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Over 100 kids and their parents turned out for a ghostly experience at Willett's Electrical in Allora.

The Halloween display was amazing - thanks to Melissa and Brett Willett along with all their helpers.

Front page photo this week is inside Willett Electrical's Haunted House. (more pics next week)



Metice Chandler & Lucy McMillan with faces only a mother could love.



Harry & Ellie Pidgeon with the town chicken.



CONDAMINE COUNTRY ARTS & OPEN STUDIO TRAIL

6 & 7 NOVEMBER 2021

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Golf Club President Resigns

It is disappointing to report that our Golf Club President, Lenny Hoey, has tendered his resignation. With increasing work commitments, Lenny is concerned that he will not be able to commit sufficient time to the Golf Club. Lenny has been President for only one year but what a year it has been. Under Lenny's stewardship the Golf Club undertook the largest capital expenditure programme since the golf course was built, including the building of the Maher-Rickert bridge. (Who can forget the bridge opening ceremony this time last year). Golf club membership reached record



Lenny Hoey.

numbers and participation in golf was higher than ever before. All the best Lenny and we trust we will still see you down at the club. Golf Captain John will act as President until next year's AGM.

John Ellwood, Allora Sports Club



A highlight of Lenny's year as President was the building of the Maher-Rickert Bridge across the Dalrymple Creek on the Allora Golf Course.

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Remembrance Day - November 11

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The 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month attained a special significance in the post-war years. The moment when hostilities ceased on the Western Front became universally associated with the remembrance of those who had died in the war. This first modern world conflict had brought about the mobilisation of over 70 million people and left between 9 and 13 million dead, perhaps as many as one-third of them with no

known grave. The allied nations chose this day and time for the commemoration of their war dead.

Seventy two men from this district died and four of these men attended Allora State School.

Members of the public are welcome to attend Remembrance Day at the Allora Cenotaph next Monday. It would be appreciated if you could arrive at 10.30am with the service at 10.45am and observe one minutes silence at 11am.

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Is It A Losing Battle?



Lost Property is an issue at Allora P-10 State School. Students from both primary and secondary school can easily forget to

collect that jumper, hat or track pants they've taken off during the day. So if your child is missing any uniform item, lunch container, drink bottle or stationery it could be in the lost property containers located at the School. Please remember to name all items clearly so they can be easily identified and returned to owner.

Input needed by locals to shape our future



Southern Downs REGIONAL COUNCIL

Southern Downs Regional Council is inviting all members of our community to join the conversation that will shape the future of town planning across the region. The community's ideas and visions will be pivotal in the current review of the region's ten-year planning scheme to ensure the Southern Downs is planned and developed for the people who live here. Southern Downs Mayor Vic Pennisi said genuine community engagement would drive a plan to regulate growth and change through a series of well consulted strategies.

"The Southern Downs Planning Scheme is an important document for shaping our region, our home," Mayor Pennisi said. "This document will be central to how our region evolves and grows into the future and it will direct where,

how and what development occurs, what infrastructure and public spaces should be provided for communities, environment and building protection and land uses.

"Community consultation events are planned throughout November and we want to see the community come out in numbers to ensure that the new planning framework reflects the needs and aspirations of our residents."

Public drop-in and pop up events: Killarney: 4.30pm – 6pm, Thursday 4 November, Killarney Senior Citizens Hall, Warwick: 4.30pm – 6pm, Wednesday 10 November, Warwick Town Hall, **Allora: 4.30pm – 6pm, Thursday 11 November, Senior Citizens Hall**

Five key themes have been identified to shape the final planning scheme:

1. Housing
2. Business and Tourism
3. Environment, Natural Hazards and Climate Change
4. Heritage, Culture and Character
5. Agriculture

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Allora Show Society Inc. News



Our volunteers with assistance from the Warwick Work Camp Volunteers are busy preparing the showgrounds for coming events and the 144th Allora Show on 4th and 5th February 2022. If you would like to be involved with the annual Allora Show please contact the Secretary Fiona Hanson on 0477 065 077.

The Show Society welcomes the Warwick Rose Squash Club. The Warwick Rose Squash Club Inc had been running for over 40 years in Warwick and has now relocated to the Allora

Showgrounds Pavilion. The Club offers social games on Mondays at 5.30pm with competition fixtures on Thursday evenings at 6pm. Contact Jenny Gillet 0418 413 933.

Coming Events
• Dressage training day on Sunday 7th November – see the Allora Show Society Equestrian Group Facebook page for more information

• Allora Kennel Club 3 day Dog Show from Friday 19th November The Allora Show canteen will cater for all the competitors and visitors over the weekend.

The next general meeting for the Allora Show Society Inc. will be held on Sunday 14th November at 3.45pm at the Sandwich Bar.

Allora P-10 State School P & C needs help

A Working bee will be held at the school this Saturday 6th November at 9am.

This is to paint the road safety games on the asphalt

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Tickets for the concert are \$15 adults, \$10 children - under 2 years free. Tickets www.festivalofsmallhalls.com

What a way to end the 115th year of the Goomburra Town Hall!

Combining the Annual Christmas party on Sunday 28th November with a concert presented by the Festival of Small Halls.

The Christmas Party starts at 4pm with treats, jumping castle, barbecue, bar and of course Santa will pay a visit.

Island-Soul styled Australian-Fijian Andrea Kirwin, and Blues/Folk/Pop guitarist and singer Tullara will be the main event.

Andrea has a warm stage presence, retro soulful sound and a knack for storytelling.

With her percussive finger tapping, guitar playing wizardry, not to mention the alluring power of her voice,

Tullara has an undeniable, uniquely endearing stage presence full of raw, powerful honesty, and swagger.

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The Condamine Country Art and Open Studio Trail (CCART) returns this Saturday and Sunday 6 & 7 November with venues open from 9am to 4pm both days.

Open Studio Trails offer the thrill of watching an artist create in the moment an inspirational and memorable experience with the added bonus of conversation and

connection.

CCART 2021 introduces three new studios in the east of the Southern Downs Region creating an easy driving loop starting at Swan Creek through Emu Vale and Killarney and lastly back to Warwick via Loch Lomond.

The Swan Creek School of Arts Hall, a destination in itself, will be the venue

for Helen McConville's and her quirky metal sculptures made from recycled metals.

Frogs Hollow Retreat at Emu Vale will offer colour and creativity in the most delightful setting. Neighbours Dianne Kelly and Loretta Grayson are both very successful and popular artists.

The Willow Gallery at

Killarney will feature Dawn Head Rose and Jayne Deshon as resident artists as well as many other local artists represented in the artist run space. Jayne calls herself a "slow stitcher" inspired by traditional Japanese needlework.

Donna Hey is an expert candle maker with a purpose built studio "Windyhaze Creations" overlooking the magnificent Great Dividing Range. Every candle is individually hand poured by Donna who produces beautifully fragranced candles, melts and reed diffusers cased in an exquisite selection of jars.

The drive between the studios is considered an equal part of the delight of the Trail as you meander through small villages and flourishing countryside.

In Warwick the place to begin the art adventuring is Warwick Art Gallery where you can collect all the information on the location of the artists and their studios. Details are also on the Trail website www.ccarttrail.com

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VISIT

- Private artists' studios
- Collectives | Artisans working together
- Explore our unique public artworks

WARWICK ART GALLERY
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AMELIA BATCHELOR "MEALIE B"
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WARWICK
Artist's Studio
7 Cecil Street
NIKKI MALONE
Oil Painter

WARWICK
Art@The Precinct Gallery
145 Victoria St
SUE HAMLET
Acrylic/Mixed Media artist

WARWICK
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2 Eliza Court
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Mosaic/Glass Artist and Painter

WARWICK ARTISTS' GROUP
21 Willi Street
JUANITA FAINT (Saturday)
JUDY CURRIE (Saturday)
EILEEN MAIR (Sunday)
JILL BIRTWISTLE (Sunday)

SWAN CREEK
Warwick Yangan Road
Swan Creek
School of Arts Hall
HELEN MCCONVILLE
Recycled Metal Artist

EMU VALE
493 Yangan Killarney Road
Frog's Hollow Retreat
LORETTA GRAYSON
Mixed Artist
DIANNE KELLY
Painter

KILLARNEY
26 Willow Street | Willow Art Gallery
DAWN HEAD ROSE
Realist Artist

KILLARNEY
JAYNE DESHON
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DONNA HEY
Candle Maker

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TRENDY INSIDE

\$ 250,000



Freshly painted exterior

- 2 bedrooms, 1 built-in
- Modern kitchen has electric appliances, adjoining dining.
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LOW MAINTENANCE

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- Open plan living with slider to undercover entertaining
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- Laundry in garage
- Rain water tank in enclosed courtyard

INVESTORS: Renting at \$280 per week

LOVINGLY MAINTAINED

\$ 325,000



Close to Scots College

- Brick 3 big built-in bed home
- Air con, woodfire + ceiling fans
- Open plan living has aircon, adjoins lounge
- Kitchen has electric appliances, bench space & pantry.
- Bath has shower, sep bath, sep toilet
- Laundry access yard
- Undercover entertaining area
- 803 m² fenced yard
- 2 bay shed + 1 car

STARTED RENOVATION !

\$ 185,000



Brick & block home – Finish & Cash In

- 3 bedrooms, shower, 2 car
- Modern s/steel kitchen has electric appliances, adjoining dining.
- Bathroom has shower, toilet & vanity.
- Utility laundry
- Lock up garage, fenced 2024 m² backyard.
- Motivated Handyman will appreciate!

INVESTOR ON BIG BLOCK

\$ 265,000



Potential to subdivide 1325 m² lot

- 1960's Timber 3 b/in bed home
- Window aircons in lounge & main b/rm
- Lounge media off entry hall
- Open plan tiled living has aircon
- Kitchen has slow combustion + elec appls, bench space & pantry.
- B/room: shower o/bath, sep toilet
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- Gen Dev Req: please contact our office
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- Lounge room, ceiling fan & air con
- Bathroom has vanity, shower & toilet
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- Sunroom with views
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INVESTORS: Renting at \$340 per week

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\$ 585,000



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- Infrastructure - igloos used for piggery 10 yrs ago
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- 10.45 ha fenced to paddocks & laneways.
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What a coincidence!!!

A few weeks ago, I told Dot about the 1870 – 1970 wedding gowns, bridesmaid dresses, going away outfits & debutante dresses that we, at the historical society, were displaying in the Old Shire Chambers building. She said she'd like to see them, so I decided to take her down when we had finished setting it up.

Before we had finished, on one of my visits to her (Dot now resides in the Allora Southern Cross Aged Care home), she asked if I had ever come across her wedding dress which she had given to her daughter-in-law, Diana, many years ago to make into something else. Dot thought it would have fallen apart with age and wear because her daughter, Ruth, & niece, Kaye, used to play dress up with it all those years ago.

I was apprehensive but also a little excited because about two months before, I had found some lace & a dress scrunched up in the back of the very bottom shelf

of a cupboard I was tidying. I knew nothing about this dress but when I described it to Dot, she was sure it was hers.

How would you be??? Here was her wedding dress, 71 years after she had married Phillip Free in August 1950, coming to light at the most opportune time. I carefully washed it & it is one of the many beautiful dresses on display at the museum. Dot has now donated it to the museum. It, with all the other dresses will be stored in acid free boxes for posterity.

Our museums will be open again from 10am – 3pm on Sunday 7th November & Sunday 5th December with this special display. We would like to see many locals as well as visitors come to enjoy what the society has to offer. \$5 entry is less than a cup of coffee. Children under 14 are free. Please support our society & enjoy.

Wendy Ardrey, Secretary
Allora & District Historical Society



Dot (91 in November) & Kaye admiring Dot's wedding dress.



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Great Success For Hendon's Milton Park

Josh Milton's Milton Park stud, based in Hendon, had champions across multiple categories at the Royal Queensland Show (Ekka) Sheep Competition at the Pittsworth Showgrounds in October.

The competition saw two classes judged for rams and ewes, one being the Open Class with 40 entries and the other the Champion of Champions.

Milton Park went five for five with the eligible sheep they entered in the competition, with a Suffolk winning the Champion of Champions event for ewes, a white Suffolk winning the Reserve in the same category and the remaining three sheep winning the Champion of Champions Breeders Group.

Josh Milton of Milton Park said he felt pretty good about the performance of his stud.

"I was quite pleased with the stud, particularly the ewe," Mr Milton said.

"She ended up being the Supreme Sheep of the Toowoomba Show earlier this year."

He said he felt pleased that the ewe went so well.

"I had no expectations. Going into an event, I never expect any major accolades."

Mr Milton said he moved to Hendon seven or eight years ago after previously being based at Clifton on the New England Highway.

As well as sheep, he is also involved in the pork industry, owning a piggery business.

Mr Milton is well known among sheep circles as he was formerly the national president of the Suffolk Sheep Society of Australia for five or so years.

Locally, he is known as chief steward of the Allora Show and for helping out with the sheep competition at the Clifton Show.

The Champion of Champions title saw the winning entries from the Allora, Inglewood, Pittsworth, Warwick, Toowoomba, Clifton and Mt Gravatt agricultural shows battle it out.

The competition is one of the richest of its kind, offering more than \$3,000 in prize money.

The judge for the Champion of Champions event was Andrew Heron - President of the Queensland Branch of the Australian Stud Breeders Association.

The rams that were eligible for the competition were Texel from the Hood Family Plainview, Suffolk from Josh Milton, Milton Park, Dorset Horn from Lyndon Frey Silverdale, Poll Dorset from Chris Ruby Sovereign, and Dorpa from Livingstone Christian College.

The winning Champion of Champions Ram was the Poll Dorset exhibited by Chris Ruby Sovereign, and the Reserve was the Texel Ram from the Hood



The Grand Champion Ram was a Suffolk ram exhibited by Josh Milton from Milton Park at Hendon. Pictured here with James Dickson from Dickson AG and Erin Lee Sheep Judge.

Family Plainview.

Mr Milton said as the venue for the competition, the Pittsworth Showgrounds was "quite good actually."

"The competition had to take place somewhere."

"It's the ideal venue because its close to where eligible people are from," he said.

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Allora Swimming Club Returns!



The Allora Swimming Club has kick started a very successful new season, meeting at the Allora Pool every Friday night at 5pm. In just four years under the leadership and coaching of Pool Leasee Andrew Fidge, the Allora Swimming club has rebounded from just 16 members to now hosting 80 plus registered members. This is a testament to the goals of the committee to create a swimming community where all local children were afforded the opportunity to learn to swim and enjoy the swimming environment. The Club continues to cater for swimmers of all abilities with coaching available Monday to Friday with Andrew.

The Club proudly named our season Club Captains and we congratulate Jackson Sparksman, Paul Costello, Emma Day and Alyssa White on their roles. Our Club Captains contribute



Club Captains of 2021/22 Season - Jackson Sparksman, Paul Costello, Emma Day and Alyssa White.

to the set up and pack down on club nights and are proud representatives of our club. These senior swimmers are role models and supporters of our juniors and we are grateful to have them on our team.

Commencing their long course season with enthusiasm, a team of

swimmers competed at the Turbo Jets Carnival at Milne Bay on Saturday 23rd November. While club members have minimal training under their belt this season, many still managed multiple Personal Best swims and some promising swimmers as we move forward. Congratulations to

our medallists at the meet Chloe Harm, Savannah Butler and Alyssa White.

The Allora Swimming club will host the 52nd Annual Allora Rotary Carnival on Saturday 13th November. With the exceptional level of sponsorship we have received from local businesses, we are looking forward to a fabulous day of racing. We invite community members and club supporters to join us at the pool to enjoy a great day of swimming.

As our season progresses very quickly, new swimmers are most welcome to join our club. Come on down on a Friday night to have a chat or phone Club President Donna-Maree on 0467 670 595.



Allora Swim Team members competed at the Turbo Jets Meet at Milne Bay in Toowoomba. Congratulations on a great start to the competitive carnival season! **Back, left to right:** Jackson Sparksman, Aamilyn Johnson, Hannah Bourke, Matilda Rees, Bridie Hutchison, Ellyse Kruger, Alyssa White, Jett White, Ziggy Gibson, Savannah Butler. **Front, left to right:** Meiraleyka Johnson, Ruby Patterson, Ella Hutchison and Blake Rees. Absent: Chloe Harm.

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Jeremy's View



Going to Brisbane to See the QSO Part 2

In part one we had arrived at QPAC to see a QSO concert but unfortunately we were locked out of the concert hall as we arrived a few minutes late due to the taxi. After the preconcert video ended William, Mum and I went into the concert hall. We sat in the third row and enjoyed a fantastic concert by the QSO titled Breathtaking Tchaikovsky. The program included Liszt Concerto No. 1 for Piano and Orchestra and Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 6 Op. 74, which was the last symphony he wrote before his death nine days after the premiere in 1893. After the QSO concert we took a walk to River Quay Fish which is the place we were going to have dinner at that night. But on the way we stopped at a café which was right next to the wheel of Brisbane ferris wheel, so we figured since we were already there that we would go on it. I'm afraid of heights and I've never been on a ferris wheel before but we did and it felt both scary and fun especially when you go around the top. When we got off we went straight to River Quay Fish and had dinner there. And William tried oysters which he said were salty and made him want to spew. After we had dinner we walked across the Goodwill bridge and went back to Parliament where Dad was waiting for us. In the morning we took a walk to the coffee club and had breakfast there. After that we went to the Anzac Square War memorial. It had a lot of statues, plaques and also the eternal flame. After we looked around we went to QBD books and then mum and I went to a Southern Cross Soloists (SXS) concert in the afternoon. I wrote about the SXS in another column.

Jeremy Lister, age 10

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Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago November 1996

Busy Volunteer Band

The Happy Wanderers Band has a full schedule in their voluntary task of entertaining the elderly citizens of Warwick and district. Each month they play for Friends in Action, Akooramak and Killara Blue Nursing Centre. They play weekly for the residents of The Oaks and for Warwick Hospital patients. Occasionally they play at The Homestead, Allora, Leslie Place at Killarney, the Blue Nursing Centre and Carramar at Stanthorpe, and at the Warwick Senior Citizens Centre. The band comprises Kingsley Locke (piano), Merv Jensen (drums), Ken Pinnington (saxophone), and Jack Harrison (clarinet), with Keith Masters who acts as MC and leads the audience in a sing-along.

Allora's Past 75 years ago November 1946

Music Exams

At the recent examination held by the A.M.E.B. of Music the following pupils of St. Joseph's Convent, Allora, were successful: Grade VII, Justeen Volker 87%, Michael Gordon 87, Margaret Fogarty 85; Grade VI, Jill Marshall 87

(hons), Viola Robin 87 (hons), Janette Neale 85 (hons), Marie Morrissey 83 (violin), Claire McGovern 85 (hons); Grade V, Betty McVeigh 77, Beverley Ryan 75; Grade IV, Edith Scotney 82; Grade III, Lorna Willett 86 (hons), Marcelline Ryan 85 (hons); Grade II, Fay Fritz 77.

Allora's Past 100 years ago November 1921

War Memorial Unveiled

The Allora Shire Soldiers Memorial was unveiled by General J. C. Robertson. Prior to the ceremony General Robertson was accorded



An early photo of the Allora WWI memorial.

a civic reception at the Shire Hall where a guard of honour composed of returned soldiers, was drawn up under Lieutenant W. Neal D.C.M. Later a procession marched from the hall to the Memorial Park, being headed by the local Salvation Army Band and consisting of returned soldiers, army veterans, cadets, Allora State School and St. Joseph's Convent pupils, St. George Society and the general public. After the unveiling, General Robertson was entertained at dinner by the Allora Shire Council and was then a guest of the RSL at a concert.

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Colin Newport

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PARKER, Merle Heather née Weier

Late of Allora, passed away on 29th October 2021, aged 85 years.

Beloved Wife of Keith Parker and Stan Weier (both dec'd). Dearly loved Mother and Mother-in-law of David and Kim; Janice and Will; Bronwyn and Grant; Stephen (dec'd); Robert. Loving Grandmother and Great-Grandmother of their families. Loved Sister, Sister-in-law and Aunt of Joan Addley and her family.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend Merle's funeral, to be held at the Allora Uniting Church, 44 Warwick Street, Allora, service commencing at 11.30am, Thursday 4th November, 2021.

Upon arrival at the service, to comply with the State Health directive, please register via QR code or handwritten means.

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Death Notice

HAIG, Nicky – Suddenly passed away in Mackay last week.

Loving daughter of Tony & Kerry, sister to Mark, Cameron and Dean.

Sadly missed by Nathan and beautiful daughters Kacy and Jess and extended family and her many friends.



GILMORE, Glenis Barbara

Late of Allora, formerly of Goomburra, passed away on 25th October 2021, aged 82 years.

Beloved Wife of George (dec'd). Dearly loved Mother and Mother-in-law of Greg and Wendy; Andrew; Rob and Jane; Scott and Mandy; Tony and Dee. Loving Grandmother of Dayna and Leah; Thomas; James, Toby and William; Brian and Dean; Josh.

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Allora Bowls Notes

WEEK 9 - A lovely spring night for bowling for a change, no sign of beanies or coats. Again Ryan had a good selection of music for us to play along to, thank you Ryan you do a great job, it gets everyone in the bowling mode.

This week's results – Rink 1. Phoenix Rising 16 d Doesn't Matter 6; Rink 2. Fireants 22 d Burnt Clutch Bandits 9; Rink 3. What a Show 15 d Do It Again 4; Rink 4. Generation Gap 17 d Beers Bowls & Bitches 13; Rink 5. Peaky Blinders 23 d Railway Hotel 6; Rink 6. The Three Stooges 24 d Stone Cutters 10; Rink 7. Pig Lures 24 d The Two Poc Crew 9.

Some loose exacerbation from Russell on Rink 2 missing a drive by a bees knee then wicked off a bowl & drew the shot, twice in a row. (Sorry Russell if I got that story wrong, I could not understand my writing). I know we shouldn't do this each week but poor Patto, you need to keep a better eye out when the results

of an end are shown to you, 5 fingers up means your opposition won 5 ends, it is not a rude gesture to you. Congratulations to What A Show for their win over Patto's team.

The Paul Parker toucher winners this week were Bev, Kate, Bruce, Max, Sid & Kim. Thank you to the chocolate fairy whoever you are.

Winners for the night were Rink 3 - What a Show and Losers - Rink 4 Beers, Bowls & Bitches.

Raffle winners were Wendy (2), Chris Wright, Cody, Gade, John E & Ryan. Ashleigh drew the cards for a crack at the Jackpot but alas was not a winner. Jackpot next week \$200. Got to in it to win it.

Again a big thank you to all our sponsors Allora Butchery, Railway Hotel, True Value Hardware, Percy Fruit & Allora Sports Club, Moley for keeping the rinks in great order. Also our subs who step in each week to fill in for players.

Weekend Golf News



With the rain on Friday there was no Percy's Fruit Duck Run.

Sunday we played a three person ambrose with trophies donated by John, Lenny and Rob. Winners with a net 53.8 were Moose,

Matty and Jacko. Runners up were Dave, Josh and Mark with net 54 and John, Tommy Brown and Neil were third with net 56.7.

Next weekend is the Clifton Open. We will play for the Railway Hotel Monthly Mug on Sunday and the following Saturday will be the Willy Duff Annual Charity Day with proceeds donated to Ronald McDonald House.

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