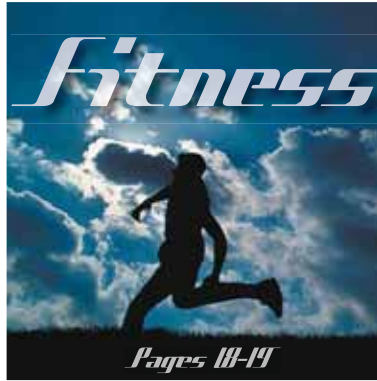




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## 'If I have seen further than other men, it is because I have stood upon the shoulders of giants.' – Isaac Newton



Claire Leimbach's photographic exhibition opens this Friday from 6pm onwards at the Waywood Gallery at 3 Centennial Circuit in the Arts & Industry Estate, Byron Bay, which is also open Monday to Saturday 10am to 5pm. The exhibition will move to Bangalow A&I Hall for the Fatherhood Festival on August 31. Says Claire of her work: 'I have largely been a documentary photographer, generally of indigenous people, and my first photographs of fathers with their children in this exhibition go back more than 20 years ago to Tahiti. Over the years I captured many other Asian and African dads and so, for this year's Fatherhood Festival, I decided to try and record the same quality of precious moments of intimacy with local fathers... I also hope my photographs help to celebrate the important role fathers play in the lives of their children.' See more about the festival at [www.fatherhoodfestival.com](http://www.fatherhoodfestival.com).

## Teenage binge drinking issue hits raw nerve

David Bradbury

The issue of teen binge drinking has obviously hit a raw nerve in Byron shire with both parents and teenagers. After my letter in *The Echo*, I received a lot of calls and emails from parents concerned that the situation was or could eas-

ily get out of control with their own teenage kids.

So last week about ten parents met with Paul Spooner from Byron Youth Service and two psychologists who work with teenagers, one of them a parent pulling out her hair in desperation at teenage chal-

lenges within her own family.

It was acknowledged that the issue is more a 'problem' for the parents than our teenagers. They are 'happy' doing what they do. Excessive drinking is so ingrained now it passes as Australian 'kulcha' and is seen as part of the Austral-

ian rites of passage to get out of it on alcohol.

It was agreed that adults could hardly throw stones at our young when we owned the problem too, when mainstream society, sporting heroes and the media (financed by

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## Council defers Epicentre decision

Byron Shire Council voted 6-4 last Thursday to defer a decision on a development proposal for the Epicentre site at Belongil until they could workshop the issues involved. Queensland developers Kendall Street Developments have proposed creating a 43 lot community title subdivision on the two hectare site to carry a 'manufactured home estate' of 41 two storey four bedroom dwellings, a community recreation area and a general store/café.

Moving to defer, Cr Tom Tabart said, 'We have been asked to approve a development which is neither fish nor fowl. There is no real explanation why it is recommended for approval.'

Cr Tabart said a workshop would look at the opportunity to get affordable housing on the site and reassess the density. He said he had ongoing concerns about contamination, acid sulphate soils and parking and traffic arrangements.

Speaking against deferral, Cr Ross Tucker said, 'The [staff] report is quite comprehensive and very clear to me. The report does address the issue of affordability; if you decrease the density you move away from affordability.'

'There is no value in having a workshop. You cloud the issue and move away from the merit assessment made by staff.'

Cr Ray Kestle moved an amendment, defeated 6-4, to go with the staff recommendation to grant deferred consent dependent on 63 conditions of consent being fulfilled. 'This is the only thing that can happen on this site,' he said, 'it's hard to get away from that.'

'It should stand or fall on its merits rather than us tinkering with densities. This is beachfront property – where in Australia would you get affordable housing 50 metres from the beach?'

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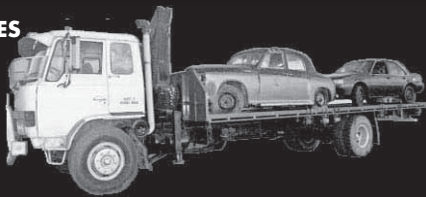
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## Call for volunteers for chopper doorknock

The Westpac Life Saver Rescue Helicopter needs your help this Sunday August 26 for a couple of hours. The service's annual Doorknock Appeal is their biggest fundraising event, and they are still on the lookout for door knockers and drivers in a number of towns including Alstonville, Ballina, Broadwater, Brunswick Heads, Byron Bay, Casino, Evans Head, Lennox Head, Lismore, Mullumbimby, Ocean Shores and Woodburn.

The Doorknock Appeal, which is sponsored by Bourke Love McCartney Young, sees doorknockers hitting the street in over 50 towns throughout the northern region.

Suffolk Park's Noel Frances, who was airlifted by the rescue helicopter in 2005 following a car accident at Knockrow, is now a passionate supporter of the service.

"I used to take the rescue



Former rescue helicopter patient and Suffolk Park resident Noel Frances, left, pictured with pilot Tony Birmingham and former patient Clare Mazzer, is getting right behind the Westpac Life Saver Doorknock Appeal.

helicopter for granted,' says Noel.

'Now I don't. And I think it's important that the people of the northern region get behind the appeal – via either volunteering on the

day or making a donation or both!'

All volunteers receive a Doorknock Kit (water, food voucher, pens, receipt book etc) as well as a certificate of appreciation, with some of

the bigger venues staging 'Thank You Parties' afterwards.

For more information about volunteering call 6627 4444 or email [info@helirescue.com.au](mailto:info@helirescue.com.au).

## Teenage binge drinking issue hits raw nerve

From front page

huge barrels of money from the alcohol merchants) pushed alcohol every chance they could as a legal drug. We parents readily admitted we are struggling trying to cope in isolation against such powerful and cashed up forces. We are no match for teenage peer groups.

Coincidentally as we met, an article in a newspaper quoted statistics that showed 41 per cent of young people participate in 'risky drinking'. The state average was a disturbing 20 per cent higher on the north coast – 61.2 per cent. Brain damage in people aged 25 had jumped from 4 per cent in 1997 to 20 per cent ten years later.

Our meeting heard how our teenagers complain there is nothing to do up here after hours. We all agreed we as a community and as adults had to address that.

Past attempts to hold dances through a local church had run out of steam. We agreed some of our best fun and nervous moments meeting and getting to know members of the opposite sex as teenagers had happened at community dances. We should explore this avenue for our kids to get to know each other in a safe and non-threatening 'tribal' way.

We all agreed to get behind a local youth initiative – Get Rocked – which is a drug free rock extravaganza for all

ages starring various top youth bands (Spiderbait, Frenzal Rhomb, Parkway Drive and others others...) at Byron High on September 29.

We heard and lamented our 'radical' Byron Council a year ago had set aside \$110,000 to refurbish the YAC but red tape had meant nothing had progressed on that front despite a crying need for that facility in our community.

For parents wanting to explore this issue further in a safe and supportive environment with trained professionals and other parents wanting to gain positive parenting skills to help our kids still have fun and learn

about responsible drinking, we plan to meet next at Patt Gregory's home at 48 Main Arm Road, Mullumbimby, on Wednesday August 29 at 7pm. Further enquiries email [david@frontlinefilms.com.au](mailto:david@frontlinefilms.com.au) or phone Patt 6684 3160.

### Epicentre

From front page

'Suffolk Park Caravan Park,' suggested Cr Tabart.

Cr John Lazarus said the development would create traffic chaos at the intersection with Ewingsdale Road. He described the proposed buildings as 'McMansions' rather than affordable housing.

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# Local News

## Still banging on about market share



Drummers and other musicians and local supporters in favour of retaining a presence at local markets gathered in protest on Saturday morning outside the Byron Shire Council chambers before parading to the Mullum markets, where the drumming circle has been banned.

At the markets, following discussion, the drummers released ‘The Mullumbimby Manifesto’ which pledged to: recognise the indigenous people as the custodians of the earth; respect cultural diversity; resolve all conflict through creative dialogue; meet in circle for the common good; and to affirm the unity of all beings.

Photo Jeff ‘Totally Bongo’ Dawson

## Learn more about beach scraping

Byron Shire Council, in response to community representations and findings of the current Coastline Management Study, is embarking on the design and environmental assessment of ‘beach scraping’ at South Golden Beach and New Brighton Beach.

In order to gain an understanding of community issues early in the project design phase, two public information sessions will be held on Tuesday September 4 at the Ocean Shores Community Centre, 2pm-3pm and at the South Golden Beach Community Centre, 5pm-6pm.

The sessions will be strictly kept to the hour duration due to the heavy bookings of those facilities for other activities, so registration and prompt arrival is recommended.

The Water Research Laboratory (WRL) of the University of NSW, and their sub consultants PB (Parson Brinckerhoff), have been engaged by Council to undertake this project, and will conduct the information sessions. Initial beach surveys have already begun to determine the baseline data for the project.

For further information on the Beach Scraping Proposal and to register for the meeting contact Sharyn French on 6626 7033 or email [sharyn.french@byron.nsw.gov.au](mailto:sharyn.french@byron.nsw.gov.au) by Monday September 3.

## A cappella groups sing for African fundraiser

Local charity African LEAF will be the beneficiary of a fundraiser – A Capella for Africa to be held on Father’s Day, Sunday September 2.

LEAF, which collects a percentage of the takings from several businesses in Byron Shire, helps to feed, clothe and educate orphans in Kenya. It has acquired land in Nairobi and is currently raising money to build an orphanage.

The concert will feature local group The Jazz Drops and Coolangatta based Men Wot Sing who some may remember in their previous incarnation as Ancestral Tones. The Jazz Drops have performed at local concerts and private functions, singing fun arrangements of works by Freddy Mercury and witty music with a bite written by group member Rick Fenn.

Men Wot Sing have performed twice at Woodford Folk Festival in addition to numerous appearances at local festivals and major concert events. They perform a diverse repertoire, from stirring African rhythms through pop, gospel, comedy and beyond.

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Local News

Hello to yellow brick road in dance

After months of planning and rehearsals, the crème of the Dance Dynamics talent pool is getting set to dazzle locals with their first ever mid-year musical production. And according to Kate Histon, Director of Dance Dynamics Theatrical and Performance School, this is a show not to be missed.

Showcasing contemporary dance and musical theatre, the lineup includes the award-winning Dance Dynamics performance troupes, the musical theatre students with their tribute to the Wizard of Oz, a special feature by Kate Histon, who danced with the Australian Ballet Company before starting Dance Dynamics, and the introduction of the school's Dance Company.

The Dance Dynamics Dance Company, which began early this year and features the school's most talented dancers, is coached and choreographed by internationally acclaimed dancer and



Scarecrow Paige Leacey, Dorothy Jorja Brain, witch Jess Hoinville, and Munchkins Annie Plummer, left, and Bronte Coleman, right, in the Dance Dynamics production of The Wizard of Oz. Photo Jeff 'If I Only Had A Brain' Dawson

choreographer Jen Murray. The Dance Dynamics Triple Bill will be held at the Byron Community Centre on Saturday August 25 at 2pm and 7pm. Tickets are \$15 adults and \$13 senior, \$10 students and can be purchased at the Community Centre on the day. Enquiries Kate Histon on 6685 3514.

Support needed for humpback project

Dean Jefferys, local filmmaker/activist has been working on whale conservation issues for a number of years. He has designed a whale conservation campaign called the 'Flight of the Humpback' project which involves a film, a website and a high media profile sailing journey with the whales from Hervey Bay to Sydney. He is currently looking for sponsors to make this project a reality.

'Flight of the Humpback' is a carefully thought out strategy to contribute to the global effort to stop whaling,' says Dean. 'Japan wants

to harpoon and kill 50 Australian humpback whales every year for the next 20 years unless they are given a good reason not to.

'Lots of businesses benefit financially from extra tourists visiting Byron to watch whales and even more simply we love watching and befriending the whales that pass these shores. By supporting this project people will know that they will be doing something positive to help prevent Japanese grenade tipped harpoons blowing these majestic creatures apart.'

Dean has a 50 foot cata-

maran ready to go and plans to set sail to follow the southern migration by the end of September from Hervey Bay to Sydney, dropping in on around 15 ports along the way.

For more information about the Flight of the Humpback project and to see some whale and peace clips already made visit [www.flightofthehumpback.org](http://www.flightofthehumpback.org). Enquiries to Dean on 6684 0002 or email [djefferys@aapt.net.au](mailto:djefferys@aapt.net.au). Dean plans to be uploading at least two to three five minute clips a week during the trip which also will include the Antarc-

tic this December travelling with the Sea Shepherds or Greenpeace. Sponsorship is 100% tax deductible.

A fundraising film night will be held this Thursday at the Pioneer Hall, Gordon Street, Mullumbimby

It will include Dean Jefferys's footage and updates from the recent Shoalwater Bay peace protest and 'The Billion Dollar Crop', by Barbara Chobocky and Michael Cordell, about the potential industrial and agricultural uses of hemp. Doors open 6.45pm, movie starts 7pm.

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## Local News

# Goblins invade Mullum library

Story & photo Lou Beaumont

National Book Week, which started on Saturday August 18 and runs until Friday 24, carries a READiscover theme this year. Book Week aims to encourage children into the library, to hook them with books to enhance their learning and imaginative skills.

With the READiscover theme firmly in mind, Mullumbimby's Library Assistant Jane Robinson created a papier maché masterpiece to coax children into the library. Jane used cardboard boxes and a lot of imagination to create a Goblin's Den that is as creative on the outside as it is mysterious on the inside.

The den has numerous peepholes in its glittery surface that kids can look through to 'discover' its mysterious contents. There are also children's books on display at the library, as there



will be in libraries all over the Shire and the country for the duration of Book Week.

Gabrielle Cocks, Librarian in Charge at Mullumbimby, told *The Echo*, 'We hope this wonderful creation will inspire the chil-

dren and encourage them to come and discover the latest children's books.

Preschools and primary schools will be visiting us throughout the week so that we can introduce the students to the Children's Book Council's picks of the

best children's books this year.'

Libraries within the Richmond-Tweed region also offer Homework Help with free photocopies and internet use for children. This service is available all year round.

## Bruns kites and bikes festival postponed

The Kites and Bikes Festival will not be running this year, although it will be on in 2008, according to the organisers, the Brunswick Heads Chamber of Commerce. Kites and Bikes, promoting eco-friendly family fun for kids and their families, began in 1999 and has been an annual event since then, with the exception of 2003 and 2004 because of insurance costs and requirements.

Despite Kites and Bikes being only a small scale one day community festival, the organisational workload involved in resourcing the

people and money required, necessitates a coordinator and a lead-in time of about three months.

To date the Chamber has been able to keep the costs to families right down because of the generosity of a few regular major sponsors such as the Hotel Brunswick, Mallams and *The Echo*. As well, cash and prize donations are collected from another 100 local businesses, who are always putting their hands in their pockets for the large number of community groups and causes.

'The costs keep rising, and as everyone knows, a huge team of volunteers are required to make a community event happen and it seems to be harder and harder to find such willing workers,' said the Chamber in a press release. 'The three previous coordinators are unavailable this year so some months ago the Chamber put out for a coordinator

and a band of enthusiastic workers.

'Sadly the response was poor, and a few volunteers and scant resources can only be stretched so far. The difficult decision has therefore been made to give the festival, its workers and the supportive sponsors a break this year.

'The Chamber would love to see the Council create a greater distinction between commercial events and small community festivals of up to around 5,000 people. The DA process with road closure and legal compliance should be lot simpler, the requirements less onerous and the Council costs greatly reduced. It is too much to ask a voluntary community committee to find over \$1300 for fees to put on a grass roots community event.

'If you are one of the disappointed families, it's not too soon express your inter-

est in volunteering for next year's Kites and Bikes in October. If you would like to support this wonderful family event by becoming a major sponsor please contact us on [events@brunswickheads.org.au](mailto:events@brunswickheads.org.au).

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## Interest Rate Survival Guide Launched

Home owners are reeling after the 0.25% interest rate hike announced by the Reserve Bank on Wednesday. With a record number of home owners now spending more than 30% of their income on mortgage payments, many are seeking to cut costs or find themselves selling up.

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## Rest is best for the flu, say experts

Story & photo Lou Beaumont

It appears we have become accustomed to 'soldiering on' when we have the flu, as the old television ad once encouraged. In fact, our entire societal system seems to depend on and encourage soldiering on. We live in an unaffordable world compounding the need for long hours and quick fixes. Without the drugs of today that give symptomatic relief to our most common ailments doubtless people would be forced to take more time off work. Pharmaceuticals and the economy – the ideal marriage.

But soldiering on can be a dangerous thing. We are in the midst of the worst flu season in years, and people are desperate to find ways to feel better and to continue

functioning. But as pharmacist Craig Watson of Mullumbimby Healthcare Pharmacy points out, 'This year the strains are very persistent. People are knocking the flu on the head but not knocking it out'.

In other words, while the initial heavy flu symptoms such as fever and aches, may downgrade in a matter of days (with or without the aid of medicine of your choice), the body is still very much recovering. So it is when people begin to exert themselves again as they feel relatively better, that secondary bacterial infections, such as bronchitis, are able to take hold. At worst, it is contracting a secondary infection when the body is already vulnerable that can lead to the more serious condition of pneumonia.

The short answer to influenza? Rest. The best course of action is no action at all. After all, resting when you are ill is the only thing sure to give your body a fighting chance against viral and bacterial infections. Rest allows the immune system to do its thing – and when given the opportunity, it does it extremely well. The human body at rest allows the immaculately designed immune system to draw upon vital energy reserves not being wasted on unnecessary bodily functions like movement and concentration.

But of course, prevention is always the best medicine, and there are ways to avoid contraction.

Dr Tim Devine of Mullumbimby Medical Centre believes a stitch in time saves nine and recommends getting an annual flu shot. Pharmacist Mr Watson agrees. The flu jab is also the official preventative recommendation from NSW Health.

Jacinta McEwan, ex-nurse and Naturopath and Herbalist at Mullum Herbals questions the efficacy and virtue of flu vaccinations. She told *The Echo*, 'Conventional approaches such as vaccinations and the handing out of antibiotics only serve to weaken the immune response in the long run. Using natural prophylactic measures



Herbalists Michael Murphy and Jacinta McEwan and from Mullum Herbals say they have seen the worst flu season in ten years of operation and say their success with natural medicines has never been more obvious than this year with so many people succumbing to the virus.

during the danger season, such as herbs and nutrition, helps the body to help itself, thereby strengthening immunity and lessening the risk of infection.'

As for trying to speed the healing process and ease symptoms if the virus has caught up with you, there are numerous preferences. Some people opt for cold and flu pharmaceuticals, others use herbs and/or homeopathic remedies, some use nothing and prefer to concentrate on nutrition and rest, and of course many, if not most, people use a combination of the above.

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Local builder Craig Cameron was one of many people who visited Mullum Herbals last week looking for a flu remedy. He told *The*

*Echo*, 'I was recommended their flu tincture by friends. I have actually had to take cold and flu tablets from the chemist as well, and although I wouldn't normally do that I had to take them because I had to go to work.'

Despite different people favouring different treatments, health professionals of every kind agree that one thing at least is necessary... rest. The NSW Health Director of Communicable Diseases, Dr Jeremy McAnulty said, 'If you do get the flu, stay at home and get plenty of rest. Don't go to work or school and risk spreading the disease.'

For more information on influenza go to [www.health.nsw.gov.au](http://www.health.nsw.gov.au) or phone 1800 064 400. Mullumbimby Herbals gives free health assessments and recommendations to their customers. They can be contacted on 6684 3002.

NSW Health urges sufferers to visit their GPs for flu queries and to save hospital emergency departments for emergencies.

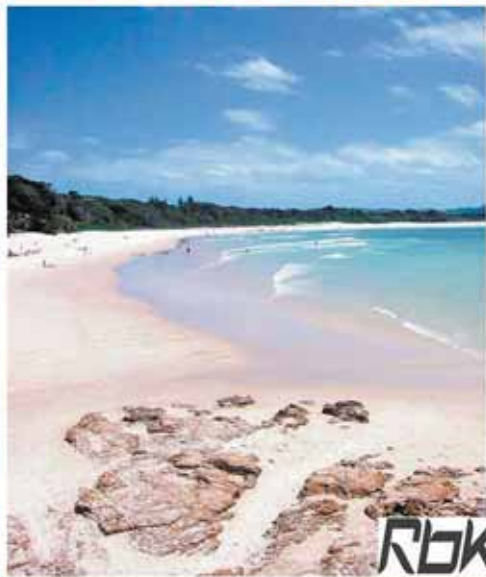
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Local News

Finbarr's team rules junior Robocup

Nine talented students from St Finbarr's Primary School took out first place in the regional finals of the 2007 Gold Coast Regional Robocup Junior Australia Competition held recently at Southport School on the Gold Coast.

The group entry from St Finbarr's – Mission Impossible – treated the crowd to a series of complicated chain reaction manouvres by eight robots, all of which were timed to the theme music of *Mission Impossible*. The Mission? To rescue Barbie and Ken who were trapped and about to be consumed by an erupting volcano.

The children had worked for two terms to perfect their entry and were thrilled with the outcome.

The competition was in two parts. First the children were interviewed about their entry and how they programmed the robots. The second part of the competition was the robotics performance. The judge emphasised the importance of the children understanding the programming and the creative thinking behind their entry.

The robotics elective at St Finbarr's was the brainchild of parent, Paul Amar. Mr Amar applied for funding in



Robocup team members Olivia Mair and Samuel Amar with Detective Ninja Thing while instigator Paul Amar looks on through the matrix. Photo Jeff 'Warning, Will Robinson!' Dawson

2006 via the Lismore Catholic Education Office with other essential computer hardware being donated by Reuters. This provided funds for 12 Lego Mindstorm robotics kits for the school.

'There is so much more to robotics that just programming and precision,' said Paul. 'The children learned a great deal about being patient and persistent and working as a team.'

Mr Amar said that a vinyl floor donated by Joan Towers at Ray Towers Carpets,

Mullumbimby, was an essential piece of equipment which was vital to the enable the precision of the winning entry.

St Finbarr's other two entries included a crab and clam performing to B52 song *Rock Lobster* by the two youngest members of the group Alastair Page and Vincent Vidal from Year 3 as well as a parody of Paris Hilton being picked up by a traffic officer for her erratic driving by a team of three girls from Year 5 – Camille

Page, Olivia Mair and Grace Pattison.

The winning St Finbarr's team included children from Years Five including team leader Samuel Amar with, Camille Page, Tobyn Burvill, Josh Boggis, Oliva Mair, Grace Pattison and Lucy Tishler; and from Year 3, Alastair Page and Vincent Vidal.

St Finbarr's now has the opportunity to compete in the national finals which this year will be held at the Gold Coast in September.



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Building on sandhills

You can only guess at the motivations of property developers when you read their development applications, despite whatever motherhood statements they may contain. You would logically assume that turning a profit is among them. This would apply to the proposal by Kendall Street Developments for the iconic nearly-beachfront Epicentre site at Belongil. Councillors looked at it last week and decided 6-4 to defer any decision until they had a workshop on the application's merits. Its merits are at least superior to a slaughterhouse's these days.

It is two hectares of prime commercial property, as long as it stays above water. The community title subdivision proposed would contain 41 demountable 'manufactured homes'. It has been described as 'affordable housing' but consider the costs involved in buying the land and constructing 41 two storey four bedroom homes, a general store and three internal roads and ask if the result is affordability, no matter how altruistic the developers. Cr Tom Tabart is right in saying, 'There is no rule which says poor people can't live on expensive land', but the property market in Byron Bay dictates against it.

The site plan by architect Kevin Hayes reveals a substantial density issue but nothing greater than what's already been created on the fragile Belongil Spit. The bigger issue is the nearby ocean and the coastal erosion zone and how long the manufactured homes will be in place before they have to be demounted. Council planning director Ray Darney noted that if the land was inundated, the individual owner would still have a community title lot, just not permission to have a house on it. It's a big price to pay to own a piece of underwater paradise.

In regards to another iconic piece of Byron turf, Councillors last week voted unanimously – Cr Kestle absent – to support the state government's 'structure plan' for the remarkably undeveloped Sandhills Estate. Like the Epicentre, the Sandhills has had a colourful history, remaining dunes up to eight metres high until the 1960s, then sand-mined, subdivision of 27 lots in the 1970s, then reserves created for a senior citizens centre in 1975, a community kindergarten in 1983 and for the Feros retirement village in 1987, and it recently served as an illegal rough camping area. It also contains Council's Youth Activity Centre (YAC) and the local courthouse sits on land extracted from it.

The structure plan for 14 hectares of the Sandhills stems from a strategic planning study by Geolink and an agreement entered in July 2003 into by Council, the then Department of Land and Water Conservation, and the Arakwal Corporation, which had a native title claim over the site. The plan is still sketchy, especially considering the site plan doodle by Ray Darney in the Council papers.

However, there seems to be good stuff in it – a site for a new library (not likely to start to materialise until at least 2010, we would guess), eight hectares set aside for nature conservation, two hectares for a botanic garden, and some residential lots for the lands department to flog off. It could become an important civic centre, giving the town the greenery it lacks.

The devil is in the detail. As the staff report noted, Council would need to extract support from the state government for maintaining environmental values on the site and for general maintenance costs. It could be a project on which both governments, and the general community, could work together to create a thing of beauty.

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Rate rise no deterrent to optimism

When interest rates rose a fortnight ago dismayed government ministers snarled that the champagne corks must have been popping in the Opposition Leader's office.

This was cruel and cynical; Kevin Rudd and his colleagues were careful to assume the gravest of demeanours, assuring the punters that they were really, truly concerned about the plight of homebuyers and indeed all Australian families. But it was possible to detect a bit of extra spring in their step; perhaps, just perhaps, this was the final straw which would break the back of John Howard's carefully cultivated but largely undeserved reputation as a good economic manager.

The hope was quickly dashed; next week's poll revealed the extraordinary news that nearly a third of voters still believed that rates would be higher under Labor and another half thought nothing would change. Only a loyal seven percent considered that Kevin Rudd would do better.

As the waters of electoral discontent surged ever higher around him, the rock of the economy remained Howard's one safe refuge; while he could keep the debate centred around the electorate's hip pocket, there was still hope. And now, it seems that the luck is finally playing his way.

The financial crisis triggered by the collapse of the American sub-prime mortgage market may or may not lead to serious problems in Australia, but there is a genuine fear among overstretched local mortgagees that it might. Economic commentators have donned the sackcloth and ashes and are ringing their bells as they walk

the streets proclaiming the end of the world is nigh.

And the great thing about it is that barely a handful of voters actually understand the issue. Indeed, even when the said commentators explain it to them, most still don't; why should the fact that some American institutions have made dodgy loans and are now getting caught impinge on Australia's system, which we have been repeatedly assured is rock solid?

Our Prime Minister makes no real attempt to resolve this apparent contradiction, but states firmly – and for once believably – that whatever is happening is not his fault. This time, he is not part of the problem, but he is definitely

experience of nine, count them, nine consecutive interest rate rises with the almost certain prospect of more to come? Yes, that experience – the Howard experience. And, incredibly, it's the only aspect of our Dear Leader that still appeals to us.

And it is also the reason that the government backbenchers have greeted the US meltdown with ill-concealed joy and are fervently hoping it can run for at least another couple of months. It's not quite the Tampa – you only get one Tampa in a lifetime – but it's the next best thing. Now it is only a matter of working out how to use it as the basis of detailed campaign – from the sub-prime to the particulars. Sorry.

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by Mungo MacCallum



Artist: Sean O'Shea

nately the only possible solution. Only the eternal partnership of John Howard and Peter Costello has the know-how, the tough-mindedness, to avert the looming threat. Certainly you would not go to the posturing neophyte Kevin Rudd, who has absolutely no experience in the difficult science of economic management.

Well, hang on: the experience that can't produce a single positive monthly trade balance out of a six year commodities boom? The experience that has given you record high current account deficits while untruthfully claiming the country is free of government debt? The

rumours of a story about sensationally sordid revelations about Rudd's private life simmering away in the Liberal party's dirt unit. I myself have heard several versions, the most serious (and unlikely) involving the constant use of call girls; I put this one to a trusted Canberra source and got the unanswerable response: 'Come on; when would he have the time?' Nonetheless the rumours persisted, and finally seeing them in print gets rid of one more anxiety. If the worst the indefatigable muckrakers can dig up is a story that four years ago on an overseas trip Rudd got pissed and was inveigled into a girly bar, then there's not a lot to worry about. Unsurprisingly the journalist who put his name to the story was Glenn Milne, aka the Poison Dwarf. Milne obligingly tried to beat up the story by claiming that while in the bar Rudd had behaved inappropriately and had been asked to leave, which according to the other two men present was not true.

But more interesting was the identity of the real source of the story. Rudd had no doubt and suggested questioning Alexander Downer's office. When the ABC did so a spokesandroid replied that they would not dignify the insinuation with an answer. Thank you, Mr Downer, we'll take that as a yes.

Sensibly other government ministers, notably Peter Costello and Tony Abbott, resisted the temptation to wallow in the prurience of it all; the subject of hijinks on overseas trips is not one too many politicians would want to open up. Who could ever forget the tale of Memphis, and Malcolm Fraser's lost trousers? Now that really was a story.

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## Local hero

Abigroup has been ordered to pay a total of \$50,000 by the Land & Environment Court for pollution of wetlands in the Billinudgel Nature Reserve at Yelgun as a result of inadequate sediment control during the construction of the Pacific Highway upgrade between Brunswick River and Yelgun. Although the fine amounts to not much more than a slap on the wrist for such a large company as Abigroup hopefully it will be a warning to others who hold licences issued by the EPA and choose to disregard their responsibilities in preventing disasters such as this pollution event.

Congratulations to Richard Whiting who, on behalf of CONOS, SGBPA and a coalition of other community and environment groups, waged a persistent campaign with the Environment Protection Authority and other government authorities to force them to take legal action against

Abigroup regarding the environmental catastrophe that was ongoing for many months.

We should all be grateful to vigilant, caring guardians like Richard who, often under very stressful conditions, fight to maintain the health of our unique conservation ecosystems for the enjoyment of generations to come.

**Angela Dunlop**  
South Golden Beach

## Connection

So the area has now been dry for a good many weeks. How about regular raindances at the markets?

Let's think... hmmm... drumming banned and the area's weather gets messed up... I wonder?

**Rodaan Eraha**  
Cornwall, England

## Suffolk van park

In response to Peter Stolz's letter, 'Van park lost through apathy?', in last week's *Echo*, I have to say that I value his spelling out some of the detail that makes clear the importance of this issue and the historical facts but I feel his 'Shame, Suffolk, shame!' is a bit harsh.

I know that some of us are keeping a check on how this is developing and Council is very aware of this community's determination to ensure there will be no losing our

park. The legal battle put up by the Suffolk Park Progress Association, which prevented Council's earlier attempt to change the classification to operational, will not be forgotten and it was made very clear then to all that Council cannot reclassify community land without conducting a proper process in which the local community would have to be adequately notified and would have the final say.

We know that Mayor Jan Barham knows these facts and that she knows that members of the Suffolk Park community are well aware of their rights and will demand that all legal processes be followed. My understanding is that the state government has raised an issue regarding Council operating a caravan park without having operational classification. This is a matter for Council to resolve and it would appear that they will have to get together with the body that represents this community, ie The Suffolk Park Progress Association, in order to work out a resolution.

So let's not berate our community as apathetic but by all means let's make sure the community is well informed of the history both early and recent and how the situation is progressing.

**Dudley Leggett**  
Suffolk Park

## Consuming issues

The drought is back with dreaded bushfires and water-restrictions. Mullumbimby High School is to be commended for their EGG-project to educate students about environmental awareness and I'm delighted to hear that the Council is employing independent auditors to assess their CO<sub>2</sub> emissions. However it is disappointing to notice that

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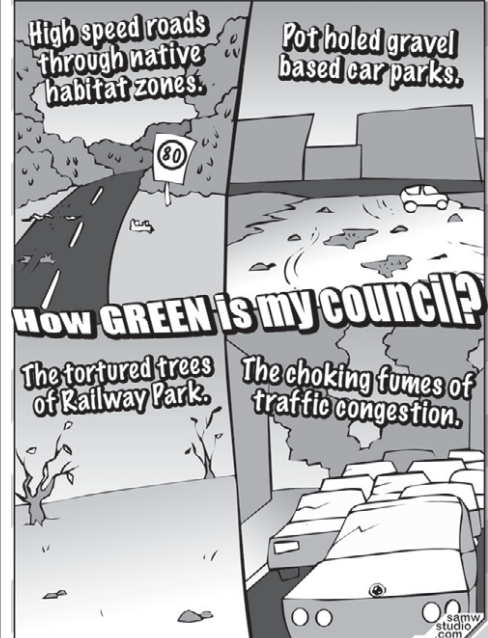
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Letters

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branch of the ALP and supported another candidate at that election in protest over the ALP's direction, but that was at a time when the ALP had no chance of winning the election, and before John Howard had sunk to unimaginable levels of mean spiritedness. In punishment for my sins, Mungo sin-binned me for seven years...  
If you place the Coalition before the ALP at the next

election, you will be sending a message to Mr Howard that it's OK to stifle public debate, free speech, freedom of information, lie about the un-thrown children, introduce a smart card that even the government-led Senate objected to, force single mothers to leave their children at home to work 15 hours per week while married stay-at-home mums get an extra \$50 per week. You'll be saying it's OK to classify

a person working one hour a week as employed – and that IR laws should allow workers to be worse off because that's good for business.  
You agree that States' rights should be overrun by the Commonwealth, and the UN should be treated with contempt, as should any member of the public service who will not lie at the government's convenience. You support the destruction of multicultural Australia and agree to revert-

ing to assimilation. You support a prime minister who says if interest rates go up it's the fault of the Australian states, and fosters an ethic of fear of the other, fear of crime and fear of terrorists to divert and divide the public while he continues to build a frighteningly powerful and increasingly unaccountable position for himself. The list of shameful acts goes on and on.  
The seat of Richmond has not been turned into a mar-

ginal seat because of intelligent voting as the letter writer suggests, but actually because the boundary changed and Ballina was chopped out. Mr Krudd and his gang are going along with the Coalition in many areas, my only hope is that perhaps this is a tactical strategy, much like my flirting with the *Saturday Star* in the 1999 Council Elections, ie it can help sometimes to play a little more conservative than you actually are.  
To place the Coalition before the ALP at the upcoming election is like driving a stake through the heart of Australia.

Georgie Jeston  
Byron Bay

protected by government ministers? Beats me.  
David Bradbury and Patt Gregory are rightly concerned and doing something locally which is very important but the big question is the tricky government and the multinationals.  
If you are old enough to join the forces, then you are old enough to vote. Young people should make sure they are enrolled now before the election is called. It is hard to sort out a mean and tricky politician from the others but they had better start learning fast.  
Tony Chandler  
Mullumbimby



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■ How mean and tricky can a prime minister get? Encouraging students to join the armed forces for experience and to enjoy their gap year but closing the electoral rolls the moment he calls an election? According to *Backlash* last *Echo*, young students are not falling for the PM's call to unthinkingly join the armed forces. When listening to a discussion on ABC radio an army spokesman, in reply to a caller asking if they would be sent to Iraq, said that it was unlikely (unlikely, not 'No') because they would need to do four months basic training and then four months special training and the Iraq deployment is longer than four months, however they probably could be sent to the Solomon Islands.  
I believe I could give *Backlash* twenty or more years, and we did not live in matchboxes but we were obviously gullible enough to vote for rotten politicians. How can young folk dodge the fast food outlets at school (aiding diabetes), the chocolate flavoured cigarettes, and alcohol laced soft drinks (developing addiction) all put out by big multinational companies and

Iraq drama  
Congratulations to Davidson High School, Sydney, for their anti Iraq war Rock Eisteddfod production *Bad Knight II*. It's salutary that our young people are savaging the illegal invasion and occupation of Iraq, 40% of whose population is under the age of 14. The governments of the US, UK and Australia are guilty of infanticide: how many kids were shredded in the 'shock and awe' Baghdad blitz and how many get butchered daily, along with their mums, dads and grandparents when US forces practice 'area suppression' gunfire which reduces whole tenement blocks to rubble on account of one sharpshooter?  
Federal education minister Julie Bishop claims political activists hijacked the Rock Eisteddfod. Who hijacked parliamentary debate over the Howard government's decision to join the Coalition of the Willing? Who will take responsibility for the million dead Iraqi civilians, 3,500 US and 160 UK dead soldiers and the three million Iraqi refugees, Ms Bishop?  
Gareth W R Smith  
Byron Bay

■ Letters received from Robyn Lucienne, Brisbane, M Mizzi, Tabulam, Doug Ogilvie, Bilambil, Malcolm King, Crabbes Creek, Duncan Shipley-Smith, Upper Coopers Creek, Bronwyn Sindel, Mullumbimby, Jacqueline McCallum, Byron Bay, Robert Wirth, Barkers Vale, John Hayter, Tintenbar, Geoff Dawe, Uki, Paul Brecht, Mullumbimby.

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| 8-9         | <b>Wetland Bird Walk</b> with Rex Fisher and Brendan Taylor                         |  |
| 8-10        | <b>Belongil Creek Bird Walk</b> with Heather Harford, bookings required             |  |
| 10-11.15    | <b>Shorebirds Painting Class for Children</b> , by Bernie Curtin, bookings required |  |
| 10          | <b>Welcome to Country</b> by Nigel Stewart  |  |
| 10.10       | <b>Introductions and Launch of Migratory Bird Season</b> by Isabel Borrelli         |  |
| 10.15-11    | <b>‘Shorebirds’ Talk</b> by Bob Oehlman   |  |
| 11.15-12    | <b>‘Birds of the Brunswick Valley’ Talk</b> by Danielle Davis                       | Numbers are limited for the early morning bird walks and children’s painting class so please book early – 6626 7028 or <a href="mailto:landcare@byron.nsw.gov.au">landcare@byron.nsw.gov.au</a> . Details of where to meet for the Early Morning Bird Walks will be given when you book. |
| 11.15-12.45 | <b>Wetlands Bird Walk</b> with Bob Oehlman  |  |
| 12.15       | <b>Opening of the new Bird Hide</b>   |  |

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**Byron Bird Buddies**, previously known as Belongil Bird Buddies, are a community education and conservation group primarily concerned with the conservation of shorebirds and waterbirds breeding, feeding and resting in habitats from Lennox Head to North Ocean Shores, an area which encompasses the Cape Byron Marine Park and beyond.

**For information and bookings contact the Coastal Landcare Community Support Officer on 6626 7028 or [landcare@byron.nsw.gov.au](mailto:landcare@byron.nsw.gov.au).**

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## Envirofund

### Supporting Coastal Restoration in Byron Shire and the Byron Bird Buddies

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**The Award winning Byron Bay Integrated Water Management Reserve** is another Council biodiversity enhancement initiative, a 100ha biodiversity reserve at West Byron that now includes visitor amenities and bird observation hide. For information on the reserve and access contact Michael Bingham 6626 7000.  
Council is pleased to be associated with Brunswick Valley Landcare and Byron Bird Buddies whom add tremendous value the Biodiversity Conservation Levee.





Articles

Local firm in Newcastle cleanup



Carmine Trotta has just returned from helping Newcastle clean up after the recent storms.

The crew from local tree removal company Tallow Tree Services recently returned from storm-ravaged Newcastle.

The national disaster there last month needed extra help, and when the call came from emergency services, they didn't hesitate to jump in their trucks with woodchipper and stump grinders in tow to travel the eight hours down south to help.


'We worked 40 days straight, seven days a week, without incident, which is quite an achievement,' manager Carmine Trotta told *The Echo*.

Mr Trotta told of dangerous crane and helicopter jobs on steep escarpments with power lines. 'Conditions were still very hazardous after the storm, with 110 knot winds and storm pockets still creating dangerous conditions.

One incident included an eight wheel, 60 tonne crane getting bogged in a creek. It started to sink in the mud, tilting 15 degrees, and we quickly had to level it with concrete blocks.'

The team mainly dealt with general property damage, according to Mr Trotta, and was also there to relieve staff who were exhausted from around the clock tree removals.


'We attended to approximately 35 crane jobs. There is still ongoing work to be done and months and months of tree surgery is still needed. There was a high level of job satisfaction, and the initiative and commitment from our staff was outstanding.'



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**These Schemes will open on 18 August 2007 and close on 12 October 2007**

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Song of the sunrise



**Story & photo Mary Gardner**

As many kids do, I learned how to be invisible. The background is a fascinating place. Growing up, training to be an observer in biology, I hung on to this simple childhood skill and made the best use of it. But I learned, as many kids do, that being invisible never really happens. The years of experience in the background turn out to be the foundation for simply being present.

See, one of the greatest debates in science these days is about the nature of ‘consciousness’. Its mere presence seems to have an enormous impact. In those physics experiments which are the universe’s theatre of the absurd, the observer seems to always affect results. The observer need not do more than be a witness.

Why physicists are surprised always amazes me. All they need to do is pay attention when they next walk outside. Consciousness is evident everywhere, alert and often interactive.

Perhaps, like many people, having some specific biological information would help them understand what their senses pick up. For example, the tools of consciousness in the animal kingdom are specialised cells and hormones. It takes the form of nerve cells and chemical ‘messengers’ all networked together with electrical impulses, often managed by a brain.

Throughout the animal kingdom, from the small insects to the primates and

cetaceans, the types of cells and the chemistry are all the same. The organisation and complexity differs. But the nerve net of the jellyfish and the nervous system of the crayfish and the snail all sense using the same biological basics as do the bird, the bee, you and me.

Of course, how the sensations are interpreted and put to what purpose varies a lot. Some animals use a series of proto-brains. Once they would have been arranged down low in a hierarchy of intelligence. Creatures with central brains, like us, would have been placed above them. But it turns out that our big brain group has nerve cell clusters and hormone receptors in places throughout our bodies, along our spinal cords and associated with lymph systems.

Whatever ‘thinking’ is, we can certainly say it’s ‘a whole of body’ enterprise. Whatever consciousness might be, it is something we all, to one degree or another as beings, partake in.

I encourage both the physicists and the philosophers to go out walking.

Try five am in the back of Byron. The dark is more grey than black. The cold comes with the clear skies we had for stars all night. I am conscious of the two joggers and the vehicle speeding by. As I slip away from the rows of human nests, down the clay track, there is a slight wind marking

the transition zone.

There are rustles throughout the leafy wallum.

My consciousness also rustles inside and plays a vivid sequence of recent video clips. The sadness of my two friends mourning deaths in family. The anguish of another caught in sexual politics with the partner he simply wants to keep loving. One mourning the loss of a longstanding relationship and breakup of joint efforts. Another’s despair in depression and chronic illness. My own struggles with several deadlines and my anxieties.

The winged descendants of monstrous dinosaurs are many small and large birds flashing around me. Their eyes see differently from mine. They are very busy among themselves with intense ‘life or death’ activities in which I don’t figure. Except perhaps as an interruption.

One bird rushes by me. Did I, or something else, disturb it? It perches on the grass tree stalk. I stop, perching above my inner activities. We’re so unlike, but aware of each other, present here as the sun rises on us both. But with our kindred nervous systems – when the bird bursts into song and my eyes flash with tears, who can but see how wildly urgent are both our feelings?

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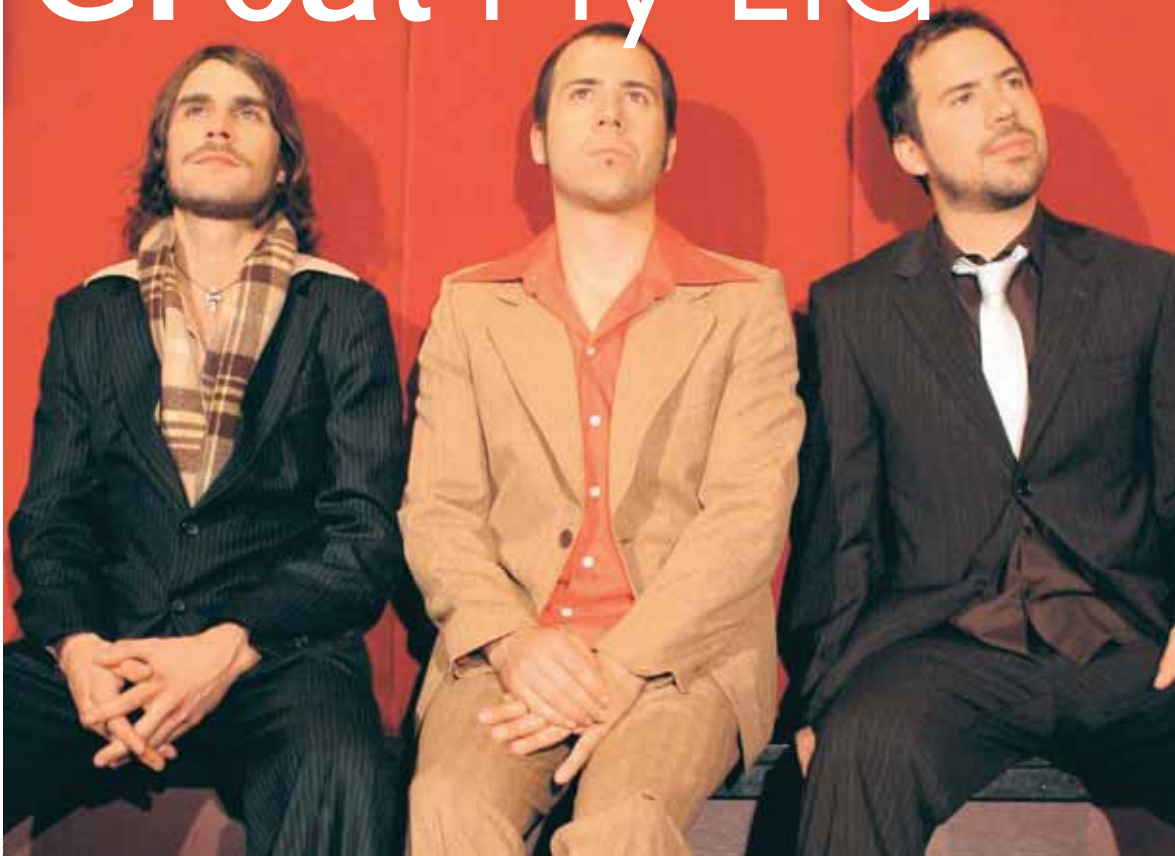
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## A Great Pty Ltd



Brisbane based band Pty Ltd launch their brand new second album 'Enticer Deluxe' at the Beach Hotel this Friday. The band has been performing in Byron since they first formed in 2001, finding an incredible resonance with the venue, and the place, something they feel is reflected in their music, and most particularly in this new album. Daniel Tainsh, one third of the trio joined me for a chat, and iterated the relevance of launching in Byron.

'It's (the album) extremely influenced by the Beach Hotel, we have done so many gigs there, and when you write a song you keep an image in your head. It has that feel of the holiday romance and that's with the band's music or a stranger, it doesn't matter, as long as you are in Byron and the sun is shining.

'This is our second full length release, making an album is a trip. I suppose you learn to craft more on the second album. You push yourself a bit harder and you have to think about whether you follow the first album's sound or go in another direction. We wanted to improve on the first one. And I really think that the new album has a lot more depth. There are a lot more places where it goes, it was recorded over a long time in lots of places, the sound of the album is really deep, but however it does maintain that summerish dance floor vibe.'

Pty Ltd are very much a live

act, and consequently it's the live sets that feed into what happens in the studio.

'We have been playing lots of gigs in Brisbane while we create this, it's been a 3 year process, going up and down from Sydney to Melbourne and to Byron. This gig coming up we are trying to make really special - we are going to be a bigger band than normal and we are going to be representing the songs more like they are on the album, the sound will be bigger and fuller and we are also having visuals and extra visuals. It's going to be great fun, especially for me, (the dancing) when I am playing rhythms on the drums and watching people dance you

almost take energy from their movement and grab little ideas from what they are doing and our music is designed for people to dance, it's very hard when they don't dance. It might not be your fault, but it never happens at Byron Beach Hotel.'

**Daniel even has a novel way of finding who in the pack has leadership potential. It could do away with those boring psychological tests forever.**

'Group dancing is powerful stuff, it's highly energetic, it's very intoxicating, once everyone is dancing. It's strange for the person who gets up first, I always respect them, they are the leader, you could pick politi-

cal leaders that way!'

**Influences on this album?**

'We have a lot of house music in our sound but that doesn't mean we are influenced by house music. We listen to a lot of things - like more interesting dance music like Pepe Duluxe. They are really great producers - fantastic drumming and their songs are incredibly rhythmical. Our keyboard player has had a penchant for James Brown and his rarer works and old school funk and the new... I suppose what we really like to do is taking someone's idea and twisting it and making it our own.'

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The other day I got an email of distress from one of my oldest girlfriends. She admitted to facing an emotional dilemma that was creating extreme inner turbulence. She's a 40 something sexy single Sydney girl with a successful small business. She actually owns the 2 bedroom micro apartment she lives in, nestled on the perimeter of the park in Edgecliff. She is childless, unencumbered by debt, unravaged by time, ethical, smart, and incredibly compassionate. Every second weekend she volunteers her time to St Vincent de Paul to work the soup kitchen. I have known her for 15 years, and her ten years of civic duty was only recently mentioned in a conversation as a casual aside. I had no idea that my good friend was so selfless. If that was me, I'd be wearing T-shirts saying 'and by the way, I

feed the poor.'

Oh, and did I mention that she's hot. Problem is she lives in Sydney. Consequently she has been single for the last 7 years with barely a bonkable blip on the horizon. Then finally, paydirt. A single hetro bloke in his 40's not obsessed with dating 20 year olds finally turns up. For the last 3 months she's been dating this guy she met through friends at a dinner party. He is everything she was hoping for, sensitive but manly, intelligent but not elitist, he's attentive, fun, spunky, he has a job, a good relationship with his mother and no dependents except for a one eyed ginger tom called Max.

He doesn't refer to his previous girlfriend as 'that crazy moll' and is a passionate and talented lover. So the reason for relationship SOS? His unpredictable, and at

times unforgivable dress sense. Ange is at an emotional crossroads. She admitted that while she felt she may be in love with this chap, she found some of his outfits were instigating feelings of despair and repulsion. While appalled by her own reaction, she found some of his couture choices were becoming real obstacles in maintaining the sexual chemistry in the relationship. Apparently at first it was OK. He would just wear the usual casual clobber of jeans and t-shirt, but then suddenly without warning, out it came. The man dress. On the day he was to meet her parents he turned up in a kaftan and

sandals. She was convinced he'd scored a job as an extra for the Godspell revival tour. She admitted to unexplained feelings of anxiety every time she knew they would be on a public outing. The dinner with friends went well, he



## Love, Fashion and other Catastrophes

wore cord pants and a 70's shirt. Perfectly fine. Then, without warning, he turned up dressed like a cross between Harry Potter and Art Garfunkel. She was bereft. Here he was, finally, the man of her dreams, perfect in every way except for being extremely fashion challenged. According to Ange it's the tension of not knowing that is creating the added anxiety. 'I just never know what's next,' she gasped. 'It's nervewracking.'

What's worse is that she feels terribly shallow. It shouldn't matter should it girls? But it does. Those of you who have the strength of character to love a man through that hideous period where he decides to 'express his inner self through his outer self' may cast the first man tunic. If you can walk proudly down the road with a bloke

in a pair of lycra tights and a fluffy midriff top then you are a stronger sister than most of us.

Yes, its wrong. It's like an episode of Seinfeld, and if there were a test I think you'd find that 98% of us have the Elaine gene that would see us facing the same quandary. Do you say something? Do you build a bridge? Do you move in and start doing his shopping?

I've just got a text from my girlfriend. As we speak they're at lunch at Wagamama. After 2 weeks of being 'clean', he's relapsed and is sitting opposite her in a pair of satin short shorts with a Lacrosse shirt. She commented that sex after lunch will be like 'f\*\*king Kel from Kath and Kim'. I text back my relationship solution: 2 weeks at a nudist holiday resort, followed by a hideous and unexplained fire, in his wardrobe.

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## [ INTERVIEW ] \*

### The Incredible Mr Jonathan

Jonathan Atherton is a stand up comedian with a difference. He has an exceptional gift for language, and an understanding of cultural nuance that gives him an edge as an Aussie in a foreign country. He's not your typical Aussie. He's the ultimate ambassador, laid back, intelligent and alert to cultural nuance. The last twelve months have seen Jonathan make the trip to Asia on such a regular basis, that he now intends to move his wife and two

small children to Singapore, the place he describes as the 'perfect base.'

'There's an island in Singapore populated with Malay fishing people. It's a 20 minute boat ride in and out, or there are areas where there is still native rainforest.'

I asked him if he'd send the kids to an international school. He recoiled in horror.

'God no, I wouldn't put them into an elite ghetto, I'd send them to a local school.

'I have met a lot of kids from the international schools, to

be honest they were good kids, but they hung out with other western kids. They don't really integrate and learn that much from the culture they are in. It's not surprising because they are all children of very conservative ex-patriot engineers, there's not a lot of great artists moving into the scene.'

**For a comedian known for his rather rugged edge, Singapore seems like a very unlikely destination. Crikey, isn't chewing gum even an offence there?**

**According to Jonathan, things, they are a changin.**

'What is happening in Singapore is they are having a bit of a renaissance. They have been so repressive in their attitude to recreational activities, artists have tended to leave the place. Singapore has now reached a point because business is stagnating they are realising that business feeds off art. The idea of going outside the box is fed through art, the more people are in touch with performing and the arts the more they flourish. They can't flourish without the stimulus and there are a lot more groovy scenes happening there.'

**While English is commonly spoken, Jonathan is keen to learn and perform in Singlish, a Singaporean pigeon English.**

'There are signs everywhere saying: speak proper English. I like to go and write 'ly' over the proper. That's my little joke. But I think now they are reaching a point of confidence in themselves as a nation.'

**Jonathan has a gift for language, but he is rather**



**modest about it, preferring to suggest it's just that he makes an effort, where most don't.**

'In our culture we tend to forget how important the greeting is. In other cultrtes how you greet someone is very significant. I can do that in 40 languages, just doing that has already made a huge stagement about how much respect you have for people.

'I think they should be teaching that in schools, it sends a strong message that although I am not good at it I have made an effort to find out. It creates a trust and respect between you and the person you are talking to. (This is key to his success on stage). As Australians we expect people from other cultures to meet us all the way as far as language is concerned.'

**It has always amazed me that a comedian as clever, funny and creative as Jonathan hasn't managed to crash his way through to the dizzying heights of Australian success. Why isn't Jonathan on Rove? Or Glass House? He has the talent and the routine and the ability to perform to any crowd, anywhere. He is one of our only Global Comedians.**

'I am incredibly frustrated with scene in Australia when you see people being treated like comedy gods it can be very dishearteneing. There are a lot of very very good comedians in Australia that don't get recognised.'

**In moving to Singapore this September, Jonathan is keen to help create**

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Jonathan described with excitement every comedian's dream. It's brand

new territory untouched by cynicism. All the great gags haven't been done there. It's like being a pioneer where people aren't expecting punchlines all the time. Often they are most mystified about understanding cultural

difference.

'In India I remarked how smart Indian women were for going nowhere near that fat bastard Shane Warne.'

Jonathan Atherton makes his last appearance here before moving to Asia. You

can see him in the intimate surrounds of Why Not Restaurant in Byron on Wednesday 29 August for \$30 (dinner and a wine) bookings 6680 7994, or at the Ballina RSL on Thursday 30 at 8.30pm.

LIVE MUSIC

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What better place to establish your career in the music industry than at **Byron Bay's SAE Institute**, Australia's premier audio engineering, film making and multi-media learning centre. SAE are having an open day on **Saturday** for would be students to have a look around the facilities, meet the teachers and get a feel for what a course would be like. Students will also have the chance to view SAE's industry leading facilities at the world headquarters campus. Teaching staff are on hand to answer questions about course options, academic pathways, career opportunities, enrolments, scholarships, modes of study and traineeships. Students can also book a one-on-one interview with a course

adviser to discuss possible career options. Graduates of SAE can look forward to exciting careers in music production, recording, live sound engineering, film editing or film production. SAE is now in partnership with Flickerfest, and students have the opportunity of entering their films in Australia's only Academy Award Accredited short film festival. For students interested in undertaking a course at SAE, there will be a mid year intake of students in November. Applications for course enrolment close on 26 October. Saturday from 11am-3pm at the Ewingsdale Road Campus. For more information call **1800 723 228** or visit: **www.sae.edu**

**SMILE FOR THE BIRDY**

You can catch **Birdy** in solo mode this week before he heads south with his band on their 'Sunshine & Snow' tour. The muso states: 'My favourite song says it all! Every day when I wake up I'm just glad to be alive! I love to make people happy, and I consider myself really lucky to be able to do that at my gigs. In between gigs I like to get out in the surf, always a good place to find inspiration for your next song. I have also been spending quite a bit of time in the studio recording my latest album which will be titled "Glad to be Alive" for release in early 2008.' Birdy plays **Thursday** at the **Lennox Point Hotel**, supporting Geoff Turnbull and on **Saturday** at the **Lennox Thai Garden**.

**DUBSHACK**

Fresh from an attack by some recent porn hackers, **Dubshack** are hot, horny and ready for action at the **Beach Hotel on Thursday**. It appears that their myspace site was hacked by internet porn spammers and mailed out teen porn and other internet related spam on their behalf. They are very apologetic, but they were just hijacked by pornutopia as a cyber cadaver to feed off. Catch more of the notorious Dub Porn spammers at their next show at the Beach Hotel on Thursday.

**SMOKIN' TIJUANA**

**Tijuana Cartel** bring their infectious dance music to Glo dance at the **Uki Hall this Friday** along with the pumping tribal beats of DJ Pulse. From the Australian East Coast, to the venues of London, the metros of Paris and the clubs of Mumbai, India, Tijuana Cartel have been on a journey through musical styles, studying and

absorbing the origins of music in a wide range of cultures. Tijuana Cartel introduce an intelligent and original sound, bringing flamenco and slide guitar, MCs, percussion, soaring female vocals and scratch DJs to the live forum and their list of shows. Vocalist and lead guitarist Paul George's flamenco strings slithering over some tastefully broken beats, combined with Carey O'Sullivan's primo electronic production and rhythm guitar have resulted in the band's two albums. Their live performance boasts splashes of Middle Eastern vocals, alongside some lilting Moby-esque soundscapes and get-up-and-dance beatfests – a club-friendly selection without a dull moment. So head out to Uki for the unique north coast flavour of Glo dance where the only vibes are good vibes. Doors at 8.30pm show at 9pm.

**NATALIE AT THE WINSOME**

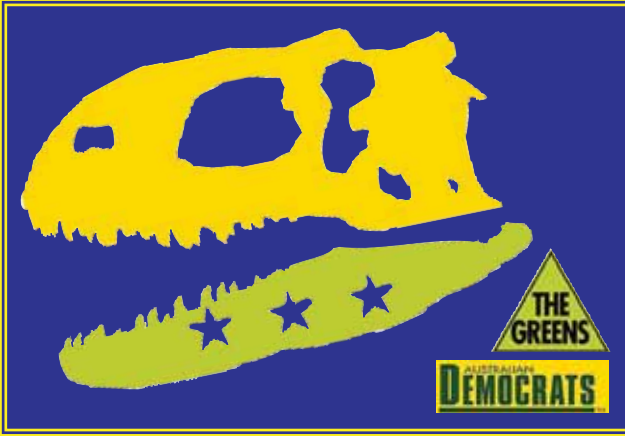
**Natalie Carey** (formally known as Natalie Gay until she fell madly in love and got hitched!!) is one girl you must see. Having joined with the likes of Australian jazz legends Jim Kelly (Crossfire, Renee Geyer), Greg Lyon (Crossfire, Renee Geyer), Dave Ades (F.A.T.S, Paul Grabowsky, Vince Jones) and Theirry Fossemalle (F.A.T.S, Whitlams), she has been gigging on the northern coast of NSW mixing her personal style of timeless jazz standards with risk taking nights of purely improvised music and recently stunning audiences with her own original material. After 8 years of classical training Natalie went on to study with the incredible Leigh Carriage at Southern Cross University. Her lifelong journey immersed in music has seen her arrive here, to a place steeped in the rich harmony of jazz, the cool sounds of soul, the naked intensity of accapella and the furious fever of funk. It's only a matter of time before Natalie Carey is recognised as one of Australia's truly treasured artists. Performing

with a killer band of some of the country's hottest players including Jim Kelly on guitar, Thierry Fossemalle on bass, Steve Russell on keys and Mitch Carey on the sax. She plays at the **Winsome Hotel on Tuesday at 8.30pm**.

MORE THAN WILLING – A GIG AND A BENEFIT

A note from Mr Jimmy Willing, the long tall punk-cowboy with the ginormous hat, a missing tooth and a sack full of ideas: 'My family call me The Wind-Up Scarecrow. They say, "Take him out of his box, wind him up and off he goes". I like to sing songs about one-horse towns, rodeo clowns and girls with holes in their stockings. I don't care much for what's top of the pops or the latest techno sensation. Train spotters among you will know that Uncle is usually on the banjo but is currently filling in for my blues guitarist, Davie-Bob Ramsey. I recently loaned out Davie-Bob to Mick Daley of The Re-Mains for a nation-wide tour. As fate would have it they never made it to their first gig as they collided with a cow out near Tennant Creek. Davie-Bob has a great blog called Life (& Death) On (& Off) the Road at <http://www.myspace.com/dayviebob> where you can hear it straight from the horse's mouth.

**Jimmy Willing and the Real Gone Hiccups** play the **Rails on Saturday** and are a headline on **Thursday 30 August** for the **Re-Mains Benefit at the Beach Hotel**. The money raised will help to cover the \$20 000 incurred getting everyone home safely and the ongoing medical expenses. It's tough being a musician, so crashing the tour van is a disaster! No doubt the guys will write some seriously great stray-bullock-wandered-in-front-of me type song. It's just so country gothic; being air lifted to Tennant Creek Hospital, narrowly escaping death. Other players at the benefit are Acre, Sara Tindley, Willy McElroy, Luke Vassella



new program guide

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MONDAY

6am Beat Junkie Lady Mojo

9am The Generator Giovanni Ebono

11am Upstaged Gina & Michael

12pm Cultural Awareness DJ Terra Nullis & Debra Cole

2pm Barkin' Soul Project DJ Shuffle

4pm Stuck 4 Words Oliver & Michelle

6pm Grailey Whole Celtic Show Margaret Wyatt

8pm Wave Length The Couch Surfer

10pm Mixing It Up KB

TUESDAY

6am Planet Luv Glitter Girl

9am Love, Life & Laughter Pavitar

11am Byron Business Phil Daly

12pm Living Vision Cate Cormack

1pm Refixture DJ Illity

2pm All That Jazz PK

4pm Rollin' Mel

6pm Post Modern Backlash Hudson

8pm Radio Mundial Steve Snelgrove

10pm Rub-a-Dub Lennox Dread & Krazy DayV

WEDNESDAY

6am Wakin' Waves Freegirl

9am Thermostat/Traveller's Tales Greg & Rebecca

11am Go Earthcare Ros Elliott

12pm Belly The Belly Sisters

1pm Suara Indonesia Dharma

2pm Tech Talk Lee & Drew

4pm Feel Up Ben & Del

6pm Down At Big Mary's Sista Mary

8pm Eclectic Lazyland Charles

10pm Psy Phi MK-Ultra

THURSDAY

6am Bump & Grind Elsa

9am Torque Radio Nyck Jeanes

11am Bohemian Beat Riddhi

FRIDAY

6am Morning Tea with JD JD Malouf

9am The Shakedown (earth friendly) Red Terra

11am Whirled Music Phil Hurst

12pm Shizzam Mim

1pm Brave New Tunes Mista Micha

2pm The Roundtable Dan Cassidy

4pm Moods For Moderns Brett Diemar

6pm Generation You Jordi Dougie

8pm Out Fairy Princess & Dancing

10pm Roots 'n' Culture DJ Selector

12am Soundtrack To Life DJ Rapunzel & The Undertaker

SATURDAY

7am Saturday Special Coco's Sister

8am Saturday Special The Mixed Brew

10am Cowboy's Sweetheart Carrie D

12pm Red Hot & Cool Anthony & Ken

2pm Natural Balance Sut

4pm Sliced Grooves DJ Madhu

6pm Toasted Lady Marmalade

8pm Ice Cream Truck Fulton & Ruger

10pm Broken Heart Road Peggy

SUNDAY

7am Sunday Soundscape Gayle Cue

10am Jazz Moods Jean Brown

12pm Omnibus RG Pedicini & Les Schmidt

2pm Radio Latina Yolanda, Juan, Manuel

4pm The Bay Lounge Aqua

6pm The Pulse MG & Ali

8pm The Chill Pill Mista Micha & Monsieur 'S'

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and a host of others. There are heaps of prizes on offer too: 5 day pass EC Bluesfest 08, 2 Tix For Splendour in The Grass 08, a Double Pass Bangalow Jazz Festival 08, a Double Pass to Little Birdy 27 Sept and a Double Pass to Missy Higgins and Tim Rogers 24 Nov, thanks to KU Promotions. Raffle tickets will be available from Wednesday 22 at *The Echo* offices in Byron and Mullum, Byron Music and All Music & Sound.

**VINCENT GIVES AN EARFULL**

**Floyd Vincent** along with bassist Bill Jacobi and drummer Dave Marsalis will make a rare appearance on the north coast in trio mode when they perform at the **Lennox Point Hotel Friday**. As members of the Childbrides the band have recently completed a national tour leading 150 of Australia's top investment bankers in each state a songwriting workshop. In another unlikely pairing 3 episodes of McLeods Daughters in the past few weeks have used tracks from their 'Monkey Puzzle' CD. Catch them at the Lennox Point Hotel on Friday.

**DAVID ADES TRIO**

Alto Saxophonist **David Ades** has been the heart and soul of Jazz in the Australian scene for more than 20 years. Many of you know him intimately from the celebrated groove infested jazz assault that is F.A.T.S, not to mention his consistent

appearances with other nefarious outfits around the Shire! David has just returned from a stint playing in New York and Paris and his musical injections have been sorely missed in his absence. He will be featured this **Wednesday** at the **Blue Birdy** along with fellow F.A.T.S members Greg Sheehan and Thierry Fossemalle in what is sure to be a smoking performance. Come down and enjoy the great music and vibes at the Buddha Bar this Wednesday night.

**LOVE IN THE TIME OF ATOM BOMBS**

**I Heart Hiroshima** make their way to the **Hotel Great Northern** this week. Their latest release 'Tuff Teef' features 12 tracks all about breaking chairs and stealing hearts. According to the band, our lives are surrounded by rules – family rules, school rules, rules of law, social mores, laws of nature, customs, unspoken rules. Even the rules we unconsciously or otherwise make up for ourselves. Barriers for breaking or guides of conscience, challenges to overcome or initiations to a flow. Rules for the sake of creative compression – no pedals, no overdubs... two guitars and a drum kit. Where it's at... shared vocals and a microphone. **I Heart Hiroshima** emerged in the party of back streets, to carve a trail through the bark – Matt (guitar/voice), Susie (drums/voice)

& Cameron (guitar/voice/art) Robert Forster from The Go-Betweens has even recently declared himself a fan of the band noting they are the best thing he has heard from Brisbane in years which has made everyone feel extremely honoured to have his interest. They are at the **Hotel Great Northern on Saturday**. **SARA ON SUNDAY** One week out from a triumphant performance at The 2007 East Coast Blues Festival, **Sara Tindley** with her band **The Kingfishers** were asked to open Splendour In The Grass at The GW McClennan Theatre, another notable achievement in what is shaping up to be a big year for Sara. A recently signed publishing contract has facilitated the placement of Sara's songs for TV including the new series filmed in Byron 'East Of Everything'. Her latest album, the critically acclaimed *Lucky The Sun* (produced by Bill Chambers) and debut album *5 Days* will be showcased at **The Beach Hotel on Sunday**.

**THE HILLS ARE ALIVE WITH THE SOUND EXCHANGE OF MUSIC**

Over the last two months emerging youth musicians of the shire have enjoyed extended musical instruction and mentoring thanks to a Youth Participation Grant

from YAPA (the Youth Action & Policy Association of NSW). The program, called 'Sound Exchange', is now approaching its closure, and the young people involved are inviting family, friends and community members to attend a free musical showcase to be held on **Wednesday 29th August** at the **Byron Youth Activity Centre** (1 Gilmore Crescent Byron Bay). The show will include young people performing original



**SNAKE OIL THE RAILS THURSDAY**

music written over the course of the program, individual musical acts, as well as **The Riff Band**. Riff is a Byron Youth Service (BYS) Project which offers opportunities for young people to develop musical skill and play alongside others. Show starts at 6.30pm

**STOKED FOLK**

Mullum Folk Club present Guy Kachel as their August feature at the Drill Hall on Thursday. Originally from Tamworth (Country Music Capital) Guy does have country in his roots. However he says he likes his country to have some grit, so to speak. Guy describes his writing as country blues with some sprinkles of everything. Inspired by the likes of Chris Whitley, John Hiatt, Rodney Crowell and Little Feat, Guy has been writing for some twenty years. He has worked and played with the likes of Phil Emmanuel, Broderick Smith, Troy Casser-Daley to name a few. Guy has a way of weaving life stories and great grooves into his songs. So if you're into a good story with feeling then come down and check him out. Chalkboard spots are available for musos who get in early! Show starts at 8pm.

**THE STORY OF SNAKE OIL**

In 1842 in Deadman's Gully the town was fighting over which brand of music was the best. Country, Rockabilly, Blues or Rock? When the dust settled and the gun smoke cleared only 4 men were left standing. One man from each musical camp. Moonshine Mick, Gelnignite Jed, Dirt Pan Dan and Francoise the Flabbergasted, an aboriginal boy of Viking parents. The reason these boys survived while all others died was simple. While the bullets and knuckles were flying these cowards were hiding. Being musicians they didn't care what type of music they played as long as there were gigs to play, beer to drink, and pretty girls to pull. It was on this day **Snake Oil** was born. Get ye some of the good oil at **the Rails on Thursday**.

## HSC Showcase Evening

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**Thursday 23rd August 6.30pm**

A showcase of work completed by 2007 Higher School Certificate students in Music, Media and Drama. Everyone is welcome to attend to see what these talented students have worked so hard to achieve.

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**THE RIFF BAND BYRON YAC WEDNESDAY**

**YOUNG PEOPLE SEEK SUPPORT FROM LOCAL BUSINESS...**

Byron Youth Service is supporting young people putting on the Get Rocked Festival on **Saturday 29th September at Byron Bay High School**.

We welcome local businesses to get behind our young people and the musicians involved in the event in any way they can. We need food, drinks, accommodation & rewards for all their hard work.

If you are interested in helping call Di 6685 7777 ext 4 or email: [yes@bys.org.au](mailto:yes@bys.org.au)

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WEDNESDAY 22  
9:00PM  
BIG SCREEN  
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THURSDAY 23  
9:00PM  
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FRIDAY 24  
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WEDNESDAY 22

■ BEACH HOTEL BYRON  
9PM **BIG SCREEN  
DANCE MUSIC**

■ BUDDHA BAR BYRON  
6PM **RED HOT SALSA**  
8PM **BLUE BIRDY, DAVE  
ADES TRIO**

■ THE RAILS BYRON  
**GEOFF TURNBULL**

■ CHEEKY MONKEYS  
BYRON **PIMPS & HOES**

■ COCOMANGAS, BYRON  
**LADIES NIGHT – DJ  
ROCK HARDSON**

■ BANGALOW HOTEL  
**DJ HUNTER**

■ HOTEL BRUNSWICK  
7PM **MOVIE NIGHT  
'FLIGHT OF THE  
PHOENIX'**

THURSDAY 23

■ BEACH HOTEL BYRON  
**DUB SHACK 9PM**

■ THE RAILS BYRON  
**SNAKE OIL**

■ BO'S RESTAURANT  
BYRON 7.30PM  
**BEAKERMOUTH**

■ CHEEKY MONKEYS  
BYRON **WET T-SHIRT  
COMPETITION**

■ COCOMANGAS BYRON  
**HIP HOP PARTY  
BREAKS – DJ KRISTIN**

■ CHINI HOTEL MULLUM  
**MULLUMBERRY JAM**

■ MULLUMBIMBY RSL  
7PM **ROCK 'N' ROLL  
DANCING**

■ DRILL HALL MULLUM  
7PM **MULLUM FOLK  
CLUB WITH GUY  
KACHEL**

■ PIONEER HALL  
MULLUM 7PM **WHALE  
PEACE HEMP & MUSIC  
NIGHT**

FRIDAY 24

■ BANGALOW CATHOLIC  
HALL 7PM **DRUMMING  
ON WATER**

■ BALLINA RSL 8.30PM  
**THE BIG GIG–STAND  
UP COMEDY WITH MC  
MANDY NOLAN FEAT.  
JONATHAN ATHERTON  
& ROBERT GREYSON**

■ LENNOX HOTEL 9PM  
**GEOFF TURNBULL +  
BIRDY**

SATURDAY 25

■ BEACH HOTEL BYRON  
9.30PM **OZ HORNZ**

■ GREAT NORTHERN  
BYRON 9PM **I HEART  
HIROSHIMA + SCUL  
HAZZARDS**

■ THE RAILS, BYRON  
**JIMMY WILLING + THE  
REAL GONE HICCUPS**

■ CHEEKY MONKEYS  
BYRON 7PM **LADIES  
NIGHT**

■ COCOMANGAS BYRON  
**DJ KRISTEN & TULIP**

■ HOTEL BRUNSWICK  
7.30PM **PETER C + THE  
PROPELLERS**  
■ MULLUMBIMBY RSL  
7.30PM **JIM  
FAIRFULL**

■ LU LU'S CAFE, MULLUM  
**SPARKZ**

■ DRILL HALL MULLUM  
7.30PM **CAPE BYRON  
PLAYBACK THEATRE  
'DEFINING MOMENTS'**

■ BALLINA HOTEL  
6.30PM **MARILANE'S  
BRAZILIAN JAZZ  
ENSEMBLE**

■ LENNOX HOTEL 9.30PM  
**HARD WORD**

SUNDAY 26

■ BEACH HOTEL BYRON  
4PM **SARA TINDLEY**  
9PM **DJ SCOOTER**

■ THE RAILS BYRON **THE  
PERCOLATORS**

■ BO'S RESTAURANT  
BYRON 6.30PM **MICK'S  
SASHIMI BAND**

■ HOTEL BRUNSWICK  
3PM **PURPLE STONE**

■ PIPPI'S NEW BRIGHTON  
12NOON **ANDY HOLM**

■ LENNOX HOTEL 4PM  
**HUSSY HICKS DUO**

MONDAY 27

■ BEACH HOTEL, BYRON  
9PM **BIG SCREEN  
DANCE MUSIC**

■ THE RAILS BYRON **BILL  
JACOBI**

■ CHEEKY MONKEYS  
BYRON 7PM **MEXICAN  
MONDAY**

■ COCOMANGAS BYRON  
**FUNKIN RETRO PARTY:  
DJ QUALITY CONTROL**

■ CHINI HOTEL MULLUM  
5.30PM **SALSA CLASS  
& FREESTYLE**

TUESDAY 28

■ BEACH HOTEL BYRON  
9PM **BIG SCREEN  
DANCE MUSIC**

■ THE RAILS BYRON  
**HARRY HEALY**

■ CHEEKY MONKEYS  
BYRON **COYOTE UGLY  
DANCE COMPETITION**

■ COCOMANGAS BYRON,  
**ANTHEMS – DJ KRISTIN**

■ BANGALOW HOTEL  
7.30PM **BRACKETS &  
JAM NIGHT**

■ WINSOME HOTEL  
LISMORE 8.30 **NATALIE  
GAY & THE SLOW LIKE  
HONEY'S BAND**

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NIGHT:  
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OF THE  
PHOENIX  
(PG)

THURSDAY 23  
5:30pm  
MEAT  
RAFFLES

6:00pm  
POOL COMP

FRIDAY 24  
7:30pm  
BIG  
MUSIC

SATURDAY 25  
7:30pm  
PETER C  
AND THE  
PROPELLERS

SUNDAY 26  
3:00pm  
PURPLE  
STONE

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# Television Guide

SBS broadcasting athletics instead of interesting television frees us all to watch the Graham Kennedy biopic **The King** on Monday night (NBN, 8.30pm).

1. However, the station atones somewhat with Julia Davis in the new black sitcom **Nighty Night** (SBS, Thursday, 10.15pm).

2. The cast list shows that **RKO 281** (NBN, Friday, noon) is no ordinary midday movie. Subtitled 'The Battle over Citizen Kane' it features Liev Schreiber (pictured) as Orson Welles baiting the unspeakable media proprietor William Hearst.

3. Will Ferrell sends up TV news a treat in the weirdly entertaining **Anchorman** (Prime, Sunday, 8.30pm).



	ABC	NBN	SBS	PRIME	TEN	NBN			
WEDNESDAY 22	4.30 <b>Movie: The Passing of the Third Floor Back</b> (G, 1935) Conrad Veidt. 6.00 <b>Kids' Programs</b> 10.30 <b>Behind The News</b> 10.55 <b>Australians</b> 11.00 <b>Weapons Races</b> (G) 12.00 <b>Midday Report</b> 12.30 <b>National Press Club Address</b> 1.30 <b>Talking Heads</b> 2.00 <b>Parliament Question Time</b> (PG) 3.00 <b>Kids' Programs</b> 5.55 <b>Behind The News</b> 6.00 <b>A Place In Spain: Year Two</b> 6.30 <b>The Cook And The Chef</b> 7.00 <b>ABC News</b> 7.30 <b>The 7.30 Report</b> 8.00 <b>The New Inventors</b> (G) 8.30 <b>Spicks And Specks</b> 9.00 <b>The Chaser's War On Repeats: 9</b> 9.30 <b>Star Stories: Guy and Madonna</b> 9.55 <b>At The Movies</b> 10.25 <b>Lateline</b> 11.00 <b>Lateline Business</b> 11.25 <b>Cracker</b> (M*,v) Repeat 12.15 <b>Movie: Bulldog Jack</b> (G, B&W 1935) Stars Jack Hulbert, Ralph Richardson. 1.30 <b>Movie: Fame is the Spur</b> (PG, B&W 1947) Stars Michael Redgrave. 3.25 <b>National Press Club Address</b>	5.25 <b>World News</b> in various languages 12.30 <b>Business Report</b> 1.00 <b>Movie: My Girl</b> (M 2004) Thai romantic comedy. 3.00 <b>Mum's The Word</b> Step Parenting. 3.30 <b>Festive Ways</b> (G) Doco from France. 4.00 <b>A Fork In The Road</b> Jamaica. 4.30 <b>The Journal</b> 5.00 <b>Newshour</b> with Jim Lehrer. 6.00 <b>Global Village</b> 6.30 <b>World News Australia</b> 7.30 <b>The Hairy Bikers Ride Again</b> (PG) Si & Dave do Argentina. 8.00 <b>Halal Mate</b> – Documentary series. 8.30 <b>Dateline</b> 9.30 <b>World News Australia</b> 10.00 <b>Movie: Dark Blue World</b> (M 2001) Czech pilots in WW2 serving in the RAF 12.00 <b>Movie: Nine Queens</b> (MA 2000) Entertaining Argentine film about con artists. 1.55 <b>WeatherWatch Overnight</b>	6.00 <b>Sunrise</b> 9.00 <b>The Morning Show</b> 10.00 <b>Home Shopping</b> 11.00 <b>Raggs</b> 11.30 <b>Morning News</b> 12.00 <b>Movie: Book of Days</b> (PG a, 2003) Stars Wil Wheaton, Maureen Flannigan. 2.00 <b>All Saints</b> (PG) 3.00 <b>The Knights Of Prosperity</b> (PG) 3.30 <b>My Wife And Kids</b> (PG) 4.00 <b>Go Go Stop</b> 4.30 <b>News</b> 5.00 <b>M*A*S*H</b> (G) 5.30 <b>Deal Or No Deal</b> 6.00 <b>Prime News</b> 6.30 <b>Seven News</b> 7.00 <b>Home And Away</b> 7.30 <b>Most Shocking</b> (PG, v,d) 8.30 <b>The Force – Behind The Line</b> (PG) 9.00 <b>Murder Squad</b> (M) London's Police Homicide Squad. 9.30 <b>Air Crash Investigations</b> return 10.30 <b>The Unit</b> 11.30 <b>Night Stalker</b> (M) 12.30 <b>Expo and Home Shopping</b> to 6am.	6.00 <b>Ten Early News</b> 7.00 <b>Toasted TV</b> 8.30 <b>Puzzle Play</b> 9.00 <b>9am With David And Kim</b> 11.00 <b>Ten News</b> 12.00 <b>Dr Phil</b> 1.00 <b>The Oprah Winfrey Show</b> 2.00 <b>Ready Steady Cook</b> 3.00 <b>Infomercial</b> 3.30 <b>Huey's Cooking Adventures</b> 4.00 <b>Totally Wild</b> 4.30 <b>The Bold &amp; The Beautiful</b> 5.00 <b>Ten News</b> 6.00 <b>The Simpsons</b> (G) 6.30 <b>Neighbours</b> (G) 7.00 <b>Futurama</b> (PG) 7.30 <b>Thank God You're Here</b> (PG) 8.30 <b>House</b> (M,a) 9.30 <b>Law &amp; Order</b> (M) 10.30 <b>Late News With Sports Tonight</b> 11.15 <b>Late Show with David Letterman</b> 12.05 <b>Everybody Loves Raymond</b> (G) 12.30 <b>Judge Judy</b> (PG) 1.00 <b>Infomercials and Religion</b>	6.00 <b>Today</b> 9.00 <b>Mornings With Kerri-Anne</b> 11.00 <b>TVP Direct</b> 11.30 <b>Danoz</b> 12.00 <b>Movie: Due East</b> (M, a,s, 2001) Stars Robert Forster, Cybill Shepherd, Kate Capshaw. 2.00 <b>Days Of Our Lives</b> 3.00 <b>Fresh Cooking</b> 3.30 <b>New MacDonald's Farm</b> (P) 4.00 <b>The Sleepover Club</b> 4.30 <b>Temptation</b> 5.00 <b>Bargain Hunt</b> 5.30 <b>Antiques Roadshow</b> 6.00 <b>Evening News</b> 7.00 <b>A Current Affair</b> 7.30 <b>McLeod's Daughters</b> 8.30 <b>RPA</b> (M) New series 8.45 <b>Lotto</b> 9.30 <b>Without A Trace</b> (M) 10.30 <b>The Nation</b> (M) 11.30 <b>Nightline</b> 12.00 <b>The Mint</b> (M) Games show. 3.00 <b>Guthy-Renker Shopping</b> . 4.00 <b>Untold Wealth</b> 4.30 <b>Good Morning Australia</b>				
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THURSDAY 23	4.30 <b>Movie: The Gentle Sex</b> (G, 1943) Stars Joan Greenwood. 6.00 <b>Kids' Programs</b> 9.30 <b>School Programs</b> 11.05 <b>Great Artists</b> (G) 11:30 <b>Walks With An Architect</b> 12.00 <b>Midday Report</b> 12.30 <b>Down To Earth</b> (PG) 1.30 <b>Strictly Dancing</b> 2.00 <b>The Bill</b> 3.00 <b>Kids' Programs</b> 5.50 <b>Behind The News</b> 6.05 <b>Grand Designs: Kent</b> 7.00 <b>ABC News</b> 7.30 <b>The 7.30 Report</b> 8.00 <b>Catalyst</b> 8.30 <b>Prince Charles and Prince William</b> 9.25 <b>Difference Of Opinion</b> 10.20 <b>Lateline</b> 10.55 <b>Lateline Business</b> 11.20 <b>Get Up Stand Up: We Shall Overcome</b> 12.20 <b>Movie: The Glory of Sport</b> (G, 1948). The XIVth Olympics in London 2.30 <b>Movie: Alf's Button Afloat</b> (G 1938) Flanagan and Allen 3.55 <b>Kempsey Ball</b> Indigenous magazine	5.25 <b>World News</b> in various languages 12.30 <b>Business Report</b> 1.00 <b>Chefs Of The Great Hotels Of The World</b> Hotel Meurice Paris 1.30 <b>Russian Godfathers – The Politician</b> Final. 2.30 <b>Dateline</b> 3.30 <b>If Only</b> Ups and downs of people's lives. 4.00 <b>Food Lovers' Guide to Australia</b> 4.30 <b>The Journal</b> 5.00 <b>Newshour</b> with Jim Lehrer. 6.00 <b>Global Village</b> 6.30 <b>World News Australia</b> 7.30 <b>Marx and Venus</b> (G) 7.35 <b>Inspector Rex</b> (PG) 8.30 <b>The Eagle: A Crime Odyssey</b> (M, v,a). 9.35 <b>World News Australia</b> 10.05 <b>The Movie Show</b> 10.15 <b>Nighty Night</b> (MA) Comedy series. 10.50 <b>Movie: Dead &amp; Breakfast</b> (MA,l,h,v 2004) Stars Vincent Ventresca, David Carradine 12.30 <b>Movie: One Armed Boxer vs the Flying Guillotine</b> (MA,v 1975) Hong Kong martial arts movie. 2.10 <b>Weatherwatch Overnight</b>	6.00 <b>Sunrise</b> 9.00 <b>Morning Show</b> 10.00 <b>Home Shopping</b> 11.00 <b>Raggs</b> 11.30 <b>Morning News</b> 12.00 <b>The Ghost Whisperer</b> Double episode. 2.00 <b>All Saints</b> (PG) Head to Head. 3.00 <b>The Knights Of Prosperity</b> (PG) 3.30 <b>My Wife And Kids</b> (PG) 4.00 <b>Go Go Stop</b> 4.30 <b>News</b> 5.00 <b>M*A*S*H</b> 5.30 <b>Deal Or No Deal</b> 6.00 <b>Prime News</b> 6.30 <b>Seven News</b> 7.00 <b>Home And Away</b> (PG) 7.30 <b>Ghost Whisperer</b> (PG) Series return. 8.30 <b>Fight for Life</b> (M, v,a) Medical documentary series. 9.40 <b>Time of Your Life</b> New series 10.50 <b>Mark Philippoussis' Age of Love</b> 11.45 <b>Stargate SG-1</b> (M) 12.45 <b>Expo, Danoz &amp; Home Shopping</b>	6.00 <b>Ten Early News</b> 7.00 <b>Toasted TV</b> 8.30 <b>Puzzle Play</b> 9.00 <b>9am With David And Kim</b> 11.00 <b>Ten Morning News</b> 12.00 <b>Dr Phil</b> 1.00 <b>The Oprah Winfrey Show</b> 2.00 <b>Ready Steady Cook</b> 3.00 <b>Infomercial</b> 3.30 <b>Huey's Cooking Adventures</b> 4.00 <b>Totally Wild</b> 4.30 <b>The Bold &amp; The Beautiful</b> 5.00 <b>Ten News</b> 6.00 <b>The Simpsons</b> 6.30 <b>Neighbours</b> 7.00 <b>Futurama</b> 7.30 <b>Simpsons</b> 8.00 <b>Simpsons</b> 8.30 <b>Law &amp; Order: Criminal Intent</b> (M) Rpt 9.30 <b>Law &amp; Order</b> (M) 10.30 <b>Late News With Sports Tonight</b> 11.15 <b>Late Show with David Letterman</b> 12.05 <b>Everybody Loves Raymond</b> 12.30 <b>Judge Judy</b> (PG) 1.00 <b>Shopping and Religion</b>	6.00 <b>Today</b> 9.00 <b>Mornings With Kerri-Anne</b> 11.00 <b>Danoz</b> 11.30 <b>Guthy-Renker</b> 12.00 <b>Movie: The Matthew Shepard Story</b> (M, v,l,s, 2002) Stars Stockard Channing, Sam Winterston. 2.00 <b>Days Of Our Lives</b> 3.00 <b>Fresh Cooking</b> 3.30 <b>New MacDonald's Farm</b> 4.00 <b>Sharky's Friends</b> 4.30 <b>Temptation</b> 5.00 <b>Bargain Hunt</b> 5.30 <b>Antiques Roadshow</b> 6.00 <b>Evening News</b> 7.00 <b>A Current Affair</b> 7.30 <b>Getaway</b> Travel show 8.30 <b>Sea Patrol</b> 9.30 <b>The Footy Show</b> 11.00 <b>Ralph TV</b> 11.30 <b>Nightline</b> 12.00 <b>AFL Footy Show</b> 2.00 <b>Mad TV</b> 3.00 <b>Guthy-Renker Australia</b> 4.00 <b>Entertainment Tonight</b> 4.30 <b>Good Morning America</b>				
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FRIDAY 24	4.30 <b>Movie: The Passionate Friends</b> (PG, 1948) Stars Ann Todd, Trevor Howard 6.00 <b>Kids' Programs</b> 10.00 <b>School Programs</b> 11.00 <b>Himalaya With Michael Palin</b> (G) 12.00 <b>Midday Report</b> 12.30 <b>Fireflies</b> 1.25 <b>Parkinson</b> (M*,c,l) Repeat. 2.30 <b>Spicks And Specks</b> 3.00 <b>Kids' Programs</b> 5.55 <b>Behind The News</b> 6.00 <b>No Job For A Lady</b> Final. 6.30 <b>Can We Help?</b> (G) 7.00 <b>ABC News</b> 7.30 <b>Stateline</b> 8.00 <b>Collectors</b> 8.30 <b>Proof</b> (M*v) Irish thriller. 10.05 <b>Help</b> (M) New comedy series with Paul Whitehouse, Chris Langham. 10.35 <b>Lateline</b> 11.15 <b>The Chaser's War On Repeats: 9</b> 11.45 <b>itv</b> 12.15 <b>Rage</b> (M) goes on till 9am Saturday.	5.20 <b>World News</b> in various languages 12.30 <b>Business Report</b> 1.00 <b>The Food Lovers' Guide to Australia</b> 1.30 <b>Insight</b> 2.30 <b>Faraday Lecture 2007</b> 3.30 <b>Hard Choices</b> 4.00 <b>Wine Lovers' Guide to Australia</b> 4.30 <b>The Journal</b> 5.00 <b>Newshour</b> with Jim Lehrer. 6.00 <b>Hotspell</b> 6.30 <b>World News Australia</b> 7.30 <b>Annie Oakley</b> Doco about the famous shootiste. 8.30 <b>Movie Show</b> 8.35 <b>As It Happened: The Mind of Adolf Hitler</b> (M a,s) 9.30 <b>World News Australia</b> 10.00 <b>The Great Happiness Space</b> (M) Tale of an Osaka Love Thief: doco on Japanese male 'hosts'. 11.25 <b>Movie: Learning To Lie</b> (MA, l,s,a 2003) German romantic comedy. 1.05 <b>Queer As Folk</b> (MA, s,l,a) Drama series. 1.55 <b>Weatherwatch Overnight</b>	6.00 <b>Sunrise</b> 9.00 <b>The Morning Show</b> 10.00 <b>Home Shopping</b> 10.30 <b>Morning News</b> 11.00 <b>Raggs</b> 11.30 <b>Morning News</b> 12.00 <b>Movie: The Doctor</b> (M,l,a 1991) Stars William Hurt, Christine Lahti, Mandy Patinkin. 3.00 <b>According to Jim</b> (G) 3.30 <b>My Wife And Kids</b> (PG) 4.00 <b>Go Go Stop</b> 4.30 <b>News</b> 5.00 <b>M*A*S*H</b> (G) 5.30 <b>Deal Or No Deal</b> 6.00 <b>Prime News</b> 6.30 <b>Seven News</b> 7.00 <b>Home And Away</b> 7.30 <b>Better Homes and Gardens</b> 8.30 <b>Heart Beat</b> 9.30 <b>2007 AFL Premiership Season</b> Round 21 – St Kilda vs West Coast. 12.30 <b>EXPO</b> to 6am. Our life is shaped by our mind; we become what we think. Suffering follows an evil thought as the wheels of a cart follow the oxen that draws it. <i>Buddha</i>	6.00 <b>Ten Early News</b> 7.00 <b>Toasted TV</b> 8.30 <b>Rock It!</b> 9.00 <b>9am With David And Kim</b> 11.00 <b>Ten News</b> 12.00 <b>Dr Phil</b> 1.00 <b>The Oprah Winfrey Show</b> 2.00 <b>Ready Steady Cook</b> 3.00 <b>Infomercial</b> 3.30 <b>Huey's Cooking Adventures</b> 4.00 <b>The Lost Children</b> 4.30 <b>The Bold &amp; The Beautiful</b> 5.00 <b>Ten News</b> 6.00 <b>Hook, Line &amp; Sinker</b> (G) 6.30 <b>Neighbours</b> 7.00 <b>Futurama</b> (PG) 7.30 <b>Jamie At Home</b> 8.00 <b>It's Me Or The Dog</b> 8.30 <b>Movie: Bridget Jones, Edge of Reason</b> (2004 M,l,s,d) Stars Renee Zellweger, Hugh Grant, Colin Firth 10.40 <b>Late News With Sports Tonight</b> 11.40 <b>Late Show With David Letterman</b> 12.40 <b>Out of Practice</b> 1.10 <b>Everybody Loves Raymond</b> (G) 1.35 <b>Everybody Loves Raymond</b> (PG) 2.00 <b>Infomercials</b> 4.00 <b>Strong Medicine</b> (M,a) 5.00 <b>Bayless Conley</b>	6.00 <b>Today</b> 9.00 <b>Mornings With Kerri-Anne</b> 11.00 <b>Danoz</b> 11.30 <b>Guthy-Renker</b> 12.00 <b>Movie: RKO 281</b> (M l,s 1999) Stars Liev Schreiber, James Cromwell, Melanie Griffith, John Malkovich. 1.50 <b>Pink Floyd</b> 2.00 <b>Days Of Our Lives</b> 3.00 <b>Fresh Cooking</b> 3.30 <b>New MacDonald's Farm</b> 4.00 <b>Sharky's Friends</b> 4.30 <b>Temptation</b> 5.00 <b>Bargain Hunt</b> 5.30 <b>Antiques Roadshow</b> 6.00 <b>Evening News</b> 7.00 <b>A Current Affair</b> 7.30 <b>Friday Night Football</b> Bulldogs vs Melbourne Storm. 9.30 <b>Friday Night Football</b> Newcastle Knights vs North Queensland Cowboys. 11.30 <b>Nightline</b> 12.00 <b>The Mint</b> (M) 4.00 <b>Entertainment</b> 4.30 <b>Good Morning America</b>				
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SATURDAY 25	<p>9.00 jtv Saturday</p> <p>11.00 Bowls</p> <p>12.00 Stataline</p> <p>12.30 Australian Story</p> <p>1.00 Foreign Correspondent</p> <p>1.40 Fire On The Rim: Alaska/Chile.</p> <p>2.00 Last Frontiers Explorers</p> <p>3.00 Rugby Sydney Fleet vs Perth Spirit</p> <p>5.00 Bowls: World Team Cup 2007</p> <p>6.00 Goodnight Sweetheart (G)</p> <p>6.30 Gardening Australia</p> <p>7.00 ABC News</p> <p>7.30 Doctor Who (PG) Stars David Tennant.</p> <p>8.15 Mr Bean Rowen Atkinson animation.</p> <p>8.30 The Bill (M*v)</p> <p>9.20 ABC News</p> <p>9.25 The Sideshow with Paul McDermott</p> <p>10.20 Parkinson: George Michael, the Scissor Sisters, Stephen Fry, Joan Rivers.</p> <p>11.10 Rage (M)</p>	<p>5.25 World News in various languages</p> <p>12.30 Business Report</p> <p>1.00 Cinderella Ballet</p> <p>3.10 J.S. Bach: The 48 Preludes and Fugues</p> <p>3.25 Farafina Djarabi African music</p> <p>4.00 Hungarian Rhapsodies</p> <p>4.30 Newshour with Jim Lehrer.</p> <p>5.30 The Dream of Love (PG) Film autobi-ography by Lawrence Johnstone.</p> <p>6.00 Hotspell</p> <p>6.30 World News Australia</p> <p>7.30 IAAF Athletics Championships Pre-view and Opening Ceremony</p> <p>8.30 IAAF Athletics Championships Athletics competition from Osaka starts tonight and goes on forever.</p> <p>11.30 Desperately Seeking Sheila (PG)</p> <p>12.30 S O S Short Films</p> <p>1.30 Martha's New Coast (M 2002) Bleak outback drama</p> <p>2.30 Weatherwatch Overnight</p>		<p>6.00 Kids' Programs</p> <p>9.00 The Saturday Club</p> <p>10.30 High School Musical</p> <p>11.00 Blinky Bill's Around The World Adventures</p> <p>11.30 Fairy Tale Police</p> <p>12.00 Eclipse</p> <p>1.00 V8 XTRA</p> <p>1.30 Motorsport</p> <p>2.30 According to Jim</p> <p>3.00 Movie: Mermaids (PG 1990) Stars Cher, Winona Rider, Bob Hoskins</p> <p>5.30 Sydney Weekender</p> <p>6.00 Seven News</p> <p>6.30 The Great Outdoors</p> <p>7.30 Great Comedy Classics (PG)</p> <p>9.45 Movie: Die Hard (M v,l,d 1988) Stars Bruce Willis, Alan Rickman.</p> <p>12.25 Movie: Dirty Filthy Love (M ,l 2004) A man suffers from Obsessive Compul-sive Disorder and Tourette's Syndrome.</p> <p>2.30 Danoz Direct</p> <p>3.30 Expo through until 6am.</p>	<p>6.00 Toasted TV</p> <p>8.30 Video Hits First</p> <p>10.00 Video Hits</p> <p>12.00 Australian Rally Championship</p> <p>1.00 RPM Motorsport</p> <p>2.00 AFL Round 21 Carlton vs Kangaroos.</p> <p>5.00 Ten News</p> <p>5.30 Sports Tonight</p> <p>6.00 Simpsons</p> <p>6.30 Bondi Rescue (PG) Repeat.</p> <p>7.30 AFL Round 21 Collingwood vs Sydney played live.</p> <p>11.00 Crime Files (M,v) If true crime stories are to your taste, and yes that is an indictment, sniff this lozenge wedged between the boots and the petrol.</p> <p>12.00 Formula One Grand Prix Qualifying laps from Turkey</p> <p>1.00 Before The Game</p> <p>2.00 Shopping and Religion</p> <p>It is better to conquer yourself than to win a thousand battles. Then the victory is yours. It cannot be taken from you, not by angels or by demons, heaven or hell. <i>Buddha</i></p>	<p>6.00 Danoz</p> <p>6.30 Untold Wealth</p> <p>7.00 Guthy Renker</p> <p>7.30 Kids' Programs</p> <p>10.00 The Music Jungle</p> <p>11.00 Test Drive</p> <p>11.30 Speed Machine GT Championship.</p> <p>12.00 The Car Show</p> <p>12.30 Do It</p> <p>1.00 My Home</p> <p>1.30 The Snow Show</p> <p>2.00 Wild Winter Weekend</p> <p>3.00 Movie: Lavender Hill Mob (G 1951) Stars Alec Guinness, Sid James, Stanley Holloway.</p> <p>4.30 Scenic Tours Canada</p> <p>5.30 Fishing Australia</p> <p>6.00 Evening News</p> <p>6.30 Australia's Funniest Home Videos</p> <p>7.30 The Dame Edna Treatment (PG) Sigourney Weaver, Michael Bolton</p> <p>8.30 Movie: You've Got Mail (PG 1998) Stars Tom Hanks, Meg Ryan.</p> <p>8.40 Lotto</p> <p>11.00 Penn &amp; Teller (M)</p> <p>12.00 The Mint (M)</p> <p>4.00 Home Shopping</p> <p>5.30 Guthy-Renker</p>
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SUNDAY 26	<p>6.30 Kids' Programs</p> <p>9.00 Insiders</p> <p>10.00 Inside Business</p> <p>10.30 Offsiders</p> <p>11.00 Asia Pacific Focus</p> <p>11.30 Songs Of Praise</p> <p>12.00 Landline</p> <p>1.00 Gardening Australia</p> <p>1.30 Message Stick</p> <p>2.00 Ancient Olympics</p> <p>3.00 Bejart Profile of dancer Maurice Bejart</p> <p>4.30 Al Andalus Flamenco/ballet</p> <p>5.00 Sunday Arts</p> <p>6.00 At The Movies</p> <p>6.30 The Einstein Factor (G)</p> <p>7.00 ABC News</p> <p>7.30 The Worst Jobs In History Rural.</p> <p>8.25 ABC News</p> <p>8.30 Midsomer Murders</p> <p>10.05 Compass: Welcome to Tehran</p> <p>11.00 Haunting Douglas (M) Story of New Zealand dancer Douglas Wright</p> <p>12.15 The Brief (PG)</p> <p>1.30 Movie: Jack's the Boy (G 1932) Stars Jack Hulbert, Cicely Courtneidge.</p> <p>2.45 Movie: High Tide at Noon (PG 1957) Stars Michael Craig, Patrick McGoohan.</p>	<p>7.00 World News interrupted by athletics</p> <p>11.00 Faraday Lecture 2007</p> <p>12.00 Speedweek Motor sport.</p> <p>1.00 FIA World Rally</p> <p>2.00 World of Athletics</p> <p>2.30 Italian Super Cup FC Internazionale vs AS Roma</p> <p>4.00 FIFA Futbol Mundial</p> <p>4.30 FA Premier League Classic Matches</p> <p>5.00 The World Game Football</p> <p>6.00 Hotspell</p> <p>6.30 World News Australia</p> <p>7.30 IAAF Athletics Championships</p> <p>11.45 Desperately Seeking Sheila (PG) Desperate reality series about lonely batchelors from the bush picking part-ners from hundreds of British and Aus-tralian applicants. Not previewed, so it's hard to say if this is as bad as it sounds.</p> <p>12.45 The Storm Rages Twice (G) Drama series from Lebanon</p> <p>1.45 WeatherWatch Overnight</p>	<p>6.00 Religion</p> <p>7.00 Stanley</p> <p>7.30 Seaside Hotel</p> <p>8.00 Weekend Sunrise</p> <p>10.00 Up Close Music (PG)</p> <p>10.30 Great Quake (PG) San Fransisco earth-quake of 1906.</p> <p>11.40 Movie: Hannibal Brooks (PG 1969) Stars Oliver Reed.</p> <p>2.00 2007 AFL Premiership Season Round 21: Geelong vs Port Adelaide.</p> <p>5.00 According To Jim</p> <p>5.30 Destination New Zealand</p> <p>6.00 Seven News</p> <p>6.30 Australia's Best Backyards Return</p> <p>7.00 Hot Property (G) Return</p> <p>7.30 Kath &amp; Kim (PG)</p> <p>8.00 My Name Is Earl</p> <p>8.30 Movie: Anchorman – the Legend of Ron Burgundy (M s,v,l 2004) Stars Will Ferrell, Christina Applegate.</p> <p>10.30 Alias (M)</p> <p>11.30 Movie: Bringing Out the Dead (AV,l, 2002) Stars Nicholas Cage, Patricia Arquette</p> <p>2.00 Expo, Danoz, religion and shop-ping to 6am.</p>	<p>6.00 Religion</p> <p>7.00 Scooter Secret Agent</p> <p>7.30 Totally Wild</p> <p>8.00 Meet the Press</p> <p>8.30 State Focus (PG)</p> <p>9.00 Video Hits First</p> <p>10.00 Video Hits</p> <p>11.30 City to Surf Highlights</p> <p>12.00 History Of The Rugby World Cup</p> <p>1.00 Movie: The Diamond of Jeru (PG, l,v 2001) Stars Billy Zane, Paris Jefferson, Keith Carradine.</p> <p>2.45 Movie: ET (G 1982) Stars Drew Bar-rymore.</p> <p>5.00 Ten News</p> <p>5.30 Sports Tonight</p> <p>6.00 The Simpsons</p> <p>6.30 America's Next Top Model (PG)</p> <p>7.30 Australian Idol</p> <p>8.30 Rove</p> <p>9.40 The Wedge (M, cl,s)</p> <p>10.10 The Wedge (M, cl)</p> <p>10.40 Formula One Grand Prix</p> <p>12.55 Video Hits Up-Late</p> <p>1.00 Shopping and Religion</p>	<p>6.00 Home Shopping</p> <p>7.30 Foreign Exchange</p> <p>8.00 The Shak</p> <p>8.30 Bio-Magnetics</p> <p>9.00 Sunday</p> <p>11.00 The Sunday Footy Show</p> <p>12.00 Sunday Roast</p> <p>1.00 Arrive Alive Cup</p> <p>2.00 Joan of Arcadia</p> <p>3.00 Gilmore Girls</p> <p>4.00 Sunday Football Wests Tigers vs South Sydney Rabbitohs.</p> <p>6.00 Evening News</p> <p>6.30 Backyard Blitz</p> <p>7.30 60 Minutes</p> <p>8.30 Movie: Something's Gotta Give (M ,s 2003) Stars Jack Nicholson, Diana Keaton, Amanda Peet.</p> <p>11.15 Survivor: Fiji Double episode</p> <p>2.00 Blue Collar TV (M)</p> <p>2.45 Billy Joel</p> <p>3.00 One On One (PG)</p> <p>3.30 Guthy-Renker Australia</p> <p>5.00 20/20 News and current affairs.</p>
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MONDAY 27	<p>4.30 Movie: It's Hard to be Good (G 1948 B&amp;W) Stars Anna Crawford.</p> <p>6.00 Kids' Programs</p> <p>10.00 School Programs</p> <p>11.00 Landline</p> <p>12.00 Midday Report</p> <p>12.30 French Leave</p> <p>12.55 A Place In Slovakia</p> <p>1.30 The Cook And The Chef</p> <p>2.00 The Bill (M* v) Repeat.</p> <p>3.00 Kids' Programs</p> <p>5.55 Behind The News</p> <p>6.00 Message Stick (G*)</p> <p>6.30 Talking Heads: Renee Geyer</p> <p>7.00 ABC News</p> <p>7.30 The 7.30 Report</p> <p>8.00 Australian Story</p> <p>8.30 Four Corners</p> <p>9.20 Media Watch</p> <p>9.35 Enough Rope with Andrew Denton</p> <p>10.35 Lateline</p> <p>11.10 Lateline Business</p> <p>11.40 The Men Who Would Conquer China Doco about entrepreneurs</p> <p>1.00 Teachers (M*c,l,s)</p> <p>1.55 Movie: Give Us the Moon (G 1944). Stars Margaret Lockwood, Vic Oliver</p> <p>3.25 Bowls: World Team Cup 2007</p>	<p>5.25 World News in various languages</p> <p>1.00 The Food Lovers' Guide To Aus-tralia</p> <p>1.30 Dateline</p> <p>2.30 Insight</p> <p>3.30 Cosenza Vecchia</p> <p>4.00 Missing Vietnam</p> <p>4.30 The Journal</p> <p>5.00 The Crew</p> <p>5.30 Blaktrax: Gumbainggir Lady (G) 5-part music series.</p> <p>6.00 Hotspell</p> <p>6.30 World News Australia</p> <p>7.30 IAAF Athletics Championships (replaces Top Gear, South Park and Strip-perella)</p> <p>9.30 World News Australia</p> <p>10.00 IAAF Athletics Championships</p> <p>11.45 Desperately Seeking Sheila</p> <p>12.00 Movie: Terkel in Trouble (MA 2004,a,l,v) Danish drama.</p> <p>2.10 WeatherWatch Overnight Better indeed is knowledge than mechanical practice. Better than knowl-edge is meditation. But better still is sur-render of attachment to results, because there follows immediate peace. <i>Bhagavad Gita</i></p>	<p>6.00 Sunrise</p> <p>9.00 Morning Show with Larry Emdur and Kylie Gillies. Now 2 hours. Count them.</p> <p>11.00 Raggs</p> <p>11.30 Morning News</p> <p>12.00 Movie: The Riverman (M,v,a 2004) Stars Bruce Greenwood.</p> <p>2.00 All Saints (M)</p> <p>3.00 According to Jim (G)</p> <p>3.30 My Wife and Kids</p> <p>4.00 Go Go Stop</p> <p>4.30 News</p> <p>5.00 M*A*S*H</p> <p>5.30 Deal Or No Deal</p> <p>6.00 Prime News</p> <p>6.30 Seven News</p> <p>7.00 Home And Away</p> <p>7.30 Border Security – Australia's Front Line (PG)</p> <p>8.00 The Force – Behind the Line</p> <p>8.30 TBA</p> <p>10.30 Boston Legal (M) Repeat</p> <p>11.30 In Case Of Emergency (PG)</p> <p>12.00 Reba (G)</p> <p>12.30 Champ Cars</p> <p>3.00 Expo and Shopping to 6am.</p>	<p>6.00 Early News</p> <p>7.00 Toasted TV</p> <p>9.00 9am With David And Kim</p> <p>11.00 Ten News</p> <p>12.00 Dr Phil</p> <p>1.00 The Oprah Winfrey Show (M)</p> <p>2.00 Ready Steady Cook</p> <p>3.00 Infomercial</p> <p>3.30 Huey's Cooking Adventures</p> <p>4.00 Scope</p> <p>4.30 The Bold and the Beautiful</p> <p>5.00 Ten News</p> <p>6.00 The Simpsons</p> <p>6.30 Neighbours</p> <p>7.00 Futurama (PG)</p> <p>7.30 Australian Idol</p> <p>8.45 Law &amp; Order: S.V.U (M)</p> <p>9.45 Californication (MA+15) New series with David Duchovny.</p> <p>10.25 The Office Return of the American version</p> <p>10.55 Late News With Sports Tonight</p> <p>11.40 Cybershack (PG)</p> <p>12.10 Late Show with David Letterman</p> <p>12.55 Video Hits Up-Late (G)</p> <p>1.30 Shopping and Religion to 6am</p>	<p>6.00 Today</p> <p>9.00 Mornings With Kerry-Anne</p> <p>11.00 Time/Life</p> <p>11.30 Danoz</p> <p>12.00 Movie: Gone to Maui (PG, v,d, 1999) Stars Cesar Lopapa, Pat Morita.</p> <p>2.00 Days Of Our Lives</p> <p>3.00 Fresh Cooking</p> <p>3.30 New MacDonald's Farm (P)</p> <p>4.00 Sharky's Friends</p> <p>4.30 Temptation</p> <p>5.00 Bargain Hunt</p> <p>5.30 Antiques Roadshow</p> <p>6.00 Evening News</p> <p>7.00 A Current Affair</p> <p>7.30 Queen's Castle Final (PG)</p> <p>8.30 The King (M l,s) The Story of Graham Kennedy, starring Stephen Curry, Shaun Micallef, Stephen Hall.</p> <p>8.45 Lotto</p> <p>10.40 Embarrassing Illnesses (PG)</p> <p>11.10 Life Of Grime: Edinburgh (PG)</p> <p>11.40 Nightline</p> <p>12.00 The Mint</p> <p>3.00 Guthy-Renker</p> <p>4.00 Danoz</p> <p>4.30 Good Morning America</p>
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TUESDAY 28	<p>4.30 Movie: Falling for You (G 1933) Stars Jack Hulbert, Cicely Courtneidge</p> <p>6.00 Kids' Programs</p> <p>12.00 Midday Report</p> <p>12.30 The Einstein Factor (G)</p> <p>1.00 The New Inventors</p> <p>1.30 Catalyst (PG)</p> <p>2.00 The Bill (G) Repeat.</p> <p>3.00 Kids' Programs</p> <p>5.55 Behind The News</p> <p>6.00 Time Team (G) Kinlochbervie</p> <p>6.50 The Prime Ministers' National Treasures</p> <p>7.00 ABC News</p> <p>7.30 The 7.30 Report</p> <p>8.00 South Side Story</p> <p>8.30 The Bill (M*,v)</p> <p>9.20 Foreign Correspondent</p> <p>10.00 Artists At Work: David Frazer (M* v,s)</p> <p>10.30 Lateline</p> <p>11.05 Lateline Business</p> <p>11.35 Four Corners</p> <p>12.20 Media Watch</p> <p>12.35 Bodyline: It's Just Not Cricket</p> <p>1.35 Movie: The One That Got Away (G, 1957 B&amp;W) Stars Hardy Kruger</p> <p>3.30 Movie: Find the Lady (G 1956 B&amp;W) Stars Donald Houston, Mervyn Johns</p>	<p>5.25 World News in various languages</p> <p>12.05 Indonesian News</p> <p>12.30 Business Report</p> <p>1.00 Movie: Monday Morning (PG 2002) French comedy.</p> <p>3.10 The Movie Show</p> <p>3.30 Football Stars Of Tomorrow (G)</p> <p>4.00 A Fork In Asia</p> <p>4.30 The Journal</p> <p>5.00 Newshour with Jim Lehrer.</p> <p>6.00 Hotspell</p> <p>6.30 World News Australia</p> <p>7.30 IAAF Athletics Championships</p> <p>9.30 World News Australia</p> <p>10.00 IAAF Athletics Championships</p> <p>11.45 Desperately Seeking Sheila</p> <p>12.45 Movie: Strawberries in the Super-market (M,l,v,a 2002) Drama from Serbia</p> <p>2.15 WeatherWatch Overnight Jay-Z gives shout-out to his shareholdaz <i>www.theonion.com</i></p>	<p>6.00 Sunrise</p> <p>9.00 Morning Show with Larry Emdur and Kylie Gillies.</p> <p>11.00 Raggs</p> <p>11.30 Morning News</p> <p>12.00 Movie: Kiss Tomorrow Goodbye (M,v 2000) Stars Nicholas Lea.</p> <p>2.00 All Saints</p> <p>3.00 According to Jim (G)</p> <p>3.30 My Wife And Kids (PG)</p> <p>4.00 Go Go Stop</p> <p>4.30 News</p> <p>5.00 M*A*S*H</p> <p>5.30 Deal Or No Deal</p> <p>6.00 Prime News</p> <p>6.30 Seven News</p> <p>7.00 Home And Away</p> <p>7.30 RSPCA Animal Rescue (G)</p> <p>8.00 Medical Emergency (PG)</p> <p>8.30 All Saints (M)</p> <p>9.30 Life Begins (PG)</p> <p>10.30 Standoff (M)</p> <p>11.30 City Beat (M,l)</p> <p>12.00 The Practice (M) Stars James Spader</p> <p>1.00 Expo, Danoz and Shopping to 6am.</p>	<p>6.00 Early News</p> <p>7.00 Toasted TV</p> <p>8.30 Puzzle Play</p> <p>9.00 9am With David And Kim</p> <p>11.00 Ten News</p> <p>11.30 TTN</p> <p>12.00 Dr Phil</p> <p>1.00 The Oprah Winfrey Show</p> <p>2.00 Ready Steady Cook</p> <p>3.00 Infomercial</p> <p>3.30 Huey's Cooking Adventures</p> <p>4.00 Totally Wild</p> <p>4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful</p> <p>5.00 Ten News</p> <p>6.00 The Simpsons (G)</p> <p>6.30 Neighbours</p> <p>7.00 Futurama (PG)</p> <p>7.30 Australian Idol</p> <p>8.30 NCIS (M)</p> <p>9.30 Num3r3s (M)</p> <p>10.30 Late News with Sports</p> <p>11.15 Late Show with David Letterman</p> <p>12.00 Torchwood (M)</p> <p>1.00 Religion and Shopping</p> <p>Presidential hopeful Kevin Rudd just 'assumed' cabinet knew he did porn films in the '80s</p>	<p>6.00 Today</p> <p>9.00 Mornings With Kerri-Anne</p> <p>11.00 Danoz</p> <p>11.30 Guthy Renker</p> <p>12.00 Movie: A Lesson Before Dying (M, v 1999) Stars Don Cheadle, Mekhi Phifer.</p> <p>2.00 Days Of Our Lives</p> <p>3.00 Fresh Cooking</p> <p>3.30 New MacDonald's Farm</p> <p>4.00 Sharky's Friends</p> <p>4.30 Temptation</p> <p>5.00 Bargain Hunt</p> <p>5.30 Antiques Roadshow</p> <p>6.00 Evening News</p> <p>7.00 A Current Affair</p> <p>7.30 Things To Try Before You Die (PG)</p> <p>8.30 CSI: Miami (M)</p> <p>9.30 Crime Investigation Australia (M v) Contract to Kill.</p> <p>10.45 The Sopranos (MA+15) Series return</p> <p>11.45 Nightline</p> <p>12.15 The Mint</p> <p>3.00 Guthy-Renker</p> <p>4.00 Untold Wealth</p> <p>4.30 Good Morning America Philip Ruddock orders staff to chain him tightly before next full moon</p>
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I NOW PRONOUNCE YOU CHUCK AND LARRY

This film has been panned by most critics, so I feel like a bit of a dill admitting that I quite enjoyed it. Subtlety is decidedly not its long suit, but with Adam Sandler as the star attraction you know that the sledgehammer approach to humour awaits you. He is as in your face as ever for the first half of proceedings, in which you learn within the opening five minutes that Chuck is a hero in the New York Fire Department and a chick magnet to boot. In such roles, Sandler's gum chewing conceit is near unbearable and I hardly raised a smile until the halfway mark. By then, the more artful Kevin James as Larry, his hetero buddy in the brigade, has grown in stature and the story's boof-headed

but sincere attack on homophobia has become clear. The guys pretend they are a gay couple in order for the widowed Larry to be eligible for welfare payments that he needs to help bring up his two little kids. They set up house together with the aim of convincing a tribunal that they are the real deal. Complications arise when Chuck falls for Jessica Biel, the gorgeous lawyer who is representing them, and they experience from the other side of the fence the prejudices held by broader society, and their workmates, towards gays. These are tough times for gag writers, so let's get one thing straight; there is no joke without a butt. Humour is never victimless, so if you are a precious soul who cannot accept this maxim and adhere to a liberalism which would



daily lengthen the list of targets that are taboo, then you'll want to give it a miss. The jokes that see the light of day are of the recurring school yard tripe variety for the most part and, at best, this is a mediocre, too predictable movie. But it comes across as genuine, nonetheless, and its message of inclusiveness, if not pitched at MENSA, is strongly proclaimed. George Michael's concluding 'Freedom' says it all. **John Campbell**

KNOCKED UP

Knocked Up stars Seth Rogen as the hopelessly immature slacker Ben Stone, who knocks up gorgeous Alison Scott (Katherine Heigl) on a drunken first date and forges a truce with his lifelong enemy: maturity. The film, which is a mismatched-love story, is a true child of its time. Everyone talks, no one communicates. She intends to have the baby as a single mom; he intends to offer assistance. The joys of the film evolve from the character development of both Ben and Alison as they begin a relationship with nothing in common except the (positive) results of a home pregnancy test. We are there for their ups and many downs. Director Judd Apatow (40 Year old

virgin) treads the fine line between hilarity and sincerity as the emotional stakes grow in the lead up to the birth of Alison and Ben's baby. The critical moments are replete with richness and the wonder of new life is delivered as a monumental achievement. This is a joyous film about friendship, love, men, women and vive la difference!

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LUCKY MILES

A Cambodian, an Iraqi and an Indonesian walk into an Australian desert ... It sounds like a joke intro, and co-writer/director Michael James Rowland has dealt with the provocative issue of boat people with a thankfully light hand. We are spared a political diatribe and that it's not really very funny (or as confronting as Michael Winterbottom's 'In This World' from 2002) is not enough to detract from what is yet another in this year's sequence of excellent Oz features. It starts with a dozen men being dumped by an Indonesian fishing vessel on the godforsaken north-west coast of Australia, a few hundred kilometres south of Broome. An overlong first act whittles the refugees down to the three primary characters who,



despite being lost in this hostile environment, with the prospect of perishing in its sands, never seem to develop any sense of camaraderie. They don't even call each other by name and, as often as not, are close to being at each other's throats. The engineer from Basra is a particularly difficult character to warm to, whilst his two Asian companions are simply clueless. Searching for them is a trio of Army reservists in a dusty old Land Rover. They suspect that their quarry might be more organised than your average refugees and it is they who get the most humorous scenes, without the situation ever being allowed (or able) to break into the hilarious black farce that it potentially is. John Jarratt from Wolf Creek might

have livened things up a bit and there is a nod to that now stereotypical outback psycho near the end when you fear that one of the characters has got into the wrong ute. The dry, empty landscape and the unhurried pace imperceptibly cast their spell, but the movie is strangely unmoving. The strongest emotional thread running through it links the opening and closing shots. An Australian leaves his Khmer girlfriend in Phnom Penh (who, as it turns out, was pregnant) and years later the grown up son has set out to find his father in Perth. There is never much made of this, though, and, if anything, I couldn't help feeling that the story concluded at its most interesting point. **John Campbell**

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POETRY  
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Your money or your life. Well what about a Thai curry instead? **The Bang Thai** (Urban by day, Bang Thai by night) kick off their new arts program with their **Friday 24 August Poetry Club:** Stand and Deliver. The poetry nights will be held on the fourth Friday of each month, starting this **Friday at 7pm.**

Admission is free and guest poets are invited for open mike participation. A prize will be awarded to the best of each night with the winner going forward to an end of year Grand Final with a grand prize to match. Bookings are essential and should be made by calling the restaurant on 6687 2000. The evening will be hosted by the raving rapier-like wit of raconteur and verse captain, Angus Thurgate.

DANGEROUS PRIZES

Out of 99 entries, the ten poetry finalists for the Dangerously Poetic Portraits and the Pen Poetry Competition have been chosen and are hung in the **Tweed River Arts Gallery** beside the corresponding portrait. Now it is time for the viewers to make a choice and

cast their vote for the Riverside Reception's People's Choice Award of \$100. On Sunday at 2 pm, most of the finalists will be at the Gallery for a **Dangerously Poetic Reading** and this will be the final opportunity to cast your vote. At the end of the reading, the tally will be made and a People's Choice winner awarded.

ART  
DADDYISM

It's ironic that one of the first words uttered by the baby human is Da Da – the school of art inspired by Marcel Duchamp driving a nail into an iron and thus rendering a practical object useless for anything except exhibition! **Friday night at Waywood** sees the opening of 'and in English we say daddy' an exhibiton of photographs by Claire Leimbach from 6pm (and then later it moves to the Fatherhood Festival).

ICE AUCTION

**The Buttery** fundraising thru the art's ambassador and artist Camilla Connolly will pre-empt the auctioning of a magnificent editioned photographic image of Antarctica taken by **Angus McDonald** on his trip to the

south pole earlier this year. The auction will take place at the opening of his exhibition, 'Antartica', at the **Lismore Regional Gallery** from **6pm on Friday.** Dee Tipping, fundraising coordinator for The New Buttery said she is delighted that regional artists continue to support The Buttery's efforts to build a new campus, '...especially after the massive outpouring of support we received throughout the FEHVA visual arts festival and auction. Angus has generously donated the entire proceeds of the framed graphic image to The Buttery and as it will be the only piece available for sale at the exhibition before it heads off to London, this is a rare and extraordinary chance to purchase a very limited edition print.' Get in quick, they're melting fast. For more information contact 6622 2209 or fundraising@buttery.org.au. Visit Angus' website on [www.angusmcdonald.com.au](http://www.angusmcdonald.com.au)

EXHIBITING FOR  
THE LAMA

There will be an exhibition of Fine Art at **The Art Space** opposite the Bangalow A&I Hall on **Thursday at 6.30pm.** It features the work of Phil, Karma and Tony. Karma is an



established artist and sells his art in US and France and has most recently been invited by His Holiness the Dalai Lama to exhibit in New Delhi in September. Come along and check out the work

SINGING WORKSHOP  
IF YOU CAN TALK  
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Is singing something you've always longed to do, but you thought you'd better not frighten the cat? **Frankie Armstrong** believes singing is our birthright. You can test her theory for yourself soon, because she is coming to Byron Shire at the Spring Equinox to lead two residential retreats: **If You can Talk, You can Sing!** followed by a master class **Voicing the Archetypes of Myth.** Frankie is being brought here by local storyteller Jenni Cargill-Strong, under the banner of her 'Story Tree Company'. A weekend workshop with Frankie back in 1990 in Sydney made a big impact on Jenni's singing and performance career and shewants people here to get



opportunity too. Since 1975, Frankie has been running voice workshops in Britain, Continental Europe, North America and Australia. The workshops are for singers and non-singers alike, in fact, their whole aim is to do away with the distinctions – and are based on an open-throated type of singing found in all cultures that sing outdoors, cultures where everyone sings just as naturally as they talk. While not aiming to have everyone become a 'singer', they offer the opportunity for people to explore and enjoy using their voices in an easygoing and supportive atmosphere. The first retreat **If You can Talk, You can Sing!** runs from **Friday evening September 21 to 4pm Sunday 23.** The focus will be to free the voice, bring awareness of the body-voice relationship and play with the continuum from speaking to singing. The second workshop **Voicing the Archetypes of Myth** is a three day masterclass which will follow from **Mon Sep 24- Wed Sep 26.** It limited to 18 participants. To

book in or for more information call Jenni on 6684 6548.

FILM  
WATCHING WHALES  
IN MULLUM

**Whale, Peace, Hemp, Film and Music night** is on this **Thursday at Pioneer Hall in Mullumbimby** from 7pm. It will be the premier screening of a 40 min film Dean Jeffries shot at the recent war games protests at Shoalwater Bay Queensland, cut with some live rap tunes and music from Michael Franti. It's also a chance for all those who went to Shoalwater Bay to get together. Dean will also be showing a short clip from last year with the whales in Hervey Bay and giving an update on the critical situation facing our humpback whales. I'll also be giving an update of my 'Flight of the Humpback' project which is looking promising.

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Serves 4

- 12 spring lamb cutlets – fat trimmed
- 12 basil leaves
- 12 slices prosciutto parma/serrano jambon
- 4 med beetroot – peeled & sliced in wedges
- 3 cloves garlic sliced finely
- 2 tblsp olive oil
- 2 tblsp sweet chilli sauce
- 1/2 tsp smoked paprika
- 1 tsp cumin seeds
- 1 tsp coriander seeds
- salt & pepper

- 200g Persian feta
- 1/2 cup picked basil leaves
- 1/2 cup picked Italian (flat leaf) parsley
- 24 nice stems rocket or 2 cups wild rocket
- Juice 1 lemon
- 3 tblsp extra virgin olive oil
- salt & pepper

Method

Toss beets with oil, sweet chilli, spices & season. Bake on baking paper for 30 mins at 160°C & toss during cooking till beets lightly caramelize. Season lamb & grill for 2 mins on each side. Lay out prosciutto with a basil leaf on each slice & wrap cutlets in prosciutto. Bake for 5 mins at190°C till prosciutto lightly crisp. Divide beets between 4 plates. Spoon feta over beets. Toss rocket & herbs with lemon juice & olive oil & season. Sit salad on top of beets with cutlets to the side.

DECLAIM AND EAT

Every fourth Friday of the month, starting August 24, there will be open mike poetry readings at Bangalow’s Bang Thai restaurant. Prizes will be awarded for the best of the night, there will be a grand final at the end of the year – and the modern Thai food is worth the trip alone! Ring 6687 2000 for more details.

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## PIZZARESQUE

After the fiasco of the Saturday night we rang two pizza outlets requesting home deliveries I was taking no chances: I was making my own, in spite of having been offered a perfectly sound explanation by one of the places. (It was the first Saturday night of the school holidays and only 8pm, my address a regularly frequented one by pizza deliverers, and my request was refused twice: the first time mysteriously and inexplicably, the second because the delivery driver failed to appear for work that evening. I shall mention no names, but it was an interesting situation...)

And so the following weekend we planned for winter cosiness to stay again at home. I foraged through my kitchen cupboards in search of yeast, and to my delight unearthed a packet still several weeks shy of its expiry date. I hadn't made pizzas for years and was absolutely in the mood for the cathartic, soothing ritual of working with yeast. Plain flour, blood-warm water, a pinch of sugar, some olive oil and I was up and running, pounding and punching, pummelling and persuading the dough into a silky soft ball of future pizza bases. Cold weather meant that there was nowhere warm for it to prove until I found a slant of sunshine and left it there in its bowl, a dampened cloth cover to keep out the draughts. Meanwhile the filling was to be chunks of local orange pumpkin roasted in garlicky olive oil, fresh basil from our garden, some Persian fetta and semi-dried tomatoes from the fridge. Things were looking good: who needed home deliveries anyway? After a couple of hours I drew back the cloth from the bowl, to regard the ball of dough little larger than the size I had left it. All that muscular vigour, those good ten minutes of kneading air, lightness, passion and possibly perspiration into this thing which now glared defiantly up at me: the bloody yeast!

In my stubborn way I pressed on: I figured that, at worst, it would still be an edible if scone-like foundation for my glorious topping. I tore it in to four pieces, stretched them into discs, piled on the pumpkin et al and slid them into a ferociously hot oven. Fifteen minutes later they were before us on plates, unsurprisingly little altered from their pre-cooked states. The topping tasted great, and the dogs loved the bases.

Since then I have armed myself with a brand new box of powdered yeast and a packet of OO flour: I will not be caught out again (although, ironically, the very day I brought home those ingredients I went to turn on the oven, only to discover that I had run out of gas – indubitably the result of its having blasted away at maximum heat for the duration of the pizza-making episode...)

There was only one thing to do, and that was to drive to darkest Lismore to Fire In The Belly. Amazing the lengths to which one will go – but this was a destination toward which I had for a while aspired, having heard positive reports and read of assorted awards. It's in a dubious location, a soulless strip of Dawson Street beside a motel – but once you are inside it shouts warmth and atmosphere, fun and good cooking smells. The several rooms include a front one containing romantic booths as well as long tables, and the back one where we ended up which offered intimate glimpses of the busy kitchen and the grotesque red dragon adorning the wood-fired oven and which led out into a little garden where I imagine on a balmy summer evening it would be the place to dine. It was a Wednesday night in a regular, non-school holidays week and when I had rung to ask if I needed to make a reservation the answer had been unhesitatingly yes. The place was pumping, and many of the tables looked like Girls Nights Out, with pretty twenty-something year olds shrieking to the mini explosion of Seaview champagne corks. We shared two gourmet pizzas, the Broccoli Hugger (fresh broccoli, snow peas, roast pumpkin, basil and macadamia pesto) and the Garlic Prawn, which included avocado and camembert: they were both divine. The bases use cold-pressed extra virgin olive oil and certified organic flours – a combination of unbleached and wholemeal – and much of the ingredients are sourced locally.

Their excuse for not delivering to my Byron Bay address is utterly forgivable, if not entirely regrettable.





Crossword 014 by Mungo MacCallum

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- Quick Clues
- ACROSS
1. Group sex attacks. (4,5)  
6. Type of greek column. (5)  
9. A single occasion (old). (5)  
10. Dealing with public affairs. (9)  
11. Man-made radioactive element. (9)  
12. North-eastern Indian state. (5)  
13. Ordinal one. (5)  
14. Teach. (8)  
18. Frightened, stampeded. (8)  
20. Provisions, articles of trade. (5)  
24. Proceed on hands and knees. (5)  
26. Naked, unprotected. (9)  
27. Supports for street lights. (4,5)  
28. Catarrhal discharge. (5)  
29. Same again. (5)  
30. Ancient Jewish court. (9)
- DOWN
1. Soft porn photos and the models for them. (3-3)  
2. Roman commander of 100 soldiers. (9)  
3. Sports shoes. (7)  
4. Cotton cloth. (6)  
5. Excavation to supply sodium chloride. (8)  
6. Take away, put down. (7)  
7. Running contests. (5)  
8. Disaster. (8)  
15. Lingerie, smalls. (9)  
16. Spotted. (8)  
17. Asks, demands. (8)  
19. Caribbean musical style. (7)  
21. Opposite side. (7)  
22. Does in accordance with, follows. (4,2)  
23. Non conformist, one who stands apart. (3,3)  
25. Confess.

- Cryptic Clues
- ACROSS
1. Oilseed hidden in decks – headline crimes! (4,5)  
6. Column just one short of 600? About right. (5)  
9. French say no to church, for the time being. (5)  
10. Sort of party that won't wear informal. (9)  
11. Metal found on a non-planet? (9)  
12. A country like uncle. (5)  
13. Leader on Abies Way. (5)  
14. Teach short hit in one territory. (9)  
18. Parent stolen, went crazy. (9)  
20. Baby talk around daughter produces benefits. (5)  
24. Crop left to proceed slowly. (5)  
26. Naked, but not reported. (9)  
27. Light jobs sought after by dogs. (4,5)  
28 Discharge gets man into the grog. (5)  
29. Make over corporate giant, but it's more of the same. (5)  
30. Council had sinner worried. (9)
- DOWN
1. Wins over naked French models. (3-3)  
2. If his command was decimated, just 90 would survive. (9)  
3. Boots about Eastern South Africans. (7)  
4. Nothing over, after fashionable material. (6)  
5. Gulag feature – a big seller! (8)  
6. Take away leaves listener tortured by liabilities. (7)  
7. Contests bloodgroups. (5)  
8. A climate change energy becomes unknown – disaster! (8)  
15. Minimum needed for mad nude right over river! (9)  
16. Spotty meat came first. (8)  
17. Asks about missions (8)  
19. Sea nymph's song. (7)  
21. The Other Side of the River, a poem. (7)  
22. Canberra native follows ... (4,2)  
23. ...one who is often out. (3,3)  
25. A thousand trapped in mineshaft: confess. (5)

Last week's solution

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Extravagance, indulgence and overspending reach their outer limits this week, then turn the curve back towards Virgo cusp activities: fitness resolutions, financial belt tightening and demonstrating love in practical ways...

**ARIES:** Free with advice for others, Aries tend to get restless – or just plain hard of hearing – when they're on the receiving end. But you'll find being outspoken isn't a one way street in your favour this week, which could have you rethinking some of those vigorous opinions...

**TAURUS:** If this week's people choose silence as a means of expressing disapproval, isn't it

relaxing not being required to justify or explain yourself? The present earthy star energy's strongly supportive of Tauran ambitions – you could move mountains this week.

**GEMINI:** You might be raring to make changes this week, but don't expect instant results. Rushing big decisions isn't recommended. Assess the risk/reward ratio first, and make sure it's really in your favour. Turn delays to your advantage by fine tuning plans and updating information.

**CANCER:** While this week's people are likely to be bossy, competitive attention hogs, if you can find a way to deal with that without taking it personally they're also a tremendous resource: creative money makers, energetic ideas people, generous friends and great entertainment.

**LEO:** Been swanning around lavishly maxing the plastic? This week suggests attending to what you've been putting off and getting something messy that's out of whack back on track. Not interested? Too boring? Ok, then watch what you say – careless

comment could cause an uproar.

**VIRGO:** The downside of your nurturing Virgo nature is unnecessary stress from worrying about others. But they may not need help, so don't assume – ask. And unless this week's insights and advice come from a loving rather than a critical place, others won't trust them.

**LIBRA:** Grand plans may have to be rejigged this week to fit practical realities, as smaller begins to look more achievable. You mightn't be quite ready yet to streamline or downsize, but at least start thinking about it. You already know genius is 1% inspiration and 99% application.

**SCORPIO:** The current cosmic climate activates your theatrical talents as enthralling story teller, mischievous mimic and social magician. You're sitting on a secret too, waiting for the moment of maximum impact to reveal it – best done sooner than later.

**SAGITTARIUS:** The Moon's in Sagittarius, you're in the mood to talk and no known force in the universe is going to stop

you. Undaunted by less daring imaginations, this week sees you successfully sharing and selling the ideas that inspire you. Go Archers!

**CAPRICORN:** It's abundantly clear that this week's people aren't precision instruments. They'll make mistakes and deny all knowledge of them. Won't behave rationally. Will give you grief. What to do? Keep remembering that they're human, just like you.

**AQUARIUS:** If this week brings the kind of feedback nobody likes to hear, well, we all need a reality check now and again. Looked at from a different perspective it could be a big gift. When you stop feeling defensive and cool down, what could you learn from it?

**PISCES:** A self promoting week, in which the squeaky wheel gets the oil; while big noting mightn't be your style, a pro-active approach won't hurt. Of course your contributions speak for themselves, but this week you may have to talk up a little on their behalf.

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Australia's medal-winning performance at last week's World Youth U/16 Olympiad was noteworthy in many respects, yet the team left Singapore with the feeling that a little luck would have seen the team scale far greater heights.

Any team which loses only six of forty games and can boast a silver individual medal is entitled to be proud of its performance.

The individual medal – Australia's first in this event – belonged to board two Junta Ikeda, whose 6.5/8 score included three crucial wins in the demanding three final rounds. Ikeda was piped for the gold by Hungary's Gyula Pap, the difference being the Canberra junior's failure to convert an endgame with two extra pawns in an earlier round.

Ikeda's miss was a rare flaw in a near-perfect performance but it was also symptomatic of the troubles which afflict-

CHESS by Ian Rogers

Play at Byron Services, Mon 7-10pm; Mullum Poinciana Café, Sat 2-5pm

ed Australia's other players. On the bottom two boards, Raymond Song and Max Illingworth both scored well, yet each threw away points through lack of endgame technique. In many cases inexperience caused Song and Illingworth to become over-excited when on the verge of victory, only to see their opponents scramble draws once the Australians' concentration levels fell.

A final placing of fifth was another record for Australia but the missed opportunities meant that third place, at least, was attainable.

Australia's other three teams in Singapore all performed respectably, with another ACT player, Andrew Brown, the stand-out. Brown scored 7.5/10 on board one but was edged out for a bronze medal on a tiebreaker.

20.Kh1 20.Qf2 Qxe5! 21.Qf7+ Kd8 22.Bxc4 also fails to 22...Qxh2+ 23.Kf2 Rf8. 20...Qxe5 21.g3 cxd3 22.Qxd3 Bd7 23.Rad1 Ke7 24.Rfe1 Setting up some tricks but Ikeda remains alert. 24...Bb5 25.Qd2 Rad8 26.Nd5+! Kf7! 27.Qf2+ Kg7 28.Qb6 Bc6 29.c4 h4! 0-1

2007 World Youth Olympiad leading final scores: 1.India 28/40; 2.Hungary 27.5; 3.Philippines 25.5; 4.Uzbekistan 24.5; 5.Australia 24.



Silver medallist Junta Ikeda

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# Sports Roundup with John Campbell

## Wherever I lay my hat, that's my home

John Campbell

A couple of Glasgow lads, in Rome for a cup tie between Celtic and Lazio, were on the ran-tan the night before the game. They entered a caffè, ordered two pints of bitter and were dumb-founded when told that the establishment did not sell such a beverage.

‘Wha’ does the Pope drink, then?’

With that degree of superciliousness mastered only by European waiters and Apple techs, the signor shrugged his shoulders and suggested ‘crème de menthe?’

‘Gi’ us two pints o’ that then, Jimmy.’

Morning’s light found the Scots blotto in the gutter, having paid dearly for being strangers in a strange land.

People have forever moved from place to place as pilgrims, tourists or migrants seeking opportunities to improve their circumstances. Australia is long familiar with the brain drain of scientists and artists departing for greener pastures, but the flow of sportspeople doing the same has been late to take off. Now as brawn is drawn increasingly to the highest bidder, it is a torrent.

The phenomenon is not entirely new; in the fourth century, a guild of elite athletes, mostly from the eastern provinces, where games came with Hellenisation, toured the Roman Empire accruing for themselves



Digital bastardry by Hans Lovejoy and John Campbell

honours and privileges identical to the ones bestowed on today’s celebrity golfers and tennis players.

They would necessarily have had to adapt to foreign climes and cultures and, as with their modern counterparts, the ability to do that would have been nearly as important as the honed skills from which they made their hard earned.

The twenty-first century’s sporting hubs are undoubtedly England and the USA, and let’s not too hastily label

as mere mercenaries those who pack their bags and choof off to them. Money is not quite all; the need for personal development and recognition can never be underestimated. Certainly basketballer Lauren Jackson would never have reached the heights she has had she stayed in Albury and not moved on to Seattle, where her career in the WNBL has been a stellar one.

For every Jackson who makes it, though, there are countless others who floun-

der on the poorly lit stage of the merely competent. For every Harry Kewell at glamorous Liverpool there is a Ryan Griffiths schlepping his kit from Rapid Bucharest to Liaoning in China.

Another Australian soccer player, David Carney, having cracked it for a spot with the Socceroos at the Asia Cup, recently severed his ties with Sydney FC to accept an offer from Sheffield Utd in England’s dreary second tier competition. Maybe he believes that, over there, he

will be more likely to be head-hunted by scouts from Man U or Inter, but really – at what stage does lifestyle enter the equation? The Beatles slumped it in Hamburg before their jugger-naught took off, but, unless Carney has a talent similar to the Fab Four’s, a cold and damp afternoon being hacked in Sheffield, Scunthorpe and Hull, without recovery sessions at sunny Bondi, sounds like a tough road to hoe.

He is not on his own, either. The 1992 English football season kicked off with eleven foreign players on the books. In 2007 the number is an incredible 331, from 66 nations.

Commercialisation and its by-product, the absolute imperative to win, have seen the death of local identity. It’s a long time since I was fussed about how many boys from Redfern were wearing the red and green, (I hated Nigel Vagana when he was with the Dogs, now I love him). As long as the Bunnies get up, I’m happy for the entire side to have come from Tonga, Dunedoo or wherever.

In America, the same thing has happened in the ranks of major league baseball. Clubs’ rosters this year included 246 guys out of 849 who were born outside the United States. Japanese and Mexicans feature prominently but, surprisingly, the highest number, by a long shot, is from The

Dominican Republic.

Is belonging important anymore? In Australia’s most famous sporting event, the Melbourne Cup, there has been a marked increase in the number of foreign stayers going the 3200 metres at Flemington every November. Plenty of punters have been uneasy about it and when the first two past the post in 2006 were Jap horses some went ballistic. A bitterly divided commentariat either thinks it’s great because it gives the race, and the nation, global status (aren’t we over that little kid in the playground thing yet?), or argues that it undermines tradition.

You can’t have your cake and eat it too, I suppose. If we are ever to achieve world peace (laugh) it is more likely to come about as a result of fierce individualism’s barriers being broken down, with travelling sportspeople as envoys of multiculturalism.

If only there were evidence to support that scenario.

### SPORTS RESULTS

#### BOWLS

##### Bangalow Women

Club C’ship 4s: J McLlwain, M Little, A Humphries, E Astley 21 d R Martin, M Dingle Draper, P Robson, B Smith 20. Social: V Bell, J Collings, S Boyle 16 d F Raisch, M Johnston, J Gallagher 13. Rink: J McLlwain, M Little, A Humphries, E Astley.

##### Brunswick Heads Men

Wed S/S Triples: C Pav, E Boyter, H Steindl; r/up B Howell, W Evans, R Carbines; B Quince, G/W Weston. Sat Final Maj Triples: A Boston, B Montgomery, R Northcott 23 d R Carbines, N Pearson, M Petrou 17. Bonus Prs: M Caldwell, R Tonkin; r/up B Stewart, L Wade; L/R C Widdison, D Maundrell. Sun Mixed 4s: S/C Pearce, M Caldwell, P Solomon 21 d S Iversen, F/E Marks, J Phypers; S Curtis, R Northcott, K Peacey, A Boston 19 d N Stearman, N Condon, F Parkes, J Lawlor 14; L Proudlock, B Montgomery, B Boorman, M Petrou 21 d P/R Appel, M/D Guest 12; J Woods, M Hogan, S Riley, C Marshall 34 d J/B Howell, T Rynehart, A Hawthorne 7.

##### Brunswick Heads Women

14/8 Open Triples C’ship: Z Wagner, L McCormick, E Marks (Trophy) d D Batson, B Rose, J Kearney. Cons Singles: D Guest d M Darby. Social: P Appel, H Edwards d N Stearman, M Parsons; P Chilvers, S Iversen d T Pollard, L Proudlock; B Wyborn, I Widdersen, M Caldwell d B O’Donnell, P Bruce, K Hasson.

##### Byron Bay Men

Tues: B Lewis; r/up J Wright; N Carlaw. Wed Social: H Simmons, P Anderson; r/up F Smith, K Morrow. Thurs S/S Pairs: G Schwartz, B Birks; r/up P Darby, T Hillard. Sat Social: R Orth, K Gillespie, J Wright; r/up G Donnelly, P Anderson. Open Singles/Pairs C’ship Finals: M Anderson d B Vella; G Lightfoot, R Henderson d J Clark, S Chilcott. Byron Bay Women

Tues Social: N Wilson, R McKenzie. Triples c’ships this week. C’tee Meeting 21/8 after lunch.

##### Lennox Head Men

14/8 S/S triples: D Gregor, L Chaseling, B Harrington 18 d J Robinson, G Grady, I Kemp 17; P Cawley, T Hickey, T Kidd 28 d R Lane,

C Ulrick, P Wilson 17; M Berger, M Papas, J Heffernan 30 d F Allcoat, R Murray, M Hicks 9 (L/L. 17/8 Mixed Pairs: E Steele, S Prasad 20 d F Patterson, P Wilson 18; r/up M Battese, J Turner 21 d J Swain, E Swain 14; M Hannaway, F Somerville 21 d D Hickey, L Feldman 14 (L/L). 18/8 Club Triples C’ship: R Clarke, R Kirkland, J Greenhalgh (sub I Kemp) 27 d B Fraser, G Reynolds, D Kemp 20; (R/W). Club Selected R/up: I Whitehall, G Pascoe 23 (13 ends) d C Skennar, T Barr 23 (8 ends).

##### Mullumbimby Men

18/8 S Ridgewell, T Estreich, R Day 47 d T/S Dettman, C Peck; B Rose, J Estreich, P Thompson 23 d A Bartlett, N James, B Gibson 9; B Moore, F Buckley, S Purdie 26 d R Ford, P Jones, T Batson 9; L Boyter, B Neate, T Johnston 20 d T Richie, B Wark, L Henry 13. 18/8 Rnd 1 Maj Singles: R Thompson 31 d T Estreich 24; M Esau 31 d J McKay 23; T Batson 31 d B Wark 18; J Estreich 31 d L Henry 30; S Dettman forfeit to R Ford. Social: D Kidby, G Schneider, P McClymont 21 d N Lee, T Fenwick, C McClymont 16.

##### Mullumbimby Women

14/8: H Robb, J Graham (W) 20 d R Mills, B Croft 13; J Lee, J Towner 18 d E Jones, G Henry 15; S Brown, J Beaumont 30 d A Ellem, R Thompson 11.

##### Ocean Shores Men

13/8 S/S Triples: S Warren, A Sultas, K Kirkland; r/up R Tonkin, T Hawley; Chooks: T Larson, J Sullivan, C Lee; Other: E Boyter, A Hawthorne, M Danswan; A Pyzer, B Gibson. 16/8 Winter Cup: F Wade, L Campbell; Min Singles Rnd 2: J Sullivan d R James 31/20; R Roberts d K Kennedy.

##### Ocean Shores Women

17/08 1st Rnd Pairs C’ships: E Hill/W Bird 21 d JM Quirke/N Gartner 12; J Williams/F Crowder 19 d T Warr/V Balfour 9; M McConville/L Mason 24 d J Bartlett/G Johnston 16. Social Triples: P Sullivan, B Stone, L McGowan (r/up S/S) 25 d L Wollington, D Grant, M James 13; M Hosie, M Flesser, R Kirkland (W/S) 29 d L Bland, M Moodie, P Campbell 14. BRIDGE

##### Brunswick Valley

13/8: N/S 1st gross/net: J Wright/D Gall; 2nd gross/net: M O’Halloran/P Baldwin. E/W 1st gross/net: P Keyte/J Murray; 2nd gross/net: P Hems/M Solway.

##### Ocean Shores

1/8: 1st gross/net: J Selleck/B Simons; 2nd gross: K Westall/R Heale; 2nd net: L Baldwin/D Gall. 7/8: 1st gross/net: P Quirke/W Sparrow; 2nd gross: J Selleck/B Simons; 2nd net: K Westall/L Baldwin. 15/8: N/S: 1st gross: P Sullivan/Partners; Eq 2nd gross: C Blacker/A Hauser; Eq 2nd gross/2nd net: D Gall/L Baldwin; 1st net: L/R Moloney. E/W: 1st gross: M Fleming/P Keyte; 2nd gross/1st net: J Selleck/B Simons; 2nd net: P Witts/P Quirke.

##### DARTS

##### Brunswick Valley

22/9 Rnd 8 Draw: Off the Board v Homeless, Shafers v WCDs, Workers v Bye. 29/8 Rnd 9: WCDs v Off the Board, Shafers v Workers, Homeless v Bye. Ladies h/score: K Sloan Rummery/NL MacKenzie tied 135; Mens h/score: J Cornale 140; Ladies peg: K Sloan Rummery 57; Mens peg: B Lofts 89.

##### GOLF

##### Mullumbimby Ladies

16/8 4some C’ship: 27 hole Gross; G Lynn, G Mackay 133; 27 hole nett; R Arthur, L Siddall 102 1/2; 18 hole nett R N Dwyer, L Walker 66 1/2; 9 hole nett R Arthur, L Siddall 33 1/2.

##### Mullumbimby Men

15/8 Single Stab: L Mills 41; r/up A Baldwin 40 c/b. 18/8 4BBB Stab (S/in Conj): P Jones/J Kos 50; r/up N Batson/N Rutter 48; OS G Beattie/M Smith 48. OS v Mullum (so far) 17 matches; Mullum 11; OS 5; 1 draw.

##### Ocean Shores Men

Mon: R Cameron 45; r/up H Gould 40; A Lowndes 39; starters 110; balls to 33; CCR 72. 15/8 4BBB Stab: B Payne, J Gilbert 48 c/b; r/up M Hewett, C Godsmark 48; balls to 42. Sat: M Carter 42; P Montgomery 40; K Sayers 40; starters 136; balls to 34; CCR 71.

##### Ocean Shores Mixed

18/8 4BBB Stab (A Haywood Mem Day): E/B Roe 46; r/up B/R Crossley 44; E/D Haywood 43; K Anderson/P Cunningham 41.

##### Ocean Shores Vets

16/8 Rnd 1 Stroke C’ship: T Dahl gross 100/ nett 71 c/b; r/up B Neate gross 91/nett 71 c/b; G Cole gross 86/nett 71. Balls to 77 nett.

##### NETBALL

##### Brunswick/Byron

25/8 Rnd 14 Draw: Duty: Table O S; Canteen B B; Set up S/stars; Tidy up B/cudas. 12.30pm

Netta (duty M/maids): crt 7 Bay Bubbles v Bay Beaches, ump B/Bubbles; crt 8 Funky Monkeys v Bumblebees, ump B/bees; crt 9 Mudcrabs v Blueberries, ump M/crabs; crt 11 Angelfish v Mermaids, ump M/maids. 12.30pm 12 and Under: crt 1 Seastars v Mullum Mites, ump Madeline B/Tess C; crt 3 Fiery Fish v Squishies, ump Kylie S/Rosie O; crt 6 Breakers v Beauties, ump Brooke T/Emily R. 1.45pm: crt 1 Mudslide v Bay Blues, ump Leanne/B/Babes; crt 2 Bay Bratz v Fruitloops, ump Leslie/Taverners; crt 3 Sharks v Clueless, ump Cocktails/B/cudas; crt 4 Giants v Bay Blitz, ump Classics x2; crt 6 Seahorses v Youngsters, ump Narelle/Cocktails. 3pm: crt1 Bay Babes v Barracudas, ump Y/sters/S/horses; crt 2 Classics v Cocktails, ump S/horses/Sue A; crt 4 Bay Bondz v Cocopops, ump Ashley S/Giants; crt 6 Taverners v Dolphins, ump Michelle S/Jodie H. Bye Bellas.

##### SQUASH

##### Brunswick Heads

22/8 Rnd 4 Bus Houses Teams Comp: B B Trophies v Bruns Blinds; D Bird v G Davis, D Runciman v P Hill, G Kaminski v R King, J Nicolson v D Wraight, S Bruyn v S Truesdale. OS Bakery v Canty’s Surveyors; B Trivett v S Thompson, M Ottery v J Gribble, W Ferrier v C Booth, L Miller v M Stratton, Jeff Heers v T Mason. Bruns Pharmacy v OS Glass; B Staff v M Underwood, T Wood v C Walsh, C Pearce v R James, J Miller v C Johnston, M Isbister v J Moodie. Potato Works v Bruns Smash Repairs; S Koop zv S Sleep, I Bissett v C Ashworth, A Li v C Staff, J Heers v S Moon, F King v M Wallace. 27/8 Rnd 6 Byron Health Foods Comp: Div 1; 5pm B Trivett v A Brooker, B Staff v L Powell, G Davis Bye. Div 2; 5pm M Ottery v J Gribble, I Bissett v G Kaminski, M Cassidy v S Koop; 6pm C Walsh v D Runciman. Div 3; 5pm R Draper v A Li, S Moon v A Thomas, R King v M Rogers; 6pm D Wraight v C Pearce. Div 4; 5pm M Wallace v J Heers, J Moodie v F King, J Nicolson v S Bruyn, C Johnston v P Westcott. Div 5; 5pm S Truesdale v A Brooker, T Mason v D Williams, B Alander v M Hazelwood Ross, M Isbister v A Booth, Jeff Heers Bye.

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##### Mullumbimby

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##### VOLLEYBALL

##### Brunswick Heads

21/8 Rnd 1 J V Towing Comp: 6pm Silver Bullets v Lounge Lizards, Wild Ones v Brewers, Dragons v Hit and Run, Duty Ballistic. 7pm Triple Zero v No Mercy, Ballistic v Flash, Duty Brewers. 23/8 Rnd 2 OS True Value H/ware Comp: 6pm Red Frogs v Panthers, Barefoot Bandits v Volleys, Hot and Sweaty v Chilli Twist, Duty Tripods. 7pm Exodia v Kaos.Com, Short and Sweet v Amazons, The Monkeys v Tripods, Comeback Kids Bye, Duty Volleys. To play ph 6685 1794, beginners welcome.

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First Quarter	20th Sept	9.53 am			
WED High	2.21 am	1.0	Sunrise	6.11 am	
22nd Low	3.03 pm	1.4	Sunset	5.26 pm	
Low	8.14 am	0.6	Moonrise	11.13 am	
THU High	13.48 am	1.0	Sunrise	6.10 am	
23rd Low	4.11 pm	1.4	Sunset	5.27 pm	
Low	9.20 am	0.6	Moonrise	12.03 pm	
	11.12 pm	0.5	Moonset	1.55 am	
FRI High	4.59 am	1.0	Sunrise	6.09 am	
24th Low	5.09 pm	1.5	Sunset	5.27 pm	
Low	10.23 am	0.6	Moonrise	12.59 pm	
			Moonset	2.50 am	
SAT High	5.52 am	1.1	Sunrise	6.08 am	
25th Low	5.58 pm	1.6	Sunset	5.28 pm	
Low	12.01 am	0.4	Moonrise	2.01 pm	
	11.19 am	0.5	Moonset	3.41 am	
SUN High	6.36 am	1.2	Sunrise	6.07 am	
26th Low	6.43 pm	1.7	Sunset	5.28 pm	
Low	12.43 am	0.3	Moonrise	3.05 pm	
	12.08 pm	0.4	Moonset	4.28 am	
MON High	7.17 am	1.3	Sunrise	6.06 am	
27th Low	7.25 pm	1.8	Sunset	5.29 pm	
Low	1.22 am	0.3	Moonrise	4.11 pm	
	12.55 pm	0.4	Moonset	5.09 am	
TUE High	7.57 am	1.4	Sunrise	6.05 am	
28th Low	8.07 pm	1.8	Sunset	5.29 pm	
Low	2.00 am	0.2	Moonrise	5.17 pm	
	1.41 pm	0.3	Moonset	5.47 am	
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## Sports Roundup with John Campbell

### Mullum worthy minor premiers



Wearry Giants celebrate their pulsating victory. Photo by Jeff 'it's the love' Dawson

#### John Campbell

The Mullumbimby Giants secured the NRRRL minor premiership and a week's rest before the major semi final with a bruising 8-2 win over Byron Bay on Sunday.

In an exhibition to prove that you don't need to see constant end-to-end tries to be entertained, the game was not decided until the last five minutes, when Mullum fullback Murray Brown finished off a passing rush down the left flank to plunge over and break the 2-2 deadlock.

Conditions kept the attendance down and were not conducive to free flowing footy, being plain bad to begin with and deteriorating to the squally and miserable as the afternoon wore on.

Both sides applied themselves manfully to the task, though, and were cruelled by a number of near misses.

Mullum might have gone in after ten minutes when Jye Hitchcock collected on the line a well rehearsed cross field kick from Travis Drought, only to be penalised for being off side.

Drought himself went terribly close on a couple of occasions, being dragged down centimetres short after incisive bursts inside the twenty.

The Giants had the better of possession and field position in the first half, but it was the Bay who went to the break with the lead, after one of their rare visits to the Mullum quarter brought them a penalty for an accidental off side when Mullum fumbled a bomb. David Black slotted the kick through the posts and the teams trudged off with the hosts holding a 2-0 lead but having lost through injury their inspiring captain, Nathan Cross.

The floodlights needed to be switched on to counter the gloom, but the Devils started the second forty brightly. Junior representative lock, Alex Butschies, a handful on the edge of the ruck, put Clarence Kelly away, only for the flying centre to be ankle tapped by the desperate cover, and Butschies himself was over soon after but called back for a

forward pass.

It was that sort of game. Something had to give – but it was never going to be the tackling. Butschies smashed his opposite number, Damien Bryant, causing him to be escorted from the field for a cup of tea, a Bex and a good lie down, while the Giants' prop Rick Oxley lifted Michael Lambert bodily with the apparent intention of using his head to drill for oil.

The crowd loved it all but, sadly for the valiant hosts, it was the visiting mob in blue and gold who were most vocal in their support.

For the Red Devils it is a perilous path from now on, as they enter the play-offs in fifth position and must travel to Lismore next Saturday for a sudden death encounter with Marist Brothers.

Coach Vince Nicklin and the boys will need to lick their wounds and regroup, but they are a resilient outfit who will not let their fans down.

Let's hope plenty of them turn up and make their voices heard.

### Days lengthen, cricketers awake

#### Kathryn Daniels

After months of meetings and lobbying, first grade cricket will at last return to Byron Shire.

A total of fourteen teams, representing clubs from Ballina, Casino, Lismore and Tweed associations, will complete in the new look first grade L J Hooker comp.

One of those teams will be Brunswick-Byron, a composite side gathered from around the shire. The side previously played in the 1990s and reached two grand finals.

Keen to have their first grade status restored, Mullum-Brunswick and Byron Bay are confident of fielding a competitive side.

For all interested parties, there will be a sign-on this Sunday afternoon, August 26, at Stan Thompson Oval,

Brunswick Heads from 2 pm.

Everybody who has been hanging out to to be involved in a cricket competition played at a good standard is encouraged to attend.

With the winter sports' finals upon us there are many potential players who might not be able to attend, so please call Greg Daniels on 0414 494 208 or Rob Goodacre on 0423 459 111.

Future training days and times will be decided on the day.

Both clubs will continue to field their own sides in 2nd, 3rd and 4th grades in the Ballina District competition.

There has been terrific interest from both clubs as well as possible signings from other areas in the area. See you on Sunday.

### Bangalow breeze through semi

Bangalow's rugby XV won the Far North Coast Village Competition's minor premiership for the third consecutive year with a close, 18-12 win over arch rivals Kyogle in the last round of the season proper.

With the psychological advantage established, Bangalow met Kyogle again at Woolgoolga on the weekend, and the lads turned it on for their supporters, scoring a handsome 21-0 victory, taking them straight into the grand final.

Ben Cummings, the comp's leading scorer, added to his swag by getting the second try, other five-pointers going to Rob Lynch and winger Chris Bleakley.

It was a fine team effort, leading to Bangalow's odds of retaining their crown shortening dramatically.

## Rams pressure themselves

#### Vlad Knaus

The Byron Bay Rams played their last home game before the FNCF semi-finals against Lismore Workers on the weekend.

The 2006 first grade premiers needed a win to keep alive their chance of second place and both sides gave no quarter in the struggle for ascendancy. Jordy was busy up front, as was Shaun in defence. Against the run of play, Workers netted first.

Shaun Packham was then pushed forward and replied by scoring a screamer from 25 metres, making the score was 1-1 at the break.

The second half saw the Rams create a number of chances but, though they went close when hitting the bar, they couldn't finish and were left lamenting another victory that got away. The Rams now must win next

week to be assured of second spot. Best for the black-and-whites were Chris, Shaun and Alex in his premier grade debut. Elsewhere, the Richmond Rovers clinched the minor premiership with a 3-3 draw at home to Lennox Head.

Next week's trip south to Lennox will be a significant one, for the Rams ideally would want a win to ensure a spot in the major semi and two bites at the grand-final cherry.

In premier reserves, the team was battling hard to maintain their slender one point lead at the top of the table. The first half went to plan as the Rams made attack upon attack on the Workers goal with both Patrick and Yantra supplying quality balls for the attackers. Finally Tom put away a penalty for a 1-0 lead which

was doubled when John rounded the goalkeeper to make the score 2-0 at the break. A forced change at the break resulted in the side to be reshuffled, with influential midfielder Mark back in the defence. Workers came out playing positive football and before too long the score was 2-2. Changes were made and the Rams exploded with two further goals to John and one to Patrick. The final score was 5-2.

With one round to go, the Rams lead by a point and an away win against Lennox will seal the deal.

Presentation night will be at the Hotel Great Northern on Friday, October 5. This will be an all ticket affair and the club will contact the teams in due course.

See you there and best of luck everyone involved in the finals series.

## Freedom MTB Marathon

#### Anthony Mortimore

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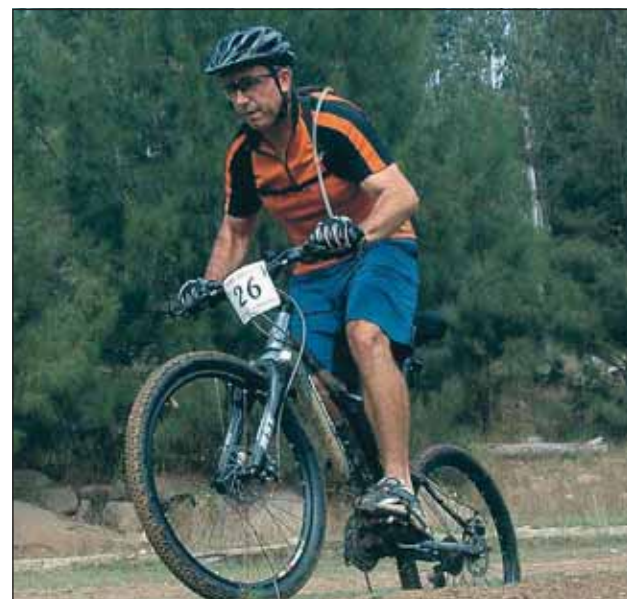
The Freedom mountain bike marathon is on September 22.

Dirt Cycling Promotions (Byron Bay) has been granted permission to run the Freedom Marathon in the beautiful sub-tropical rainforest of Byron Bay's hinterland.

The venue will be the Nightcap National Park/Whian Whian State Conservation Area at Minyon Falls, with an 8.30 start from Rummery Park, a small camping area within the forest.

Two events of 65kms and 45kms are scheduled on a challenging clover leaf course of dirt roads, fire trails and single tracks.

Ninety-nine per cent of the course is in the forest,



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For online entries, go to [www.summerofcycling.com](http://www.summerofcycling.com) and follow the links to Freedom marathon.

## Mixed bag for Bruns Valley soccer

#### Steve Edmonds

With no chance of making the finals, the Brunswick Valley super seconds set out to have fun and enjoy their game against Lennox Head.

This attitude paid off when a challenge on Aaron Duffey had the referee pointing to the spot. Duffey converted the penalty to put Mullum in the lead. Keeper Jackson Sweaney pulled off

some good saves, but could not prevent Lennox snatching the points with two late goals.

Following last week's slip-up at Tintenbar, the thirsty thirds breathed a sigh of relief after beating Goonellabah 3-2 to claim the last finals

berth.

It was 0-0 at half time, but an opposition goal fired up Mullum and they went on the rampage, knocking in three quick goals, one for classy Ben Wills and two for Ray Musgrave. Despite conceding a late goal, the result was never in doubt.

The thirds look mean and hungry enough to cause a few upsets in the finals.

The sixths travelled to Lismore with a few things on their minds. Could they win away from home and beat top of the table Thistles to finish in the top three? Valley dominated from the start, keeping their hosts pinned in their own half. Born-

again striker Ray Musgrave scored first, bamboozling the Thistles, but the home team came back with one of their own. On the break Gary Flynn completed a fantastic set piece to make it 2-1. Valley were up 3-1 in the second half with another from Ray, but the home side brought it back to 3-2 and were looking strong.

Keeper Pete Mills, despite double kicking a goal kick (had to be seen to be believed), performed heroically and saved the day. Man of match Dave Holliday has found his place on the park at last as stopper and the sixths look fit and well balanced as they approach the finals.



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**O-SHORES** quality 2 br garden flat facing reserve, huge garage, N/E v'dah, quiet & private, avail Sept 25. \$255pw. 66843491

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- Passionate about food and cooking
- Ability to work as a team and autonomously
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- Ability to work under pressure and stay calm in difficult situations

Please apply to: Restaurant Manager, PO Box 1276, Byron Bay 2480  
Email: vanessa@byronbaybeachresort.com.au  
Fax: (02) 6685 6916

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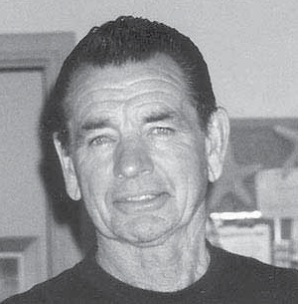


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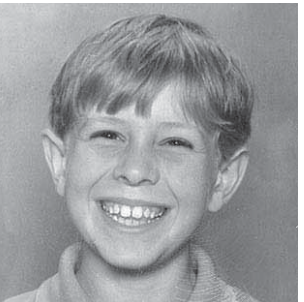


'Andy' formerly of Ocean Shores passed away 18th August in Melbourne with family.  
Loved husband of Rossi.Sadly missed by all who knew him. Peace at last Dad. Much love Kimmy, Mark, Jack & Mitch

**IN MEMORIAM**

**PAUL SPENDELOVE**  
17.10.49 - 25.08.97  
Thank you for loving me  
I miss you so much  
Love always, Ken

**JACK THOMAS STRATTON**  
20.11.1991 - 22.08.2002



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19.11.50 - 30.7.07

I would like to thank all of those people who have shown kindness to both Geoff and myself during his illness and since his passing. I am grateful for the thoughtfulness of the people who so obviously loved and cared deeply for Geoff. He would be so touched by your help and generosity. Naree Williams

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**Art diary**  
The growing reputation of Byron Bay and Northern Rivers artists will be given a boost next year with the launch of the Byron Bay Art Diary. Filled with glossy images created by the immense talent of this region, the diary will showcase painters of all genres and artists working on paper. Emerging and established artists are invited to submit their work for publication by September 7. Proceeds from the first edition will be distributed to local charities and the Practising Artists Network (PAN). For more information and submission guidelines please contact Mesha Sendyk on 6684 8018 or email mesha@byrononline.net

**Women's lunch**  
Deb Cox, coauthor and coproducer of 'East of Everything', will be the guest speaker at the Business Women's Lunch to be held at 12 noon on Friday August 17 at Offshore Restaurant, 32 Lawson Street, Byron Bay. Deb will be providing all the inside interest stories on the filming which has recently taken place in Byron Bay. Enquiries: Diana Liptrout 0417 331 826

**Charity Golf Day**  
Byron Bay Hospital Pink Ladies have a Charity Golf Day on Sunday September 9 at Byron Bay Golf Club. It is a Mexican Stableford event, with shotgun start at 11:00m. Playing Fee \$25. Teams nominate for the day by calling the Byron Bay Golf Club (Phone 6685 6470). Individuals are very welcome and will be placed in a team. A barbeque will be available as well as on course refreshments. Over \$5,000 in prizes are on offer. All proceeds from the day for the \$10,000 purchase of a Zoll Defibrillator for Byron District Hospital. Enquiries: Phone Rae Cooper on 6685 8475 or Byron Bay Golf Club on 6685 6470.

**Bushwalks**  
Northern Rivers Bushwalkers Club invites prospective members to the following walks: Sat/Sunday August 25/26, Sundown National Park, pack walk, medium, contact John 6683 4509; Sunday August 26, Mt Jerusalem (Nightcap Range), easy, contact Mike 6621 5250; Saturday September 1, Mt Barney, hard, contact Karl 6624 2575; Saturday September 1, Mt Marsh (Richmond Range), medium, contact Bert 6686 8834; Sunday September 2, Uralba Nature Reserve, medium, contact Neil 6683 4524; Saturday September 8, Edinburgh Castle (Woodenbong area), medium, contact Neil 6683 4514; Sunday September 9, Dirawong Reserve (Evans Head), easy, contact Lindsay 6682 5586.

Please give 3 days notice for 1 day walks.

**Byron Pregnancy Support Group**  
Are you pregnant? Want to connect with other pregnant women, learn about birth options, be empowered, meet midwives and birth workers? Byron Pregnancy Support Group, each Wednesday at the Community Centre. 10.15 am for bodywork, then morning tea and discussion till 1ish. \$15. Contact Heli 6685 6523 for info, or just come along.

**Bangalow and District Garden Club**  
The judging of the entries in the Bangalow and District Garden Competition is to be held on August 31. This year a couple, both judges will view the gardens together and all entries will be photographed and turned into a power point presentation which will be shown on Wednesday September 5 at 1.30 pm in the RSL Hall. Anyone interested in attending is most welcome. Entries close Saturday August 25.

**Cancer Council Information**  
Free information day for people with cancer and their carers (family or friend) at Mullumbimby on Wednesday 29 August from 8.45am to 2.30pm at the Presbyterian Church. Lunch provided. Ring Di Fisher to register 6681 1933.

**Volunteers Required for Stress and Diet Study at SCU**  
How do you deal with stress? Are you what you eat? Researchers at SCU are exploring new ways of dealing with stress through looking at the relationship between stress and diet. We are looking for a wide cross section of different diets, so if you eat food, we want you to apply. Participation in the study will require about an hour to fill out some questionnaires and give a blood sample. Clinics will be held in various locations. The study is a PhD project and is conducted under the principal supervision of Prof. Stephen Myers. It has approval from the ethics committees at SCU and UQ. For more information and/or to participate, email joanne.bradbury@scu.edu.au or phone 6626 9453.

**PAN Meeting**  
PAN (Practising Artists Network) is a non profit organization committed to furthering and promoting visual arts in the Byron Shire. Next monthly meeting, Wednesday 7pm August 22 at the RSL in Byron. All welcome, friends too.

**Cancer Self Help**  
Gawler Cancer self help program. Complement current treatment regime and learn to heal through managing stress with meditation, food for

healing and mind/body connection. Next 12 wk program runs from September 13 to November 29. More info contact Cathy on 07 5523 3206 or email: tlci@dodo.com.au

**OSCA**  
The next Meeting of Ocean Shores Community Assoc. is Monday August 27, 7.30 pm at the O/S Community Centre. Kali Wendorf will give an informative talk on the benefits of community involvement. Members are encouraged to attend and new members are always welcome.

**Friends of the ABC**  
Meeting 10am at Noelle Tabart's in Brunswick Heads, Sat August 25. New members welcome. For directions ring Noelle on 6685 1286 or Jenny on 6687 2478.

**Ikebana Day**  
Ikebana International Lismore Chapter #32 in conjunction with Japan House at the Southern Cross University, is holding a luncheon and exhibition of Ikebana and traditional Japanese Dolls and other Japanese art forms on Tuesday September 25 at the Lismore Workers Club. Cost of \$35 per head. If you are interested please ring Glenda Schofield 6689 5284, Nancy Farrell 6687 7060 or Patricia Wilson 6624 2548.

**AGM**  
BARCO Incorporated has an AGM on Tuesday September 4 at 6:30pm in the Ocean Shores Community Centre.

**Book Sale**  
Collection of old books at St Vinnies, Mullumbimby on Wednesday August 22 at 9.30am.

**U3A Brunswick Valley**  
August 28 speaker is Alison Siliakus from Lismore U3A: For Shakespeare lovers, enquiries 6680 4365. Boules Sundays from 2 to 4pm in the market area, Brunswick Heads. Enquiries 6680 4365.

**U3A Ballina/Byron**  
Next meeting on August 28 at 10am at the CWA rooms, Brunswick Heads. Speaker Ros Elliot on her trip to Timbuktu. All welcome, contact 6685 1982.

**AGM**  
The AGM of the Brunswick Valley Cancer Action Group is on August 23 at 1pm. Venue: 23 Fern Street, Mullumbimby. Arrangements for Daffodil Day (August 24) to be finalised. All welcome.

**Curry Night**  
The annual Lions Traditional Indian Curry Night will be on Saturday August 25 at the Bangalow A and I Hall. Doors open at 6.30pm for 7pm. Great food, great entertainment, but be quick seating is limited, get your tickets early through Barebones Art Space or Elders Bangalow. Enquiries Neil 6687 8409.

# Camphor control workshop

'Unfortunately there is so much misinformation about how to kill Camphor Laurels, people end up with half-dead trees or trees that reshoot after two or three years, think Camphors are too difficult to kill and give up. In fact, they are one of the easier woody weeds to deal with once you're shown how,' says Tweed Landcare member Janet Townsend, who co-ordinates regular Camphor Laurel Control workshops.

'Combine this knowledge – which you'll get at the practical demonstration at the workshop – with some help on what priorities you might consider when drawing up your long-term Camphor control program and you're off and away. Most of us need a control program that spans several years, so we need to set ourselves short-term goals to keep us going. It's certainly a great feeling to be rewarded by seeing healthy, diverse native bushland or another clean grazing pad-

dock taking the place of Camphor-infested land.'

Ms Townsend emphasises that while control of Camphors will need to be a steady, ongoing routine, landholders should have due regard for the crucial role Camphors now play in Northern Rivers ecosystems – for example, in the way of food for native birds and shelter for young rainforest seedlings in extremes of weather, so suitable replacement with native species that will perform these roles is an integral part of any control plan.

'We also talk about treatment of the other very difficult weeds that can overwhelm a site when too large a stand of Camphors has been cleared all at once, with insufficient follow-up.'

The next workshop will be held at Burringbar on Sunday, 9 September from 9.15am to 12.30pm. The workshop is free and morning tea is provided. For details and enrolment, phone Janet Townsend on 6677 9326.

## Improving relationships

'So much of what we experience in our relationships with others goes unsaid, or comes out in ways that can be very damaging' according to Gayle Russell, trainer and Gestalt psychotherapist. 'Often we lack the confidence to say what we would really like to say. Fear generally holds us back.

'We often struggle with indecision and a lack of clarity over what is happening with others. It may be reassuring to know that you are not alone in these experiences and things can change for the better, for your own wellbeing.'

Two weekend courses are currently being offered by ACE that will give you valuable experiences and skills to more fully be who you

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'Some people are at a crisis point in their life, are plagued with self-doubt or lack of direction,' she says. 'Some have a struggle defining their personal or emotional boundaries and saying no. Either of these courses will help you see ways to step in new directions and change what you really don't want in your life.'

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# DA Watch

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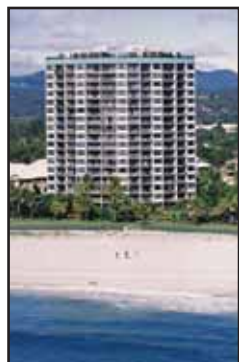
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**(A)** 5 3 3 3

**(A)** Best of both worlds, just 5 minutes to Byron. A well appointed family home set on 1.5 peaceful gardens complete with inground pool and entertainment area. A special property and a must see.  
**Ewingsdale \$890,000**


**(B)** Amazing ocean views to the coast. Recently renovated and protected hill top home. Room to expand and create. Unlimited potential.  
**Coolamon Scenic Drive \$1,450,000**



**(C)** 4 2 1

**(C)** Large beachside home plus bonus approval for 2 bedroom B & B. Landscaped gardens & inground saltwater pool. Commercial designer kitchen. Spacious entertainer with undercover decks. Close to beach, shops & tavern.  
**Suffolk Park \$949,000**

**(D)** Amazing views of the ocean & mountains this house sits on top of the hill. A separate bedroom, bathroom & living space downstairs is great for guests or children. Unlimited potential.  
**Byron Bay \$1,450,000**



**(E)** 7 2 2

**(E)** Magnificent 6.6 acres established grounds. Architect designed home, spacious living with ocean views to Lighthouse and Julian Rocks. Cathedral ceilings, library, pool, 2 dams. Inspect to appreciate. Abundant bird life.  
**Tyagarah \$2,890,000**

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ELEGANCE WITH A WATER VIEW

2/24-26 Kallaroo Circuit, North Ocean Shores  
Open For Inspection Saturday 12-12.30pm

- Timeless Federation fixtures & features
- Level stroll to the beach/school & preschool
- Canal views, sea breezes, 3 large bedrooms, double garage
- Big bathroom with eagle claw bath, gas cooking & water

Vendor is genuine and is prepared to listen to the market on price, she wants it sold.  
For inspections call Peter 0411 801 795



IDEAL INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY

- Timber home
- 3 bedrooms
- Front and rear deck
- Open plan living area
- Single carport & garden shed
- Private established gardens
- Located at the end of a cul-de-sac.

For inspections please call Peter 0411 801 795 \$395,000



ON THE TOP

- Top floor unit
- 2 bedrooms
- One bathroom
- Ample storage
- Balcony
- Open plan living area
- Single garage
- Close to the local shopping centre

For inspections please call Peter 0411 801 795 \$267,000



MULLUM ACRE

10 Coolamon Ave, Mullumbimby  
Open For Inspection Saturday 11-11.30am

- 1 acre in Mullumbimby township
- Short walk to the CBD. Private cul-de-sac
- Abundance of fruit trees
- 3 bedroom, 2 storey house with ensuite
- North facing verandah
- Double garage, storage and 3rd shower and toilet downstairs

For inspections please call Peter 0411 801 795



RTA AUCTION COMING SOON

- Expand dwelling and create two houses
- Ideal investment
- Wide ocean & northern hinterland views
- Timber decks
- Both properties ensuited
- Approx 4 acres
- Plenty of privacy bush setting

For further information or to arrange an inspection please call Peter on 0411 801 795



INDUSTRIAL SHED & SHOWROOM

Looking for room to expand your business into your own large industrial shed with a showroom to market and present your products or have a classy reception.  
The shed and showroom under roof space is approximately 700sqm with truck access. Total land size 1,721sqm, this site is located in a fast growing industrial area less than 500 metres from the Pacific Highway with easy access.  
Vendor is prepared to meet the market and is looking for offers.

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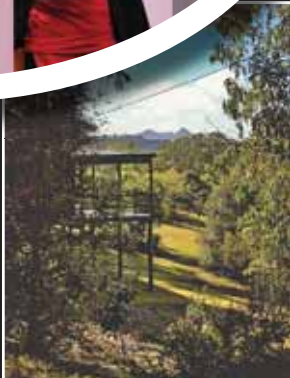
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MYOCUM \$720 000 3 1 2  
Perfect Aspect, amazing views, situated on 1.2 acres, only 10 minutes from Byron Bay.



SUFFOLK PARK \$1.1M 5 3 1  
Double dwelling beachside modern home, treetop views, private decks, timber floors and courtyard.



MAIN ARM \$795 000 1 1 1  
Spectacular rural and ocean views over Cape Byron. Cute cottage on 30 acres with north east aspect.



MASSINGER ST. \$1.45M 4 3 1  
Brilliant views over the bay. Self contained guest quarters, rear courtyard, walk to town and beach.



SUFFOLK PARK \$875 000 5 4 2  
Huge open plan, high ceilings, wooden floors. Private rumpus room with separate access, 4 mins to beach.



LAWSON ST \$710 000 2 1 1  
Well located unit opposite Clarkes Beach, five minutes walk to town shops and restaurants.

Shop 1/20 Fletcher St, Byron Bay

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## Real Estate

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### The Perfect Weekender



This 5 acre parcel of land is part of a 10 share tenants in common on a 130 acre piece of paradise. Elevated in position with very pleasant views the land is mostly flat and totally private. The 2 bedroom home features 2 bathrooms, a sunroom, a 54sqm open plan living dining and kitchen area with high ceilings throughout and a covered outside entertaining patio. There is also a fully fenced inground pool and plenty of space for the kids to play. This is a fantastic opportunity to buy a small acreage without the high price tag. The vendor moved to Ocean Shores and wants to sell now.

**\$ 270,000**

### Home Sweet Home



This solidly built weatherboard home is located right on top of the ridge at Laverty's Gap looking out to Mt. Chincogan, the Pacific Ocean and into the hinterland. The home features high ceilings, polished timber floors, a handcrafted timber kitchen and an open plan kitchen/dining/living area opening up to a large deck which is partly covered. The 3 bedrooms are separate from the main house linked by a covered walkway. The 3 decks, north, east and west, give you plenty of choices to look at different sceneries at different times of the year. Give me a call to arrange an inspection.

**\$ 689,000**

**InRealEstate**  
90 Robinsons Road, Mullumbimby

### Five Acre Piece Of Paradise



Roll up your sleeves and let the work begin! Here are 5 usable acres just a short drive outside Mullumbimby waiting to be transformed. Most of the infrastructure is in place with underground electricity to various sites and telephone connection to the cottage. With an existing building entitlement, the choice is yours...renovate the existing cottage or build your dream home on this piece of paradise. Additional features are a rainwater tank, a dam, double garage and a caravan with an annex. If you like acreage with privacy at a realistic price, then this is it. This will not last long! Call now!

**\$ 440,000**

### Right In Town



Elevated and right in town, this 4 bedroom, 3 bathroom home is in a very convenient location with views to the hinterland. Recently renovated, the upstairs area features an open plan living/dining room, a new separate kitchen, 2 bathrooms and 3 bedrooms complete with built-ins. Downstairs is a spacious fourth bedroom with ensuite and loads of storage. This area would be an ideal parents retreat or a source of extra income. The grounds measure 558sqm with low maintenance gardens. With 4 minutes walk into town, this is truly a convenient location. Call now to arrange an inspection.

**\$ 495,000**

**(02) 6684 3600**  
Ernst Reisch 0428 842 387

### 15 Lawson Street, Byron Bay

Phone: (02) 6685 8466



#### Private, tranquil setting

Total privacy at end of street  
Modern, stylish home on 1283sqm  
4 beds, 2.5 baths, close to town  
Wrap around deck, u'cover BBQ area

**\$ 835,000**



#### Aurora Valley

23 acre property with 5 bedroom, 5 bathroom home  
Huge wrap around decks, 13m pool, separate studio  
State of the art equestrian facilities  
Located between Byron and Bangalow

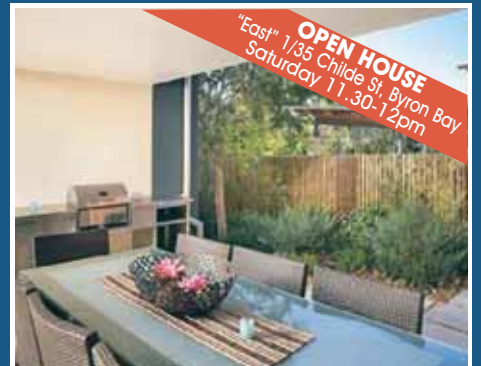
**\$ 2,200,000**



#### Coastal rainforest retreat

3bedroom, 2 bathroom home on 5.9 acres  
Separate fully self-contained studio  
7x7 workshop, 2 carports  
Pony paddock and corridor of natural rainforest

**\$ 1,100,000**



#### Glamorous apartment

Ultra contemporary two bed, two bath apartment  
"East on Byron" at Belongil beach  
Native Australian gardens and billabong style pool  
On-site cafe, management

**\$ 1,050,000**



#### Sunshine, space and more

3 bed, 2-way bath home w/ high ceilings  
Fenced courtyard, landscaped gardens  
Backing onto beautiful reserve  
Walking distance to Suffolk Park shops + beaches

**\$ 539,000**



#### Industrial unit in good complex

One of 5 in complex. 120sqm floor space  
90m ground and 30m fully enclosed mezzanine  
Kitchen sink and bathroom  
One car space

**\$ 275,000**



#### Apartment opposite Clarks Beach

3 bed, 2 bath apartment in 'Seabreeze'  
Holiday rental figures available  
Right in town and opposite beach  
Well designed and well looked after

**\$ 1,275,000**

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131 Acres Of Fernleigh's Best

With panoramic elevated rural views, this superb 53ha parcel of land boasts extensive open paddocks with Skinners Creek frontage.

A solid 3 bedroom brick home with large work and store shed, 3 water tanks, spring fed dam, small abandoned maca crop, easy access only 8 minutes to Bangalow and 12 mins from the beach. Can handle 50 breeders or further crops.

152 Nashua Road, Fernleigh.  
Great value at \$1.2 million.  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872.



Stunning Home. Stunning Views.

A rare opportunity to secure one of the most beautiful homes in the Byron hinterland within 10 minutes of Byron Bay and Bangalow.

This extraordinary light filled and tasteful 3 bedroom home has been recently renovated to perfection. 5 easy care acres with amazing views from every room.

Reduced to \$1.195 million.  
44 Friday Hut Road, Coorabell.  
Contact Sonia Jervis 0409 033 250.



Just Magic – 5 Acres

In the hinterland of Byron/Lennox Head is this 5 acre property bordering Emigrant Lake.

Secluded and private but only 12 mins from Lennox Head and 15 mins to Ballina, this home boasts 4 large bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, flowing living, dining and lounge areas together with a superb north facing entertaining deck overlooking a great playing area with the lake as a backdrop.

A double garage and work space, completely separate 3 room elevated studio giving delightful lake and rural views with a nicely treed and easy care garden.

Price \$880,000. 420 Friday Hut Road, Brooklet.  
Contact Scott 0412 296 872 for an inspection.



Country Coastal Living

Follow the very private long driveway and discover this sensational 6 bedroom family home with rumpus and study, nestled in the Tintenbar valley with 1/2 km of beautiful creek frontage on 32 acres. You will love the entertaining options and three large living areas together with a 3 car garage, superb outdoor balcony with balinese hut and elevated views.

The high ceilings, indoor water feature and delightful kitchen all combine to create space and bring life to the interior. Featured landscaping, bamboo flooring, storage shed, fenced paddocks. 6 minutes to Lennox makes this property a must view.

Offers from \$995,000. Entrance off Pacific Highway, 500m south of Ross Lane.  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872 or Sonia on 0409 033 250.



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Making a difference doing business differently.

**NEW LISTING**

**Spectacular ocean/lighthouse view plus level backyard to kick a ball on**

**\$1,590,000**

Mullumbimby - This luxurious 5 bdrm home set on 5 acres offers total privacy & uninterrupted panoramic views over Byron & beyond. An immaculate home with expansive open-plan living areas, quality appointed kitchen, entertainment decks, timber floors, inground pool & sauna.

**Exceptional value**

**\$395,000**

**URGENT SALE**

Ocean Shores - Expansive mountain & distant ocean views. Two storey solid rendered cement three bedroom home. All living rooms & bedrooms open to huge decks. Abundant native trees & shrubs provide privacy. Corner position, 885m<sup>2</sup> block. 2 road frontage.

**Walk to beach and town**

**Byron Bay**

**\$410,000**

- 2 bdrm, 2 bthrm, quality fully furnished apartment
- Play tennis, swim, work out in the gym or take a 5 min stroll to one of our finest beaches via exquisite national park land with progressive astute managers to optimise your investment.

**Country charm in Ewingsdale**

**REDUCED**

**\$690,000**

- Come home to this charming friendly residence
- Surrounded by peaceful, beautifully established gardens, a genuine calm, tranquil oasis
- A country style double brick 3 bedroom, 2 bthrm home on just under an acre of land.

**Possum Creek acreage**

**\$749,000**

- Architect-designed quality home on 2 acres
- Plus 12th share of 113 acres of rainforest, primary producing & recreational land, swimming hole, hall, stables, dairy bails
- 5 mins to Bangalow, 10 mins to the Bay

**Cape Byron Village - Hilltop unit**

**REDUCED**

**Byron Bay**

**\$365,000**

- 2 bedroom open-plan spacious apartment
- N/E facing, summer breezes and winter sun
- On-site recreation room, heated indoor pool
- On top of the hill, just metres to corner shop
- Excellent position, short walk to beach & town


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**SAT & SUN**

Unit 5, 'Bogarts'  
21-25 Fletcher St,  
Byron Bay  
**Sat & Sun**  
11-11.45am  
Contact  
Liam on  
0417 780 795




**SAT & SUN**

42 Brandon  
Street,  
Suffolk Park  
**Sat & Sun**  
2-2.45am  
Contact  
Andrew on  
0421 914 054




**SUNDAY**

28 Pacific  
Vista Drive,  
Byron Bay  
**Sunday**  
12-12.45pm  
Contact  
Jon on  
0422 794 384




**SAT & SUN**

33 Bottlebrush  
Crescent,  
Baywood Chase  
**Sat & Sun**  
12-12.45pm  
Contact  
Andrew on  
0421 914 054




**SATURDAY**

1/55 Julian  
Rocks Drive,  
Byron Bay  
**Saturday**  
11-11.45am  
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Andrew on  
0421 914 054




**SUNDAY**

49 Ruskin  
Street,  
Byron Bay  
**Sunday**  
1-1.45pm  
Contact  
Jon on  
0422 794 384




**SAT & SUN**

'Broken Ridge' 591  
Broken Head Rd,  
Broken Head  
**Sat & Sun**  
1-1.45pm  
Contact  
Andrew on  
0421 914 054




**SATURDAY**

75 Bangalow  
Road,  
Byron Bay  
**Saturday**  
3-3.45pm  
Contact  
Andrew on  
0421 914 054




**SUNDAY**

7 Kalemajere  
Drive,  
Suffolk Park  
**Sunday**  
2-2.45pm  
Contact  
Jon on  
0422 794 384



**SAT & SUN**

15 Oakland  
Court,  
Byron Bay  
**Sat & Sun**  
1-1.45pm  
Contact  
Peter on  
0411 837 330



**SATURDAY**

5 Luan  
Court,  
Byron Bay  
**Saturday**  
2-2.45pm  
Contact  
Peter on  
0411 837 330

NEW LISTINGS



**UNDER CONTRACT**

**SIMPLY IRRESISTABLE**

- Fabulous As New Beach House
- Featuring 3 Bedrooms, 2 Bathrooms
- Well Appointed Kitchen
- Timber Floors & Raked Ceilings
- Sunny North Facing Decks
- Easy Walk To Beach & Town

Contact  
Sharon McInnes  
0408 659 649  
**\$1,125,000**

OUTSTANDING OPPORTUNITY



- Stunning Rural And Ocean Views
- Perfect North Aspect
- Rural Feel Minutes To Town
- Approved Plans For Stunning Home
- Architect Model Now Available To View

**\$1,600,000**

BROKEN HEAD ACREAGE



- 5 Minutes To Broken Head
- 9.3 Ha Of Coastal Land
- Exclusive Access To 7 Mile Beach
- Very Private With Easy Access
- Rare Opportunity

**\$ 950,000**

INCOME PLUS



- Dual Key Apartment
- Separate Studio & 1 Bedroom Apartment
- Two Incomes, Great Rental Returns
- The Resort Offers Pool, Spa & BBQ Areas
- Walk To Town & Beach

**\$599,000**

HERITAGE COURT



- 4 Bedroom, 2 Bathroom Home
- Highly Sought After Area
- 2 Separate Living Areas
- Double Lock Up Garage
- Large Low Maint Yard
- Short Stroll To Beach, Shops And Tavern

**\$ 650,000**

COOLAMON SCENIC DRIVE



- 5 Picturesque Rural Acres
- 2 Magnificent Homes
- 3 Car Garage
- Pool, Tennis Court, BBQ Area
- Short Drive To Mullum, Bangalow & Byron Bay
- A Must To Inspect

**\$1,825,000**

SECLUDED GETAWAY



- Beautiful 5 Bedroom, 3 Bathroom Home
- Rainforest And Tranquil Tropical Gardens
- Brushbox Timber Floors+ Elegant Arched Hallways
- Separate Parents Retreat
- Generous Entertaining Verandahs

**\$ 995,000**




**OPEN FOR INSPECTION DAILY 12-12.45PM**  
**2/70 SHIRLEY STREET, BYRON BAY**

**OWNERS WANT THE PROPERTY SOLD**

- 2 Spacious Bedrooms
- In A Complex Of Only 4
- Lovely Timber Floors
- Patio & Garden Area
- Close To Town & Beach
- This Is Priced To sell

Contact  
Peter Yopp  
0411 837 330  
**\$349,000**

FREEHOLD SHOP AND RESIDENCE



- Freehold Shop
- 3 Bedroom House
- 1012m<sup>2</sup> Block
- Rear Lane Access
- Close To Belongil Beach
- Walk To Town

**\$1,150,000**

CONTEMPORARY HOME



- Contemporary 4 Bed, 2 Bath Home
- Split Level In Design
- Totally Separate Living Areas
- Timber Floors, Raked Ceilings
- Separate Self Contained Office
- Fully Fenced With DLUG

**\$ 780,000**

GREEN FROG FARM



- 20 Usable Acres With 3 Dams
- Hinterland Views And Creek Frontage
- 10 Minutes To Byron Bay
- 3 Bedroom, 2 Bathroom Home
- Massive Machinery Shed
- 4 Fully Fenced Paddocks

**\$695,000**





### ▶▶▶ Beautiful Brunswick Heads

**26 Veterans Lane. Inspect Sunday 26 August 11am-midday.** 'Hibiscus House' is an exquisitely restored property close to Byron Bay. Featuring a grand entrance with spectacular original stained glass front door, 3 bedrooms, stunning original en-suite, elegant open plan living area, chef's stainless steel kitchen with gas cooking and classic covered verandah. Original features abound including intricate woodwork, high ceilings, French doors, fabulous joinery and polished boards. A huge under house concreted space contains a large shed, provides heaps of undercover parking and awaits large summer parties! All of this on a beautifully landscaped easy care 440sqm block only two minutes walk from the water! Contact Gai Hart-Hughes on 0418 755 088 or 6687 1313.

**PROPERTY  
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### ▶▶▶ Secluded Splendour

Imagine 100 acres of seclusion complete with creeks, springs, rainforest, deep water hole, bushland and open pastures. Having an approval for rural tourism and a permit to build 6 cottages in addition to the as new existing timber pavilion home it would make a fabulous health retreat or B&B. There is also a frangipani nursery with 400 established trees. The architect designed home has everything – massive decks, outdoor bar, outdoor spa, gym, r/cycle aircon, 2 gas heating units, mood lighting, expansive bifolds, satellite free to air TV & cable TV, 10 phone lines and its very own picture theatre. A unique opportunity at \$1,995,000. For information please contact Sharon McInnes on 0408 659 649.

**L.J. HOOKER  
Byron Bay**



### ▶▶▶ Azura Kingscliff

New beachside development offers opportunity for experienced operator to establish upmarket barista style coffee shop. 17 shops and offices in new commercial/residential complex due for completion end September.

For full details of lease contact John Penhaligon 0266 740 984 or 0409 155 481. [www.tweedpropertyexpo.com](http://www.tweedpropertyexpo.com)

**Tweed Property Expo**



### ▶▶▶ Buy Off The Plan, Now!

These 10 double storey dwellings are set in downtown Brunswick Heads within an easy walk to the beach, the river, local shops and the famous hotel. The houses will be built with timber floors, they will have large decks and be open plan designs with light filled balconies. A combination of modern materials will be used to bring an 'architectural feel' to this site. There will be nine homes with two bedrooms and two bathrooms, and one single bedroom, two bathroom home. Agent declares interest. Price from \$590,000.

Contact Glen Irwin on 0418 604 080 or L.J. Hooker Byron Bay on 6685 7300.

**L.J. HOOKER  
Byron Bay**

## OPEN FOR INSPECTION

### LJ Hooker Brunswick Heads p47

- 2/24-26 Kallaroo Circuit, North Ocean Shores. Sat 12-12.30pm.
- 10 Coolamon Ave, Mullumimby. Sat 11-11.30am
- 35 Bulgoon Crescent, Ocean Shores. Sat 1-1.30pm.

### Byron Bay First National p48

- 20 Blackbutt Place, Byron Bay. Sat 10-10.30am.
- Lot 5 Pacific Highway, Bangalow. Sat 12-12.45pm.
- "East" 1/35 Childe St, Byron Bay. Sat 11.30-12pm.
- 1/4 Lilli Pilli Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 9.30-10.30am.
- 49 Corkwood Crescent, Byron Bay. Sat 10-10.30am.
- 3 Hillview Place, Ewingsdale. Sat 11am-12pm.
- 18 Corkwood Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 1-1.30pm.
- 38a Armstrong St, Suffolk Park. Sat 2-2.30pm.

### Scott Harvey Real Estate p49

- 420 Friday Hut Road, Brooklet. Sat 12-1pm.
- 44 Friday Hut Road, Coorabell. Sat 1-2pm.
- Entrance off Pacific Highway, 500m South of Ross Lane. Sat 12-12.30pm.

### LJ Hooker Byron Bay p50

- Unit 5, 'Bogarts', 21-25 Fletcher St, Byron Bay. Sat & Sun 11-11.45am.
- 33 Bottlebrush Crescent, Baywood Chase. Sat & Sun 12-12.45pm.
- 'Broken Ridge' 591 Broken Head Rd, Broken Head. Sat & Sun 1-1.45pm.
- 15 Oakland Court, Byron Bay. Sat & Sun 1-1.45pm.
- 42 Brandon Street, Suffolk Park. Sat & Sun 2-2.45am.
- 1/55 Julian Rocks Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.45am.
- 75 Bangalow Road, Byron Bay. Sat 3-3.45pm.
- 5 Luan Court, Byron Bay. Sat 2-2.45pm.
- 28 Pacific Vista Drive, Byron Bay. Sun 12-12.45pm.
- 49 Ruskin Street, Byron Bay. Sun 1-1.45pm.
- 7 Kalemajere Drive, Suffolk Park. Sun 2-2.45pm.

### Elders Byron Bay

- 76 Paterson Street, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.45pm.
- 8 McGregor Street, Suffolk Park. Sat 11-11.45pm.
- 4 Korau Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.45pm.
- 742 Myocum Road, Myocum. Sat 1-1.45pm.

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# A rainforest in your backyard



PRIVATE SALE No Agents Please

- 2 spacious, open plan living areas
- 4 bedrooms (2 with built-in robes, main with walk-in robe), 2 bathrooms
- Excellent gas kitchen
- Great outdoor entertainment area
- Double garage converted large office and enclosed storage
- 2 minutes drive from Byron Bay CBD
- Short walk to Byron High, rugby oval and golf club
- Stroll through beautiful Arakwal reserve to Tallow Beach
- Great investment opportunity

Price: \$745,000.  
12 Old Bangalow Road, Byron Bay.  
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