



## Trentham Residents and Traders Association Inc. (TRATA)

Registration Number A0033785J

"For the promotion and improvement of Trentham by encouraging Community involvement in decisions affecting all Residents and Traders and to establish effective communication and representation of the Town within and outside the Shire."

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# TRENTHAM COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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**'Blow, blow, thou Winter wind!'**

....Shakespeare's Words



Many people will be aware of Ellie Kemp's health problems. Ellie, our pharmacist, makes a huge contribution to our town. So many people are inspired and encouraged by her confidence in and vision for, our town. The Pharmacy is one of the 'highlights of High St' and her purchase of the Newsagency has been warmly welcomed by the community. Ellie is a strong supporter of the Community Bank proposal and the Business Support Project. Many thanks Ellie for all you have done for Trentham so far and we wish you all the best for your treatment - we're thinking of you.

Hepburn Shire's Draft Budget 2009/10 offers Trentham very little for the rates we pay. Although Trentham has 6.5 % of the Shire's total population (or 10.2% of the 5 towns' population), the draft budget proposes **less than 1%** of the money for the projects highlighted in the Mayor's introduction (totalling \$4 million) will be spent in Trentham. (Note that almost all of this spending is in the towns so the comparison should be with the 10.2% figure.) Much of the problem relates to Council deciding to only spend money on facilities it owns or controls – and it owns very little in Trentham compared to Creswick, Clunes and Daylesford.

TRATA sought \$20,000 for painting the Station and, although there is an amount of \$321,000 for maintenance of four Visitor Information Centres across the Shire, has not, at the time of writing, been successful. Council does pay two insurance premiums for the Station but, again, this is **less than 1 %** of the VIC budget item. Mulcahy's Rd residents also submitted a strong submission and petition for sealing (or at least a major up-grading of) their road which is a dust-strip in summer and a quagmire in winter. Again at the time of writing Mulcahy's Rd has not been included in the Budget. We are satisfied that our Ward Councillor, Cr Sebastian Klein, has represented these needs strenuously within the Council's processes, however little seems to have changed with the new Council and CEO. He did have a small but significant 'win' at Council's July meeting when a vote to 'un-tie' the Federal infrastructure funding from the Market St toilets was agreed. The motion allowed for the money to be used as the community wants and Sebastian has already called a meeting of interested people to suggest the appropriate re-allocation.

Even if the two Trentham projects (above) are included in the final budget, the longstanding issue of Trentham getting 'a fair go' from Council remains. In its submission to the Draft Budget TRATA has also called for Council to implement a rolling average pro-rata allocation of expenditure to ensure that all ratepayers get fair treatment. Please contact me if you want a copy of TRATA's submission.

*Ian MacBean*

### **WORDS IN WINTER** **"BUSH POETRY"**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15<sup>th</sup> 2009  
@ 1.00 – 3.00 pm @ SHIRLEY'S  
CAFÉ, High St Trentham We all  
love our Trentham bush and its

history, our waterfall and our  
Trentham life-style.

Lots of us write poems but most of  
us put them away in a drawer. Here's  
your chance to read them to others  
who share your feelings about our  
beautiful bush & town.

Shirley and her crew will be selling  
tea, coffee, snacks & lunches as  
usual and we'll have a mike so our  
poems can be heard over the  
contented munching.  
If you don't write, come along &  
listen. There is a \$2 gold coin entry

charge for those not armed with poems and last year we all had lots of fun!

For more information or to put your name on the poets' list, ring Cath Pye 5424 1725 (messages) or email [wpye69@bigpond.com](mailto:wpye69@bigpond.com)

### **Writers Wanted for Words in Winter**

Do you write? Do you write Short Stories and or Short Plays?

Saskia is looking for material to present as part of this year's Trentham 'Words in Winter' Festival, in particular, short stories and short plays. The readings will be rehearsed performances - in a casual, relaxed setting, with wine and food, at The Radiosprings Hotel in Lyonville. It's a great opportunity to have your writing showcased - within a very good writer's festival. Even if you have never written before, you may have a good story up your sleeve that just begs being told! Saskia can help you with editing if needed, and is keen to give first time writers the chance to be heard.

Submissions will be accepted until August 1st.

*Please contact Saskia for further discussion on 5424 1832 or 0418 257 156*

### **TRENTHAM NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE**

This is the first of what I hope will be a regular monthly update on what is happening at TNC both in our program of workshops and events and in the long awaited extension to the centre.

At the end of April the Federal Government announced funding for the extension of TNC. So after a very long wait and a great deal of work over many years by Pam, Katy, LeeAnne and our Committee of Management we are about to get the extra meeting rooms, accessible toilets and community meeting space that the centre desperately needs. As you read this, our architect will be working on the technical drawings for the extension. We hope to put contracts out to tender in August and have the build started by October. We are aiming to have the extension open in March 2010. According to

cost estimates we are still \$47,000 short. We will have a better idea of the real cost of the extension when we receive the builder's quote but meanwhile TNC and the Trentham Community Group are still trying to raise funds. If you or an organisation you represent could make a donation to our building fund it would be gratefully received.

You should all have a copy of the Winter term brochure now. I hope you find things of interest in it. If there is something you would like to see in the program or if you have some knowledge, skill or passion you would like to share with your community, please let Katy or myself know. Some ideas I have been given recently are: a music & movement group for toddlers; an informal craft circle; one-to-one tax advice; basic car maintenance; how to support your child's literacy. This is your centre so please keep the ideas coming.

### **2010 ART & CRAFT SHOW**

As previously reported this year's Show was a great success and we need to start work now to prepare for next year.

The Mechanics Institute has been booked; we have an amazingly detailed file of all the contacts, draft letters, certificates, 'to do' lists, timelines etc necessary to run the event; a substantial carry-forward 'float'; and the list of the helpers who come out each year for the actual event – all we need is an enthusiastic committee of 6-7 to take responsibility for managing this great contribution to Trentham's calendar of events.

The key organisers of previous Shows are not available for the 2010 Show however, in addition to leaving such a detailed brief, they are encouraging a new committee to suggest fresh ideas (eg new categories of awards) for how the 2010 Show can be even more successful.

If you are at all interested in being on the Art Show Committee let any member of TRATA know – we will then organise an initial meeting to go through the existing model and form the committee.

As with all voluntary activities getting involved in something worthwhile can be a lot of fun and satisfaction – the Art Show is a great opportunity to meet interesting people and make a real contribution to your community.

Talk to your nearest TRATA member now!

### **Weather Report Dr. J. Hollis TRENTHAM IN MAY**

Rainfall 44.7mm Av 108.2  
Mean max temp. 11.5°C Av 11.0  
*MOSTLY SETTLED, RATHER DRY.*

Temperature showed little variation although it was rather mild 18<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>. Significant rain on 25<sup>th</sup> (23.9mm) gave more than half of the month's total which was only 41% of average. There were no significant events. The five month total of 166.8mm was 46% of average. The driest over this period was 135.3mm in 1967, 141.2 in 1976, 160.4 in 1991 and 161.2 in 1945. Since 1873, only 8 years recorded Jan-May rainfall under 200mm



### **DEVELOPING TRENTHAM**

-Need for more activity-

#### ***Progress Association re-formed***

At a meeting of upwards of 50 residents held at the Mechanics Hall on Thursday last, it was resolved to reorganize the Trentham Progress Association.

The need of a live body to further the interests of the town and district has been felt for some time, and on the instigation of the Rev.Dr. Kissane, after consultation with the members of the existing association, a circular letter was sent to the citizens of Trentham. After various speakers had addressed the gathering on the urgent needs of the town, it was resolved that the Progress Association be re-formed. The following officers were elected: President, Rev.Dr. Kissane;

vice-presidents, Messrs J.T. Trewella, W. Donnan, and N.W. Matthewson; secretary Mr. L. Gleeson; treasurer, Mr. S. Beach.

On taking the chair, the President spoke at length on the duties of citizenship and the necessity of placing matters relating to the betterment of the town first. Private matters were a secondary consideration. The need for advertising the town and district was urgent, as people in the city and other places did not even know where Trentham was situated. He would like to see representatives of the several bodies in the town represented on the committee which is to be appointed. A list of matters needing attention was to be drawn up, and efforts for successfully carrying out the requests made. The bad condition of roads, streets and drains, wandering stock, the Park, and water supply were freely discussed.

Councillor Drummond addressed the meeting on several matters, and in answer to questions relative to the activities of the Country Roads Board, gave valuable information. The chairman thanked Councillor Drummond for his attendance and for the information he had furnished. The next meeting will be held on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March, at the Mechanics', when it is hoped an even larger number of citizens will attend.

#### TRENTHAM GAZETTE

March 9, 1939

Contact: Secretary  
Trentham & District Historical Society

Susie Spence 5424 1272

#### **COMMUNITY SPONSORSHIP**

At the Spudfest Dinner there was a great cheer when Convenor Bob White read out Fitzgerald Property in the long list of sponsors. John had again made a very generous contribution to the event as he does to so many around town. Although he (and all other sponsors) gets some acknowledgement as part of the event, a couple of us thought we should mention the importance of supporting local businesses which sponsor so many activities, and

because there are more real estate businesses operating in town that don't seem to be supporting local groups.

John didn't ask for this mention and he isn't afraid of competition. But he does find it galling when out-of-town agents (who have presumably raised the seller's expectations) sell a property for the price he suggested in the first place.

'Buying locally' doesn't mean accepting less or paying more, but if local businesses support the community we should support them wherever possible. At very least, community groups should be asking the out-of-town agents (and any business that makes money in Trentham) for sponsorship – again, I'm sure John wouldn't mind that sort of competition either: he sets the sponsorship bar very high!

*Ian MacBean*

(PS – all these out-of-town agents here: does it mean that Trentham is 'the next big thing'?)

#### **TRENTHAM BUSINESS SUPPORT PROJECT LAUNCHED**

The Trentham and district business community was introduced to the Business Support Project at a presentation held at the Trentham Bowling Club in mid-May advised David Wilson, Project Co-ordinator. The Project launch had been publicised by personal invitation to businesses and a direct mail campaign using a brochure insert with Trentham's Community Newsletter with a circulation of 700. The Launch program included an address by Carol Hulst, President of the Hepburn Regional Tourism Association and business operator in the Daylesford district who reported on her recent visit to Europe with a Tourism Victoria promotional team. Carol Hulst spoke of the significant tourism potential for the Daylesford and Macedon Ranges region with Trentham strategically placed to provide opportunities for local businesses.

The Launch has resulted in an enthusiastic response from a broad range of business operators who have registered to participate in a survey to be conducted during June, according to David Wilson. The

Project is designed to stimulate local economic and business development by using a community-based approach to identify needs and problems and then address those concerns to improve the local business climate.

Volunteer Interviewers in two-member teams have signed on to visit businesses, during which they will use a structured questionnaire to gather information to be incorporated into the broader survey and subsequently to be used in a report to be presented to the business community. Interviewers attended one of two briefing sessions held in Trentham recently to familiarise them with the Project and to prepare them for their important role. Programs similar to Trentham's Business Support Project have been very successfully conducted in other towns and cities throughout Australia and those participating in this Project are looking forward to many positive outcomes for local businesses and the community in general, David Wilson said.

#### **TRENTHAM BASED BUSINESS RECEIVES AWARDS**



Advanced Equine Dentistry is Victoria's only Vet practice catering specifically to the dental needs of horses, donkeys, ponies and mules. Based in Trentham and servicing the Hepburn and Macedon Shires this service has been the recipient of several business awards since relocating to Victoria. In 2008 the Business was the winner of Excellence in New business in the Powercor Macedon range Business awards. In 2009 the Business was the winner of Excellence in Professional Services and Dr Shannon Lee (Who is the owner and service provider) was named Young Business Person of the Year. The awards process involves both written applications and interviews

with the judges and recognises Excellence and innovation. Dr Lee is extremely grateful for the support shown by the region since relocating here and would like to thank all the fantastic people (esp clients) who helped along the way.

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## **TRENTHAM LIONS CLUB**

### **NEWS**

#### **Monthly Dance Program.**

Old Time Dancing is held on 2nd Friday each month in the Trentham Mechanics Hall. Dances start at 7.30pm. Admission is \$8 per person, including supper and a door prize draw. Music is provided by the "Rythmaires". Each alternate dance is held in aid of the Trentham Historical Society. Enquiries: Elizabeth 5424 1254. Dates for the next few 2009 dances are:

- July 10<sup>th</sup>
- Aug 14<sup>th</sup>
- Sept 11<sup>th</sup>

#### **Wood Raffle.**

Tickets available every Saturday morning outside the Newsagency. The 2nd Raffle was won by Harley Dalglish of Blackwood. Each raffle is sold for 3 weeks before a draw. Tickets are \$1 each, prize is 1 mt Red Gum Wood delivered. 4 more raffles to go!!!

#### **Spring Festival**

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October, @ Feldspar, Falls Road. Our last Spring Festival was an outstanding success; Lots of interesting stalls, great food, wine and beer tastings, children's activities, the Chinese Lion Dancers and an afternoon of musical entertainment in and around the gardens and natural bushland of Feldspar. Planning is well underway for a bigger and better day. For information of if you have something to contribute, please contact John 5424 1460.

#### **Farmer's Market**

The launch of our new Farmer's Market will be on Sat 15<sup>th</sup> August, at the Trentham Town Square, with ribbon cutting by a prominent local personality. This Market will continue EVERY THIRD SATURDAY OF THE MONTH. Stallholders are at present being offered a place by invitation (subject to the Victorian Farmer's Markets Association Guidelines) For further information contact: Committee Chairperson Tracey on 5424 1185

#### **Cool Country Fun run.**

Sun 15<sup>th</sup> November. A 10km and 5km run through the tree lined country lanes around Trentham. JUST FOR FUN. Mothers, school children, everyone!!! Info. Colin; 5424 1581.

#### **Carols in the Park.**

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> December. FREE. Promising another great evening of wonderful entertainment on the lawns of the Quarry Street Reserve. Lions BBQ from 6.30pm. Info: John 5424 1460.

#### **Senior Citizens Dinner.**

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> December. FREE. All elderly citizens welcome to Xmas lunch at Trentham Golf Club. Delicious meal prepared by our C.W.A. members and friends. It is a great fun afternoon with father Xmas cheering you on. Sponsored by Trentham Lions Club.



#### **Attention Creative Community!**

An "Art from Recycled Materials Exhibition" will be held from Sunday, 25 October to Sunday, 01 November as part of the Creswick Forestry Fiesta 2009. Entries are welcome from local artists, schools and community groups. Now is the time to gather materials that may be reused or recycled, to create your own masterpiece to enter in the exhibit. The Exhibition will be held in the Albert Hall Gallery and Persephone's Garden. The only requirement is to use materials that can be reused or recycled, and it is encouraged to give attention to a theme of environmental sustainability. Artworks will be offered for sale if the artist selects to do so and no commission will be taken. No prizes

will be awarded or judging of the entries. A \$5 entry fee for each exhibit will be charged, excluding entries from schools.

A gold coin donation to enter the exhibits is encouraged. An artwork has also been generously donated as a raffle prize. All proceeds from artist entry fees, gold coin donations and the raffle will go to the Bald Hills-Creswick Landcare Group.

[Spread the word about the Art of Recycling.](#)

For more information and to receive an entry form, please contact Paula Collard on (03) 5345 8189 or email [getpaula@inet.com.au](mailto:getpaula@inet.com.au)

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### **CLEVER TOWN CHALLENGE**

The Clever Town Challenge will be held on Saturday August 1<sup>st</sup> from 10am til 12 noon. Trentham will be defending its title as the cleverest town in the Hepburn Shire against the bigger towns of Daylesford, Clunes and Creswick.

We will need a team of general knowledge enthusiasts. The Challenge is designed by Snodgers Puzzles and is in the form of the general knowledge crossword published each Sunday in *The Sunday Age*. Everyone interested is welcome as we need a large team just like we had in 2008 when we won the title.

We will be working at the Neighbourhood Centre from 10 am til 12noon competing in real time against the other teams working in their town libraries. As Trentham does not have its own library – Hepburn Shire Council please take note!- we need our participants to bring along their favourite reference books which we hope will be added to by a loan of books from the Ballarat library. Internet research is not permitted.

Please mark this event in your diary so you can come along and help the team to win the Challenge again for Trentham.

Yes we can!

Information - Di Parsons 54 24 1227



**CFA**

**REPORT**

The Brigade has had no fire call outs this month and the winter training program is under way.

We extend our very best wishes to our team member Paul Ulrik, now recovering in hospital from open heart surgery. Hope you're out and about really soon Paul, [and as cheeky as ever!]

Thank you again to the people who have made donations to our work this month. We very much appreciate your support.

*John McLaren*  
Secretary

### **WOMEN'S HEALTH**

#### **Get it local!**

There's a lot more to women's health than a Pap Test, but it's a pretty important factor. It's a quick and simple test that might save your life. All women between 18 and 70 years of age who have been sexually active should have a Pap Test every two years. Now's your chance to get yours! Hepburn Health Service's Women's Health Nurse, Ally Parnaby will be conducting Pap Testing as part of Women's Health Clinics being offered at Trentham Community Health Centre July 14, 28 & August 11, 25. While you are there you can get your blood pressure and blood sugar checked and discuss other aspects of health and wellbeing with the community health nurses. Appointments are available from 4.00-7.00pm and can be made by ringing Moira or Sharon at Hepburn Health Service

**5424-1228.**

### **TRENTHAM VISITOR** **INFORMATION CENTRE –** **VOLUNTEERS WANTED**

WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS! 3 hours a MONTH is not really onerous and you will meet new people and make new friends, it helps our visitors and helps our town.

Please contact Lori (Ph 54241453) if you are able to assist. It can only stay open with volunteers!!! Please help us keep OUR centre open.

### **NEW FAMILY TO TRENTHAM** **and looking for a nanny/ child** **sitter**

Are you looking for little extra cash in hand? Seeking reliable nanny/ child sitter to mind our wonderful daughter, in our home, after school. Daughter attending Catholic school in Kyneton from Term 4 - Monday 6th October 09  
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### **'Maxwell Smart' seen in** **Trentham?**

Following the Council Budget meeting a small group was discussing how important it is to involve children in tree planting projects. To make his point, one member of the group reached down into his elastic-sided boot to produce a mobile phone on which he showed a photo of a bunch of kids busy at a nearby tree planting. (Reminiscent of 'Agent 86', reaching for his 'shoe phone' in 'Get Smart'?) His phone had previously dropped out of a belt pouch but has been secure in his boot ever since. The story gets better - apparently the ring tone is a dog barking. 'Oh Max!' Who said that there aren't any characters around any more?

(Editor: surely you are pulling my leg? Contributor: if you want the identity of the Maxwell Smart boot-phone man ask Jill & David McCallum or the President of TRATA.)

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY JUNE!** **(ENGLISH that is)**

Well known local "Duchess" had a milestone birthday just recently. Turning 80 on the 25<sup>th</sup> June. Congrats June! However the dancing party planned has been postponed as June took a tumble & has broken her leg! Wishing you a speedy recovery so the dancing can begin!

### **About this Newsletter**

The Trentham Community Newsletter is published the first week of every month except January.

Guidelines for its Editorial Policy include:

To inform the community of news and coming events that will contribute to building community well-being.  
To promote a positive image of Trentham and its community.  
To contribute to the historical record.  
To provide a medium for advertising services and trades offered to the community.

Submissions considered counterproductive to this policy may not be published. Deadline date for all submissions is strictly the 20th of the previous month. Word limit for contributed articles is 200 words.

We wish to acknowledge Catherine King MHR and her staff for donating the time and resources to print our newsletter.

It is delivered to town residents and is available for collection from the Trentham Newsagency, Trentham Supermarket, the Neighbourhood Centre and the Visitor Info. Centre. If you would like to receive this newsletter via email, please send a message to <trata\_newsletter-subscribe@trentham.org.au> or visit the TRATA website and go to the 'News' section. Current and back issues are available on the website.

\* The next issue will be August and the closing date for submissions is 20<sup>th</sup> July and they can be sent preferably by email to the editor, ianlyn@internode.on.net or to 108 Mulcahy's Road Trentham 3458

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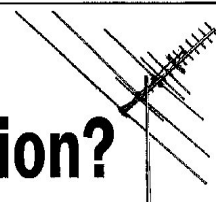


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## Trentham Coming Events

### July

- APRIL TO AUG Every Wednesday night Trentham Table Tennis Club** 7pm @ Mechanics Hall Enq: Irene 5424 1294
- 3rd FRI** **Trentham Film Society** @ Neighbourhood Centre. 7.30pm. New members welcome. Your first screening free & includes cuppa. Showing "Surprise Hitchcock!! T.B.A. Enq: James or Brad 5424 1126 or Maria 5424 1237.
- 4<sup>th</sup> SAT** **Community Market** @ Neighbourhood Centre. 9am – 1pm. Enq: Katy 5424 1354.
- 10<sup>th</sup> FRI** **Old Time Dance** @ Mechanics Hall. 7.30pm. \$8 pp incl supper, door prize, spot prizes etc. Enq: Elizabeth 5424 1254.
- 13<sup>th</sup> MON** **Trentham Historical Society** 2pm Working Bee – Old police station
- 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>.** **Trentham Playgroup** @ Mechanics Hall. 10 – 11.30am. Cost \$3 p/family. Bring a piece of fruit to share for morning tea. Enq: Jill 5424 1591. (each Tue except school hols.)
- TUES** **Neighbourhood Watch Meeting.** @ Neighbourhood Centre, 7.30pm all welcome.
- 14<sup>th</sup> TUES** **FREE BUS TO WENDOUREE**, 3<sup>rd</sup> MON of each month. Community Link
- 20<sup>th</sup> MON** Program, departs Trentham 8.15am & 9am. **BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL.** Enq: Judith 5368 6697.
- 26<sup>th</sup> SUN** **Trentham Historical Society** Committee meeting 2pm Old police station, Enq Susie 5424 1272
- Trentham Market**, 9am-3pm @ historical railway grounds, Victoria Street. Enq: Gwenda 5424 8223.

### August

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- 2<sup>nd</sup> SUN** **Clever Town Challenge** Trentham Neighbourhood Centre 10am – 12noon Enq: Diana 5424 1227
- 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>.** **TUE** **Trentham Playgroup** @ Mechanics Hall. 10 – 11.30am. Cost \$3 p/family. Bring a piece of fruit to share for morning tea. Enq: Jill 5424 1591. (each Tue except school hols).
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- Words in Winter** Festival Opening – Film Screening @ 7.30pm Neighbourhood Centre presents 'Stranger than Fiction' (M). Supper & drinks. ALL WELCOME NO CHARGE – DONATION to Words in Winter please Enq: 5424 1409
- 15<sup>th</sup> SAT** **Words in Winter- 11am – A Year in Trentham** \$2 Seasons in Song – performed by the Trentham Community Choir at St Georges Anglican Church
- 1pm – Bush Poetry** \$2 at Shirley's Café, High St – cosy & cute – tea, coffee & delicious snacks available
- 5pm – Telling Stories** \$2 @ Radio Springs Hotel, Lyonville. 10 mins from Trentham on the Daylesford Rd. Works by local writers performed in the cosy comfort of the now famous RSH.
- 7.30pm – Music & Poetry by Candlelight** @ Trentham Neighbourhood Centre. Local artists perform poetry & music. Cheese, wine, coffee & cake will be served. Cost Adults \$25/ Children \$10/ Family \$40
- 16<sup>th</sup> SUN** **Words in Winter** continues – **2pm – Dr Gwneth Wisewould – Outpost Doctor** - @ Historic Railway Station, Victoria St. \$2. A solo presentation by story teller & writer, Ian Braybrook
- 3pm – Love Makes Fools of Us All**, with Lauren Williams @ Radio Springs Hotel, Lyonville. \$2. Everyone welcome to read.
- 4.30pm – 'Protocol'** Ken Buddha & Lizzie Pogson @ Red Beard Bakery Café, Old Bakery Lane, Trentham. Entry \$5. Cakes & Beverages available.
- 7.30pm – 'The Epic of Gilgamesh'**, Peter Fernon, storyteller. A bawdy tale told in an ADULTS ONLY presentation. Venue TBA.
- Trentham Words in Winter Weekend** – Bookings all events 03 5424 1409
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