

Why be
anywhere
else?

Magic Mushrooms in
a Magic Wingello Autumn



Horses set to invade the forest

The successful Southern Highlands Endurance Ride is back on 23 and 24 May

The 7th annual Wingello Forest Endurance Ride will be held on the weekend of **23rd to 24th May 2015**. They are repeating the very popular newcomers format that has run the last few years – providing another great opportunity to give endurance riding a go!

On Saturday 23rd May there will be introductory ride distances of 5km, 10km and 20km, starting from 12 noon.

On Sunday 24th May there will be a training ride of 40km with the option of increasing to 60km, and an endurance ride of 80km, starting from 7am.

Please watch out for horses on Bumballa Road on Sunday 24th May, between 7am and 5pm.

The ride raises funds for the Tallong Rural Fire Service, and is generously supported by Wingello Village Store. Spectators are welcome. It is a great opportunity to experience the very friendly horse endurance ride culture.

If you wish to join us as a Cherished Volunteer, please contact the ride committee as soon as possible. Snax on Trax Cafe and Wingello Village Store will be catering at the ride base throughout the weekend.

For entry details and other information, pick up a brochure at the village store, visit the website www.highlandsendurance.com, find them on Facebook 'Wingello Forest Endurance Ride' www.facebook.com/wingelloforestenduranceride or contact Bec Hogan on 0412 600 173.



Some
scenes
from last
year's
event



We now
have a
cake fridge
and have
yummy
home
made
cakes
through-
out the
week. The perfect complement to any coffee or hot chocolate.



Store Opening Hours

Phone: 02 4884 4340

Mon - Thu:	7:30 am - 6:00 pm
Fridays:	7:30 am - 7:30 pm (Restaurant till later in the evening!)
Weekends:	8:00am - 2:30pm
Public holidays:	8:00am - 10:30am

We are open **Every Day** except
Good Friday and Christmas.

Bin Collection Mondays

May

4	Yellow
11	Green
18	Yellow
25	Green

Encore for Hold-up at Jeffery's Inn



A local amateur drama group staged a show based on the bushranger hold-up at Jeffery's Inn at the Murrumbah settlement (near present day Wingello). The show included dinner, songs of the period, bush dancing and drama to tell the story.

The play, Holdup at Jeffrey's Inn, has been specially written for the 150th anniversary of the event by local folklorist and musician, David Johnson and is directed by Penrose musician and teacher, Maria Dunn.

The play has been sold out but there is an Encore performance on **Friday 8 May**. Be quick and book your place.

Tickets for Holdup at Jeffery's Inn are still available and can be purchased at the Wingello village Store or online at <http://www.trybooking.com/123821>. Proceeds are for the Penrose and Wingello community, through hall committees and community associations.

Wingello Fire Brigade News

Another month with significant rainfall that has resulted in no fires within the Wingello area. The brigade has attended a number of incidents though which predominately have been motor vehicle accidents. One call was in relation to storm damage with a tree down across Murrimba Rd.

The brigade attended the Piggery fire at Joadja to support many of the Wingecarribee brigades that were in attendance. The CABA (Compressed Air Breathing Apparatus) capability of the brigade was called upon to enter the building and assist with the extinguishment. Unfortunately considerable stock losses resulted with many injured and burnt animals having to be euthanized.

During the month the brigade assisted with the set-up and running of the annual Brigadoon Highland Games in Bundanoon. The weather was again wet which resulted in a smaller than expected crowd attending. Wingello Brigade is about to receive a new tanker replacing our old Category 1 unit. The new tankers currently provide more safety protection for the crew. The cabin and working areas also are larger allowing a bit more comfort. The new tanker has arrived in the District however will be a few more weeks before the han-

Chef Night Special - 15 May

Eric has prepared a really tasty meal for our Chef Night Special for **15 May 2015**.

Please let us know if you are Vegetarian or Gluten intolerant when booking.

Entree will be served at 6:30pm.

Entree - Lettuce Burrito:

Mildly spiced mince (or special vegetarian mix) which works great with sauces and wrapped in lettuce leaves. Light and tasty.

Main - creamy chicken and mushroom casserole:

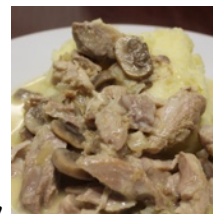
Tasty chicken and mushroom simmered in a creamy sauce and served with smooth mashed potatoes. Perfect for the colder weather.

Dessert - Personal Sticky Date Pudding:

Individual Sticky date puddings, served with caramel sauce and ice cream.

We can only cater for 40 people and the cost is still only an introductory \$25 a head.

Book now to ensure your place!



dover as there is some final fitting out and adjustments to be made.

The brigades second (Category 7) unit has also had some electrical work carried out with the installation of reversing cameras.

At the end of Daylight Saving, and to coincide with the program of changing the batteries in household smoke alarms, the brigade offered to assist any resident who is elderly or infirmed to supply and fit a new battery. If any resident would still like to avail themselves of this service please contact the brigade on 4884 4321 and leave a message.

In the mean time and until the next news letter make sure you have changed your smoke alarm batteries and cleaned your chimneys and flues.

