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*Welcome to 2005*

## Why do YOU live in Lugarno?

*Is it the natural bushland and trees?*

*The peninsula suburb?*

*A cleaner Georges River?*

*Our reserves and parklands, particularly Evatt Park?*

*The community atmosphere?*

*Your LPA has been active for over 80 years and was instrumental in saving Evatt Park from housing development, and enhancing and maintaining Lugarno's natural attractions.*

We are seeking active people to join our progressive association in 2005. In what way would YOU like to improve Lugarno? Come along and put your initiatives into action, with the help of other enthusiast residents. There are still many things to be done!

As a resident of Lugarno, we need YOU! We need new members and assistance on our committee. We need YOUR ideas to keep Lugarno active and beautiful!

## Did you know that the LPA .....?

- instigated the building of the Lugarno Ferry Boardwalk, along with The Riverkeeper, by Hurstville Council in 2003?
- was instrumental in starting Lugarno Public School, and has an affiliation with the school and supports it as necessary?
- celebrated 81 years in 2003 by holding a fabulous ferry cruise around the Georges River?
- has facilitated with residents in lobbying Hurstville Council to make traffic improvements for the Maple Street Christmas lights?
- nominated Glenyss Barnham who wrote 'Riverside Reflections-Memoirs of Lugarno' and won Hurstville Citizen of the Year 2004?
- in 2004 was invited by Kevin Greene MP to dine at Parliament House, and afterwards tour its rooms?
- was involved in the Chivers Hill shops Green Streets program in 2004, and regularly in Clean-up Australia Day?
- facilitated an increase in water pressure in Lugarno, along with our state MP. Have you noticed?
- is a financially sound progress association?
- relies on its members to determine its direction?

**Next Meeting: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2005, at 8pm St Stephens' Church Hall (Opposite Allwood Crescent)**

**Election of 2005 Executive Committee Team**

**All welcome**

## LPA Focus for 2005

The 2004 committee discussed items that would be relevant to the people living in Lugarno. These topics are listed on the following page.

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## Proposed Topics 2005

- Beautification of Evatt Park especially focusing on improving Webbs Dam;
- Water usage awareness with Sydney Water, CSIRO, Water Tank distributors;
- Community Traffic Safety through Lugarno and its shopping centers;
- Energy Saving with AGL and or Energy Australia;
- Bushfire Awareness – Rural Bushfire Service;
- Energy Saving with Real Estate Agents, Council and Kevin Greene MP;
- Gardening – types of plants and grass and where to grow them;
- Wills, Trusteeship, Public Liability in the Home, with a solicitor;
- Community Disputes with the Department of Community Services.

## Proposed Events 2005

Social Dinner at Lugarno Seafood

Social Dinner at Grandviews Bowling Club

### Website

This is the new website for the Lugarno Progress Association. We will be constantly updating it with important information and events, while maintaining our current link with the National Trust of Australia. Please visit us.

### Owen Goddard

We would like to express our thanks to Rev. Owen Goddard for his service to Lugarno through St Stephen's Anglican Church, and the use of the church hall for our LPA meetings. We wish Owen best wishes for the future.

### Internet users

Do you have bad connection to ADSL in your home? Concerned residents are starting a petition to Telstra to improve services in our suburb. Please contact Steve Carter on phone 0413811186 or webmaster@clubvw.org.au to add your name and support to this initiative.

### Tsunami appeal

Many of us are lending their support to this appeal. We recently had some 11 year old buskers, Geordie Neville on trumpet, Scott Russell and Cameron Hardie both on saxophone raise \$327.00 at Lugarno Shops. Thank you to the residents of Lugarno/Peakhurst for their generosity and well done boys!

### 2005 Young Sportsman of the Year award

Unfortunately, our nomination of Scotty Broome, a 19-year-old wakeboarder who lives in Lugarno, did not win the award. Hurstville City Council awarded Damien Narbeshuber, a disabled athlete who overcame his disability in swimming. We wish Damien well.

### 2005 Woman of the Year, Georges River Electorate

Do you know of a local woman who has achieved excellence and leadership in our community? Please send your nomination to the LPA for this Kevin Greene initiated award.

### Condolences

We would like to express our condolences to family and friends of Hugh Dryden Vale, aged 87. Hugh was a long-standing member of the Progress Association as was his Father before him. His contribution to the LPA is immeasurable having played an active role from the 1940's as Secretary and as President, standing down in 1973. Hugh, raconteur, historian, teacher, wine-maker and good friend to many.

### Rock & Roll in the park

Lugarno Lions Club are holding their annual **Rock & Roll in the Park** at Evatt Park on **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April** to raise funds for the local volunteer Bush Fire Brigade. Contact Graham Gorman for details: 0403 702 196.

### Clean Up Australia

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> March** – Meet at **9am** at Webbs Dam in Evatt Park. All help appreciated!

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Name: .....

Address: .....

Enclosed \$10 membership: ☐ Or donation: ☐ \$.....

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