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Trivia Triumphs



Let It Go - the winning team were good sports and generous donors. President Shann at far right presented the Rotary trophy. Rotary's Popular Trivia Night, held last Friday, saw a good turnout of locals testing their knowledge and having a great time. See story inside on page 4

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Bridge Replacement - Forest Springs

Road works will commence on Upper Forest Springs Road on Monday 16 March between the junctions of Bourkes Road and Berat Forest Springs Road, Forest Springs.

Works are expected to be completed in July 2020. Both the start and completion dates are subject to change

and weather dependant.

The works will require a detour around the existing bridge site with local access provided to residents at all times.

SDRC apologises for any inconvenience and appreciates the cooperation of road users and local residents during this period.

Letters to the Editor...

Dear Editor,

I would like to express, through your column, my appreciation of, and thanks to, our Mayor, Tracy Dobie, and her team for their very significant achievement in reducing the debt inherited from previous profligate incumbents, holding down rate rises, and maintaining infrastructure and community projects – all during a period of political upheaval, economic uncertainty, and destructive and demoralising weather events.

I can assure her of my continued support.

That said, I also believe that our minor concerns, of purely local matters - such as fire hazards, dangerous intersections, industrial noise, etc. – can be most effectively brought to council's notice by a councillor elected from the local population.

We have a local candidate for the forthcoming election. He has the prior experience of local government, and my own experience is that he will attempt to rectify any problem brought to his attention. He has my support.

I believe his election would be to our advantage, and would be an effective addition to Mayor Dobie's team.

We CAN win them all.

Yours faithfully,
Mick, Allora

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SAT	Mostly Sunny. Mild.	12 25
SUN	Mostly Sunny. Mild.	13 25
MON	Morning Clouds. Mild.	15 25

Has The World Gone Mad? Are Toilet Rolls a Collectors Item?



The toilet paper shelves on Tuesday morning, EARLY.

At the Allora IGA this was the scene...

- Late Monday afternoon - shelves were bare.
- Early Tuesday morning small supply had arrived and on the shelves.

• By Tuesday afternoon - shelves bare again!

It's a bit of a bumma if you've genuinely run out of toilet rolls at home and now have to use "gum leaves"

Happy 1st Birthday



Celebrating the birthday with cake and balloons are the wonderful volunteers L-R Lyn, Joan and Ashlie with Julie second from the right.

It's hard to believe but it's been 12 months since the Salvation Army Store opened in Allora. The Store Manager Julie Leggatt would like to thank the locals of Allora for their support and generosity.

CORRECTION - in last week's Allora Advertiser it was incorrectly stated that the Allora Campdraft was to be held last weekend. In fact the Campdraft will be held from Friday 27th March to Sunday 29th March. Our apologies for any inconvenience this may have caused. We'll have more details on the Campdraft at a late date.



Southern Downs REGIONAL COUNCIL

Last Wednesday, 4th March 2020, the Electoral Commission Queensland

Ballot Paper Draw

Councillors

- CARRICK, Marion
- TANCRED, Stephen
- GRANT, Greg
- CABEZAS, Paola
- MCDONALD, Cynthia
- MCNALLY, Jo
- JENSEN, Michael Damian
- LAWS, Sue
- HARROLD, Amanda Joy
- GREENE-GALLOWAY, Jenn
- GLIORI, Marco
- ETTERY, Robert
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- WANTLING, Russell
- GOW, Cameron
- KEOGH, Julia
- JOHNSON, Gregory Glenn
- STOCKS, Yve
- KELLY, Rod
- BARTLEY, Ross
- MCNICHOL, Marika
- HUNTER, Max
- CHRISTENSEN, Scott
- GALE, Andrew
- REES, Glyn
- WINDLE, Sheryl

conducted a random draw to determine the order in which candidates' names appear on the ballot papers for the local Government Elections on 28th March.

Here is the list of nominations standing for Mayor and Councillors of the Southern Downs Regional Council.

Mayor

- DOBIE, Tracy Madonna
- DOEPEL, Joe
- PENNISI, Vic
- KEMP, Peter

Final Drinking Water Distribution

The Southern Downs Community Relief Group Inc decided at its last committee meeting that it will cease drinking water distribution. The final day of distribution will be this Saturday 14th March from 2pm at the Warwick Showgrounds.

A survey of participants has revealed that most now have drinking water in their tanks and very few indicate that they will face hardship if the Group ceases this

operation. Distribution has already ceased at Pratten and will soon follow at Leyburn and Goomburra.

The organisation will continue to operate and review the relief needs of the community as they occur. It has been a great example of service organisations working together and the experience has built a strong foundation for multi support agency responses in the future.

Vote SHERYL WINDLE FOR COUNCILLOR



A vote to re-elect Sheryl Windle is a vote for a committed Councillor. I know how challenging the role of a Councillor can be. I am prepared for those challenges and will face them as a dedicated, full time Councillor. My priorities are to continue with the long term water security plans, continue to plan and achieve outcomes for Urban Development Frameworks for our smaller towns and villages, and, to uphold debt management and improved financial planning. I ask you to vote for a team of like-minded people who have the PASSION for the work, the HEART to see projects to fruition and the DESIRE to be a pivotal part of the team to establish a culture of productivity and success.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOTE FOR ME, YOU WILL FIND MY NAME AT THE END OF THE BALLOT PAPER.

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Authorised by: Sheryl Windle of 204 Pratten Street, Warwick, Candidate for Southern Downs Regional Council.

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River crossings meeting in Killarney

The next public meeting in Killarney regarding the preferred management options for the Condamine River Road Crossings will be held later this month. The meeting will be held at the Killarney Senior Citizens Centre, 11 Ailanthus Street starting at 6.30pm on Thursday 26th March. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

The Condamine River Road 15 River Crossings

Upgrade Preliminary Evaluation Report prepared for Southern Downs Regional Council by Kehoe Myers in July 2019 is available for review at www.sdrcl.qld.gov.au.

Interested residents and stakeholders are reminded that they can submit written feedback to Council at any time via email at mail@sdrcl.qld.gov.au or posted to PO Box 26, Warwick QLD 4370.



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Rotary Trivia Night

The annual Rotary Trivia Night saw numbers down but spirits high. Competitors found the questions more reasonable than last year and scores were higher and closer.

At the end of the final round, scores were tied and then, after a tie-breaker, they were once again locked in a tie. A knock-out style tie-breaker eventually gave a winner - the team Let It Go. Our thanks to the winners for their kind donation of part of the prize.

This year, patrons were able to see both progressive scores and the questions slides simultaneously and this kept the tension high. Once again, Robyn Draper executed the MC role with ease and pizzazz and students of Allora State School gave able assistance to quiz master, Andrew

Westerman and caterer, Liz Marshall.

Despite the reduced numbers, record sponsorships and donations of prizes meant that the event will break even. Our thanks to the Railway Hotel, West Talgai Feedlot, Warwick Credit Union, Allora Pharmacy, Melissa Denny, Allora Advertiser, Bunnings, Amy's Café and the Allora Hardware for their generous support. Others who were unable to attend also gave generously.

Rotary works at many levels from local to international and every cent of your support goes into our projects - we don't charge any administrative fees or use public money for any staff employed by Rotary. Thank you Allora community for backing us again.



Having a fine time - Trivia stalwarts, Quizlamic Extremists might not be at the top of the table (well, they were wooden spooners) but nothing dampens their spirit of fun and competitiveness, once again keeping the mood jovial and giving some of the most interesting responses.



Able assistance from Allora State School students.

Laura Statue in Allora



The Laura Geitz statuette has now be placed on the sandstone block in front of the Allora Sports Museum and (below) laying the sandstone blocks for the mini park in readiness for the official unveiling at the Sports Museum, to be held Saturday 21st March. More details of the event in next week's *Allora Advertiser*.



Buckle Up For a Lot of Bull

On Friday night 27th March the Allora Showgrounds will be packed with action.

It's the annual Allora Show Rodeo Bull Ride - part of the Border Region Buckle Series.

Be there from 6pm for a great night. Just \$10 entry with kids under 15 free.

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Georgina broke the 11 years girls 100m breaststroke record.



Allora students who were Age Champion or Runner-Up at the Central Downs carnival.



Daniel & Alexia with Schools Average Trophy.



ABOVE: Well done to Claire, Cooper and Paul who were named Age Champions at the Warwick All Schools event.

RIGHT: Claire and Cooper, Age Champions at Border District Swimming.



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Dairy Farmers Now Have An Ombudsman

This is major news for the dairy industry which will give the struggling dairy farmers an important ally in their quest for fair dealings with milk processors and supermarkets. There is also a horticulture



ombudsman for fruit and vegetable growers to seek arbitration on contract disputes.

Queensland Senator Susan McDonald had been campaigning before she was elected to the Senate and has remained active in the sector since being elected, pressuring milk processors and supermarkets to offer more for milk as farmers struggled with costs due to drought.

In extensive talks with dairy farmers, contract

arbitration and dispute resolution was the number one thing they asked for and the Morrison Government has implemented this.

This move was recommend by the ACCC and allows the ombudsman to quickly deal with complaints brought by farmers who can't reach fair agreements on farm gate prices. Importantly, this does away with the need for farmers to obtain expensive legal advice to pursue an action through the ACCC.

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- Driving the water security agenda
- Supporting local business and our primary producers
- Building the local economy while promoting strengths and attractions far and wide

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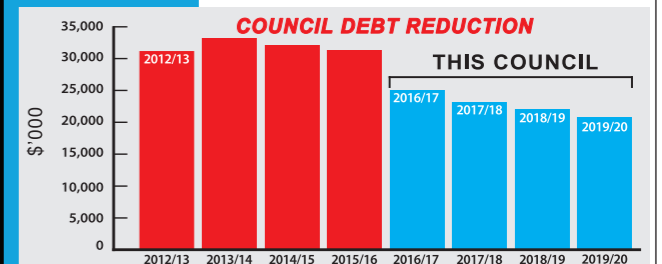
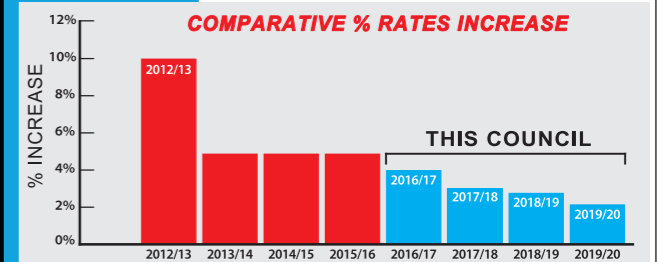
- Deliver economic and environmental sustainability
- Secure our vital water supplies
- Maximise State and Federal Government funding opportunities
- Fast-track necessary infrastructure and community projects
- Build a better future for our young people



VOTE 1 MAYOR

Since being elected Mayor in 2016 I have achieved strong financial management

- limited rates rises to just 2% - the lowest in the region in more than a decade;
 - delivered four consecutive budget surpluses;
 - continued to pay-down inherited Council debt by more than \$10 million in just four years, and
 - attracted substantial government funding to deliver more infrastructure & community projects than ever before
- TRACY DOBIE



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Congratulations to William, overall Age Champion for the 11yrs Boys at the recent Southern Downs Swimming Carnival.

Where are we heading?
Goals are important! At school we expect students to have goals about their learning. Every member of our school team has goals that they work for so that we can strive towards our school vision of being "An inclusive community committed to high levels of learning for all."

Strategic Plan
has drawn on feedback

offered by the students, parents and school team over recent years. Please familiarise yourself with our school's Strategic Plan. It gives a clear picture of where we're heading and what we plan to achieve by the end of 2022. If you have any questions or ideas relating for our Strategic Plan, you're welcome to come in for a chat.

P & F Meeting

The next P & F Meeting will be held at the new time of 6pm in the School library on Wednesday 18th

March. The P & F raises important funds that directly benefit our students. You don't need to be a member of the executive committee to contribute. Our main fundraisers are our school's trivia night and fete. New ideas are always welcome.

Term 1

Last school day of term 1 is Thursday 2nd April.

Tyronne Maher,
Principal

Allora Night Bowls – Week 7



Lucky raffle winners:- Ethan, David S, Rusty, Ryan, Dewey & John E. David Sparksman had the lucky number for the \$60 Jackpot cut but that's where his luck ran out so its \$80 next week.

Winning team for the night was The Other Team – Ethan and Ryan also had luck with touchers and the raffle, well done. Losers were The Three of Us.

Rink 1. The Other Team 19 d Tramps Like us 8; Rink 2. Landcruisers plus One 24 d Bowled & Beautiful 8; Rink 3. Pig Lures 19 d Three of Us 12; Rink 4. Fire Ants 28 d Railway Hotel 8; Rink 5. The Three Stooges 21 d A Bowla Virus 6; Rink 6. Are you Game Enough 32 d Generation Gap 3; Rink 7. Gina's Babies 21 d Doesn't Matter 16

Touchers for chocolates: Beetle, Lynn P, Bruce, Jackie, Ethan & Ashleigh and why is it all my touchers come after the bell rings.

A strange sight to behold on Rink 5, there were 7 bowls all neatly in a row down the green and scribe did not get a photo, not sure we will ever see that happen again.

Thank you to everyone, sponsors, workers and players for another great night, see you all back on the green next week. Happy Bowling.

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Air Conditioning
The Queensland Government has announced the Cooler Cleaner Schools Program, which will provide a total funding package of more than \$477 million over four years to air condition Queensland state schools and expand the existing Advancing Clean Energy Schools program.

Our school has been included to benefit from this announcement and work will commence shortly on air-conditioning classrooms and workspaces, which are presently not air-

conditioned. Great news for our school community.

Clean Up Australia Day
On Friday, 28 February, our school community participated in "Clean up Australia Day." My thanks goes to all students, parents and staff who assisted to ensure that our town was litter free.

Central Downs Netball Trials
Eight students attended the Central Downs netball trials at St Patrick's Allora

on recently. The girls played exceedingly well and it is fantastic to see their netball skills improving. Congratulations to Matilda, Sienna, Kaelee, Layne and Matilda on successful selection in the Central

Downs team. These girls will attend Southern Downs Netball trials this Friday, 13 March.

Shaun Kanowski,
Principal



VOTE YVE STOCKS

for the SOUTHERN DOWNS REGION

It has been my honour to serve the Southern Downs and Granite Belt community in my capacity as Councillor. I have never shirked my responsibility in making the hard decisions and I am proud of what has been achieved for our Region.

I stand by my record of the last 4 years:

- In 2016 I promised you that I would listen to what you have to say and take your concerns to Council.
- I have **not missed** a Council Meeting IN FOUR YEARS.
- I supported 7-day trading.
- I was instrumental in having the sewer line and the raw water line to Morgan Park put into one excavation project

• I supported urgent region-wide Water and Waste Water system repairs or replacement.

• A new suite of regional entry signs is in the final stages.

Together, we have achieved a lot for our community:

Reduced the debt by \$12 million, while retaining a surplus.

Reduced rate rises over the 4 years.

Attracted \$millions in State and Federal Government grants.

I respectfully ask you to vote for me again in 2020 and allow me to take what matters to you, to Council!

If you haven't met me and want to get to know me, please drop in for a chat.

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ALLORA'S MILITARY HISTORY

1888 - 1902

The Queensland Defence Force gave approval for a rifle corps to be established in Allora in December 1888. Captain Ken Hutchison of the Warwick unit called a meeting of those men who were interested to sign a Service Roll book and have their measurements taken for uniforms.

In January 1889, Dr Francis Pain was appointed captain, and Patrick Donovan, lieutenant of the E Company at Allora. 20 acres (8ha) was purchased from James Stewart for the establishment of a rifle range.

The Allora Rifle Range was on the site of the Dalrymple Landscape Haulage. It was used up until the 1960s. Well known champion shooters from Allora were William Moulday who won the King's Prize; Tom Maher Snr. picked for the Australian team to go to Western Australia but had to pull out due to work commitments; Eric Earlandson and Queen's Prize (Queensland Champion) winner Percy Gartner.

There was an attempt to form an infantry corps at a meeting in 1892, but insufficient numbers were received. Those present at the meeting suggested that a mounted infantry should be substituted.

An appeal in the Allora Guardian in July 1897, "To Young Men of Allora and District" to attend a public meeting at the Allora State School, to consider the desirability of forming a mounted infantry corps in Allora. The forty men



Allora Troop A.L.H. loading their horses on to train at Hendon for A.L.H. camp. Lieutenant Arthur Cameron on right.

who attended the meeting, were told the details of the privileges and duties. They would have to provide their own horse but would receive an allowance for forage. The term of service was three years and payment was based on the number of drills attended. The recruits had the cost of uniforms deducted from their pay. Thirty-two men at the meeting gave their names as being interested in enrolling.

In November 1898, a detachment of G Company Queensland Mounted Infantry, Warwick, was formed in Allora with twenty-one enrolled. Drill was held weekly in Allora and the men had to travel to Warwick for muster and musketry parade.

When the Queensland

Government voted to send a Queensland Contingent of Mounted Infantry to South Africa in 1899, a special muster of G Company was held in Allora. The enrolling officer Captain Chauvel explained the rates of pay and conditions of pay and asked for volunteers. Eleven members of the company gave their names for service - J Banks, C Bourne, J Burge, A A Cameron, G Hutton, T Kennedy, W Stewart, C R Stewart, R S Thompson, S Washbourne and W White.

The Allora Guardian reported that no other Q.M.I. Company in Queensland had a higher number of volunteers.

The Boer War continued over the years 1899 to 1902. All volunteers were required to serve for one year.

In all over 50 men from the Allora-Clifton area enlisted during that period. The first eleven enlistments in 1899 were part of the 1st Contingent. The others were members of either the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th Contingents. Those who joined the final Commonwealth Contingent in 1902 arrived in Durban in June 1902 after peace had been declared.

Four men from the district died, Lieut. L J Caskey, Corporal G B Conley, Private J H Anderson and Private M Geaney.

Over the next few weeks leading up to the Anzac Day 2020, the stories of some of the men from the district whose names are etched on the Boer War Monument in the Memorial Park will be featured.

Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago
March 1995

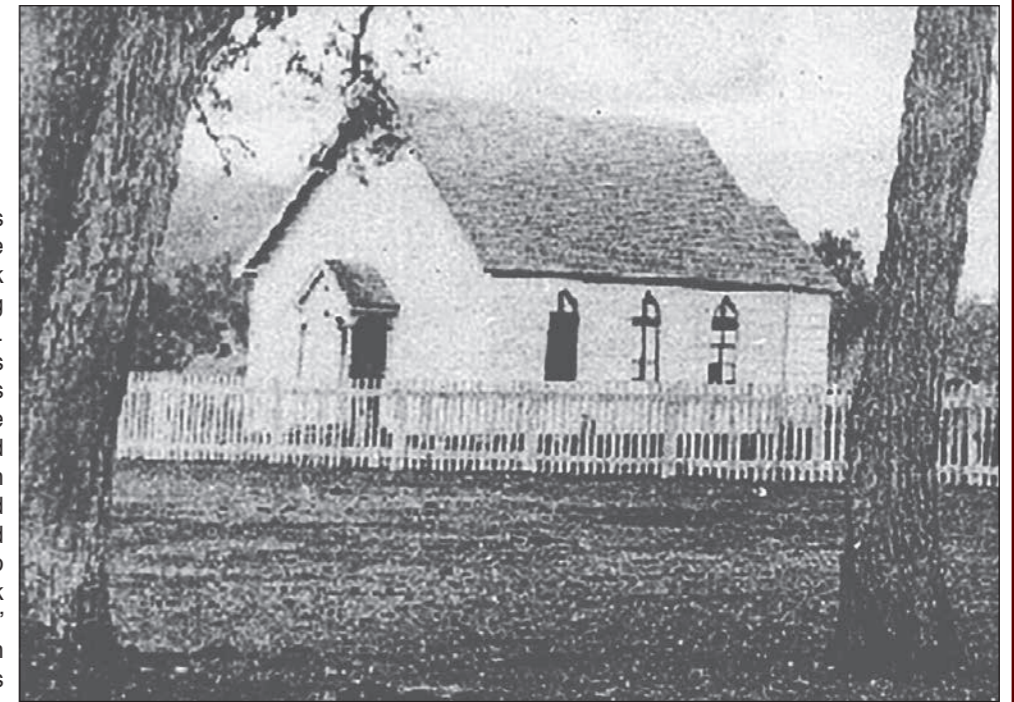
Park Name Retained

Warwick Shire Councillors voted to retain the name Dalrymple Creek Park despite two petitions calling for the renaming of the park. One of the petitions containing 83 signatures called for the name to be changed to the Eric Ireland Memorial Parklands in honour of the late Eric Ireland "who devoted 16 hard-toiled years and 450 trees to beautify the area of the park in a township that he loved." The second petition containing 222 signatures called for the park to be renamed Dalrymple Creek Reserve - Eric Ireland Memorial Parklands. Acting CEO Jim Stacey pointed out that none of the signatories on the first petition listed their address as Allora and a large number on the second petition did not live in Allora. Mayor Bruce Green said that the issue had divided Allora unnecessarily and the matter was now closed.

Allora's Past 75 years ago March
1945

St. Patrick's Ball

The lead up to St. Patrick's Day took the form of a ball in the Central Hall. The function was very successful. Door takings were £58. Ball arrangements were done efficiently by a committee comprising of the following: President, Rev. Father M. Mahon; Chairman, J. Hilton; Secretary-treasurer, Ray Marshall, Supper convenor, Mrs. J. E. Marshall. The Children of Mary were



The first St. David's Church of England built in 1868.

responsible for the attractive decorative scheme, while the ladies of the parish gave able assistance to Mrs. Marshall in providing and serving the supper. Mr. Tom Cowley was MC and Mr. George Thompson was in the box office.

Allora's Past 100 years ago March
1920

Diphtheria Outbreak

In consequence of receiving a report of cases of diphtheria in the town, the Commissioner for Health directed that swabs be taken from the children attending the State School. This was done last week by a representative of the Health Department. As a consequence of this action the Shire Council was notified by telegram that there were 43 carriers of the disease attending the school. The necessary precautions have accordingly been taken and the school closed.

Allora's Past 150 years ago March
1870

Church of England

A large and influential meeting was held in the English Church for the purpose of securing the services of the Rev. C. J. Clayton as the resident clergyman for Allora and surrounding stations. It is proposed to guarantee a stipend of £200 per annum and judging from appearances, there will be very little difficulty in obtaining it. Mr. George Clark, who was present, promised £50 p.a. absolutely and £80 if required, other gentlemen present promised sums amounting to the aggregate of £30. I hear that this amount has been largely augmented since with the assistance of Goomburra, Clifton and Pilton. No fears need be entertained for the success of the movement. (*Warwick Examiner & Times 5/3/1870*).

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Solution in classifieds section

BAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

Looking sternly at the accused, the judge said "Young man, it is alcohol and alcohol alone that is to blame for your problem."

"I'm glad to hear you say that, sir", said the accused "everyone else says it's my fault."

Events Calendar

2020

March -	
Fri 13	Allora Clifton Anglican Guild Street Stall Allora
Tue 17	St. Patrick's Day Concert and Lunch Victoria Hill Hall, from 9.30am
Sat 21	Fundraising Dinner for Local Drought & Fire Relief Services Allora
Tue 24	Allora CWA Friendship & Craft Group Allora CWA, 9.30am
Fri 27 - Sun 29	Allora & District Annual Campdraft Allora Showgrounds
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1. Along with hydrogen and oxygen, what other element is found in sugar? Is it a) carbon, b) sulfur, c) nitrogen, or d) iron?
2. The fifth sense is often called umami, but what other name does it have? Is it a) spiciness, b) pungency, c) savouriness, or d) grossness?
3. Which of the following solutions contains the most salt? Is it a) fresh water, b) brackish water, c) saline solution, or d) brine?
4. How many different types of bitter taste receptors are there in humans? Is it a) 2, b) 25, c) 251, or d) 2517?
5. What chemical property causes things to taste sour? Is it a) acidity, b) low temperature, c) reactivity, or d) flammability?

Answers in Classifieds pages

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TODAY'S QUOTE

"You grow up the day you have your first real laugh at yourself." - Ethel Barrymore

Cowboys Take Home The Barrett Shield



The 2019 Toowoomba Rugby League top try scorer, Wilson's touchdown kept his side at arm's length of their opponents trailing 12 - 4.

Toowoomba Clydesdales back-rower Ty Gardner added another try in the second minute of the new half.

The Warwick Cowboys finished best at Platz Oval on Saturday evening to secure their sixteenth Barrett Family Shield success winning 20 - 14 over the Wattles Warriors.

Ben Sullivan claimed the first try to have his Warwick outfit snatch a 6 - 0 lead after eight minutes.

First half errors weren't helping Wattles cause while the Cowboys impressed and capitalised on a chip kick winger Jake Speed to gather and score.

Leading 0 - 12 mid way in the first half the Warwick side were gaining momentum and taking advantage of Wattles misfortunes.

Minutes before the half time break five-eight Travis Burns put a perfectly placed cross field kick for winger Brayden Wilson to take and score.

Trailing 10 - 12 after 45 minutes Wattles had a spring in their step and it was Gardner again who crossed for another vital touchdown allowing Wattles a 14 - 12 lead.

With nine minutes remaining on the ground clock bench forward Hayden Bussell who stepped up from reserve grade, snared the match winning try for the Cowboys, converting himself for an 18 - 14 lead.

Wattles had an opportunity to close the game out in the closing stages with the line open only to see the ball roll free from a spilled pass.

Warwick were awarded a penalty in the final minute of play and Bussell goaled to secure the Cowboys 20 - 14 victory.

While disappointed, Wattles mentor Travis

Burns felt his side made to many errors on the night, "it was our first hit out of the year and we have some new players, we need to work on our cohesion and combination while basic errors also let us down."

Burns was pleased with the performance of powerhouse new front-rower Joe Mua and prolific try scoring back rower Ty Gardner.

Mobile former Brisbane Bronco's youth squad forward Brendan McBryde also impressed coming off the bench.

Under 18 youngster and Barrett family member Hunter Hamblin made an impact coming off the bench in his A Grade debut.

Wattles will focus on knocking the rough edges off their game as they prepare for their first Toowoomba Rugby League fixture game against the Highfields Eagles at Platz Oval on March 21st.

Warwick's classy representative hooker Ben Sullivan collected the Terry Doyle Memorial Medallion as best and fairest player in the game, an honour he also

won in 2018.

Warwick 20 (Jake Speed, Ben Sullivan, Hayden Bussell tries, Mick Bloomfield 2, Hayden Bussell 2 goals) defeated Wattles 14 (Ty Gardner 2, Brayden Wilson tries, Matt Duggan goals).

Reserve Grade - Wattles 38 (Blake Lollback, Josh Henry, Damien McDonald, Nick Morris, Tom Morris, Dale McAntee, Andrew Richardson tries; Tom Morris 4, Dale McAntee goals) defeated Warwick 8 (Dylan Lippy, Hugh Doolan tries).

Half Time: Wattles 16, Warwick 4.

Wattles best players: Tom Morris, Tom Duggan, Blake Lollback.

Under 18 - Warwick 30 (Tyrell Ross 2, Damien Beresford, D.J. Wallace, Brock Patti, Tom Bell tries; Tyrell Ross 2 goals) defeated Wattles 10 (Hunter Hamblin, Matt Wilson tries; Travis Pitman goal).

Half Time: Wattles 6, Warwick 4.

Wattles best players: Hunter Hamblin, Jack Tranberg, Darby Peardon, Jacob Meddleton.

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1. (a) A molecule of the sugar glucose has six atoms of carbon, 12 of hydrogen and six of oxygen.
2. (c) The fifth sense is savouriness, but it's also called umami, a Japanese compound word that means "delicious taste".
3. (d) Brine is a name for any water that is as salty or saltier than sea water.
4. (b) There are 25 different human bitter receptors recorded in the bitterDB database. But not all humans have all 25 receptors!
5. (a) Sourness is the taste that detects acidity.

THIS WEEK'S SUDOKU SOLUTION

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Allora Swimming Club's Grand Finale!

After a most successful season of swimming, the Allora Swimming Club is into the home straight and ready to finish the season on a high note.

Our club year has seen 15 club nights held each Friday over the summer school terms. Club coach Andrew Fidge has provided technical correction sessions throughout the season for our club swimmers and the improvement in the swimming ability of our members has been profound. Solid instruction has led to significant time improvements for the developing swimmers as well as the more experienced swimmers.

Prior to club championships, we wish Clare Eckersley, Will Day, Emma Day, Georgina Lester, Chloe Harm, Bailey Harm and their families plus club coach Andrew a wonderful evening this Saturday as they accept their Regional Awards at the Darling Downs Regional Swimming Association Presentation evening in Highfields.

Locally our season will wrap up with our Club Championships and Presentation Afternoon on Sunday



Allora Swimming Club members are set and ready to race at this weekends club championships. Left to right - Riley Burton, Rikaya Kelk, Tom Peters, Maeve Moore, Benjamin Mason and Alex Pardella.

15th March. With over 30 qualified swimmers, the championships will see some full lanes and some great competition between club members. Club Championships will commence with sprints at 9am before long distance events after morning tea. A BBQ lunch will be available for club members, life members and spectators to purchase lunch and support our Swimming Club. Club presentations to recognise the contribution of all club swimmers over the season will commence



Local swimmer Paul Costello has had an outstanding first year of swimming with the Allora Swim Team. Paul will be one of our Open Age group swimmers at this weekends club championships.



Allora Swimming Club members Benjamin Mason, Neveah Busuttill and Ruby Paterson have shown tremendous progress throughout the 2019/20 swim season.

approximately 1pm on Sunday.

The committee extend a warm welcome to life members, club supporters, interested families and spectators to our grand final of local swimming this weekend!

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