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## New Owners at Allora Hardware



Owners Adelle Haddon (left) and Cheree Grassens (right) with Andrew Petersen and former owner Beetle Wakeford.

Last Friday saw the long established True Value Hardware in Allora welcome new owners.

Adelle Haddon and

Cheree Grassens, who are both locals, are excited about taking on this well known business as well as retaining staff member

Andrew Petersen.

Adelle says they plan to continue with the business as is but will add more to the Garden Centre and

introduce Work Wear to their stock. Hours will remain Monday to Friday 7am - 5pm, Saturday and Sunday 7am - 12noon.

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# The Mayor adds a touch of Maroon to Tom Byrnes

Early on Friday morning Southern Downs Regional Council Mayor Vic Pennisi assisted with the dressing of Warwick's Thomas Byrnes

monument in a maroon scarf and beanie set. The annual tradition was enhanced this year by Mayor Pennisi's new crocheted mayoral "robe".

The dressing of the statue announces to all that the annual Jumpers and Jazz in July festival is not far away. And this year, the scarf and beanie set, made

by Warwick knitter Dawn Booth, was created to help celebrate the Queensland Maroons Regional Fan Days held in Warwick this week.

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Yes, this IS the Mayor in his new look mayoral robe.



Thomas Byrnes now wearing the maroon colours.

# Kital Road Bridge - What A Mess!

It's been 6 weeks since the last flooding of Dalrymple Creek which saw extensive damage to Kital Road Bridge near Allora.

As the photos show it's difficult for locals to access their stock and properties. Workers from the Southern Downs Regional Council have sighted the destruction but at this stage nothing has been repaired.

While it's understandable that many roads in the area near repairs, a removal of rubbish from Kital Road Bridge would be appreciated so that locals can cross the bridge by foot or bike.

Council has been contacted for comment but at the time of going to print nothing has been received.




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If you'd like to know more pop into Reiki Bel, 38 Warwick Street, Allora.

## Collection Bins Are Now Permanently Closed



Scope Op Shop in Allora is staffed by wonderful volunteers who give up their time to sort and organise goods for sale.

So how disappointing it is for them when they find filthy unmentionable items being left in their Drop-off Collection Bins.

Now everyone suffers as Scope has now CLOSED the outside bins to the public.

All donations MUST be delivered to the volunteers at Scope Op Shop when it's open - Tuesday and Friday between 9am and 4pm.

Do not leave items outside the building or bins.

To the 99% of generous donors - thank you for your clean saleable goods.

Keep this date in mind - the Scope Op Shop will be open on Saturday 23rd July as a special part of Allora's Jumpers & Jazz Events Square on the corner of Warwick and Forde Streets where they'll be plenty of fun and activities.

## SDRC Adopts 'No Frills' Budget



**Southern Downs**  
REGIONAL COUNCIL

Southern Downs Regional Council (SDRC) has adopted what it describes as a 'no frills' budget for the coming financial year.

Rates have been kept below the current C.P.I. rate with a collective rise of 4.69 per cent overall and a 3.85 per cent increase in the general rate.

**Locally, there has been some allocation of funding to upgrade infrastructure.**

This includes a share of \$864,555 set aside for the upgrade of sewerage treatment plants at Allora, Warwick and Yangan.

Of this total, \$480,979 will be provided through the National Water Infrastructure Development Fund.

The Budget allocates \$725,000 to continue upgrading work on Goomburra Road.

SDRC will contribute \$252,000 for this with the remaining half million dollars coming from the Transport Infrastructure Development Scheme (TIDS).

Funding of \$50,000 has been set aside for widening of Inverramsay Road - a project carried forward from 2021-22.

This will be done on a 50-50 basis between Council and the TIDS.

Roads to Recovery funding of \$130,000 will see resealing work on streets in the village of Pratten.

The only specific funding for Allora is \$20,000 for lighting and shade sails at the Allora Swimming Pool.

There is no mention of work needed at the Allora Community Hall, which has been closed for some months due to "structural problems".

## Darwalla Approval Granted



Southern Downs Regional Council has approved the major expansion of the Darwalla chicken hatchery at Allora.

The approval means the company, Darwalla Milling Co. Pty Ltd, will double the size of the hatchery from one million to two million birds.

The application was

lodged with SDRC late in 2021.

The facility set for expansion is located on Bradfields Road to the east of the New England Highway just outside the Allora urban area.

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### Growers urged to test redlegged earth mite for resistance

Grain growers and farm advisers are being asked whether they have noticed a chemical control failure or suspect insecticide resistance in redlegged earth mites (RLEM).

If you have concerns, research organisation Cesar Australia is encouraging you to send in RLEM samples for testing for insecticide resistance.

Associate Professor Paul Umina, director of Cesar Australia, said a major concern facing the

Australian grains industry was the heavy reliance on three registered chemical classes to control RLEM – neonicotinoids as a seed dressing, and synthetic pyrethroids (SPs) and organophosphates (OPs) as foliar insecticides.

The research team is interested in hearing from growers or advisers who have experienced recent or past chemical control failures or have paddocks that continually require control of RLEM with pesticides.

“RLEM populations from paddocks which are frequently impacted by the mites, and often require spraying, are ideal candidates for resistance testing,” Assoc. Prof. Umina said.

Cesar Australia will be undertaking field trips to collect RLEM for resistance screening, so get in touch if you would like to discuss RLEM collection from your area.

For further information about the resistance testing service



Redlegged earth mites.

contact Dr Aston Arthur, Cesar Australia on 0427 875 040 or via email aarthur@cesaraustralia.com.

### Grief and Loss Support in Warwick

People experience grief in many ways. It is normal for bereavement to bring with it a mixture of intense feelings of sadness, confusion, anger, guilt and fear as well as memories of happier times.

Blue Care recognises that some people may need extra support during this journey and since 1990 has been conducting specialised Grief and Loss programs for people who have experienced the loss of a loved one.

The Blue Care Grief and Loss program aims to provide information on the grief process as well as offering practical advice and effective coping skills while

providing emotional and social support.

The program runs as a small group, meeting for two hours each week for eight consecutive weeks. There is no cost for the program and the trained facilitators volunteer their time to the program recognising the individual and community benefit it provides.

Registrations are now open for the program in Warwick commencing Monday 25th July 2-4pm

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### The Ag Visa Would Help Us Feed The World



David Littleproud MP.

The Leader of the Nationals and member for Maranoa, David Littleproud said the Agricultural Visa would go a long way to help Australia feed the world, if only the Labor Government would listen to farmers and not their union masters and reversed the decision to scrap it.

Mr Littleproud was reacting to reports the Prime Minister will tell the OECD in Paris, Australia could be a part of the solution of the global food shortages.

“How does the Labor Government think our farmers are going to get production up when they have taken a decision to push the available workforce down,” Mr Littleproud said.

“Farming groups have said that farmers are only planning to plant around 65% of their capacity because they do not have confidence there is enough labour to get their crop off.

“Worker shortages in the farming sector are reducing the production and pushing up the prices of groceries for all of us little alone be able to help feed the world.

“Every time Australians get the price shock at the checkout, they should think about why the Labor Party has chosen to push those prices even higher.

“The Agricultural Visa would provide a long term, reliable and dedicated workforce that would allow farmers the certainty to plant larger crops, knowing they will be harvested.

“The Coalition brought in

thousands of pacific workers but that is not enough.

“The Prime Minister is right when he says Australia could help feed the world, but he must show a bit of backbone and tell the AWU to go take a running jump, when it comes to the Agricultural Visa and give

our farmers the need to deliver this promise.

“The Labor Government’s decision to fall in behind their union masters is part of the problem that will stop Australia becoming part of the world’s food shortage solution and cost you more at the checkout.”

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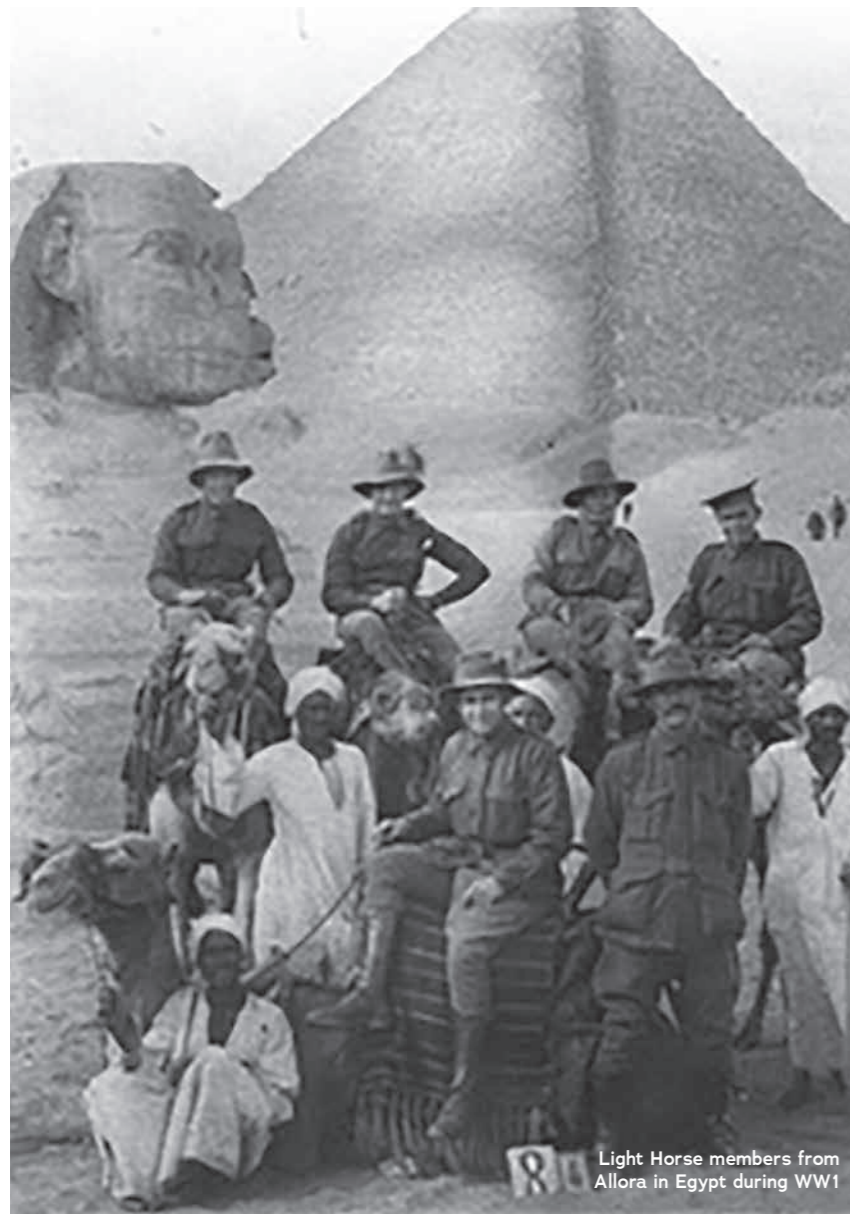
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# Allora P-10 Students Assist at Campdraft

Competitors travelled from all over the Darling and Southern Downs regions to Allora for their annual District Campdraft held over the Easter weekend with nomination numbers in excess of 1250.

Local graziers and farmers kindly donated approximately 1200 head of cattle to be used over the weekend and judges commended the riders on their exceptional treatment of the animals.

The Allora & District Campdraft Association strongly believes in supporting the local schools, charities and facilities. Each year funds are donated to at least one chosen organisation.

Funds from this year's event have been donated to the Allora State School to assist the year 10 students in funding their end-of-year trip. A number of these students helped in the canteen over the weekend. Money has also been donated to the Allora Pony Club, Care Flight, Lismore flood victims and to a local family who has suffered a tragedy.



Next year's Allora Campdraft is scheduled from 29 April to 1 May. If you'd like to be involved contact the Allora & District Campdraft Association through their Facebook page - [www.facebook.com/ADCAssoc](http://www.facebook.com/ADCAssoc)

Allora State School year 10 students with Sally Keynes (ADCA Secretary) and Tammy White (ADCA Treasurer)



Competitor Kal Bruyn - Photo Neil Kendall.



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- Entry offers sunroom/office comb.
- Laundry w/- storage, orig. tubs & copper
- Lock-up Garage (tandem)
- 2nd Toilet downstairs
- Established gardens
- Greenhouse, garden shed, rain water tank • 10933 m<sup>2</sup> backyard

### HIGHWAY FRONTAGE

**\$ 250,000**



- Clad 2 bed cottage
- North sunroom at entry
- Separate lounge
- Kitchen has electric appliances, bench space & pantry
- Bath has shower over bath, vanity, toilet
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- Double carport
- Single tandem garage
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- Rainwater tank

### BUILT IN 2020

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- Open-plan lounge flows to entertaining deck
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### ELEVATED VIEWS

**\$ 450,000 Offers Over**



- 4 bed, X-large main
- Lounge media has sliders to front deck with VIEWS
- Front & back entertaining
- Family bathroom - shower over bath, separate toilet
- Laundry- bench space + storage
- Lock-up garage shed
- 3 rain water tanks
- Above ground pool
- Landscaped gardens
- Fruit Orchard
- 4161 m<sup>2</sup> allotment

### CHARACTER HOME

**\$ 335,000**



**UNDER CONTRACT**

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- 3 bedrooms, built-ins
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- Back deck • Single lock-up garage

**INVESTORS: Renting at \$340 per week**

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- Rainwater tank

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### MULTI-MILLION VIEWS

**\$ 900,000 Offers Over**



- 64.77 Ha
- Mains power
- Solar System (saves on costs!)
- 3 bedrooms • 2 bathrooms
- Kitchen and dining with woodfire
- Lounge entertaining has reverse cycle air-conditioning
- Border Fence Bar, setup for entertaining
- Deck overlooks the play area and dam
- 3 bay shed
- Rainwater tanks • 2 dams
- Views that go forever ...

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### Looking Back...

Allora's Past 25 years ago July 1997

#### Allora Tourism Push

The Allora Action Association has applied for an \$85,000 State Government grant to develop its tourist concepts for Allora, based on the historic main street which it describes as "one of the best three streetscapes in Australia". The idea is to transform the street with a consistent historical theme and include town tours and temporary stalls selling local primary produce.

Allora's Past 50 years ago July 1972

#### A New Service

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Allora's Past 75 years ago July 1947

#### Rugby League

Allora was defeated by Greenmount in a Rugby League match at Allora on Sunday, the scores being Greenmount 13, Allora 12. The game was fairly even



Bob Ball's Garage on the corner of Herbert and Warwick Streets in 1972.

throughout, but was rough and hard at times. Early in the first half one player from each side was sent off for fighting. The Greenmount backs showed up in better light than Allora's. Marty O'Dea, Allora's captain, kicked remarkably well, every shot he had at goal resulting in a score.

Allora's Past 100 years ago July 1922

#### Man Missing

A young man named Andrew Hoey, of Allora, has been missing since last Wednesday. He went to the races in Warwick that day with his brother and was last seen at one of the hotels. His brother returned to Allora and as Andrew had not returned home, he went to Warwick yesterday and

reported the disappearance of his brother to the police. Inquiries were at once instituted, but without result. The missing man is 24 years of age, is a returned soldier, and only arrived in Queensland about two months ago.

Allora's Past 150 years ago July 1872

#### Coal Mine

A company has been formed at Allora with a nominal capital of £1,000 for the purposes of working a seam of coal on a portion of Mr. Green's land in the immediate neighbourhood of the town. The company consists of ten persons, four of whom are Allora men and the remaining six, squatters and Brisbane merchants..

Colin Newport

# St Patrick's School – Term 2 Sports Update

(by Emilia Hoey – Year 5)



Darling Downs Under 11 team - St Patrick's School Senior Gala Day Rugby League 2022.

part of the Southern Downs team which competed at the Darling Downs trials. Those students were Jake and Emilia. They both ran three kilometres in Toowoomba on the 24th of May, trying out for the Darling Downs team. Both students really enjoyed the experience. In terms of results, Jake came 7th and Emilia came 23rd.

In Tennis, students attended the Southern Downs Trials on the 3rd of May at Clifton but only Douglas Ekerick made it to the Darling Downs trials. Darling Downs trials took place in Dalby on the 23rd of May. Douglas did not gain selection in the Darling Downs team but learnt much from the higher level of competition.

Rugby League is another sport where St Patrick's students are gaining much success. Billy Keogh has gained selection in the Darling Downs Under 11 team. The Darling Downs team will participate in the Queensland State Championships in Townsville from the 4th to the 8th of July. Special mention also needs to be made of Billy who was also selected as captain of the team. This is an amazing achievement given the popularity of rugby league in the Darling Downs region and reflects Billy's tenacity and skill level. Congratulations Billy and we wish you the best of luck.

There have been many sporting events going on during Term 2. The students in Year 5 and 6 have certainly been very busy and have participated in a number of different sporting fixtures over the term.

In Cross Country, the Southern Downs Trials were held in Toowoomba towards the end of April. Five students which included Jake Burns, Emilia Hoey, Dustyn May, Tom Peters and Saphia Garton participated in the Southern Downs Cross Country trials. Two students were selected as



Southern Downs Cross Country trials participants.

### BE PART OF ALLORA'S SPORTING HISTORY

Everyone is invited to the official unveiling of the **Laura Geitz Bronze Statuette** and the induction ceremony of Allora's very first "Immortals" **Laura Geitz and Wayne Bennett**

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MC will be Bronco's great Shane Webeck

Following the celebrations a barbecue will be held at the Railway Hotel

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# Zone 5 Carnival



Wattles player Jackson McMillan with the JD Sportsmanship award and photographer Peter McConnell JD Sporting Photography.

The first week of the July school holidays saw the start of the 52nd annual Zone 5 u35kg/u10 carnival with the host Club being the Miles Devils and Western Downs.

The carnival saw 9 teams compete from various regions of Queensland with our local boys representing Central Downs, these boys have come from Clifton, Allora, Warwick, Killarney and all areas in between as well as players from

the MacIntyre, Western Downs, Roma, Wynnum, Charleville, Balonne Barwon and Cunnamulla districts.

Our "Ray Bunch Machinery" Central Downs boys were coached by Ian Brady, Roy Nott and Matthew Briggs and we are pleased to report on the success of the team to finish the carnival in outright 2nd place and were the recipients of the Kev Dolan Runners up shield, the



Vice Captain Tom Peters (left) and Captain Mervyn Briggs (right) with Runners up shield.

carnival winners were the undefeated South Burnett Eagles team.

This year we started the carnival in grand style, winning a number of athletics carnival events including a few legs of the 100m sprints, winning the tunnel ball for an unprecedented 8th year in a row and winning the highlight event, the Tug O War

Our major award winners for the carnival were Noah Locke (Best Forward) Jess Samin (Best Back) and Toby Osborne (Most Improved).

We had 4 players who represented the East team in the Jack Dempsey Challenge which is one of the highlights of the carnival, these players were Mervyn Briggs, Noah Locke, Jess Samin and Aidon Worth.

Central Downs player Jackson McMillan was awarded the coveted JD Sporting Photography Sportmanship award, over the week of the carnival Jackson showed tremendous on and off field ability and respect for his fellow

players.

Mervyn Briggs, our team captain was awarded the prestigious Player of the Carnival award, his defensive technique and attacking skills were noticed by everyone, Mervyn, who is from Pittsworth has a bright future in Rugby League.

Next year the carnival will be hosted by Wynnum, where they will host a Life Member reunion for the Zone, Central Downs life members include Jack & Shelley Duggan, Bob Shannon, Neil Wilson and Ian Brady.

We also congratulate the u43kg team on their success they have had so far at this week's carnival in Cunnamulla.

This team is strong across the field, coach Peter Cavanagh has described them as easily one of his best teams he has taken to a carnival.

Results can be found on the Central Downs Facebook page.

Ian Brady

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# Wattles No Match for Rampant Eagles



Sunday's Toowoomba Rugby League blue ribbon mid-season championships brought no glory for local Reserve Grade President's Cup competitors the Tony Morris Tiling Wattles Warriors, with them being overwhelmed by a Highfields Eagles outfit 40 - 14 at Toowoomba's John McDonald Sports Complex.

Wattles will have to wait for their elusive initial Reserve Grade Presidents Cup title.

It was a massive day out in town for the Highfields club who also appeared in the Under 19 Presidents Cup play-off losing 14 - 10 to the Gatton Hawks before claiming the prestigious A Grade prize, the Madsen-Rasmussen Trophy against Gatton 34 - 24.

The Open Women's Presidents Cup honours went to Gatton over the Newtown Lioness' 26 - 14.

Wattles lost star fullback Dale McAntee late in pre-match preparations, a significant absentee in their

biggest match of year so far.

Up & coming Under 19 back Gus Hutchinson was drafted into the line-up on the wing, with the skilful Warren Draper stepping in to the last line.

Wattles were also without regular flanker Alex Morris, along with the missing frame of dynamic impact forward Mitch Duff with injury which was a definite negative before the team ran on.

Highfields hit the ground running from the outset, and while it was Wattles winger Lachlan Henry who took out the corner post in a near thing in the ninth minute, the Eagles quicksilver centre Tyson Klingberg snatched first points honours five minutes later.

Klingberg had the ball on a string throughout the seventy minutes crossing for a hat trick of touchdowns in the Eagles victory run home.

Wattles ball control fell short of finals football, but Highfields forwards were well on top of their opponents from the early stages to lay the winning foundation.

Five-eight and Man of the Match Brayden Josephs was in superb touch and took full advantage of the confidence and speed in his threequarters.

The Eagles raced to an 18 - 0 lead as the halftime

hooter sounded, but a penalty awarded to the Warriors in kicking range saw their halfback Tom Morris on target to register his team's only first half points and head to the break trailing 18 - 2.

The Eagles never took their foot off the accelerator in the second stanza, running in four tries to two by their opponents on the way to their winning total.

Wattles centre Darby Peardon showed class in the 57th minute with a break down the eastern side in a thirty-metre dash to score the initial green and gold try.

While Highfields replied all but immediately with another Tyson Klingberg touchdown, Peardon was again involved five minutes from full time to offload inside to a flying Lachlan Henry on his way to score.

Wattles co-coach Garth Lonergan put the disappointing loss down to it being a "very a tough day at the office. They were a much better team on the day, we'll definitely learn from it and now we know where the season bench mark is."

Wattles veteran front-rower Aaron Schied never faltered in his endless efforts in defence and with the ball, and had great support from back-rower Tim Duggan.

**Highfields 40** (Tyson Klingberg 3, Jordan Klingberg, Kyle Betros, Brayden Josephs, Braydon Mitchell tries; Cory Haywood 6 goals) defeated **Wattles 14** (Darby Peardon, Lachlan Henry tries; Tom Morris 3 goals).

**Wattles 2022 Reserve Grade TRL President's Cup team:** 1. Warren Draper, 2. Lachlan Henry, 3. Tim Hentschel, 4. Darby Peardon, 5. Gus Hutchinson, 6. Josh Henry, 7. Tom Morris, 8. Jordan Henry, 9. Jack Duggan, 10. Aaron Scheid, 11. Garth Lonergan, 12. Tim Duggan, 13. Nick Morris - 14. Matt Ilijas, 16. Jason Nightingale, 17. Gus Somes, 18. Eli Adamson, 19. Tom Henry, 20. Ben Duff, 22. Tim Exelby.

**Coaches:** Garth Lonergan, Nick Morris, **Manager:** Ted Shooter, **Trainer/League safe:** Michael Kindelan.

It's business as usual for the Wattles Warriors this weekend as they head into Round 12 of the Toowoomba Rugby League fixtures against the Valleys Roosters at the John McDonald Sports Complex.

**Match program Sunday July 10th 2022:** Under 19 - 11.30 am; 1.00 pm - Reserve Grade & 2.30 pm A Grade.

Glyn Rees



## If You Love Your Footy You'll Want To Meet The Great Shane Webcke

Here's your chance - be at the Allora & District Sports Museum on Saturday 16 July from 11.30am.

Shane will be the MC at the Official unveiling of the Laura Geitz Bronze Statuette and induction ceremony of Allora's first "Immortals" Laura Geitz and Wayne Bennett.

Shane has an outstanding rugby league history and was inducted into the National Rugby League Hall of Fame in 2008.

He spent his entire Club Career from 1995 with the Brisbane Broncos, after spending a year with Brisbane Brothers in 1993.

In 1994 Shane put his career on hold and returned to the family farm at Leyburn after the tragic death of his father in an accident.

Shane played 254 games in the engine room for the Broncos as well as 24 games for Queensland and 26 Test matches for the Kangaroos.

He won four premierships with the Broncos in 1997, 1998, 2000 and 2006 when he bowed out of rugby league after victory over the Storm in the grand final.

Shane played prop forward and at his peak was renowned as the best front rower in the world.

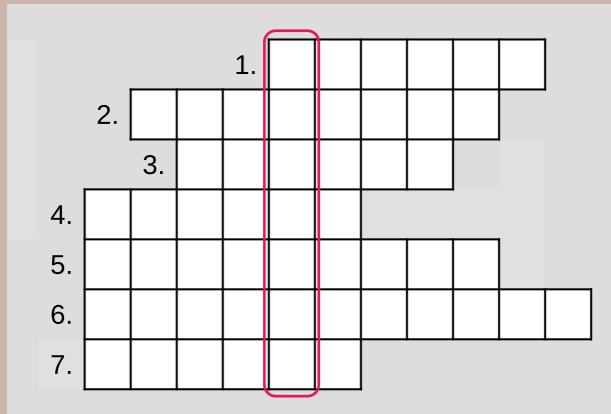
After football Shane's career turned to the media and is now Sports Presenter on 7 News and a professional MC and Keynote speaker.



# CREATIVE CORNER

## WORD SCRAMBLE

Unscramble the words below into the corresponding boxes provided to reveal the mystery word circled in red.



- 1. FWLLAO
- 2. ATNROOTI
- 3. ENRELK
- 4. LEEMGU
- 5. CIEEHIRB
- 6. DRTUEGRANOW
- 7. IGLASE

## Jeremy's View

### Evans Head Holiday Continued

Last Tuesday Mum, Dad, William, baby Amelia and I went on a four day family holiday to Evans Head. It is the first time in ages that we have all had a trip away together. We left early on Tuesday morning because we wanted to get there before the F-111 Museum closed at midday. I really enjoyed it and even my baby sister liked looking at all of the planes. She made all sorts of cute noises when she got to see the giant F-111 up close. Mum was able to tell us lots of stories about the F-111 because when she was in the Air Force she served in one of the F-111 squadrons at Amberley. We stayed in a cabin at the caravan park which was nice. The weather was pretty cold but that didn't matter because we went for walks and did fishing and bike riding. My brother William is really good at fishing and he caught lots of fish. The photo is of him when he caught a bream from the river. I spent lots of time relaxing and reading books and talking to dad. It was a shame that the holiday was so short but I think our family will go there again next holidays for a bit longer.



Jeremy Lister, age 11

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### TODAY'S QUOTE -

"When you attempt to live within your income, the outcome is usually a comedown."  
- PK Shaw

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#### WORD SCRAMBLE

ANSWER: Farming  
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6. Groundwater,  
5. Herbicide,  
3. Kernel, 4. Legume,  
1. Fallow, 2. Rotation,

#### SUDOKU

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#### GWYNNE, Beryl

Late of Allora, passed away on 26th June 2022, aged 93 years. Beloved Wife of Les. Dearly loved Mother of Denise, Robert, Gregory and Dee. Treasured Step-Mum of Barb, Gary, Janylle and Sharon. Loving Mother-in-law, Grandmother and Great-Grandmother of their families.

As per Beryl's wishes, a private funeral was held in Allora on Friday, 1st July 2022.

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#### THORNTON, Lavinia

Late of Allora, formerly of Saibai Island, passed away on 1st July 2022, aged 91 years.

Dearly loved Wife of Ronald (dec'd). Loved Mother of Jennifer and Grandmother (Aka) of Johnny and Wife Monique. Great-Grandmother of Aliyah, Nevaeh and Aniah.

Relatives and friends are warmly invited to attend a funeral service for Lavinia, to be held at St David's Anglican Church, 1 Church Street, Allora, service commencing at 11:00am, Friday, 15th July 2022, followed by interment at the Allora General Cemetery, Allora Clifton Road, Allora.

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# Shooting down the line

In a rare occurrence, three generations of the local Barton family competed recently in a clay target shooting competition.

Young Eddison, who lives in Allora with his father Justin & family, has recently taken up the sport of clay target shooting.

Patriarch of the shooting family, Greenmount resident Max, has a long history with clay target shooting stretching back several decades and a swathe of awards.

Max was inducted into the Queensland Clay Target Association Hall of Fame last year, an honour which he said he was overjoyed with.

He was president of the Toowoomba Clay Target Club for over twenty years and has competed in numerous state and veteran teams, his accolades including a national championship.

Max's shooting has

taken him overseas, competing in New Zealand many times as part of trans-Tasman contests and even participating in two world championships in the United States in 1996 and 1997.

Son Justin is no slouch either, who despite being very busy with family life and his local business, Bartranz Petroleum, manages to perform very well whenever he picks up a gun.

The competition in May had 208 shooters, which Max said is the biggest in Queensland and one of the biggest in Australia.

Justin won his category shooting 96/100 despite not shooting for ten months beforehand, & was the Overall winner of this 3 day event in 2019 and 2021.

He also represented Queensland on several occasions as a junior.

Eddison has clearly taken to the sport quickly as well, claiming a second placing in his first competition.



Three generations of the Barton family, from left, Justin with his son Eddison and father Max.

Eddison's older brother, Ambrose, is also a very competitive clay target shooter, but taking a break this year to concentrate on Year 12 studies.

Both Justin and Max are heavily involved with the Southern Downs Sporting Clays club based out of Morgan Park on the southern side of Warwick.

The club has had a few

different homes over the journey, formerly being based out of Old Koreelah, Millmerran and Cherrabah.

Max said Justin and his wife Gretta have been important "movers and shakers" as volunteers and sponsors for the Southern Downs Sporting Clays, in addition to sponsoring fuel through their business.



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