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## Nolan Family Celebrates 70 Years at Fairfield



Nolan family siblings - Marie, Peter, Vince, Lorraine, Julie, Gerard and Pauline. See story page 3

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## Norman Brian Clarke

Although Norman Brian Clarke was not born in Allora, his connections to the town ran deep. Following his recent death and funeral service in Brisbane, his body was brought to Allora to be buried alongside the graves of his grandparents Joseph and Sarah Eleanor Clarke. The plot had been long-time reserved and Norman had asked that Father Rod McGinley conduct the burial service.

Joseph Clarke was a butcher, auctioneer, and farmer in the Allora district and died in 1894 at the age of 49. Sarah Clarke took over the Princess of Wales Hotel on the death of her father

Samuel Gordon in 1902 and ran it until her death in 1935 when her daughter Miss Minnie Clarke took on the license.

Norman Brian, the son of Andrew ('Pat') and Jean Clarke, was born in Emerald on the 29th June 1935 three days before the death of his grandmother in Allora. The family later moved to a dairy farm at Petrie near Brisbane and Norman completed his education at St. Joseph's College Gregory Terrace. In his

later years Norman was an active supporter of the music program at St. Joseph's.

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Norman completed his National Service training in 1953 and years later on a visit to Allora one Anzac Day was impressed by the performance of St. Patrick's School choir. The music program at St. Patrick's was being run by Lesley Telford also a Clarke family descendant. Norman became a supporter of the music program at St. Patrick's and provided the money to buy a ukulele for each of the children as well as providing other financial support.

Colin Newport



Photo courtesy Kaye Mullins



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## 70 Years at Fairfield

The extended Nolan family and friends celebrated 70 years since John & Rita (nee McGahan) moved to "Fairfield" Ellinthorp with two small boys and a six week old baby. John and Rita were married on February 17, 1947 at St Marys in Warwick and lived at Freestone in the early years.

The farm at Ellinthorp was bought in May 1953 on a walk-in walk- out basis with plant, livestock and some furniture. The original farm was 338 acres with more cows than they were used to and life was busy from day one. There



Nolan family female cousins.



Beautifully ornate hallway, a feature of the Fairfield home.



Nolan family male cousins.

were rough gravel roads, party line telephone and no electricity. The mail was received at Ellinthorp siding and it was thrown from the party line telephone and no electricity. The mail was received at Ellinthorp siding and it was thrown from the passing mail train that went through to Brisbane at 12 o'clock each day. The cream was picked up at the dairy and couple of days a week was taken to the Allora Butter Factory.

Family memories was that it was one of the coldest winters and no rain until September. Aside from these memories "Fairfield" provided a wonderful family life for Vince, Kevin, Marie, Peter, Pauline, Gerard and Julie.

John Nolan passed away on 23 January, 1981 and Rita continued to live at Fairfield until 2003 when she relocated to Allora and passed away 17 February, 2017. From 2003 the property was owned by Vince & Lorraine Nolan and family and they have undertaken some wonderful restoration and improvements to Fairfield.

Vince and Lorraine hosted a fantastic gathering on 20 May 2023. Wonderful to see many family, friends and neighbours who had travelled from all parts of south-east Queensland. Great to see representation of a number of generations of the Nolan family. We were blessed with a lovely autumn day and we enjoyed a light lunch and cutting of the cake during the afternoon.

Helen & Gerard Nolan

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## **LifeFlight called to Old Talgai Incident**

sustained multiple injuries when the bike she was riding struck a kangaroo at Old Talgai on Saturday morning.

The incident occurred on the Levburn-Cunnigham Road just before 11.30am.

It's believed the woman, aged 54, had been riding with other motorcyclists, when a group of kangaroos crossed the road in front of her, causing her to crash into one

Paramedics and Police from Clifton were sent to the scene.

Fellow riders were able to provide the woman with first aid, before emergency services arrived.

Queensland Ambulance Service media said the woman, who is from Cambooya, had sustained injuries to her shoulder, wrist, pelvis, leg and back.

Officer in Charge at Clifton Ambulance Station, Chris Fulton, said more serious injuries were probably prevented due to the good quality protective clothing she was wearing.

Nevertheless, it was decided to call in a rescue helicopter to transfer her to hospital.

LifeFlight Surat Gas Aeromedical Service pilot landed the aircraft on a stretch of road, which had been closed by Police, near where the incident had occurred.

The patient was flown to Toowoomba Hospital in a stable condition.

Queensland Fire and **Emergency Services crews** from Clifton and Warwick were also despatched to the scene because fuel was leaking from the woman's motorcycle.



## **Days for Girls Win Community Award**



Members of Allora Days for Girls (DfG) were thrilled to receive the Community Award from the Warwick Branch of the Commonwealth Bank. This is the Bank's Community Donations Program where the community chooses a favourite local organisation to receive a funding boost. Days for Girls would like to thank everyone who voted for

A reminder that the next gathering will be Monday 29 May. From 9am the group will

be starting to assemble kits for the refugee pack which is due in August/September. At this stage 200 kits have been promised for this project but more would be great. So far this year DfG have created and packed 490 kits and it's only May!

Last month's gathering saw the packing of 100 kits for Vanuatu. Thanks to all the ladies who turned up and made this possible. Another request had been received for kits to go to Papua New Guinea but unfortunately DfG sewers were at capacity so unable to send any at that time. Should there be any other sewers out there who would

be willing to help give dignity and opportunity to girls and ladies around the world please contact DfG. Sewing can be done at gatherings or at home.

Gatherings are held at the Function Room, MacKillop House, Warwick St. Allora. Please park in Warwick Street. Coffee and tea provided. Please take along something for morning tea.

Allora and district Days for Girls Executive team - Heather Goonan Mobile - 0434 907 904, Lenore Wissemann Mobile 0428 973 432. Shirley Cornhill and Kaylene Williams or email: alloraqld@daysforgirls.org





## **New Business Group in Allora**

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Last Friday in Allora Jenco launched a new era in the company's journey as it transitions from Jenco Feeds to the Millstone Group.

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The Millstone Group name and windmill image were inspired by the founding family's Danish heritage. Historically, the Danish people developed millstones that were used to process quality grain products which were sought after far and wide. This aligns seamlessly with an unwavering mission to produce top-of-the-line feeds that stand the test of time. The windmill in the logo also symbolises the Group's

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Besides the change all phone contact and business will remain the same for The Millstone Group at 22 South Street Allora.

## **Warwick CIB Keen For Information On Armed Robbery**

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A vehicle believed to have been used in an armed robbery at Warwick was briefly pursued by police after being spotted on the New England Highway at Allora.

Initial investigations by detectives from the Warwick Criminal Investigaiton Branch (CIB) indicate at approximately 12.30pm, four people attended a Victoria Street, Warwick store armed with knives and stole a quantity of electrical goods.

One of the group damaged a door while exiting the store.

The group left the scene in a blue Mazda hatchback with false registration plates. No one was physically

Mazda was lost.

armed robbery and traffic offences remain ongoing. Police appeal to anyone with information, or who may have seen a blue Mazda hatchback as described, to come forward.



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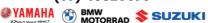


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#### **Presbyterian Men's Breakfast**

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David Bailey started City pastoring Rose Presbyterian Church in January 2017. He studied at Moore College in Sydney and Queensland Theological College in Brisbane before starting full-time ministry at Creek Road Presbyterian Church in 2011. Six years of being an assistant pastor in a large city church with his wife Sarah was a valuable experience.

David loves meeting and talking to people, and is passionate about teaching

the Gospel - and why Jesus brings us such freedom and joy. Before entering fulltime ministry David enjoyed managing bank branches and mortgage broking. He loves following the Queensland Reds, playing touch footy, listening to good books and is learning to love being in the garden and all God is teaching him there. David is married to Sarah and together they have three wonderful sons and are thankful for the privilege and joy of being parents.

You are invited to come along and hear David Bailey on Saturday and you'll be most welcome.

Contact: Andrew Acason 0428 189 006 or Elton Wiltshire 0407 082 553

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## **Young Drivers Survey**

**RACQ** conducted their annual and quizzed survev motorists aged 16 to 24.

The results alarming with more than 10% of respondents admitted to exceeding the speed limit regularly with three quarters admitting to speeding and driving while tired.

RACQ's Head of Public Policy, Dr Michael Kane, said the research showed poor driver behaviour is starting at a young age.

"Last year, people lost their lives on Queensland roads and the Fatal 5 contributed to the overwhelming majority of those deaths - that's speeding, driving fatigued, drink and drug driving, distracted driving and not wearing a seatbelt.

"Young people are overrepresented in the road toll. From January 1 to the end of October 2022, 58 people aged between 16 to 24 were killed, making up almost a quarter of the deaths on our roads.'

The Young Drivers Survey also respondents considered mobile phones and GPS

## **Downs Polo Club Action**

The Eagers Shield Polo Tournament continues at the Clifton Recreation Grounds.

On the weekend of the 3 and 4 June will be the Silvershop Bracelet.

Followed by the Cooke O'Leary Cup on 15 and 16 July

The Sapphire Shield on 22 and 23 July

And wrapping up with the Downs Shield on 29 and 30 July.

Plenty of chances for local enthusiasts to enjoy the skills of top class Polo players at Clifton.

of distraction behind the wheel, yet there has been a significant decrease in the proportion of young drivers using their phones while driving.

"In 2021, 16% respondents admitted texting while driving and checking their phone when stopped at traffic lights," Dr Kane said.

"It's good to see this kind of behaviour has significantly decreased but there's still room for improvement, with more than 9% of young drivers still admitting to checking their



Image courtesy RACQ.

phones behind the wheel." Mr Kane said.

The survey also found

parents continue to be a big influence on driver behaviour.

## **GD FARMING END OF LEASE DISPERSAL** ONLINE AUCTION



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## **Results From Royal Qld Branded Beef Awards**

Last Friday night saw Paradigm crossbred Wagyu claim the branded beef crown.

A record 72 high quality entries received for the 2023 Brisbane Show branded beef and lamb competitions - up 35 percent on last year

- signalled that the shadow of drought has now well and truly passed from the Australian red meat industry.

Topping this year's beef competition of almost 40 samples was a crossbred Wagyu entry from Brisbane-based supply chain Paradigm Foods, bred on the Darling Downs and fed for around 365 days on a Japanese style ration at Smithfield Cattle Co's Sapphire feedlot near Goondiwindi, and processed at Stanbroke Beef, Grantham.

Paradigm's entry, from its ICON XB Wagyu brand program, earlier claimed the highly competitive Wagyu marbling score 7+ class, scoring the overall competition's highest result of 91.7 points, before being crowned grand champion.

#### Class results: Grainfed class:

- Gold: Pure Angus Thomas Foods by

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- Silver: JBS Australia Riverina Angus MB2+ MSA by JBS Australia
- Bronze: Black Diamond by Kilcoy Global Foods

#### Grass Fed class:

- Gold: Little Joe by JBS Australia
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#### Wagyu Class Marbling Score 6 or less

- Gold: Carrara 640 Wagyu by Kilcoy Global Foods
- Silver: ICON XB Wagyu by Paradigm Foods
- Bronze: YUGO XB Wagyu by Paradigm Foods

#### Wagyu Class Marbling Score 7+

- Gold: ICON Xb Wagyu by Paradigm Foods
- Silver: Jade Pure Wagyu by Kilcoy Global Foods
- Bronze: YUGO XB Wagyu by Paradigm Foods **Open Class**

- Gold: Stockyard Gold by Stockyard Beef Pty Ltd \*
- Silver: JBS Australia Bachelor Angus MB2+ by JBS Australia
- Bronze: Ebony Black Angus by Kilcoy Global Foods
- \* Open class A grainfed Angus sample from Stockyard's Stockyard Gold

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## **Paix Masterminds Wattles Triumph**



Livewire halfback
Brayden Paix played a
crucial role in the Wattles
Warriors comprehensive
40 - 16 winning result over
the Goondiwindi Boars
at Clifton's Platz Oval on
Saturday, his side now
resting in sixth place on the
Toowoomba Rugby League
Hutchinson Builders A
Grade premiership ladder.

Paix's scheming and organisation was central to the 'Stillwater Pastoral Company' Warriors returning to the winner's podium after a frustrating start to the 2023 season that has seen them, a more than capable outfit according to coach Travis Burns, with just three wins from five outings coming in to the Goondiwindi clash.

"It was a very important game for us" said Burns, "we needn't a win to be heading in the right direction up the ladder and lift our confidence."

It was a massive day of rugby league on Saturday on Wattles home turf, the home club juniors up against Warwick's Collegians in all grades from 8.00 am until the senior club fixtures kicked-off at 3.30 pm.

It was a clean sweep in the Warriors senior ranks, with the 'Black Toyota, Warwick' Under 19's winning 38 – 16 prior to the 'Tony Morris Tiling' Reserve Graders returning to the winner's circle after a lone season loss last



Experienced Wattles Warriors back-rower Garth Lonergan charges in to the Goondiwindi reserve grade defence on Saturday. (Photo courtesy Bonnie W)

week to defeat Goondiwindi overwhelmingly 48 – 6.

While Paix shone throughout, vice-captain and centre Nick Van Der Poel was also among Wattles' best, while coach Burns praised the effort of his forward pack throughout the game.

Wattles 40 (Mitch Bourke 2, Austin Jennings 2, Matt Christensen, Mitch Duff, Ty Gardner tries Braydon Paix 6 goals) defeated Goondiwindi 16.

#### Reserve Grade

Reserve grade coach Tony Morris was at a loss to single at star players from his line-up after their walloping of Goondiwindi, a result that propelled the Warriors back to the head of the premiership ladder.

Elusive five-eight Josh Henry collected a hat trick of tries, while ageless threequarter Tim Henschel crossed for a double.

The Henry brothers of Josh and skipper Jordan, workaholic forward Jack Duggan, front-rower Will Manley and bench front-rower Dan Rubb were the foundation for the result.

Utility bench player Ryan Lewis, halfback Michael Duggan, fullback Joe Willett and hooker Alex Morris also shone in a contest where coach Morris felt "I didn't have a bad player on the field."

Wattles 48 (Josh Henry 3, Tim Hentschel 2, Dale McAntee, Will Manley, Jack Duggan, Tom Henry tries; Jordan Henry 6 goals) defeated Goondiwindi 6.

Under 19 - Powerful centre Aiden Suhan left no doubt about his intentions against Goondiwindi when he ran in Wattles initial three touchdowns over the first 25 minutes of play to harvest a 14 - 0 lead.

Team mate & fullback Lachlan Clements also scored for Wattles to head in at half time leading 18 – 10.

Bench back Hamish Gartery, winger Chris Watt and Clements snared fourpointers for the home side to be riding comfortably at 32 – 16 ahead before that man Suhan burst on the scene with four minutes in hand to touch down for his fourth try and Wattles to take their winning lead.

The Cameron Hamblin coached Under 19's are now level with Valleys on the top rung of the premiership ladder.

Wattles 38 (Aiden Suhan 4, Lachlan Clements 2, Chris Watt, Hamish Gartery tries; Koby De Luca 3 goals) defeated Goondiwindi 16.

Wattles are on the road on Sunday taking on the Valleys Roosters in all grades at Toowoomba's John McDonald Sports Complex.

The Warriors and Valleys both share top of the table status in the Under 19 and Reserve Grade competitions, while the Roosters are clear leaders after five rounds in A Grade and Wattles, coming off their one-sided win over Goondiwindi, are banging on the door of the elite top five.

Glyn Rees

## **Junior Warriors Shine Against Dragons**

Central Downs rugby league devotees were treated to a mighty program of junior and senior rugby league on Saturday, the Wattles Juniors contesting twelve games with Warwick's Collegians Dragons, before Wattles senior club teams took to the field against the Goondiwindi Boars.

Under 8

Wattles young 'Railway Hotel, Allora' Under 8's played a very tough game against their city opposition.

"They certainly put their training into practice" said coach Shadai Daley, making plenty of yardage through surging runs and quality plays.

Under 9 - A fine hardfought win was the reward for Wattles 'Dalrymple Landscape & Haulage' Under 9 team against a strong Collegians outfit.

"Wattles were very impressive running in seven tries to five in a fine team effort" said coach Chris Ryan.

Under 11 - It was a tough day at the office for the 'Clifton Auto Ag Service' Wattles Under 11 line-up, overwhelmed by Collegians and held to a single touch down by Michael Willett.

Under 12 - Coach George Gall couldn't be prouder of the effort of his 'Ryanie for Tyres' Under 12's given their positive 20 to 16 performance against Collegians.

"The whole team impressed getting the ball wide, resulting in Jack Harrigan scoring two tries and smart work from Jake Burns crossing for a classy touch down before converting his own good work.

Under 13 - In another high-quality match on the program against Collegians the undefeated Wattles 'Nutrien Harcourts Clifton' Under 13 line up edged out the premiership leading visitors in a cracker of a game 28 – 18.



Wattles 'Railway Hotel, Allora' Under 8 line up that took on Warwick's Collegians last Saturday at Platz Oval - (Left) Archie Moore, Chaz Daley, Jay Townsend, James Patterson, Jackson Wilson, Henry Ferguson, Kit Gilmore and Leo Williams. (Absent) Buddy Turner. (Image supplied)

Coach Glen McMillan praised his players for their efforts over all, with only a little lack lustre period in second half which let Collegians back in the game.

Under 15 Ladies
League Tag - Under 15
league tag contest was a
game of two halves, the 'All
in Electrical' Wattles side
finding themselves on the
back foot for most of the first
stanza.

In the second period Wattles showed what they are capable of with the forwards making good ground in the middle and our brilliant back line making numerous breaks.

Alex Gilmore crossed for a try double and while Georgia Bishop also touched down.

Under 15 - The 'Drayton Medical Centre' Wattles Under 15's strung together one of their best performances to finish ahead of Collegians 20-18.

Coach Tom Duggan and his staff were most impressed with their player's aggressive defence on their line and their crafty attack that allowed them to put points on the board.

Under 17 Ladies
League Tag - Wattles 'Club
Hotel, Clifton' 17 Ladies
League Tag side endured
a very tough game but the
rewards came their way in

the form of a close 16 – 14 winning result.

Coach Dan Wallis shared plenty of accolades for a great effort all round by the team.

Under 17 - The

undefeated Collegians side scored the honours in Saturday's 2022 Grand Final reply edging out the 'Hamblyn Builders' Wattles Under 17's 20 – 16 in a close tussle.

The scoreboard was

locked at 6 all at half time, and again at 16 – 16 until fours minutes remained when Collegians scored to snatch the match.

Round 6 - The Wattles Warriors juniors are back on home turf at Platz Oval this Saturday when they take on the Goondiwindi Boars in the sixth Round of the 2023 Warwick & District Junior Rugby League premiership.

Glyn Rees

## **Allora Golf Notes**



A solid field of 18 golfers played for the Allora Home Hardware Duck Run on Friday. Winner on 22 points was Rod with runner up being our South West Clydesdale Javden on 20 points. The approach shot was won by Aaron, NTP by Ty and long putt by Tommy Brown. Thanks Allora Hardware. Sunday's event was the Ty Gardner Concreting Monthly Medal with the winner being the amazing Johnny Sparksmann with a net 70. Runner up was

Timmy X with a net 71 and in third place was Russell with a net 72 in a countback from Kev. Unfortunately our sponsor was unable to play due to a big footy game on Saturday. Congratulations to the Wattles boys with three from three against gundy. Thanks to Ty for the support. Next Sunday we will play for the Allora Butchery Four Ball Aggregate. A call out to our great friend Ray O'Leary who is not quite up to playing golf at the moment. We are all thinking of you Ray. We had a welcome visit from the Langham Slashers on Sunday morning with the course certainly testing them out. Thanks to Wendy for the sumptuous morning tea you provided our Warwick visitors. See you on the

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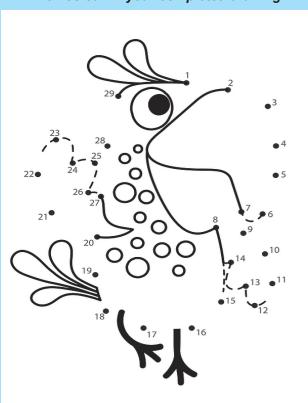
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Stanthorpe	Hawks
Newtown	Lions
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This is the 8th year of the Charity Day and it's hoped many visitors and locals will attend this action packed day.

Golf starts at 10am and the rest of the day and evening will be bowls and trivia. There will be a barbecue dinner and live music with loads of prizes to be won during the day.

The event is proudly sponsored by the Social Clubs of Joe Wagner Group

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This event is made possible by the wonderful sponsors - Railway Hotel, PR's Hair Design, Ros and Andy Cave and of course the constant support of John and Wendy at the Allora sports club.

Next year's event will be announced on Saturday and if anyone is interested in getting involved, sponsoring or donating prizes for the 2024 event please contact Amber on 0432 649 470.

(For full details of the Golf & Bowls Day this Saturday see page 14).



# Get Ready - It's State Of Origin Time!!



The 2023 State of Origin series will kick off in Adelaide next Wednesday.

Game 1 - Wednesday, May 31 NSW Blues vs QLd Maroons at the Adelaide Oval

Game 2 – Wednesday, June 21 Qld Maroons vs NSW Blues at Suncorp Stadium Brisbane

Game 3 - Wednesday, July 12 NSW Blues vs Qld Maroons at Accor Stadium, Sydney

As all Queenslanders know the Maroons are the defending champions after claiming last year's series 2-1 with a 22-12 win in Brisbane during Billy Slater's first time as coach.

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