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### TERMINAL BUILDING

- A corporate member's board has been installed in the foyer recognizing our valued corporate members
- Installation of the gas cooktop/electric oven and gas fridge has been completed thanks to MAIT plumbing. Thanks to Shane also for donating the kitchen and Bar sinks and the time to install them.
- Thanks to Matt Rodwell from M.R. Electrix who donated his time to connect the electric oven.
- A big thank you to Ian Denton who researched and located via an auction at Tanunda all the plates cutlery, glassware and chairs. Thanks also to his helpers who helped him transport his purchases.
- Thank you to Chris Carter of Clare Caltex who donated a bain marie which was very useful at our recent events.
- Thanks to Andrew Boylan of Mid North Pest and Weed Control for treating the terminal building for pests at no charge.



### FLYING CLUB NEWS

- The Clare Rodeo held at Blyth was a great success, over 1700 people attended, thanks to Bernie who organised the gate rosters and to all who manned the gates on the night
- The Clare Lions Club dinner on the 24th March was attended by over 50 people, this was the first use of the new kitchen equipment and it all performed very well according to expert sources. Ian and Jenny Denton were the chief organisers of the food and the evening in general. Thanks to everyone who helped set up, serve and clean up it was a huge effort. The highlight of the evening was a mystery pilot taxiing in in his fuselage skin free aero plane. (Thanks to Russell for piloting Peter Drew's plane)
- County Helicopter's hangar construction has been completed giving us another impressive asset to the aerodrome.
- Aussie Flyaway Tours Comanche group flew in on the 28th March for a weekend in the Valley. Over 40 people and over 20 planes were involved. The CVFG provided dinner on the Friday night thanks to all who helped.
- The much anticipated sponsors day was held on the 6th April. Over 80 people attended and our president Dave Owen Willson thanked them for their support. Geoff Brock attended and addressed the group expressing his positive impression of the facility and assuring the group that his support will continue where possible. Thanks to Mayor Aughey for attending and in his address he praised all involved with the development and also expressed his support for issues going forward. Thanks to Russell and Dave who made their aircraft available for flights and to the other members who helped make the day a great success. The crowd was entertained by Kym Martin and John Downing from Jamestown in their gyrocopters.
- Clare Quarry have prepared the hard stand area for bitumising, which will hopefully take place this week, thanks again to Russell and Gary for the work they do .

**“We have a perfect record in aviation we have never left anyone up there”**