

Newsletter 7

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Coorabell Hall Fundraising

Following last month's dinner dance our crowd fundraising page is live!! Donations can be made direct by card through the Pozible site, or by bank transfer - details on our website. Here is the link to our Pozible site. <u>https://www.pozible.com/profile/coorabell-hall</u>



Coorabell Hall at Pozib Where Magic Happens

So, if you haven't heard our sonorous song or seen our fabulous film check out the website. The Pozible team even commented how much they loved it.

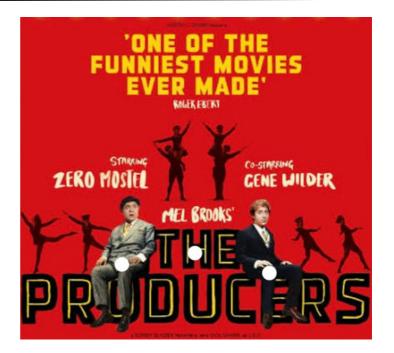
Here is the thermometer for Crowdfunding donations up until 8 May.

End Date 26th Jun 2023 at 11:00PM GMT+10

We would like to thank all who contributed to the success of the launch, to all who have donated on Pozible, and those who have donated direct to the Coorabell Hall bank account with our auspicing charity - **Brunswick Valley Historical Society**.

We still have a long way to go!

If you can help with fundraising or would like to make a tax deductible donation please visit www.coorabellhall.net for donation details & links or email us.



Coorabell Film Club Wednesday 7 June THE PRODUCERS Food & Drinks (Licensed) at 6.00 Film starts at 7.30

Directed by Mel Brooks, starring Zero Mostel and Gene Wilder this 1967 comedy won the Oscar for Best Writing, Story and Screenplay.

Down-on-his-luck theatrical producer Max Bialystock is forced to romance rich old ladies to finance his efforts. When timid accountant Leo Bloom reviews Max's accounting books, the two hit upon a way to make a fortune by raising more money than they need for a SURE-FIRE Flop. No one will expect anything back from a flop and they can pocket the difference. They need to find the worst musical ever.....

"One of the funniest movies ever made"

"A film that, like its fellow late 60s classic Bonnie and Clyde, still feels boundary-pushing and bold five decades after it was made."





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UPDATES

COSMOS COFFEE CART



Until the "built in" coffee window/servery is up and running, local resident - the wonderful Scarlet Perkins - will be operating her red coffee cart at the Hall.

Serving popular Allpress coffee and delicious snacks, we are sure Scarlett's red Cosmos Coffee cart will be a hit.

Scarlet will be opening on 20 May - if not before!

STEFANO'S PIZZA

No Monday night pizza until 24 July - Stefano is on holidays and will be back then.

LAUGHING YOGA

Usually Monday 9.30-10.00 Paulette is looking for a core group - so text 0413 960 777 to ensure the class is proceeding



You can always check if the Hall is booked for a function on the website calendar. Please consider the Hall for your next event. Mates Rates for locals.



FUN FRIDAYS - 5-8 PM These will be every Friday unless there is a super lucrative Hall booking we can't refuse (like referendum day) check the calendar! Byron Traditional Pasta Licensed Games Galore! We run a fundraising bar so you can have a wine

We run a fundraising bar so you can have a wine or beer with your meal. Backgammon, Monopoly, Scrabble, Chess, Bananagrams, Jenga, Pictionary, Checkers... The possibilities are endless - bring a team or find a competitor there!

WHY NOT BRING YOUR FAVOURITE GAME?



TABLETOP TREASURE & CARBOOT SALE 9am - 12 midday Saturday 17 June

After an uncertain start we have decided to expand the tabletop sale to include a carboot sale. This will allow people to bring bigger items. "One man's trash is another man's treasure" No one wants trash, but treasure - yes please!! \$20 per table/car boot Coffee cart will be on site!







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COMING UP....

TALES AS OLD AS TIME

DID YOU KNOW THERE USED TO BE A COORABELL VILLAGE?

Replete with stores, a Cobb & Co station, a blacksmith, churches and more - what happened?? where did they go?? Come to our Tales as Old as Time event and find what Coorabell used to be like.

Details coming soon!!

COMMUNITY RESILIENCE

We are hoping to start a community led resilience team (or CRT). CRTs set up a local communication system & resource map that swings into action in an emergency. Anyone who was here during the fires and floods knows that if Mt Nardi communication tower goes out most internet and phones will fail. Who has Starlink and is willing to share? Is there a generator/battery available for my neighbours' health monitor? These are the type of issues addressed.

Run on a street by street basis, information is kept privately and locally.

Details of meeting times coming soon !!

SKETCHY SKETCHERS

Coorabell's answer to Wine & Line, Paint & Sip. Model and drawing materials provided, food and drinks available.

A perfect evening of fun and creativity - It is the process and not the outcome that counts Details coming soon !!!

SPEED LIMITS

Please join with us in requesting the speed limit on Coolamon Scenic Drive be reduced to 60km. We suggest between Possum Shoot Road and Mango Lane or further. We know many have put in a request to no avail. As they say "It's the squeaky wheel that gets the oil". Please follow up or lodge a request. You can contact Transport for NSW and complete a "Report an Issue/feedback form" and you should receive an email reply. <u>https://www.nsw.gov.au/transport-fornsw/contact-roads-waterways/online</u> Or you can complete an online speed limit "Have Your Say" change form (and not receive a reply):

https://www.saferroadsnsw.com.au/haveyou rsay.aspx

FUNDRAISING AUCTION Stay tuned for dates

We are planning a fun filled evening with fabulous entertainment and an auction and raffle. Supporters have donated weekend stays in the Byron Bay hinterland, on the Sunshine Coast beachfront, professional photos, paintings and sculpture.

Do you have anything you could contribute to the auction? Please help us make this a spectacular fundraiser! Reach out with any service vouchers, items, tickets you could offer: coorbellhall@gmail.com



GREASE TRAP UPDATE

WE KNOW YOU LOVE IT....

UNGLAMOUROUS BUT NECESSARY.

Due to a kind donation from Kasse Miller Giving (thank you Courtney) and our crowdfunding we are over halfway towards the dreaded grease arrestor.









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ATTENTION YOGA TEACHERS

There have been mutterings that we need a yoga class. Any yoga teachers are encouraged to hire the Hall for their class.

PING PONG, FOOZ BALL

We would like to offer ping pong and fooz ball on Fun Fridays - if you have an unused table you would like to donate to your community Hall please let us know.

ENTERTAINERS

We would love you to come and play our new baby grand piano, or practice your act on Fun Fridays.

ART WORKSHOPS

Email us if you are an artist ready to run a workshop at the Hall. We may be able to help.

LAUGHING YOGA

Stimulate joy, health and energy and laugh for no reason! with Paulette Bray-Narai Certified Laughter Yoga Leader & Instructor Text 0413 960 777 for timings

REGULAR POP UPS

Cosmos Coffee Cart (from 20 May) Mon-Fri 6.30am to 1.30; Sat 7-12.30; Sun 8-12.30

Stefano's Pizzas (from 24 July) Mondays from 4pm

Kotozen Japanese Wednesday from 5pm

Gentlemen Ramen Noodles Thursdays from 4pm

Byron Traditional Pasta Fridays from 5pm (licensed + games) (2 June & referendum day excepted)



Calling on all artists lurking in the undergrowth around Coorabell! We know you are there....

Let us revive the School of Arts aspect of our Hall. Plans are afoot for a Coorabell School of Arts Exhibition.

If you have experience, are interested in being involved in reviving Coorabell School of Arts, or in exhibiting or selling your work please email us or contact Adele on 0487900790.

Enquiries open for workshop/s - art, music, performance, cooking,



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