

YARRA GLEN & DISTRICT TOWNSHIP GROUP

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MORE ON YG&DTG AGM

It was remiss of me not to mention two other attendees at the **Yarra Glen & District Township Group** Annual General Meeting last week: **Marjorie Woollands**, the President of the **Yarra Glen Chamber of Commerce** and the instigator of the **Melba Festival** attended as a representative of both groups and **Ian Whitford**, a long time stalwart of the town was also present.

YARRA GLEN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Speaking of the Chamber, the Secretary **Frank Hoogenraad** has supplied a list of dates for future Chamber meetings. Like the Township Group, these meetings will be held at the **Yarra Valley Racing Centre** and all members are invited to attend and express their views. Dates are:

July 16

August 20

September 17

October 15

November 19.

All members are invited to attend and sandwiches tea and coffee will be available for \$5.00. To assist catering an RSVP would be appreciated. The meetings start at midday.

THIS WEEK'S PERMITS

There is a significant amount of construction planned for Yarra Glen, based on this week's planning applications: three different applications for the construction of dwellings on properties in Steels Creek Road, Yarraview Road and Melba Highway. The Melba Highway application also involves the removal of three trees. The point was made point to me after the AGM of the group that – as the perimeter boundary of the town is well defined – a lot of future development will take the form of sub division of existing blocks and a trend has developed over the past few weeks with another application for a sub division by JCA Land Consultants also applied for this week. This sub division is in Yarraview Road.

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