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## Landcare Working Bee -

Five volunteers attended the Allora Landcare working bee to spray weeds along the banks of the Dalrymple Creek on Sunday 15 August.

Several mature examples of privet were sprayed along with some regrowth that had escaped the last spraying day. Examples of White Moth vine (*Araujia hortorum*) were also found and sprayed. This vine originates in Peru, and the stems and leaves exude a milky white sap when damaged. One example had already fruited and one seed case had already burst to liberate thousands of seeds, which are dark coloured, 4mm long and have a white silky hair tuft or "parachute" to assist their dispersal on the lightest of breezes. The other mature pods were collected and destroyed.

Allora Landcare secretary Jim Flesser would like to thank all those who volunteered for the job, as they say, many hands make light work. The Allora Landcare AGM is open to all members and interested persons, and will be held at the Blue Cow on Thursday night at 7.30pm.

RIGHT: A family affair, daughter Jennifer and mum Adele Thomas spraying privet along the banks of the Dalrymple.

BELOW: The ruptured White Moth vine seedpod. They look like a choko, but are very lite-weight and inedible. If found they should be destroyed before they burst open.

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## Council seeks community opinion on Warwick seven-day trading

Council will be randomly surveying a cross section of residents in the entire Southern Downs region as to their opinions regarding proposed seven-day trading for Warwick. The phone survey will be conducted by Council's Economic Development Unit.

Council's Director of Community Services, Tony Minuti, said today that it was important for Council to know first hand what the community's view is on this matter.

"Retail trade is a major economic driver for the Southern Downs and in Warwick alone retail employs over 1200 people," Mr Minuti said.

"Any change to the existing business environment has to be looked at very carefully, including the possible impact on other towns in our region, which is why Council has asked for this survey to be undertaken."

Mr Minute said that Council will be considering its policy on seven-day trading for Warwick at its General Meeting later this month.

"The results of the survey will form part of the decision-making process so I encourage all residents to contribute if they are contacted for the survey," he said.

There is currently an application for the approval of seven-day trading in Warwick for those businesses wanting to trade on Sunday. This application was submitted by the National Retail Association on behalf of the larger supermarkets. The matter will be decided by the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission in early October and Southern Downs Regional Council has been invited to make a submission on this matter in early September.

Seven-day trading has been allowed in Toowoomba since May

this year and there is concern that local retail businesses may suffer because of this.

If any member of the community would like to express their opinion on seven-day trading, they can complete a confidential online survey by visiting <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/7daytrading> or go to the Southern Downs Regional Council website. The online survey is in the exact format as the upcoming telephone survey.

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Peter Thomas on the banks of the Dalrymple Creek attacking some privet regrowth at the Landcare working bee.

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**5-Way Meet**

A very successful 5-Way Meet was held at Allora State School on Wednesday, 4 August. Allora, Assumption, Killarney, Clifton and Warwick secondary students competed. Weather-wise, it was a great day. Two records were broken on the day, the first being the 13 Years Girls Discus (1kg), broken by Libby Brown of Warwick State High School with a distance of 24.84 (old record held by Clare Kanowski, Allora SS, 23.63, 2008). The second record broken was the 14 Years Boys Discus (1kg), with Matthew Denny throwing a new distance of 51.89m (old record held by Jarod Coley, Clifton SHS, 45.69, 2008). Congratulations.

Congratulations to the following Allora State School students who performed well on the day - Brodie Sharman was the 14 Years Boys Age Champion, with Matthew Denny Runner-Up. Rebecca Lingard was Runner-Up Age Champion girl in the

**Letter to the Editor...**

Dear Sir,

The Deuchar Massie Hall is holding a Trivia Night this Saturday starting at 6.30pm to raise funds for the lining of the ceiling. Because of the hall being used for this, the election polling booth will be at the Rural Fire Brigade Station further up the Aerodrome Road.

With many great prizes to be won or auctioned eg. 4 Season Passes to the Bulls games, a joy flight with Warwick Flying School and a team-signed cap from the Broncos, we would like to book more teams for the night's fun, so call Judy on 0408 673 763.

Some of our members have cleaned the graffiti off the side wall, but we will need to fundraise again to repaint after that damage, so we ask the community to join us on the night to achieve the amount needed.

Thanking you,

Wendy Ardrey  
 Vice President,  
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Open age group. Other Age Champions were Leanne Brown, Open Girls, Warwick SHS; Shandell Doro, 14 Years Girls, Warwick SHS; Carly Cooper, 13 Years Girls, Assumption College; Patrick Gribbin, Open Boys, Assumption College; Daniel Watson, 13 Years Boys, Warwick SHS. All students are to be congratulated on their exemplary behaviour and participation on the day.

**Looking Back...**

**Allora's Past 100 years ago August 1910 Football**

On Saturday last the Goomburra "Wallabies" journeyed to Maryvale and defeated the local team by 8 points to 6 after a very exciting game. Mr. R. Sinton captained the "Wallabies" and Mr. Owens led the Maryvale team. A return match is expected in Allora on Saturday week.

A match between the Allora and the Ross's Corner (Clintonvale) Clubs was played at the latter's ground on Saturday and after an evenly contested game, resulted in a draw, both sides scoring 8 points. Some great play was shown on several occasions, especially by Ross's Corner half-back, J. Shelley, who by his passing and sidestepping seemed to baffle the Allora backs.

For Allora, the most fancied were Ford, Joy, Phelan, Mahoney and Gwynne; and for Ross's Corner, Shelley, Dempsey, O'Brien, Kadow, and D. Phelan showed form. Mr. S.E. Wright acted as referee with satisfaction.



Goomburra Football Club team in 1910. Back: J. Freherm. Back row: S. Chard, A. Johnston, P. Newton, E. Balderson, O. Jones, A. Gwynne, C. Chard. Front row: W. Anderson (Manager), T. Phillips, P. Ford, H. Johnson, G. Black (Captain), S. Masters, S. Wright (Referee), Front: R. Agnew, Unknown.

**The Allora Cup**

A fair entry and beautiful weather favoured the Darling Downs Coursing Club for the big event-the Allora Cup-on Wednesday last. A round dozen canines competed for the spoils and the honour that goes with the winning of the Allora Cup, eleven of the twelve being local entries. The said spoils included a handsome trophy donated by Mr. George Webb, the popular president of the Queensland Coursing Association, and £60/10/0 in prize money. The winner turned up in the veteran, Welcome Laddie, owned and trained by Mr. Webb, who defeated Minting in the final. Welcome Laddie is by Wild Irishman out of Mr. W. A. Deacon's champion bitch, Madge.

Mr. Deacon occupied the judging box and acted throughout with his well known impartiality and knowledge of the game. Mr. J. J. Schriek did the slipping successfully, and Mr. Jos. Burge's secretarial arrangements were, as ever, faultless. The running was good and the hares were in fine form, kills being few and far between.

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**Community Directory winners announced**

Members of Wallangarra's Border Blue Water Fishers Club Inc and Warwick's Lions Club are grinning as a result of wins in the recent Southern Downs Community Directory Mystery prize promotion.

Community Development Officer, Gwen Jones was delighted to receive more than 60 listings in the promotion period to the end of July, from community groups and clubs throughout the region.

"The Directory is off to a great start, receiving positive feedback and a good sign-up rate in the first month," Ms Jones said.

"After randomly selecting our north and south winners, it's heartening that both winning organisations will put their prizes to good use."

Prize packs included print vouchers from Creed & Lang and Stanthorpe Print N' Copy, as well as products from Kominos Wines, Robert Channon Wines, Southern Downs Steam Railway, Queensland College of Wine Tourism, YMCA and WIRAC.

Don Higgs, Secretary of the Border Blue Water Fishers Club, said the club is a very happy recipient of the prize pack, which they will use to raise funds for the club and upcoming fishing trips.

"Our club was only established in February 2009 and organises salt water fishing trips around the State," Mr Higgs said.

A prize pack was presented by Council's Community Development Officer, Gwen Jones, to Don Higgs, Secretary of the Border Blue Water Fishers Club on Friday August 6.

Club members, currently numbering 15, are looking forward to their next trip to Tweed Heads in October.

Con Lo Giudice, President of the Warwick Lions Club, was surprised, but thrilled to be a winner for the northern part of the region.

"The club will raffle most of the items at an upcoming fundraising dinner for the Cancer Council's Daffodil Day, but will retain the Creed & Lang printing gift voucher, which will be a big help to the club," he said.

The Lions Club of Warwick Inc boasts a membership of 20 and has served the Warwick and District community since 1958. Key fundraising is directed to supporting the RACQ Care Flight

service, Akooramak Home for the Aged, the local Cancer Council, Leukaemia Foundation, St Vincent De Paul and Salvation Army.

Ms Jones commented that the directory is continuing to receive steady listings, with over 70 clubs and organisations having now registered.

"This number increases every day and even though the mystery prize promotion has ended, I would encourage community groups to still get onboard and list on the directory," Ms Jones said.

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For more information about the Directory, contact Council's Community Development Officers Gwen Jones on 4681 5522 or [gwen.jones@southerndowns.qld.gov.au](mailto:gwen.jones@southerndowns.qld.gov.au) or Pam Burley on 4661 0404 or [pam.burley@southerndowns.qld.gov.au](mailto:pam.burley@southerndowns.qld.gov.au)



The second prize pack was presented by Council's Community Development Officer, Gwen Jones, to Con Lo Giudice, President of the Lions Club of Warwick on Tuesday, Aug 10.

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**Mr. Clifton Competition -**  
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Clifton is a small town 8kms off the New England H'way so needs that "something a bit different" to tweak the public's interest.

We have been invited to enter a float in the Carnival of Flowers in September, which we will be doing in conjunction with the Wattles Juniors and Clifton Show Society.

That's not enough! We need an attraction, a murder or a V.I.P. to tempt visitors/tourists off the main road... you'll be relieved to know we've settled for a V.I.P.

We're having a Mr CLIFTON Competition. Yes! A Mr CLIFTON Competition. (The Second Best Job in the World)

The winner will be ON the float at Toowoomba's big parade, then take pride of place at the Clifton Country Week 16th to 23rd October. Mr CLIFTON will participate in our Christmas In The Street Carnival in December to assist jolly old Santa and be available for other Community events. He will be our promotions man.

There is a criteria to enter - the main one being aged 18 to 180, male, and live in the district.

Nominees can collect entry forms from Lynetz, in King St. or The Clifton Courier, Clark St., Clifton.

The candidates will field probing questions from cheeky judges, lots of insolent audience participation and cheering and jeering will be heartily encouraged.

Mr CLIFTON candidates will front up to scrutiny at the New Tivoli Theatre, Clifton on Saturday, 11th September, at 7.45pm. Prizes befitting his status will be presented.

So if you've nothing better to do on September 11th, come to Clifton for a jovial and entertaining night to remember.

For further information on Mr CLIFTON and the Clifton & District Assoc. contact - President: Maryann Bisdee 4697 3226 Secretary/Publicity: Cynthia Conway 4612 3087. Email: [cynmike1@bigpond.com](mailto:cynmike1@bigpond.com) or Karen Ferguson 4612 3775.



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The Art Exhibition culminates in an auction and concert evening on November 3, to be hosted by Variety Club's Australian Ambassador, Normie Rowe and Owen Ray and The Countdowns.

The art space is to be spread throughout the theatre complex. The event will encompass live theatre and even the launch of a new fashion label by young Toowoomba designer, Sarah Walker.

People's Choice Awards for fine arts and photography include a Norfolk Island holiday for two and a Maleny photography weekend including tuition, accommodation and a camera.

Staff and parents at Toowoomba West Special School have been overwhelmed by the amount of community support being thrown behind their major fundraiser.

The small school, catering for students with intellectual or multiple disabilities, has been serving the Toowoomba

district for 35 years.

The type of equipment needed for programs is often very expensive.

Principal, Lea Formigoni, said that as the students would benefit tremendously from interactive whiteboards and multi-sensory playground equipment.

The school this week launched the website announcing their "Que Sera Sera" Art Exhibition.

Visit [www.artfortwss.com](http://www.artfortwss.com) to learn more about "Que Sera Sera" and to download entry forms.



Senior students Jared Hayter and Shona Holder (front) with School Captain, Julieanne Lane, join Deputy Principal Glenn Gatehouse and Principal Lea Formigoni in launching the "Que Sera Sera" website, seen here on an interactive white board.

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## Warrior Ross Stars as "Roosters" Crow

While there was no glory for Wattles on Sunday at Platz Oval as they took on premiership front-runners, the Valleys "Roosters", losing all three grades, young eighteen year old hooker Liam Ross filed an outstanding performance in the first grade clash. The "Queensland Farmer's Warehouse" "Warriors" ball control along some defensive lapses presented Valleys with the necessary opportunities get on top early in the game, eventually cruising to a 56 - 8 victory after leading 34 - 0 at halftime. But throughout Ross excelled with his incisive darts from dummy-half, crisp ball service, and marathon defensive effort a feature of the game for the home side. Ross, who earlier in the day had also shone for Wattles in the Under 18 match, was rewarded with a try in top grade as a result of a quick thinking dart from dummy-half near the tryline late in the second half.

As Valleys impressive arsenal took a firm grip on the match, Wattles never gave in as they tried to stem the flow of points, but Valleys showed the superior firepower, that has them placed at the top of the Toowoomba Rugby League premiership ladder. Wattles centres Luke Baker & Matt McCarthy impressed, McCarthy often commanding respect with his powerful runs. Honest working front-rower Jim Hegarty ran well with the ball throughout, while back rower Nick Colthup defended fearlessly as Valleys ran in eleven tries to claim victory. Winger Ben Maloney was very solid on the flank and injected himself into play with plenty of effect. Scott Murdoch added attacking variety when moved from the wing to halfback in the first half. Murdoch scored Wattles first try late in the second stanza, using the skills gained as a junior soccer player, he kicked a loose ball ahead, regaining and showed plenty of pace to sprint 55 metres to score.

A penalty count of 10 - 3 against didn't help Wattles cause against a side of the calibre of Valleys, the "Warriors" having to wait until the 54th minute to receive a penalty. Wattles spent much of the match with only two men on the bench, and a ten minute period with only twelve on the field when Matt McCarthy was sin binned out of sheer frustration with the penalty count. Valleys 56 defeated Wattles 8 (Scott Murdoch, Liam Ross tries).

At half time in the first grade match heroes of the Wattles 1970 Toowoomba Rugby League premiership winning team were presented to the large Platz Oval crowd. Team members who appeared were Brian Keleher, Bevan Crothers, John Cowley, Greg Platz, Michael Bowe, James Phelan, Dennis Fogarty, Terry Fogarty, Brian Meara, Sid Telford, Mal Duff and former club Secretary John Fogarty. The team had been celebrating the 40 th anniversary of what was Wattles first eve "A" Grade Premiership win over the weekend, including a dinner in Clifton on Saturday evening.

In lower grade fixtures against Valleys the news was no better for Wattles, the "Railway Hotel, Allora" reserve graders defeated 62 - 16, and the "Allora Foodworks" Under 18's falling to Valleys by 40 - 6.

Ross Hentschel's reserve grade team were still well in the match at half time, trailing by 24 - 10. Fullback Justin Van Der Poel worked hard for the "Warriors", his strong running and hard hitting defence a real bonus for the home side. Jesse

## Events Calendar

2010

### September -

Sat 11 Allora State School Spring Fair  
Allora State School Grounds, 9.00am - 2.00pm

### October -

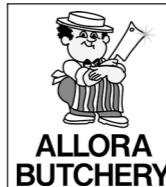
Sat 9 Wattles Banquet & Presentation  
Fri 15 St Patrick's Parish Fete  
St Patrick's School Grounds

Sat 16 High Tea  
Kiwi & Sue Steven's  
Fri 29 Anglican Parish Fete  
St. David's Church Grounds, 4.30pm

### November -

Fri 26 RSL Womens Aux. Hoy & Cent Sale Evening  
Allora RSL Hall, 7.00pm

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Keys made his much anticipated comeback after a break with injury and was among Wattles best, as was back rower Hakan Mackenzie. Valleys raced to a 12 - 0 lead before clever halfback John Byrne scored a sharp try, followed by forward Luke Miller scoring in the 23rd minute to have the scoreboard reading 12 - 10 in Valleys favour. The "Roosters" ran in two more tries prior to the break, before emerging after half time to score seven unanswered tries. Wattles coach Ross Hentschel crossed for a four pointer in the final minute of the match, an eye catching individual effort that had long standing supporters commenting it was one of the better tries seen scored on Wattles hallowed turf of Platz Oval.

Valleys 62 defeated Wattles 16 (John Byrne, Luke Miller, Ross Hentschel tries; Will Manley 2 goals).

Classy forward Tom Patterson was an impressive performer in Wattles 6 - 40 Under 18 loss, and was rewarded late in the match scoring his side's lone try. Patterson received great support from hard running sixteen year old front-rower Lee Lousick and talented lock Liam Ross.

Valleys had to much firepower though for the "Warrior" colts, running in seven tries across the match.

Valleys 40 defeated Wattles 6 (Tom Patterson try; Jordan Henry goal).

Wattles run on in their final match of the season next Sunday, the local derby against the Warwick "Cowboys" at Father Ranger Oval. The "Warriors" will not have a team featuring I the 2010 Toowoomba Rugby League finals series, so will be hoping to taste victory in Sundays Round 18 clash with the "Cowboys" to drop the curtain on another season.

Wattles teams to play against Warwick on Sunday.

"Queensland Farmer's Warehouse" "A" Grade: 1. Will Manley, 2. Ben Maloney, 3. Matthew McCarthy, 4. Luke Baker, 5. Scott Murdoch, 6. Tim Hentschel, 7. Xavier Manley, 8. Jim Hegarty, 9. Liam Ross, 10. Jason Nightingale, 11. Brady Glass, 12. Nick Colthup, 13. Luke Miller, 14. John Blaine, 15. Dan Sullivan, 16. Jesse Keys, 17. Travis Williams. Coach: Cameron Hamblin.

"Railway Hotel, Allora" Reserve Grade: 1. Justin Van Der Poel, 2. Damian McDonald, 3. Will Manley, 4. David Cartmill, 5. Tim Grimes, 6. Brian Wilson, 7. John Byrne, 8. Daniel Ross, 9. Josh Johnstone, 10. Luke Whitton, 11. Luke Miller, 12. Hakan Mackenzie, 13. Nick Pasterfield, 14. Ross Hentschel, 15. Hamish Moore, 16. Brad Eyre, 17. Scott Butler, 18. Laurie Byrne, 19. Travis Williams. Coach: Ross Hentschel.

"Allora Foodworks" Under 18: 1. Travis Downie, 2. Ashley Dempsey, 3. Jordan Henry, 4. Biron Medland, 5. Luke Bichel, 6. Matthew Dixon, 7. Mitchell Rees, 8. Carl Gale, 9. Mark Duggan, 10. Lee Lousick, 11. Jake Dingle, 12. Aaron Beckhouse, 13. Liam Ross, 14. Sharnne Reardon, 15. Jesse Lampson, 16. Nathan James, 17. Todd McGrady, 18. Dylan Grady, 19. Cheyenne Macura, 20. Tom Patterson. Coach: Doug Peardon.

Glyn Rees

**Girl Guide Tosses the Coin**

Sundays A-Grade match between Valleys and Wattles saw Emma Gardner from the 1st Warwick Girl Guides toss the coin for the start of the game. The Federal Government has named 2010 as "The Year of the Girl Guide" to coincide with the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts who are celebrating 100 years of Changing Girls Lives. The Wattles Warriors Rugby League Club are proud supporters of the Girl Guides in their 100th year and are helping them to continue to be part of our local community by inviting a Girl Guide to toss the coin for the start of their last home game of the season. "I really enjoy being a Girl Guide" said Emma, "and to be part of such a great organisation during their centenary year is quite special". "When the opportunity arose for me to toss the coin at a Wattles home game I jumped at the chance. It was scary but lots of fun," she said. "Thank you to Mr. Barry Glass for his help in organising for a Girl Guide to be showcased to our community on Sunday."



Left to right: Valleys Captain Justin Murphy, Referee Neil Olm, Emma Gardner and Wattles Captain Matthew McCarthy.  
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Left to Right: Paul Morris, Alex Morris, Brodie Ellery, Brittany Moore, Luke Kilah, Anthony Bannister, Joe Morris, Brad Johnson, Jack Barnes. Front: Brodie Frizzell and Nick Morris holding the trophy. Photo © Tamara Stewart

**Touch Football**

Recently, a team of both past and present Allora State School students, coached by Mr Brad Johnson competed in the 'D Grade' finals of the Summer touch competition in Warwick. The team performed very well this season, winning their final. Team members who played in the final were Joe, Nicholas, Alex and Paul Morris, Brodie Ellery, Brittany Moore, Luke Kilah, Anthony Bannister, Brodie Frizzell, Brad Johnson and Jack Barnes (from Warwick). Mr Johnson's efforts organising the team and making sure they were able to get to and from the games (via KFC on the way home) is greatly appreciated. For the new season, Miss Robyn Miles from the Railway Hotel has come on board to sponsor the team. Your sponsorship is greatly appreciated Robyn.

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Expressions of interest are called for 2 members from the southern end of the region and 1 member from the northern side, to replace outgoing members.

Interested persons who wish to nominate for the committee are requested to obtain an information pack from the Council Offices, Library or Art Gallery in Stanthorpe or by visiting www.southerndowns.qld.gov.au and viewing information contained with the RADF link on the home page. Applications close on 6 September 2010 at 5pm.

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**Allora Golf Notes 15 August 2010**

Last Sunday's competition at Allora was the Jenco Feeds & Seeds Monthly Medal kindly sponsored by Jenco. The winner with a net score of 63 was Kel Strange. The runner-up, on 66 net was Kev Harrison. Kev had to survive a countback from the fast-finishing Neil Chandler who also finished on 66. Pin shots went to new member Adam Cummins on the 2nd, Neil Chandler on the 7th and 11th and Kel Strange on the 8th and 17th. Congratulations to all the winners. Next Sunday's (22 August) event will be a Single Stableford event for a Club trophy. The captain is also calling nominations for the Club Matchplay Championships. Tee-off will be from 11.30am. All players are welcome. Don't forget your sand buckets and remember - to play is to live.

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**Warwick Racing Pigeon Club Notes -**

The Warwick Racing Pigeon Club held its 11th race from Emerald on the 7/08/10. In First place Neville and Barb Jeffries with a time of 10hrs 7mins 28secs with a velocity of 1068.32mpm, Second place Gordon and Tanya Wilson 1064.23mpm, Third place Rebecca Galloway 1002.19mpm, Fourth place Allen and Jane Galloway 999.96mpm, and Fifth place Alan Hoey 863.55mpm.

The Five bird was won by Neville and Barb Jeffries 845.21mpm, Second place Rebecca Galloway 808.18mpm, Third place Allen and Jane Galloway 717.93mpm, and Fourth place Alan Hoey 677.73mpm.

The Two Bird race was won by Gordon and Tanya Wilson, Second place Neville and Barb Jeffries and Third place Rebecca Galloway.

The Warwick Racing Pigeon Club held its 12th race from Emerald on the 14/08/10. In First place Neville and Barb Jeffries with a time of 7hrs 36mins 5secs with a velocity of 1422.93mpm, Second place Alan Hoey 1364.24mpm, Third place Gordon and Tanya Wilson 1362.29mpm, Fourth place St Jude Lofts 1117.10mpm, and Fifth place Lollback Family 1022.10mpm.

The Young Bird Derby was won by Gordon and Tanya Wilson 1429.57mpm, Second place Neville and Barb Jeffries 1416.04mpm, Third place Alan Hoey 1389.43mpm, and Fourth place Lollback Family 1178.89mpm.

The Two Bird was won by Neville and Barb Jeffries, Second place Alan Hoey and Third place Lollback Family. The next race is from Clermont and Mt Douglas this Saturday.



## Junior Warriors travel to Tenterfield

The Junior Warriors completed the final games of the fixture rounds against Border at Tenterfield on Saturday.

**Electrical U7's** - The Bears provided stiff opposition however the Warriors were once again superior and scored some great tries. The team has shown marked improvement since the season commenced and all players are running and tackling with confidence. The players to score tries this week were Scott, Meddleton, Lever 2, Pogany and Meacle. Pogany kicked a successful conversion. Hall and Pogany took the ball forward in the ruck with powerful runs turning the defence around many times. McMahon was very busy in defence and he was well supported by Willett and Lever. The team all play good footy those players going up to the eight's next year will score many more tries and make heaps of tackles. Well done to all players throughout the season and thanks to Coach Ian Brady and his team of helpers.

Award winners this week were Foodworks Jacob

Meddleton, Hungry Jacks Elijah Hall, Red Rooster Sam Scott.

**Superior Silage U10's** - The tens finished the season with a good performance although they made hard work for themselves by losing possession early in the tackle count. The team was required to defend their line a number of times and when needed important tackles were made. Hounslow-Cullen again showed his class scoring four tries, one a beauty from a kick and chase regather to sprint away. Brady and Willett both crossed to complete the try scoring and Lambert, Hounslow-Cullen and Parry kicked conversions. Blakemore was good in attack carting the ball up field in a strong game. The defence of Moat and Strong was decisive and sure asking questions of the Border runners and stopping the attacking raids. Hetherington had a good game getting involved and showing his capabilities as a result. The season is now finished for the team and they have had a very good year. Thanks to the coaching staff and all parents who support the team.

Award winners. Foodworks Nick Blakemore, Hungry Jacks Eric Hetherington, Red Rooster Clancy Strong.

**Ryanie for Tyres U12's** - The under 12's ran out winners by 44 to 6 scoring a decisive win. The forwards led by Rubie, Timbs, Moore and Christensen provided the platform proving dominant in the middle with strong running and good defence. Halves Morris and Duncan controlled the play and the team scored some great tries. Rubie, Morris and Shooter grabbed doubles and Bradfield, Timbs, Willett and Fowles one each. Fowles had his best game of the year and was involved from the start. Defence wins matches and the lads only allowed one Bears try when a kick was not cleaned up and the Bears pounced on the loose ball to run away and score. Timb's try was a ripper as he shed tacklers on a long run to the line. The team now heads to the finals and will play the major semi this Saturday against Suburbs. Good luck in the game this week. Award winners. Foodworks Matt Timbs, Hungry Jacks Bill Parry, Red Rooster Tom Dyball.

**Rod Frahm Real Estate U14's** - The 14's cemented a spot in the minor semifinal with a convincing 34 to 6 victory after leading 20 to 6 at half time. The forwards gained supremacy in the ruck with Brown, Morris, Cavanagh and James prominent.

## Ladies Indoor Netball -

Last week's winners were: All Saints (by forfeit); Allsorts and Pink Panthers. This week's draw is: 6.30pm - NJam v. Pink Panthers (Tiggers); 7.30pm - Tiggers v. Chikerboom (Mojo's); 8.30pm - Mojo's v. Allsorts (Chikerboom). Bye - All Saints.



**Under 16's who have finished their junior footy and step into the senior ranks next year** - Back row: Jesse McDougall, Barry Sutcliffe, Jarrod Coley. Front row: Alex Morris, Josh Henry, Jason Wilson, Jack Sharpe, Michael Duggan, Jack McAntee.

Rubie at hooker provided good service and his timely incisive runs were valuable. Backs Sharman, Hibberd, Henry, Ranger and Parker all played well with Sharman proving very hard to contain scoring a treble. His first try was a beauty after Hibberd cut through the defence and sent him to the try line. Morris played his usual workaholic game and scored a double and James and Parker one each. The team defended well with Comerford and Ranger very solid on the left side allowing the Bears little space to move. Well done to all players this week and good luck against Stanthorpe on Saturday.

Award Winners. Foodworks Nick Morris, Hungry Jacks Jacob Cavanagh, Red Rooster Brodie Sharman.

**CJR Plumbing U16's** - The 16's finished the season with a good effort against the Bears although going down 30 points to ten. The Bears were too big and the Warriors had trouble containing the runners close to the line. Wattles first try to McDougall was scintillating as the backline continued the great work done by the forwards on the inside promoting the ball along the backline. Morris was instrumental with a super pass to McAntee who found McDougall flashing into the corner to score. Forwards Jack McAntee, Sharpe, Coley and Sutcliffe all tried hard and never stopped until the siren. Jack Sharpe was prominent having his best game of the season. Halves Duggan and Henry organized the backs and centre Dale McAntee who was dangerous scored a gem in the second half racing away under the posts after gathering a kick over the defence early in the tackle count. Tim Sharpe at hooker was busy throughout and Duncan, Wilson and Way both put in big efforts playing with injury. Thanks from Coach Neil Wilson to all players who showed courage and commitment throughout the season. The Warriors wish Jack McAntee, Brodie Frizzell, Barry Sutcliffe, Jesse McDougall, Michael Duggan, Josh Henry, Jarrod Coley and Jack Sharpe all the best in the future football careers as they have now played their last game in the junior ranks.

Award Winners. Foodworks Dale McAntee, Hungry Jacks Jack Sharpe, Red Rooster Tim Sharpe.

Warwick and District finals commence this week at Suburbs ground in Warwick. Wattles will be represented by the 12's, 13's and 14's who are now at the business end of the season and we all wish them luck. GO the WARRIORS.