

LAST MEETING HIGHLIGHTS: 3rd SEPTEMBER

This was the first of our quarterly meetings held at 1 PM the daytime meeting saw a slight rise in attendance including some new members. A Christmas fair to promote our organisation was discussed for November further planning and interest of stallholders to be sought.

NEXT MEETING:

MONDAY 3rd DECEMBER at Gomm Park Hall, Lower King - at 1.00 pm

we encourage attendance at this meeting to put forward further ideas to improve and increase the effectiveness of our organisation as well as any local community concerns.

CHRISTMAS COMMUNITY FAIR - SATURDAY 24TH NOVEMBER AT GOMM PARK HALL AND GROUNDS, FROM 9 -3 pm.

Our main focus for this quarter is the community fair as above, your Committee has completed a lot of background work and research into making the Christmas Fair happen. Our overall objective in planning this event is to do it as a community service, while at the same time promoting our organization.

We aim to interest others in becoming members of the Association in order to make us a stronger body, so that we can accomplish our goals and objectives of making these local areas a better place to live. At the same time, we aim to foster a strong local community spirit, as we believe that the Bayonet Head and Lower King areas are the best areas to live and work in the city of Albany boundaries.

We are urging all members and residents and others to get behind this project, and make the day a great success. It's very well timed, being held at the end of November close to Christmas, and will be an ideal opportunity to be able to source gifts and produce at this festive season.

Included in the stalls at the fair will be:

- fresh fruit from a local orchardist.
- unique Woodcraft.
- jams, preserves and pickles.
- plants.
- artwork and gift cards.
- jewelry
- embroidery
- porcelain painting.
- Bee houses.
- Brick-a-brac
- Electronics, TV satellite systems
- Gomm Park Croquet club promotion
- miscellaneous stalls.
- SAUSAGE SIZZLE

There should be adequate parking around the hall, or at the front of the Gomm Park reserve.

FEATURE - GOMM PARK CROQUET CLUB INC.

Normally we feature a local business in this section. However, many people may not be aware of the Gomm Park Croquet Club, at the beautiful setting of Gomm Park reserve.

This is a unique facility, with beautifully kept greens that are a credit to the club.

Times for games are Saturday 8.45 till 12, Monday afternoons 2 o'clock and Wednesdays 8.30 till 12.

Croquet is a great game for all ages, and is also a wonderful social activity. Club members are happy to teach beginners the game, and the club can supply the mallets. The main requirement for participants are flat shoes and a hat, and the game is played year round, in all weathers. New members are most welcome, and individuals or groups can come along to try the game out, and are charged a flat fee.

At the Christmas Fair, the club will be having their game day, so there is an opportunity to see and try out the activity. People of all ages are encouraged to see what an enjoyable and social activity it is. On the Christmas Fair day the Croquet Club will be promoting themselves, and so this will be a great opportunity to speak to local club members, and to observe and even try the game. Members will be on hand on the day to answer questions, and to provide further information and opportunities to learn how to play.

The pictures below were taken on a Wednesday, a beautiful spring day.



LKBHPA FACEBOOK PAGE:

The Association now has our own Facebook page, so we can post relevant and interesting local information for you as it happens. Members can also post and help keep everyone updated. All the details of meeting dates and times etc are here, and also a link to the LKBHPA website. Search for Lower King & Bayonet Head Progress Association on Facebook, and be sure that you 'Like Page' to keep yourself informed, and 'Share' the page with your local contacts.

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COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS FAIR

SATURDAY 24th NOVEMBER 9am to 3pm

GOMM PARK HALL, Lower King

Stalls include arts and crafts, local produce, local interest groups, and much more.... Something for everyone – come and see!

We have a couple of spaces left – enquiries, please phone Richard on 0428 411 688 Stalls cost only \$10 each, plus LKBHPA Membership of \$10 to cover Insurance