

MY PLACE *Gympie*

My Place Gympie

*Our next meeting is August the 20th
meeting starts @ 1pm - 3pm*

Location: The Shed, 735 Mary Valley Road, Long Flat

**Please Travel slowly (5km limit) as you come and go from the property and please watch
out for our chickens - they may be under your car**



Hello community,

- Welcome all to My Place Gympie
- For those who are new we give you a warm welcome from like minded men and women.
- For those on Facebook you can join our "My Place Gympie" group
- <https://www.facebook.com/groups/913221063032255/?ref=share&mibextid=S66gvF>
- We are here to **support** each other in anyway we can.
 - **Support** in education in regards to our rights as mankind God's Children, natural law, common law.
 - **Support** with sourcing food and ways that we can support our local farmers and starve out the big corporations, supermarkets.
 - **Support** in getting food without all the nasties.
 - **Support** with energy
 - **Support** with medical care
 - **Support** with removing ourselves from the corporate

- **WE NEED YOUR HELP** - We rely on each other to gather this information and support it. We all have something to offer which is greatly appreciated, and we all have a responsibility if we want things to change
- **Following on from Alex's presentation with the Affidavit. Craig has been holding regular Zoom meetings to help everyone navigate the affidavit. Thank you so much Craig.**
- **If you would like to join the zoom please email us with your request and a link will be sent out prior to the Wednesday.**
- **If you missed Alex's presentation at the shed you can check out his Youtube Channel (see below) or the video that was posted on My Place Gympie, just so you're up to speed on the information.**
- You can go to Alex's Youtube Channel https://youtu.be/_d8dg4QQK3A to learn more. The title of the video is "Who killed Mary Jane part 1"
- Also if you are unable to make the Wednesday night zoom please follow this link <https://youtu.be/ObP43y3gvpU> to Alex explaining the process.
- Craig's zoom meetings are posted on telegram click on the tab further below to a link to join the telegram group. Thank you
- **SET UP** - Those who can come earlier to help set up that would be really appreciated. Set up time from 12.15pm. The more we have to help out the quicker it gets done. Please don't forget that we also need to pack up. Thank you
- **Market update** - Thank you to all the amazing volunteers for your contribution to the markets. Please note that we attend the duck pond markets only. **This is every 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday of the month.**
 - As a community we endeavour to support each other and our community so in light of that we are calling out to all our members to please give some time toward supporting the markets.
 - We set up at 5.45 and will run till around 11-11.30.
 - **The next Markets at the Duck Ponds is on 20th of August**
 - Any time you are able to give will be greatly appreciated.
 - Please see Beck to put your name down for available days and time on the roster. Thank you
- **We as the people ~ The Gympie Regional Council Watch.** The Community

have been Visiting the Gympie Regional Council meetings each week which has been going well. We have had some great response and an amazing turnout.

- **The meetings** are held monthly so make sure you mark the next one in your calendar which is on **August the 23rd starting at 9am**. Meet you out the front of Chambers by 8.45 am . We attend peacefully and orderly. Remember our presence is powerful they see us and we see them.

- For those not on Facebook here is an update from Craig about the Council Ordinary Meeting.

- **Gympie Regional Council Meeting – 26 July 2023**

A big thank you to the 25 members that turned up yesterday to the Gympie Regional Council meeting.

Well, it just keeps getting better.

Council has just announced a General Rates **increase of 5.5%** in the 2023 budget. This is on top of a 4.77% rate rise in the 2022 budget, on top of a 3.2% rate rise in the 2021 budget and **NOT** a word was spoken about it the pretty ORDINARY meeting yesterday.

Ratepayers deserve better than this corporate money-making empire. In the words of one councillor at the meeting yesterday “This is a business” in reference Item 6.6 Procurement Panel discussions surrounding the fairness of local contractors submitting tenders and allowing them to charge travel costs and the fairness of how council intended in breaking up the region into three different areas. This discussion shows the absolute disdain local government and state government have for the people.

The time frame for this discussion was only slightly shorter than that allocated to Item 7.3 Proposed Facility Naming – 110 Emperor Street, Tin Can Bay, which felt like this was the most important topic for discussion on the agenda.

Where does the best interests of the people stand with this local government?

Clearly the June meeting minutes discussion on Item 6.6 Annual Valuations Consultation where the mayor and councillors voted on the recommendation, that stated, *‘Upon reviewing the potential impact of recent interest rate rises on property markets and the available sales evidence within Council’s Local Government Area since the last valuation and noting that valuations have been issued for the previous three years, it is appropriate that Council request that an annual valuation not be performed’*.

Recommendation M09/06/23 Moved Cr J Milne Seconded Cr SA Waldock, ***That Council resolve to request that the Department of Resources' State Valuation Service do not undertake an annual valuation of the Gympie Regional Council Local Government Area which would take effect from 30 June 2024. Carried FOR: Cr HT Smerdon, Cr DH Stewart, Cr RA Fredman, Cr NG Jensen, Cr GC Hartwig, Cr SA Waldock, Cr WA Polley and Cr J Milne AGAINST: Cr BM Devereaux*** <http://www.gympie.qld.gov.au/.../2023-06-28-unconfirmed...>

Discussion at the June meeting from mayor and councillors was that they do not have to pass on the potential rate rise to the ratepayers as everyone is struggling in the region, has been completely ignored by this council, mayor and councillors. The new Rates and Charges will be an increased \$6.1M income to the council.

Enough is enough, we the people need to take our stand against this rouge **business**. This business runs free of competition.

The Council's primary reasons for the above rate increase include employee costs and goods and services excluding extra ordinary items have gone up but offsetting the increased cost base is a significant reduction in depreciation of predominately attributed to the separation of the Rattler. In addition to the General Rate, there are several council charges that will be listed on Gympie Regional Council's rates notice including Sewerage Charge, Garbage, Water Access and Water Consumption Charges, and the Rural Fire Levy.

Attached is the link to the [Gympie Regional Council Budget 2023-2024](#) that shows the **Breakdown of rates**. General Rates – up 5.5%, Water Connections – up 6.5%, Sewerage – up 6.5%, Cleansing Charges (bin collection service) – up 6.5%, Water Consumption – up 7.5%. The excessive waste that has been demonstrated by the use of external consultants through the year has been astounding.

These increases are forced upon the ratepayers by a Qld government legislative requirement to councils that we the people supposedly agreed to contract under. These rate increases are a requirement under the Land Valuation Act 2010.

The following document shows for the Gympie Region, the revaluation included 25,600 properties, with an estimated total value of approximately \$7,157,813,360, an overall increase of 40% since the last valuation [Gympie](#)

Regional Council - Land valuation update 2023, this is a BUSINESS with the pure intent to make profit from the people.

In Item 6.3 Amendment to 2023-2024 Schedule of Fees and Charges, the council has been forced to review their charges to a community facility in the Kilkivan Showgrounds and Equestrian Centre following the notification of the fees and charges increase to users, the public made it very clear to council that they will no longer be using the facility due to the increase in facility charges. Council at the meeting yesterday carried the recommendation to revert to the previous fees and charges for the use of the Kilkivan Showgrounds and Equestrian Centre **following public backlash**.

Item 6.6 Procurement Panel report identifies the recommendations include that the Bonnick Rd, Waste Facility Eastern Cell Construction tender be accepted for a lump sum \$4.34M inclusive GST.

One positive recommendation was received that 20 computers normally disposed of by auction will be given to community groups.

The Gympie Gold Museum has been allocated \$646K to carry out flood repairs at the Gold Museum.

Item 8.1 Infrastructure Services Directorate Report – July 2023 identified a backlog of 360 Km's of business-as-usual grading works road maintenance that had not been completed with an estimated 360 days for completion. The report identified council officers had implemented a Star Rating concept that would identify priority roads for repair but Cr Fredman raised concerns with the Star Rating process particularly how is the judgement made on how dangerous conditions are prioritised, for example single lane bitumen roads with severe drop offs on the edge that could cause a rollover. The council officers committed to reviewing the process and provide councillors and mayor with further information at workshop.

For those that have been attending meetings over the past 7 months, we know that "Workshop" meetings are closed to the public so no further information is made available to the public relating to any matter discussed at these meetings.

Following the meeting yesterday, there are questions regarding why there was NO discussion on;

- the rate increases,
- why there was no discussion on the ability to reduce the rates increases from

the interest of \$2.69M received for 2022-23 from the \$88M cash reserves invested with Qld Treasury,

- NO discussion relating to reducing council fees and charges when interacting with council to lessen the burden on an already strained economy.

The ratepayers are now paying one of the highest rates, fees and charges to councils in Qld and this council under the pretext that it is obligated to review and increase rates, fees and charges annually in line with CPI as defined by the Qld government, and is doing exactly as what is expected of a BUSINESS, as clearly described by a councillor yesterday and that is to make a profit.

- **The Peoples Council and My Place Australia** is a movement across Australia, for the people by the people. Our goal is the same. **Without change nothing will change.** We are all in this together and being joined with this movement across Australia only makes us more powerful as the people for the people and being supported nationwide with proven and tested methods will get us there. Why reinvent wheel?
- Dick Yardley has kindly provided the documents from his presentation from the meeting. Please see the tabs below and click on each document. Thank you Craig for passing them on, and thank you Dick for your kind generosity

Thank you everyone I appreciate your time in reading the newsletter my heart and love has gone into the newsletter for us all and I hope you enjoy it

Thank you Craig for getting the minutes and agenda to me

Thank you Teenah for doing the minutes and thank you to everyone who contributes to the building of our community

Thank you to Graham who is kindly providing a tech point in every newsletter

Thank you to Korrinne who is kindly providing a Garden tip for each newsletter

I am seeking a well-being tip for each newsletter. So please email me if anyone would like to contribute to that. Thank you

I encourage everyone to keep sending me photo's and a little comment to include in our segment 'Out and about in the community' that I can include in the newsletter.

Please send to claggathering@gmail.com

Thank you and see you at the meeting

Cheers

Beck

Out and About with our Community

A beautiful store out at Pie Creek supported by Julie-Ann, Coleen and local farmers

Make sure you check it out every Saturday



If you have any photos of what you are doing out and about in the community
please send them to claggathering@gmail.com

It could be what your doing in your garden or community projects happening in our
local areas that you have been to and would like to share

Thank you

My Place Gympie
Food Source

Organic Produce



We have the privilege of ordering some beautiful produce from Brendan a local organic farmer in Goomboorian at wholesale prices and we have been placing orders fortnightly to coincide with the meeting on the Sunday

This is what Brendan has available this week
All orders taken fortnightly and close on Thursday at 4pm

The next order will be on 31st of August

Email me if you'd like to order and get the latest updated availability of produce. As the season changes availability of produce changes

Sweet potato \$3.50/kg
 Lebanese Cucumber \$8/kg
 Zucchini \$7/kg
 Green Beans \$10/kg
 Snow pea \$20/kg
 Ginger \$15/kg
 Cherry tomato \$3.50/punnet
 Roma tomato \$8/kg
 Gourmet tomato \$8/kg
 Beetroot bunch \$3
 Broccoli \$5/kg
 Chard bunch \$3
 Red cabbage \$3
 Green cabbage \$3
 Cos lettuce \$3

Iceberg lettuce \$3

I can testify that this is amazingly fresh produce that last the 2 weeks

Signature Sourdough



Organic Sourdough and Spelt Bread

This is a new development that we have been able to source straight from the supplier James with wholesale prices as long as we have a minimum order of 10 loaves

We placed our first order on Tuesday which was a great success with the community ordering 57 loaves of Sourdough and spelt bread

Reminders will be posted on Facebook or Telegram
If your not on either please email me your order by the 28th of August and
I will reply with payment options

Available to Order

Plain white sourdough \$8.00

Spiced fruit \$8.50

Toasted sesame \$8.50

Spelt and hemp seed \$8.50

Activated charcoal \$8.50

Olive and herbs \$8.50

Thank you

We are endeavouring to add more local farmers and producers to our food source list.

If you would like to recommend a farmer, a producer of goodies please email us

Thank you

Grahams Tech talk

Hi folks,

It is well known that the Telegram app that you install from the Google Play Store or the Apple Store will censor certain posts and thus restrict your viewing of all content. This "may" also be the case if installed from the Mac App Store, but I have not seen any reports of this yet.

The recommended way to install the Telegram app on your phone or computer is to download from the Telegram website directly. On Android, you will need to grant rights for the download to be installed.

Unfortunately, this cannot be done on an iPhone and I am not aware of any work-around.

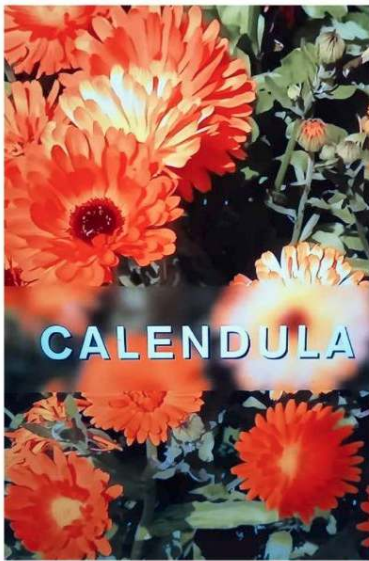
Please download the app from <https://telegram.org/>
That's it for today,

Hooroo, Graham

Korrinne's Gardening Tips

With Spring approaching, we are starting to plan our warm weather vegetable patches and a perfect place to start is potting up or direct sowing insect attracting flowers which bring pollinators such as bees and pest predators like hoverflies, lacewings and ladybugs to nurture and protect those new plants. Calendula: thrives in most soils, loves sun but will do ok in semi shade. Petals are edible and perfect in salads. Great companion as they help repel aphids and brassica eating caterpillars. Nasturtiums: bees love them and will protect kale and broccoli from caterpillars. All parts are edible (petals, leaves and spicy seed pods). Plant seeds in pots if early but can be direct sown later in spring. Be aware that mice love them so if they are around, protect young plants. Alyssum: attract pest predators and are low growing so are an attractive border plant. Marigold: great companion plant for most crops but especially tomatoes as the scent detracts white fly. Zinnia: taller plant (60cm or more) so may need staking but adds interest to beds and fabulous at attracting butterflies, in particular Monarch. Loves sunny position.

Thank you
Happy gardening



Lets talk Weeds

The Humble Nettle

Stinging Nettle can be overlooked as a weed and pulled out for not understanding its purpose

Here are some health benefits of the wonderful Stinging Nettle that may help you

- Detox the body
- Destroys intestinal worms and parasites
- Anti-allergenic
- Anti-inflammatory
- Hey fever
- Arthritic pain

- Support healthy kidneys
- Prevent bacterial infection
- Boost immunity
- Respiratory tract disease
- Supports a healthy prostate
- Helps with menstrual pains
- Menopause
- Strengthens the fetus in pregnant women
- Promote milk production

Active ingredients - Flavonoids, Histamine, Acetyl Choline

Pick fresh (use thick rubber or plastic gloves) or dry the leaves out and use as a pleasant cup of tea. The leaves can be used in soups, broths, stir-fries and in salads. Once dry you can also make into a powder and capsule the nettle and take daily.

Thank you

And enjoy this wonderful weed of Gods creation for us

Beck



**What's Happening
at
My Place**

Up Coming Presenters

Sunday the 3rd of September

We have another presenter for the

Chris Henderson

Chris Henderson is a 'Functional Diagnostic Nutrition Practitioner', who focuses on coaching clients to implement functional lab testing results, supplement protocols, diet, lifestyle strategies and stress reduction principles to optimise their health. Chris also educates on the effects of artificial lighting and EMF exposures and how these wireless frequencies impact the body's biochemical, hormonal and circadian rhythms.

In this educational talk 'Learn how the combination of heavy metal and chemical toxicity we are exposed to via air, water and our food supply are combining with man-made EMF's such as phone and WiFi frequencies to contribute to disease and chaos in the body and what we can do to detoxify from these and reduce our exposures to lead healthier lives in a challenging modern world'.

If you have anyone in mind that would be interested in presenting at our meeting please contact them and let us know

Thank you

Common Law Education

Craig has a wealth of information that he is happy to share with others helping us move forward. Don't miss out on the meeting on Sunday. Craig is also helping the community understand the Affidavit process and had the first zoom meeting on Wednesday night. If your interested to join please see Craig.

We as the People

Please think about something you would like to present to the community in regards to

- Self-sufficient
- Gardening tips

- Going off grid
- Growing food medicine etc
- preserving
- IT
- the list is endless

We want to encourage our community to come forth with their knowledge and skills to share with the community

Thank you

Latest Details

Next Meeting Details

Date: August the 20th 2023

Time: 1 pm - 3 pm

Vacate: 4 pm

Where: The Shed, 735 Mary Valley Road, Long Flat

Bring a chair. Clothing to suit the weather. Come earlier, to grab a cuppa and chat with friends. We welcome all new members. We meet every second Sunday.

Tea and coffee facilities are available from start to finish at all of our events.

Please wash and dry your cup after use and place back. Thank you

Bring a plate to share if you'd like. Help yourself at ANY time. The focus is on, less rules and allowing more of an organic process to to unfold.

My Place CLAG Gympie Agenda

Date: 20/08/2023

Time: 1:00 pm

Facilitator: Craig

Purpose: To provide the Constitutionally correct System of Local Government and a better Community for "We the People of Gympie area".

Invitees: 16th meeting

1.00 pm - Craig and Coleen

- **Welcome to all**
- **HOUSEKEEPING: Your assistance is required!!**

Please ensure you have signed into the sign-in book with your **name and provide an email address (for new members)** so that we can send information out as we have it. This is so we can help educate ourselves, our families / friends, and neighbours about building a better community.

- **Welcome to the Kabi Kabi people**

1.05 pm - Craig

- Setting our intention for today and everyday
- What we want of our meetings

1.10 pm - John

- Treasurers Report – **Update next meeting**

1.15 pm - 1.20 pm - Craig

- Outline of meeting and agenda
- Confirmation of previous minutes – Included with Newsletter
- Correspondence - Nil

1.25 pm

- **Presentations**
- **Hugh Wallace – Naturopath**
- The Immune System Explained
- How the immune system works,
- How a vaccine works,
- What we learn
- **MyLinda Johnson – Herbalist Hypnotherapist**
- Mylinda works with herbs, hypnotherapy & brain gym using a holistic approach and will be **speaking on edible weeds**

2.30 pm - Craig

New Business

- Update on progress items.
- Health, Nutrition and Wellbeing – Update – Thank you to Angel,
- **Looking for someone to take the lead with the coordination,**
- Submissions regarding the ACMA – **Extended to 20th August 2023,**
- Voice “**NO**” Campaign Posters

2.40 pm - Craig

- **Committee Reports** - Update actions from selected projects
- **Gympie Regional Council letters** – Update
- **Barter table** - arrangements

2.50 pm - Craig

Announcements / queries / concerns / Discussions Up coming Presenters

- **Chris Henderson** – Light and lighting specialist will be speaking on the health effects of LED lights and Blue light

3.00 pm - All

- Meeting close and thank you for attending
- Please assist with the packing up,
- Vacate by 4 pm
- Thank you

Meeting Minutes Available here

Harvest Table

Our HARVEST tables are alive and well.

Thank you to everyone for contributing to the Harvest table its magnificent to see.

Items your welcome to bring are seeds, potted plants, plant cuttings, flowers, fruit and vegetables, homemade goods, dried goods, empty pots and much more you

can even bring your secondhand goods to give away.

The harvest table is there for our community and provided by our community with nothing expected in return.

Please remember that what you bring if not taken needs to be collected by you and taken home with you.

Please so not leave goods in the shed.

If you wish to ask for a donation to your homemade or grown goodies then please bring your own table and a separate donation tub.

Your welcome to sell your goodies but please bring your own table and money jar and man your table

Gympie Peoples Council

The Gympie Peoples council is monumental across Australia we have joined the movement to take back control for the people.

If you would like to receive emails from The Gympie Peoples Council and would like to become a member please send an email with your details to the below email address - you will be sent communication with the latest news, the agenda and the minutes of the previous meeting.

We hope to see more and more like minded come to the meetings.

thepeoplescouncilgympie@gmail.com

- **The peoples Council** ~ If you would like to make yourself familiar with what has been happening with the peoples council in other areas I encourage you to watch the links below if you haven't already done so as "we as the people" Gympie are moving forward with.
- Triple TAP Interviews #23 Spiro Kalothos: <https://youtu.be/I5htDa8zn14>
- Latest interview with Mayor of Frankston Peoples council: <https://youtu.be/KBrnhZ39WU8>

- LAW & Legislation - Understanding the basics: <https://youtu.be/EREbEdJVgv8>

The QLD Government Hydro Project proposal

- **The QLD Government Hydro Project proposal** - this is ongoing. Are you affected? Do you know someone that will be affected? If neither, let's get behind supporting our Wider Gympie Community, land and farming they are trying to destroy.
 - Shea has a Facebook page she started last year please go and support that page if you have Facebook. Please also sign the petition to have a "State project on State Land" links are provided below.
 - "Say no to the lines" on Facebook

An Emergency Contact List

Is now available for members (to get the list- you must put yourself on the list). This tells you who's in your area when or if an emergency takes place, so you can connect and resource each other. For privacy reasons the list isn't public and only people who are known to the community will be added on the list. To go on the list and have it sent to you please email

claggathering@gmail.com

My Place Gympie Telegram Group (New)

Know Your Medical Rights

Click above on "Know Your Medical Rights" it will take you to the PDF document "Know your rights before being admitted to hospital. (Opens as a PDF)

See below Dick Yardley's documents click on the tabs to view

Queensland Treason

Take over by definition Change

**My Place Gympie
Members Trades and
Services Download -
Updated list coming**

By clicking the above button, you'll
download the most recent Members
Trade and Services list.

Please email

CLAGgathering@gmail.com if you'd
like to make any alterations to your
listing or add/remove one.

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