



NSW POLICE

Neighbourhood Watch

WHEN: *Wednesday 13th February 7PM*

WHERE: *Mountain View Village Community Centre*

GUEST: *Phil Davison - The Men's Shed*

Help us to help you!!!!

SUPPER SERVED . . . ALL WELCOME . . .

ENQUIRIES: Marilyn Gilmore - 6672 2013

Annette Douglas- 6672 2141

LOCAL INCIDENTS



Report to
Facebook
"Eyewatch
Tweed Byron
LAC"

The telephone number
to call to report a
crime or suspicious
activity is the Police
Assistance Line

131 444

Neighbourhood Watch – Area 14

This Newsletter has been classified by NSW Police as NOT JUNK MAIL.

Welcome to Neighbourhood Watch Area 14

Firstly, many thanks to the 2 residents who took on positions at our AGM in November. Annette Douglas is our Secretary/Treasurer and Jenny Phillips our Publicity Officer.

We do still need help from one person with our guest speakers. This is a very small job, only 3 times for 2013.

Soon winter will be upon us and a good time to check the batteries in the smoke alarms. House fires are much more prevalent in winter. Our Area 14 Crime Report for December is very pleasing, hopefully this trend

will continue, however there were 60 reported incidents in Murwillumbah during December. Please remember to always ask for an Incident report number when reporting any type of crime.

This meeting we have Mr Phil Davison from the Bray Park Men's Shed, I'm sure this will be a very informative evening.

Please join us for 2 hours, we need the support of our residents to keep our Neighbourhood Watch "alive".

See you on the 13th - *Merilyn*

CRIME REPORT

	OCT	NOV	DEC
<i>Break and Enter</i>	-	3	-
<i>Malicious Damage</i>	-	3	-
<i>Stolen Vehicles</i>	1	-	-
<i>Stealing</i>	2	-	1
<i>Stealing from vehicle</i>	2	-	-

Report ALL crime ... & ask for an incident number

* These are the reported incidents within our area 14 boundary. Please report ALL CRIME, no matter how small the incidents may seem, ask for an incident report number so the police can follow up and investigate the situation. We have had recent unreported incidents in our area. It's up to us to help policing.

**OVERALL REPORTED
INCIDENTS IN
MURWILLUMBAH**

OCT - 40

NOV - 63

DEC - 60

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Police, Fire, Ambulance

000

In an emergency

Crime Stoppers

1800 333 000

Report crime anonymously

Police Assistance Line

131 444

For non emergencies

FACEBOOK IS NOT FOR EMERGENCY USE



NSW FIRE BRIGADES

WINTER FIRE SAFETY CHECK

It is during the winter that residents of NSW suffer the greatest threat from smoke and fire in the home. We list below a check list for your safety.

- ✓ Install at least ONE smoke alarm
- ✓ Have a home escape plan in case of fire
- ✓ Never leave cooking unattended
- ✓ Place a screen in front of an open fire
- ✓ Have a fire extinguisher and a fire blanket located in the kitchen near exit
- ✓ Use only one appliance per power point and switch off when not in use
- ✓ Keep portable heaters away from curtains and bedding
- ✓ Check electric blankets for any damaged or frayed cord
- ✓ Clean the lint filter of your clothes dryer
- ✓ Only use fuses of recommended rating
- ✓ If absolutely necessary, place wet clothing a minimum of 1 metre from heaters/fires, NEVER leave unattended
- ✓ Check chimney is clean and the fireplace is repaired

IN CASE OF FIRE RING 000 AND ASK FOR FIRE BRIGADES

When you call • Stay calm • Stay focussed • Stay on the line

When you call 000 you are connected first to Telstra who transfer you to the relevant emergency service.
Stay on the line till all the emergency details are given.

Marked & Recorded Valuables

Kids back at school?

Are their items clearly marked for identification: bikes, calculators etc.

Just as important as household good, marked school items can save a lot of expense & heartache.....plus.....more chances of recovery.



Eyewatch – a Facebook initiative for reporting crime in our area

To report or read about our area, go to facebook and type in:

Eyewatch Tweed-Byron-LAC (Local Area Command)

Please remember, this is not for emergency situations (you still need to dial 000)



MEETING DATES FOR 2013

February 13th

May 8th

August 14th

November 13th

(Second Wednesday of the month) ... **7PM**





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