

Short Term Plans

Mt Kembla Mining Heritage Festival 2007:

- The Festival to be held Sat 28, Sun 29 & 31 July 2007
- Grand Parade
- Stalls and ancillary events
- Stand alone events:
 - Mining Heritage & Social History Displays X 3 locations
 - Grand Parade
 - Mt Kembla Art Prize & Art Prize Ball – bi annually
 - Mt Kembla Photographic Exhibition – bi annually
 - Poets' Breakfast
 - Music All Over the Mountain
 - Violet Hill Kitchen & Visitors Information Centre
 - Mt Kembla School Activities – dedicated children's area
 - 96 Candles Memorial Service – Windy Gully Cemetery 31st July annually
 - NSW Titles of Roof Bolting & Coal Shovelling
 - Production of Play "Windy Gully Revisited & Tales from a Rocking Chair"
 - History & information gathering day 15th April 2007, Kembla Heights Community Hall

- **Soldiers Rd Monuments:**
 - Continue negotiations with W.C.C. & BHPB to develop sites, at either end of Harry Graham Dr Kembla Heights, for placement of interpretive monuments of "Soldiers Road" and visitor information signs. Our use of land at these sites has been agreed in principle by B.H.P.B. Lands Manager, Jim Armstrong.
 - Through Funding Sub-Committee, recommence funding applications with Wollongong R.S.L. Sub Branch and Dept, Veterans Affairs for Monuments when the development of sites is approved.

Long Term Plan

Development of the Mt Kembla Mine Site:

- Continue to pro-actively engage with N.P.W.S and B.H.P.B and any community groups or additional stakeholders in planning the development of the mine site
- Liaise with and assist the Mt Kembla Mine Memorial Pathway Committee; particularly in their proposed stage 4 of the pathway which encompasses the Mt Kembla Mine Site currently under NPWS funded, initiated by MKMHI, Conservation Management Plan funding from Heritage Asset Maintenance Program. Due for completion in late 2007 by Consultants, Environmental Resources Management
- Actively initiate the development of MKMMP stage 4 after stage 1 opening in 2007

Permanent location for a Mining & Social Heritage Interpretive Centre:

- Actively work towards selecting and developing one of the several possible sites identified on page (II) of the appendix to ensure a sustainable and viable outcome for the storage, display, maintenance and management of our valuable collection
- **Provide Future Income to be sustainable :**
- Develop and either run or lease out a tourist oriented business to provide ongoing income to support and maintain capital works and our groups sustainability.