

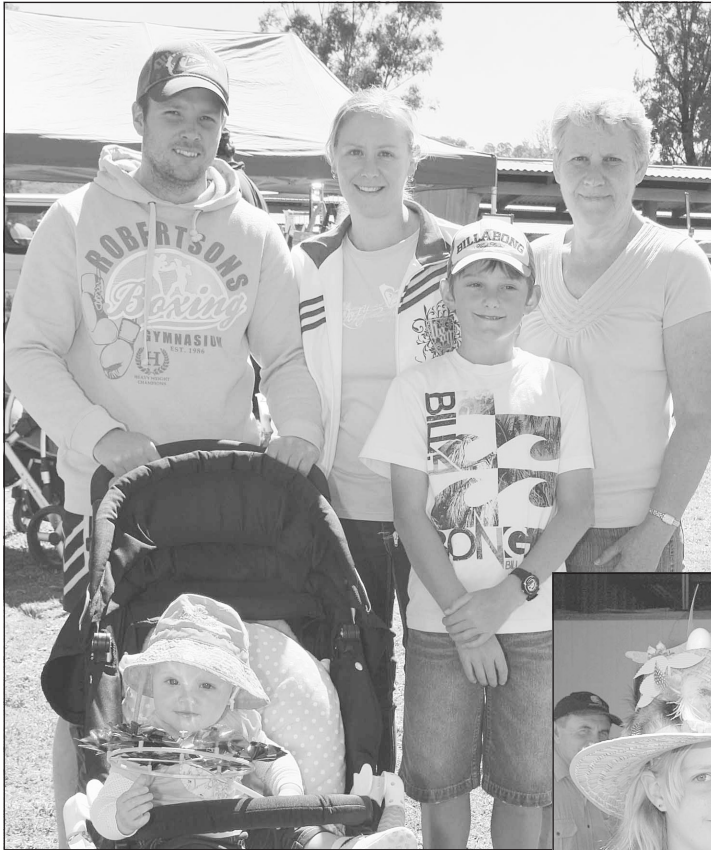
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**ABOVE:** Chris, Kylie, Codie and Matilda Rees with Nan Sonia Prendergast enjoying last year's Spring Fair.

**RIGHT:** Allora State School's Robyn Westerman presents Kayla Heslin, last year's Best Hat competition winner, with her prize.

Photos © Steve Corbett

## Allora State School P&C Spring Fair

The second annual Spring Fair to aid fundraising efforts of the Allora State School P&C will be held at the Allora Showgrounds on Saturday, 10 September from 9.00am to 2.00pm. Killarney School of Dance and Inverness Highland Dance clubs will be performing in the morning, followed by Year 1 singing. There is judging of a colouring competition and the Bonanza Bike Giveaway will be drawn at 1.00pm, with students having to be present to claim their prize. A multi-draw raffle is going to be run throughout the day and drawn at 1.15pm. There is also free plants drawn throughout the day and kids races will be held also. A Pet parade has been organised with categories of best costume (cat or dog), owner/pet look alike, largest dog, smallest dog, waggiest tail, cutest pet, fluffiest pet, most unusual pet, caged/critter contained pet, most talented/clever pet and longest tail. There is a \$2.00 entry in each category. The Pet Parade will be held at 9.30 am. There is also a good group of stall holders attending, with native plants, jewellery, ceramics, honey, fitness, wood craft, soaps, confectionery, cakes, banking and more.



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**Allora Kennel Club Championship Shows**

On this Friday 9th and Saturday 10th September Allora Kennel Club Inc. will be hosting two championship dog shows at the Allora Show Grounds. These shows are now a yearly event occurring on the same week-end each year. Dogs are judged according to the breed groups to which they belong. The groups are Toys, Terriers, Gun Dogs, Hounds, Working Dogs, Utility and Non Sporting. The judging begins with age elimination until a Best of each breed is found then they compete for a Best in Group until a dog from each group then vies for Best In Show. This year we have a panel of five judges coming from New Zealand to judge close to 400 dogs. The Allora Show Society is manning the canteen for the show with Shirley and her band of workers making the burgers etc. to feed the hungry exhibitors. Many are camping for the week-end and all really enjoy our country shows, our friendly atmosphere and for those who eat out - the great meals at the Railway Hotel. The Show Society is also having a cake stall and would appreciate any donations of cooking. Anyone wishing to donate can deliver the cakes direct to the dog area at the Grounds. + The Kennel Club will have some pre read books for sale all at \$1.00 each and will be running a raffle. Dennise McKenzie has made a beautiful patchwork quilt for the main prize and Jackie Lam has crocheted a beautiful rug which will be second prize. If you are visiting the State Schools Spring Fair come on down and have a look at the dogs.

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Solution in classifieds section

**Letters to the Editor...**

Dear Sir,  
 There is a vast mount of demon activity evident today in government, entertainment, medicine etc. Let me remind those of us to whom God has granted faith (as well as any others, whosoever will) that we have Him as "a very present help in time of trouble." - Psa. 46:1  
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"So, what is it?" grumbled the governor.

"Judge Garber has just died," the attorney said. "I want to take his place."

The governor replied: "well it's okay with me if it's okay with the undertaker."

**WEATHER FORECAST**

Day	Forecast	Min/Max
THU	Mostly Sunny. Cool.	8 22
FRI	Showers. Morning Clouds. Cold. Breezy.	7 15
SAT	Mostly Sunny. Cold. Breezy.	3 12
SUN	Mostly Sunny. Cold. Breezy.	0 13
MON	Partly Cloudy. Cool.	2 19
TUE	Mostly Sunny. Cool.	5 17

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2011

### September -

**Sat 10 Allora State School Spring Fair**  
Allora Showgrounds, 9.00am

### October -

**Sat 1 Allora High Tea**  
Allora Community Hall

**Sat 8 Wattles Banquet**  
Allora Community Hall

**Sat 8 Goomburra Spring Clean Garage Sale**  
Goomburra Hall

**Sun 9 St Patrick's Parish Celebrates 100 Years**  
St. Patrick's School Grounds

**Fri 14 St. Patrick's Parish Fete**  
St. Patrick's School Grounds

**Sat 22 Allora & District Historical Society Display & Demonstration Day**  
Old Allora Shire Chambers

**Fri 28 Anglican Parish Fete**  
St. Davids Church Grounds, 4.30pm

**Mon 31 Allora Swimming Club Melbourne Cup Calcutta**  
Railway Hotel Allora

### November -

**Tue 1 Allora Swimming Club Melbourne Cup Luncheon**  
Railway Hotel Allora

**Tue 1 Goomburra Melbourne Cup Lunch**  
Goomburra Hall

**Fri 4 - Sun 6 Allora State School Celebrates 100 Years on Warwick St**  
Allora State School

**Sat 19 Allora Rotary Trivia Night**  
Allora Community Hall

**Sat 26 Allora Chaplaincy Christmas Musical "A Baby Changes Everything"**  
Allora State School Hall

### December -

**Fri 9 RSL Womens Auxiliary Christmas Cent Sale**  
RSL Hall Allora, 7.00pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - Clients wishing to include their events in the *Events Calendar*, must book a display (boxed) advertisement for the event in *The Allora Advertiser*, sized at least 2 column x 8 cm. Clients will then automatically receive, as a bonus, a calendar entry. These entries will be in a 2 line format as above, starting in bold with date and event, followed by venue and time.

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### Business urged to reduce, reuse and recycle

With only three months until the new Queensland Industry Waste Levy kicks in on 1 December 2011, Southern Downs businesses are being urged to take steps now to reduce the amount of waste they are sending to landfill.

"This is a state initiative aimed at reducing the amount of waste going to landfill, and it's coming up in just three months time," said Council's Director Planning and Environment, Ken Harris. "It will soon cost businesses more to take their waste to landfill, and the only way to reduce that cost is to generate less waste," Mr Harris said.

"Businesses should look at reducing, re-using or recycling as much waste as possible to keep their waste costs down."

The new State Government levy will be \$35 per tonne for all commercial and industrial (C&I), and all construction and demolition (C&D) solid and liquid waste going to landfill.

This will be charged on top of the normal gate fees at Southern Downs Regional Council waste facilities. Council has been asked to collect the levy on behalf of the State, with all monies from the levy paid to the Queensland Government.

"We're suggesting to business owners that now is the time they should consider what other processes they can put in place to help increase the amount of recycling they are doing and reduce the amount of their waste going to landfill," Mr Harris said.

More information on recycling and waste reduction for businesses can be found at [www.derm.qld.gov.au/environmental\\_management/waste/index.html](http://www.derm.qld.gov.au/environmental_management/waste/index.html) or [southerndowns.qld.gov.au/page/Council\\_Services/Waste\\_Management](http://southerndowns.qld.gov.au/page/Council_Services/Waste_Management).

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Time: 4.00pm - Presentation starts at 5.00pm sharp.  
Where: Platz Oval, Clifton

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### Queensland Infrastructure Plan

Southern Downs Community members are also encouraged to make submissions to the State Government's Queensland Infrastructure Plan (QIP) by 9 September 2011.

As it currently stands, there are no major infrastructure project priorities planned for the Southern Downs Region. Cr Vic Pennisi said this was unacceptable.

"I am concerned that there is no focus in the QIP on much needed water infrastructure projects like Emu Swamp Dam or a Warwick ByPass in this region," Cr Pennisi said.

"I think it's very important that we at least identify future road or rail corridors so that local governments can appropriately adjust their town planning schemes to allow for that long term vision to occur," Cr Pennisi said.

"I encourage people to have a look at the QIP and make a submission if they feel passionate about it - it's absolutely necessary that every region has some input."

The QIP will replace and build on the previous South East Queensland Infrastructure Plan and Program (SEQIPP) and the Far North Queensland Infrastructure Plan (FNQIP) to provide a plan which covers the whole of Queensland.

The QIP can be viewed at <http://www.waytogrow.qld.gov.au/qld-infrastructure-plan>.

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Law No. 26: Law of Cat Composition

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## Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago  
September 1986

### Three Sell-out Shows

Following two sell-out performances in 1985, the Allora Community Choir decided to extend their 1986 run to the three nights of Thursday 11th, Friday 12th and Saturday 13th September. A total audience of 1,200 thoroughly enjoyed the annual production, this year entitled "Buckskins, Banjos and Bustles". The first half of the programme was a shortened version of the musical "Calamity Jane" set in the town of Deadwood in the Wild West of U. S. A. The lead roll was played to perfection by Michelle Smith, ably backed up by Ted Cowley as Wild Bill Hickock, Sue Denny as Katie Brown and Don Burge as Lieutenant Dan Gilmartin. John Cowley played the part of the "lovely" Francis Freyer, caught up in Calamity's quest to bring Adelaide Adams, portrayed by Marion Denny, to Deadwood. Good performances by the supporting cast, colourful costumes and sets and excellent accompanying music gave the audience a great night's entertainment that will be remembered for years to come.

The second half of the concert was in the form of an Olde English Music Hall Revue with the full 22 member Community Choir performing many well known Edwardian period songs. One of the highlights was the harmonies in the rendition of the song "Down by the Riverside" by Allora's own Barber's Shop Quartet, Ted and John Cowley, John Denny, and Don Burge.



Michelle Smith in the title roll as Calamity Jane with some of the supporting cast in the "Golden Garter" Saloon setting of the Allora Community Choir's 1986 production of "Calamity Jane".

Plans are already underway for the 1987 concert but the challenge will be to better that of 1986.

Allora's Past 50 years ago  
September 1961

### A GIFT EVENING

will be held in the Forest Springs Hall on Saturday 23rd September in honour of Miss Joan Hoey's approaching marriage to Mr. Bruce Mills.  
Good Music Refreshments

Allora's Past 100 years ago  
September 1911

### Visit by Irish Envoys

Envoys, Messrs. Redmond and Donovan, campaigning for Home Rule in Ireland, arrived in Allora by the mail train, and were met at the station by members

of the local Hibernian Society and several prominent citizens. Led by the Hibernian Band, a procession was formed and moved to O'Callaghan's Hall where a short reception, presided over Alderman Ludgate, welcomed the visitors.

In the evening Messrs. Redmond and Donovan delivered stirring addresses to a large and enthusiastic audience. At the conclusion of the addresses Mr. E. Fitzgerald moved a motion of support for the Irish people in their quest for Home Rule. This was seconded by Mr. W. Butler and carried by acclamation. On the proposal of the Rev. Fathers Potter and O'Keefe a subscription list was opened and receipts from the room totalled over £81.

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### Goomburra Valley Acreage

AUCTION

**30/9/11 10.00am**

**AUCTION AT QCWA ROOMS - 76 GRAFTON STREET, WARWICK**  
DATE - FRIDAY 30th SEPTEMBER, 2011  
TIME - 10.00 am  
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**1/10/11 10.30am**

**AUCTION ON SITE - 91 PERCY STREET, WARWICK**  
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TIME - 10.30 am

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### Lifestyle Acreage

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### Draft policy to impact producers, not just miners: Mayor

The Draft State Planning Policy for the Bligh Government's Strategic Cropping Land Policy is now open for consultation and Southern Downs Mayor Ron Bellingham said the community should take a good hard look.

"We applaud the intent of this new policy to protect our best agricultural land from heavy industry like mining," Cr Bellingham said.

"However, when you look at the fine print, it has major implications for what producers themselves can do with their land and for Council's planning schemes," he said.

"It effectively removes local decision making for anything other than basic farming activities.

"We're asking the community to take an interest in this because we think it will effectively ban a whole range of activities which are quite common in this area today."

The proposed policy applies to farming land only, not towns and urban areas, and restricts new buildings and developments, except in exempt categories.

"It appears to allow some things that are appropriate on strategic cropping land, such as animal keeping, intensive horticulture and cropping, but our concern is that it bans everything else," the Mayor explained.

For example, you could build a winery, which is exempt, but if you wanted to have a restaurant or craft outlet associated with that winery it would not be allowed. You also can't add a few cabins to an existing farm to supplement income, for instance. While animal keeping is allowed, this essentially only applies where no new buildings need to be built. So feedlots and free range pig or chook farms would be OK; poultry sheds and piggeries would not.

The policy could also have major impacts in the Granite Belt, with new sheds associated with a rural industry allowed, but only if they are less than 750m2 in floor space, the Mayor said. "That's a very small shed in the orchard or horticulture industry," Cr Bellingham said. "A number of producers have packing sheds over 4,000 square metres in size.

"Council's perspective is that quite a large range of these other activities could be appropriate and even desirable, subject to proper environmental and impact assessment, under Council's current and future planning schemes," Cr Bellingham said.

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### Artists put finishing touches on designs for new Stanthorpe piece

Two international and one Queensland artists are this week putting the finishing touches on their concept designs for a major new public art piece to be located in Stanthorpe.

The Climatic Art Piece, which aims to highlight Stanthorpe's status as Queensland's Capital of Cool, is to be located near the Visitor Information Centre.

Expression of interest were called at the end of June and the panel met on July 21st to commission three artists to develop designs according to a brief.

The brief was created using community input and feedback. The three concept designs from these artists will be presented to a Selection Panel next Tuesday 13 September 2011.

The Panel, made up of people from the art, agriculture, tourism, wine and commerce communities as well as Council representatives, will ensure the designs meet the brief.

The designs will then be presented to the community to vote on a preferred piece.

Residents will have two weeks to cast their vote, which can be done online or via hard copy available from Council offices and a range of other locations.

The selection panel preference and community vote will then be presented to Council at the end of September for a final decision.

"However under the Draft State Planning Policy in its current form, it won't matter, because Council won't be allowed to approve their use.

"It appears that it essentially takes away a lot of local decision making capability.

"I believe the Queensland Government needs to revisit the wording of this draft to allow for development of small scale environmentally appropriate activities that compliment cropping and are relatively widespread in this area today."

Council is reviewing the implications of the draft policy on the proposed Southern Downs Planning Scheme.

The Mayor urged the community to read the draft policy and make a submission to the Queensland Government if they had any concerns.

Public submissions on the Draft State Planning Policy for Queensland's Strategic Cropping Land close on 30 September 2011.

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minutes into the new half. With Wattles now trailing 10 – 14 it was team skipper Henry again who cracked the defence before off loading to centre Tim Hentschel in top gear on his way to the tryline.

The "Danes" answered with a try of their own, but Wattles bustling back rower Walter McIntosh burst through to score putting his side ahead 22 – 20 fifteen minutes into the new half. Anthony McIntosh scored eighteen points in the match taking his season total to an amazing 382 points. The quicksilver fullback scored Wattles first try after a classy piece of play that saw him break free and kick ahead, regathering to touch down. He showed his abundant speed again in the latter stages when he outpaced the defence on an 80 metre gallop to score and put Wattles ahead 28 – 26 with ten minutes remaining.

Winger Aaron Hooper sealed the match inside the final minute with a match winning intercept and another display of raw pace to ease better than eighty metres to score.

The Dalby "Diehards" defeated the Valleys "Roosters" in last Sunday's TRL major semi-final to secure a Grand Final berth, and a win over Valleys this Sunday in the Preliminary Final will see Wattles take on Dalby in the premiership decider.

Wattles were beaten 11 – 10 by the "Roosters" in the two sides second round clash this season, but were victorious back in April at Platz Oval by 24 – 18.

Wattles 34 (Anthony McIntosh 2, Aaron Hooper, Walter McIntosh, Tim Hentschel, Dean Cubby tries; Anthony McIntosh 5 goals) defeated Pittsworth 26 (Travis Short 2, Chris Parker, Andrew Boyes, Bradley McMurray tries; Brent Kohn 2, Brendan Smith goals).

Wattles "Railway Hotel, Allora" Reserve Grade team to play in Sunday's TRL Preliminary Final against Valleys at 12.40pm: 1. Anthony McIntosh, 2. Brandon Cubby, 3. Aaron Hooper, 4. Tim Hentschel, 5. Damian McDonald, 6. Dean Cubby, 7. Jordan Henry (C), 8. Sam Fuller, 9. Josh McIntosh, 10. Nick Pasterfield, 11. Walter McIntosh, 12. Lauchlan Hoey, 13. Mark Duggan, 14. Jason Wilson, 15. Lee Lousick, 16. Todd McGrady, 17. Matt Tuiono, 18. Jimmy Johnson, 19. Ian Brown, 20. Robbie McIntosh.

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