

Bendoc Wheel

from

Gary White dog training school



On the 13th of December Gary and Ange White from White's Kelpie Stud arrived at the Delegate Showgrounds to present a day of training for working dogs and their owners. We were fortunate enough to strike the only sunny day all week. 10 people attended with their dogs and a number of people preferred to watch from the sidelines as Gary explained the fundamentals of his training program. Each attendee got a chance to implement their new skills in the round-yard under Gary's guidance and it was wonderful to see the improvement in the confidence of the dogs as the day progressed. Everyone was well-fed with catering provided by the Bendoc Progress Association.

A lot of work went into organising the training day and we would like to acknowledge the support we received. Without the support of Melissa Holden from Red Cross Australia the day would not have happened. Melissa secured funding and drove all the way from Lakes Entrance to attend. We would like to thank the East Gippsland Shire who contributed funding to cover our catering costs. The sheep that the dogs worked on were provided by Shaun Walcott who also delivered the sheep to the showground. We would also like to acknowledge Ron and Mandy Horton who were unable to attend the day, but generously donated their portable panels. Finally, thanks again to Gary and Ange for travelling from their home at Nyngan all the way to NE Gippsland and Delegate. More photos on the following pages.



Peter learning new tricks.



Attendees



Charlie and Dallas



Amber and Axle



Eddie




Gary and Charlie



Kaylee practicing new skills




Axle




Don't travel to bushland on **Extreme Fire Danger Rating days.**

If you plan to travel through Victoria during fire season, it's important to check the Fire Danger Rating every day. If the rating is Extreme or Catastrophic, avoid travelling to high risk bush or grassfire areas. It's safer to travel to cities or towns for the day.

How well do you know fire? 

Plan. Act. Survive. Go to emergency.vic.gov.au

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Are you at a loose end for Christmas lunch?

Bendoc Hall is going to hold an informal Christmas Lunch at Noon on Christmas Day at the Hall for anybody who cares to come along. If you just want to relax and shoot the breeze and have a laugh, then you are more than welcome.

Lunch is free, probably a BBQ and salad with a desert.
Bring your own grog.

Games are available if you want to play against Marion :-)

Can you text Jim (on 0403196528) by Tuesday the 20th December, and leave your name and the number of adults and children who might be coming, just so we can plan.

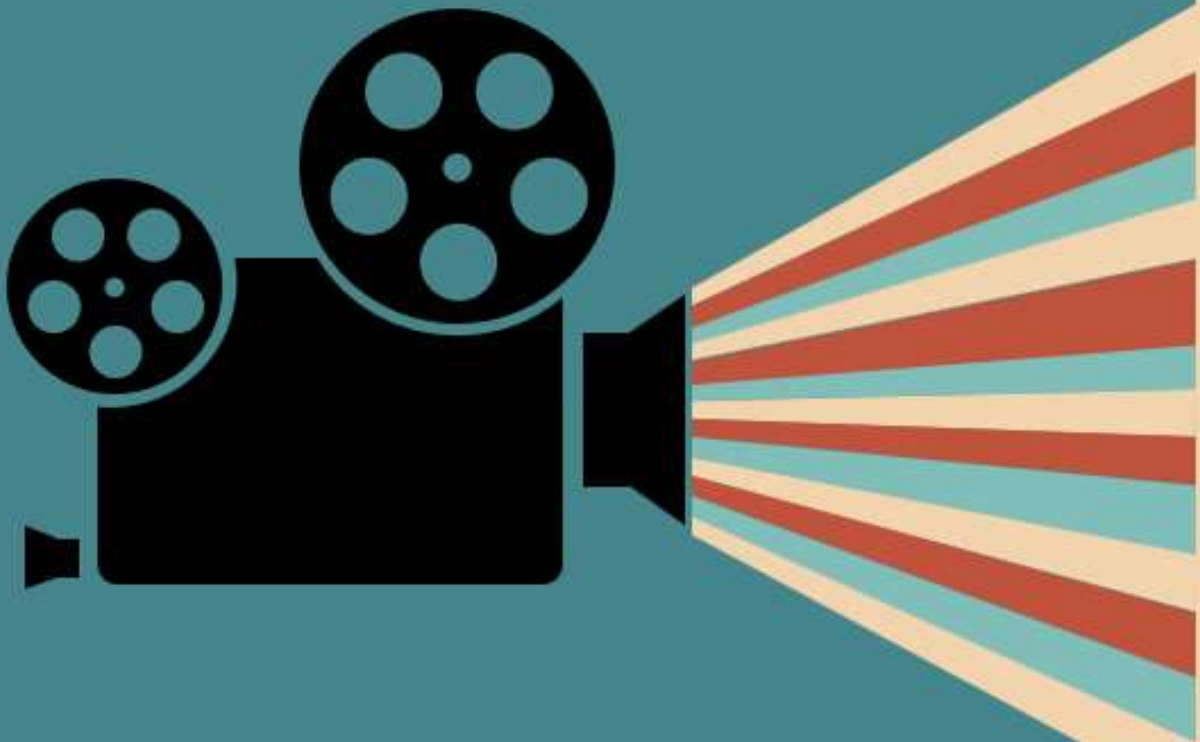
All proceeds benefit future programming

BENDOC MOVIE NIGHT

Bendoc Memorial Hall

18 February 2023

Movie yet to be decided



Bendoc Memorial Hall in partnership with
Bendoc Neighbourhood House



Bendoc Neighbourhood House opening hours
(Closed for January 2023)

2023		February				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
30	31	01 Open 9-2:30 pm	02	03	04	05
06 Open 9-2:30 pm	07 Open 9-2:30 pm	08 Open 9-2:30 pm	09	10	11	12
13	14 Open 9-2:30 pm	15 Open 9-2:30 pm	16	17	18	19
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