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Celebrating a Fifty Year Speech Night Tradition

Next Tuesday evening the Allora State School community will yet again gather for speech night to celebrate the achievements of the school year, and farewell another graduating group of Year 10 students as they embark on the next stage of their life journey. While the annual celebration that highlights the academic, community and sporting prowess of the high achieving school in their Performing Arts Hall, will lift to another level this year.

Indeed next Tuesday evening will be the 50th Annual Allora State School Speech Night.

The program for the evening is sprinkled generously with links with Speech Nights from the previous half century, presentations to this year's achievers being made by past students. The Sporting Awards will be presented by Jan Gilmore (Petersen) & Carol Ryan (Geaney), who were among the first Year 10 class to graduate from the school in 1966, Jan sharing Sportsperson of the Year honours with Brian Byrne in 1964, and Carol sharing the same award with Terry Doyle in 1965.

Academic awards will be presented by former Duxes, James Dougall (1968) & Kaye Mullins (Withnall) (1969). James went on to join the RAAF, study at Queensland University & work in the electrical engineering field, and designed the Stump Cam transmitter so familiar to those endeared to cricket.

A highlight of the evening will be the unveiling of two honour boards, listing the Allora State School Dux and also the Sportsperson of the Year, both boards commencing in 1964.



The Allora State School initial Speech Day at the Allora RSL Hall, 1964.

The polished timber boards chronicling a significant niche in School history, researched by the School's Head of Curriculum Mrs Robyn Westerman, as part of the 50th Speech Night celebrations.

Wayne Lawson was the first Dux of the Allora State School in Year 8 in 1964, and achieved the award again in 1965 & 1966 in Year 9 and 10, while Brian Byrne & Janice Petersen the Sportspeople of the Year in 1964.

The Director - General of Education Dr. Sir Herbert Watkin approved the establishment of Grade 8 at the Allora School for 1964, and soon after granted the school full Secondary Department status commencing 1965.

The mid 1960's was proving an enterprising time for Allora, the State School adding a Secondary Department, the addition of significant town infrastructure in a new reticulated water supply in 1965 and the addition of a town swimming pool in 1966.

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On examining the list of School Duxes, we see many who have remained in the Allora area and are enriching the town's future in their own way, while some have moved on past the town boundary making a difference elsewhere across the nation and in some cases the world.

Forty-nine students have been honoured in being named Allora State School Dux since 1964, as mentioned Wayne Lawson collecting the prestigious award over the initial three years, and Melissa Gillett & Chenoa Wren sharing the honour in 1994, while last year Ben Ranger & Adina Gunnis were joint awardees.

Sportsperson of the Year honours have been spread between 65 students, the award having a boy & girl winner from 1964 to 1991, however from 1970 to 1976 specific records nominating overall winners cannot be located. It can be said that Allora and its surrounds are blessed turf when it comes to producing sporting champions, the Sportsperson of the Year list testament to that point.

Rugby Union international Greg Holmes won the sporting excellence award in 1998, before embarking on a career that resulted in over 100 games for the Queensland 'Reds' and thirteen Test matches for Australia. A former Champion junior field athlete of world standard, Greg still holds individual school athletic records in discus and javelin.

A father/daughter sporting combination was David Dwan, the 1977 winner with Denise Cavanagh, and Danielle Dwan successful in 2007 in an amazing effort as Sportsperson of the Year and School Dux. David's brother Steven Dwan took the sporting honours in 1984 with Jennifer Evans.

The School's rich sporting history is reinforced with student's athletic achievements, long standing records still to tumble despite new records being set each year. Stephen Rickert's 13

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Allora State School Dux in 1964
Wayne Lawson.

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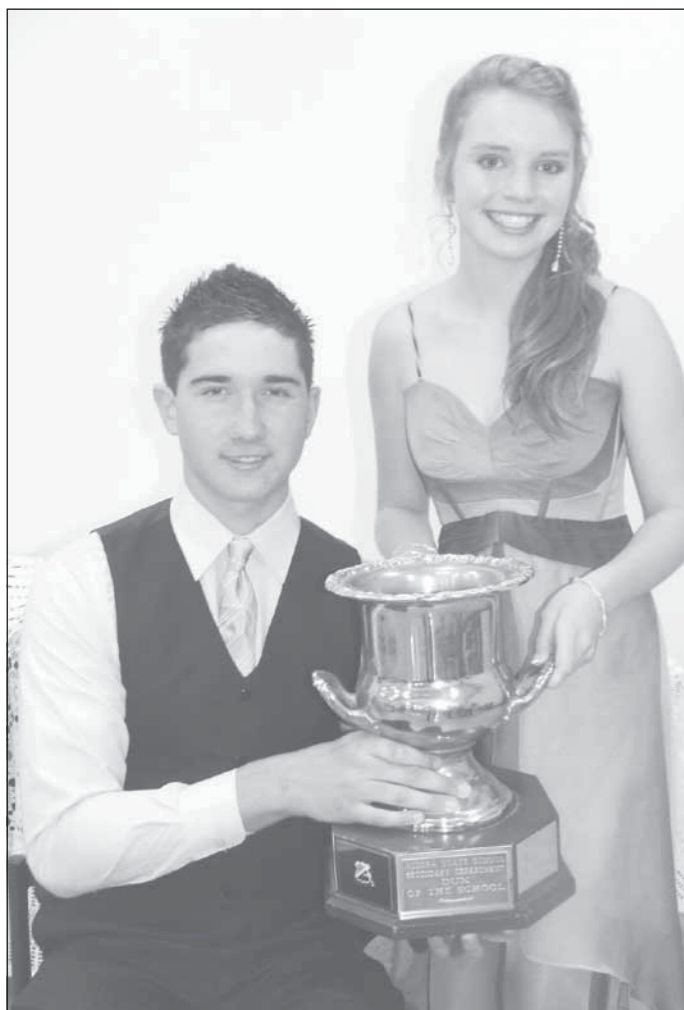


ALLORA NEWS

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Year boy 200 m record of 26.7 secs has stood for nearly forty years, set in 1975. While the 1.21 metre leap by Tracey Mason in 1982 to win the 11 Years Girls High Jump is a record still challenging the later generations. The swimming pool has also seen some records last into the future, Donna-Maree Willett setting a time of 35.7 secs in 1991 to win the 13 Years Girls 50 metre Butterfly, and in the 13 Years Boys 50 metre Breaststroke Mark Mason set a remaining record of 45.2 secs in 1987. In



Ben Ranger & Adina Gunnis, shared the honours of Allora State School Dux last year.

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another family connection, Donna-Maree Willett was School Dux in 1993, and sister Melissa Willett Sportsperson of the Year in 2000.

The Allora State School Performing Arts Hall will be rich with school history next week, some reminiscences of that first Year 10 graduation in 1966. Along with Dux Wayne Lawson, awards went to Colin Newport (English), Pam Ruhle (French), Wayne Lawson (Science & Mathematics), Lois Holmes (Commercial), Barbara Gwynne (Home Craft) & Michael Maher (Industrial). Allora State School's Annual Speech Night, celebrating & acknowledging the achievements of students from Grade 6 – 10, and 50 years of Speech Night tradition, will commence at 7.30 pm in the School's Performing Arts Hall, Tuesday November 19th.

Glyn Rees



Joe Morris, Allora State School Sportsperson of the Year in 2012.

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In May 1964, five Sisters arrived in Toowoomba at the invitation of Bishop Brennan. They came to serve the rural parishes by way of home visits and providing faith education for adults and children. Their travels took them to distant places like Thargomindah, Birdsville and Windorah as well as many districts on the Darling Downs. They stayed with families or at local churches. At that time they were commonly known as the Rosary House Sisters.

The Sisters have worked in the Toowoomba Diocese throughout these 50 years in a great variety of ways. If families have photos of the Sisters in earlier times, the Sisters would appreciate a copy for display at their Golden Jubilee gathering. Their celebration will be in Toowoomba on Sunday 27th April, 2014 and they would like to make contact with people who have known them in the past. Phone Sr. Mary Cleary on 07. 4634.9786 or email her on marycleary5@bigpond.com. Her postal address: 4/25a Payne St. Toowoomba, 4350.

Events Calendar

2013

November -

- Sat 16 Allora R.S.L. Christmas Markets**
Allora R.S.L. Hall
- Sat 30 Men of League Charity Luncheon**
Allora Community Hall, 11.30am

December -

- Sun 1 Allora R.S.L. Christmas Cent Sale**
Allora R.S.L. Hall
- Fri 6 Allora Blue Care Boutique Christmas Market**
Allora Blue Care Boutique, 8.00am - 12 noon
- Fri 6 Allora Rotary Bush Christmas Street Party**
Herbert Street, Allora
- Tue 31 Allora New Years Eve Party**
Allora Showgrounds, Allora

2014

February -

- Fri - Sat 136th Annual Allora Show**
7 & 8 Allora Showgrounds

April -

- Sat 12 Allora & District Historical Society Display & Demo Day - Historical Society Building, Cnr. Forde & Warwick Sts.**

May -

- Sat 3 Allora Scope Club Inc. Annual Afternoon Tea**

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"Waste oil can be filtered and recycled for subsequent use at these five facilities:

1. Warwick Central Waste Management Facility
2. Stanthorpe Waste Management Facility
3. Allora Waste Transfer Station
4. Leyburn Waste Transfer Station
5. Wallangarra Waste Transfer Station

"Commercial Waste Oil must only be transported by a licensed waste transporter.

"All Council waste disposal sites where waste oil is accepted for recycling are fully supervised. Please follow the directions of the site supervisor when disposing of your waste, and if you have any enquiries on-site, please contact the site supervisor.

"There is no charge for disposal of Waste Oil at Council waste facilities, because it is a recyclable product. Alternatively, there are private waste removal companies such as JJ Richards and Allied Waste that will collect Waste Oil for a price.

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 30th November - next markets – last Sat in Nov. so make sure you book your stall for these ever popular markets. Good chance to buy Christmas gifts. Ring M Batten 4697 3313 for your space.
 Diary Date – Friday 13th December is “Christmas In The Street.” Santa and Mrs Claus will be arriving “in style”, so you better watch out, you better not shout... this is the chance for all the Community to share an evening of Christmas Carols, entertainment and family enjoyment. Watch this space for further updates.
 Railway Station news – Yes the wedding went well !! The train arrival was not advertised as we were asked to keep it a “secret”. Guests had no idea of their destination, or the event. The next steam train will arrive in Clifton on 16th November. Yes, you can book a seat, one-way or return. All information available at the Clifton Railway Station.
 Community Event Calendar – Visitors look for all sorts of information when they arrive in our town. We are erecting a 2014 calendar at the station, available to everyone. Any club, group, event, meetings, family reunions, etc are welcome to advertise free of charge. We feel this will help with organising any events that may coincide on the same day, or week. Just bring details to the station.
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5. What is the smallest number of rigid pendulums, attached end to end, required to create a chaotic system?

Answers in Classifieds pages

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Council advises cats no longer need to be registered
 Southern Downs Regional Council no longer requires residents to register their cats following a decision at Council's general meeting on 17 October 2013.
 Manager Environmental Services Tim O'Brien said the mandatory requirement for state-wide cat registration was introduced by the state government in the Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008. A recent amendment to the legislation has taken out the requirement for compulsory cat registration.
 "The current registration period for any registered cats will run out on the 31 December 2013. Owners of these cats will not be sent renewal documents and will therefore not be required to renew the registration of their cat.
 "The timing has worked well in that the registration period for cats was about to expire at the time the decision was made to stop registration.
 "There have been no changes to the microchipping requirements under the Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008. And we remind everyone that residents can have a maximum of 2 cats permitted under Council local laws.
 "There are currently 722 registered cats in the region and it is believed this is only a fraction of the actual number of cats that are kept in the area," he said.
 Council encourages responsible pet ownership and urges residents with cats to:

- provide an adequate balanced diet
- supply clean cool water at all times
- provide a safe dry sleeping area
- A healthy pet is a happy pet! ensuring vaccinations, regular worm and flea control
- Confine your pets to your property - wandering animals either cause trouble or can end up injured by traffic or other animals.
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Looking Back...
Prince of Wales at Hendon
 Speaking of famous visitors to the Allora district, on the 26th July, 1920, Edward, Prince of Wales stopped at the Hendon Railway Station on a Royal tour of the Darling Downs. Edward was later to succeed his father to the British throne in early 1936 as King Edward VIII before abdicating in December 1936 and being granted the title of the Duke of Windsor. An estimated crowd of 1,000 people including school children from Goomburra, Berat, Allora and Hendon greeted the Royal visitor. The station was decorated for the occasion by Allora Shire Council staff under the direction of Shire Engineer, Mr. L. E. Laws. On arrival, the Prince was greeted with a hearty rendition of the National Anthem by the school children under the direction of Head Teacher, Mr. C. W. Clark. The Prince was welcomed by Shire Chairman, Cr. James Dean, and proceeded to shake the hand of each of the 62 returned soldiers who had assembled under the charge of Lieutenant W. J. T. Neal D. C. M. He then shook the hands of the Red Cross ladies and the mothers of the fallen soldiers.
 The correspondent for the "London Times" said that the Hendon reception was the best organized function they had so far seen on the Queensland side of the border.

Allora's Past 25 years ago
 November 1988



ABOVE: School children wait to greet the Prince of Wales at Hendon in 1920.
 RIGHT: Prince of Wales meets local dignitaries, Hendon 1920.
 Photos from the Weber album.

New Valuations Released
 New unimproved valuations for land in the Allora Shire have been released by the Valuer-General's Department. Total rateable value of the Shire land had decreased by 1% since the last valuation in 1982. The decrease in rural land values had been offset by an increase in residential allotment values, with a typical allotment in Gordon Street rising from \$2,500 to \$8,000 and in Drayton Street from \$2,250 to \$6,600. Rural residential land values in the Shire had also increased. The new valuations will be used by the Allora Shire Council to calculate its new General rates from 1st July, 1989.

Allora's Past 100 years ago
 November 1913
Allora Railway Station
 The Station Master at Allora, to whom we are constantly indebted for information supplied, has handed us the following returns showing the business done during the week ending 13th November.
 Forwarded: 500 boxes of butter, 1,000 cases of fruit, 2 horses, 700 bags of wheat, 49 bags of barley and 40 cases of eggs.
 Received: 5 reapers, 3 harvesters, 250 cans of cream and 10 trucks of mill logs.

Colin Newport

Storm cuts power Sunday night
 Power was restored to about 1900 Ergon Energy customers in the Toowoomba inner-city area on Sunday night after a line patrol found a storm had not caused any damage requiring repairs to the network. The power supply was interrupted about 7.20pm as storms passed across the Darling Downs and power was back on to Toowoomba city customers at 8.45pm. Power also was restored to 1900 customers in and around Allora about 9.15pm after initially being interrupted about 6.50pm.
 Crews continued working until 10.30pm to rectify the equipment malfunction that caused the outage, although the network has been reconfigured to reinstate supply to all customers.
 A storm in the South Burnett resulted in the power supply to about 1000 customers west of Murgon being interrupted about 9.32pm. The line was successfully re-energised and power restored to all customers at 9.49pm.

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Community members that attended Monday evenings Disaster/Emergency Response Volunteer Training program at the Allora RSL Hall were: (Back standing) Gary Steinberger, Robert Bell, Sharon Farley, Kelvin Hutchinson, Maritta Hutley, Katrina Collie, Robert McGrow, Stan Bain, Robyn Vivian & Graham Thornberry. (Seated) Facilitator Bette Bonney, Christine Gleeson, Lynn Collie, Nicole Steinberger, Paige Bain, David Finch, Andrew Cave, Ros Cave & Danny Daniels. (Absent) Glyn Rees, Kath Turner, Denise Hutchinson.

Volunteers Versed in Disaster/Emergency Response

The concerns raised by so many in the Allora community in the wake of the flood incidents of 2010, 2011 & earlier this year were all brought to the fore on Monday evening at the Allora RSL Hall when twenty one community members from the Allora district, Clifton & Warwick gathered for a program of Disaster/Emergency Response Volunteer Training conducted by Bette Bonney, the Volunteer Project Coordinator with Southern Downs Regional Council.

Mrs. Bonney considered the evening a great success, and felt "there is lots of potential" for a response plan for Allora to be mapped out to assist when confronted with future emergencies. The program highlighted the skills and confidence required to respond effectively to a natural disaster or other emergency scenes, as well as safety and working as an individual or a team member.

Other subjects covered included Responsibilities of a Volunteer, the SDRC Volunteer Policy & Code of Conduct, Essential Communication Skills, Working Effectively with Others, Basic support skills, Basic Risk Management & Self Care.

One significant outcome for the evening was the awareness of a need for an organised initial response in Allora when faced with an emergency event, particularly in a flood situation when the town became isolated and inaccessible to vital emergency

services available from Warwick & other centres. Allora's local Police and fire service may well be involved in rescue and other emergency activities during a flood event as was the case in recent years, so there is definitely room for a community organised response to deal with the many other aspects of a flood or other emergency.

The need for the re-establishment of an Allora based State Emergency Service was discussed, as was the possibilities of reforming an Allora First Response Group of suitably qualified people to deal with local medical emergencies in the initial stages prior to the arrival of Queensland Ambulance or other medical assistance. The meeting gave great support to both suggestions and further discussions with the necessary authorities are now underway.

Allora's response to a future emergency event, in cooperation with all emergency organisations, is vital for the safety of all in the area. The summer storm season upon us now highlighting the importance of community awareness.

Skilled community members are a vital and significant component of emergency management and community recovery in times of disaster or when general support is required through unexpected circumstances.

For further information regarding reforming an Allora SES Unit or an Allora First Response Group, please contact Glyn Rees on 0400 811 093.

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Thank You...

The Allora Sports Club committee sincerely thanks Beetle & Sue from Allora Hardware and David & Zita from Allora Newsagency for their incredibly generous sponsorship of the Dalrymple Seat last Saturday. This event is now firmly established as one of Allora's premiere sporting and social events. Thanks also to everyone who played on the day. Your support contributed to one of the most successful days in the Sports Club history. Finally, to our hardworking volunteers who work tirelessly on the course, the bowls green, behind the bar and in the kitchen. Without you we would have no club.

Birth Notice...

Rougan, Rowena & Abigail welcome ELIZA JANE GERAGHTY, born 7th November 2013. Second grandchild for Graham & June Bool of Goomburra and Pat & Pat Geraghty of Warwick.

• CHURCH NOTICES •

Scots Presbyterian Church - Allora.

THIS SUNDAY AT ALLORA - Service/Sunday School at 9.30am.
LADIES BIBLE STUDY - Tuesdays, 10.00am - 11.00am.
Wednesday Evenings - Bible Study at 7.30pm.
CATCH UP CRAFT - 2nd Tuesday of month, 11.30am - 2.00pm and 4th Thursday of month, 9.30am - 12.00pm
KIDS CLUB - 1st & 3rd Friday of each month for prep - grade 7. From 3.15pm - 5.00pm.
30th NOVEMBER ONLY - MEN'S BREAKFAST MEETING at Slade Campus, Horsman Road, Warwick, 7.30am - Tickets can be arranged by ringing Stuart Acaon on 07 4666 3786 or Pastor Dennis Mooney on 4666 3829.
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• PUBLIC NOTICES •

ROTARY CLUB OF ALLORA wish to advise the winner of the MELBOURNE CUP BOX TRIFECTA was Eric Hughes of Warwick.

• SOLUTIONS •

THIS WEEK'S SUDOKU SOLUTION

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7	2	9	4	5	8	6	1	3
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2	7	4	1	6	9	3	8	5
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5	1	8	7	2	3	4	6	9
6	5	2	9	3	4	8	7	1
8	9	1	2	6	7	5	3	4
4	7	3	5	8	1	2	9	6

CSIRO DOUBLE HELIX QUIZ ANSWERS

1. The smallest number of rigid pendulums, attached end to end, required to create a chaotic system is two.
2. Sea anemones belong to the kingdom Animalia, or animals.
3. Barium sulfate is white.
4. In anatomy, CSF stands for cerebrospinal fluid.

Railway Hotel Rascals vs Inglewood

Round three of the Condamine Cup witnessed the Railway Hotel Rascals take on Inglewood, the long drive to Inglewood and some blistering weather. Inglewood won the toss and chose to bat, which allowed us the opportunity for all our bowlers to gain some valuable experience, although the extreme heat was only availed by three small clouds hurriedly on their way to the coast. Joe Morris opened the bowling well and finished best of the bowlers with 2-34/8, whilst James Moore, Simon Moore and Nick Vanderpoel took two wickets apiece. Some smart restrictive bowling from Simon Moore, and great outfield catching from Callum Duncan, saw both the Inglewood openers out after making solid starts. Nick Vanderpoel also took two excellent catches in the outfield. Although Inglewood scored a total of 244, the young Rascals were excited that they bowled them out, and are quietly confident that this will be our highest against score this year.

The batting stakes did not fare so well for us, with only two batters really troubling the scorers; Paul Christensen and the talented Tom Morris- 13 not out. The Rascals player of the year points went to: 3: Joe Morris, 2: Tom Morris 1: Simon Moore. This weekend, on Saturday 16th of November, the Rascals take on the Colts in Allora, for a 12.30pm start. Everybody is invited to come down, watch the game and have a chat with the team members and supporters. We hope to see you there!

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Allora Golf Notes

Last Sunday was a Club Trophy. Winner of the day with a great score of 45 points was Matt May. Runner Up with 41 points was Rod Simpson. With only 6 players on Sunday, must of been a few recovering from Saturday Night. This Sunday will be the annual Allora Golf Open. There will be a Time Sheet, so please ring or see Kev or Adam for a Tee time.
Thank you to all from the Sports Club who helped out on Saturday to make it a great day. Thanks to all the ladies who put in a great effort to organise the nibbles and feed. We can't do this without your help.
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kicking off at 5pm with 50m heats. In between heats our 12.5m and 25m swimmers will have the opportunity to swim also. Life members, current and past members are warmly invited to attend. At the conclusion of the night we shall celebrate with sausage sizzle and sweets supplied by the club.



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Allora Cricket Notes

Allora Foodworks / Railway Hotel team played RSL Diggers at home on Saturday, 9 November. Allora batted first, scoring 149 with Mitch McLennan the best with the bat. Mitch hit 10 fours and a six, being caught by Jeff Morris to finish on 73. Matt Kiernan was the next best with the bat, putting 34 runs on the board before being caught behind. Lauchlan Hoey snared 3 wickets for 15 runs, off 8 overs. Col O'Brien from Diggers took 6 Allora wickets for only 24 runs. Final tally was Diggers 5-153 with 6 overs remaining and Allora 10-149 after 29 overs. This weekend we play Maryvale at Slade Park on Saturday. A reminder to players that registration fee of \$50.00 is to be paid by Saturday 30 November.

Joey Scouts to HOP in 2014

Clifton Scout Group is convening a meeting at 4 pm on Friday, 22nd November 2013, to gauge the level of interest in reforming the Clifton Joey Scout Mob in 2014. The meeting will be held at the Scout Hut, 5 Davenport Street, Clifton.

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HOP (Help Other People) is the motto of the Joey Scout section, which provides a program of activities for children aged 6 and 7 years old. Group Leader, Ian Gregory said that a number of parents from around the district had made enquires about Scouting opportunities for 6 and 7 year olds and that these enquiries had prompted the meeting.

Clifton Scout Group currently offers programs for Cub Scouts, aged 8 to 10 years, and Scouts, aged 10 to 14 years old, for youth from Allora to Greenmount and Leyburn to Pilton. For further information about Scouting in Clifton and surrounding districts contact Group Leader Ian Gregory on 4697 3553 or at cliftonsoutgroup@live.com.au.



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