



The editions of *Around the Bend* in this collection are from 1967. Not all are included. Some originals were in poor condition, as is obvious from the marks on the pages and torn areas, especially near the middle of the page where they were folded.

As time permits the remaining copies I have will be inserted into this collection. The first collection's filename is ATB-1967-a.pdf.

The last letter before the dot will increment as more editions are added so that you will know whether it's worthwhile downloading it.

I hope you enjoy the memories that will bubble up while browsing them.

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Notice Board

The monthly meeting of the Welfare Council will be held in the Community Centre on Tuesday 28th February at 7.45 p.m. Club delegates are reminded that it is their duty to attend. In addition, any member of the community will be welcomed.

The Authority will be laying 10-80 Poison on Authority owned lands around Jindabyne and in the International Park on the 1st and 2nd March, 1967. Parents are asked to please keep children and pets away from these areas.

Please note the Barber Shop will be closed from Friday 10th March to Sunday 2nd April inclusive. The shop will be open on Wednesday, 1st March but will be closed on Thursday 2nd March.

Sunday School commences this Sunday 26th February at 10 a.m. in the Community Centre for children 5 years of age and over. Parents please send your children along. A number of parents are also asked to attend as their help will be greatly appreciated.

The Brownies Mothers meeting will be held on Wednesday 1st March at 10.30 a.m. in the Community Centre. Would all Brownie Mothers please attend this meeting?

Mass will be celebrated in "Our Lady of the Snows" Chapel at 7 a.m. this Sunday.

Church of England: There will be a Service of Evensong in All Souls Church on Thursday, 2nd March at 7.30 p.m. Will parishioners please note that the Annual Meeting will take place immediately following the service and an open invitation is extended to all interested persons to come and join our discussion about local and parish affairs.

Tasmanian Bushfire Relief Fund

The very pleasing sum of Two Hundred and Twenty-six Dollars, six cents, was raised at the Cabaret Dance held last Saturday night in aid of the Tasmanian Bushfire Relief Fund. This figure includes the Fifty Dollars donated by the Welfare Council. For this wonderful effort we must thank the Hampshire family who provided the music and staffed the door, to the anonymous donor who donated the prize for the raffle, to Ray Roy who won the prize and donated it back to be auctioned, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Andean who also donated a prize, and to Ken Morrison and Jim Hanotis who cleaned the premises after the dance - all free of charge. And finally to everyone who attended who helped to make it such an enjoyable night. In conclusion, it would be appreciated if those people who are holding contribution lists for the Appeal would return them to the A/Regional Officer today.

Farewell to Detective Sergeant Holmes

At a public meeting held in Cooma on Thursday 16th February, a committee was appointed to organise a farewell function to Detective Sergeant Holmes who has been stationed in this area for the past 16 years. Bill has made many friends during this period and the work he has done for the betterment of this area is widely recognised. Interested persons are advised that the farewell will be held on Monday night 27th February, at the Cooma Golf Club commencing at 8 p.m. There will be supper, dancing and liquid refreshments available. If you would like to be in attendance, tickets at \$2.00 each are available from John McNulty or Stan Bound.

Major Contracts Duty Officer this weekend will be Mr. R. Mattner, Jindabyne. Phones: Office - Jindabyne Ext. 228, Residence: Jindabyne Ext. 270.

ISLAND BEND ARCHERS

When presenting the trophies last Sunday, Sir William Hudson commented on the success of the inter-club shoot and the impressive spectacle of the long line of bowmen and women facing the targets. Canberra brought a very strong team and through their performances, encouraged the local enthusiasts to greater heights. Alan Watt was the only successful Island Bend archer and his fine performance deserved recognition.

The Commissioner has made arrangements for the Archery Club to make a sponsored tour to Talbingo to encourage the establishment of a club there, and then to demonstrate coach at other regions in the Snowy Scheme.

This Sunday a prestige event - a "Short American",

Island Bend Archers would be happy to assist anyone if they would like to try their hand at this sport. Bows, arrows and coaches will be available this Sunday, so if you would like a try, all will be welcome. Bill Welfare has won himself a club badge. Now is your chance Juniors, it's a 20 yd. event this week.

SCHOOL CORNER

Mr. Bingham, Area Director of Education, will be visiting the school today, as part of a conducted tour of the Scheme. Mr. Bingham was District Inspector for Cooma when the first Island Bend school was established.

Total funds raised by the children for the Tasmanian Bushfire Appeal is \$20.50. A wonderful effort on the part of the children.

Mr. Bruce Mitchell commences duty as assistant at this school and it is anticipated that he will quickly be absorbed into the community with the customary warmth and friendliness so characteristic of Island Bend.

DARTS

A remarkable return to form of the Island Bend Darts Team earned them a resounding win over the visitors from Cooma last Saturday. After the thrashing meted out by Talbingo the previous week, the locals got the bit between their teeth, and in game after game, they dispatched the opposition with monotonous regularity. Congratulations on a fine win of 11-2 and to the visitors a bouquet for the sportsmanlike manner in which they accepted defeat.

THIS WEEK'S FILMS

Island Bend

Please note

MATINEE - SUNDAY 2 P.M. 25.2.67

"OLIVER TWIST" - JOHN MILLS

ALEC GUINNESS

"MYSTERY OF THE RIVER BOAT"-Epis.7

SUNDAY EVENING 7 P.M. 26.2.67

"WILD AND WONDERFUL" - TONY CURTIS

CHRISTINE KAUFMANN

"LADIES WHO DO" - PEGGY MONT

ROBERT MORLEY

WEDNESDAY EVENING - 7 P.M. 1.3.67

"SANDOKAN THE GREAT" - STEVE REEVES

GENEVIEVE GRAD

"THE BADLANDERS" - ALAN LADD

KATY JURADO

FILM GROUP - FRIDAY 3.3.67

"PARENT TRAP" - HAYLEY MILLS

MAUREEN O'HARA

SUNDAY EVENING - JINDABYNE CAMP

"LANCELOT AND GENEVIEVE"

"HATARI"

*Free Documentaries will be screened as usual on Tuesday evening.

GARDEN CLUB

Big news this week!!!! The Commissioner and Lady Hudson have accepted our invitation to attend our Flower Show on the evening of Monday 13th March, when they will not only present the trophies for the Flower Show and the Garden Competition (to be judged during the afternoon) but also the trophies won by local gardening enthusiasts in the Commissioner's "Better Gardening Competition", which was judged during January. Watch for the special pamphlet to be issued to all residents during the next week giving you full details. There will be classes for the garden-lovers, the indoor-plant enthusiasts and some very special classes for the children. This is something you don't want to miss.

Medical Benefits Fund

Three representatives from the Medical Benefits Fund will be in the area during the week to assist members who may have some problems and to sign up prospective members. They will be available for consultation as follows:

Jindabyne Mess, Tuesday 28th February,
from 12 noon to 1.30 p.m. and from
4.21 to 8 p.m.

Island Bend, Tuesday 28th February,
Wages Mess from 12 noon to 1.30 p.m.



Notice Board

The next meeting of the Island Bend Ladies Association will be held in the Community Centre at 8 p.m. on Thursday, 27th April. At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Slypen will demonstrate the art of beaten copper work. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Mass will be celebrated in "Our Lady of the Snows" Chapel at 5.30 p.m. this Sunday.

A Brownies' Mothers meeting will be held in the small Community Centre on Wednesday, 3rd May at 7.30 p.m. ~~This will be the Annual General Meeting and all mothers are asked to attend.~~

A message from Judy, Thomas and Katie Innes - "Thank you friends, for our holiday. We had a wonderful time."

Major Contracts Duty Officer this weekend will be Mr. T.J. Fobbins of Jindabyne. 'Phones: Office Jinda. Ext. 260; Residence Jinda. Ext. 293.

Church of England Services:
Island Bend - next service Thursday 4th May, Evensong at 7.30 p.m.
Jindabyne - Sunday 23rd April, Holy Communion at 8 a.m.

Please note: As the fourth Tuesday of this month is Anzac Day, there will be no meeting of the Kosciusko Region Welfare Council this month. The next meeting will be 23rd May.

Holiday Services

Island Bend General Store:
Saturday: 10 a.m. to 12 noon only.
Sunday: Normal Sunday hours.
Monday: Normal weekday hours.
Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. only.

Post Office:
Normal hours except Tuesday - closed all day Anzac Day.

JINDABYNE SAGA

Tomorrow, Saturday April 22nd, the people of this region will have the rare opportunity of seeing history in the making. A valley will disappear in the months to come and a lake will take its place. An historical pageant depicting the early history of the valley, displays of relics, period costume - all this will evoke the old life of the Snowy Mountains. Before our eyes Lake Jindabyne will be forming, a vital part of one of the greatest projects in the world, and who knows what history will take place on its shores in the future? We are ~~sure~~ ~~that everyone in the region~~ want to be a spectator at least on this unique occasion. A full day of displays, exhibits and film screenings will begin at 10 a.m., and from 12 noon until 1 p.m., "old-time barbeques" and other food stalls will be in operation. The historic procession from the old town to the new will begin at 2 p.m. and on its arrival at the new town, there will be more parades and displays. In the evening a Remembrance Dance will be held in the Memorial Hall at 8.30 p.m. Everyone is welcome!

PHOTOGRAPHS

Advice has just been received from Cooma that the order for the large coloured photo of Island Bend and the Snowy River Valley has been completed and will be available for distribution here next week. Will all persons concerned please note to bring along their \$5 when they come to collect their photo. 'Phone enquiries to Major Contracts, Ext.224 (Mrs. Kirkemo).

ISLAND BEND HAIRDRESSER

Mr. Frank Tomosic, a fully qualified ladies and mens hairdresser, opens tonight from 6.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. Hours will be 6.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays.

TENNIS CLUB

A slight change of plans regarding the Annual Club Dinner. Could you please note that it will be held at the Ski-Rider Motel Wilson's Valley, and not as previously advertised. Members should have received full details by this in a special circular. All names and monies must be in to Mrs. Pat Watson by Wednesday 26th April, so your co-operation is requested in this regard. The ladies are still enthusiastically turning up on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Last Sunday club members entertained some of the visiting John Holland personnel and had quite an enjoyable morning's tennis. Don't forget - the club day is Sunday and we would like to see a few more games take place before we run afoul of the weather. The court captains are Mrs. Schultz and M. Pittaway.

ISLAND BEND ARCHERS

With many archers correctly clad in the blue jerkin of this club, the weekend shoots will create even more interest as a spectacle. This club has welcomed many new members this year and Eileen Fitzgerald and ~~and Martin, our newest members,~~ ~~and they join to their first~~ competition. Last week results were:

"American" Men (Handicap), John Leban 1st, Lofty Proudford 2nd, Alan Watt 3rd.

"Olympic" Novices (Handicap), Ben Slypen 1st, Margaret Armstrong 2nd, and Yvonne Slypen 3rd.

20 yd. Juniors (Handicap), Rick Slypen 1st, Chris Fitzgerald 2nd, Eileen Fitzgerald 3rd.

Obviously the Slypen family has been practising quietly but continuously. Sunday's event will be a team shoot on handicap. Each team will consist of a junior, a novice and a senior. Teams will be drawn out of the hat just prior to the event so be on time and get your entry in. Entry fee as usual 30c, 30c and 10c, and ranges: Seniors 40 yds, Novices 30 yds, and Juniors 20 yds.

Congratulations to Rick for the highest ever 20 yd. score. 566 at this range is outstanding for a junior. No Saturday coaching class this week as the "Saga" is a once-in-a-lifetime event.

SQUASH CLUB

No gear, no members, no funds! A meeting to determine the future of this club will be held on Wednesday evening at 7.30 in the Conference Room.

THIS WEEK'S MOVIES

Island Bend

MATINEE - SUNDAY 2 P.M.

"VALLEY OF THE VANISHING MEN"-EPIS.2.

and

"RIDE THE WILD SURF"

SUNDAY EVENING - 7 P.M.

"A MAN CALLED PETER" - RICHARD TODD

"RIDE BEYOND REVENGE" - CHUCK CONNORS

JOAN BLONDELL.

WEDNESDAY EVENING 7 P.M.

"THE APARTMENT" - JACK LEMMON,
SHIRLEY MACLAINE.

"SANTIAGO" - ALAN LADD, ROSANNA
PODESTA.

Jindabyne

SUNDAY EVENING

"BRIDGE ON THE RIVER KWAI" -

ALEC GUINNESS, JACK HAWKINS.

"ARIZONA RAIDERS" - AUDIE MURPHY

TUESDAY EVENING

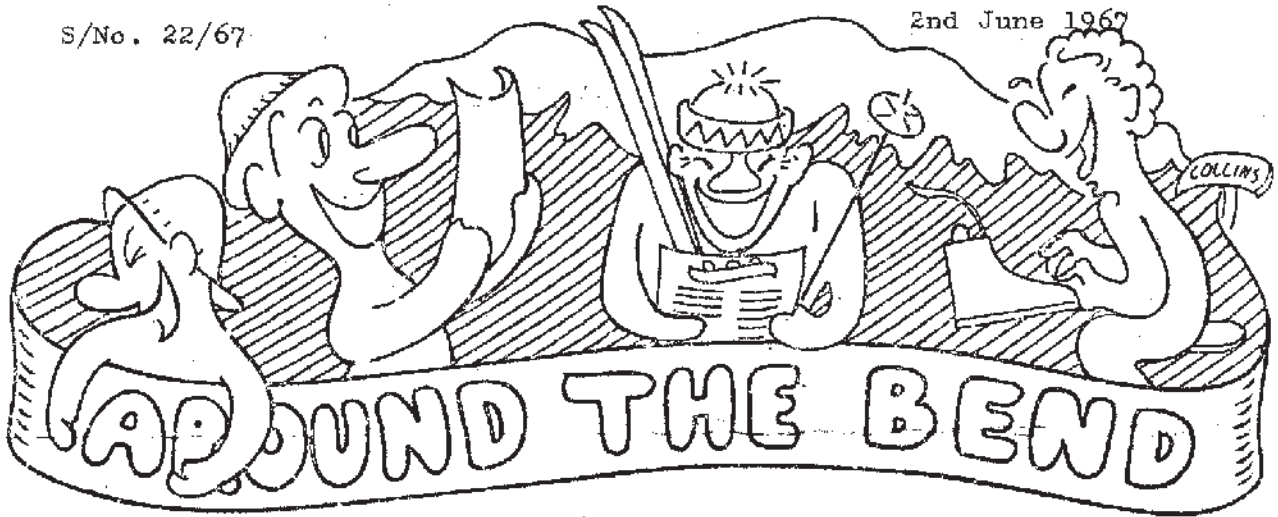
Free selected shorts will be shown,

CUB NEWS

As the head and the secretarial limb of the 1st Kosciusko Group Committee have been removed by Mr. and Mrs. Hickson's departure, and "Moneybags" Peter Doolan is banished to serve a term as a Bank Manager in Sydney, a meeting is called for Monday, 24th April at 8 p.m. in the Community Centre to elect new Honorary Heads. After the main business of the meeting, a showing of colour slides of the Pack's activities will be held. One member of the Cub's family is enough to be present - two are very welcome.

SCHOOL CORNER

Tonight, Friday, is the school dance. All parents and friends are assured of an entertaining evening, as the children enjoy the art of dancing and the social experience. First class children are now emulating the standards of the six-year olds in the Cuisenaire film shown at the ease with which such young children grasp the elements of arithmetical processes. Cuisenaire, undoubtedly, will be one of the highlights of Education Week this year.



Notice Board

Badminton - tonight - Friday
 The Annual General Meeting of the Island Bend Badminton Club takes place tonight, Friday 2nd June, at 8 p.m. in the Recreation Hall. Don't forget to bring your sandshoes as badminton will be played at the conclusion of this short meeting. Our apologies to club members for last week's meeting being cancelled at the last minute because of an error by the editorial staff.

The monthly meeting of the 1st Kosciusko Brownie Committee will be held in the Community Centre on Wednesday, 7th June, 1967 at 7.30 pm. All parents of Brownies and other interested persons are invited to attend.

The Brownies would like to thank the community of Island Bend for helping them raise over \$22 in their Cents For Service Drive.

The fortnightly practice of the Jindabyne Combined Fire Squad will be held at the Transport Pool this Thursday, 8th June at 4.30 p.m.

Mass will be celebrated in "Our Lady of the Snows" Chapel this Sunday at 5.30 p.m.

Church of England Services:

Island Bend: Unless otherwise advised through this news sheet, next service will be Holy Communion at 7.30 a.m. on Sunday, 18th June.

Jindabyne: Sunday 4th June - Morning Prayer at 11 a. m.

Major Contracts Duty Officer this weekend will be Mr. G.A. Gilmour of Island Bend. 'Phones: Office I.B. Ext. 1/36, Residence I.B. Ext. 369.

ISLAND BEND COFFEE LOUNGE

It is regretted that the Welfare Council Coffee Lounge will cease operation next Friday, June 9th. As a closing gesture, residents are invited to call in next Friday evening and enjoy a free cup of coffee and a sandwich.

PLEASE DON'T PICK THE DAISIES

The Kosciusko State Park Trust has asked us to remind you that it is an offence to: pick, cut, injure, remove or have in possession for removal or otherwise any ferns, palms, shrubs, plants or flowers whether native or otherwise, and to hunt, disturb, capture or destroy any native or introduced birds or animals within the boundaries of the Kosciusko State Park.

LADIES

PENGUIN CLUB OF AUSTRALIA

The next General Meeting of Group 31 will be held at the Community Centre in Twynam St., Island Bend, on Tuesday 6th June at 8.15 p.m. Guests and new members are always welcome, so do come along and join our activities. Just contact Mrs. Pat Watson, Phone PMG Island Bend 268, or Mrs. Joy Dudas, Phone SMA Extension 200.

SABIN ORAL POLIO VACCINATION

By this stage, most people in Island Bend under 20 years of age have been vaccinated. However, anyone who has not, is asked to contact Mrs. Andean, 6 Tate Street, Island Bend, Phone SMA Ext. 306, as soon as possible to receive their card and be included in a clinic in the near future. Persons up to 40 years are also asked to register with Mrs. Andean to assist the organization of future clinics.

SKI CLUB

While the attendance was not as great as the enthusiasm, there was no lack of ideas and planning for the coming season when the Ski Club held its Annual Meeting on Monday last. The outgoing executive was returned in its entirety and for the benefit of new members, this committee comprises: President - Malcolm Pittaway; Secretary - Adele Kirkemo; Treasurer - Mick Lewandowski; Committee Member - Pat Baxter; Club Captain - Arne Kirkemo.

As soon as there is sufficient snow on the ground, there will be every opportunity for beginners to get the "know-how" and in particular, there will be events for children. For the more advanced skiers, we have information on Downhill, Slalom and Langlauf events in which they may be interested either individually or as a team. There's a strong rumour round the Bend that we have a few fancied starters in several sections of the big "Classic" Langlauf run this season (mid-August). As you need stamina as much as, if not more than style in this event - why not give it a go!

SQUASH CLUB

Those of you who need a little "limbering-up" before the ski season begins, why not take up squash? Membership costs \$1 only, to be paid to Sue Runcie, Wendy Mousley or Lefty Proudford, and equipment is available for a deposit of 50 cents (refundable) and court fees of 20 cents a player. We are expecting new racquets in the near future, so come and have a "bash" - not against the walls, please.

ARCHERY NEWS

One week to the Championships at Canberra. Island Bend will be represented by Yvonne Slypen, Eileen Fitzgerald, Alan Watt, Ray Brown, John Leban, Jim Robinson, Bruce Mitchell, Fred Armstrong, Maria Leban, Piri Dudas and Rick Slypen. Good luck and good shooting!

John Leban gave a wonderful exhibition of precision shooting in last Sunday's event with Rick Slypen outstanding among the juniors. This week the shoot will be on Sunday, outside if the weather is fine, or short range, small target inside if the weather is bad.

TAKE IT EASY -

The road toll is greedy.

THIS WEEK'S FILMS

Island Bend

MATINEE - SUNDAY 2 P.M.

"THE OUTLAWS IS COMING"

Plus

Selected shorts.

SUNDAY EVENING 7 P.M.

"TARAS BULBA" - TONY CURTIS AND YUL BRYNNER in an epic adventure.

In support will be selected featurettes.

WEDNESDAY EVENING 7 P.M.

"FIVE BRANDED WOMEN" - SILVANA MANGANO AND VAN HEFLIN star in this human drama on the Nazi-partisan conflict of World War II.

Plus

"IN THE FRENCH STYLE" - JEAN SEBERG and STANLEY BAKER.

Jindabyne

SUNDAY EVENING

"COME BLOW YOUR HORN" - starring FRANK SINATRA.

"TOBY TYLER" - Walt Disney Production.

TUESDAY EVENING

Free selected shorts will be shown.

THURSDAY EVENING

This Thursday, June 8th, the Snowy Mountains Field Unit of the Salvation Army will be putting on another of their regular evenings of selected and varied shorts at the Jindabyne Camp Recreation Hall. Everyone is most welcome to attend.

SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCING

With the Ball behind us, classes have now settled down to their regular routine of Wednesday evenings at 8 p.m. in the Island Bend Community Centre in Twynam Street. No charge is made for tuition, but a donation of 20 cents is made to cover the cost of supper and records. New members will be made most welcome.

SCHOOL CORNER

Our thanks to Geoff, Jimmy and Bill for their wonderful effort at the school last Sunday. The scrambling net is now in operation and the children are having wonderful fun. Two sets of net posts were also solidly set into the ground and now volley ball and deck tennis can be



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NOTICE BOARD.

The next monthly meeting of the Island Bend P & C Association will be held this Monday December 11th at 8 p.m. in the Community Centre.

WEEK-END MEDICAL SERVICES

The Sister on duty this week-end will be Sister Mousley - Phone Medical Centre I.B. 23.

Church of England Services:

Island Bend:

Watch next week's news sheet for information regarding Christmas Services.

Jindabyne:

Sunday, December 10th - Evensong at 7-30 p.m.

Mass will be celebrated at "Our Lady of the Snows" Chapel this Sunday at 7 a.m.

The Major Contracts Duty Officer this week-end will be Mr G.A.Gilmour of Island Bend. Phones:- Office J.P.S. 36 - Residence I.B. 53.

WEEK-END WEATHER

Friday: Fine, warm, light winds.
 Saturday: Similar. Few afternoon showers.
 Sunday: Chance of thunderstorm.

CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY
ISLAND BEND

Tomorrow Saturday December 9th is the big day for the Island Bend children.

Festivities begin in the Island Bend Recreation Hall at 5 p.m. with the usual goodies for the children to eat, followed by a visit from Father Christmas, and the presentation of awards.

The programme will also include performances by the School Recorder consort and verse writing group, followed by films.

To ensure all goes well, it would be appreciated if parents would help in the preparation of the hall on Friday evening from 7 p.m., and ladies - please make a cake or a plate of party cakes and deliver them to the hall on Saturday at 3 p.m.

CHRISTMAS CARDS.

Have you purchased your Christmas Cards yet? If not, may we suggest you buy the attractive cards being sold on behalf of the Ryder Cheshire International Home for Leprosy patients and destitute children. These cards are available from the Wet Canteen or the Catering office, Jindabyne Mess, for only 10 cents each.

Clubs and groups planning Christmas functions are asked to please contact Amenities as soon as possible to claim the date for facilities and equipment. Bookings are already heavy - delay causes disappointment.

SCHOOL CORNER

As this is the last week of the school year for 1967, the staff would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people of the community for their assistance and co-operation during the year.

Special souvenir copies of the school magazine "KOORA" will be available on Tuesday. This will be the final one from this school, and it is hoped that it will be as well received as previous years.

We say farewell to Mrs de Majnik, who has received notification of her promotion to Deputy Mistress of Cooma Infants. Mrs de Majnik's work in the mountains has been much appreciated by both the parents of all children under her charge, and by all the staff members with whom she has worked.

ISLAND BEND SQUASH CLUB

The club was closed at last Thursday's general meeting and assets disposed of. Full particulars will be sent in a circular to all financial members of the club.

ISLAND BEND TENNIS CLUB

All 'night tennis' fiends will be pleased to hear that all lights on the courts are again operational - so no more talk of blind spots and dark patches!

No competitions are in the wind at the moment. Social tennis and practice matches are the order. Don't forget Monday evening - night tennis - a good roll up please.

BROWNIE NEWS

Island Bend Brownies are invited to attend the Christmas Party to be held in the Jindabyne Camp Recreation Hall at 8 p.m. this Thursday December 14th. Transport will leave Mrs Dudas' house at 7.15 p.m. All Brownies are requested to bring a signed permission note.

Christmas is getting close. Alf Mewett still has a good variety of Dr. Barnardo's Christmas cards still available. Phone him at Jindabyne 262.

THIS WEEK'S FILMS

Jindabyne

SUNDAY 7-30 p.m.

"THE 25th HOUR" - ANTHONY QUINN - VERA LISI
Powerful adult continental drama.

In support will be selected featurettes.

TUESDAY 7.15 p.m.

A selection of free shorts will be screened.

Island Bend

MATINEE - SUNDAY 2 p.m.

"THE SHADOW" - Episode 4.

"THE GREAT LOVER" - BOB HOPE.

SUNDAY 7.30 p.m.

"DANGER GROWS WILD" - 22 International stars, including YUL BRYNNER - SENTA BERGER - JACK HAWKINS.

The story behind international drug traffic.

"GUNFIGHT IN ABILENE" - BOBBY DARIN - EMILY BANKS - Adult Western.

WEDNESDAY 7.30 p.m.

"THE VENETIAN AFFAIR" - ROBERT VAUGHN - ELKE SOMMER - KARL BOEHM.

Based on Helen McInnes' best seller. Fast moving adult drama.

"THE NAKED PREY" - CORNEL WILDE - GERT VANDERBERG.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH-COOMA

May we remind you of the invitation to all Lutherans to attend the opening and Dedication Service of the new Lutheran Church in Cooma - Sunday December 10th at 10 a.m. A Mission Service will follow at 2.30 p.m. The new Church is close to the look-out near West Camp area overlooking the town. Access is from Mittagang Road turning right at the top of the hill on the way to the Head Office. The Church Hall will be open to visitors from the regions during lunch hours. Hot water is available, and a cup of tea will be served by the Ladies' Guild after the Mission Service.

If you are missing a set of Ford car keys please contact Taffy Thomas - Security.
