | towersretreat.org.au

Tahmoor Inn

2715 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 8505 | tahmoorinn.com.au

The Cottage Picton

8A Equestrian Drive, Picton 0439 765 419 | facebook.com/TheCottagePicton

The Oaks Hotel

36 John Street, The Oaks 8710 3519 | theoaks-hotel.com

Werri Berri Estate

Oakdale

facebook.com/werriberriestate

TASTE

Ambrosia Seafood Restaurant

100 Eltons Road, Silverdale 4774 1491 | ambrosiarestaurant.com.au

Appin Bakery

3 - 75 Appin Road, Appin 4631 1448 | facebook.com/AppinBakery

Appin Hotel

84 Appin Road, Appin 4631 1203 | appinhotel.com.au

Bargo Hot Bread Bakery

Shop 1, 84-86 Railside Avenue, Bargo 4684 2455 | facebook.com/bargobakery

Bargo Sports Club

3580 Remembrance Driveway, Bargo 4684 1222 | bargosportsclub.com.au

Barry's Takeaway Tahmoor

Shop 5/90 York Street, Tahmoor 4683 1617

Bean 2 Bargo

1/78 Railside Avenue, Bargo facebook.com/bean2bargo

Big Georges Seafood

121 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 3425 | leehengping@yahoo.com

Bread n' Beyond

Shop T6, Wilton Plaza, 1 Greenbridge Drive, Wilton 4630 9903 | facebook.com/ BreadNBeyond2571

Caffe 104

405 Werombi Road, Brownlow Hill 4655 0675 | caffe104.com.au

Cedar Creek Cider

269 Mullhollands Road, Thirlmere 0426 849 601 | cedarcreekcider.com

Camden Valley Inn

290 Remembrance Driveway, Camden Park 4655 8413 | camdenvalleyinn.com.au

Conscious Coffee

67 Merlin Street, The Oaks 0414 921 878 | consciouscoffee.com.au

Country Valley

195 Fairleys Road, Picton 4677 2223 | countryvalley.com.au

Crispy's Thirlmere

2/7 Oaks Street, Thirlmere 0499 729 183 | facebook.com/ CrispystakeawayThirlmere

Dam Break Café

31b Fourteenth Street, Warragamba 4774 2731 | facebook.com/ the dambre akcafe

Davo's Gelato Warragamba

35 Fourteenth Street, Warragamba 0450 047 823 | facebook.com/ davosgelato

DeliciousLeigh Cakes

5 Oaks Street, Thirlmere 0424 150 207 | facebook.com/ Delicious Leigh Cakes

Dilliro Vegetables

75 Boundary Road, Tahmoor 0411 817 007

Espresso Lane Tahmoor

117 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 0455

Gather Coffee House

75 Appin Road, Appin facebook.com/gathercoffeehouse

George IV Inn

180 Argyle Street, Picton 46017730 | georgeiv.com.au

Georges on Argyle

4/403 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 0397 | georgesonargyle.com.au

Glen's Bakery Café

2/65 John Street, The Oaks 4657 1566 | facebook.com/glensbakerycafe

Golden Palace Chinese Restaurant

76 Railside Avenue, Bargo 0490 143 131

Good Luck Chinese Restaurant

67 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 1544

Hemani Indian Restaurant

151 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 1652 | hemanitahmoor.com.au

Home no.9 Thai Cuisine

Shop 1, 161-173 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4600 6574

Horse and Harpy

1980 Silverdale Road, Silverdale 0402 569 581 | horseandharpy.com.au

Hotel Bargo

225 Great Southern Road, Bargo 4684 2220 | facebook.com/thebargohotel

Jack & Royal Thai Restaurant

121 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 1101 | facebook.com/JackandRoyal

La Crema Café

147 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 3993 | facebook.com/lacremacafe

Leaf & Bean Picton

Shop 12, 150 - 158 Argyle Street, Picton 0468 357 379 | facebook.com/ leafandbeanpicton

Leo's Kebabs

89 Westbourne Avenue, Thirlmere 4683 1333

Loopline Pies

2/89 Westbourne Avenue, Thirlmere 4681 9998

Lucy's Deli Cafe

147 Camden Road, Douglas Park 4632 7225 | facebook.com/lucysdelicafe

Magpie Café

Shop 17, Picton Mall, 9-13 Margaret Street, Picton 4677 3898

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Mena's Thai Restaurant

Shop 10/9 Margaret Street, Picton 4677 5928 |

facebook.com/menamenathairestaurant

Michel's Patisserie Picton

Shop 12, Colden Street, Picton Mall, Picton 4677 1084 | michels.com.au

Moses Barnes

89-91 Argyle Street, Picton facebook.com/whoismosesbarnes

Mowbray Park Produce

155 Mowbray Park Road, Mowbray Park 4680 9490 | mowbrayparkproduce.com.au

Mr So Chinese Restaurant

T9 Wilton Plaza, 1 Greenbridge Drive, 4630 8800 | facebook.com/MrSoChinese

Oakdale Workers Sport & Recreation Club

1605 Burragorang Road, Oakdale 4604 0963 | oakdaleworkers.com.au

Off the Rail

17 Oaks Street, Thirlmere 4623 4131

Parkside Pattisserie

1/65 Argyle Street, Picton 0452 388 939 | facebook.com/ parksidecakes

PB Catering

81 John Street, The Oaks 0420 549 104 | pbcatering.com.au

Pheasants Nest Produce

17/15 Henry Street, Picton 0422 410 573 | pheasantsnestproduce.com

Picton Bowling Club

10 Cliffe Street, Picton 4677 1578 | pictonbowlingclub.com.au

Picton Hotel

132 Arayle Street, Picton 4677 0048 | thepictonhotel.com

Picton Pizza Café

10/15 Henry Street, Picton 4600 6073

Picton Social

Shop 3, 135 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 5865 | pictonsocial.com

Pietro Italian Restaurant

41 Fourteenth Street, Warragamba 4774 1584 | pietro.com.au

Red Delicious & Co

1/74 Appin Road, Appin 4610 2426 | reddeliciousgroup.com.au

Reggies The Oaks Pizzeria and Grill

4/81 John Street, The Oaks 4657 2208

Royal Char Grill Chicken

77 John Street, The Oaks 4657 2300

Sandy's Vans

Tahmoor Garden Centre 3070 Remembrance Drive, Bargo 0499 303 703 | sandysvans.com

Scotties Pizza

Shop 4/143 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 2226 | scottiespizza.com.au

Skippy's Food Bar & Cafe

7 Fourteenth Street, Warragamba 4774 1072 | facebook.com/skippysfoodbar

Skippy's Takeaway

2/147 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4683 2464 | facebook.com/ Skippystahmoor

Smoke n Grill

2/149 Argyle Street, Picton 46012893 | facebook.com/smokengrillpicton

Southwest Barbecue

1/79 Appin Road, Appin 0477 583 783 | facebook.com/SWBBQAppin

Steve's Pizza House

3/13 Oaks Street, Thirlmere 4683 1835 | stevespizzahouse.com.au

Stonequarry at Antill Park

Antill Park Country Golf Club 4 Jarvisfield Road, Picton 4677 1512

Subway Picton

Shell Coles Express, 93-103 Argyle Street, 4677 1031 | subway.com.au

Subway Tahmoor

Shops 5 & 6, Tahmoor Town Centre, Tahmoor 4683 0075 | subway.com.au

Tahmoor Centre Bakehouse

Tahmoor Town Centre, Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor | 4683 0375 business.google.com/website/tahmoorcentre-bakehouse

Tahmoor Inn

2715 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 8505 | tahmoorinn.com.au

Tahmoor Pizza Bar

11 Larkin Street, Tahmoor 0460 730 129 | tahmoorpizza.com.au

Teas and Greens Café

31 Pembroke Parade, Wilton 4630 9000

Thai Recipes Picton

Shop 3/167 Argyle Street, Picton 4603 2209 thai-recipes-picton.business.site

The Ark Picton

150 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 3680 | facebook.com/thearkpicton

The Highway Espresso

2900 Remembrance Driveway, Bargo 4681 0101 | the-highway-espresso.weebly. com

The Local Italian

Shop 2/116 - 118 Railside Avenue, Bargo 4684 3939 | thelocalitalian.com.au

The Lucky Chinese

121 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 4681 9303 | the-lucky-chinese-tahmoor. edan.io

The Oaks Garden Chinese Restaurant

83 John Street, The Oaks 46571803

The Oaks Hotel

36 John Street, The Oaks 8710 3519 | theoaks-hotel.com

The Old Oaks Café

4/71 John Street, The Oaks 0413 784 899 theoldoakscafe.business.site

The Store Menangle

2 Station Street, Menangle 4633 8101

Thien Dinh Hotbread

4/100 Argyle Street, Picton 4677 2800

Thirlmere Garden Chinese Restaurant

1 Westbourne Avenue, Thirlmere 4681 8909

Tuck'In Restaurant and Bar

1665 Remembrance Driveway, Picton 0487 524 318

Vaby's Restaurant

2 Station Street, Picton 4677 1018 | vabys.com

Warragamba Workers & Sporting Club

9/11 Eighteenth Street, Warragamba 4774 1211

Welcome Chinese Restaurant

Shop 2/ Lot 1 Weir Road, Warragamba 4774 1944

Welcome Inn Hotel

9 Oaks Road, Thirlmere 4681 8401 | welcomeinnhotel.com.au

Where Ya Bean

152 Remembrance Driveway, Tahmoor 0490 211 744 facebook.com/whereyabeancafe

Wildgum Café

150 Appin Road, Appin 4631 2412 | appinhouse.com.au

Wilton Takeaway

Shop 5, 1105 Argyle Street, Wilton 4630 9003 | facebook.com/wiltoncafetakeaway

TOURS & TRANSPORT

ACE Shuttle services

4653 1150 | aceshuttle.com.au

Picton Buslines

18 Wonga Road, Picton 4677 1564 | buslinesgroup.com.au/picton

Wollondilly Tours

0424 843 515 | wollondillytours.com.au

Wollondilly Transport Services

04014801621

wollondillytransportservices.com.au

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Patricia & Stephen

About us

Patricia: I grew up in Bellingen NSW and am a mother to four children and late husband Ernie Ring. I am the former owner of Jostelin Farm childcare centre. I have and adore my 6 and half grandchildren (one on the way).

Stephen: I love being active, riding motorbikes, skiing and architecture. I came to help Mum with Appin House around 2014 with the passing of dad. I adore my partner Monique and am a Dad to my daughter Sophie, stepdaughter Olivia, new baby due in April.

About Appin House Weddings and Events & Wildgum Café

The land was purchased in 1996 and Appin House Weddings and Events was opened in 2002. Built by our late husband and father Ernie Ring, myself Patricia and with help from the children. Our family business has grown with success and popularity. Expansion has included an outdoor bar, outdoor covered areas and we continue to grow the landscaped gardens each year.

Two years ago, Wildgum Cafe started construction to expand the business, as we wanted to share the gardens and unique setting with the local and surrounding community and visitors. Besides being a Café, Wildgum is also available for intimate private events such as weddings, birthday parties and milestone events.

We run the business together sharing the roles of reception, kitchen, front of house, landscaping, designing and co-ordinating all events and running the Café. We recommend you pop into Wildgum Café and try our Hennessy coffee made by our lovely barista Stacey Anderson and our BLT or Gluten free chocolate chip cookies for something sweet.

Why Appin?

Patricia: Ernie and I craved the rural setting to fit the relaxed, country charm that we imagined for Appin House. Our family has spent the last 20 years getting to know Appin and its community. We enjoy working with

local business and people to help keep the dream alive and this shows with the support we receive from family, friends and our lovely staff, many of which are local to Appin. Our staff are the heart and soul of Appin House and Wildgum Café.

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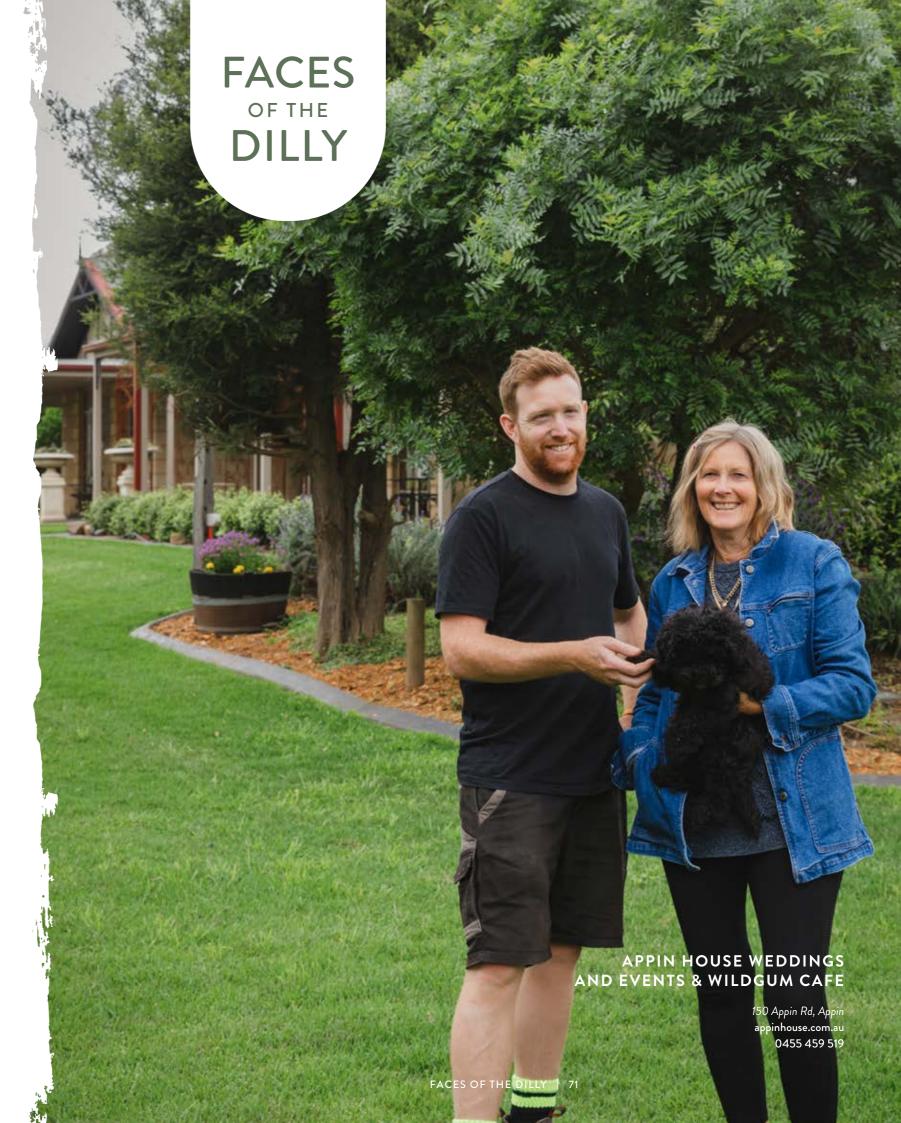
Appin Homestay, Appin Bakery, Skippy's Take away and Red delicious Thai.

Most people wouldn't know that I...

Patricia: Love to travel, I am going to Antarctica next vear.

Stephen: Was a ski instructor for 8 winter seasons back-





DILLY DRIVES

Wollondilly is best explored on the open road taking in the surrounding bushland, scenic views and hidden gems you can find along the way.

The Appin Way Driving Hinerary

- Start your journey along Menangle Street in Picton and head East towards Picton Road
- The Picton Railway Station will be on your right
- Continue for approximately 9km and you will pass by the Sydney Skydiving Centre (daredevils welcome to stop by!)
- Head straight for another 3kms and then turn left at Almond Street towards Wilton
- Take your first right onto Argyle Street where you will find Wilton Village, stop for fuel or a quick rest
- Continue straight and Argyle Street/Wilton Road
- You will shortly drive through Broughton Pass with great scenery over the Cataract River
- In approximately 4km you will arrive in Appin Village stop for a stroll

- Admire the historic buildings such as the Appin Inn (c.1826), Appin House and Historic Street, Bedes' Church
- Have a selfie with a giant Koala on the Corner Appin Road, near the Appin Hotel and park
- Stretch your legs and visit the newly built Appin Skate Park
- Grab lunch and enjoy a cold beverage at Appin's Country Pub
- Check out the famous Sydney's Famous Original Doll Hospital (c.1830's) a few doors down
- Head south back down Appin Rd and turn left at the Appin / Bulli Road sign
- You are now entering Dharawal State Land.
- Turn right at Baden Powell Drive
- You will pass by the Cataract Activity Centre entrance on your right, continue straight to reach Cataract Dam
- Spend the afternoon walking the dam wall, taking some great scenic photos and exploring the Cataract Museum (note the Cataract Museum is open on weekends)

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NRMA ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGER

If you are travelling to the Wollondilly Shire in an electric vehicle, there is an NRMA Electric Vehicle Fast Charger available for public use 24/7 at 5 Walton lane, Picton.

RV DUMP POINTS

If you are visiting behind the wheel of a motorhome, campervan or caravan there a number of dump points available for public use.

- Warragamba Recreational Reserve Warradale Road, Warragamba
- Appin Park Reserve
 100 Appin Road, Appin
- · Walton Lane, Picton

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