

From the Managers Desk

Hello everybody!

In case you don't already know, Vanessa ruptured her Achilles playing netball and had to have surgery and is therefore out of action for the next two weeks. We wish Vanessa all the best for a speedy recovery.

SOCK Week 2021 was a massive success! Thank you to all those who got involved with the activities during the week!

On the Tuesday we held a Know Your Car—Basic Mechanical Skills Workshop at AMAC Mechanical where we learnt about how to change a Tyre, check water and oil and check Tyre pressure. Thank you to Marcus Cheetham for hosting this workshop for us.

Wednesday was 'Wake-Up Wednesday' where we encouraged members of the community to go to the Narembeen Co-Op and Narembeen Roadhouse and buy a coffee where they would receive a free SOCK Week keyring and \$1 would be donated towards SOCK Week 2022.

On Thursday night after sports training we had a 'Let's Talk Road Safety' chat at the Rec Centre. With about 50 people in attendance. Rodney Thornton from Road Wise spoke about the importance of road safety and gave us all some important statistics that were a real eye opener to many. Des Smoker also spoke to us about his experience with a tragedy in his family. A big thank you to Rodney and Des.

Friday was the popular 'Flouro Friday' where many people in our community dressed up in flouro to 'Be Seen'. It was fabulous to see other towns also participating in this activity: Thank you to the Narembeen District High School especially, for their outstanding effort for Flouro Friday this year – you guys are amazing!

Finally, the SOCK Week finale was held at the Narembeen Recreation Centre on Friday night—we premiered our SOCK Poem Video which we have been working hard on for the past few months. We had a vision and it came together and we couldn't be more proud of this video if we tried. So please, if you haven't watched it head to our Facebook page, like it and share it and remind yourself to do the right thing! The video currently has over 10.5k views and 280 shares—what an massive achievement!

After watching the video everyone made their way to the oval to light a candle in memory of a loved one. This was a very special and emotional moment for all, this was followed by a minute of silence. The event touched many people and we received great feedback. Thank you to all that attended and shared this special moment with us.

Remember, just because SOCK Week is over, doesn't mean we stop doing the right thing. It is something we should be thinking about each time we get into a car. Please continue or start doing the right thing to save lives on country roads and #SaveOurCountryKids.

Enjoy the rest of your week!

Georgia Atkins

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Upcoming CRC Events 2021

- NAIDOC Week Activity: Thursday, 8 July 10.30am
- Rhyme Time: Monday, 12 July 10.30am
- School Holiday Activity - Movie: Thursday, 15 July 10.30am
- HR/HC/MC Truck Licence: Saturday, 17 July - Monday, 19 July
- Morning Coffee Club: Wednesday, 21 July 10.30am
- Rural Minds Workshop: Tuesday, 27 July 4.00pm
- Farm Safety Workshop: Thursday, 29 July 9.00am



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