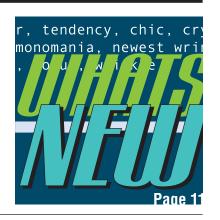
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# Illegal clearing to be probed

Ken Sapwell

A small army or workers used chainsaws, brush cutters and a spray last week to clear protected areas of a contentious development site at Hastings Point ahead of an inspection by Department of Planning officials.

Tweed Shire Council's compliance officers ordered the work to cease on Friday when they visited the 18-hectare creek-front property after residents complained a day earlier of workers using the tools to slash areas of regrowth in a riparian buffer zone.

A council spokesperson said the officers confirmed that work was being carried out in an environmental protection zone without consent. The workers had cooperated with the cease-work order and the council would now 'consider what action to take'.

### 'Maintenance work'

'When officers attended the site (they) noted that branches and limbs had been trimmed in the 7(a) zone,' the spokesman said in a statement. A spokesman for the land owner, Walter Elliott Holdings, said only maintenance work was being carried out.

But residents, who've been locked in a long-running battle with the landowner, say the clearing, which coincided with World Environment Day, extended beyond normal maintenance and pruning of some tree branches.

'A few workmen arrived on Thursday with a ride-on mower and whipper-snipper and started clearing vegetation in the buffer zone,' said one resident who photographed the unfolding events but asked that his name

not be used after copping abuse the next day from a few of the workers.

'They mowed down small regrowth trees and trimmed branches off others. The next day at least eight workers arrived on the scene armed with some heavy artillery and really got stuck in until council staff arrived in the afternoon to tell them to stop.

'They brought in a container loaded with chainsaws, brush cutters and steel-bladed whipper-snippers and began thinning a dense littoral forest area next to the estuary where migratory birds could nest.

'They were cutting the tree branches to provide better access for their equipment and one worker with a spray pack was seen spraying in the environment protection zone along a fence line erected among salt marshes and mangroves.'

Hastings Point Progress Association's lawyer said the Department of Planning had confirmed that it planned an on-site inspection later this month to further process the company's application to develop the site into 36 housing lots and two tourist lots, with 14 hectares of mainly 7(a) land reserved for open space.

The development application, which has been in the department's hands for about two years, is strongly opposed by the association which believes it will further degrade the creek and worsen flooding of nearby homes and a caravan park – flooding which already occurs after heavy rain.

Residents have complained several times about clearing activities by the developer since he acquired the site 10 years ago, but only one had led to a successful court prosecution for the

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Mr Recycle was a standout participant at World Environment Day celebrations in Murwillumbah's Knox Park last Sunday. The man behind the mascot, William Davies, promotes recycling with a passion, saying government refunds for post-consumer recyclables are the key to reducing carbon emissions and environmental impact.

Photo Jeff 'Box Camera' Dawson

Luis Feliu

Hundreds of people turned out to enjoy sunshine-filled World Environment Day celebrations in Murwillumbah's Knox Park last Sunday.

Environmental experts, information stalls, demonstrations, petitions, installations, food and entertainment kept many Tweed locals interested in their environment and sustainability during the 10th annual event organised by the Caldera Environment Centre, Tweed Council and other community groups.

A keynote speaker, Janis Birkeland, a professor of architecture at Queensland University of Technology, told a workshop that changes were urgently needed in the way communities approached development, saying 'we've already overstretched our environmental carrying capacity'.

Professor Birkeland, author of *Positive Development*, was invited to address a council workshop recently by Greens Cr Katie Milne but was turned down by the mostly prodevelopment councillors.

Cr Milne, the only councillor to attend the environment day celebrations, agreed with Professor Birkeland's views on how best to 'retrofit' a built environment to reduce the heat generated by too much concrete and steel.

'There is a four-to-five degree increase in heat in the cities and urban areas compared with rural areas, generated by too much concrete development and not enough vegetation' Cr Milne said.

'It's really become a health issue now as thousands of people die from heat stroke in cities around the world as a result,' Cr Milne said.

'We need to retrofit the area with green walls and roofs. It's very easy, you wrap a building with "green scaffolding" and grow plants up and around it, with water filtration built in to become a whole cycle which has zero impact on the environment.

'They should be living buildings created as part of the whole ecosystem, it's called "vertical landscaping", she said.

At a stall run by koala campaigners, Team Koala president Jenny Hayes was collecting signatures for a petition to protect koalas in the Tweed.

She praised Tweed-based ecologist Dr Stephen Phillips as 'the best friend the koalas have in this area. If the developers of Kings Forest had followed his koala friendly plan in the first place, Team Koala would never have had to form,' she said.

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# Rain or acid? Tweed River turns red around Chinderah



A Chinderah resident took this picture last week showing the river turning red from suspected soil runoff from the Cudgen plateau.

### Luis Feliu

Chinderah residents were says the redness was more obalarmed last week when the Tweed River turned red near their homes, thinking it was river catchment. acid-sulphate runoff which could cause a fishkill.

the red colouring of the river last Thursday was the result of heavy rain on the coastal part of the catchment last Wednesday night as sedi- cil's Tweed River Committee, ment washed down from the says this was a 'terrible situa-Cudgen plateau.

The spokesperson said

100mm in an hour. Council that we protected from the vious last week due to lack of rain and runoff in the main

But Greens councillor Katie Milne says the discolouration But a spokesperson for originally thought to be caused Tweed Shire Council said by top soil runoff, is back in question after new testing indicated that it may actually be an acid sulphate event.

> Cr Milne, the chair of countion either way you look at it'.

'These red waters are exitsome of the rain was intense, ing just upstream of the Tweed

with reports of falls of over River's major seagrass beds

Chinderah marina. I'm sick of seeing the river run brown

or "upside down", but seeing

it run red is just too much! I'd

hate to think if it's acid.' Erosion of the rich red soil has become a common prob-Kingscliff landowner Stephen Segal recently lodging several complaints with Tweed Council after parts of his land were buried under mud slides.

Mack said torrential flood rains last May/June did not cause a their fields in a way which 'red river' and that there may will aggravate erosion and

system failure for this result.

Council maintains it was sediment loss due to heavy rainfall adding that a sedimentation basin, berms and riparian filters to control sediment loss from part of this catchment' had recently been built jointly between landholders and council.

'The loss of sediment from the Cudgen plateau is an agricultural issue which Council historically has had a minor role in addressing,' the spokesperson said, adding that council's Tweed River and coastal committees had recently worked in with landholders on 'better management practices to reduce soil loss'.

The spokesperson urged residents to report all potential pollution events to council officers 'in the first instance rather than the media', but Mrs Mack said the public had 'no faith in reporting anything to council'.

'Reporting to the media lem after rain, with adjoining at least gets a response from council who apparently ignore the public's view if it isn't what the council wants'.

Cr Milne said there had been complaints that some of Chinderah resident Lyn the landowners on the plateau 'have deliberately ploughed

have been 'a major filtration degrade the farming potential of the land'.

valuable farmland is a seri- NSW government to remove ous matter and I want the a classification of agriculturcouncil to ask the Depart- al land of state significance, ment of Agriculture to carry claiming the land is no longer out an inspection.'

Her comments follow the purchase of some of the farms 'I think the erosion of such by developers who want the viable as farm land.

### Illegal clearing to be probed

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illegal clearing of bushland.

Earlier this year the coun-WEH to seek retrospective approval for an unauthorised fence around his property which residents say threatens wildlife and blocks access to fishing and swimming spots Elliott, declined to return The along the creek.

Council said they acted after an inspection revealed part of the chicken and cil set a March 15 deadline for barbed-wire fence, which the company says was erected to stop trespassers, was built in an environmental protection zone without approval.

The company's chief, Walter



A worker sprays poison on vegetation in a protected estuary zone on the controversial site at Creek Street. He has been identified by neighbours as Athol Youngblutt, brother of Tweed councillor Phil Youngblutt and the caretaker of the site.

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# Holdom gripe sparks backlash

Ken Sapwell

Tweed Shire Council's deci-rally's impacts. sion to report a ratepayer to the community backlash.

organisations say they will be centre on February 3. writing to the Minister for Local to protest about the decision to the code of conduct via conflict McKenzie in a secret letter of dishonesty of the general mancomplaint.

pal and former No Rally Group Australia board, she said. president Michael McNamara February.

### Outraged by decision

Mr McNamara, who emcapacity as a concerned resident, says he is outraged by the council's decision to report Mr Tony Kelly, and the Division of Local Government.

'The resolution is an attack on the right of individual citi- tre coordinator Paul Hopkins zens to express views at odds said his organisation believed with the Council's view or that the resolution set a bad precare critical of past or present edent and planned to write to councillors, he said.

Minutes of the confidential complain. meeting reveal that Cr Dot

Cr Holdom said the letter NSW Government for alleged- should focus on the 'unfounded ly making 'unfounded allega- allegations and claims made by tions' against council boss Mike Mr McKenzie against the gen-Rayner has triggered a strong eral manager and council in general' at the post-rally meet-Several community based ing in the Murwillumbah civic

'These unfounded allegations Government and the council include supposed breaches of target Eungella resident James of interest and the supposed ager in relation to his council High School deputy princi- resolved position on the Rally

Her unusual initiative was has written to community supported by mayor Wargroups alerting them to the ren Polglase, his deputy Phil letter which was hatched at a Youngblutt and Kevin Skinclosed-door council meeting in ner but Mr McNamara said he found it alarming that the council could attack individuals via council resolutions.

'Mr McKenzie was denied phasised he was acting in his natural justice by the passing of this resolution in confidential committee without advising him of the move and giving McKenzie to both the minister, him the opportunity to respond before the decision was taken,' he said.

> Caldera Environment Centhe appropriate authorities to

He said many community Holdom won narrow support members had expressed opinfor a letter complaining about ions similar to those alleged to statements Mr McKenzie have been expressed by Mr Mc-

made a few weeks earlier at a Kenzie in various forums but public meeting to discuss the none had been subject to such an extraordinary resolution.

> Mr McKenzie, an Aboriginal affairs activist whose views on local indigenous issues is fiercely contested by Cr Holdom and members of council's Aboriginal advisory committee (AAC), says he has spoken to investigators from the NSW Ombudsman's Office after lodging a complaint about the letter.

### **Several motions**

The notice of motion was one of several she tabled during the confidential meeting of council in February, with others relating to changes to the way the AAC does business.

The same councillors also backed her demand for AAC members to disclose the names of the members of the organisations they represent and to instigate new reporting procedures.

The AAC rejected the moves at its last meeting, citing privacy concerns but Mr McKenzie claims her quest for a list of AAC members' wider contacts is part of an attempt to isolate those who held views she didn't

Mr McKenzie has waged a long campaign against what he describes as false Aboriginal history in the Tweed which he says is perpetrated in a history book written by a local historian, but few Aborigines agree with him.

Cr Holdom declined to com-

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## Rare tree axed by council work crew

Luis Feliu

A rare and endangered native Red Bopple Nut tree cut down by a Tweed Shire Council work crew last Friday at Upper Duroby Creek has incensed locals who saved it 12 years ago from a similar fate when a road was realigned.

Ironically, a painting of the mature tree at North Tumbulgum was a finalist in last year's Caldera Art Prize, sponsored by council, in which local artists promote awareness of the shire's biodiversity through their art.

Jan Sinclair, who has run Mother Nature's Bush Tucker nursery at Upper Duroby Creek for over 20 years, said she was horrified when she returned home last Saturday to see a road crew had chopped the roadside tree down.

'I heard them Friday morning heading down the road and thought they were just doing tree to regenerate others, it's a roadworks, then on Saturday morning while walking the as its seed are edible and taste dog I noticed there was a space where the double-trunk tree me, Jan, a Landcare co-ordinator, said.

'I'm shattered, I couldn't believe it, it was totally irresponsi- cate their road crews of the sig-



This painting of the Red Bopple Nut tree by Jan Sinclair alled *Over The Edge* was a finalist in last year's Caldera Art Prize which promotes awareness of the Tweed Valley's biodiversity.

ble. Local Landcare volunteers had battled to save it from a road realignment 12 years ago, we've collected seeds from the well-known bush tucker tree like macadamias.

'We made sure over the years used to be and it suddenly hit that vines and creepers didn't kill it off, the tree was around 25 years old.

'Why doesn't council edu-

nificance of some of these trees before giving them a chainsaw? This tree only occurs in a few sites in the Tweed.

'It was an iconic tree for all of us because we worked along that road, regenerating native species along the creeks with seeds collected from local fruit.

'Everybody in this valley was aware of it, if it was a private landowner that did this, they'd be prosecuted.

A council spokesperson said the incident happened when a council works crew was clearing roadside vegetation, but that 'unfortunately, the regular ganger for the crew was not on duty on the particular day when the bopplenut was felled'.

'He may have had knowledge of the value of the tree as he had worked along that road for many years, the spokesperson said in a prepared statement.

'Council apologises to neighbours and Landcare groups for any distress the loss of this tree has caused. It was an unfortunate mistake and one that Council is keen not to repeat. Council will consider reviewing its internal practices to en-

# Circus girl flies off to UK festival

**Tania Phillips** 

Most youngsters come away performers did, but not everyone actually goes through with it.

12 student Emily-May Rahcoming back.

Emily-May is a member of the highly successful and greatly respected Mullumbimby-based Spaghetti Circus and for six years has been travelling to Mullumbimby and Southport to train.

Big Top' in Lismore when I es from all around the world was at Kingscliff Primary,' she said of the simple start and share skills. Spaghetti to a dream that will take her Circus has been chosen to to Europe with the Circus's represent Australia this year 'Teenager' Show.

'I really wanted to join going since 1994. the circus then but it was in Mullumbimby. They came to Kingscliff performing.'

Emily eventually convinced her parents to let her join, Circus troupe, will be away starting with acrobatics on from Australia for six weeks.

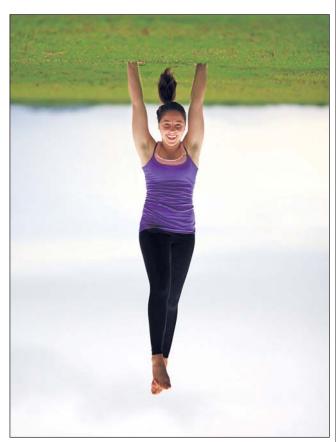
the ground before moving into the air.

The Spaghetti Circus troupe from a circus visit wanting is a youth-based group which to be able to do what the started back in 1992 and has grown to become a nationally recognised circus troupe that has achieved success through Kingscliff High School year enormous efforts from the coaches, parents, volunteers, mate is an exception and she state and federal governreally has run away to the ments and particularly supcircus, but don't worry, she's port from the local community and businesses.

> And now Emily and her fellow performers have been invited to perform at the London International Youth Circus Festival and the Surrey Arts Festival in July.

The festival, hosted by the Albert and Friends Instant 'I went to see 'Under The Circus, will see youth circuscome together to perform in the event, which has been

> They will then go on to perform in a festival in Germany. Emily-May, the most northern member of the Spaghetti



Kingscliff member of the Spaghetti Circus, Emily-May Rahmate, is hanging out for July's European tour. Photo Jeff 'Down-Under' Dawson

a career out of performing. in 2012.

However, it will be good All being well, she intends to experience for the young per- enrol at the National Instiformer who is hoping to make tute of Circus Arts (NICA)

# Government 'batting for developers' - Greens

NSW government to cut devel- cils and their ratepayers. oper levies will transfer costs from developers to ratepayers and local government, according to the Greens.

MP Sylvia Hale, the Greens spokesperson for planning and local government, said that by reducing and capping developer levies for new housing lots at \$20,000, the state government 'has effectively transferred to ratepayers the costs of providing new footpaths, local roads, ment, that transferring decipre-schools, parks, playing sion-making powers to a body fields and libraries'.

'This is yet another great gift to Labor's developer and donor mates. One guaranteed outcome is that ratepayers will the reduced developer contributions will enhance developer infrastructure. profits,' she said.

proposing to transfer private wasn't us", said Ms Hale.

The recent decision by the developer costs to local coun-

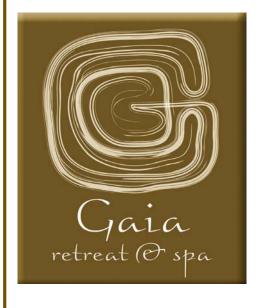
'One way or the other, homefor community infrastructure buyers will pay, and the only real winner will be developers. The community may well ask in whose interests does this government govern?

'The government has further walked away from its responsibilities by seeking to transfer the determination of rate rises to the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART).

'The government's arguwhose members are appointed by the premier will somehow "depoliticise" the process, doesn't stand up.

'Former Premier Rees was at have to meet the costs of pro- least honest enough to admit viding additional infrastruc- that the government-imposed ture needed to cope with the cap on rates was causing lopressure of additional develop- cal government serious probment. It's equally certain that lems and preventing it from providing basic community

'Clearly, with this decision, 'The state government has a the government is seeking to history of transferring public distance itself from its responsicosts and tasks to local gov- bilities and to blame any future ernment, but in this case it is rates rises on IPART, saying, "it



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# 3 things you should know about Tony Abbott and WorkChoices



1. Mr Abbott thinks WorkChoices was good for families.

"The Howard Government's industrial legislation, it was good for wages, it was good for jobs, and it was good for workers. And let's never forget that."

Source: Parliament House Interview 19 March 2008 - Tony Abbott

2. Mr Abbott said ending individual work contracts was a great leap backwards.

End of AWA's a 'great leap backwards'

Source: The Australian 14 September 2009

3. If elected Mr Abbott will reintroduce individual work contracts and get rid of unfair dismissal laws for most of the workforce.

Source: Australian Financial Review 4 December 2009

Work Choices not dead yet, says Abbott

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Mr Abbott's extreme beliefs would hurt families

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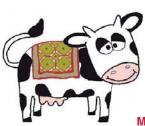
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# World Environment Day – in pictures



Above: Team Koala president Jenny Hayes with a painting of koalas by Chris Degenhardt at her stall during **World Environment Day last** Sunday. Another painting by Chris reflecting his view of the controversial world rally, now on display at Murwillumbah library, was dubbed a 'Nazi artwork' by the local daily newspaper pushing the pro-rally line.

Right top: Priya Ferris-Halliday, 4, of Byron Bay, enjoyed doing an environmentallythemed painting at World **Environment Day celebra-** tions last Sunday.

Right middle: Their future is in our hands. River Dragonfly, 5, of Uki, shows off his red hand before using the handprint on a petition for sustainable population of the Tweed, as petition organiser Jo Gardner, of Byrrill Creek, looks on.

**Right bottom: Professor Janis** Birkeland, left, Greens Cr Katie Milne and environmental activist and designer Erwin Weber, of Chillingham, look through the professor's latest book which calls on a whole new way of designing and building in an urban environment, after her workshop at World Environment Day celebrations.

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### Leaving the good life for a better one

**Tania Phillips** 

A leap of faith has given a former member of the Austrian aristocracy a little patch of heaven in Stokers Siding.

Alex Reynolds (pictured) was born the daughter of an Austrian count but in the mid-1970s she gave it up for a country many of her fellow Austrians had never heard of. But more than 30 years later, Mrs Reynolds and her family have been running their own farm-stay business at Hosanna Farm for the past few years and couldn't be happier.

As well as being a successful family holiday destination, the farmstay is becoming wellknown in the community as the location for the annual hosted by the local Christian Communities.



academy deciding she didn't have 'enough talent or elbow to work in the film industry' and went searching for somewhere else to live.

back-packing for a year, you name and its Christian values. emigrated. I wanted to go But she stresses that it's not an Anzac Day Family Funday somewhere that they prefer- overtly Christian place, simply ably spoke English. I went one where people can 'get back Alex dropped out of film South African and Australian each other'.

embassies and, back then, Australia was probably the easiest to get into.

'I came out here when I was 22, coming in the last six months of the assisted passage scheme, she said.

And so began an Odyssey in this country that saw her move from Sydney to the Tweed, embrace and become disillusioned with the hippy lifestyle and its lack of boundaries, marry and raise four children and then discover Christianity and eventually now set up the farmstay, with money inherited from her father.

She said about half of the families that stay at the small 'Back then you didn't go farm come because of the to the American, Canadian, to nature and reconnect with

### Energy company lodges prospecting plan

has been lodged by a major energy company.

Macquarie Energy wants to assess the petroleum potential of the area via what it calls 'desktop (computer) studies'.

A spokesperson for the De-

A petroleum-prospecting ap- partment of Primary Industri- studies involved assessing geoplication covering around es (DPI) told The Echo that the logical data obtained from pre-1,870 square kilometres in the special prospecting authority vious surface and aerial surveys, Tweed and Brunswick Valleys applied for with the NSW De- and did not involve any drilling partment of Primary Industries or physical exploration. allowed the holder to assess the petroleum potential of the area bill to protect prime agriculfor 12 months.

> Gas, a wholly owned subsidiary of Macquarie Energy, said the

A Greens private members tural land from mining was de-A spokesperson for Apollo feated recently by just one vote in the NSW Parliament.

Luis Feliu

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# Rally inquiry call after minister quits

the funding of the world rally have increased in the wake of state development minister Ian with conflict of interest. Macdonald last week.

decisions during his term.

ment on Monday, three days to 'handle the issue with care'. after he stood down from his ministerial position, admitting events in which Mr Macdohe had misled premier Kristina nald was involved, inclu-Keneally over the payment of a ding the rally, should be trip to Dubai two years ago.

lunches, is also being investi- the call by NRG.

gated by the NSW Auditor-General who accused him of Vickers said the unpopular the rally event'. Calls for an investigation into throwing millions of taxpayer dollars to organisers of the V8 Supercars race in Sydney witthe resignation of disgraced hout proper controls to deal

The No Rally Group (NRG) North Coast Greens MLC has written to the Auditor-Ge-Ian Cohen is the latest in cal- neral asking he look into the ling for an investigation of the rally funding and, following rally as part of the minister's Mr Macdonald's resignation, the group has called on the Mr Macdonald quit parlia- new minister, Kevin Greene,

Mr Cohen said all major thoroughly investigated, saymedia as 'Sir Lunchalot' for minister steps down, takes his his excessive taxpayer-funded pension and goes.' He backed

Labor government 'can't afford to be associated with the string of scandals emerging in the wake of minister Macdonald's resignation'.

'Mr Greene would be wise to with the Auditor-General in establishing whether there is a valid case for funding this return to the region.'

that the V8 race 'is not the only credibility? suspect race in town.

The minister, dubbed by the ing it was 'not enough (that) a add up, and with the release for Gaming and Racing, but he of this Auditor-General's re- won't back a winner with this port we feel there may be a one: the rally is a race going similar lack of due process nowhere, she said.

NRG secretary Andrea in regard to the funding of

She said the rally review, due to be tabled in parliament by the end of this month, had been criticised for omitting a valid cost-benefit analysis.

'Submissions to the review be circumspect regarding the were to be publicly available, IMC's report, and to cooperate but IMC has reneged on this commitment, citing privacy concerns. The review's independence and validity were event before he commits to its already dubious, and now any attempt at transparency She said the rally cost to tax- has also been discarded. How payers should be revealed and can it now claim any shred of

'Kevin Greene is no stran-We always knew it did not ger to speed as the Minister

All smiles after Murwill-

umbah Meals on Wheels





## New premises on the way for Meals on Wheels



Murwillumbah Meals on Wheels service has been given der the Home and Commua joint federal/state govern- nity Care (HACC) program, ment grant of \$40,000 to relocate to new premises with an and accessible care to help office and a meals and storage meet the individual needs of distribution centre.

liot visited the service based help them remain living inat Murwillumbah Hospital last dependently. Friday, to announce the grant, part of almost \$1 million the vides support for regional federal and state governments HACC services including will provide for home and community services on the far north coast this year.

which provides affordable Richmond MP Justine El- disability and their carers to

> The funding package pro-\$82,000 for Tweed Valley Respite Service to run a web based care coordination trial

The funding comes un- and to develop and provide dementia day care training, and \$12,000 for Tweed Coast Food Services for access doors and upgrades.

Mrs Elliot said the fundolder people, people with a ing would help many people continue to live in their own homes and communities, close to family and friends, rather than move prematurely into residential care.

'More than 233,000 people in NSW benefited from home and community care services last financial year,' she said.

(MMW) received a \$40,000 grant from state and federal governments to relocate to new and bigger premises. Left to right: Denise Harris (assistant director of nursing at Murwillumbah Hospital), Lynelle Hartley (MMW coordinator), Alice Thompson (MMW secretary), Richmond MP Justine Elliot, Eileen Crofts (MMW) and Nola Bell (MMW treasurer).





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### A history of folly

By coincidence, as Israel was indulging in its latest shot at infamy on the high seas last week I was reading The Age Of The Warrior, a collection of articles by Middle East correspondent Robert Fisk. Fisk has lived in Lebanon for thirty years – and sometimes jokingly refers to himself as 'Bob of Arabia'. He writes now for The Independent (www.independent.co.uk/opinion/commentators/fisk/), heaping scorn on all chancers who murder civilians in the name of 'democracy' or Islam or Israel, from Begin to boofhead Bush, from Hamas to the ruling class of Saudi Arabia.

As Fisk points out, the USA's involvement in the Middle East is the latest folly in a long history of Western stupidity. Blair and Bush learned nothing from history – Blair apparently didn't have the patience to read his foreign office background notes – or they might have registered Lawrence of Arabia's 1929 entry in the Encyclopedia Britannica on guerilla warfare, which explains the difficulty of fighting an insurgent force which fades away and reappears like 'vapour'.

Fisk also guotes Lawrence on his trip up the Tigris in the 1920s with a troop of English soldiers, 'full of the power of happiness... And we were casting them by thousands into the fire to the worst of deaths, not to win the war but that the corn and rice and oil of Mesopotamia might be ours.' Sound familiar?

Before they follow the lead of oil moguls, arms dealers and daft religionists in setting Middle-Eastern 'policy', all political leaders should be required to join Bob of Arabia in stepping over the bodies of murdered children in refugee camps. They could at least be present like Richard I (1157-1199) when the killing starts.

- Michael McDonald

### **Endangered trees**

Last week a council gang 'accidentally' destroyed a rare and supposedly protected Red Bopple Nut tree (see story, page 3). The reason given by a council spokesperson for this stupid blunder was that the regular leader of the road gang was absent, and had he been available, 'he may have had knowledge of the value of the tree as he had worked along that road for many years.'

This incident follows on the destruction recently of a healthy tree, the historical Hatton fig, owing to a faulty diagnosis by experts employed by council.

If relying on oral history supplied (or not, as the case may be) by workers for the protection of our trees sounds a trifle cavalier, readers will be pleased to know that a comprehensive guide to tree management on council-controlled land is now available on the website www.tweed.nsw.gov.au.

In announcing this, the manager responsible, Stewart Brawley, warned against unrealistic expectations with regard to tree management. '... Attachments that can come with large, long-living things such as trees can result in emotive responses,' he said.

Of course they do. Trees speak to our genetic memory, recalling the time when most of the planet was protected by their friendly cover, or the even earlier age when they were literally our homes. They were once our temples and, later, the basis for our alphabets. Unfortunately, however, our instinctive love for the oxygen-giving, fruit-bearing silent giants is not matched by our collective behaviour.

Why does protecting the living environment seem so hard for Tweed Shire Council? Gung-ho vegetation clearing resulting in unacceptable damage doesn't just happen when workers don't get briefed properly. It sometimes happens deliberately (see story, page 1) and then council acts slowly and (apparently) reluctantly in stopping the callous destruction.

It all comes down to what kind of ethos is being encouraged. Are trees seen as obstacles to the business of making money, or an essential part of our organic fabric? That is an ideological argument, and given recent history it is one the trees seem to

- David Lovejoy

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# **Clueless Labor takes a nosedive**

trouble. Not only do they Treasury, Julie Bishop runnot like Kevin Rudd's Great ning foreign policy, Phillip Big New Tax (54 per cent, Ruddock, Bronwyn Bishop according to the Galaxy and Kevin Andrews runpoll) they don't understand ning ministries and Barnaby it (68 per cent say the gov- Joyce - the shadow finance ernment has explained it minister who had to take off badly) and they don't want his trousers to count up to was always going to use the sat except a man, and whoto (anecdotal evidence). As 21 - naming his own price line about Abbott planning ever you vote for a politia result the coalition is now clearly in front – 52 to 48 on two-party preferred.

But the truly grim news is that Tony Abbott has caught up with Rudd in the preferred Prime Minister stakes, trailing by a single point - 44 to 45. Labor's fallback position has always been that their guy might be pretty much on the nose, but the other guy is unelectable - too crazy to take seriously in the top job.

The theory, now revealed as little more than wishful thinking, has been that while idea of the Mad Monk a bit of a distraction, something to brighten up the daily spindriven tedium which politics has become, when it came to actually casting a vote they over. It now appears that in Queensland - Rudd's own preparing to forget about the Abbott, in his Mr Nice Guy parachute and jump out of mode, assured the honest the plane.

land, the state that gave us he only hoped it would not Joh Bjelke-Petersen, Russ be a case of one man's rise Hinze, Clive Palmer and being another man's job, the the cane toad. But where usual code for the employers' Queensland goes, can Western Australia be far behind? the right time for a wage rise And if the dominoes start to

report that the govern- up to find Abbott in the add to unemployment. ment is in diabolical Lodge, Joe Hockey in the

rom the deep north, we fall, suddenly we will wake inflation, in bad times they

up their own campaigning against both the miners and the coalition, it is likely that coming election than either tards, a politician is an arse side had anticipated. Labor upon which everything has

Part of the problem is the group of time-servers, mercenaries and mug lairs Rudd has collected around him, mainly refugees from the New South Wales right.

### by Mungo MacCallum

the coalition.

stuff of febrile nightmare, is rapidly turning real. And the truly bad news is that seems to have a clue what to do about it.

workers should be very grateful to Fair Work Australia and the \$26 a week would draw back; caution catch-up award for the lowand discretion would take est paid, which came through last week. Under a coalition government there would not home state – the punters are be too many like it. Tony toilers that he was never one Admittedly this is Queens- to begrudge them a rise – but line that it is never actually - in good times they cause

for keeping the Nationals in to bring back WorkChoices store the hope and trust that as part of its scare campaign. Howard had so badly eroded; The prospect, once the But it now looks as though the unions, realising that has pissed it all away in faa change of government is vour of timidity, indecision suddenly a real possibility, and, of course, a sack full of the voters might find the no one in the Labor camp are going to get back on the broken promises. airwaves in a big way.

> In the circumstances the far the government's advertising campaign extolling the RSPT has been even more boring and unconvincing South Wales right, they are than the miners' campaign against it - and given that relevant), uninformed about all the facts and logic are on the government's side, that is each other) and uninterested condemnation indeed.

At least the backlash past the next Newspoll.) against Rudd's broken promise on this aspect of the cam- has been the most crashing paign has been less severe disappointment: Kevin o7 than might have been expected; Abbott and his colto have shrugged it off.

As Rudd and others have pointed out, Howard did With the unions stepping much worse and much more of it and in the current mood of disillusionment and despair at the whole process, industrial relations will play that is all that needs to be more of a part in the forth- said. All politicians are bascian always gets in, so why bother.

> This public reversion to cynicism about politics and its place in society is perhaps the very worst legacy Rudd could leave Australia, but it seems highly likely he will do so. His election campaign and the first year of his government did a lot to rebut in the last few months he

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> But it is Rudd himself who has melted into Kevin Zilch.

What a pity Barack leagues have had a bit of fun Obama has again been with the apparent invocation forced to cancel his visit; of a national emergency, but it would have been nice to by and large the public seems see a real politician, if only from a distance.



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### The Gang-of-Four

I agree with Lynda Mack (Letsacking Cr Milne from the council's Aboriginal Advisory Committee. That there has so far been no explanation ofto isolate her within the sevenmember elected council.

her sacking was not, as far as I know, unanimously approved by her six colleagues, but many of us remain outraged by the cil might cough up a bit more tactics of the Gang-of-Four who dough so that the organisers engineered her sacking.

al times, to councillors and to be paid to protect biodiversity senior shire management, and why not rate-paying residents to local press outlets, for the electors of Tweed Shire to elect the offices of mayor and deputy mayor. While this measure as they are doing the job council does not entirely eliminate the seems unwilling or incapable of kind of victimisation we see Cr doing. And let's not forget the Milne suffering, it would give efforts of the wildlife carers. electors in the shire a sense of ownership.

Trevor Robertson

### Phil for PM

So, now the Nats want to pre-select someone more like Barnaby Rubble. Well the choice is obvious. Yes, our resident genius, the Mensa-man himself, Phil Youngblutt. Vote 1 for Phil. We could even expect a 'Phil for we are not ratbags after all. PM' campaign. Then, instead of a shire of morons we could be a nation of morons.

But if Phil were unavailable Worth the effort due to the time restraints im-

with Abbott. What a pool of intellect to draw from! The Nats will know no bounds.

> Tim Smerd Bogangar

### Doing council's job

World Environment Day was another great success. Many thanks to the tireless efforts of all the organisers and helpers, ters, May 27) concerning the the generous offer of Tweed Shire Council of \$2,000 to support this event and especially Caldera Environment Centre.

The theme, ironically enough, fered by mayor Polglase for her was biodiversity, the very subject sacking must leave the Tweed Tweed Council does not seem Shire electors wondering if this to be paying much attention to. is not simply a further attempt It supports the Repco rally in every way to tear through biodiverse rainforests in breeding There is, I suppose, some season, is pushing for a dam in slender fissure of light to relieve a location where no less than 43 the ideological gloom within threatened species are trying to that august chamber insofar as eke out a living, and appears to have no interest in controlling population growth.

Maybe next year the councan actually be paid for their ef-I have made overtures sever- forts? If council employees can putting in hard yakka? And for that matter why not pay the rally, koala and dam protesters

> It's time the council reimbursed us for our efforts in protecting our beautiful Green Upper Crystal Creek Cauldron. Let's all start sending in bills to them for our time and expenses! I think they will be shocked to realise how many hundreds of hours we spend as hard-working citizens in the most noble cause of all, protection of our planet.

So you see, mayor Polglase,

Menkit Prince

The Caldera Environment posed by his public speaking Centre offers a big thankyou circuit they could always look to The Echo and those dediback to their other Bozo the cated souls who helped make Clown, John Murray (he's al- the 10th World Environment ready started his own Piece of Day last Sunday such a success. Wood Royal Commission). His Perfect weather helped create mastery of people skills would a perfect day. Special thanks immediately put him at one to Tweed Shire Council for

# Longterm, the rally is catastrophic

community in their love for our wildlife, rather than divided us as reported. What is also being strongly questioned is the impartiality of the media in this matter and their lack of reporting of the key ecological issues.

The latest headline in the Daily News that the rally had only 'minor impact' is yet another example. The media has again presented only one side of the ecological debate. They have not once, over the whole period, ever bothered to concommissioned who strongly criticised the event.

No attempt was made to survey for distressed wildlife further into the bush.

the pre-rally survey was in general carried out for only five

that the rally has united this of the information was sourced from computer records.

wildlife, in this September peak breeding season, that were nesting six metres from the side of the road? The great likelihood was that animals their terror and confusion, and become permanently separated from their young.

In the case of the Black Breasted Button Quail recently listed as critically endangered, an estimated population of 35-45 of these birds occurs in the tact either of the two ecologists Byrrill Creek area. A healthy population is considered to be a group of 250 birds. It was The post-rally survey was contended that even if just one in longterm deterioration of done from the back of a ute. these birds or offspring has been lost that there is significant likelihood that the entire local population would be-A professional journalist come unviable due to its small would also be interested that size. This is not an acceptable risk in many people's minds.

Actual roadkill was only one metres into the bush and for concern but in reality any, or less than half the distance of all, of the 12 animals killed may

or could be in the next events. Will this be acceptable too? So what would happen to Even when the rally reports derful things for this commushowed evidence of threatened species occurring directly adja-

A professional journalist would abandon their nest in may have tried to interpret the court findings and report that the court judgement did not even refer to the disputed areas of the rally's methodology, analysis, the issues of stress, or the spread of disease through

cent to the rally stages this has

not stopped these stages.

the frog populations. According to a recent CSIRO report, Australian wildlife is highly susceptible to stress and this commonly manifests their immune systems. Koalas are classified as 'inordinately susceptible' to stress. Macropods such as wallabies can drop dead just from the stress of being chased.

Without more extensive behavioural surveys I don't believe that we can be sure that in fact the rally has not already

Many people actually believe the actual rally stages. The rest have been a threatened species had a longer term, potentially catastrophic, impact.

Dr Phillips has done wonnity and is greatly appreciated on many levels. This is not a criticism but rather a response to the peer reviews, by two highly respected ecologists, including the president of the NSW Ecological Consultants' Association, that should not be conveniently ignored by the media. Peer review is useful for its contribution to improving standards and is a normal process in the scientific community.

Tweed has the highest record for threatened flora in the whole of Australia and has 112 threatened fauna species. We must reverse these declines and we desperately need not only our media, but also our business and developer community, to unite to glorify in the concept of our extraordinarily beautiful but extremely fragile wildlife.

Cr Katie Milne Carool

principal organisers and hardworking volunteers.

Was the effort worth it? UNESCO's theme of 'Biodiversity' demands our very serious attention. The current rate of species extinction is higher than any rate recorded in previous planetary history. At current rates of extinction we will lose a third of all species by mid

This would be an unmitigated disaster on a par with the predictions concerning global warming. The health and the future viability of human existence depends on a healthy planet which in turn depends on a complex, symbiotic ecosystem or web of life. We need all our living relatives for our health and very survival.

It is not just about fewer species at the zoo. Our curecological footprint are simply unsustainable.

Several keynote speakers gave eloquent voice to these con-

generous support and to the cerns for which we thank them and 'Earth Learning'. I'm sure we will do it all again next year with your generous support.

**Hop E Hopkins** 

### Con Artists

Your paper was kind enough to feature recently a front-page photo of local young music students preparing for Tweed Valley Jazz Club's annual student workshop at which big band the Con Artists, the performing band of final year music students from University of Queensland, performed.

Unfortunately, there was only a sprinkle of people who took up this offer, despite your paper and the club's own newsletter making it clear all were welcome to come and enjoy the chance to hear young performers who will surely be world class headrent human population and liners in the near future. This extreme consumption rates or was a really great pity, when the a new tax on mining that means chance of hearing high quality 'Big Bands' is very rare or prohibitively priced.

With so many people com-

plaining about the conduct of young people in our shire, it was a wonderful chance to see local kids being an attentive, appreciative, intelligent audi-Tyalgum ence of world class fare. So I advise all intelligent readers to keep an eye out for information about such events either in this newspaper or by joining us at the club. We are so lucky living in one of the world's best places which has many more of things than the few accused of doing evil.

**Joan Daniels** Murwillumbah

### **Budget benefits**

I am surprised by the focus of coverage about the government's budget and Tony Abbott's reply. Everyone is so focused on the economy, that we will again have a budget surplus in three years' time and that we will have that we will get a fair share of the money foreign companies are making from our minerals. Why has there been so little dis-

cussion about the social aspects of the budget and reply?

The government has announced major funding in health care which will help address the critical doctor shortages now projected for the Tweed area, given more funding to mental health, more funding to environment programs, and a significant increase in superannuation.

Further the government has its young people achieving great now introduced their paid parental leave legislation. This is surely wonderful for all Australians, particularly those who live on the Tweed.

> And what has been the response from Mr Abbott? We will block, we will block, we will block. Surely we live in a society and not an economy.

> > J Maundrell Murwillumbah

### Don't blame Rudd

It seems that the political opportunists have come out to play. I was amazed to read the letters in your newspaper this

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week attacking the government. It's about time someone pointed out some basic truths.

Rudd has not broken the promises he made when we and his Libs and Nats have elected him three years ago. All these people complaining about broken promises, and I can only assume that Lisa Townsend is one of them, need a basic lesson in Australian politics since 2007.

It is the Greens and Abbott and his stooges in the senate that have stopped the government from delivering on their promises. Abbott's complaint is like saying 'you should vote for me because Rudd didn't deliver selves a waste of time. what he promised even though I stopped him from doing it. and they just fall apart.

He must have been lying all along.' Frankly it is disgusting. The Australian people voted for a government to make some real changes and Abbott stopped it from happening. Everyone should start complaining about Abbott using the senate to get him elected rather than allowing it to act for the good of Australia.

G Pearson Kingscliff

### Anarchic what?

It may well be a waste of time reminding readers that letters from Doug Ogilvie are in them-

Attempt to examine them,

It is, for example, many, many years since Ogilvie first took it upon his largely humourless self, the one he often refers to as 'we', to repeatedly and condescendingly proclaim that his vacuous version of some vaguely defined 'anarcho-gnostic world' will actually manifest itself, upon us all, in two years, or less.

So, it's just slightly overdue, see? Don't you worry about that.

If only, Doug further says, if only everybody - including all those dreaded 'self-righteous hypocrites' - would just suddenly and inexplicably 'understand' how Doug's unqualified 'New Aquarian regime' would differ from 'the current one', then everything, whatever that is, would fall gloriously into place and prove him the Seer and Prophet he so dearly wishes to be accepted as.

Yeah, if only, and as if. Just don't ask how this might happen. Just take it from him. Say no more. Doug lays sly claim to inside information. From the very top. He did used to spell words like 'Illuminati' wrong, but the inference was there.

I really and truly wish he did Know-More-Than-Us. But I also wish he could charitably share the source and strength of his 'gnostic' information without a giant ego first stepping in to side-track and evade fundamental questions.

Ogilvie doesn't care to see that the terms he uses – like 'Anarchic Regime' – are themselves oxymoronic. So he'll probably waste his time submitting the same old letter over and over for a few more years yet.

Although how such a self-advertised yet amateur anarchist can be both regimented and repetitive defeats me.

I wonder if he's seen or 'understood' Avatar yet.

Norman Ingram Tyalgum

### Over the bridge

Mayor Warren Polglase has been reported as saying: 'the [bridge] proposal was not likely to ever be put back on council's agenda. 'It never got off the ground, it didn't happen,' he said. 'It just didn't get supported by council to make it happen.' Yet 14 days later Cr Kevin Skinner, support-

# Council bullying must stop

dent' (The Echo, June 3): it is bad enough when councillors stoop to in-house persecutions, but when a citizen is reported to the government for speaking at a public forum then the very basis of our democracy is under threat. Mr McKenzie is reminded of Orwell's 1984, yet 1930s Germany also comes to mind.

Cr Holdom responded to questions by asking, 'Well, who else should I have reported him to?' My answer to her is that she shouldn't have reported him at all. Mr McKenzie was simply performing his democratic right to free speech.

As Voltaire said, 'I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it'.

**Peter Conde** 

■ I have been looking up the role of the Department of Local Government and I could not find a 'report your residents'. I then searched for the 'Ministry of Local Residents' but I could not find one.

I make this obvious point because it seems that a secret enclave in Tweed Shire Council has taken to dobbing

ing the Bilambil Heights Development Group, has convinced the mayor and four other prodevelopment councillors to reconsider the Lakes Drive Bridge (LDB) proposal.

This connection between South Tweed and Gollan/Kennedy Drive, West Tweed (without other necessary traffic infrastructure) is now estimated to cost Tweed ratepayers between 30-40 million dollars. The bridge proposal passes through SEPP 14 Wetlands, near the Tweed Estuary Nature Reserve on Davies Island in Terranora Inlet and adversely impacts the main thoroughfare of the 600 person Seagull Island type residential estate.

The Bilambil Heights development spokesperson rejected claims that there was strong of consideration rejected the

ner's conflict of interest in his director of the innapropriate Repco rally.

It seems that the TSC, or old coals by bringing up the issue again. So be it. Does Dot and co think that censoring a member of the public, or getting their minister to do so, is going to stop the truth sayers?

The general manager is generally responsible for the efficient and effective operation of the council's organisation and for ensuring the implementation, without undue delay, of decisions of the council – not, as it seems, the other way around. The GM is a servant and employee of the shire's ratepayers and he should act as such.

Being a director of a questionable sporting event such as the Repco rally does in no way come within his role. I say this because holding the rally was decided at state level, leaving and cries of 'You're naughty, the TSC impotent in making the final decision.

Just to clarify things, under the NSW local government ruling on 'conflict of interest'

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sented 402 letters of objection

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the proposal'.

■ Re 'Council dobs in resi- in members of the public – in article 7.1 states: 'A conflict of this case James Mackenzie for interest exists where a reasohis comments about Mike Ray- nable and informed person would perceive that you could dual role as GM of TSC and be influenced by a private interest when carrying out your public duty?

Well, a large number of Dot and other conspiratorial Tweed citizens, who fit this crimembers, want to rake over teria, have and do perceive that Mike Rayner is influenced by Repco rally while carrying out his public duty. So, according to the 'Model Code of Conduct for Local Councils in NSW, the GM does have a case to answer. It is up to the council, if it has any integrity, to act ethically and demand that the GM gives up one of his two conflicting

> Meanwhile Dot and co can play their games lighting black candles or sticking pins into doll effigies of local ratepayers, or whatever they do behind the closed doors of council, while carrying out their petty vendettas. The behaviour of the Polglase-run (or is that the GM-run?) council is pathetic, akin to school yard bullying I'm going to tell on you'. Wake up, TSC, and get on with the job for which you are paid.

> > **Chris Degenhardt** Nobbys Creek

community objection, saying LDB proposal, taking into consideration financial advice from only a small number of households would be affected by the the Interim Strategic Plan for bridge's construction. Evidently Cobaki/Bilambil/Terranora Rethis spokesperson has not studport of March 1995. This report said that total repayments could ied the past residents' campaign to oppose this bridge. The daily be greater than 30 per cent of press reported on March 15, rate revenue after hoping that 1998: 'Bridge opponents take the development sector might provide their share. their message to council on a trolley' and continued 'opponents of the proposed Lakes

With council already committed to tens of millions of Drive Bridge across Terranora dollars at the Cobaki Lakes residential development and other West Tweed developments, now might be a good Wednesday. The letters, which time for ratepayers to write opponents said came on top of their concerns to council about 500 objections already lodged already high rates and their exwere accompanied by a formal traordinary help to unsustain-3,200 page submission against able residential development.

Richard W Murray Tweed Heads Environment Group



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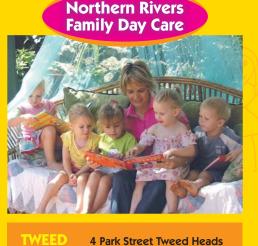
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ing tax brouhaha.

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ficulty understanding the min- them by using someone else's in legitimate tax. resources. Regular business would willingly accept as little as 60 per cent of any supernormal profits, but mining companies are different. They threaten to take their ball and go home because the big bad bogeyman is interfering with their Chrissy present.

But that's not all, not by a long shot! The mining companies then rack up a big bill for advertising to keep all their Chrissy present. Who pays? Well here it becomes obvious why you and I don't see much Santa action ourselves. We pay for their ad- probably where their super-Now regular businesses vertising. Yes, it's true, they put normal profits are going! would think it was Christmas it all down as advertising costs to make supernormal profits, and then claim deductions on

Some people are having dif- especially if they could make the miniscule amount they pay

We pay additional tax to keep their taxes low, we pay additional tax to fund their political advertising, the cost of things we buy containing their minerals is inflated by their supernormal profits and, to add insult to injury, we own the resources that they are exploiting to make their supernormal profits. Yes there is a Santa Claus for mining companies. Unfortunately it is us!

But we shouldn't resist, we should just lie back and think of England. After all that's

> Vince Kean Murwillumbah

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### Shoes Glorious Shoes

Imelda Marcos and Carrie Bradshaw shared a love of shoes, in fact Imelda had more than 2,700 pairs of them. They both would have loved the virtual shoe museum established by Liza Snook in 2004 for women and men who love shoes. From flip flops, pumps, platform, pumps and ballerina shoes, this is a website celebrating shoes of every description from the kooky to the sophisticated. Showcasing designers from around the world and in conjunction with photographers, publishers and anyone with a connection to shoes, this is the definitive shoe shop of the virtual world.

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### The Radical Workplace

Imagine little adaptable neighbourhoods for employees to work in and you're slightly on the way to understanding the uniqueness of Macquarie Bank's unusual yet quirky interior design. Clive Wilkinson Architects are behind this creation in Sydney. It has its own 'meeting tree' which represents its interconnected relationship with clients. Green enthusiasts will be proud to learn that the building's energy consumption has been reduced by 50 per cent with many revolutionary technologies being introduced like zone controlled lighting and harbor water cooling. The rest you simply have to see for yourself.

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### Regional Development Australia

You have just over two weeks to enter the 'Gift for the Future Competition'.

The competition invites individuals, businesses, community groups and organisations to submit ideas and dreams for the region's future. And there's more than \$4,000 in prizes for the most innovative and creative submissions.

Use words, photographs or multimedia to demonstrate how we can enhance the region's economic, environmental or social well-being in the next five to 10 years. Topics could include transport, affordable housing, indigenous health, youth services,long-term employment... it's up to you.

Offer your solution as a gift to future generations.

Entry is open to anyone living or working in the Northern Rivers. Visit www.rdanorthernrivers.org.au or call 6622 4011 for details. Entries close 26 June 2010.

### Chillingham Community Centre

Chillingham Community Centre is a showcase of sustainable design with its grid connected solar photovoltaic system,

energy efficient lighting and energy smart volunteers.

On Sunday 13 June at 11am Dan Walton, Council's Sustainability Officer will be running a one hour workshop for people interested in reducing their energy footprint through the application of solar power and energy saving practices. To get the most out of the workshop, people are encouraged to bring along a recent electricity bill so Dan can walk you through your daily energy consumption, practical tips for reducing consumption and the simple steps for calculating the right size solar system to power your home. The workshop is being held alongside the monthly markets so it's a great opportunity to wander through the various stalls and brush up on the skills required to reduce your household's carbon footprint and running costs.

Chillingham Community Centre, 1469 Numinbah Rd, Chillingham. www.chillingham.com.au

### Come and see the first monkeys to arrive in the Tweed Valley

At the Parrot Garden Café, you will see majestic macaw parrots and a wide variety of other exotic birds all up close and personal. There are also alpacas, goats, donkeys, llama and miniature ponies and even a quaint rabbit and guinea pig enclosure and now introducing the common marmoset monkey from the north of Brazil!

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Remember to bring your shopping bags along to the market... we're a plastic bag free village

For any information or interested stall holders please contact Market Coordinator, Nerina – 0437 041 023 Email: markets@chillingham.com.au, www.chillingham.com.au Chillingham Community Centre, 1469 Numinbah Rd, Chillingham



# Kudos for CSIRO's supercomputing capability

velopers of graphics processing units (GPUs), NVIDIA, has announced that CSIRO has been selected as a member of its international network of high performance computing research centres.

GPUs are the computer hardware which lies at the heart of game consoles and, increasingly, supercomput-

CSIRO's Group Executive, Information Sciences, Dr Alex Zelinsky, said the announcement – at the International Supercomputing Conference in Hamburg, Germany – fur-

One of the world's leading de- thers CSIRO's goal of being a world leader in the application of GPU technology to a broad range of scientific and industrial problems.

> 'To be involved in NVIDIA's **CUDA Research Center** Program, which is designed for institutions that embrace GPU computing across multiple research fields, is a great honour for CSIRO,' Dr Zelinsky said.

'We're excited to be in such good company. CUDA Research Centers include Johns Hopkins University (US) and Nanyang Technological University (Singapore).

CSIRO is currently the only CUDA Research Center in the southern hemisphere.

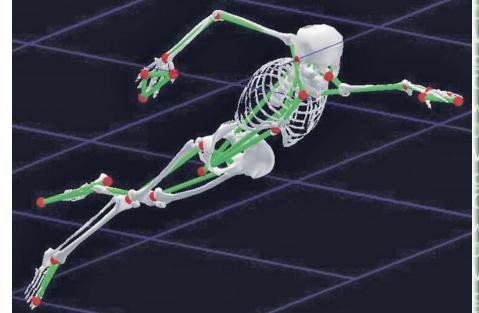
CSIRO's GPU cluster, with 256 GPUs, was the first of its kind in Australia and is one of the world's fastest computers. GPUs speed up data processing by allowing a computer to massively multi-task through parallel processing.

NVIDIA's expertise in programmable GPUs have helped make supercomputing inexpensive and more widely accessible. The company is based in California.

NVIDIA's Director of

Research, Dr David Luebke, said the CUDA Research Center program is designed to recognise and encourage the use of GPUs for scientific and high performance computing.

'CSIRO will gain access to the latest developments in GPU computing and become part of a wider community of organisations with GPU facilities, sharing information and ideas,' Dr Luebke said.



Many CSIRO scientists are already utilising the benefits of the GPU cluster in a range of scientific disciplines. CSIRO computational modellers simulating human swimming have found their code 🚮 runs six times faster, when using the GPU cluster.

Platform Leader of CSIRO Computational and Simulation Sciences, Dr John Taylor, modelling nuclear analysers, running 3D X-ray and CT imsaid that, as one of the world's most diverse research organisations, CSIRO is uniquely placed to put GPU technology through its paces. 'We're using the GPU cluster

to speed up projects like age reconstruction, measuring uncertainty in complex environmental models and understanding biomechanical processes like human swimming' Dr Taylor said. 'And

we're getting results 6-200 times faster than before.'

The GPU cluster is in everyday use with over 100 CSÍRO scientists trained to use it. It was installed in Canberra last November by Xenon Systems of Melbourne and runs Linux and Windows applications.

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### Television Guide

1. The week is dominated by sport, SBS1 leading off with the FIFA World Cup on Friday night. On Sunday the Socceroos come up against Germany, which ain't no picnic. Fans of the leather ovoid can watch Australia play England in International Test Rugby (Prime, Saturday,

2. Jane Fonda and Jennifer Lopez go chest to chest in the dodgy romantic comedy Monster-In-Law (NBN, Saturday, 9.35pm).

3. Kristen Bell and Russell Brand are part of the (sometimes naked) action in Forgetting Sarah Marshall (Prime, Sunday, 8.3 opm, another romantic comedy of sorts.







### ABC 1

- 4.30 Shortland Street
- 5.00 Something In The Air
- 5.30 The New Inventors 6.00 Kids' Programs
- 11.00 Catalyst
- 11.30 The New Inventors
- 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Enough Rope With Andrew Denton
- 1.30 Cranford
- 2.30 Spicks And Specks
- 3.00 Kids' Programs
- 6.00 Meerkat Manor
- 6.30 Can We Help?
- 7.00 ABC News
- 7.30 Stateline
- 8.00 Collectors
- 8.30 Agatha Christie's Miss Marple: Nemesis (M) Geraldine McEwan
- 10.05 30 Seconds (M)
- 10.35 Lateline
- 11.15 The Graham Norton Show
- 12.05 rage (M)

- **5.30** Talking Heads: Guy Cooper **6.00** ABC News Breakfast **9.00** Kids' Programs **6.00** Three Hungry Boys 6.30 Dirty Jobs
- 7.10 The Daily Show
- 7.35 The Colbert Report
- 8.00 Mr Bean 8.30 Being Human: Unearthed (M)
- **9.30 Spectacle** Bono, The Edge
- 10.15 Moving Wallpaper (M) 10.45 Later... With Jools Holland
- 11.45 A Journey Through American Music The Blues
- 12.35 Planet Rock Profiles Oasis 1.05 Little Angels 1.35 Coach Trip 2.00 Close

### SBS<sub>1</sub>

- 5.00 Weatherwatch
- 5.05 World News 1.00 FIFA World Cup Official Kick Off Celebration Concert
- 4.00 Classic Destinations Leipzig and Mainz, Germany
- 4.30 The Journal
- 5.00 Newshour
- 6.00 Global Village
- 6.30 World News
- 7.30 JFK's Women The scandals revealed
- 8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever
- 9.00 FIFA World Cup Show
- 10.00 FIFA World Cup Opening Ceremony LIVE from Johannesburg

  12.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – South Africa v
- Mexico
- 2.00 FIFA World Cup Highlights 4.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Uruguay v

### SBS 2

- 5.00am to 6.00pm World News and Weatherwatch
- 6.30 World News Australia
- 7.30 FIFA World Cup Official Kick Off Celebration Concert 9.10 The Life And Times Of Nelson
- Mandela (M) 11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever

**11.30 Movie: The Overeater** (M 2003) French drama about a police superintendent who confides in a suspected murderer. Stars French soccer superstar Eric Cantona as the 160kg policeman. Also stars Rachida Brakni 1.05 Weatherwatch

SBS<sub>1</sub>

### **PRIME**

- 6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show
- 11.30 Seven Morning News
- 12.00 Holby Blue (M) Double episode
- 2.00 All Saints (M)
- 3.00 Delish 3.30 Raggs
- 4.00 It's Academic
- 4.30 Seven News 5.00 M\*A\*S\*H
- 5.30 Deal Or No Deal
- 6.00 Prime News
- 6.30 Seven News
- 7.00 Home And Away
- 7.30 Better Homes And Gardens 8.30 Movie: Bend It Like Beckham (PG 2002) A teenage girl living in London makes a choice between following the traditions of her Indian family or pursuing her dream of becoming a soccer sensation. Stars Parminder Nagra, Keira
- Knightley, Jonathan Rhys Meyers 10.50 AFL Premiership Season North Melbourne v Carlton
- 1.30 Infomercials

### **7 TWO**

6.00 Kids Time 9.00 Sons & Daughters 9.30 Home & Away **10.00** Movie: Calypso Heat Wave (PG 1957) Merry Anders, Paul Langton, Johnny Desmond 12.00 Five Mile Creek 1.00 All My Children 2.00 Shortland Street **2.30** Coronation Street **3.00** Emmerdale **3.30** Kitchen Time **6.00** Whacked Out Sports 6.30 Full House 7.00 Delish 7.30 Ghost Whisperer **8.30** Escape To The Country **9.45** 60 Minute Makeover **10.45** Last Comic Standing (M) 12.00 John Mayer Live From The Beacon Theatre 1.00 Room For Improvement 1.30 AFL

- 6.00 Ten Early News 7.00 Kids' Programs
- 9.00 Ten News
- 10.00 The Circle
- 12.00 Dr Phil (M)
- 1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show 2.00 Ready Steady Cook
- 3.00 Judge Judy
- 3.30 Infomercial
- 4.00 Huey's Kitchen
- 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful
- 5.00 Ten News
- 6.00 The Simpsons
- 6.30 Neighbours
- 7.00 The 7pm Project
- 7.30 Masterchef Australia 9.00 NCIS (M)
- 10.00 Numb3rs (M) 11.00 Ten Late News
- 11.30 Sports Tonight
- 12.00 The Late Show With David Letterman
- 1.00 Friday Night Lights
- 2.00 Infomercials 5.00 Religion

### ONE HD

6.00 Major League Baseball 8.30 Golf Central 9.00 Pro Bull Riding 10.00 Grand-Am Sportscar Series – New York 1.00 Red Bull Air Race 3.00 Omnisport **3.30** TNA Xplosion **4.30** Tread BMX **5.00** Sports Unlimited **6.00** Omnisport **6.30** IAAF Athletix Magazine **7.00** Sports Tonight

7.40 Friday Feature: Freeriders **9.30** Andra Pro Series Drag Racing **10.30** Isle of Man Tourist Trophy Motocycles **11.25** Sports Tonight Late 12.00 UFC Countdown 115 12.45 ITU World Championship Triathlon 1.45 Rally World 2.15 NASCAR Nationwide Series – Nashville 3.15

TEN

### **5.30** Today **9.00** Kerri-Anne **11.00** Infomercials **12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show**

- 1.00 The View
- 2.00 Days Of Our Lives
- 3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Hi-5
- 4.00 Pyramid
- 4.30 News
- 5.00 Antiques Roadshow 5.30 Hot Seat
- 6.00 NBN News
- 7.00 A Current Affair 7.30 Friday Night Football LIVE - Gold
- Coast Titans v Manly Sea Eagles 9.40 Movie: Transformers (M 2007) Shia
- LaBeouf, Megan Fox, Josh Duhamel 12.40 Movie: Malibu's Most Wanted (M
- 2003) Jamie Kennedy, Taye Diggs
- 2.30 The Baron
- 3.30 Entertainment Tonight
- 4.00 Infomercial
- 4.30 Good Morning America

### **GO!**

6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight 11.00 TMZ 11.30 Married With Children 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Moment Of Truth **2.00** Wife Swap USA **3.00** Just Shoot Me **3.30** The Nanny **4.00** Kids' Programs **6.00** Movie: Scooby-Doo! And The Monster Of Mexico (G 2003) Animation **7.30** Black Adder The Third (PG) **8.00** 'Allo 'Allo (PG) **8.30** CSI (M) **9.30** CSI: Miami (M) 10.30 CSI: New York (M) 11.30 Movie: Freddy vs Jason (AV 2003) Robert Englund, Ken Kirzinger, Monica Keena 1.30 Married With Children 2.00 Starsky & Hutch (M) **3.00** The Avengers **4.00** Just Shoot Me **4.30** TMZ **5.00** Married With Children 5.30 The Flintstones

### ABC 1

- **5.00** rage (PG) 11.00 Poh's Kitchen 11.30 Message Stick (PG\*) Mark Bin Barkar,
- the creator of Mary G
- 12.00 Stateline
- 12.30 Australian Story
- 1.00 Foreign Correspondent
- 1.30 Can We Help? 2.00 Pilot Guides Colorado and Utah 3.00 Rugby Union Shute Shield LIVE -
- Eastern Suburbs v Sydney University 5.00 International Test Bowls Australia v
- England: Men's Triples 6.00 Planet Food Goa, India
- 6.30 Gardening Australia 7.00 ABC News
- 7.30 Doc Martin 8.30 The Bill (M)
- 9.15 ABC News Update
- 9.20 Midsomer Murders (M) 11.00 Silent Witness (M) 11.55 rage (M)

- ABC 2 6.00 Kids' Programs
- 6.00 At The Movies
- 6.30 Heartland 7.30 Robin Hood
- 8.15 Mr Bean 8.30 Movie: Murder By Death (PG 1976) An eccentric millionaire tries to outsleuth the world's top detectives.
- Stars Truman Capote, Nancy Walker Movie: Sudden Fear (PG 1952) Joa Crawford
- 11.55 Sadness (M) 1.00 Air Australia Aviation industry

- 7.30 Weatherwatch
- 7.40 World News 1.00 Concert Schonbrunn
- 2.30 JMW Turner 3.30 Tim Marlow Meets Mike Leigh 4.00 Living With The Future
- 4.30 Newshour
- 5.30 FIFA World Cup Highlights 6.30 World News Australia
- 7.30 Monster Moves 8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever
- 9.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE Korea Republic v Greece
- 11.30 FIFA World Cup LIVE Argentina v
- 2.00 FIFA World Cup Replay Uruguay v France 4.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – England v USA

- SBS<sub>2</sub> 5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 7.30 FIFA World Cup Morning News 8.00 FIFA World Cup - South Africa v Mexico 10.00 FIFA World Cup Uruguay v France 12.00 FIFA World Cup – South Africa v Mexico **2.00** FIFA World Cup – Uruguay v France **4.00** FIFA World Cup Highlights
- 5.00 The Contenders South Africa

1.00 Weatherwatch

- 8.30 Top Gear Australia **9.35 Movie: Next Door** (MAV 2004)
- Joner, Cecilie Mosli 11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever 11.30 Movie: The Libertine (MA 2000)

French comedy. Stars Vincent Perez

- 5.30 World News 6.30 FIFA World Cup Highlights 7.30 FIFA World Cup Show
- Norwegian thriller. Stars Kristoffer

- **PRIME**
- 6.00 Saturday Club
  - 7.00 Weekend Sunrise
  - 9.00 Kids' Programs
    - 12.00 V8 Xtra
    - 12.30 Rookie Vets 1.30 Beauty And The Geek Australia **2.30 Movie: Inspector Gadget 2** (G 2003) French Stewart, Elaine Hendrix, Tony
    - Martin, Caitlin Wachs
    - 4.30 What's Up Down Under
    - 5.00 Guide To The Good Life
    - 5.30 Sydney Weekender 6.00 Seven News **6.30 Islands Of Britain** The North
    - **7.30 International Test Rugby** LIVE from Perth Australia v England **10.00 Movie: Live And Let Die** (PG 1973) Roger Moore, Yaphet Kotto, Jane Seymour

12.30 Movie: Cabin Fever (AV 2002) College

graduates rent a cabin in the woods and fall victim to a flesh-eating virus.

Harvey, Frankie Avalon

### Stars Rider Strong, Jordan Ladd 2.30 Infomercials

- **7 TWO** 6.00 Friday Night Footy Encore – North Melbourne v Carlton 8.40 Movie: The Alamo (G 1960) Laurence
- 12.10 Movie: Genghis Khan (PG 1965) Stephen Boyd, Omar Sharif, James Mason, Eli Wallach **2.45** Home & Away Catch-Up **5.00** The Great Australian Doorstep **5.30** Better Homes And Gardens Catch-Up 6.30 Heartbeat 8.30 A Touch

Of Frost (M) 10.40 Minder 11.40 Monster House

12.30 Islands Of Britain: The North 1.30 AFL Footy

- 10.00 Hit List TV
- 6.00 Kids' Programs
- 12.00 Landed Music
- 12.30 Hook Line & Sinker
- 1.00 The Barefoot Investor 1.30 Out Of The Blue 3.00 Movie: Field Of Dreams (PG 1989)

Omnisport 3.30 Major League Baseball

- Kevin Costner, Amy Madigan, Gaby
- Hoffman
- 5.00 Ten News 5.30 Sports Tonight
- 6.00 Malcolm In The Middle **6.30 Monk** (PG)
- 7.30 AFL Premiership Season LIVE Port Adelaide v Sydney

  10.30 Movie: Children Of Men (AV 2007)
- Clive Owen, Paul Sharma, Michael Caine

12.30 Cops (M)

### 1.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

- **ONE HD 6.00** IAAF Athletix **6.30** Transworld Sport **7.30** MVP **8.00** Warren Miller's Freeriders **9.50** NASCAR
- Sprint Cup Qualifying **11.05** TNA Xplosion 12.00 Championship Netball LIVE - Pulse v 2.00 Championship Netball LIVE – Vixens
- v Swifts 4.00 NBA Basketball Finals 6.00 Sports Tonight 6.30 Before The Game

7.30 AFL Premiership Season LIVE - Port

- Adelaide v Sydney 10.30 Le Mans 24 Hour LIVE 2.30 Formula 1 Qualifying LIVE - Canada
- 4.15 Isle Of Man Tourist Trophy Motorcycles 5.15 Red Bull Air Race Highlights
- whether what you're presently considering is physical vitality and mental clarity, and brings
  - SAGITTARIUS: This week's cup runneth over with colorful creative ideas as joyful, generous Jupiter your planetary ruler joins liberating Uranus in daring Aries. But you'll still need to proceed sensibly and systematically or mistakes could be
  - when trivial disputes can ruin friendships, so be respectful of conflicting opinions despite what you privately think. Focus on updating and

### NBN

- 6.00 Infomercials 7.00 Weekend Today Saturday
- 9.00 Saturday Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kid's Programs
- 2.00 Movie: The Train Robbers (PG 1973) John Wayne, Ann Margret, Rod Taylor
- 4.00 Discover Downunder 4.30 Talk To The Animals
- 5.00 Fishing Australia 5.30 Postcards International 6.00 NBN News 6.30 Australia's Funniest Home Videos

7.30 Movie: Charlotte's Web (G 2006)

Dakoda Fanning, Julia Roberts, Steve Buscemi

5.30 Marine Boy

8.40 Lotto 9.35 Movie: Monster-In-Law (M 2005) Jennifer Lopez, Jane Fonda, Wanda

**11.40 Movie: Firefox** (PG 1982) Clint

- Eastwood, Freddie Jones, David Huffman 2.15 Movie: Carry On Cruising (PG 1962)
- Sidney James, Kenneth Williams **4.00 Infomercials**

GO! 6.00 Kids' Programs 1.00 Get Smart 2.00 Here's Lucy 3.00 Seinfeld 4.00 Hogan's Heroes 5.00 Green Acres **5.30** The Nanny **6.30** Movie: Are We There Yet? (PG 2005) Ice Cube, Nia Long, Aleisha Allen **8.30** Movie: XXX (M 2002) Vin Diesel, Samuel L Jackson, Asia Argento 10.30 Movie: Executive Decision (M 1996) Kurt Russell, Steven Seagal Halle Berry 121.00 Movie: West World (M 1976) Yul Brynner, Richard Benjamin 3.00 Hogan's Heroes 3.30 Get Smart 4.00 Here's Lucy 5.00 The Jetsons



**ARIES:** The current planetary accent in Aries has you sassy as all get out and so massively enthusiastic it's hard not to be a space invader. But do try and let others get a word in occasionally - and speaking of words, heedless and reckless are this week's no-nos.

the most luddite, technophobe Taurans should be researching ways in which new technology could improve their earnings. And know that when people ask for your advice this week they won't want the blunt truth and nothing but. Be Friday's Sun, Moon and Mercury all hit Gemini. If things get difficult try a little tenderness – talk's cheap, but actions speak louder than words.

week let them go right ahead while you focus on that unexpected visitor, chance connection or random decision about to reroute your life in a new direction. And remember what you put out is what you'll get back...

business. Just don't fall back into old overfastidious, mega-meticulous ways of behaving screaming irrits. LIBRA: Developing new business and career strategies sounds dull but could be more fun

**VIRGO:** Mars joining Saturn in Virgo boosts

you assistance to take care of this week's

travel specials on offer. This week encourages wild ideas and unusual solutions, but might also incline you towards shortcuts which are so not worth risking.

really, truly, deeply worthy of your committed energy and attention. With current conditions so labile, others can have abrupt changes of mind, heart or plans.

on the scale everything is right now: humungus. **CAPRICORN:** This week supports innovation and originality but it's also one of those scary periods

improving the service you provide, and nurturing working relationships. **AQUARIUS:** It's looking like a mega-inventive

week of stimulating ideas and eureka moments,

Aquairheads. But with tremendous tectonic shifts happening on every level, you also need the replenishing balance of quiet time doing absolutely nothing. Nada. Zilch. So make sure you give it to yourself. **PISCES:** This week's Mars combats Neptune

retrograde by stacking solid planetary backing behind self-reliance and practical planning. If friends aren't there to help you distinguish between glory fantasies and achievable dreams, accept that it's because they're busy dealing with their own dilemmas.



maker in dynamic Aries

this week throws open a

cosmic cornucopia of new

friends, new ventures,

new attitudes...

**TAURUS:** Our world's shifting so swiftly even

**GEMINI:** Baby it's cold outside, but the

simmering social tempo could bring a home

situation with a heart partner to the boil when

**CANCER:** If others want to run the show this

LEO: Ideas are inspiring, mind games mischievous and arguments alarming this week, when differences of opinion can damage friendships. Everyone needs to be applauded and appreciated — not so much as your majesty

to keep the peace.

that you know from experience gives others the in some attractive getaway, so check the many

SCORPIO: Your planetary ruler Mars moving into perhaps, but still in these turbulent times it pays the sign of discrimination wants you assessing

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SBS<sub>1</sub> 7.30 Weatherwatch

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7.40 World News 3.30 Insight 4.30 The Journal 5.00 Rough Science 5.30 FIFA World Cup Match Of The Day

6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Mythbusters 8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever 9.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – The Netherlands v Denmark

SBS 1

1.00 Johnny Warren's Football Mission

5.30 FIFA World Cup Match Of The Day 6.30 World News Australia

5.00 Road To The FIFA World Cup

7.30 Who Do You Think You Are?

8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever

9.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE - Algeria v

11.30 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Serbia v Ghana

2.00 FIFA World Cup Replay - England v

4.00 FIFA World Cup Match Lead-In

4.20 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Australia v

SBS<sub>2</sub>

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 7.30 FIFA

World Cup Morning News 8.00 FIFA World Cup – Korea Republic v Greece **10.00** FIFA World Cup – England v USA **12.00** FIFA World Cup – Argentina v

Nigeria 2.00 FIFA World Cup – England v USA 4.00

FIFA World Cup Highlights **5.00** World News **6.30** FIFA World Cup Highlights **7.30** FIFA World Cup Show **8.30** Insiders Guide To Happiness (M)

1999) Danish romantic comedy. Stars

Robert Hansen, Sofie Lassen-Kahike

11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever 11.30 Movie: The Taste Of Others (M 2000) French comedy. Stars Jean-Pierre Bacri

9.30 Movie: Love At First Hiccup (M

11.00 Footy The La Perouse Way

11.30 Tales From A Suitcase 12.00 First Flower

7.30 World News

2.00 Speedweek

4.00 Football Asia

Slovenia

Germany

4.30 Futbol Mundial

11.30 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Japan v 2.00 FIFA World Cup Replay – Australia v

4.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Italy v Paraguay

SBS<sub>2</sub>

**5.00** Weatherwatch **5.05** World News **7.30** FIFA World Cup Morning News **8.00** FIFA World Cup - Australia v Germany **10.00** FIFA World Cup -Argentina v Slovenia **12.00** FIFA World Cup – Australia v Germany **2.00** FIFA World Cup – Serbia

4.00 FIFA World Cup Highlights 5.00 The Contenders Ghana and Slovakia

5.30 World News 6.30 FIFA World Cup Highlights
7.30 FIFA World Cup Show
8.30 Tribe Matis, Western Amazon, Brazil

9.30 Movie: The Butterfly (M 2003)
French comedy. Stars Claire Bouanich,

11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever

11.30 Movie: An Italian Romance (MAV 2004) Italian romance. Stars Stefano Accorsi, Maya Sansa 1.25 Weatherwatch

6.00 Religion 7.00 Weekend Sunrise

**PRIME** 

10.00 AFL Game Day
11.00 Inside Super Carrier USS Eisenhower

12.00 Movie: Cool Runnings (G 1993) John Candy, Doug E Doug, Rawle Lewis 2.00 AFL Premiership Season Western

Bulldogs v Brisbane 5.00 Destination New Zealand

5.30 Mercurio's Menu 6.00 Seven News

6.30 Sunday Night 7.30 Border Security – Australia's Front Line (PG)

**8.00 The Force – Behind The Line** (PG) 8.30 Movie: Forgetting Sarah Marshall (M 2008) Jason Segel, Kristen Bell

**10.50 Scrubs** (PG) 11.25 Russell Brand's Ponderland (M) **12.00 Room For Improvement 12.30** Infomercials **5.30** Seven News

**7 TWO** 

6.00 AFL Flashback Classic 8.30 Kids' Programs **11.00** Movie: Bambi II (G 2006) Animation **12.30** Movie: Piglet's Big Movie (G 2003) Animation 2.00 Movie: Taras Bulba (PG 1962) Tony

Curtis, Yul Brynner
4.30 Movie: Ella Enchanted (PG 2004)

Anne Hathaway, Hugh Dancy
6.30 Packed To The Rafters 8.30 City Homocide (M)

9.30 Holby Blue (M) 10.35 The Professionals (M)

6.00 Sunrise

9.00 The Morning Show

11.30 Seven Morning News

Story 3.00 Medical Emergency

3.30 Raggs 4.00 It's Academic

4.30 Seven News

6.00 Prime News

6.30 Seven News

10.30 Scrubs

**11.00 Trauma** (M)

12.00 The Mole

5.30 Deal Or No Deal

7.00 Home And Away

7.30 Magicians' Secrets Revealed

8.30 Desperate Housewives (M)

9.30 Brothers & Susters (M)

1.00 Infomercials 5.30 Seven News

5.00 M\*A\*S\*H

White, Millie Perkins

11.40 Movie: Swimfan (M 2002) Jesse Bradford, Erika Christensen

1.30 AFL Flashback Classic 3.30 Auction Squad

**4.40** The Real Seachange **5.00** Home Shopping

**PRIME** 

12.00 Movie: Though None Go With Me (G

2.00 My Friend Michael Jackson: Uri's

2006) Cheryl Ladd, Bruce Weitz, Peter

**6.00** Religion **7.00** Kids' Programs **8.00 Meet The Press** 

8.30 The Hit Rater.com 9.00 The Benchwarmers Oz Made

10.00 Hit List TV 12.00 Life After Death 1.00 Orangutan Diary

1.30 Australian Rally Championship 2.30 Championship Netball LIVE – Fever v

Thunderbirds 4.30 Discover Downunder

5.00 Ten News 5.30 Sports Tonight

6.00 The Simpsons

6.30 Merlin 7.30 Masterchef Australia 8.30 The Good Wife (M)

9.30 House (M)

10.30 Borat (MA) 12.05 Movie: The Naked Gun From The Files Of Police Squad! (M 1988) Leslie Nielsen, Priscilla Presley, OJ Simpson

1.40 Video Hits 1.50 Formula 1 Grand Prix LIVE – Canada 4.00 Religion

**ONE HD** 

6.00 Red Bull Air Race 6.15 NASCAR Sprint Cup 7.05 Isle OfMan Tourist Trophy 8.00 Le Mans 24 Hour LIVE

10.00 NASCAR Nationwide Series LIVE

1.00 Le Mans 24 Hour LIVE 11.30 Tour De Suisse Cycling

1.00 Formula 1 Pre-Race Show 1.50 Formula 1 Grand Prix LIVE from Canada

4.05 Major League Baseball

TEN

6.00 Ten Early News 7.00 Kids' Programs 9.00 Ten News

10.00 The Circle

12.00 Dr Phil 1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show

2.00 AFL Premiership Season LIVE -Melbourne v Collingwood

5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Neighbours

7.00 The 7pm Project 7.30 Masterchef Australia

8.30 Good News Week (M) 10.00 Glee

11.00 Late News With Sports Tonight

11.45 The Late Show With David Letterman

12.30 Burn Notice (M)

1.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

**ONE HD** 

6.30 Major League Baseball 7.00 NBA Basketball Finals **9.00** Championship Netball – Thunderbirds v Fever **11.00** ATP World Tour Tennis **11.30** Sports Unlimited 12.30 Andra Pro Series Drag Racing **1.30** I Fish

2.00 AFL Premiership Season LIVE -Melbourne v Collingwood

5.00 Championship Netball LIVE –

Firebirds v Tactix 7.00 Championship Netball LIVE

**9.00** Sports Tonight **9.30** One Week At A Time **10.40** Tour De Suisse Cycling **12.10** Sports Tonight Late **12.25** One Week At A Time **1.35** AFL Premiership Season – Melbourne v Collingwood 4.35 Omnisport 5.05 British Touring Car Championship

Anna Faris

Jake Kaskan, Bill Pullman 12.30 The Hills 1.00 Green Acres 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 The Evengers 5.00 The Nanny 5.30 The Marvellous Misadventures Of Flapjack

**NBN** 

1.00 David Attenborough: The Amber

4.00 Sunday Football South Sydney

8.30 Underbelly: The Golden Mile (M)

10.30 Crime Investigation Australia (M)

**GO!** 

12.00 Movie: Gone With The Wind (PG

1939) Vivien Leigh, Clark Gable

4.00 Green Acres 5.00 The Nanny 5.30 Wipeout Australia 6.30 Top Gear 7.40 Big Bang Theory 8.30 Movie: My Super Ex-Girlfriend (M

2006) Uma Thurman, Luke Wilson,

Rabbitohs v Brisbane Broncos 6.00 NBN News

6.00 Infomercials

12.00 Sunday Roast

2.00 Men In Trees

6.30 Customs

9.30 CSI (M)

7.30 60 Minutes

11.30 Afterlife (M)

12.30 Super League 2.30 Infomercials

4.00 Good Morning America

**6.00** Kids' Programs **11.00** The Hills

5.00 Early Morning News

3.30 Religion

7.00 Weekend Today 10.00 Wide World Of Sports 11.00 The Sunday Footy Show

Time Machine

7.00 Send In The Dogs

10.30 Movie: Zero Effect (M 1998) Ben Stiller,

NBN

5.30 Today 9.00 Kerri-Anne 11.00 Time/Life

11.30 Infomercial 12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show

1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives

3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Hi-5

4.00 Pyramid 4.30 Afternoon News

5.00 Antiques Roadshow

5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 Evening News

7.00 A Current Affair

7.30 Two And A Half Men (PG) 8.00 The Big Bang Theory (PG) 8.25 Lotto

8.30 The Mentalist (M) 9.30 CSI: Miami (M)

11.30 Nightline

12.00 Super League

2.00 Infomercials

3.00 Religion 3.30 Good Morning America

5.00 Early Morning News

**GO!** 

**6.00** Kids' Programs **10.30** Entertainment Tonight 11.00 TMZ 11.30 Married With Children 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 Green Acres 2.00 Wife Swap USA 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 The Nanny **4.00** Kids' Programs **6.30** Total Wipeout UK **7.30** Wife Swap USA **8.30** Community **9.00** The Inbetweeners (MA) **9.30** Hell's Kitchen (MA) 10.30 Nip/Tuck (MA) 11.30 South Park (M) 12.00 Community **12.30** The Inbetweeners (MA) **1.00** Nip/Tuck (MA) **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00** Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Married With Children 5.30 The Flintstones

ABC<sub>1</sub>

12.30 No Heroics (M) 1.05 Little Angels 1.35 Zoo

4.30 Shortland Street 5.00 Something In The Air

5.30 The New Inventors

6.00 Kids' Programs

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Days 2.00 Close

2.45 Kids' Programs

7.30 The 7.30 Report

8.00 Australian Story 8.30 Four Corners

**11.10 Sin City Law** (M)

9.20 Media Watch

9.35 Q&A

NOW

10.35 Lateline

7.00 ABC News

6.00 Travel Oz Wildlife Islands

**6.30 Talking Heads** Andrew Fraser

**12.05 Movie: The Moon Is Blue** (PG 1953)

1.45 Movie: The Thing From Another

England: Men's Triples

Misfits (MA) 10.20 Torchwood (M)

World (PG 1951) James Arness
3.25 International Test Bowls Australia v

ABC 2

5.30 Talking Heads: Jackie French 6.00 ABC News

Breakfast **9.00** Kids' Programs **6.00** Collectors **6.30** 

Dirty Jobs **7.10** The Daily Show Global Edition **7.35** The Colbert Report Global Edition **8.00** Important

Things 8.30 Good Game 9.00 I Rock (M) 9.30

11.15 triple j tv presents John Butler Trio

11.45 Death Note (M)
12.10 Soundtrack To My Life Sophie Ellis-

Maggie McNamara, William Holden

12.00 Midday Report 12.30 World's Worst Disasters

1.30 The Einstein Factor 2.00 Parliament Question Time

3.00 Kids' Programs

6.00 Time Team 7.00 ABC News

7.30 Foreign Correspondent

8.30 Greatest Cities Of The World New York

10.00 Artscape Sisters of Gelam

10.30 Lateline

11.05 Lateline Business 11.35 Four Corners

12.20 Media Watch 12.35 The Chaser's War On Everything (M)

1.05 Parliament Question Time 2.05 Island Life Barrow Island

3.00 Big Ideas

4.00 Good Game (M)

### ABC 2

5.30 Talking Heads: Greg Mortimer 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Face Painting: Pro Hart 6.30 Dirty Jobs 7.10 The Daily Show **7.35** The Colbert Report **8.00** Outnumbered 8.30 The Street (M)

**9.30 The Wire** (M) 10.30 Ashes To Ashes (M) 11.30 Billable Hours (M)

12.00 Heartland 12.45 A Little Later Jamiroquai **1.05** Little Angels **1.35** Zoo Days **2.00** Close

SBS 1 7.30 Weatherwatch

7.40 World News 3.30 Nerds F.C.

4.00 The Journal

4.30 Newshour 5.30 FIFA World Cup Match Of The Day

6.30 World News Australia 7.30 The Brain That Changes Itself 8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever

9.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE - New Zealand v 11.30 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Ivory Coast v

Portugal 2.00 FIFA World Cup Replay – Italy v

4.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Brazil v Korea

### SBS<sub>2</sub>

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 7.30 FIFA World Cup Morning News 8.00 FIFA World Cup - The Netherlands v Denmark **10.00** FIFA World Cup – Italy v Paraguay 12.00 FIFA World Cup – Japan v Cameroon **2.00** FIFA World Cup – Italy v Paraguay **4.00** FIFA World Cup Highlights

5.00 The Contenders Argentina 5.30 World News

6.30 FIFA World Cup Highlights 7.30 FIFA World Cup Show 8.30 Tribe Nenets, Yamal Peninsula, Siberia 9.30 Movie: Scratch (MA 2003) Danish

drama. Stars Stephanie Leon, Nicolas Dufour, Christopher Læssø 11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever 11.30 Movie: Forbidden To Forbid (M

2007) Brazilian drama. Stars Caio Blat, Maria Flor, Alexandre Rodrigues 1.20 Weatherwatch

**PRIME** 

6.00 Kids Time 9.00 Sons & Daughters 9.30

Home & Away 10.00 Movie: Santa Fe (PG 1951)

Randolph Scott, Janis Carter **12.00** Five Mile Creek **1.00** All My Children **2.00** Shortland

Street 2.30 Coronation Street 3.00 Emmerdale

**3.30** Kitchen Time **6.00** Australia's Got Talent **7.30** Heartbeat **9.35** Rosemary & Thyme **10.40** 

Infamous Assassinations: Sikorski (M) 11.15 The

Prisoner **12.15** The First 48 (M) **1.00** Room For Improvement **1.30** AFL Flashback Classic **3.30** 

Auction Squad 4.40 The Real Seachange 5.00

6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show

Home Shopping

11.30 Seven Morning News 12.00 Movie: Prairie Fever (M 2008) A sheriff is given a shot at salvation when he transports three women with 'prairie

fever back to civilisation. Stars Kevin

Sorbo, Dominique Swain 2.00 All Saints (M)

3.00 Medical Emergency 3.30 Raggs

4.00 It's Academic 4.30 Seven News

5.00 M\*A\*S\*H

6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News

7.00 Home And Away 7.30 Australia's Got Talent Grand final

9.00 Grey's Anatomy (M) 10.00 Private Practice (M) 12.00 Trade Wars

12.30 Infomercials

5.30 Seven News

**7 TWO** 

**6.00** Kids Time **9.00** Sons & Daughters 9.30 Home & Away 10.00 Movie: Storm Centre (PG 1956)

Bette Davis, Brian Keith, Kim Hunter 12.10 Five Mile Creek 1.00 All My Children 2.00 Shortland Street **2.30** Coronation Street **3.00** Emmerdale **3.30** Kitchen Time **6.00** Whacked Out Sports 6.30 Ugly Betty 8.30 24 (M) 9.30 The Sopranos (MA) 11.40 The Professionals (M) 12.40 The First 48 (M) 1.30 AFL Flashback Classic 3.30 Auction Squad **4.40** The Real Seachange **5.00** Home Shopping

TEN

6.00 Ten Early News 7.00 Kids' Programs

9.00 Ten News 10.00 The Circle

12.00 Dr Phil 1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show 2.00 Ready Steady Cook

3.00 Judge Judy 3.30 Infomercial 4.00 Huey's Kitchen 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful

5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Neighbours

7.00 The 7pm Project 8.00 Modern Family (PG)

9.30 NCIS: Los Angeles (M) 10.30 Late News With Sports Tonight 11.15 The Late Show With David Letterman 12.00 Law & Order (M)

8.30 NCIS (M)

1.00 Sex And The City (MA) 1.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

**ONE HD** 

6.00 IAAF Athletix Magazine 6.30 Escape From Alcatraz Triathlon 7.30 Championship Netball – Vixens v Swifts **9.30** Red Bull Air Race **10.30** TNA Xplosion **11.30** This Week In Baseball **12.00** Major League Baseball LIVE 3.00 NBA Basketball Finals **5.15** Tour De Suisse Cycling **6.30** Formula 1 Grand Prix – Canada **8.30** NASCAR Sprint Cup Highlights **9.30** Sports Tonight **10.00** Johnny Lewis Boxing Classics 11.00 Golf Central 11.25 Sports Tonight Late 11.40 NBA Basketball Finals 1.55 NASCAR Nationwide Series 3.00 Omnisport 3.30 Major League Baseball

**NBN** 

5.30 Today 9.00 Kerri-Anne 11.00 Infomercials 12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View

2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Hi-5

4.00 Pyramid 4.30 Afternoon News 5.00 Antiques Roadshow

5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 Evening News 7.00 A Current Affair

7.30 Top Gear 9.00 Australian Druglords (M)

9.30 Australian Families Of Crime (M) Lennie McPherson and George Freeman

10.30 30 Years Of Origin 11.30 Nightline 12.00 WWE Afterburn

1.00 Entertainment Tonight
1.30 Infomercials 3.00 Religion 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News

GO!

**6.00** Kids' Programs **10.30** ET **11.00** TMZ **11.30** Married With Children 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Hills 2.00 Wife Swap USA 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 The Nanny 4.00 Kids' Programs **6.30** Total Wipeout UK **7.30** The Middle **8.00** The New Adventures Of Old Christine **8.30** The Bachelor **9.30** Eastwick (M) **10.30** South Park (M) **11.00** Reno 911 (M) **11.30** South Park (M) **12.00** Eastwick (M) **1.00** The Middle **1.30** The New Adventures Of Old Christine 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Married With Children **5.30** The Flintstones

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Carle, Hans Conried

The Colbert Report

8.00 E2 Transport London

10.30 Millionaires' Mission (M)

11.30 Teens Hooked On Porn (M)

1.05 Little Angels 1.35 Zoo Days 2.00 Close

ABC 1

**4.30** Shortland Street **5.00** Something In The Air

8.30 Voyage To The Planets Pluto and the

Richard Ashcroft, Norah Jones

edge of our solar system

8.30 Design For Life

9.30 6 Going On 60

12.30 A Place In Slovakia

5.30 Talking Heads: Bill Griggs 6.00 ABC News

Breakfast **9.00** Kids' Programs **6.00** How Do They

Do It? 6.30 Dirty Jobs 7.10 The Daily Show 7.35

ABC 1

### 11.10 Lateline Business 11.35 Spooks (M) 12.30 Parliament Question Time 1.30 Movie: Variety Time (G 1951) Frankie 2.25 Big Ideas 3.25 National Press Club Address

### 5.30 The New Inventors 6.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 How The Earth Was Made 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Jeeves And Wooster 1.30 Collectors 2.00 Parliament Question Time 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Grand Designs Revisited 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report

8.00 Catalyst

Joel McCrea

McLaglen, Boris Karloff

### 9.30 The American Future 10.25 Lateline 11.00 Lateline Business 11.30 Live From Abbey Road John Mayer, 12.20 Parliament Question Time 1.20 Movie: They Passed This Way (G 1948) 2.45 Movie: The Lost Patrol (G 1934) Victor 3.55 Can We Help?

### ABC 2 5.30 Talking Heads: Catherine Freeman 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Poh's Kitchen **6.30** Dirty Jobs **7.10** The Daily Show **7.35** The Colbert Report 8.00 Spicks And Specks 8.30 The Gruen Transfer 9.00 Psychoville (M) 9.30 The Graham Norton Show 10.15 Gavin And Stacey 10.45 Getting On 11.15 Very Small Business 11.45 How Not To Live Your Life (M) 12.15 Ideal (M) **12.45** Hyperdrive **1.15** Little Angels **1.45** Zoo Days **2.00** Close ge be

CHESS by lan Rogers
Play at Seagulls Club, Thurs 6-10pm
ust as chess fans have begun tetting used to a 19-year-old
being the top ranked player in he world, a new prodigy is rising
o rival Magnus Carlsen.
Anish Giri turns 16 later this
nonth, yet he is already Dutch
Champion and has been a

ranking has tracked the incredible rise of Carlsen year for year. Giri's story is decidedly atypi-Giri's story is decidedly atypi-cal for a chess prodigy. The child normal counter, Qb3, is unavailable to White. of a Nepalese father and Russian 4.e3 e6 5.Bb2 Nd7 6.h3 Bh5 7.Nc3 Ngf6 mother, Giri spent many of his 8.g4?! Too aggressive. After 8.Be2 the main formative years in Japan - like battle lies ahead. 8... Bg6 9.Nh4 Nc5! 10.Nxg6

In 2008 his family moved to a5 12.f3 e5 13.g5? The right idea, but the the Netherlands where he has wrong move order. After 13.d4! exd4 14.exd4+ been warmly accepted and many Ne6 15.g5! Nh5 16.cxd5! the complications are opportunities have been created far from clear. 13...Nh5 14.Rg1 d4! 15.Nd1 for him, most recently an exhibition match against former world 19.0f1 Rxh4 20.Nf2 a4! A great follow up to title contender Nigel Short which

7.30 Weatherwatch

**4.30** Shortland Street **5.00** Something In The Air **5.30** The New Inventors 7.40 World News

3.30 Nerds F.C.

4.00 The Journal

4.30 Newshour 5.30 FIFA World Cup Match Of The Day

SBS<sub>1</sub>

6.00 Global Village

6.30 World News Australia

7.35 Inspector Rex (PG)

8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever 9.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Honduras v Chile

11.30 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Spain v Switzerland

2.00 FIFA World Cup Replay – Ivory Coast v Portugal

4.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – South Africa v Uruguay

### SBS 2

**5.00** Weatherwatch **5.05** World News **7.30** FIFA World Cup Morning News **8.00** FIFA World Cup - New Zealand v Slovakia 10.00 FIFA World Cup – Ivory Coast v Portugal **12.00** FIFA World Cup – Brazil v Korea DPR **2.00** FIFA World Cup – New Zealand v Slovakia **4.00** FIFA World Cup Highlights **5.00** The Contenders: Mexico and Greece **5.30** World News **6.30** FIFA World Cup Highlights **7.30** FIFA World Cup Show

8.30 Tribe Anuta, Polynesia 9.30 Movie: Kissed By Winter (M 2005) Norwegian drama. Stars Annika

Hallin, Kristoffer Joner 11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever **11.30 Movie: Salome** (PG 2002) Spanish dance. Stars Alda Gómez, Pere Arquillué, Tomatito

SBS 1

5.30 FIFA World Cup Match Of The Day

7.30 Tetsuya's Pursuit Of Excellence

11.30 FIFA World Cup LIVE - Greece v

2.00 FIFA World Cup Replay – Spain v

Switzerland
4.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – France v Mexico

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 7.30 FIFA

World Cup Morning News 8.00 FIFA World Cup

v Switzerland **12.00** FIFA World Cup – South Africa v Uruguay **2.00** FIFA World Cup – Spain v

Switzerland 4.00 FIFA World Cup Highlights 5.00

The Contenders: Ivory Coast and New Zealand

thriller. Stars Kim Bodnia, Stine Fischer

Christensen, Villads Milthers Fritsche

6.30 FIFA World Cup Highlights
7.30 FIFA World Cup Show

**9.30 Movie: Echo** (M 2007) Danish

11.00 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever

11.30 Movie: Day And Night (M 2004)

Persbrandt, Sam Kessel

Danish drama. Stars Mikael

**8.30 Tribe** Akie, Tanzania

1.10 Weatherwatch

Honduras v Chile 10.00 FIFA World Cup - Spain

8.30 Santo, Sam And Ed's Cup Fever 9.00 FIFA World Cup LIVE – Korea Republic

1.00 Weatherwatch

7.30 Weatherwatch

7.40 World News 3.30 Nerds F.C.

4.00 The Journal

4.30 Newshour

6.00 Global Village

v Argentina

Nigeria

5.30 World News

6.30 World News Australia

6.00 Sunrise

9.00 The Morning Show

11.30 Seven Morning News 12.00 Movie: Nowhere Land (M 1998) Peter

Dobson, Dina Meyer, Jon Polito 2.00 All Saints (M)

**PRIME** 

3.00 Medical Emergency

3.30 Raggs 4.00 It's Academic

4.30 Seven News 5.00 M\*A\*S\*H

5.30 Deal Or No Deal

6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News

7.00 Home And Away

7.30 Medical Emergency

8.30 Movie: Schindler's List (M 1993) Liam

Neeson, Ben Kingsley 9.30 Maneaters: Sharks

10.30 Most Shocking (PG) 11.30 The First 48 (M)

12.30 Infomercials

5.30 Seven News

6.00 Sunrise

3.30 Raggs

9.00 The Morning Show

2.00 All Saints (M)

4.00 It's Academic

5.30 Deal Or No Deal

7.00 Home And Away

11.00 American Dad (M)

11.30 Flashforward (M)

12.30 Infomercials

5.30 Seven News

Show **7.30** Airline USA

7.30 The Matty John's Show

8.30 How I Met Your Mother 9.30 Cougar Town (M) 10.30 Family Guy (M)

7 TWO

6.00 Kids Time 9.00 Sons & Daughters 9.30

Home & Away 10.00 Movie: The Flying Missile

(G 1950) Glenn Ford, Viveca Lindfors, Henry O'Neill **12.00** Five Mile Creek **1.00** All My Children **2.00** 

Shortland Street 2.30 Coronation Street 3.00

Emmerdale 3.30 Kitchen Time 6.00 Whacked

Out Sports **6.30** I Survived A Japanese Game

Flashback Classic 3.30 Auction Squad 4.40 The

8.30 Movie: Dr No (PG 1963) Sean Connery, Ursula Andress 10.45 Eli Stone (M) 11.40 The Grid (M) 1.30 AFL

Real Seachange **5.00** Home Shopping

4.30 Seven News

6.00 Prime News

6.30 Seven News

5.00 M\*A\*S\*H

11.30 Seven Morning News

3.00 Medical Emergency

### **7 TWO**

6.00 Kids Time 9.00 Sons & Daughters 9.30

**10.00 Movie: In A Lonely Place** (PG 1950)

Humphrey Bogart, Gloria Grahame 12.00 Five Mile Creek 1.00 All My Children 2.00 Shortland Street 2.30 Coronation Street 3.00 Emmerdale 3.30 Kitchen Time 6.00 Whacked Out Sports 6.30 I Survived A Japanese Game Show 7.30 Beauty And The Geek US 8.30 Knight Rider (M) **9.30** Reaper (M) **10.30** The Riches (M) **11.40** Take 40 Launch Party (M) **12.10** Dangerous World 1.10 Leyland Brothers World 2.10 Home Shopping 4.00 Auction Squad 5.00 Home Shopping

**PRIME** 

12.00 Movie: To Love And Die (M 2009) Shiri

Appleby, Ivan Sergei, Kristin Dattilo

### Surfing: Quiksilver Pro 2009 11.30 Sports Tonight Late 11.45 Andra Pro Series Drag Racing 12.45 Championship Netball – Thunderbirds v Fever 2.45

Omnisport 3.00 Major League Baseball

6.00 Ten Early News

7.00 Kids' Programs

1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show

4.00 Huey's Kitchen 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful

2.00 Ready Steady Cook

9.00 Ten News

10.00 The Circle

3.00 Judge Judy

3.30 Infomercial

5.00 Ten News

6.00 The Simpsons

8.30 Lie To Me (M)

6.30 Neighbours (G)

7.00 The 7pm Project

9.30 Law & Order (M)

12.00 The Shield (M)

1.30 Infomercials

4.00 Religion

7.30 Masterchef Australia

1.00 Sex And The City (MA)

10.30 Late News With Sports Tonight 11.15 The Late Show With David Letterman

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**6.00** Golf Central **6.30** AFL Premiership Season

- Collingwood v Melbourne 9.00 Major League

Baseball **12.00** NASCAR Sprint Cup Highlights

1.00 NASCAR Nationwide Series 3.00 Omnisport

3.30 Drift 4.00 Xtreme Paintball 4.30 Tread BMX

**5.00** Tour De Suisse Cycling **6.30** I Fish **7.00** Sports

Tonight **7.30** Pro Bull Riding **8.30** TNA Xplosion **9.30** Real NBA **10.00** MVP **10.30** ASP World Tour

12.00 Dr Phil

TEN 6.00 Ten Early News

7.00 Kids' Programs 9.00 Ten News

10.00 The Circle

12.00 Dr Phil

1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show 2.00 Ready Steady Cook

3.00 Judge Judy

3.30 Infomercial

4.00 Huey's Kitchen

4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News

6.00 The Simpsons

6.30 Neighbours (PG)

7.00 The 7pm Project (PG)

7.30 Masterchef Australia

8.00 Hamish And Andy's Caravan Of Courage: Great Britain & Ireland 9.00 Law & Order: SVU (M)

10.00 Medium (M)

11.00 Late News With Sports Tonight

11.45 The Late Show With David Letterman

12.30 Buffy The Vampire Slayer (M)

1.30 Infomercials

4.00 Religion

### NBN

5.30 Today

9.00 Kerri-Anne 11.00 Infomercials

12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show

Children 5.30 The Flintstones

NBN

5.30 Today

9.00 Kerri-Anne

1.00 The View

5.30 Hot Seat

10.14 Lotto

12.15 20/20

10.15 20 To 1 (M)

11.15 Nightline

11.00 Infomercials 12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show

2.00 Days Of Our Lives

3.00 Alive And Cooking

5.00 Antiques Roadshow

7.30 State Of Origin Game 2 LIVE -

Queensland v New South Wales

GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight

11.00 TMZ 11.30 Married With Children 12.00

Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Middle 1.30

The New Adventures Of Old Christine 2.00 The

Bachelor 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 The Nanny

4.00 Kids' Programs 6.30 Total Wipeout UK 7.30

Crash Course **8.30** Chuck (M) **9.30** Movie: Cruel Intentions (MA 1999) Sara Michelle Gellar, Reese

Witherspoon 11.30 South Park (M) 12.00 Chuck

(M) **1.00** Crash Course **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00** Just Shoot Me **4.30** TMZ **5.00** Married With

3.30 Kids' Programs

6.00 Evening News

7.00 A Current Affair

11.45 Eclipse Music TV

1.30 Infomercials

1.15 Il Divo Live In Barcelona

3.30 Good Morning America

5.00 Early Morning News

4.30 Afternoon News

1.00 The View

2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Alive And Cooking

3.30 Hi-5 4.00 Pyramid

4.30 Afternoon News 5.00 Antiques Roadshow

5.30 Hot Seat

6.00 Evening News

7.00 A Current Affair

7.30 Getaway

8.30 Sea Patrol (M)

9.30 The NRL Footy Show

11.00 Nightline 11.30 The AFL Footy Show

1.30 Entertainment Tonight

2.00 Infomercials

3.30 Good Morning America

5.00 Early Morning News

### **ONE HD**

**6.00** Major League Baseball – LIVE **8.30** This Week In Baseball **9.00** Major League Baseball – LIVE 12.00 IAAF Athletix 12.30 Transworld Sport 1.30 NBA Basketball Finals  $\bf 4.00$  Drive  $\bf 4.30$  Tread BMX **5.00** Tour De Suisse Cycling **6.30** ATP World Tour Tennis **7.00** MVP **7.30** Thursday Night Live **9.30** Sports Tonight 10.00 UFC Unleashed 11.00 Golf Central At The US Open 11.50 Sports Tonight Late 12.05 NBA Basketball Finals 2.30 Omnisport 3.00 Major League Baseball

### GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight 11.00 TMZ 11.30 Married With Children 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 Crash Course 2.00 Wife Swap USA 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 The Nanny 4.00 Kids' Programs 5.00 I Dream Of Jeannie 5.30 Bewitched 6.00 The Flintstones 6.30 Total Wipeout UK **7.30** Top Gear **8.40** The Big Bang Theory **9.10** The Middle **9.35** ER (M) **10.35** Gossip Girl (M) 11.30 South Park (M) 12.00 Eclipse Music TV 12.30 ER (M) 1.30 Gossip Girl (M) 2.30 Home Shopping 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Married With Children 5.30 The Flintstones

Grandmaster for more than a year. Most remarkably, his world White: T Hillarp Persson

Norway, hardly a chess power- hxg6 11.Qe2 Awkward, but both 11.d4 Nce4

Giri drew 2-2.

called up Giri to play train- 0-1

ing games against him before his world title defence against Topalov.

Persson.

Malmo 2010

Opening: English

This week Giri added another tournament title to his collection, with a 90% score at the annual Sigeman tournament in Malmo, Sweden. Giri's best win was the following violent game against local Grandmaster Tiger Hillarp

1.c4 c6 2.Nf3 d5 3.b3!? Bg4! An effective and 11.Qc2 Nxg4! work out well for Black. 11... Re7 16.h4 Ne6 17.Rh3 Nhf4!! 18.exf4 Nxf4 the pressure with 21.Rg4 Rxg4 22.Bxg4 axb3 23.axb3 Rxa1+ 24.Bxa1 Qa5 Black invades on Giri's confidence in his own the other flank. 21.b4!? a3! 21...8xb4 22.a3 abilities are clearly shared by gives White some breathing space. 22.Bc1 d3! other top players such as World 23.Rb1 Qd4 Threatening to take twice on h3. Champion Viswanathan Anand 24.Rh1 Qxc4! 25.Bd7+ Kxd7 26.Rxh4 Qxa2 who, it was recently revealed, 27.Rxf4 Qxb1 28.Rxf7 Qxc1+ 29.Nd1 Qc4

# **Mungo's Crossword** From The Week 13. Bark where French-American **Cryptic Clues**

**ACROSS** 

1. Spend money covering a rug? Perfect! (10) 6. Backward first class state? No,

it's a continent (4) 10. Rotter returns, joins together again (7) 11. No charge for this particle –

turn one over (7) 12. Eastern Australian political party consumed – give details

wetland can be found (5) 14. Rasher, but worth saving (5) 15. Planet in the East – very gloomy (9) 17. Quiet roast mixed with beer

– a song for shepherds! (9) overwhelmed by rum (5) nymph (5)

20. Discharge the man 21. A ring for the unhappy dear 23. Tumor isn't a result of this metal (9)

25. Pet menu designed or an

26. Spasmodic cultivation, we hear, laughing like Santa! (7) 27. Trifles for little dogs (4) 28. Predicament absorbs unusually wary Williamson

definite number (7)

DOWN 1. Legal hearing includes time for social group (5) 2. Fine distinctions over a single second are irritations

3. XGI, a powerful symbol 4. Humans need good conduct over time (7) 5. A bloke who has spent

some time in the sun – how touching (7) 7. Pour sauce over a royal couple – apologies (5) 8. To a sickening extent, these days not available to employ a thousand (2,7)

9. Accountant is less

sensitive before crisis with the queen (6.8) 14. Purchase the creation, we are told, but it's only an incidental result (2-7) 16. Unexpectedly it's Gemini giving particulars (9) 18. Football team is bottom number with Mr Jolson 7)

19. Before time around Tuesday – hard but possible 22. Measure regret omitting

the individual? That's vacuous! (5) 24. Fighter plane with high temperature and power (5)

**Quick Clues ACROSS** 

1. Bring to completion, fulfil (10 6. Largest continent (4)

10. Smelly person, rotter (7) 11 Uncharged particle in the atomic nucleus (7) 12. Complicated, ornate (9) 13. Marsh or wetland,

especially in the American southwest (5) 14. Smoked or cured pork, similar to ham (5) 15. Gloomy, foreboding,

17. Song or poem modelled on shepherds' calls (9) 20. Discharge associated with colds and catarrh (5) 21. Mountain nymph (5)

taciturn (9)

20 Metallic element atomic number 38 (9) 25. A large but indefinite number (7) 26 Laughing like Santa Claus is supposed

to (7) 27. Playthings, trifles (4) 28. Dramatist, writer for the stage (10) DOWN

1. Social group, especially among Hindus (5)

2. Irritations, pests (9) 3. Unidentified casualty of war, used

as a symbol to represent all such victims (7,7) 4. Humans, those who die (5) 5. Touching, especially as in

geometry (7) 7. Word of apology (5) 8. Latin phrase meaning 'to the point of sickness.' (2,7) 9. An accountant, one obsessed with

mathematical calculation (6,8) 14. An incidental result of a manufacturing process (2-7) 16. Giving particulars, listing a

18. Storehouse for weapons (7) 19. Pertaining to the world, not heavenly (7)

22. Vacuous, without content (5) 24. Strength, power (5) ■ Our apologies for the error in

the grid last week!

### Last week's solution



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THE KAMIKAZI THUNDERKATS, THE EPIC SKATE RINK IN TWEED HEADS SOUTH ON SATURDAY



# LIVE Entertainment

### **Jackson Firebird**

Aussie garage rockers Jackson Firebird are described by Spiderbait frontman Kram as 'the best band in a long time - AC/ DC meets John Spencer Blues Explosion.'The duo consists of guitar, distorted vocals, drums and the unconventional sounds of a miked-up, upsidedown 'bottle bin'. Jackson Firebird have done shows with Tim Rogers, Airborne, Little Birdie, The Fumes, Dallas Frasca, the Screaming Jets and most recently the Snowdroppers. Friday June 11, Soundlounge, Currumbin.

# Farnham, Diesel and Barnes Tribute

Paul Lines, known Australia wide as the vocal chameleon will be performing at Currumbin RSL on Thursday. According to his press release, 'his ability to impersonate is astounding and he and his rockin' band will take you on a journey with three sets each dedicated to legends of Aussie rock.' Doors and bar open at 7pm, show starts 7.30pm. Cost includes a two course dinner and show. Thursday June 10, **Currumbin RSL**. For more visit www.paullines.com

### Sally Dastey, Emma Wall & Kristy Apps

Melbourne based singer/songwriters **Emma Wall and Sally Dastey** (Tiddas) are heading north for a series of gigs with Brisbane folk rock chic, **Kristy Apps**.

Dastey and Wall have had long standing careers in the Australian music scene, both having played on the international festival circuit. To kick off the tour, Apps, Wall and Dastey will be playing at the **Sphinx Rock Cafe** in Mt Burrell on **Friday June 11** at 7pm.

TERRANORA

TAVERN

For more visit www.emmawall. com.

## Epic Skate Rink with live bands

EpicATniteLIVE is proud to announce another live gig on Saturday June 12, with a huge line up of local bands. One80down call themselves a 'melodic punk rock band who have plenty of experience'. Final Hope are local boys from Tweed, and from Ballina, ska band the Kamikazi Thunderkats and Gold Coast bands the Lost Cause and Sanza Rose. The Epic Skate Rink claim to

have a dance floor that can hold 2000 plus people, and is an all ages venue with a no alcohol or drugs entry policy. **Saturday June 12, Epic Skate Rink, South Tweed**, located at 20-23 Enterprise Ave, South

### **Wintersun Festival**

The **Wintersun Festival** is a 10 day annual retro nostalgia festival featuring more than 1500 pre-1974 hot rod, classic, and custom cars in driving events and static display. There will be bands and performers playing rock and roll, rockabilly, swing, concept and tribute. Performers are from every state in Australia as well as international acts. Also there's market

stalls featuring all things retro as well as traditional markets, fairground, street parades and lots of family fun. It will be held throughout **Tweed Heads and Coolangatta** this weekend.

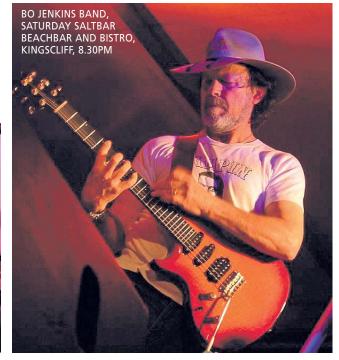
### **Red Ink**

After their 2009 debut Audrey received rotation on Triple J, Channel V, MTV and community radio, the four youngsters from Melbourne who are **Red Ink** have been flat stick gigging across the country and will be at the **Neverland Bar, Coolangatta** this **Thursday**.

## Singles event for the 50+

Sunday June 13 from 12 to 4pm Currumbin RSL is hosting another singles event for the 50+ demographic. 'With several friendships and a couple of romantic pairing as a result of the last two events, it seemed pertinent to Currumbin RSL to host another one,' says the clubs promoters. 'The booking sheet is almost full and although it is not a dating service the Club would still like to keep the ratio between men and woman even. So if there are any single men aged 50 and over that would like to build their circle of friends or meet someone special then they should call the Club today.' The







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I have been writing a regular satirical column for The Echo for just over eight years. In that time I have amused many, offended some and filled others with a mild disinterest. It doesn't bother me. Reading this column isn't mandatory. If you don't like what I am saying, you can pull out. Stop. It's not like trying to leave a live gig. If I catch you slinking out of a comedy show I'll hammer you. But here, dear reader, when it's just you and me, you can leave the literary bed and I won't even know. Like a horny old man on redtube, I can finish up myself.

With comedy and satire in particular, it's always hit and miss, and as the boys from The Chaser found out with their skit on Make a Wish Foundation, there are times when your purest intention is mistaken. Making jokes about kids with cancer is always going to be risky, no matter how clever the

Apart from the odd abusive phone call from a woman a few years back who kept calling me fat (I think it was my mum), the Mullumbimby teenager who yells out 'Mandy Nolan is a slut' (I'd answer him back, but he's right, I am), the posters I occasionally find defaced with penises on my forehead (my kids) and the charmingly eloquent message left in paint on The Echo office wall 'Fuck you Mandy you asshole c\*\*t'(I think it was Telstra), I tend to get off pretty lightly.

However, my more recent column on vegans seems to have stirred up some very passionate and rather abusive herbivores. It's a bit like being heckled by a hamster. Ironically, it ended up proving my thesis entirely. They just don't get the joke. (There was a letter from a very nice vegan lady who invited me to attend Goveg meetings. She was the one well-balanced exception and her argument was passionate but reasonable). As for the others, they were rabid!

Why would anyone make a food choice that makes them so angry? I thought that choosing not to kill animals for your fodder was an indicator that you had a sweet and gentle disposition. Apparently not. They're tofu-eating psychopaths. One person rang The Echo and demanded that I be sacked! Another woman threatened to withdraw advertising that had never been placed. And then the

abusive emails started. I received threats from a person who claimed to have established a group called 'The Vegan Warriors' – some sort of joyless, soy-eating bikie gang that can't wear leathers. Just jackets made from cabbage. Crazy Vegan went on a rampage. Apparently I'm an oxygen thief and the reason stupid people shouldn't procreate. Gosh, I remember another racial supremacist who was also a vegetarian, a chappie named Hitler? She went on to tell me that I wasn't funny, that I was obviously poorly educated and unintelligent. Geez, that's ironic, vegan lady loves animals and hates stupid people. By definition stupid people are still animals. Poor stupid people. So what if I'm an idiot? Aren't we all equal? Last time I checked idiots also have human rights and are permitted to breed. Then Vegan Queen went on

with the big one: Ellen De Generes is a vegan and she's funny and the No. 1 talk show host in the world and nobody knows you. That's a bit below the vinyl belt. I'll have vegetable head know that I'm huge in the Byron Shire. Once you get past Billinudgel it's 'Mandy Nolan who?' Some would even compare me to psoriasis, a persistent and incurable affliction. But personable.

I would have to say though that Ellen de Generes may be a vegan, and she may be well known, but she's not funny. So I think I did score another point on my thesis that 'vegans are humourless'. Potatohead also suggested a list of other famous vegans like Pamela Anderson. Hello, the slapper wears ugg boots up to her thighs, and I've seen the Tommy video. She's a meat eater. And between you and me, I wouldn't be using her as the champion of any lifestyle choices. I have stirred vegan lady up. She actually thinks I eat pandas. It's not true. I prefer orangutan, or whale... She's livid.

It's fun, but I have to stop teasing vegans. It's not their fault. I feel a bit like Salman Rushdie after he'd released the Satanic Verses. It seemed like a good idea at the time, but now I'll have to go into hiding lest I'm bludgeoned to death with a large carrot. While I'm on the topic though, I'd just like to finish up with vegetarian dogs. In my time I have come across the odd (some may say very odd person) who professes to have a vegetarian dog. No you don't. You have a meat eating carnivore being subjected to animal cruelty by someone who professes to abhor animal cruelty. Dogs are like children, they don't like salad. If you can't handle feeding your pooch dead stuff then step back from the food chain and get yourself a rabbit. They're delicious.

(I think in future I will ask The Echo to publish a disclaimer: WARNING: THIS ARTICLE MAY CONTAIN TRACES OF SATIRE, IT CAN UPSET THE NUTS.) It's a joke, Joyce.

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### **THURSDAY 10**

- CLUB BANORA, 6PM MARK **DIVOLA**
- CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB 5.30PM **GEOFF DUTTON**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6PM VEENIE'S - **SWIZZLE**
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 11AM LIVE MUSIC 8.30PM THE JO'K CELEBRATION CONCERT

### GOLD COAST

- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 6PM DAVID BARRY
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 8PM **CASEY BARNES SUPPORT** FROM DJ FREQ-E
- COOLANGATTA SANDS HOTEL 7PM PAUL ATKINS
- CURRUMBIN RSL, 7PM **FARNHAM, DIESEL & BARNES TRIBUTE**
- GOLD COAST ARTS CENTRE, 7PM **UNPLUGGED IN THE BASEMENT - CC THE CAT**
- KIRRA SPORTS CLUB, 7.30PM **OPEN MIC NIGHT**
- NEVERLAND BAR. COOLANGATTA, 9PM **RED INK**

### BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, JON J **BRADLEY**
- BEACH HOTEL, 9PM **BEATRONICA**
- THE RAILS, 6.30PM BROADFOOT
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 6.30PM **SOUL SHAKERS**
- LA LA LAND, BUZZ & AND OH!
- LIQUID, 10PM-3AM **JEFF MARTIN** ■ MULLUM MUSIC FEST PRESENTS LEAH FLANAGAN, M JACK BEE

### FRIDAY 11

- BILAMBIL SPORTS CLUB 8PM **JOHNNY CARR**
- CABARITA BEACH BAR & GRILL, 8.30PM THE HODADDS
- CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB 7.30PM RUSSELL SPROUT
- CABARITA BEACH SPORTS CLUB
- 8PM PRESTON TRAIN ■ CLUB BANORA, BANORA POINT
- 7.30PM **SAMUEL JARED** ■ THE ELTHAM HOTEL 7PM NEIL
- **MCCANN**
- IMPERIAL HOTEL, M'BAH 8PM LIVE MUSIC
- KINGSCLIFF BEACH HOTEL, 9.30PM BILLY FEBRUARY
- LUFFLEY CAFF, MURWILLUMBAH 6.30PM VANESSA HOFFMAN &
- **RADHA** ■ MURWILLUMBAH HOTEL 5.30PM
- BEN WILSON 9PM DJ HERVE ■ MURWILLUMBAH SERVICES CLUB
- 6.30PM TOMMY MEMPHIS
- POTTSVILLE BEACH SPORTS CLUB 7PM PHIL GUEST
- SALT BAR, KINGSCIFF, 7PM **NOVACAIN**
- SEAGULLS CLUB, 9.30PM PANGA **AND THE TRUE BLUES**
- SPHINX ROCK CAFE MIT BURKELL 7PM APPS, WALL AND DASTEY
- TWEED TAVERN (THE ROUND HOUSE), MURWII I UMBAH 8PM DJ CONNECTION AND DUTCH
- TWIN TOWNS 11AM **LIVE MUSIC** 7PM BEATLEMANIA
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 12PM DAVE CLAYTON 7PM **BREAKAWAYS**

### **GOLD COAST**

- BURLEIGH HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6.30PM **JOE ACE**
- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 7.30PM THE CHEVROLETS
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 9PM **AMOS PELLA, CHAOS, AGENT**
- 77, DJ FREQ-E, DJ ANDY **■** COOLANGATTA SANDS HOTEL 9PM THE MIGHTY GUYS, SKULLDUGGERY, HAMISH DUTTON

- CURRUMBIN RSL 7PM CHI CHI ■ ELSEWHERE BAR, 10PM **ELECTRIC BOOGIE SHOW**
- GOLD COAST ARTS CENTRE 8PM **COMEDY IN THE BASEMENT -**
- **STEADY EDDY** ■ IVORY TAVERN 9PM BLUESVILLE
- **STATION**
- KIRRA BEACH HOTEL 7PM, LIVE MUSIC ■ MIAMI TAVERN **SKINWALKERS**
- **EP LAUNCH**
- NEVERLAND BAR, 9PM **RESIDENT** DJS
- NORTH BURLEIGH SURF CLUB, 8PM NITESHIFT
- SOUNDLOUNGE 8PM JACKSON FIREBIRD
- TUGUN BOWLS CLUB, 8PM LIVE MUSIC

### **BYRON**

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN. **CLOUD CONTROL**
- BEACH HOTEL, 5PM BEACHY **FRIDAYS WITH THE KOOKABROTHERS** 9PM **GRRILLA STEP WITH DJ DEXTER**
- THE RAILS, 6.30PM CAROLA **CHRISTIAN & THE DIRTY FUNK AFFAIR**
- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE 10.30AM AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST **MORNING TEA W REBECCA IRELAND**
- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE 7.30PM JANE RUTTER
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 7PM MASON RACK
- RETROSPECT GALLERY, 6PM ONCE UPON A TIME: KATKA ADAMS, HILARY HERRMANN, **CORNELIA BURLESS AND MISA VOJTEC EXHIBITION OPENING**
- LA LA LAND, BRAT PACK FT. YOLANDE BE COOL & DCUP
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **HARRY HEALY DUO**

### SATURDAY 12

- AUSTRALIAN TAVERN MUR'BAH, 7.30PM TIM STOKES ■ BURRINGBAR SPORTS CLUB 7PM
- **BROADFOOT** ■ CABARITA BEACH, LIONS
- **CHARITY GREENBACK TAILOR** FISHING COMPETITION ■ CABARITA BEACH SPORTS CLUB
- **8PM LIME JUICE** ■ CABARITA BEACH BAR & GRILL,
- 8.30PM LIVE MUSIC ■ CLUB BANORA, 8PM **CLAY BLYTH**
- CHINDERAH TAVERN 3PM MR
- EPIC SKATE RINK, SOUTH TWEED, **EPICATNITELIVE (LIVE BANDS)**
- IMPERIAL HOTEL, M'BAH 8PM KARAOKE COMP
- KINGSCLIFF BEACH HOTEL, 8.30PM JOHN BRADLEY
- MURWILLUMBAH HOTEL 9.30PM DR ROCK
- MURWILLUMBAH SERVICES CLUB 6.30PM SURF'S UP ■ POTTSVILLE BEACH SPORTS CLUB
- 6PM ROBERT KEITH ■ SALTBAR BEACHBAR AND BISTRO, 8.30PM **BO JENKINS BAND**
- SOUTH TWEED SPORTS CLUB 3PM LIVE JAZZ 7.30PM LIVE
- MUSIC ■ TYALGUM HOTEL, 8PM JAM **NIGHT**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 7.30PM **ROUTE 66** ■ TWEED HEADS, CHRIS
- **CUNNINGHAM PARK 10AM FUN** IN THE PARK ■ TWIN TOWNS 10AM FREE LIVE
- **ENTERTAINMENT** 8.30PM **HAIL!** HAIL! ROCK AND ROLL

### **GOLD COAST**

- BURLEIGH HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6.30PM KIWI BREEZE
- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 7.30PM **BREAKAWAYS**
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 7PM ATHOL BERNIE, STEVE &

- DANNY, SPARKZ DUO, DJ FREQ-E, DJ KIWI
- COOLANGATTA SANDS HOTEL 9PM **SONG DOGZ, PAUL ATKINS**
- BAND, ANNA WEATHERUP ■ COOLANGATTA TWEED HEADS
- GOLF CLUB, DARREN RAY ■ CURRUMBIN RSL 7PM PERSONA
- ELSEWHERE BAR, **DJS** ■ GOLD COAST ARTS CENTRE 8PM
- **CABARET IN THE BASEMENT**  MONSTER SIDESHOW, GOLD **COAST BAND FEST**
- IVORY TAVERN, TWEED HEADS, **9PM AGENT 77**
- KIRRA BEACH HOTEL 7PM **KARAOKE**
- NEVER LAND BAR, 9PM **THE SELL OUT DJS**
- NORTH BURLEIGH SURF CLUB,
- 8PM RESIDENT DJ ■ NORTH BURLEIGH SURF CLUB,
- 7PM **DJ** ■ SURF CLUB COOLANGATTA, 2PM **JOHNNY GRAY**

### BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, CANNON BALL: ROCK'N'ROLL **PIRATE MASQUE**
- BEACH HOTEL, 9.30PM **THE FAZE**
- THE RAILS, 6,30PM PAUL **HASSELGROVE & RUSTY STEEL** ■ BYRON BREWERY BUDDHA BAR
- 7PM CHRISIAN PTYLE NOTHING **LEFT TO BURN ALBUM LAUNCH** W SARA TINDLEY & M JACK BEE
- I A I A I AND. RYAN RUSHTON & **DANIEL WEBBER** ■ BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE 6.30PM DOLPHIN PROJECT 'TO

THE SEA' ART EXHIBITION

- **FUNDRAISER** ■ COCOMANGAS, **DJ QC + DJ CARL**
- WALKER ■ HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM

### WEAR THE FOX HAT **SUNDAY 13**

### **TWEED**

- CHINDERAH TAVERN, 2PM PAUL
- **ATKINS** ■ CLUB BANORA, 11.30AM **JOHN** PRESENTS COLIN RHYS-JONES 12.30PM GLENN BRACE
- CABARITA BEACH BAR AND GRILL 2PM. LIVE MUSIC
- CHILLINGHAM VILLAGE MARKETS FROM 8AM, **DENNIS CUTHEL (EX** AZTEC), CHARLEE MCCONNELL
- CUDGEN SLSC 2.30PM BO **JENKINS BAND**
- THE ELTHAM HOTEL 2PM GUY **KACHEL**
- IMPERIAL HOTEL, M'BAH 1.30PM **MR TROY** ■ POTTSVILLE BEACH SPORTS CLUB
- **4PM BILL JACOBI** ■ RIVERVIEW HOTEL, M'BAH 2PM **BRENT**
- SPHINX ROCK CAFE, MT BURRELL 2PM MURRAY KYLE
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 5PM **ROUTE 66** ■ TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS

### 12.30PM LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

- BROADBEACH, KURRAWA PARK, 9AM WORLD ENVIRONMENT **DAY FESTIVAL 'GREEN DAY**
- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB
- 6PM **SMOKIN CRAWDADS** ■ BURLEIGH HEADS BOWLS CLUB 1PM LIVE MUSIC
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 7PM **BAGMAN, CONSERVATIVES,** REMEDY, DJ FREQ-E ■ COOLANGATTA SANDS HOTEL
- 4PM THE MIGHTY BOYS **BLUESVILLE STATION** ■ CURRUMBIN RSL 1.30PM **THE** CHEVROLETTES, 6PM UPSTAGE, 12PM HOT FUDGE AT 50+
- **SINGLES** ■ ELSEWHERE BAR, 8PM ROYALE **SUNDAY**
- IVORY TAVERN, TWEED HEADS

- 12PM MASON RACK, ZUES **BABY, HAL AND WHISKEY**
- KIRRA SPORTS CLUB 3PM KARAOKE
- LE MONDE KIRRA 1.30PM **DAN GALLOW**
- NEVERLAND BAR, 9PM GLASS **TOWERS**
- SURF CLUB COOLANGATTA, 2PM **BILL HENDERSON**
- TUGUN BOWLS CLUB, 2PM **LIVE** MUSIC

### ■ TITANIUM BAR, 9PM **DIRTY SUNDAYS**

- BYRON ■ HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, ANNA
- **WEATHERUP** ■ BEACH HOTEL, 1PM DJ CRUCIAL D 4.30PM COTTON KEAYS &
- **MORRIS 8PM DJ NOWAK** ■ THE RAILS, 6PM **BLIND WILLIE**
- WAGTAIL ■ BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 2PM -10PM OFF THE BEAT N
- TRACK ■ BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE 2PM BYRON MUSIC SOC PRESENTS 'KONSTANTIN SHAMRAY' STEINWAY
- CONCERT ■ LA LA LAND, **GRAZ: CAPTAINE**
- **KAINE & DISCO HOOKERS** ■ LIOUID, 10PM - 3AM QUEENS **BIRTHDAY AB | NICK TAYLOR |** STRAWBERRY SIME & MORE
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 4-8PM 'SUNDAY SESSION' FOSSIL **ROCK**

### MONDAY 14

- **TWEED** ■ KINGSCLIFF BEACH BOWLS CLUB
- 12PM **DON WHITAKER** ■ TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB
- 6.30PM **DICK BARNS** ■ TWIN TOWNS 11AM FREE LIVE

### **ENTERTAINMENT**

- BYRON
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, **WAYNE EVANS** ■ BEACH HOTEL, 8.30PM PHIL &
- **GAZ DUO** ■ THE RAILS, 6.30PM CODY
- BUTLER ■ BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA

### BAR 6PM **LIVE MUSIC TUESDAY 15**

TWEED ■ MURWILLUMBAH HOTEL 7PM

**JAM NIGHT** 

- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6 30PM MR JOHN
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 11AM 8.30PM **LIVE MUSIC**

### **BYRON**

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, HARRY HEALY
- BEACH HOTEL, 9PM BILL JACOBI ■ THE RAILS, 6.30PM CHRIS
- BAR 6.30PM **OPEN MIC WITH** MATTY DEVITT ■ BYRON COMMUNITY THEATRE 8PM I DON'T WANT TO PLAY

■ BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA

### **HOUSE BY TAMMY ANDERSON WEDNESDAY 9**

### **TWEED**

■ TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6.30PM PAUL RENO

■ CLUB BANORA 6PM ABBIGAYLE

**ANDERSON** ■ TWIN TOWNS 11AM STRICTLY **BASSEY STARRING JENNIFER** 

### GOLD COAST

■ GREENMOUNT BEACH CLUB 7PM **DOWNBEAT JAZZ** 

**GREEN** 







cost is \$45 for Club members and \$50 non Club members and includes live entertainment by duo Hot Fudge. It also includes lunch, drink on arrival, ice breaker games, prizes and more. Bookings can be made by calling the Club on 5534 7999 or via their website www. currumbinrsl.com.au

### **Broadfoot**

**Broadfoot** guitarist John Moodie says he was lucky to survive Thursday morning's tornado in Lennox after the roof was ripped off over his bedroom as he tried to sleep. 'I was becoming aware of an increasing intensity in the weather, he says. Even though his car was damaged as well, he'll be able to make it to Broadfoot's Rails gig in Byron on Thursday June 10 from 6.30pm. Saturday John

and the rest of the Broadfoot will venture to the Burringbar **Sports Club** to play as part of a family orientated bonfire night, Saturday June 12 from 7.30pm.

### **Billy February**

Singer-songwriter Billy February will be doing one more show in Tweed before he heads off on a national tour. Billy says his music is 'easy listening country folk blues with a big rich voice.' This **Friday** from 9.30pm at the Kingscliff Beach Hotel.

### FESTIVALS

### **Green Day Out** festival

The Green Day Out Festival is being held at Kurrawa Park Broadbeach this Sunday, June 13 from 9am – 5pm. It aims to raise awareness of sustainability and the environment. Formerly known as 'the do', the festival has been organised by Gecko – Gold Coast Hinterland Environment

Council, since 1999. For over a

decade it has attracted tens of

thousands of people celebrat-

Cushway, Ben Gehrke, Zardi and Ben Amor. Other activities include an eco fashion competition, children's garden activities, yoga, organic

living markets and the FacTree workshop tent. Gecko will officially launch its new carbon reduction initiative, Solar Savers, and festival goers have the chance to win a free solar hot water system. An Apricus evacuated tube solar hot water system, valued at \$5000, will be given away on the day. The draw will take place on the

ronmentally friendly lifestyle. the official launch of Solar Sav-There will be two stages with ers at 2pm. live music – the bands and solo Gecko's Solar Savers spokesacts include Band of Frequenperson, Janelle Batt, said cies, The Twine, James Grehan, 'Residents who installed a CC The Cat, Zed Leppelin, Men 1.6kW solar system could save Wot Sing, Mayan Fox, Amy

between \$450 and \$1000 on their annual electricity bill while adding more than \$10,000 value to their property. With electricity prices rising nearly every year the switch to solar will really pay for itself. To find out more log onto www. gecko.org.au



# EXHIBITIONS

### **Landscape Allegory** by Peter Schardin Landscape Allegory by long

will open for exhibition at the **Community Printmakers** Murwillumbah from June 12. The show contains images of the fragmented landscape in prints and photographs, and the artist's thoughts on the subject of landscape are reflected in a quote by Goethe, '....one creates a manner for oneself and makes a lanquage for oneself, in order to re-express in one's own way, what one has grasped with the soul. A landscape is not a copy of nature or your surroundings. A landscape is not to elevate or to ennoble and to develop a style. A landscape can be part essence and part spiritual or both, though it must come from within.' Landscape Allegory continues until August 10 at the Community Printmakers Art Space at Bray Park, 33-35 Kyogle Road, Murwillumbah. The exhibition is open Friday to Sunday,

discuss the works.



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### **Bamboo Restaurant & Lounge Bar**

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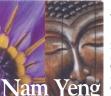


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# THEATRE

### Caravan

Murwillumbah Theatre Company's (MTC) latest production **Caravan** tells the story of three couples who spend their summer holiday together in one small caravan at a secluded camping spot on the northern NSW coast. MTC will be setting up camp first at the Cabarita Beach Sports Club on Friday June 18 and

Saturday June 19, then Cudgen Leagues Club on Friday June 25 and Saturday June 26. The final stop will be Greenhills on Tweed in Murwillumbah for two dinner shows Friday July 2 and Saturday July 3. All shows start at 7.30pm. Tickets are \$15 at the clubs and are available from Cabarita 02 6676 1135 and Cudgen 02 6674 1816. Tickets are \$37 at Greenhills on Tweed which includes a two-course meal with bar facilities. They are available from Murwillumbah Music shop. KU Promotions Presents



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CINEMA, JUNE 17, **GALA OPENING NIGHT** SCREENING OF LOU

THE TEN TENORS, JUNE 17, THE ARTS CENTRE, GOLD COAST

**LANEOUS AND THE FAMILY** YAH + GEORGIA POTTER, JUNE 18, SOUNDLOUNGE

**NEARLY NEIL, JUNE 18,** TWIN TOWNS

MURWILLUMBAH **EISTEDDFORD** JUNE 18, MURWILLUMBAH CIVIC **CENTRE** 

'CARAVAN' THEATRE **PRODUCTION, FROM JUNE 18,** CABARITA BEACH SPORTS

STRUNG OUT (USA) & THE LOVED ONES (USA), JUNE 18, **COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

**FULL SCALE REVOLUTION,** JUNE 19, COOLANGATTA HOTEL

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**MELISSA BARNARD, CELLO** & BRENDA JONES, PIANO PERFORM BEETHOVEN, **GRANADOS AND** RACHMANINOV, **JUNE 19,** TWEED RIVER ART GALLERY

**MENOPAUSE THE MUSICAL** JUNE 24, TWIN TOWNS

**COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

**MADAME CABERNETS ADULT CIRCUS CABARET JUNE 25,** STOKERS SIDING HALL

28 DAYS, JUNE 26, **COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

BLIND LEMON, JUNE 26, **CURRUMBIN RSL** 

**BECCY COLE AND ADAM HARVEY** JUNE 26, **TWIN TOWNS** 

**MURWILLUMBAH RACE DAY** 

JUNE 27, MURWILLUMBAH **RACECOURSE** THE ALEX PEDEN SHOW

**CHARLIE LANDSBOROUGH** JULY 1, TWIN TOWNS

JUNE 30, TWIN TOWNS

CORNERSTONE ROOTS JULY 2, **COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

MICHAEL WINSLOW JULY 3. THE ARTS CENTRE, GOLD COAST

**OPERATOR PLEASE**, JULY 3, **COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

JANET SEIDEL JULY 11, **SOUTH TWEED SPORTS CLUB** 

THIRSTY MERC JULY 17. **COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

THE HARD ONS JULY 30,

**COOLANGATTA HOTEL** 

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# New housing falls in March

fell back by a disappointing 4.3 per cent in the March ago, according to the Housing Industry Association.

HIA senior economist Ben Phillips said that the result indicated that healthy leadground.

stronger construction activ- ago. ity later in 2010 HIA is conquarter of 2010 to be 5.5 per cerned that without the govcent lower than 12 months ernment stimulus of the first home buyers boost and the social housing stimulus new housing construction will slide, said Mr Phillips.

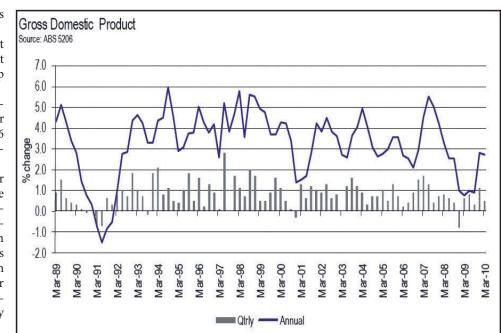
'On a more positive note, ing indicators late in 2009, the strength of the general such as building approvals economy and a return to and housing loans, were yet positive sentiment towards to feed into activity on the property pushed expenditure on renovations up by 2.4 per 'While the pipeline of ac- cent in March to be 9.7 per

New housing expenditure tivity should translate into cent higher than 12 months

'Gross Domestic Product grew a moderate 0.5 per cent in March to be 2.7 per cent up on 12 months ago.

'This solid result was driven heavily by public sector investment which was up 11.6 per cent while the private sector declined by 0.6 per cent.

'The lack of private sector investment and moderate private consumption supports the Reserve Bank's decision to keep rates on hold in June. 'Interest rate increases are already showing up in weak leading indicators for housing construction; further rate increases will only further dampen activity.'



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New research reveals more vey indicates over one quarter the gap among home owners

Renters priced out of the housing market, survey reveals

Spokesperson for reales- most sought after. than one in four Aussies have (27 per cent) of Australians tate.com.au Peter Wright said been forced to rent as they have found it difficult to enter the survey findings come as in Tasmania include Hobart, cannot afford to enter the the property market, forcing no surprise given strong auc- Sandy Bay and Launceston property market, a survey them to continue renting as tion clearance rates across the and in Victoria, Richmond, country has made it more difficult for homebuyers to get

the property they want.

be deterring first time home

data(2) shows the three most

searched rental suburbs in

Sydney," he said.

The most popular suburbs Melbourne and South Yarra.

In South Australia most popular searched suburbs to rent are Adelaide, Norwood and Glenelg and in Western Australia Perth, Subiaco and Como proved to be top choice.

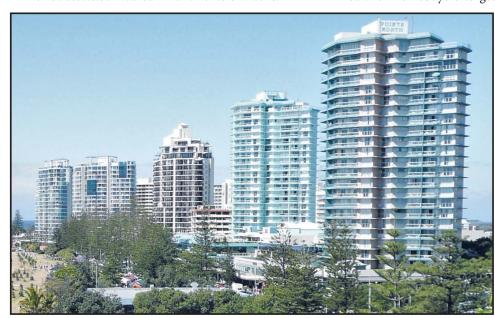
'The realestate.com.au survey findings are not all doom and gloom with some Australians preferring to rent as a lifestyle choice because it gave them the freedom and flexibility to live where they want (18 per cent) and a further 40 per cent renting short-term with the view of buying in the future," said Peter.

"Interestingly, nearly one in ten (9 per cent) of those who took part in the realestate.com.au survey said they "In addition the recent were renting because they housing boom coupled with did not want the burden of a rising interest rates might mortgage," he said.

At a suburban level renters buyers who are keen to en- prefer suburbs that are safe ter the property market," said and sound (23.5 per cent) and close to public transport (13 "At a state level our search per cent).

The cost of living and acpopular searched suburbs to cess to nightlife (6 per cent) rent in New South Wales are were also high on the priority Surrey Hills, Blacktown and list according to the survey. One of the least important In the northern part of the suburban attributes included country the most popular child care (1.2 per cent).

The survey also revealed Oueensland include Brisbane, that free-standing homes New Farm and Robina and in (46 per cent) are the most the Northern Territory Parap, searched for rental proper-Darwin and Stuart Park were ties.





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- powder room, carpeted DLUG Sunny patio, undercover pavilion, Brush gate to reserve

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### MARVEL @ MUSKHEART!

### KOALA BEACH

- 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, DLUG,
- backs onto nature reserve · Breathtaking views from undercover patio & deep verandah
- Modern & stylish in design w/ stunning finishes, timber floors
- Beautifully landscaped w/ exotic gardens
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becomes available Ideal for investors!



# \$1,250,000 CABARITA BEACH

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- position!



- restaurants etc. • Live in, rent out, or holiday let. Great
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### CHARMING CONTEMPORARY HOME \$325,000 SEABREEZE ESTATE

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- bathrooms, SLUG • Centrally located-5 min walk to beach & village amenities, designed to suit separate living

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## The Tweed's turn to come alive



**David Solano** 

Finally the Tweed River is turning around and starting to come alive with a lot of different species. The main fish my ing caught at the river mouth,

mates and I have been catching are trevally, taylor, bonito tuna and massive amounts of small queenfish.

Most of these fish are be-

though some do show up way up river as far as Piggabeen, pictured. The GT in the photo was landed on three pound main line with six pound flouro carbon leader so with such light gear it was a lot of fun and I was using a gulp banana prawn with a light jig head, mostly you will catch these fish reeling in as fast as you can with a metal slug lure.

Back to the river mouth for the taylor, try using metal lures, Rapala shallow divers or

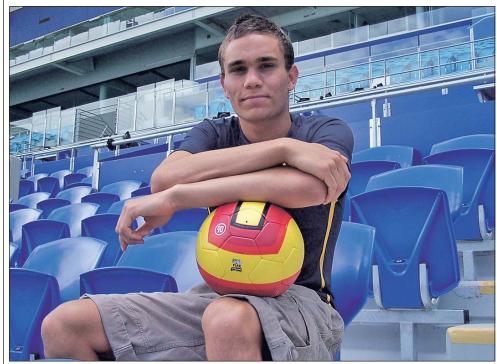
If you are after bonito you have to get that lure moving, try to rip it across the water as fast as you can and hang on.

The technique for the queenies is a little different, usa a reasonably heavy jig head and cast a soft plastic into the schools and let it drop, then hang on.

A mate of mine has caught 120 of these fish in a week. He used a new berkly hollow plastic and Vando let them all go, well done mate!

If you have any fishing news you'd like to share with David, phone 0415 747 969.

# Kingy players train in Noumea



Moving past injury, James Brown is hoping to transpose looking sharp in training, to a season of big things for Gold Coast United.

### **Tania Phillips**

Kingscliff-based A-League soccer player James Brown has left the building, well the country anyway. Brown is part of the 20-man Gold Coast United squad currently on a training campaign in Noumea.

The squad, headed by coach Miron Blieberg, flew out at the weekend for the eightday training camp. The camp will also include two games (Wednesday and Saturday) at the Numa Daly Stadium in Noumea.

The squad includes all of United's key players except captain Jason Culina and keyplayer Shane Smeltz, both currently in South Africa with the World Cup squad, and striker Joel Porter who is currently nursing an ankle injury.

Club spokesman Neil Favager said it was Brown's first trip to Noumea with the club,

ior not able to go on the cor- nal,' Favager said. responding trip last year.

squad, but no, he didn't go last year because of injury,' club communications officer Favager said.

We're hoping for big things from him this season though looks sharp in training.

Brown has been a key member of Australian junior national teams in recent years and was at the Institute of Sport before coming home to join United in their inaugural season last year. He looked destined to play a major role last season before an early season leg injury curtailed his season.

However, despite the injury he still played nine Hyundai A-League matches last season; started in two of those and scored one goal.

'He was of course also a key figure for our Youth

with the former Kingscliff jun- team who won the grand fi-

After returning from Nou-James has travelled with the mea, United 's players will only be on the Gold Coast for a few days before heading over to Western Australia to continue their build up for the 2010/11 Hyundai A-League season with another friendly, this time against Perth Glory on June 20.

> 'The game against Perth will be a good gauge for us to see where we stand against Hyundai A League opposition at this stage of our preparation program,' coach Bleiberg said.

> 'After that match we will play some local sides before we take on North Queensland Fury in our other Hyundai A-League pre-season fixture at the end of July, then we will be ready for the season to begin.'

United made the finals in

### their first season but didn't not progress past the first round.

### Evans V. Pridham K. Davies N. Dowling H. SReid E. Deimel H. Bardsley D. Kendall def B. Everson A. Vermeulen S. Hambleton R. Wallis, G. Spencer J. Hoffman D. Kerwitz J. Pearce def B. Burns S.McGregor N. Matheson J. Leather Thursday Social Pairs R.

Griffin V. Young def J. Ware P. Houghton .

K. Figura P Mann def M. Kelly M. Gwynne.

J. Lyon L. Spencer def P. Reedy J. Ryan .

S . Lusby E. Simpson def B. Jacobson S.

Tweed Heads Men's Bowls Club June 7 Carnival: The next carnival to be held at Tweed Heads will be the Consolation Fours in conjunction with the Gold Coast District Winter Carnival. Entries are now open for this event due to be played on Friday 16 July. Entry Fee will be \$15.00 per player [\$60.00 per team] w. Total prize money for this event is \$2460. Entries close on 13 July and can be lodged with the Games Director phone on o7 5506 8157. Championships: Open 2 Bowl Triples: Round 1: Jim Croghan, Alex Mason, Ramsay MacDonald d. Jack Barnes, Alan Davis, Mario Liberatore 32/19; Max North, Brian Lamb [sub. Jim Bryant] Mark Howarde d. Peter Newman, Ron Edwards, Col Fishlock 26/21; Jon Bosisto, Steve Ross, John Millington d. John Cunningham, Allen Jackson, Ron Taylor Lusby, Arthur Collins, Col Hawkins 32/12.

# Sports Dinner supports PCYC

host a Sports Dinner in July to raise funds for the Tweed Heads PCYC.

The dinner will feature not only a great three course mal, but guests including rugby league legend Graham 'Wombat' Eadie.

The evening will revisit some

Results for Tues June 1 Club Triples

Championships Semis: J Blake,S Cook

& B Mullan def E Hunt, M Standfield &

M Wilkins, H Ross, R Ross & M Hinde def

B Dunne, K Edmunds & E Elvy . **Social** 

Pairs: P Flack & B Smith def M Sweetnam

& D Dawes Club Comp Winner:P Flack.

Winning Rink: J Blake. Tues 8/6 Final Club

Triples Champioships J Blake to play H

Ross and their respective teams. There will

also be social bowls oam for 9.30am start.

District Singles at Brunswick Heads.

Monthly meeting is June 15. Nomina-

tions are open till the 14th June for our

Sugar Triples to be played Mon June 21.

Cost is \$45 a team which includes morn-

ing tea,lunch and green fees. We please

ask that teams from other clubs include

entry fee with their nomination form.

Condong ladies forget to bring some-

Wednesday 2nd June 34 bowlers only

three wrong bias, Winners C Vigilone. T

Muldoon, T Lee runner/ups B Young, B

Dunne, W Clifford Raffle winners J Mullan,

B Clifford, B Albury. Friday 4th 3 bowl

pairs shootout winners W Chislom, M

Chislom \$50 runner/ups J Miller, B Clifford

\$20. Jackpot next week \$300. Pennant sat

4th Grade 1 Murwillumbah 6 Condong o

Grade 3 Ocean shores 5 Condong 1, Grade

4 Condong 3 Cudgen 3, Grade 5 Byron bay

5 Condong 1, Grade 7 Condong 5 Cudgen

1. Condong's Peter Meadows, Warren

thing along for the rundown raffle.

**Condong Men** 

SPORT RESULTS

**Condong Ladies** 

**BOWLS** 

The Cudgen Leagues Club will moments and will quiz you on autographed Sir Donald Brad-State of Origin trivia.

> There will a sports memorabilia auction with prizes to temp you, up for grabs are an autographed ball of inaugural Indigenous All Stars, a signed Wally Lewis Queensland Origin jumper, an autographed Greg Norman golf ball, a signed

man poster and that's the tipof the iceberg.

Prizes for punters on the night will include the best dressed NSW and QLD sup-

Tickets are \$70 per head or \$650 for table of 10. For more information phone the Tweed of the State of Origin's great Gold Coast Titans jumper an Heads PCYC on 07 5599 1714.

> 26th Open triples. Cheryl's biggest garage sale July 31st goods can be left at club. Cabarita Beach Men

> May 26 Winners M Matteucci & M Howarde , r/up M Morgan & E Carsley cons R Watkins & P Schofield. May 31 Winners A Latif & B Laybutt r/up R Allen & C Klaverstyn cons B Griffiths &VB Creedon. June 2 Winners F Moore & M Cox, r/up R Coustley & K Doolin cons B Mackenzie & R McCormack. June 7 Winners K Stanley & N Hardy r/up R Allen & C Klaverstyn cons B Clacher & P Glancy.

> Pennant: Round6. Div2 Cabarita 61 def Murwillumbah 44 Div4 Cabarita 6 pts def Pottsville opts Div6 Bangalow 5pts def Cabarita 1pt Div7 Ocean Shores 53 def Cabarita 50. 2010 Div 2 Pennant Winners Cabarita. 2010 Div 4 Pennant Winners

### **Cabarita Beach Women** 08.06.10 Social Bowls - Winning Rink -

Lauraine Fisher, Cath Lynch, Judy Jones. Consolation - Ron Lee and Roy King. Raffles - Marlene Lambert, Dot Paterson, Ken Ross. 17.06.10 Club B Grade Singles commence. Please check the board for your game. 22.06.10 President and Patrons Day for Club members only. 9.00am start. 29.06.10 Club Limited Sponsored Day for Club members only. 9.00am start. 08.07.10 Under and Over Fours -9.10am roll-up. 9.30am start. Fees \$60.00 per team includes Green Fees, Morning Tea and Lunch. Dress - State approved uniform. Nominations close o6.07.10. Social Bowls - Tuesdays 9.15am. Visitors welcome. Ladies also invited to play Saturdays 1.00pm. Phone Club on 6676 2951.

& M Dobie def M Standfield, E Hunt & M WIlkins . B Dunne, E Elvy & D Dawes def P Flack, K Cusak & D Hardy Club Comp Winner: M Standfield. Condong players M Sweetnam & K Edmunds are through to the third round of the District Singles being played at Pottsville on Thurs June 10. Monthly meeting is being held after social bowls Tues June 15 play is 9am for 9.30. Nominations are open until the 14th June for our Sugar Triples to be played MonJune 21 Cost is \$45. We ask that teams from other clubs please include entry fee with their nomination form

### **Cudgen Leagues Ladies**

Results Rnd 2, Clb Champ/ship Singles played last Sat - Liz Fleming def Pat Pieterse; Isabel Nipperess def Ann Revie. Faye Turner won on a forfeit & to play Isabel Nipperess today at 1pm. Joy Ashford also won on a forfeit & is to play Liz Fleming at a date to be announced. Coming up – **Thurs Ladies** Social 12.30 for 1pm start. All welcome. 8.30am today Dis Champ/ship Singles Rnds 3 & 4 -Pottsville, Mon 14th – Social Mixed Triples Mufti, all welcome. Tues 15th - 8.30am Dis Champ/ship Singles Semi - Finals & Final - Cabarita. Sun 20th June - 9.15am Social Sun Mixed Mufti Bowls & Lnch ( \$10 pp ). Combined with visit by Tweed Heads BC Touring Bowlers – all welcome. Bookings 02 6674 1816/ 2734.

**Cudgen Leagues Men** Mon May 31 Winners L.Crombie, J.Crombie, T.Cross. Wed. June 2 Winners K.Hansen, R.McIntosh, B.Henry, S.Archbold. Losing Rink K.Hayworth, C.Lee, J.Willey, G.Roberts. Bradman the shield. Full greens again. Major Triples G.Border, V.Schiemer, M.Ryan 18 def to Byron Bay Thanks to Cudgen pennant

bowlers for their stirling efforts this year. Kingscliff Ladies Wednesday June 2 Patrons Day Bowling sadly shortened by inclement weather. Winners 1st. J.Bevan/M.Edmed/ J.Kemp. 21 + 20.2nd D.James/E.Clavbourn/M.Gardner. 15 + 13, 3rd. B.Walker/B.Massey. 15 + 12, 4th K.Snare/J.Greenbank/S.Wood. 18 + 10, 5th. B.Sheehy/J.Anshaw/E.Downes 14 + 10 Raffle Winners. 1st Prize Fruit Basket, Won by L.Willoughby. 2nd W.Butler, 3rd A.Bousie Ladies Monthly Meeting Wed. 16th June starting at 10 am.

**Kingscliff Men** Results of the **B Grade Singles**: Saturday

5th: Game 1: L Morris d F McNamara; B Beetson d P McKirdy; L Rootsey d K Taylor; C Lane d B Henry; J Julius d K Dawson; D Roughley d R Lewis. Sunday 6th: J Brinsmead d B Beetson: C Lane

d G Hallett: J Julius d B Butler: D Roughlev dT Wonka; D Whittington d I Downes. The next round will be played on Saturday 19th June. The draw is: D Whiitington v the winner of L Morris v D Miller; J Brinsmead v L Rootsey; C Lanev R Dark; J Julius v D Roughley. The winners will play the semi-final on Sunday 20th June. Social Bowls Results: Thursday 3rd June: Winners: K Prichard, K Berger, G Prichard; G Davis, M Rice, B Raeburn. Plate winners:

morning will be a General meeting in the Bowlers' Lounge. Nominations for the **B** Grade Pairs close on 18th June. The first round will be played on 27th June. Bowlers are also asked to place their names on the Pennants availability list on the board.

R. Davies A. Plowright A. Ebsworth def

M. Crane M.Purcell L. Elsey. M. Kelly

### **Tweed Heads Ladies Veteran Triples**

S. Hambleton B. Cooper def J. Clark N. Matheson A. Warman. J. Ryan M. Jarick D. Fysh def S. Jackson J. Dodsley D. Turner. D. Stewart P. Govett N. Dowling def D, Kendall J. Withington M Gunton Tuesday Social A. Vermeulen Elsie Mc Grath R. Lavcock def S. Scott A. Harris J Crerar. J. Hoffman D. Kendell H, Mason C. Graver def M. Croghan P. Collins D Evans W. Mason, P. Clarke S. Hocking L. Hurrev M. Thomas def C. Davis K. Sieben B. Graham B. Jacobson. M. Crane S. Asser E. Bradley L.Hodsdon def D. Stewart S.Jackson H. Ramsay P. Houghton Wednesday Pairs B. Carmody D. Spicer def A. Morrissey V. Neill D. Duncan J. Gilroy def M. Purcell W. Wilson (on ends). A. Nash E. Lee def L. Goulding D.North C. Murphy R. Davies def C. Graver H. Mason S. Lusby J. Roche def V. Moore R. Curtis. J. Griffith V. Gravolin

**Curby** travelled to the spirit of the bush award in Sydney and Bingara sports club Coaching - Free every Saturday with ac-Rink C.Evans, H.Ackerly, G.Coste Great P Atkinson, G Oddy, R Hearlus. Saturday def J. Clark N. Matheson. M. Van Runt V. 32/4; Clinton Bailey, Simon Bass, John just beat Condong to get the money. credited coaches from 9.30am. Barefoot visit from South Tweed. Cudgen retained 5th June: Winners: H DeVries, D Miller, G Young def J. Davey G. Wood Wednesday Bailey d. John Strachan, John Griffiths, Last day pennant for season Sun 6th div Bowls - Sunday 2.30pm to .30pm. Triples L. Spencer T. Sibley B., Irwin def P. Somerville; G Hallett, W Ritzau, R Hayes; John Parker-Smith 35/33; Jason Neville, 4 Pottsville 2 Con 4 div 3 Byron bay 5 con **Condong Ladies** R Maltby, N Cruickshank, C Lacev. Plate Collins J. Ware P. Reedv. Thursday Social Leigh Tynan, Peter Goldsmith d. George Results for Tuesday June 8 Club Triples 1, div 7 Mullumbimby 5 con 1, div 1 Ocean R,Hutchinson, N.Bradbrook, B.Murray 17. Kendall, Scott Agnew, Dennis Agnew Winners: T Cusack, A Simpson, G Whit-Fours K. Henshaw D. Stewart B. Orchard Championships Final: J Blake, S Cook & B Sat Pennants Division 4 Played Conshores 2 con 4, div 5 con 6 Brunswick nev. Tuesday 8th June: Winners: K Banks. D. Evans def S. Hanlon B Rodgers M. 33/20; Nick Separovich, Al Kalnins, Leon o.Dragon boat ladies had a great fund Mullan def H Ross, R Ross & M Hinde dong 3 all draw **Division 5** Down 4-2 T Hills. Runners Up: N Bradbrook, T King. Cooper V. Philpot J. Patton M Ramshaw Harvey d. Greg Hardman, John Wyper, raiser and enjoyed a great BBQ cooked Tony Willemsen 36/13; Ray Arrowsmith, Congratulations to the winners & well to BRuns. Heads Sun Pennants **Division** Plate Winners: C Smith, D Langtry. Com-A Warman M. Higgins def P. Collins W. Madone to both teams for making it to the by Toby . Coming events Condong June 4 Lost 5-1 to Cabarita **Division 5** Won 6-0 ing Up: Saturday 19th June: President son A. Nash M. Gunton (on ends) G. Mc-Phil Potter, Mario Matteucci d. Dennis final. Social Triples: B Smith, R Thorley Peter Murphy's Presidnt's Day. 10:30 that Carnival 24th mixed pairs 25th Open pairs Carthy M. Riley P. Govett M. Jarick def G.



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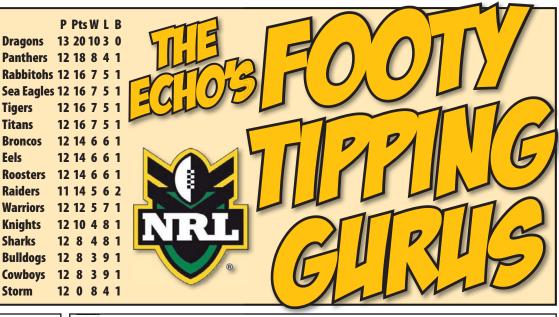
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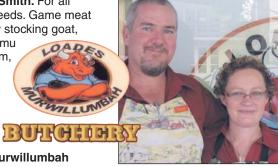
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**Round 2:** Quarter-finals: [skips only] rol Perkins, Ron Hodsdon, Jim Bryant; r/

Matteucci d. Goldsmith 33/25; Millington d. Bailey 30/16; Howarde d. MacDonald 37/12; Separovich, Kalnins, Harvey wood, Frank McPhillips; r/up: Brian Bevd. Bill Hagen, Peter Young, lan Irvine an, Fred Peel, Con Impellizzeri **Green 3:** 40/8. Semi finals and final scheduled for Ken Withington, John Forrest, Jim Smith; Sunday 27 June 2010. **Social Results:** r/up: Ray Arrowsmith, Norman Hoff-Sun 30 May: **Green 1**: Norma Bell, Max man, Dennis Freeman, Special Sponsor-Irwin; r/up: Annette & Mike Olive. Green 2: Cynthia & Derek Chapman, Jean & Jim Cowen; r/up: Joan Lyon, Glenda McCarthy, Jean & Paul Phillip. Green 3: George Mynott, Heather Mason,; r/up: Maureen & Jack Blagbrough. Tues 1 Jun Men -Winners - Ken Withington, Norman Clarke, David Nelson, Russell Hocking; r/up: John Harper, Rex Dell, Tom Reeves, Stan Nicol Ladies - Winners - Pauline Mooney, Val Dodds, Joan Cramer; r/up: Helen Carter, Dianne Kerwitz, Marina Jarrick, Brenda Clarke **Wed 2 Jun**: – Highest Winning Margin Green 1: Greg Ash, Col Moses, Jim O'Neill, Alan Wood + 20; r/ up: Jack Maloney, Lol Sables, Jim Cowen + 17. Green 2: Peter Newman, Col Fishlock + 10; r/up: Peter Howell, Tom Kelly + 7 **Green 3:** Mike Nash, Steve Goodwin + 20; r/up: Gary Clarkson, John Parker-Smith + 13. Green 4: John Cunningham, Vince Leather + 14; r/up: John Forrest, Terry Slade + 7 Fri 4 Jun - Green 1: Er-

up: Jim O'Neill, Sean Harty, Harold Moy Green 2: George Gorenyi, George Harship from James Stebbings: Green 1: John Asser, Stan Loeber, Ron Sturrock; r/up: Tom Wotton, Tony Nicholls, Wal Farr Green 2: Les Hore, Rod Stebbins, James Stebbings; r/up: Peter Adams, Lol Sables, George Brooks. Green 3: John Bibby, Howard Waye, Terry Patton; r/up: Bill Hagen, Peter Young, lan Irvine. Sat 5 Jun – AA & TT Jackpot – Green 1: Ray Carter, Greg Ash; r/up: Jim Croghan, Alex Mason, Ramsay MacDonald **Green** 2: Barbara Makin, Val Young; r/up: George Mynott, Heather Mason. Green 3: Syd Gregory, Rick Gammon; r/up: Betty Bradley, Lois Hodsdon. Green 4: Bill Boyle, Keith Downey; r/up: Dylan Cooper, David Taylor. The Jackpot of \$250 was not won and increases next Saturday to \$300. International Challenge The weekend of July 17-19, he Professional Bowls Association will hold a 5 a Side Challenge between Australia and New Zealand. The Aussie side will comprise of Steve Glas-

son, Kelvin Kerkow, Karen Murphy, Ben Twist and Brett Wilkie with the Kiwi team yet to be advised. Entry is free and the first games will commence at 1.00pm on the Saturday with 2 games the 3 games on Sunday from 9.00am Monday's finals will be televised on Fox Sports.

### **Tweed Heads Tourers**

Last Sunday the Tourers invited South Tweed and Condong for a morning of Mixed bowls. With a total of 64 players winners for the Tourers were Di Duncan, Penne Collins and Lois Hodsdon. Next Sunday 13 June the lads were due to travel to Pottsville along with the South Tweed Trippers but with the lack of numbers the game has been cancelled. DARTS

### Tweed Valley

June 7 - A Grade semi finals. Gulls 8 def Hogan's Heroes 5 and Jokers 8 def Blues 7. In the B Grade Final We're Back 6 def Tigers 1. On June 21st Blues will play Gulls at Kirra in the A Grade Final. In the B Grade Grand Final Sharks will play We're Back at Sth Tweed Sports Club on that night as well. A Grade Grand Final will be played at Condong on June 28th. Apologies for misspelling in last weeks report, it should have been McVicor not McIvor. Names and \$5 bus fare for West Moreton trip

have to be in by 21st June, TVDA players first preference on bus. Nomination night for next round is July 6th and forfeit fees have to be paid by that night. GOLF

### **Chinderah Seniors Social**

Results for Thurs June 3 Stableford Win-

ner A grade Ray Cowell 41 points new h/ cap 13, R/up Coral Rasmussen 40 points new h/cap 18 Winner B grade Kath Gordon 41 points new h/cap 25, R/up John Mulligan 37 points new h/cap 21. Ball rundown to 34 points (c/back) Field reduced by rain. Results for Mon June Stableford Winner A grade Gunnar Schneider 39 points new h/cap 7. R/up Dudley Wallis 38 points (c/back) new h/ cap 6. Winner B grade Doug Helton 40 points new h/cap 12. R/up Ron Hankin 39 points new h/cap 14 Winner C grade Stan Alexander 39 points (c/back) new h/ cap 29. R/up Eileen Hurley 39 points new h/cap 21 . Ball rundown to 37 points. Next event Mon June 14 Stroke

### **NETBALL** Murwillumbah

Intermediate B Bogangar Beach Blasters 25, d HammerHeads 5, Player Award: not recorded, Geckos 41, d Feisty Chihuahuas o, Player Award: Tiani. Drifters 27, d Red Hot Chilli Girls 4, Player Award: not recorded. **Intermediate A** Sunbeam Solar X-Factor 28, d GIO/ Laser Xperts Sparks 23, Player Award: Shelby Gilbert & Yasmine Foster, Southern Cross Stars d BCU Spice Girls (did not bring the card home) **Open** Cougars 40, d Magpies 22, Player Award: not recorded and Sue Miranda, Flamin Devils 60. d Tigers 14. Player Award: Simone Boyle & Laura Gilbert, Newbies 35, d Waratahs 33, Player Award: Angela Kirby & Simone Stewart Social Parents 13, d Daughters 5, Player Award: Everyone who took part. SHOOTING

### **Murwillumbah Pistol Club**

Results for this are 5-June-10; Sports Pistol- P Norris 582, D Stebbing 580, R Rees 575, M Rohrick 572, A Gazzard 570, A Uren 560, D Gazzard 559, R Fleming 557, J Lumsden 550, J Hoctor 548, N Davis 546, S Stebbing 546, TWalters 543, G Andronicus 540, J Gove 536, M Fleming 535, B Dowling 521, L Allen 467, A Dennison 447, R Kilpatrick 419. Air Pistol - G Callaghan 617, M Tai 578, W Gray 562. Ladies Air Pistol - B Gray 421. 6-June-12; Rifle - B Wenban 599, D Guinea 598, R Gospel 597, M Luxton 597, E Wenban 595, G McMahon 589, J Lumsden 588, E Bolden 584, E Hartley 584, N Luxton 578, P Stupka 526. For MEMBER-SHIP inquires ring Antia on 6672 5716.

**Murwillumbah Rifle Club** Full Bore: Sunday's shoot was conducted at 600yrds. Target Rifle - D. Chit-

tick 98.6, 0.66, 99.6 W. Shoobridge 97.9, 2.66, 100.9 D. Phippard 96.10, 2.33, 98.10 S. Waddell 95.11, 2, 97.11 G. Davids 95.8, 3.66, 99.8 S. Dolan 95.3, 6, 101.3 A. Cronk 92.7, 2.66, 95.7 B. Barrett 91.6, 5, 96.6 S. Sunderland 91.4, 7.33, 98.4. F-Class Standard Rifle - P. Weeks 108, 7, 115 B. Chittick 108, 3.33, 111 A. Glover 108, 14.66, 123 P. Loxley Lewis 106, 5, 111 P. Pritchard 104, 9.33, 113 W. Sunderland 100, 6.33, 106 R. Shackell 91, 18, 109. Small Bore -W. Sunderland 399, o, 399 A. Cronk 395, 4, 399 R. Millingen 392, 9, 401 T. Lamb 385, 9, 394 C. Freeman 383, 11.66, 395 J. Malek 379, 22.33, 401 G. McMahon 369, 22, 391 G. Burfoot 366, 35, 401 J. Waugh 361, 27.33, 388 A. Glover 358, 26, 384. Upcoming events: This week will see shooters line up on Friday afternoon for the Small Bore (.22LR Standard Velocity at 50 meters), Military Saturday morning before Barbeque and Full Bore at 600 yards in the afternoon, Sunday morning for the Field Class, Shot Gun 4 Jul Sunday afternoon after Full Bore and Barbeque, Presentation night 7th Aug. Murwillumbah Rifle Club contacts 02 6672 1465, 0439 542 191.

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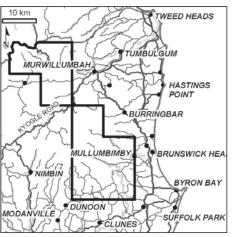
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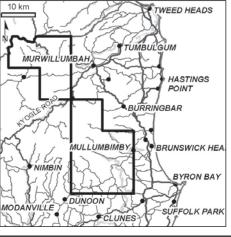


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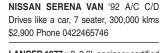
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Tweed Heads Red Cross branch monthly meeting tomorrow, Friday, June 11, at 9.30am at Tweed City shopping centre's community room. Visitors welcome, call Carol 07 5536 8569.

### **Probus clubs**

Murwillumbah Probus Club meets at 10am on June 21 at Murwillumbah Bowls Club. Visitors welcome. Call Ron at 6672 3388. Guest speaker is local electrical engineer and lecturer, Dean Paterson.

Banora Point Probus Club meeting June 28 at South Tweed Sport Club 10.30am. Guest speaker is travel agent Barry Watts. New members and visitors welcome, call Barbara 07 5513 1229.

**Kingscliff** mixed Probus Club meets the first Wednesday of each month at 10am at the Uniting Church Hall, Kingscliff. Outings every 3rd Wednesday of the month.

### **Country fair**

Kingscliff Uniting Church will hold a country fair on July 10 from 9am-1pm at the church in 24 Kingscliff St. Bargains, jumping castle free for children, for info call 07 5523

### **Disability services**

An expo for school leavers with a disability will be held in the Tuscany Room at Club Banora on Thursday, June 17, from 10.30-12.30pm.

### Kingy playgroup

The Kingscliff Beach Babes Community Playgroup meets every Tuesday morning at 24 Kingscliff St. Kingscliff, for craft, songs, stories and free-play. All children o-5 years and their caregivers are welcome. For info call Chantal 6674 2856.

### Rural lands

Combined Rural Industries has organised a meeting for Wednesday, June 16, at 2pm, at the Condong Bowls Club, with local MPs to discuss the draft Tweed LEP.

### Anti-miscarriage drug

The recent campaign for DES (diethylstilboestrol) Awareness Week (June 1-7) raised awareness of the anti-miscarriage drug, DES, given to women during pregnancy from 1938 to 1971 (and sometimes beyond). Women given DES and their children of that pregnancy are at higher risk of certain types of cancer and reproductive problems. It is important that people with known or suspected exposure to DES are aware of the vital special care they need. For info call DES Action Australia on 02 9875 4820 or visit www.desnsw. blogspot.com

### Hospital auxiliary

The fashion parade held on May 31 was very successful, raising \$7,600. Winners of the raffle were: L. Eastoe, G. Adams, D. Dennis, J. Collier and B. Hagan. Our treasurer is resigning and we need a replacement, computer experience helpful, call Helen for info on 02 6676 2549. New members welcome, call Merle on 07 5536 1441.

### **Historical society**

Tweed Heads Historical Society's monthly meeting on Tuesday, June 15, at 10am in the Old Court House, Pioneer Park, Kennedy Drive, West Tweed Heads. Guest speaker Perce Rigney on the Rigney family. Visitors welcome,

for info call 07 5536 8625.

### Digital TV talk

The Tweed Heads Library is holding a free information talk at 10am on Tuesday, June 15, on digital television which is replacing analogue TV broadcasts. David Robinson, U<sub>3</sub>A technical advisor, will explain the changes in technology. Form info call 07 5569 3150.

### Chi network

Come join local Tai Chi (Taiji), Qigong (Chi Kung), Aikido and other Ki/ Chi/ Qi Arts practitioners and friends invited to the Qifull Qigong and Tai Chi Network gettogether and AGM on Friday, June 11, at 1.30pm at Ewingsdale Hall near Byron Bay. The network connects different practitioners (all levels and styles) who live around the region. It is also developing a website with a directory of local teachers and news/events

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Information in relation to these names is invited from ex-service men or women, or relatives of ex-service men and women. Final date for submitting names is Tuesday June 15. For info call Phil

### **VIEW clubs**

Coolangatta/Tweed VIEW Club next luncheon meeting, our 20th birthday, will be held on Thursday, June 17, in the Horizons Room, South Tweed Sports Club at 11am. Entertainment by soloist Liza Beamish. Visitors welcome. Wear something gold to celebrate the anniversary. For info call Margaret on 07 5534 7115 before 5pm Monday, June 14.

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### **Tumbulgum reunion**

Tumbulgum public and Catholic School former students together with past and present Tumbulgum residents are invited to an informal get -together on Thursday, June 24, (note change of date) 11am at Tumbulgum Tavern. For bookings and details call Brian Breckenridge on o2 6676 6343.

### **Regional library**

The next meeting of the Richmond-Tweed Regional Library Committee will be held in the Ballina Shire Council Chambers. corner Cherry and Tamar Streets, Ballina, on Friday, June 11, at 10am. Public welcome.

### **Garden club**

Twin Towns and District Garden Club next meeting Monday, June 14, in the Tweed Heads Civic Centre at 9.30am. Entry \$3 includes morning tea between 8.30am-9.15am. All the usual benching, plant sales, raffle and lucky door prizes. Members and visitors

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### Rotary art show

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Delicious free meals prepared by Sri Govinda Dham are served every second Tuesday at the Murwillumbah Community Centre from 11.45am-12.30pm. All welcome. For info call Prema Das on 6679 5541.

### U<sub>3</sub>A

U<sub>3</sub>A Tweed Coast group meets in the Kingscliff Library on 2nd and 4th Tues 9.30am-11.30am, for info call Annette on 07 5599 3928. Current affairs discussion group Roy on 0427 947 413, meets at Cudgen Leagues Club on Mondays 2pm-3.30pm. Friday forum June 4 at Kingscliff Uniting Church Hall at 2pm, is 'tea talk and treasures' so bring something to present to the audience.

Activities of U<sub>3</sub>A **Twin Towns** can

now be accessed through our new website, which has a complete list of classes and times, see www. sites.google.com/site/u3atwintowns or phone Mon-Fri between 9am-noon 07 5599 2249.

### Old and gold

Brunswick Heads Public School has sites available for this years 'Old 'N' Gold Festival on Saturday, June 12, at \$25 each. To book call the school on 02 6685 1204.

### **Alcoholics anonymous**

Murwillumbah meetings: Tuesday, 10am, Community Centre, Knox Park; Thursday, 7.30pm, Baptist Church, Eveleigh Street; Friday, 7pm, Uniting Church, Main Street. Info line 24-hour 07 5591 2062.

### **Exit International**

Meetings on end of life choices. For info call Elaine on o7 5535 1151.

### K'cliff CWA

The Kingscliff branch of the Country Womens Association invites everyone to their International Day lunch to be held at the Cudgen Leagues Club, Wommin Bay Road, Kingscliff on June 29 at noon, cost \$15, rsvp 6674 3724 by June 16.

### Rock 'n' roll dancing

Women wanted for rock 'n' roll lessons and dancing, first session free. Men also welcome. Wednesdays 1.30pm-3pm (DST), Coolangatta Seniors Centre, 2 Gerrard St, Coolangatta, phone o7 5536 4050.

### **Croquet clubs**

Tweed Heads Croquet play days are Monday 9am and Thursday and Saturday 9.30am, all welcome to come and try. Phone o7 5599 1611 for more information or come to the lawns at 39 Recreation Street, Tweed Heads on play days. Murwillumbah Croquet Club play days are: Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. For more info on free introductory lessons, call the club on 02 6672 2064.

### **MONTHLY MARKETS** 1st Sat **Brunswick Heads** (02) 6628 4495

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1st Sun	Tweed Heads	(07) 5599 1714
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2nd Sun	Coolangatta	(07) 5533 8202
2nd Sun	Tweed Heads	(07) 5599 1714
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### Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714 5th Sun **FARMERS MARKETS**

Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714

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Each Sat 8-11am Bangalow (02) 6687 1137 Each Thu 8-11am Byron Bay (02) 6687 1137 Each Tue New Brighton (02)6684 5390 8am-1pm **Uki** (02) 6679 5438 Each Sat

### Lifeball

Lifeball is an exercise sport similar to netball but played at a walking pace by senior men and women. Come and have a try. Sessions held every Tuesday 9.30am-11.30am at Tweed Supersports Centre, Chinderah, \$5 per person. Contact Jill (02) 66740636 or George (07) 55244558

### Family night

Global Care family food and fun night every third Saturday at Christian Outreach Centre, Prince Street, Murwillumbah, entry \$5 for family \$2.50 for singles includes tea and entertainment. All welcome. Also free sausage sizzle every third Saturday at Murwillumbah markets. For info call Glenn on 0422 741558.

### Scrapbooking

Scrapbooking group 4Her meets every Wednesday at 10am at Christian Outreach Centre, Prince Street, Murwillumbah. All welcome, bring your own photos, classes available, morning tea provided. For info call Elaine on 6672 1571.

### **Red Cross**

Tweed Heads Red Cross branch will resume monthly meetings on 2nd Friday of each month in the community room at Tweed City Shopping Centre, starting with morning tea at 9.30am. Visitors welcome, for info call Joyce on 07 5524 1277.

### **PCYC markets**

Held every Sunday at the Tweed Heads PCYC, corner of Florence and Adelaide Streets, running from early in the morning to around lunchtime. For more info call 07 5599 1714.

### **Volunteering**

Looking for a way to gain work experience, meet friends and/or contribute to your community? Each week NORTEC Volunteering has around 200 volunteer positions available through community or-

ganisations in our region. The 'five most wanted' vacancies this week include: Tweed Shire, community visitor: Bilambil, canteen assistant: Tweed Heads West, activity assistant; Bray Park, activities assistant; Cabarita, club co-ordinator. For info visit www.nortecltd.com.au or call o2 6672 8288.

### **Landcare volunteers**

Friends of Wollumbin (FOW) Landcare group are looking for more people to help with the Byangum Community Tweed Riverbank Restoration Project. Volunteers meet the first Saturday of the month from 8am to 1pm to plant trees on the banks of the Tweed River on Kyogle Road, one kilometre south of Byangum Bridge.

For further info call Marcia on 6672 8146 or email podge@netspace. net.au.

### **Kids helpline**

When kids face a crisis, Kids Helpline is there to help, Australia's only telephone and online counselling service specifically for children and young people aged 5 to 25 years. For info call 1800 55 1800 (free call) or go to www. kidshelpline.com.au.

### Community exchange

Tweed Shire Community Exchange. Tweed Shire's newest economy. Website www.tweedshire.info. Email ur@machinerydrive.com. Mobile/SMS 0424 670787. People helping people. The exhange is a network of people helping people. Get help, buy things, sell things and help others without paying cash.

### **Exercise classes**

A community-based exercise class at Tweed Community Health Centre for 'mature age' people, no uniforms, no commitments, no co-ordination required! Move to music and increase your fitness in a fun environment. Fridays 8.15am (DST), Allan Millard Room, Tweed Heads Hospital. For more info call Jules on 0407 077 132.

### Third quarter June 5 08:13 **JUNE 2010** New moon June 12 21:15 **Astronomical data** First quarter June 19 14:30 and tides ☐ Full moon June 26 21:31 Day of Sun Sun Moon Moon month rise set rise set High tide Low tide. rise height (m) 0948 1124,1.26; 2315,1.66 0526,0.49; 1645,0.69 1 T 0630 1657 2045 2 W 0631 1656 2140 1024 1208,1.25; 2358,1.58 0608,0.53; 1730,0.73 T 0631 1656 2233 1057 1257,1.26 0650,0.56; 1822,0.77 4 F 0632 1656 2325 1127 | 0043.1.50: 1348.1.28 | 0735.0.58: 1922.0.80 1156 0135,1.43; 1444,1.33 0821,0.58; 2030,0.80 5 S 0632 1656 6 S 0633 1656 1224 0234,1.37; 1536,1.40 0907,0.58; 2141,0.78 7 M 0633 1656 0110 1255 0335,1.33; 1626,1.48 0952,0.58; 2245,0.71 8 T 0633 1656 0205 1327 | 0432,1.31; 1711,1.58 | 1036,0.57; 2342,0.63 1404 0527,1.31; 1754,1.68 9 W 0634 1656 0302 1118,0.55 10 T 0634 1656 0402 1447 | 0617,1.33; **1837,1.78** | 0031,0.54; 1201,0.53 11 F 0635 1656 0505 1537 0708,1.34; **1921,1.87** 0117,0.45; 1245,0.51 12 S 0635 1656 0608 1633 0758,1.36; **2007,1.94** 0203,0.37; 1330,0.49 1656 0708 1737 0845,1.37; **2054,1.98** 0250,0.31; 1419,0.48 13 S 0635 14 M 0636 1656 0803 1844 0936,1.39; **2143,1.99 0338,0.27**; 1510,0.47 T | 0636 | 1656 | 0853 | 1953 | 1030,1.39; **2233,1.95** | **0428,0.26**; 1603,0.48 16 | W | 0636 | 1656 | 0937 | 2100 | 1123,1.41; **2325,1.87** | **0519,0.27**; 1700,0.51 17 T 0637 1656 1016 2205 1219,1.42 **0611,0.30**; 1800,0.55 18 F 0637 1656 1053 2309 **0019,1.76**; 1316,1.45 0702,0.34; 1905,0.59 19 S 0637 1656 1128 0117,1.63; 1415,1.50 | 0754,0.39; 2015,0.62 0012 0221,1.50; 1515,1.58 0845,0.44; 2131,0.61 20 S 0638 1657 1204 21 M 0638 1657 1241 0115 0328,1.39; 1614,1.63 0937,0.48; 2248,0.57 1320 0217 0434,1.32; **1709,1.70** 1028,0.51; 2352,0.51 22 T 0638 1657 23 W 0638 1657 | 1404 | 0320 | 0537.1.29; **1801.1.76** 1118 0 53 24 T 0638 1657 | 1453 | 0421 | 0634,1.28; **1850,1.80** | 0048,0.45; 1207,0.54 25 | F 0639 1658 1546 0520 0725,1.29; **1935,1.83** 0137,0.41; 1253,0.55 1658 | 1641 | 0614 | 0810,1.30; **2016,1.83** | 0220,0.39; 1337,0.55 26 | S | 0639 27 S 0639 1658 1739 0702 0852,1.30; **2055,1.81** 0030,0.38; 1418,0.58 28 M 0639 1659 1835 0745 0931,1.30; **2131,1.78** 0337,0.39; 1458,0.57 29 | T | 0639 | 1659 | 1931 | 0823 | 1011,1.30; **2307,1.72** | 0414,0.41; 1537,0.59 30 W 0639 1659 2025 0856 1049,1.30; 2243,1.66 0449,0.44; 1617,0.62

All times are Daylight Savings Time. **Time lags**: Ballina Boat Dock: 15 min; Byron Bay: nil; Brunswick River Highway Bridgt high 30 min, low 1 hr; Mullumbimby: 1 hr 10 min; Billinudgel: 3 hr 55 min; Chinderah: high 1 hr 30 min, low 2 hr; Terranora Inlet: high 2 hr 10 min, low 2 hr 25 min; Murwillumbah: high 2 hr 30 min, low 2 hr 50 min. **Tides in bold** indicate high tide of





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Film writer and director Belinda Chavko's film Lou, which was shot in and around Murwillumbah, apparently was a big hit at last month's prestigious Dungog Film Festival, according to a reader who attended. The film, starring award-winning English actor John Hurt and young actress Lily Bell-Tindley as Lou, has its national red-carpet gala premiere at Murwillumbah's Regent Cinema next Thursday, June 17. As Belinda says, the film gives locals the chance to see their hometown on the big screen, showcasing the 'beautiful region we live in'. Tickets for the drinks and nibblies gala night are \$20 and available at the cinema or the visitors centre in Budd Park, Murwillumbah.

Cabarita Beach SLSC members who fear that council will impose a car parking levy over \$100,000 for their deck extension will be out in force this weekend at the annual Greenback tailor fishing competition. Each year the surf club provides the manpower for the barbecue at this event with funds raised distributed between the surf club and the VRA. As each sausage sandwich makes about \$1 profit, the surf club is hoping competitors are really hungry. Surf club spokesperson Peter O'Donnell said 'if we can convince each contestant to eat 2,000 sausage sandwiches on the Sunday morning then we may just be able to pay the levy that council has imposed'. Funding for the club to provide the essential life-saving service 365 days per year relies in part on the sale of these snag sangers, all done by volunteers. The club tells Backburner that bulk orders over 5,000 for sausage sandwiches can be made after some discrepancy, with the by calling 6676 1551.

Two well-known Aussie billionaires with links to the Tweed are reportedly competing to get hold of the beleagured Centro Property Groups' shopping mall in Surfers Paradise. Developer Bob Ell's Leda group, lions to run dubious events such

Rebel blonde Amelia Dearnley of Coolangatta kicks up her red heels with a slick hot rod during Wintersun Festival activities in Marine Parade, Coolangatta, on Tuesday night. The rock 'n' roll nostalgia festival, featuring music, dancing, cars and fashion from the 50s and 60s, continues this weekend with the popular street parade of floats and bands on Saturday from 9.45am and the hot rod, classic and custom car show in the parks and streets of Coolangatta throughout the weekend. Visit www.wintersun.org.au for the program. Photo 'Bastard Son' Dawson as the V8 super car race in Sydney and the world rally here on the Tweed. Mr Provest says that despite having been an MP for

behind the massive Kings Forest and Cobaki Lakes residential subdivisions, and Tweed councillor Ioan van Lieshout's brother-in-law, businessman John Van Lieshout, who founded the Super-A Mart furniture chain which he sold four years ago, are believed to be in a headto-head contest to buy the \$200 million Centro Surfers Paradise shopping centre. The two private investors, according to The Australian, have been shortlisted to buy the property.

Tweed MP Geoff Provest is getting a little dizzy with the revolving door of NSW government ministers making their exit after one scandal or another. The government has lost 12 ministers since the election in 2007, most shown the door latest being the 'rally minister' Ian Macdonald, dubbed by the media as not only Sir Lunchalot for his extravagant long lunches with wine industry mates, but the 'Minister for flushing (public) money down the toilet' for his largesse in giving mates mil-

a short time, he's already facing at 7am, and appropriately has his third juvenile justice minister in as many years. 'The problem is that each time a minister goes, he or she takes the staff with them, and it takes the new call 0418 269 136. arrival weeks or months to get on top of the issues.

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Backburner has to ask whether the recently appointed chairperson of council's koala advisory committee, Cr Dot Holdom, managed to find her way Hotel, Kingscliff, Chris Watto Knox Park in Murwillumbah on Sunday for World Environment Day? With two council displays and a multitude of stalls promoting koala protection, she would surely have found a home, but strangely, no-one we President of the Kingscliff Disknow caught sight of her.

rugby union player and busiand success, and is ready to pass on some of his tips in achieving his goals. Mark is the next connected to the world.

guest presenter at the Business Excellence breakfast at Tweed Bowls Club next Wednesday, June 16, at the Sails Restaurant called his presentation 'In the pursuit of excellence'. Those interested should email john@ businessexcellence.net.au or

Lovers of the beautiful game on the Tweed Coast looking forward to the start of the World Cup this weekend have been buoyed by news that the new publican at the Grand Pacific son, has rejigged his licensing arrangements to stay open in the wee hours of the morning to cater for those wanting to watch the live late-night matches from South Africa on the big screen. trict Football Club (the Wolves) Peter Gladwin told Backburner Former English international this would allow football fans to catch the midnight and 4.30am ness coach Mark Edmondson games live on a big 60-inch knows all about trophy hunting screen. Peter said the World Cup, held every four years, was 'the time when you really feel





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### Wednesday June 16th

**Tweed Heads Bowls Club** Florence Street, Tweed Heads 6.45am for 7am start, finish 8.30am



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