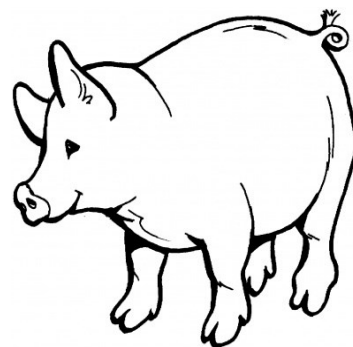
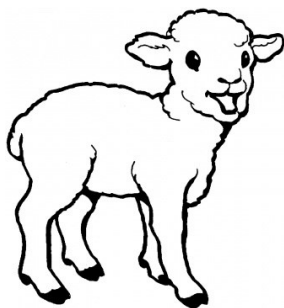


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● **It's Show Time** ●



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A quiet word From The Editor...

Hi All,

Last month has been a quiet one with clubs starting to get organised to help at their local shows or even run a ute competition at them, good luck to all clubs helping at their local shows.

This month is looking busy with upcoming Rodeos, Ute comps, warm weather, Shows and the Rural Youth Tooms Lake Tumbler, hope to see you all out and about at the upcoming events.

Please remember that the newsletter deadline is the

THIRD FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH!!!

Please endeavour to have all reports/photos/adverts and anything else to me by this date.

Until next time..

Deyarna Bowen

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Presidents Report



Hi Everyone

Rural Youth Council held their meeting in September and will be holding another meeting the third week in October to discuss continuing plans for Tooms Lake Tumbler and the Mystery Bus Tour.

In the last month Rural Youth Council members have been busy getting their budgets together to make up the Rural Youth budget which will go to the Resource Allocation Committee for approval at the end of October.

Members around the State are busily getting prepared for their local Shows which kicked off with Burnie at the start of October. I wish all our members the very best of luck participating at their local Show, whether it is through Ute Competitions, Animal Nurseries or Rural Ambassador Awards. Good luck and enjoy participating in the local community events!

Its amazing how quickly Christmas approaches, with only a couple of months until everyone can begin to enjoy the time off celebrating with family!! Rural Youth Council members will be celebrating with a Christmas function before the busy season hits with our last meeting for the year and a Christmas dinner. If you would like to come along please contact myself for further information.

Until next month, enjoy the weather and have fun!

Simone Hayers
Rural Youth State President 2014



Callum Wood and Kaysie Wood (nee Lade)

CONGRATULATIONS

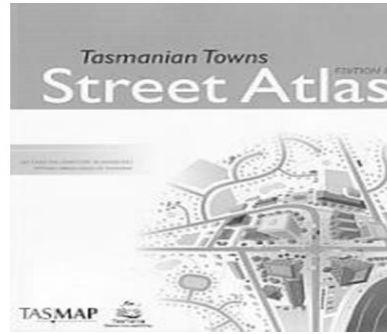
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May your future together bring you all
the happiness and love and all that you
wish for



MYSTERY BUS

Rural Youth Tasmania
MYSTERY BUS TOUR
December 5th, 6th & 7th



TRAVEL THE UNKNOWN

It's not the
DESTINATION
It's the
JOURNEY!

DO YOU LIKE MYSTERY?

Rural Youth are heading on an adventure... location **UNKNOWN!**

- **THE PLAN:** Assemble at Quercus Park the night of the 5th December, there will be a bus organised from each Region (Northern, Southern & North West) You can hop on the bus, or meet us by 8pm at Quercus that night!
- **This is where our adventure starts!** With only the event organiser, the bus drivers and the State President knowing what is planned for this adventure, we are not open to bribes BUT we will guarantee you a weekend of fun, friendships, memories and travel!

This is a FREE weekend for all members to get involved in!

RSVP by 24th November 2014 to Kate by text/phone 0409 295 158 or emailing
Anthony.katiecoad@bigpond.com

OR you can join our Facebook event:

<https://www.facebook.com/events/279594955559588/?fref=ts>

ARE YOU READY FOR THE RY MYSTERY BUS TOUR???

Enquiries: Kate 0409 295 158 or Simone 0409 316 158

Central Highlands

Central Highlands members have been busy this past month.

Our members attended the shooting competition at Bracknell and had a fantastic day. Thanks again to those who organised the day.

Central Highland results in the shooting comp:

Phillip Downham 1st in men's clay

Anthony Franklin 2nd in men's field

Andrea White 1st in the woman's section

Sam Larder 3rd in the woman's section

Five of our members attended the Ouse Craft Fair on the 18th of October. We had our own stall selling sheep manure and our Christmas raffle as well as volunteering our time on the Friday and Saturday to help set up and clean up afterwards. We all had a fantastic day getting out in our community and in the process, signing up another four members which is fantastic.

A club night was held at Putters Adventure mini golf in New Town where we also celebrated member Phil's 30th birthday. **Happy 30th Phil**, also we would like to wish our club secretary a Happy Birthday.

We would like to congratulate Kaysie & Callum on their recent wedding celebrations, congratulations guys we wish you all the very best.

Our club has been asked to attend the Gelnora School Assembly and give a talk on Rural Youth and what it involves. We will start involving the school in selected club activities where we can and looking forward to building a strong relationship with them through their agricultural program.

We are also attending the Highland Bush Festival in November which is showcasing everything rural and runs over two days—and the Brighton Agricultural Show Ute comp on the 9th November. Andrea has flyers up on the Face Book page , we hope to see some familiar utes on the day.

If anyone is after some sheep manure we have some left after the Craft Fair @ \$5 a bag or 5 bags for \$20 - contact Anthony if you would like some on 0427 604 913.

Until next month

Central Highlands Rural Youth





November 2014

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MOWBRAY
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CAMPING TRIP @
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@ BRIGHTON
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RURAL YOUTH
COUNCIL
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XMAS
CELEBRATION

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TOOMS LAKE
TUMBLER

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*** CLUB MEETINGS ARE ONLY A GUIDE PLEASE CONTACT THE CLUB PRESIDENT TO CONFIRM.



December 2014

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AGFEST MTG

NEWSLETTER
REPORTS DUE

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CHRISTMAS DAY BOXING DAY

29	30	31				
		NEW YEARS EVE				

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A New Offer for Members

The hotel Grand Chancellor are offering Rural Youth members and their families, a very competitive room rate at any of their establishments in Australia and New Zealand.

You can stay in a Deluxe Room for \$125 per night, with complimentary Wi-Fi. Breakfast and car parking not included and there are some “blackout dates” in peak times, so you will need to check. Reservations can be made by calling free phone 1800 SLEEPY (Aus) or 0800 2 SLEEP (NZ) and ask for the Special Rural Youth Rate.

..... Just another benefit of being a Rural Youth Member.

Agriculture Subsidies

The Australian Women’s Leadership Symposium has become synonymous with excellence and achievement and is attended annually by a diverse cross section of female leaders and professionals.

Held in key locations around Australia, the national program is the most highly attended women’s leadership initiative in the country and has become a platform for exploring a wide variety of important leadership and diversity issues.

The 2014 Tasmania symposium is scheduled for November 28.

Limited attendance grants encourage the ongoing participation of women from a wide range of backgrounds in this important national forum.

Twenty attendance grants have been made available for women in the agricultural sector. Grant recipients will have their registration fee reduced from \$1295 to just \$595.

To discuss involvement in the 2014 Australian women’s Leadership Symposium contact WLA on 1300 735 904

Chairmans Report

Hi all,

Agfest excitedly launched our new website on the 1st of October along with the application form for 2015 which is now a web based form. Within the first week there were 50 applications completed and over half had clicked on the link to look at the form, now three weeks down the track there are 462 applications completed or in progress. Broken down as follows:

- ⇒ 193 checked
- ⇒ 251 Incomplete
- ⇒ 18 pending checking

On Saturday the 25th October a group of Agfest members represented Agfest & RY at the annual Launceston Chamber of Commerce CGU Business Awards. From 11000 businesses in northern Tasmania, 113 applications for the 17 categories a combined 57 finalists, and there were 3 finalists in our Building Communities category.

A huge pat on the back to everyone involved, it's a great effort.

Also the catering tender is out so if you know of someone interested please put them in contact with the office.

Next meeting

- 31st October at Hobart show grounds
- 12th December at Quercus 8pm start.

Amanda Bayles
Agfest Chairman 2015

Central Highlands

Tas Rodeo Dates 2014 - 2015

November 1	Melton Mowbray
January 10	Carrick
January 17	Ulverstone
January 26	Harveydale
February 14	Ross
March 7	Gowrie Park
March 21	Deep South Event



Media Training

Rural Youth Council is providing Media Workshop that runs for 2 – 3 hours to all members that are interested.

Below is an outline of what the workshop will cover:

- * Understanding the media – what makes news? Examples of potential news items
- * Preparing for a media interview – tips
- * Different Media – Different needs – understanding print, radio, television, online, ‘no comment’, ‘off the record’, corrections, legal issues – defamation, grooming tips.
- * Organising media events – timing, midday radio news, weekend or weekday?
Locations, pictures, ‘talent’, letting the media know.
- * Preparing Media Alerts and Media Releases – tips for writing media alerts and releases.

The training will be held at no cost to members in 2015, courses being run in January, February and March (dates to be advised).

If you are interested in joining a session please contact State President, Simone Hayers who will provide further details once dates have been locked in, and keep an eye on future newsletters!

**THANKYOU TO ALL OUR RURAL YOUTH
AND AGFEST SPONSORS 2014**



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The **AGFEST** newspaper



29TH NOVEMBER

ANNOUNCEMENT OF BAND AND OTHER
EVENT DETAILS WILL BE DISPLAYED ON THE

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TUMBLER/ 246464528824756?FREF=TS](https://www.facebook.com/pages/RY-TOOMS-LAKE-TUMBLER/246464528824756?fref=ts)

ARE YOU READY TO GET A LITTLE COLOURFUL?

For further information, contact:

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