### **Doug Darlington**

Subject: Attachments: FW: FOR THE WANT OF A NAIL THE LONG JETTY SAILING CLUB 2010 11 24 PRESENTATION 3.pdf

From: Doug Darlington
Sent: Tuesday, 29 November 2011 7:57 AM
To: 'Chris.Spence@parliament.nsw.gov.au'
Cc: 'Aaron Henry'
Subject: FOR THE WANT OF A NAIL THE LONG JETTY SAILING CLUB

#### Hi Chris

For want of a nail the shoe was lost. For want of a shoe the horse was lost. For want of a horse the rider was lost. For want of a rider the battle was lost. For want of a battle the kingdom was lost. And all for the want of a horseshoe nail.

For the want of some paint a building was lost.

It's just over a year that I presented to Wyong Shire Council on the Long Jetty Sailing Club. Two years since TEPCP and Council asked the Department of Lands to remove the Graffiti.

This is how it is today.







Regards Doug

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### COUNCIL 24 NOVEMBER 2010

### **11 NOTICES OF MOTION**

11.1 Notice of Motion - Old Sailing Club Building at Tuggerah Parade, Long Jetty..320

Presentation by TEPCP in support of the emotion

On behalf of TEPCP I wish to thank the Deputy Mayor, Councillor Bob Graham for his notice of motion before Council tonight.

This is a tale of woe and on behalf of TEPCP I wish to thank the Deputy Mayor, Councillor Bob Graham for his notice of motion before Council tonight

# PRECINCT COMMITTEES TRY TO ENCOURAGE PRIDE IN LOCAL AREAS

One of the things that WSC implemented Precinct Committees to do was to establish pride in local areas



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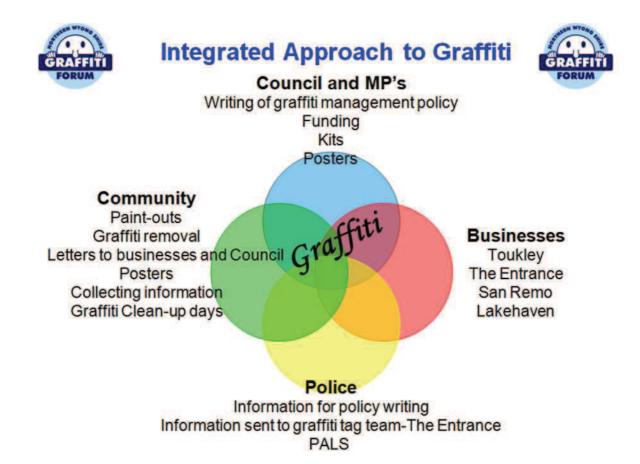
Graffiti has a negative impact on the presentation of a suburb. The majority of people would agree that most graffiti is unattractive and detracts from the feel of a sense of community pride.



It can create fear in the community, particularly amongst the elderly, where residents believe that our streets are not safe



When Jillian Hogan, Services Manager of the San Remo Neighbourhood Centre established the Northern Wyong Shire Graffiti Forum, TEPCP realised that combating needed an integrated approach.

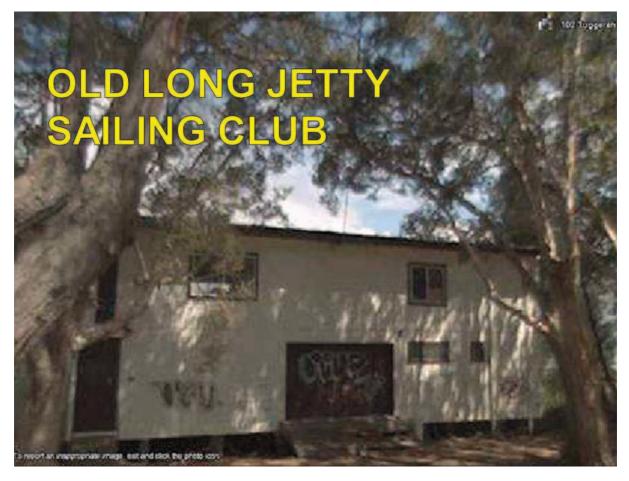


Involving Council and MP's, The Community, Businesses and the Police



The strategy adopted by TEPCP was to write to owner's encouraging rapid removal. It has been very successful.

TEPCP raises a service request for the removal of Graffiti from Council property. WSC has been very co-operative in it's Rapid Removal

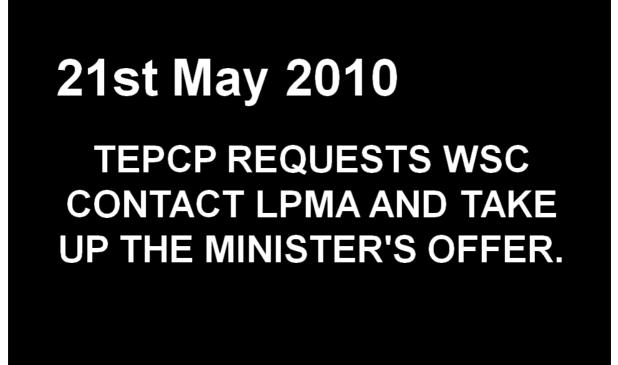


The Old Long Jetty Sailing Club has been vacant for a number of years

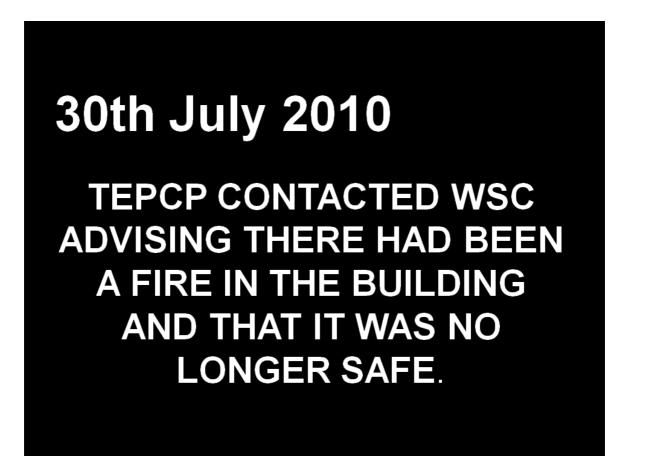
# 18th May 2010

MINISTER FOR LANDS ADVISES THAT THE LPMA WILL ASSIST WSC TO IN HAVING THE GRAFFITI REMOVED AND IF NECESSARY CONTRIBUTE TO THE RELEVANT COSTS.

**18 May 2010** Minister for Lands Tony Kelly advised The Land and Property Management Authority (LPMA) will contact WSC to assist in having the graffiti removed and if necessary contribute to the relevant costs.



21 May 2010 TEPCP requests WSC contact LPMA and take up the Minister's offer.



**30 July 2010** TEPCP contacted WSC advising there had been a fire in the building and that it was no longer safe.

# 3rd September, 2010

WSC ADVISED OF FURTHER VANDALISM TO THE BUILDING.

THE DAMAGE TO THE BUILDING IS NOW SO SEVERE THAT IT IS ONLY SUITABLE FOR DEMOLITION.

**3rd September, 2010** TEPCP again contacted WSC advising of further vandalism to the building. TEPCP has been advised that the damage to the building is now so severe that it is only suitable for demolition.



FRONT SHOING BUCKET HUNG FROM BROKEN WINDOW



FRONT WITH HOLES PUNCHED IN WALL



NORTH SIDE WITH HOLE PUNCHED THROUGH WALL



### STORMWATER DRAIN WITH ITENS THROWN FROM BUILDING



Hon Tony Kelly MLC Minister for Planning Minister for Infrastructure Minister for Lands Deputy Leader of the Government in the Legislative Council Leader of the House in the Legislative Council

MIN09/4950/2

18 MAY 2010

Mr Doug Darlington Secretary The Entrance Community Precinct Committee 63 Stella Street LONG JETTY NSW 2261

Dear Mr Darlington

I refer to your Committee's representations requesting assistance in the clean-up of graffiti on two buildings on the foreshore at Long Jetty.

The Land and Property Management Authority (LPMA) has advised that the first of the buildings identified in your correspondence is an untenanted structure formerly held under licence by the Australian Volunteer Coast Guard Association. Prior to determining the long-term future use of this building the LPMA will contact Wyong Shire Council to assist with having the graffiti removed and if necessary, contribute to the relevant costs.

The other structure identified in your correspondence is on Crown land that has been reserved for boy scouts. The LPMA is making contact with Scouting Australia to address removal of the graffiti and to ascertain whether the property is surplus to scouting requirements. The LPMA will be in a better position to determine the future of this site once Scouting Australia has provided a formal response.

Should you require any further assistance in this matter Mr Anthony Signor, Program Manager, at LPMA's Maitland Office is available to assist and can be contacted on 4937 9332.

Yours faithfully

Tony Kelly MLC Minister for Lands