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THURSDAY, 20th FEBRUARY 2014

### A FEAST OF ALLORA GARDENS: 15 & 16 March 2014

These three lovely home gardens in the Allora are all opening with Open Gardens Australia for the very first time.

**Davey Family Garden** - This award-winning garden of sweeping lawns and extensive Mediterranean plantings is a tribute to the hard work of the Davey family – kids included – over more than two decades.

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Topiary swans perch on the banks of rocky creek beds and huge terracotta pots add drama to the lovely setting. Glorious views and lots of local wildlife complete the picture.

There will be old time and country music performances. Teas and light

lunches will be available and plants will be for sale. Garden address: 118 Ryans Road, Mount Marshall



The Davey Family garden - One of several beautiful Open Gardens in Allora in March.

Opening: 15 & 16 March 2014, 10.00am to 4.30pm Admission: \$7 (under 18 free)

**Kyle Garden** - A garden owner who loves mowing is a rare breed indeed! But Mary Kyle says it's her favourite task because it allows her to take in all parts of the gorgeous three-acre garden she has created with husband Richard.

The sweeping, carpet-like lawns certainly make this generous garden feel like a park. A pair of magnificent golden elms take centre stage, while paths wind beneath arbours draped with the scented blooms of wisteria and roses.

A charming avenue of Prunus nigra leads to a pond and bridge, and a three-tiered wrought iron fountain adds a touch of European elegance to the landscape.

Light refreshments will be provided by the RSL and a sausage sizzle will be provided by The Men's Shed. Plants will also be for sale.

Garden address: 46 Raff Street, Allora Opening: 15 & 16 March 2014, 9.00am to dusk

Admission: \$7 (under 18 free)

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Hanging baskets and thoughtfully placed garden ornaments add interest. There is also a flourishing vegetable patch. Teas will be available.

Garden address: 21 Drayton Street, Allora Opening: 15 & 16 March 2014, 9am to dusk

Admission: \$7 (under 18 free)



### **Allora Mountain Morning Tea**

Nearly fifty people accepted the invitation of the Allora Landcare Group (ALG) to attend a free tea and damper function on Allora Mountain last Sunday morning. We wanted to celebrate the work done to restore this beautiful area to full public access. We also wanted to acknowledge the vision of early Landcare members to make the restoration of the Mountain a project of local significance. In particular, the energy of the late Sue Cowley was instrumental in achieving this and we were delighted when her husband Ted spoke to her memory during the formal part of the morning. He also acknowledged the assistance she received from Jim Flesser during those early

We were also delighted to welcome the Member for Southern Downs, the Hon Lawrence Springborg, and Councillor Glynn Rees from Southern Downs Regional Council (SDRC) both of whom gave up a Sunday morning in their busy lives to attend. We were thrilled that Lawrence also spent over two hours on the summit of the Mountain being educated in the pleasures and beauty to be found there. We thank him for this commitment. In his welcoming remarks, the President of ALG, Hughie Huston spoke about the Mountain and what can be found there when people choose to explore. He highlighted the financial assistance we received from the State Department of Environment and Heritage Protection, Warwick Credit Union, and the SDRC in providing Grant monies.

We also took the opportunity on Sunday to unveil printed and static educational material about the flora and fauna to be found on the Mountain, which we will upgrade over time. We

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Due to a bereavement, the Allora Advertiser Office will be CLOSED from 11.30am, on Monday 24th February. Normal hours resume on Tuesday. We apologise for any inconvenience.

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Solution in classifieds section

# ALLORA R.S.L. EASTER MARKETS

### Saturday, March 1st, 8.00am - 12.00 noon

Craft stalls - Freshly brewed coffee - Plants Fruit/Veg - Jams/Pickles - Home made cakes Crystals - Fashion

Allora Men's Shed Sausage Sizzle & Number Board 

also have a donation from the Diggers Garden Group Inc to build an information booth on site and we hope to commence construction shortly.

Future activities for ALG will include erecting better signage, path and track construction, weed control and much more. So much to do, so little time!

Please direct any correspondence or enquiries to the ALG Secretary, Pete Thomas at PO Box 57, Allora Q 4362, or pandathomas1@bigpond.com or 0419 724 025.

### **WEATHER FORECAST**

Day	Forecast	Min/Max		
THU	Scattered Storms. Clouds. Humid.	20	30	
FRI	Mostly Cloudy. Warm. Humid.	20	32	
SAT	Light Rain. Mostly Cloudy. Mild.	16	24	
SUN	Mostly Cloudy. Mild.	15	23	
MON	Morning Clouds. Mild.	14	25	
TUE	Mostly Sunny. Mild.	14	28	









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Friends and family helped Murray & Lenore Robin celebrate their 60th Wedding Anniversary.

### **BAD JOKE OF THE WEEK**

On a busy road where parking was not permitted, a police officer was writing out a fine for a driver who was illegally parked.

The car owner complained that he should not be fined.

The policeman asked: "For what reason?"

To which the driver replied, "The sign says ' FINE FOR PARKING ' "



Murray & Lenore cut the Cake.

### Murray & Lenore Robin 60th Wedding Anniversary

An afternoon tea was held on 11th January, in honour of Murray & Lenore Robin, to celebrate their anniversary.

Many friends and family traveled to Allora, including some of the wedding party for the celebrations. Murray & Lenore were married on 9th January 1954, at Clifton Anglican Church.

To Mum and Dad,

Congratulations on making 60 years of marriage, and we would like to wish you both many more. You are both an inspiration to us all, and you have

taught us that love can conquer and endure anything.

Thank you for your love and support in anything we have ventured into, and hope everything you have instilled in us

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### Allora CWA notes

It was almost a full house for the Allora CWA at its first meeting for 2014 escaping the heat in the airconditioned meeting room. We welcomed a new member and a transfer member.

The meeting started with a minute's silence for members of the community who have died since the last meeting and was followed by a rollcall of those who are ill.

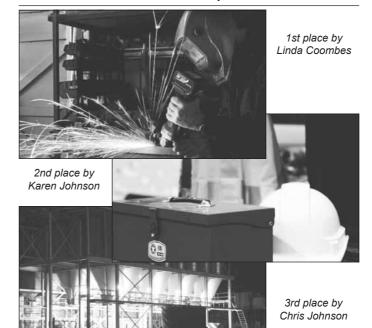
The year will have a busy start with invitations to the St. Patrick's Day at Victoria Hill branch, a breakfast for International Women's Day at Glen Aplin and the 90th birthday celebrations at Killarney already on the schedule.

Training for prospective officebearers in the branches was held in Brisbane last month and it will be offered in May in this division. It is hoped several Allora members will attend.

The border division competitions will be held at Killarney in May after the branch has its own competitions at the International Day on 9th May.

The branch will again cater for the Historical society day on the 12th of April with scones, jam and cream, cakes and slices and tea and coffee.

The March meeting will have a demonstration of scone making by Olive Shooter. Members have been asked for suggestions for other activities in the branch this year.



### Allora Photography Group February meetina

The Allora Photography Group met for its monthly meeting last Wednesday, 12th February. Being one of the four meetings of the year on which the "Challenge" occurs, members are invited to submit two prints from the designated subject; these are judged by a panel from within the group, and an appraisal then given. This month's subject was "Industrial".

Winner of the challenge was Linda Coombes with her impressive black and white study of a welding job in progress in a workshop. Second place went to a colour shot from a totally different approach to the subject - that was Karen Johnson's depiction of industrial safety gear - hard hat, visible vest and First Air box.

Then there was an outdoor night view of a set of storage silos gaining third place for Chris Johnson. Well done, you three! The Groups excursion/activity for the month was a trip to Morgan Park to enjoy capturing some action and atmosphere with the motor sports. Their snaps should provide interesting viewing at next month's meeting.

Anyone wishing to enquire about the activities of the group can email alloraphotographygroup4362@gmail.com, or phone president Linda on 4661 7565.



# **Annies Invitations** and Card Making

### **Card Workshop Dates**

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This year the service has been prepared by the World Day of Prayer committee in Egypt. The theme is "Streams in the Desert". The guest speaker will be Egyptian, Omsy Rousaeila, who now lives in Australia.

Our local service will be held at St Patrick's on Friday, 7 March, at 1.30pm. The service is not simply for women - everyone is welcome. Come along and share the faith of Egyptian Christians, and enjoy the fellowship that follows over a cuppa.

Which horse won the Melbourne Cup in 2002?... Which English singer performed at Princess Diana's funeral?... Which composer suffered from progressive deafness and near the end of his career was almost totally deaf?...

Which mammal is the swiftest runner over short distances?...

Think you know it all? - Got all the answers?

Join us for Rotary Club of Allora Inc's...

# TRIVIA NIGHT

Friday, 7th March, starts 6.30pm - \$15 pp Allora State School Performing Arts Hall

Light refreshments provided throughout evening BYO Drinks - Soft-drinks on sale. Novelty, cash and door prizes, raffles and trophy

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# Timber – Allora & District Historical Society Demonstration Day – 12th April

The original hotel building on the south east corner of Herbert and Drayton Streets (site of the Blue Cow) was known as the "Queens's Arms" The single storey hotel was built in 1866 for Michael and Christina Erhardt. Michael and Christina built their family home "Roseneath" on the corner of Arnold and Warwick Streets around the same time. Their son Joseph, who was the first Erhardt to change the spelling of the surname to Erhart, first worked for his father and later worked as a station hand on Goomburra Station. He then became a 'timber getter' and hauled timber by bullock wagon from the head of the Dalrymple for A Gordon & Co's sawmill.

Michael Erhardt had the license of the "Queens's Arms" until it was sold to Charles Henry Wills in 1879. It was probably at this time when the hotel was re-named the "Royal Hotel". Wills built a hall on Drayton Street which became known as Will's Hall. This building still stands today as part of White's Garage. After the "Queen's Arms" and the hall was leased to local farmer, John Kelley from 1880 to 1883, the hall was known as Kelley's Hall.

John Holmes became the owner of the freehold properties and the licensee of the "Royal' in 1884. John had gone farming after previously being licensee of the "Dalrymple' Hotel. John Kelly took over the license in 1887 and his advertisement in the "Guardian" reads – "The house is large and commodious, is centrally situated, well furnished throughout, and offers accommodation second to none in Allora...good stabling, and an efficient Groom in attendance".

In 1891 John Holmes called for tenders to erect a second storey on the building. Local builders Sharpe and Leggett's tender was accepted. The building included a sample room and auction room.

### Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago February 1989

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

RAE MASTERS and JACK EVANS advise that as from Friday, the 17th February, they have sold the Shopping Spot to Keith and Roslyn Kerkin.

We wish to thank all our customers for their patronage during the past 16 years and hope that Keith and Roslyn will be afforded the same patronage.

We wish them every success in the future.

(Following the disastrous fire which destroyed the Holmes & Co store in October 1972, local businessmen Roy Smith (Donovan & Son) and Peter Stewart (Allora Motors) saw a need for a new drapery shop in the town. They formed a partnership with Rae Masters and Jock Evans, previously in charge of the women's and men's sections of Holmes & Co, to open a new shop at No. 42 Herbert Street called The Shopping Spot. Rae and Jock bought the business outright in April 1976 and traded until the sale to the Kerkin's in 1989)

Allora's Past 50 years ago February 1964

ALLORA VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE



The Shopping Spot in 1972.

Young men wishing to become Volunteer Firemen with the Allora Fire Brigade are asked to hand their names into the Shire Office.

Allora's Past 75 years ago February 1939

### Lodge Golden Jubilee

The Golden Jubilee of the Star of Allora Lodge, P. A. F. S. O. A. was celebrated on January 25th with a banquet in the Alliance Hall. Visitors attended from lodges in Toowoomba, Brisbane, Warwick and Clifton. Bro. W. W. Anderson, one of the two surviving foundation members, was present. Bro. H. G. Deacon, the secretary, who was responsible for most of the

arrangements, has held the position for 35 years.

Allora's Past 100 years ago February 1914

# Complaint

"Fair Play" of Hendon advises the public not to depend on night telephones. He says that at 3 a.m. on Thursday 26th inst. he tried to

ring up for a nurse and after trying for half an hour without getting a reply, other arrangements had to be made. He naturally does not consider this the correct thing under the circumstances, life being in danger, and suggests that some old man who cannot sleep at night should be employed as attendant.

# Allora's Past 150 years ago 1864 CHARLES LAMBLEY

Carcass and Family Butcher
Herbert Street
Allora

(Darling Downs Gazette 18th February 1864)

Colin Newport

In 1901 when John Holmes died we learn from the details of his estate that rent of two pounds per week is paid by the licensee of the hotel to him. During John Holmes ownership there had been several licensees including his son David. Along with the hall on the adjoining block, John Holmes also owed two cottages and old stables. His son Esau operated a cordial factory in the hall.

When the "Royal' was purchased by Ellen McCormack (Ellen was the daughter of Patrick Kelley) in 1899 so began a dynasty of family ownership that was to last for over fifty years. The license was transferred to Ellen's daughter, Mary in 1927. Mary (later McKendry)

held the freehold until the hotel was sold in 1957. When Jock McKendry, her son, was licensee from 1954 to 1957, he was the fourth generation of the family to be associated with the Royal.

As time went by the hotel was renovated, refurnished and re-fitted, "bought right up to the standard of a first class hotel". In 1915 the premises boasts spacious stabling and a secure motor shed. The licensee at the time advertised an Overland car for hire. In 1928, the licensee Mr G J Mahony called for tenders to paint the buildings. He advertises that he has secured the services of an 'up-to-date barber and hairdresser" and that he also offers a well furnished billiard saloon for his patrons.

A fire destroyed the hotel and several adjoining shops in 1931. It was reported that the total cost of damage to the hotel, baker's shop and café was Three thousand pounds. Nothing was saved, "so quickly the fire consumed the wooden building" The heat was so intense that the windows of the Barnes & Co. building across the road cracked and the walls of the "Commercial" Hotel on the opposite corner were blistered. The licensee, Mr C L A Wright and his family and two boarders escaped the inferno.

A temporary bar was maintained after the fire. Within a short time the owner of the property, Mrs J McKendry announced plans for a new two storied hotel, shop and billiard room. The walls of the new hotel were to be of fibro cement except for the weatherboard exterior. Mr E C Rice from Sangate was contracted to build the "New Royal", with local builder Mr W Leggatt supervising the work. Within two months there are

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The Royal Hotel, Allora, in the 1870's. Patrick Kelley was the licensee.

fifteen carpenters, painters and plumbers working on the building.

There is a full description of the new building and furnishings in the "Allora Guardian". It is described as "having the unusual yet pleasing appearance of an old English inn". There are eight bedrooms on the first floor with the double room being enhanced with a maple suite. The following description of the lounge brings to mind a room designed to cater for the comfort of clients. "An air of cosiness pervades the lounge, the furnishings, which include a Steinway piano, being selected to harmonise with the soft colour sheme of the walls". The licensee Mrs McKendry and her husband live in rooms on the northern side of the building and immediately behind them are the staff quarters.

While there have been many changes of ownership and licensee and a change of name to the "Blue Cow" since the building erected in 1931 it remains mostly unaltered. Some of the old stable buildings still stand in the hotel yard. The present owners Denise Dalgleish and Jackie Gallagher changed the name from the "Royal" to the "Blue Cow" in 1996 after a visit to the Snowy Mountains and seeing Mount Blue Cow.

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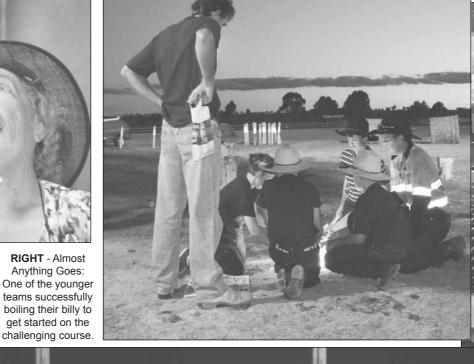
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# **ALLORA SHOW 2014 IN PICTURES**

ABOVE - Show President Shirley Cornhill being treated to a taste of winning honey by Mark Pillarand of Pillarbee from Warwick.

All photos courtesy of Joan Wylde







LEFT - Fine Arts Exhibit: Highly Commended in the Contemporary Class is this piece constructed of barb wire and staples by M. Weiderman.

son Luke and grandson Jack Dalsanto enjoying their goodies from the Dagwood Dog Stand.



ABOVE - Fine Arts Section: The Champion exhibit, by Adele Thomas, had won First Prize in the Genre Painting

Jenue Painting

RIGHT - Farm Produce: Father and son admire samples of grains on display.

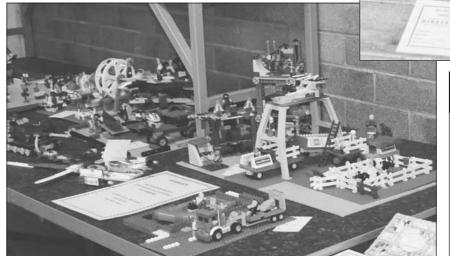


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Stuart Campbell and John Saville cooking up a storm in the BBQ section

of the Combined Churches Canteen



OUROBOROS Film still: Linden Connor (played by Christopher Sommers - "Predestination", "All My Friends Are Leaving Brisbane" and the upcoming "The Water Diviner") arrives in a town from his past, and begins to formulate a plan to save his future wife (Allora locals will recognise this location as Water Lane, opposite Jencos). The film is nearing completion with an estimated premiere date of early March. The post-production team, consisting of Ahmad Halimi (Editor), Daniel Borodin (Sound Designer), Robert Bakken (Colour Grade and VFX), Anders Goberg (VFX) and Ronnie Minder (Composer), under the guidance of Director Henry Boffin, are hard at work to get the film completed in time for numerous international festival deadlines.

# Events Calendar

2014

February -

Sat 22 Allora Men's Shed Meeting

Old Fire Station, 80 Herbert St., 9.00am

March -

Allora R.S.L. Easter Markets Sat 1

Allora R.S.L. Hall, 8.00am - 12.00 noon

Fri 7 **World Day of Prayer** 

St. Patrick's Parish, 1.30pm. Everyone welcome.

**QCWA Victoria Hill St Patricks Day Concert** Mon 17

Victoria Hill Hall, 1.00pm.

Sat & Sun Gardening Australia Open Gardens

-15 & 16 46 Raff St.; 118 Ryans Rd.; and 21 Drayton St.

Sat 29 Allora Men's Shed Meeting

Old Fire Station, 80 Herbert St., 9.00am

April -

Sat 12 Allora & District Historical Society Display & Demo Day - Historical Society Building, Cnr.

Forde & Warwick Sts.

Allora Men's Shed Meeting Sat 26

Old Fire Station, 80 Herbert St., 9.00am

May -

Sat 3 Allora Scope Club Inc. Annual Afternoon Tea

Fri 9 Allora QCWA International Day - Vietnam

St. Andrews Hall, Allora

June -Allora R.S.L. Winter Markets Sat 7

Allora R.S.I. Hall

**Sat 21** Anglican June Afternoon "Hats Galore"

St. Davids Hall. Allora

September -

Allora R.S.L. Spring Markets Sat 6

Allora R.S.L. Hall

December -

Allora R.S.L. Christmas Markets Sat 6

Allora R.S.L. Hall

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

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- 1. What does a hippologist study?
- 2. True or false a baby has a greater number of bones than an adult?
- 3. What is the hardest substance found in the human body?
- 4. Which penguin species are struggling to cope with increasing rainfall in Argentina?
- 5. In the term MRI scan what does MRI stand for?

Answers in Classifieds pages

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### **ALLORA SHOW RESULTS**

#### **RING A - FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY 2014**

Champion Local Boy Rider: Blake Feltham, Raylene Reserve Champion Local Boy Rider. Connar Feltham, Gunna Champion Girl Rider, Eliza Feltham, Poppy

Reserve Champion Girl Rider. Kirra Holmes, Lecto Smart Champion Local Pony Hack: Emily Tynan, Antrim Armagh Reserve Champion Local Pony Hack: Emily Tynan, Tarragan Park Kestrel

#### RING B

Supreme led local Horse/Pony of Show: Blake Feltham,

Champion Local Galloway Hack: Maddie Jones, Billie Dee Reserve Champion Local Galloway Hack: Kirra Holmes, Lecto Smart

Champion Local Hack: Naomi Strong, Avondale Resolution Reserve Champion Local Hack: Blake Feltham, Raylene Supreme Local Hack (Pony/Galloway): Naomi Strong, Avondale

Champion Local Rider. Christine Holmes, Lecto Smart Reserve Champion: Warwick Marnane, Raylene

Barrel race - 8yrs & under. Cassie Lee, 35.49 9yrs - U13yrs: Blake Feltham, 23.09

13yrs - U16yrs: Maddie Jones, 39.7 16yrs & over. Allycia Munro, 24.29

Flag Race - 8yrs & under. Georgia Pendergast, 1.34.37

9yrs - U13yrs: Kirra Holmes, 59.68 13yrs - U16yrs: Maddie Jones, 1.07.87

16yrs & over. Christine Holmes, 54.00

Bending Race - 8yrs & under. Georgia Pendergast, 23.08

9yrs- U13yrs: Kirra Holmes, 16.02 13yrs - U16yrs: Maddie Jones, 17.04

16yrs & over. Christine Holmes, 15.74

#### **SHOW JUMPING - FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY 2014**

65 cm: Tye Wickham, Major Dundee

80 cm: Kirstie Wilson, Apolo 90cm: Kirstie Wilson, Cash

1m: Kirstie Wilson, Sportsman

#### **SATURDAY 8TH FEBUARY 2014**

1.10m Junior 17yrs & Under. Brooke Langbecker, GH EL Banoito

Mitavite Foxhunter Qualifier. Matthew Whalley, Sacre Femme 1.10m-1.15m(horses less than 16pts): Carly Overton, Foxdale Premier

1.25m: Gemma Creighton, Its Phoenix

1.35m: Rhett Oliver, Amadeo

### Ring A - SATURDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2014

Champion Warm Blood: Tellisa Kearton, TK Blitz In Time Reserve Champion Warm Blood: Sam Temple, Ottaba Show

Champion Arabian Part Bred: A & V Matheson, SW Grace Kelly Reserve Champion Arabian Part Bred: S Andrews, Kohwar Practical Magic

Champion Arabian Pure Bred: Leesa Davies, Heir Loom Reserve Champion Arabian Pure Bred: Julie Rice, Announce

Champion Riden Arab: Reilly Turl, Fairlight Command

Champion Led Ash Mare/Filly: Arthur Crumblin, Almar Crystal Reserve Champion Led Ash Mare/Filly: Nigel Streeters, J Reserve Championazzy Acres

Champion Led Ash Gelding: Tony McKillop, Glencoe Cruiser Supreme Champion - Led Stock Horse Exhibit: Arthur Crumblin, Almar Crystal

Champion A.S.H. Hack: Jenean Cooper, Musk Park Titanium Reserve Champion A.S.H. Hack: Toneal Hoffman, Apache Kid Champion Working A.S.H.: Arthur Crumblin, Perfect Princess Reserve Champion Working A.S.H.: Hugh Daley, Dundilla Comma

Champion Pony Show Hunter Hack: Susan Tynan, Antramamagh



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Champion Galloway Show Hunter Hack: Jenean Cooper, Musk Park Titanium Reserve Champion Golloway Show Hunter Hack: Katie

Hennessy, Warrago Wally Champion Show Hunter Hack (over 15H): Kristy Mason,

Burdekin Blues Reserve Champion Show Hunter Hack (over 15H): Elenore Belgrove, Rosebank Warlock

Grand Champion Show Hunter Hack: Kristy Mason, Burdekin

### RING B - SATURDAY 8TH February 2014

Champion Led Thoroughbred: Dan Retschlae, Regal Boo Reserve Champion Led Thoroughbred: Jayne Anderson, Bastile

Champion Led ANSA: Dan Retschlae, Regal Miss Reserve Champion Led ANSN: Javne Shatte, Maringa late

Champion Open Led Hack: Dan Retschlae, Regal Miss Reserve Champion Open Led Hack: Jayne Anderson, Bastille

Champion Galloway Hack: Jayne Shatte, Late Addition Reserve Champion Galloway Hack: Lauren Rook, Love Lace Champion Open Hack: Dan Retschlae, Regal Miss

Reserve Champion Open Hack: A. Fraser, Amazing Grace Supreme Champion Ridden Hack Exhibit: Dan Retschlae, Regal Miss

Champion Heavy Horse: Clare Gorwyn, Glengallon Mystic Maiden

Reserve Champion Heavy Horse: Peter Lowry, Montana Park

#### **RING C - SATURDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2014**

Champion Led Pony: J. Anderson, Marconi Encore

Reserve Champion Pony Mare: The Hawkins Family, McArthurparc Reminiscing

Champion Pony Hack: Jessica Fredrick, Antrim Country Tyrone Reserve Champion Pony Hack: The Hawkins Family, McArthurparc Reminiscing

Grand Champion Pony Hacktar: Jessica Fredrick, Antrim Country Tyrone

Champion Ridden Aust Saddle Pony: Jayne Shatte, Royal Palms Woodwind

Reserve Champion Ridden Aust Saddle Pony: Jessica Fredrick, Robbanic Pop

Champion Boy Rider U12yrs: Tye Wickham, Farleigh Catnip Champion Girl Rider U12yrs: T. Humphieys, Kista Park Camelot

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### Warriors Geared up for Trials'

The excitement is starting to build around Allora & Clifton with the commencement of the 2014 Toowoomba Rugby League season just ten days away. The sound of the cowhide being punted, the beacons shining across "the acres of opportunity" that are the Platz Oval lights, and the scent of liniment all signal the footy season is upon us on the Central Downs.

Wattles have arranged three pre-season trial days in their build up to the kick-off of the TRL season proper on March 22nd, all played on their home turf at Platz Oval.

March 1st will see the 2014 "Great Copper Wallopin" at Platz Oval, the main match being Wattles reserve grade side taking on a Queensland Police line-up selected from around South East & South West Queensland. A big drawcard for the event will be the attendance of ex NRL stars Shane Webcke and Petro Civineciva.

It will be a lengthy program across the day commencing at 12.30 pm with Wattles Juniors taking on Brisbane's Valleys club in Under 13 and in Under 14, Logan Brothers.

Wattles Under 18's & A Grade sides will take on Toowoomba's Southern Suburbs 'Tigers', the 'Tigers' reserve grade line-up taking on Millmerran before Wattles reserve graders test their might against the Queensland Police side.

Wattles President Aaron Scheid, who was recently honoured in the Southern Downs Regional Councils Australia Day awards for Sport Administration, is more than happy with his player's focus. "We have had good numbers at training since commencing in early January, and we have a challenging preseason to prepare for the coming season" said Scheid.

"Our Coaches are impressed with their players and player progress, a number of new faces in Shaun Henry's Under 18 outfit will add much to the existing talent he had, and we have a new face in ex Navy fitness instructor Sarah Turner preparing the teams to be at peak fitness for the year ahead."

Wattles were to play trials against the Fassifern 'Bombers' in mid February, but those matches have been deferred until Sunday, March 9th at Platz Oval.

The symbol of pre-season rugby league supremacy on the Southern Downs, the Barrett Family Shield, will be contested at Platz Oval on Saturday March 15th.

Wattles extend a welcome to prospective players, those interested should be at Clifton's Platz Oval on Tuesday & Thursday evenings from 6.00 pm, or contact Aaron Scheid on 0458 204 550.

### Allora Swimming Achieve at Clifton'

On Tuesday February 4th, students from Allora's St Patricks School, Clifton's St Francis de Sales School, the Allora State School, the Clifton State School and Combined Small Schools attended the Central Downs Swimming Carnival held at the

Allora State School emerged victorious from the meet this year. their last Meet win in 2000. Age Champions were 8Yrs & Under Boys - Cooper Harm (Allora SS), Runner-Up (tie) Hamish Gartery & Brock Seibel (Allora SS); 8Yrs & Under Girls - (tie) Aliza Schelbach (St Patricks) & Danni Griffin (Allora SS); 9Yrs Boys - Jackson Pitstock (Allora SS), Runner-Up George Nott (St Patricks); 9Yrs Girls - (tie) Macey Hill (Allora SS) and Alex Bender (St Patricks); 10Yrs Boys - Cooper Seng (St Patricks), Runner-Up Angus Brasch (St Patricks); 10Yrs Girls - Lexi Wilkinson (St Francis), Runner-Up Charlotte Nott (St Patricks); 11Yrs Boys - Lachlan Meacle (St Francis), Runner-Up Jack Hill (Allora SS); 11Yrs Girls - Molly Harm, Runner-Up (tie) Lacey Maguire (Combined Schools) & Brooke Kindelan (Clifton SS); 12Yrs Boys - Matthew Blakemore (St Patricks), Runner-Up Lachlan Harris (Combined Schools): 12Yrs Girls -Lucy Mantova (Clifton SHS), Runner-Up Tara Wilkinson (St Francis); 13Yrs Boys - Blake Feltham (Allora SS), Runner-Up Brent Brittain-Harrigan (Allora SS); 13Yrs Girls - Grace Canning (St Patricks), Runner-Up Amy Harrison (St Patricks). The Allora State School finished with 128 points ahead of St Patricks School 111 points & St Francis de Sales on 53 points. A number of students from the Carnival gained selection to attend the Southern Downs Schools Carnival in Warwick on February 10th.

Students from St Patricks School and the Allora State School competed at the Southern Downs Swimming Carnival at the Allora Pool on February 10th, resulting in Molly Harm and Jackson Pitstock from the Allora State School being selected as members of the Southern Downs team to compete in Gatton at Darling Downs trials on March 5th

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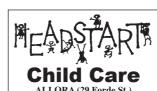
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### • ANOUNCEMENTS •

### **Congratulations**

The Executive & Committee of the Allora Sports Museum extends a big Congratulations to MATT DENNY - What a year!!

- ☆ Junior World Champion Discus Thrower
- ☆ Australian Junior Athlete of the Year
- ☆ Old Accademy of Sport Track & Field Athlete of the Year
- ☆ Back to Back Sports Darling Downs Junior Sports Star and more...

How good is this proud Allora kid? Special mention to coach Graham Pitt who also excelled in similar awards.

### • CHURCH NOTICES •

### The Anglican Parish of Allora and Clifton - Service Times

St Davids: Allora

Holy Communion: 1st Sunday

8.00am

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#### **Uniting Church Allora**

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### Scots Presbyterian Church - Allora.

THIS SUNDAY AT ALLORA - Service/Sunday School at 9.30am TUESDAY - Ladies Bible Study at 10.00am - 11.00am.

CATCH UP CRAFT - 2nd Tuesday of each month, 11.30am -2.00pm.

WEDNESDAY EVENINGS - Bible Study at 7.30pm.

KIDS CLUB - 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month for Prep - grade 7. from 3.15pm - 5.00pm.

MENS BREAKFAST - Saturday, 22nd February - Guest Speaker Peter Wiggins. Title of message: "Lights in a Dark World"

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Community individuals, representatives of Allora community groups, schools and clubs, are invited to attend a MEETING to further develop Allora's contributions to Jupers & Jazz events which are held in July.

Some items on the agenda are:

- Tree Decoration
- "Ladies Who Lunch" gathering
- Discussions around "Mary Poppins" links to Allora
- Signage

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- Art/Photographic Exhibition
- Your suggestions for the above and future events

Discussions will concentrate on how we can work together to support community group events which can only bring social, historical and artistic benefit to Allora Come along to ALLORA SENIOR CITIZENS HALL from 5.15pm to 6.30pm, on TUESDAY, 25th FEBRUARY, to offer your suggestions.

### • SOLUTIONS •

THIS WEEK'S **SUDOKU** SOLUTION

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### **CSIRO DOUBLE HELIX QUIZ ANSWERS**

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### **ALLORA SOCIAL BOWLS NOTES**

Confession by your scribe - I am guilty of conduct derogatory to the

character of a lady and prejudicial to the interests of the club. I know that I may have to appear before the Controlling Body to be reprimanded or (aghast) expelled. I swore very loudly while play was in progress - not becoming of a lady, I did not wear my long-sleeved white dress of three-quarter (mi-calf) length, white flat rubber-soled shoes and white stockings, white hat with closed crown - I wore my blue knickerbockers and a (aghast) lime green top and no stockings and no hat! Surely my punishment can be that I am sitting here at 2.32am trying to write up the s.b. a.s.b. notes.

Great news Kelsey is now Manager Captain of the Door Mats. Now she can politely advise Moley what he can and can't do. Hey Kels, tell him that no player shall be allowed to smoke on the Green during the progress of the game (that's a rule). Talking of Door Mats, not sure about their skip, he smashed my beautiful head several times during play and then bragged about his win to his mate.

Did everybody see the progressive scores. Honda Hawks and the Old Boys are tying for first place and the rest of the teams are straggling behind. I don't think anybody gives a hoot, they just love to play bowls and have some fun.

Thank you to Simon. Justin and Alanna for making up the True Value team and John C and Craig for filling in for missing players. Greg is so happy and relaxed when all the teams turn up with all their players. This week Melissa Willett and Justin Briggs were back to play for the Lawn Grubs.

Spotto segment won this week by "Tally Ho". He was spotted sitting up on the wire pooping in Chris Brown's beer! Heard Chris muttering under his breath about the b.b.

Rule to note - Grounds for disqualification - If a player changes bowls during the course of the game Would someone tell John Wright to play with his own chosen bowls and not keep taking mine!

This week we thank Darren and Nikki for contributing the prize for the first toucher of the night. Barry Donegan won the first \$5.00 prize. The chocolates donated by Gary Evans were won by Big Kev, Lorraine, Justin, Paddo, Mal and Kelsey. Congratulations

Congratulations to the raffle prize winners, Chris Lawler (6 Pack); Alanna O (Railway Hotel pizza); Gary Evans (Bottle Port); Bec Bolzen (Fruit Tray); Greg Polzer (Team Trophy); Ashley Brown won the chance to cut the cards for the Jackpot prize of \$20 but was not lucky. Jackpot \$40 next week. Thank you to Lorraine's Café, Wilson & Rigby & Swimming Pool for prize.

Team Engel on rink three were the winners on the night and the new True Value team on rink five were the winning losers. Thank you to everybody who supports the club by buying raffle tickets each week. Great to see a Darts Club member winning a prize. Thank you to all the people who assist with the running of the games, raffle, bar and preparing the green. Thank to Paddo for all he does for the Allora Bowls Club.

DOES ANYONE HAVE A SET OF BOWLS SITTING IDLE AND COULD DONATE THEM TO THE SPORTS CLUB? IT WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED

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### Allora Championship Dog Show -

At Allora Kennel Club's Championship Show on Sunday, 9/02/2014 over 500 dogs came from far and wide to compete and enjoy the day.

**LEFT** - This young American Cocker Spaniel was entered in Baby Puppy Dog class at the show, as he is only three and a half months old. He is Trishael Smooth Talker, otherwise known as "Orlando", and shown here with his owner, Jacki Frost. of Lowood.

ABOVE - Dobermann "Maddie" (Salieri Madison Avenue) looking happy to be competing in Group Six at the show, for her proud owner/breeders, Vicki and Michael Yates from Chambers Flat.

Photos courtesy Joan Wylde

### Allora Darts Club Competition -

Allora Darts Club members, Warren Young and Kevin Bowen along with non-playing captain Cheryl Bowen visited the Sports Club last week to advise that a winter darts competition will commence on Tuesday, 11th March at the Allora Sports Club. Teams of a minimum of 4 and maximum of 6 players can nominate by 25th February. Any bowlers wishing to join the darts competition during the off season are invited to form a team. See Sports Club Notice Board for further details.

### Allora Oval to Host Pink Stumps Day

Allora Pink Stumps Day event organiser & breast care nurse Athaline Mulhall is hoping to see a big crowd at the Allora Cricket Oval on Saturday, contributing to the local efforts in fundraising for the McGrath Foundation while being treated to some eye catching cricket action.

Allora will join communities right across Australia when they don pink on Saturday, to support the McGrath Foundation. Funds raised ensure that every family in Australia experiencing breast cancer has access to a breast care nurse, no matter where they live or their financial situation.

By hosting a Pink Stumps Day, the Allora community is helping to make a difference to the lives of families experiencing breast cancer in Australia.

The cricket action will commence at 12.00 noon with a ladies match, the pretty in pink 'Warwick Hospital' verses the 'Allora Beauties', a fearsome challenge to get the day underway.

Following on at 2.00 pm we will see an Allora Cricket Club side take on the fearless might of the 'Allora District Old Blokes', a clash that will highlight stunning athleticism.

After the thrills and spills of the cricket is over, everyone can enjoy some great live entertainment from the end of the second cricket match while people lay back in their chairs and enjoy the beautiful Allora evening. Aside from the two big matches, the afternoon is activity rich with kid's cricket, face painting and jumping castle, all free. Patrons can also enjoy bar facilities, hot delicious food, raffles and an auction.

Athaline is most impressed with the amazing support for Allora's Pink Stumps Day, "even before a boundary is hit we have \$1066.00 in donations online." You can donate right now if you wish, "We're asking our friends, family, and colleagues to help us raise as much as we can" said Athaline & Ray. "It's so simple, just visit Allora's own Pink Stumps site at http://pinkstumpsday2014. gofundraise.com.au/page/Allorapinkstumpsday#.UvgHd1BC-yk.facebook Additional to the big day at the Allora Cricket Oval, a second Warwick Cricket



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Association T20 Game has been scheduled for this Saturday further assisting fundraising for the McGrath Foundation.

Think Pink everyone, the Allora Cricket Oval gates open at 12.00 noon and entry is free.

For further information contact Athaline or Ray on 4666 6293.

Glyn Rees