



COMMUNITY ASSETS GRANT SCHEME 2019-20

Thanks to the **\$1500 Grant** from the **Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council** we have been able to install another **7- solar panels** which has expanded the capacity of our system to **15.1KW**. This will add to the sustainability of our system and long term power needs at the Aerodrome. The extra panel will allow for faster charging of the batteries and this will in turn result in less reliance on the battery bank in daylight hours and less use of the generator for charging of batteries during daylight hours. The Panels were installed on January 15th by **O'Dea Solar –Electrical**.



CREDIT CARD AVGAS FUEL FACILITY

Committee happy to announce that we will be installing a credit card Avgas fuel system at the Aerodrome. **Stark Aviation Pty Ltd (Flying Fuels)** will be supplying the facility which includes a bowser and a DCA machine with a **10,000L** self bunded tank. The Flying Group will provide a concrete pad and supply power to the site.. This is another great asset for our Aerodrome and will encourage more visitors to the Clare Valley Region thanks to Jon Clarke for his efforts in sourcing quotes for this Project.

CLASS 1 ,2 & RAMPC MEDICALS

Local Doctor and Flying Group Committee Member **Gerry Considine** can do these at Clare & Burra Medical Centers. Quote your ARN & Credit card to pay CASA fee of \$75 for processing.– Gerry is also available to do Medicals at the Aerodrome, if you are flying in **For Bookings www.claremedical.com.au**

RUNWAY UPGRADE PROJECT UPDATE

Runway & Taxi-way lighting will commence in **March 2020**. **Project Manager Gary Sims** will keep us updated as to start date in March. Anyone who can help out please contact **Gary Sims 0407 829 584** there is a lot of conduit and cable to install .

CLARE RODEO

The Rodeo is on **March 21st** at the Clare Showgrounds .The Flying Group will be operating a gate on the night. We need volunteers to help out so if you can spare some time please respond by **email** to **Secretary Gary Sims** thankyou.

