

# Bonny Hills Progress Association News

September 2016

## “The Bonny Hills of the Future”

You will notice that we have a separate insert in this edition of the Bonny Hills Newsletter. In it we point to recent achievements and what’s in the pipeline - on the back of our membership form.

The reason for this is that we have been thinking about what we need to do better. It’s a work in progress but looming large is how we can involve more of our community members - to get people of all ages enthused and involved in to the look and feel of the Bonny Hills of the future.

And it is only through strong membership that we can hope to seriously represent Bonny Hills when we go in to bat for resources. And volunteers helping on projects make the dollars stretch further. At only \$10 per household it’s a ‘no brainer’. Thanks in anticipation.

## Bartletts’ Reserve and Gliders

At a meeting of invited residents and members of the gliding community convened by Council, Tricia Bulic, Liam Bulley and Gary Hills explained the proposed policy for allowing gliders to use the Reserve.

In short, Council will issue temporary licenses to three glider groups (a club and two commercial operators), which will be subject to a number of consent conditions, with a review after three months. The consent conditions will be discussed with the glider groups before being implemented and made public.



## Progress on Rainbow Beach Playground

In the presence of a building boom in our region and tradesmen really busy, we have been fortunate to secure the services of a concreter and the assistance of a carpenter that will allow us to get on with two grant-funded projects – an educational bike track, and a tree-surround bench seat. More on this when the action begins – planned to be in place before Christmas 2016.

## Thanks Laurieton Rotary Club

We extend our appreciation to the Laurieton Rotary Club for a grant of **\$10,000** towards replacing the aged amenities block at Rainbow Beach Reserve. With the roof needing to be replaced at considerable cost, it is opportune to bring the ‘use by’ date forward.

To this end we have put in a submission for a grant from the Community Building Partnerships Program. Assuming success, the combined funds together with an allocation that Council had set aside for roof replacement, should get us close to the mark. Fingers crossed on this one.

Annual membership is only \$10 per household and can be paid at any meeting or c/- the Bonny Hills PO. Renewals can be paid via Direct Deposit: Holiday coast Credit Union BSB 721-000, Acc. No. 000034194. Please use your surname as the reference.

Monthly committee meetings of BHPA are open to all residents and minutes and important notices are emailed to all on our database. If you are not on email, minutes are on display at the BH Post Office.

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