

Newsletter Issue 102 March 2007

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

#### SATURDAY 7 APRIL 2007

The Rosedale Association's Annual General Meeting will begin at 11 am on the Cabins' Lawns.

We thank the Kidman family for the use of this site.

#### **AGENDA**

- Apologies
- President's report
- Treasurer's Report
- Fire Officer's Report
- Neighbourhood Watch Report
- Landcare Report
- General Business[general busines item(s)]
- Election of Officers

If you have matters which you wish to add to the agenda for inclusion in General Business, please advise the Secretary in writing -

The Rosedale Association, PO Box 4134 Manuka, ACT, 2603 - as soon as possible.

#### **NOMINATIONS**

Nominations for the Committee are welcome and necessary. Do please consider volunteering.

Nominations should be in the hands of the Secretary by Friday 30th of March, 2007.

Nominations must be nominated and seconded by members of the Association and signed by the candidate. The nomination form is inside the back cover of the March 2007 newsletter and on the Rosedale Association website.

Our financial year is the Calendar year.

FEES ARE NOW DUE - \$10 PER VOTING MEMBER

The Rosedale Association Incorporated

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## COME TOTHE ANNUAL WEEDATHON AND SAUSAGE SIZZLE

The annual Weedathon and Sausage Sizzle will be held on the afternoon and evening of Easter Saturday. Make these both family outings, bring the kids, bring your visitors, friends - have a fun time, meet new faces, renew acquaintances, do some good for your local environment and let us say Thank You to you while you relax at the Sizzle afterwards. Along with the AGM they constitute the Associations only organised social event - don't miss any part of this Easter Saturday Trio!.

#### START TIMES:

Weedathon - 2:30 pm, meeting places to be announced at the AGM.

Sausage Sizzle - 6 pm, on the lawns of the Cabins, Knowlman Road

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Since the last AGM, there have been a few internal changes in the Association. As well, several external unfolding events are likely to leave an impression on the Rosedale hamlet.

## INCORPORATION AND LANDCARE

We're now incorporated, as of 15 May 2006, following the decision taken at the 2006 AGM. As was explained then, the main issue was legal liability. Since that matter was resolved, the question of the Landcare activities surfaced, and it was necessary to define precisely how Landcare fitted into the newly defined Rosedale **Association Incorporated** (RAI). Again, the principal issue concerned insurance, but it was complicated by the relationship between "our" landcare group and the external Eurobodalla Landcare Management Committee. In the end, both committees (RAI and Landcare) agreed that Landcare would retain an independent status, that is, it would not be a delegated subcommittee of RAI, but it would continue to receive the Association's support. In return, the Association requested that Landcare provide an annual Program of Works with estimated costing and timing of its components for consideration by the Committee prior to the AGM.

The Program of Works (PoW) was to be presented in the Association newsletter so that it could then be discussed at the AGM. David Mackenzie has drafted the PoW, and it is included in this newsletter. It has not yet been discussed or endorsed by the RAI committee, so you have the first opportunity to comment on it. We hope to see how this process works at the AGM of 7th April. Your considered opinions will be most welcomed and appreciated.

This newsletter also contains David Mackenzie's report on Landcare's activities during 2006 and a succinct rundown on its successes over the years. I commend them to you.

David has also prepared two other documents that, for reasons of space, are not included here. There are first, a short description of what Rosedale Landcare is, and second, a series of FAQs and answers that relate to Rosedale Landcare's activities. Both documents will be available at our AGM.

#### THE MARINE PARK

The final zoning plan for the Batemans Marine Park has been released. The only change from the original proposal (that I can see) that relates to Rosedale and Guerilla Bay is the total sanctuary zoning of the coast between the north

side of Jimmies Island and Long Nose Point (just east of Barlings Beach). That is, there can be no fishing at all in this zone. The draft proposal allowed for beach fishing in Guerilla Bay and around part of the southern rocks, but that is now verboten. The good news is that all trawling out to the three-mile limit will cease, as will all commercial netting in the Clyde estuary.

## ROSEDALE URBAN EXPANSION AREA

The two separate major urban development applications proposed for the "Rosedale Farm" area west of George Bass Drive have been submitted to the NSW Planning Department. The smaller development, proposed by Batemans Bay Property Services, will comprise about 150 building lots, with accesses from Bevian Road and a new entrance opposite Rosedale Pde. The much larger development (800 or so lots?) proposed by Marsim has an access road via the south end of Bevian Road, beside the wetland. Marsim provides no further information on Planning's website, but it states that it will address the many points that led to its initial rejection a year ago (eg, the new plan will provide a full 80 metres buffer zone from the wetland, but the road will go through that buffer!). Both developments are

required to engage in public consultation, but so far I haven't heard a peep (apart from my informal enquiries to Edwards Constructions). Marsim is required to answer a comprehensive series of questions from Planning NSW, then the proposal will exhibited for a month, when public input is invited. The same will apply to the B. Bay Property Services development. These proposed developments will have profound effects on the Rosedale/Guerilla Bay environment. We attempted to adumbrate these in submissions in our submissions to the Sensitive Urban Land

Area Enquiry in 2006 (see Oct Newsletter), but to no avail.

If you believe that the Association should adopt a stance about these proposed developments, and take some action, then please express your views at this AGM. If action is to be taken, then now is the time to do it, and it cannot be left in the hands of one or two individuals.

#### **ORIGINS AND A GONG**

Elsewhere in this newsletter, you can read a charming story that explains why this Association came to be. It was written by Mary Boardman. It's part of the history of this coastal nook. Can we have more recollections please?

Mary tells how Gordon Bray became the figurehead of the Association in its formative years and for many years thereafter. The Committee recommends that we bestow Life Membership to Gordon in recognition and appreciation of his dedicated service to the aspirations of the Rosedale community and their environment. I commend this to the membership.

EMMETT O'LOUGHLIN

#### **BUSHWALK!**

Rosecare Walkaround Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2 pm – starting from the footbridge over the creek.

Each year Landcare Committee members walk right around the village precinct on Good Friday to assess the state of the vegetation and revise estimates of what needs to be done. There's absolutely no weeding and it's a great walk for any one else who likes walking and if you are new to the area, it's a great introduction to the highways and byways of Rosedale.

Plant identification, bird spotting, nature notes, other useful information, all imparted – free. Children are especially welcome. Anyone who is interested is welcome to come. It takes about two hours (don't forget good foot wear, sunscreen, insect repellent, hat (not cap) and water bottle). Only heavy rain will cancel it. You'll need to check with me on the time – it could change to accommodate the maximum number of Committee members – 4471 8471 is my Rosedale number.

DAVID MACKENZIE

#### LANDCARE REPORT 2006-7

#### THE MAIN POINTS

- 1. The last year has seen a continuation in the slowing of on-ground volunteer activity reported in the previous Annual Report.
- 2. Despite this slowing down, there has been pleasing progress in many of our regularly treated areas evidence that we are having some wins at least.
- We have almost lost control of a few of the more invasive weeds because we have lacked the person power to attack them as regularly or as thoroughly as required.
- 4. The Landcare Fund has been generously supported and we have begun to use it for works not readily undertaken by volunteers but it falls far short of our needs. Landcare needs to do more than can be accomplished through the landcare fund: there is no ready replacement for regular and sustained onground work by our own volunteers.
- 5. The Landcare fund underwrote a contract weeding job on the cliffs of Banksia Flat late last year.
- 6. The status of Rosedale Landcare and its relationship with The Rosedale

- Association Inc. was examined in the light of the Association's recent incorporation: it will continue operating much as it has in recent years.
- Landcare will annually present a proposed Program of Works.

#### SUPPORT FOR LANDCARE

Landcare does not have the responsibility for the rehabilitation and maintenance of Rosedale's native vegetation, this lies with the residents and friends of Rosedale. Support for Landcare's on-ground activities has been slowly diminishing for some time. Regular working bees, once well patronised, have been discontinued, temporarily we hope, for lack of attendance. Landcare's overall objective is to create the kind of bush-like character for Rosedale that most of it residents desire. Without the necessary support it cannot deliver this aim.

## PROGRESS DESPITE PESSIMISM

Volunteers may be dropping away because of a perception that our on-ground activities seem to be never ending with no appearance of progress. However, appearances can be deceiving since changes in vegetation communities – which is what we are trying to

effect by weeding and planting
– are mostly very slow. We
have actually brought about a
number of significant changes
for the better and some of
these are covered elsewhere.

## SERIOUS WEED INFESTATIONS DEVELOPING

Despite these victories, serious weeds have not been curbed on Banksia Flat. Major infestations of the worst three, Turkey Rhubarb, Mile-a-minute and Moth Vine, have flared up because our efforts have not been consistently effective: in recent years we have not been able to attack when we should, nor could we always mount a large enough force.

#### LANDCARE FUND

Support for the fund has been admirable for which we are extremely grateful. There have been some donations that are extraordinarily generous and some have been repeated annually. At the end of 2006, thirty one donors had contributed 41 donations totalling \$4845. We recently spent about half of this (\$2376) on weed control work on Banksia Flat cliffs. work not suited to volunteers. Unfortunately this proved insufficient to tackle the major infestations mentioned above. On-ground volunteer work is now valued by granting

bodies at \$30 hour, so in one of our earlier years, when we were meeting our targets fairly well, our effort would have been worth about \$5000. Weeds recur annually and keep on growing so if we cannot muster on-ground volunteer hours we need recurrent funding – at least until we are on top of our worst weeds (maybe three years?). Grants are not readily obtained and must be met with the equivalent number of volunteer hours. We cannot meet our basic targets from the Fund alone but then it was never intended to entirely replace on-ground volunteer effort or outside grants.

## CONTRACT WEEDING ON THE CLIFFS

Late last year local contractor James Paull was hired to attend to the worst weed infestations on Banksia Flat principally on the cliffs, areas too hazardous to permit volunteers to work there. This work, over 20 person days, was funded from the Landcare Fund and it is only the third time we have had funds to use contractors here since 1999. He targeted a list of over 30 weeds and the work was completed by year's end. Notably, there was not sufficient time to do much useful work on the worst infestations. His summary of the work and some further comments are presented elsewhere in this newsletter.

# THE STATUS OF ROSEDALE LANDCARE AND ITS RELATIONSHIP WITH THE ROSEDALE ASSOCIATION INC.

With the incorporation of the Rosedale Association, these topics were examined by the Association's Committee. The Committee rejected options whereby Landcare became a delegated sub-committee of the Rosedale Association Inc. or became incorporated in its own right. The latter would involve unnecessary additional cost and either would involve loss of Council's volunteer insurance through being a member of Eurobodalla Landcare. Apart from preparing a Program of Works (see elsewhere in this newsletter) Rosedale Landcare will remain much as it was and the relationship between it and the Association shall continue as it has in recent times. The Association will continue to maintain its own insurance policy as this covers some risks, including some non-Landcare activities, that are not covered by the Shire's insurance.

#### PROGRAM OF WORKS

Committee has asked Rosedale Landcare to prepare an annual program of works, with estimated costing and timing of its components, to be considered by the Committee and presented in the Association newsletter so that it may then be discussed at the AGM. The first of these appears in this newsletter.

## RECENT LANDCARE COMMITTEE CHANGES

Your Landcare Committee continues to change. Since the October 2006 report, we have been joined by Anton and Barbara Cook and Susan Lewis. Their contributions are already impacting and I welcome them aboard. The Committee now comprises:

David Mackenzie 6288 6194

Gordon Bray 6161 5177

Emmett O'Loughlin 4471 8084

Ian Holmes 4471 7252

Adrian Lewis 9398 2603

Susan Lewis

9398 260

Anton Cook 6161 3264

Barbara Cook 6161 3264

## MORE LANDCARE ORGANISERS REQUIRED

The Committee needs more people either with at least a smattering of plant savvy or who are resident in Rosedale, preferably both. Your community needs you!

DAVID MACKENZIE

Overall weed infestation in the target area appears to have increased only marginally from 2004. More extensive work has to be carried out on a regular basis to control the weeds and allow the natives to dominate, especially in the area west of the steps [from Cooks Cres].

Without voluntary landcare work since 2004, there is a strong possibility that far less natural vegetation would still be surviving.

Some points arising from that report:

 The contractor's observation that Landcare's voluntary work had a beneficial effect on the native vegetation since the last contract in 2004 is heartening.

- Despite this expenditure, serious weeds remain. Within the time constraints, major infestations of the worst three weeds, Turkey Rhubarb, Mile-a-minute and Moth Vine, could not be fully addressed.
- Garden refuse continues to be dumped into the cliff reserve killing off local flora and increasing weed infestations.
- The unchecked infestations

of critical weed will become progressively worse without concerted efforts to curb them. They can quickly overrun large chunks of Banksia Flat, gradually replace the native vegetation and force out much of the wildlife that depends on it. There are fine examples of such infestations within a half hour's drive of Rosedale.

The full report is available from me and should appear on the website in due course.

DAVID MACKENZIE

#### Rosecare Wins! Volunteer efforts bring success!

The rehabilitation of Rosedale's Reserves has actually progressed considerably as a result of Landcare activity.

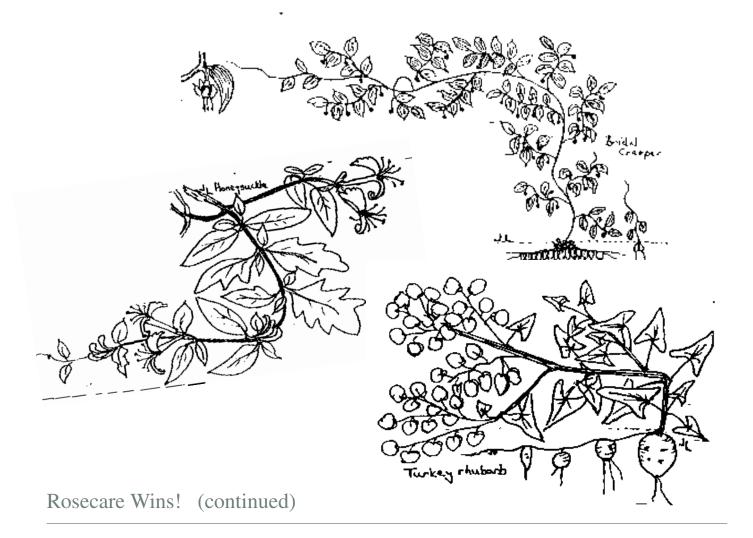
Here's a few of the successes Rosecare care has notched up.

- The Casuarina stand by the old carpark, over-run by bridal veil creeper about 12 years ago, was in sad disrepair. It was sprayed regularly for a few years and thereafter requires very little attention.
- The old carpark and the surrounds of both the new and the future carparks have been revegetated and require little maintenance. As these plantings mature and thin, as trees grow and

- open up underneath, the opportunity will arise for more imaginative plantings under them.
- Council had mowed around the old carpark for a decade or more, repeatedly shaving off the casuarina regrowth.
   At our request they gladly reduced the mowed area to the present level and the Casuarinas speedily regrew.
   See them, to the west of the new carpark and between the entrances to the northern and centre dune crossings.
- The beach dunes are slowly acquiring more vegetation.
   Desire lines – the tracks that people make going to and from the beach – are slowly

being reduced as plants channel foot traffic onto a single track and wind erosion is being reduced. The dunes are becoming more stable as sand is trapped in the vegetation, building them up to afford greater protection against bigger and bigger storms from the sea.

- The Dale Place reserve has responded to weeding and plantings and is rehabilitating the mess due to clearing out some large fallen trees. While there is more to do, this illustrates that progress is possible and rewarding to those who put in the effort.
- Banksia Flat was a Buffalo Grass covered cow paddock



in 1998, the old man banksia trees were dying with no replacements. Buffalo Grass has been slashed and sprayed over the years since and native vegetation we didn't know grew there has reappeared. There have been many plantings and despite high losses, there is a rewarding array of indigenous plants supporting a vigorous array of animals to show for the many hours of effort.

- Mile-a-minute covered the canopies of many trees on the cliffs of Banksia Flat in 1999 and were starting to kill them.
   Our first contract weeding effort removed the tree-top vines and saved the trees.
- There are many spots around that have been quietly tended by different folk over the last few years and we thank them most sincerely. Where have they been working? Well, you may not readily notice where but had they not made their contributions you would most certainly have noticed the loss of native species and the resulting weed cover.
- Bridal veil creeper was repeatedly sprayed, almost entirely by Gordon Bray, for many years all over Rosedale. Gordon has retired from that task and we are happy to say the rust and leaf hopper are carrying on his work. Left alone bridal veil creeper

would have blanketed the native vegetation in many parts effectively killing it, long before the biological controls came along.

This is the community at work, bringing about a more natural and restful ambience to Rosedale. They are only some of the community's successes, there are others less obvious.

Successes are not static, leave them alone and weeds will return, desirable plants will die and need replacing. Complacency out, vigilance in.

DAVID MACKENZIE

## SOME BOUNDS TO LANDCARE ACTIVITIES

- Landcare activities are restricted mostly to public land (reserves, roads, pedestrian walkways, crown land).
- All public land is under ownership by or is managed

- by Eurobodalla Shire Council.
- Approval from council is required for any Landcare activity on public land.
- Activities on private land are with the consent of the owner and would usually be restricted to removing or reducing weed threats to public land or community
- assistance work.
- OH&S provisions limit most chemical handling and mechanised equipment operation to holders of current certificates of competency.
- A qualified first aid person must be present at all organised field events.

LOCATION	LOCATION	START	FINISH	OPERA- TOR	COST TO RL	FUNDING SOURCE	COMMENT
Dale Place Reserve	Weed removal - range of weeds     Planting     restore undergrowth selected areas     replace removed weeds	continuing	3 y?	volunteers	nil plants \$200 ?	LF	history of vegetation disturbance and garden escapees to be addressed
Carpark	Weed removal     Pruning – thin; clear access ways     Planting – judicious fill in and replacement of losses     Maintenance of structures		1 year 1 year 1 year	volunteers volunteers volunteers	nil nil plants \$100 ?	LF	
	- bollards, dune crossings - fence wires, minor repairs		1 year 1 year	ESC volunteers	nil <\$100	LF	
Banksia Flat	Weed removal     range of weeds     Weed removal     range of weeds	continuing continuing	3 y ? 3 y ?	volunteers volunteers	nil to \$3000 pa	LF	contractor to work on both flat and cliffs
	Planting     restore undergrowth     selected areas     replace removed weeds	continuing	3 y ? 3 y ?	volunteers volunteers	plants \$200?	LF	
Beach Dunes	Weed removal – minor tasks only     Planting – judicious in-fill	continuing continuing	2-3 y? 2-3 y?		nil <\$100	LF	
North Beach	Weed spotting and removal	continuing	continuing	volunteers	nil	-	mostly bitou behind beach
Boatshed	Weed removal – minor tasks only	continuing	continuing		nil	-	between cliff and dunes
Cliffs-B.Flat - other	Weed removal     Weed removal	continuing continuing	3 y continuing		see above <\$100	see above	-herbicides
	Blackberry mapping (noxious)	continuing	continuing		nil		to ESC, contract spraying
	Capital works	-	-	-	_	-	none planned
Saltwater Creek	Monitoring     - automatic water level     logging     - creek & rainfall     observations	continuing continuing	continuing continuing	volunteers volunteers	nil nil		
	Community awareness     distribute new fact sheet     publicise Council and     other relevant information	continuing continuing	continuing continuing	volunteers volunteers	nil nil		Use community functions, website, email, newsletter, etc

## PRINCIPAL LANDCARE ACTIVITIES

Weed control - Hand pulling (with bagging where necessary) Herbicide (hand or pressure) Sawing (by hand or chainsaw) Mowing, brush-cutting, whipper-snipping Removal to land fill **Burning / Planting Capital works Construction** Maintenance Community awareness Newsletter Brochures and other writings Bush regeneration and other workshops, demonstrations THE ROSEDALE PRECINCT

#### **Boundaries:**

West - George Bass Dr
East - the ocean to the east
but including Jimmys Island
North - private land to the
north (boundary of the suburb
of Malua Bay)
South - undefined; to meet
with northmost operations of
Guerilla Bay Landcare
PRINCIPAL AREAS OF ACTIVITY

Reserves -

Dale Place Carpark and adjacent Banksia Flat South of Nuns Beach South of Tranguil Bay Place Beaches, dunes -North or Rocky, Boatshed, Main (north, central, south), Jimmys, Nuns Cliffs - North Rosedale and mouth of Saltwater Creek South Rosedale east of Knowlman Rd Banksia Flat Jimmys Island Nuns Beach Saltwater Creek restricted to stream and surrounds of the mouth.

ACTIVITIES PROPOSED ARE THOSE CONSIDERED LIKELY
TO ADVANCE LANDCARE'S OBJECTIVES MOST AND ARE
NOT NECESSARILY EXECUTABLE IN THE TIMES ESTIMATED.

CONSEQUENTLY THE PROJECTED CALL ON THE LANDCARE FUND
OF ~\$3800MAXIMUM WILL NOT BE FULLY REALISED

#### **SEASONS**

 All projections involving plant growth and weed control are dependent on seasonal conditions.

#### **FINISHING TIMES**

- times to meet weed control and planting objectives are dependent on a range of influences and are difficult to estimate.
- most weeds may never be entirely removed, the target then is to reduce them to the point where they are dominated by native species.

#### **FUNDING**

- All funding for 2007 expected to come from Landcare Fund so far.
- Opportunities for grant applications may arise later in the year.
- The services of Green Corps, Conservation Volunteers Australia and other like bodies usually come at no charge to us but we may need to find or pay for accommodation, eg 8-10 people for 4 nights.

#### **NEW ACTIVITIES.**

 Opportunities sometimes arise sometimes at short notice, windfall funding, people from volunteer bodies. They can be given work either on existing activities or on activities freshly generated for the purpose. The latter may require new funding: all such will be presented to the RAIC.

#### PLANTING.

- All plantings require tubestock, fertiliser, water crystal and maybe plant guards, all included under cost of plants.
- There is little need at present for large scale planting in the precinct.
- Planting activities in general will, for the foreseeable future, be restricted to filling in gaps whether existing, created by mortality or by larger scale weed removal.
- Choice of plant type (tree, shrub, forb, grass, scrambler etc) will depend on the ambience of the particular locality and the intended purpose (amenity, shade, screen, erosion control etc).
- Planting material will be drawn from the locally indigenous species listed by Eurobodalla Regional Botanic Gardens.

#### Abbreviations:

RL – Rosedale Landcare; LC – Landcare Fund; RAIC– Rosedale Association Inc. Committee ESC – Eurobodalla Shire Council The birth of the Rosedale Association began about 1976.

A large group of us were sitting on the beach when a South African woman who was staying in a house in Rose Court came down to the beach and told us about the strong possibility of a caravan park. It would be on the 6 acres of land beside the creek. The woman said she wanted to buy a block of land in Rose Court but was advised against it by the real estate agent, Eric Saunders, because he said within 18 months there would be a caravan park between Rose Court and the creek.

This piece of red hot news raced around the beach like a bush fire. We, the people of Rosedale, were furious. Within a few days we managed to get 80 letters of protest to the Council. The land belonged to Mr Szcerbiak and Mr Milavitch and they had the support of Eric Saunders to get permission to build a caravan park.

Mel Pratt, Phil Patroni and I met together to think out what we could do to stop this caravan park. We agreed that we needed an organisation of Rosedale people to meet with the Council. We agreed that we needed a leader who could speak to the Council and try to persuade them to see

things from the point of view of the Rosedale people. We all thought of Gordon Bray as a possibility for our proposed organisation. Mel, Phil and 1 invited Gordon to join us at the Press Club for lunch. Gordon agreed to be our leader and for us to call a meeting of as many people of Rosedale as possible.

On Saturday the 9th of April 1977 we had our first meeting on the lawns in front of the Log Cabins. We had a very large turn out as nobody wanted a caravan park beside the creek. Gordon was elected president and so the Rosedale Association was formed. Soon after this a meeting with the Council was arranged for them to hear both sides and decide the future of the land. The Council's verdict was that the 6 acres could be subdivided into building blocks. Mr Milavitch was angry as he stormed out of the Council meeting. He said "the people of Rosedale are a bunch of communists. they won't let a man make an honest dollar." He did nothing about developing the land and eventually sold it to Annie and Andrew Shillington just a few years ago.

The Rosedale Association has been going for 30 years. Our problems now seem minor but it does provide a forum for us to get together and hear what the Council and the State are aiming to do with places like Rosedale.

Now we have a very caring and intelligent president Emmett O'Loughlin who will watch carefully Council's response to the development of the farm land and Mann's land across George Bass Drive. Emmett has also had meetings with Council about the Marine Park. We have a very good Association secretary, Sue Falk, who has drawn up a new constitution for the Rosedale Association Inc.

Hopefully we can always keep an eye on developers and "bully boys" in our lovely Rosedale.

7 February 2007

MARY BOARDMAN

1. ROSEDALE ASSOCIATION INC ACCOUNT BANK BALANCE 01.01.2006	\$2745.91
CREDITS	
Subscriptions  Donation from R Sealy  Interest  Total Credits	60.00 00.29
EXPENSES	
Newsletter Mail	287.47
S.O.P. Mail	
Insurance	
Donation to Malua Bay Fire Brigade	
Easter BarberqueP.O. Box Rental	
Incorporation Costs	
Total Expenses	
Interim Balance	3232.41
Funds Transferred to Perpetual CMT	2500.00
Balance as shown on Bank Statement	732.41
OUTSTANDING EXPENSES	
Newsletter Expense	39.90
Cash Balance	692.51.
2. LANDCARE FINANCIAL REPORT BANK BALANCE 01.01.2006	\$2490.02
CREDITS	
Deposits/ Donations	2575.00
Raffle Proceeds	
Total Credits	2835.00
Interim Balance	5325.02
Funds Transferred to Perpetual CMT	2500.00
Balance as shown on Bank Statement	2825.02.
OUTSTANDING EXPENSES	
Payment to Contractor	2376.00
Cash Balance	449.02
3. PERPETUAL CASH MANAGEMENT TRUST	
Balance at 1/01/2006	12255.28
Deposit	
Interest 2006	648.60
Palance at 1/01/2007	17002 00

#### MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 2007 ARE NOW DUE

If the address label on your newsletter has a red dot your membership subscription for the calendar year 2007 is now due. Subscriptions support the work of your Rosedale Association and are only \$10 per voting member per year.

Please note that you cease to be an Association member of you are unfinancial for two calendar years.

Please include a completed Membership Application, Renewal and Payment Form with your cheque so that we can keep our records fully up to date.

Subscriptions should be sent to: The Treasurer The Rosedale Association PO Box 4134 Manuka ACT 2603

#### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION, RENEWAL AND PAYMENT FORM

You may use this form to apply for membership, to renew your membership, to make a Landcare fund donation, or to advise a change to your membership details.

The annual membership subscription is \$10 per voting member and subscriptions become due on 1st January each year. Payments may be by cheque.

Application type (Please tick one)	Voting members
<ul> <li>Membership application</li> <li>Membership renewal/Landcare donation</li> <li>Change of membership details</li> </ul>	1
Name and address for mailing	Rosedale address
(fax)	Rosedale telephone number
(nx)	
Email addresses (please print carefully)	Weed notices (Please tick one)
1	Would you like advice on noxious weeds on your property?   Yes No
PAYMENTS	
Membership subscription for voting member(s) for the Landcare fund donation (optional) Total	s \$ \$
COMMENTS/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	

#### ROSEDALE ASSOCIATION COMMITTEE NOMINATION FORM - 2007

You may complete this form and forward it to reach: The President

The Rosedale Association

PO Box 4134

Manuka ACT 2603

by Friday 30th March, 2007. Nominator, seconder, and nominee must be members of the RosedaleAssociation.

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I nominate:	for a position on the Rosedale Association Committee	
Nominator:	Signed:	
Seconder:	Signed:	
I agree to stand:	Signed:	Date:

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