

FROCKS Hunter Valley TOCAL Retreat – the ultimate sewing few days away! 25-28 July, 2024



The TOCAL four-day sewing retreat is a popular FROCKS annual event. Members can either relax in the serene surrounding and enjoy the countryside and animal life or be more productive with sewing projects - planning, cutting, piecing and even finishing projects!

In the past members have produced some fantastic garments including pants, tops, coats, quilts and plenty of bucket hats – some projects made are donated. Some of the projects are posted on the STUDIOcc website – www.studiocc.net.au The main hall is well equipped with large tables, irons & ironing boards and plenty of extension leads, allowing for a seamless production – day into night!

The kitchen has a microwave, fridge, and food warmer. You can self-cater your meals or meals may be taken in the cafeteria across the road in the TOCAL main building. These meals need to be pre-booked to ensure this catering service - see the website link for details.

J23-006-Catering-menu-and-conditions-2023-V2.pdf (total.nsw.edu.au)

As a group, morning and afternoon tea is supplied by the members attending and is always delicious.

The township of Maitland is nearby with lots of great shops, including Spotlight if you need supplies. The township of Paterson is only 3 kms away and has two hotels, takeaway cafes and coffee shops.

At night we usually dine together at the historic 1882 Paterson Tavern for the biggest meals ever.

[Paterson Tavern: The Ultimate Country Pub](#)

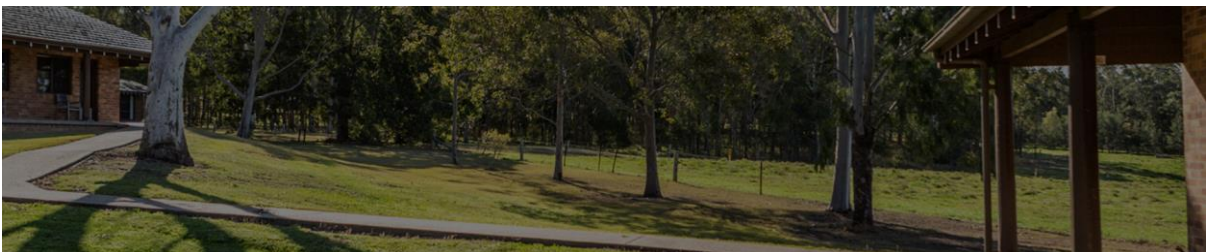
TOCAL MOTEL STYLE ACCOMMODATION:

FROCKS has secured the following accommodation.

SIX Single rooms @ \$80 per night – in Glendarra 1

ONE Double room @ \$130 per night – in Glendarra 1

Double rooms @ \$155 per night – in Glendarra 2



Glendarra accommodation is located across the road from the College campus in a quiet rural setting. The rooms have views across the paddocks and are equipped with tea and coffee making facilities, bar fridges, microwaves as well as easy access to the sewing room.

Interested in this opportunity?

[Email Barbara](#) and organise a deposit to secure the room of your choice.

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