

NEWSLETTER
Barwon Heads Association
August 2015

Notice of AGM
Our AGM will be held on 21st September 7.30
Senior Citizens Hall
Nomination forms for committee on our website.

Next meeting
Monday 17th August 7.30pm
Senior Citizens Hall
Clifford Pde

Agenda

1 Guest speaker: Gary McPike
General Manager Barwon Coast

Please join us on Monday night to welcome Gary McPike the new General Manager of Barwon Coast. Barwon Coast is a significant employer of local people and is responsible for the crown land coastal reserves between Collendina to the east of Ocean Grove through to the western end of 13th Beach beyond Barwon Heads. This area includes the two main life saving clubs, the Barwon Heads football and netball facilities and significant camping and tourist facilities as well as our world renown wetlands and beaches. Of particular interest will be the plans to rebuild the Barwon Heads seawall which was damaged by high tides and storms earlier in the year.

2 Update on Barwon Heads Pedestrian Safety Project.

VicRoads will be presenting their options to the Steering Committee Meeting on Tuesday 18th August.
On Thursday 20th August VicRoads will be running a public consultation viewing of options in the Senior Citizens Hall from 4.30 to 7.00pm.
It is important that all interested residents of Barwon Heads view these options and give their feedback to VicRoads otherwise we may end up with a solution which we do not want.

3 Dangerous footpaths.

Response from CoGG and further discussion.

4 Crime wave in Barwon Heads.

During the last six months there has been concern about the heightened incidence of low level criminal activity (i.e. breaking and entering, theft of cars and small goods like consumer electronics, individuals and small groups trespassing). More recently we have learned that APCO was "... held up ..." early last Saturday morning and a couple of weeks ago, another car stolen from the 'off-road' from Barwon Heads road and there are numerous other incidents of businesses being broken into and cars stolen.
We are trying to get proper statistics from the Police, but this is not that easy.

PLEASE BE AWARE, LOCK YOUR HOUSES AND CARS

**Please contact the BHA if you or someone you know has fallen
on uneven footpaths in Barwon Heads.**

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