







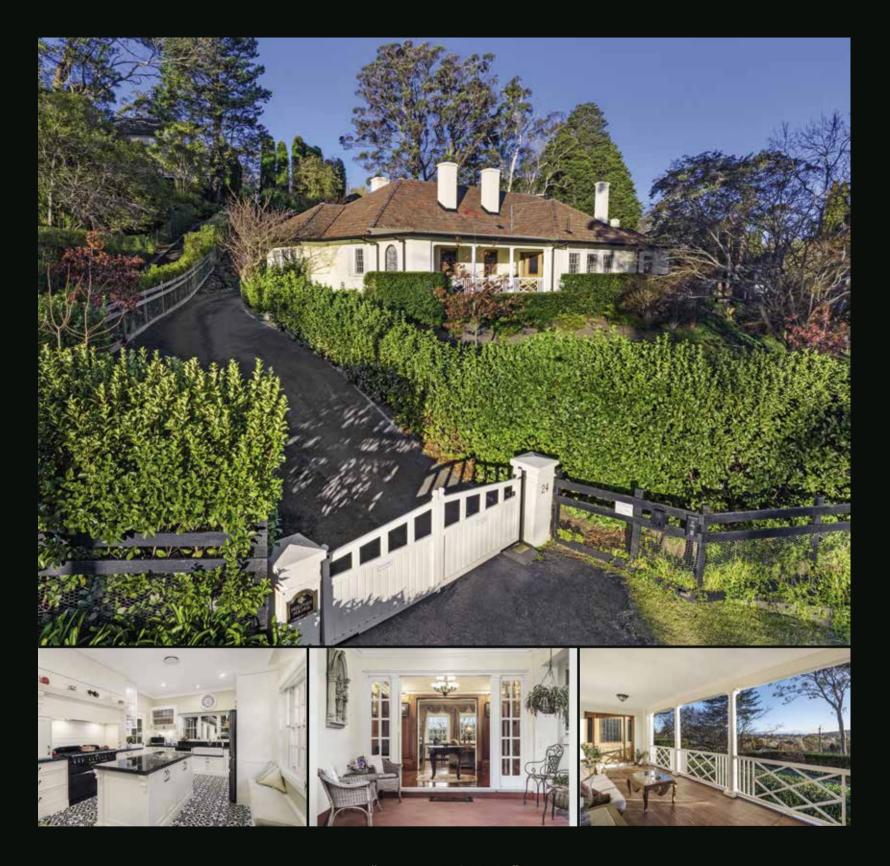
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With unrivalled and breathtaking views across the treetops of Bowral to Mt Gibraltar, this stunning architectural masterpiece on five acres combines edge-of-bushland privacy with edge-of-town convenience. A front cover feature home of Highlife magazine, the renovation has made extensive and artful use of structural steel, glazing and timber to provide a luxurious 5/6-bedroom family home that is both grand and warmly welcoming. A four-times winner in the 2018 Master Builder Awards, features include a sparkling ten-metre infinity pool plus self-contained pool house, large solar system and 6-car garaging. Contemporary luxury, artisan finishes, and unearthly views make this one of Bowral's finest.

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"MELFORD" Bowral

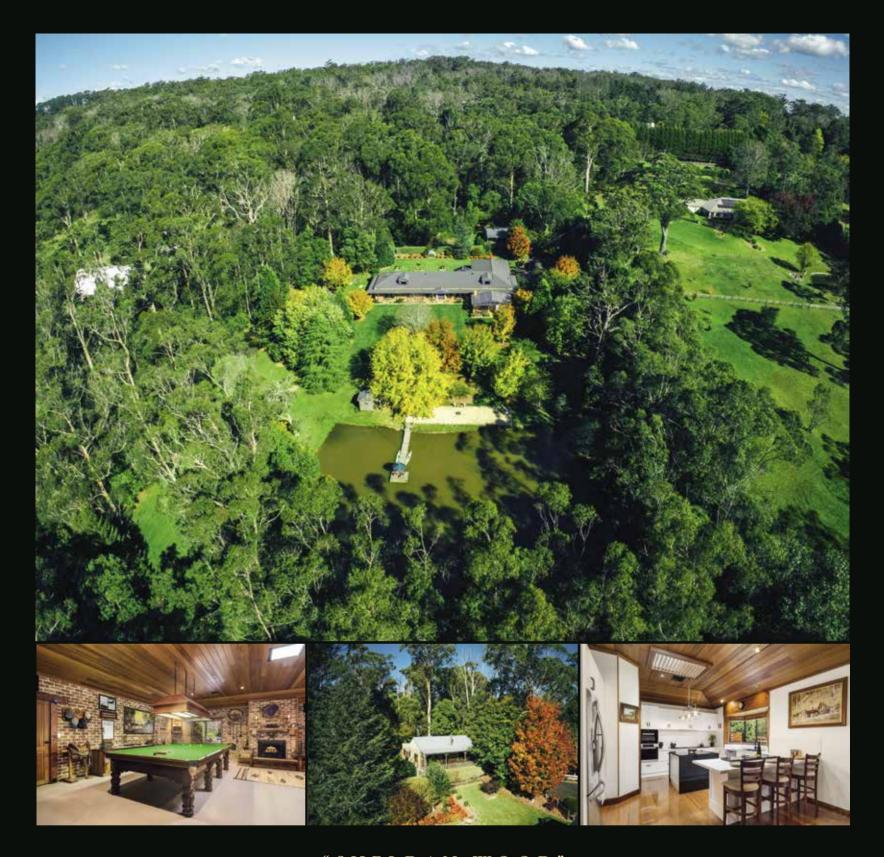
The charm of a bygone era has been expertly blended with refined modern luxury in this Old Bowral beauty. 'Melford', c1913, sits on a private, elevated garden acre, with stunning views. Extensively renovated, majestic reception rooms flow to a spectacular country kitchen, and a delightfully versatile floorplan allows for several living zones.

A second building contains an entertaining area, second full kitchen, parking, a traditional sauna, bathroom, gym/sewing room and workshop; convert to guest accommodation with own driveway if desired (STCA). Rose gardens, deciduous trees and gracious garden nooks abound. Footsteps from Cherry Tree Walk, 'Melford' offers the best of Old Bowral.

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"SHELDAN WOOD" 22 KIMBERLEY DRIVE, BOWRAL

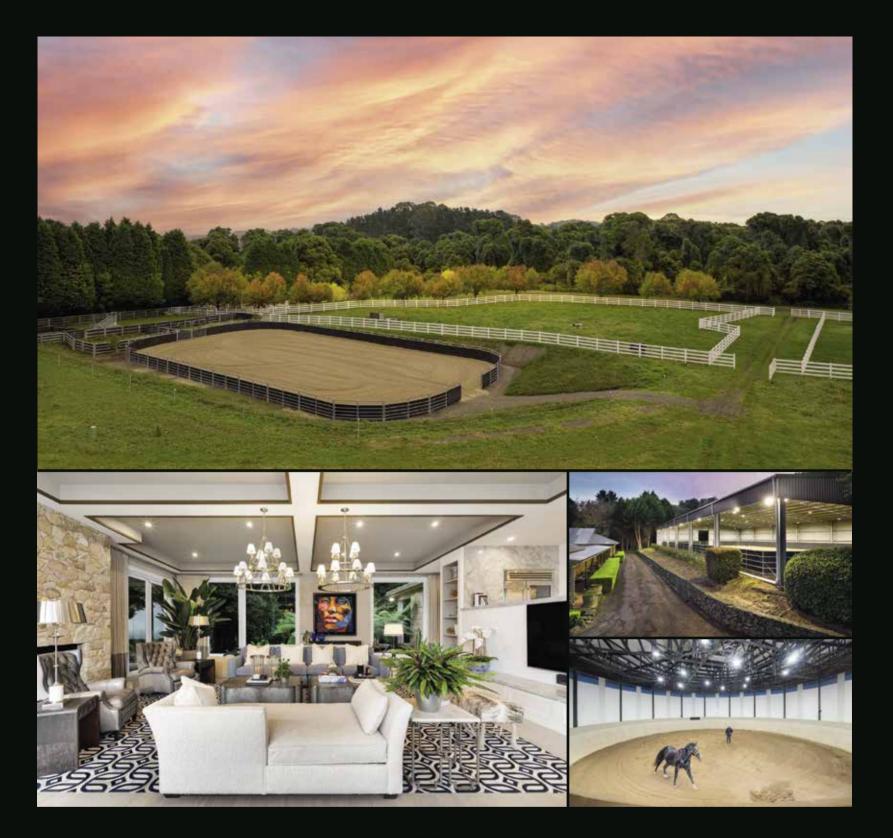
A beautiful and expansive family residence on five tranquil acres right on the edge of Bowral, 'Sheldan Wood' offers a mix of exquisite bush seclusion and grounds of park-like grandeur. North-facing, soaring ceilings, a private lake with jetty and boatshed and still you are just a five-minute drive to wonderful schools and amenities. The main home boasts four oversized bedrooms, a huge games room and a covered alfresco entertaining area with pizza oven and kitchenette. Enjoy wood fires, and a newly refurbished kitchen. A self-contained guest cottage is nestled into the sublime gardens to complete the picture.

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"VELVET RANCH" ROBERTSON

A working horse property, the equestrian facilities are second to none. A twelve-stall stable complex complete with 2 larger Stallion Boxes, Vet Room, Feed Room, and Tack Rooms are complemented by a vast indoor round yard with a viewing area. Outdoor and Indoor wash bays, a spectacular indoor arena fully under lights, an outdoor arena and grassed arena that would suit any equestrian discipline. Post and rail Polvin fencing systems with full electrics. Day paddocks and spelling paddocks with Bridle paths throughout the property. Staff and Manager accommodation within the complex with two separate road entrances. Amazing details – both interior and exterior offer plenty of space and are very functional for both riders and horses. Once used as the training base for the Sydney Olympic show jumping team, every detail has been considered. This uniquely designed property is the perfect location for a private equestrian property, Airbnb or event centre and so much more!

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With its tranquil garden and art-filled home, Stonehaven is aptly named. It's set on Bowral's Mount Gibraltar, where trachyte was once quarried, but the garden's plentiful stone is used to its advantage.

$78\,$ it started with a book barn

It's 40 years since Leo Berkelouw built a book barn in a paddock outside Berrima, and 10 years since his son Paul boldly converted it into a wedding venue. We ask Paul about the evolution of Bendooley Estate.

$86\,$ where the wild things are

Many people enjoy the scenery as they walk, run and cycle along Burradoo's Bong Bong Track, which connects to the Cecil Hoskins Nature Reserve. Photographer Jacqui Davey sees a lot more.

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The hard surface of tiles provides the perfect fit for Bundanoon artist Virginia Arregui's depictions of international architecture.

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You've probably never considered the planning that goes into Bowral's popular Tulip Time Festival, but it's a year-long project. Head horticulturist Rod Mcternan takes us behind the scenes.

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Hillview, a one-acre garden in Exeter, was once owned by a bulb specialist and retains thousands of varied examples – as well as many more eye-catching attributes.

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Imagine being able to wander into your own backyard or through your paddocks to gather the fruits of your own little forest. Kirstine McKay shares tips on growing fruit trees.

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Athol Salter and Jane Crowley, the father-daughter team who work together at Dirty Janes, have collaborated to write a book about Athol's experiences as an antique dealer in the 1960s and '70s.

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ossbrook, the 43ha estate at Avoca, has been listed for sale through Victoria Akins of Drew Lindsay Real Estate. The Walkers Road holding comes with a charming weatherboard cottage dating back to 1875, which has been extended and transformed into a five-bedroom home. *Mossbrook* also has a one-bedroom guest cottage, which was once its dairy. There is a four-stable complex with feed room, tack room and four post-and-rail horse yards. A creek runs through the six-dam property, which last sold for \$2.05 million in 2016.

ombat Hollow, the East Kangaloon home of the Yabsley I family, has been listed for sale through Knight Frank Sydney agents Nathan Berlyn and Andrew Blake. The marketing suggests an estate resembling a secluded village, with a rustic Australian ambiance. It comes with a four-bedroom stone house, a one-bedroom cottage, four sheds and two huts, providing living and sleeping quarters for 14. The Kirkland Road property is zoned C3 Environmental Management, allowing for bed and breakfast accommodation, eco-tourist facilities and education facilities. The grounds include tennis court and pool, a rugby field with a cricket pitch, an orchard and horse paddocks. It is suitable for helicopter traffic. The property last traded in the late 1990s when bought from Ted and Wendy Ambler.

he Silos, a 19ha estate in East Kangaloon, has been sold for \$5.3 million. Listed through Debbie Pearce of Belle Property, the estate has five fenced paddocks and Nepean River access. The primary residence was built in 2009 as a single-level four-bedroom, three-bathroom abode designed around a silo concept. It is set within Charlotte Webb-designed irrigated gardens. The property has a self-contained studio, plus machinery shed, wood store and workshop.



CLOCKWISE FROM TOP LEFT THE SILOS, TEFFONT AND WOMBAT HOLLOW

Road endemere, Range а Mittagong estate, has been listed for sale through Gene Fairbanks at Ray White Bowral. The house, on a two hectare holding, was designed three decades ago by architect Graeme Over. Located on one of the district's highest points, it boasts views towards the Blue Mountains, Berrima, Sydney, and the South Coast. The five-bedroom house has 820sqm of internal space across five pavilions, which includes an octagonal office. There is an indoor heated pool, plus spa and sauna. Its garden features many trees, extensive pathways, ponds and manicured hedges. Bendemere last sold for \$2.85 million in 2015.

Mittagong's most recent sale was \$4,625,000, also on Range Road, when **Summerlea** was sold by Hayley Sneddon at Home & Hearth Property. The five-bedroom, five-bathroom house on almost two hectares was on the market for just 37 days. It last sold at \$3.05 million in 2019, when it took 44 days to find its buyer.

avender Hill, a five-bedroom, three-bathroom Mittagong estate, has been listed with a \$3.8 million asking price through Reece Woods and Sarah Cassidy at First National Bowral. The home sits on a 6430sqm Webb Street holding. It comes with an orchard of plums, apples and cherries, and a dam-irrigated vegetable and herb garden. It last sold in April 2020, after just six days on market at \$1.65 million. Its past owners include the Mercurio family.



\unnyridge, a Bowral trophy home, has been sold for \$2.175 million through Sandie Dunne of Dunne Southern Highlands. The initial price guidance for the three-bedroom house had been \$2.3 million. Built in 1985, the Hopewood Road abode sits on a 4654sqm parcel. It comes with a double garage plus a workroom and a garden shed. Sunnyridge recently saw some renovations including a new coat of paint, new bathrooms and new blackbutt floors. It last sold for \$1.32 million in 2020, just short of the \$1.395 million to \$1.475 million sought at the time. It has at times operated as an Airbnb.

lenfarne, a traditional style Bowral estate, has been listed for sale through Anne Stone and Melissa Johnson of McGrath. It is being marketed as a "showpiece of timeless elegance and grandeur". Located on Aitken Road, the estate spans 5237sqm across two titles. The brick two-storey five-bedroom residence sits amid gardens with cool climate plantings. There's a coach house with double garaging and self-contained accommodation. Glenfarne last sold for \$1.55 million in 2003. Its recent price guide is \$4.95 million.

effont, an Alf Stephens-built Bowral house on 2251sqm, has been listed for sale. Hugh Hanrahan at Ray White Bowral has the Old Bowral listing with a \$3.75 million to \$3.9 million price guide. The two-storey Aitken Road house with Tudoresque facade and pitched gable roof has five bedrooms and three bathrooms. There is a near-new kitchen, and the self-contained 'Loft' incorporates a kitchenette, bathroom and laundry and an upper-level bedroom and sitting area.

■ Jonathan Chancellor writes for The Sunday Telegraph.



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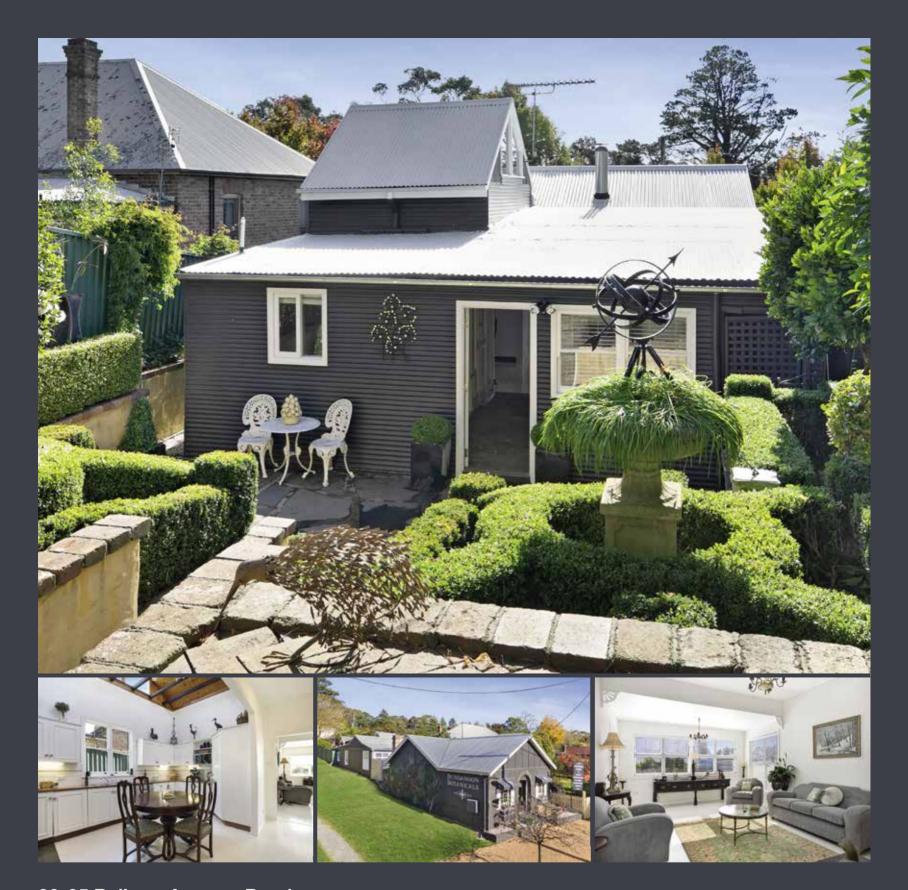
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'Bendemere' 485 Range Road, Mittagong

A 5-acre, majestic masterpiece rising proudly from one of the district's highest points, this show-stopping estate revels in its prestigious position on the coveted northern side of Range Road, approximately 10 minutes' drive to Mittagong and 15 minutes' to Bowral.

The home spans an extraordinary 820sqm of internal area across five full brick pavilions and boasts a panoramic backdrop across to the Blue Mountains, Berrima, Sydney, and the South Coast that is guaranteed to take your breath away.

BED 5 BATH 3 CAR 5

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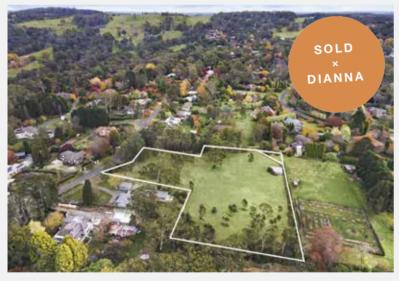
40 Eridge Park Road, Burradoo For Sale

4 BEDS | 2 BATHS | 3 CAR | 4,614sqm

Classic Style, Exceptional Space and Prestigious Location

Superbly located and occupying an absolutely private landholding of just over an acre, you could be forgiven for thinking this impressive residence was all about the gardens that embrace it. However, inside you'll discover light-filled and well-appointed living spaces that radiate comfort and style.





Lot 15 & 16 Mount Road, Bowral Sold

12,000sqm

Two Picturesque and Enviably Located Land Parcels

Grand established trees in a premium location are just a couple of the features of these prized land parcels that make them an opportunity not to be missed. Boasting a combined total parcel of nearly 3 acres, they are available to purchase either separately or as one lot, presenting exciting potential to create a magnificent country estate.

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40a Yean Street, Burradoo For Sale

5 BEDS | 4 BATHS | 2 CAR | 2,208 sqm

European Inspired Grandeur in an Exclusive Blue-Ribbon Location

Electric entry gates and a tree lined driveway guide you to this magnificent residence, embraced in resplendent gardens and offering a superb lifestyle in a highly desirable location. A home of sophisticated beauty and functionality where all your needs will be effortlessly met, it is defined by quality finishes and generous proportions, while also celebrating the indoor/outdoor living experience. Prepare to be impressed.

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13 Hamilton Avenue, Bowral Sold

5 BEDS | 4 BATHS | 8 CAR | 4,606sqm

Exquisite Bowral Living Without Compromise

Channelling the timelessness of Hamptons elegance and farmhouse luxury, this swoon-worthy home is a celebration of superior craftsmanship and high-end finishes. Resting amid inspiring landscaped grounds and with the promise of flawless everyday living and entertaining, a lifestyle of absolute indulgence awaits.

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'Lisdoonvarna' 5201 Illawarra Highway, Burrawang For Sale

4 BEDS | 1 BATHS | 4.4 ACRES

Nestled Amid a Sea of Glorious Greenery

The embodiment of character and enchantment, this c1930s residence is nestled amid a sea of glorious greenery, affording it an indulgent sense of seclusion. Promising a sanctuary that must be experienced to be truly appreciated, this home is so very special you may never want to leave.





'Sallybank' 1641 Kangaloon Road, Kangaloon Sold

4 BEDS | 2 BATHS | 3 CAR | 15 ACRES

Enchanting architectural oasis set amid 15 sprawling acres

Set over 15 acres of park-like gardens and enchanting rainforest scenery, this captivating cottage-style oasis has been architect-designed for luxury estate living. It delivers a magical sense of seclusion, approximately 20 minutes from Bowral's shopping hub.

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745 Barkers Lodge Road, Picton For Sale

10 BEDS | 10 BATHS | 69.28 ACRES

'Mowbray Park'

The landmark property is comprised of 69.28 hectares of undulating land located 10 kms outside of the heritage town of Picton. The substantial brick homestead (circa 1880) is approx. 700sqm internally comprising of ten ensuite bedrooms. The property has a further six buildings of mixed use and heritage significance.

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'Yarrawa Glen' 233 Wallaby Hill, Robertson Sold

5 BEDS | 3 BATHS | 3 CAR | 47 HECTARES

A Southern Highlands Country Retreat

'Yarrawa Glen' is a Southern Highlands luxury country retreat and farm sitting on 47 hectares of rolling green pastures located in Robertson. The modern stone five bedroom farmhouse, which also has a one bedroom 'eco house', has recently been renovated and has amazing views over Kangaroo Valley.

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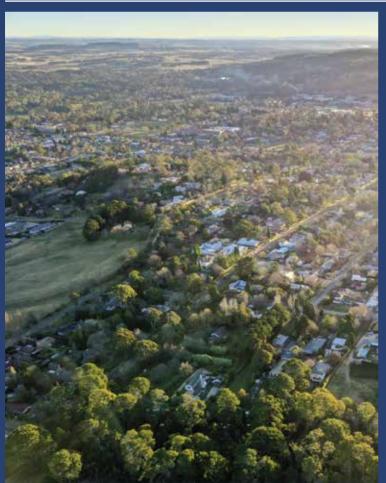
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January – June Market Update

The Southern Highlands real estate market has experienced robust demand from first home buyers, particularly in the price range up to \$1.2 million. However, the market is currently facing low levels of stock at this price level, leading to increased competition among buyers. On the other hand, properties in the higher price range of \$3 million and above have been slow-moving, indicating a more subdued market segment.

The prevailing concern among buyers and investors revolves around interest rates and their potential impact on the market's future trajectory. This uncertainty has contributed to a sense of caution among some buyers. Nevertheless, well-priced properties that are appropriately represented by active agents continue to attract buyers, with an average selling timeframe of around 60 days.

Despite the market's mixed dynamics, it is essential to work with experienced professionals who can provide accurate guidance and ensure successful transactions. Overall, the Southern Highlands real estate market presents a varied landscape, with strong demand in certain price ranges and lingering concerns regarding interest rates, ultimately shaping buyer behaviour and market performance.



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8 Webb Street, Mittagong 'Lavender Hill' | FOR SALE | Contact Agent 5 BED | 3.5 BATH | 3 CAR | 6,430 SQM



10 Merrett Drive, Moss Vale 5 BED | 2 BATH | 2 CAR



66 Throsby Street, Moss Vale 3 BED | **2** BATH | STUDIO/GARAGE



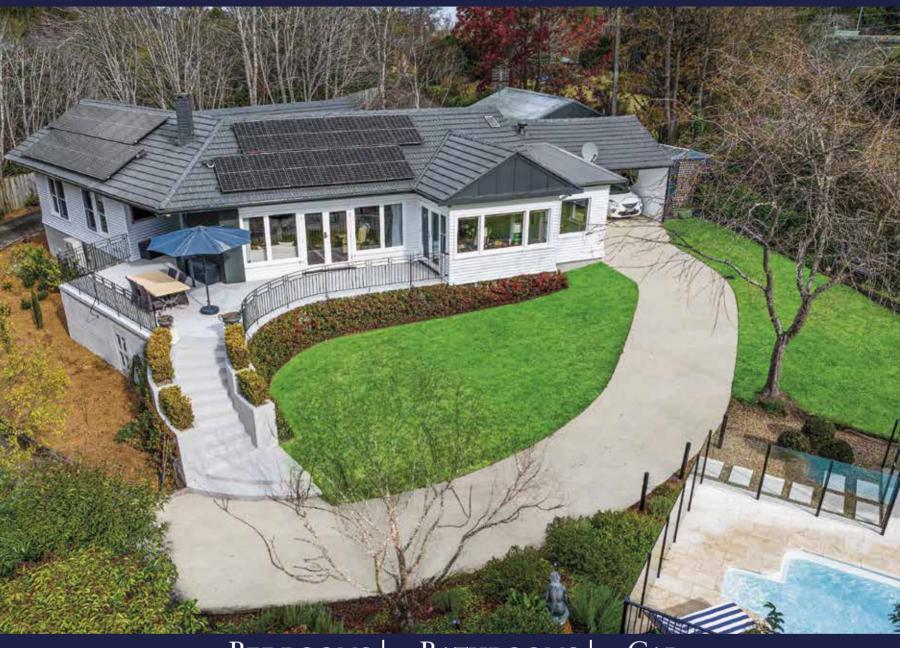
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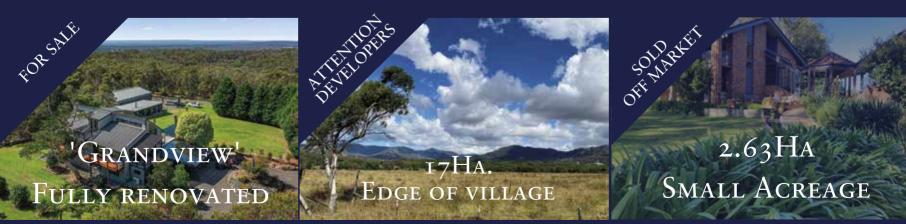
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33A Osborne Road, Burradoo

5 BED | 2 BATH | 2 CAR

Elegant Masterpiece

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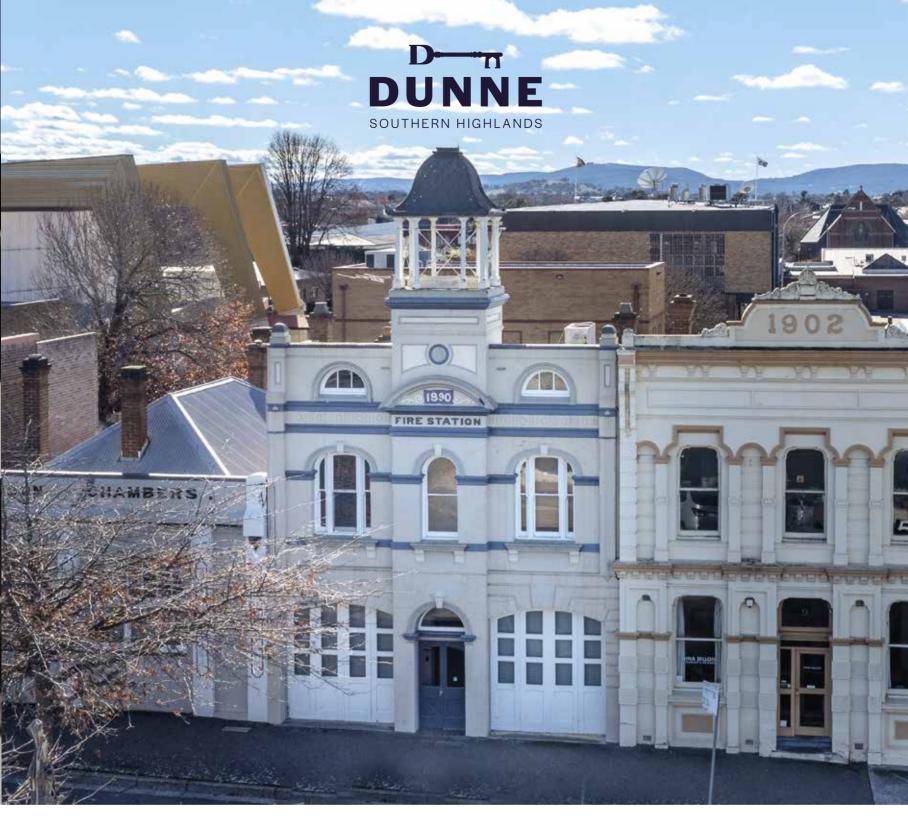
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