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The Jinga

The Jinga is a community newsletter produced by Cann River P-12 College, for the school and the wider community to enjoy.

You can keep up to date with what has happened and what's on the horizon. Jinga is published fortnightly on a <u>Friday</u>, throughout school terms. If you have any community information you would like published in the Jinga, please contact us at the school:

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Cut off dates for Jinga, will be every fortnight on

Wednesday

31st May 14th June 19th July 2nd August

Front Cover:

Black snake productions visit

It is free of charge to include any upcoming community events or news stories so please feel free to email anything of interest.

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Full Page advertisement \$11.00

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Thank you.

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From the Principal's desk

Acting Principal's report

As we near the middle of the term our students continue to be busy with their schoolwork, along with a range of extra-curricular activities that we have had on offer. Some highlights have included the whole school and inter-school cross country (many thanks to Tammy for coordinating this and to staff for supporting our students), the Cheeky Mac productions incursion, Drumbeat, our Mother's Day stall, the Gippsland Mobile Tech library, surfing and fishing with our year 7-10 students.

Sickness

As we enter the colder months of the year, it is inevitable that we will have an increase in sickness. To minimize the chance of spreading illness, we ask that you keep your child at home if they are sick and ring the office to let us know, so that we can arrange work for them to complete at home. We have also seen an increase in Covid in East Gippsland in recent weeks. We are required to send students home if they have Covid like symptoms. If your child tests positive to Covid we ask that you inform us as a courtesy. We will treat the knowledge of any Covid cases with the utmost discretion. If you require Covid test kits or masks please let us know.

School Uniform

Over time we have observed that there has been a reduction in the number of students wearing school uniform. There are many reasons why schools ask students to wear a school uniform, including that it gives students a sense of connection and belonging to their school, and it reduces opportunities for bullying based on what students are wearing. We would appreciate your support in making sure that your child attends school wearing their uniform. If students require school polos or hoodies just ask at the office.

Vaping information session

Another reminder about our Vaping Information session to be delivered by Gippsland Lakes Complete Health on Wednesday 31st of May. The session will run for 40 minutes, starting at 3.30, and all parents/guardians are welcome. We will provide food after the session. Please let us know if you will be joining us for catering purposes.

Kind regards,

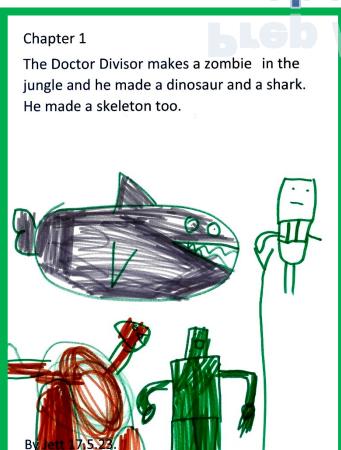
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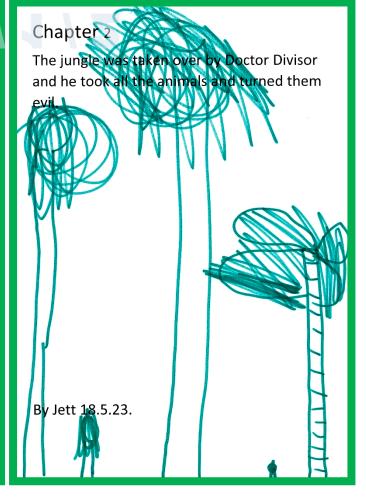
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Acting Principal



Prep / 1 / 2







Starlink is the best. It is unlimited internet. It is great because you get to download games. Wyatt 16.5.23



Prep / 1 / 2

Today we are going to Monster Truck Land. This is different today. It will be 2 tracks combined.

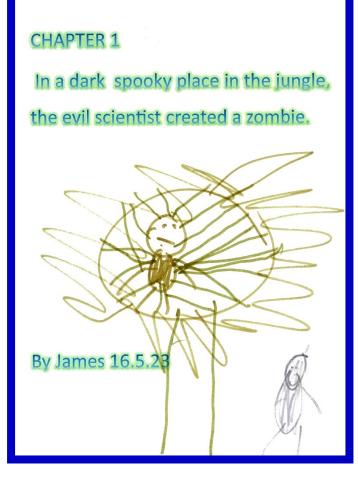
By Wyatt 17.5.23

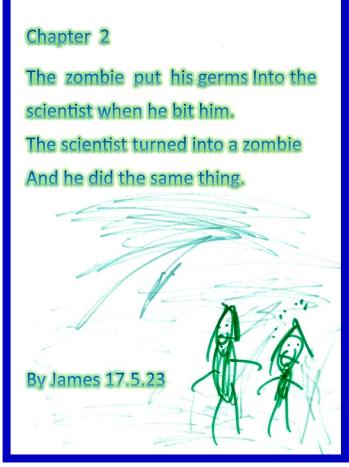


A monster truck jumped over the track. He did one front flip. It was cool. It was the best. A boy came out the truck.

By Wyatt 18.5.22







Prep / 1 / 2

We have cricket tonight. It will be fun. Hunter and Wyatt and me will play cricket. It will be good.

By James 18.5.23

Chapter 1

In a spooky under water house in a deep lake, a scientist called Therapy was creating a metal shark.



Hunter 16.5.23



Chapter2

the metal shark broke out and the metal shark grew legs.

The metal shark was fast.

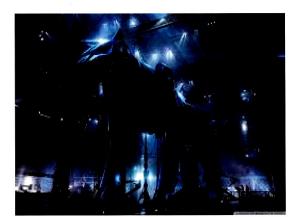
The metal shark ran away.



By Hunter 17.5.23

CHAPTER 3

The scientist created a robot dog. The dog was doing everything and some evil came to the robot dog and did the exact same as the metal shark. The robot dog ran away.



By Hunter Schaefer 18.5.23

year 3-6

Haiku poetry Corner

Over the next few weeks our class will be learning to write different styles of poetry. To begin with we have learnt the art of writing Haiku Poems! What is a Haiku Poem, I hear you ask? A haiku is a short, unrhymed poem that uses a specific three-line, seventeen-syllable format... want to know more? Just ask a Year 3-6 student from Cann River P-12 and they will teach you all about it. Watch this space for more creative poetry writing in the next Jinga.

Miss Jess

Sky

Pretty, fluffy, clouds Grey to blue looking pretty Far away, pretty By Heidi



Bottlebrushes

Big, long, red flowers Slowly swaying with the wind Spikey but still soft By Chryssie



Kittens

Naughty and playful Funny, cute, soft animals Purring when happy By Chryssie



Seaweed

There's lots of seaweed Seaweed's really beautiful Seaweed is slimy!



Dogs

Soft and cuddly Adorable animals Lots of fluffy fur



Trees

Branches reaching up Green leaves waving in the bree. Roots grow underneath

 $B_V Rub_V$



Rabbit

Adorable pet Cuddly, soft fur all over Cute, warm, fluffy tails



Pine Tree

Spiky, twisting, rough Quickly burning in bushfires Smelling beautiful By Nik



Eating amphibians Choking to death all the pests Beautiful everywhere

By Nik



Fluff balls in the sky Clouds are floating way up high

Soft and fluffy clouds

By Blake









A soft mist a floats
A gentle flowing river
Rain softly falls

By Tori

Sunset

Light up the sky Yellow, red, orange and pink Beautiful and bright By Zoe

Bandicoot
Cute and cuddly
Warm, soft, fluffy animals
Very sharp, long claws
By Zoe

Flowers blooming
Flowers are blooming
Growing in the garden bed
The flowers need rain
By Danielle

Beach

Waves are humongous
The ocean is very blue
The waves are crashing
By Tahlia

Turtle

Swimming in the sea Chasing jellyfish is fun Hard shells keep me safe *By Tahlia*



Turtle
Hidden in corals

Scurrying across the rough sand

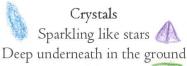
A swimmer for life

By Tori

Snow
Silently falling
Covering grass with ice flakes
Gently falling down
By Bella



Fruit bats
Hanging along caves
Fluttering from light
Following the night
By Bella



Beautiful, pretty *By Aida*



Blue
In the pretty sky
The world's favourite colour
Elegant, handsome
By Aida

X - COUNTRY

On Wednesday the 10th of May, we had the school X-country. It was a cold afternoon and due to the previous week of bad weather, we had to alter the track a bit so we weren't running through giant puddles. Thankyou to all the students who participated, either running or walking. Every single point counts on the day. Thankyou to our awesome staff, who did an amazing job on the day especially those who ran the course. It was fantastic to see so many parents and family there to cheer the kids on, but there can only be one winner on the day.

Orange house won with a total of 36 points beating Brown house by 4 points. Brown house finished with a total of 34 points.



Primary Divisional X – Country

On Monday 15th of May, we travelled to Bairnsdale to compete in the Primary Divisional X-country. Nic Maragos, Zoe Maragos and Aida Crawshaw, competed in the 9/10 year old 2km race. It was a very big occasion for the three students. They couldn't believe how many kids were there, and how many were in their race. They all competed well and ran as hard as they could. Each race had about 100 kids running in it and the results were...

Nic 42nd 9/10 yr boys

Zoe 30th 9/10 yr girls

Aida 36th 9/10 yr girls

Congratulations kids, you should be very proud of your achievements. A special shout out to Elliot Pardew who was supposed to come with us but was unfortunately sick with a cold.









9/10 Humanities Context:

Last term, students in Year 9/10 Humanities were given a task to write a letter to a significant other. The scenario the students were given, required them to make up a character who had emigrated from Great Britain to Australia in the mid nineteenth century.

A Migrant's Letter Home



To my dearest daughter Audrey. How are you? How is London? Are you still living with Aunty Phillis?

I hope you got the medication that you need. I am sorry that I got caught and could not give it to you myself. After I got caught stealing from the infirmary at the end of our street, I was sent to Norfolk prison. Norfolk prison was just off the coast of New South Wales in Australia. Prison was horrible. I was imprisoned for 7 years. I was brutally beaten and flogged every day, along with getting worked to the point of exhaustion. I was made to build roads around the prison and build walls with in the prison. When I was in prison I met a group of girls; Victoria, Mary, Violet and Harriet. They were all so lovely. You will have to meet them one day.

Once I was let out of prison I got sent to work on a really big farm in a place called Tann River in Victoria in Australia. The journey to get there was terribly long and extremely rough. I was first put on a ginormous boat filled with hundreds maybe even thousands of people. We were all tightly packed in. We only had one bathroom to share and people got tired of waiting and went on the floor. The journey to Sydney from Norfolk was 2 weeks long. After I arrived I was tied to a chair and got taken to a town called Tann River. I was transported with 2 heavily armed guards, on a horse and cart. I was fed only once a day. The journey from Sydney to Tann River was 4 months long.

Once I was in Tann River I was put to work on a ginormous beef and lamb farm in Tann River. I was forced to grow vegetables especially carrots and lettuce. I was made to slaughter the cows and sheep in order to cut them up and sell the meat. The landowners made me build silos and sheds and dig trenches and rivers and keep their farm maintained. I was also made to plant, grow, maintain and harvest all of the owners personal Tabaco. Violet and Harriet worked alongside me on the farm. I have been working on the farm for 3 years.

I was only allowed to write to you today for your birthday, so happy birthday my darling girl. I will try to see you soon. Happy birthday my love.

Love from Mother. xx

A Migrant's Letter Home

To my dearest Mother and Father,

I would have written to you sooner, but I've only just settled down in Australia.

I've moved to Queensland after being in Sydney for many years helping my dear friend Arthur Phillip with the first fleet and dealing with a number of challenging convicts.

I decided to leave Scotland and migrate to Australia to get a better job, but before I went to Australia I went to London for a couple months to see some of the family.

One day, when I was working at the loading docks in London, I met Aruthur. We had a wonderful chat and he offered me a job on his boat and I accepted the offer.

After we loaded up the boats with all the supplies, we gathered up the crew and set on our way to Botany Bay in New South Wales.

It was a long and tiring journey. Some of the crew became seasick and I had to help look after them and the food was surprisingly good but the bad thing was that we had a rat infestation in the rice bags that we had on the ship.

Crossing the Indian ocean was terrible. Most of the crew was struggling because we were sailing over unknown waters and because of it the boats started to fall apart so we had to stop and get the boats repaired. After nine long weeks we finally made it to Australia.

As the sun was rising we arrived at Botany Bay. The crew, Arthur and I were so exhausted from the trip, so we went and looked for a place to rest and settle down before we got to work.

While we were at Botany Bay we had some trouble. The bay itself was shallow and offered little protection from storms, the soil was sandy which meant none of our plants were growing and there was also no reliable freshwater.

After needing more help with planting seeds and building houses Aurthur decided we were going to go on a trip to Tasmania to collect some convicts to bring over to Botany Bay.

We loaded the boat with supplies and we were set on our way. The trip was about 12 hours, some of the crew had to sleep during the day so they could take over during the night.

When I woke in the morning I could see buildings, we were not far from land so I decided to go around and help everyone get ready to get the convicts on board.

When we arrived we got fresh supplies and some seeds as well. As the convicts were being loaded onto the boat we had to document how many convicts there were and made sure everyone was on board when we setted off on our journey home.

After a couple hours on the boat the convicts were starting to get upset and yell at the crew and for punishment Arthur told the convicts they were not allowed food till we made it back to the mainland.

After tea I wanted to sleep but I couldn't because the convicts were still yelling and now they were arguing with one another. So i layed in bed wide awake listening to the waves, people walking on the deck, and the convicts arguing.

As the morning started to begin I felt sore and dead, as I slowly made my way on to the deck as I looked out to sea I could see the shore slowly appearing. The crew and I got the convicts organized to leave the boat.

As the boat comes to a hard stop we start to unload the convicts and put them into different groups for their new jobs. As they are getting separated, some of the crew members are explaining what jobs the convicts have to do.

We had to teach the convicts how to construct roads and buildings, and how to garden and harvest food. We created our own little village.

Over time our small village turned into a town, then a city. Arthur and I moved away from Sydney to build more towns.

Arthur moved to Melbourne and that's when I moved to Queensland, the two of us still keep in touch and help each other come up with new ideas or better solutions.

The beautiful place I've helped build in Queensland is wonderful. I wish you could see it, maybe one day you two could come visit me.

Sincerely,

Your son Archie

Hailey Gardner



To Brooke

It's been 8 mouths since I last seen you. It's been a long slow 8 mouth that has gone past. I've come to Australia to find work on the goldfields and make some money for us and our baby boy.

Before I came to Australia the boat ride was very long and boring. It was very smelly and stinky. I meet a lot of new people on the boat a lot of different cultures of people. When I first came to Australia I landed in Melbourne and stayed there for 2 mouths trying to find work but had no hope. I started to move around Victoria and then came to a place called Bendigo. There were some goldminers there so I went over to them to see if I could start to find some gold to help us.

The man I asked to start goldmining wanted some information about me. I said my name is john smith I'm 21 years old and I've come from Bitchfield England. Over the last 6 mouths as I've been in Bendigo, I have found a lot of gold because I've been moving around away from the other miners, so I don't get the gold stole from me, and I have more of it to find.

I think if you where to move over to Australia we would have a better life because the more gold I find the richer we will be, and our baby boy would have a better live to life. Please come to Australia I think we will have a better live I know it.

To my love Brooke XX



A Migrant's Letter Home

Dear My Love,

It's been 2 years since I last see you and Baxter, and I haven't received a letter from you in over 6 months. I decided to move over here because I needed better work to supply you and our son with enough money to lock after yourselves.

Over here is so much better then there, I moved to this new spot, 16 months ago and I love it. The beach is just down the road while the bush is my back yard. I can't wait until you move here, it's only 2 months away.

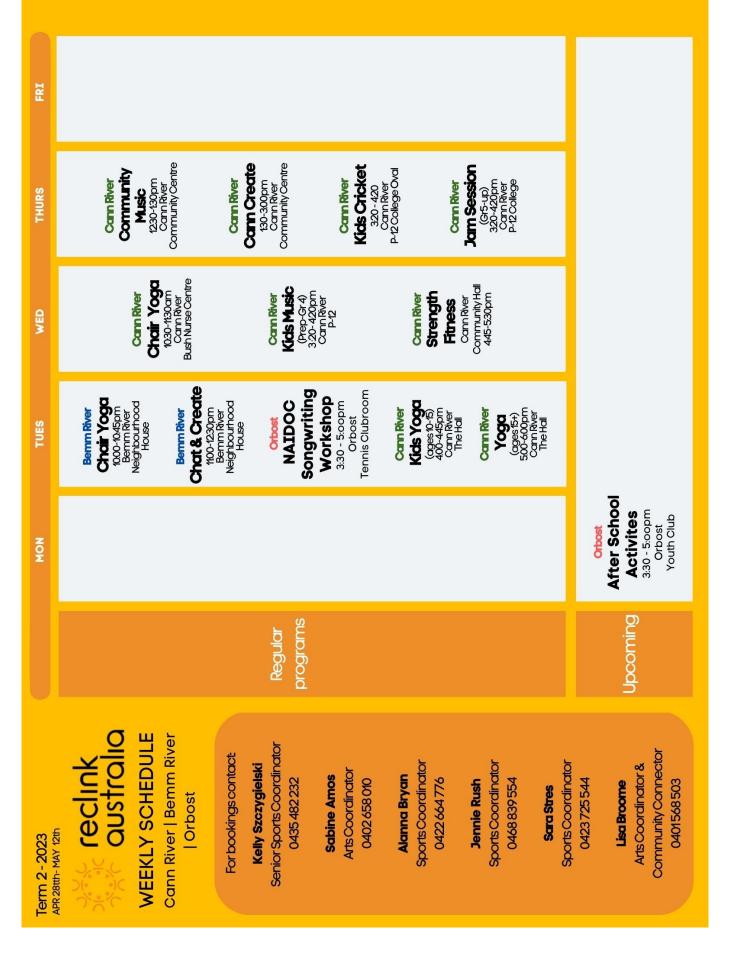
My voyage to Australia was terrible but so worth it, its so lovely over here. I met some nice people that let me live with them until I got on my feet and had enough money, they also feed me and looked after me. I had finally made enough money to move away and travel and build my own house in the east south coast. I hopefully have made enough money for you and Baxter to still be feed and have a roof over your heads.

I've been building buildings for almost 2 years now. I absolutely love it and its not that bad over here. I hope to see you very soon especially now that you're 18. I can't believe our son is 3 this year.

Hove you so much my love and I will see you soon.

All the best.

Your girsfriend Nicole







Prevention of Vaping Information Session

Things you thought you knew, but really don't!

Wednesday 31st May from 3:30pm to 04:10pm.

Cann River P-12 College - Cann River

Presenter: Tehseen Zafar - Prevention and

Population Well-being Worker at

Gippsland Lake Complete Health GLCH

The school will providing catering.

Please let the school know if you are attending for catering purposes.

Thank you.

WANTED

Our students are in need of empty plastic containers with lids, for cookery class.

If you have any you no longer need Please could we have them at the school.

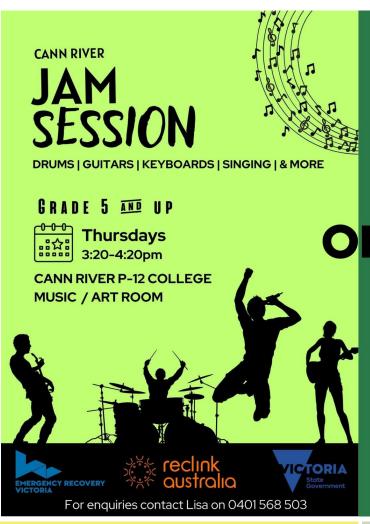




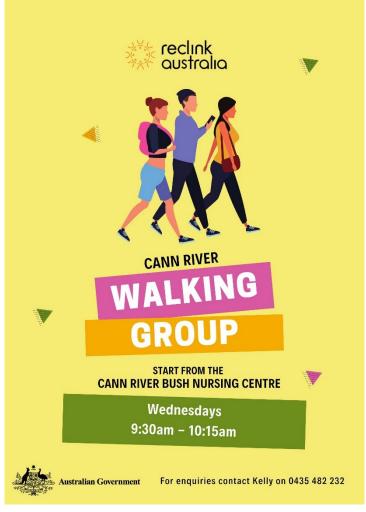
For example
Ice cream containers
Margarine containers
Take away containers etc

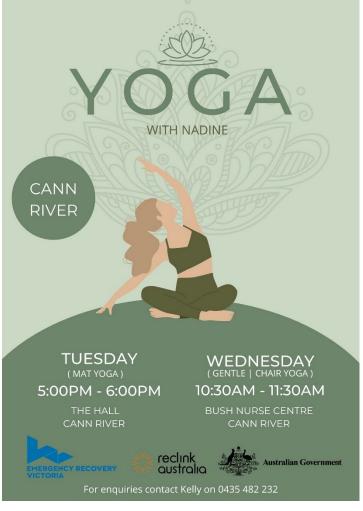
Thank you







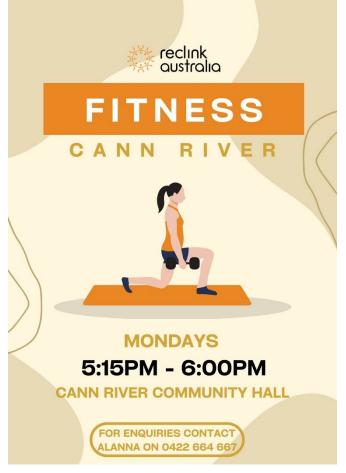




















5158 6465 admin@cannrivercommunitycentre.org



Lantern Making Workshop with artist **Tracey Johnston Tuesday 6th June**

Centrelink & Medicare Agency



We provide support to connect and solve your Centrelink & Medicare queries on Wednes-

Services Australia equipment self service is available every day 10.00 to 4.00pm

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- Fax machine
- Phone

- Printer & Scanner
- Forms
- Computer



Gold Coin Community Lunch - All welcome Wednesdays 12pm to 1.00pm

Play Group 0-4's - By Orbost Regional Health team Mondays 10.00 to 12.00pr





Youth Group all welcome 12 –25yrs Fridays 4.00pm to 8.00pm

Printing/Copying, Free Wi-Fi and Computer use Weekdays 10.00 to 4.30pm





Craft by local artists & Bargain Opportunity Shop open Weekdays 10.00 to 4.30pm

Thursdays

Reclink Cann Community Music 12.30pm to 1.30pm Reclink Cann Create Art Classes 1.30pm to 3.00pm















May 2023 Cann Valley Bush Nursing Centre Newsletter

Orbost GP	Orbost	Maternal &	Bemm River Clinic
Dr Anis	Dental	Child Nurse	24th May
17th May	1st June	18th May	CVBNC RIPERN trained Registered
31st May Phone 5158 6210 to book	Phone 5154 6625 to book	31st May Phone 5154 6666 to book	Nurses will be conducting the monthly Clinics. For more info contact CVBNC.
appointment	appointment	appointment	
Physio	<u>Physio</u>	<u>Podiatrist</u>	<u>Pathology</u>
Maddie Rosen	Carla Zijlstra	Nerida	Tuesday and Thursday
2nd June	19th May	Manning	between 9:00am and
Phone 5158 6210	Phone 5158 6210	16th June	11:00am weekly.
to book appointment	to book appointment	Phone 5158 6210 to book	Urgent pathology 5 days per
		appointment	week.
Bus to	<u>PAG</u>	Are you details	RFDS Counsellors
<u>Bairnsdale</u>	18th May-	correct and membership up	Peter Quinn- 17th May
16th May	Outing to Eden	to date?	Robyn Smith-TBC
30th May	1st June- Biggest Morning	Please see reception to renew your	Sasha Wood – TBC
Phone 5158 6210	Tea	member and update	Phone 1300 363 322 to book an
to book		your details.	appointment
Consumer	Verbal aggression	has become more	Important phone numbers:
Advisory Group 9th June 3:30pm	will NOT be tolerated to exit the building. treat our staff wit	15	CVBNC Nurse on call-5158 6274 Covid-19 Hotline-1800 675 398 Head-To-Help-1800 595 212
		you as expediently as can.	Mental Health Wellbeing RFDS- 03 8412 0480









Massage Therapy Remedial / Sports / Relaxation Winter special - Hot Rocks Contact Jodie 0438 096 808

Cann River Hall Hire Fees as of January 2023

Hire fees per hour:

- Hire of Main Hall only \$10 per hour
- Hire of the hall and kitchen \$15 hour

Hire fees **PER DAY** (includes setup time & pick up time):

- Private Hire of Hall and Kitchen \$100 (bond required of \$100)
- Community group or not for profit \$100 (no bond required)

Key pickup & drop-off: Normally, hirers, are asked to pick up the key from the Cann River P/12 College (51586245).

If you cannot arrange this, let us know, and we can organise for the key to be left elsewhere, or one of our committee members to meet you at the hall.

We ask that the hall hirers keep the hall clean and tidy. If the committee has to employ a cleaner, there may be a surcharge on future bookings.

Selection Civil Bobcat and Tipper Hire

- Minor earthworks

- Block clearing and clean ups

- Site preparation

- Driveways

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May 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
22	23	24	25	26
Playgroup at community centre Reclink activities - see advert	Reclink activities - see advert	Lunch at community centre Doctor at Bush nurse.	Reclink activities - see advert	Youth group at community centre
Playgroup at community centre Reclink activities - see advert	Reclink activities - see advert Bush nurse bus to Bairnsdale	Lunch at community Centre. Vaping information session at the school	Reclink activities - see advert	Jinga Youth group at community centre
		child nurse at bush nurse		