

years and we hope Matthew's success will inspire more Allora students to apply for an RSL youth grant in 2011," Mr Formby said.

"As well as offering an outstanding educational opportunity, the RSL Youth Development Program aims to promote awareness of the sacrifices our veterans have made, and of the ANZAC values they strived to defend.

"The RSL is looking forward to supporting these outstanding students as they achieve their goals and ambitions into 2010 and beyond," he said.

The full list of winning students can be found online via the program's website www.RSLyouth.com.au

The RSL Youth Development Program winners will attend a one-day Leadership Forum at Bond University on the Gold Coast in March 2010, participating in leadership and educational activities and meeting a selection of Australian leaders who will pass on their experience and knowledge to students.

2011 RSL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM DETAILS - Students entering Year 10 and 11 in 2010 can now lodge an 'expression of interest' for the 2011 RSL program via www.RSLyouth.com.au

Applications for the 2011 RSL Youth Development Program open on April 25 and close on November 11 2010.



Allora Bowls Club -

All members - the AGM of the Bowls Club will be held this Saturday 13th February commencing at 1:30 p.m. It is important that all members be present,

if possible. Night Bowlers - due to the weather the last 2 weeks night bowls had to be cancelled. Apologies to those who were not informed as to the cancellations. Next week Tuesday 16th February competition will resume. All teams come ready to do battle for a few more weeks for the coveted prize. Congratulations to Allan Slatter who was a member of the winning team in the recently contested District 4's.

Allora team to take on Wheatvale

The Allora "Foodworks" cricket team to play Wheatvale this Sunday at 9.30 pm at Warwick's Slade Park is Adam May, Andrew Petersen, Stephen Hughes, Sean Coker, Cameron Stevens, Lauchlan Hoey, Ross Hentschel, Brodie Ellery, Travis McMicking, John Byrne, Jason Nightingale. All players are requested to be at the oval by 12.15 pm. Any inquiries to Glyn Rees on 0417 765 801.

POINTS TABLE - A GRADE

TEAM	W	L	B.P.	TOTAL
Inglewood	8	4	12	44
Wheatvale	6	6	8	32
Diggers	8	4	9	41
Maryvale	4	7	4	22
Colts	5	6	4	24
Allora	4	7	2	20

Maryvale and Allora 2pts for a no result in round 11 WCA Senior Cricket Premiership

Round 12 results - A Grade - Diggers 2 for 34 def Wheatvale all out 32; Inglewood 3 for 66 def Maryvale all out 65; Colts defeated Allora by 1 wicket

Glyn Rees

ABBEY STRIKES QLD GOLD.

Last Saturday Allora Swimming Club member Abbey Pout became the 2010 Qld champion for the 11 years girls 50m Breaststroke. Abbey qualified fastest for the final at the recent Qld Swimming State swim titles held at the Chandler Aquatic Ctr Brisbane. The fastest 10 girls in the state lined up for the final with Abbey taking a commanding lead from the starter's gun. Abbey placed first in a personal best time of 37.62sec an incredible 3 seconds faster than her previous best time. Abbey has requested to publically thank her coach of three years Andrew Fidge of Clifton, Family, Friends and the Allora Swimming Club for all of the support and encouragement she been given this season. Abbey will now join her fellow club members and return to training with

Warrior News

This weekend heralds the start of the TRL Representative season with Wattles players Matthew McCarthy in the Barbarians. Brady Glass, Brendan Wilson and Travis Williams in the Rising Star team playing at the Clive Berghoffer Stadium in Toowoomba on the 13th of February in trial matches against the Burleigh Bears. We wish these players the very best of luck this weekend. Liam Ross has also gained selection in the Under 18's Clydesdales squad they have been training weekly in Toowoomba.

Warriors are working hard at training. Numbers are strong for this time of the year with over 30 committed warriors showing up both nights. For the players that live in Toowoomba, Wattles operate a free bus that picks up from the Drayton Tavern at 6pm sharp. We would like to thank Nev Miller for driving the bus to pick up our players to attend training both nights.

This season we are short on numbers in our Under 18's side. We welcome all enquires and are asking that all prospective young men to consider playing Rugby League. Wattles Warriors offer a safe, friendly family orientated club that are proud of their traditions. To sign up come to training on a Tuesday or Thursday night 6.30pm at Platz Oval, Clifton. New and old Reserve and A Grade players interested in playing but haven't signed up are more than welcome to do the same and are most welcome. Our first trial game against Fassifern has been penciled in for the 14th of March.

Our first social night will be a Masquerade Dinner this will also be our Ambassador night for Holly Whittaker, to be held in Clifton on the 10th of April. The first fundraiser this year is a Silver Circle with only 150 tickets to be sold at \$20 a ticket 1st prize is \$800 cold hard cash with a further 5 draws to take place after that for smaller amounts but as they say you have got to be in to win it. To purchase your ticket phone Angela on 0409 051 678 or Barry on 0407 721 762.



Wattles Junior Rugby League

2010 SEASON SIGN-ON

When: Saturday, 10th February 2010 from 4.00pm

Where: Platz Oval, Clifton

Player Registration: \$60.00 for 1st child, \$55/child thereafter

Who can sign on? All boys and girls interested in playing are welcome to come along. Those wanting to play in the U7's will be turning 6 or 7 in 2010. All new registrations must bring a copy of their birth certificate.

Wattles Junior Rugby League fully endorses the ARL National Code of Conduct and the ARL National Safeplay Code.

All past, current and new players welcome.

the upcoming Darling Downs and Qld Primary School State Titles in her sights. The Club congratulates Abbey on her achievements and we are extremely proud of the way Abbey represents the Allora Swim Team. With the business end of the season fast approaching, Championship and break - up dates will be set this Thursday night at our monthly meeting at the Railway Hotel Allora at 7.30pm All welcome.

This Monday night we will have a social meal prepared for us by Emily Henry and the catering crew. Members are requested to bring a plate to share for desert.

New style Allora Togz will be ordered in two weeks. At the moment this is a once off order and no extra Togz will be ordered to have in stock for sale at this stage. So if you would like a new bright funky style of Togz please don't miss out and order today. Contact Angela on 0409 051 678.

Upcoming carnivals are being held at Pittsworth, Darling Downs Titles in Toowoomba and our country cousins Clifton have their meet on the 14th of March. Please tell a committee member if you wish to attend any of these swims.

Handy hint: Breaststroke - When doing Breaststroke, the only time you're allowed to take your hands past your hips is in the first stroke after the start & turn. At all other times, your hands must stay in front of your hips.

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I, TRUDY FRASER, returning officer, notify that at the election of Councillor of the said local government held on the 30th day of January 2010 the result of the poll was as set out in Schedule 1.

I further notify that each candidate listed in Schedule 2 is confirmed as having been duly elected in accordance with the Local Government Act 1993, to the office shown.

Trudy Fraser

05/02/09

SCHEDULE 1

Office	Division No (if applicable)	Full Name of Candidate	Votes
Councillor	N/A	Douglas Barbat Bryce	2555
Councillor	N/A	Trevor John Cooper	3085
Councillor	N/A	Ross Athol Cameron	641
Councillor	N/A	Douglas Charles Cutmore	1670
Councillor	N/A	Joanne McNally	3412
Councillor	N/A	Christopher John Hudson	392
Councillor	N/A	David Milton Balfour	1441
Councillor	N/A	Glyndon Henry Rees	2859
Councillor	N/A	Darryl Edward Coleman	2599

SCHEDULE 2

Office	Division No (if applicable)	Full Name of Candidate elected
Councillor	N/A	Joanne McNally

ALLORA RSL SUB BRANCH - Notice to members.
The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Allora RSL Sub branch will be held on Sunday, 14th Feb 2010, at 11.00am in the Memorial Hall, followed by the monthly meeting. At the conclusion of the meeting a sausage sizzle will be provided.

Ken Ashton, Secretary.

COMBAT RURAL CRIME – The public is invited to attend the ALLORA RURAL NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH MEETING at the courthouse at 7.30pm, Tuesday, 16th February. Ross Whyte, Farm/Crimcam representative, will be giving a very interesting and informative presentation on how to reduce and combat crime on rural and town properties.

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DATE CLAIMER - JAZZ CABARET WITH CAXTON STREET JAZZ BAND. Saturday, 17th July. Fund raiser for Allora Show Girls.

DATE CLAIMER - SCOPE CLUB OF ALLORA INC. ANNUAL FUND RAISING AFTERNOON TEA. Allora community Hall, Saturday, 8th MAY 2010, at 1.30pm. Everyone welcome. Scrumptious afternoon tea guaranteed.

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Comments by "The Angel"

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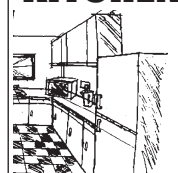
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ALLORA STUDENT SHARES IN \$500,000 OF RSL YOUTH GRANTS

Swimming sensation Matthew Kanowski, of Allora, has started the new school year as a recipient of the RSL Youth Development Program, a grant given for excelling in his sporting field.

Matthew was recently named as one of 150 outstanding Queensland students to share in \$500,000 in youth grants awarded by the RSL Queensland.

The RSL Youth Development Program was developed between the RSL (Queensland Branch) and Bond University in 2007 to offer remote and disadvantaged Queensland students a chance to gain financial assistance to achieve their personal goals.

The recipients, ranging from aspiring Olympic athletes to community conscious youth ambassadors, were recognised as the top students to excel in their community leadership, academic, and sporting pursuits.

Matthew, a student from Allora State School, will use his grant to maintain his training schedule as well as attend the Australian Age National Swimming Titles in Sydney. Matthew has displayed talent in swimming having been awarded Silver in the IM Medley relay and was a finalist in all of his individual events at the 2009 Australian Schools National Swimming Titles.

"The RSL Youth Development Program has given me the chance to represent my state and to become the best athlete I possibly can," Matthew said.

RSL (Queensland Branch) State President, Mr Doug Formby, said he was impressed by Matthew's application and the calibre of each and every student who applied for the program.

"The response to this year's program has exceeded previous

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Warwick Blockbuster Art Exhibition

Warwick will host its first-ever million dollar indigenous art exhibition next year.

The exhibition, to be produced by the Economic Development Unit of the Southern Downs Regional Council, will be held at the Warwick Regional Gallery in September 2011.

Acting Economic Development Manager, John Randall, said that this will be the first time that such an impressive, "must-see" exhibition is held outside of a capital city.

"This exhibition is only possible by the generosity of a local Warwick art collector, who holds an extensive collection of contemporary indigenous art," Mr Randall said.

"Works on display will include paintings by the late Emily Kngwarreye, who was the first indigenous artist to sell at auction a painting in excess of \$1 million."

Significant pieces from this collection will be shown together with complementary works from Fireworks Gallery in Brisbane, including work by famous indigenous painters Joanne Currie Nalingu, Ian Waldron, Laurie Nilsen and the late Vincent Serico. These key pieces will sit alongside works by internationally acclaimed artists from the Northern Territory like Michael Nelson Jagamara, George Tjungurrayi, as well as the late Emily Kngwarreye.

Mr Randall said that the reason the Council was staging this exhibition was twofold.

"Firstly to put Warwick on the map as an emerging art and culture hub, and secondly to highlight the Southern Downs region as a prime destination for investment attraction," Mr Randall said.

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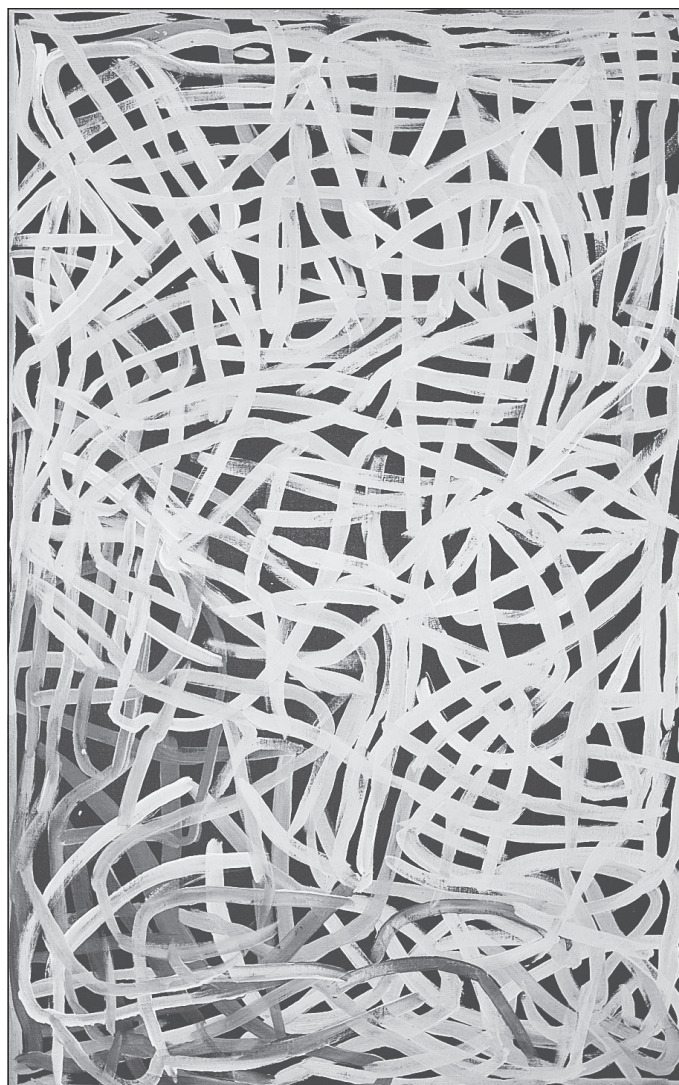
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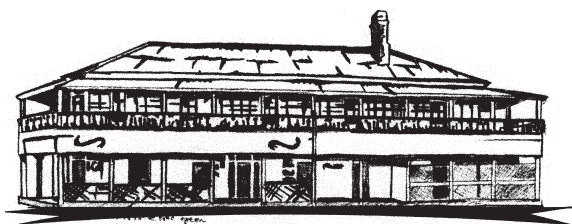
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also includes many of Australia's leading indigenous art collectors, so this art exhibition will be used to attract these people to Warwick, not only to view the exhibition, but also to see first hand the many investment and business opportunities in the region."

For further information on the Warwick Blockbuster, please contact Council's acting Economic Development Manager, John Randall, on 4661 7332.



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The National Cattle Pregnancy Diagnosis (NCPD) Scheme, established by Australian Cattle Vets (ACV), a special interest group of the Australian Veterinary Association (AVA), has been improved to give greater certainty when trading cattle.

"We've revised our existing preg testing scheme to give better protection to cattle buyers and sellers," Dr Andrew Hoare, ACV President said.

"The tags, which have a defined certification mark, clearly indicate what is going on inside the cow or heifer.

"The improved scheme is legally stronger, more robust and uses a registration system alongside the traditional tail tags to protect those in the business.

"The owner now has a certificate signed by an accredited tester which goes with the tag.

"To become an accredited tester, you need to be a registered veterinarian and an ACV member. You need to have assessed more than 2,000 head of cattle using manual palpation, and complete a practical exam. Ultrasound pregnancy diagnosis accreditation is only available to veterinarians who are already accredited for manual palpation," Dr Hoare said.

"Only accredited vets are able to apply the tags, so when you buy or sell a cow or heifer with a tag, you know they have been tested by an expert.

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Killarney Medical Centre funding application submitted

Hopes of securing funding for the proposed Killarney Medical Centre rest on the success of the Southern Downs Regional

Council's latest application for \$450,000, made to the Federal Department of Health.

The application, made under the National Regional and Rural Health Infrastructure Program (NRRHIP), is for funding to construct a multi-purpose medical centre, which will be used to attract a full-time GP to the town. Killarney has been without full time GP services for over 12 months now.

In April 2009, Council made its first application for funding, but just narrowly missed out.

"We should know in about 12 week's time how our latest application went," SDRC's acting Economic Development Manager, John Randall said.

The application is the result of the hard work put in by local community members, who 12 months ago, formed the Killarney Task Force under the chair of Cr Ross Bartley.

Cr Bartley said that Killarney is a town that will not give up on this very important matter.

"Full time GP services are crucial to the long-term vitality of the community," he said.

"The Task Force is especially grateful to the Killarney Hospital Board for donating the land on which to build the centre, adjacent to the Condamine Villas Retirement Village."

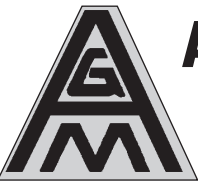
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Killarney Task Force Members (back row) Andrew Peterson (chairman Killarney Co op), Pat Brosnan (GM Co op) and David Weier, together with (front row) Task Force Chair, Cr Ross Bartley and Acting Economic Development Manager John Randall.

been able to put together a viable application." For further information on this project, contact Council's acting Economic Development Manager, John Randall on 4661 7332.

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An article about vaccination of dogs and cats in the Courier Mail newspaper of 5th February, does not give an accurate picture say the Australian Veterinary Association (AVA) and the Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority (APVMA).

The APVMA supports the vaccination policy of the AVA. The AVA policy Vaccination of dogs and cats is a detailed document, and the article's attempt to simplify it has given pet owners incomplete information. For example:

- Triennial vaccinations are only appropriate for adult animals.
 - Triennial vaccinations only protect against some diseases*.
- There may be other diseases that an individual animal should be protected against that require more frequent boosters.
- Puppies and kittens need a full series of vaccinations and a booster 12 months later.

There is a risk that media attention may reduce the rate of vaccination in young animals. It is important to have all puppies and kittens adequately vaccinated when young. There is a need for greater vaccine coverage rather than less to prevent serious and sometimes fatal diseases that can be very contagious.

Decisions about whether and when to revaccinate should be made by the veterinarian and the owner together based on the animal's specific circumstances.

There is a need to amend vaccine labels that imply a need for life-long annual revaccination with 'core' vaccines*.

For more information contact:

Jacob O'Shaughnessy, Media Relations Manager, Australian Veterinary Association, 02 9431 5062, 0439 628 898 or Allen Bryce, Program Manager, Veterinary Medicines, Australian Pesticides and Veterinary Medicines Authority 02 6210 4725

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Letter to the Editor...

Dear Sir,

I write you, if I may, on the subject of pet vaccinations. It is in response to a recently published article in the Allora Advertiser stressing the need to re-vaccinate adult dogs.

I certainly agree that all dogs should be properly vaccinated as puppies then be given a booster after a further twelve months. Owners should be aware that occasional outbreaks of parvovirus do occur and the disease is often fatal to unprotected puppies.

Ongoing re-vaccination in the form of 'boosters', however, is a different matter! That information comes from highly respected veterinary researchers. I regret I did not learn about this until after my own dog suffered so badly following a 'routine' vaccination booster.

She suffered neurologically following vaccination, and with her being an Assistance Dog there was also the risk of her presenting a public hazard until it became clear that she had fully recovered. Her co-ordination and behavior deteriorated so suddenly and so dramatically that the regular veterinarian suggested she may need a CT scan of her brain. It was frightening, extremely distressing and she was unable to work for many months. Once she did recover, and with no further vaccinations, the seasonal pollen allergy that had affected her since puppyhood disappeared completely. It is not uncommon for 'niggling' health problems to simply vanish once one stops booster vaccinations!

Veterinary researchers have been warning for many years that vaccination, despite its unquestioned benefit, is not without the potential for short and/or long term risk. Of more significance is that it has been shown that following vaccination immunity lasts a minimum of 7 years and probably for the life of the animal.

There is no benefit - at least for the dog and its owner - of booster vaccinations!

All this information is freely available to pet owners – provided they have online access.

One Australian website which has collected various sources of this information is <http://www.freewebs.com/novaxx/>. On the Links page visitors can access information from published articles, which the lay person can understand, to some papers authored by the veterinary researchers themselves.

A yearly visit to one's veterinarian for a comprehensive and thorough wellness exam is well worth the money spent – without the inclusion of a booster vaccination.

Thank you for allowing me to share my concerns and this information through your paper.

Yours sincerely,

Pat A Styles

Perth, Western Australia

Allora Homestead Show Photos 2010



ABOVE & BELOW: Arts and Crafts and Wedding Photo displays by the residents of The Homestead for the Allora Show.

LEFT: The Homestead's Allora Show Queen, Marjorie Bell.

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A Road Safety Audit including video footage was conducted on this crossing following concerns received from the local community and police with successful funding sought from "Safer Road Sooner" budget.

The Department of Transport and Main Roads consulted with schools, local police, allora museum and community members to evaluate the best solution for this location and gain feedback on the possible removal of the Aleppo Pine tree at the location.

Initial works in the coming months will include Ergon installing the street lighting

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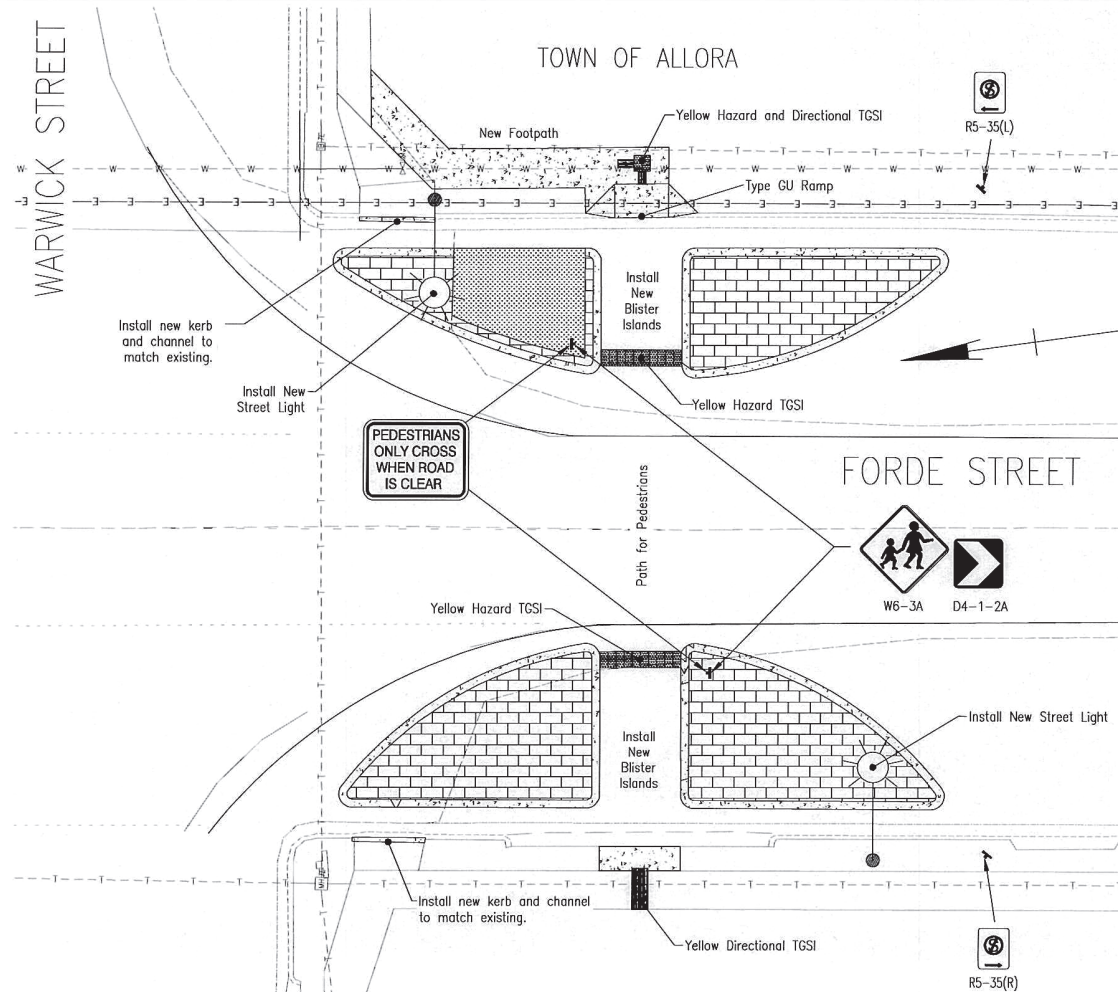
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Class 24. 2 Progeny of the same (registered) Sire - 1st Linda & Neville Miller. Happy Herds Braveheart & Happy Herds Destiny

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PRIME CATTLE 5th FEB. 2010

GRAND CHAMPION PRIME BEAST OF SHOW - Henry Smith
Memorial Trophy - Winner: W. Ellis

CHAMPION FEMALE OF SHOW - Trophy donated by Warwick Mower Centre - Winner: John Schelbach

CHAMPION VEALER - Donated by Allora Butchery - Winner: John Schelbach

CHAMPION GRAIN FED BEAST - L.O. & A. Hoey Memorial Trophy -
Winner: W. Ellis

CHAMPION GRASS FED BEAST - Trophy donated by Donaldson Electric Works - Winner: John Denny

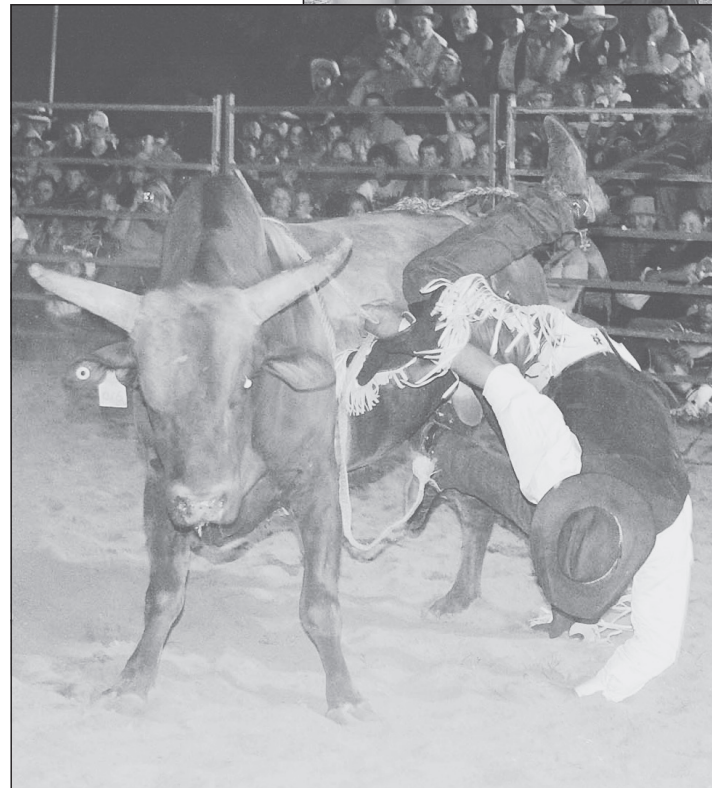
CHAMPION STEER - Trophy donated by West Talgai Feedlot, Allora -
Winner: W. Ellis

Street Ute Winner: Patrick & Lee FISK, Toowoomba

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Action from Saturdays Show Jumping events. Photo © Steve Corbett



Young models Carla Frizzell and Jessica Van Der Poel during the Lyn-D-Jo fashion parade outside the pavilion on Saturday afternoon. Photo © Steve Corbett

Events Calendar

2010	
March -	
Sat 20	Wattles vs. Souths Trial Platz Oval, Clifton
Sat 27	Wattles vs. Warwick (Barrett Shield) Platz Oval, Clifton
April -	
Sun 18	Wattles vs. Brothers Platz Oval, Clifton
May -	
Sun 2	Wattles vs. Dalby Platz Oval, Clifton
Sun 16	Wattles vs. Goondiwindi Platz Oval, Clifton
Fri 28	St. Patrick's Trivia Night Allora Community Hall
Sun 30	Wattles vs. Warwick Platz Oval, Clifton
June -	
Sun 20	Wattles vs. Gatton Platz Oval, Clifton
July -	
Sat 17	Jazz Cabaret with Caxton Street Jazz Band
Sun 18	Wattles vs. Oakey Platz Oval, Clifton
August -	
Sun 1	Wattles vs. Souths Platz Oval, Clifton
Sat 7	St Patrick's P&F 80's Night
Sun 15	Wattles vs. Valleys & Legends of League Platz Oval, Clifton

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Street Ute Runner Up: Jason Spies, Oakey
B&S Ute Winner: Will Tester, Toowoomba
B&S Ute Runner Up: Donna Tester, Toowoomba
Chicks Ute Winner: Manda Stevens, Dalby
Chicks Ute Runner Up: Melinda Ruhle, Landsborough
4x4 Ute Winner: Manda Stevens, Dalby
4x4 Ute Runner Up: Melinda Ruhle, Landsborough
Work Ute Winner: Roy Naylor, Oxley
Work Ute Runner Up: Will Tester, Toowoomba
Feral Ute Winner: Tex, Bundamba
Feral Ute Runner Up: Reece Graham, Meringandan
Overall Winner: Manda Stevens (Chicks Ute)

BOER GOATS
The Boer Goat Section was a great success both with high quality of animals & good numbers. The Champions are as follows:-
Champion Junior Doe: Farmworld Boer Goats – Graham & Helen Reimers, Maryvale
Res Champ Jnr Doe: Farmworld Boer Goats
Champion Senior Doe: Farmworld Boer Goats
Res Champ Snr Doe: Farmworld Boer Goats
Grand Champion Doe: Farmworld Boer Goats
Champion Junior Buck: Macgregor Boer Goats – Emma Cabot & Fleur Tarlinton
Res Champ Jnr Buck: Farmworld Boer Goats
Champion Senior Buck: Farmworld Boer Goats
Res Champ Snr Buck: Macgregor Boer Goats
Grand Champion Buck: Macgregor Boer Goats
Supreme Champion Boer Goat: Farmworld Boer Goats

BULL RIDE RESULTS
With a fantastic crowd watching, these were the winners -
OPEN BULLRIDE - Mitchell Duff, Jason O'Hearne, Roy Smith, David Kennedy
JUNIOR BULLRIDE - Jake Thompson, Josh Locke, Darcy Brown, Billy McCormack
JUNIOR BAREBACK - Callam Millar
PODDY RIDE - Dan Hodder, Jarvis Sawtel, Tom Philp

ALLORA POST OFFICE FAMILY CHALLENGE
Winner of the Allora Post Office Family Challenge – O'Dea Family.
...More Allora Show results to come next week.

COMPETITION - WIN TICKETS TO THE AUSTRALIAN MOTORCYCLE & PERSONAL WATERCRAFT EXPO!!!



The Allora Advertiser has 5 sets of 2 Adult Day Passes to be won for 19th, 20th & 21st February. To go into the draw to win one pair of tickets fill out this entry form and hand it in to The Allora Advertiser office in Herbert Street, Allora, before 5pm, Tuesday, 16th February.

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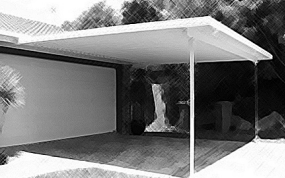
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Australia's premier motorcycle, PWC and scooter showcase returns to the Gold Coast

Organisers of the Australian Motorcycle Expo, Australian Personal Watercraft Show & Australian Scooter Festival on the Gold Coast are set to build upon a very successful first showing with an even bigger range of exhibitors and features at the 2010 event to be held from February 19-21. Last year's event attracted over 22,000 visitors from all over the country and this year is expected to be bigger yet, taking its place as the largest exhibition to be held at the Gold Coast Convention and Exhibition Centre.

Exciting new models and range updates from the major manufacturers will make for the most comprehensive two-wheel showroom in the country for those in the market for their first bike, PWC or scooter, or simply looking to upgrade. Aftermarket products, apparel and related services from close to 100 exhibitors will compliment the display of over 10,000 square metres.

"If you're in the market for a new motorcycle, scooter, ATV, chopper or jetski, there is expected to be great show specials from many of the major manufacturers," said Event Manager Mark Petersen..

Live action demonstrations will add to the excitement, included as part of the ticket price.

Two-wheel enthusiasts can catch shows from the country's leading freestyle motocross and mini bike riders while PWC fans will delight in seeing an amazing display of freestyle action from riders on stand-up jet skis.

The Australian Freeride Surf Championship will be held in conjunction with the event, with up to 20 of the world's leading jetski riders doing battle at Main Beach. Winners will be announced in a special presentation at the Australian Motorcycle

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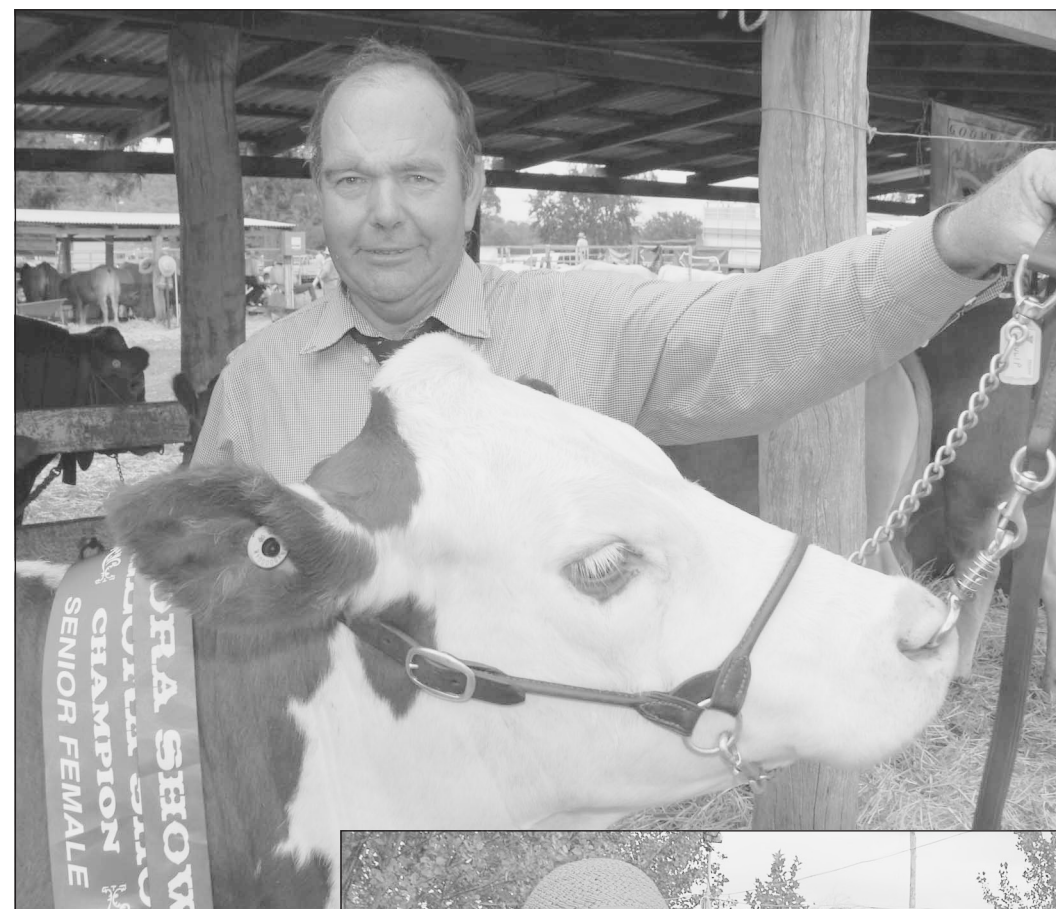


ABOVE: The Hon Lawrence Springborg presents dual ute competition winner Manda Stevens with her prize for 4x4 Ute. She also won the Chicks Ute section.

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RIGHT: Jim Flessor manning the Landcare Weed Advisory help desk.

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ABOVE: Peter Raine with "Raine-Bur Tulip 11th", Senior Champion Female for the Show.

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ABOVE: Showgirls Elizabeth Tate and Emily Browne with Stacey Guilfoyle and her St Bernard "Margalov".

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RIGHT: Vehicular carnage during the final stages of the Demolition Derby on Saturday night, which was eventually won by Nick Johnson in what started life as a Holden.

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ABOVE: Allora Showgirl Elizabeth Tate presenting John Shellback with one of the many ribbons won by his entries in the Prime Cattle section. Photo © Steve Corbett

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