



**Forestdale** Browns Plains 3

Forestdale Neighbourhood Watch Incorporated

July 2017



## Neighbourhood Watch Newsletter

### Queensland Day Awards for Forestdale NHW and NHW Secretary Jocelyn Marentis.



Forestdale NHW was at the forefront in the recent Queensland Day Awards ceremony held in Algester's Col Bennett Park on 10 June 2017. Forestdale NHW was the recipient of two community awards, one for the overall organisation's contribution to the Forestdale community and a well-deserved individual award to NHW secretary Jocelyn Marentis for her contribution to our community.



Queensland Day Awards recipients line up following the award ceremony for Algester community organisations and individuals.



**Forestdale NHW  
Next Meeting  
7.00pm  
Monday, 7 August  
2017  
32 Abbey Street  
Forestdale**

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GROUP

Ph 3800 4111



Michael Boock



Tracey Child



Chris Gilmour



Marc Mayberry



Astrid Purcell



Melissa Bennett

# TREASURER'S REPORT

## Family Donations – FY 2017/18

FY 2016/17 has been very successful for Forestdale NHW – we started off the year with a credit balance of \$4,060.44 and finished the year with a credit balance of \$4,855.46.

During the year we held many functions, purchased our own Marquee and trailer and now are looking forward to continuing our success into this next financial year.

## Family Donations – FY 2017/18

Enclosed with this newsletter is a donation envelope and we would ask that you continue to support us with your donation of \$10.00 per family, but we will be pleased to accept any donation that you are able to offer.

Again, donations can be made by either:

- Direct deposit to our bank account (details are on the envelope); or
- Left in Greg Broad's locked mailbox at 118 Forestdale Drive.

**Please ensure your family surname and street address are clearly marked on the envelope so that we can acknowledge receipt of your donation.**

A full financial review for FY 2016/17 will be made at our September AGM meeting, however we would like to acknowledge the assistance of Minister Leanne Enoch, Logan City Council, Councillor Laurie Smith and a special thank you to Kerry & Richard Tovey who manage the hiring of our tables & chairs.

### June Accounts:

Opening Balance as at 31st May, 2017: \$6,318.73

Income – Hire Tables/Chairs: \$690.00

Family Donation: \$10.00

### Expenses:

Trailer -\$2,153.80

Stationery & Rounding -\$9.47

Closing Balance as at 30th June, 2017 \$4,855.46



## Our Forestdale Community

This is a closed group for our Forestdale Community Administrator Jocelyn Marentis 0438 781 003



## Police Report

**15/05/2017 / 16/05/2017** – Steal from boat – Between 22:30 and 14:30. Allendale Court, Forestdale – A number of items were removed from the boat which was parked under carport at the incident address.

**27/05/2017** – Break and Enter – Between 16:00 and 18:30 – The Chase, Forestdale – Entry gained by breaking glass sliding door at rear of dwelling. Alarm may have prevented any property from being taken. Neighbours heard the alarm and phoned police.

**16/06/2017** – Steal from trailer – Between 16:00 16/06/2017 and 12:00 19/06/2017 – Forestdale Drive, Forestdale – Several trade tools were taken from the trailer. Trailer thought to be locked and secure at the time however no sign of forced entry.

**16/06/2017** – Break and Enter – Between 09:00 16/06/2017 and 09:00 28/06/2017 – Sienko Street, Forestdale – Unoccupied dwelling undergoing renovations. Entry gained by throwing a brick through a rear window.

**28/06/2017** – Enter with Intent & Steal from Motor vehicle – Between 17:50 28/06/2017 and 07:45 29/06/2017 – Lincoln Green Drive, Forestdale – Chain saw taken from the rear tray of utility parked under rear carport. Two bottles of alcohol removed and consumed from outside fridge.

**30/06/2017** – Enter with Intent – Stapylton Road, Forestdale – Between 17:30 30/06/2017 and 06:20 01/07/2017 – Access gained by cutting mesh wire fence to access storage shed at the business address. Items stolen include timber, landscaping supplies, and assorted power tools.

**There has been a rise in stealing from motor vehicle offences in recent weeks, especially trade vehicles which contain power tools. This may be an opportunity to remind residents to be extra cautious when leaving vehicles unattended throughout the day and night.**

## Forestdale Bush Telegraph



Send your email address to Jenny to receive notices and lots of information about the neighbourhood.

You can place a for Sale/Wanted ad, post a missing pet or share information beneficial to our community.

Drop a note to Jenny Wade at the following email address. Privacy assured. [jennifer@jfoodbrokers.com.au](mailto:jennifer@jfoodbrokers.com.au)



Applications for the *We Are Queensland* Small Grants Program close on Friday, 11 August.

This grants program comes as part of the Palaszczuk Government's \$7.4 million investment over the next four years to implement a state-wide action plan to strengthen communities, counter anti-social behaviour and promote benefits of our state's diversity.

I strongly encourage eligible community groups to apply for grants between \$5,000 and \$20,000 to assist in undertaking community-led initiatives.

Last week we saw grants from the Gambling Community Benefit Fund awarded to St George Willawong Football Club and St John's Anglican College Parents and Friends Association, but Forestdale community groups also have a lot to offer.

Our community organisations like the Forestdale Neighbourhood Watch are amazing at bringing people together, but often lack funds for larger scale events. I strongly encourage eligible groups such as our local not-for-profits, parents and friend's associations, and our sports clubs to apply for the grants program.

There are many people in our community who generously volunteer their time to groups like the Forestdale Neighbourhood Watch, but they are one of many who work tirelessly to make an impact.

I know that there are many groups in our community like this who need support to continue doing their amazing work.

More information about the *We Are Queensland* small grants program is available at [www.qld.gov.au/weareqld](http://www.qld.gov.au/weareqld).

Leanne.

*Do you have a State Government issue you need assistance with? Contact Leanne on 3737 2110 or at [algester@parliament.qld.gov.au](mailto:algester@parliament.qld.gov.au)*

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## Laurie Smith Councillor for Division 7

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**IMPORTANT:** The Inland Rail initiative is holding community information sessions commencing on 17 July and running through to 24 July. I have included the schedule below and I encourage residents to attend and or contact our state representatives as inland rail will need to comply with state government environmental guidelines.

### Inland Rail - Kagaru to Acacia Ridge and Bromelton Community Information Drop-in Session

<b>Session 1</b> Date: 4pm - 7pm, Monday 17 July 2017 Venue: Acacia Ridge Hall, 13 Coley Street, Acacia Ridge.	<b>Session 4</b> Date: 4pm - 7pm, Friday 21 July 2017 Venue: Greenbank Community Centre, 145 Teviot Road, Greenbank.
<b>Session 2</b> Date: 4pm - 7pm, Tuesday 18 July 2017 Venue: Algester State School, 31 Endiandra Street, Algester.	<b>Session 5</b> Date: 10am - 12 midday, Saturday 22 July 2017 Venue: Beaudesert CWA, 86 Brisbane Street, Beaudesert.
<b>Session 3</b> Date: 4pm - 7pm, Wednesday 19 July 2017 Venue: Boronia Heights State School, 194 Middle Road, Boronia Heights.	<b>Session 6</b> Date: 4pm - 7pm, Monday 24 July 2017 Venue: Flagstone State School Hall, 1-45 Poinciana Drive, Flagstone.

[https://inlandrail.artc.com.au/K2ARB/key\\_dates#24257](https://inlandrail.artc.com.au/K2ARB/key_dates#24257)

I have already been raising questions on how the Inland Rail will mitigate noise, dust, vibration as well as considering resident amenity. In addition, I am asking our State Members what are the future plans for the corridor and passenger rail once the cross river tunnel/bridge is delivered.

In the budget, each division is provided with a CCTV camera. I will be liaising with QPS and our safe city specialists as the most appropriate location in the division.

Light works on Wineglass water tower are underway and anticipated switch on date for the new lights is September, subject to weather and no technical difficulties. Photographers be ready for some impressive displays as the lights are programmable.

Regards  
Laurie



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Bruce Leggatt filled the place getters with a score of 35points.

Janeen and Don Vosper were the sponsors on the day and supplied some useful medical kits as prizes to all the winners, thanks Janeen and Don.

Nearest the pin winner was Bruce Leggatt.

Long drive winner was AJ Littee.

The day's best approach shots were hit by Andy Whyatt in a Grade and a new member, David Maczek in B Grade. Welcome to the club David.

We had a couple of team's match play games played today. Bruce Leggatt and Janeen Vosper defeated Kim and Eric Littee 5/4. Geoff Tate and Andy Whyatt defeated Phil Sargeant and Errol Bauer 6/5.

The days raffle winner was Matthew Taylor, who won a \$20.00 Drummond Golf voucher.

Upcoming games

16th July.	Helensvale	6.15am
30th July.	St Lucia.	7.00am
13th August.	Virginia.	6.05am

Bruce Leggatt

### Forestdale NHW Inc.

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Zone 3	Joe Toth	3806 7071
Zone 4	Ted Maynard	0418 745 029
Zone 5	Emma Simon	0427 755 258
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## Forestdale Community



Forestdale resident and wine maker Jason Hannay (Flinders Peak Winery) was in the news recently.

Jason joined with Scenic Rim farmers Alice Gorman and Gen Windley in developing a Carrot Vodka. Mrs Gorman said that "every year some 350 million carrots are grown, picked and packed and that is the good-looking ones". But we have cracked, marked or wonky ones that won't travel well to chain stores. The women are part of a collective of farmers' wives who look at how they can add value to "ugly" or "odd" produce.

Well done Jason – Forestdale to the fore.



For non-urgent matters after the event, i.e., goods stolen from cars, house broken into etc.

**BROWNS PLAINS POLICE STATION**  
**3802 7100**

And is to be mainly used to speak with someone, get advice, or matters of a minor nature  
**HOON HOTLINE ON 13HOON (13 4666)**