

YARRA GLEN & DISTRICT TOWNSHIP GROUP

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VALE BARBARA SMYTHE

Further to our article last week, many locals packed the Yarra Glen Catholic Church for Barbara's funeral last Friday – so many that more than 30 people were unable to fit into the church. The mourners represented a wide cross section of the local community.

BANQ CAFÉ/RESTAURANT

Amanda Williams was able to confirm last week's rumour that the Banq Restaurant will reopen as a brewery before the end of the year. Amanda made the point that with both the Banq and the Grand changing hands shortly, a new era of dining may be starting.

THIS WEEK'S PERMITS

Not one permit that impacted on the 3775 postcode district was applied for in last week's list.

PIPELINE PROJECT

Mike Dalmu, who stood against **Ben Hardman** as the Liberal candidate in the last state election, has been a very active opponent of the proposal to pipe water down from the Goulburn to Sugarloaf. He has sent the following message to many in our area:

The next Yea Pipeline Resistance meeting is next Friday night @ 7.30pm @ the Murrindindi Shire Offices in Yea.

By holding the meeting on a Friday evening it is hoped that absentee landowners can also attend.

It is hoped that all affected landowners can attend as well as supporters who know that this pipeline is bad for the future of the whole Goulburn Valley.

Updated information will be discussed on what next steps people can take to resist or put in place proper procedures in stopping unwanted people entering your properties.

Also to be discussed are what measures we as a group can take to support each other during this extremely stressful time.

PREVIOUS ISSUES

You are reminded that the previous editions of this newsletter are available at:
<http://www.yarraglen.com/townshipgroup/news.php>

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