

LCA Community Newsletter

April 2019



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Welcome to Linden Citizens Association (LCA) April newsletter 2019. The newsletter provides information for Linden residents, community matters and local events. We welcome resident's contribution to the newsletter and look forward to hearing from you.

Community Social Events

Music in Kings Cave – Annual Community Event

Our Music in Kings Cave on 16th February 2019 was an absolute knockout success. In response to resident's request this will be an annual event so please look out for 2020 dates.

Spooky Linden – Thursday 31st October.

We are planning a Spooky Linden Halloween event, which will include a traditional trick or treat walkthrough of the village, ghost stories in the park and a sausage sizzle. There will also be a prize for the spookiest costume.

Christmas Party Saturday 6th December 2019

2018's party was a great success, with Santa arriving in style in a vintage car heralded by our very own Linden RFS members in their amazing tanker. Santa will be visiting Linden again on Saturday 7th December 2019. We look forward to seeing him and all of you at the party for some Christmas party games, a sausage sizzle and "bring-a-plate" treats.

LCA is going paperless from Easter 2019

LCA intends to reduce its carbon footprint by going paperless as of Easter 2019. So please email Sian at president@lindencitizens.asn.au with your email address ASAP so you can stay in the know about important community issues.

Next LCA Meeting

The next LCA Meeting will be held on Thursday 16th May 2019 at 7.30pm at the RFS shed. We hope you see you there.

What is the LCA?

The Linden Citizens Association (LCA) is a group of Linden resident volunteers who are interested in representing the community. The LCA meet every second month in the RFS shed adjacent to Linden Park. Meeting dates and time are noted on the LCA website and also posted on the village notice board. Membership is currently open and application forms are available on request. A LCA historical overview, past achievements and ongoing projects is currently under construction and will be posted on the website once it is completed. For more information please email president@lindencitizens.asn.au

"Avachat"

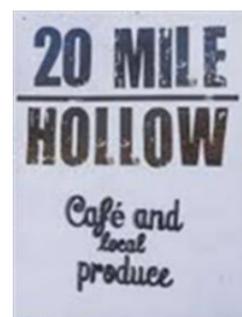
Why not come along to one of our one of our residents catch up events, held at 20 Mile Hollow café from 10-11 am.

Come along and meet your neighbours, shoot the breeze and support one of our great local businesses.

Hope to see you all at 20 Mile Hollow

"Avachat" dates in 2019

- Saturday 13th April
- Sunday 9th June
- Wednesday 14th August
- Thursday 17th October
- Friday 6th December



Community Resources & Facilities

A Post Box for Linden:

Australia Post has agreed to install a community post box in Linden. We are currently working closely with Australia Post, Linden RFS and Blue Mountains Council to identify the most suitable location for our post box.

Glossop Road Community Notice Board Refurbishment & Proposed Relocation:

Our newly refurbished noticeboard looks great. Thanks to Blue Mountains Council for the prompt response to our request. The current location of the notice board is of concern, being positioned behind the safety barrier on the bend of the road. LCA is currently in discussion with Blue Mountains Council to find a more appropriate location near or in the park for the notice board. If you would like to post something on the notice board please contact Sian at president@lindencitizens.asn.au

Linden Street Lighting and Road Survey

LCA requested Blue Mountains Council include Linden in its recent street lighting and road survey, undertaken in September 2018. The audit revealed that Nemantia Place required additional lighting, which has been requested by Blue Mountains Council. Unfortunately, Linden roads were not considered in need of additional resources. We are currently working with BMCC to advocate for better lighting on Linden roads, new crash barriers at Linden train station car park and a review of pedestrian safety.

Linden Station Car Park & Crash Barrier

LCA has submitted requests to both Blue Mountains Council and Rail NSW to review the train station car park provision and for reinstallation of the crash barrier.

Upgrade of the Great Western Highway

LCA is corresponding with the office of Trish Doyle regarding the proposed upgrade of the Great Western Highway. LCA has indicated that the upgrade should extend from Faulconbridge town centre to Bulls Camp, thereby including Martin Place, Weemala Avenue and Tollgate drive in the upgrade.

Linden Business

& Service Directory

Do you run a business or service? If so then why not advertise in the Linden Business and Services Directory.

The Directory is available to all Linden residents and is also posted on the Linden Community Website and LCA Facebook page. Joining is free and simply. For more information please email president@lindencitizens.asn.au

or
secretary@lindencitizens.asn.au

Rural Fire Services (RFS) **Report**

"We've been fortunate to have had a quiet fire season this year. We are about to commence basic training for new firefighters in the next weeks, making it an ideal time to join the brigade. The brigade needs more local members, so please visit us any Wednesday night at the fire station from 7:30pm. For more info, visit our Facebook page or email

lindenrfs@gmail.com"

Be part of your community group through LCA Membership

It's great to read about community initiatives and event, but it's better to be involved.

If you are not already a member then why not consider joining LCA? Annual membership costs just \$5 per person, or \$50 for a family life long membership. Membership entitles residents to voting rights at meetings and reduced fees for social activities. Please Email Sian at president@lindencitizens.asn.au or David at secretary@lindencitizens.asn.au for more details. Hope to hear from you soon 😊