EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

MILANG LAKESIDE BUTTER FACTORY RESTORATION

Bread and Butter

November - December 2017 [milangbutterfactory@madca.org.au]

Activities & Events

MILANG LAKESIDE MARKET

NO MARKET in NOVEMBER

NEXT MARKET

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9th 10.00 AM – 3.00 PM

At the MILANG INSTITUTE

Christmas is only a few short weeks away

Something for all the family!

Do you need a few more presents?

Do you have things to sell? Why not hire a stall!

Stallholder or Busker applications:

www.madca.org.au/milangbutterfactory

email: projects@madca.org.au

Call Karyn 0412 036 900

WORKING BEES

Working Bees at the Cottage beginning at 9.00 am will be held on Wednesday 22nd and Saturday 25th of November

Morning tea provided

BINGO

Fridays at the ACE Space at MOSHCC

1.30 pm Eyes Down at 2.00 pm

November 10th



What a year

The Milang Lakeside Butter Factory (MLBF) has achieved a lot this year.

Our volunteers have cleaned up and maintained the area, painted and completed minor repairs to the cottage, developed and submitted a complete renovation plan, organised items to sell to raise funds and established a range of well supported activities. Lots of people now play Bingo regularly and even more are coming to our Saturday Markets we have raised more than \$1,000 at a couple of these. The Market BBQ is already becoming known as one the best around – even some Bikies come down for lunch!

The detailed plans for the renovations of the old factory are currently being considered by the State Heritage Council and the Alexandrina Council.

We are hoping that we receive approval to begin work early next year. And remember that a lot of the work can be done by our very own volunteers. And also remember that, once completed, all the residents of Milang and surrounding areas will benefit from the displays and activities offered and the number of visitors attracted by the MLBF.

So, next year in 2018, there will be lots more work needing lots more helpers to complete the jobs. And we guarantee there will be a suitable task for everyone to do despite their age! Carole Linscott, Chair of the Fundraising Committee, wrote "... our small band of willing helpers are getting tired. ... we are finding that our Steering and Fundraising Committee (members) are bearing the brunt of the work involved, not only in the planning and admin, but in running the fundraising activities too! We are really grateful to the small band of helpers ... but they need some more help. Milang is a very small community,

Milang is a very small community, and most of (our members) are in their later years, and your energy and input will invigorate us all."

SPONSORSHIP

Although much of the work that will be necessary to complete the renovations and new additions at MLBF can be done by our own volunteer workers, there are several key repairs that must be completed by professional trades people (e.g. new toilet facilities). To meet these costs, we will need to raise a large amount of money.

So, we are beginning our search to find a wide range of companies, businesses and organisations which will be willing to sponsor the renovations with significant donations in return for the display and promotion of their brands.

Areas being considered for major displays and activities include

- A Cafe focussed on providing local foods.
- Displays, tastings & sales of Southern Fleurieu Wines.
- Displays of local Aboriginal and historic history.
- Sales of local products and produce.

We are looking for a small team of people who can contribute ideas and suggest potential sponsors, participate in preparing and distributing promotional material or approaching potential sponsors.

Interested? Contact Mike Linscott

mlinscott@bigpond.com

The Milang Lakeside Butter Factory Secretary, Alice Both, has again contributed a large amount of time and effort and recently completed a brochure.

MILANG LAKESIDE BUTTER FACTORY RESTORATION PROJECT RESTORING A COMMUNITY ICON

This brochure outlines the history and development of the MLBF project and the aims of the renovation including innovative excellence in new displays and activities. And these will help to provide a range of local jobs.

Details of the potential benefits and requirements for the donation to become a SPONSOR at one of four levels are also provided.

These Brochures will be available in Milang from MOSHCC. They will also be distributed to Council Chambers, Local businesses, Community organisations, Clubs and shops throughout the area from Mt Barker to Victor Harbor.

Brochures have already been posted to 8 Rotary and Lions Clubs and early in the new year (and closer to the renovation approval) a series of meetings with guest speakers will be held around the area.

Thanks Alice for all your efforts throughout the year.

Christmas Gifts – What do I give the family?

Here are some suggestions

A NEW PEN



Multi-purpose black pen, soft matt finish in a red, blue green or black and chrome barrel plus convenient built-in stylus soft rubber tip for tapping on your touch screen, mobile or tablet.

ONLY \$5.00

MATILDA - THE SOFT TOY!



Matilda the cow – the Butter Factory mascot and the best soft toy around. The only thing she won't give you is milk!

ONLY \$15.00

THE BUTTER FACTORY WALL CALENDAR



A wonderful collection of historic photographs from earlier times and currently around Lake Alexandrina. A brief history of the Milang Lakeside Butter Factory is also included. Printed in Black and White

ONLY \$8.00

A POCKET TORCH



A bright, easy to operate torch to carry in the car or a pocket for those unexpected emergencies at night. In a red, blue green or black and chrome barrel.

ONLY \$6.50

All available at MOSHCC

24-25 Daranda Tce., Milang

Milang Saturday Markets

Institute, 2nd Saturday of the month

reception@moshcc.com.au