

Keith 'K.O. Masters' to be honoured

The Allora Cricket Club are organising to take a significant step in recognising one of their favourite sons and the only Life Member of the Club reformed in 2006. The tranquil Allora Cricket Ground, the venue for so many white flannelled battles over so many decades will be officially named the 'Keith (K. O.) Masters Memorial Oval'.

The official naming will occur on Sunday October 25th at the Allora Cricket Grounds where Keith's widow Mrs. Maureen Masters will unveil the sign announcing the cricket oval's new title. The official naming will be followed by a 20/20 cricket match between a Masters family Invitational side and the Allora Cricket Club.

Allora community members are invited to the naming ceremony and the following celebrations that recognise the tremendous contribution made by Keith Masters to the sport of cricket locally and across the Darling Downs.

A well respected and instantly recognised gentleman in the Allora community, and throughout much of the wider area, Keith Masters passed away aged 84 on September 14th, 2013, after a lengthy period of illness. Keith, popularly known as 'K.O.' has many family members in the Allora area, being a father, Grandfather & Great Grandfather.

Since the reforming of the Allora Cricket Club, Keith was a regular at the Allora Oval for weekend fixtures with his remarkable wit and amazing knowledge of the game of cricket. He himself played countless games over his sporting life at the Allora Oval.

He was a long serving Patron of the Warwick Cricket Association until his passing, a Life Member of the Eastern Downs Cricket Association (Toowoomba, Warwick etc), an organisation he presided over for many years, a delegate to the Queensland Country Cricket Association and is the only Life Member of the reformed Allora Cricket Club.

In his younger years he loved playing sport around the district. His sports were cricket of course, hockey and tennis, gifted at all of them, but his great love was cricket. He was an outstanding batsman, and excellent wicketkeeper, and was a member of Allora, Warwick and Toowoomba representative teams, and led Allora to three premiership wins as captain.

After his playing years he became a highly regarded umpire. On one occasion, he was selected in a composite representative cricket side that played against a team that contained Richie Benaud (later Aust. Captain) Ray Lindwall, the feared Test fast bowler, Arthur Morris the great left-handed opening batsman for Australia, Jim Bourke also an Australian Test player and Tom Brook NSW representative bowler and later a famous Test



Legendary Allora cricket identity, the late Keith Masters.

umpire.

A lifelong resident of Allora, Keith also contributed so willingly to other Allora community groups and organisations.

Inquiries regarding the event should be directed to Glyn Rees (0400 811 093) or Mrs. Shannon Masters (0408 731 794).

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Letters to the Editor...

To the Editor,

For those people who supported the 11.00am meeting on 29/09/2015 for the group vs. GrainX, I wish to thank those who did. Also thank you to the R.S.L. Allora for opening their room for the meetings. I also would like to thank Lyn Collie for chairing the meeting.

Those that did not attend and are interested in what the ongoing group's intentions are, and are willing to support this group can find more information on the Facebook page or contact Lyn herself through her email lynnjcollie@gmail.com.

The Memorandum of Understanding that council has adopted is a procedure. This has not deterred this group and we are hoping for a better result than what is already in place.

This resident will be again writing to council expressing concerns for the operation of industrial businesses in residential area.

Name supplied

Dear Editor,

The Southern Downs Regional Council's C.E.O. David Keenan sees his solution to Allora's GrainX problems as having an urgent need to form a committee! Not for long mind you, but twelve months should be just about right! It is not real smart of him to not realise the next council elections are less than twelve months away and hopefully common sense will replace his committee!

Perhaps serendipity might come upon him to make the lucky discovery that rate payers are not fools and deeply resent his stalling tactics to aid GrainX, while they choke on the dust! However next door neighbours should listen carefully for over and above the noise a Seekers song can be heard as GrainX's anthem "We shall not, we shall not be moved".

Melba Morris

New nbn satellite to close digital divide

Better broadband for Australians living in rural and remote areas is a step closer with the launch of the first of nbn's two world-class communication satellites.

nbn's Sky Muster satellite blasted off from the Guiana Space Centre in French Guiana on 1st October, heading for its orbital

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nbn's high-capacity satellites will ultimately cover more than 400,000 homes and businesses, providing wholesale speeds of up to 25 Megabits per second (Mbps) download and 5 Mbps upload across Australia and its remote territories.

The nbn satellite service will help to bridge the digital divide between Australia's cities and regions and is a key part of the Government's plan to make sure Australians who need it most have access to better broadband.

The launch of Sky Muster is a huge achievement for nbn and its partners and a critical step in bringing the nbn to Australians no matter where they live.

The second satellite will be launched early next year and user connections will be available in the first half of 2016 following a period of equipment testing and customer trials.

nbn will now carry out testing on the new satellite and work with

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The designing, building and launching of Sky Muster was a huge multi-national effort involving teams at nbn, Arianespace, SSL, ViaSat, Optus and Ericsson.

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Rose & Rodeo Parade entries now open

A key aspect of the Rose & Rodeo Festival is the lively Warwick Credit Union Street Parade - one of the major festival drawcards.

In celebration of the Australian Professional Rodeo Association's National Finals Rodeo, this year's parade has taken on a theme aligning with the Queens Quest, of "Fireflies & Western Skies".

Destination Southern Downs' Mikey Dwan said that after last year's "Black and white and read all over" theme, which had participants cracking the odd joke about what's black and white and read all over, the team had to come up with an idea that had multiple opportunities for schools, community groups and businesses to theme their entries.

"The theme will give participants scope to create floats and displays around the ever changing colours of our Southern Downs skies, and the brilliance of our fireflies, of course rodeo or indeed anything that fires up their imagination."

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BAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

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"That it is," Johnny replied grimly, "ever since I arrested the judge on his way to the fancy dress ball."

"You mean you pinched his honor?" asked Pat.

"How was I to know that his convict suit was only a costume?" demanded Johnny.

"Well," mused Pat, "'tis life and there's a lesson in this somewhere."

"That there is," replied Johnny. "'Tis wise never to book a judge by his cover."

multitude of colours, characters, rhythms, floats and plenty of handsome horses on show.

"It's brilliant that schools, organisations and hobby and service groups in our community use the parade as a platform to showcase themselves and the diversity and excellence of this region," Mr Dwan said.

"We are also very lucky to have long-term sponsors like the Warwick Credit Union throw their support behind the parade with some impressive trophies and cash on offer for the winners."

Mr Dwan urged the community to come along and cheer on parade participants. The parade starts at noon on Saturday 24th October, with good vantage points all along the Palmerin Street route.

Warwick Credit Union Street Parade registrations are now open with forms available from the Warwick Visitor Information Centre or contact Destination Southern Downs on 4661 9073 or admin@destinationsouthern Downs.com.au for more information.

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years old, his father drowned in Dalrymple Creek. William was aged seventy-one years, and had a history of depression. Mary worked as a domestic to support her two youngest children. After her husband died, Mary resided at their Warwick Street home and remarried E. H. Gregory.

Three Thomas brothers enlisted for active service. Charles Arthur enlisted in 1915 and became a driver with 'B' Company 49th Battalion. He served at Gallipoli and in France. Henry Joseph enlisted in Marrickville, New South Wales, and served as driver with the 27th Coy ASC. Seth enlisted in Toowoomba at the Darling Downs Central Recruiting Depot. He was nineteen years old and working as a labourer when he signed up on 14th September 1916. He had previously held a three year exemption from military service.

Private Seth Thomas, regimental number 2989, became a member of the 7th Reinforcement of the 52nd Battalion. The reinforcements left from Brisbane aboard A74 "Marathon" on 27th October 1916, and on landing at Plymouth started training at the 13th Training Battalion, before leaving for France on 25th June 1917. Seth became sick at sea and during this time spent some time in hospital suffering from bronchitis. His Casualty Form shows that he was taken on strength with the 52nd Battalion in the field at Harve on 16th July. Over the next few



Private Seth Thomas

months he had recurring health problems and had a hernia operation at the 53rd General Hospital. On recovery, he re-joined the battalion in the line at Messines. On the 11th May 1918 he was shot in the chest. He died of his wounds the next day at 3.50 am at the 12th Australian Field Hospital. Seth was buried by Rev. H. H. Harper near Amiens in the Longeau British Cemetery, Picardie, France. The Red Cross Wounded and Missing Files show that as well as Charles and Seth, two nephews were also serving in France. William John Skinner (son of Fanny Elizabeth Skinner nee Thomas) and William Hodson (son of Mary Ann Eliza Hodson nee Thomas) made contact enquiring about the circumstance of his death and the whereabouts of his grave and wanting a photo for their respective mothers. William Hodson had heard of his uncle's death from Australia, he wrote (that) "I may have the chance some day of standing beside the graveside of one who was a very close relative to me". A witness had reported that Seth was wounded at Villers Brenonneax at 8.30pm. They were holding a line in front of the trenches. Four men were making their way to the advanced listening post, Seth was last in the line. He was sniped through the chest. It was a bad wound but Seth was conscious. He was treated and carried back to the Regimental Aid Post before being transferred to the 12th Australian Field Hospital where he died.

Base Records sent the details of Seth's death to his mother, brothers and nephews and also to Miss L. Crouch of Dundee, NSW, and advised that a 'durable wooden cross bearing Seth's name and full regimental particulars was erected over his grave'.

Seth's medals, the memorial scroll and plaque, and two parcels containing his personal effects were sent to Mary.
 Lyn Wright

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

PRIVATE SETH THOMAS

William and Mary Ann Elizabeth Thomas (nee Cox) were married in Tenterfield in 1877. In the early 1890s they came to Allora where Seth was born in 1897. When Seth was only nine

Looking Back...

**Allora's Past 25 years ago
 October 1990**

Kindergarten Affiliated

President of the Allora Community Kindergarten, Debbie Smith, this week accepted an official creche and kindergarten plaque signifying that the Allora kindergarten is affiliated with Creche and Kindergarten Queensland. This is a significant event for the Allora Community Kindergarten which opened in October 1986, as it will allow the Allora committee to run the kindergarten to a standard comparable to any kindergarten in the state. The committee has been greatly assisted by the Allora and District Hospital Board who provide and maintain the kindergarten buildings free of charge.

**Allora's Past 50 years ago
 October 1965**

SOCIAL AFTERNOON

The Senior Citizens will be holding their monthly Social Afternoon in the Old Shire Hall on Friday, 15th October. B. Donovan, President.

**Allora's Past 75 years ago
 October 1940**

Farewell

To say farewell to Mr. George Adams, a member of the Second A. I. F., the members of the Table Top Tennis Club gathered at the home of Mr. Hassett. Councillor G. D. O'Neill presented the guest of honour with a wristlet watch on behalf of the members of the club. Among the speakers who wished Mr. Adams "Good Luck" was Ray Marshall, the

president of the club.

**Allora's Past 100 years ago
 October 1915**

Wedding

A quiet, but pretty, wedding was solemnised in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Allora, when John, second son of Mrs. Elizabeth Clarke and the late Mr. Henry Clarke, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony, to Meno, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Geitz of Allora. The bridesmaids were Miss Florrie Geitz, sister of the bride and Miss Doris Holmes, niece of the bridegroom. Mr. W. Cowley, cousin of the bridegroom, carried out the duties of best man and Harry, brother of the bride, acted as groomsman. At the conclusion of the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. A. Geitz entertained about fifty guests at a reception held at Weatherley's Cafe. After the usual toasts had been honoured, the happy couple motored to Hendon en route to Brisbane and Tweed Heads where it is proposed that the honeymoon will be spent.

**Allora's Past 150 years ago
 October 1865**

Government Land Sale

At the Police Office in Warwick on November 29, thirty-six town lots in the parish and town of Allora, consisting of one acre each, at the upset price of £8 per acre; eighteen suburban lots varying from seven to twelve acres, at the upset price of £3 per acre; and thirteen country lots near the town of Allora, varying in area from thirty-eight to eighty acres, at the upset price of £1 per acre, will be offered for sale. (The Brisbane Courier 28th October 1865).

Colin Newport



Allora district 2nd A. I. F. volunteers and friends in Brisbane in 1940. Front - Jack Gilmore, Alex Abernethy, unknown. Back - Ray Marshall, Pat Dwyer, Bill Lysaght, Kev Browne.

Events Calendar

2015

- October -**
- Thu 8 Keeping Older Drivers Safe - Sponsored by Scope**
Senior Citizens, Allora, 5.30pm
 - Sat 10 Allora High Tea**
Allora Community Hall, 2.00pm
 - Sat 10 Warwick Uber Markets**
Leslie Park, Warwick, 10.00am to 2.30pm
 - Fri 16 St Patrick's Parish Fete**
St Patrick's School Grounds
 - Sun 18 Terry Masters Golf Day**
Allora Sports Club, 8.30am
 - Sat 24 Dalrymple Seat Golf/Bowls Day**
Allora Sports Club 1.30pm
 - Sun 25 Keith (K.O.) Masters Memorial Cricket Oval Naming**
Allora Cricket Oval
 - Sat 31 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
- November -**
- Sat 14 Warwick Uber Markets**
Leslie Park, Warwick, 10.00am to 2.30pm
 - Sun 15 Allora Car Boot Sale**
Allora State School soccer grounds, 9.00am to 12 noon
 - Sat 28 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
 - Sat 28 Christmas Candle - Helen Earley Ensemble**
Allora P-10 State School Hall, 7.30pm

- December -**
- Sat 5 Creekside Carols & Markets**
Dalrymple Park, Allora
 - Sat 12 Warwick Uber Markets**
Leslie Park, Warwick, 10.00am to 2.30pm
 - Sun 13 Allora Churches Together Christmas Carols**
7.00pm

2016

- January -**
- Sat 30 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
- February -**
- Sat 27 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
 - Sat 27 Allora Men's Shed Golf & Bowls Day**
Allora Sports Club, 11.00am
- March -**
- Fri 4 Allora Rotary Trivia Night**
Allora P-10 State School Hall
 - Sat 12 & Sun 13 St Patrick's School Centenary Celebrations**
St Patrick's School Grounds
 - Sat 26 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
 - Sat 28 Christmas Candle - Helen Earley Ensemble**
Allora P-10 State School Hall, 7.30pm
- April -**
- Sat 16 Allora & Dist. Historical Society Display & Demo Day**
Warwick Street Museum, Allora.
 - Sat 30 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
- May -**
- Sat 14 Scope Club Annual Afternoon Tea Fundraiser**
Allora Community Hall.
 - Sat 28 Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am

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Allora Students Visit Canberra

It was Bon Voyage last Friday evening when Allora State School's Year 10 students departed Allora by coach heading south on the school's annual Canberra Excursion, the annual educational tour of the national capital. Students are being given the opportunity to participate in a variety of educational programs with a focus on Australia's history, culture, heritage and democracy.

The annual excursion, commonly known as the outdoor classroom, is an experience that becomes a lifelong memory for students. This year school staff members Mrs. Joanne Frizzell & Mr. Brett Hay are accompanying the eleven student Allora contingent, who have been joined by thirteen Killarney State School students & a teacher enroute.

The coach bound for the national capital arrived in Canberra on

Saturday afternoon, sightseeing getting underway that day with a visit to the Floriade Markets, and later the Telstra Tower. Sunday saw the group heading to the Mt. Kosciusko National Park and a day of skiing at the snowfields.

On Monday students visited Mt. Ainslie, the National Museum, Questicon and the National Gallery, and also took in a drive tour of the Governor General's residence Yarralumla, and the Lodge, residence of the Prime Minister.

On Tuesday following a parliamentary education session, students were involved in a tour of Parliament House including morning tea as guests our local federal member, Mr. Bruce Scott, Member for Maranoa. Later in the day the tour party will visit the Electoral Education Centre and also Government House.

A tour of the Australian War Memorial where a wreath laying ceremony took place is a highlight of the annual trip, after which students will take in the National Capital Exhibition Centre and a tour of the Australian Institute of Sport.

Thursday, the final day of the tour itinerary included an Australian Defence Force tour, before departing Canberra after some shopping and arriving home in Allora early on Friday morning, October 9th.

Among many more venues visited, students also enjoyed ten pin bowling and an evening at the Putt Putt and Driving Range at the Canberra International Golf Course.

The Allora State School Canberra Trip is a special adventure that has been experienced by many in the Allora community, a treasured memory and educational experience among special school memories.

Glyn Rees



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Supercheap Auto to film TV commercial at Warwick Airport

Supercheap Auto are filming their National Christmas sale commercial at the Warwick Airport this week. The commercial will have a 'Smokey and the Bandit' feel with a truck driving along the runway, unloading 4 cars as it goes.

The public are invited to witness the filming, with two of the best stunt drivers in the country undertaking the driving of the two high performance Holden's and two high performance Fords.

A rehearsal will take place on Wednesday, 7th October with the filming taking place today and tomorrow, Thursday 8th and Friday 9th October. The film crew will be at the Airport from approximately 6.00am to 6.00pm on both days.

Southern Downs Regional Council's Mayor Cr Peter Blundell said "it is great to see filming occurring in the region. Every film or commercial promotes the region to a new group of people. The filming of commercials and larger scale film production has the potential to provide short term economic boosts to the local economy. It also provides the opportunity for local business to provide services to those involved in the production of films and commercials. Council staff have worked to ensure all the necessary permits and approvals are in place for this to proceed without delay", he said.

Council appreciates the cooperation of the different business located at the Warwick Airport that have allowed this opportunity to proceed.

The key contact person for the filming is George Vasiliadis (0416 279 078) and any Council related issues should be directed to Michael Bell, Manager Community Facilities on 1300 697 372.

Presentation of cheque to AMS

A cheque for \$500 was generously presented to the Allora Men's Shed Inc. by Mrs Maggie Stokes, Organizer of the most successful Allora Goomburra Country Music Stampede held at the Allora Showgrounds. The money will assist the grateful Men's Shed in providing assistance to and support of our community.



Left to right. Glenn Miller, Jim Flesser, Stuart Campbell, Bob Lawson, Maggie Stokes, Ken Gillam.



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4. What do quokkas eat?
5. How many atoms are there in a molecule of ozone?

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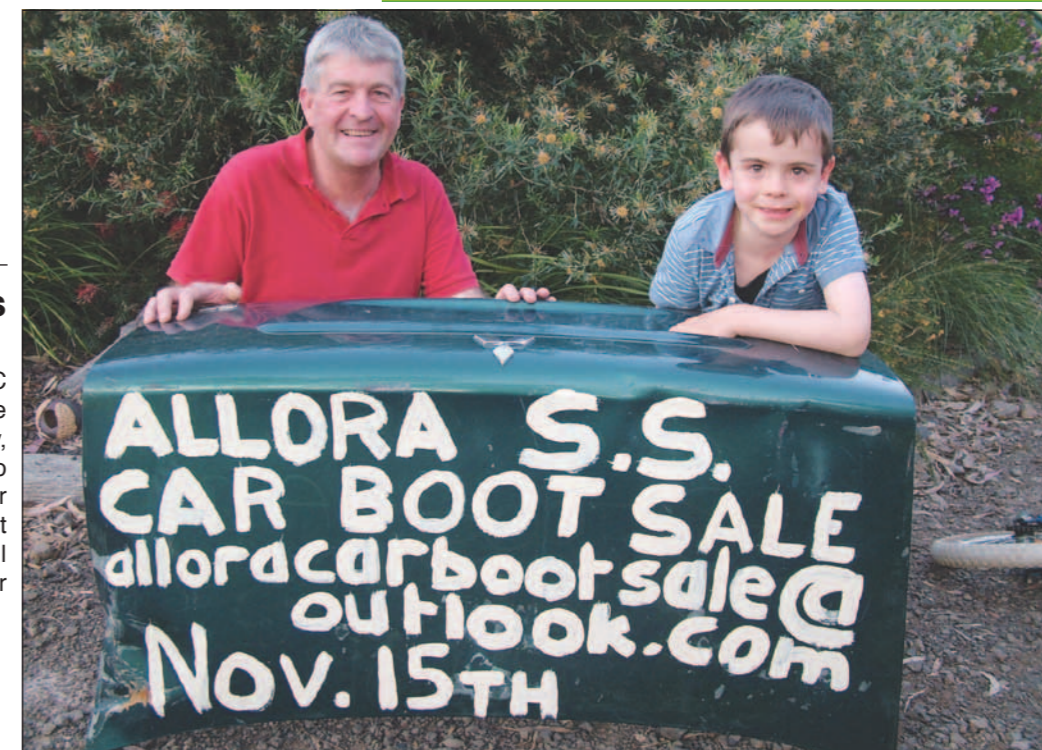


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Allora State School's Car Boot Sale

Allora State School P&C Association's Car Boot Sale fundraiser will be held on Sunday, November 15th, from 9.00am to 12.00 noon at the School's soccer ground. Sites \$20 per car, contact 0408 845 549 or email alloracarbootsale@outlook.com for details.

Andrew and Peter Dunn with promo sign; one of 2 car boots supplied with thanks to Danny Benz at Benz Auto Wreckers in Warwick.





ALLORA REGAINS ALLCLIF SHIELD

Last Saturday, the Allora Golf Club met Clifton Golf Club at the Allora Course to play for the annual Allclif Shield. Clifton has held the shield since 2012. Allora triumphed by 217 points to 202. The Allora winners were Chad Wilson (again) and Garth Simpson with Matty May and Tommy Brown being the Allora Runners-Up. The Clifton winners were Jack Farrell and Greg Andrews with Ruth Hungerford and Rob Meara being the runners-up. Pin shots were won by Rod Simpson (4th) and Gene McMillan (13th). Approach shots were won by Hayden Gomez (1st); Rob Meara (holing out for an eagle on the 5th); Adam Cummins (10th) and Jack Farrell (14th). Last week's Duck Run was won by Chad (can anyone beat this bloke) and runner up Aaron. Pin shots went to Kev (7th) and Kel (2nd). Sunday was a four ball event sponsored by Golfworld with the winners being Chad (I am not saying anymore) and Aaron on a whopping 47 points. Runners-up were Tommy Brown and Neil Chandler on 45 points on a count-back. Balls were won by Kev and Lindsay and Gene and John S. Pin shots went to Rod (7th); Michael (16th); John S (8th) and Ray (2nd). Thanks to Golfworld for the generous support. Next Sunday will be the Railway Hotel Monthly Mug.

A couple of huge events are coming up at the Sports Club. Terry Masters Day is on Sunday 18th October starting at 8.30 AM. Nine holes of golf are followed by a game of bowls. The Gowrie Road Hotel social club is a great supporter of this event, named in memory of the popular former Allora resident Terry Masters. Everyone is welcome to come along and play golf or bowls or both. Then on Saturday 24th October the club is hosting the Dalrymple Seat, generously sponsored by Beetle and Sue from



Pictured is Ian Jones from the Clifton Golf Club presenting the Allclif Shield to Allora golfer Lindsay May.

the Allora Hardware and Dave and Zita from the Allora News. The event starts at 1.30 PM with a three person ambrose (golf) followed by triples (bowls). This day is one of the highlights of the Allora sporting and social calendar and must not be missed. Once again there will be fantastic prizes to be won and usually no-one goes home without a trophy. The club's AGM is on this Sunday at 9.00 AM.

John Ellwood



Left to Right: Gavin Schiewe – Most runs (70), Sean Bryson – 2 for 8 off 2.1 overs and Andrew Petersen – Best bowling (4 for 24 off 8 overs).



Allora vs Colts

On Saturday, the Allora XI took to the field for the first time in the 2015/2016 season, against the Warwick Hotel Colts. Allora won the toss and elected to bat.

Matthew Kiernan and Gavin Schiewe opened the batting strongly for Allora making it to the 14th over before Kiernan was dismissed on 23. Gavin continued batting well

until he was dismissed for 70 in the 39th over. Allora were all out for 163 runs.

The Allora bowlers all performed well this week with Andrew Petersen taking 4 for 24 off his 8 overs. This included 3 caught and bowled. Young Sean Bryson who debuted for Allora this week bowled great taking 2 for 8 off just 2.1 overs. He also took a good catch in the outfield off Andrew Petersen's bowling. Matthew Kiernan, Al Taylor and Scott Sparksman all took 1 wicket each and new comer Tom Higgins bowled well in his first game. Allora had the Colts all out for just 98 runs in the 31st over.

Allora Batting: Matthew Kiernan (23), Gavin Schiewe (70), Luke Jensen (15), Cameron Masters (0), Luke Cullen (17), Scott Sparksman (8), Al Taylor (12 not out), Sean Bryson (0 not out), Sundries (16) – total 163 runs.

Allora Bowling: Luke Cullen 5-0-0-18, Matt Kiernan 5-1-1-17, Andrew Petersen 8-2-4-24, Tom Higgins 4-0-0-2.1-0-2-8.

This Sunday 11th October, sees us play Inglewood at Inglewood. The game will start at 11:00am. There will be a bus leaving from the Railway Hotel at 8.45am. Players to be there by 8.30am. Please contact Aaron if available to play on 0428 627 107.

The winners from the Cricket raffle this week were: Meat Tray

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Railway Hotel Rascals vs. Maryvale

The start of a new season! The Railway Hotel Rascals are coming off the high of their one run victory in last season's B grade grand final, and are looking to establish themselves as a team that can consistently perform and bowl smartly with thinking plans in this season's competition. The Rascals team is largely unchanged, with Andrew Boal moving back to the Sovereign Animals, to, as he said; 'give more young people a chance'. Thank you for your time with us Andrew, and you will always be one of our foundation players, who the players respect and loved playing alongside. Simon Moore is moving to a part time role within in the team, so we will still have his smart bowling and work ethic behind the scenes to rely on through parts of the season. These moves allow a new full time player to step up into the squad, and Henry Gartery was chosen for this role, amidst a hail of streamers. Matthew Christensen and Luke Kilah are the two part timers, and given time and experience, these two lads will be in the full time squad. The complete 2015/16 Rascals squad: Carl Christensen, Ian Christensen, Jake Christensen, Matty Christensen, Neil Christensen, Paul Christensen, Liam Duncan, Henry Gartery, Patty Geyle, Jamie Holmes, Brad Johnson, Liam Keating, Mick Kelk, Luke Kilah, James Moore, Simon Moore, Joe Morris, Tom Morris and Nick Van Der Poel.

The day was a hot one, with not a cloud in sight. Before the toss, the Rascals had thought to bowl first if the toss was won to take advantage of the pre-season batting jitters the opposition may have. However, on the day, considering the weather and the pre-season bowling jitters the opposition may have, the Rascals leant towards batting first. In the end it did not matter, with Maryvale winning the toss and sending the Rascals in to bat. Unfortunately, it was the Rascals with the pre-season jitters and the score was 6-28 after 12 overs, with the only notable score a 12 form Joe Morris. Enter Paul Christensen and Nick Van Der Poel, who saved the game for the Rascals with an attacking 65 run partnership off 17 overs. Paul struck six fours in his 42 whilst Nick hit one in his anchoring 22. The last three wickets were taken for 12 runs, leaving the Rascals a score of 105 to defend. This is also the best batting start to a season from the Rascals, with the past two year's scores being rather lower than this one. This is an improvement, and one that will continue as the season and batting practice continues. In response Maryvale lost an early wicket to a great catch from

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Henry Gartery at slip (great take in his first game- pressure!) off the bowling on Nick Van Der Poel, before they added 31 more runs. Joe Morris then took two wickets in consecutive balls, one caught by Paul Christensen smartly at point and the other behind the stumps. Things were looking good, 3-35! In the next period of play, there were many half chances, bouncing off the end of outstretched hands and lucky mistimed shots that landed between fielders. If one of these were taken, more pressure could have been applied and more wickets may have been taken. However, it was not to be, with the two Maryvale batters taking the game away and reaching the target score in the 17th over. Joe Morris finished with 2-23/5, Nick Van Der Poel with 1-31/5 and James Moore, who's bowling provided about seven half chances in his three overs, finished with 0-17. Railway Hotel Rascals player of the year points- 3: Paul Christensen, 2: Joe Morris, 1: Nick Van Der Poel.

Next week is another home game for the Rascals, taking on the Sovereign Animals, of whom many of us have played for before the Rascals formed. Last year these two teams were evenly matched, the Rascals currently have a slight advantage over the Animals with two consecutive victories; however they will not be taken lightly, as opener Timmy Munroe has a great ability with the bat if he gets away early and their bowling attack often takes several early wickets. The Rascals welcome everyone to come and watch the game, starting at 12.30pm this Saturday.



Allora Swimming Club

Welcome to swimming club season 2015/16. The night was well supported and it was great to see so many new swimmers. Thank you to all the parents that helped out with time keeping and also thank you to Sonia and Tony for the

sausage sizzle and ice cream at the conclusion of swims. There will be a new uniform order within the next few weeks and we also have our old stock on sale in limited sizes.

Upcoming events: Rackley Memorial Swim (handicap event) - Tuesday, 24/11

Allora Rotary Open Swim Meet - Sunday, 6/12

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Allora Sports Club ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
Sunday, 11 October 2015, at 9.00 am on club premises
Agenda:
1) Receive the Management Committee Report
2) Receive Financial Report to 30 June 2015
3) Receive the Auditors Statement and Report
4) Election of members of the Management Committee
5) Review the constitution
6) Appointment of an Auditor
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5	8	2	7	9	4	6	3	1
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- The Jovian moons orbit around Jupiter.
- Cuttlefish pupils are shaped like the letter W.
- A one metre cube of air weighs about 1.2 atoms.
- Quokkas eat leaves and grasses.
- An ozone molecule is made of three oxygen atoms.

• ANNOUNCEMENTS •

Thank You...
The Allora High Tea Committee would like to take this opportunity to extend our appreciation and gratitude to Robyn Miles, Railway Hotel and NAB Allora for their ongoing support and sponsorship for our annual fundraising event.
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Allora Sports Club Bowls Results – Round Four

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Results of round four – Rink 1 – Swimming Pool 20 v Honda Hawks 14; Rink 2 – Roonicks 22 v Allora Men's Shed 11; Rink 3 – Lawn Grubs 15 v Team

Engel 14; Rink 4 – Bindartins 20 v Doesn't Matter 17; Rink 5 – The Old Boys 25 v Railway Hotel 8; Rink 6 – Zoolands 12 v The Intruders 6; Rink 7 – The Rat Pack v The Three Amigos 7. The winners on Rink 6 won the weekly trophy and The Three Amigos playing on Rink 7 were jubilant to take home the losers prize.

The Touchers segment always creates keen competition with the bowlers eager to take home a chocolate. Blocks were won by John Cochran, Lynn Patterson, Peter Cruise, Chris Brown, Beetle and Don Hughes. Elise was the winner of the \$5.00 1st Toucher donated by Darrin from Roonicks.

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The Clifton Cup is a keenly contested competition held twice a year. The next challenge will be held on 7th November. Players wishing to participate should give their names to Games Director, Greg.

The first Patron's Day for bowlers was held last Sunday. With the long weekend and the football finals, numbers were down. Let us hope that Greg will sponsor another day later in the year.

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