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Family and friends say farewell to Ben Donohoe



Surfing friends of Ben Donohoe form a circle at sea after the traditional paddleout at Broken Head last Friday. More photos in the Echo Stuff section of www.offmyfacebook.com.au. Photo Jeff Dawson. Later in the day, family and friends gather around Ben's colourfully illustrated coffin. Photo Victoria Cosford

Victoria Cosford

Hundreds braved the damp weather to attend the funeral of Byron Bay identity Ben Donohoe. Ben, 20, died following a single vehicle crash at Byron Bay recently.

He was an avid surfer and rugby league player and so it was fitting that the funeral took place at Red Devil

Park, home to the local team. There had been a paddle-out at Broken Head earlier that morning which had crowds lining the cliff-tops.

On the oval, an enormous red marquee had been erected with Ben's brightly festooned coffin up the front, adorned with paintings, poems and messages such as 'When you were here the fun was never ending.'

Before the service two young guitarists played to the crowd; following it, members of Ben's family and friends stood up to share some of their memories.

Older brother Tom said that one of the things which got him through the devastation of Ben's death was 'the support my family has received from the community of Byron Bay.'



Mullum's rumour mill at full speed as petrol merchant prepares to turn off pumps

Eve Jeffery

The rumour mill is alive and well in Mullumbimby as the advent of Woolworths sees the fors and against jostle for positions of superiority. With all the media hullabaloo it is sometimes easy to forget there are real actual people affected by the arrival of the supermarket giant.

One of those people is Peter Frazier of Main Arm Fuel and Mechanical. Peter has been selling fuel to local residents and businesses for the last 15 years, but at the end of the month, he will let his pumps run dry.

'There is no profit in fuel,' says Pete. 'There has been no profit for a long time. I sell fuel for the convenience of my customers. When Woolies opens, they will start their shopper dockets and once the big boys come in, the small ones will go.'

Elizabeth Reedy from the BP in Dalley Street says that there will be no changes to her operation and it will be business as usual and though the grapevine says otherwise, there will be no changes at Tony Carsburg in Argyle Street either.

Tony agrees with the other petrol merchants in town about the prof-

itability of the commodity. 'Selling petrol is the fastest way to the poor-house,' he says. 'You pay up front for fuel and if one large customer doesn't pay on time, then you are in trouble. The margin is just too low and it's not worth it.'

Tony says that he has heard the rumours circulating about his business, but he has no affiliation with Woolworths. 'I have had one newspaper ring me and tell me that I had already sold to Woolies! I haven't been approached to redeem dockets and I am not selling, I will sign my name in blood on that.'

Mr Carsburg says that Woolworths already have a purpose built fuel facility in Byron Bay and he can't see why they would need to have someone locally to provide discount fuel for dockets.

'We are a motor dealership. We will always have petrol because we need to fuel our own vehicles - I would need to employ someone just to take cars and fill them otherwise and we will continue to service our customers.'

As Peter Frazier winds down that side of his operation, he says he appreciates the loyalty of his long term customers and they appreciate that he

has simply been providing fuel for the sake of service and not a profit making venture.

'I have been selling for 15 years and the owner before that [local identity Pat Quinn] sold fuel for 28 years. My customers have been very understanding.'

'I will buy no more fuel after the end of the month, then I will stop selling once the tanks run dry. We are still open for business. We won't be closing our doors as some have suggested, we will just be concentrating on the mechanical side of the business from now on.'



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MC Dingo has a vision to assist disengaged children

Story & photo Eve Jeffery

As a twelve year old living on the street, you learn about life hard and fast – the idea is enough to make anyone shudder. This is not what you would wish for anyone starting their teenage years but for one teacher, the lessons learned on the streets of Brisbane 15 years ago have formed the basis of a program to help other children at risk of the same fate.

One Vision Productions is the project of MC Dingo, aka

Mark Robertson, a man who, through his own experiences as a boy, was inspired to create change for disengaged youth. One Vision is an educational program that introduces arts-based multi-literacy programs targeting isolated and marginalised communities.

'I am currently working with Northern Territory community centres, schools, government organisations and youth agencies,' says Mark, who is about to leave behind his life in Coopers Shoot for a three month tour of

the north. 'The program seeks to educate youth using a range of workshop programs. The workshops combine the use of hip-hop songwriting and theatre and film production, with participants learning new skills while being able to be part of a quality-learning environment where positive outcomes are reached.'

Mark discovered the benefits of expressing himself through rapping and lyrical hip-hop as a fifteen year old and combined with what he has learned in his training as a high school English and drama teacher, he has developed the program which has attracted government support.

In 2009 Mark was also honoured by the Foundation for Young Australians when he was one of the fifteen inaugural winners of the Australian Young Social Pioneer Awards, (www.youngsocialpioneers.org.au).

The Young Social Pioneers Program is based on the International Youth Foundation's global initiative Youth Action Net.

Mark says the program involves supporting young



people through a process of creating lyrical hip-hop songs from within themselves, which he then helps transpose into film clips that he produces and directs, many of which are commercial broadcast quality – two in particular, 'Redfern' and 'Praying for Change' are both entertaining and heart wrenching and of a quality that you would expect to see your teenagers watching on Satur-

day morning television.

Mark says that the workshops have a unique effect on the communities he visits. 'Workshops not only create happiness and empowerment for individuals, they have potential to create social change – change in motivation for education, change in one's outlook in order to gain self-empowerment,' says Mark.

'I want to live my life know-

ing that I was a part of creating a better future. I was fortunate enough to be given an opportunity and to waste that would be a shame. I'm only living in this life once and I definitely want to make a difference.'

For more information about MC Dingo and One Vision Productions and to view some of the film clips, visit the website onevisionproductions.ning.com.

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Locals lauded for regional development ideas

Victoria Cosford

Winners of the Regional Development Australia (Northern Rivers) inaugural Gift For The Future competition were awarded recently at the Byron Community and Cultural Centre. An initiative of Regional Development Australia (RDA), the competition called for anyone living or working in the region to submit their vision for the future.

It attracted entries from businesses, community groups and individuals from Upper Main Arm down to Yamba and dominant themes were youth and health. Entries were judged by an independent panel of regional business,

community and environmental representatives. According to CEO of RDA-NR Katrina Luckie, the submissions could provide a great foundation for the sustainable development of the region.

Introducing the winners Katrina spoke about how 'our whole goal is to connect the Northern Rivers to opportunities. We see ourselves very much as a conduit and a voice...'

'We ran this competition in recognition of the talent and expertise in this area. Right across the region we've had different concepts, and we are interested in taking these ideas and using them as platforms for our future planning.'

Five awards were handed out,

with more than \$4,000 in prizes presented to the winners. Best written submission was by Sally Del Perugia of Ballina, who called for a youth radio station in Ballina run by young people and promoting youth activities, events, programs, music and opportunities.

Best photography submission award went to Mat Morris, general manager of North Byron Parklands, who demonstrated how outdoor event spaces can support sustainable enterprise.

Winner of the best multimedia submission was Byron United for its proposal of 'beachside stations (where) swimmers, joggers, riders and walkers of all ages will benefit

from warmup, stretching and exercise stations located along the park area adjacent to Main Beach and Clarkes Beach, Byron Bay.'

Byron Bay's James Preston was awarded Best Youth submission prize with his call for a best-practice youth recreation centre offering a safe and accessible alternative night culture for locals.

And for Best Business submission, Margaret Lawlor of Lawlor Management Consultants won with her vision of a 'one-stop village of excellence, where services would include an affordable retirement home, an integrative medical clinic with choice of conventional and complementary practices ...'

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Historian explores the NR elements

Story & photo Eve Jeffery

Local historian Frank Mills is blending his expertise with the theme of this year's Ocean Shores Art Expo, 'The Elements', and creating a presentation exploring the effect of the elements on the Northern Rivers.

The Powerpoint based show is an historical record of occurrences the four elements of earth, water, fire and air, have visited upon the area and the catastrophic results of some of these natural phenomena. Although Mrs Nature has had fun playing with Ms Gaia, Frank says that some of the results of local elemental events have been amplified by the stupidity of its human inhabitants, a number of man-made scars such as sand mining, land clearing and coastal groynes have had a hand in the destruction.

Frank will present over 50 photographs from across the shire. Many of these images have never before been publicly displayed and some are truly amazing – one image, the



From mountainous fires to oceanic pounding, Frank Mills presents 'The Elements' at the Ocean Shores Art Expo.

first pre-film woodcut 'photo' of Brunswick Heads from the *Town and Country Journal* of October 1886.

From prehistoric land movements, the fires on Mount Warning, the devastating cyclones in 1954 and 1974 to the

floods that have touched many parts of the shire, Frank will explore many familiar and interesting elemental events. Frank's talk also touches on the changing social element in the shire with a humorous look at some of the new residents in

the early seventies.

The show will appear twice on both the Saturday and the Sunday of the exhibition at Ocean Shores Public School on the weekend of August 27. For more information, visit www.osartexpo.com.

Tallowood case held over for further submissions

Michael McDonald

Land and Environment Court commissioner Robert Hussey looks set to approve stage 1 of the controversial Tallowood Ridge Estate development at Mullumbimby following further submissions at a hearing on Friday July 30.

In a judgement issued on July 16, Mr Hussey found that the Concept Plan for the development satisfied most areas of concern. He has asked for further submissions in relation to the proposed development along the southern boundary of the site.

'I do not consider the stage 1 application [for 31 lots] is in a form that currently merits consent,' Mr Hussey noted. His concerns centred on 'inclusion of the access road for lots 25-31, the shelter belt design and provision of an adequate pathway/

bikeway within the unmade road reserve.'

Mr Hussey further noted that 'whilst the final site investigations have not been completed for the entire site, nevertheless the Stage 1 has been fully surveyed and found to be acceptable subject to compliance with conditions of consent. In my assessment, the overall contents of the CP [Concept Plan] provide an adequate outline for the future development. Further detailed site investigations will be required for the assessment of future stages.

'Importantly, I consider the introduction of a number of "super lots" introduced into the CP for the subsequent stages provides reasonable opportunities and safeguards for the protection of flora and fauna, within the existing residentially zoned land.'

Mr Hussey was also 'satisfied that the drainage strategy provides a reasonable outline for management of the flooding issue within the overall development, particularly as it defines the 1:100 flood level constraint.

'Furthermore, the more de-

tailed study in respect of Stage 1 indicates that the proposed subdivision layout is satisfactory in terms of flooding risk. Consequently I rely on the engineer's agreement that the development will not restrict floodwaters, nor cause flooding of other land.'

Roundhouse survey underway

During the coming fortnight, Ocean Shores residents are going to be invited to respond to a survey about Ocean Shores.

Representatives from the Ocean Shores Community Association (OSCA) and the Roundhouse Action Group (RAG) will be asking householders their opinions about the Council-owned Roundhouse site. Residents will be asked to list their preferred use for the site including a multi use cultural facility, a resi-

dential subdivision, or if they would like to suggest other uses.

If a multi use cultural facility was built on the site, residents are asked to list preferred uses, such as a museum, art gallery, exhibition and performance space, theatre for movies and documentaries, conference and function facilities or other uses.

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Beach Bums help out Shores school

Story & photo Eve Jeffery

Variety, the Children's Charity, helps children in need. Part of this help is purchasing equipment and in recent times the club has granted up to \$2.5 million in appeals, money that is raised partly by each year's Variety 'Bash', an endurance car race.

One of the Variety programs is specifically aimed at assisting children with disabilities and recently some of the students at Ocean Shores Public School became the recipients of the club's generosity.

The Byron Bay 'Beach Bums', a trio sometimes known as Ray Crandell, Phil Batson and Trevor Watts, have been entrants in the Variety Club Bash for just about ever and this year were able to use the results of their fundraising to purchase six laptop computers valued at \$9,000 to Ocean Shores Public School for their children with special needs.

'This is part of this year's donations to various schools along our bash route from Sydney to Byron Bay,' said Beach Bum Trevor. 'The bash will be finishing in Byron Bay on August 30



Beach Bums Ray Crandell, Phil Batson and Trevor Watts present one of the six laptops to school principal Chris Hauritz and student Will Smith.

around lunch time after it visits Mullumbimby Public School for morning tea. This is very exciting and for our loyal supporters from over the past 11 years, it is great that it is coming to a town near us.'

Principal of the Ocean Shores Public School Chris Hauritz says the school is very grateful to the Beach Bums for their generous donation. 'The support we have received

from Variety has allowed us to purchase technology that will greatly assist students with special needs in our school,' said Mr Hauritz. 'The children will be able to work on their individual programs using equipment and software that caters for their needs. The generosity of Variety is greatly appreciated.'

This year's bash will see entrants drive the 26th Bash from

Sydney to Byron Bay. The race starts on Sunday August 22. The Beach Bums will revisit the Ocean Shores school on Tuesday August 31 at the end of their fundraising tour, before a lunch at the Billi.

Anyone wishing to donate to equipment for special needs children through the NSW chapter of Variety the Children's Charity, can contact Trevor on 0417 494 025.

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Byron Bay program to explore the value of ideas

TEDxByronBay, an independently organised event, will take place at the Byron Bay Community Centre Theatre on Saturday July 31, commencing at 9am. According to organisers, 'This event will bring people together for presentations by global thought leaders, focusing on the theme "Step up to Shine".'

Those interested must apply to participate at www.tedxbyronbay.com. Attendees' \$50 ticket price includes lunch and all sessions of discussions and entertainment.

Speakers include Mandy Nolan, Kurek Ashley, Geoffrey Kwitko, Rachael Birmingham, Alf Orpen, Jennie Armato, Leela Cosgrove and Annalise Halverson.

Creator of the event is Chen Tay. He says, 'Byron Bay is a

coastal destination that thrives on creativity and big ideas, and TEDxByronBay will encourage our community to think even more ambitiously about our future. I am very excited to host this event, which I believe will be among the most thought-provoking and innovative TEDx events to be held. I look forward to stimulating, transformative thinking among all attendees.'

Organisers say the Byron Bay TEDx event is operated under license from TED. TED is a nonprofit organisation devoted to 'Ideas Worth Spreading'.

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Page shows support for farmers markets

Story & photo Eve Jeffery

Member for Ballina Don Page paid a visit to the Mullumbimby Farmer's Market on Friday and got his just desserts, which included a piece of cake, a scone and a cuppa from the CWA ladies in the 'Blue Bar', a new market initiative which will hopefully see other community groups use as a venue for fundraising and promotion.

Mr Page met with the Mullum Farmer's Market Committee and members of the Showgrounds Trust and Show Society and gave a short address to the morning's shoppers.

'I am a big fan of local farmers markets,' said Mr Page. 'They provide an opportunity for local food producers to sell direct to the public without a middleman. For the buyer, they get fresh and healthy produce at a fair price. It's a great example of local sustainability and the income generated stays in the local area.'

Mr Page also congratulated the Farmers Market manager, Judy McDonald and her team together with the Showground



Ballina MP Don Page receives some market produce from market manager Judy McDonald.

Trust on taking this initiative. He said the Trust will receive approximately \$17,000 a year by hosting the Farmers Market, which will help maintain the showground facility and give greater utilisation of a community site.

'There are also health and

environmental benefits,' he said.

'The environmental benefit is that the supply chain is short, saving the use of fossil fuels in transporting food hundreds, sometimes thousands of kilometres to traditional retail outlets. This re-

duces greenhouse gases and also saves energy through less packaging.'

Ms McDonald thanked the MP for visiting the market and presented him with market produce including a relaxing candle, a jar of spicy sauce and some nuts, from Billinudgel.

Garden and college launch sustainability courses

On Monday July 19 the Mullumbimby Community Garden and Byron Region Community College launched a program of courses in organic local food production and permaculture. 'Growing Sustainability @ The Garden' will be delivered at the Garden, while the College will take bookings for most courses.

Byron College Director Richard Vinycomb and Jeanette Martin, coordinator of the Community Garden, signed a partnership agreement where both organisations will collaborate in the delivery of sustainability education in the region.

The program features a Certificate III in Permaculture, a 12 month nationally accredited qualification in the permaculture design and implementation. Students learn to develop



productive gardens, farms and communities that meet human needs while working in harmony with nature.

In October, international local food security activist Robina McCurdy will also deliver the Growing Gardeners week-


end workshop during National Organics Week for people interested in being garden/permaculture educators.

In addition, the Mullumbimby Community Garden will receive a boost of \$5,000 funding through the Volunteer

Grants initiative. Richmond MP Justine Elliot made the announcement last week at the Mullumbimby Community Garden where she met with volunteers. The grant will be used to purchase fire safety equipment and a projector and screen for use during training courses.

Local organisations are receiving grants of between \$1,000 and \$5,000 through the Volunteer Grants initiative to cover the cost of petrol and purchase much-needed equipment such as computers, barbecues, air conditioners and refrigerators.

'The Mullumbimby Community Garden and its volunteers play such an important role in our community, and this grant will help support the organisation to continue its fantastic work,' Ms Elliot said.



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Walls can't hold back Katy Mackay, actress and fitness trainer, from reading at Dangerously Poetic's Eighth Poetry Day Celebration. Photo Jeff 'Descent Of A Craggy Face' Dawson

On Sunday August 1, Dangerously Poetic holds its popular Poetry Day Celebration, Poetry Without Walls, upstairs at the Byron Bay Community Centre, 3pm-5 pm. A feast for your ears, the afternoon will feature local musicians Karl Farren, Jai Kirtan, and Elyjah Mcleod with poetry read by local and multicultural actors and poets. The MC will be Carl Taylor.

This is Dangerously Poetic's eighth Poetry Day and they are celebrating their refreshed website/blog (www.dangerouslypoetic.com) with a poetry competition inspired by the poetry prompt on the site.

Join them for a sip of bubbly and treats catered by Luscious cafe with special raffle prizes on the day.

Dangerously Poetic especially thanks the Northern Rivers Writers Centre for the donation of tickets to the festival poetry night, which will go home with five lucky winners. Dangerously Poetic is a non-profit community group 'committed to tearing down any wall that keeps poetry from an audience'. They encourage all poets and poetry lovers to indulge in the passion.

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Learn about the dangers of defamation

In an increasingly interconnected and litigious world, you can get into a lot of trouble not only by saying too much in public, but even by expressing yourself in an email. 'Changes to defamation law from 2006 have made it harder for companies to sue people and groups opposed to their operations or plans,' explains Environmental Defenders Office solicitor Sue Higginson. 'But some companies have tried to get around this by using trade practices law.'

The EDO is holding a free public seminar in Mullumbimby this month to help individuals and community groups better understand defamation law. Guest speaker is Greens MP Ian Cohen, who has been left with a legal bill of around \$1 million after a series of court cases.

The seminar is on Thursday July 29, 5.45pm for 6pm-8pm (refreshments will be provided) at Mullumbimby Civic Hall, 55 Dalley Street.

Prior registration is required. Call Mark Byrne at the EDO Northern Rivers on 6621 1113 or email mark.byrne@edo.org.au for more information.



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Brunswick Heads Public School Deputy Principal Will Constable said the school was pleased to be able to support the competition again this year. 'This opportunity is a great asset to our school community, with free entry and printing for students, no one is excluded,' Mr Constable said. 'The school was very proud to have a Year 2 student win the children's section in 2009, as well as a finalist and a highly commended entry.'

The competition gives kids



the opportunity to learn the technical and creative skills of photography, as well as allowing them the satisfaction and sense of belonging that comes from seeing their work displayed around town. Simple

Pleasures Photography Competition coordinator Lanie Loughlin said entries in the under 12 category soared last year thanks to support from the school. 'The photo competition is a fun and positive pro-

ject for parents and kids to get involved in together. We hope the "Colours of Bruns" theme will inspire some of the creative and ingenious thinking the child and youth categories are renowned for.

'Again this year we're calling on photographers of all ages to showcase their talents with category one for 12 years and under, category two for 13 to 18 year olds, category three for 19 years and over as well as the popular peoples choice award and overall winner.'

All entrants have until Friday August 6 to take their winning snap and complete the entry form available from the Visitor Centre, 7 Park Street, Brunswick Heads, or online at www.brunswickheads.org.au/photocomp.

In brief

Tree Day

Rainforest Rescue and the Bangalow River Care Group are calling on Byron Shire residents to help them plant another 1,000 trees, create a rainforest and help restore the natural environment on Sunday August 1, National Tree Day 2010. The planting site is on Byron Creek at the Bangalow Sports Fields. Tree planting will take place between 9am to 12 noon, and everyone is invited to volunteer to plant, water and mulch the plants.

The Lions Lookout Project is also on this Sunday. This year there is also a Nature Explorer's challenge for the kids, so bring along their pencils too, so they can learn more about our local habitat areas. If you have any questions call Planet Ark's Hotline 1300 885 000. Bring your hat, gloves and sturdy shoes from 8am at the beautiful Lions Lookout in Ocean Shores.

Mother yoga

Yoga teacher Rachel Zinman has been donating a portion of her earnings to Plan Australia's Because I am a Girl Fund, which enables girls in developing countries to have

the means, rights and opportunities to become successful independent women. In her latest workshop mothers and daughters will gather materials from nature and build a mandala with the intention of bringing more harmony and love to the earth. The workshop will be held at Red Tent Yoga in the A&I estate on Sunday July 2pm-4pm. For more info visit www.rachelzinmanyoga.com. Entry is by donation and all proceeds go to www.becauseiamagirl.com.au

Foxes targeted

A fox control program is set to begin in Tyagarah Nature Reserve south of Brunswick Heads with the assistance of the North Coast Livestock Pest and Health Authority (NCLPHA) - 1080 baits will be laid in buried bait stations within the reserve south of Brunswick Heads towards Grays Lane from August 2 until December 19. National Parks and Wildlife Service (NPWS) Ranger Norm Graham said the program aims to protect native species such as the Long Nosed Potoroo from predation by foxes.

Mr Graham reminded people that pets are not allowed in any national park or nature reserve at any time. 'It is

particularly important for the safety of pets and the success of this pest management program that people keep any pet dogs out of the Reserve and only take their dogs to areas that are designated dog exercise areas.'

The community is invited to an information session on the program on July 28, 6.30pm to 7.30pm, at the Brunswick Heads Community Centre, South Beach Road, Brunswick Heads. For more information contact the NPWS Byron Coast Area office on 6620 9300.

Bush regeneration

Ellen White, a botanist and dune care restorer, will be working with the Byron Shire Chemical Free Land Care Group on Saturday July 31. The group has received a grant from the Northern Rivers Catchment Management Authority, under the umbrella of the Mullumbimby Community Garden, to control Bitou Bush (*Chrysanthemoides monilifera*) without the use of herbicides on two sites in the Byron Shire.

Ellen has developed the chemical free crowning technique used by the BSCFLG for Bitou Bush control. She also has developed organic control of other major environmental weeds on coastal areas such as Glory lilly, Lantana Camara and *Lepidosperma laevigatum*.

Works have started on one site at the Brunswick Heads Crown Land Reserve, South of the Brunswick Surf Club where the group has already achieved 2,000 square metres of organic control of Bitou Bush. The total area of this site is 4ha. The group also will be working at a second site, the Cavanbah Dune Byron Bay (0.5ha) where work will start in the following months.

The group will be working at the Brunswick site this Saturday July 31, from 9am to 1.30pm, meeting on the southwest side of the Brunswick Surf Club at the fire track gate at 9am sharp. For more information please contact the site supervisors Nadia 6684 4771 or Jo 0435 022 717.

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Slogans R Us

Politics in late 19th century Japan inspired this description by Takashi Matsuoka in his best-selling novel *Autumn Bridge*: 'The purpose of politics was not the attainment of an impossible perfection, a perfection about which no two nations could ever agree in any case, but the smooth functioning of different interests through the wise balancing and meshing of hypocrisies.'

Has anything changed?

On first glance at the federal election we had to have, politics within early 21st century Australia could be described as the promotion by two major parties of conflicting hypocrisies by the endless repetition of mindless slogans. There doesn't seem to be much content to engage the public mind.

The news media and the internet must take some of the blame. The nature of information is instant and ephemeral and the quick grab and the two word slogan are the temptations to which all spin doctors succumb. Gone are the days when a statesman would turn up at a town hall and offer an hour long speech brimming with substance. The days of Labor speechwriters like Don Watson are gone, along with the wit of Whitlam and Menzies.

'Moving forward' might be an economist's term for what ordinary folk call 'the future'. It defines nothing. Moving forward towards what – heaven or hell? 'Stand up for real action', a Liberals slogan, is also meaningless, like Nike's 'Just do it'. 'Real action' could be sheltering the homeless or wandering into the shopping mall with a high-powered rifle.

While we endure the repetition of meaningless platitudes for the next month, a prohibition should be introduced. Politicians must be banned from hospitals and schools. Let the sick get well and let children enjoy their little lunch in peace.

Death of a mare

Our story on the death of a horse in the Byron hinterland drew a passionate, outraged response from letter writers. Some of them were critical of the person who reported the mare's plight to the RSPCA, but I don't propose to publish a repeated hammering of someone who at least made an effort on the horse's behalf.

Some writers condemned the RSPCA while others found it a useful organisation. It seems, as with many things, it all depends on who you talk to and how persistent you are when you are trying to get a positive result. Which is a shame when an organisation's whole raison d'être is protecting animals.

Margaret Brown of Companion Animals Welfare Inc (CAWI) points out there are no local RSPCA branches, 'the closest ones being in Tweed Heads and another in Coffs Harbour'. She hopes that once CAWI has a shelter built, there will be room for horses as well.

Sue Arnold of Australians For Animals suggests calling the police in such a situation: 'Police have special constable powers and have the right to take immediate action in a situation like this.' She also suggests people could contact AFA www.australiansforanimals.org.au or 6680 3674.

Interestingly, the mare's death drew far more responses than our reports on homelessness or mental illness in the Shire have ever done. Perhaps it's easier to love animals than our fellow human beings.

– Michael McDonald, editor

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Copout clichés piled upon platitudes

Julia Gillard's copout on climate policy follows Tony Abbott's capitulation on industrial relations and confirms our worst fears: we are faced with a choice between two candidates who believe that political leadership is best manifested in total inaction, the surrender of core beliefs to the opinion polls and the dumbing down of policy to the lowest common denominator.

Gillard's idea of a people's assembly to achieve consensus under the guidance of a commission of experts is both the silliest and most pusillanimous proposal to date, but don't believe we've hit bottom; we still have more than three weeks to go.

Still, the plan to set up the world's biggest focus group will take some beating – if it ever comes to fruition. There are a few problems. Will the assembly include the self-interested and sceptical? It will be unrepresentative if it does and unworkable if it doesn't. And in any case we already have a people's assembly called parliament, as has been pointed out by numerous critics, Tony Abbott among them. At least he produced his own non-policy on climate change all by himself.

But Abbott has nothing to be cocky about: his own decision to vacate the entire field of industrial reform for at least three years, or in his less scripted moments forever, was hardly Churchillian. It was reminiscent of Kevin Rudd's backdown on an Emissions Trading Scheme, the start of all Rudd's woes. But in some ways Abbott's recantation was even more devastating.

Industrial reform has always been a core – even the core – Liberal belief. From Al-

fred Deakin through Robert Menzies, Malcolm Fraser and John Howard, it has been the defining policy. Abbott himself, as Howard's Minister for Employment and Workplace relations, was an enthusiastic part of the process, and while he has expressed doubts about the political wisdom of introducing WorkChoices, has never resiled from much of the substance: 'It was good for

record to date he has a point. But pots and kettles, people in glass houses, etc.

Of course the voters are the real losers. Never has the prime ministership of Australia been contested by such a pair of abject, craven, weak-kneed, whey-faced, chicken-hearted, lily-livered, jelly-bellied milk-sops. And what a leadup to the so-called Great Debate: The Wimp versus The Wuss.

We are faced with a choice between two candidates who believe that political leadership is best manifested in total inaction.

by Mungo MacCallum



wages, it was good for jobs and it was good for workers, never forget that,' he proclaimed not long ago.

Now, of course, WorkChoices is dead, buried and cremated, and there is his scrawl on an old piece of cardboard to prove it. But not only that: Labor's Fair Work Act is to remain untouchable, because he has been scared off. Never mind that this involves abandoning a whole series of promises to amend unfair dismissal laws and bring back individual work contracts; and it doesn't seem to matter that it betrays the key Liberal constituency of small business, not to mention a lot of others who support the party financially as well as electorally.

Abbott is apparently happy to be seen as a fraud and a poltroon, a shyster who cannot be trusted or believed and who stands for nothing. This, of course, is precisely the political cowardice of which he accuses Julia Gillard, and on her

The debate was rescheduled so as not to clash with a popular cooking program, but it is likely that the only ones who paid it any real attention were the audiences paid to do so by the television networks, and political tragedies who had already taken sides. The latter barracked for their own corner and awarded points accordingly, while the former gave the prize to Julia Gillard.

Or at least the women did; the men were more evenly split, and if they had any preference at all, it appeared to be for Tony Abbott. The width of the gender gap was about the only thing the exercise contributed to the sum of human knowledge; the rest of it was so bland as to suggest that the hour should have been sponsored by Mogadon.

Both leaders followed their well-prepared scripts, avoided any gaffes, were unfailingly polite and generally totally unconvincing. It was like a strictly formalised school debate in

which the sides are given a topic and told to prepare a case for one side or the other. They then receive points for matter, manner and method – but not for aggression, passion or conviction, since they are not expected to genuinely believe in anything they are saying.

There were a few glimmers of life; Gillard was actually quite enthusiastic on education and Abbott got in the odd crack about Kevin Rudd. But neither had anything new to say, and neither managed to bring new life to the slogans, clichés and platitudes they have been repeating since the start of the campaign and before it.

In the circumstances it is silly to talk about who won and who lost because there was no real contest. Obviously the whole thing will have been well and truly forgotten by polling day; indeed, it will probably have faded from memory by the time you read this. And the debate was supposed to be the high point of the campaign, the crucial battle which could mean the difference between victory and defeat.

In the event, or rather the non-event, Gillard probably did slightly better, if only because she was generally positive while Abbott was relentlessly negative; he has obviously given up hope of winning the election and is relying on the government to lose it. But in a sense he can claim to have finished the night ahead, simply because he wasn't far behind: prime ministers are expected to beat opposition leaders clearly, so a near draw in fact counts as a loss.

And Abbott wants more debates. Well, okay Tony, but only if you promise to appear in your budgie smugglers. That's the only way you'll get us to watch.

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Aerial spraying has its impacts

Re Letters July 13 'Parks and Poisons', Damien Hofmeyer. Of course the use of broad-spectrum herbicides designed to kill many types of plants will have environmental impacts. What we need to be open to is a clear analysis of what they are.

I am quite happy to show Damian and any other member of the National Parks and Wildlife Service some of the impacts that can still be observed on the Dirawong Reserve at Evans Head from the aerial spray programs of 2002-3. What are they?

Ongoing cliff erosion and fall, acres of dead Banksia woodland where little grows but Bitou Bush, Farmers Friends and Fleabane even some years after the last aerial spray (2006 – an annual spray drift from over the southern border). I have documented

also why the 'buffer zones' did not work, particularly the protection of waterways which are at right angles to the beach. You can still see erosional scars where the Endangered Ecological Community (Themeda Grasslands) was damaged.

What research should have been done before the implementation of the Bitou Bush Threat Abatement Plan and its encouragement of widescale herbicide use? It is hard to go into details in a short letter but ...

In sandy coastal soils, mycorrhizal (fungal) associations are critical to the health of coastal habitats. Ground orchids, for instance, require them for germination and growth. Agricultural research has shown severe impacts on soil microbiology.

On the Dirawong, to my knowledge, two species were

lost from a large area with the second aerial spray when no bitou canopy was there to protect them. A third species, the endangered Pink Nodding Orchid, was significantly reduced in abundance to one plant (it is now increasing).

'Inert' ingredients in a herbicide are not biologically inert. It is just that they are not the part of the product that kills the plant (they only facilitate the action of the 'active' ingredients). One of the 'inerts' will be a surfactant. No research has been done on the effect of these products on canopy invertebrates but detergents are widely used to kill insects. What about our butterflies and the myriad other small creatures we don't see? Our ecosystems are not just trees! The 2003 aerial spray occurred on a low tide. For the following weeks dozens of dead rock

crabs as well as the tortoise-shell-like operculum of the Cartrut Shell were strewn up Chinamens Beach.

Many species (eg *Stackhousia spathulata*) said to be at risk from Bitou Bush may be more at risk from Bitou control methods. How many years can they germinate, be sprayed, and die before the soil seed store is exhausted?

Bundjalung National Park has now had eight years of aerial spray. With manual control, full control is achieved within five years and in some areas, like littoral rainforest and Bankisa woodland, control is within three. The extent of disturbance can determine the speed of recovery but changing one threatening pressure for another is not the answer.

Ellen White
Georgica

Collision course

The big problem, David Rowlands, without trying to debunk your argument, is that your economic reality is on a direct collision course with a growing environmental maelstrom that has been equally well argued on the page following your letter in last week's *Echo* within the article written by Mary Gardner. Reality on a collision course with reality. Now that is a problem that even the most hard nosed realists among us can not ignore.

It is a problem that your 'residents of Disneyland' have been trying to alert the rest of us to for years. Maybe we could ask the ticks on one of the local cows how they would manage the problem and their answer

would be at least more realistic than that of the economic realists. Like find another planet within the space of fifty years and all will be well. I prefer to at least try to find the most appropriate environmental and technological solutions and wear the lesser pain as a result. As Bob the Builder says, 'Yes we can'.

Mac Nicolson
North Ocean Shores

Lighten up

Although I have lived in the Byron Shire for over ten years I had not realised what a hotbed of Protestant or Islamic temperance Mullumbimby is.

Has Deborah Lilly or Duncan Dey (Letters, July 20) ever travelled to Europe?

In England it is just a matter of wandering down the high street to the local Sainsbury's or Tesco's etc, or if you have left it a bit late, to the off-licence to purchase one's wine and beer along with your food items.

Indeed, I well remember whilst staying in Paris toddling down to the local food store to purchase crispy baguettes for dinner and including a bottle or three of French Rosé at under five euro each!

Even Jesus Christ didn't mind a glass of cab sav given his penchant for transforming urns of vinegar.

Let's lighten up, Deborah and Duncan, purchasing and consuming alcohol does not in itself invoke the devil.

And by the way, Diti of yet again Mullumbimby, if you have ever ventured out to good old Ocean Shores you may have noted that BiLo (of the dreaded Coles Group) stocks ham bones, as well as Gary the Butcher who has survived and prospered next to BiLo because he offers a difference.

Let's get on with life, and don't forget, MOVE FORWARD.

Colin Clarke
Ocean Shores

The Obama way

On last Thursday evening, I arrived late to the GetUp meeting held in Byron Bay, unobtrusively took my seat... and then, the bomb dropped.

Paul Spooner, facilitating the local GetTogether, mentioned an upcoming GetUp Camp, elaborating 'styled after the Obama Camps'.

Paul didn't flinch when he continued overleaf

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When Mallams closes and is replaced by a Woolworths, it will require ongoing local consumer support to maintain this remarkable diversity of locally sourced goods.

Consumers should also be encouraged to talk to other retailers and suppliers to ensure the continuity of supply of local products currently sold by Mallams, as well as to encourage shops to better showcase their local products.

It is also important not to just assume that Woolworths will be cheaper on price. For example, a price comparison last September between the Byron Farmers Market and Woolworths Byron Bay found that of the nine comparable fruit and vegetable items surveyed, Woolworths and the farmers market were cheaper on four items each and both had the same price on one item.

However locally grown fruit and vegetables usually last longer, not surprising given that they haven't travelled the same long distances or been refrigerated for unknown periods like those from the "Fresh Food People".

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said this. There were no boos or hisses from the good people gathered. As I'd barely settled into my seat, I felt that an outburst on my part was not appropriate. So, I just sat there with my jaw dropped, my eyes bugging and my breathing strained.

Uh, excuse me. Something's not quite right here. If GetUp really is an Australian vehicle for meaningful civil engagement in political processes, comprised of astute individuals uniting in the interests of real and positive change, how could it be comfortable with any association with Obama?

As former US Congresswoman Cynthia McKinney wrote, 'When people need food and medical care, they send in men with guns.' Indeed, under Obama, it's troops, troops and more troops, unless, of course, unmanned drones will do.

Katharine Dawn
Myocum

MARA responds

Gavan Higginson's letter, 'Storm in a Teacup' in last week's edition is full of inaccuracies and waffly rhetoric and needs to be corrected.

Firstly, that the Main Arm Residents Association (MARA) is 'vehemently opposed to Mo Hughes proposal' is utterly wrong.

In fact MARA has no position whatsoever at this point in time regarding her concept.

Get the best breast advice

Most women are not enthusiastic about subjecting their breasts to a mammogram. So I can see why some would have fronted up to 'Earthly Beauty' last Saturday to have the 'alternative' to a mammogram by 'Safe Breast Imaging' as advertised in *The Echo* on July 20.

This is one operator, Jo Firth, travelling around Queensland and NSW, one town a day, with an electrical impedance scanner machine which she claims 'is sufficient' as an alternative to mammography for diagnosing breast cancer.

On her website she has a statement from a client saying

how relieved she was to be told by Jo Firth that her breast lump was merely a cyst and not a breast cancer.

Don't be fooled. There is no evidence that this machine is an effective screening tool for breast cancer or that any lives have been saved by its use. Check out the report by the WA Department of Health, the Cancer Council of WA and the Professor of the School of Surgery at the University of WA into 'Safe Breast Imaging' www.cancerwa.asn.au/resources/2010-05-20-breast-technologies-report.pdf.

The researchers are very

concerned that 'a woman may rely on this unproven technology to detect early signs of breast cancer and subsequently develop a tumour which is detected too late for successful treatment'.

As well, after an investigation this year, the Therapeutic Goods Administration removed the electrical impedance scanner from its list of approved medical devices.

If you had one of these scans, please go and discuss the results, either positive or negative, with your doctor.

Signed by Dr Jennifer Gray and seven other local doctors

There was no committee member present at the meeting that took place at Kohinur recently, and if there were MARA supporters and valley residents there expressing a personal opinion, then that was quite right and proper.

Secondly, Mr Higginson may resent that MARA represents the Main Arm community (we know where his allegiance lies) but the 600 individuals who petitioned Council over the years to protest the overdevelopment of Main Arm and the large numbers of paid up Association members may disagree. And we have never professed to represent the 'whole' community. That would be folly indeed.

Thirdly the OMDB approach has never been the policy of MARA. As we have stated quite clearly in Council and in these pages many times, we fully recognise that change is inevitable and we have attempted through lengthy negotiations over years with Councillors and Planning Department (state and local) as well as letters of compromise, to broker a solution that would be environmentally conscious and sustainable, not unduly harm developers on both sides of Main Arm Road and be acceptable to the community.

Neither of the developers involved responded and consented to consult with us despite our willingness to do so.

It is Mr Higginson who needs to get his facts right.

However I don't blame him for not wishing to support the greens anymore. What have they done for us?

I think what we will see in the future is a huge white elephant in Main Arm hamlet, then we can all get on with our lives.

By the way, Gavan, If there were to be a UCP, would you run for president?

Peter Leishman
President for MARA
Main Arm

Dissenting opinion

I refer to the report on page 8 of last week's *Echo* entitled 'Health body condemns AVN in report'. As a previous researcher in both medicine and psychology, I have had much experience with 'data moulding' that uses statistical methodology to acquire 'proof', as well as insight into the discrepancy between doctors' behind-the-scenes beliefs and what they must conform to and assert in the doctor's office. Not only that, it may be of interest for *Echo* readers to remember that even medical journals are under tight printing budgets and studies that find 'no significant effect' are rarely published.

The accusations the HCCC aim at the Australian Vaccination Network (AVN) could just as easily be aimed at pharmaceutical companies that advertise in many peer-reviewed medical journals to promote

the use of vaccinations. The difference between the AVN and pharmaceutical companies, however, is that AVN provides us with a nonconforming opinion and pharmaceutical companies provide us with more and more diseases to be fearful of, and thereby assure that their coffers have a never-ending supply from well-intentioned, protective and loving parents and the governments that represent them.

When recently in Canada, I was shocked to hear the parents of primary school children acknowledge that they are fearful of the effects of vaccinations on the health of their children and the long-term effects on future generations, but are forced nevertheless to vaccinate their children. Their psychological distress and trauma at taking their toddlers to have an intrusive and harrowing intervention that they did not believe was for their children's good was palpable, and sorrowful. We are so lucky in this country to still have the choice not to.

What the AVN represents is no less than another way of looking at this unquestioned highly lucrative practice. The viewpoint asserted by the AVN is not unreasonable, and appears to this researcher as based on valid and accurate observation, and, at the very least, is worthy of further scientific investigation. Not only

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Council's Bangalow fiasco

The Bangalow Chamber of Commerce represents 134 businesses in the village of Bangalow and the 2479 postcode.

The Chamber is appalled that the relatively straightforward refurbishment of a small park in the main street of the village has now turned into a monumental disaster.

The original budget for this project was \$112,600, with the work to take approximately six weeks from its advertised starting date in late January 2010. It is now almost August and the project is far from finished. Indeed work has come to a complete halt.

Worse than that, the cost has blown out by \$66,000 above the original budget. Clearly there has been gross incompetence on the part of those who

estimated the original costs of the work, who let the tenders and who supervised the work to date.

At its meeting on July 1, 2010, Byron Shire Council was offered a way out of this mess with a staff recommendation to fund \$50,000 of the budget over-run from available Section 94 funds – Open Space Bangalow Local Parks. This recommendation was unanimously rejected and Council requires the project to stay within the original \$112,600 budget 'with safety and amenity as priorities' (whatever that means).

Bangalow is left with a half finished pile of rubble in the middle of the main CBD that is causing considerable inconvenience to locals and visitors

alike, and distress to hard-working businesses trying to trade in the vicinity of this giant stuff-up.

The Bangalow Chamber of Commerce has called upon Byron Shire Council to give a full and transparent explanation of how such a simple project should go so badly wrong, and what Council is going to do to get it back on track ASAP.

The Council's Do-Nothing Option is totally unacceptable to the businesses and community of Bangalow.

This is fast becoming Bangalow's Lighthouse Road and that is the last thing Bangalow wants or needs.

Michael Malloy
President
Bangalow Chamber of Commerce

that, the AVN assertion gives power back to parents who never felt right vaccinating their children, but buckled under the intense pressure rather than face the stigma of being considered unfit parents.

What the HCCC is attempting to do does not protect the psychological, physical nor intellectual health of future generations, we have only to look at humanity's history for evidence that quashing dissenting opinion was never a good idea.

Teeya Blatt, BA, MA
Brunswick Heads

Report cards

I read recently in *The Echo* that Graham Faulkner has been given a 'satisfactory' rating in a performance review by the elected councillors.

I was horrified: compliance action continues to be arbitrary and selective, the Planning Department continues to play favourites, the Department of Local Government recently gave the Accounts Section a very bad report card, staff reports to Council meetings are still often late and incomplete, while 'confidentiality' (ie secrecy) is ever more pervasive.

Then I remembered! The

GM's performance assessment was undoubtedly based on a weighted 10 point scale developed by the well-known SWAFTWWLAWIPE (Sheltered Workshop Association For Those Who Wouldn't Last A Week In Private Enterprise). On this scale the highest score is 10, as in 'Geez, we're incredibly lucky to have you on board' all the way down to 1, as in 'Fuck off right now'.

As far as I can recall, 'satisfactory' means that you've scored a 2, as in second worst, as in 'We'll just have to put up with this prick for another year'. I understand that there are only two ways to actually score a 1:

1. Not to turn up to work for 500 days in a row.
2. Be Max Eastcott.

In a nutshell I'm definitely in the wrong business.

Fast Bucks
Coorabell

North coast poverty

In the Australian Council of Social Services (ACOSS) Top 50 list of electorates ranked by poverty, Page is ranked No. 11, Richmond is 18th. Around 13 per cent of the north coast population is considered to be living in poverty.

Australia Fair report (2007)

set the poverty line, used by OECD, at 50 per cent of the median disposable income for all households. In 2006 this poverty line was \$281 per week for a single adult. An estimated 2.2 million Australians, including 412,000 children live below this austere poverty line.

To put Byron Shire in context, the last Census (2006) put the average weekly earnings at \$390 per week. The average rent was \$245 per week and just under one third of households rent. Almost half the population is aged between 25-54 years and around 25 per cent are single parent families.

A report on 'Homelessness in the Richmond-Tweed Region of NSW' calculated around 600 people are living on the streets, 900 are couch surfing, 170 are being housed in homeless shelters. Over 3,000 Byron Shire residents are on the verge of homelessness, struggling to pay escalating rents in the private housing market. It's not surprising community organisations are struggling to keep up with the demand for emergency accommodation and financial relief.

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A feast of reading for children



Ursula Dubosarsky.

The Last Week in December

by Ursula Dubosarsky
 (Puffin Books)

Georgia Clark (Year 6 Byron Bay Public School)

Bella fears the worst. She is an eight year old girl who does something very foolish while her grandparents are visiting from England. When they visit again three years, later Bella thinks they have come back to confront her.

Join Bella on her guilt trip that lasts for three years; meet the larger than life Ernest, the quiet yet surprising Dorothy and the rest of her family and friends.

One theme that came through the book was the importance of honesty. Bella had done a bad thing and she should have owned up to it instead of waiting for three years and feeling terrible for all that time.

The way Ursula Dubosarsky writes is very clever: she sends a message to the reader which makes you understand what the characters are feeling. She makes it obvious what they're

feeling without writing, 'Bella was upset when ...' or 'Dorothy was frightened because ...' Her characters include Bella, Ernest, Dorothy, Nestor, Alice, Lettice and more.

Each character's personality is developed so that you feel you know them well. This means the reader can empathise with the characters and what they are going through.

The Last Week in December is a clever book which entices the reader to carry on reading. As you turn the pages you see the worry and guilt that Bella faces each day. This book gives you a mixture of emotions ... happiness, sadness, worry, guilt and more.

The White Guinea Pig

by Ursula Dubosarsky
 (Puffin Books)

Eliza Gudgeon (Year 5 Byron Bay Public School)

What would you do if someone came up to you and said, 'Could you please look after my guinea pig for six weeks?' As you open your mouth to

say no, she continues 'because if you don't my Dad said he will put her in a brown paper bag and drop a brick on her head.' This is the position Geraldine was put into in Ursula Dubosarsky's novel, *The White Guinea Pig*.

The White Guinea Pig is about a girl called Geraldine whose life turns around when she agrees to look after a guinea pig. Meanwhile, her parents go bankrupt, and strangers keep appearing at her doorstep. Who are these people and what do they want?

This book is a story based on love, friendship and family issues. It has a great start, I couldn't stop flipping the pages to reveal what would happen next, and then more problems occur, creating a huge plot that Ursula slowly unravels chapter by chapter.

The book's beginning was amazing, the ending was unexpected and left me thinking about the story for days after I had completed the book. In *The White Guinea Pig* I could step into Geraldine's shoes and when I did I realised how lucky I am. I recommend this book for everyone who loves books that are interesting, quirky and a little sad.

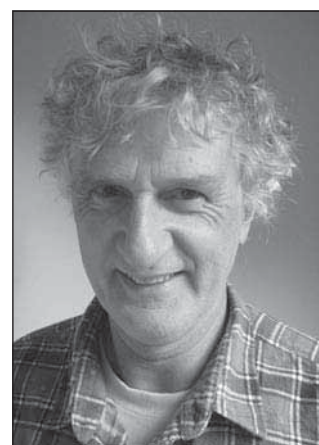
Wombat and Fox Thrillseekers

by Terry Denton
 (Allen & Unwin)

Bella Good (Year 4 Byron Bay Public School)

Imagine you're on a rollercoaster. You're screaming with excitement, but you're scared at the same time. Big dips 'aaaah' and little ones 'aaaah'. This story took me on a thrill-seeking journey, just like a rollercoaster.

The book is about two char-



Terry Denton.

acters named Wombat and Fox. They are two completely different people but, somehow, they seem to be best friends. Wombat is a fun loving, daring, thrill-seeking wombat. Fox is a quiet, scared, not so fun fox.

The book begins with WILD and DANGEROUS deeds, Wombat's birthday features in the beginning and Fox gives Wombat a pen and notebook. In this Wombat writes a list of 'WILD and DANGEROUS deeds' – things they could do together. Fox disagrees with many of the deeds, but he finally decides to undertake the seventy-eighth deed. This was a scooter down Bandicoot Hill. Fox was terribly frightened, however, Wombat told him to 'feel the wind in your fur'. Fox then stood up tall and proud, whispering to himself 'Superfox'.

The book continues in a similar way, where Fox's courage and determination are tested. With the help of his friends, Fox manages to overcome his fears.

The message in this book is: 'If you move out of your comfort zone, you might surprise yourself and have some fun.'

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Knitting up a storm at the writersfest

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With workshops, displays and Festival appearances, Loani's 'knit change' is in full swing since the publication of her first book, *Wild Tea Cosies*, in 2008.

After *Wild Tea Cosies* be-



came a national best seller, Loani set herself the task of knitting up a sequel. *REALLY Wild Tea Cosies*, released in

April, also hit the national Top Ten, two weeks running.

Loani's tea cosy designs are clever, witty and boast artistic

integrity. Sydney's Powerhouse Museum certainly thought so: from March to May her work was exhibited.

Loani Prior will give a two day workshop on August 2 and 3 as part of the Byron Bay Writers Festival. If you can knit a stitch, purl a stitch, cast on and cast off, you'll love this class. You can also join Loani for a literary breakfast at St Elmo, Byron Bay, on Friday August 6.

Tickets to workshops, breakfasts and all Festival events are now on sale at www.byronbaywritersfestival.com or by calling Jetset on 6685 6262.

Hilary's book encourages the art of drawing

Local art teacher and writer Hilary Kerr, who was born on a dairy farm outside Casino, has published *Look To See - The Art of Drawing*, a sumptuous and inspiring resource for teachers, students and parents alike.

Hilary returned to the area in 2002 after many years in Sydney studying, teaching and practising in the fields of art and literature. From 1995 to 2002 she had her own gallery, the North Sydney Fine Art Gallery, where she encouraged and promoted the artworks of contemporary and emerging artists. There she opened a



studio for young artists, where the idea of writing a book for young people on how to learn to draw with different media emerged.

'Since moving back to this region,' said Hilary, 'I have continued to work with young artists and still find it inspiring. A teacher can give ideas, practices, experiences and suggestions to guide the artist but they will respond in their own way. I believe, if you open the right doors, you give students the opportunity to develop their own skills and passion for the art of drawing, finding new ways of seeing and interpreting the world around them.'

In *Look To See* Hilary invites you into her studio so that you may enjoy, practise and experiment with the skills of paint-

ing and drawing just like her students. She shares with you the children's own works, to inspire you to view the world around you with curiosity and delight, and encourage you to take up your own pencil and sketchbook.

Heather West, a teacher at Byron Bay Public School, says *Look To See* is 'a highly useful reference for anyone connected with art and drawing'.

Look To See - The Art of Drawing will be launched at the 2010 Byron Bay Writer's Festival by Mandy Nolan.

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| Wednesday 4 August
5pm to 6pm | Draft Youth Policy Workshop
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| Friday 6 August
9am to 11am | Mullumbimby Neighbourhood Centre
Open morning - see the new upgraded facility at 55 Dalley Street, Mullumbimby. |
| Friday 6 August
11am to 1.30pm | Brunswick Area Sewerage Augmentation Scheme
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| Saturday 7 August
10.30am to 12.30pm | Byron Regional Sports and Cultural Centre
Open morning - drop in and find out what the complex will contain. Ewingsdale Road, Byron Bay. |
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It was not long before Lisbeth Salander discovered that even the inviolable space of newsprint could be hacked with <magpie#\$236L> and the paper thin walls of everyday reality would flutter aside like feathers in a breeze.

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Where are we going to house people subsisting on fixed low incomes? How are these 'struggling families' going to cope with the ever increasing cost of power, petrol/transport, food and communication technology?

ACOSS defines poverty as 'a relative concept used to describe people in a society that cannot participate in the activities that most people take for granted. People living in poverty have to make difficult choices.'

Maybe it's time our polities stopped worrying about the big end of town and started focusing on solutions to address the difficult choices faced by those less fiscally fortunate.

Otherwise we may see refugee camps springing up on a vacant site near you!

Michele Grant
Ocean Shores

Power down

Electricity charges increased by 20 per cent last July and again by 12 per cent more this July – part of an overall increase of 64 per cent by 2013.

Our governments, like most around the world, do little to

address energy efficiency issues with their office lights and heating/aircon ablaze while they, with some honorable exceptions, talk, talk and talk.

What can a citizen do? I have cut my energy bill by around 50 per cent just by turning everything off at home at the wall (excluding fridge and tel answering machine), many of which get used only several times a week for small portions of time.

Anything with stand-by is swallowing power. And appliances with 'soft touch', and that is most new appliances, so you don't bruise your finger pressing a button. They run a 12-volt system so the gap between a 12V and the 240V feeding is dissipated in the form of heat, and in summer! Appliances like my large fan and even the bloody washing machine – yes, all quietly swallowing my money.

Worried about losing TV, recorder and radio pre-sets? Mine only disappear after about three days of non-use. I turn 'em on at the wall to get the news once a day. And it does not reduce the life of a computer. For some years now companies had advised turning off at the wall to encourage

their life. How many offices leave them on 24/7?

Want to check how much money you are wasting? All public libraries in NSW, including ours, have small meters you can borrow free which measure each appliance in your home. It's fine to blame politicians. But you have the power to do something, not just blame them.

Jim Beatson
Byron Bay

Defending Greens

To Peter Leishman (last week's letters). In an attempt to prevent one Byron electorate from shooting itself in the foot, I want to explain something very basic about local government which is little known.

Local government only exists as an act of the state parliament called the Local Government Act 1993. Councils do not have autonomy in their jurisdiction unlike the state and federal relationship. The state government only comes under scrutiny where there is a conflict of law in the hierarchy whereas councils only operate at the liberty of the state. Elected councillors in fact have very little power.

I believe Mayor Jan Barham and the other green councillors have remained true to their green roots and continue to advocate progress in the shire on environmental issues as they have done for some years now. If you want to blame, then blame the state government of NSW. Their bully tactics and public support through ambivalence is a disgrace and I do not want to see Byron's green council publicly undermined in view of the alternative.

The ALP, Nationals and Liberals who accept donations from developers, from cigarette companies, from the Hotels Association among others, have conspired over decades to disenfranchise local government. These puppets do not represent democracy and as a community we must ensure we don't let them 'divide and conquer', especially in Australia's greenest part of the world.

On the same note, I trust Joe Ebono for Richmond would be far more interested in your local issues than the current Labor installation in Tweed, the Minister for Ageing, Justine Elliot.

Kris Budden
Burrington

Do you need help to live independently at home?

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Mullumbimby RSL

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Byron Bird Buddies represent their highly successful session on migratory birds our region.

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Presenter: Justine Cox

This is an interactive workshop where participants are encouraged to bring their own samples of soil. These will then be investigated under microscopes.

MENTORSHIP PROGRAM

Applications are invited from property owners in the Brunswick Catchment who would like assistance managing their native vegetation.
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For further information contact the local
NRM Community Support Officer, Wendy Gibney
6626 7028 email: wendy.gibney@byron.nsw.gov.au

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Junior Johnnies get a head start

Feedback from parents at St John's Primary school in Mullumbimby is unanimous – a pre-kindy program to prepare children for kindergarten has given their kids a flying start. The Junior Johnnies trial has produced such positive results that the school's new principal Tim Bleakley has decided to make it a free permanent program.

'Parents are telling me the gentle and slow introduction to big school has made the transition into kindergarten this year trauma-free for all concerned. Their children felt confident with the school environment and its routines from day one.

'And their teacher is telling me the children's oral language skills are noticeably better than those of previous years. They also started school with a good understanding of positive



classroom behaviour.' Tim Bleakley is so impressed with what he's already seen that he's set aside a dedicated classroom for the current group of Junior Johnnies, who meet

each Thursday morning. The children's teacher uses a play-based program called 'Support-A-Talker' to expand their language skills. Tim Bleakley says the Ju-

nior Johnnies leave the school buzzing with the fun of doing music, drama, art and movement. And he's happy to report parents say the children can't wait to come back.

The Colours of Bruns



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Hurry, last 2 weeks to enter. Entries close August 6.

Exhibition Saturday August 21 to Friday September 24

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This business is a reliable performer in a large space and corners the market in the growing town of Mullumbimby. The current owner also offers an interior decoration and colour

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Education Week each year is celebrated with themed days and many regional, community and local events. For Education Week 2010 the department is focusing on NSW Public Schools - leading the way, and is showcasing its Year of Learning for Sustainability.

Education

Education in Human Values at the Sathya Sai Primary School

At our school we believe that education is not only about promoting academic excellence; education now needs to incorporate values which promote healthy relationships. Our students participate in a whole school program called Sathya Sai Education in Human Values which assists children in the development of positive and healthy relationships and skills them to remain in a state of choice rather than be reactive. This is done through explicit teaching of values such as such as patience, friendliness, tolerance, caring, respect, responsibility, consideration and helpfulness – to name a few!

We believe that the end product of education is character, the most valuable asset a person can have. Our children are the message we send to the future and our human values program encourages students to be conscious human beings.

9 Nullum Street, Murwillumbah. 02 6672 8972.

Byron Community Primary School Kindy Information Session

Is your child ready for big school?

In New South Wales the Board of Studies design their Kindergarten program as a one year program, but at Byron Community Primary School we run a two year kindergarten program – because it works.

We have a brilliant male teacher who is supported by an assistant for four days a week. Our kindergarten students are further supported by our specialist teachers and by high levels of parent involvement. Our students are extremely well catered for and above all they are very happy!

I invite all parents and community members to attend the Byron Community Primary School Kindy Information Session on Wednesday 4th August from 2:00pm - 3:30pm.

Matt Syme, Director Byron Community Primary School. 02 6685 8208.

Free Trial

The Kumon Brunswick Valley Education Centre has been operating locally for 6 years. Leonie Davis has a passion for children's education and development. You now have the opportunity to trial Kumon, free of charge, for your children in either maths or English. Developing children's love of learning and belief in themselves is a priority. Numeracy and literacy, the cornerstones of a successful academic outcome, combined with a careful consideration of each child's needs are the focus of Leonie and her staff.

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The Australian College of Eastern Medicine

The College offers practitioner level training in acupuncture and shiatsu. Students who enrol now should be eligible for the national registration in 2012. Training is offered Tuesday and Thursday evenings at Red Tent Yoga in Byron Bay. Training is also offered in week intensives on the Sunshine Coast.

We also offer a qualification for those wishing to work as acupuncturists and therapists for horses.

Austudy is available and the college is CRICOS accredited. You can enrol now for the next unit of training which commences August 10th.

For more information visit the website on www.orientalmedicine.com.au or call us on 07 5494 7425.

Shearwater Steiner School

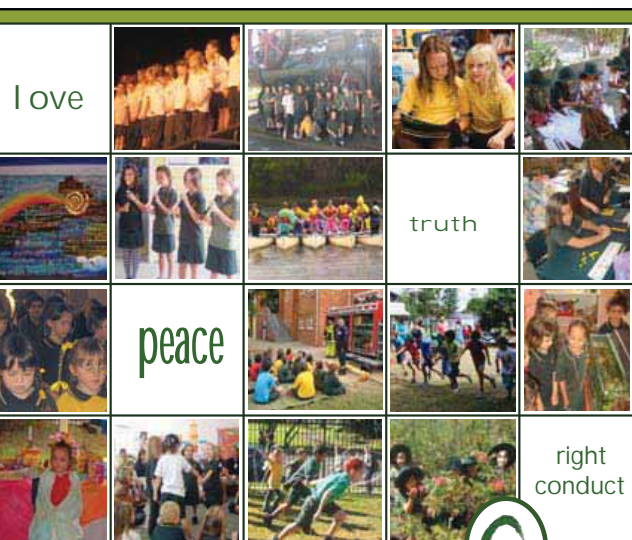
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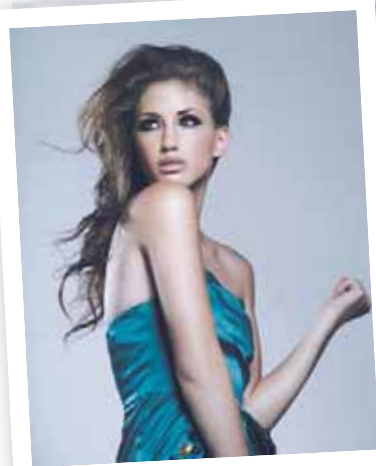
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Peta did a lot of research when deciding what beauty college to choose and said, 'I chose GCTA because it had the best reputation and past students and local salons recommended it.'

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For an interview with the Campus Director phone 07 5599 4441 or email lgibson@gcta.com.au.

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Make the best use of water in the garden

You can reduce the amount of water you use in your garden by watering in the most effective way possible. If you can, use rainwater or recycled water instead of tap water to water your garden.

Recycled water can be water from a greywater system or a simple recycling system like a bucket in the shower and a hose to empty the bath.

Water early in the morning or late in the evening as less water evaporates at these times.

Encourage your plants to put down deep roots by giving them the occasional deep soaking rather than a frequent light watering. This will also help them to survive better during dry times.

Water the roots of your plants instead of the leaves. You can also get more water to your plants by weeding your garden. Weeds take water away from other plants.

Check your automatic watering system regularly to



make sure that it's watering the right plants. Plants might have grown or died since the system was put in and the water might not be watering where it should be.

Drip irrigation is the most efficient automatic watering system as water gets right to the roots and less water is lost to evaporation and wind.

Adjust your timing and frequency of watering for the season. You might not need to water at all if you have a wet spring or your plants are all dormant in winter.

Soil moisture sensors can be an excellent addition to your automatic watering system. The sensors switch

off when it rains and adjust the watering time according to what your soil needs.

Help your soil and plants: if you are fertilising your plants, try to use organic liquid fertilisers or compost instead of dry fertilisers.

Add water-saving crystals to your soil when you plant new plants. They hold hundreds of times their weight in water, so use a big bucket and a small amount of crystals the first time you mix them with water.

Soil wetting agents can help water to penetrate the soil more deeply.

Talk to your local nursery or other gardeners about how else you can help your soil and plants.

Save water elsewhere by using a broom to clean the outside of your house, your paths and your driveways instead of the hose.

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Tallawong Garden Nurseries

Tallawong Garden Nurseries is now Byron Bay Bamboo Australia – with a new name and image! Their revamped website has just been launched with exciting new features...the most impressive on-line shopping service to give customers flexibility and cheaper freight alternatives. Plants and poles can soon be sent by courier! Drawing on the expertise of local Evolved Websites and Hive Communications to develop an already sound internet business they

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Out There

August is the ideal time to get hard jobs done like large scale cutting back and pruning, and don't be scared to really get stuck in! Mulching and soil improving are also great to attack in the cooler months. When mulching it

is best to cover the ground in wet newspaper, about 4-6 layers thick, as this blocks the light and will make it harder for the weeds to grow up through the mulch. Some of the softer mulches will break down fairly quickly and improve the soil, so if you have sandy or poor soil, you can layer the job, first newspaper, then manure or compost, then soft mulch, then the long lasting hardwood chip would be my preference. I have heard a rumour, (and it is only a rumour), that bush turkeys don't like sugar cane mulch. Some plants that are looking good at this time are Browallia (orange

flowering shrub), Carolina jessamine, (with fragrant yellow flowers), Brazilian Cloak, with stunning lime green foliage and burgundy flowers, and in the shade, Medenilla with its grape-like multi-pink tones. Drop in and see me if I can help with your queries to Out There Sculpture Garden.

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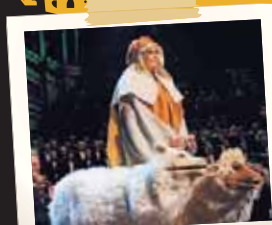
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SAT 31ST JULY
DENDY

AIRING YOUR DIRTY LAUNDRY



Dirty Laundry has been at the forefront of the Australian club-scene since its inception in 2004.

The brainchild of Melbourne DJs, **JJ Styles** and **Dean Cherny**, Dirty Laundry is a tasty mash-up of Indie Rock, Pop, Dance and Electronica.

Dirty Laundry hits town next week with a show at the **Beach Hotel** on **Saturday**.

Dean tell me about the new single – how do you take a show that's so LIVE and put it down on tape?

That's a great question and one I'm not sure I know how to answer. The new single *I Want You To Fly* is best described as an ode to old skool house that JJ and I used to play. Fly maintains the hands in the air uplifting feel of the Dirty Laundry show.

How did your sound change in the studio – did you manage to keep the electricity of a live gig pumping?

We're not trying to replicate the live show in the studio as much of it is made of mash ups and with this we have the luxury of plundering some of the world's best artists like Michael Jackson, Lenny Kravitz and the Eurythmics and given this, it was always going to be difficult to create tracks of that calibre.

Generally the tracks we're producing are more pop orientated songs that are aimed at the dancefloor.

Producer choices? What does each producer you work with bring to the mix?

The producers that we work with are really there to help us finesse the tracks we've written and each brings a unique skill. Some are better suited for the more Clubby tracks we write, while others are more suited to the Indie sound we're experimenting with.

Do you think the 'Club' scene has reached its peak? Where to from here?

Not at all, there are more Electronic Music Festivals than ever and they are getting bigger than ever.

Where does the band get its ideas?

Part of what makes Dirty Laundry such a unique band is that all the members have very different tastes. LeeLee is a love child of the 80's, Pete's a hip hop & breaks boy from way back and Stevie's into experimental music, while JJ's into production techniques and I'm into old disco, funk and house.

As DJ's why did you originally decide to collaborate?

Back in 2004, JJ and I were both concurrently looking for a way to take 'DJ experience' to a whole new level by incorporating vocalist and instrumentalists. Seany B, our original MC, was a mutual friend and we

decided to start working on some tracks together and through this Dirty Laundry was born.

Do you have to learn to compromise ...or is it fight to the death on an idea?

I think compromise is the key to any successful relationship and Dirty Laundry has been at times one of the most intense.

What music do you enjoy listening to at the moment?

I'm personally loving a lot of the Indie/Nu Disco sound at the moment, artists like Breakbot, Har Mar Superstar, Lars & The Hands Of Light, Magic Bullets, Goldfrapp, Lindstrom & Christobelle and She & Him.

What do you think is the secret of a dynamic live show?

Dirty Laundry Experience is organised mayhem and while it might look seamless, it takes a lot of hard work on all our parts. I'm constantly making new mash ups and Pete and LeeLee constantly have to write new lyrics ...we then need to be able to piece all the elements together. Much to Pete's dismay, we very rarely rehearse as a band together, but I think this adds to energy on stage.

And what should people be expecting at the Beach Hotel?

The Dirty Laundry Experience is an aural eargasm! With DJ, two vocalists, sax and percussion on stage, we never level in the tank.

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SOAP BOX
 Mandy Nolan

THE JOY OF SOCKS

Socks are mysterious. Where do they go? I've lost hundreds of the little buggers. The other day a friend told me how she'd bought some expensive thigh high socks on eBay and how she was devastated that one had gone missing. It's over a metre long, how do you lose a sock that big? It's like losing a leg? Surely it's going to turn up somewhere. But never. They

never ever ever come back. I am contemplating making a video called 'The Secret Life of Socks'. I want to know what happens. I want to look beyond the cliché of the missing sock and launch an investigation to discover where they actually go. They must be somewhere. They can't just disappear entirely. I've sewn tiny micro cameras into the toe of each sock so I can find out just what they're up to. I am not alone. It's not just my socks, it's my friends socks, my children's socks, my mother's socks. In every house in every street is a drawer full of lone socks. These are the socks that remain.

A lone sock is pointless. Last count, I have 54 lone socks. I don't throw them out. I keep them just in case. I suppose it's cruel to keep their hopes up. They lie in wait, like war widows waiting for a soldier who will never return. I'm thinking of setting up a RSVP website for lone socks looking for their sockmate. Imagine the profiles:

'16 year old tartan walk sock seeks partner, preferably cotton blend with reinforced heel. Likes bushwalks, tennis and curling up in a ball.'

When M. Sock Peck wrote 'The Sock Less Travelled' I believe he was talking about the sock who stays behind. The sock that likes to play it safe. The sock that stays is not a risk taker. It's a scaredy sock, hiding up the back of the sock drawer in its lonely unmatched shame. Socks start out monogamous, entwined in a ball with their identical life partner. To the outsider it's like a marriage of souls.

Even the nosiest feet have no idea about what goes on in the mind of a sock. One sock wants commitment, a mortgage, a regular job and kids, the other sock wants adventure. Wants to be reckless. Wants to make out with other socks. One sock wants to live on the edge, to discover its true self, to expand its horizons, to climb mountains or get a job on Playschool as a sockpuppet or enjoy the great

outdoors holding a tomato plant to a trellis.

The other sock wants to watch TV and wear fluffy slippers. These socks may look the same, but they just want different things. Neither of them is wrong. The adventure seeking sock feels repressed and starts to resent the boring sock. It gets depressed. Starts drinking. It fantasises about leaving. The problem is, safe sock is always there. Watching.

Then one day the sock with dreams gets stuck in a boot, or dropped by the car, or wedged up the back of the laundry basket and it's time to make a run. To find the portal in the fabric of the universe that's only just big enough for a sock to squeeze through. This is a portal into a parallel universe inhabited by a master race of one-legged humans who struggle to solve a perplexing mystery How is it, they put one sock in the wash and come out with two????



Live Music

Folking around

Alice Blu are a young, enthusiastic four-piece band, who will kick off any night in style and ensure to get the audience grooving along. If you had to classify their genre, it would be a fusion of Indie, rock, reggae with a little bit of an alternative air to them. They feature at the **Mullum Folk night on Wednesday**. Doors open at 7pm.

Going Mental

A popular urban myth concerns a group of art students who passed themselves off as a band in order to con the local

publican into giving them a gig in exchange for free beer. The deception worked better than intended, and the group came to be known as **Mental as Anything**. Nearly three decades later, they are still irritating the public with their highly listenable, idiosyncratic brand of garage pop. They are joined by **Stylus**, the only Australian band to be signed by the American record label, Motown. **Friday at Bangalow Bowls** Doors open 7.30pm. Tickets: \$32 (+BF) Available from: Bangalow Bowls, All Music & Vision (Ballina, Byron, Lismore) & Barebones Bangalow.

MENTAL AS ANYTHING AT THE BANGALOW BOWLO ON FRIDAY

Little Stevies

After the release of their debut album 'Love Your Band' in early 2009, **The Little Stevies** rapidly built a reputation as canny songwriters and an exceptional live act, building a loyal following of Little Stevie-loving fans throughout Australia. The Little Stevies have just returned from their first tour of the USA, stealing the spotlight at the International Folk Alliance Conference in Memphis, playing packed-out public shows, signing with a leading booking agent and attracting a swag of label, radio and publishing interest. At the **Beach Hotel on Thursday** and the **Mullum Bowlo on Friday**.

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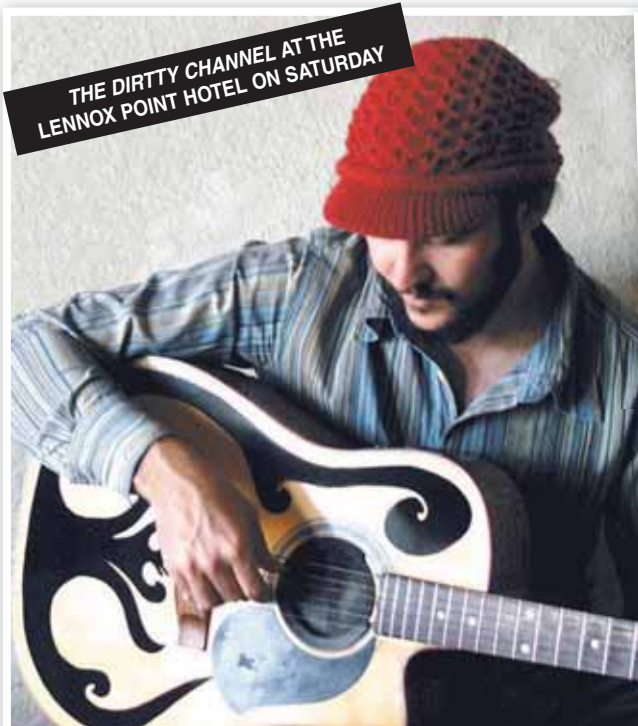
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SOLVER PLAY THE BEACH HOTEL ON FRIDAY

Problem Solvers

Oz rockers **Solver** return to Byron's Beach Hotel this Thursday, as they prepare to release a brand new single! Solver are preparing to release the first of these US recordings as a single called 'Too young to worry' in September this year. They play the Beach Hotel on Friday.

Yeehaa – it's Bucko!

The **Mullumbimby Jam Night** welcomes a very special friend this Thursday night, the multi-talented Mick Buckley. Bucko first found fame as the rockin' drummer from The Radiators but then returned to his childhood roots and re-invented himself as a swingin', honky-tonk piano man and successfully conquered the US, touring extensively, playing residencies in places like the legendary Bourbon St. in New Orleans and capping it off by firing up 200,000 folks at the Common Ground Festival in Lansing, Michigan.

Catch Mick Buckley at the Mullumbimby Jam Night, this Thursday at the Mullum Ex-Services from 7.30pm.

Drum Comp

Get ready to bang your drums. For the first time ever, the Northern Rivers region has its own drumming comp to help unearth young drummers. With sections

covering Primary (under 12 years) and Secondary (under 18) the comp is not just aimed at discovering the next Buddy Rich, but also getting young drummers out of their bedroom and onto the stage. Finals are at SCU Lismore in early September. Entries close Monday August 9 2010. Visit www.planetmusic.com.au

Alfalfa Males

It sounds ridiculous, but right now, the world needs a new **Hard-ons** album. That's right, in this era of downloading, social-networking and over-the-top consumerism, the world needs, as outrageous as this sounds, the new album from three shirtless middle-aged men who still play like they are the only band on the planet. You can catch the **Hard Ons** at the **Hotel Great Northern** on Thursday.

Nitestar

Nitestar will be returning to rock **The Northern** on Friday July 30. Fronted by **Star** and her relentless crazy energy and amazing vocals. Nitestar will deliver their raunchy fun approach to rock as they weave through a night of classics borrowed from Zep, Bowie, to Crowes, Foos, Oasis mixed with some unpredictable gems. So are you ready to rock from **9.30pm**.



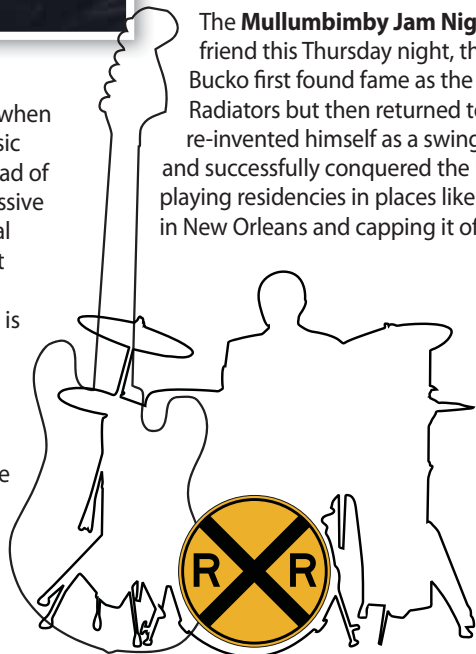
NITESTAR AT THE HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN FRIDAY

Ballina Jazz Fest

The sounds of jazz will chase away the winter blues when the **Ballina Beach Village** hosts a non-stop jazz music weekend. Festival director, Steven Russell (who is head of keyboard studies at SCU) has put together an impressive lineup of quality jazz artists, featuring the sensational **Willy Qua** and the new **Galapagos Duck** with guest vocalist the sultry **Elly Hoyt**. Day tickets are just \$15 for an adult, or a four day festival pass with camping is just \$40. For enquiries, ring Rikki on 0427 847 057 or get a program from info@ballinabeachvillage.com.au

Better the Devitt you know

Working under 'The Matty Devitt Band' banner, the Band has taken on a new form, and are searching for a new name to go with their new lineup, look and sound! You can catch 'TMDB' performing their unique blend of original modern rock on **Sunday** August 1 at the **Beach Hotel** 4:30pm.



Screen Savers

The deadline for entries into **Screenworks Life's A Pitch** is **Monday August 2**. If you have a great idea for film, television or multiplatform now is the time to get it ready for presentation and into Screenworks and be discovered. Leading up to Screenworks Life's A Pitch final there will be a series of elimination heats and a pitch training session. The winner goes on to pitch at the Screen Producers Association Fringe conference in Sydney where there is an opportunity to win a trip to Cannes.

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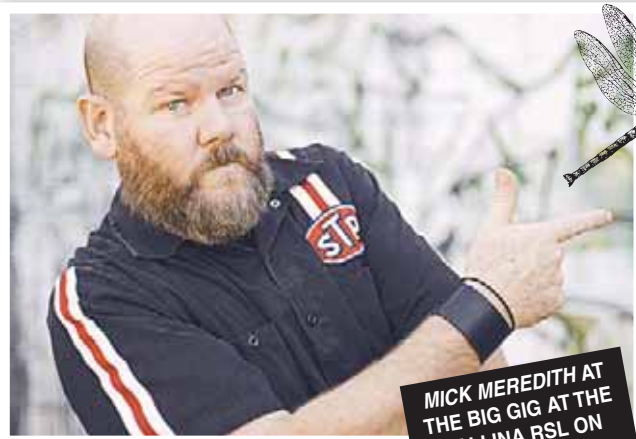
GIVEAWAY

He's Not The Messiah ...

Fans of Monty Python's hilarious film *Life of Brian* will be heading to **Dendy Cinemas** on **Saturday** to see it updated into a performance by Pythons Eric Idle and Michael Palin, with a huge supporting cast that includes a symphony orchestra, lumberjacks, and three sheep! **Not the Messiah (He's a Very Naughty Boy)** is a comic take on Handel's Messiah, and tells the tragic tale of Mandy, who is impregnated by a Roman soldier and gives birth to Brian, a reluctant revolutionary who falls in love with Judith, gets mistaken for a Messiah and is condemned to death.

Tickets \$20-\$24. We have a **DOUBLE PASS TO GIVEAWAY** to the **2.30pm** screening on **Saturday** at the Dendy in Byron.

To go into the draw send your details in an email to:
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MICK MEREDITH AT
THE BIG GIG AT THE
BALLINA RSL ON
THURSDAY

The **Screenworks Life's A Pitch** application form, pitch guidelines and tips are available on the Screenworks website so go to www.screenworks.com.au

Mick and Nick at Big Gig

It's Nick & Mick at the **Big Gig** in Ballina this month. The last Thursday sees **Mick Meredith** headline the Ballina RSL. Mick Meredith is one of Australia's most versatile comedy performers and has established himself over the years as a popular and successful funny man. He is joined by the hilarious toe tapping rooster jacket wearing bloke from somewhere outside Nimbin, Mr Nick Penn! Mc Mandy Nolan. **Thursday 8pm. FREE.**

The Best of the Fest!

From over 500 films entered, the **27th St Kilda Film Festival** showcases the top 100 Australian Short Films. And from these top 100 shorts a selection of the audience favourites and award winners tour nationally. You will see the 'creme de la creme' of short films this year as The Best of the Fest returns to the Northern Rivers to delight audiences again. Starcourt Theatre Tuesday 3 and Sunday August 8. 6pm - 7pm and 7.20pm - 8.20pm.

Start Your Engine

The much awaited Engine opens in Lismore this week. Well known for his long-running role as the Headmaster in Home and Away, Bob, who lives in Sydney, responded to an urgent call from NORPA last Friday, to drop everything and fly straight to Lismore to start work on the play, after Chris Betts had to withdraw suddenly for personal reasons.

Bob performs with one of Brisbane's hottest new talents Melanie Zanetti, and both actors are onstage for the whole 120 minutes of the play, portraying all characters: counsellors, driving instructors, parents, ghosts and survivors. Engine is powerful theatre, inspired by and created in the region.

Star Court Theatre Lismore,
Thursday 10.30am and 8pm, **Friday** 10.30am and 8pm and **Saturday** 8pm.

Greenhouse Ball

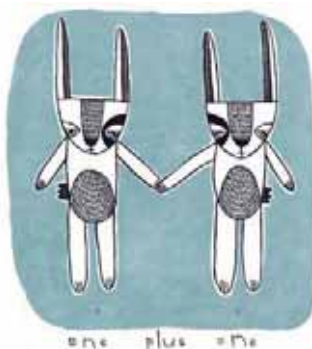
Raise your consciousness and some funds for the **Greens** at a fundraiser for **Joe Ebono** our local Green candidate at **Stokers Siding** on **Friday**. Starring **Mandy Nolan**, the Jewish Wit and singer songwriter **Geoff Morley**, **Davo Murray** & **Bob Symes**. There's a whole heap more. Show starts at 7.30pm and it's just \$15.

Words Worth

This years **Nimbin's 8th Poetry World Cup** will be held on the weekend of 31st July/1st Aug. in the beautiful village of Nimbin. Each performer has 8 minutes to impress the judges and audience alike, and with \$6000 in prize money up for grabs many will sign up and give it a go. Last year 42 poets gave it their best shot on the Saturday at the heats, with 8 performers making it to the Grand Final held at the **Nimbin School of Arts** on **Sunday** evening from **7pm**.

Picture paints a thousand words

In the leadup to Byron Bay's famous Writers Festival, **Retrospect Galleries** in conjunction with **Harvest Café**, Newrybar, present an evening of art and discussion with three local artists whose work has been inspired by literature and words ...



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A related exhibition, **The Magic Faraway Tree**,

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Still Painting

Daily art classes start next week at the **Artspace @ The Centre**. Monday is watercolours with Rose McKinlay, Tuesday Oil Painting with Bernadette Curtin, Wednesday Art Journaling with Zom Osborne, Thursday morning Drawing with Sharon Muir and Thursday afternoons Mixed-media with Turiya Bruce. No experience necessary! \$40 per class. More info at www.the-centre.com.au or phone 6685 5808.

Circus Showcase

Friends of the **Circus Inc. and Circus Arts Byron Bay** is holding our next monthly Circus Showcase Thursday. This monthly extravaganza gives students of the school a chance to show off their many talents and skills. Audiences will be amazed at the agility and skill of our students on trampoline, silks, tumbling and lyra ...as well as our high flying trapeze team to finish the night with a bang. **7pm** and free!



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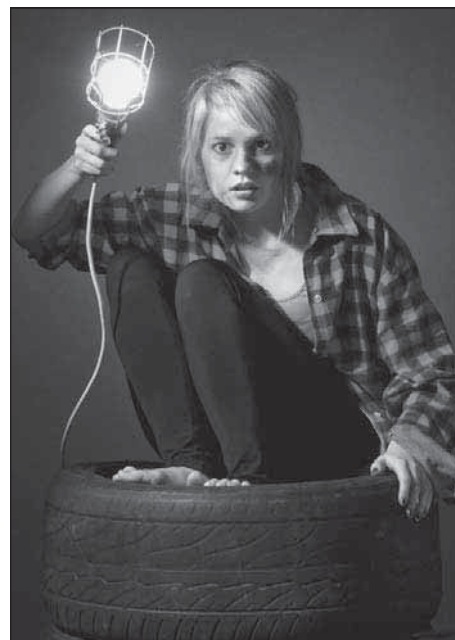
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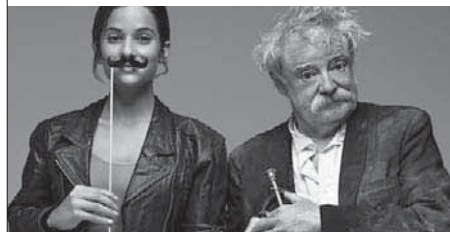


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Television Guide

1. Your usual martial arts water fight in **Fearless** (SBS2, Friday, 9pm). Jet Li is the new Jackie Chan, without the hair.
2. Nicole Kidman makes a gorgeous/evil Mrs Coulter in **The Golden Compass** (NBN, Saturday, 7.30pm), based on Philip Pullman's wonderful trilogy www.philip-pullman.com. Trufans say it doesn't measure up to the books, but the armoured polar bears are excellent.
3. A bit of lightweight scary fun for kids in Disney's **The Haunted Mansion** (7TWO, Sunday, 7.30pm).



WEDNESDAY 28

THURSDAY 29

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4.30 Shortland Street 5.00 Something In The Air 5.30 The New Inventors 6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 National Press Club Address 1.30 Talking Heads 2.00 Waterloo Road (M) 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Cheese Slices 6.30 Poh's Kitchen 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report 8.00 The New Inventors 8.30 Spicks And Specks 9.00 Gruen Nation 9.45 Yes We Canberra! The Chaser team's new role as warm-up guys for Lateline 10.20 Lateline 10.55 Lateline Business 11.30 Spooks (M) 12.25 Movie: Salt Of The Earth (PG 1954) Will Geer, Rosaura Revueltas 1.55 Artists At Work Pan 2.25 Big Ideas 3.25 National Press Club Address	5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Movie: Mortadelo And Filemon (M 2003) Spanish comedy. Stars Janfri Topera, Benito Pocino, Pepe Vivuela 2.50 The Bed-Wetter 3.00 Nest 3.30 Inspiring Teachers 4.00 A Fork In Africa Mali 4.30 The Journal 5.00 Newshour 6.00 Global Village 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Inspector Rex (PG) 8.30 Unexplained Churchill's Witch 9.30 World News Australia 10.00 Movie: Take My Eyes (MA 2003) Spanish drama dealing with domestic violence. Stars Laia Marull, Luis Tosar 11.55 Movie: Up And Down (M 2004) Czech drama. Stars Jiri Machacek, Pavel Liska, Petr Forman, Jan Triska 1.50 Weatherwatch	6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show 11.30 Seven Morning News 12.00 Movie: The Love Letter (M 1999) Kate Capshaw, Blythe Danner, Ellen Degeneres 2.00 City Homicide (M) 3.00 Find My Family 3.30 All For Kids 4.00 It's Academic 4.30 Seven News 5.00 M*A*S*H 5.30 Deal Or No Deal 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Home And Away 7.30 World's Strictest Parents 8.30 City Homicide (M) 9.30 The Suspects (M) 10.30 Daredevils (M) 11.30 Most Shocking (M) 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News	6.00 Ten Early News 7.00 Kids' Programs 9.00 Ten News 10.00 The Circle 12.00 Dr Phil 1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show 2.00 Ready Steady Cook 3.00 Judge Judy 3.30 Infomercial 4.00 Huey's Kitchen 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Neighbours (G) 7.00 The 7pm Project 7.30 The All New Simpsons Hour 8.30 Lie To Me (M) 9.30 Law & Order (M) 10.30 Late News With Sports Tonight 11.15 The Late Show With David Letterman 12.00 Numb3rs (M) 1.00 Sex And The City (M) 1.40 Video Hits 2.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion	5.30 Today 9.00 Kerri-Anne 11.00 Infomercials 12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Magical Tales 4.00 Pyramid 4.30 Afternoon News 5.00 Antiques Roadshow 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 Evening News 7.00 A Current Affair 7.30 Two And A Half Men 8.00 Hot Property 8.25 Lotto 8.30 The Farmer Wants A Wife 9.30 Movie: Sex And The City (MA 2008) Sarah Jessica Parker, Kim Cattrall, Kristin Davis, Cynthia Nixon 12.30 Eclipse Music TV 1.00 Entertainment Tonight 1.30 Infomercials 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News
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6.00 Kids' Program 6.00 At The Movies 6.30 Heartland 7.30 Heart And Soul 8.15 Mr Bean 8.30 Movie: The Reel Australia – Death In Brunswick (M 1991) The death of a drug-dealing kitchenhand turns into a black comic nightmare. Stars Sam Neill 10.15 Movie: The Roly Poly Man (M 1994) An accident-prone private eye accidentally records a violent murder. Stars Paul Chubb 12.00 Road To Tokyo 12.55 Chasing Birds (M) 2.00 Close	5.00 Weatherwatch 6.40 World News 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 The Map Makers Mercator Atlas 1572 8.30 Stalin (M) Three Faces of Evil – The Warlord 9.30 Movie: Princesses (MA 2005) Spanish drama. Stars Candela Peña, Micaela Nevárez, Mariana Cordero 11.30 Movie: Manual Of Love 2 (M 2007) Italian romantic comedy about four different types of relationships revealed when a radio DJ invites listeners to call in and tell their love stories. Stars Carlo Verdone, Monica Bellucci, Riccardo Scamarcio, Sergio Rubini 1.40 Weatherwatch	6.00 Friday Night Footy Encore – St Kilda v Essendon 8.30 Movie: Three Hours To Kill (PG 1954) Dana Andrews, Donna Reid, Dianne Foster 10.00 Movie: The Night They Raided Minsky's (PG 1968) Britt Ekland, Forrest Tucker, Joseph Wiseman 12.05 Movie: A Raisin In The Sun (G 1961) Claudia McNeil, Sidney Poitier, Ruby Dee 2.45 Home & Away Catch-Up 5.00 Hooked On Fishing 5.30 Better Homes And Gardens 6.30 Dr Finlay 7.30 Heartbeat 8.30 A Touch Of Frost (M) 10.40 Minder 11.40 Monster House 12.30 This Rugged Coast 1.30 AFL Footy Flashbacks	6.00 Boomers World Challenge Basketball 8.00 Football Stars Of Tomorrow 8.30 ATP World Tour Tennis 9.00 IAAF Athletix 9.30 ITU World Championship Triathlon 10.30 NASCAR Sprint Cup 11.30 Red Bull Air Race 12.30 TNA Xplosion 1.30 MVP 2.00 AFL Premiership Season LIVE – Collingwood v Carlton 5.00 AFL Post Game Show 5.30 Snowshow 6.00 World Rally Championship 6.30 Sports Tonight 7.00 Before The Game 7.30 AFL Premiership Season – Sydney v Geelong 10.30 Formula 1 Qualifying – Hungary 12.20 NASCAR Sprint Cup Qualifying – Pennsylvania 1.45 NASCAR Nationwide Series – Indianapolis 3.45 Spirit Of Yachting 4.15 Omnispport 4.30 Tread BMX 5.00 British Touring Car Championships	6.00 Kids' Programs 1.00 Get Smart 2.00 Here's Lucy 3.00 Seinfeld 4.00 Hogan's Heroes 5.00 Green Acres 5.30 The Nanny 6.30 Movie: Richie Rich (PG 1994) Macaulay Culkin, John Larroquette 8.30 Movie: Ocean's Twelve (M 2004) George Clooney, Brad Pitt, Catherine Zeta Jones, Julia Roberts 11.00 Movie: Fallen (M 1998) Denzel Washington, John Goodman 1.30 Seinfeld 2.30 Get Smart 3.30 Hogan's Heroes 4.30 Green Acres 5.00 Top Cat 5.30 The Flintstones
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5.00 rage 6.30 Kids' Programs 9.00 Insiders 10.00 Inside Business 10.30 Offsiders 11.00 Asia Pacific Focus 11.30 Songs Of Praise 12.00 Landline 1.00 Gardening Australia 1.30 Message Stick (G*) 2.00 Travel Oz 2.30 The Legend Of Pancho Barnes And The Happy Bottom Riding Club 3.30 Liquid Stone Gaudi's secrets 4.25 Katsura Rikyu Imperial Villa of the Moon 5.15 Time Will Tell? Dance 5.30 Art Nation 6.00 At The Movies 6.30 Mother And Son 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Life With David Attenborough 8.30 Return To Cranford 10.00 Compass Christianity: A History 10.50 Art Of Spain 11.45 Movie: The Silent Enemy (PG 1958) Laurence Harvey 1.45 Movie: The Lion Has Wings (G 1939) Ralph Richardson 3.00 Message Stick 3.30 Talking Heads Ian Kiernan 4.00 First Tuesday Book Club	5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 11.00 FIFA World Cup Best-Of Highlights 12.00 Futbol Mundial 12.30 Speedweek 1.30 The Mummy Who Came In From The Cold 2.30 Science And Islam 3.30 Once Bitten 4.30 Love's Harvest 5.00 Cycling Central 6.00 Thalassa 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Who Do You Think You Are? 8.30 Dateline 9.30 Cutting Edge: Burma's Nuclear Ambitions 10.20 High Maintenance (M) 10.30 FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Germany Final LIVE 1.00 Weatherwatch	6.00 Religion 7.00 Weekend Sunrise 10.00 AFL Game Day 11.00 Movie: Trail Of The Pink Panther (PG 1982) Peter Sellers, David Niven, Herbert Lom, Joanna Lumley 1.00 Crash Scene Investigators 2.00 AFL Premiership Season Western Bulldogs v North Melbourne 5.00 Border Patrol 5.30 New Zealand On A Plate 6.00 Seven News 6.30 Dancing With The Stars 8.30 Bones (M) 9.30 Castle (M) 10.30 Scrubs 11.00 Air Crash Investigations 12.00 Heroes (M) 2.00 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News	6.00 Religion 7.00 Kids' Programs 8.00 Meet The Press 8.30 The Hit Rater.com 9.00 The Benchwarmers Oz Made 10.00 Hit List TV 12.00 I Fish 1.00 Out Of The Blue 2.00 Big Cat Diary 3.00 Apex Predators 4.00 Landed Music 4.30 Discover Downunder 5.00 Ten News 5.30 Sports Tonight 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Modern Family 7.00 Rules Of Engagement 7.30 Talkin' 'Bout Your Generation 8.30 The Good Wife (M) 9.30 Movie: Little Miss Sunshine (M 2006) Geg Kinnear, Toni Collette, Steve Carell 11.35 Formula 1 Grand Prix Hungary 1.50 Video Hits 2.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion	6.00 Arrive Alive Cup 7.00 Weekend Today 10.00 Wide World Of Sports 11.00 The Sunday Footy Show 12.00 Sunday Roast 1.00 Gold Coast Marathon 2.00 Men In Trees 3.00 Rescue Special Ops 4.00 Sunday Football Brisbane Broncos v St George Illawarra Dragons 6.00 NBN News 6.30 RBT 7.00 Send In The Dogs 7.30 60 Minutes 8.30 CSI (M) 9.30 Cold Case (M) 11.30 Afterlife (M) 12.30 Super League 2.30 Infomercials 3.30 Religion 4.00 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News
ABC 2	SBS 2	7 TWO	ONE HD	GO!
6.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 The Wild Gourmets: Cumbria 6.30 Artscape 7.00 Art Nation 7.30 King Lear Produced and recorded at the Melbourne Arts Centre 10.30 Brideshead Revisited 11.15 Ryan Adams And The Cardinals 12.20 Solidbodies The 50 year guitar war 1.10 Beautiful Noise The Ponys 2.10 Close	5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 6.00 ADbc 6.30 Feast Bazaar Marrakech 7.00 Feast India 7.30 Two Men In A Trench The Battle of Culloden 8.30 Big Bang In Tunguska 9.30 Movie: Ben X (M 2007) Flemish drama. Stars Greg Timmermans, Marijke Pinoy, Laura Verlinden 11.10 Movie: A Friend Of Mine (M 2006) German comedy. Stars Daniel Bruehl, Juergen Vogel, Sabine Timoteo 12.40 Weatherwatch	6.00 AFL Grand Final Classic 8.30 Kids' Programs 11.10 Movie: Under The Yum Yum Tree (PG 1963) Jack Lemmon, Carol Lynley, Dean Jones 1.30 Movie: Namu, The Killer Whale (G 1966) Lee Meriwether, Richard Erdman, Robert Lansing 3.15 Movie: Brother Bear (G 2003) Animation 5.00 Packed To The Rafters 6.00 That '70s Show 6.30 Breaking The Magician's Code 7.30 Movie: The Haunted Mansion (PG 2003) Eddie Murphy, Terence Stamp, Jennifer Tilly, Nathaniel Parker 9.20 Movie: Deep Impact (M 1998) Robert Duvall, Tea Leoni, Elijah Wood 11.45 Movie: Sideways (M 2004) Paul Giamatti, Thomas Haden Church 2.15 AFL Footy Flashback 4.30 Room For Improvement 5.00 Home Shopping	6.00 IAAF Athletix 6.30 AFL Premiership Season – Collingwood v Carlton 9.00 NASCAR Nationwide Series LIVE – Iowa 12.30 Formula 1 Qualifying – Hungary 1.30 Red Bull Air Race 2.30 Warren Miller's Higher Ground 4.30 I Fish 5.00 Omnispport 5.30 Magic Of The FA Cup 7.00 Goodwood Revival 8.00 Sports Tonight 8.30 World Rally Championship Finland 9.00 Formula 1 Grand Prix LIVE Hungary 12.05 Australian Rally Championship South Australia 1.05 NASCAR Sprint Cup 2.05 World Rally Championship 2.35 Omnispport 3.05 Transworld Sport 4.00 Tread BMX 5.00 Xtreme Paintball 5.30 Major League Baseball – LIVE	6.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Marine Boy 11.30 Scooby-Doo 12.00 The Hills 12.30 Eclipse Music TV 1.00 The Partridge Family 1.30 Here's Lucy 2.30 Hogan's Heroes 3.30 Green Acres 4.30 The Nanny 5.30 Wipeout Australia 6.30 Top Gear 7.40 The Big Bang Theory 8.30 Two And A Half Men (M) 9.30 Movie: Anger Management (M 2003) A mild-mannered man has to attend anger management sessions. Stars Jack Nicholson, Adam Sandler 11.30 Hotel Babylon (M) 12.30 Green Acres 1.00 Hogan's Heroes 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 The Avengers 5.00 The Partridge Family 5.30 The Nanny

ABC 1

4.30 Shortland Street 5.00 Something In The Air
5.30 The New Inventors 6.00 Kids' Programs
11.00 Lateline
12.00 Midday Report
12.30 The Casebook Of Sherlock Holmes
1.30 The Cook And The Chef
2.00 Waterloo Road (M)
2.45 Kids' Programs
6.00 Travel Oz
6.30 Talking Heads Deni Hines
7.00 ABC News
7.30 The 7.30 Report
8.00 Australian Story
8.30 Four Corners
9.20 Media Watch
9.35 Q&A
10.35 Lateline
11.10 Lateline Business
11.35 The War Second World War
12.30 The Clinic (M)
1.20 **Movie: Divorce Of Lady X** (PG 1938)
Laurence Olivier, Merle Oberon
2.55 **Ngura** The Anangu Story (G*)
3.25 **World Cup Bowls** Men's semi-final

ABC 2

5.30 Message Stick (G*) 6.00 ABC News Breakfast
9.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Collectors 6.30 Dirty
Jobs 7.10 The Daily Show Global Edition 7.35 The
Colbert Report Global Edition 8.00 The Goodies
8.30 Good Game 9.00 Lunch Monkeys 9.30
Sanctuary (M) 10.15 Torchwood (M)
11.10 **Radio 1's Big Weekend 2009** Franz
Ferdinand
11.45 **Death Note** (M)
12.10 **Soundtrack To My Life** Jools Holland
12.30 **WOMaDelaide 2007** The Waifs
1.05 Red Dwarf 1.35 Zoo Days 2.00 Close

SBS 1

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News
1.00 **Food Lovers' Guide To Australia**
1.30 Dateline
2.30 Insight
3.30 Here Comes The Neighbourhood
4.00 The Journal
4.30 Futbol Mundial
5.00 The Crew
5.30 Global Village
6.00 Letters And Numbers
6.30 World News Australia
7.30 Mythbusters
8.30 Man v Wild Turkey
9.30 World News Australia
10.00 Skins (MA)
10.55 Entourage (M)
11.30 The World Game
12.30 **Movie: Bad Boys** (MA 2005) Finnish
drama about brothers, brought up by
an abusive, paranoid schizophrenic
father, who go on a crime wave. Stars
Peter Franzén, Niko Saarela, Lauri
Nurske
2.40 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.40 World News
6.00 **Global Village**
6.30 **Feast Bazaar**
7.00 **Feast India**
7.30 **The Doctor Who Makes People Walk
Again**
8.30 **Astroboy In Roboland**
9.30 **The World Game**
10.30 **Movie: Come Drink With Me** (MA
1066) Mandarin action adventure.
Stars Cheng Pei-Pei, Yueh Hua
12.10 Weatherwatch

PRIME

6.00 Sunrise
9.00 The Morning Show
11.30 Seven Morning News
12.00 **Movie: The Mermaid Chair** (M 2006)
Kim Basinger, Alex Carter, Bruce
Greenwood, Roberta Maxwell
2.00 All Saints (M)
3.00 Find My Family
3.30 All For Kids
4.00 It's Academic
4.30 Seven News
5.00 M*A*S*H
5.30 Deal Or No Deal
6.00 Prime News
6.30 Seven News
7.00 Home And Away
7.30 RSPCA Animal Rescue
8.00 Under The Hammer
8.30 Criminal Minds (M)
10.30 Scrubs
11.00 My Name Is Earl (M)
11.30 Trauma (M)
12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News

7 TWO

6.00 Kids Time 8.30 Sons & Daughters 9.00 Home
& Away 9.30 Shortland Street 10.00 Coronation
Street 10.30 Emmerdale 11.00 All My Children
12.00 The Martha Stewart Show 1.00 Kitchen
Time 2.30 **Movie: 40 Guns To Apache Pass** (PG
1967) Audie Murphy, Michael Burns 4.30 Alf 5.00
Hot Property 5.30 Full House 6.00 The Amazing
Race 7.00 Murphy Brown 7.30 Heartbeat 8.30
Kingdom 9.35 Wycliffe (M) 10.40 Holby Blue
(M) 11.40 Infamous Assassinations: President
McKinley (M) 12.15 The Prisoner 1.10 Room For
Improvement 1.30 AFL Footy Flashbacks 3.55
Leyland Brothers World 5.00 Home Shopping

TEN

6.00 Ten Early News
7.00 Kids' Programs
9.00 Ten News
10.00 The Circle
12.00 Dr Phil
1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show
2.00 Ready Steady Cook
3.00 Judge Judy
3.30 Infomercial
4.00 Huey's Kitchen
4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful
5.00 Ten News
6.00 The Simpsons
6.30 Neighbours
7.00 The 7pm Project
7.30 Undercover Boss
8.30 Good News Week (M)
10.00 Cops (M)
10.30 Late News With Sports Tonight
11.15 The Late Show With David Letterman
12.00 Burn Notice (M)
1.00 Sex And The City (MA)
2.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

ONE HD

6.00 Major League Baseball - LIVE 8.30 TNA
Xplosion 9.30 Pro Bull Riding 10.30 ATP World Tour
Tennis 11.00 Transworld Sport 12.00 Countdown
to Ryder Cup Golf 12.30 AFL Premiership Season
- Sydney v Geelong 3.00 Omnisport 3.30 Major
League Baseball 6.00 Omnisport 6.30 Spirit Of
Yachting 7.00 Le Mans 24 Hour Official Film 8.00
World Rally Championships 9.00 Sports Tonight
9.30 One Week At A Time 10.40 America's Game
11.40 Sports Tonight Late 11.55 FA Cup Classics
12.25 One Week At A Time 1.35 Omnisport 2.05
Major League Baseball 4.30 Tread BMX 5.20
Boomers World Challenge Basketball

NBN

5.30 Today 9.00 Kerri-Anne 11.00 Time/Life
11.30 Infomercial
12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show
1.00 The View
2.00 Days Of Our Lives
3.00 Alive And Cooking
3.30 Magical Tales
4.00 Pyramid
4.30 Afternoon News
5.00 Antiques Roadshow
5.30 Hot Seat
6.00 Evening News
7.00 A Current Affair
7.30 Two And A Half Men
8.00 Hot In Cleveland
8.25 Lotto
8.30 Rescue Special Ops (M)
9.30 CSI: Miami (M)
11.30 Til Death
12.00 Super League
2.00 Infomercials 3.30 Good Morning America
5.00 Early Morning News

GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight
11.00 TMZ 11.30 Married With Children 12.00
Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 Green Acres 2.00
Hogan's Heroes 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 The
Nanny 4.00 Kids' Programs 6.30 Total Wipeout
UK 7.30 Wife Swap USA 8.30 Community 9.00
The Inbetweeners (MA)
9.30 **Movie: Deuce Bigalow - European
Gigolo** (MA 2005) Rob Schneider,
Eddie Griffin
11.30 South Park (MA) 12.00 Nip/Tuck (MA) 1.00
Community 1.30 The Inbetweeners (MA) 2.00
Home Shopping 4.00 Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ
5.00 Married With Children 5.30 The Flintstones

ABC 1

4.30 Shortland Street
5.00 Something In The Air
5.30 The New Inventors
6.00 Kids' Programs
12.00 Midday Report
12.30 Message Stick NAIDOC Ball
1.30 The Einstein Factor
2.00 Waterloo Road
3.00 Kids' Programs
6.00 Three Men Go To Ireland
7.00 ABC News
7.30 The 7.30 Report
8.00 Foreign Correspondent
8.30 Nicholas Crane's Britannia
9.35 QI
10.05 First Tuesday Book Club
10.35 Lateline
11.10 Lateline Business
11.40 Four Corners
12.25 Media Watch
12.40 The Chaser's War On Everything (M)
1.10 **Movie: Charade** (M 1963) Cary Grant,
Audrey Hepburn
3.00 Big Ideas
4.00 Good Game

ABC 2

5.30 Message Stick (G*) 6.00 ABC News Breakfast
9.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 A Seaside Parish 6.30
Dirty Jobs 7.10 The Daily Show 7.35 The Colbert
Report 8.00 Outnumbered
8.30 The Street (M)
9.30 Deadwood (MA)
10.30 Teachers (M)
11.30 Billable Hours (M)
12.00 Heartland
12.45 A Little Later Roni Size
1.05 Red Dwarf 1.35 Zoo Days 2.00 Close

SBS 1

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News
1.00 **Movie: The Perfume Of The Lady In
Black** (M 2005) French mystery. Stars
Denis Podalydès, Jean-Noël Brouté,
Sabine Azema
3.00 Help
3.30 Singles Club
4.00 The Journal
4.30 Newshour
5.30 Global Village
6.00 Letters And Numbers
6.30 World News Australia
7.30 Insight
8.30 One Born Every Minute Babies in
Britain
9.30 World News Australia
10.00 Hot Docs: 49 Up (M)
11.20 **Movie: Zelary** (M 2003) Czech true
story about a couple who were part of
the resistance movement in the 1940s.
Stars Anna Geislerova, Ivan Trojan,
Gyorgy Cserhalmi
1.55 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.30 World News
6.00 **Global Village**
6.30 **Feast Bazaar**
7.00 **Feast India**
7.30 **Lost World** The Forbidden City
8.30 **As It Happened: Hitler's Bodyguard**
9.30 **Movie: Paradise Now** (M 2005)
Palestinian drama. Stars Kais Nashef,
Ali Suliman
11.05 **Movie: Open Hearts** (MA 2002)
Danish drama. Stars Sonja Richter,
Mads Mikkelsen, Stine Bjerregaard
1.05 Weatherwatch

PRIME

6.00 Sunrise
9.00 The Morning Show
11.30 Seven Morning News
12.00 **Movie: All American Girl - Mary Kay
Letourneau** (M 1999) Penelope Ann
Miller, Mercedes Ruehl, Omar Anguiano
2.00 All Saints (M)
3.00 Find My Family
3.30 All For Kids
4.00 It's Academic
4.30 Seven News
5.00 M*A*S*H
5.30 Deal Or No Deal
6.00 Prime News
6.30 Seven News
7.00 Home And Away
7.30 Minute To Win It
8.30 Packed To The Rafters
9.30 Thank God You're Here
11.00 Scrubs
11.30 Alan Sugar: The Apprentice (M)
1.00 Home Shopping
5.30 Seven News

7 TWO

6.00 Kids Time 8.30 Sons & Daughters 9.00 Home
& Away 9.30 Shortland Street 10.00 Coronation
Street 10.30 Emmerdale 11.00 All My Children
12.00 Martha Stewart Show 1.00 Kitchen Time
2.30 **Movie: Hell Below Zero** (PG 1954)
Alan Ladd, Basil Sydney, Joseph
Tomelty
4.30 Alf 5.00 Hot Property 5.30 Full House 6.00
The Amazing Race 7.00 Murphy Brown 7.30
That '70s Show 9.30 Gary Unmarried 10.30 The
Sopranos (AV) 12.40 My Own Worst Enemy (M)
1.30 AFL 3.30 Leyland Brothers World 4.30 Room
For Improvement 5.00 Home Shopping

TEN

6.00 Ten Early News 7.00 Kids' Programs
9.00 Ten News
10.00 The Circle
12.00 Dr Phil
1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show
2.00 Ready Steady Cook
3.00 Judge Judy
3.30 Infomercial
4.00 Huey's Kitchen
4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful
5.00 Ten News
6.00 The Simpsons
6.30 Neighbours
7.00 The 7pm Project
7.30 Modern Family
8.00 Rules Of Engagement
8.30 NCIS (M)
10.30 Late News With Sports Tonight
11.15 The Late Show With David Letterman
12.00 Law & Order (M)
1.00 What It Takes Cameron Diaz
1.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

ONE HD

6.00 Boomers World Challenge Basketball 7.20
One Week At A Time 8.30 This Week In Baseball
9.00 Major League Baseball 12.00 IAAF Athletix
12.30 ASP World Tour Surfing: France 1.30 TNA
Xplosion 2.30 AFL: The Season So Far 2.35 AFL
Premiership Season - Collingwood v Carlton 5.05
One Week At A Time 6.15 Formula 1 Grand Prix
- Hungary 8.30 NASCAR Sprint Cup Highlights
9.30 Sports Tonight 10.00 Johnny Lewis Boxing
Classics 11.00 Golf Central 11.30 Sports Tonight
Late 11.40 FA Cup Classic 12.10 Omnisport 12.40
NASCAR Nationwide Series 1.40 Australian Rally
Championship 2.35 Major League Baseball 5.05
Tread BMX 5.30 Omnisport

NBN

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4.00 Pyramid
4.30 Afternoon News
5.00 Antiques Roadshow
5.30 Hot Seat
6.00 Evening News
7.00 A Current Affair
7.30 Top Gear
9.00 20 To 1 (M)
10.00 Commercial Breakdown Adults Only
(M)
10.45 Kitchen Nightmares USA (MA)
11.40 Til Death
12.05 Balls Of Steel (MA)
12.45 Entertainment Tonight
1.15 Slash (M)
1.30 Infomercials
3.30 Good Morning America
5.00 Early Morning News

GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight
11.00 TMZ 11.30 Married With Children 12.00
Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Hills 2.00
Wife Swap USA 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 The
Nanny 4.00 Kids' Programs 6.30 Total Wipeout
UK 7.30 The Bachelor 8.30 Seinfeld
9.30 **Movie: Little Man** (M 2006) Shawn
and Marlon Wayans, Tracy Morgan
11.30 South Park (MA) 12.00 Hell's Kitchen (MA)
1.00 Seinfeld 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Just
Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Married With Children
5.30 The Flintstones

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Big Guide

WEDNESDAY 28

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON **MATT BUGGY**
- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 8PM **WINTER MOVIE NIGHT LOVE THE BEAST**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 6.30PM **TIM STOKES**
- LIQUID, BYRON 10PM-3AM **CULTURE TONIC DJS MANIE SHIKA | ABSOLUTE | & GUESTS**
- ORIENT EXPRESS, BYRON **MATT CONNOLLY**
- O SUSHI, BYRON 5.15PM **MICK'S SASHIMI BAND**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **WICKED WEDNESDAY**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **BEACH PARTY**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7PM **MOVIE NIGHT BIG WEDNESDAY**
- DRILL HALL, MULLUMBIMBY 7PM **FOLK CLUB W ALICE BLU**
- LENNOX HOTEL 8.30PM **PERUVIAN BATTLESHIP DJS**
- BALLINA RSL 8.30PM **SOCIAL DANCE W JIM FAIRFUL**

THURSDAY 29

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON **THE HARD ONS**
- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 8.30PM **THE LITTLE STEVIES**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 6.30PM **CLAY & DAN**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 7PM **OPEN MIC NIGHT WITH MATTY DEVITT**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **AND OH! & BUZZ**
- LIQUID, BYRON 10PM **PSYCHOTROPIC**
- ORIENT EXPRESS, BYRON **MATT CONNOLLY**
- BYRON ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE 7PM **CIRCUS ARTS SHOWCASE**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **THIRSTY THURSDAY**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **HOT WET T-SHIRT SHOW**
- THE PETIT SNAIL, BYRON 7PM **MICK'S SASHIMI BAND**

- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 6PM **ANNA VAN RIEL**
- MULLUMBIMBY RSL 7PM **MULLUMBERRY JAM**
- LENNOX POINT HOTEL 9PM **FIG JAM**
- BALLINA RSL 8PM **THE BIG GIG MICK MEREDITH, NICK PENN, MANDY NOLAN**
- STAR COURT THEATRE, LISMORE 10.30AM & 8PM **ENGINE**

FRIDAY 30

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON **NITESTAR**
- THE BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 5PM **BEACHY FRIDAYS WITH THE KOOKABROTHERS** 9.30PM **SOLVER**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 6.30PM **BETTY BLISSETT**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 7PM **LATE FOR WOODSTOCK**
- LIQUID, BYRON 10PM-3AM **FRIDAY NIGHT LOVE W ELIXZA, RUBIX & SLINKY**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **RYAN RUSHTON & DANIEL WEBBER**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON MAIN ROOM **DJ KRISTEN**
- TEMPLE, BYRON 6.30PM **ENCHANTED KIRTAN**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 6PM **TIM STOKES**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **THE PERCOLATORS**
- BANGALOW BOWLO 7.30PM **MENTAL AS ANYTHING & STYLUS**
- MULLUMBIMBY FARMERS MARKET 8.30AM **LYDIA STOREY & TIM SCHOLL**
- MULLUMBIMBY BOWLING CLUB 8PM **LITTLE STEVIES W SCARLETT AFFECTION**
- LENNOX POINT HOTEL 9.30PM **CUPID'S BULLET W APRIL MAZE**
- BALLINA BEACH VILLAGE **JAZZ @ THE BEACH JAZZ FESTIVAL**
- ELTHAM HOTEL 7PM **NEIL ANDERSON**

- STOKERS SIDING HALL 7.30PM **GREENS FUNDRAISING CONCERT W MANDY NOLAN, GEOFF MORLEY, DAVO MURRAY, BB SYMES & FRIENDS**
- STAR COURT THEATRE, LISMORE 10.30AM & 8PM **ENGINE**

SATURDAY 31

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON **ISAAC PADDON & THE TIDES**
- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9.30PM **DIRTY LAUNDRY**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 6.30PM **LOREN BAND**
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Cinema Reviews

Creation

Last year was the bi-centenary of Charles Darwin's birth. Two excellent docos commemorating the great scientist's work have already screened on TV, but John Amiel's film is not so much concerned with Darwin's profound observations of nature (we're all familiar with the theory of evolution, though we've not actually read the book), as it is with how those observations impacted on his personal life. Most movingly, it imagines the lonely despair that his empirically arrived at and steadfastly held conclusions must have driven him to at a time of the utmost spiritual need. The death of his eldest daughter Annie at the age of ten was a tragedy that pushed Darwin to the edge of madness. In dealing with it, John Collee's screenplay (he also wrote 'Master And

Commander') makes a number of subtle time-jumps and by so doing finds more insights than might have been arrived at through a strictly linear approach. How could a man who has, in the words of his supporter Thomas Huxley, 'killed God', cope with the loss of a beloved child when all of his reasoning tells him that there is no after-life? How could he reconcile his views with his devoutly religious wife? Paul Bettany communicates perfectly the anguish of someone who fears the consequences of a truth that he is compelled to unlock, while Martha West is perceptive and gorgeous in a red and white gingham dress replicated from a photo of the real Annie. Jennifer Connelly is perhaps a little distant as the supportive but conflicted wife, but Jeremy Northam is reliably good as the pious reverend whose friendship with Darwin



is put to the test. The period (mid 19th century) is beautifully created, including an alarming example of what was once considered advanced medical treatment; the ailing little girl is pounded by a shower of cold water before being wrapped like a mummy for a prolonged period of sweating. We all enjoy a good belly laugh, and it is a given that we love to be scared by a movie, but less talked about is our willingness to be touched by grief. Driving home, I remembered a most memorable and, as it turned out, portentous scene. Darwin is on the beach with Annie and she asks him to tell her the story about the orangutan. 'But it's so sad', he says. 'Yes, I know. That's why I like it', she replies. Indeed - this contemplative, intimate movie has quite the saddest moment that I've gone to water over for some time. Highly recommended.

~John Campbell

Inception

You open the Russian doll and inside it is another Russian doll, and when you open it there is another Russian doll, and when you open it ... That's what this is like. Layer upon layer of consciousness is delved into, with whichever layer the characters are in, as they frequently move from one to another, not always clear until they emerge from it. Gosh, it must be a masterpiece, averaging an astonishing 9.3 on the International Movie Data base after 52,000 votes, while David and Margaret have declared it an 'instant classic'. Hmm. Inter-active war games make young men feel powerful; brain teasers such as this stroke our egos by encouraging us to believe that we are great intellectuals simply because we can follow what's going on. Christopher Nolan has form in this sort of caper, having pushed everyone to the limits of their

concentration with his movie in reverse, 'Memento', and pulling the wool over our eyes again with 'The Prestige' (my favourite of these). He is, however, the last kid you'd want to let loose in the CGI shop, for, exposed to the new technology, his mindbending plotlines become hallucinogenic. Unarguably, the visuals are impressive, which is a relief as well as a distraction if your focus is crumbling - Leonardo Di Caprio's stroll through Paris with the ridiculously cast Ellen Page (whose words I often did not hear), as the city folds in on itself to become half upside down, is fab. Leo had his head messed with recently in 'Shutter Island', but this time, as Dom Cobb, a corporate spy, he's doing the messing. A master of invading the subconscious of others while they are dreaming, his skill is in stealing thoughts, but his latest assignment is to plant an idea so that the subject believes that that idea is his own. At the same time, Cobb needs to redeem himself for what happened to his wife. It's confusing but, if you make the considerable effort, not incomprehensible. I struggled not because of its complexity, but because I just didn't care about what would happen and a couple of walk-outs indicated that I was not alone in my indifference. If, like me, you are a potential candidate for Densa rather than Mensa, you might find it juvenile and fevered ... or, how did that Russell Morris song go? 'There's a meaning there but the meaning there doesn't really mean a thing?' Ultimately, with its guns and smash-ups and stuntmen, it seems depressingly familiar.

~John Campbell

Predators

Predators opens with a shot of Adrian Brody's character falling from the sky. He has no idea why he is falling but he's falling fast and approaching the ground. He hits his parachute and still experiences an extremely violent landing. As he stands up, he realises that others are falling out of the sky with him. After all is said and done, there are eight strangers stranded in this mysterious jungle. They have no clue how they got there and they have no idea where they are. All eight of these people have something in common though; they are predators themselves, i.e. convicts, killers, ex-military, Yakuza, etc. Without giving away too much, let's just say that all eight of these strangers have landed on a mysterious



planet containing the Alien Predators.

Now, the game has begun where they will fight for their lives - they have become the hunted. The film delivers plenty of thrills and excitement and the action comes thick and fast. From the breathtaking opening

as we are literally dropped into the jungle with Adrian Brody, to the inevitable face off for the finale, we have been treated to stabs, chops, thrusts, dismemberments, beheadings. All this and there's barely any blood spilt; unless the green kind counts of course...

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INCEPTION	THURS 29 TO WED 4 ★12.25pm ★3.40pm ★6.30pm ★9.05pm	M
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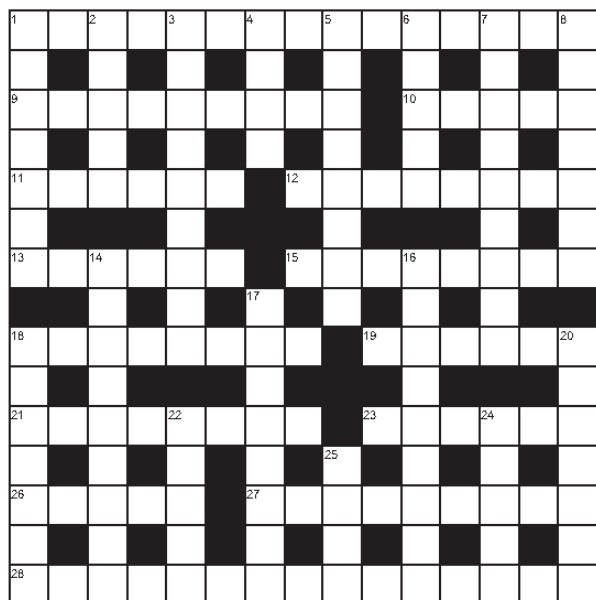
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Mungo's Crossword



Quick Clues

- ACROSS
1. A national anthem (3,4,3,5)
9. See 28 across
10. State in North East India (5)
11. The sin of selling ecclesiastical favours (6)
12. Skuas, large ocean birds (3-5)
13. Former Russian dictator (6)
15. Formal felt hats (8)
18. See 16 down
19. Afternoon nap (6)
21. Fashion designers, elegant writers (8)
23. Colourful and varied type of bird (6)
26. Push, put pressure on (5)
27. Three-sided plane figures (9)
28, 9 across. Another British patriotic song, made famous by Vera Lynn (5'2, 6,2,2,7)
DOWN
1. Drinking vessels, spectacles (7)
2. Reverie, fantasy (5)
3. Country in South America (9)
4. Dash, verve (4)
5. Small spined mammal (8)
6. Suppress, annul (5)
7. Towards the orient (9)
8. Goddess of just vengeance (7)
14. Gas used in welding (9)
16, 24 down, 18 across: Patriotic British chorus sung at the Proms (9,5,3,5)
17. Abstaining from alcohol
18. One who drinks a lot of alcohol (7)
20. Female performer (7)
22. Offspring, children (5)
24. See 16 down
26. Account, tab (4)

Last week's solution



Cryptic Clues

- ACROSS
1. Divisive gene vote quashed – the English rejoice! (3,4,3,5)
9. See 28 across
10. A ceremony back in North East India (5)
11. Legree takes a year selling preferences (6)
12. Skuas cough and spit in the oceans (3-5)
13. Dictator puts a blemish around the left (6)
15. Old hats give mega back rub, surrounded by swine! (8)
18. See 16 down
19. Amazing sites, a time for a short break (6)
21. Pen records of elegant writers (8)
23. Bird or ape? Even rubbish (6)
26. Push papers (5)
27. Teats about the East are no good at the core – they're three sided (9)
28, 9 across. Handel wants regal teeny ball playing this song – to go with 1. (5'2, 6, 2, 2, 7)
DOWN
1. Good girls make spectacles of themselves (7)
2. Mother about ... about ... it's a fantasy (5)
3. Unrest hear giant nation (9)
4. Docked antelope shows panache (4)
5. Hard pig grabs an advantage, and he's prickly (8)
6. Crush, cut off head and crush again (5)
7. Cannily saw trades towards the Orient (9)
8. Turning back seed is just retribution (7)
14. Expert on confused teen embracing the young left? What a gas! (9)
16, 24 down, 18 across. Hitler's view true bananas ... rousing chorus. to go with 1 and 28 (9,5,3,5)
17. Support, absolute, for abstainer (8)
18. ... but throw a saucepan at his opposite! (7)
20. A triste, unhappy actress (7)
22. Is the girl a child? (5)
24. See 16 down
25. Account for the copper (4)

Mungo's Crossword first published in *The Week*.

Stars

WITH LILITH

Our world is rapidly changing, and like this week's birthday boy Mick Jagger sings you can't always get what you want. But with Mercury meeting Mars and Venus in Virgo you are likely to get what you need...



- ♈ **ARIES:** Aries have an ongoing tug of war between personal creativity and the group dynamic, but this week works via compromise rather than travelling the lone road. Saturn in Libra succeeds through cooperation, so do the flexible, bendy dance of negotiation and accommodation as gracefully as you can.
- ♉ **TAURUS:** This week it's worthwhile investigating what new technologies have to offer. Opinions will differ and you'll get plenty of exercise dealing with ego trips, but it's worth persevering because someone who could be extremely financially helpful is likely to be one of those trippers.
- ♊ **GEMINI:** You're the zodiac's master multi-taskers, but this accident-prone week needs you taking care on the road – and even more on the tongue. People want plenty of attention but they're so not into criticism, so either find something to admire or hold your fire.
- ♋ **CANCER:** Everyone's prickly and reactive this week, not just Cancerians. But you could still get heaps of overdue stuff and unfinished business dealt with so long as you don't promise more than you can comfortably deliver, because expectations are high and cancellations won't be taken lightly.
- ♌ **LEO:** A peak week for your cat majesty even in these troubled times, so go somewhere glamorous, buy something gorgeous or do something celebratory to keep your spirits buoyant during ongoing upheavals and uncertainties. Just don't engage in any regrettable outbursts which could jeopardize your future success.
- ♍ **VIRGO:** Mercury moving into Virgo wants to talk about what needs fixing, but you'd be wise to edit before you utter: listen, process, refine ... and then speak. That said, this week's upside brightens and heightens your star quality, attracting hot new admirers to Virgoville.

- ♎ **LIBRA:** Mars marches into Libra this week to back Saturn in setting up a series of relationship reality checks to address unfinished business in partnerships past and present, with a view to fine tuning the balance between personal enjoyment and responsible commitment to others.
- ♏ **SCORPIO:** This week pits ambitious plans against constraints, responsibility against rebellion and duty against the urge to do things differently. Rather than get upset at what you're not able to achieve just now, or angry at restrictions, look for alternatives that are workable. Enjoyable alternatives.
- ♐ **SAGITTARIUS:** This week reboots any minor lack of social liveliness, with planetary energy in the sign of self publicizing urging you to showcase yourself and/or your ideas by dressing to impress: present aspects admire a touch of flair, appreciate a bit of cheek and applaud bold moves.
- ♑ **CAPRICORN:** Humanity's definitely going through a rough patch at the moment, so don't be surprised if you're feeling a tad sombre and despondent – you'll find solutions are there if you think outside the square. Also that treating yourself tenderly will immeasurably improves the tenor of your week.
- ♒ **AQUARIUS:** This full-on week opens a window of opportunity for implementing radical relationship rearrangements in spite of personal differences. Try to relax a little when you notice you're becoming stubborn and this week could take care of a whole lot of seemingly insoluble business.
- ♓ **PISCES:** This week helps you develop progressive new ways in which partnership patterns are played out. The waves of change affecting you aren't superficial, so direct your energy where it serves you best, moment to moment. And listen to your intuition, which is second to none.

CHESS by Ian Rogers

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Tomek Rej: Australia's sixth GM?

Australian Grandmaster titles seem to be like buses; you wait more than a decade for one and then three come along at once. And a fourth bus can be seen in the distance.

After Darryl Johansen became Australia's second Grandmaster in late 1994 it was a dozen years before David Smerdon scored a new Australian Grandmaster 'norm' – one of three such results needed for the title.

Smerdon soon had accumulated the required three 'norms', though it took him another two years to reach the required world

ranking to have the GM title confirmed by the world body FIDE.

In the meantime Smerdon's friend and rival Zhao Zong Yuan had completed all the Grandmaster requirements in a 60 day purple patch during the New Year period of 2008.

In two years Australia had doubled its population of GMs but, wait, there's more!

In 2010 another player in his early 20s, Sydney's George Xie, became the first player to complete all his GM 'norms' in Australia, though he is still a few tournaments away from the required world ranking.

Now at the Najdorf Memorial tournament in Warsaw, Tomek Rej, 24, seems on the way to his first step in acquiring Australia's sixth Grandmaster title. In the first four rounds, Rej, seeded only 39th, beat two solid Grandmasters, lost to one and drew with – and should have beat-

en – the second seed Bartłomiej Macieja. Rej, from Sydney, is not even an International Master, which makes his Warsaw performance all the more remarkable.

Rej has travelled to Europe to compete in a series of five high level tournaments over the next two months. He declared that his intention was to return home with the International Master title; he has the required IM 'norms' but needed a big increase in world ranking. However, after his first event he may have to recalibrate his ambitions.

Rej's best achievement was the following remarkable swindle in a position many would have given up as lost.

Warsaw 2010
White: T Rej
Black: K Jakubowski
Opening: Sicilian Defence
1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 a6 5.Nc3 d6 6.Be3 b5 7.Qd2 Nf6 8.f3 Nbd7 9.0-0 Bb7 10.g4 Nb6 11.Qf2 Nfd7 12.e5! By now Rej had used an hour on his clock, a clear sign

that he was unfamiliar with the opening. He finds a creative sacrificial idea but unfortunately one which has already been tried and found wanting. 12...b4 12...dxe5 13.Ndxb5! axb5 14.Bxb5 was Rej's idea but after 14...Nd5 Black would be fine. 13.Ne4 dxe5 14.Nxe6! fxe6 15.Rd6! Creative play, but Jakubowski reacts well. 15...Nd5! 16.Rxe6+ Kf7 17.Ng5+ Kg8 18.Bc4 Rc8! 19.b3 Qa5! (See diagram) At first sight Rej has nothing for his sacrificed material but now he finds what the tournament commentator described as 'a satanic trick'. 20.Qe2! Qxa2? Falling into Rej's trap. After 20...Rxc4! 21.bxc4 (21.Qxc4 Nxe3) 21...Qa3+ Black's counter-attack would have prevailed. 21.Rxa6!! The most beautiful move of the tournament, said the commentator. Unfortunately for Jakubowski his queen is lost because after 21...Bxa6, 22.Bxd5 is checkmate! 21...Rxc4 22.Rxa2 Rc3 23.Bd2 Nc5 24.Kb2 h5 25.Bxc3 bxc3+ 26.Kb1 hxg4 27.Qxe5 gxf3 28.Qe8 1-0



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Open Tues-Sat
33 Byron St, Bangalow
6687 1010

Awarded a Chefs Hat in the 2010 Sydney Morning Herald Good Food Guide, a Highly Recommended award from Gourmet Traveller Wine 2009 and a star from the 2010 Courier Mail Queensland Food & Wine Guide. Tetsuya trained Shannon Debreceeny's European inspired cuisine is served as a seasonal degustation with vegetarian option. Five courses \$65.



Bangalow Pizza Co
3/36 Byron St, Bangalow
Home delivery, dine in or
takeaway
6687 1271

For over eight years Bangalow Pizza Company have been creating mouth watering pizzas, using only the freshest ingredients and finest produce. With all bases and sauces made instore only. A great place to take the family. Four sizes of pizza to choose from. Gourmet pizza menu, lasagne and salads. Serving great coffee. Dine or take away. BYO available.



Bangalow Dining Rooms
Bangalow Hotel
Open 7 days
Lunch: 12 – 3pm
Dinner 5:30 – 9pm
Pub selection: from 12pm
6687 1144

The Bangalow Dining Rooms at the Bangalow Hotel produces great food using predominantly local produce. The beautiful restaurant space on the high verandah and intimate dining room hosts a modern menu. In the hotel, enjoy our pub selection all day, with reasonable prices and a wide range. The food will appeal to all.



Utopia
Open breakfast & lunch
from 8am everyday.
Dinner Friday and
Saturday from 6pm
13 Byron St, Bangalow
6687 2088

Offering exciting, original menus for breakfast, lunch and dinner. An extensive selection of cakes and pastries baked on the premises are available and award winning Campos Coffee.



Billi's Thai
Open Wed-Sun
from 5:30pm
Dine in or takeaway
Billinudgel Village
6680 3352

For over 15 years Billi's Thai has re-created the traditional taste of Thailand in Billinudgel. Offering an extensive menu, scrumptious desserts, specials board, and western style kids menu. The whole family will enjoy the relaxed village atmosphere from the covered verandah or inside dining area. Be part of the best-kept secret in the shire!

\$13 CURRIES WED/THURS IS BACK



Dominic's Restaurant
Open Wed – Sun
from 5pm
Fingal St, Brunswick Heads
6685 1688

Now in its twelfth year Dominic's is still offering great food in a relaxed atmosphere. Open Wednesday to Sunday from 5pm offering daily specials, an extensive wine list and all the menu favourites. Come and dine in or grab some takeaway. Bookings recommended.



Hotel Brunswick
Open daily
10am – 9pm
Mullumbimbi St,
Brunswick Heads
6685 1341

The Bruns Brasserie specialises in local produce, fresh seafood and seasonal menu changes. Daily selections include bangers and mash and grilled snapper. Gourmet coffees and delicious desserts are also available.
Lunch or group dinner bookings upon request.

Understanding the Masterchef phenomenon

Dr Adele Wessell

Cultural historian and chair of Southern Cross University's Academic Board

We are now in the second season of Masterchef, a phenomenally successful competitive cooking program that caught everyone by surprise. It is on almost every night with consistent audience figures of more than two million people, including every single person I know.

Those of us who study food may not have all been that surprised by its success. Culinary culture has fast become a pop phenomenon and the interest is reciprocated. At the inaugural Australasian Popular Culture Conference this year participants spent lots of time talking about Masterchef and the Cultural Studies Association of Australasia will have a whole panel devoted to the program at their conference in Byron Bay in December.

While Iron Chef has had a cult following since it was launched in 1993, the secret of Masterchef might be owed to other aspects of media – the soap opera dimensions of contestant's weddings (like Jonathan's during the show and Aaron's when he was eliminated); the popularity of social networking (within 10 minutes of Marion's elimination hundreds of people had complained on the Masterchef Facebook page and Bring Back Marion pages started in about half an hour); the promotion of the show at Coles (where you can pick up recipes for the invention tests within days of screening) and in their own magazine. In fact the drama and tension, rather than the cooking, would attract a lot of people.

But despite its detractors (and I agree with what Neil Perry 'didn't' say, that it takes a long time and a lot of training to become a good chef), the show does work for getting families to not just talk about food, but to do it.

We all know now how quickly we can make mayonnaise from scratch and kids are going to be cutting the lamingtons for their own parties evenly.

At my house the five-year-old has expanded her repertoire of vegetables, as long as she gets to 'plate-up' and the eight-year-old has his own blow-torch. I had to buy another kitchen appliance for the slumber parties where everyone is coming dressed in Masterchef aprons to do a 'pasta challenge'.

Product sales of featured ingredients are up, the drips are all wiped off plates before dinner, food criticism as well as cooking has gone mainstream. If only they could waste less produce, use less animal products and bring back Marion.

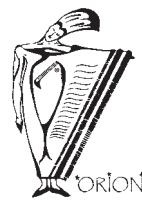


AVID MASTERCHEF FANS ARE ADELE'S TWO CHILDREN AUDREY, 5 AND LUCA, 8 PICTURED COOKING UP A STORM IN THEIR KITCHEN AT HOME.



Hotel Great Northern
Open 7 days
From 12 noon
Cnr Jonson and Byron Sts
Byron Bay
6685 8278
Dine in or takeaway

At the Northern our team of Italian chefs and pizzaioli are dedicated to bring you a mix of authentic flavours from Italy as well as a selection of burgers, steaks, fresh fish dishes and all the favourites. Our wide range of traditional Italian wood fired pizzas have us voted one of the best throughout the Northern Rivers.



Byron Orion Curry House
All day cont. breakfast
7am-3pm, Curry House
dinner 5:30pm-11pm,
cocktail lounge till 3am
5/2 Jonson St, Byron Bay
6685 6828

The Orion Curry House has had top reviews by international travel magazines as the great curry house by the sea. The annual winner/finalist of the Indian Award of Excellence, the Orion is also producing the best coffee by Segafredo, continental all day breakfast, lunch, curry house dinner, and the mystical ambience to match. The 3am cocktail lounge and entertainment is the highlight this summer. RSVP for private functions in upstairs lounge is recommended.



st. elmo
Open 7 days
Lunch, Dinner, Drinks
Cnr Fletcher St and
Lawson Lane
6680 7426
(No reservations)

Dining in any mode. Share plates and bistro-style main course meals from noon till late, seven days a week. Fine original and classic cocktails and one of the area's most comprehensive wine lists always available with many by the glass, with or without a meal. A dining room and bar to call your own.
\$23 lunch special, changing daily and including a glass of wine or a beer and fresh bread.



Dish Restaurant & Marvell Bar
Open 7 days from 5pm
Cnr Jonson St & Marvel St
6685 7320
www.dishbyronbay.com.au

Welcome to Byron Bay's premium dining experience. Dish restaurant offers you and your guests a fresh, modern and original menu to delight, excite and satisfy the palate in a most beautiful and relaxed atmosphere. Come and see why we were awarded a star in the 2010 Courier Mail Food & Wine Guide.



Bohemia @ Byron
Where the locals eat
Shop 1/95 Jonson Street
(opp. Woolworths crossing)
Open 7 days
Dinner Thursday – Sunday
6680 9979

Why do the locals choose Bohemia?
• \$2.50 regular coffee before 9.30am
• 20% off all breakfasts before 9.30am everyday
• Famous muffin and coffee deal \$5.90
• **Roast dinner Thursday and Sunday nights \$12.90**
• BYO. No corkage. No surcharge
See you at Bohemia!

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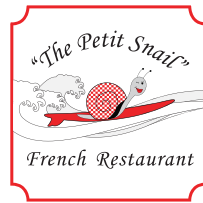
BRUNSWICK HEADS



The Deck

Byron Bay Golf Club
Lunch: Tues-Sat
11am-2.30pm
Dinner: Wed-Sat
5.30pm-9pm
6685 6470

Newly renovated 'The Deck' has been transformed into a modern and laid back venue, complete with lounge and deck dining options, not to mention one of the most picturesque settings around. Can't wait to see you at The Deck at Byron.



The Petit Snail

Open Wed-Sat
6.30pm till late
Live Jazz on Thursdays
Accordion on Fridays
Fully licensed.
Bookings essential
6685 8526

After Paris, Lyon and Melbourne, French chef Igor Persan is bringing authentic traditional French cuisine to Byron Bay. With French staff, French food, affordable French wine list and Belgian beers and incomparable Parisian hostess, Chauby will take you on a journey to France. Vegetarian and gluten-free friendly, parties and functions welcome, gift vouchers, children welcome. Check our regularly updated website: www.thepetitsnail.com.au.



Fresh

Open 7 days 7am-11pm
7 Jonson St (beach end),
Byron Bay
Licensed & BYO
6685 7810

Fresh is...

Byron's BEST location
Modern seasonal menu
Organic & local produce
Award winning Campos coffee
Cakes made onsite



Beach Kitchen

Open 8am till late
At the Beach Hotel,
Bay St, Byron Bay
6685 6402
www.beachhotel.com.au

Beachside breakfast, lunch and dinner right in the heart of town overlooking Main Beach, Byron Bay'



The Balcony

Breakfast, lunch & sunset balcony dining
Cnr Jonson St & Lawson St, Byron Bay
6680 9666
www.balcony.com.au

Sophisticated blend of flavours and textures with an ever changing menu, for breakfast lunch or dinner and tapas all day. Matched by an exciting wine list and arguably the best cocktails in town, your taste buds will be tantalised and so will your eyes as you look over the streets of Byron and enjoy the eclectic vibe of The Balcony.



Lemongrass

Open Monday - Saturday
5pm-9pm
Shop 3/17 Lawson Arcade
Phone orders welcome
6680 8443

The only exclusively Vietnamese restaurant in town, this intimate space spilling out into a courtyard offers up fabulous dishes packed full of herbs, spices and varied textures. The traditionally light and healthy style of cuisine ensures the freshness and natural tastes of food are preserved as much as possible. It's a popular spot so bookings are recommended.



Rae's on Watego's

Lunch and Dinner 7 days
Watego's Beach, Byron Bay
6685 5366

Our 60 seat al fresco dining room overlooking the ocean has a reputation as the best dining in the region! We use the freshest local produce and seafood combined with the exquisite mix of Australian and modern Italian flavours. Beautifully cooked and stylishly presented - we spare no expense in sourcing quality produce.



Treehouse on Belongil

25 Childe St, Byron Bay
Open Monday-Sunday
7am-11pm
6680 9452

Fully Licensed Restaurant - Bar - Functions
Stroll along Main Beach to Belongil
Devour our woodfired pizzas, a la carte meals and lush cocktails
Enjoy our funky garden bar and casual atmosphere
Listen to live music and DJs Friday - Sunday



Bayside Traditional Thai

7 nights 5.30pm - 9pm
5/2 Fletcher St, Byron Bay
6685 5151

Traditional Thai food in a beautiful warm refurbished setting. Enjoy our inviting cushion corners & cosy daybeds set amongst exotic timber furniture and silk curtains. The perfect place to be on a winter's night. Tippy Heng the new owner operator invites regular 'Baysiders' and new lovers of relaxed modern dining to come and imbibe the Bayside Traditional Thai experience.



The Restaurant at the Byron at Byron

Lunch and dinner 7 days
Broken Head Road
Byron Bay
6639 2111

Set within the stunning rainforest of the multi-award winning Byron at Byron Resort and Spa. Serving innovative seasonal fare based on the freshest local produce from head chef Gavin Hughes. Awarded a Star in the 2010 *Courier Mail Queensland Food & Wine Guide*.



Orient Express

Open 7 nights from 5.30pm
Yum Cha - Fri, Sat, Sun
11.30am-3.00pm
1/2 Fletcher St, Byron Bay
6680 8808
www.theorientexpresseatery.com.au

Chef Tippy Heng is back at the Orient Express eatery having just completed his culinary tour of Asia. Tippy has brought back a collection of exciting new dishes from China, Tibet, Laos and Thailand. These dishes will be filtering into the specials selection and the new Winter menu so if a little smoke and spice is your taste - Now is the time to head down to The Orient Express.



Earth 'n' Sea Pizza and Pasta

Open every day for lunch and dinner. 12pm-2.30pm & 5pm. (no surcharge Sundays).
New location: Cnr Fletcher & Byron Sts, Byron Bay.
www.earthnsea.com.au
6685 6029

The original Earth 'n' Sea Pizza and Pasta has been a part of Byron Bay since 1976. Their basic philosophy is to buy the best produce locally and making the food from scratch. This family restaurant offers great service in a friendly environment. The menu not only has 22 different pizzas it also has great pastas and salads as well as gluten free options. And when you dine at Earth 'n' Sea you get free underground parking.



Italian at the Pacific

Open seven days
4pm to late
Next to the Beach Hotel,
Bay Street
6680 7055
italianatthepacific.com.au

Italian at the Pacific provides a bustling atmospheric restaurant, dishing up contemporary inspired Italian cuisine. We're introducing an exciting menu of taste plates, antipasti, fresh pastas and main dishes. With our new Ocean View Bar, we ensure all our guests have the opportunity to enjoy some of Byron's finest cocktails and wine.



WhyNot!

Breakfast/Lunch
7 days from 6am
Cocktails & Dinner
Wednesday to Sunday
Wednesday food & wine
matching dinner - 2 courses \$30
Thursday farmers market dinner
2 courses \$30 + 3 courses \$40

Why Not! start your day with the best cup of coffee in Byron Bay. Why Not! Enjoy lunch using free wireless watching Byron life pass by. Why Not! Relax into some fantastic cocktails at the bar. Why Not! Indulge in our weekly changing dinner menu with daily specials. Why Not! Because you can. Bon appétit! Jonson Street, Byron Bay. www.whynotbyronbay.com.au
6680 7994



Fishheads

Open seven days,
7.30am-11.30pm
Byron Bay - 1 Jonson St
6680 7632
Bangalow - 2 Byron St
6687 2883

'An iconic Byron dining experience, Fishheads serves fresh seafood on the main beach, dine in or takeaway seven days a week. The Fishheads Ultimate Seafood Platter is our signature dish and perfect for sharing between two. (BYO) Fishheads is also located in Bangalow (licensed) at the top of the town.'



Fig Tree Restaurant

Dinner Thurs - Sat
Lunch Fri - Sun
Thursday Farmers Market dinner
2 courses \$30
3 courses \$45
6 course Tasting menu \$65
A la carte • byo
6684 7273

The Fig Tree is perfectly positioned with commanding views over the Pacific Ocean and Byron Bay. Opened in 1981 it has been the bench mark in highlighting Byron Bay's fantastic local produce. Chefs/owners Jules & Ché have travelled the world extensively sourcing inspiration for their dishes. Bring a bottle of wine and enjoy what is agreeably one of Byron Bay's most iconic dining experiences. www.figtreerestaurant.com.au



O-Sushi

Byron Bay
- Woolies Plaza, Jonson St
02 6685 7103
Coolangatta
- Showcase on the Beach
07 5536 5455
www.osushi.com.au

Winner of Best Sushi Bar in NSW region 2008. Eat in or takeaway. Licensed. Open 7 days 11am till late. Get 20% off at Dendy Cinema.

O-Sushi is a modern Japanese restaurant guided by a philosophy that incorporates traditional values of providing the best possible service combined with fresh wholesome food. Live music every Wednesday.



Thai@Byron

Open for dinner 7 days.
\$9.90 lunch Thursday
Feros Arcade, Jonson St,
Byron Bay
6685 6737



Authentic Thai chefs will tantalise your taste buds with superb traditional Thai cuisine. Well priced and popular with the locals. Fully licenced and delicious cocktails.



Muoi's Feast

Lunch: Tues-Sat
Dinner: Mon-Sat
11 Fletcher St, Byron Bay
Bookings Essential
6685 7557

Muoi's Feast has created a strong following since opening in 2003. Winning numerous awards for its international cuisine, the Asian section of the menu is the predominant favourite. Enjoy for lunch or dinner.

SNIPPETS

LITERARY DINNER

As part of the Byron Writers Festival launch of her new book 'Amore and Amaretti: A Tale of Love and Food in Tuscany', Victoria Cosford will be co-hosting a special Italian Literary Dinner at the Byron Beach Cafe on Saturday August 7 with Director of the Sydney International Food Festival Joanna Savill. Head chef Nathaniel is promising a trattoria-style atmosphere and long tables groaning with vibrant antipasto platters, breads, olive oils and rustic Italian dishes, all accompanied by flowing Italian wines. Tickets are \$125 a head, all-inclusive, and are selling fast - they can be purchased through Jetset Travel on 6685 6262.

FOOD TRENDS

Australia's largest consumer food and wine exhibition, the Sydney Good Food and Wine Show, took place at the Sydney Convention and Exhibition Centre recently and one of its initiatives this year was to conduct a food survey to determine Australian food trends and dining habits. 10,685 survey

respondents from all states across the country aged over 18 years completed an online survey whose results were recently made available, and which included some of the following findings :

- More than 50% of Australians consider the traditional Aussie BBQ as the country's most iconic dish;
- 43% of us dine out once a week and 25% dine out more than once a week - with 64% of respondents claiming that they have maintained the same dining habits during and despite the economic downturn;
- When dining out, Thai was preferred over Italian then seafood dishes;
- The top three meals cooked at home are stir-fries, then pasta, then a roast dinner;
- 47% said a roast was their favourite food growing up;
- Potatoes, broccoli and garden salad are our most popular vegetables to cook/prepare while pumpkin and corn were our least.

FINS

**Fins**

Salt Village, Kingscliff
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dining@fins.com.au
Dinner 7 days
Lunch Fri, Sat & Sun



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CHEFS HAT EVERY
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San Sebastian Sessions

Every Sunday night from 5pm
Great new tapas menu
Bookings essential
Did you know Fins is also open in the bar just for drinks every night from 5pm til late! Email dining@fins.com.au to receive our monthly newsletter and updates on all events at Fins.

**Blackboard at the Beach**

Breakfast & Lunch Wed-Sat
Dinner Fri & Sat
6687 4333
www.blackboard.net.au

Recommended in the Sydney Morning Herald Good Food Guide 2010, this cruisy café is in Lennox Head's best location away from the hustle and bustle, with beautiful ocean views. Walk straight in from the beach to enjoy the superb café fare on offer for breakfast and lunch, or experience the Mediterranean-inspired cuisine presented when this cosy beachside café steps it up at night.

**Seven Mile Café**

Licensed
BYO (Bottled Wine)
41 Pacific Parade
Lennox Head
6687 6210
www.sevenmilecafe.com.au

Just a short stroll along Pacific Parade to the quieter end of town is Lennox Head's popular Seven Mile Café. New owners, Lisa and Tony Bundock invite you to sate your appetite with delicious food and wine, fresh sea air and the sound of waves rolling in. And with eye-popping views of the pacific from every table, The Seven Mile café is a feast for the senses.

GLAZED MANDARIN POPPY SEED CAKE

- Soak 80 grams poppy seeds in 175ml milk for 2 hours.
- Cream 250 grams softened butter with 300 grams caster sugar until light and fluffy, then beat in 4 eggs, the finely grated rind of 2 medium-sized mandarins and 1 tsp. vanilla.
- Sift together 300 grams plain flour and 2 ½ tsp. baking powder and add to creamed mixture alternately with milk/poppy seeds, beginning and ending with dry ingredients.
- Spoon into greased and floured cake tin and bake in 180°C oven for 50 – 60 mins or until skewer inserted comes out clean.
- Cool in tin for 10 mins then turn out and pour over a glaze made of the strained juice of 2 mandarins and 125 grams caster sugar you have brought to the boil, then simmered for 5 mins.

Seedy Business

Victoria Cosford

They are smaller than the head of a pin. Food scientist Harold McGee claims that 3,300 of them constitute one gram – one wonders who even had the patience to work that out. Their Latin name 'somniferum' means 'brings sleep' and the soporific effects of eating them were well known to ancient cultures. These are poppy seeds, the tiny kidney-shaped seeds deriving from the opium poppy, or Papaver Somniferum. We mostly experience them scattered across buns or breads. Slate-blue or white are the colours they come in, the former mainly used in European cooking and the latter in Indian, and their cultivation for culinary purposes dates as far back as 1400BC. Early Egyptians pressed them into an oil they used for cooking although these days it is more likely the oil will turn up in paint processing.

I had never really thought very much about poppy seeds until the weekend I made a Poppy Seed Cake, mainly to utilise a surfeit of mandarins I had been given. The recipe I used specified lemons but the version I made was so excitingly good that I concluded it was precisely that combination of sweet sweet mandarins and nutty poppy seeds – poppy seeds, moreover, I had soaked in milk for a couple of hours.

Of their use in cooking – apart from their decorative, textural function – I was mostly familiar with Eastern and Central European cuisine, which commonly features them as a moist and luscious paste coiled inside pastries or breads. Mixed with butter or milk and sugar, the seeds are finely ground – not an easy feat as it turns out, and requiring a special little mill or mortar and pestle – and honey, lemon rind and lemon juice may be added. Poppy seed rolls seamed with this paste are common in Croatia

and Poland and Hungary, and in Germany and Austria they make Mohnstrudel and Mohnstriezel, strudel and cake respectively, with the 'mohn' translating as 'moon seeds' due to the fact that in the countries belonging to the former Austro-Hungarian Empire the poppy was once dedicated to Diana, the goddess of the moon.

In Indian cooking the white poppy seeds are more often used to thicken sauces – and to contribute a sweet, nutty, milky depth; they should really be roasted first for a more intense flavour.

The other seed seen scattered over buns and breads is, of course, the sesame seed. The sesame plant, from tropical regions around the world, is cultivated specifically for these seeds. When the gods met to create the world, according to Assyrian legend, they drank wine made from sesame seeds – but in fact the use to which they are mostly put these days is confined to decoration and texture; to the ground and processed paste known as tahini; and to their glorious oil, an oil that is very resistant to rancidity. They may be white, yellow, black or red – and are lovely folded through batters for bread or muffins, or scattered through steamed vegetables like broccoli, or tossed into stir-fries. That sublime Middle Eastern sweet, halva, is composed largely of ground sesame seeds. And just in case you needed further reasons to incorporate either poppy seeds or sesame seeds into your dietary routine other than taste, texture and history, there is a wealth of health ones.

Which suggests that hoeing into a generous wedge of the following cake can only be good for you! It was certainly good for me: I served it warm with home-made custard, and felt happy for a long time afterwards.

**La Table**

72 & 72a Burringbar St,
Mullumbimby
Cafe: 6684 2220
Mon-Fri 8-4, Sat 9-2
Restaurant: 6684 2227
Wed-Sat from 4pm
www.latable.com.au

Cafe: First and only café in the shire to offer quality organic coffee and organic milk! Delicious brekkies, lunches and house baked pastries served by a friendly, professional team. **Resto:** Late afternoon – share a drink with something to taste. Evening – dine in our warm, stylish, open interior. French chef Bruno passionately innovates French Mediterranean bistro style food using high quality produce. **SMH 2010 Good Food Guide Reviewed and Top 10 Sustainable Restaurants**

**Hospitality Choice**

Unit 4/17 Tasman Way
Byron Arts + Industry Est.
6685 8688
Warehouse hours:
10am – 3pm

We stock quality cookware, kitchenware, tableware, glassware, chefs clothing and a broad range of cleaning solutions including green and septic safe products and specialty chemicals for food service and general industry. We stock a complete range of matting for industry, hospitality and home at great prices. If you are a restaurant, small business, accommodation property or person who takes food and cooking seriously we have what you need.

**Poinciana Food Bar Cafe Music**

55 Station St,
Mullumbimby
6684 4036
www.poincianaacafe.com

Open seven days a week from 8am. All day breakfast available on weekends and until 1pm weekdays. Lunch served noon to 3pm. Licensed with great beer, wine and cocktail lists. Fabulous courtyard, undercover dining, lounge and bar areas with free wireless internet throughout. Great coffee, food and music served up daily!

**Jordan's**

Unit 4, 8 Smith St,
Mullumbimby
6684 1919
www.jordanspastry.com.au

The local lads at Jordan's Breads and Pastries make a hearty range of artisan breads including organic sourdough, hand moulded and rustic styles produced using traditional methods, as well as pies, pastry and croissants. Jordan's deliver on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, supplying retail, cafes and restaurants north to Southport and south to Coffs Harbour. Make an order and taste the difference.

**Spice It Up Thai Restaurant**

Open 5 days.
Open Wednesday-Sunday
5pm • Dine-in or Takeaway
6684 2273
Mullumbimby Golf Club



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**FOR THE LOVE
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**Red Ginger**

Byron Bay: Jonson St
(opp. Dendy Byron Bay)
6680 9779
Bangalow: Byron St
(behind Aurora)
6687 2808

A uniquely Byron uniquely Asian Emporium with everything you need for cooking Asian food – from Korea and Japan through China, Vietnam, Malaysia, Indonesia, Thailand, India and even into the Middle East. Spices and rice, groceries, fine teas and teapots, Yum Cha dumplings ready to eat in the store or frozen to take home, fresh noodles and tofu PLUS gorgeous exotic gifts, homewares and furniture.

**Yum Yum Tree Café**

Open Tues – Sun
Breakfast & Lunch
6680 3368
50 River St, New Brighton

The 'Yum Yum Tree' was a traditional meeting place for the first Australians of our area. A place to take sustenance, and catch up with old and new friends. Come notice the extra flare, enthusiasm and personal touch of the Yum Yum Tree Café team, a collection of professional, down to earth people, enjoying their day serving you the tastiest meals and drinks.
www.yumyumtreecafe.com.au

**Byron Health Foods Distribution**

Open: Mon-Fri 8am-3pm
1/77 Centennial Circuit,
Byron Bay
Phone: **6685 5188**
Fax: 6685 6670
www.byronhealthfoods.com.au

Byron Health Foods Distribution was established in 1993 and has been supplying supermarkets/cafes/restaurants/and manufacturers north to Brisbane and south to Evans Head with a large range of products. Our products include the ultra smooth **Georges' Yoghurt**, Turkish bread, Asian products, soy products, frozen foods, and spices. Bulk purchase discounts available. Contact us now for stocktake specials.

**Pizza Paradiso**

Takeaway, dine in and home delivery
BYO
Open 7 days from 5pm
Suffolk Park Shopping Centre
6685 3101

Artisan pizzas hand crafted on the premises using the freshest local produce and the best of traditional and modern styles. Selection of flat breads. Large range of vegetarian pizzas and pastas. Gluten-free base available.

**Luscious Foods**

1/6 Tasman Way, Byron
Arts & Industry Estate
6680 8228
lusciousfoods@bigpond.com

Luscious Foods aim to provide the freshest, first class quality handmade food for your event. Whether your function is a cocktail party, wedding, conference, picnic or intimate, Luscious is here to help create delicious menus to suit your tastes and budget. All products are handmade using fresh local produce, organic where possible, with an extensive range of global cuisine.

**Ché Bon**

Breakfast Sun 8am
Dinner Wed-Sat 6pm
Sunday Lunch 12pm
The Old Church Tintenbar
6687 8221

Where else can you get a local beef eye fillet, uncut fries and dessert all for \$29? All prepared by a French chef fresh off the boat from Lyon whose daughter's head was touched by Paul Bocuse.

Where do you get it?
Only at Che Bon – every Wednesday.
www.chebonrestaurant.com

**Sol Breads**

We deliver breads and cakes to local cafes, restaurants and retail outlets 5 days per week – Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri and Sat.
6680 8049
info@solbreadsnthnsw.com.au
www.solbreadsnthnsw.com.au

At SOL Breads we believe in producing the healthiest and most delicious breads you can buy. Our skilled bakers use age old recipes and techniques to create hand made organic sourdoughs, wheat alternative sourdoughs and also gluten free breads. All our breads are CERTIFIED organic, 100% natural, free from bakers yeast and taste delicious. When quality and taste counts, choose SOL Breads.

Crankin’ what’s happening in the surf



Byron Bay Boardriders

The sixth club round was held on the weekend. A reminder that the club is travelling to Lake Aragon on August 7 and 8 for an away club round. Last year there was a great turnout and the Riders are hoping to improve on last year, so everyone is encouraged to attend. There will be extra points on offer for everyone who enters. The results for round 6 were: Open Final – 1st Danny Wills, 2nd Luke Stickley, 3rd Tom Millege and 4th Bryce Cameron. In the Masters – 1st Nick Pearson, 2nd Dave Hamilton,

3rd Peter Wuehr and 4th Neil Cameron. For the Seniors – 1st Tom Millege, 2nd Sean Cochran, 3rd Ben Simpson and 4th Damien. In the Women’s division – 1st Kirsten Ogden, 2nd Emma Williams and 3rd Sally Miller. Juniors – 1st Henry Phillips, 2nd Mackie Walker, 3rd Peter Jorgenson, 4th Wes Bannister and 5th Djarra. The Cadets – 1st Khian Shahr, 2nd Jacob Ogden, 3rd Corey Flanagan and 4th Kalani Prestage. In the 14s – 1st Jordy Congdon, 2nd Zac Skyring, 3rd Jacob Ogden and 4th Tai Flanagan.

The 14s Girls – 1st Georgia Kervin and in the Micros – 1st Kyuss King, 2nd Rusty Rochfort, 3rd Shaun Chaseling, 4th Koby Pollock and 5th Cooper Motley. Well done to all grommet members who completed the training course held at surfing Australia’s high performance centre at Casurina Beach.

Longboard Titles

The 2010 NSW State Longboard Titles were held recently in Coffs Harbour. World Longboard Champion, Harley Ingleby from Emerald Beach, was beaten in the Open Men’s 9ft Final by Dane Pioli from Tweed Heads to take out the title. Harley Ingleby took the State Title in the Open 8 foot division. Nava Young from Angourie took out the Open Ladies Division. Local surfers, Byron Bay’s Lee Miller won the over 35 mens while Sput Keevers took out the Over 50s Mens with Phil Mansfield taking 2nd. Alan Atkins placed 2nd in the over 60s Men. Roisin Carolan placed second in the Junior Ladies with Deb Tinker placing fourth in the Over 35 Ladies.

Gene back on tennis track



Gene Healey was recently selected from the North Coast Regional Tennis Academy for a week long scholarship at the state facilities at Homebush. The \$1,000 scholarship grant was offered through Tennis Australia which has initiated new incentives to develop and support younger tennis potentials who don’t have access the major metropolotin tennis centres. Gene was training in Spain last year in preparation for his Australian wildcard representation in the prestigious Barcelona Sánchez-Casal Youth Cup.

The day before the competition, Gene received the tragic news of the death of his best friend Jai Morcom. Gene took time away from his career and flew back in time to join his school friends in their park vigil and walk through town. Gene has recently rekindled his elite training regime with the newly established squad at Palm Beach. ‘The 5.30 mornings to train before school are still really hurting,’ says Gene. ‘You just really need to be super fit.’ Gene’s next tournament at the Ipswich Open has him

playing four, full three set matches on the first day of competition. ‘Playing in both the under 18s and the men’s opens puts you under serious pressure if you’re not going in with a ranking and mine have slid from not competing seriously since last year.’ Gene’s clear in his focus to get back to his previous ranking and complete the qualifications to get back to the tournament that he pulled out of last year in Spain. ‘I’ve got a lot more work to do and am really grateful for the support I’ve received so far.’

SPORT RESULTS

Aussie Rules
Junior AFL
25/7: U/12’s; Lismore 15 - 14 - 104 d Plateau 6 - 2 - 38; Tweed v Byron B. no results avail; Ballina 9 - 6 - 60 d Brunswick 0 - 0 - 0. U/14’s Lismore 12 - 11 - 83 d Ballina 9 - 2 - 56; Tweed 9 - 8 - 62 d Byron 4 - 4 - 28.
BOWLS
Brunswick Heads Men
21/7 s/s triples: 1st B Standfield M Guest N Condon; 2nd J Rittway B Stewart D Maundrell; 3rd K Hosie R Roberts; Cock o/walk G Rendell d S Hogan. 23/7 jackpot pairs: 1st K Neate G Rendell; 2nd F Crowder K Kennedy (J/pot \$150). 24/7 Pairs/Triples: 1st D Wyborn P Brassington G Rendell; 2nd S Hardy R Hurley D Bruce. 25/7 Bantams mufti: 1st M Whitney J Chandler Gadget; 2nd J Bishop J Sanderson T Schneider; Mixed 4s J Kearney J Jhyppers S Iversen M Petrou 22 S Pearce C Pearce L McCormick P Solomon 13; K Dexter F Marks B Boorman D Croft 21 D Guest M Guest F Parkes J Lawlor 16; L Ryan B Stewart B Rose N Condon 18 J Sanderson E Boyter J Wright B Montgomery 15.
Brunswick Heads Women
20/7 Open Pairs C’ships S/Finals: B Boorman, M Parsons (w rink 7) d M Darby, F Parkes. E Beddoes, B Rose d J Sanderson, J Wright. Social Bowls: P Appel, B Burridge 23 d L Siddall, D Hay 17. L Ryan, Z Wagner, L Proudlock 16 d R Kinnear, J Kearney, K Bird 15 (LL rink 3). J Loomes, D Guest 26 d K Dexter, L Hurley 23.
Byron Bay Men’s Bowling Club
24/7 Minor Singles Quarter Finals: M Barry 31 d A Everingham, G Dnaiels 32 d R Evans 30, B Burton 31 d B Daniels. 22/7 S/S Pairs: M Barry and L Blake. 24/7: social; D Baker and B Macaulay. Club Open Singles; P Boyd 31 d A Everingham 30. Club Minor Singles s/final: P Darby d K Bonney. 25/7 Open Singles: P Lofts 31 d K Bonney 19; P Clark 31 d M Barry; B Birks 31 d K Morrow 24.
Lennox Head Men
20/7 S/S Triples: B Perkins, B Malcolm, N Burgess 25 d Team, B Saric 12; r/up P Cawley, T Kidd, J Moore 21 d Team, G Heffernan 17; G Bowen, B Higgins 25 d G Hayes, J Bowen 14(lucky losers). Mixed Pairs: E Reid, R Reid 26 d A Humphries, S Prasad 23. 24 and 25/7 Major/Minor Pairs Carnival: 1st J Robinson, J Essex 4 ½ wins + 31; 2nd : B Allen, R Miles 4 wins + 70; 3rd : D Gregor, B Evans 4 wins + 44.

Mullumbimby Ex Services Men
21/7: T.Riches,B.Neate,J.Oski 21 Dick,Graham.Mick 17; D.Blake, R.Day, P.McDonald19 (jackpot w) N.Newton P.Jones,R.Philps 17; A.Pyzer, S.Purdie,B. Gibson 18 L.Boyster,J.Canabou,L.Henry 17; L.O'Donnell,H.McKenna 35,W.Ball,J. McKay 8. Final Minor Pairs: M.Thorne 31 d L.Henry 23. 24/7 Major Pairs: S.Purdie,R. Day32 N.Newton,P.Jones 9;C.McClymont, B.McClymont 28, J.Canabou, L.Henry10; G.Condie,P.McDonald 29,R.Philps,D. Hammond 15; P.Gower, H.McKenna 28,K.Hall,D.Blake 12. Social: J.Estreich, T.Hart(Dist Sec) D.Townend (Dist Pres)15, J.Morgan, J.McKay, T.Fenwick 15.
Mullumbimby Ex Services Women
20/7 Club C’ship Major Singles: E.Jones 31 v S.Brown 18 (Marker H.Robb) : Minor Singles R.Wainwright 31 V I.Pet-tendy 18 (Marker J.Lee). Social: J.Morrow, B.Reglin 28 (Rink W) v R.Mills, C.Thorne 12 : E.Leclere, S.Boyd, J.Towner 14 v J.Ball, B.James, B.Croft 13.
Ocean Shores Men
19/7 Trips/Pairs P Kurtz/T Mason; r/up J Best K Hosie R Roberts. 23/7 Norfolk Rules: J Olsen shirtboy. 24/7 final club pairs: B Pollard/T Mitchell def B Sweeney/P Earl. 24/7 Minor singles s/f D Whitney def D Taylor; W Sprengel def J McGowran; M Haines def G LeClere. 24/7 Mixed pairs/Trips: Pairs B Sweeney/D Larson; Trips S Warren T Warr R Roberts.
Ocean Shores Ladies
21/7 Mixed Social: J Bartlett, L Wright, K Kennedy (Secret score) d J Bartlett, A Slater, W Sprengel; E Hill, N Russell, L McGowran (R/up) d S Woolford, P Keogh, B Sprengel; D Grant/ M Flesser d K Gallard/ F Crowder. 23/7 Triples C’ship; P Sullivan, J William, M Hosie d E Hill, J Bartlett, B Sprengel. Social; D Grant/ M McGowran (Secret margin) d M Farquhar/ M McConville; G Todd, B Stone, J Lofts (R/up) d N Russell, L Wright, G Johnston.
BRIDGE
Brunswick Valley
19/7 9 table Mitchell: N/S 1st gross S Easterbrook/P Hems; 2nd gross P Keyte/E Sherry: E/W 1st gross C Donaldson/M Solway; 2nd gross P Janda/S Van_Rossum. 24/7 8 table Appendix Mitchell: N/S 1st gross P Keyte/J Murray; 2nd gross A Gibson/B Gibson: E/W 1st gross M Homfray/W Keyte; 2nd gross A Withey/G Withey.
Ocean Shores
21/7 7 table Mitchell. N/S 1st gross; B Stephens/N O’Brien; 2nd gross P Partner/R Pedicini: E/W 1st gross; J Selleck/B Simons; 2nd gross; C Donaldson/Ti Ellis.

DARTS
Brunswick Valley
Round 1: Off the Board 2 Fumbles 7; Workaholics 6 Workers 3. 25/7 Charity Fun Day: MHS T Garrett BVDC 140, MHP T Garrett BVDC 62, LHS M Wilkenson TVDC 133, LHP D Thompson Iluka 93. Group A Doubles Winners R Osbourne Iluka, L Boorman BVDC. R/Up K Purcell BVDC, T Norris TVDC. Group B Doubles Winners M Curran TVDC, R Patterson Iluka. Singles Winner J Patterson Iluka, R/Up T Garrett BVDC.
CHESS
Juniors
Knight of Byron Junior Chess comp: Avalon Harris Pepper won open section (7 wins, 2 draws), r/up Oliver Arthur Andrews; 3rd Yanis Newman Pache. Junior Section: Durdan family bagged all the placings. Kodi won; r/up 6yr old brother Sam and sister Denali 3rd.
GOLF
Mullumbimby Men
24/7 4 Man Ambrose: I Fisher, D Baird Watson, H Cooper, D Carsburg 53.25; r/up B Lawler, K Lawler, A Gadowski, C Mangleson 56.5. NTP: 5th R Lawler 801cm, 7th R Graham 250cm, 9th R Graham 450cm, 12th K Lawler 198cm, 17th T Williams 1100cm.
Mullumbimby Ladies
22/7 Vardon: Div 1 S Kosaka 71; Div 2 L Walker 69. NTP: 5th G mackay, 7th S Kosaka, 12th F Gannell, 17th B Woolnough, Pro Pin G Lynn. WBC: M Essery 36; F Gannell 35c/b.
Ocean Shores Men
19/7 Medley Stab: S Andrews. 46pts; R/up. S Brady. 40pts. C/B; 3rd. D Fitzgerald. 40pts. C/B; Balls To: 35pts. 21/7 Stab: R Barnes. 42pts. R/up. G Mockler. 41pts. C/B; 3rd. E Carroll 41pts ; Balls To: 35pts. Pro Pin: M Short. 24/7 Monthly Medals: Blue; S Bolger. 67nett. C/B. R/up. G Winder. 67nett. 3rd. T Mitchell. 69nett. Balls To: 75nett. Pro Pin: B Racine. White; J Bartlett. 64nett. R/up. R Macdonald. 66nett. C/B; 3rd. T Johnston. 66nett. Balls To: 74nett.
Ocean Shores Ladies
25/7 Mixed 4somes C’ships: Gross Winner: P Schweitzer/J Griffin Score: 118; Nett Winner: J/P Gadowski Score: 101.75. 20/7 Stroke WGNWSW and Club Medal: Div 1 C Martin 69 (Medal Winner); R/Up J Brown 73 c/b; Div 2 F Crowder 74 (Medal Winner); R/Up A Slater 76; Div 3 P Govett 70 (Medal Winner); R/Up S Stephenson 72. Playoff for June 2010 Medal Won by L McGowran. 22/7 Stab: F Crowder 37 c/b; R/Up S Stephenson 37.

Ocean Shores Men’s Veterans
22/7 Stab: 64 Starters. 1st: P Thorley 44; 2nd: T Clark 42; 3rd: B Allan 41; 4th: H Stephenson 40: NTP 3rd H/C o to 19: M Kelly; H/C 20+: G Smith; 6th: J Sullivan; 8th: A Phillips; V/P Pin 12th: B Edwards; 15th: C Godsmark; 17th H/C o to 19: B Roe; H/C 20+: W Sprengel. Gorilla Award: H/C o to 19: P Keogh; H/C 20+: T Clark. The OBE longest drive: W Sprengel; Club Cash Run to 26. Balls to 36. Scrubbers ball D Powell.

RUGBY LEAGUE
NRRL
Round 12: Mullumbimby 8 Grafton Rhinos 18, Casino 26 Byron Bay 44. Ladder: 24 Grafton Ghosts, 18 Marist Bros, 17 Ballina, Byron Bay, 16 Cudgen, Northern Utd, Grafton Rhinos, 12 Murwillumbah, 11 Mullumbimby, 8 Evans Head, 4 Casino, Kyogle, Tweed Coast Raiders, 1 Lower Clarence. Next week: Byron Bay v Grafton Ghosts, Murwillumbah v Mullumbimby.

TABLE TENNIS
Mullumbimby
22/7 C Strybos won singles open comp, second M Smith, third R Moser. Doubles comp won by R Moser, M Smith 3-1 over A Hannah, C Strybos.
TENNIS
Riverside
20/7 Tuesday Ladies: Ross Lindsay Shield A Gd B. Hancox/B. Campbell; A Res. J. Murray/P. Yopp.

SPORT SHORTS

DARTS
Brunswick Valley Darts Club held a Charity Fun Day on Sunday 25/7 (with players from Tweed Valley D C and Iluka Bowls D C). Our beneficiaries were Brunswick Valley Rescue Squad and Mullum Hospital Auxiliary. A total of \$1122 raised which they will jointly share.
RUGBY UNION
Bangalow
Bangalow (3rd) play Yamba (1st) this Saturday 31/7 at the Bangalow Sports Grounds at 2:30pm in last year’s grand final replay. Bangalow has pride at stake after being well beaten 55/0 in the first round and with all players available, it should be a cracker. Come and support your local team.
Brunswick Valley Juniors
Training 5pm at Brunswick Sports

Ground each Wednesday. Games Friday 30/7 Home games; U10s vs Lismore at 6.15pm, U14s vs Lismore at 7pm, U16s away at Lismore at 6.30pm and U12s have a bye. Billygoats hoodie jumpers/ dress polo shirts \$40 each. Available at canteen at home games.
Byron
Byron will travel over to Kyogle this Saturday leaving from the Rails at 11.40am, Kyogle are second on the ladder and Byron are fourth but we need to step up to the plate if we are going to be a threat in this years finals. All supports wanting to go up to the game are welcome to come to the Rails and come up on the bus. Go the Bay.

SPORTS DRAWS

AFL
Junior AFL Draw
1/8: U/10’s 9am BYE. Tweed; Ballina v Plateau. Fripp Oval, Ballina; Byron v Lismore Shultz Oval, Bangalow; Brunswick v Murwillumbah. Stan Thompson Oval, Brunswick Heads. U/12’s 10.15am BYE. Tweed; Ballina v Plateau. Fripp Oval, Ballina
Byron B v Lismore. Shultz Oval, Bangalow Brunswick v Byron W. Stan Thompson Oval, Brunswick Heads U/14’s 11.45am; Ballina v Tweed. Fripp Oval, Ballina; Byron v Lismore. Shultz Oval, Bangalow.

GOLF
Mullumbimby Ladies
29/7 Club Med 3BBB v Par Classic (\$5 per player extra): 1st Tee; 9am G Lynn, F Gannell, S Kosaka; 9.06 M Crichton, H Hammond, B Woolnough; 9.12 M Davey, J Stuart, R Manley; 9.18 E Froggatt, G Smith, J Hopper. 10th Tee; 9am G Mackay, N Dwyer, L Walker; 9.06 N Carsburg, M Essery, G James; 9.12 G McDonald, J Wickers, G Poynting; (18 B Mules. Table: Gloria/Lucy.
NETBALL
Brunswick Byron
Draw 31/7: 12 noon Table Duty Mullumbimby Mullum Queens Canteen Duty 12 o’clock Bangalow 1.45 Main Arm. Hard Court Duty Teams 12 Noon Set up:Anglefish 4pm Clean Up Wahoo. 12.30 p.m. Under 12’s Ct 1 Angelfish v Bliss ump Brittany McDonald/Jakira Ct 2 Mullum Queens v Blossoms ump Na-

relle/Ruby Wallen Ct 3 Fireflies v Bluebottles ump Chelsea Matthews/Stephanie Oliver Ct 4 Slippery Seals v Electric Eels ump Brooke Toovey/Jaala Roalfe Ct 5 Dragonflies v Beauties ump Jordan/Taylor Ct 6 Mighty Minkies v Gladiators ump Tori/Shandel Dennis. 1.45 pm Table Duty Cruisers Canteen Classics Ct 1Woteva v Dunno ump Cruisers/Giants Ct 2 Bratz v Dolphins ump Sandra/Giants Ct 4 Blueberries v SeaMonkeys ump Bellas x2 Ct 5 Waves v Drop Bears ump Michelle Stewart/Classics Ct 6 Blitz v Boosh ump Taverners/Blaze 3.15pm Table Duty Waves Canteen Drop Bears ct1 Giants v Blaze ump Narelle/Sue H Ct 2 Wahoo v Y Not ump Boosh/Blitz Ct 5 Classics v Taverners Ump Jodi/ Jo I Ct 6 Bellas v Cruisers ump Ashley/Drop Bears Bye Breakers.Ct1 Woteva v Bellas ump Giants x 2 Ct 2 Drop Bears v Blaze ump Narelle/Jodie Ct 4 Boosh v Cruisers ump Jo L/Classics Ct 5 Taverners v Waves ump Sue K/Classics Ct 6 Bratz v Sea Monkeys ump Blitz x2. 3.15 p.m Ct 1 Giants v Classics ump Sue H/Blaze Ct 2 Dunno v Blitz ump Waves/Taverners Ct 4 Breakers v Wahoo ump Cruisers Ct 6 Dolphins v Blueberries ump Boosh/ Drop Bears Bye Y Not.

SQUASH
Brunswick Heads
28/7 Rnd 14 Perry Homes Comp: Bruns Pharmacy v The Potato Works; Cape Byron Med Centre v Byron Bay Trophies; Canty’s Surveyors v OS Bakery; Bruns Blinds v OS Glass. 2/8 Rnd 9 Byron Health Foods Comp: Div 1, 2,3,4,5 all 5pm except Div 1 5.30pm D Bird v L Powell; div 2 C Walsh Bye; Div 5 6.30pm C Hillard v C Wilkinson, C Bolton Bye. New wed mixed comp 18/8 ph 6685 794.
VOLLEYBALL
Brunswick Heads
27/7 Rnd 8 JV Towing Comp: 6pm Scramblers v L Lizards, Flash v Hedghogs, Masala v Ballistic, Duty KFC. 7pm M Mashed v Falcons, KFC v Bounders, Duty Masala. 29/7 Rnd 12 OS True Value Comp: 6pm Volleys v Kookaburras, G G Girls v Kaos.c, Snickers v MTWord, Amies v Divas, Duty Chilli T/Fill Ins. 7pm Fireflys v Flukes, S Redhead v Ferns, D Deals v Fill Ins, Chilli T v Tripods, Angels Bye, Duty Divas/Volleys.

Giants cruel themselves in disheartening loss



Too little, too late. Jake ‘Cobar’ Francisco crosses for the Giants with full-time looming at Les Donnelly Field on Sunday. Photo Jeff ‘Coathanger’ Dawson.

John Campbell

Miserable rain had started falling at Les Donnelly Field and floodlights could not relieve the gloom. Scott Hogan, the Mullumbimby Giants’ affable coach, cut a lonely, disconsolate figure as he trudged back to the sheds.

At the Last Chance Saloon of their 2010 NRRRL season, his side had given it everything they had against the Grafton Rhinos. Unfortunately for them, the Rhinos, who were also scrambling to make a bid for fifth spot on the ladder, did likewise, only to better effect. In the end, nobody could

honestly argue that the visitors’ 18-8 victory was not deserved.

The Giants entered the fray to a rousing reception from the faithful and they responded by throwing themselves into it like there was no tomorrow. The Rhinos reciprocated and after the initial onslaughts they appeared to be getting the better of it – they were unlucky not to go in when their nippy half-back sliced through the ruck to run fifty metres, only to see the ball lost on the line.

It was Mullum’s lock Mitch Morris, however, who opened the scoring when he burst on to a nicely timed inside pass from Chase Nelson. Grafton, who were not about to be bluffed out of the contest, replied with a try of their own on the back of two fifth-tackle penalties.

The Giants had been going in mob-handed with ferocious tackling but could do nothing about the sweet bounce that Grafton’s right winger got from his second-rower’s cross-field kick.

The number went over in the corner.

Tragedy then struck the home side. Half-back Nelson was seriously injured after taking the brunt of a Rhino’s charge. His departure in an ambulance cast a pall over proceedings and left the Giants without their field marshal and best kicker.

The purple jerseys were now breaking the line more often.

For frustrating sets, Mullum were unable to put the ball-carrier on the deck – the Rhinos’ number 11, their similarly squat five-eighth and their powerful Islander centre were a constant headache.

It was the centre’s barge-over to make it 12-4 in the second stanza that set the alarm bells clanging.

Time enough was still there for the Blue-and-Golds, but they butchered every opportunity that came their way with a wayward pass, a knock-on or a poor kick. The loss of Nelson was proving critical in this last aspect while, in contrast, the Rhinos were finding empty space on the extremities with astute kicking that repeatedly put the Giants in disarray.

The drama was too much for one Neanderthal in the crowd. His bellowed references to a coloured Rhino’s player as a ‘coconut’ shamed the hosts. ‘Shut your fucken mouth, you idiot!’ a fellow supporter yelled – bravo to whoever it was for his inspiring erudition.

A Rhino’s grubber to the corner netted them their fourth try and the conversion, giving them a fourteen-point lead, meant it was curtains for the mistake prone Giants.

Jake Francisco pulled one back after a knock-on which the ref bizarrely called a knock-back, but the Giants had met their Waterloo.

Elsewhere, Byron got the points at Casino, beating the Cougars 44-26.

Brunswick Byron Netball at state championships



The Brunswick Byron Netball Association recently sent three teams to the NSW State Age Championships in Newcastle, where 295 teams from 80 associations competed in championships over three days.

Brunswick Byron placed very well in Division 4 with the 13 year olds reaching sixth place, the 15 years olds coming in third and the 14 years old winning their division after an exceptional tournament. The team of Shandel Dennis, Maddy Docking, Taylor Kempnich, Tory Leary, Grace Lockrey, Amelia Meikle, Eliza Salvatori, Chelsea Mathews and Charlotte Whan, went undefeated in 17 games of netball to take the trophy.

Magpies slip into second

The Magpies played the Nimbin Demonson the weekend in the hope that a win would put them in second spot.

With the dreadlocks gone coach Floyd was running free and getting plenty of touches.

Grazer Malthouse was making the moves off the bench creating confusion for the Nimbin boys.

Kane, Nic and Wayne were setting the forward line up with scoring opportunities

and the game became a one sided affair with Nick Preston controlling the forward line kicking 17 goals with plenty of assists.

Sam Lucas, Dan Tiffin and co repelled any Nimbin attacks and ensured the black and whites a good win.

The final scores were 39-22: 260 to 6-5: 41, so the Magpies now sit in second spot and play Ballina at home next weekend in a must win game.

Knight of Byron



Once again this year’s Knight of Byron Junior Chess competition was hard fought with tough games and some great chess on all boards. Avalon Harris-Pepper survived a couple of scary positions to stay undefeated winning the open section with 7 wins and 2 draws. Oliver Arthur-Andrews

continued his rivalry with Yanis Newman-Pache winning this time to take second with Yanis third. Visitors, the Durdan family, bagged all the placings in the junior section and weren’t far off the senior prizes. Kodi won from his freakish six old brother Sam, pictured with sister Denali, a close third.

Mullumbimby Little As is ace



Mullumbimby Little Athletics will be having a sign-on for the upcoming season on both Friday July 30 and August 6.

The club holds its Friday track and field meet and a tiny tots event each week followed by a BBQ.

Part of the Queensland Little Athletics Association, the season runs from September 3 until April 2011.

Competition starts each week at 3.30pm at the Mullum netball courts and finishes at around 5pm. For more information, phone Martine on 6684 3933.

Mullum club athlete Marcus Hannon is pictured jumping his way to third place in the under 8s long jump at the 2010 South Coast Regional Championships

MONTHLY MARKETS

1st SAT	Bruns Heads	6628 4495
1st SAT	Murwillumbah	0417 759 777
1st SUN	Byron Bay	6680 9703
1st SUN	Lismore Car Boot	6628 7333
2nd SUN	The Channon	6688 6433
2nd SUN	Lennox Head	6687 8618
2nd SUN	Alstonville	6628 1568
3rd SAT	Mullumbimby	6684 3370
3rd SAT	Murwillumbah	0417 759 777
3rd SUN	Uki	6679 9026
3rd SUN	Nimbin	6689 0000
3rd SUN	Lismore Car Boot	6628 7333
3rd SUN	Ballina	6687 4328
4th SUN	Bangalow	6687 1911
5th SUN	Lennox Head	6687 8618
5th SUN	Nimbin	6689 0000

SATURDAYS
Byron Community Bazaar 10-2pm 6685 6807

FARMERS MARKETS

Each TUE	New Brighton	6684 5390
Each TUE	Organic Lismore	6628 1084
Each THU 8-11am	Byron	6687 1137
Each FRI 7-11am	Mullum	6684 5390
Each SAT 8-11am	Bangalow	6687 1137
Each SAT 8am-1pm	Uki	6679 5530

Byron Bay Camping & Disposals

For Rossi, Blundstone, Uggs and tents
Phone: 6685 8085

Third quarter

August 3

14:59

New moon

August 10

13:08

First quarter

August 17

04:14

Full moon

August 25

03:05

AUGUST 2010

Astronomical data and tides

Day of month	Sun rise	Sun set	Moon rise	Moon set	High tide, height (m)	Low tide, height (m)
1 S	0629	1715	2240	0926	1210,1.40	0545,0.46; 1808,0.63
2 M	0628	1715	2336	0958	0004,1.32; 1256,1.40	0623,0.51; 1904,0.67
3 T	0628	1716		1034	0055,1.23; 1348,1.42	0707,0.55; 2014,0.68
4 W	0627	1717	0033	1116	0159,1.15; 1447,1.45	0800,0.59; 2132,0.65
5 T	0626	1717	0133	1204	0314,1.11; 1551,1.52	0902,0.59; 2245,0.56
6 F	0625	1718	0234	1259	0430,1.13; 1653,1.63	1019,0.56; 2346,0.44
7 S	0625	1718	0333	1402	0535,1.20; 1749,1.75	1111,0.49
8 S	0624	1719	0428	1509	0630,1.28; 1842,1.87	0038,0.31; 1207,0.41
9 M	0623	1719	0518	1620	0721,1.37; 1932,1.96	0125,0.20 ; 1300,0.32
10 T	0622	1720	0604	1730	0810,1.46; 2021,2.00	0211,0.11 ; 1354,0.25
11 W	0621	1720	0645	1839	0858,1.54; 2110,1.96	0255,0.07 ; 1447,0.22
12 T	0620	1721	0724	1947	0946,1.60; 2200,1.86	0340,0.08 ; 1542,0.22
13 F	0620	1721	0802	2054	1036,1.63; 2249,1.71	0423,0.13 ; 1638,0.27
14 S	0619	1722	0840	2200	1126,1.63; 2342,1.52	0507,0.22 ; 1737,0.34
15 S	0618	1723	0919	2305	1218,1.61	0552,0.32; 1840,0.43
16 M	0617	1723	1002		0037,1.34; 1315,1.58	0640,0.44; 1951,0.50
17 T	0616	1724	1048	0008	0141,1.19; 1417,1.54	0732,0.53; 2111,0.54
18 W	0615	1724	1138	0109	0256,1.10; 1526,1.52	0834,0.60; 2228,0.54
19 T	0614	1725	1231	0205	0415,1.08; 1632,1.53	0943,0.62; 2331,0.50
20 F	0613	1725	1326	0256	0520,1.12; 1730,1.56	1045,0.60
21 S	0612	1726	1422	0342	0611,1.18; 1817,1.60	0020,0.45; 1140,0.55
22 S	0611	1726	1518	0422	0651,1.24; 1858,1.63	0059,0.40; 1226,0.50
23 M	0610	1727	1612	0458	0728,1.29; 1933,1.65	0132,0.36; 1306,0.46
24 T	0609	1727	1706	0531	0800,1.34; 2006,1.65	0203,0.33; 1344,0.43
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28 S	0605	1729	2034	0729	1012,1.47; 2218,1.44	0358,0.35; 1614,0.45
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31 T	0601	1731	2323	0913	1212,1.45	0538,0.50; 1837,0.58

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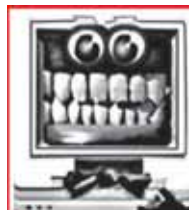
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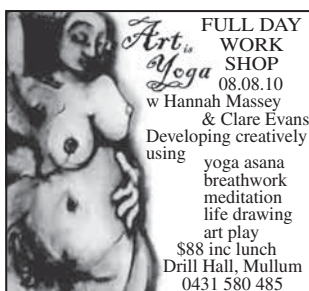
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BYRON room in cosy 2br unit, share with 1, nice yard, part-furn, working person, n/s, \$150pw incl bills. Ph 0407460571

BYRON LUXURY Links Apts, pool, tennis court, 2 rooms avail, f-furn house, part-furn bedrm, \$200pw. 0423643537

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BYRON f-f room, modern clean house, pool, walk to town, WiFi, double \$260pw, single \$160pw + exp. Ph 0411369522

BANGALOW lge sunny room, part-furn, pref fem, \$137pw incl bills. 66870434

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BYRON lge rm, en-suite, deck, grow gdn, WiFi, \$225pw incl bills. 66807676

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BYRON furn br, lge house, large deck, wifi, \$150pw incl bills. 0422191123 txt

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BYRON room in clean, quiet n/s unit, opp beach, walk to town, share with 1 male & 1 female, \$150pw. Ph 0428427002

BYRON t'house, f-f rooms from \$180pw, pool, BBQ, Auster. Ph 0408794765

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BROKEN HEAD avail now, fully renovated & air-con 1br unit with views to Seven Mile Beach incl Austar, for single working person, non smoker, no pets, \$220pw + bond & refs. Ph 66872620

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BYRON 2br, f-f unit, long term lease pref \$465pw, elect & water incl. 0411182951

BYRON avail from 7 Aug, 2br f-furn unit, close to high school, suit quiet, mature, working cpl, n/s, \$400pw incl. 56148182

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STORAGE AVAILABLE contact Elders Bangalow. Phone 66871500

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BYRON BAY SHOP 14 Middleton St, \$420pw, 45sqm, incl o'goings. 66856004

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Byron Bay

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Childcare Assistant (PT)	22.5 hpw Permanent Part time	\$33k to \$39k Pro rata rates and conditions will apply	Fasha Steen (02) 6685 8118
Early Childhood Teacher (Temp P/T)	15 hpw Temporary (up to 2 years) Part time	\$55 to \$64k Pro rata rates and conditions will apply	Fasha Steen (02) 6685 8118
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HORVAT, JANICE

Passed away peacefully on Tuesday (July 21, 2010). Loved partner of Desmond Carroll. Much loved mother of Mark and Michelle. Jan will be sadly missed by all family and friends. Jan had a private family ceremony and cremation as per her wishes.

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Invitation to Social Group

Social Group for age 50+. Our activities include dining out, theatre, cards, walks, galleries, etc. You are very welcome to join our friendly group for lunch on Sunday August 1 at Brunswick Heads Hotel or at one of our upcoming functions. Men welcome! Enquiries, Natalie 0419 982 682.

Community Bazaar

The Saturday Community Bazaar, 10 to 2pm at the Byron Community Centre is looking for more stallholders to sell/offer their wares and talent. Set up a table for \$15 in the all weather confines of the Community Centre and enjoy the Saturday vibe of Byron Bay. There is delicious food from the Balinese Warung and cold drinks available too. No bookings or insurance required. Simply set up on site from 9am every Saturday at the Byron Community Centre. Further info on 6685 6807.

Better Birthing Choices

Maternity Coalition (Northern Rivers), (formerly NRMAG), meets on Friday July 30 at 10.30am in the Rosebank Hall. Join us to campaign for better birthing choices for all families. Guest speaker and refreshments provided in a child friendly space. Contact: maternitycoalitionnr@gmail.com.

Potters News

This week George our resident carpet snake renewed his membership: possibly due to the wet, cool snap. Wheel instruction has progressed with great excitement about the manufacture of Moroccan tagines, suitable for stove and BBQ cooking. Our membership list is being revised into regular attendees and those who just use the kiln, hopefully to create more spaces at the table. Watch this space or phone Ellen on 6680 4810.

Drive us Happy!

We are looking for people over 25 yrs to help African refugees complete 120 hours driving practice to secure their Drivers Licence. Car and fuel will be provided, all we ask is your time... at least four hours a week. Learners will have previously had several hours professional tuition. For more information please call Jeannette Tyler on 6621 7397.

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Australian Breastfeeding Association

ABA Meetings now at Ocean Shores on the last Friday of each month. The next meeting will be on Friday July 30 at the Playgroup Centre, Baptist Church Rajah Road, Ocean Shores from 10am to 11.30am. The topic for discussion is ‘The science of human lactation. How scientific research is backing up what mothers already know, that breastfeeding is best for their babies’. Contact Samaya at 6684 6434 or Jan at 6680 1108 for details or counselling. For 24 hour telephone help, ring the ABA Helpline at 1800 6862 686.

PAN Meeting

PAN (Practising Artists Network) is a non profit incorporated organisation committed to furthering and promoting visual arts in Byron Shire. The PAN AGM will be held on Tuesday July 27 at 7 pm Byron RSL and will feature a presentation by Tony Duke, the new CEO and Regional Arts Development Officer for Arts Northern Rivers. All members welcome.

Public Speaking

Become comfortable to communicate in front of others. Learn different techniques in giving presentations. Ensure your message is delivered well and remembered. Be supported in a friendly environment and learn how to enhance your speaking skills. Byron Cavanbah Toastmasters meet at 6.30pm to 8.30pm every 1st and 3rd Mondays at the Bowlo. More info from 6680 8853 or www.byronbaytoastmasters.org.

Free Courses at TAFE

1. Preparation for Work and Study course begins Tuesday July 27. This supportive, friendly course is a great first step towards building the skills and confidence you need to return to the workforce or to do further study. 2. Reading and Writing for Adults is a free course which will run one morning per week at Wollongbar TAFE in Semester 2. You’ll become more confident by improving your reading and writing skills for work, life and study. Phone Wollongbar Campus on 6620 4700 for more information on the two courses above. 3. Wollongbar TAFE

is running a free course to help communities live more sustainably. Reduce your carbon footprint and help others to do the same. Starts Monday August 2 from 9:30am to 1:30pm for 5 weeks. Contact Dave Carey 6620 4783.

Volunteer Needed

Rainforest Rescue is a not for profit charitable organisation with a mission to protect rainforests forever by buying back land in the Daintree, Ecuador, Indonesia and planting rainforests in Sri Lanka, Indonesia, Daintree and locally. We are looking for volunteers in the office to assist with Data Entry. If you have computer skills and can spare some time we would love your help. Please contact Jeni on 6684 4360 or email admin@rainforestrescue.org.au.

Prostate Cancer Support

The Northern Rivers Prostate Cancer Support Group meets on Wednesday August 4 from 7 to 9pm at the Lismore Workers Club, Keen Street, Lismore. Men diagnosed with prostate cancer and their partners or carers are most welcome to attend. Enquiries to Warren Rose on 6622 1545.

Social Games Afternoon

A social afternoon of indoor bowls and scrabble happens in the Uniting Church Hall every Friday from 1.30 to 4pm. Afternoon tea. All welcome to play or learn, contact Dot on 6685 1661. Donation \$1.

U3A Ballina/Byron

The Poetry and Writing group meets on Tuesday August 3 at 10am in the CWA rooms, Brunswick Heads. All welcome. Contact 6685 1982.

Independent Retirees

The next AIR meeting is at Ballina RSL on Friday August 6 at 9.30am, then about 10.45am there is a ‘Meet the Page and Richmond electorate candidates’ for the coming Federal election. You do not have to be an AIR member to attend.

U3A Brunswick Valley

AGM and display day on Tuesday August 10 from 10am until 12, Uniting Church hall, Fingal St. Brunswick Heads. Phone 6684 3126.

Breast Cancer Support

The next meeting of the BBBCSG is on Wednesday July 28 at the Byron Bay Autumn Club in Marvell St off Massinger Street from 12.30 till 2.30 pm. Our guest is Women’s Health Nurse Helen Tonkin who will be discussing taking the best care of ourselves. A meditation session, the resource library and afternoon tea will also be available. Entry by donation. Enquiries phone 6680 8893.

Byron Bay Bridge Club

On Friday July 30 Bridge will commence at 10.30am (for one week only). There will be a 30 minute lunch break. BYO sandwiches.

Learn Croquet

Come and learn to play Croquet on Saturdays 1 to 4pm, Tennyson Street Byron Bay, next to the tennis courts. Start with easy and fun Golf croquet and work up to more tactical and challenging Association games. All ages and abilities welcome. \$5 green fee, small afternoon tea included. Contact Randall on 6680 1436 or Google “Byron Bay Croquet”.

PA Meeting

Brunswick Heads Progress Association (BHPA) will hold its next monthly meeting on Monday August 2 at 7pm in the Memorial Hall Brunswick Heads. Enquiries phone 6685 0188. New members welcome. ‘Working towards an ideal community’. Agenda will include proposed Federal Govt Marine Park No Take fishing zones and what it means to Brunswick Heads.

Probus Club

The Brunswick Valley Probus Combined Club will meet at 10am on Tuesday August 3 at Ocean Shores Country Club, Orana Road, Ocean Shores. Dennis Smith will speak about various aspects of Parkinsons Disease. All welcome to share in the friendship and outings provided by the club. Enquiries Marj 6680 1168.

Harmony Cafe

A very successful Latin group last Saturday with Yolanda and Marianna, thank you very much. Learn to play very easy and enjoyable Indonesian bamboo instruments, angklung, 11am to 1pm this Saturday. Bali @ Byron Warung with delicious Indonesian food in the Bazaar 10am to 2pm. Where? At the hub of Byron in the Community Centre, Fletcher St room, every Saturday. Ph 6685 8904. Learn Balinese gamelan with Made \$12, ph 6685 7789 or www.byron-multicultural.org.au.

Byron Orchid Society

Our next meeting will be on Monday August 9 at 7.30pm at Ewingsdale Hall. Members are busy growing orchids for our annual show in September and Arthur Winter will speak about preparing orchids for showing. Everyone if welcome to hear this informative talk and we remind Shire residents that entries in the show are open to anyone, not just society members. For more information contact Penny on 6680 1600.

Garden Club Cooking

Many members of the Bangalow Garden Club grow their own vegetables, fruit and herbs. Leah Roland of the Bangalow Cooking School has been invited to our meeting on August 4 as our guest speaker. Leah will give a mini demonstration of a couple of vegetarian recipes and share other cooking tips and ideas with us. Our next Social Visit on August 7 will be to the garden of Dorothy Welstead in Newrybar where Ikebana will be part of an enjoyable afternoon.

Tree Planting

Mullumbimby Landcare: Sunday August 1 from 9.30am to 12.30pm, Tree planting on Mullumbimby Creek between the high school and the bowling club.

Community Market

Byron Bay Community Market is on again at the Butler St Reserve on Sunday August 1. Come along to enjoy The Romaniacs, whose original music has been inspired by Gypsy, Folk, Latin, Celtic, Spanish and Eastern roots grooves. While you’re there, enjoy hundreds of craft stalls as well as fresh local produce and delicious food and drink. There will be plenty for the kids to do with candle making, face painting, tie dying and rides. Our charities Sanctuary Northern Rivers and Byron Bay Playgroup, will be grateful for your support. Everyone is welcome, and please remember to leave your dogs at home.

Magic of Awakening

Many people experience the clear awareness and simple peace naturally present when our thoughts stop. How can we access and live from this natural peaceful presence of our deepest Self throughout the day, while working and with others? This experiential weekend on August 14 and 15 in Brunswick Heads facilitated by Krishna Iyer, shows us how we can do this. Non denominational. No charge for the weekend, donations welcome. Call Rani 0405 151 486 to register.

Byron Sophia

Vedic Math by Jain about the The Fibonacci Sequence, The Living Mathematics of Nature, The Art Of Number, Translating Number Into Art. On Thursday July 29 at 1pm in the Byron Masonic Hall, 6 Byron Street. Enquires call Celia on 6684 3623.

Land sales signal faltering recovery, says HIA

The volume of residential land sales fell for a second consecutive quarter in March 2010, while median land values flattened out.

The latest residential land report from HIA, the voice of Australia's residential building industry, and rpdata.com, Australia's leading

property information and analytics provider, highlights the risk of a renewed decline in new home building starts next year.

The HIA-rpdata.com Residential Land Report shows the volume of land sales fell in the March 2010 quarter to a level 40 per cent lower than in the March quarter last year. Meanwhile the weighted median land price for Australia held steady in the first quarter of 2010 (-0.1 per cent), for annual growth of 6.9 per cent.

'The renewed decline in the volume of land sales over the six months to March this year is consistent with mounting concern over the sustainability of the recovery in new residential construction,' said HIA chief economist Harley Dale.

'The prospect of new home starts heading down again next year reinforces the need to keep interest rates on hold throughout the remainder of 2010. It also reinforces the compelling case for urgent action in ensuring adequate, affordable land supply, including addressing the restriction of finance for residential development which is severely handicapping new home building activity.'

Sydney remains the most expensive residential land market in the nation with a median price of \$305,000. Outside the capital cities, the Sunshine Coast in Queensland remains the most expensive land market with a median price of \$260,000.

There are twelve markets across Australia where median land prices sit at or below the \$100,000 mark. The most affordable market is the Mallee region of Victoria (\$72,000), followed by Murray Lands (\$77,000) and the South East (\$80,000) in South Australia, East Gippsland in Victoria (\$80,000), and the Murrumbidgee region in New South Wales (\$83,000).

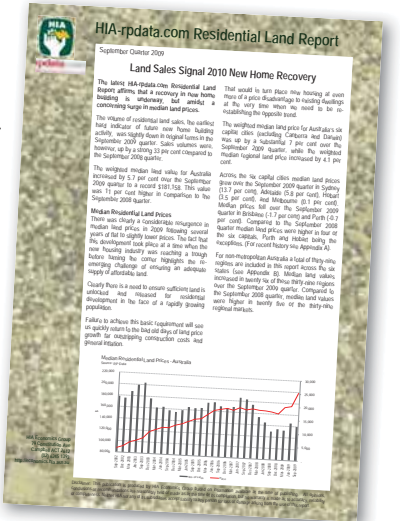
Rpdata.com national research director Tim Lawless, suggests the consecutive quarterly declines in land sales reflect the price sensitivity in the residential market.

'The interest rate rise in March, which followed monthly increases over the December quarter last year certainly dampened market conditions, particularly amongst the first home buyer and low income segments of the market.

'The continued weakness in vacant land sales is a bit of a worry consider-

ing the ongoing demand for housing remains high. The low volumes of land sales suggest continued price sensitivity from the market and further housing pressures ahead.'

Mr Lawless doesn't expect any material improvement in land sales over the June quarter. 'Considering the rate rises in April and May, lower consumer confidence, and lower housing finance commitments over the June quarter, we don't expect any real improvements in the vacant land figures soon.'



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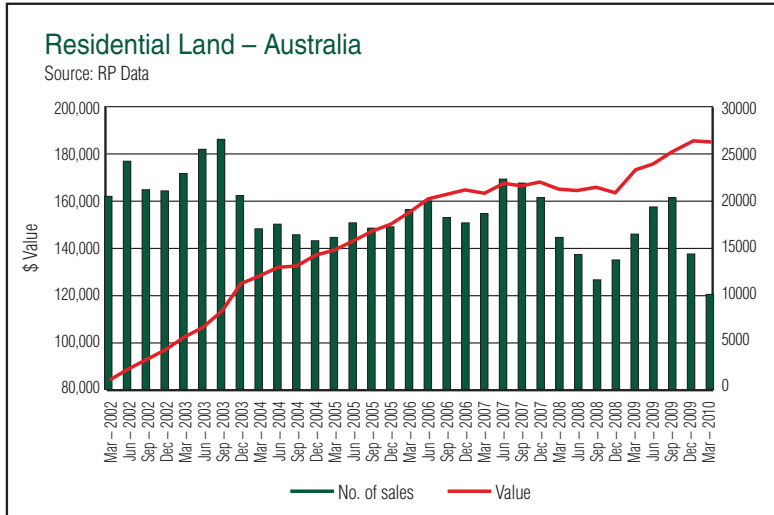
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Standard variable loan popularity hits 18-month high

Despite the cost difference between fixed and variable interest rates dropping, June saw a higher percentage of Australians turning their backs on locking in their home loan rate.

According to the latest loan approval data from Mortgage Choice, only 2.6% of new borrowers chose a fixed interest rate for their home loan. This compared to 3.3% in May and 1.8% in April.

'Many people in the industry were expecting a rise in fixed rate demand last month but that hasn't happened with our customers. Instead we've seen this product's popularity reduce by one fifth,' said Mortgage Choice senior corporate affairs manager, Kristy Sheppard.

'Further, our June data shows fixed rate loans have represented less than 5% of all new approvals for the past 10 months and less than 10% of approvals for two years now.

'It was interesting to note the proportion of fixed loans to new borrowers dropped in all states apart from Western Australia,

which was a complete reversal of last month's trend.

'So, although we've seen a swift rise in rates from October through to March and the cost of fixing a loan continues to decrease, demand for variable interest rates remains at near-record highs. Perhaps the price tag is still too high when potential borrowers weigh up the advantages and disadvantages of fixed versus variable.

'Or perhaps whispers of a much steadier cash rate are seeping through and wielding influence over borrowers' decision processes.'

Standard variable loan demand reached 50.1% of June loan approvals, which was an increase on 47.8% in the month prior and the highest level reached since October 2008.

One of the key reasons for the popularity of standard over basic variable loans is the plethora of 'professional packages' on offer with these products, which attract customers with benefits such as rate discounts, 'Gold' credit cards and other special features.

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Fig Tree Lane, Myocum

- ✓ 3.4 acres of vacant elevated land
- ✓ Views to Julian Rocks & lighthouse
- ✓ D.A approved plans for a home
- ✓ Private sealed road
- ✓ Rare commodity close to town
- ✓ This property is a hidden treasure

Price \$749,000

Contact Glen Irwin on 0418 604 080 or Jon Luton on 0422 794 384 at LJ Hooker Byron Bay.



**OPEN HOUSE
Saturday 2.30-3pm**



AUCTION

'Zeevoo' Coopers Shoot

332 Picadilly Hill Rd, Coopers Shoot.

- ✓ Distinctively beautiful & picturesque 17ha
- ✓ Lifestyle plus a proven tidy income
- ✓ Character filled homestead plus large shed
- ✓ Macadamias & cleared fertile paddocks

- ✓ Located in Coopers Shoot, 13 minutes drive to Byron Bay
- ✓ 3 bed 2 bath 2 car

Auction 12.30pm Saturday Sep 4.
Contact Nick Dunn 0421 375 635.



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Charming Terrace Home & Studio

69 Lilli Pilli Drive, Byron Bay.

- ✓ Unique 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom, character home
- ✓ Huge 1 bedroom, 1 bathroom creatively designed studio or home office
- ✓ 2 covered north facing balconies
- ✓ Quiet cul de sac position

- ✓ Large 835m² land area
- ✓ Original 1900s fittings and fixtures
- ✓ 2 storey, double brick

Price \$795,000.

Agent
Heidi Last
0416 072 868.



Byron Hills Chalet

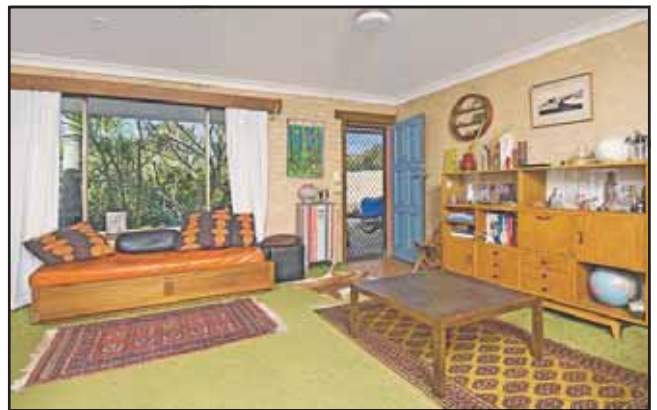
9 Bottlebrush Cres, Suffolk Park.

- ✓ Unique 3 bedroom character home on 624m²
- ✓ Located in peaceful family neighbourhood
- ✓ Ambient interiors include a creative floor plan
- ✓ Covered verandah wrap around deck

- ✓ Large land area perfect for expansion opportunities
- ✓ High ceilings, built-in robes, leafy outlooks

Price \$649,000.

Agent Brett Connable
0408 155 931.



Beachside For Under \$400,000!

Take advantage of this well priced unit, but be quick! Just 500m to the sands of the beautiful beaches and a short stroll to the Suffolk shopping centre, the location is perfect.
Featuring two bedrooms, open plan living area and private front and rear courtyards. There is also a single lock up garage.

This property is currently tenanted and offers the ideal investment opportunity or affordable first home.

Price \$399,000.

Contact Sophia Price on 0408 273 862.
Web: realestate.com.au/106658588



'Willowbank'

74 Willowbank Dr, Alstonvale.

- ✓ Spectacular 5 bedroom 3 bathroom home
- ✓ 5 huge living and formal entertaining areas
- ✓ Design and craftsmanship of the highest calibre
- ✓ 12 glorious acres with 3 long creek frontages including Willowbank Creek & Maguires Creek
- ✓ Conveniently located to Lennox,

- ✓ A superb home to meet the needs of the modern family and the most fastidious purchaser.

Auction 1st September.

Contact Steve Leslie 0413 833 077.



Must Sell!

10 Warrambool Road, Ocean Shores.

Enjoying a highly sought-after easterly aspect with an ocean view, this is an immaculately presented dual level family residence offering an effortless lifestyle alongside the opportunity to imprint your personal style. This 4 bedroom 2 bathroom home has been reduced to sell. Upstairs you will find 3 bedrooms with BIR's, sun-filled artist space or sitting room, bathroom, huge open plan living area, timber and granite kitchen. Downstairs another bedroom, study, bathroom and spacious living area, the

perfect retreat, home office, or separate guest accommodation.

- ✓ High raked ceilings, timber floors
- ✓ Timber and granite kitchen, sunroom
- ✓ 2 huge easterly verandahs, easy gardens
- ✓ Close to shops, double carport

Auction 1st September.

Inspect by appointment with agent.
Contact Trish Passaniti 0438 599 833.



Character Hideaway On The River

\$765,000

4 Short Street, New Brighton.

- ✓ Direct access riverfront position
- ✓ 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom timber cottage brimming with charm
- ✓ Tranquil views to tidal river
- ✓ Open plan living with fireplace
- ✓ Timber kitchen, dining/sunroom
- ✓ Decks front & rear, leafy outlook
- ✓ Mezzanine master bedroom with ensuite & private deck & views

- ✓ Privately nestled in the palm of nature on approx 550m² block
- ✓ 5 min walk or bike ride to beach

Contact Will Sorrell 0417 653 312.
Elders New Brighton/Ocean Shores,
6 Strand Avenue,
New Brighton 2483
02 6680 1594
Internet Id 424321



Opportunity To Get Into The Market

1/10 Corkwood Cres, Suffolk Park.

- Light filled spacious townhouse with private garden and escarpment views. Fabulous investment or first home. Located in quiet and family friendly Byron Hills. A short walk to the beach and shops and close to transport. Enjoy entertaining in the bright open plan living and dining areas.
- ✓ Reverse cycle air conditioning and freshly painted interiors
- ✓ 2 double bedrooms, and large bathroom

- ✓ Open plan kitchen, dining and living
- ✓ Separate laundry and carport
- ✓ Private garden and patio
- ✓ Only three townhouses in complex

Price \$435,000.

Contact Ruth on 0423 626 762.
No agents please!

\$435,000



It's A Jungle Out There...

Research is the key to unlocking your property.
If you are thinking of selling in the next 6 months this is for you.

Sellers Night

Thursday 5th August from 5.30pm

Byron Bay Services Club, Jonson St, Byron Bay

To register your no obligation spot call 1300 Brett Jones (1300 273 885)



AUCTION
Thursday July 29
Bangalow Bowling Club
Time 6.00pm

ORDER OF SALE

- 149 Coopers Creek Road, Repentance Creek – Nitecap Cafe
- 4 Roses Road, Federal
- 8 Roses Road, Federal
- 231 Fowlers Lane, Bangalow – **SOLD!**

Phone 6687 1500



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Property in Focus

St Helena – Perfect NE Aspect



Private, secluded and utterly irreplaceable. Take in the breathtaking views from its prime position at St Helena - capturing 180 degree views of Byron Bay stretching from the Lighthouse, through to Julian Rocks and Mount Warning in the west. Immerse yourself in this tranquil getaway property situated on 1 acre of captivating private surrounds. The architectural lines of this single level home have an overwhelming ambience throughout with high ceilings, timber floors, open plan spaces and clever use of glass and timber bringing the outdoors in.

Address: St Helena Road, St Helena

Price: \$4,750,000

Inspect: By Appointment

Agent: L J Hooker Byron Bay (02) 6685 7300
Glen Irwin 0418 604 080



13 Short Street, Brunswick Heads

BRUNSWICK HOUSE & STUDIO

Yes the title is correct. The house has 3 bedrooms, 2 separate living spaces, a new kitchen leading out to a north facing deck/patio overlooking a tastefully landscaped yard. Hidden behind some of the gardens is a studio and the rear lane.

Price \$839,000

View: Saturday 1-1:30pm

Contact: Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



99 Middle Pocket Road, Middle Pocket

BEST SMALL RURAL AT A GIVEAWAY PRICE

- 12 acres, creek, billabong and spring fed dam
- 3 large bedroom house, ensuite
- 4 separate living areas, self contained flat
- Gorgeous paddocks, ideal for horses, small crops, nursery
- Combustion stove and reverse cycle airconditioning

Price: Was \$1,279,000 NOW \$938,000

View: Sat 11-11:30am

Contact: Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



7 Aurana Place, Bayside, Brunswick Heads

A LITTLE DIFFERENT IN BAYSIDE, BRUNSWICK

Modern 3 bed, 1 bath home, timber kitchen with tiled open living design, featuring raked ceilings & much glass. Covered outdoor entertaining area and leads onto the private fenced level garden. This immaculate home offers you lifestyle, cafes, restaurants, beaches & the river.

Price: \$469,000 – **Selling Below Bank Valuation!**

Contact: Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



South Golden Beach

HEAVENLY HELEN STREET

- Very deceptive, a real surprise
- 4 bedrooms, polished floors
- Double carport, flat level block
- Walk to the beach
- Approximately 70 metres from the footbridge

Price \$420,000

Contact: Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



7 Kiah Close, Ocean Shores

READY & WAITING

Cute 3 bedroom house with ceiling fans throughout, new light and bright kitchen, flat level back yard, the house is located in a quiet cul de sac and has access to the golf course from the street.

Price: \$445,000 Reduced to \$395,000

Contact: Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



18 Natan Court, North Ocean Shores

COASTAL CANAL FRONT

- Immaculate, double brick water front home
- Open plan living, cathedral ceilings, open fire
- 3 large bedrooms, big double garage, outdoor dining
- Water + bush outlook, quiet street, walk to the beach

Price: \$539,000

View: Saturday 11-11:30am

Contact: David Mutkins on 0421 906 460

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OCEAN SHORES

\$645,000

COMFORTABLE MODERN LIVING

- Elevated, architect designed double brick home
- 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, north facing, views
- Open plan, high ceilings, polished timber floors
- Close to beach and shopping centre, great buy

Ernst Relsch 0428 842 387



MULLUMBIMBY

\$530,000

STRIP ME THEN DRESS ME

- Very solid concrete brick home in need of redecorating
- 3 bed, 1 bath, high ceilings, timber floor under carpet
- Next to sports fields, walk to pool, school and town
- Separate tandem garage, 706m² land, call now!

Ernst Relsch 0428 842 387



MULLUMBIMBY

\$455,000

ATTENTION FIRST HOME BUYER

- Newly renovated 3 bedroom 1 bathroom home
- Quiet cul de sac location on 663m² land
- All the work has been done, just move in
- Walk/cycle to town, 10km to Brunswick Beach

Ernst Relsch 0428 842 387



MULLUMBIMBY

\$530,000

URGENT SALE, VENDOR MOVED OVERSEAS

- Double brick, 3 bed, 1 bath, right in town
- Timber floors, high ceilings, near new iron roof
- Repaint, renew one bathroom, refresh gardens
- Call now, prompt action is needed here

Ernst Relsch 0428 842 387



MULLUMBIMBY

\$1,700,000

MAGNIFICENT MONTECOLLUM

- 30.97ha (75 acres approx.) of useable land
- Wide Wilsons Creek frontage and swim hole
- 3 bed, 2 bathroom home with cathedral ceiling
- Separate guest cottage, workshop and sheds

Sally Päckshaw 0404 475 038



MULLUMBIMBY

\$885,000

PREMIER POSITION – PREMIUM VIEW

- Privacy in town, elevation and BIG view
- Four bedrooms and three bathrooms
- Huge private entertaining deck and spa
- Rumpus room and media room

Sally Päckshaw 0404 475 038



MULLUMBIMBY

\$479,000

BEND ME SHAPE ME

- Romantic 2 bedroom timber cottage
- Great potential for further expansion
- Timber flooring and high ceilings
- 632m² block has high fences on 3 sides

Phil Spencer 0402 007 898



GOONENGERRY

\$550,000

ANIMAL KINGDOM

- 3-4 bedroom house set well back from the road
- 3.086ha (7.62 acres) of gently sloping land
- Backing onto beautiful Tibian Creek
- Come live amidst this animal paradise

Phil Spencer 0402 007 898

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15 Lawson Street, Byron Bay

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Byron Hills Suffolk Park

Beautifully presented, light filled Queenslander
Elevated corner block with reserve to the north
Sunny wrap around verandah + dining space
Timber floors, high ceilings & air-conditioning
Located within an easy walk to the local SuffolkPark
shops, restaurants & beautiful TallowBeach

\$619,000



Byron Bay

Sun soaked, north facing townhouse
Spacious open plan living, dining and kitchen
Generous main with a balcony
Located in the 'Tradewinds' complex
Beach, surf and coffee only 300 metres from the front door

\$749,000



Bungalow

Hidden privately away amongst a rainforest
1954m² block bordered by Byron Creek
Renovated, air-conditioned sundrenched home
Gorgeous tropical landscaped surroundings
Located in a private cul de sac in a sought after area of Bungalow

\$695,000



Beachside Suffolk Park

A life of luxury beachside living
Rory O'Halloran renovated north facing home
Spacious interiors with high raked ceilings
Multiple indoor & outdoor living areas
Current DA approval for a pool & guest accommodation

\$969,000



Myocum

An elevated, level 4045m² plateau
Charming home with north-east aspect
Brushbox timber floors, 9ft ceilings
Pretty bush outlook from all living areas
Separate studio ideal for guests or workspace

\$795,000



Beachfront Suffolk Park

Fabulous two storey home
Set on 2 separate titled beachfront blocks
Huge verandahs offering outdoor living space
Beautiful garden & sandy path to Tallow Beach
Located on the beachside of Alcorn Street in sought after Suffolk Park

\$2,250,000



Byron Bay

Original timber cottage ready to be restored
Set in the prime elevated old part of town
Spacious rooms, high ceilings & timber floors
Walk to shops, beaches & cafes
One of the most sought after streets in Byron Bay

\$979,000



Arts & Industry Estate

Ultra modern warehouse style studio
Over two levels of floors space
Ground floor space has 90m²
Mezzanine floor space has 70m² & a balcony
A well maintained & good looking complex of mostly professional suites & studio spaces

\$370,000



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PERFECTLY PRESENTED \$559,000

Character 1950s timber home featuring high decorative ceilings, beautiful timber floors, 3 double sized bedrooms, bathroom with antique bath. Separate lounge with reverse cycle air conditioning.
The kitchen/dining are combined and leads out onto a covered entertaining area complete with plunge pool and spa. There is a garage/workshop plus carport. The property is fully fenced and within walking distance to the colourful shopping centre of Mullumbimby. L/N 3432.



TROPICALLY INSPIRED \$799,000

Just seven kilometres from Mullumbimby this private five acre property has two dwellings and plenty of tropical ambience. The main house is timber with an open plan kitchen/dining area with plenty of stylish appeal and a living area with open fireplace. The sizeable deck extends the homes living space for alfresco dining. Three bedrooms with oversized master suite, office/study and pool bar to enjoy those balmy summer evenings by the pool. The second dwelling is chic with two bedrooms, plenty of glass, fireplace and functional kitchen and bathroom. L/N 3338.



STUNNINGLY PRESENTED \$459,000 - EASY CARE

Located an easy walk to shops, elevated three bedroom modern home. Beautiful kitchen with stainless steel appliances, open plan layout, verandahs with views to Mt Chincogan.
Three large double bedrooms, all with built in robes. Large study/rumpus room with private entrance - perfect for home office. This is a lovely cool, bright and airy home with an attractive easy care garden. Excellent value in this price range. Bonus reverse cycle air conditioning. L/N 3461.



TRANSFORM YOUR SPACE \$455,000

Located in Mullumbimby, in a quiet family friendly cul de sac close to sporting fields and river.
The home is freshly painted, 3 bedrooms, new bathroom and good views of Mt Chincogan from the kitchen.
The backyard is large and faces north, is fully fenced and the whole property oozes potential. 662.1m². L/N 3440.



EXPRESSION OF INDIVIDUALITY \$869,000

As you step onto the unique lily pads you enter a sanctum of artful expression. Superb covered decks, views of Boogarem Falls and a bubbling creek with good swimming holes. The main house is tastefully designed with an excellent kitchen and open plan living area. Off the lounge is a second multi purpose room. Two bedrooms with a Moroccan influenced bathroom. The master bedroom is spacious with its own deck, light and bright ensuite and walk in robe. Extra bonuses: - in ground pool with views, outdoor entertaining/BBQ area, garden pavilion and DLUG. L/N 3447.



ELEGANT & SUSTAINABLE \$825,000

All of the above describes this unique hardwood timber home. Set on a large 1321m² permacultured block, it's very lush and private and has ocean views. The architect designed home is built in two pavilions and connected by a covered walkway. Three bedrooms plus large utility/rumpus room, three bathrooms and two living areas. High ceilings, timber floors, load of deck area and plenty of glass to bring in the natural light. Single car garage, carport and large double workshop + mower shed + tool shed. This property can create an income and provide a rural ambience in town. L/N 3464



LIVE IN ONE AND RENT THE OTHER Strata title pending - \$395,000 each or \$760,000 for both

This dual occupancy property has great potential. Currently offering two dwellings on substantial 800m² blocks. Both dwellings have been renovated, two bedrooms in each and one dwelling has two bathrooms. There are polished timber floors, high ceilings; a garage/studio adds value to the second dwelling. Well located near pool, bowling greens and a comfortable walk to shops. L/N 3465.



A REALLY LOVELY HOME \$469,000

Circa 1930s stucco home with style.
A really lovely Mullumbimby home with 2 bedrooms, big sleep out, lounge-open fire, polished flooring, timber kitchen, great tropical outdoor entertaining area, work shed and separate studio adjoining double carport to rear lane.
Walk to shops too. This is a very special home. L/N 3452

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TASTE OF EUROPE – BANGALOW

At the private end of town you will discover this spacious 4 bedroom family home with 2 bathrooms and study. Tastefully designed with a European feel this lovely light and airy home offers a variety of comfortable living and lounge options with elevated ceilings and excellent cross ventilation. You will love the contemporary styled kitchen and dining area together with the superb use of space flowing on out to the in ground pool and established native garden area, enhanced by a flourishing vegetable patch.

Looking further, the property enjoys the open space of a reserve next door and a beautiful rural backdrop and also features a cobbled drive, standby water tank and chook house.

33 TRISTANIA STREET

TO BE AUCTIONED ON SITE 28TH AUGUST 2010

Interest from \$750,000

Contact Scott on 0412 296872

PRIVATE COUNTRY RETREAT – FERNLEIGH 25 ACRES

Drive along the delightful tree-lined driveway over a gentle causeway, leads you to your own piece of serenity in exclusive Fernleigh. This very private, spacious, recently renovated, tasteful 4 bedroom, 2 bathroom home with separate study/office awaits you.

You will love the all white, light filled, modern chef's kitchen, the very smart bathrooms, the 4 large bedrooms and the 2 separate living areas, inground pool and luscious garden surrounds.

A separate two-storey, self-contained studio, permanent creek frontage, well-fenced level paddocks, fruit orchard and large shed, further enhance the property.



This stunning family homestead is close to a school, 13 min to the beach and 10 min to Bangalow.

Don't miss the opportunity to inspect this gem!

399 FERNLEIGH ROAD, FERNLEIGH

FOR SALE at \$1.25m

Contact Scott on 0412 296 872

SOPHISTICATED ELEGANCE – FEDERAL

Discover the ambience of provincial France. This beautiful private, as new, homestead on 35 frost-free acres is superbly positioned in the Federal hinterland. Surrounded by part rainforest and landscaped gardens, this splendid 5 bedroom, 3 bathroom home with complete 1 bedroom/kitchen studio plus professionally designed office and 2 separate home work stations, will capture your every imagination.

Enjoy the volume ceilings, fabulous gourmet kitchen and dining area, with glorious tile and timber inlay, marble bench tops and Lacanche Cote d'Or gas oven, the separate lounge with perfectly nestled fireplace and the large media room for a great alternative. The wonderful outdoor living areas and alternative dining flows onto the magic 15 metre inground pool with daybed cabana. You'll love the variety of fruit trees, large dam, open paddocks for possible horses, sealed drive to a double carport and



large laundry and fabulous storage areas. This property must be considered.

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Ray White



- Lot 10 McInnes Lane, Tyagarah**
- 2.78 hectares of vacant land
 - Outstanding building opportunity
 - Stunning ocean & hinterland views
 - 2.55 kms to Tyagarah Beach
 - 12.2 kms to the heart of Byron Bay

SOLD UNDER THE HAMMER!

Elevated photo 7 metres from the ground

CONTACT: Bryce Cameron 0412 057 672



41 Brandon Street, Suffolk Park

- Main House:**
- 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms
 - Granite benchtops
 - Air conditioning plus fireplace
 - Double brick construction
 - North facing courtyard/spa & entertaining area
 - Self sufficient water supply
- Studio:**
- Free standing & self contained
 - Private, fully approved, air conditioned

PRICE: \$895,000

VIEW: Saturday 11-11.30am

CONTACT: Neil Cameron 0419 274 798



6 Teak Circuit, Suffolk Park

Owners instructions are sell!

Started ~~\$825,000~~
Was ~~\$805,000~~

PRICE: \$785,000

VIEW: Saturday 11-11.30am

CONTACT: Peter Yopp on 0411 837 330



8/58 Armstrong Street, Suffolk Park

- 3 bedrooms & 2 bathrooms
- Inground saltwater pool
- Open plan living & dining area
- Stroll to shops, tavern & beach
- Built for privacy & security
- Wide verandah, landscaped garden

PRICE: \$480,000

VIEW: Saturday 11-11.30am

CONTACT: Liam Annesley on 0417 780 795



10 Brandon Street, Suffolk Park

- 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom home
- Outstanding opportunity
- Beachside renovator
- 664m² allotment
- Walk to beach, shops & hotel
- Create your dreams

PRICE: \$895,000

VIEW: Saturday 11-11.30am

CONTACT: Glen Irwin on 0418 604 080
Bryce Cameron on 0412 057 672



17 Heritage Court, Suffolk Park

- Elevated cul de sac position
- Fabulous 4 bedroom, 3 bathroom home
- 3 separate living areas
- High ceilings, polished timber floors
- Self contained guest accommodation
- Close to schools, beach & shops

PRICE: \$695,000

VIEW: Saturday 12-12.30pm

CONTACT: Andrew Rosee on 0421 914 054



4 Pecan Court, Suffolk Park

- Elevated, private & unique land
- Quiet cul de sac position
- 602m² vacant residential block
- Existing DA approval for a residence
- Walk to shops, beach & tavern
- Build the home you truly deserve

PRICE: Interest Over \$400,000

VIEW: Saturday 12-12.30pm

CONTACT: Bryce Cameron on 0412 057 672



Lot 2 Hill View Place, Ewingsdale

- Stylish modern home with pool
- Large 3,308 sqm allotment
- 4 bed, 2 bath + teenage retreat
- Open plan living/dining/kitchen
- Undercover entertaining area
- 8 minute drive to Byron's CBD

PRICE: \$1,250,000

VIEW: Saturday 12-12.30pm

CONTACT: Liam Annesley on 0417 780 795



Unit 18/6-8 Browning Street, Byron Bay

- Brand new townhouse
- Quality fixtures & finishes
- 3 bedrooms & 2 bathrooms
- Polished timber floors
- Secure gated complex
- Developer says clear now

PRICE: \$675,000

VIEW: Saturday 12-12.30pm

CONTACT: Peter Yopp on 0411 837 330
Tony Farrell on 0417 212 692



22 Keats Street, Byron Bay

- Original 3 bedroom home
- Separate living areas
- Large covered deck
- Hinterland views
- Easy walk to downtown Byron Bay
- 674m² allotment
- Quiet, elevated & north facing

PRICE: \$739,000

VIEW: Saturday 1-1.30pm

CONTACT: Sharon McInnes on 0408 659 649



Unit 3/69-71 Ballina Street, Lennox Head

- Fabulous beachside location
- Furnished 2 bed apartment
- In the heart of Lennox Head
- Large n-facing balcony
- Overlooks reserve & beach
- Alfresco dining & shops at your door
- Owner needs it sold
- Agent declares interest

PRICE: \$580,000

VIEW: Saturday 1-1.30pm

CONTACT: Andrew Rosee on 0421 914 054



163 Quarry Lane, Ewingsdale

- Don't miss this rare offering
- 4 bedroom, 3 bathroom home
- 28.47 hectares of fertile land
- Machinery shed 20m x 15m
- View to Byron Bay Lighthouse
- Take advantage – act now!

PRICE: \$2,575,000

VIEW: Saturday 1-1.30pm

CONTACT: Peter Yopp on 0411 837 330
Glen Irwin on 0418 604 080



188 Balraith Lane, Ewingsdale

- Elevated panoramic views
- Exclusive Ewingsdale location
- North facing position on 2 acres
- 6 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, DLUG
- Established gardens & rainforest walkway

PRICE: \$1,950,000

VIEW: Saturday 1-1.30pm

CONTACT: Tony Farrell on 0417 212 692
Jon Luton on 0422 794 384



808 Main Arm Road, Mullumbimby

- Original country farm house
- Deceased estate
- Lovely rural outlook, 4.86 acres
- Close to schools & shops
- Raise the family here
- Time to let go - make an offer

PRICE: \$525,000

VIEW: Saturday 1-1.30pm

CONTACT: Erin Chapple on 0434 007 227
Andrew Rosee on 0421 914 054



7 Pepperbush Street, Suffolk Park

- Fabulous 4 bedroom, 2 bathroom home
- Includes separate studio
- Excellent income potential
- Fully landscaped and fenced
- Separate private courtyards
- Opportunities are endless

PRICE: \$599,000

VIEW: Thursday 2-2.30pm

CONTACT: Sharon McInnes on 0408 659 649



116 Old Bangalow Road, Byron Bay

- 4 bed home + study
- Fantastic views to Broken Head
- 5 picturesque acres
- D.A approval for a new dwelling
- Much sought after location
- 5 minute drive to town

PRICE: \$1,550,000

VIEW: Saturday 2-2.30pm

CONTACT: Tony Farrell on 0417 212 692
Jon Luton on 0422 794 384



4/90-92 Ballina Street, Lennox Head

- 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom apartment
- Dual key access
- Uninterrupted ocean views
- Luxury living at its best
- High quality fixtures & fittings
- Restaurants & shops at your door

PRICE: \$1,075,000

VIEW: Saturday 2-2.30pm

CONTACT: Andrew Rosee on 0421 914 054



Lot 30/24 Scott Street, Byron Bay

- Secluded private tree house
- Offering 2 bedrooms & 2 bathrooms
- Uninterrupted ocean views
- Borders national park
- Fantastic holiday returns
- Use of all resort facilities
- Options are endless – live in or holiday let

VIEW: Inspection By Appointment

PRICE: \$799,000



'Fairways' 4/41 Redgum Place, Suffolk Park

- 2 bedroom, 2 bathroom townhouse
- Small modern complex
- Fully air conditioned
- North facing and private
- Views over golf course
- Vendors want it sold

VIEW: Inspection By Appointment

PRICE: \$449,000



18 Heritage Court, Suffolk Park

- Stylish 4 bedroom, 3 bathroom home
- Fabulous entertaining areas
- Sparkling inground pool
- Asian influences throughout
- Tropical gardens
- Ocean glimpses over Tallow Beach

VIEW: Inspection By Appointment

PRICE: \$1,040,000



63 Brandon Street, Suffolk Park

- 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom home
- Separate studio
- Beachside location
- 634 sqm block
- Great yard for the kids
- 400 metres to the beach

VIEW: Inspection By Appointment

PRICE: \$895,000



6 Queen Street, Mullumbimby

- Smart family home
- Large study/rumpus room
- 3 double bedrooms
- Well established gardens
- Low maintenance property
- Views to Mt Chincogan

VIEW: Inspection By Appointment

PRICE: \$459,000

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- 10 Brandon Street, Suffolk Park. Sat 11-11.30am
- 17 Heritage Court, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.30pm
- 4 Pecan Court, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.30pm
- Lot 2 Hill View Place, Ewingsdale. Sat 12-12.30pm
- Unit 18/6-8 Browning Street, Byron Bay. Sat 12-12.30pm
- 22 Keats Street, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.30pm
- Unit 3/69-71 Ballina Street, Lennox Head. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 163 Quarry Lane, Ewingsdale. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 188 Balraith Lane, Ewingsdale. Tue & Thu 11-11.30am, Sat 1-1.30pm
- 808 Main Arm Road, Mullumbimby. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 7 Pepperbush Street, Suffolk Park. Sat 2-2.30pm
- 116 Old Bangalow Road, Byron Bay. Sat 2-2.30pm
- 4/90-92 Ballina Street, Lennox Head. Sat 2-2.30pm

BYRON BAY FIRST NATIONAL

- 1/67 Armstrong Street, Suffolk Park. Sat 10.30-11am
- 'Tradewinds' 3/2 Kipling Street, Byron Bay. Sat 10.30-11am
- 11 Hakea Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 10.30-11am
- 21 Beech Drive, Suffolk Park. Sat 11.30am-12pm
- 6 Midgenberry Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 11.30am-12pm
- 25 Corkwood Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 11.30am-12pm
- 1/11 Korau Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 11.30am-12pm,
- 6 Queen Street, Mullumbimby. Sat 11.30am-12pm
- 3 Comet Close, Byron Bay. Sat 12.30-1pm
- 18/3 Pecan Court, Suffolk Park. Sat 12.30-1pm
- 1/3 Jackwood Court, Suffolk Park. Sat 12.30-1pm
- 8 Korau Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 12.30-1pm
- Lot 1 Dry Creek Road, Upper Main Arm. Sat 12.30-1pm
- 286 Skinners Shoot Road, Skinners Shoot. Sat 12.30-1pm
- 4/122 Lighthouse Road, Byron Bay. Sat 1.30-2pm
- 2 Bottlebrush Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 1.30-2pm
- 'Tallows at Byron' 19/3 Sallywattle Drive, Suffolk Park. Sat 10.30-11am
- 3 Tahra Crescent, Ewingsdale. Sat 1.30-2pm

- 3/23 Poinciana Street, Mullumbimby. Sat 1.30-2pm
- 21 Shelley Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 1.30-2pm
- 332 Picadilly Hill Road, Coopers Shoot. Sat 2.30-3pm
- 35 Alcorn Street, Suffolk Park. Sat 4-4.30pm

LOIS BUCKETT REAL ESTATE

- 29 Blackwood Cr, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am
- 8 Hanlon Ct, Bangalow. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 3 Ryces Dr, Clunes. Sat 11-11.30 am
- 3/40 Eyles Dr, East Ballina. Sat 12-12.30pm
- Lot 23 Woodfield Cr, East Ballina. Sat 2-3pm & Wed 1-2pm
- 200 River Dr, East Wardell. Sat 10-10.30am
- 57 Hillcrest Av, Goonellabah. Sat 10.00 -10.30am
- 23 Carramar Dr, Goonellabah. Sat 10.45-11.15am
- 35 Castle Dr, Lennox Head. Sat 12-12.30pm
- 1/22 Barrett Dr, Lennox Head. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 2/5 Barrett Dr, Lennox Head. Sat 2-2.30pm
- 32 Greenfield Rd, Lennox Head. Sat 2-2.30pm
- 60 Montwood Dr, Lennox Head. Sat 3-3.30pm
- 10 Warrambool Av, Ocean Shores. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 49 Waterford Parade, Skennars Head. Sat 11.30pm

ELDERS BANGALOW

- 17 Blackwood Cres, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am

LJ HOOKER BRUNSWICK HEADS

- 18 Natan Court, North Ocean Shores. Sat 11-11.30am
- 99 Middle Pocket Road, Middle Pocket. Sat 11-11.30am
- 3/2 Nunyar Court, Ocean Shores. Sat 12-12.30pm
- 19 Nana Street, Brunswick Heads. Sat 12-12.30pm
- 13 Short Street, Brunswick Heads. Sat 1-1.30pm

PRDNATIONWIDE

- 7 Konda Court, Ocean Shores. Sat 11-11.45am

RAY WHITE BYRON BAY

- 7/3 Beachcomber Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 10-10.30am
- 9 Massinger Street, Byron Bay. Sat 11.30am-12.30pm
- 9 Bottlebrush Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 11-11.30am

OPPORTUNITY TO GET INTO MARKET

- 1/10 Corkwood Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 1-1.45pm

RAY WHITE BYRON BAY

- 9 Bottlebrush Road, Suffolk Park. Sat 11-11.30am

LJ HOOKER BRUNSWICK HEADS

- 13 Short Street, Brunswick Heads. Sat 1-1.30pm
- 99 Middle pocket Road, Middle Pocket. Sat 11-11.30am

- 18 Natan Court, North Ocean Shores. Sat 11-11.30am

AUCTIONS

BYRON BAY FIRST NATIONAL

- 332 Picadilly Hill Road, Coopers Shoot. Auction 12pm Sat Sep 4. Inspect Sat 2.30-3pm

LOIS BUCKETT REAL ESTATE

- 74 Willowbank Dr, Alstonvale. Auction Sep 1 at Ramada Inn. Sat & Wed 12-1pm
- 10 Warrambool Road, Ocean Shores. Auction Sep 1 at Ramada Inn. Sat 1-1.30pm

SCOTT HARVEY REAL ESTATE

- 33 Tristania Street, Bangalow. Auction onsite Aug 28. Inspect Sat 11-11.30am

NEW LISTINGS

BYRON BAY FIRST NATIONAL

- Forest Glades, Byron Hills, Suffolk Park. Unit \$479,000
- Coopers Shoot. Auction
- Skinners Shoot. Auction
- Byron Hills, Suffolk Park. \$619,000

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- 30 Melaleuca Drive, Mullumbimby. \$810,000. Inspect Sat 11-11.30am
- Wilsons Creek, 10 Parmenters Road, Wilsons Creek. Auction

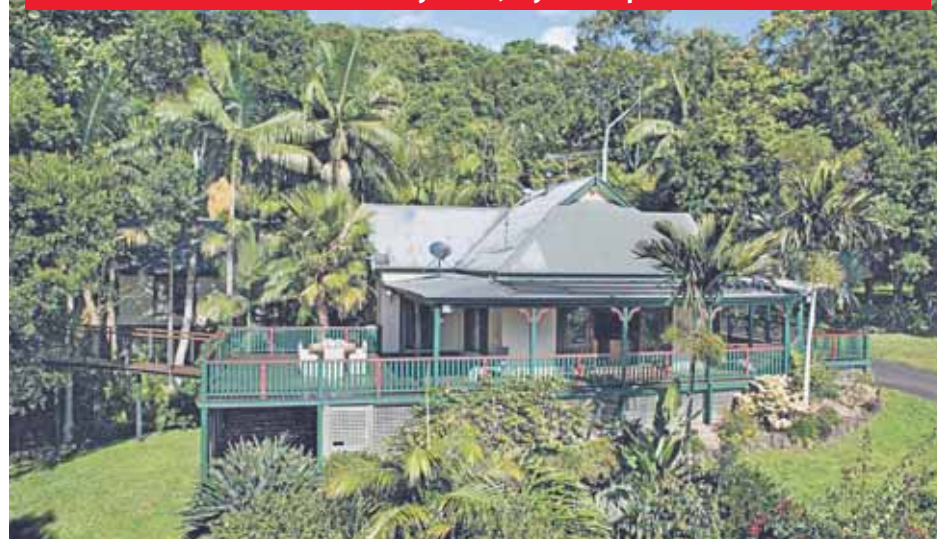
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Next Saturday Peter Hansen of the Ocean Shores Art Expo will bring his computer to Lulu's Cafe in Dalley Street, Mullumbimby, especially for those artists who may be daunted by the new online entry form at www.osartexpo.com. Peter will be ready to do it all for you and will accept entry fees at the same time. Come between 10am and 11.30am and have a coffee as well. Don't bring your artwork, just title, size, price, fee and contact details. Entry forms are due 6 August 6 for the show on August 27-29. Enquiries 0423 756 394.

Byron Bay Friends Of The Library are having a book sale on August 13 from 9.30 to 1pm outside Byron Library and would appreciate books, DVDs, and CDs for the sale. You can drop them off at Byron Library, Suffolk Park (at SPAR and Baz And Shaz Fruit And Veg), and Bangalow (81 Byron Street). For information contact Sam 0400 758 621 or 6687 2576.

A new website www.election-leaflets.org.au is keeping track of the (sometimes scandalous) leaflets which are published as part of the federal election campaign. You may remember the leaflet by Larry Anthony's minders which scared caravan park residents with the 'threat' of a refugee invasion into their parks. If you receive a dodgy leaflet, upload it to the website and send a copy to us.

Nude Food Day on Wednesday October 13 celebrates healthy eating and a healthy planet. It encourages kids, families and the workplace to pack their lunch and snacks without the use of any wrapping, which currently results in an average of

1.14 tonnes of waste per household per year. You can register your school or workplace now at www.nudefoodday.com.au.

Greens candidate Joe Ebono advises that preferences won't go to Labor on the Greens' Richmond how-to-vote card. Labor hasn't earned them in Richmond. In any case you can direct your preferences however you like, contrary to a popular myth.


NSW Fire Brigades and GIO have introduced a free, online Home Fire Safety Audit to help NSW residents identify and take action against fire risks in the home. See it at www.home-firesafetyaudit.com.au.

Headlines 20 years ago: the Land and Environment Court rules that Council must acquire the Roundhouse site at Ocean Shores, a committee is elected at a public meeting to make plans for a Byron Youth Activity Centre, and John Cornell throws his support behind the Cape Byron Canoe Club's bid to defend its world dragonboat title in America. - *The Echo* 1/8/90

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