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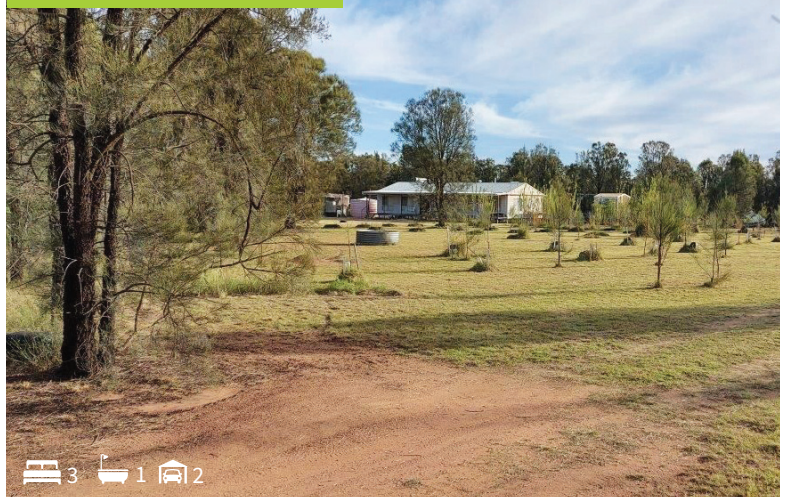
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OH WHAT A FEELING

SDRC has released its 2022/23 Draft Budget for public consultation

Southern Downs Mayor Vic Pennisi said the draft supports a recovering community and is considerate to the increasing cost of living amid delivering essential services, with a minimal and reasonable rate rise to ratepayers.

"While we are facing a challenging economic climate, Council remains mindful that our core business is roads, rates and rubbish and our job is to deliver to the community what they cannot deliver for themselves," Mayor Pennisi said.

"Our budget this year continues to focus on our needs and not our wants. With unprecedented rains and sustained damage to our road network, the skyrocketing cost of materials, the blow out of CPI, we are focused on cutting costs where we can without undue strain on the liveability of our region.

As with previous years, the draft budget is available for public review on Council's website at www.sdrcl.qld.gov.au/living-here/have-your-say/draft-budget-2022/2023 and at Council's Administration

Buildings and Libraries.

The consultation period closes at **5pm Sunday 12 June 2022**. Written submissions are welcomed via email budget@sdrcl.qld.gov.au

Budget highlights include:

- Significant support for community grants.
- Realigning resources to provide additional staff and investment in the areas of water supply and maintenance of parks and open spaces.
- Record spending on Capital Works with a focus on replacing ageing infrastructure.
- Continued investment in flood restoration.
- Reforms to the rating system to help mitigate the impacts of the recent land valuations.
- Funding for the Stanthorpe Art Gallery extension and the Warwick Saleyards upgrade.
- Reforms to the pricing and operation of water and waste services to address financial shortfalls.
- Continued savings on rates and charges paid by developers to encourage development.

Allora Medical Practice continuing service

The Allora Medical Support Group Inc. (AMSG) and practitioners of the Allora Medical Practice have provided an update on the operation of the Allora Medical Centre.

The recent departure of Dr Carl from the practice has placed a considerable workload on the remaining doctors.

Dr Carl's departure was unplanned and ultimately unfortunate for the community but nonetheless necessary for him to address personal matters.

A statement from the Centre said as the workload on the doctors increases so too does the workload on all staff at the centre.

"Notwithstanding the increased workload on the staff and the ever-increasing demand for service all current registered patients will continue to be seen and treated," the statement says.

"To assist the smooth running of the practice we ask the community to exercise patience and remain courteous when dealing with staff.

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and book non-urgent appointments well in advance..."

"There are currently five doctors servicing the community from this practice, some full time and some part time, and they are supported by a team of ancillary staff.

"All efforts are being made to continue to meet demand as best they can but there will, at times, be delays in getting appointments.

"A recruitment process is underway to secure more GP's for the practice but it is acknowledged that there is a national shortage of trained GPs - particularly in regional and rural Australia.

"Significant investment is occurring at the Federal Government level to address these shortages, but the results of this investment may not be fully realised for some time."

The statement indicates that both the AMSG and the Practice are working collaboratively to continue to provide this service to the community but says they will require the patience and understanding of the community.

Update On Stark's Trough At Allora

Planning started in February this year to preserve Stark's Trough in Dalrymple Park.

Project co-ordinators George and Kerry Smith from Drayton House met with locals to toss around ideas on the best way to preserve this historic monument.

George Smith, who is Project Manager for Queensland Rollingstock advises that planned works to provide additional supports to the trough have now been installed and

essentially all of the physical works are now complete. Wet weather caused considerable delays and fortunately the trough did not drift away.

A public gathering will be held this Saturday 11th June where the new plaques will be revealed by the daughter of Jack Busiko who presented the trough to Wally Stark.

Those who wish to attend be at Stark's trough at 8am with the grand revealing of the plaques at 8.30.



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Talgai Drilling Completed

Queensland Gold Hills has completed its inaugural drill campaign at the Big Hill property in the Talgai Goldfields.

A total of 1457 metres of reverse circulation drilling has been completed in 11 holes.

All samples have been shipped to an analytical lab in Brisbane for assaying, with results pending.

The objective of the drill program was to gain deeper understanding of the nature and location of the feeder systems beneath the historical workings of the Queenslander mine.

All drill holes intersected the Queenslander vein system, providing sufficient samples to determine the continuity and tenor of mineralisation approximately 100 metres down dip from the base of historical workings.

Queensland Gold Hills

looks forward to receiving the assays to better understanding the mineralised veining identified under the historic workings.

Queensland Gold Hills CEO and Director Blair Way said the drill program went very well.

“As expected, we encountered mineralisation below the historical workings where we were targeting exploration,” Mr Way said.

“We were able to complete the program on a shorter timeline than was anticipated as we intercepted the veining in sufficient pierce points to effectively evaluate these potential feeder sites.

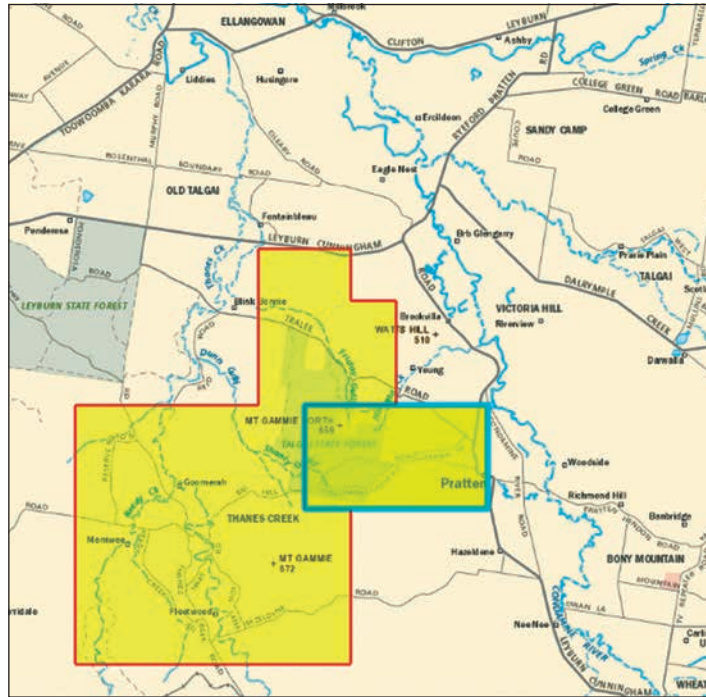
“We look forward to announcing assay results in the coming weeks.”

The Big Hill Gold Property covers 24 square kilometres to the west of the Pratten township and

contains four historic mines.

The Titan Project covers 90 square kilometres,

surrounding Big Hill on three sides, and contains over 50 historic high-grade mines.



Queensland Gold Hills has two exploration permits, the Big Hill Gold Project (EPM 18255) outlined in blue and the Titan Project (EPM 27507) outlined in red.

Southern Downs Council survey on water restrictions

Southern Downs Regional Council (SDRC) is seeking feedback from urban and rural residents to help it better understand how water restrictions influence everyday household water usage.

Residents, businesses and community groups are being invited to provide feedback by Sunday 31 July through an anonymous survey containing 21 questions on water values, water uses and Council communication on water management, with the survey results to be used to guide the demand management section of the SDRC Drought Management Plan 2022.

Mayor Vic Pennisi was pleased with the community's interest and response to the first round of consultation in 2020 and is looking forward to its views following the rain in the region, however he cautions that we are always one day closer to another drought.

“It is wonderful to see our dams full and our paddocks green but we must remember that we are always one day closer to another drought,” Mayor Pennisi said.

“Having shored up full urban water supply at present gives us the privilege of planning without panic which is a really blessed position to be in.

“I want to encourage everyone to have their say because the more feedback we can integrate into the Drought Management Plan, the more reflective it will be as to how we tackle future drought conditions as a community.

“We want to hear from everyone across the region, from Stanthorpe to Warwick, to Wallangarra, Pratten, Allora, Leyburn, Ballandean, Applethorpe and the Summit – your feedback is important and we want to hear from you.”

Residents, businesses and community groups can complete an online survey at https://bit.ly/SDRC_DMP2022 as well as upcoming face-to-face public consultations at selected venues across the region that will be announced shortly.

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Party Time at Killarney Memorial Aged Care

Not any old party but a Mardi Gras party for Britt!



Local resident Britt is transgender and had the change at 60. She has motor neuron disease and this may be her last birthday so it was decided to invite well known Brisbane drag queen Beebee Gunn to perform for her. Britt has attended a few Sydney Mardi Gras in her time and been on a few floats in the parade as well - so she enjoys a good party.

Congratulations to Killarney Memorial Aged Care for being a fun loving, diverse group of people who show their residents a great time.

Lesson Begins With Animals In The Classroom



The wombat is called 'Bumpy', the carpet python is called 'Shaggy', and the presenter is Martin Fingland.



Last Wednesday the students from Prep to Year 6 of Allora State School and from St Patrick's School were treated to a presentation of carefully selected animals complete with expert commentary from Martin Fingland of Geckoes Wildlife. The animals included a green frog, reptiles such as a carpet python, a fresh water crocodile and a goanna, a wombat and ring-tail possum from the marsupial subclass of mammals, a stumpy-tailed lizard and a tawny frog mouth. The students learned about the animals' various diets, their methods of hunting and means of mobility. The ability of a nearly 3 metre long python to fold itself into a small space was demonstrated when the animal happily returned of its own volition to its carrying box (where a warm water bottle was waiting!). And the ability of the lizard to confuse

its predators by having a tail that resembled its head created amused discussion. Importantly, the students were encouraged to touch the animals and feel the texture of their various skins, scales, feathers and fur. This demonstrated the clean, non-slippery nature of their coverings, and helped demystify what are often seen as dangerous or scary animals. Safety advice was given about how to approach or withdraw when confronted by these animals in the wild. Allora Landcare Group (ALG) has sponsored Geckoes Wildlife at the past five Allora Shows, unfortunately the 2022 Show was cancelled because of Covid so we were denied the Geckoes message; "Live Simply so we may all Simply Live". ALG felt this message was too important to ignore and so as Covid restrictions were easing, invited them to

meet our younger citizens at the school last week. The student response was overwhelming, many questions were asked and answered and the day was deemed a success. Allora Landcare would like to thank Martin Fingland for his ever-enthusiastic support of the Allora district and we hope to welcome

him and Geckoes back to the Show in 2023. ALG would also like to thank Anita Erba, the Regional Agriculture Landcare Facilitator from Southern Queensland Landscapes for offering generous support for the day, both financially and in provision of educational material for the students and teachers.

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Genius Hour at St Patrick's School

To have a voice and to drive their own learning is at the heart of student engagement at St Patrick's School. 'Genius Hour' is a concept that has been developed by classroom teacher Ms Donnelly that provides all students with an avenue to explore their own interests.

To further deepen their learning as part of



Glengallan's Genius Hour, Year 6 students Jonte



and Eddison under the supervision of school staff, visited Toni and Michael Dwan's Elwanvale Limousins and Stockhorses property on the outskirts of Allora. 'Genius Hour' is all about the provision of opportunities for students to engage in relevant learning as both Jonte and Eddison are interested in learning about how to reduce and manage cattle stress when working in the yards.

Toni Dwan breeds about 200 surrogate bulls a year and strongly believed that

one of the biggest tips she could give was keeping cattle calm, which was our main goal for the visit. Some ideas Toni had for keeping cattle calm was the need to be gentle, do not make your yards go straight under a roof because the cattle may think it is a bear cave and lastly, let them move at their speed not yours. I felt it was really great to be learning about cattle as Jonte and I would like to be cattlemen when we leave school. (Eddison and Jonte - Year 6)



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Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago June 1997

Fire Appeal

Warwick Shire Mayor Cr. Bruce Green has opened an appeal to assist a young Allora family who lost everything in a fire, with a donation of \$250 from the Mayor's Charity Fund. The recently purchased home of Ryan and Jeanette Ellery and their two children Leticia and Brody was almost totally destroyed. Cr. Green appealed to the community for donations for the family especially for the children who had lost all their toys.

Allora's Past 75 years ago June 1947

Rugby League

Captain of last Sunday's Reserve Grade side was one Henry Smith, a rather powerfully built youngster with more than a bit of football intelligence and plenty of the stuff that it takes to make a good footballer. This in itself is no surprise when we realise that he is the son of none other than Henry Smith of Willowvale, one of the most severe tacklers that this district has produced. It seems like yesterday that we saw his figure in the old gold and black of Allora, performing as ably as his son

today.

Now a prosperous farmer, Henry still finds time to attend the Sunday games in company with his old team mate and friend Mick Rynne, and is not slow in praising or condemning, as the case may be, his son's efforts as well as all and sundry on both sides.

Allora's Past 100 years ago June 1922

Goods Shed

The completion of a small but, for the time being, efficient goods shed at the Kital railway station was effected last week. The shed obtained in response to a request to the Railway Commissioner made by the residents of the vicinity, headed by Mr. A. O'Leary and Mrs. Evans, the station mistress, will be a great convenience to those doing business at the station. In addition to the building of the shed the Commissioner is effecting further improvements by gravelling a portion of the station yard.

Allora's Past 125 years ago June 1897

Horse Accident

A serious accident happened to Mr. Henry Dank of Glengallan Station. It appears that he had been to see his



Henry Smith senior wearing the gold and black colours of the Allora Rangers Rugby League Club in 1925.

mother near Allora who was ill in bed and on the return journey, his horse, owing to the muddy state of the road, turned a somersault, throwing the rider from the saddle and then rolling upon him, badly crushing him about the hips. The suffering man was promptly attended to by Dr. Pain who ordered his removal to the Warwick Hospital. This morning we hear that Mrs. Dank and six small children are almost certain to be left bereaved as all hopes of the recovery of the patient seem past.

Colin Newport



BlazeAid help available for local farmers

The volunteer group BlazeAid has set up a base camp in Warwick from which volunteers will spread across the local region to assist farmers whose properties have been impacted by floods during the last year or so.

BlazeAid Operations Manager Melissa Jones said the group has a base of around 35,000 volunteers on its books.

Many of them travel all over Australia to lend a hand when they can, but there

is also the opportunity for locals to volunteer.

The base camp at Warwick was set up after BlazeAid was approached by Ellangowan producer Hilary O'Leary, who recognised the need for assistance after six floods in the last thirteen months damaged fencing and other infrastructure on farms along the Condamine Valley and its associated feeder streams.

BlazeAid will hold an information session at the Warwick Showgrounds

tomorrow evening (Thursday 9th June).

Ms Jones suggests people arrive from 5.30pm for the meeting, which starts at 6pm.

It is designed to find out how many farmers across the region need assistance and to explain to affected farmers what help can be

given.

Ms Jones said the volunteers generally work on properties within a radius of about 60 kilometres of a base camp to control travelling times.

However if work needs to be done beyond that, volunteers sometimes camp on site.

Littleproud holds Agriculture portfolio

Member for Maranoa David Littleproud, who was last week elected to lead the National Party in the Federal Parliament, has retained his favoured portfolio, having taken the position as Shadow Minister for Agriculture on the Coalition front bench.

Mr Littleproud will be keeping a close eye on the Labor Government's Minister for Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry, Murray Watt.

Mr Watt was born and raised in Brisbane.

He has indicated that he had received a call from Mr

Littleproud offering to share advice and told ABC Radio that he would be taking up the offer.

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Wattles Claim Rod Frahm Trophy

In anything but inviting weather the 'Stillwater Pastoral Company' Wattles Warriors top graders outlasted a grinding seesawing encounter with a gutsy Dalby Diehards outfit to brush off the mud after finishing victors 20 – 16.

The completion of play saw Wattles skipper Travis Burns presented with the 'Rod Frahm Memorial Cup' from Mrs Janette Frahm, wife of Wattles' late Life Member Rod.

Both teams struggled at times with frustrating ball security issues on a mud sodden Platz Oval, but they trudged it out try for try in a true grit performance.

Captain/coach Burns was proud of the effort his charges put in to snatch their late in the game victory, after front-rower Jordan Crocker jammed through a Diehards gathering in the goal mouth to score the match winner.

Halfback Matt Duggan added a conversion and Wattles eased ahead but had to hold their determined opponents for a final torrid five minutes after having trailed 14 – 16 behind the unrelenting Diehards.

Wattles slick winger Aaron Hooper showed his blistering speed after five minutes to allow Wattles an early lead 4 – 0 lead, and repeated the dose twenty minutes later in his favoured north-east corner of Wattles home ground.

Full marks to Kai Duggan who stepped in to the fullback jersey in the absence of regular #1 Jackson Green, and made his own significant contribution to the victory as he handled the late in the game Dalby high ball challenge brilliantly.

Green sustained a leg injury prior to the game but is expected to be on deck for next weekend's clash with Gatton.

Burns also rated Ryan Stevens' effort at hooker stepping in late for usual rake Kai Duggan, powerhouse running forward Mitch Duff who was called on to the bench late and the superb effort of playmaker Matt Duggan.

It was the Warriors sixth success from seven premiership outings so far in the 2022 season, which has also necessitated club President Amanda O'Halloran having to make room in the club



Wattles Captain/Coach Travis Burns receives the Rod Frahm Memorial Cup from Mrs Janette Frahm.

trophy cabinet for silverware including the pre-season Barrett Family Shield, the Ragh Family Trophy last week and now the Rod Frahm Memorial Cup to date.

Saturday night's conquest resulted in Wattles seventh Rod Frahm Memorial Trophy honour, with Dalby able to boast eight.

Wattles 20 (Aaron Hooper 2, Mitch Duff, Jordan Crocker tries; Matt Duggan 2 goals) defeated **Dalby 16** (Billy Jackwitz, Sam Fermer, Travis Babington tries; Alex Duneman 2 goals).

Reserve Grade - A massive second stanza thrust by the 'Tony Morris Tiling' Wattles reserve graders saw them maintain their deserved top of the table ranking after being ahead 24 – 0 when the fulltime hooter sounded.

Given the wet weather, "it was obviously pretty crazy conditions to play in" according to co-player/coach Garth Lonergan.

"We had to really grind it out in the first half and just stay in the contest. The second half was probably our best half of footy all year, our ball control was excellent considering the conditions and again it's was really good to keep another team to 0."

It certainly wasn't all beer and skittles though as both teams

headed to the dressing rooms at the break level nil all.

A Tom Morris penalty goal soon after half time unlocked the Warriors point scoring cabinet, closely followed by a touchdown by hooker Jack Duggan.

A typical Dale McAntee scoot through traffic on the right side added to his season try total, and when Ben Duff crashed through some hopeful defence in the goal mouth later in the half Wattles had seized the moment to lead 18 – 0.

Some gifted work by winger Lachlan Henry on the grandstand sideline presented fullback Josh Henry with a gift try under the uprights to seal the match.

The classy Henry and seasoned veteran forward Aaron Scheid took players of the match recognition.

Wattles 18 (Jack Duggan, Dale McAntee, Ben Duff, Josh Henry tries; Tom Morris 4 goals) defeated **Dalby 0**.

Under 19 - Lachlan Hearne came off the bench to cross for the 'Black Toyota, Warwick' Wattles Under 19 side's only touchdown in their 70 minutes of play trying to bring the Diehards machine to a halt.

The Diehards' finished 38 – 4 convincing winners with their

winger Alexander Lindsay proving himself an effective mud runner nailing a hat trick of tries to write home about.

Dalby stashed together five touchdowns to lead convincingly 24 – 0 at the break, but the Warriors lifted in the second stanza limiting the visitors to three additional four-pointers.

Regardless of the scoreboard Wattles boasted standouts, Darcy Minnikin named Players/Player.

Top defender Will Denny and team skipper Jamie Hamilton also shone with admirable performances by 17-year old's Rueben Sullivan and Lachy Peardon.

Alas it just wasn't to be for Wattles in the trying conditions, and so back to the drawing board for Coach Cameron Hamblin and his Warrior colts this week.

Dalby 38 (Alexander Lindsay 3, Nate Fermor 2, Hunter James, Lachie Smith, Jack Welsh tries; Braydon Falvey 2, Alexander Lindsay goals) defeated **Wattles 4** (Lachlan Hearne try).

Wattles head to Gatton this coming Saturday taking on the local Hawks in all grades at Cahill Park, the A Grade game kicking off at 6.30pm.

Glyn Rees

Wattles Juniors Dominate in the Mud

In a Round 7 Warwick & District Junior Rugby League draw reversal brought about by flood issues at Warwick's St Mark's Sports Grounds, the Eastern Suburbs Hornets were hosted by Wattles Juniors at Platz Oval on Saturday.

Friday night rain certainly didn't do Platz Oval any favours, but nonetheless, the game goes on.

Under 6 - New coach Jared Gault has taken over the reins of Wattles 'Clifton Upholstery' Under 6 team and was more than enthusiastic about their efforts against the Hornets.

The youngest Warriors crossed the try line regularly and defended exceptionally well in the very wet, slippery conditions.

Under 7 - While a little short-handed, full marks to the five young Wattles players for rolling up and giving it their all in the cold and wet.

"A great game featuring some amazing chases from across the field" suggested coach Shadai Daley.

The 'Willett Electrical' Warriors were totally focused on denying Suburbs from scoring.

George Mullen and Archie Moore were the first to push up and rip many tags.

Under 8 - The 'Railway Hotel' Under 8's was the first to kick off for Wattles on a brisk start to Saturday morning.

Hunter Ryan achieved 'Player of the Match' honours scoring tries and always providing cover defence for his team.

Thomas Saville and Joseph Ramsey have shown great improvement and attitude towards their football.

Coach Tim Johnson felt it was "another great outing for the team at the half way mark of the

season."

Under 9 - Coach George Berry offered much praise for 'Dalrymple Landscape Haulage' Warriors Under 9's after "another brilliant game against Suburbs."

They remained focused throughout resulting in a solid team win.

"With so many of the team posting exceptional games it would be unfair to single a few out" said George.

Under 10 - Coach Russell McMillan noted the consistent improvement of his 'Black Toyota, Warwick' Under 10 line-up who proved to be more than competitive against the Hornets.

The Warriors joined the Hornets playing ranks due to a lack of numbers for the visitors in a fine gesture.

Twins Rory & Lawson Turner performed strongly along with Bryce Bateman and Leo Thompson-Cleary.

Aside from the footy, it was a special day for birthday boys Brodie & Lincoln.

Under 11 - Another very good performance by the 'Clifton Auto Ag Services' Under 11's on Saturday.

Doing plenty right, special mention to Diego Picton Shepard and Jack Harrigan for playing a half of footy each for Eastern Suburbs. Tries were scored by Jade Bailey, Riley Hardy, Jake Burns, Jed Hinz and Cooper Zadow with conversions kicked by Milly Walker, Jade Bailey, Jake Burns, and Cooper Zadow.

It was easily Jack Harrigan's best game of the year.

Special thanks also to the Under 10's who played up a grade.

Under 12 - No game.

Under 13 - Wattles 'Nutrien Harcourts Cooke Real Estate' Under 13 side played an exhibition

game against Stanthorpe on Saturday and enjoyed a good win.

Zac Wheeldon was in fine form, along with Henry McMillan, while Orry Gilmore Harvey McPhee, Will Peters, Marty May Callum Wallis and Hugh Holden also excelled.

Many thanks to the Stanthorpe Gremlins for the game.

Under 15 - Wattles 'Nutrien Harcourts Cooke Real Estate' Under 15 outfit took on an Eastern Suburbs Hornets side struggling for numbers, the game played mostly in an eleven aside format.

In the wet conditions ball control was vital and Wattles did very well at minimising mistakes with the footy and so allowing point scoring opportunities in their dominant 48 – 0 win.

The green & gold attack was steered brilliantly by halfback Billy Peardon who had a hand in most tries, and scored one himself.

Special mention to centre Rylan Marks and fullback Ben Barberato who were both able to score hat tricks.

The most impressive part of this game was the Warriors tough and relentless defensive efforts which was led by hooker Charlie Spina and Charlie Smith.

Wattles 48 (Rylan Marks 4, Ben Barberato 3, Jayman Spina, Brian Williams, Nick Denny, Billy Peardon tries; Ben Barberato 2 goals) defeated **Eastern Suburbs 0**.

Under 15 Ladies League Tag - While Wattles 'Club Hotel' Under 15 young ladies didn't play against Eastern Suburbs, they did take the field against Tenterfield last week unfortunately experiencing a 22 – 6 loss.

Regardless, the girls are improving weekly according to coach Dan Wallis.

Alex Gilmore crossed for and

converted the only green and gold try, in a game that was very close for a lengthy time.

Under 17 Ladies League Tag - Wattles gallant 'Club Hotel' Under 17 Ladies League Tag team fell short of the mark against the Hornets, losing 10 – 26.

Try scorers in a gutsy effort were Stephanie Lyons and Reagan McMillan, with Stephanie successful with a single conversion

It was an improved performance by the young ladies who we on the end of 30 – 0 loss to Tenterfield in their previous game.

They were short in numbers though due to absences which didn't help their cause.

Under 17 - On the back of another swashbuckling performance by centre Hamish Gartery, the 'Hamblin Builders' Wattles proved too elusive a target for the Hornet's claiming a convincing 38 – 10 victory.

Gartery romped in a hat trick of tries to add to four last week against Tenterfield.

He is revelling in the centres since moved wider by coach Shane Wright this year.

Lock Reuben Sullivan was brutal in defence, while back-rower Adrian Titus shone in defence and attack, in a very impressive Wattles forward pack.

Wattles 38 (Hamish Gartery 3, Jack Wright, Ethan Metzroth, George Nott, Bryce Stewart, Lachy Peardon tries; Bryce Stewart 3 goals) defeated **Eastern Suburbs 10** (Jayden Taylor, Aaron Hinch tries; Aaron Hinch goal).

The Wattles club have drawn a bye this coming weekend but all is not lost footy wise as some grades head to Toowoomba to play Toowoomba Junior Rugby League's Southern Suburbs Tigers in Under 10, 11, 13 & 15 grades.

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Sunday golf was touch and go after 20 mm of rain on Friday but we persevered and played the first as a

par three and played the Allora Butchery Two Person ambrose. Lenny was so excited about playing golf again he was like a dog just let off the chain. The weather was a bit unpredictable and Garth started the day dressed like he was heading to the Arctic and finished like he was on holiday in the Bahamas. Winners were Hethe and Andy and runners up were Garth and Macca. Thanks Aaron and Ashley for the sponsorship.

Anyone playing golf next week please take care, particularly on the first. Next week will be the Peter's Produce Duck Run on Friday and a Club Trophy on Sunday. See you on the links.

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