

# Allora Advertiser

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## Days For Girls - Empowering Others



These wonderful ladies are busy making hygiene kits to send overseas to those who are less fortunate. Members of Allora's Days for Girls meet on a monthly basis to create essential reusable items for girls and women who don't have access to feminine hygiene products. The kits are then distributed to various countries undergoing hardships such as tsunamis or typhoons as well as to refugee camps. New members are most welcome to attend the gatherings at Mackillop House in Allora - phone Heather Goonan on 0434 907 904 for details.

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# This Is Not A Good Sign

Especially as it's on one of the main entrances into Allora, just near Dalrymple Park.

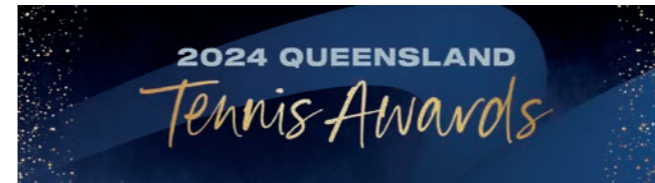
If you can't make out what is on the sign - it used to read -

## ALLORA EST. 1869

The Allora Advertiser has been told that the Council is aware so it could be on their list of things to do.

It has been suggested that maybe the Allora Men's Shed could make a new sign as they are really handy at woodwork.

# Exciting News For Allora Tennis Club



The Club has been successfully selected as a Finalist for the 2024 Queensland Tennis Awards.

Locals are already aware of the wonderful facilities, programmes and mentoring at the Allora Tennis Club but to be recognised further afield is a huge achievement.

Throughout Queensland only seven clubs (one being Allora) have been named as finalists in the Most Outstanding Club - Metro and Regional/Rural.

The Awards acknowledge performances, achievements and contributions of the Queensland tennis family that continually improves the sport.

A group from the Allora Tennis Club will attend the Awards Night to be held in Brisbane on Saturday 9th November.

Selected winners of applicable awards will also be nominated for the 2024 Newcombe Medal, Australian Tennis Awards.



**Allora Tennis Club - finalists in the Most Outstanding Club - Metro and Regional Rural.** Improvements to the Allora Tennis Courts, facilities at the Clubhouse as well as participation and mentoring in the Sport of Tennis have been identified by Queensland Tennis.



# Local Volunteer Heading To PNG

Well-known Allora identity Deirdre Williams (formerly a nurse) is looking forward to joining the YWAM team that is going to Papua New Guinea this weekend.

A ship loaded with goods and volunteers including medical people will leave from Townsville.

YWAM or Youth with a Mission takes urgently needed supplies to remote villages and offers primary health care.

Teams provide baby checks and childhood immunisations for children, family planning and antenatal care for women.

A typical clinic day may also cover a range of additional clinical care, including treatment of tropical diseases and



Deirdre Williams.

respiratory illness, basic wound care, physiotherapy for soft-tissue injuries and therapeutic treatment and advice for individuals with disabilities.

YWAM is helping to improve the health and well-being of our close neighbours.

**Letters to the Editor**

Send letters to the Editor to - 53 Herbert Street Allora or email [editor@alloraadvertiser.com](mailto:editor@alloraadvertiser.com)

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**Letter to the Editor...**

To Whom it May Concern,

Last Thursday I accompanied the President and the Secretary of the Allora Sports Museum to an intended meeting with the mayor and councillors of the Southern Downs to discuss ongoing issues that are slowing the progress of the said Museum to a crawl. I was to be an observer at this prearranged meeting. The council was represented by two council officers and two councillors.

Where were the mayor and the balance of the elected councillors, too busy? There was a complete disregard for those of us representing the people of Allora on a matter that has been for a considerable amount of time put on too hard a shelf.

Councillors are elected representatives of the people; they are paid to perform a duty on behalf of those who elected them. Plenty of noise was made before the elections regarding the operational activities of the said council and the improvements required, and it, by this experience, has come to naught.

The members of the Sports Museum committee were held in contempt by people elected to speak and act on their behalf, old-fashioned rudeness I believe! I have offered my historic racing car to benefit the people of Allora and beyond, major museums and collections around Australia and the USA would be excited to take my offer and a rude bunch of people we elected have treated me and my friends so poorly.

Doug Partington, Allora

**REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE**  
Allora Memorial Park  
Monday 11 November from 10.30am

Allora RSL Sub Branch invites Current and Past Service Personnel and Members of the Public to attend

**LEST WE FORGET**



Australian Army Officer wearing a yarn poppy on their shoulder as a symbol of remembrance.  
(Image - Dept Veterans' Affairs)

**Why is Remembrance Day special to Australians?**

At 11 am on 11 November 1918 the guns on the Western Front fell silent after more than four years of continuous warfare. The allied armies had driven the German invaders back, having inflicted heavy defeats upon them over the preceding four months. In November the Germans called for an armistice (suspension of fighting) in order to secure a peace settlement. They accepted allied terms that amounted to unconditional surrender.

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

*(History from Australian War Memorial)*

**Join the field of giant pumpkin growers**



Current Record holders Downslands College.

Royal Queensland Show (Ekka) has advised that entries are now open for the Giant Pumpkin Competition. The iconic competition offers \$3,450 in prize money, including a bonus \$1,000 for the heaviest pumpkin weighing more than 350kg.

There are two competition classes - Open and Youth - both offering \$600 for first place, \$400 for second and \$300 for third.

The growers of the pumpkin crowned Champion Heaviest Pumpkin of Show will also walk away with an additional \$850.

For the past two years, school students have dominated the competition, squashing pumpkins produced by veteran growers plus their long-standing records.

Downslands College from Toowoomba carved their name into the record books in March 2024, when their monster entry of 368.5kg smashed the previous Ekka record set by Minden farmer Geoff Frohloff of 261.5kg in 2015.

For schools, the competition is curriculum-aligned for Foundation to Grade 10, with lessons in biology and even mathematics.

Whether you're a farmer, gardener, student or novice, you can register for FREE Giant Atlantic pumpkin seeds through the Ekka website.

It's best to plant the seeds in December 2024, giving the gourds time to reach their full giant pumpkin potential.

Judging will then take place at the Brisbane Showgrounds on Saturday 8 March 2025, with the competition held outside of the August Ekka dates to take advantage of the premium growing season.

Entries close 28 February 2025. To enter and for more information go to [www.ekka.com.au](http://www.ekka.com.au)

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Rhydian Lewis delivers Bublé's hits

Indulge in the enchanting world of Michael Bublé like never before with The Best of Bublé Christmas Tribute Experience starring Welsh-born sensation, Rhydian Lewis at the Empire Theatre, Toowoomba on Thursday 5 December at 11am.

Lewis's soul stirring presence, voice and delivery, will send shivers down your spine, and his stage presence commands your full attention.

The incredible Australian big band, The Residuals provides the perfect accompaniment, infusing every note with a rich, full-bodied sound that mirrors Bublé's iconic style.

From love to heartbreak, joy to melancholy, Rhydian Lewis, along with the Residuals, delivers a

performance that transcends imitation, becoming an unforgettable celebration of Michael Bublé's enduring legacy.

The show includes a stellar line up of Bublé's biggest hits including, The Way You Look Tonight, Home, Everything, Sway, Save the Last Dance for Me, Feeling Good and many more as well as Christmas hits, It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas, Holly Jolly Christmas, Winter Wonderland, White Christmas and Santa Claus is Comin' to Town.

This performance includes Lucky Door Prizes, free morning tea and complimentary park 'n' ride service from Rumours International carpark.

# Country Press urges new LNP Government to strengthen regional news

The Queensland Country Press Association (QCPA) congratulates the Crisafulli Government on its historic election win and is ready to work with the government to ensure the survival of local news in Queensland.

Ahead of the election, QCPA called on the next Queensland Government to allocate a fairer share of existing government advertising to regional Queensland media.

QCPA President Wendy Creighton said the Victorian Government's successful policy of mandating a 'page per week' of government advertising in every regional and community newspaper has been operating successfully for four years in Victoria.

"This policy was implemented after multiple government inquiries, ACCC reviews and university research projects that all came to the same conclusion. Independent local news is an essential service in regional," Ms Creighton said.

"Local news is the cornerstone of regional communities, providing a platform for factual, balanced news, informed public debate, and giving a voice to our region and those who may otherwise go unheard.

"Without change, this

will silence local voices and erase our local stories, which undermines our democracy and compromises the integrity of honest journalism.

"Regional local papers are at risk, and we need the Crisafulli Government to back their future.

"Regional and community papers give locals a voice, a platform, and most importantly, they bind our community together. If we lose our regional papers, we lose our community's identity," he said.

Paid advertising about government programs is mostly invested with capital city corporate media and foreign owned tech giants like Facebook

"It keeps our leaders accountable, advocates for its regions, and is the only medium that reports extensively on local issues and local candidates," she said.

"A fairer share of government advertising would ensure the future of local journalism, voices, and community stories are protected.

"The QCPA looks forward to working with the Crisafulli Government through the course of its term to ensure all Queenslanders have access to essential local news and information."



# Fire Ant Senate Inquiry Disappointing

## David Littleproud's Response -

Leader of The Nationals and member for Maranoa David Littleproud said Labor has been too slow to act on its response into the Senate inquiry report Red imported fire ants in Australia - 'don't let this come back to bite us'.

Mr Littleproud said Labor had spent more than six months before releasing its response, conveniently waiting until the Queensland state election was over.

"It's a huge coincidence that the Federal Labor government has done

absolutely nothing since the Senate inquiry and waited until the first day of a new LNP Government in Queensland to release its response," Mr Littleproud said.

"These delays have allowed the fire ant biosecurity zone to progressively increase in size.

"Critically, the first recommendation was that the Australian Government review the current level of funding with the state governments.

"But Labor cared more about a state election than pointing out the delays made by the former Labor state government. As a result, community safety, productivity and our future way of life has been put at risk."



Fire Ant.

# Concerns Over Review Of Paraquat And Diquat

GrainGrowers, along with many other agricultural groups, has expressed concerns about the determination and scope of consideration undertaken by the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA) in its review of paraquat and diquat.

In lodging its submission to the APVMA, GrainGrowers said the proposed changes would significantly impact growers in terms of environmental effects and economic sustainability.

GrainGrowers Chair Rhys Turton said there were issues with the proposed changes and the review process.

Mr Turton said APVMA should undertake a more comprehensive consideration of the evidence and data before a final decision is announced. Given the sensitivity of the issues and the potential disruption to the industry, it is essential that the review is not rushed, with an appropriate phase-in period for any changes to usage patterns, he said. "From an industry perspective, paraquat and diquat are critical tools for

Australian grain production, underpinning sustainable practices like minimum and no-tillage farming. If the APVMA decision is finalised as it currently stands, it will significantly disrupt farm operations and the integrated weed management programs that are currently in place."

"The proposed decision will also impact the use of paraquat with optical spray technology, an increasingly important tool for minimising chemical application and improving farming efficiency."

Mr Turton said a GrainGrowers survey of 1,120 growers highlighted the programmed and systematic use of paraquat and diquat. "Some 90% of respondents indicated they use Integrated Weed Management programs to manage and prevent herbicide resistance, with 94% using paraquat and diquat during fallow and crop establishment." "The strong response to the survey and the high reliance on these chemicals as part of an integrated weed management process highlights the potential disruptions that could result from the proposed decision on paraquat and diquat."

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### AFFORDABLE LAND



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Quiet country lifestyle only 5 mins to Allora, 15 mins to Warwick and 40 mins to Toowoomba.

- 1922 m<sup>2</sup> - almost ½ Acre
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# MORE HALLOWEEN PHOTOS

"The Willett Electrical Maze welcomed over 410 visitors through its eerie doors, and while our BBQ sold out faster than expected with over catering to over 600 people, it left us in awe of just how much this event continues to grow each year."



"This event is all about bringing our community together and creating lasting memories for the children and families of Allora. It's a safe, inclusive afternoon that means so much to us, and each year we're truly amazed by the incredible support we receive."



"A heartfelt thank you to everyone who decorates their homes, to the local businesses who join in, and especially to the Railway Hotel for diving headfirst into supporting every event we hold. And to the families who come along, helping us create experiences with a lasting and positive impact for all who live in and visit Allora."

— Krissy Henry, Allora Community Circle President

# Summer Storms Starting To Roll In



This amazing image was taken from the top of the mountains at Goomburra Hall. An awesome display of light during sunset all with rainbow, lightning and sun rays - top shot by Corrie Ross.

# Grants For Creative And Cultural Projects

Artists and creative organisations and businesses across the Southern Downs are invited to apply for funding to showcase their innovative and artistic visions to life through the Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF), one of Queensland's leading arts programs.

Delivered in partnership between Arts Queensland and Southern Downs Regional Council, RADF supports the development of arts, culture and heritage, enriching community diversity and promoting inclusivity.

Southern Downs Regional Council has secured \$41,475 from the Queensland Government, with Council matching the amount to offer a total funding pool of \$82,950 for the 2024-2025 program.

Councillor Morwenna Harslett highlighted the vital role RADF plays in nurturing the region's creative scene.

"RADF funding empowers local artists and creatives, supports diverse cultural projects and

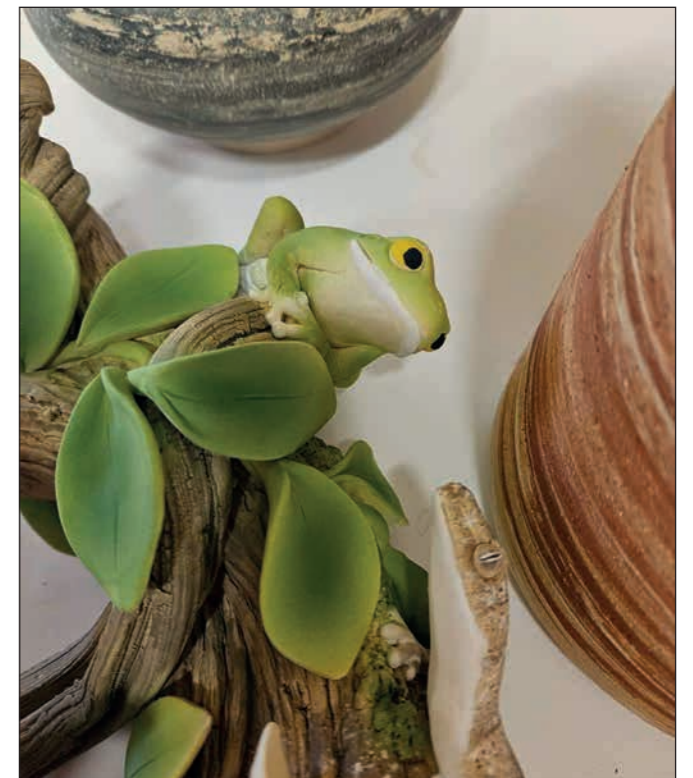
enriches the community's vibrant arts landscape," Councillor Harslett said

"From captivating festivals to inspiring heritage projects, the RADF investment ensures that the unique stories and exceptional talents from every corner of the region continue to flourish, making the Southern Downs a hub of creativity and cultural excellence.

"I urge both new and seasoned artists to examine the program guidelines and think about how they can leverage these funds to realise their creative projects."

Past RADF grants have funded an array of projects, including street art installations, creative workshops, heritage projects and performances.

Applications open on Monday 4 November 2024 and close midnight 30 June 2025. Applicants should note that projects seeking RADF grant funds must not start before 2 December 2024 and must be completed by 31 July 2025.



Applications must be submitted online via Smarty Grants. Application forms and guidelines are available at [www.sdrc.qld.gov.au](http://www.sdrc.qld.gov.au) For further information, please contact Council's Grants Officer on 1300 MY SDRG (1300 697 372).

The Regional Arts Development Fund is a partnership between the Queensland Government and Southern Downs Regional Council to support local arts and culture in regional Queensland.

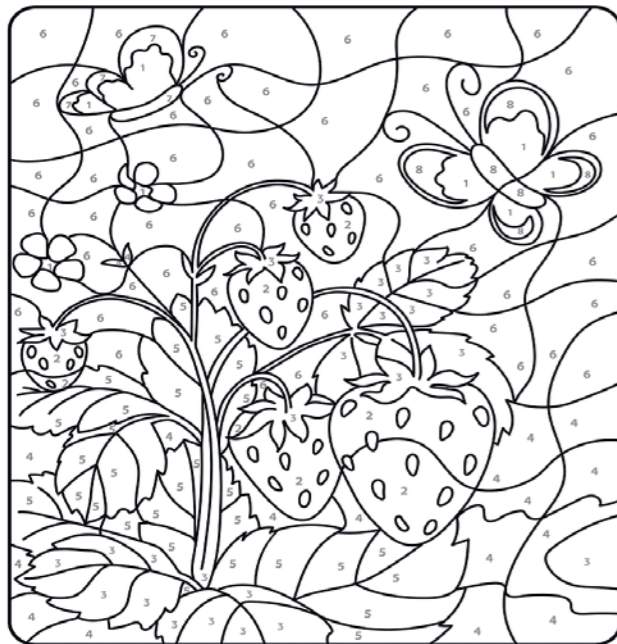
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**TODAY'S QUOTE -**  
 "Love is blind but marriage is a real eye-opener."

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# Allora Bowls Notes

**ROUND 9** - They say it's not over till the last bowl is bowled on the last night of the season. With four rounds to go now the Leaderboard has changed with Pig Lures on 16, The Flipper & Doesn't Matter 14, Generation Gap & Gina's Babies 12. A resounding win by Pig Lures over Toe Cutters with Pig Lures scoring some big

ends of 6,7 and 3 x 4 ending up with a score of 35, well done. Special thanks to Hethe & Duke for 'coaching' Kev, not sure if you were a help or a hindrance.

**RESULTS - RINK 1:** Phoenix Rising 18 d. Doesn't Matter 6; **RINK 2:** Stone Cutters 10 d. Spring Creek 8; **RINK 3:** The Flipper 14 d. Do It Again 13; **RINK 4:** Beers, Bowls & Bitches 12 d. Generation Gap 8; **RINK 5:** Got Ya By The Bowls 14 d. Cool Cats

7; **RINK 6:** Gina's Babies 23 d. Slice of Wood Fired Pizza 7; **RINK 7:** Pig Lures 35 d. Toe Cutters 8.

**TOUCHERS** - won by Slug, Aaron, Beetle, Robbie, Kris & Denis

**RAFFLE** - Mick, Gary C, Josh D, Dewy & Russell P.

**JACKPOT** - Congratulations to Toni F for winning the \$75. Next Jackpot on the last round will be \$100. Thank you to The GreenKeeper for sponsorship.

**WINNERS** - The Flipper  
**LOSERS** - Doesn't Matter.

Our Sponsors for this season are Allora Butchery, Railway Hotel, Amy's Café, Allora Sports Club, Right 1st Time Cleaning, The GreenKeeper & Millstone Group. Thank you.

See you all again next week for Round 10 for another great game, only 4 more nights of bowls with the season finishing on 26th November.

# Allora Golf Notes



**Friday's Allora Hardware duck run** - The winners were: 1st: Whitt - 19 points, 2nd: Kev Hurley - 18 points.

Nearest the pin: Whitt.  
Approach shot: Lindsay May.  
Long putt: John Sparksman.

**Sunday's Allora Railway Hotel Monthly Mug** - The winners were: 1st: Rod Simpson - 35 points, 2nd: Kev Hurley - 34 points, 3rd: John Sparksman - 34 points.

Pin shots: 4th: Ken Wilson, 7th: Hethe Ramus, 8th: Ken Wilson, 13th: Nick Lake, 16th: Shannon Gardner, 17th: Max Bielefeld.

Approaches: 3rd: Jason Nightingale, 5th: Rod Simpson, 12th: Neil Chandler, 14th: Andrew Cody.

Long putts: 6th: Lindsay May, 15th: Doreen Duffy.

**Coming up:**  
**Saturday 9 November** - Allora Clifton Anglican Parish golf day.

**Sunday 10 November** - Ty Gardner Concreting Monthly Medal.

Sunday 17 November - Allora Golf Club open day.

# Official Opening Of New Courts At Allora Tennis Club

Keep the date free - Sunday 24 November for a family fun day to celebrate the newly resurfaced courts.

This special day will be a light-hearted family-oriented social gathering with registration at 9am and sets commencing at 10am. (late registrations till 12noon).

On the day there will be novelty mixed doubles Tournament open to 14 years and over with other

activities for under 14's.

There is no problem if you can't find a partner just put your name in the hat and a partner will be drawn out.

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