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Joe and Gloria Dickerson would like to thank the many friends, family and local businesses who have always supported us in our effort to raise funds for Cystic Fibrosis - a life-threatening illness - to which our sons Paul and Anthony succumed at ages 11 and 13 years.

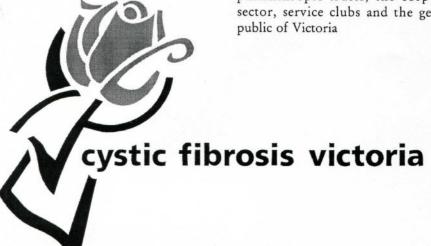
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A FISH CALLED EMMA

WATCHOUTFOR ONE OF OUR LOCALS!

Emma Neely as a member of the Sunbury Swimming Club and has been selected to represent Victoria at the Pacific School Games in Sydney. Emma has been selected to represent Victoria in the 50 and 100 metres Backstroke events.

The Pacific School Games are a significant event, 48 countries have been invited to attend these games and it is being referred as a "Junior Olympics". The Pacific Games will be held in April - May 2000. Emma and her family are

Romsey Residents and Emma is well-known at Romsey Primary School for her sporting prowess. Emma possesses a sporting talent that gives her opportunity to compete at Victorian State level in Swimming, Cross Country and Athletics. The team fly to Sydney on April 28th and the cost per team member will be approximately \$1,000.

Local fundraisers to help support Emma's entry into these games will begin shortly so we ask all Romsey Rag Readers to assist any way they can.





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Collating for the April Issue of the Romsey Rag will be on Monday 27th March at 9:00am.

If you are available to help with collating, there are a number of jobs to be done at this stage including collating, stapling, folding, etc. please notify the Romsey Primary School office or the Collation Co-ordinators.

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TWILIGHT FAMILY FUN WALK

As we were fortunate enough to be given a grant by the Macedon Ranges wire Council to hold an event to mark astralia Day, 2000 - we had organised a Twilight Family Fun Walk on Australia Day - but due to the heavens opening exactly when it was all just about to happen! the walk was re-scheduled to the Saturday night, 29th January.

Around 60 walkers started out from Romsey Police Station and 70 from Lancefield Police Station and followed the route of the proposed track which had been slashed by Ian Wilkins, (Slashez, Romsey) who had been commissioned by the Macedon Ranges Shire Council to do this on our behalf. We all met in the middle - in Merril O'Rourke's paddock on the corner of Boundary Road - slashed by Ian as well - and the Australian Flag proudly wing in the wind! Members of the committee set up the BBQ kindly loaned to us by the Lions Club for which we thank them - pitched a tent (just in case),

committee set up the BBQ kindly loaned to us by the Lions Club for which we thank them - pitched a tent (just in case), a porta loo (just in case! - down wind!!) and a few seats and tressles from which we served some 400 sausages on bread and cordial to quench the thirst! - all free for the many weary souls who had had such a great time getting to us! Cans of Soft drinks were also available at \$1 each. The kids played cricket and the adults had a great old chat - many who joined the throng were unable to do the walk but had driven to Boundary Road.

Mrs. Jean Tom, our President, presented a \$50 Dromkeen voucher to winner of our logo competition - .ss Claire McCrory of New Gisborne Primary School (donated by Cr. Geoff Neil) and a \$50 voucher also goes to her school - (donated by Mr. Joe Page 2



Claire McCrory wiith her winning poster

Morabito). Jean thanked all who attended and felt their enthusiasm would give us the momentum to make this project happen!!!!

John McCarthy (Lancefield Bus Lines) then turned up with his big white bus to ferry all the Romseyites back to the police station and the Lancefield mob just kept on eating and playing cricket until he came back!!! We thank John most sincerely for this fantastic gesture of support.

Of course the whole thing would just not have been able to happen if it had not been for the generosity of Merril O'Rourke and her family for allowing us to use their paddock - we'll be forever grateful Merril!

The committee members just all pulled together and made it all work - just as we will make the track a reality with the support of the Romsey and Lancefield people and the on-going support of the Macedon Ranges Shire - especially Stephen Mahon who helps in every way he can.

An estimate compiled by the Shire on our behalf quotes a total construction figure of some \$150,000 - we do have our Centenary of Federation Grant of \$30,000 and are applying for every grant that we know of - we will shortly be sending out notices to all ratepayers in Romsey and Lancefield with an invitation to purchase a metre of track for \$20 - so watch out for this in the mail. Time is limited - the track has to be ready to celebrate the Centenary on Australia Day, 2001 - so we must all work together on this one!

Our next meeting will be held in Romsey Shire Offices on Monday, March 20th at 7.30p.m. - all are invited to attend - or if you have any ideas on grants or fundraising events please contact Margaret.

Margaret Howatson, Secretary. (Tel 54295 724)



The proposed site for the track

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= Public Notices

LEGAL NOTES PREPARED BY MAUREEN WILTSHIRE OF THE FIRM OF JAMES KELLEHER,

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NUISANCE ON COUNTRY ROAD

In 1916 a couple who lived next door to a Salvation Army meeting house obtained an injunction restraining members of the Salvation Army from participating in accompanied singing, band playing, loud ejaculations of "Amen" and "Hallelujah", hand clapping and walking and stomping on the floor at their five meetings on Sunday mornings which commenced at 7.00am.

In 1973 another couple obtained an junction restraining their neighbour from singing, shouting, whistling and swearing out on the street in from of the couple's home when he was inebriated.

In September, 1999 the Supreme Court of Victoria delivered its judgement in Geoffrey v. Honig (unreported, 1999). In that case the Magistrate had granted an injunction prohibiting a farmer from driving his cows on a public roadway on the basis that the blocking off of the road, and damage to the road surface and drains, and smells from cow excrement amounted to an interference with the adjoining neighbour's use and enjoyment of his property and constituted a private nuisance.

The Magistrate found that there had been physical discomfort as well as actual damage and granted an injuction absolutely prohibiting the farmer from ever driving any cows along the road in question.

On appeal, the Magistrate's injunction was set aside. In substitution, the Supreme Court ordered that the farmer be restrained from using the road "so as to constitute a nuisance to landholders and/or their tenants". In other words, the farmer could use the road to drive his cows provided that it did not constitute a legal nuisance.

As to what would constitute a legal nuisance in these circumstances, the Judge said:

- closing the road for 15 minutes in the morning and 30-45 in the afternoon, one day in three is not likely to constitute an actionable nuisance;
- substantial damage to the road's surface and neighbouring drains is likely to constitute a nuisance;

 the depositing, without removal to a reasonable degree, of cow excrement in such quantities as to make the road slippery and as to create unpleasant and continuing odours for those living just off the road may constitute a nuisance.

The case illustrates the principle that in all nuisance actions, a court must be satisfied that the annoyance is substantial and unreasonable taking into account its character and duration, the character of the neighbourhood and the purpose of the activity. This assessment will also involve a balancing, on standards of reasonableness of the coexiting rights of all those involved in the action. In his case the Supreme Court overturned the Magistrate's decision because there was no evidence that his balancing exercise had taken place.

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M. P. Wiltshire

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ROMSEY UNITING CHURCH

We are all really pleased to have the Williams family happily residing in William Street, Romsey and look forward to Year 2000 being a time of blessing and growth for us all.

We specially think of Sharon, Alan and Charis at this time as Charis faces remedial surgery to her little cleft palate in the Royal Children's Hospital at the of February and we ask for God's blessing and healing there.

Our recently reformed K.U.C.A. CLUB (Kids of the Uniting Church) will meet for the first time on Friday 25th February, 2000, between the hours of 5.00pm and 6.30pm at the Church. It will cater for children in Grades 5, 6 and 7.

On Shrove Tuesday (7th March) there will be pancakes for teach at the church at 6.00pm - provided by our Men's Group.

Ash Wednesday (8th March) Lenten Reflection in the church at 7.30pm.

Congregational Picnic at Stracks farm at Hesket on Sunday 19th March at 12.00 midday. All Welcome.

A Progressive Dinner will be held on Friday 31st March with Sips & Dips at the Manse - home of the Williams Family - 25 Williams Street, Romsey 6.30 - 7.30pm.

Main Course - at the home of Elizabeth Brown - 22 Regan Drive, Romsey 30pm to 9.00pm with Desserts, Tea/ coffee and Milo at the Sunday School Hall - 9.00pm - 11.00pm

Single Tickets \$10

Double Tickets \$20

Family Tickets \$25

Tickets available from Roma Clement 5429 5225, Helen Clement 5429 5317 or Helen Quinn 5429 5358

or at Weekly worship services. Sunday School classes continue to be held at 9.am each Sunday.

Lenten Studies led by Rev. Alan will commence at the home of Elizabeth Brown, 22 Regan Drive, Romsey, on Monday 13th March, continuing on 20th, 27th March and 3rd April from 7.30pm - 9.30pm. We will be using the Basics workbook costing \$10 for those wishing to have one.

An All Age Worship Service is planned for Sunday 5th March, at 9.00am and our usual Holy Communion Service will be transferred to Sunday 12th March at 9.00am.

The words below are of a hymn from Alan's Induction Service and used again at our U.C.A.F. Commitment service held on Wednesday 9th February, and are included here for your encouragement.

Oh Where are You Going? Oh where are you going And can I come with you And what is our method For keeping alive:
No pack or possessions, No clothing or shelter
No food to sustain you How can you survive?

Oh where are you going, And can I come with you, And why is your company Never the same? Your sat among beggars, You argue with bankers Debate with the lawyers And walk with the lame

Oh where are your going And can I come with you And what can you show For your talents and time No profit from trading No thing of your making No mark or momento No picture or rhyme?

Oh where are you going
And can I come with you
And what is the secret
Towards which you strive?
What hidden inspirer
What unseen admirer
What dream is the substance
Upon which you thrive?

I'm going on a journey
And welcome companions
But don't ask me
How we'll survive, where we'll go
Or who will come with us
Or what we'll be doing
Just join me in travelling
And learn all I know.

Our March U.C.A.F. Meeting is to be on a "Good Fun" Theme and will be held at the Sunday School Hall on Wednesday, 8th March, at 1.30pm. All welcome to come and join us.

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Due to publishing deadlines, we are unable to provide a general run down of what has happened at our previous meeting. With this in mind, we will now focus on general tips and upcoming meetings.

Tip of the Month

If you use Windows 95/98 and Office 97/2000 then you can perform file management while opening files. This is not only relevant to Microsoft programs, but can be done with most programs that are written for Windows 95/98.

If you want to delete or rename a file: open a folder in your usual manner (either by clicking on the [open] folder on the toolbar or by selecting "File, Open") in the file open dialog highlight the file you want to rename/delete. Right click on the file and select the appropriate action from the pop-up menu.

FUTURE MEETINGS

Third Sunday of each month
19 Mar, 16 Apr, 21 May
2:00 p.m. at BUNGAWITTA (old
primary school) in ROMSEY Cnr.
Palmer and Main Rds.
Bring a plate for afternoon tea

Got a problem?

If you have a computer problem you would like addressed please feel free to come along to our next open forum meeting that we are continuing to hold so that everyone can benefit. To assist in the resolution of your problem, you can either bring in your computer or print a description of any error message(s) and a copy of your configuration files.



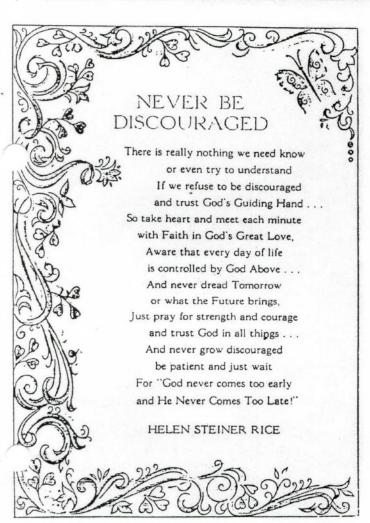
March 2000 Meeting

Coming soon to the Computer Cluba seminar for beginners. This seminar is targeted for those who may be overwhelmed by the technology associated with the information age. More details on dates and times should be available at the meeting, along with dates and times in this column. We will also be discussing the clubs' new web presence.

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Sr. Frances (Convent); 5429 1582

Mass Times

10am Romsey

7.30pm Lancefield

Sundays of the month 1st, 3rd

2nd, 4th, 5th Lancefield

8am

Romsey

10am Romsey Lancefield

Daily Masses: as advertised in the weekly bulletin.

Reconciliation (Confession): 11am Saturday or by

arrangement

PRAYER LIFE

 Rosary recited before weekday Masses and Sat. night Mass.

Rosary also recited at St Mary's Church, Romsey

every Friday 2.30pm.

 'Holy Name of Jesus' Charismatic Prayer Group: Tuesday 11am -12.30pm at 57 Metcalfe Drive, Romsey. Please contact: Merle De Silva 5429 5672. *We are a praying community and if you request prayers for family or individual needs please write clearly, no names necessary, to: The Holy Name of Jesus Prayer Group, 57 Metcalfe Drive, Romsey.

 Christian Meditation (silent prayer) St Mary's Church, Romsey. Monday. 8-9pm. (side door), or

Ph Stephen 5429 5907

DROP IN CENTRE

Vincent De Paul Conference Lancefield/Romsey welcomes our community to the Drop In Centre at St. Mary's Church Hall, Main Street, Romsey on the 1st Thursday of every month... 2nd March, 6 April 10.30am start. Coffee/tea morning and afternoons. A table of goods is also offered, plus card games and more. 20c for card game...money distributed among winners! lunch. Come to just look...Come to chat and be part of the fun. For transport ph. 5429 2130

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GIFTS OF THE SPIRIT

Camberwell Civic Centre, Sat 19th Feb 2000

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A celebration of Associations of Ecclesial Movements in the Church. Open to all.

Includes: 11.30am Concelebrated Mass (main celebrant His Grace Archbishop Pell)

4.00pm Address by Bishop Joe Grech: 'Jesus is Alive' (For further information see program on Church notice board)

RETROUVAILLE

Re-discover the joy that marriage can bring. First program will be held on March 10th -12th. Strengthen

your relationship with each other. Confidential enquiries 0730 2724

JUBILEE 2000

The Catholic Church has proclaimed the year 2000 a Jubilee year. Requirements of a Jubilee are: 1 Let the land lie fallow, 2 Proclaim freedom, 3 Practice forgiveness, 4 Do justice, 5 Hold a great

Jubilee's biblical roots: Many biblical sources provide clues to the meaning of Jubilee, but three Scripture texts are primary in answering the question, "Just what is a Jubilee?" One text is in Chapter 4 of St. Luke's Gospel. The others, from the Old Testament, are Chapter 61 of the Book of Isaiah and Chapter 25 of the Book of Leviticus.

For more information:

http://www.vatican.va/jubilee-200/Index.htm http://www.americancatholic.org/Newsletters//MM/ap0 299.asp

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

This year the World Day of Prayer will be celebrated at St Mary's Catholic Church in Lancefield on Friday 3rd March beginning at 10am with Bible study. service will commence at 11am followed by a shared lunch. All welcome.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

A Men's Breakfast will be held at St Lancefield at 8am on Saturday 11th March. Enjoy the celebration of Mass followed by a delicious breakfast and fellowship with your brothers-in-Christ.

CELEBRATION-REUNION IN OUR PARISH

Celebrating God's gifts: 80 years of Josephite presence in our parish of Lancefield/Romsey and also of the gift of 70 years of Catholic Education in our community. Sunday 26th March. (8am Romsey), 11am Lancefield followed by a free BBQ luncheon in the school grounds. Past students and teachers, photos, memories revisited. A great feast!

PENTECOST 2000

Saturday 17th June, Camberwell Civic Centre Ecumenical Celebration and Worship. Registration mailed before June 2nd adult \$15, married couple \$20, pensioner/student\$10 Registration on day \$20, \$25, \$15 Phone 9629 2544

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE WEEKEND This is a weekend for separated, divorced and widowed people. Designed to be a time of closure on the past, and a new beginning in the present. First program March 24th - 26th. Further information Jenny 9741 1208

"In the twilight of life, God will not judge our earthly possessions and human success, but rather on how much we have loved." St. John of the Cross

from the Council Chambers

COUNCILLOR GEOFF NEIL - MONEGEETTA WARD

Council elections are on Saturday March 18th. Only one nomination was received for both the Monegeetta and Jackson Creek Wards. Residents in Mt William Ward (Romsey - north of Romsey Rd/Barry St) and Barringo Ward (Riddells Creek - west of Main Road and South of Sandy Creek Rd) are required to go to the polls. Voting is compulsory.

Fireworks are causing problems around the municipality. I must advise that to possess and use creackers, skyrockets etc a permit from Workcover is required (they are deemed to be explosives). During the fire danger period a permit is also required from the C.F.A. Penalties for breaches of these regulations are quite iff. Dalys Bridge reconstruction has

been put back until at least April as the job is retendered due to the original quotes being exorbitant. Public meetings for the Residential & Industrial Review strategy will be held in Riddells Creek on 1st March at 7.00pm (Senior Citizens Centre) and Romsey on 9th March at 7.00pm (Old Shire Offices). The tender for works in Main Rd, Riddells Creek (construction of asphalt and brick footpath etc.) has been let for an amount of \$46,000. Works should be starting There will be some shortly. inconvenience to pedestrians but please be patient.

The Rural Addressing Program is virtually complete. A plea to all landowners (irrespective of rural, town or business) to ensure that their property number is appropriately displayed. This assists visitors, tradespersons and emergency services to locate you quickly. Design work on the bridge over the railway line between Riddells Creek and Gisborne is nearing completion. I am very hopeful (with a substantial government grant) that the bridge will be replaced within the next 18 months.

Finally, another reminder for those that need to vote - Saturday March 18th. Pre Poll voting will be available as it was last time. Further details in local papers.

Till next time

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Priorities and Democracy.

A Final Word by Harry Dreger

Well, the Christmas break is over and it's back to 'normal' for most of us. The readers will be well aware that I have been quiet for the last couple of months. My wife told me to let peace prevail before Christmas, so I did, and I have only been able to put pen to paper again now. But what am I going to grizzle about now?

Is it the Regional Forest Agreement, (which I hop has been rejected by the time you read this), or will I grizzle about the amazing amount of ratepayers money 'wasted' on consultants (it seems another e has been hired to recommend who ould be our next CEO. That should be interesting). No, I'm going to talk about the up coming council elections...

For some time now, I have been complaining about what I believe is a council that no longer represents the people and has a spending policy that is at the best, 'wasteful'. Priorities and Democracy seems to be a thing of the past. I truly hope that changes with a new council. It's often been said to me, "it's easy to complain, but what are you actually going to DO about it?". In answer: I will be running for council in the Mt William Ward at the up coming elections.

So, what can you expect from me if I successful? What will I promise if you see me in?.... Well, I will promise very little. I was always taught that to promise people something that is out of your control to deliver, is to lie to them, and I Page 14

will not base my 'campaign' on lies. So I won't promise, the hospitals, industrial estates, lower rates, new industries, jobs etc., etc., that have been promised in other election. Although those thing would be nice, and doubtless everybody would support them if they happened. However, I will promise the following...

- · I will run for council on the basis of getting the people of the Mt William Ward fair, proper and democratic representation with Local council. It is my intention to represent the ratepayers, not dictate to them
- I will fight to get the people of this ward a fair and proportional allocation of resources and services for the rates they pay. Mt William is the third biggest ward and contributes substantially to the Shire, yet we are continually treated like the 'poor ignored cousin'.
- to return some reality and prioritsation back into resource and funds allocation. I am at a loss to see how we can limit budget to infant welfare, roads, aged care etc., yet allocate funds to the myriad of 'pet projects' that council has done.
- Councillors are currently entitled to a wage (up to \$12,000 and \$36,00 for the mayor). This is to cover councillors costs (which can be considerable) and provide a personal income to recompense the councillor for his/her time. It is my intention to reject the personal income

and I donate the money back to the Mt William Ward to be used as the residents see fit.

- I will stand against 'pet projects' such as 'grants to sister cities', and the countless 'special interest' projects and 'deals' that happen until all the ratepayers get proper attention to the basic requirements of roads, water supply, refuse disposal and issues such as aged, youth and child care etc.
- · I will stand against Council (or State Government enforced) legislation, regulations or costs that impose a further drain on the resources or the finances of the ratepayers unless the ratepayers indicate a true and real majority support for such a move.
- I will not support issues under pressure from vocal and outspoken 'special interest' groups when these issues effect the whole community unless the majority of the community show clear support for such action. I will represent ALL ratepayers, not just a vocal minority.

In short, I hope to be able to deliver PRIORITIES AND DEMOCRACY.

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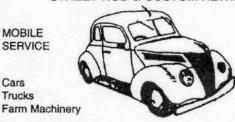
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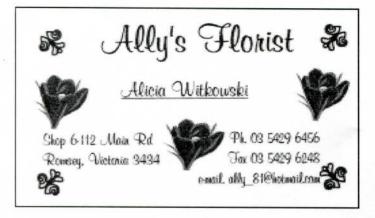
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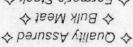
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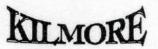
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