

What is important about your village?

Please list/draw the most important features of your village: your favourite place, tree, festival, shop.....

Crabbes Creek - 20 March 2014



- Small in size, safe, good place for families with small children.
- Interesting history, heritage-listed places, Macedonian heritage.
- Like the shop, country based, cattle and crops, community life, the feel, genuine rural people, land value (20 years ago), peace and tranquillity, clear air.
- School is ageing, and competes with Pottsville, although about 70% of the 40 kids come from Ocean Shores.
- Community members need advice on events on public land, explanation of public liability etc.
- All newcomers to the village are provided with a welcome pack.
- Drainage around the town has been changed by earthworks undertaken by Byron Shire.
- Telecommunication is a problem in the village: no internet coverage.
- There is a recognised need for a community garden in the village.
- There is a need to raise causeway west of town to allow better access during storm events.
- Loss of railway was a blow to the town.
- Splendour in Grass caused an increase in the number of people interested in the area.
- Road safety is a concern - there is a need for solutions reducing the speed of vehicles on the Crabbes Creek Road.
- Public recreation - the sport field south of the local school is owned by the State Government. It would be great to enable community to use this land for recreation.
- There is a need for a playground in the village.
- Older landowners should have an opportunity to develop secondary dwellings on their land.
- There is no public transport in the village.
- The village does not need any further development or subdivision of land. It should retain its current size.
- There should be an additional exit from the Pacific Motorway for the Mooball, Crabbes Creek and Burringbar communities.
- Council should be more involved in maintenance of local assets: roads ,grass cutting, more bins etc.
- Proximity to the wetlands creates an opportunity for walking trails to be developed.
- There is a need for local fire services in the village.