



Tomingley Gold Operations Quarterly Update

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Helping Tomingley village through the drought

To alleviate the impact of the drought, Tomingley Gold Operations is supplying bore water to Tomingley Village. The water is coming from the Narromine bore field via TGO's 46km underground pipeline, which supplies water to the plant. Since Gundong Creek has dried up, we are now also directing water into the dams that supply non-potable water to the village.

The \$2 million bore water pipeline was partly funded by the State Government and constructed by TGO. The side branch to deliver water to village dams is part of the Voluntary Planning Agreement negotiated between TGO and Narromine Shire Council during the mine approval process. Its presence is saving the shire council from trucking water to the village at great expense.



TGO is supplying bore water to the dams supplying Tomingley village

Going deeper

Mining at TGO continues in the two remaining open cuts, and may extend into 2019 as we determine whether there is removable ore remaining in the bottom of the pits. Processing of remaining ore and stockpiles is likely to continue until the June quarter next year

We're getting closer to finalising the evaluation of the potential underground mining operation and hope to make an investment decision before the end of the year. The intention is to mine 1.24Mt of ore with grading 2.7g/t gold, for a resultant 108,000 ounces of contained gold. Underground Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves were announced to the ASX on 4 June.

There is still a fair amount of rehabilitation activity onsite, with large dozers continuing to shape the waste rock emplacements and ongoing seeding of vegetation.



Rehabilitation of waste rock emplacements continues with seeding of vegetation



Mining continues deep in the open cut

Looking for gold nearby

In parallel with the underground development, Alkane has been exploring the region between Tomingley village and Peak Hill, with a view to defining additional gold resources for TGO. The results have been encouraging so far and the company intends to continue exploring the Tomingley project area until the end of the year.



Air core drilling at Alkane's Rosewell prospect, 7km south of TGO

Contacting Us

You can find out more information about Alkane Resources and the Tomingley Gold Project on our website:

www.alkane.com.au

Or you can contact our 24 Hour Community Information Line:

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TGO supports Schools Science Spectacular

We're proud to have supported the recent Narromine High School Science Spectacular through the Tomingley Gold Project Community Fund. Held on Wednesday 5 September, the event saw students from Narromine High, Narromine Public and St Augustine's Schools present their findings from scientific investigations conducted during Science Week.

Students competed for cash prizes at different year levels and the opportunity to take their project to the Illawarra Coal Regional Science Fair at Wollongong University in November. Congratulations to all who participated.

The Science Spectacular received \$5000 from the community fund. Other projects receiving funds in the same round (awarded 19 June 2018) were the Tomingley Sports Ground Trust, which received \$3300 for new water tanks, and Narromine CWA, which received \$200 to support an annual public speaking event. The second round of funding for 2018 is closed and will be awarded in October, with applications opening again in January 2019.



Winners of the Narromine High School Science Spectacular with Principal Mr Phil Rufus