

NEWS

Bushfire Sub Committee Update

The Bushfire Petition has now been finalised with 603 signatures on 37 pages. Thank you to those who helped distribute the petition and to all who signed. The speed completing the petition with a large number of signatures indicates the concern of the community regarding bushfire potential in Tuross Head.

The THPA Committee formally handed over the petition at Club Tuross on 19th February to Dr Michael Holland, MP for Bega, for tabling at Parliament House in the near future. We now await the outcome and will keep members informed, hopefully before next summer.

Gary Smith. THPA Bushfire Sub Cttee.



TUROSS HEAD PROGRESS ASSOCIATION MEETING AT KYLA PARK HALL ON THURSDAY 5 FEBRUARY AT 2.00 PM

PRESENT: as per attendance book.

VISITORS: nil

APOLOGIES:

Cathy Miliken

Tom Webster

Annie Jones

Simone Rodda

Peta Machala

The President opened the meeting at 2.10pm and welcomed all Members.

MINUTES

It was agreed that the Minutes of 12 November 2025 as circulated with the agenda are a true and correct record.

Proposed June Brown

Seconded Annie Parker

Agreed unanimously

TREASURERS REPORT

Jennifer Irvine presented the January 2026 Treasurer's report as circulated with the Agenda.

Proposed Gary Smith

Seconded Max Castle

Agreed unanimously

CORRESPONDENCE

The correspondence was presented by Lynda Schmedding as per attached list.

The Meeting closed at 2.20pm

The President invited general discussion with all Members.

Evelyn Ashcroft noted a local community member Dr Michele Bruniges has been appointed an Officer of the Order of Australia and asked the Committee to consider writing a letter of congratulations

The major works has commenced for a slip lane to be installed at the entrance to Tuross Head. Maxwell Castle congratulated the endeavors of the previous Committee members, specifically John Tilbrook for lobbying Council to have this done.

Members asked the Committee to consider providing a short paragraph from each subcommittee on the Members Monthly meeting Agenda.

Several local issues were reported as per below.

1. Anderson Avenue road sign needs attention.
2. Memorial car park Hector McWilliam Sign is missing.
3. Binge Walking track near the Dunes area has no signage, concerned someone could get lost. Max offered to send Secretary the walking track policy.
4. Shower Lavender Bay – very dirty needs to be checked.

Members thanked all for their assistance organizing signatures on the bushfire petition at the Marine Rescue Tuross Moruya breakfast at One Tree on Monday 26 January 2025.

Max Castle attended the Eurobodalla Council Meeting on 16 December to raise concerns regarding the Council proposal to close and sell Coopers Island Road at Trunkatabella, following a Crown Lands survey confirming there is no access to public land or water.

Max provided Members with a copy of a “Stop the Lock Out” sign and encouraged as many members as possible to attend the next Council meeting on 24 March 2026. He asked for the sign to be displayed on the THPA Facebook page and anywhere else appropriate.

Max also noted the Commonwealth Grants are still open He will email the Committee details and asked consideration be given to the boat ramp upgrade

Gary Smith updated Members on the Bushfire petition. There are over 500 signatures so far.

Tuross Head Progress Association Inc.

Balance Sheet

Basis: Cash

As of 28/02/2026

Account	Total
Assets	
Current Assets	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	
Cash	
Petty Cash	50.00
Undeposited Funds	28.00
Total for Cash	78.00
Bank	
CBA Term Deposit	22,048.49
CBA Transaction Acc	4,104.87
Total for Bank	26,153.36
Total for Cash and Cash Equivalents	26,231.36
Accounts Receivable	
Total for Accounts Receivable	0.00
Other current assets	
Total for Other current assets	0.00
Total for Current Assets	26,231.36
Fixed Assets	
Total for Fixed Assets	0.00
Other Assets	
Total for Other Assets	0.00
Total for Assets	26,231.36
Liabilities & Equities	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Total for Current Liabilities	0.00

Account	Total
Long Term Liabilities	
Total for Long Term Liabilities	0.00
Other Liabilities	
Total for Other Liabilities	0.00
Total for Liabilities	0.00
Equities	
Opening Balance Offset	-374.95
Owner's Equity	29,032.18
Current Year Earnings	-513.74
Retained Earnings	-1,912.13
Total for Equities	26,231.36
Total for Liabilities & Equities	26,231.36

Amount is displayed in your base currency **AUD

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Expense Details

From 01/02/2026 To 28/02/2026

Date	Vendor Name	Amount	Amount with Tax	Reference#
04/02/2026	Tuross Cellars	\$61.00	\$61.00	Raffle prizes x 3 months
18/02/2026	Tuross Cellars	\$140.00	\$140.00	Distribution costs of DL mailout
19/02/2026	Tuross Head Country Club	\$20.00	\$20.00	easter stall rent
19/02/2026	Tuross Head Men's Shed	\$100.00	\$100.00	Donation for Xmas tree construction
TOTAL		\$321.00	\$321.00	

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Profit and Loss

Basis: Cash

From 01/02/2026 To 28/02/2026

Account	Total
Operating Income	
Raffle Proceeds	28.00
Total for Operating Income	28.00
Cost of Goods Sold	
Total for Cost of Goods Sold	0.00
Gross Profit	28.00
Operating Expense	
Advertising And Marketing	140.00
Gifts + Donations	100.00
Raffle Prizes	61.00
Rent Expense	20.00
Total for Operating Expense	321.00
Operating Profit	-293.00
Non Operating Income	
Total for Non Operating Income	0.00
Non Operating Expense	
Total for Non Operating Expense	0.00
Net Profit/Loss	-293.00

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