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HALL CLEANER:

WONDERFUL NEWS.....A VOLUNTEER CAME FORWARD AND HAS NOW FILLED THE POSITION OF HALL CLEANER.

HALL EXTENTION:

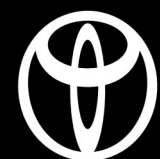
IS UNDERWAY WITH THE SLAB ALREADY POURED. PROGRESS IS LOOKING GOOD ON THIS PROJECT SO IT WILL DEFINITELY BE LOOKING GREAT BEFORE THE SPRING FESTIVAL!!!

DUE TO THE AGE OF SOME OF OUR VERY IMPORTANT EQUIPMENT ITEMS, WE HAVE BEEN REPLACING A FEW ITEMS DUE TO BREAKDOWNS AND THE NEED TO UPDATE. THE NEW BAR FRIDGE IS IN, (THANK GOODNESS AS I THINK YOU WILL AGREE, WARM DRINKS ARE NOT GOOD). OTHER FRIDGES ARE ALSO BEING REPLACED DUE TO BREAKDOWNS. THE NEW OVEN HAS BEEN ORDERED TO REPLACE THE COMBI OVEN, WHICH WAS DONATED OVER 10 YEARS AGO & IT WAS 2ND HAND THEN! THIS HAS BEEN AN AMAZING DONATION TO OUR HALL WHICH ENABLED QUANTITY COOKING ON A WHOLE NEW LEVEL. THE NEW OVEN WILL GIVE THE KITCHEN CREWS THE SAME ABILITY WHICH IS GREAT.



THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON: SATURDAY 9TH AUGUST AT 2PM

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BUT OCTOBER
WILL BE
KNOCKING ON
OUR DOORS
BEFORE WE
KNOW IT.

SO START
PLANNING FOR
THE GIRLS
NIGHT IN
EVENT!!!

WE ARE ALREADY
INTO AUGUST...
THERE IS A GREAT
LINE UP OF
ENTERTAINING
THIS MONTH
TOO!!!

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WHAT'S IN THE PIPELINE???

FUNDRAISING FOR BREAST CANCER & LADIES CANCER'

Girls' Night In At Mitch's
Saturday 25th October 2025

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- Mini Tombola •
- Raffles •
- Dancing!! •
- Fun!! •

6.30pm for 7pm
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YOUNG AT HEART – Tuesday 12th August 2025

This month we are visiting the Maryborough Military and Colonial Museum from 9.30 am. Entry is \$12 per person. The historical and significant items amongst 10,000 items of military and colonial memorabilia, which form displays of exceptional quality at the Maryborough Military & Colonial Museum. The collection includes one of only 39 VC's for the Gallipoli campaign and the only one in Australia outside the Australian War Memorial.

Display items range through the full spectrum of our military and colonial roots. There is also an extensive library which houses a wealth of other information for those who may be interested in researching family history. All are welcome to attend and then continue on to morning tea and/or lunch at a venue of your choice. See our Poona Community Noticeboard Facebook page for reminders closer to the time.



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FISHING REPORT

It was another beautiful fortnight across the Fraser Coast, and getting a park at the boat ramp last weekend proved almost impossible with some anglers heading out far and wide to get amongst the fish, while others took to the kayaks taking advantage of the calm conditions. Let's check out this fortnights fishing report.

It's been a fortnight of mixed reports from our local fisho's with some doing extremely well and others having to really work hard to find the fish. And even though the fish quantity was a little light, the quality of the fish caught was fantastic.

Our mighty Mary is fishing well between Beaver Rock and Riverheads with good catches of threadfin, large silver and black bream and some nice grunter all coming over the sides.

Over the Wide Bay Bar anglers landed a mixed bag of reefies which consisted mostly of good-sized Hussar, however the catches included quality Snapper, Venus Tusk Fish and Māori Cod.

Long Tail Tuna and Spanish Mackerel have been giving our Sports Fisho's something to talk about with fish taken on 110mm -190mm deep trolling lures, live baits or 40-60-gram metal casting slugs in the channels between Inskip all the way and including Hervey Bay waters.

Winter Whiting are beginning to increase in size with the average now at 23cm and in good numbers between the reef Islands and Tinnanbar, Snout Point, Urangan and Gatakers Bay.

Tinnanbar ledge has been producing some quality reef fish including estuary cod, Blackall and Squire up to 40cm and Poona has been reporting Quality Flathead in numbers working the sand flats on the making tide.

The inshore reefs such as the Artificial, Mickey's and Sammie's, were a little quite over the last fortnight however anglers were still able to get a good feed of Grassy Sweetlip, Moses Perch, Estuary Cod and Blackall.

The Burrum 8 mile was also high on the hit list with anglers landing a few quality Snapper around the 55cm mark, and out to the Gutters again where it was a little hit and miss, but still managing the odd Coral Trout, Grassy Sweetlip and plenty of Hussar.

The mud crabs are still running with some nice full pots with full crabs being caught.

Just a reminder that the snapper and pearl perch closures are currently in place to protect these fish while they spawn and help regrow stocks. The closure applies to Queensland tidal waters from 15 July to 15 August inclusive. Please take care to release any incidental capture of these species during the closed season carefully.

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BRITISH PUB NIGHT IS COMING!!!



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**PUTTING ON
THEIR
USUAL GREAT
NIGHT OF
ENTERTAINING**



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HOT FLASHES.

STAY SAFE DURING COOLER MONTHS

Please check all electric, gas and wood fired heaters and electric blankets if you use them during the cooler months.

[Smoke detectors are an important issue and the new legislation deadline for inline detectors is coming.](#)

It is already mandatory in rentals, holiday homes and guest accommodations.

Get Bushfire Resilience

Are you prepared for bushfires?

Your brigade has been called into action on many occasions over the last month with organized fuel reduction burns in our areas.

The risk is real as has been seen in other states and is often underestimated. Bushfire Resilience Inc (BRI) is worth looking at or your preparedness and safety.

BRI's mission is to improve community engagement in reducing bushfire risk by providing expert knowledge and promoting it to households. As bushfires grow more severe their work is critical.

Visit the BRI's website to access resources and to take the steps toward your safer, more resilient future.

There is a large range of topics, how to protect your property, suggested practical tools for householders and how to prepare for bushfires, webinars and other resources. All for free.

<https://bushfireresilience.org.au>.

You can also find BRI on Facebook at www.facebook.com/bushfireresilience.

Yellow Ribbon Day 2025 is on 25th September Please support your unpaid professionals.

Put a yellow ribbon around your letter box and pop a donation in the yellow fire helmet at bar at the hall. Thank you for your support.

Cheers, Secretary Marilyn

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POONA HALL ACTIVITIES!

MONDAY:

6.30AM(SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>	1.00PM	<u>UKULELE GROUP:</u>
7.00AM(WINTER)	(PAM:0407 013 675)		(JENNY C: 4129.8462)
8.30AM	<u>TAI CHI</u> 1.00PM	3.00PM	<u>SINGING GROUP</u>
	(AILEEN: 4129 8770)		(SUE: 0428 154 213)

TUESDAY:

7.30AM(SUMMER)	<u>LADIES ONLY TENNIS</u>	8.30AM	<u>YOGA</u>
8.30AM(WINTER)	(SUE: 0415 557 569)		(DESLEY:4187 1650)
			OR 0400 082 881)
10AM(1ST & 3RD)	<u>ART GROUP</u>	1.00PM	<u>LINE DANCE/BEGINERS</u>
	(PAM: 0407 375 267)		(GILLIAN: 0481 205 497)
3.00PM(SUMMER)	<u>GARDEN GROUP</u>	6.00PM	<u>CARDS & MAHJONG:</u>
2.00PM(WINTER)	(GREG & TERI-ANN 0427 116 519)		(DI: 0428 416 631)

WEDNESDAY:

6.30AM(SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>	1.00PM	<u>INDOOR BOWLS</u>
7.00AM(WINTER)	(PAM: 0407 013 675)		(PETER: 0477 015 324)
9.00AM	<u>LINE DANCING</u>	6.30PM	<u>18+ POOL NIGHT</u>
	(GILLIAN: 0481 205 497)		(MERV: 0407 844 888)

THURSDAY:

8.30 AM	<u>YOGA:</u>	1.00 PM	<u>MAHJONG:</u>
	(DESLEY: 4187 1650)		DI PRICE: (0428 416 631)
4.00 PM(SUMMER)	<u>MIXED TENNIS:</u>		SUSAN GREEN: (0418 795 867)
3.00 PM(WINTER)	(KEESHA: 0405 929 241)		

FRIDAY:

6.30 AM(SUMMER)	<u>EXERCISE CLASS</u>	9.00 AM	<u>CRAFT :</u>
7.00 AM(WINTER)	(PAM: 0407 013 675)		BYO project

THEN IT IS FRIDAY NIGHT FUN TIME!!!

5.00 PM	BAR IS OPEN AND...	6.00 PM	MEALS WILL BEGIN TO BE SERVED
			(HALL: 4129 8800)

SUNDAY:

1.00PM TO 4.30PM	<u>CARDS AFTERNOON</u>	DI PRICE: (0428 416 631)
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FOR WHAT
IS
HAPPENING
IN AUGUST.
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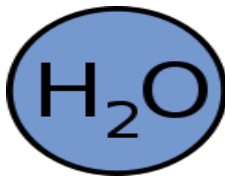
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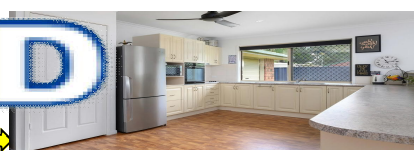
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carport, Outdoor entertainment area, Solar System, 2 bay
shed 6m x 9m, Bore water, Concrete underground water
tank, Fully Fenced, Concrete Driveway



\$625,000 - Boronia Drive (ref:676) 1000m². Low set
back home, 3 bedrooms, ensuite and walk in robe,
bathr, 2 car garage, m, Seaside lounge. Spacious
kitchen, 2 car garage with drive through access,
10kw solar system, Solar hot water 50,000L water tank +
x 2,200L tanks for the gardens, 4m x 6m shed



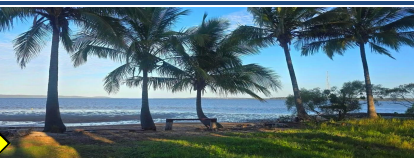
\$765,000 - Livistonia Drive (ref:675) 4274m² 3bedr, plus
quest bedroom by the pool with ensuite, 2 bathr, main with
ensuite, aircon, all bedrooms. Spacious kitchen, 5 car
garage, large outdoor entertainment area with saltwater
pool. Backing to the reserve. 2 bay 6m x 9m shed, 3 bay
9m x 7.5m both with power. Bore.



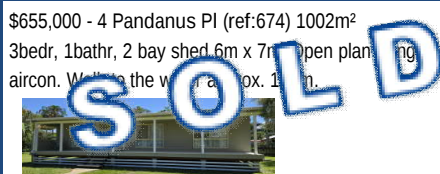
\$615,000 - 26 Westringia Dr (ref:683) 1002m²
Perfect travelling base. Steel frame home. 2 bedroom
studio style living with 2 way bathroom. Outdoor entertain-
ment area. Caravan port. Backing to the reserve.



\$1,475,000 - 145 Boronia Drive, (ref:685) 797m²
WATERFRONT Modern home! 5bedr, 2bedrs have en-
suites-wir! 3bathr. Media room/Office or 6th bedroom.
Modern kitchen w/ powered island bench. Open plan
area. Large outdoor entertainment w/blinds. Stunning
views to the beach and K'gari! 3 bay shed 9m x 6.5m

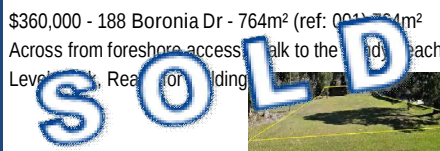


\$660,000 - 15 Boronia Drive, (ref:699) 1006m²
Creekfront! Perfect location! Straight down to the
Poona Creek. 2bedr, 2bathrs, open plan living. Panoramic
views to the Creek right from the living area. 3 x 6m
powered shed. 3 x water connection

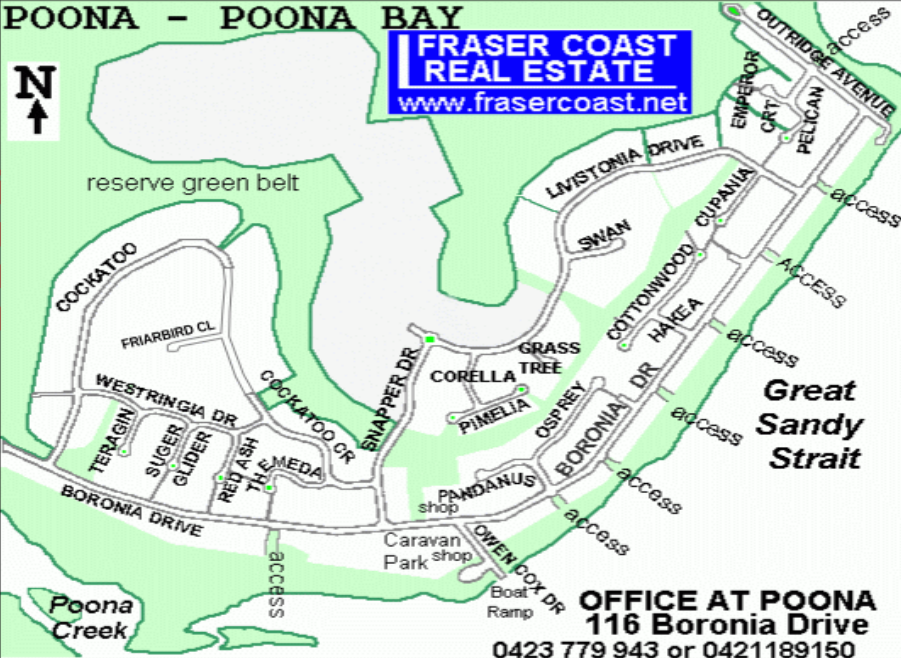


\$655,000 - 4 Pandanus Pl (ref:674) 1002m²
3bedr, 1bathr, 2 bay shed 6m x 7m. Open plan living
aircon. Walk to the water. 10m x 10m shed.

\$430,000 - Pelican Pl (ref:014) 1166m²
Weekender shed! Walk to the water. 2 separate rooms,
kitchenette, toilet,
shower and laundry.
Mezzanine floor.
Outdoor entertainment



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SAT = 9:30 - 2:00PM

SUN = PRE-ARRANGED APPOINTMENTS

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