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The Newsletter of the Lower King & Bayonet Head Progress
Association

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Last Meeting

September 21 was our annual general meeting with new office bearers being elected. Our past president John Guidera retired from office after many years of faithful service for the Association. The new president is Gail Parker with Tom Reed elected as vice president and Lyn Edwards as secretary and Naomi Robinson as Treasurer.

Additional committee members to the above, elected were

Frank Ruggera

John Guidera

Richard Duffield.

Richard Duffield was elected as newsletter editor as our previous editor Frank Ruggera is moving out of the area in the next year. Frank has been most diligent in preparing the newsletter and working for the Association. As new editor I am grateful to Frank for his guidance and assistance in the newsletter preparation.

Bayonet Head Shopping Centre

This saga continues regarding other shops being able to tenant the centre there is still no news of the matter being settled, although work has been commenced on complying with the necessary fire protections (See Picture below).



Progress Association history request

We are looking for input regarding the history of the Association and the area of Lower King, and Bayonet Head. Any items of interest can be forwarded to the editor, contact details are in the latter part of the newsletter.

Website we are looking at creating a website for the Association any ideas for content and information regarding local history as above would be most welcome.

Proposed motocross site Baker's junction

Public comment period is closing on November 9 more information is available from Mark Ford city manager of reserves on 9841 9253.

Lower King Community kindergarten

Jodie Sexton reports some amazing improvements that have been made to the kindergarten and grounds these include a giant mosaicked panel, a traditional aboriginal shelter, beautiful big rocks added to the sandpit and a rustic outdoor kitchen. Another amazing donation was veggie garden beds and a pallet wall garden. The latest addition being a fairy garden overall with beautiful staff and community effort the environment provides the perfect place to start the school journey.



Crime rates Lower King, Bayonet Head

In September it was reported in the Albany advertiser that burglaries and break-ins were exceptionally high. Latest statistics are currently not available however the Albany police recommend the program of neighborhood watch. It's as simple as getting to know your neighbors and exchanging contact information. The program combats crime in the most effective way, before it starts by reducing the opportunities for crime to occur.

Next Meeting

Will be held at 7 PM Monday 16th of November at the Gomm Park hall, lower King, attending will be our two recently elected councilors Bill Hollingworth for the Kalgan Ward and Anthony Moir for Yakamia Ward. Come along and meet your councilors and also have some input into improvements and matters concerning where you live.

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