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Wednesday, 6th September 2023

National Champion Bailey Harm



Bailey with his School Sport Australia medal haul.



ABOVE: Bailey Harm swims the QLD 15/16 years Medley relay team home for Gold, National Champions and a School Sport Australia Record.

RIGHT: Bailey starts the 50m Breaststroke final at the School Sport Australia National Championships, winning Silver.

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But wait there's more - musical items and visual art displays taking in short movies for your entertainment.

The imagination and talent of the students will blow

You can be part of this wonderful experience at the Allora P-10 State School Assembly Hall this Friday 8th September from 5.30pm.

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Annual 9 to 9 Walk of Hope

This walk, for suicide prevention and mental health awareness, will take place this Sunday 10th in Warwick.

There will be a welcome speech at 11.45am at St Marks Anglican Church then a short walk of remembrance around the Church grounds.

At 1pm the 9 for 9 walk to remember the 9 lives lost to suicide each day.

Register online with Eventbrite then take your free ticket to Harvey Norman to have a free photo of your loved one, who was lost to suicide, printed for you to carry on the day.



We Can't Wait To Jump In!





The Allora Swimming Pool is clean and sparkling, ready to re-open on 1st October.

Facilities have been upgraded with the newly painted changerooms. They now have modern toilet cubicles, new hand basins and flooring with a more practical changing area.

Allora makes good use of its pool which has produced many champion swimmers (as shown on the front and back pages of this week's Allora Advertiser.)



The Allora Swimming Pool season is from Sunday 1 October to Sunday 31 March 2024.







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Southern Downs

Southern Downs Regional Council recognises not-for-profit organisations are at the core of our community, and they make important contributions towards building a vibrant, resilient and safe Southern Downs for residents.

In acknowledging the vital role that community groups play in shaping the region's liveability, Southern Downs Regional Council has opened submissions for its 2023/24 Community Grants Program to help not-

for-profit organisations with projects or upgrades that provide positive benefits to the wider community.

Grants of up to \$2,000 are available to fund initiatives that focus on community development, arts and cultural development, social services, recreational services and infrastructure enhancements.

Council has allocated \$50,000 to Community Grants.

Applications close on Friday 30 June 2024, but the program may close sooner if all funding has been fully allocated.

Application forms and program guidelines are available on Council's website at www.sdrc.qld. gov.au/doing-business/grants-to-community-radf/grants-to-community



You are invited to connect and engage with Southern Downs Mayor Vic Pennisi and Councillors as they travel to venues across the region to meet with our community.

Come along and share your challenges, triumphs and innovative ideas to help make Southern Downs a great place to live, work, play and stay.

Please RSVP by Tuesday 12 September 2023 on **07 4661 0359**.

WEDNESDAY 13 SEP 2023

From 9:00 am

Pratten Public Hall 101 White Street, Pratten

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Southern Downs

Seniors Roadshow



Some things never grow old... Respect, dignity and feeling safe never grow old.

During Queensland Seniors Month the Southern Downs Safe and Savvy Seniors Roadshow will be heading our way with a host of services to share important information about planning for the future.

Whether it is financial, health or lifestyle decisions, it is important to have all the information and know who you can turn to for advice and support.

There will be Q & A style conversation with special guest panelists who will share their experience and knowledge around elder abuse, supported decision making, Enduring Powers of Attorney and having conversations with loved ones about your plans and wishes. They will also be looking at different strategies that you or an older person that you know can use to ensure that you are treated with respect and dignity and feel safe now and into the future.

Anyone interested is welcome to go along and listen to the conversations over a cuppa, seize the opportunity to ask questions in a safe space, and take away some useful information.

Community Sessions to be held at:

Warwick on Thursday, 19
 October from 4pm – 6pm at SDIEA Conference
 Room, 163 Palmerin Street
 Warwick

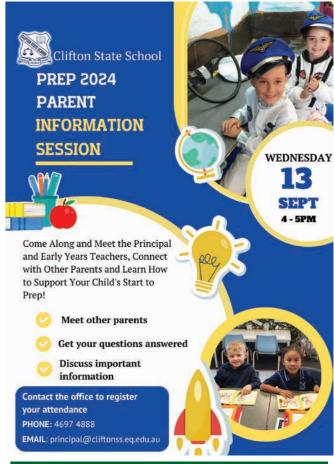
- Allora on Wednesday 18
 October from 10am until 12noon at the Allora RSL Memorial Hall in Warwick Street.
- Killarney on Friday 20
 October from 10am –
 12noon at Senior Citizens
 Rooms, 1 Ailanthus Street
 Killarney

Sessions include morning or afternoon tea and sample bags.

Sessions are FREE to attend, but places are limited, and registration is essential for catering purposes, by Thursday 12 October.

To register, contact Council's Community Development Team on 1300 697 372 or email commdev@ sdrc.qld.gov.au noting the session location you wish to attend, and your name, phone number, email address, and any special dietary requirements.







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Our News

School Sport Australia National Champion – Bailey Harm

Allora swimmer Bailey Harm has returned from the School Sport Australia National Championships in Sydney with a 2023 SSA National Champion title in the 50m Freestyle sprint.

Bailey competed in seven events at the Championships, bringing home six national medals.

Bailey's achievements in Sydney include:

- Gold and National Champion 15 years 50m Freestyle in a time of 24.07.
- Silver in the 15 years 50m Breaststroke in 30.53s, 0.02s from the gold.
- 5th in 15 years 50m Backstroke in 28.28s.
- Gold, National Champions and an Australian Record anchoring the 15/16 years Medley Relay with a freestyle leg of 23.35s.
- Gold 15/16 years 4 x 50m

Freestyle Relay, swimming the final leg starting in third place at the changeover and racing home in a 23.27 to take the gold from NSW in second.

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- Silver 10 x 50 Mixed Freestyle, Qld finishing behind NSW, Bailey the lead off swimmer.
- Bronze 13-19 years 4 x 100m Freestyle, swimming the fastest leg for the Qld team in a time of 52.66 seconds.

Bailey has also been selected in the Swimming Queensland Tilly Cup Team and will go into camp with the selected swimmers on the Gold Coast during the September school holidays. This competition will see some of the best Qld swimmers training and competing together in a teams-based event.

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Mobile BreastScreening at Allora this month

The Mobile BreastScreen
Service will be visiting Allora
from Monday 11 to Friday 15
September and will be located at
29 Darling Street behind Southern
Cross Care with access via
Gordon Street.

The services provides women with a free breast screen. Women aged 40+ can have a free breast screen every 2 years with those aged 50 - 74 especially encouraged to attend.

On the day of your appointment - don't wear talcum powder or deodorant as it can affect the x-rays of your breasts; wear a top and skirt or pants so your bottom half is covered during screening; arrive 10 minutes before your appointment time so paperwork can be processed; take your Medicare card if you have one.

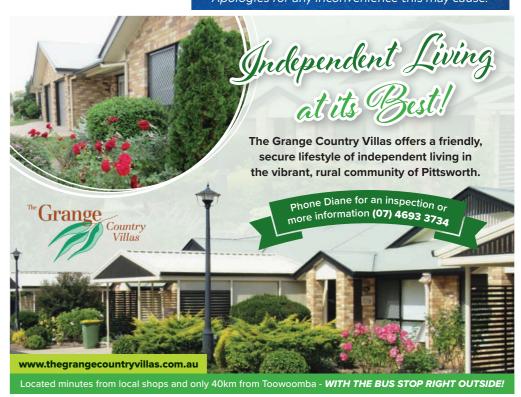
Most women will get their results within 4 weeks. Ninety-five out of 100 women have a normal breast screening result. This means no sign of breast cancer has been found on their x-rays.

Bookings can be made by phoning 13 20 50 or online at breastscreen.qld.gov.au



POSTPONED MEETING

Due to unforeseen circumstances the Honorable Barnaby Joyce MP will not be in Warwick on Saturday 23 September so the meeting with Veterans has been postponed to a date to be fixed. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.





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Allora Bowls Notes



ROUND 1 - Welcome back to all our teams and especially our new players for our Spring season. A few team name changes. Railway Hotel are now the Cool Cats and Fire Ants to Thunder Thugs. Gina's Babies are vet to find a new team name. A special thank you to Kevin & Lisa who came to watch and ended up playing for Doesn't Matter. A big thank you to the Allora Sports Club for renewing the lighting, it was just like playing in daylight.

Results on the night -RINK 1: Cool Cats 13 d. Generation Gap 7; RINK 2: Beer, Bowls & Bitches 18 d. Thunder Thugs 4; RINK 3: Gina's Babies 17 d. The Gecko's 3: RINK 4: Stone Cutters 19 d. Phoenix Rising 13; RINK 5: Pig Lures 15 d. What A Show 7; RINK 6:

The Three Stooges 17 d. Doesn't Matter 12: RINK 7: Peaky Blinders 13 d. Do It Again 7

Lucky raffle winners -Leanne, Kev and it was Kerry's lucky night winning 4 prizes,

Jackpot - Jim Pidgeon's number was drawn out for the cut of the cards for \$20 but no luck, \$40 next week.

Touchers - winners -Trev, Braydon, Gary S, Danny, Jim & Kerry

Winners for the night on Rink 5 - Pig Lures & Losers on Rink 1 - Cool Cats.

A big thank you to our sponsors for this season, Right 1st Time Cleaning for Touchers, The Green Keeper for the Jackpot. Railway Hotel, Butchery & Allora Sports Club for raffles.

A great start to the season, remember if anyone would like to play or even iust watch come along on Tuesday night 6.30pm for a 7pm start, the bar is always open and the music pumping.

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The Back

MLA seeks cattle producer representative



Meat & Livestock Australia (MLA) is looking to elect three producer representatives cattle, one sheep and one lot feeder - to its Board Selection Committee for a three-vear term.

Producer members wishing to nominate a election to the MLA Board Selection Committee at the 2023 MLA AGM must give written notice to MLA by 18 September 2023. All producer nominees will be put forward to the AGM for a vote.

The role of the Selection Committee is to call for applications, interview and then report to members on the suitability of candidates for election or

re-election to the MLA Board of Directors.

The Selection Committee has nine members. The cattle, lot feeder and sheepmeat peak councils each appoint one member, two non-voting members are MLA directors, and the remaining four members are producer representatives elected at the MLA AGM for a period of three years.

At the 2021 AGM, MLA cattle producer members

voted to elect Julie McDonald to the Selection Committee. and she is completing year two of her three-year term.

Producer representatives on the Selection Committee are paid a sitting fee in accordance with MLA policy and expenses are covered for travel to attend meetings.

For more information visit MLA Board Selection Committee website - https:// info.mla.com.au/4PKB-9MVV-1T6UQH-AD7HM-1/c.aspx

Plan Your Farm and Beat Erosion



Condamine Headwaters Landcare Group has ioined with other agencies

to arrange a two "Keep your Dirt" soil erosion field tour and workshop days later this month.

You can spend a day in the field with Soil Conservationist Mark Genrich to learn about farm planning, erosion and maintaining ground cover at this FREE workshop.

These free days will be held at Junabee on Thursday 21 September and Willowvale on Friday 22 September.

Both days run from 9am to 2pm with the Bus departing from the Tafe Student Carpark, 200 Dragon Street Warwick.

For further information or to register contact Tanya Jobling, Coordinator, CHLG via email: officechlg@gmail.com or Phone 4661 9909.



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Helen Harm

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- Under home is Laundry, Garage & storage
- 2 Carnorts beside home Entertaining deck overlooks 819 m backyard with garden shed INVESTORS: Renting at \$400 p.w

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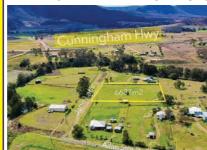


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Under 13 Glory in Mighty Year for Wattles Juniors'The Warriet and District

The Warwick and District Junior Rugby League celebrated its highly successful 57th season with Grand Final Day at Collegians Junior Rugby League Club in Warwick on Saturday.

The Glen McMillan coached Wattles Nutrien Harcourts - Clifton Under 13 side can boast a sensational 2023 effort of finishing the season undefeated, winning the Under 13 Warwick & District Junior Rugby League Minor Premiership and finishing 36 - 12 victors in Saturday's Grand Final against the Tenterfield Tigers.

Gifted hooker Jack Burton banked five tries in Saturday's season decider in a 'Player of the Match' performance, including the initial three touchdowns of the game.

Centre Archer Steinhardt's defence was very impressive, but Bailey Naumann's effort in the front row saw him as an imposing force leading from the front.

Others to shine included fiveeight Ty Betts with his fine kicking game and twelve-year-old Jack Harrigan rose to the level of the older grade without issue.

The whole team can take pride in their performance, coach McMillan very proud of the group and what they have achieved!

The opening 20 minutes set up the game for the young Warriors getting out to 22 - 0 lead earned through three Jack Burton four-pointers and another by Bailey Naumann, before having to fight off a strong Tenterfield challenge.

Two tries saw the Tigers back in striking distance trailing 12-22 at half time.

However, three unanswered second half touchdowns, one by Ty Betts and two by Jack Burton saw the Warriors ahead 36 – 12 and the silverware well in sight, despite a couple of late tries by the Tigers.

Wattles 36 (Jack Burton 5, Bailey Neumann, Ty Betts tries; Ty Betts 3 goals) defeated Tenterfield 20.

DraytonMedicalCentreWattlesUnder15-UndertheguidanceofmentorTomDugganWattlesverycapableUnder15teamalsocontestedaGrandFinalonSaturday.

The team, despite not gaining the desired result, can be very proud of their efforts and for qualifying for the Grand Final. "There're not easy to win and



Warwick and District Junior Rugby League 2023 Premiership Winners - Nutrien Harcourts Clifton Wattles Under 13 Team. Back: Archer Steinhardt, Adam May (LeagueSafe), Bailey Naumann, Nate Murdoch, Zavier Dalsanto, Hugh Denny, Jack Harrigan, James Saddlier, Eddison Barton, Jake Lyons, James Robertson, Lucas Stace, Glen McMillan (Coach). Front: Nate Grassens, Bailey Gascoyne, Declan Fogarty, Jack Burton, Ty Betts, Jonte May.



Warwick and District Junior Rugby League 2023 Under 15 Grand Finalists – Drayton Medical Centre Wattles Warriors. Back: Malakie Steinhardt, Patrick Baty, Brian Williams, Angus McArthur, Joseph Llewelyn, Chayse Hough, Marty May, Henry McMillan, Jackson May, Felix McGuire, Callum Wallace, Alex Collie, Tom Duggan (Coach). Front: Jack Duggan (Assistant Coach), Joe Morris (Trainer), Ory Gilmore, Harry Wright, Paddy Denny, Ben Rauchle, Tyson Saville, Max Parry, Jackson Bateman, Will Peters, Sam Smith.



Warwick and District Junior Rugby League 2023 Under 17 Grand Finalists – Hamblin Builders Wattles Warriors. Back: Billy Peardon, Corey Gascoyne, Lachie Bishop, Brodie Geary-Bacon, Jack Wright, Billy Joppich, Nick Hearn, McCabe Miller, Darcy Betts, Grahan Hopper, Jack Phelan, Rylan Marks, Charlie Spina, Sam Gilmore, Shane Wright (Coach). Front: Hamish Gartery, Seth Esson, Atticus Sullivan, Adrian Titas, Bryce Stewart, Dante Shepard-Picton, Tom Blake, Jayman Spina, Harry Marshall, Ben Barbierato.

Wattles team had to be at their best to beat Collegians" said Coach Duggan.

We were not able to complete our sets well enough in the first half allowing Collegians to get to a comfortable 16-4 lead by half time.

The Under 15 coaching staff are very proud of all their players, and look forward to seeing them continue their football next year.

Collegians 38 defeated Wattles 16 (Paddy Denny, Ben Rauchle, Henry McMillan, Brian Williams tries).

Hamblin Builders Wattles Under 17 - Wattles Under 17 lineup were focused on going one better than last year as they matched up against the Collegians Dragons in Saturday's Grand Final under the experienced guidance of coach Shane Wright.

Two early opposition tries and a 12-0 lead after ten minutes had the Warriors on the back foot and under pressure for the remainder of the game.

Twenty-three players wore the green and gold on Saturday striving for the first ever Wattles junior or senior club Under 17 premiership success, coach Wright praising them all on the

commitment in the game and over the season.

Wattles took the field with some injury issues that hindered their challenge, but a slow start and ill-timed errors also affected their chances.

Collegians 20 defeated Wattles 14 (Harry Marshall, Thomas Blake, Charlie Spina tries; Billy Peardon goal).

Presentation Day - Wattles
Junior Rugby League Club will
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Wattles Stumble in Grand Final Race

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A single point denied minor premiership winning Wattles Warriors reserve grade team a ticket to the 2023 Toowoomba Rugby League Grand Final on Sunday at the John McDonald Sporting Complex after finishing behind the Valleys Roosters 12 - 13 in the qualifying semi-final.

It was a clash of the titans from the outset with Valleys now earning next weekend off as they prepare for the grand final on September 16th.

While the match could have swung either way across the seventy minutes of play, Valleys on their home turf were marginally the better side as the scoreboard showed at full time.

Both teams cashed in with two tries apiece, but it was a 62nd minute field goal by halfback Jaren Bender that was to usher the



Roosters to victory

The Wattles coach praised his team. but some errors and missed opportunities cost them in the end.

Winger Warren Draper and relentless front-rower Aaron Scheid were in sensational form for the Warriors, as was halfback and play making General Michael Duggan.

Left winger Alex Morris was another to impress and near rescued the game for those in green and gold when he crossed in the corner only to be denied a try with doubt over the grounding of the ball.

Valleys posted on the scoreboard first with a 13th minute touchdown to slippery centre Harrison Burns

Wattles replied five minutes later when fiveeight Josh Henry kicked to the corner when the ball was gathered by winger Alex Morris who chipped infield for second-rower and skipper Jordan Henry to score.

Fullback Joe Willett converted for Wattles to take the lead 6 - 4.

Valleys put the ball through many hands nine minutes before the break resulting in a try by centre Anthony Paine, and a 10 – 6 advantage that the Roosters carried in to half time.

In the opening minutes of the new half Joe Willett made his presence felt with a converted try to put the Warriors ahead 12 – 10.

The defence of both sides was fierce throughout, especially off their try line.

Wattles lost bench impact front-rower Harry Shooter in the 31st minute, and fellow bench bookend Eli Adamson six minutes before full time to injury in the rough and tumble.

A successful Vallevs penalty goal levelled the scoreboard at 12 - 12 with sixteen minutes to play.

With Valleys adding the match winning field goal, the last eight minutes of play weren't for the faint of heart with Wattles throwing all their ammunition at Valleys to try and snatch the game, but Valleys hung on to win.

Valleys 13 (Harrison Burns, Anthony Pain, tries Jaren Bender field goal, penalty goal and a goal) defeated Wattles 12 (Jordan Henry, Joe Willett tries Joe Willett 2 goals)

Wattles now venture in to Round 3 of the 2023 TRL Finals Series playing the Dalby Diehards at Clive Berghofer Stadium on Sunday for a Grand Final

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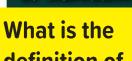
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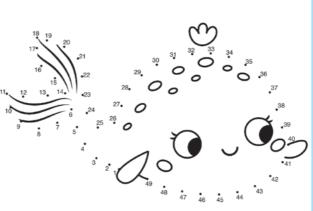
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Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend a celebration of Ken's life, to be held at St David's Anglican Church, 1 Church Street, Allora, service commencing at 1.30pm, Friday, 15th September 2023.

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The 11 year old was the only female in the Darling Downs region to qualify for the 10-12 yrs National Championships this year, securing her place after winning a silver medal in the 50 breaststroke event at Queensland School States in March. Maeve had the added challenge of Nationals being held during the swimming off season,



Maeve on the starting blocks.

when the Allora pool is closed over the winter months. Her coach, Andrew Fidge, travelled twice per week from Toowoomba to WIRAC in Warwick to fit in some training in amongst Maeve's other commitments to athletics and netball.

Maeve is looking forward to October, when the Allora Pool will reopen and she can recommence squad training and swim club activities.



Maeve Moore representing Queensland at Sydney.



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