

Broughton Vale Berry Rural Fire

Service Report - August 2004

It's PERMIT time again...Everyone in the Rural Fire Service Areas is now required to have a permit to light a fire. An inspection, of what is to be burnt, is now required before a permit can be issued. Permits can be issued for up to 21 days, depending on the circumstances at the time. Everyone is required to give 24 hours notice to adjoining properties and Shoalhaven Fire Control, before lighting fires.

Permit issuing officers are volunteers so please give them as much notice as possible so a mutually convenient time for the inspection can be arranged - in most cases permits will not be able to be issued on the day of first contact with the officers. NO COST is involved in obtaining a permit but it can save local RFS brigades being called out to false alarms.

During the warmer months often 2 or 3 brigades can be called out to respond to incidences, only to find out it is someone burning a pile of sticks or the like, that is under control and not causing any problems. Permits can alleviate these problems and save time and money. Please keep our region safe and organise for a fire permit this season.

The following people can be contacted for Fire Permits:

Scott Galbraith - Captain
Mobile: 0402 415 533

John Milne - Senior- Deputy
Mobile: 0427 641 445

Jeff Fahl - Deputy
Mobile: 0419 280 673

BERRY VETERINARY CLINIC

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**ATTENTION TO ALL DOG & CAT
OWNERS
YOU DON'T WANT TO MISS THIS**

Is your animal 8 years or older?
Then by veterinary standards your animal is considered "geriatric"

DON'T WORRY

That's what we at Berry Vet Clinic are here for - not only to treat SICK animals But to make sure HEALTHY older animals stay that way. Even healthy older animals get the same sort of problems that older healthy people do e.g. Arthritis, Sugar Diabetes, Weight gain, Heart disease etc.

On October 6 we are having a night for all owners of senior pets.

To keep you informed of the latest treatments and management tricks to keep your beloved furry family members with you happy and healthy for a very long time.

**At the Berry Bowling Club,
start 7 - 7.30 pm
Light Refreshments will be
provided**

Meals on Wheels AGM

The Meals on Wheels Annual General Meeting held in the CWA rooms on Monday 16th August 2004. The meeting commenced at 10:30 am and was well attended. Following normal Cooperative business all positions were declared vacant and elections were held the returning officer, Zone Coordinator Janet Luxton, who later addressed the meeting on her role in the Cooperative.

The following honorary committee positions were filled:

President:
Vernon Groves
Vice President:
Margaret Bull
Secretary:
Marilyn Kellett
Treasurer:
Don Clare
Roster Clerk/Coordinator:
John Macleod.
Publicity Officer:
Kevin Bull

The next ordinary meeting will be held on Monday 20th September. The commencement time for all general meetings on the third tuesday of each month is 9:30 am.

Kevin Bull

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Sunday 27 September

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