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Mother's Day at C&K

C&K Allora Community Kindergarten celebrated Mother's Day. The children sang an "I love you" song to their families and gave their Mother's and Grandmother's a shoulder massage. Morning tea in the outdoor learning environment provided an opportunity for families within our community to engage and connect.

Peter's Family: (L-R) Katelyn, Tabitha and Gwen Peters, Aunty Madonna Frost and cousin Keely celebrated "Mother's Day" with Tom Peters at the Allora Kindergarten.

Prayer for Christian Unity Service

An Ecumenical Service to celebrate the week for Prayer for Christian Unity will be held in St David's Anglican Church on Sunday at 7.00pm. This Ecumenical celebration has been prepared by the Christian churches of Latvia. Please bring a plate to share for supper. Everyone is welcome to share in this celebration.

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Letters to the Editor...

Dear Editor,

Volunteers make Australia a better and more caring place to live. This week is National Volunteer Week (9-15 May) and we want to thank all volunteers for everything they do.

Each year across Australia more than 6 million volunteers not only bring happiness to the people and communities they help, but they get to also experience the joy of helping others.

And the benefits of volunteering go much further than that. Volunteers add value to our communities by building trust, relationships and connections between people. Plus they boost social engagement and help communities to share skills and resources. Simply put, volunteers make our communities stronger and more resilient.

There are more than 20,000 Red Cross volunteers in Australia. They support local communities, they help the children of refugees with their homework, they are there in times of disaster both in Australia and overseas, they take the time to talk to those who are lonely every day, and many other activities. It is all about people helping people in very practical ways.

Thank you to all volunteers – wherever you are and no matter who you volunteer for – your generosity creates a more supportive, connected, inclusive and happier Australia.

Judy Slatyer,
Australian Red Cross CEO

Dear Editor,

The Allora R.S.L. Subbranch received the following letter from the Minister for Housing and Public Works, which may be of interest to your readers:

Dear Secretary,

I am writing to you to let you know about the changes we have made that will make it easier for veterans to access important services to help them out of homelessness and into a home.

The Palaszczuk Government has made these changes due to the advocacy of a Navy veteran, Dave George, who was homeless, but has now found good, safe and long term accommodation.

Mr George explained how veterans on total and permanent impairment disability pensions and Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act special payment were ineligible for Bond Loans and Rental Grants, leaving many veterans unable to access these important services that help people find a safe and secure place to live.

I immediately began the process to address this and on April 21 new arrangements have been implemented.

Veterans in receipt of these payments are now eligible to access Bond Loans and Rental Grants which will help get them out of homelessness and into a home of their own.

The Palaszczuk Government recognises the service and sacrifice made by both veterans and serving members of the Australian Defence Force.

I know the Allora Sub Branch plays an important role in ensuring that our veterans are cared for and now with these recent changes I hope you will be able to assist them in finding a place to live by encouraging any veterans who could

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benefit from such benefits, are advised accordingly.

Yours sincerely,
Mick de Brenni MP
Minister for Housing and Public Works

For further information or assistance please contact the Allora R.S.L. Sub Branch on 4666 2050 or email allorarsl1@hotmail.com

Kath Turner
Secretary, Allora R.S.L. Sub Branch

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Oldest Car in Allora

This car which featured on the front cover of last week's Allora Advertiser (Issue #3392, 5th May 2016) is a 1910 Maxwell owned by the Keith Wilson family and is the oldest car in Allora. It is a 2 cylinder model built in Terrytown New York. It was marketed as cheaper to run than a good horse, faster than a good horse at 26 mph.

Thank you to the Keith Wilson family for supporting the Allora Autumn Festival.

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Day	Forecast	Min	Max
THU	Sunny. Cool.	7	21
FRI	Sunny. Mild.	8	24
SAT	Mostly Sunny. Mild.	6	24
SUN	Sunny. Mild.	7	24
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Some of Allora's gorgeous Open Gardens that welcomed visitors during the Allora Autumn Festival:

ABOVE: Flora Sparksman's garden in Arnold Street

LEFT: Richard & Mary Kyle's garden in Raff Street

BELOW: Glad & Eric Holme's garden in Raff Street

See more garden photos on page 14.

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Trivia Night

Are you ready to test your knowledge, play fun games and win fantastic prizes? The well known 'Rattle of the Brains' Trivia Night will be held on Friday the 27th of May at the Allora Community Hall, Herbert Street.

Those wishing to test their trivia knowledge can nominate a Team of 8 by phoning the St Patrick's School in Allora on 4666 3551 or email allora@twb.catholic.edu.au. If you are having trouble putting a team together, individuals can also nominate and we'll put you in a team that is not full. Entry is only only \$10 each, which can be paid at the door on the night. Entry includes nibbles, pizza, and supper with tea and coffee. Doors and bar open at 6:15pm, Round 1 starts at 7pm. The St Patrick's School, P&F and families are very grateful for the wonderful generosity of our local and regional sponsors, who help to make this night such a popular event.

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A packed Allora Community Hall during a previous year's Rattle of the Brains Trivia Night.

SDRC comes up trumps with National Local Government Award for Excellence in Road Safety

Southern Downs Regional Council has been announced as the winner of the Excellence in Road Safety category in the 2016 National Awards for Local Government, and is in the running for overall winner of the 2016 National Award for Excellence in Local Government.

The Excellence in Road Safety Award recognises the work that Southern Downs Regional Council has done with key stakeholders involved with the Backpackers and Seasonal Workers Road Safety Taskforce to implement a campaign of initiatives aimed at educating and improving road safety behaviours of young backpackers in the region.

Southern Downs Regional Council's Mayor, Cr Tracy Dobie welcomed the category award announcement by the Minister for Major Projects, Territories and Local Government Paul Fletcher, and praised Taskforce partners for their contributions towards the implementation of the Backpackers and Seasonal Workers Road Safety Campaign.

"The Taskforce was established and the campaign initiated in 2015 after some fatal crashes involving foreign backpackers and recognition that further road safety education and awareness was required. A series of initiatives have been implemented, including:

- hard infrastructure, with innovative signage and road markings;

- road safety marketing materials in the form of banner pens in four different languages and flyers;
- community events to welcome backpackers and seasonal workers to the region; and
- provision of on line materials that highlight issues associated with road safety and the driving conditions that are unique to Queensland and Australia.

"Council's Chief Executive Officer David Keenan and I will have the privilege of presenting details of the Backpackers and Seasonal Workers Road Safety Campaign to the National Judging Panel in Canberra this week.

"This is an exciting opportunity for Council and our partners to gain national exposure for this innovative project, and to be considered for the overall National Local Government Award in Excellence, which will be announced in late June 2016.

"This campaign has demonstrated a collaborative and integrated approach to educating backpackers and seasonal workers, which has attracted the attention of other local government authorities in Queensland and New South Wales seeking to emulate aspects of these initiatives in their own regions.

"I would like to thank everyone who has been involved in this campaign and I'm hopeful that Southern Downs may win the overall excellence award," said Mayor Dobie.

The Backpackers and Seasonal Workers Road Safety Campaign has been undertaken by a taskforce with representation from Southern Downs Regional Council,

Stanthorpe Police, Employment Agencies, Fruit and Vegetable Growers, RACQ, Department of Transport and Main Roads, Stanthorpe Road Safety Committee, Stanthorpe Chamber of Commerce and accommodation providers. The campaign has been successful in attracting two Safer Queensland Community Grants from Suncorp for initiatives by Southern Downs Regional Council and the Queensland Police Service Stanthorpe.

The National Awards for Local Government includes 10 categories. Southern Downs Regional Council and Mackay Regional Council are the only Queensland councils to win a 2016 category award, with Cairns and Logan City Regional Councils each receiving a highly commended in two categories. The National Awards for Local Government is an annual celebration of Australian local government achievements. The Awards highlight innovative and resourceful solutions that local governments have implemented to make a difference within their communities.

The Awards celebrate local government projects that are innovative, deliver better outcomes for communities, have the potential to be rolled out across the country and make a meaningful difference.

For further information about the Excellence in Road Safety Award, visit regional.gov.au/local/awards/2016/factsheet_road_safety.aspx

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Southern Downs secures location for Brisbane Camperland Queensland Road Team Series cycling event

Last week Cycling Queensland Chief Executive Officer, Sean Muir, announced the locations for the Four Rounds of the 2016 Brisbane Camperland Queensland Road Team Series (QRTS). The Southern Downs Regional Council has secured a location for this important cycling event with Round Two of the series to be held in Warwick from 2 to 3 July 2016. The event will involve a Warwick Road Race, an Allora Teams Time Trial, as well as a Warwick Criterion.

The Warwick based event will see a total of 26 teams visit the region, made up of 18 men's teams and eight women's teams competing in individual and team time trials, road races and criteriums.

Since its inception in 2010, the Brisbane Camperland QRTS has been a key development event for club and national riders looking to take the next step towards competing in the National Road Series and progressing to the grand tours of Europe.

Mayor Tracy Dobie said that it was great to see professional cycling events considering the Southern Downs Region as a destination for major events.

"I appreciate the good work that has been undertaken by Mike Crawley from QSM Sports to bring this event to Warwick. I also appreciate the efforts of the local police and Council staff in making this event happen in a pretty short time frame."

"These types of events encourage people to visit the region and once they receive excellent customer service and enjoy the natural beauty of the region, we hope that they return with



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BAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

The Doctor received a frantic phone call from Mr. Jones who explained that his wife, who always slept with her mouth open, had a mouse caught in her throat.

"Don't worry, I'll be over in a few minutes," said the doctor. "In the meantime, try waving a piece of cheese in front of her mouth."

When the doctor arrived, he found Mr Jones waving a large fish in front of his wife's face.

"What on earth are you doing?" exclaimed the doctor.

"I told you to wave cheese. Mice don't like fish."

"I know," Mr Jones gasped, "but I need to get the cat out first."

family and friends.

"It is important that Council not just get these one-off events but, rather, these events become a regular fixture in the local events calendar to ensure repeat visitation," said Mayor Dobie. Mayor Dobie highlighted the importance of being proactive in relation to attracting events.

"Those participating in this event will bring support crews, family and friends, which results in visitor expenditure into the local economy. The event will also be covered in the media and certainly within professional cycling networks.


"It is important that new events be attracted to the region that increase and diversify the visitor expenditure, whether these events are sporting or cultural. Equally, it is important for Council to continue to develop local events to ensure that they attract new and repeat visitation," concluded Mayor Dobie.

The final routes for the Warwick event are still being confirmed; however it is likely that one of the routes will have a focus on the roads around the Condamine River, with the event concluding in Leslie Park.

STS YOUNG ENDEAVOUR TO CIRCUMNAVIGATE AUSTRALIA

Applications are now open for the 2016 Young Endeavour Youth Development Program. Set sail for the voyage of a lifetime as STS Young Endeavour circumnavigates Australia! Following a twelve month voyage around the world in 2015, Young Endeavour has visited South Australia, Victoria, Tasmania and New South Wales, and will soon set sail for Queensland, the Northern Territory and Western Australia. 24 youth will join each eleven or thirteen day voyage, and will learn the skills to sail a square-rigged tall ship. They will keep watch and take the helm, cook in the galley, navigate using the ship's charts, and climb the 30 metre mast to set and furl the sails.

Each participant will be encouraged to pursue personal and team goals and challenges. By the end of each voyage they will have the skills and confidence to elect a leadership team and take command of the 44 metre brigantine, sailing Young



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Endeavour along the Australian coast. Ballarat high school student Ben O'Meara joined a voyage in Young Endeavour for a personal challenge and as an opportunity to meet new people, travel to new places and learn new skills. After sailing from Melbourne along the east coast and into Sydney Harbour he said, "Our voyage, having a diverse and

friendly group of youth, as well as a sensational crew and program, allowed me to grow as both a leader and a team member.

"Physically and mentally challenging, this program is by no means for the faint hearted. It is, however, one of the most rewarding experiences possible. It will leave you exhausted but begging for more, more, more!"

Youth Crew are selected by ballot, and no sailing experience is required. Young Endeavour is operated by a professional Royal Australian Navy crew who ensure the highest standards of safety and care, and teach the youth crew everything they need to know to sail the ship.

Victorian Emma Hogarth sailed Young Endeavour along the east coast of Tasmania and across Bass Strait to Melbourne.

"The Young Endeavour Program offers an incredible opportunity for all young Australians," said Emma.

"The staff crew were absolutely fantastic, and the voyage provided a unique opportunity to be mentally and physically challenged, while simultaneously creating such a fun environment. Completely unique and utterly amazing, it may be one of the best things you ever do".

In 2016 Young Endeavour will sail to Newcastle, Brisbane, Gladstone, Airlie Beach, Cairns, Gove, Darwin, Broome, Exmouth, Fremantle, Esperance and Adelaide, before returning to the east coast in 2017.

Applications are open to young Australians aged 16-23 at www.youngendeavour.gov.au. Main round applications close on 30 May 2016. Apply now and set sail for the voyage of a lifetime!



STS Young Endeavour underway off the east coast of NSW as she makes her way back to her home port of Sydney.

Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago May 1991

Cross Country Winners

Allora State School captains, Letitia Crawford and Aaron Gilmore, presented the Cross Country Shield to the winning Deacon House captains, Lisa Nolan and Mark Doherty. Overall winners of the cross country were Matthew Prendergast (boys) and Lisa Muller and Amanda McKinney who tied for the girls event. Winners in each division were: Boys under 13, Wayne Frizzell; Boys under 14, Tony Gilmore; Open, Matthew Prendergast; Girls under 13, Lisa Muller and Amanda McKinney; Girls under 14, Brooke Gilmore; Open, Letitia Crawford. Ten students have been chosen to represent the school at the Border District cross country at Killarney.

Allora's Past 50 years ago May 1966

THANKS

Mr. H. J. S. Hutchinson wishes to thank the Fire Brigade, Police, Employees, and all other people too numerous to mention,



The grave of Charles Henry Bullock, the oldest marked grave in the Allora cemetery.

Colin Newport

for their assistance in saving the bakehouse and cleaning up.

H. J. S. (Jim) Hutchinson.

Allora's Past 75 years ago May 1941

A Fine Record

Yesterday marked the thirtieth anniversary of service by Mr. Andrew Hamilton as the clerk of the Allora Council. At the conclusion of the Allora Shire Council meeting the chairman, Cr. H. S. Warfield, congratulated him on his splendid record and expressed the wish that the council would continue to have the benefit of his services for many years. During his long term in Allora Mr. Hamilton has seen many changes in his sphere of work. He commenced his duties as clerk of the old Allora Municipal Council in 1911, and after the inauguration of the Allora Shire Council several years later he continued on as shire clerk. Since that time he has witnessed and contributed to great developments in the shire.

(Andrew Hamilton retired in 1955 after 44 years as Allora Town/Shire Clerk. His place was taken by Lex Ellwood)

Allora's Past 100 years ago May 1916

Allora Shire Chairman

The adjourned meeting of the Allora Shire Council for the purpose of electing a chairman on account of Councillor F. Cocks resigning took place last Saturday morning. At the previous meeting a deadlock occurred, Councillors J. Dean and J. Whitehead receiving even votes. The Councillors present were Messrs. F. Cocks, J. Whitehead, W. H. Allen, J. Dean, J. Holmes and W. J. T. Neale, Councillors E. Maher, C. Alford and J. Sharpe being absent. Councillor James Dean was unanimously elected chairman for the ensuing year.

Allora's Past 150 years ago May 1866

Pound at Allora

In consequence of the great inconvenience of residents of Allora and Spring Creek have been put to by having their stock impounded at Drayton and Leyburn, a petition was forwarded to the Government for the establishment of a local pound, and a reply has been received acceding to the prayer of the petition. This will be a great boon to the local residents for it was impossible to avoid their stock straying onto the adjacent Crown lands, in consequence of the confined area around the town being fed over with the sheep of the squatter.

Darling Downs Gazette 26th May 1866
(The Allora pound was proclaimed in the Government Gazette in March 1867. Charles Henry Bullock, the manager of Clifton Station, was appointed the first pound ranger. C. H. Bullock died on the 24th April 1867, possibly as a result of a fall from a horse, at the age of 33. His grave is the oldest marked grave in the Allora cemetery)

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Events Calendar

2016

- May -**
- Sat 14** **Wattles vs Souths**
Platz Oval, Clifton
 - Sat 14** **Scope Club Annual Afternoon Tea Fundraiser**
Allora Community Hall
 - Fri 27** **St. Patrick's Rattle of the Brains Trivia Night**
Allora Community Hall, 7.00pm.
 - Sat 28** **Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
 - Sun 29** **Wattles vs Valleys**
Platz Oval, Clifton
- June -**
- Sat 11** **St. Davids June Afternoon**
St. Davids Hall, Allora
 - Sun 12** **Allora Community Auction**
Allora Show Grounds
 - Sun 19** **Wattles vs Oakey**
Platz Oval, Clifton
 - Sat 25** **Allora Men's Shed Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
- July -**
- Sun 10** **Wattles vs Warwick**
Platz Oval, Clifton
 - Sat 23** **Wattles vs Brothers**
Platz Oval, Clifton
 - Sat 30** **Allora Men's Shed Annual General Meeting**
Allora Men's Shed (old Fire Station), 9.30am
- August -**
- Sun 7** **Wattles vs Goondiwindi**
Platz Oval, Clifton
 - Sat 20** **Wattles vs Dalby**
Platz Oval, Clifton
- October -**
- Sat 8** **Allora High Tea Fundraiser**
 - Fri 14** **Annual Allora-Clifton Anglican Fete**
Clifton, 4.30pm
 - Fri 21** **St Patrick's Parish Fete**
St Patrick's School & Church Grounds, 5.00pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION - Clients wishing to include their events in the Events Calendar, must book a display (boxed) colour advertisement for the event in *The Allora Advertiser*, sized AT LEAST 2 column x 4 cm. Clients will then automatically receive, as a bonus, a calendar entry. These entries will be in a 2 line format as above, starting in bold with date and event, followed by venue and time.

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

Get your event listed in the Southern Downs Seniors Month 2016 calendar of events

Move over Seniors Week... August is 'Seniors Month' on the Southern Downs, and Council wants to list your event in the Southern Downs Seniors Month 2016 Calendar Events.

Seniors Week will be celebrated across the State from August 13 – 21 this year, with the theme 'It's on for young and old', and is an opportunity for Queenslanders of all ages to join together and celebrate the valuable contributions of older people.

Southern Downs Regional Council's Mayor, Cr Tracy Dobie said Council had again declared August to be Seniors Month in recognition of the growing support and interest by the Southern Downs community in holding seniors week events.

"Over the last few years, the sheer number and variety of events that community groups, clubs, organisations, government agencies and even businesses have held across the region has actually outgrown Seniors Week, with many spilling either side of the official week.

"This level of commitment to celebrating our seniors and the valuable contribution they make to the social and cultural fabric of the Southern Downs was the catalyst to turn Seniors Week into Seniors Month in our region.

"In Seniors Month last year, there were around 40 events held by more than 25 organisations including displays and exhibitions, art demonstrations and classes, fitness, fashion parades and friendship mornings, pottery, orienteering and croquet, country, jazz, gospel and other live music, and two seniors expos. It would be great to have that many events again in 2016, if not more," said Mayor Dobie.

Southern Downs Regional Council's Acting Manager Community Services, Mr Kerry Marsden said as part of Council's support for Seniors Month, Council coordinates and promotes a Calendar of Events.

"Council is inviting community organisations, groups and clubs to get involved in Seniors Month in the Southern Downs and create an event or activity to help acknowledge how much we value the contribution of seniors to our community.

"Council will list for 'FREE' any event or activity in the Southern Downs Seniors Month 2016 Calendar of Events that is open to all seniors and will be held between August 1 and 31.

"The calendar of events is distributed far and wide throughout our region and is just one of the ways Council supports the promotion of Seniors Week and its commitment to seniors on the Southern Downs.

"The feedback last year was really positive, with the range of events and activities on offer valued greatly by local seniors and our community in general, and Council is anticipating another great response to listings in the calendar this year.

"We look forward to seeing what inspiring activities and events the community comes up with this year," said Mr Marsden.

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If you would like your event or activity included in this year's calendar, you will need to complete the Southern Downs Seniors Month 2016 Calendar of Events Listing Form. Forms are available on Council's website at www.sdrc.qld.gov.au; pick up a copy from Council's Community Contact Centres or call Council on 1300 MY SDRC (1300 697 372). Completed forms must be received by Council no later than 5pm Thursday, 16 June 2016.

For more information about the calendar of events, contact Council's Community Services Team on 1300 MY SDRC (1300 697 372).

New nbn satellite broadband services launch for Maranoa

Residents living in regional and rural areas in Maranoa can begin to connect to affordable, high-speed broadband with the launch of services on nbn's Sky Muster satellite network.

Federal candidate for Maranoa David Littleproud welcomed the official launch of nbn's commercial Sky Muster broadband service today. "This is great news for people in Maranoa that will finally be able to access high speed internet," Mr Littleproud said.

Offering download speeds of up to 25 Megabits per second (Mbps) and upload speeds of up to 5 Mbps, the Sky Muster service will provide a faster online experience for internet users living in regional and remote areas.

"The Australian Government has invested \$2 billion in two advanced Ka-band satellites and a network of ground stations that make up the Sky Muster service," Mr Littleproud said.

"Many homes and businesses in Maranoa are still dependent on very basic internet access which makes even online banking or emailing difficult. Sky Muster will change all that for many thousands of Australians," Mr Littleproud said.

"This is an exciting announcement for the people of Maranoa. With more than 25000 businesses and homes eligible for Sky Muster satellite, Maranoa is the largest recipient of this roll out in the country," Mr Littleproud said.

A variety of different broadband plans are available from providers and pricing compares favourably with current international and local commercial satellite and mobile internet plans.

The launch of nbn's commercial satellite services is delivering the Government's commitment to bring high-speed broadband to rural and regional Australia.

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Breast & Prostate Cancer Women's Community Health Seminar in Warwick

The Breast & Prostate Cancer Association of Queensland (BPCAQ) is hosting a community health seminar in Warwick on Saturday 21st May at the Warwick Town Hall, 72 Palmerin Street Warwick, from 8.30am - 3.30pm.

This will be a very informative day for all those interested in learning more or are affected by breast or prostate cancer, carer's, family and friends are also encouraged to attend. Allied health professionals would also benefit to help build networks and to be updated.

Cost of the seminar will be a \$10.00 registration fee which includes morning tea and lunch. Contact the Brisbane office for Registration: Tracey Plumridge PH: 3666 0614 (Tue, Wed, Thu 9.30am-3.00pm) or Email: bcaq@bigpond.net.au

The Breast & Prostate Cancer Assn of Qld Inc is proud to present displays from a variety of health professionals and talks from medical specialist from Toowoomba, Warwick and Brisbane giving information from diagnosis to treatment options and available support.

Speakers will include: Dr Eric Donaldson - Breast and Endocrine Surgeon, Dr Marie Burke – Radiation Oncologist, Jocelyn Klug – specking on sexuality, Dr Devang Desai – urologist speaking on prostate cancer management, Dr Toby Ford – Ford Health speaking on Men's Health, Helen Seed – Physiotheapist speaking on Lymphoedema, specialist nurses Athaline Mulhall and Marion Strong - and Patient Perspectives by Gloria Cory (Goondiwindi BPCAQ volunteer).

The Breast & Prostate Cancer Association of Qld is a volunteer managed charitable Association. Please visit our website on www.bcaq.com or contact our office for more information.

For further information about this event contact - Warwick Breast Care nurse: Athaline Mulhall PH: 4660 3548 or Toowoomba Cancer Specialist Nurse: Marion Strong PH: 4616 6194

RSVP by 15th May for catering purposes would be greatly appreciated.

2016 LOCKYER SWAP MEET

The time is fast approaching for the annual Lockyer Swap Meet, to be held at the Laidley Showgrounds on Sunday May 22nd.

The swap is run by the Lockyer Antique Motor Association (LAMA) and is the club's main fund raiser for the year.

Because of infrastructure changes at Gatton the Lockyer Swap has re-located to the Laidley Showgrounds. The grounds are spacious, parking is easy and readily available, and the arena provides an ideal venue for an orderly and easily traversed Swap Site.

A Vintage Car Display is always a popular feature at the Lockyer Swap, and this year a Ute Show will add further interest to the day for visitors.

Swap Committee Member Tony Howard said 'Swap Sites are readily available for those who have "stuff" to market, and exhibitors need only to pay an extra \$2 on top of the \$3 gate fee to secure a site.'

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3. Does the term apoptosis refer to a) the popcorn cooking process, b) drooping of the upper eyelid or c) programmed cell death?
4. Helium, neon, argon, xenon, radon and krypton form a group of elements known as what type of gases?
5. What is this sequence of numbers called? 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34, ...

Answers in Classifieds pages

Originally published in Science by Email. For more CSIRO Double Helix science visit www.csiro.au/helix or call 02 6276 6643.



TRL: OBEE'S SUMMARY ROUND 7

Gatton 40 d. Goondiwindi 12 - In an unusual game, Gatton were too strong for Goondiwindi at Goondiwindi on Saturday night. The Hawks led 40- 12 at half time with the full time score 40-16. Hawks came out firing in the first half with half back Callum Woolacott and Dominic Haak

controlling the game. Hawks took the field without hooker Daniel Marsh and representative centre Alex Ambia also unable to play. Lock Michael Frohloff also played well for Gatton.

Goondiwindi coach Matthew Galvin was happy with his team's performance especially in the second half. He pointed out that Levi Wilson and McKenna Gibson were his best closely followed by Ronnie David and Callum Skinner

Hawks coach Nicki John Harch praised his side after he had a number of his players dropping out on game day. He agreed it was an unusual game and praised the Boars for their determination in the second half. But he was glad to come away with the two points. He said that Daniel Marsh was a big loss as his direction around the park is important to the side.

All in all a comfortable win for the Hawks.

Gatton 40 (Callum Woolacott 2, Josh Belz, Tye Gray, Allan Morris, Dominic Haak, Dennis Burgoyne tries Callum Woolacott 6 goals) defeated Goondiwindi 16 (Thomas Fitzgerald, Matthew Galvin, Levi Wilson tries Thomas Fitzgerald, McKenna Gibson goals)

Valleys 22 d. Dalby 18 - Valleys surprised last year's Grand Finalists Dalby by beating them 22-18 at Pillar Street on Saturday night. The Roosters hit the ground running getting a 12-nil lead until the Diehards levelled the scores at 12 all. Valleys again put it to Dalby to get to a 22-12 half time lead. Valleys tireless workers Hnaloan Budden and Dexter Buchannan were Roosters best.

In the second half, the match turned into a real grudge match with momentum swinging. Dalby climbed back into the match but to no avail.

Crucial errors at crucial times has been the story of Dalby's season. Diehards Coach Kerry Carmichael said his player's discipline was poor whilst saying the effort was there. Michael Fletcher and Kruse Turner were Dalby's best.

But it was Valleys night and they will look back at this game as a turning point for their season.

Valleys 22 (Tyren Nicholls, Josh Birch, Ryan Stevens, Nathan Short tries Tyren Nicholls 2, Trent Nicholls tries) defeated Dalby 18 (Zac Morris, Mitch Taylor, Michael Fletcher tries Zac Morris 3 goals)

Pittsworth 37 d. Highfields 34 - In front of a large home crowd, Pittsworth accounted for Highfields in a controversial match which saw in form Highfields prop Jake Cooley sent off in the first half for dissent. Cooley was sin binned for a

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professional foul and was sent for the game after words with the touch judge. I think we will hear more about this issue through the week.

Pittsworth players, Braydon Wilson and Thomas O'Sullivan both scored doubles whilst Eagles hooker Nick Bainbridge got a hat trick in a losing side.

The Danes led 18-12 at half time then a Jack Dempsey field goal gave Pittsworth a seven point margin just after the break. Highfields were not to be out done and came back with avenges to lead 24-19 mid way through the second half.

It was anyone's game from there with the lead changing hands yet again when Pittsworth got out to a 37-24 lead until Highfields again grabbed the momentum to get within three points 37-34 but the clock beat them. Whilst Pittsworth got the two points, it was a gutsy effort from the eagles after losing Cooley early. Eagles Coach Gus McKellar said that Jayden Motley continues to play above his weight whilst acknowledging Nick Bainbridge for his performance.

However, Pittsworth were very impressive and continue to lead from the front. They showed plenty of character to hang in for the contest and showed the rest of the competition they will be tough to beat, especially at home. Daniel York was the Danes best.

Pittsworth 37 (Braydon Wilson 2, Thomas O'Sullivan 2, Kabunare Kofe, Kurtis Shayler, Mitchell Carpenter tries Jake Johnston 4 goals, James Dempsey field goal) defeated Highfields 34 (Nick Bainbridge 3, Steven Lee 2, Blake Appo tries Jarrod Lee 5 goals)

Brothers 38 d. Wattles 28 - Brothers controlled their match against Wattles. In a hard fought win, Brothers experienced players, Michael Witt and Nick Patterson held their team together. Playing ahead of his years, Mitch Revell was clearly the player of the match. Marcus Cochrane also contributed scoring 3 tries.

Injury hit Wattles were without some big guns but performed well. Coach Gary Lawrence said they gave Brothers too much of a start trailing 22-10 at half time. But he said they had their chances when they had a try disallowed when the score was 32-28 to Brothers. That was with five minutes remaining but it was not to be for the Warriors. Lawrence said Brendan Wilson and Jarod Bradfield were his best.

Brothers 38 (Marcus Cochrane 3, Michael Witt 2, Braydon Barrett, Mitchell Tuite tries Michael Witt 5 goals) defeated Wattles 28 (James Johnson, Joseph Morris, Jarod Bradfield, Brendan Wilson, Tyrone Jowett tries Bennet Sutton 4 goals)

Souths 56 d. Oakey 12 - Southern Suburbs kept their undefeated record intact by convincingly defeating Oakey Bears at Clive Berghofer Stadium. The Tigers forward pack paved the way for their outside backs. Both teams started well with Souths going to a 12-nil lead after 35 minutes then they scored two quick tries to have a 24-nil lead at the break.

They again struck early in the second half but Oakey put together a couple of tries to put it to the Tigers to make a game

of it. 30-12. But the Tigers were too strong right across the park to go on with it and win well.

Captain Coach Daniel Holmes played a lot of the first half but rested himself for the majority of the match. He certainly used a number of his young guns with 18 year old Junior Chung Nee taking out the Hutchie's Player of the Match. Englishmen Tom Whitehead was good with both wingers Conner Pyke and Aaron Hooper having great games.

Oakey's best were Steve Rogers, Emmanuel Thornley and Jake Weribone.

Souths 56 (Aaron Hooper 2, Tom Whitehead 2, Corey Blades 2, Conner Pyke, Junior Chong Nee, Damien Mills, Tom Landers. Luke Nolan 8 goals) defeated Oakey 12 (Brandon Cubby 2 tries Dylan Adamson, Tristan Hooper goals)

Reserve Grade

Gatton 34 Goondiwindi 6

Valleys 22 Dalby 10

Pittsworth 30 Highfields 20

Brothers 42 Wattles 14

Souths 78 Oakey nil

Under 18

Valleys 50 Dalby 10

Pittsworth 46 Highfields 10

Border 34 Warwick 18

South Burnett Blue 86 Gatton 4

Goondiwindi 39 South Burnett White 14

Second Division

Valleys 31 Dalby 12



Wattles v Millwood

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- For the Clancy Smith side Billy Bange tackled very well and in attack was everywhere, this attacking ability soon payed off with a great run

away try coming his way. Jack Burton was another to tackle very well, he constantly found the zone using his shoulder nicely, we welcomed back Billy Keogh into the green and gold after being away for the last few games, his running and tackling skills were evident for all to see. Other players to impress with a solid all round game were Riley Coutts and Tom Worboys. The footy card awards were given to Billy Bange and Billy Keogh.

In our Allora Pharmacy team Zac Wheeldon was amazing, he scored 4 classic tries and was assisted greatly by Henry McMillan and Archer Steinhardt both who crossed for one.

Others to impress were Marty May who ran hard and straight and tackled strongly, whilst brother Jonte was a determined and effective tackler today. Kaiden Edwards showed big improvement this week. The footy cards were awarded to Zac and Henry.

U8 Steele Rudd Service Station - Wattles went head to head with Millmerran at Platz oval. The team continued to demonstrate some great tackling and a huge effort in attack. Jack Dal Santo continues to build his confidence taking strong runs and making good 1 on 1 tackles.

Yamuna Sternback and Cameron McKinney scored the tries for the Warriors. Harry Wright was Player of the match for his outstanding effort in all areas leading a great example. Well done U8's, keep up the good work!

U9 Cook Haul - On Saturday we gathered with a full complement of 16 players to take on Millwood. A wider field width an increase from 8 to 11 players on the pitch provided us greater room to move, however, it also resulted in some congestion around the dummy half.

This weekend the team worked very well in defence with all players tackling solidly resulting Millwood finding it difficult to move the ball forward in attack. Persistence and some fancy footwork from the Millwood team did see them run in a number of well-deserved tries.



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Seth and Zac had their first game sharing the dummy half role; both boys slotting into the role well doing a wonderful job of moving the ball in attack. They were assisted by Atticus and Patrick sharing the role of first receiver. Standouts in attack this week were Seth and George who ran the ball consistently. They were very unlucky to not make the try line; heavy talking from the Millwood team stopped them just short of the line. Noah and Atticus were rewarded this week with tries.

Nixon, Will, Lewis and Corey continued to play well running the ball straight and tackling well in defence. Playing on the wing this week Jason and Morgan talked well calling the team wide in defence and looking for gaps in attack. Takira, Jack and Brodie played well making runs and working hard in defence.

We thank Billy for taking on the role of statistician this weekend due to an injured hand, a result of a mishap at the skate park. Once again we thank Doug for being our league safe, running water and providing solid advice.

While there is not game next week it is important that all players are at training on Thursday. This week we will focus on reducing the crowding around the dummy half which will allow out attack to move more freely.

U10 Eastwell and Sons - The Wattle's under 10's this week where simply outstanding, coming up against their toughest opponent of the year.

Not once did they take a backward step against a much bigger team Millwood.

With hard hitting defence and determination Wattles were able to once again control most of the game scoring 6 tries and holding Millwood to 3.

Our forwards this week all deserve a mention Mitch Willett, Elijah Bowe, Mc Cabe Miller, Marty Warboys, Blake Pointon and Hamish Gartey, all where asked to step up this game and did not disappoint. Well Done.

Corey Deehan keeps improving as a half back every week, Brock Wheeldon and Clare Parry also played well.

Tries scored this week were by Hamish Gartey 2, Jack Wright, Piper Brady, Ryan Gillam and Elijah Bowe.

Thank you to Noah Gillam this week for playing up. Great game Wattles under 10's.

U12 Ryanie for Tyres - A real top effort today from the lads with our forwards Todd Newport, Darcy Minnikin, and Darcy

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Gorkow working hard thought the game and laying a good platform for our backs to really shine. Some great organisation from Liam Ruhle enabled Mick Shingles, Eli McKinney, Digby Giggins, Ash Greentree, Max Peters Marcus Blackwood and Joe Bange plenty of space to virtually score at will.

It was very pleasing to see the commitment in defence from the boys, they worked hard and closed the gaps and limited Millwoods scoring ability. Ashley Greentrees performance today is worthy of special mention, he scored 4 wonderful tries, putting himself in the right position on each occasion. Thanks to u11 players Who played up again for us a kept the team focused .

U13 Hopper Haulage and U14 Clifton Real Estate - Sunday we were invited in to play Brothers u13/14 development cup side in Toowoomba as curtain raisers to the TRL fixtures of Wattle v Brothers.

We had a good line up of 7 u13 and 6 u14 players present and started the game in good fashion with wonderful attack from the forwards Jayden Lamont, Clayton Brady, Rylan Saville, Ryley Lever, Sam Scott and Liam Free. Jayden in particular was tireless in his work making many yards with each run.

Liam Free was solid in defence, however it was his attacking ability that was a real highlight scoring 4 tries, one of which was a 50m solo effort. Levi Statham was very good today, he was on song in defence and support play was very good, Levi produced a highlight of the game with a great try running 90m untouched for the start of his double.

Other try scorers were Michael Duncan, Ryley Lever, Clayton Brady and Declan Sullivan, goals were kicked by Declan, Jacob and Hamish.

It was a very pleasing effort by this team, they worked hard throughout the game, ball skills were good, their unity was great, defensively they were solid, with stand out efforts from Seb Monet, Declan Sullivan, Jackson Pogany, Rylan Saville, Ryley Lever Sam Scott, Jacob Meddleton and Hamish all contributing to keeping brothers to 6 points. The final score today was Wattles 48-6

U16 Hamblin Builders - More pleasing performance against Stanthorpe today with both teams only having the bare 13 players. The first half was our best half to date with more respect to field position. We were far more patient with ball in our hands today keeping errors low and converting into tries when we earned good field position.

Went into half time leading 16-10.

Unfortunately the boys thought they had it won at half time and started the second half that way where as Stanthorpe came back out knowing they needed to lift.

Talk and enthusiasm in defence from the first half disappeared and they let Stanthorpe run. Missed tackles were plenty with some players not sharing the workload during the match which leads to high end tacklers starting to miss as well due to fatigue.

Stanthorpe scored some soft tries late and won 32 -16

A few players improved on previous performances but need to keep improving. A couple had strong first halves and quiet second ones.

Forwards Matthew Christensen and Mike Lasserre were very good again through out , Tom Parry had his best game so far with Tyler Gillam very good again at the back and was well supported by Wingers Hayden Smith and Regan Eastwell.

Top tacklers today were Mike Lasserre (19), Matthew Christensen (18) with half back Tom Parry (17). Shelby Evan Davis keeps improving and finished with (14).

Try scorers were Ty , Hayden and Paden with Regan converting 2/3.

Ian Brady



THINGS THAT HAPPENED ON THIS DAY - 12th May

1459 Sun City India founded by Rao Jodhpur	open in London.	1972 Paul McCartney & Wings release "Mary Had a Little Lamb".
1551 San Marcos University in Lima Peru, opens	1926 Umberto Nobile flies Airship Norge, 1st vessel to fly over North Pole.	1977 1st quadrophonic concert (Pink Floyd in London).
1689 England & Netherlands form League of Augsburg	1937 Coronation of King George VI of Great Britain (and his other realms and territories beyond the sea) at Westminster Abbey.	1980 1st nonstop crossing of US via balloon (Maxie Anderson & son Chris).
1733 Maria Theresa crowned queen of Bohemia in Prague	1938 Sandoz Labs manufactures LSD (lysergic acid diethylamide).	1984 South African prisoner Nelson Mandela sees his wife for 1st time in 22 years.
1777 1st ice cream advertisement (Philip Lenzi-NY Gazette).	1940 Nazi blitzkrieg conquest of France began by crossing Muese River.	1986 Fred Markham (US), unpaced & unaided by wind, is 1st to pedal 65 mph on a level course, Big Sand Flat, California.
1792 Toilet that flushes itself at regular intervals is patented.	1941 Konrad Zuse presents the Z3, the world's first working programmable, fully automatic computer, in Berlin.	1991 A new cancer drug is announced which can only be found in bark of a rare tree in the Pacific Northwest.
1870 Manitoba becomes a province of Canada	1942 1,500 Jews gassed in Auschwitz.	1992 1st Belgian woman (Ingrid Baeyens) to ascend Mount Everest.
1873 Oscar II of Sweden-Norway is crowned King of Sweden.	1943 Axis forces in North Africa surrender.	1994 "Pulp Fiction", directed by Quentin Tarantino and starring John Travolta, Uma Thurman and Samuel L. Jackson debuts at the Cannes Film Festival.
1890 The first-ever official cricket County Championship match begins. Yorkshire beats Gloucestershire by eight wickets at Bristol. George Ulyett scores the first century in the competition.	1943 German troops in Tunisia North Africa surrender.	1997 14 North Koreans defect to South Korea.
1897 1800-1900 year old fossil of "girl of Yde" found in Drente, Netherlands.	1949 1st foreign woman ambassador received in USA (Vijaya Lakshmi Pandit of India).	
1908 Wireless Radio Broadcasting is patented by Nathan B Stubblefield.	1951 1st H Bomb test, on Enewetak Atoll.	
1911 1st Inter-Empire Championships	1969 Kenneth H Wallis achieved record speed for an autogiro-179 KPH.	



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BELOW: Rod & Lyn Close's Garden in Arnold Street.

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3. (c) Apoptosis is the word for programmed cell death.
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"Council discussed the request at length, and agreed not to support or endorse the release of the high priority water for irrigation purposes.

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and industrial uses need to be viewed as the priority.

"The first responsibility of Council is to ensure that there is an adequate supply of water for the current and future residents and businesses of Warwick, and it is important to manage water resources in a very conservative manner, particularly in light of concerns with the existing water levels in Leslie Dam," said the Mayor.