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THURSDAY, 9th APRIL 2015

National Youth Week forum asks - what's important to you as a young person?

Young people from across the Southern Downs are invited to participate in the Southern Downs Youth Engagement Forum to voice their opinions about services, employment, education and other topics on April 10 at the Warwick Town Hall.

Southern Downs Regional Council Youth Development Officer Hailey Cosh said the forum was one of the highlights of National Youth Week (April 10 - 19) and gave young people the

opportunity to be heard.

"We encourage young people to come together and discuss the issues for young people in the Southern Downs and learn the processes to address these issues within their community. "Council is asking those interested to register by 5pm Tuesday April 7 to ensure we get the most out of the forum.

"This forum is very much about giving young people the skills to be responsible for making the most of the opportunities in their community, respecting others and voicing their opinions constructively on issues that matter to them.

"Added to this young people have the opportunity to find their place in society so they can engage with and participate in civic and community life," she said.

Ms Cosh said Council, SDIEA (Southern Downs Industry Education Association), and headspace Warwick have partnered to present National Youth Week and locals will find that April 10 to 19 will be jam-packed with events.

"We're really pleased with this year's Calendar of Events which has a huge variety of activities including the youth engagement forum, movie nights, pool party, laser skirmish and concerts in Stanthorpe and Warwick.

"The calendar is on the Council website at www.sdrc.qld.gov. au," she said.

Ms Cosh said the theme for Youth Week is 'It starts with us' and Southern Downs' young people are taking this idea and "running with it".

Council's partners and supporters for Youth Week are Warwick Indoor Recreation and Aquatic Centre YMCA (WIRAC YMCA), Warwick Twin Cinema, CDS (Community

Development Services) Stanthorpe, Soular Music Services, Gold Drum DJ's and Events and Emergency Services.

For further enquiries please call Hailey Cosh SDRC Youth Development Officer on 1300 MY SDRC (1300 697 372), and SDIEA 4666 9218, and headspace Warwick 4661 1999.



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Persons considering submitting an application may apply for the role(s) of Chairperson and/or Director. To view the full Expression of Interest or obtain an information package, visit www.sdrc.qld. gov.au or email laurine.king@sdrc.qld.gov.au. Other enquires may be directed to David Keenan, Chief Executive Officer, Southern Downs Regional Council (07) 4661 0351.

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#### Letter to the Editor...

Dear Editor.

Allora Days For Girls recently conducted a raffle to raise funds to purchase materials to make hygiene kits for girls, both in Australia and the poorer countries overseas. I approached most of the business houses in Allora, asking if they would buy tickets in this raffle, and was completely overwhelmed by the interest and response I received.

I personally, together with the Allora Days For Girls Group, sincerely wish to thank the Allora Business people for their generosity to us, as I know that many charities and organisations are helped by them.

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Cathie Wilson Allora Days For Girls

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#### on Day of Celebrations Luke Duggan's 'National Farmers Warehouse' Wattles first grade outfit are chomping at the bit to claim their second issue of premiership points when they clash with the Southern

Suburbs 'Tigers' at Platz Oval on Saturday. The 2014 Toowoomba Rugby League 'A' Grade Premiers posted their first win of the 2015 season when they came from behind to overtake the Warwick 'Cowboys' 32 - 24 in the TRL's Southern Downs local derby on March 29th at Warwick's Father Ranger Oval. The win was a welcome form reversal for the injury racked 'Warriors', who hadn't tasted success in the new season.

Having halfback Matt Duggan on the field has added another dimension to the 'Warriors' attacking game. Duggan, the 2013 & 2014 Toowoomba Rugby League Player of the Year, tore a hamstring muscle in pre-season training and played his first game of the year in the win over Warwick.

The strong whisper around the traps is that former Toowoomba representative back backline after being absent with a rib injury since the Barrett Family Shield pre-season

Wilson is a very damaging runner with speed to burn and will

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Brenden Wilson will take his place in Wattles Wattles Junior Vice-President Tim Hentschel was named the Wattles Rugby League Football Club Captain for the 2015 season, with Wattles Life Member & Vice President Don Scheid making the announcement and presentations at Platz Oval on March 22nd.

be a potent weapon outside Matt Duggan and classy five-eight

back Joel Koina to the centres from fullback and slotting the speed sensation Corey Blades in the as Wattles last line. Koina is a proven match winner well at home in the centres, and the move will allow Blades to pick and choose where he launches

The 'Warriors' pack is becoming settled line-up wise, and taking on the look of a formidable unit. Young 18 year old front rower Harry Fulwood made a blazing premiership debut in the 'Warriors' last outing, a player with a future in the green & gold colours, who will be among those leading his team's forward

This Saturday will take on a carnival feel at Wattles home ground Platz Oval, aside from the Southern Suburbs side's taking on the home team, it is also the annual Wattles 'Ladies Day' sponsored by 'My Midwives' of Toowoomba and Proud's Jewellers of Warwick, a celebration that honours the tremendous support, dedication and achievements of the 'Warriors' lady volunteers.

Coach Luke Duggan is looking at moving outstanding outside **DISCOVER THE ADVANTAGES** 

himself into the Wattles attack.

charge against the 'Tigers'.

#### ?? CSIRO Double Helix Quiz ??

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- 4. In which country were the fossils of the minmi dinosaur found?
- 5. What are the properties of a scalene triangle?

Answers in Classifieds pages

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Newly crowned Wattles Rugby League Club 2015 Ambassador Alanna Frizzell was sashed and presented with a bouquet at Platz Oval on March 22nd by 2014 Ambassador Tarla Brennan.

The 'Ladies Day' marguee will open 3.20 pm as the 'Warriors' verses 'Tigers' Under 18 match kicks off. Ladies can enjoy finger food, wine and a bar operating, with entertainment by popular singing artist Susie Colley commencing at 6.30pm. The afternoon will also see a massive multi draw raffle operating with some amazing prizes to be won!

As part of the Wattles 50th Year celebrations a major event on Saturday is "A Golden Anniversary of Warrior Women", a reunion of the 'Warriors' Princesses & Ambassadors with inaugural Princess of 1969 Ann Gleeson (nee Cowley), a

Gates open at Platz Oval on Saturday at 2.00 pm, with the Under 18 match under way at 3.20 pm, Reserve Grade at 4.45 pm and A Grade at 6.10 pm.

Wattles 'National Farmer's Warehouse' First Grade side: 1. Corey Blades, 2. Jimmy Johnson, 3. Brenden Wilson, 4. Joel



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Charley, a new retiree greeter at Walmart, just couldn't seem to get to work on time. Every day he was 5, 10, sometimes 15 minutes late. But he was a good worker. really tidy, clean shaven, sharp minded and a real credit to the company and obviously demonstrating their "Older Person Friendly" policies.

One day the boss was in a real quandary about how to deal with it. Finally, he called him into the office for a talk

"Charley, I have to tell you, I like your work ethic, you do a bang up job, but your being late so often is quite bothersome."

"Yes, I know boss, and I am working on it."

"Well good, you are a team player. That's what I like to hear. It's odd though, your coming in late. I know you're retired from the Armed Forces. What did they say if you came in late there?"

"They said, 'Good morning, General. Tea or coffee this morning, sir?'



Koina, 5. Robbie Moore, 6. Brodie Ciesiolka, 7. Matt Duggan, 8. Aaron Scheid, 9. Michael Duggan, 10. Glen McMillan, 11. Jason Bradfield, 12. Brod Koina, 13. Harry Fulwood, 14. Jarred Bradfield, 15. Mark Gordon, 16. Cameron Moodie, 17. Nathan

Match Day Sponsors for Wattles amazing celebrations and Toowoomba Rugby League Round 4 matches on Saturday is electrical contractors to the Central & Southern Downs 'Willett Electrical' of Allora.

Glyn Rees

#### **ALLORA'S ANZACS REMEMBERED:** A project by the Allora Historical Society

HERBERT SAMUEL SLATTER

- His name appears twice on the WW1 Memorial

Herbert Samuel Slatter known as Oscar, came home from the war but he came home an invalid. Herbert was severely wounded and gassed in France. He was interviewed on the special train transporting returned heroes home. He was an Allora boy but lived in Brisbane with his wife and child. The train stopped at Hendon railway station where his parents and sister met him. As reported in the "Guardian", Herbert was reclining on a comfortable bed made of cushions. He was the first cot case to be interviewed. Herbert was pleased to be back in Queensland despite his serious injury and he said with a twinkle in his eye "You know there are some who will never come back, so why should I be disheartened".

Herbert enlisted for active service in Brisbane on 22nd November 1915. Four months later he embarked from Sydney aboard H.M.A.T. "Star of Victoria" attached to 47th Battalion. After spending some time in Egypt, the battalion went to France in June 1916. The 47th Battalion was involved in a great deal of fighting for a period of twelve months. On 17th June 1917, Herbert was wounded in action during battle for Messines. He



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was struck in the hip by a shell. Herbert returned to England where he had surgery to remove bone fragments and removal of his damaged hip joint. Herbert's disability was deemed to be caused in action, on field service and on duty. He was formally discharged as permanently unfit and was returned to Australia. Herbert did return to Allora. In August 1918 he was given a small reception at the Royal Hotel. It was not possible to hold a proper reception and the Reception Committee felt that it would be a long time before they would see Pte. Slatter in Allora again. Several speakers at the gathering expressed pleasure that Herbert was back and that they were proud of him and referred to the patriotism of the Slatter family having two brothers at the front. He was presented with a pipe and tobacco pouch. In response, Herbert rose on his crutches to



Allora's Past 25 years ago April

#### **Junior Cricket**

The Allora-Clifton Junior cricketers held their presentation of trophies at the Allora Health and Fitness Centre following soft drinks and chips and a game of indoor cricket. Coach, Jeff Bell, and President, Peter Pierce, presented the trophies to the Back Plains Under 12 representative players: Best batsman, Peter Rumball; Best bowler, Anthony Mason; Best allrounder, Matthew Pierce; Best fieldsman, Dean Haig. Other award winners were: Best first year player, Andrew Pierce; Most improved, Kevin Birse; Player with most potential, Matthew Hinrichsen; Most



Dr. Francis Pain

conscientious player, Scott Sparksman. The boys presented Jeff Bell with a signed Greg Chappell hat for his help throughout the year.

Allora's Past 50 years ago April 1965

#### SHIRE OF ALLORA **BENEFITTED AREA ALLORA WATER SUPPLY**

I hereby notify that a poll will be taken at the Shire Hall, Warwick Street, Allora, on Saturday the tenth day of April, 1965, on the question whether fluoride shall be added to the Allora Water Supply at the rate of eight tenths part of fluoride to one million parts of water.

**VOTING IS COMPULSORY** Lex Ellwood, Returning Officer.

Allora's Past 75 years ago April 1940

#### Football at Kalbar

Arrangements have been completed for matches against Allora and two teams are expected to make the trip. To take advantage of seeing the Kalbar agricultural show, the Allora teams have arranged for return matches on the day following the show.

Allora's Past 100 years ago April 1915

#### **Healthy Allora**

In an interview with a "Daily Mail" reporter, Dr. Francis Pain of Allora stated "It is manifest that a medical man will never make a fortune in Allora for the town and district are far too healthy to permit it. I've been here about 28 years, and coming as I did from a colliery centre in the north of

England, the contrast struck me immediately on my arrival. This is a wonderfully healthy spot, and the extremes of temperature in the winter are. I am sure, of great benefit to the community. You must have noticed what a fine stamp of people we have here, and how vigorous and fresh the youngsters look? Our death rate is remarkably low only 7 ½ per thousand - whereas 17 is accounted for in the old country. Another important point which I would like to mention is that there are plenty of babies in the district, and there does not appear to be the slightest suspicion of any effort being made to check the natural birth-

(Dr. Pain retired from Allora in August 1920 having been the town and district's doctor for 33 years)

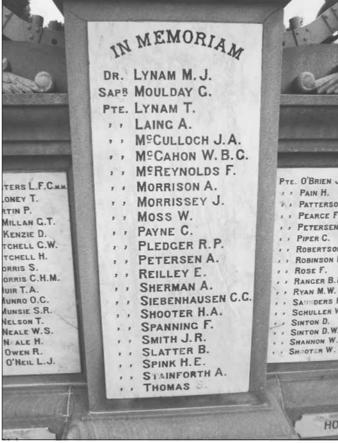
Allora's Past 125 years ago April 1890

#### **Fatal Accident**

A fatal accident occurred at Hendon early yesterday morning to a man named Job Collins, a son of one of the Allora selectors. He had attended the Hendon Sports, and remained for a ball held that night. His own horse had broken loose, and it is stated that, while under the influence of drink, he took a horse of another person, and in returning home, must have ridden at full speed against a wire fence. His dead body was discovered about 5 in the morning, he evidently having been shot out of the saddle a distance of 15 feet. An inquiry was held and Dr. Pain deposed that death resulted from a dislocation of the neck. He was interred today.

(Ipswich Times 10th April 1890)

Colin Newport



The Allora WW I memorial shows the name of Private Herbert (Bert) Slatter who enlisted as Private Herbert Slater

thank the gathering and to say he had not done more than his

Herbert Statter died of the effect of his wounds on 22nd May 1919 at Kangaroo Point Military Hospital. He had been under almost continuous medical attention since he was badly wounded in the fighting at Messines, Bullecourt and Lagnicourt in France. His obituary reads "....and nothing but his high spirit and innate gameness enabled him to hold out so long against his many troubles".

Although Herbert Samuel Slatter's nickname was Oscar, his family called him Bert. B. Slatter is among the 47 names of servicemen who died during the Great War, etched on the Allora Shire War Memorial Honour Roll. H.S. Slatter is listed on the 'In Memorium' list on the Memorial. The Memorial was unveiled on Armistice Day 1921. Parents and friends of those who served in the Great War were asked to submit names to be included on the Memorial.

At a meeting of the Allora War Memorial Committee held after the unveiling, the Secretary reported that they had difficulty in compiling the list owing to the tardiness of folk in returning information or answering the advertisement. 210 names were put forward. The Reverend Lapthorne, Secretary (himself a returned serviceman) said that it may be that one or two names are wrongly included and there may be some who are left out, the Committee had done their best and had kept submissions open for a period of six months.

Herbert (Bert) Slatter was one of twelve children born to Thomas and Emma Slatter. Thomas and Emma were married in the Parish Church, Watlington, Oxford on 13th October 1872. The oldest Annie was born in England. Thomas and Emma had three sons and six grandsons serve overseas during WW1. Their sons, Sydney Charles enlisted 7th August 1915 and Richard George Belson known as Snowy enlisted on 13th March 1916. Grandson F.T. "Bruiser", Slatter a well known figure in the boxing ring enlisted in January 1916.

Apart from the World War 1 records and the newspaper articles from the "Allora Guardian' nothing is known of Herbert Samuel Slatter. He signed his attestment papers as H S Slater.

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## **Events Calendar**

April -					
Sat 11	Wattles v S.Suburbs - Golden Anniversary of Warrior Women - Wattles Annual Ladies Day				
	Platz Oval, Clifton				
Sat 25	A Brown Slouch Hat & The Rising Sun 100th Anniversary Gallipoli Concert				

& Sun 26 Allora Community Hall Sat 25 Allora Mens Shed Meeting

Allora Mens Shed (old fire station), 9.00am

May -

Sat 2 Allora Scope Club Annual Fundraiser Afternoon Tea Allora Community Hall, 1.30pm

Fri 8 Allora QCWA International Day: English Midlands Uniting Church Hall, 1.30pm

Fri 8 Cent Sale - Victoria Hill Hall Fundraiser Victoria Hill Hall, 7.00pm

Sat 9 Allora Doctor Who Club Local Group

Allora QCWA Rooms, 11,00am

Sun 10 Mother's Day Long Lunch - Norma O'Hara Murphy Allora Sports Club, 11.00am, lunch from 12.00 noon

Fri 29 St.Patrick's School Trivia Night

Allora Community Hall

Golf/Bowls Fun Day - Great Endeavour Rally Sat 30 Allora Sports Club

Sat 30 Allora Mens Shed Meeting

Allora Mens Shed (old fire station), 9.00am

June -Sat 13

St. David's Guild June Afternoon Sat 27 Allora Mens Shed Meeting

Allora Mens Shed (old fire station), 9.00am

July -Sat 4

Wattles v Warwick Platz Oval. Clifton

Sat 25 Allora Mens Shed Meeting

Allora Mens Shed (old fire station), 9.00am

August -

Sat 29 Wattles v Pittsworth Platz Oval. Clifton

Allora Mens Shed Meeting

Allora Mens Shed (old fire station), 9.00am

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If people wish to contact The Allora Advertiser and discuss their particular needs, please feel free to do so. Ph 4666 3128.



#### Youth Week disaster games a first for the region

In a first for the Southern Downs region, young people will learn disaster skills from local emergency service personnel and then put their new talents to use in an event called the Youth Disaster Games on April 17 and 18 at Warwick Showgrounds. Southern Downs Regional Council Youth Development Officer Hailey Cosh said the new initiative was part of Council's National Youth Week (April 10 - 19) and would be an exciting event with young people challenging themselves physically, mentally and emotionally.

"We've had great support from local emergency services for the idea with QLD Police Service (QPS). State Emergency Service (SES), QLD Fire and Emergency Service (AFES), Rural Fire Service QLD (RFSQ) and QLD Ambulance Service (QAS) all keen to work with young people and give them a taste of what it's like to be on the frontline of a local disaster.

"The participants will learn skills and confidence to respond effectively in a natural disaster, at an emergency scene and working as an individual or with a team.

"This event may even prompt some young people to think about a career in the emergency services and I'm sure our local personnel would be happy to give advice about career pathways and training

"We're encouraging young people interested to please register for the games event by Tuesday April 7," she said.

Ms Cosh said National Youth Week was a great opportunity for young people to participate in events, be active in their communities and raise the profile of youth issues. Southern Downs Regional Council, SDIEA (Southern Downs Industry Education Association), and headspace Warwick have partnered to stage National Youth Week events for 2015.

"The theme for this year is 'It starts with us' and our local young people support the drive to make things happen for local youth and for the region.

"We're really pleased with this year's Calendar of Events which has a huge variety of activities including the youth engagement forum, movie nights, pool party, laser skirmish and concerts in Stanthorpe and Warwick.

"The calendar is on the Council website at www.sdrc.gld.gov. au." she said.

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#### Southern Downs' residents can now access "OneClick Digital" at libraries

Southern Downs Regional Council libraries have increased their online resources with the launch of two new digital services available free to library members.

Principal Librarian Samantha Shelbourn said library users will be pleased to hear about OneClick Digital that offers patrons access to ebooks and audiobooks that can be downloaded to their own device.

"The digital platform means users can access popular fiction." non-fiction and children's books, with new titles being added

"Another resource is Lynda.com which is a web-based learning program focusing on digital technology. It offers over 3000 courses and 130,000 video tutorials in fields such as software. web design, photography, business skills and social media.

"Access to Lynda.com has been made available to public libraries through the auspices of the State Library of Queensland. "Both of these services are available 24/7 via the library catalogue at www.sdrc.qld.gov.au. "Library users will need their library membership card to access the services, and can then register their chosen user name and password.

"These new services ioin those already provided including online magazines, language courses, classic ebooks and a wide range of general and specialist continuing education

"Our libraries now also have access to a wider range of newspapers, including Queensland Country Life, Sydney Morning Herald and Melbourne Age that are available to be read in the library on iPad and tablet.

"Online technology is changing all the time, offering more and more diversity of information. Our libraries are keeping up with these changes to ensure library users get the most from our services," she said.

Please visit or call your local branch library to find out more about these exciting new services - Warwick Library (49 Albion Street, Warwick, ph 4661 0342), Stanthorpe Library (56 Lock Street, Stanthorpe, ph 4681 2141) and Allora Library (78 Herbert Street, Allora, ph 4666 3742).



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#### Allora Golf Notes

Last Friday saw 19 players hit off in the Duck Run, including visitors from NSW who enjoyed a round with one

of our newer members Chris Bradley. The visitors commented on the outstanding condition of the golf course and what a challenge the nine holes were. Winner on the day with an unbelievable 24 stableford points was Rod Simpson. Unfortunately Rod could not hang around for the presentation as he was on babysitting duties. Runner-up was Kev Harrison on 23 points on a count-back from John Ellwood. Kev went around in a pretty handy one under par. Balls were won by John and Keelan. Pin shot on the 16th was won by Kev.

With the long weekend and threatening weather conditions, only 8 golfers showed up on Sunday so it was decided to have a social hit with a four man ambrose event. The teams were tied on five under par at the end of the day, after Jack chipped in for a birdie on the 18th (this was after he said that he couldn't see the hole)

Next Sunday is the Railway Hotel Monthly Mug and also the first round of the Pennants season.

Golfers please note that the club has arranged a Mother's Day Long Lunch on Sunday 10th May starting at 11.00 AM with the meal served from midday. A gourmet three course lunch will be complemented with live music by Norma O'Hara Murphy and the Redland Bay Bluegrass Boyz. If you hit off early you can then enjoy a nice lunch with your Mum or your partner (or both). For bookings call Wendy on 0437 342 870.

#### **Sports Star Award**

Lyn Wright has been awarded the Allora Sports Club Sports Star Award for 2014. In bestowing the award at night bowls on Tuesday, club patron Greg Patterson spoke of Lyn's dedication to the success of night bowls in Allora. Greg said that Lvn arrives early on bowls nights to register players etc and works during the evening to keep things moving along. Greg went on to say that where Lyn's performance is outstanding, is the way that she writes up the bowls notes each week, with her witty, informative, encouraging and at times slightly risqué style of writing. There is no doubt that Lyn is a driving force behind the renaissance of night bowls in Allora. Lvn is pictured receiving her award from Greg, together with a set of Allora Bowls Club crockery that the Sports Club is donating to the Historical

LEFT: Lyn Wright and Greg Patterson



#### **Allora Bowls Club Notes**

Week Twelve - May I indulge this week. Last night (Tuesday 7th) I was awarded the Sports

Star of the 2014 Year. I would like to record my sincere thanks to the Allora Sports Club Committee and to their Patron Greg (Paddo) Patterson for giving me that honour. I joined the Allora Bowls Club a couple of years ago when Greg was trying to hold the club together. The Club was down to half a dozen players. We had to pitch in and keep the Bowl's Club from folding. We owed that to the members over the last 80 years who had given their time and effort to create a great sporting facility. I dedicate my Sports Star of the Year to my Mum, Jean Newport, who was a very keen and valuable Bowls Club member until she was 90 years old. Mum was never honoured with any Club awards so I share my award with her.

I accept on behalf of the Allora Historical Society a set of crockery items from the Allora Sports Club. These pieces have the monogram of the Allora Bowls Club. Thank you to the Sports Club for your donation.

Have to report that we again had an abundance of willing players. Easy to see that Paddo is back. He had to replace a whole team again. Great to see the ring-in M & Ms (Chub. Trevor and Dan) win the Runners-up prize. This week's winners were Team Engel who only beat the Doormats by two (16-14). Kabel who was in great form was joined by Elice and Mark to play for Doormats this week.

It was actually very quiet during play. None of the usual banter and friendly sledging. With the competition ending next week all the teams concentrated on going out winners. UQs tried hard to keep up their winning form but were hampered by the 'fall' in that damn Rink 7 (that's our excuse). Have to admit that Russell, John Henry and Rex (Men's Shed) played some great bowls. They did have an early hiccup when no one wanted to play skip but Rex with his 'pick-up' stick did the job. Score was

Peter Collis's name came up several times, winning the \$5.00 first toucher, a raffle prize and a toucher chocolate. There was a race to grab the four Evans Drilling chocolates left. Mike, Paul, Chubb and Jim beat Chris Lawlor who has to wait till next week now.

Make a note for Tuesday 14th - Sausage Sizzle at 6pm followed by bowls at 7pm; Sports Club Membership draw \$250.00 will be won; Jackpot \$60.00 will be won; Raffle of sandstone stool will be drawn; Entertainment by Nev & Donna; Spider Competition; Team Trophys by Bindartins & Doormats Allora Night Bowls sponsored by Allora Sports Club, Railway Hotel, True Value Hardware, Paul Parker Painter, Bolzen Sands, Swimming Pool, Foodworks, Gary Evans Drilling and Darren Powell.

Lyn Wright, Scribe

#### • ANNOUNCEMENTS •

#### With Sympathy...

The Committee of the Allora Regional Sports Museum extends their deepest sympathy to Museum Secretary Glyn, Wendy and family on the loss of Glyn's Dear Dad, BRIAN REES.

#### In Memoriam -

In Loving Memory of LEO JOHN CRONIN, passed away 10/04/2009.

> Those you love don't go away, They walk beside you every day, Unseen, unheard, but always near, Still loved, still missed, and very dear.

Sadly missed by Perry, Lynette, Cassie, Ross, Molly and Mahailia

#### **Funeral Notice**

REES, Brian Thomas - Late of New Auckland Place Retirement Home-Gladstone & Beak Street, Gladstone passed away with family at the Gladstone Base Hospital on the 2nd April 2015, aged 79 years.

Beloved Husband of Betty (Dec). Dearly loved Father and Father-inlaw of Glyn & Wendy, Michael (Dec), Shelley, Gary & Kylie. Loving Grandad of Jessica & Darren, Chris & Kylie, Carly & Tom, Jeffrey & Jessica, Michael, Mitchell & Rachel. Great Grandad to Codie, Matilda, Blake & Kobe and Loved Brother of Glyn (Dec), Ian (Dec), John, Jenny & Noeline.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Brian's Funeral, to be held at Boyne Island Cemetery & Crematorium, Pioneer Drive, Boyne Island. Service commencing at 10.00am Friday, 10th April 2015.

> "Allora district & Wattles' Loyalist" "At Peace In God's Care" Valley Funerals, Gladstone

#### • CHURCH NOTICES •

#### Scots Presbyterian Church - Allora

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

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## • PUBLIC NOTICES •

DAYS FOR GIRLS RAFFLE RESULTS - Thank you to all who supported our raffle, WINNERS - Quilt: Kvm Ruffles; Cushions: Debbie Samon; Crocheted rug: Marilyn Harrigan; Bottle of wine: Max Phelan; Easter basket: Kev Meara. REMINDER: Packing Day, 16th April, Mary Mckillop House from 9.00 am.



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