



Neighbourhood Watch



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Moorroobool / Manunda Neighbourhood Watch meeting will be held at " PRIDE LEAGUES CLUB " 7pm -7th July 2009

Location 172 - 184 Irene Street, Moorroobool. Ph 40531169

Come along and support your Neighbourhood Watch Program

All resident are strongly urged to attend this months meeting. Information results from the Cairns Regional Council Ordinary Meeting held on the 24th June along with the Budget Meeting held on 29th June will be delivered by the Councillor; an Engineer will also be in attendance. Come along and hear the outcome first hand.

This has been a total nightmare, a health and safety issue for the community this year and previous years; a huge amount of debating has gone into this problem caused by over development. It should not have been approved for development to this degree without infructature upgrade.

I have made it loud and clear major works has to be carried out before this next wet season, only (5) months away. The cyclone season starts on the 1st November.

As a result of years of debating regarding the drainage problems, I saw fit for the formation of a Ratepayers Association to be formed, the Moorroobool / Manunda Ratepayers Association was formed on 4th May. This association was then submitted to the Office of Fair Trade as the REGIONAL RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION OF CAIRNS INC. This approval by the Office of Fair Trade was granted on 22nd May. The association covers the regional area on community issues, the priority is the drainage upgrade, and other issues will follow.

I urge the community to support this association by attending the meetings, and to become a member for a fee of \$2. Donations are welcome.

A short **Neighbourhood Watch Meeting** will be held this month; our top priority will be the results of the Moody Creek catchments. The meeting will start 7pm sharp - 7.30pm the meeting will be closed.

REGIONAL RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION OF CAIRNS INC meeting will commence at 7.35pm for the council representatives to deliver to the community the council's proposals on upgrades in relation to the flooding issues.

Raffle Prize: Kindly donated by Margaret Johnson - 3 Boxed sets of Royal Doulton, 18/10 Stainless Steel, Table Knife - Table Fork - Spoon and Teaspoon.



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Seniors Club: The senior club is strongly recommended for companionship and social outings. I am currently researching a way to assist with people with disabilities to attend the meetings, as the meetings are of interest and the Lunch an outing.

Senior's Lunch will be held at Pride Leagues Club, Thursday 23rd July – (usually the 3rd Thursday of the month), as it is the Show week this month, lunch will be held on the 4th Thursday; we will look forward to your attendance on 23rd. Any further information please contact me as listed below.

GREAT MEALS AT THE COOK ON A HOOK BISTRO- "PRIDE LEAGUES CLUB" Thursday (2 for \$22), Friday & Saturday (2 for \$22)! Would you like to become a member? Only \$5.00 per person.

Ph: 40531169, email:admin@prideleaguesclub.com.au

Cairns OWLS program monthly Talkback segments on ABC Radio at 10.30am on the following day:
July 29th - Positive Aging - 1300 885 698

The Cairns Crime Bulletins will now be available by Friday each fortnight on the Queensland Police Service – Far Northern Region Hyperlink at –

www.police.qld.gov.au/Regional+Policing/farNorthern/default.htm

This edition may not be available until the weekend – my apologies for the delay.

This hyperlink will be updated each fortnight and will only store the current edition of the Cairns Crime Bulletin.

Please continue to forward the bulletin or hyperlink onto family, friends and work colleagues.

The next **CAIRNS CRIME BULLETIN** will be available for viewing on the QPS website on **Friday July 3.**

Alternatively Volume's 1 to 12 can be viewed on my website – www.thelmaspelta.com * Community Safety.

Received a call from a gentleman referred to me in regard to starting up a **new Neighbourhood Watch Program in the Woree Area**, expression of interest meeting on 14th July. To be referred on.

Some Issues reported:

CRC & Ergon: Lights in Francis Street Park scheduled to be installed in June. Yes it will be installed, but it is sad when Ergon installed the Pillar Box on the 11th June and was vandalised on the 19th June, A resident and I retrieved the top thrown into the drain many metres from the site. I first started debating for this four way light to be installed in Francis Street Park at the International Women's Day Breakfast earlier this year, at meetings, also Anzac Day and so on; the approval had been given for the installation. Due to be carried out any day now, It is of my belief a mobile security camera will also be attached.

CRC: Maintenance has been carried out at Swallow Street crossing.

CRC: Topsoil has been spread in the low lying areas of Hayward Street Park.

CRC: Inquiring into a bus shelter on Mezdras Street is currently being checked by Division 4 Councillor.

The feed back is, to construct one shelter costs double the price. More debating required on this issue.

CRC: Large Mullica Tree in the Swallow Street Drain just down from Irene Street has been reported, a request has been put to the NHW meeting to have the tree removed as it causes a swirling effect washed a portion of the bank away, overtopped into a unit block swimming pool and units. Council have placed large rocks to prevent the washing of the bank. The tree is creating a build up of debris in the drain. The body corporate is requesting the tree be removed. I have notified council of the request.

CRC: Request to have the block of units checked at Argyle Gardens for Dengue, Lava can lay dormant up to 2 years. A request to the community to clean out places mosquitoes can breed. It is a sad outlook for the next wet season if the Community do not take responsibility now.

Together we stand.

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