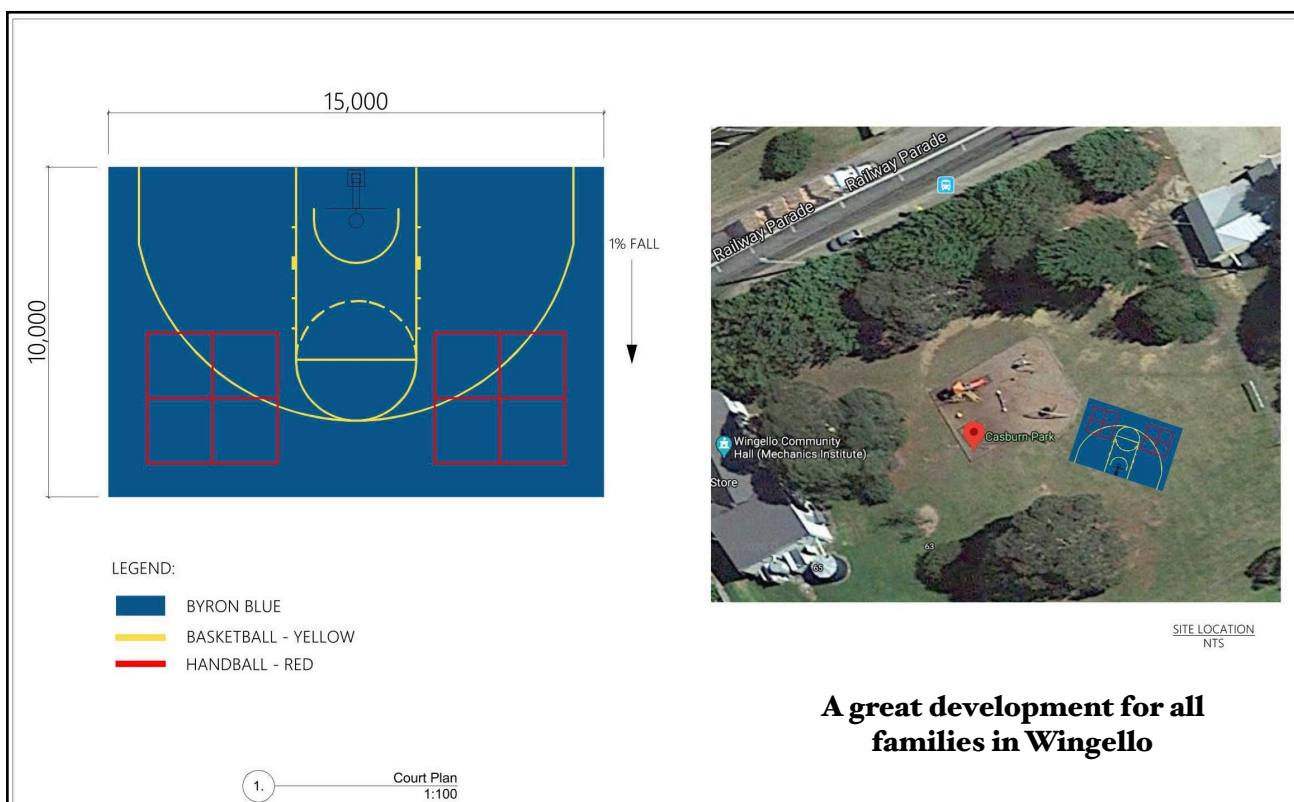


Why be
anywhere
else?



Multi Sports Court is coming to Wingello

It was planned for this year and despite the virus, it is happening!



A great development for all families in Wingello

The Wingecarribee Shire Council is happy to announce the multi sports court for Casburn Park will commence on **Monday 4 May 2020** and the completion date is **Friday 5 June 2020** weather permitting.

The first week residents won't see that much action as geotechnical testing will be conducted, marking out for the concrete slab and installation of the safety fence.

After the first week the construction will be in full swing and with weather permitting will conclude on the above date.

Above is the layout and concept plan. It is set at an angle as due to the ground's undulation, that would add costs to the build and the direction of the sun, so people don't shoot for baskets with the sun in their eyes, the layout shows the best positioning of the court within the park.

The existing bin will be moved closer to the picnic tables near the road.

This is a great development for the families of Wingello. Even with Corona Virus restrictions, families from the one household, or individuals with their own balls

can use the court. I was also impressed that the engineers thought about the position of the sun rather than just lining it up with the boundaries. When you go past, imagine you were taking a shot at the basket and look at where the sun would be. Good thinking guys!

The relocation of the bin to near the picnic tables is also very welcome.

This project was first proposed in July 2017 and has now come to fruition. Thanks!

Fire season ended

1 April

Fires on properties 4000 SqM and over permitted.

Library Bus

Tuesdays 2:15 to 3:15

In front of the park

CANCELLED

Bin Collection Mondays

May

4 ● Green

11 ● Yellow

18 ● Green

25 ● Yellow

Store Opening Hours

Phone: 02 4884 4340

Mon - Fri: 7:30am - 3:00pm

Weekends: 8:00am - 3:00pm

Public holidays: 8:00am - 10:30am

We are open **Every Day** except Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Christmas & Boxing Day.

School News

The school playground development project is coming along well despite the many restrictions still in play due to Covid-19.

Excitingly, the main new playground structure was brought on site over the Easter break.

This fantastic hand crafted Pirate ship by Traditional Timber Framing, will add a new and exciting element of play and adventure for the school children for many years to come.

We are all looking forward to be able to complete the proposed work when restrictions ease hopefully in the not too distant future.

Home schooling continues for now, with a staged return to classroom teaching over the remainder of term 2.

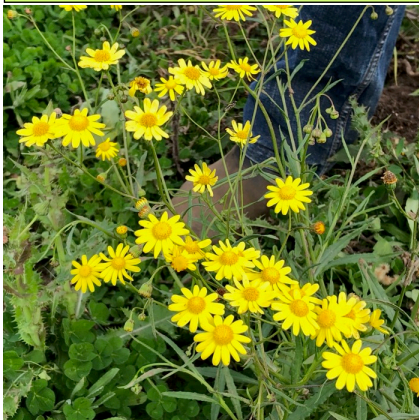
We would like to wish all in our community continued good health during these unprecedented times.



How cool is this?
A Pirate Ship!

Information provided by Wingello School Parents

Weeds



Aren't these flowers pretty?

No!!

This is Fireweed (*Senecio madagascariensis*).

So named because they spread like wild fire. Also interesting is they

have 13 petals. Fireweed can take over pastures and make grazing animals sick or die.

Each plant produces up to 30,000 seeds in a season! Pull out individual plants in small, isolated patches or sensitive environmental areas. Wear gloves to protect skin from the plant's poisons. Bag and dispose of the pulled out plants. They are still poisonous to livestock and produce viable seeds if they have flowers.

But don't wait! Or else you will have a field full of them next year.

Lots more information here:

<https://weeds.dpi.nsw.gov.au/Weeds/Details/53>

Help our farmers and kill these weeds when you see them.

Wingello Fire Brigade News

The colder weather is now upon us and the need to light the fireplace is here. Please ensure your flue is clean before ignition, as chimney fires do occur.

We are very thankful to those that are adhering to the parameters set out for pile burns. If you are unsure as to what is expected of you, simply check the council website: <https://www.wsc.nsw.gov.au/> Please be respectful of your neighbours and advise them of your intent to burn. If it's windy, it would be best to postpone your burn to another time. We've got all winter to do it. Should you see a pile burn that you are concerned about, especially if unattended, then call 000.

COVID19 has forced many changes to the way we do things. This was no exception for ANZAC Day. Thank you to all the members that came to the Station at dawn to pay their respect whilst maintaining social distancing. There was such a good

turnout. We are considering making this a regular calendar feature for Wingello.

As of this Wednesday 6th of May, training will resume for Wingello Fire brigade.

Socially Distancing Guidelines and restrictions will be observed. If you are interested in joining, please feel free to drop by 7-9pm on any Wednesday.



Information provided by Wingello Rural Fire Brigade