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# Chuckling a sicky for the sick surf



Monday morning, Brunswick Heads. Why work when you can get a tow-in? Ocean Shores resident Jarrah Linklater caught this amazing moment from South Wall of an unknown surfer with large testicles.

## Belongil Beach residents sue

Ten residents of Belongil Beach, whose properties adjoin the eroding sand dunes, have launched an action for negligence in the Supreme Court of NSW against Byron Shire Council.

They are seeking compensation for the damage to their properties, which they claim is caused by the Main Beach rock wall and groyne which Council built in the 1960s and extended in 2001.

If they are successful, the compensation for such highly valued properties is likely to be as much as \$100 million.

A bitter disagreement between Council and residents has been building for several years following Council's adoption of a 'planned retreat' policy in respect of land at risk from global warming consequences.

The impetus for the residents filing the claim at this juncture appears to be a recent report from the NSW Valuer-General which sees the value of Belongil beachfront properties decline by 50 per cent.

Council general manager Graeme Faulkner told *The Echo* that lawyers for Council have not yet been engaged. 'Council is waiting on a response from its insurer on the plaintiffs' statement of claim, and cannot offer any further comment at the moment,' he said.

# Woolies' subsidiary Dan Murphy's lodges DA

## Local retailers raise concern for another bottle shop in the Byron Bay CBD

Victoria Cosford

The contentious issue of a Dan Murphy's store in the heart of Byron Bay has raised its head once again.

Council announced through its DAs, an application for the 'refurbishment' of the existing shopping centre, and use as a bottle shop on Jonson Street premises.

The DA was lodged by Azzura Holdings Pty Ltd, the same Gold

Coast construction company which lodged a DA in December 2009.

Liquor giant Dan Murphy's is owned by Woolworths.

Despite confirmation in February 2010 that they would open a large outlet under the Dendy Cinemas in Byron Bay, the DA was withdrawn about six months later. Opponents had listed traffic chaos, lack of car parking, proximity to other, smaller liquor outlets and the town's under-

age drinking problem, amongst other concerns.

One of the more vocal opponents was Darren Pearson, General Manager of The Cellar liquor store, near the proposed site.

He told *The Echo* that he has been busy emailing concerned parties about the new DA, targeting all Byron Shire councillors, other licensees in town, Byron Youth and community groups and schools.

He said that it was 'sneaky' lodging the DA on December 23, just before Christmas. 'Everyone's on holidays,' he said.

What bothers him more, he says, is that Azzura Holdings have done so as a completely new application, thereby nullifying all the previous objections.

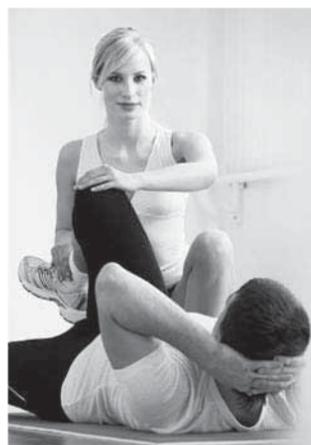
'Because it's a completely new and changed DA, all the previous objections no longer apply.

'Council can't even look at the old objections, even though it's exactly the same thing in exactly the same place.'

In Darren's latest email he is asking recipients to resend their original objections before January 27.

'They either don't know about the new DA or can't believe they have to do it again,' he said.

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**Dan Murphy lodges DA for Byron CBD**

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'Obviously I'm acting out of self-interest, but by the same token I'm objecting to it being under the cinema on the main street. I'm not objecting to a Dan Murphy's per se - I just can't see any real benefits to Byron.'

Darren said that on New Year's Eve he did what he does every New Year's Eve, which is standing at the door of his bottle shop the entire day until close, checking the IDs of customers and their level of intoxication.

'I can guarantee Dan Murphy's won't be doing that,' he said.

Manager of the Byron Beach Hotel Elke Van Haandel is similarly concerned with the issue of Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA).

'I just think it goes against everything we are trying to do with the Liquor Accord and RSA,' she told *The Echo*.

'We're trying to make Byron less of a party town. I think it's totally inappropriate for the centre of Byron Bay - and for that particular area which is chaotic anyway. Hopefully it won't go ahead.'

Cath Mooney, co-owner of The Rails and Hotel Great Northern, said that as she had yet to see the new DA so she

could not comment.

'But I feel for the other bottle shops,' she told *The Echo*.

'Of course I wouldn't want to see a Dan Murphy in Byron.'

'There would be jobs that would go, and I have to say that as far as responsible service of alcohol is concerned, when you can buy a bottle of wine for \$3.99, it works out at about 10c a drink.'

**Woolworths responds**

Community Relations Manager for Woolworths Simon Berger confirmed the plans for a Dan Murphy's.

'We're not the applicant but we'd be the tenants,' he told *The Echo*. 'The application's been lodged but there's a process to go through.'

'With a wide range, particularly in wine and a lowest price guarantee, Dan Murphy's will really raise the bar when it comes to choice, range, service and value. More than 30 new jobs will be created, in a team trained to have a very high level of knowledge about the products and to uphold our industry leading approach to the responsible sale of alcohol.'

Darren Pearson added, 'We're just hoping everyone looks at it with a critical eye.'

**Honeysuckle drive flood relief**



The Honeysuckle Drive kids and their cake stall raised \$207.30 according to one proud mum Shari Leigh. 'It was a great effort for the kids,' she said. They came up with the idea yesterday, started baking cookies, cakes and pikelets, and added some homemade lemonade, popcorn and baby pavlovas as well. They made all the signs, took the tables, chairs etc and packed up everything at the end. They are planning another effort over the next few weekends - same location, Beech Drive, near the Baywood Chase roundabout. Pictured in no particular order are Indigo, Leilani, Tallulah, Sophia, Eliza, Braydon, Stella and a cute puppy.

Photo supplied

**Flood action plan ready to roll**

**Local businesses combine forces to prepare to clean up but more help is needed**

A group of Byron Bay businesses have thrown support behind the flood victims and are ap-

pealing for more help. Jason Adamek from the handyman company *I'll Do*

*It* has rallied Byron Hire, Byron Bay First National Real Estate, Leapfrog Removals, Wheel Do It Removals and Steve Dyer of Cavalier Homes to provide manpower and vehicles for assistance.

'The intention is to sponsor a town within two hours' driving time from Byron Bay,' Mr Adamek told *The Echo*, 'So that after the floods recede and the cleanup of homes starts, we will be ready to step in and help.'

Mr Adamek says it will be a two step project.

'Firstly, it will be the clean up of homes and the removal of rubbish, and secondly, we aim to provide help with setting up homes again.'

**'Remarkable response'**

The response from the local community, both business and private, has been remarkable says Mr Adamek.

'There are many others ready to come on board. We have multiple vehicles including three large removal-

ist trucks, a hi-top van and cars with trailers.

'We also have cleaning equipment including pressure hoses, and will travel with our own tents and camping equipment so we are completely self-sufficient.'

Mr Adamek claims to have offered to set up a play area and supervise children while their parents are cleaning up.

'There is an offer of a warehouse for the storage of donated items until they are needed, and we have already been offered fridges and furniture, which will be brought in, together with toys and bedding, when the houses are cleaned up and ready for occupancy.'

Anyone who wishes to volunteer to help with the clean-up can contact Mr Adamek on 0401 570 007 or [wecanhelp2@hotmail.com](mailto:wecanhelp2@hotmail.com).

'A car with trailer would be most helpful. Donations of furniture, whitegoods, beds, bedding and toys would also be very welcome.'

'Pickup can also be arranged.'

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# Fresh food shortages continue

Victoria Cosford

Fruit and vegetable shelves at local outlets were looking forlorn last week.

With many supplies traditionally coming down from Brisbane markets, store managers have had to look elsewhere.

Spar manager Ben Kinzl at Suffolk Park told *The Echo* that they were forced to send two semi-trailers down to Melbourne last Friday.

'It's been pretty bad,' he said. 'Our fruit and veg supplier usually goes to the Brisbane market. The semi just got back today, and we've just pulled through.'

He said that they had still been stocking essentials like carrots, lettuce, tomatoes and avocados and still accessing 'local stuff like herbs and bananas. But we're pretty low.'

Manager for fruit and vegetables at Byron Bay's Santos store Nick Imlay told *The Echo* that Santos tries to source produce locally.

'But we get two deliveries out of Brisbane each week. Our main supplier ended up eight metres under water so we had to get food up from



Sydney. For a couple of days trucks were blocked by floods from the south and the north but now Eco-farms in Sydney are shipping up produce to a temporary warehouse in Brisbane where they'll distribute down to us.

'We don't really like getting our food from that far.'

He said that on Wednesday and Thursday last week shelves were looking empty, but 'there was only one day when we were really bare. Now it's all sweet.'

Monique Crovetti is owner of wholesale fruit and vegetable suppliers Pirlo's in Byron Bay. She told *The Echo* that it was tight at the beginning of the flooding.

'All our customers were really afraid they weren't going to get any vegetables, so we organised stock to come from Sydney and Melbourne.'

'It's still hard to get some of the herbs, like fresh basil - and the price of tomatoes has gone up.'

'Slowly slowly people are get-

ting more stock, and there are only a few things I'm having trouble getting. It will take a while to get back to normal.' She said that everything will be more expensive as a result of the distances produce is required to travel.

Ben Kinzl said that everyone was in the same boat. 'Everyone understands,' he said. 'Suppliers are saying that markets may be open again within a fortnight.'

Photo of Ocean Shores Bi-Lo by Eve Jeffery

# Flood benefit assistance all set

## Beach Hotel

In response to the Queensland flood devastation the Beach Hotel is organising a fundraiser for Sunday January 23.

'This is a last minute event so we are calling out to any locals or businesses that would like to donate prizes for raffles or who can help in any way to raise funds for the victims of this catastrophe,' says the hotel's manager Elke van Haandel.

'The other way people can help is to attend on the day and donate what you can.'

The Beach Hotel say they will start the fundraiser with a donation of \$5,000 in cash, plus prize donations that will be raffled.

The day will feature Lisa Hunt and MC Mandy Nolan, and starts from 4pm.

On the day patrons will be encouraged to donate upon entry to the pub.

Raffles will be run throughout the afternoon with prizes already being donated from local businesses. Please contact reception@beachhotel.com.au or call 6685 6402 to pledge your support.

## DanceAID at La La

La La Land manager Sammy Owens says the Byron Bay nightclub is putting together a dance party for Thursday January 20 in support of the Queensland flood appeal.

'The night will be called DanceAID, and is being run by many of the biggest nightclubs around Australia.'

'All door proceeds are to go towards the appeal. It is for a great cause and I hope you can come on board.'

## Arts Factory fundraiser

The Arts Factory village, comprising Buddha Bar/Brewery, the Backpacker hostel, the Buddha Gardens Day Spa and the Lounge Cinema are doing a combined fundraiser for the Queensland flood victims.

It will be held at the Brewery on Australia Day, Wednesday January 26. All welcome.

## Brewing up beer relief

Stone & Wood's Rick Bannister told *The Echo* he will be brewing a special brew to help flood victims.

'Proceeds from every keg sold across the bar will be donated to the Queensland Flood Appeal,' he said.

Called 'Red Relief,' it will be available from February 12 at Byron Bay pubs.

## Mullum Golf Club charity night

The Mullum Golf Club will be holding a charity fundraiser for the flood victims Thursday January 20 from 6pm.

President Melissa James said Mandy Nolan will be performing, among others.

'We are expecting to have another couple of local comedians and a band.'

'There will be raffles on the night and an auction of some big-ticket items.'

Tickets will be \$20 per head which will include finger food provided by Spice It Up Thai.

Tickets available from the club.

## How to help

If you can't make any of the gigs and want to help, simply log-on to [www.qld.gov.au/floods/donate.html](http://www.qld.gov.au/floods/donate.html).

If you are unsure whether the donation you are making will make it to those in need, the government website [www.scamwatch.gov.au](http://www.scamwatch.gov.au) can assist in recognising, reporting and protecting you from scams.

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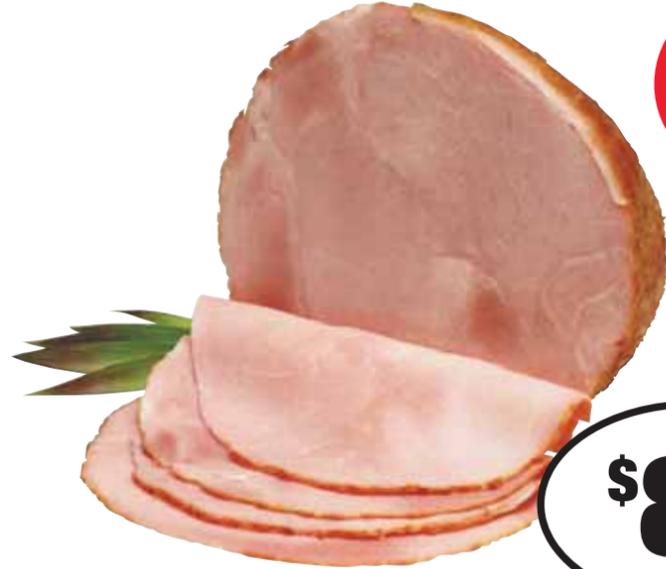
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## Inventors on show

Ten-year old Taj Parmanand-Wilson's 3D Echo Location Fish Locator greatly impressed inventor/mentor Ric Richardson at Sunday's Inventor TV Roadshow. It was held at Bangalow A&I Hall, and Taj was one of dozens of aspiring inventors who brought their concepts and prototypes to present to prospective investors to get professional advice and support. Ric says he was inspired about a television show concept for inventing from the popular TV show *Antique Roadshow* on BBC, and hopes to pilot an episode. Organiser Sebastiaan Scholtens told *The Echo* that the event was very successful. 'The interaction between the experts and inventors was very good,' he said, 'and the TV production team said they enjoyed what they saw. They said they could see the concept translate to a TV series very easily.'

## Brunswick chips through inclement weather

Eve Jeffery

Against all odds, the Brunswick Valley Woodchop went ahead last week and surprisingly managed to run all the events in what was thought might be a washed-out event.

Competitors from around the country and across the Tasman eventually made their way to Banner Park in Brunswick Heads to contest almost 50 events.

The stories of how many made it to the chop could fill a book.

One competitor left Mackay only to be turned back at Ipswich. The axeman was almost at home when he got a message telling him he would find a path through Gympie - a 1,000km trip turned into a 2,000km trip but he still made it.

Another competitor stopped along the way to clear a road with his axe and some competitors left the clean-up from the floods to be in Bruns, something that secretary Joy Slater felt was a welcome relief.

'At least half of the axemen and women come from Queensland,' said Ms Slater.



'This event gave them the chance for some respite from what was happening at home.

'I think the spectators all felt the same as well - something different from the constant stream on the telly but as the same time they were able to

do something toward helping with flood relief as we had many raffles and fundraisers and in total collected almost \$13,000 to go towards helping people in Queensland.'

Handicapper Shayne Maxwell was one of the usual crew

who was late for the start. Shayne is a police officer in Queensland and was working right up until the last minute before heading south.

'The event on Wednesday was to start at 1pm,' said Joy.

'The committee and the axemen got together and decided to leave the start until later to give as many as possible a good chance to be here.

'They also decided to let late comers compete in extraordinary make-up events in the following days. Some didn't get here until the third day but they still made it.'

The rain that devastated our surrounding neighbours left Bruns alone for the duration of the chop and what few showers did fall all managed to stay outside competition times.

The chop had its traditional end on Saturday evening when the world-famous ring crew facilitated a Mexican Wave before Queensland, in the small victory for the state, won the State of Origin event.

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## Filmmakers: get into Byron Bay Film Festival quick!

The Byron Bay Film Festival (BBFF) will extend entries to local filmmakers for one week only: Tuesday January 18 to Monday 23.

The entry fee will be \$25 and filmmakers should email info@bbff.com.au for more information.

### BBFF joins IF awards

Organisers have also announced that BBFF will join an elite selection of Australian Film Festivals accredited by the Inside Film (IF) Awards.

'This means new Australian films included in our official selection will automatically be eligible for nomination in the 2011 Inside Film Awards,' said Festival Director J'aimee Skippon-Volke.

'This is a fantastic opportunity for local filmmakers to gain recognition for their work on a national platform and for our audience to show their support for great Australian films.'

Audiences at the forthcoming festival in March will be asked to rate the Australian films they've watched with scores between one and five.

An overall average score determines the IF Awards winning films, rather than the number of scores received.



Twins Sebastian and Jonatan Lunamark are entering their locally made film 'Skate Australia'. Photo Jeff 'Double Exposure' Dawson

The IF Awards receive over 200,000 ratings yearly from 12 festivals including Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane and Adelaide International Film Festivals.

The televised IF Awards were created by Inside Film magazine as a means of acknowledging the high standard of creative talent in the Australian filmmaking industry. Karen Mitchell, Partnerships Manager for Inside Film says, 'The Inside Film Awards are

very pleased to have the Byron Bay International Film Festival on board as an IF accredited film festival.

'As a rapidly growing showcase opportunity for local filmmakers, Byron Bay is becoming a creative hub producing exceptional works.'

J'aimee added, 'This accreditation is genuine acknowledgement of BBFF's growing reputation.'

'We have a firm commit-

ment to support the local filmmaking industry, offering local filmmakers excellent exposure to a wide range of industry professionals as well as a discerning and appreciative audience.'

'I am in the final process of locking down our official selection and in the forthcoming weeks we will have some exciting announcements to make about the films and filmmakers featuring at BBFF 2011.'

## International sculptor offers courses in Byron Bay

Victoria Cosford

Budding Michelangelos will soon have the opportunity to sculpt with imported Italian marble in Byron Bay.

Thanks to an agreement between YAC and international sculptor Usama Al Nassar, a series of workshops will be offered to novices and professionals alike.

Syrian-born Al Nassar first came to Byron Bay last year, as part of Artscape, donating his contribution – a theatre made out of camphor laurel – to the local community when the exhibition ended. During that period he met Di Mahoney, director of Byron Youth Services,

and discussed the prospect of running courses.

Al Nassar told *The Echo* that he sees it as part of a cultural exchange whereby artists come together and share their ideas.

'What I like is the exchange of ideas,' he said. 'Doing something different. Every trip you get new ideas and influences. Basically I like these cultural workshops – it's about meeting people and exchanging ideas. This way you develop your way of thinking, and for artists this is very good.'

He has arranged for two tonnes of marble to be shipped to Australia for the workshops from his adopted home of Carrara in Italy – famous for its

white and blue-grey marble favoured by Michelangelo. 'It is the most beautiful marble I send,' he said.

He said that experience is not required to participate in the workshops.

'Every person has a personal relationship to the stone or the sculpture. The technique is possible to learn in any case, it's not difficult. We will start with hand tools – working with hand-tools allows you to understand very well the material. It's a slow process but necessary to create a good understanding.'

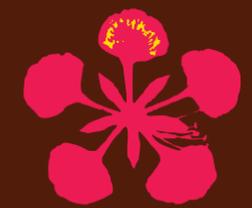
Local girl Melanie Robin will be one of the participants. Having just completed her Bachelor of Visual Arts at SCU,

specialising in wood sculpture, she told *The Echo* that it will be interesting to work with marble. 'And a great chance to work with an international artist!' she said.

The aim of the workshops is to complete a sculpture, which the participant then gets to take home.

Both marble and wood will be worked with, and the courses include teaching, material, use of hand-tools and working tables. Four courses will be offered, running for six working days each and beginning on a Monday, with the first course kicking off on January 24.

For bookings, contact Al Nassar on 0423 240 466.



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# Will a liquor accord curb anti-social behaviour?

Eve Jeffery takes a look at the possible effects from Council's proposed Liquor Accord

People who drink – and let's face it, it's a fair few of us – are about to have their habits possibly modified when council votes on the the Byron Bay Liquor Accord in the next few weeks.

According to the New South Wales Office of Liquor and Gaming (OLGR) webpage, 'Alcohol-related problems frequently result from the ways in which liquor is served and promoted. Liquor laws provide some powerful enforcement tools to address such problems, including closures of premises and a range of legal action.'

Local liquor accords aim to stop problems from occurring in the first place and the Byron Shire Council is calling on interested community members to give their views on Council's draft liquor licensing and approval policy.

Council resolved last November to seek community feedback concerning the terms of the accord. Council General Manager Graeme Faulkner said the draft liquor policy was an important part of ensuring the sustainable management of licensed premises in the Byron Shire.

'The policy's objective is to manage the location and impact of licensed premises

in Byron Shire in a way that benefits community members, venue operators and visitors,' he said.

'The Office of Liquor, Gaming and Racing have stated Council submissions will affect the outcome of liquor licensing applications, so it is important we have a policy which advocates our desire that liquor venues in Byron Shire fit within a sustainable framework.'

## Terms of the new Liquor Accord

Some of the terms of the new accord include that licensed premises must participate in the Byron Bay Liquor Accord, that Council will not support a licensed premises proposed within 100 metres of a school, child care facility, place of worship, hospital, aged care facility or residential area; and that the hours of operation for licensed venues between 10am and 1am the following morning, and between 10am and midnight on Sundays for premises in the Byron Bay central business district.

The most obvious licence to come under scrutiny would be that of Cheeky Monkeys in Jonson St.

Attention would be drawn

to the proximity to neighbours across the road, the Byron Bay Pre-School, and just along Kinglsey Street the Byron Bay Public School.

The premises would certainly be within the 100 metre buffer, but wait: Council's draft policy will not alter the current licensing regime for venues which already have a licence.

The accord would only affect new licences so Cheeky's are safe for the present, but – good luck selling though – any new application for that location would be rejected.

In theory liquor accords are a great idea if you have a kilometre spare space and are planning a whole new town, but as they only apply to new licences, they will have no effect on the current alcohol sellers in the Bay and Council's toothless tiger can only say 'meow'.

Many might think that there were already enough places in the Bay to buy alcohol why would Council want to approve any more licences at all?

The accord will not curtail consumption.

A dedicated drunk is going to find a way, just as the plethora of teenagers, to get their grog – those who want to get pissed simply will.

Maybe solving the alcohol problem needs to start elsewhere and not with people who make money selling it.

Q: 'Dear mister hotelier/restaurantier/club owner. Would you like to make less money this year?'

A: 'Oh yes I would! Thank you for asking, so kind of you.'

At the end of the day it is the Office of Liquor and Gaming who will grant the licences not the Byron Shire Council, and we have seen time after time Council's opinions overridden by applicants who have the power and money to simply go over their heads.

Let's find other ways to fix the alcohol problem. For starters: where are your kids?

A copy of the draft policy is available on Council's website at: [www.byron.nsw.gov.au](http://www.byron.nsw.gov.au).

## Council counts flood cost

Council will ask the State Government to help pay for recent flood damages. The damage to community assets has been approximately \$678,000, say Council.

'Almost 100 roads throughout the Byron Shire have been affected by the recent heavy rain,' said Council staff.

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# Flooding impacts on local farmers' markets

Victoria Cosford

People were buying up big at the recent Byron Farmers' Market.

According to owner of Munch Crunch Organics Alasdair Smithson, it was because they were realising that in the light of the Queensland flooding disaster there would be a

shortage of produce.

'Lockyer Valley was wiped out - and Santos have tripled their orders with me because of Rocklea Markets being under water,' he said. 'It's been very busy today!'

At the Byron Muffin Men stall, Dave Thompson said that the previous week they had been under an inch of wa-

ter. 'But today's the best day ever and people are in the best moods, with the sun out. The locals are returning and the tourists are leaving.'

Not everyone was in the best mood. Bangalow cheese-maker Justin Telfer hasn't been able to make any cheese because he cannot get the milk across the creek, up the hill and into

his factory. 'We had to walk through the creek to get cheese for today,' he said. 'The biggest pain is I just got some really big orders from Sydney and now it's a matter of getting it made in time to mature it.'

There were noticeable gaps throughout the market grounds where stalls normally stood, despite a bustling trade.

Lennox Head couple Susie and Mark told *The Echo* that they were at the market the previous week 'and they (the stall-holders) were struggling through, still here for everybody. Even the crowds didn't let them down, and it shows that we really value these markets.' Head chef at Byron at Byron Restaurant Gavin Hughes comes to the Byron Farmers' Market every Thursday, often conducting tours for the resort's guests.

'I've come here with as much money as I could get hold of today,' he told *The Echo*. 'I'm buying up big! We take this stuff for granted, but it starts here, at the bottom. It impacts on all of us. It's not a good start to the year - and if I have to run a limited menu on the weekend I'll do that.'

According to Wicawood's Kenrick Riley, the longer term impact of all the wet is that it has been hard for him to get any soil ready for future crops. 'We're a bit behind in our programs,' he told *The Echo*. 'There'll be a shortage of traditional summer crops like leafy greens. We're getting reduced yields...It's a continuation of this long darkness, slowing everything down. The soil's stayed cold - we couldn't even get cucumbers to germinate before Christmas.'

Manager of the Mullumbimby and New Brighton Farmers' Markets Judy McDonald was philosophical.

'The policy for farmers' markets in Byron is that we're on rain hail or shine. The only time you wouldn't get to one

is if there's a cyclone. Farmers have to sell their products, plus when people get used to farmers' markets they always come. They don't cope if they don't come. But we do live in the sub-tropics! The other aspect for the farmers is it's so difficult growing things in this weather. So there's less food around - things like tomatoes and eggplant are extremely difficult to grow, lettuces are rotting and strawberries have issues with fungus.

'Even hydroponic farmers are having trouble with their lettuces. The other thing is we haven't had any sun and so things don't grow so quickly.'

'There's the difficulty of getting plants and seeds in the ground, and if you do the seedlings rot.'

There'll be massive problems in the future because the bigger growers source their seedlings from the Lockyer Valley - one of the big bulk seedling suppliers has been wiped out already. Maybe we have to get used to growing things like taro that do withstand the conditions - Chinese greens, subtropical Asian beans, snake beans, things you'll see in the markets in Asia.'

Judy's last words were a reminder that 'the farmers are struggling and dedicated and do have things to grow, so please come to the market, and support the farmers even if you have to bring your brolly and gum boots. That's the nature of where we live - we're just living uncomfortably!'

## Obi rides for rainforests

Mullum Mac's Obi McDonald-Saint will soon embark on a bicycle trek more than 300km across Sri Lanka to help protect the island's last remaining rainforest.

The 12-day cycle challenge is organised by Rainforest Rescue and Inspired Adventures and will see Obi and eight other cyclists ride from Kandy near the middle of Sri Lanka to Galle in the country's south-west.

The aim is to raise money to support Rainforest Rescue's Plant a Rainforest Project in Sri Lanka.

The project supports the practice of analogue forestry, which involves planting a rainforest around the perimeter of Sri Lanka's largest remaining rainforest - the Sinharaja Reserve.

Rainforest Rescue CEO Kelvin Davies says the practice saves the original forest, provides economic resources and relieves poverty by providing sustainable income for farmers.

'The famers are living on less than \$2 a day and are dependent on rainforest products for their livelihood,' Kelvin says.

'The rainforests of Sri Lanka

have been identified as one of the most important biological hotspots in the world. Approximately 27 per cent of its plants and 22 per cent of its amphibians, birds, mammals and reptiles are endemic.'

Obi admits he's feeling a little daunted by the prospect of giving up his seat in front of a computer for one on top of a mountain bike.

'I'm a little out of shape, but I've still got six weeks left to train and the community's support has inspired me,' Obi says.

His fund-raising target is \$10,000, which covers the cost of food, air fare, travel expenses, accommodation, equipment and a sizeable contribution to Rainforest Rescue's Plant a Rainforest Project in Sri Lanka.

He is calling on donations from the community which are fully tax-deductible and can be made on Obi's Ride for the Rainforest blog at [www.obi.ms](http://www.obi.ms).

'Businesses who donate more than \$200 will have their logo displayed on the blog's supporter's page,' he says.

For more contact Obi on 0410 189 664 or email [obi@obi.ms](mailto:obi@obi.ms).



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# Reflections from a country town workshop

Federal's mechanic Fred Murray has just retired, and with it another piece of local history is written

Victoria Cosford

The small village of Federal has lost its long-time mechanic.

Fred Murray retired recently after 27 years there – and the community has been left the poorer for it. I caught up with Fred this week.

**Did you grow up here?**

No. I'm originally from Laurieton near Port Macquarie.

Mum and dad had a dairy farm inland, and when I finished high school I went into apprentice mechanic.

Those were the days when you just walked down the street and got a job. I was 17 – and I've been doing it ever since!

**So when did you move up here?**

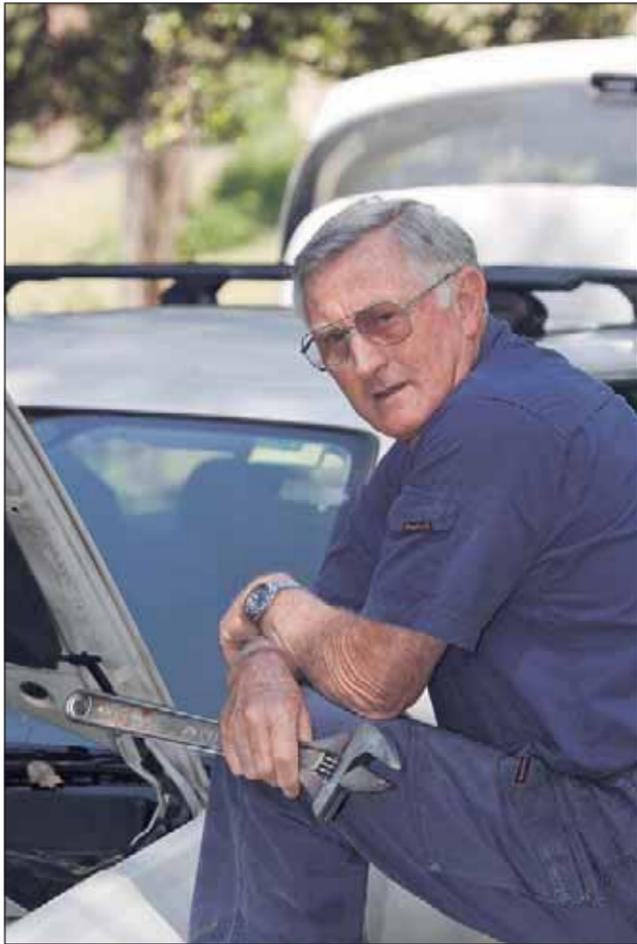
I came up here probably 40 years ago. I worked in Murwillumbah for about ten years then I saw that the little garage at Federal was for sale.

Perry's were still milking cows when I moved in – but since I've been there, there's been a steady growth.

**What main changes have you observed in your 27 years?**

Well, in the early days, in the 80s, there were lots of little dwellings up behind Mullum – lots of little humpies and huts, lots of alternative people – but that's fallen by the wayside and they've moved on.

They tell me they've moved up above Cairns, in the hinterland. There's now a bit of money in Federal – you see BMWs around. There's a grow-



ing number of people with a bit of money coming up from Sydney and Melbourne.

**You're considered a bit of a local legend. Any idea why?**

Probably because I always treated people fairly well.

Sometimes with people you think, I don't know what's going on here, but you give them the ear... I tried to be fair in charging them – I wasn't inclined to overcharge, or take advantage, particularly with

women who don't know much about cars. I don't like that and I never did that to people. A lot of people don't know much about cars – or they'd fix them themselves!

I always tried to listen to what people had to say. I never bothered to advertise and I guess people just spread it around... next thing you've got someone coming from Byron!

I always had more work than I could do – I had to knock back jobs.

You live about half an hour's drive away, you said, on Old Tunnel Road – did you mind travelling all that way every day to work?

I didn't mind going in to work every day – it is a long way but it's so pleasant up there along the ridge and you look along at the bay.

There's always something to see.

**Were there any downsides to your job?**

The worst thing is getting old! You get to the stage where what you do easily becomes hard. It's why the past few years for the really big jobs I've sent people elsewhere.

But it's been a good chapter of my life. It's always good to work for yourself and have it work for you.

And there's a lot of nice people up at Federal. I really enjoyed the time there and I'll go back to visit.

**Plans for retirement?**

Well I always seem to have plenty to do – bits of fishing and diving. I'm trying to fit in things I like to do! I think pulling up and doing nothing is a bad recipe.

**And Federal is now left without a workshop and without a mechanic – does this mean you are irreplaceable?**

Well, someone might start something up there one day... but a lot of people don't want to do that sort of work anymore. It's hard and it's dirty!

Photo by Jeff Dawson

## Bruns gym/bedsit DA extended

Public submissions for the controversial Brunswick Heads gym redevelopment has been extended until January 27.

Under the proposal, new owners Murray and Julia Stebbing plan to convert the well-known fitness centre into 29 one-bedroom units,

four two-bedroom units and a manager's residence.

The development falls under the NSW government's State Environmental Planning Policy (Affordable Rental Housing) 2009 legislation, which can be viewed at <http://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au/maintop/view/inforce/epi+364+2009+cd+o+N>.

For those affected and who wish to object or support, submissions can be made either by email, [council@byron.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@byron.nsw.gov.au), or otherwise residents can write to Council at PO Box 219, Mullumbimby 2482.

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## The news shit filter

At the helm of the Mothership Echo, email onslaughts are the most time-wasting aspect of what should be an exciting job.

Press releases from various organisations and businesses all compete for the limited space within the front news pages of any publication. Some have legitimate news value; however, most fall into a category that is best described as 'adventorial'.

They claim to be newsworthy articles and are usually written by someone who is all too aware that, if published, they just scored themselves a free plug and legitimised their product/service as 'news'.

There are educational courses available that provide tuition for such disingenuous promotion, and the line between what is real news and advertising is becoming harder and harder to defend and delineate.

As a result of this, editors are human shit filters. Anything that flows into the inbox must be treated with suspicion; they are brown papers bags filled with an unknown smelly substance.

Since this is a recent position, I am learning a lot about shit.

Depending on readership, all news – especially at a local level – should contain 'soft and 'hard' elements. Exhibitions, festivals, accolades, milestones and the like provide the community with a sense of connection and achievement, however 'hard' news can result in a change of public opinion and perception.

### Spanking the corporate shill

Hard news and the resulting public perception battles are often pushed by the loudest voices and the most money.

We are still being told that climate change science is incomplete and that it's ok to build nuclear power plants.

It's like saying the earth is flat and it's ok to eat paint.

Complex topics such as these are often given equal weight by journalists attempting to provide balance; however, when an overwhelming number of scientists say climate change is man made – and a few scientists on a corporate payroll say it's not conclusive – the credibility of the argument suffers.

Other topics, including tobacco, acid rain, the ozone hole, global warming, and DDT are all examined by authors Naomi Oreskes and Erik Conway in a new book entitled *Merchants of Doubt*.

It explains how a loose-knit group of high-level scientists, with extensive political connections, ran effective campaigns to mislead the public and deny well-established scientific knowledge over four decades.

The book claims to demonstrate how the ideology of free-market fundamentalism, aided by an all too-compliant media, has skewed public understanding and education.

'The US scientific community has long led the world in research on public health, environmental science, and other issues affecting the quality of life,' say the authors, and at the same time they say, 'a small yet potent subset of this community leads the world in vehement denial of the world's most pressing issues of our era.'

A fascinating lecture is available on YouTube by author Naomi Oreskes and it describes, among other things, how credible scientists knew since the 1960s that climate change would result from human activity. [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2T4UF\\_Rmlio](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2T4UF_Rmlio)

Hans Lovejoy – Editor

## Will Bligh survive the media deluge after the floods?

Seldom has an Australian politician received the kind of accolades accorded to Queensland Premier Anna Bligh in the wake of the disastrous floods which engulfed her state.

From being a political pariah, whipped by the media and scorned by the voters, she had surpassed St Mary McKillop as a model of virtue and rectitude.

The transformation has been one of those rare political miracles which is just too good to be true. Much too good, and it probably isn't.

Bligh's apotheosis was built on a consummate display of control and compassion, laced with heavy doses of good old fashioned jingoism.

Her all-pervading media blitz turned her into a kind of Mother Queensland – and, incidentally it was a pleasing coincidence that the two states first affected by the floods and the Commonwealth that overrode them, all have women as both head of government and head of state.

But Bligh outshone her rivals, the sun to a roomful of flickering candles.

Her own governor, Penelope Wensley, made only cameo appearances.

In New South Wales both Kristina Kenneally and Marie Bashir tried hard, but were clearly not in Bligh's class. And from the bowels of Canberra, Quentin Bryce, a native banana bender and in fact a former governor of Queensland, barely troubled the scorers.

Julia Gillard was the face and more importantly the cheque book of the Commonwealth, but was deemed by her critics to have come in as very poor second.

This harsh judgment may have been a little unfair to Gillard. Okay, she did not and could not compete with

Bligh for the starring role of guide, comforter and protector, but she did come through with much of the materiel Bligh needed to make the role convincing.

No expense was spared; cash was instantly forthcoming with the promise of more as it was needed, all relevant ministers were deployed in the service and the army was sent in.

While Bligh emoted, Gillard

is over – well, for the present; there is no guarantee this so called once-a-century event will not recur, perhaps even in the next few months. The cleanup will be prolonged and frustrating, and the rebuilding process even more so.

One problem, of course, is the shortage of tradesmen; almost everyone with a licence is making a fortune out of the mining boom.

As the Premier herself is now being forced to admit, a great many Queenslanders now face a very unpleasant and long drawn out future.

by Mungo MacCallum



acted; it was a support act, sure, but it was a necessary and effective performance.

However her critics, and they were all but unanimous, insisted on portraying it as if she was the bad cop and Bligh the good one.

And they did not hesitate to use the disaster to further their own agendas; writers in the Murdoch press especially thought it would be a great idea if all work on national broadband ceased immediately and the funds and manpower transferred to the rebuilding of Brisbane and its environs.

Which brings us to the very real problems that Bligh now faces, and the reason the canonisation is likely to be a very brief one, so much so that it is unlikely to save her and her government by the time of the next election.

As the premier herself is now being forced to admit, a great many Queenslanders now face a very unpleasant and long drawn out future.

The adventure of the floods

But even if unlimited labour were available, the sheer scale of the operation makes it impossible to fast track.

As the days drag into weeks drag into months drag into years the voters will lose patience and start looking for someone to blame, and their target will, as always, be the government.

Indeed this is already happening; the early line is that the severity of the flooding could have been at least partly mitigated by better management of the Wivenhoe Dam.

The buck is unlikely to stop far short of Bligh's office. Her handling of the crisis to date will probably continue to be held up as a model for others to emulate by at least some of the pundits in New South Wales and Victoria. But in her home state the Murdoch-owned *Courier Mail* is unlikely to be so charitable.

And let us not forget one so far united side-effect: the floods not only deprived a great many voters of their homes,

businesses and treasured possessions; they also meant that almost nobody has had an annual summer holiday. This just could be the final loss which breaks the electorate's back.

It has been truly wonderful to watch the convulsions of the right wing conservatives in the wake of the Arizona shootings.

Suddenly words and images don't matter any more. The crazed rhetoric of Sarah Palin and her Tea Party associates about reloading and targeting was utterly irrelevant: it was just some deranged individual. Oh sure, and of course those Moslems aren't in any way influenced by the propaganda of al-Qaeda and the teachers in the medressahs; the suicide bombers are just nutters who would be nuts anyway.

Indeed, the whole political apparatus of propaganda and spin is a waste of time; it doesn't have any effect whatsoever. And think of all that money wasted on advertising; everyone know all those words and images do absolutely nothing to change people's actual behaviour. So let's hear it for freedom of speech and robust political debate – but only, of course, from the Right, which is, by definition, right.

Okay, the malaise does in fact go deeper; there is an underlying violence in much American culture, and the universal availability of firearms means it frequently manifests itself in deadly ways; it is unlikely that the killer would have created quite so much mayhem if armed only with a baseball bat. But hey, remember the slogan: Guns don't kill people, people do.

Or here's another one: Got a problem? Get a gun. It's really very fortunate people are totally unaffected by such exhortations.

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# Woke up with the blues on my mind

■ As much as many of us love the Bluesfest and acknowledge the great work of Peter Noble in building this festival into such a successful event I would like to give my support to the GM Graeme Faulkner's comments regarding the Bluesfest application for an extended festival. He is absolutely correct in insisting in proper planning process and consultation with those residents most affected by the festival before granting approval.

Peter should be grateful that Byron Councillors and staff went to the extent of calling an extraordinary meeting to deal with his urgent application rather than taking a swipe at Council's policy. I wish I could have had my simple plans for a farm shed approved that fast. For my next shed I will make sure I invite Neil Young to the opening. Better than Dylan too.

**Mac Nicolson**  
North Ocean Shores

■ The recent decision by Byron Council to approve an extra

day for the Bluesfest at Tyagarah (*The Echo*, January 11) reveals a worrying inconsistency of process that is contributing to a cumulative loss of biodiversity in the Shire.

The Tyagarah area's locally significant koala population appears under direct threat from the festival, as stated in the consultants' report (Bio-link), the Council staff report, and as outlined by Cr Cameron's comments. The reported loss of six individuals from this population following initiation of the program to monitor its response to the festival is also of serious concern.

However, the primary issue is Council's approval of the extra day when it appeared that approval conditions applied to the original consent were not being satisfactorily met. This was evident from Council's ecologist's report, which recommended against granting approval.

Use by Council of 'the absence of a comprehensive ecological monitoring report' to support the application is

in direct contravention of the precautionary principle. There was sufficient evidence of adverse effects on the koala population provided by the consultants, as supported by Council's ecologist and documented in the staff report, to have adopted a precautionary approach.

Ensuring compliance with consent conditions is the only effective mechanism that Council has to sustain biodiversity once a proposal as potentially damaging as the Bluesfest has been approved for an area of recognised environmental value and sensitivity.

The apparent failure to undertake recommended habitat restoration and meet other conditions attached to the original consent, the evidence of ongoing adverse effects on koalas together with the fact that the extension (s96) application did not discuss ecological issues and proposed further degradation of habitat recommended for restoration should have ensured that Council invoked the precautionary

principle and refused the application.

The iconic koala is frequently used as an indicator or keystone species for gauging the health of forest and woodland ecosystems in eastern Australia. Declines and losses of local populations should sound alarm bells that these systems are under significant threat.

The situation in coastal northern NSW in this regard is dire. The Iluka koala population is now formally recognised as extinct, the Bogangar-Cudgen population appears in irreversible decline and other coastal populations in the Tweed and elsewhere are under severe threat.

Byron Council's lack of consistency in ignoring its own Biodiversity Conservation Strategy in this case is contributing to increasing biodiversity loss in the Shire. Decisions such as approval of the Bluesfest extension are also eroding Byron's standing as a green council.

**David Milledge**  
Broken Head

## Mad nations

A reasonable question at the moment might be which country is the maddest?

America, Afghanistan, Sudan, North Korea, Pakistan, Iran would all have to be prime candidates.

Do they have psychiatrists for mad countries?

**Jim Nutter**  
Main Arm

## Flood planning

Congratulations to Mungo for going where few have yet dared in linking the Queensland floods to global warming – as usual on the subject, his comments are both well-informed and informative. That his column was written before last week's second once-in-a-lifetime flood in Brisbane in less than 40 years only adds to its validity.

Politicians have of course kept well away from this subject; after all, both Julia Gillard and Anna Bligh will be lamenting the loss of tax and royalty revenue from all those flooded coal mines, and hoping to get them back into operation as soon as possible.

On the other hand, adherents of James Lovelock's 'Gaia hypothesis' will have noted that record rainfalls have stopped the mining of coal that, when burned, creates the carbon dioxide that is causing the record rainfalls.

After the clean-up in Brisbane there will be a lingering stink – the *Courier Mail* on June 24, 2003, under a front

page banner headline of 'Flood Cover Up', detailed a Brisbane City Council flood study which had been kept secret for four years and suggested that the flood planning levels that had been in use since the Wivenhoe Dam was built in the 1980s were 1m to 2m too low.

Could there be any connection there with the picture of recently built houses with 1m to 2m water through them?

I get the feeling that flood planning policies in much or perhaps most of Queensland are either non-existent or grossly inadequate. Our policies here are obviously much better, but there will be lessons to be learnt from the Queensland floods that Council should give serious consideration to.

We have been lucky to avoid flooding this time, but anyone feeling complacent should note that we are only three weeks into our six-month (remember June 2005) wet season.

**Matthew Lambourne**  
Mullumbimby

## Hurray for Fred

Fred Murray, who recently retired from his Federal motor garage, has done so much over the years to keep our little village's wheels running. Such a friend in need! We wish Fred a very happy retirement.

**David & Cecily Dynes**  
Federal

■ Is it not a shame that the Federal folks are now 'mechanicless' with the forced retirement of our much-loved

mechanic Fred Murray?

Not only a fine mechanic, but also a man duly respected for his integrity, honesty, patience and good humour.

I am sure I can safely speak on behalf of the majority of Federal locals when I say, we miss you, Fred.

**Victoria Garden**  
Federal

## Kevin's a worry

I followed up the article by Kevin Carson (page 16 this week) and was intrigued by his post 'Obama Marxism Watch – Be Very Afraid'. It is at <http://c4ss.org/content/5740>. Where is this guy coming from?

C4ss stands for Centre for a Stateless Society. I'm not sure I'm ready for that!

**Colin Cook**  
Bangalow

## Drain pain

Our family's love, sympathy and compassion go out to all the people affected by the Queensland floods. This is a horrific natural disaster which words are truly unable to describe and the vision of this phenomenal event will last in my memory forever.

I now know how lucky the area in which I reside (South Golden Beach) has been, in missing the majority of the rain and therefore major flooding. However, as I write this letter to the editor, I look out onto my and my neighbours' 50-60m x 5-10m, 500mm deep, four week old rain pools in our front yards/back yards and

wonder what will it take for the Byron Shire Council to decide to fix the drainage problems of the properties in the north of the shire?

**Craig Lindsay**  
South Golden Beach

## At the beach

Visionally impaired Freddy would not have bought land on a sand dune and then seek damages from the local community. Caveat emptor.

**Chris Cooney**  
Mullumbimby

■ A class action is being brought by some Belongil residents, and thus we stampede toward an expensive debacle

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# Different takes on the camphor laurel dilemma

■ In response to Fast Bucks's opinion piece on camphor laurel, he seems to have displayed his ability to get on the soapbox about a broad range of issues.

I used to find Fast Bucks's letters to *The Echo* interesting, pro-active and challenging to conventional, bureaucratic authority. I'm no expert at all on government policy and procedure, so always found his letters informative.

These days he seems negative, know-it-all and a bit bitter. For example this piece on camphors. I am no expert on this topic either but have some idea, as a local bush regenera-tor of more than ten years. I also know we have some amaz-ingly knowledgeable people, in the private and public sector, who know about camphors (their effect on natural ecol-ogy and recommendations for management).

I do know that a lot of this is about natural biodiversity! Fast Bucks will know that before Europeans came here the By-ron Shire (and surrounding re-

gion) had the richest, densest, most diverse collection of eco-systems in the country. Land clearing and pasture/paddock creation decimated this biodi-versity and continuing to slash and clear doesn't help.

Camphors are no doubt a weed, one of dozens in the area (that shouldn't be taken out of context either). However they do provide/supplement habitat in the form of forest, what this area used to be mainly covered in. Habitat for native flora and fauna that cleared paddocks don't provide.

Importantly, this is an issue that a lot of people and organ-isations are doing good work in and achieving a lot; in fact the Northern Rivers has a very good reputation on this issue.

Maybe stick to subjects you know something about as op-posed to illustrating your na-ivety on this one

**Mark Evans**  
Eureka

■ I have been reading Fast Bucks since the 1980s and he

has never written truer words than his last article on camphor laurel (*Echo*, January 11). Thank you, John, for being so truth-ful (and self-deprecating) and finally getting into *The Echo* what we NSW born 'rednecks' have been shouted-down for saying for years. Barham and her 'greens' buddies are politi-cal and ecological bullshit and camphor laurel demonstrates that clearly.

The spread of camphor lau-rel is the worst ecological dis-aster to hit NSW since rabbits and it may now be irreversible. Why? Because while the rest of NSW has been fighting to eradicate camphor laurel for the last 40 years, this Shire in particular has been encourag-ing its growth. Camphor laurel has been very convenient for camouflaging the mass over-development of this area and a number of other anti-social activities from illegal building and illegal letting to diverting public monies to vested inter-est groups.

The cessation of the camphor

laurel eradication programs in this area began with the rise in influence of the 'Greens' – and the election of 'Green' MLC, Richard Jones – an Englishman who believes camphor laurel is good for Australia's natural environment.

All those 'green-voters' in the southern cities do not know that the 'green-vista' they are shown on *East of Everything* is 90 per cent noxious, exotic weed – nor do the overseas tourists. Camphor laurel has been a very quick and easy way to 'replant the rainforest' and restore all the damage suppos-edly done to the environment by the farmers – something that features heavily in Green propaganda.

Anybody who is at all con-cerned with the natural en-vironment would have been fighting camphor laurel as a number one priority for the last 20 years – like those 'rednecks' south of the Richmond River, not spreading spurious science and rumours about camphor laurel benefits and creating

sports fields for rich tourists.

These shysters cry about the plight of supposedly en-dangered seabirds while being framed by forests of one of the most toxic pests in Australia. If you want to see a real 'Cam-phor Policy', go the the Orara Valley and see what real envi-ronmentally concerned people do about camphor laurel and the progress they have made of the last 20 years.

The 'Greening' of Byron Shire has come at a great cost to the real environment and the residents of the Shire. The eco-fraud has seen our Shire deteriorate into an over-used, unsafe, weed-ridden, fire trap and the nursery for a statewide ecological disaster that should never have happened.

In the 1970s when Cohen was pulling publicity stunts in Sydney Harbour, we were try-ing to save the NSW coast from development. Forty years later nothing has changed except his property portfolio. Funny that!

**John Lewis**  
Ocean Shores

■ I have read yet another of Fast Bucks's raves courtesy of your generosity in giving it space.

The first koala we saw on our property, after decades of ab-sence, was a large male greed-ily gobbling camphor leaves when there were hundreds of other trees specifically planted for kolas right nearby. Possums also eat camphor. Several spe-cies of birds depend on them as do three species of butterfly.

We have numerous rainfor-est trees coming up through the camphor laurel trees plus native vines. Several have young strangler figs nestled in camphor forks with their roots now in the ground.

I have seen a camphor forest turn into a rainforest with little human intervention. Human intervention does speed the process. Meanwhile as Coun-cil's draft policy says 'camphor laurel is recognised as provid-ing a significant biodiversity benefit.' No bullshit.

**Richard Jones**  
Possum Creek

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none of us need to have.

It is not the fault of residents or anyone currently with Coun-cil that our beaches were sand-mined and the car park sticks too far out. It is not expensive, difficult or environmentally

damaging to remedy the situ-ation. It is absurd to continue pouring money down the drain of past mistakes while avoiding current solutions.

Nonetheless, I do not support the BPA class action, nor have I supported the overall conduct

of the campaign, especially as it is explicitly hostile to a demo-cratically elected council. Had John Vaughan et al presented their case (which in my view is compelling, well documented and genuine) before Council and public in a more reasonable

manner, more actual progress may have been achieved.

However, this does not ex-cuse the current council from failing to act in a timely fashion in response to facts, no matter how undiplomatically present-ed. One may well ask: to what extent have past battles been refought in the courts over the matter of Belongil? And so we go on, with intransigence, ob-streperousness, and seeing only as if through a glass, darkly.

**Matt Hartley**  
Byron Bay

## Road courtesy

Thanks to Victoria Cosford for her article on acknowledgment of gifts and courtesies (*Echo*, January 11). The level of cour-tesy she describes is sadly lack-ing in the Australian culture.

Applying the level of cour-tesy on our roads to that which pertains in the UK would re-duce our death rate of eight per 100,000 nearer to that of the UK which is 5.5 deaths per 100,000 of population.(2005 figures). There is no other ma-jor difference in road condi-tions or driver training that applies.

My calculation is that this would save 400 Australian lives per year. Courtesy on the roads is a teachable skill which is totally ignored by the RTA and government.

**Derek Spice**  
Mullumbimby

## Navitas English

I am responding to a letter pub-lished in your newspaper on January 11, titled 'Profit Driven'.

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ferred tenderer status for the AMEP for six NSW regions.

**Helen Zimmerman**  
Executive General Manager,  
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## Roundabout solution

The new Ewingsdale rounda-bout design was poorly thought through.

Unfortunately no real empha-sis in the roundabout's design was placed on the importance of road beautification, ie the planting of native shrubs and grasses to soften the hard road surfaces and at the same time to build on the natural beauty that this area is renowned for.

This could have been easily achieved while at the same time providing good driver visibility and a safe turning circle for all vehicles and road users. There are many good examples where this has been achieved very close at hand.

Is this issue worth resolving? Definitely in my mind.

Solution:

1. Remove the concrete from the middle of the roundabout leaving the outer ring in place.

2. Plant a feature native Tuck-eroo tree in the middle of the roundabout and low-gowing native groundcovers around the tree.

I am happy to donate \$100 to-wards the purchase of a feature tree for this roundabout.

**Graeme Chapman**  
Suffolk Park

## Council resources

Tell us the truth, please.

I can't believe the response council officer D Carney has given as an explanation to the question asked by Mr Scott as reported by *The Echo* in the January 4 edition.

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# Beware the fortune-tellers peddling genetic tests

Ray Moynihan

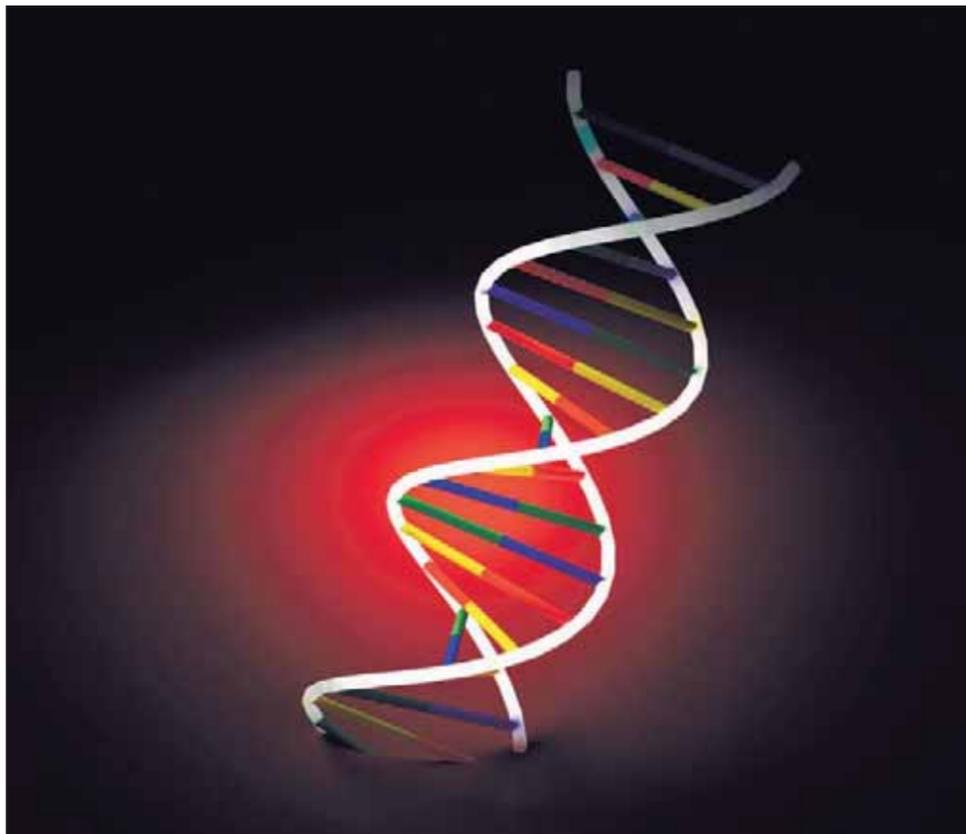
An enduring memory of my niece's third birthday party is the fortune-telling session that took place under the dining room table. A creative parent had donned a headscarf and extravagant earrings, and soon there was a line of toddlers waiting to hear about the magic of their future. Looking at the state of the science a decade later, it's highly possible that fortune-telling session was just as reliable as the hi-tech horoscopes currently being sold as genetic tests for common diseases.

Available over the internet for a little as a few hundred Australian dollars, genetic tests are being ordered all over the world – with many of the companies doing the marketing based in the United States – a nation infamous for its costly and inefficient market-based health care system.

## Covert operation

When the Government Accountability Office in the US recently ran a covert operation on genetic tests for fifteen common conditions, including Alzheimer's, breast cancer and restless legs syndrome, it uncovered the most extraordinary mess. It found that identical DNA samples produced wildly contradictory results. One man was told by four different firms that he was at below-average risk, average risk, and above-average risk of suffering both high blood pressure and prostate cancer.

The report claimed genetic tests marketed direct to the public were 'misleading and of little or no practical use.' Yet hundreds of thousands of people worldwide are sending off their saliva samples in



good faith and receiving back predictions that can have life-changing consequences, based on tests that remain poorly evaluated and grossly under-regulated.

For anyone concerned about the creeping medicalisation of life, the marketplace of genetic testing is surely one of the latest frontiers, where apparently harmless technology can help mutate healthy people into fearful patients, their personhood redefined by multiple genetic predispositions for disease and early death.

## Hope among hype

Certainly there's promise and hope among the hype, particularly when a rare single gene disorder may be involved. Researchers have used a genetic test to identify infants with a rare form of diabetes who

benefited greatly from subsequent therapy. Yet there are many examples of false hopes. Recent findings suggest there's no good evidence that genetic testing benefits people with a history of blood clots looking to make decisions about their treatment, those wanting to know whether anti-depressant drugs will be right for them, or those wanting to identify their individual risk for cardiovascular disease.

## Dreams of salvation

Once again a tool that's useful in the lab has escaped like a virus into the marketplace, incubated by entrepreneurs, lazy reporters, and the power of our collective dreams of technological salvation, this time in the form of 'personalised medicine' where treatments are tailored to our

individual genetic profiles.

A barrage of recent international reports welcome the potential benefits of the different forms of genetic testing, but warn governments to develop rational policy responses, setting enforceable rules for evaluating this new technology, and regulating its marketing.

A Nuffield Council on Bioethics report found test results can be unreliable, difficult to interpret, and cause further unnecessary testing, concluding many claims for individualised diagnosis and treatment 'seem to be overstated and should be treated with caution.' Another report commissioned by Britain's Conservative Party found results can be 'inaccurate and misleading' and cited calls for 'proper regulation.'

A third recent report from a group based in Cambridge argued the biggest challenge

now is to generate an evidence base, so we know when using genetic information can improve global public health in a 'safe, effective and cost-effective manner.' Likewise the medical journals are full of cautionary notes, with one international group of researchers proclaiming it could be decades before personalised medicine tailored to genetic profiles became a reality.

British genetics researcher Professor David Melzer and colleagues argued a couple of years ago that the science of genetic predispositions for common diseases was still so uncertain onlookers may view it as 'genetic astrology, producing entertaining horoscopes.'

The high-profile authors concluded that marketing poorly evaluated tests in this evidence-based age was an 'unwelcome anomaly', and 'preventing misleading claims should also be a priority.' Others have made the valuable point that getting the regulation right might be as important as the science itself.

## Test the tests

While it might seem like an odd idea, tests themselves need to be tested – to see how worthwhile they are. Evaluating genetic tests is a particularly complex business. You've got to assess how well the test measures what it claims to measure, how well the genetic 'defect' or 'variation' predicts actual disease in a person, how useful the test results are in terms of future treatments, and what the social and ethical issues might be.

As with many medical technologies, there's enormous potential for exaggerating the benefits of a genetic test, which is one reason Germany

has recently imposed severe restrictions on direct-to-consumer testing. In the United States they're talking of a new test registry on a government website, raising immediate concerns that it could lend legitimacy to unproven and potentially harmful products.

In Britain a government advisory body recently released a set of principles it hopes will be taken up as a voluntary code of practice by the emerging global industry – a pusillanimous response already criticised as helping facilitate marketing, rather than ensure proper regulation. Meanwhile the not-for-profit group GeneWatch warns genetic tests may be used to sell unnecessary preventive medicines to healthy people, and suggests they be restricted to situations that produce health benefits and are ethically just.

## Full disclosure

Professor Melzer believes there's a much wider problem of poor evaluation of diagnostic tests. Governments, he argues, should simply mandate a kind of compulsory WikiLeaks for genetic tests, with full disclosure of evidence, 'so people know what junk they're buying.'

As for my niece, she's now a flourishing teenager, still confident that the camel ride predicted under the dining room table will one day come to pass.

■ Echo reporter Ray Moynihan is the author of four books on the business of medicine, including *Selling Sickness* and most recently *Sex, Lies and Pharmaceuticals*. A version of this article ran recently in the *British Medical Journal*, where Ray is a regular columnist and visiting editor.

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# Australia is actually quite empty, peoplewise

Yes, I'm the statistically obsessed, self-serving, socially dangerous person who dared to put a little Food For Thought box about population figures on the property pages a couple of weeks ago. I was trying to show, obviously not very well to some, that Australia, far from being full, is actually quite empty. In fact the seventh least densely populated country in the world. As many people also argue that most of the country is uninhabitable with little room for a larger popula-

tion, I thought a little exercise such as taking a 150km wide coastal strip and calculating our population would be interesting, but it was obviously too figurative for literal Lester (Letters, January 11).

All right, so let's do this more literally. Take the electorate of Kennedy in Queensland. Twice the size of Great Britain, plenty of rainfall and arable land so Bob Katter tells us, and a population of less than 200,000. Add this to all the other proven habitable regions

around the country. I don't know what all that would add up to, but even if it was only a quarter of Australia, it would still make a mockery of the 'we're full' notion.

The reason for comparing us to other countries is to put our density in context. The Netherlands is less than half the size of Tasmania, has a population of 18 million and still manages to be a net agricultural exporter. Most countries in Europe have fairly high population densities yet manage to feed themselves

and export food and still have surprisingly large open spaces (but not compared to Australia, I know).

We're a people that use technology in every facet of our lives, transport, housing, education even agriculture, yet when it comes to managing our land or innovative use of it, we fail dismally. England has thousands of acres of greenhouses to supply it with fresh vegetables all year round. Northern European countries are building massive wind gen-

erated power plants offshore, while Spain has the largest solar plant in Europe. The Middle East survives with aid of colossal desalination plants. Nations dealing with their limitations and getting on with it.

In stark contrast, in Australia we've denuded our landscape to such an extent it's probably affected rainfall much more than climate change. Tens of millions of hectares cleared in the last couple of decades alone. Timber towns all over have gone bust in the last 40

years - didn't anyone think to plant more trees? Inappropriate intensive farming practices are debasing our land even more. We'd rather spend a billion dollars upgrading a polluting coal power plant than spend it on proven technologies which sit more lightly on the landscape. And now we think we're full because we can't work out how to feed ourselves in the future? Give me a break!

There are hundreds of population doomsday book titles and while books like *The Coming Of Famine* are interesting, the fact is that, barring a major catastrophe, the world population is going to rise no matter what we do. It is likely to peak at over nine billion in 2050. Hugh White, in the *Quarterly Essay*, outlined that with China and India becoming world powers and with the decline of America's power in our region, the world as we know it will change dramatically. Add to this the added tensions of explosive population growth and possibly rising oceans. Frankly, I don't believe the world at large is going to allow us to sit here with a population of 20 or even 30 million and say, Sorry guys, we're full!

**Brefney Ruhi**  
*Echo drudge*

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Mr Carney states council-owned areas adjoining homes are now the responsibility of the home owner. The reason Mr Carney gives is Council does not have the resources or funding to attend these areas.

I would like to ask what does Mr Carney mean by resources? Would somebody from Council clarify what is meant by resources? If this statement refers to lack of staff on the ground to carry the duties required to maintain these areas why is it so? Could the reason be that Byron Shire Council has become so top heavy that the finances required to support this structure is having an adverse effect on services being provided to the community?

We have read statements from Councillors Woods and Tucker, and G Faulkner the current General Manager, that the Council finances are not good. G Faulkner employed an auditor to investigate, but there has been no information or mention of what the auditor has reported or discovered.

I would ask Mr Faulkner to supply *The Echo* with a detailed copy of Byron Shire Council organisational structure, that is management and staff positions in 2005, and also supply the 2010 organisational structure of management and staff positions to allow the community to compare the two structures.

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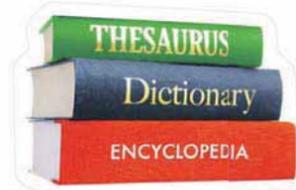
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# Learning to make stories sizzle

Best-selling author Linda Jaivin will be in Byron Bay soon to share her writing tips and expertise with lucky workshop participants and seminar attendees.

Author of more than eight books (six fiction, two non-fiction), countless published essays and short stories, and also an accomplished playwright, Linda will be in Byron Bay on February 2 and 3 to host her Building Character workshop, as well as a seminar titled Making stories sizzle – or How to edit yourself.

'We're so excited about being able to bring Linda here,' said Siboney Duff of the Northern Rivers Writers' Centre. 'She is such a talented writer and such an engaging presenter. This is a tremendous opportunity for local writers.'

Characters are the backbone of good fiction. Linda Jaivin's Building Character workshop will look at how to build the sort of tangible, credible characters that make a story live and breathe. Participants will explore the use of dialogue,



description, secret 'back stories' and other techniques for creating character, as well as the ethical and other issues in-

involved in basing characters on real life people.

Linda will also be presenting a seminar titled Making Stories Sizzle, or How to edit yourself. As any writer worth their salt knows, writing a story is only half the battle – the real work happens in the rewriting phase. Learning how to edit your own work is an essential skill and one that separates the real writers from the wannabes. In this seminar, Linda will be looking at how to polish a manuscript so that it shines.

The Building Character workshop will take place on Wednesday February 2 from 10am to 2pm. Cost is \$70 for NRWC members and \$85 for non-members.

Linda's Making Stories Sizzle seminar happens on Thursday February 3 from 7pm to 9pm. Cost is \$25 for NRWC members and \$30 for non-members.

Both events will take place in the Byron Community Centre and are likely to sell out fast. For further information or to register, contact Siboney Duff on 6685 5115.

# Louisa's adventures with a crude comedian



Author Louisa Deasey is coming to Byron Bay for a book signing and informal chat about her memoir, *Love & Other U-Turns*, on Australia Day at 10am at Mary Ryans.

'*Love & Other U-Turns* was released by Allen and Unwin in June and chronicles my year travelling Australia out of a car, writing fashion and beauty columns for *The Age* while my rude and crude comedian beau performed in crass pubs and out-of-the-way shacks,' says Louisa.

'This is a true story about what happens when you follow your heart, rather than your head.'

'This is a tale for those among us who believe in the man of our dreams. But this is a warning:

'Hold onto your GHDs, ladies, because the thing about dreams is we often don't know they're coming for us until our lives take a sudden turn for the surreal.'

Louisa Deasey is a freelance writer. She likes a good glass of wine and a civilised conversation. She likes classical music, having a clean and extensive wardrobe and living in the city.

She specialises in health and beauty, lifestyle and fashion... glossy subjects for glossy people who read glossy magazines.

But for over a year, while she was filing pieces on shoes, handbags, lipsticks and hair, she was in fact living from the back seat of a beat-up Mazda travelling small towns, dirt

roads and rough roadhouses of Australia.

While tapping away about pastel silks in the spring collections she was herself wearing the one dusty pair of jeans from the desperately-needs-a-wash section in her suitcase.

Louisa had fallen in love with and run away with 'Australia's crudest comedian', Jimbo, of 'I F\*\*\*\*ed a Goat' fame.

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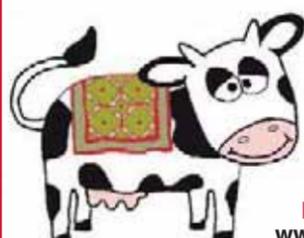
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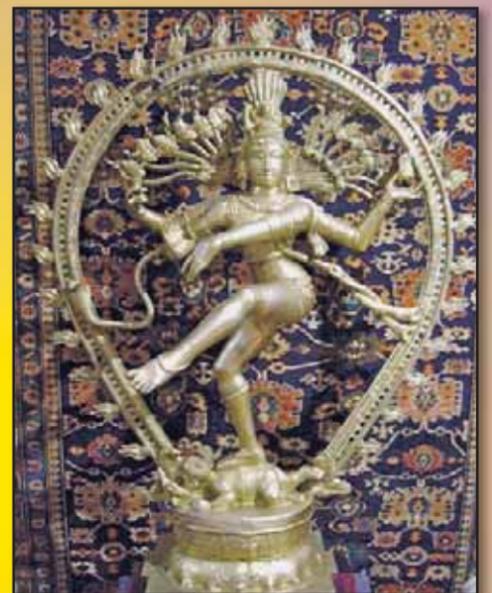
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# Getting creative in the sand with a thoughtful tableau

I'm sorry to read (Letters, January 11) members of the Brunswick Heads Progress Association didn't take kindly to my acceptance of their public invitation for 'both kids and adults to come along and get creative in the sand' with their special request 'we want the adults to get in and have a go'. It was with this in mind that I tried to imaginatively create a sand tableau which provided food for thought regarding Palestinian people whose 'sandcastle' houses, farms and wells, over-

shadowed by an eight metre high wall, are mown down on an almost daily basis.

My intention, as a family man aware of the rights of all children in the world, was to join in the spirit of a community event. It was not my intention to make the occasion into 'an international event' or to attract the attention of Hillary Clinton! I did hope to raise local awareness of the plight of those living under incredible duress, a rapidly developing situation which attracts very

little national or local attention in our media. I followed the event's criteria previously advertised, and along with other adults quietly built my scenario. Unfortunately, this was described by an organiser as blatantly using the event 'to advertise a protest against the wall in Israel' - the 670km wall is actually built on Palestinian land.

I take issue with the comment that we were 'surrounded by confused children'. Only three children came close to

our sandcastle town, one delightful boy asking many intelligent questions. Asking questions about what you don't understand is the basis for educational development, and as an ex-teacher I explained in simple terms what my exhibit represented.

Of longer duration was a dialogue about the transition from primary to secondary education, a topic which has involved much of my teaching life. Many adults passing by also asked questions, extolling

the virtues of doing something different to broaden the cultural diversity of the event. The event organisers and I concede that 'you can't please all the people all the time'.

Regarding the comment to 'get out of my comfort zone and raise funds to bring children from both sides of the wall to take part in a sandcastle competition', I'm already involved in fundraising for the Middle East Children's Alliance and Olive Kids, charities who help the children in ques-

tion who don't have clean water, who queue for hours to go through checkpoints to meet relatives, who suffer malnutrition, who've had members of their family imprisoned or killed for making peaceful protests, who suffer serious medical malfunctions because of the sewage run deliberately off from Israeli settlement onto Palestinian land. Building sandcastles would not, I suggest, be a priority for these children who find it difficult to survive on a day to day basis!

You are right, Jill, when you state 'the United Nations, the World (International) Court, Amnesty International and anyone in their right mind oppose the Wall'. The fact is, the Wall is still there and growing, and overseas money still rolls in to maintain what is the 'world's largest open-air prison'.

To our shame, some of us unfortunately still bury our heads in the sand in the face of such obscenity.

Gareth W R Smith  
Byron Bay

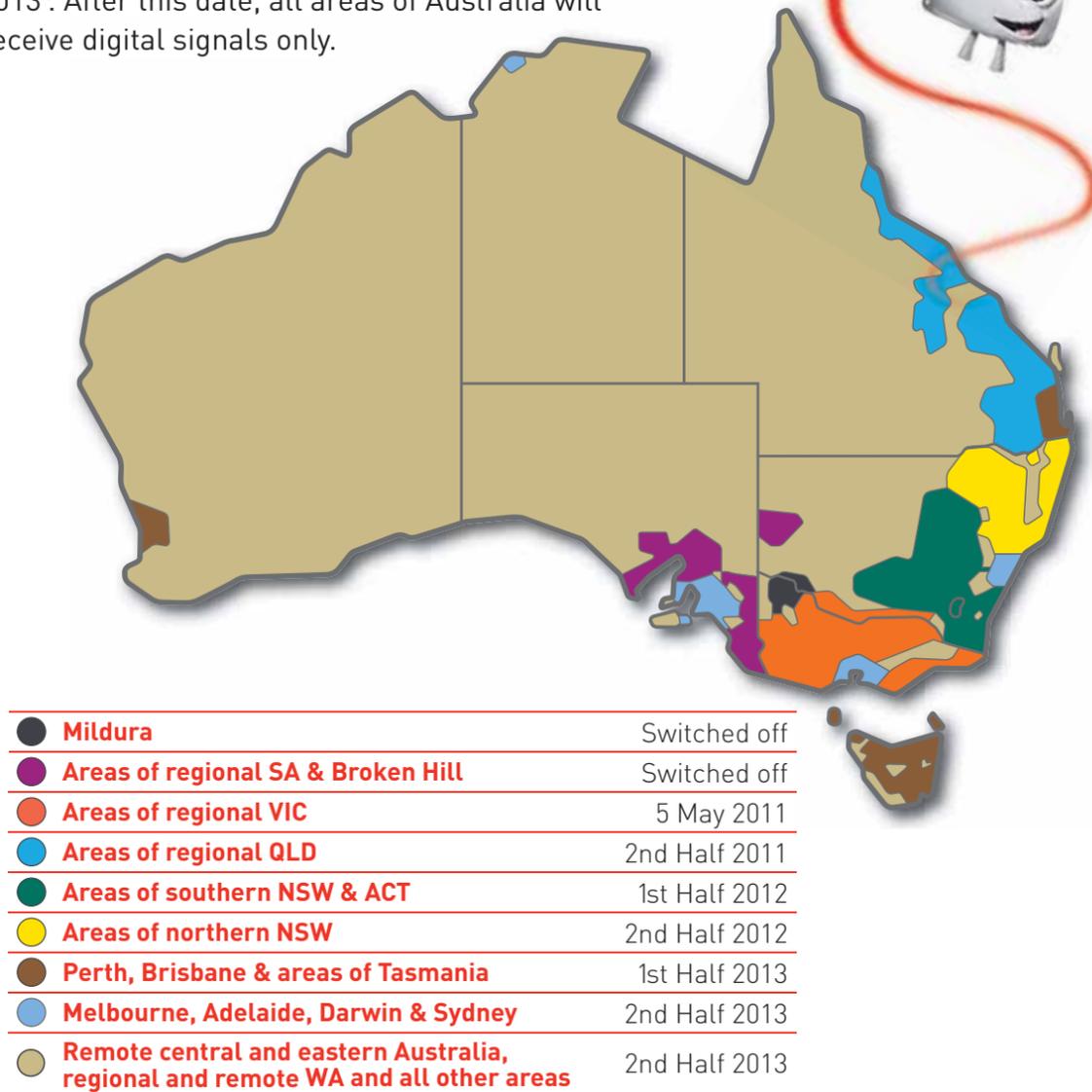
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'The Summer Reading Club extends through January to promote reading and reading-related activities to children aged four years and up with registration packs available from your local public library in the Lismore, Ballina, Byron and Tweed shires,' Nicole Eldridge from Richmond Tweed Regional Library said.

'Public libraries are essential to the national effort to improve literacy skills in the community and this program is a great example of a program that improves skills through fun activities.'

Pick up your registration pack from your nearest public library, read the holidays away and go in the draw to win some fantastic prizes at the Summer Reading Club Parties held in February.

More information at [www.rtrl.nsw.gov.au](http://www.rtrl.nsw.gov.au) or from your local Richmond Tweed Regional Library branch.

# They came from urban space: invasion of the weeds

Mary Gardner

Driving down the winding hinterland road, on our way back to Byron Bay, my friend slows down by some large camphor laurels. An oldtimer of the area, he identifies the trees for our friend in the passenger seat, a newcomer from Sydney. As we drive on, a vista opened up. That city accent is suddenly full of dismay.

'You mean most of what we're looking at is weeds?'

What is a weed? Each plant is one we judge to be a troublemaker in the great jumbled society of vegetation. In the past fifty years, our assessments have become more astute. Now, we rate a plant for how it grows and behaves when compared to patterns seen in native ecosystems. (The weeds in croplands are another story).

## Forest weeds

Today's forest weeds are an exotic or a displaced native plant which grows more rapidly and smothers other seedlings or plants. It monopolises resources such as soil nutrients or sunshine. Its quick spread shifts the composition of an entire community for generations. It can alter water quality, flow rates and the very shape of watercourses. Even underground water tables change.

If weeds have the upper hand for too long, the native seed bank in the soil dies out. Without human intervention, the original community cannot re-establish itself. This loss is not simply a change in the look of a place. It includes changes in soil structure, water management and wildlife.

A landowner drives me over to the large property outside Mullumbimby. He turns into the main drive and stops by a patch of trees. He points out all the dead vines hanging from the branches like old blankets unraveling in the weather. These were *Pithecoctenium cyanochoides*, a garden escapee called 'canary throat', 'monkey's comb' or 'trumpet vine'. A relative of the 'cat's claw', these vines



Busy removing weeds from the environment. Photo Adam Grabowski

were found only in this patch. 'Everyone here on this multiple occupancy joined working bees all winter to eradicate it. We had to cut the vines, poison them and dig up tubers again and again,' he explained.

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'If someone couldn't show up, they paid someone else to be here. This brought us all together but not without conflict at first. Until everyone saw for themselves what was needed, there was lots of argument.'

That's not surprising. Most people don't know plant species as individuals with habits, let alone bad ones. Only five years ago, Australia's Cooperative Research Centre on Weed Management identified 127

plants in NSW as weeds. Of these 82 were escapees from gardens and 56 were still for sale. In 2010, the Invasive Species Council updated that figure to 340 species, 297 of which are still for sale.

'You only are making a start when you pull up or spray weeds. If I use spray, I find it works at weak concentrations of say 1 to 400 rather than the 1 to 50 the manufacturer suggests,' says Adam Grabowski, a local bush regenerator who helped with this particular eradication effort.

'But the issue is when you make an opening. Then you must plant something else in, something native and local. Or

help the native seeds in the soil grow up. The rainforest has its own repair process.'

Our coastal remnants feature vines, also known as lianas. These include plants variously called 'wonga' vines (*Pandorea*

of the stem, the rate of flow can be quadrupled. They easily beat a tree in gaining nourishment.

## Natural cycle

This advantage helps lianas, only five per cent of a forest biomass, to support 40 per cent of the total leaf area of a forest. Their leaves often spread over a number of trees. With multiple cooperative stems, lianas are not isolated individuals. In the canopy, their intertwined branches provide passages for animals.

When storms and disturbance cause some trees to crash, lianas help pull down more and make the final gap bigger. This is part of the natural cycle in the rainforest.

But lianas that are weeds outgrow the native ones, smothering them as seedlings on the forest floor. Then they overgrow trees, forcing the forest cycle into more disturbance more often. This favours certain trees. Often these trees are weeds themselves.

Our forest fragments, like individual wounds of a larger organism, need different types of remedies. Some need help to maintain their original cycles. Others need to break out of ones driven by exotics.

## Struggling

Forest fragments are also influenced by urban gardens. These plantings are in effect an extension of the forest and a new source of seeds. Urban vegetation also support animal pollinators, who struggle in these altered landscapes set against their basic needs.

Allies of native plant ecosystems should be the nurseries, shops and market stalls that sell plants. Even though governments do not legislate against most weeds, these businesses can all refuse to sell any of them. They can champion plants whose growth habits are not invasive. Customers, already alert to the power of eco-wise purchasing, would support them.

The Invasive Species Council says that what with 26,000 exotic species for sale nationwide, voluntary controls aren't effective.

They highlight Western Australia. In 1997, working with wholesalers, the state created a 'white list'. Every exotic was considered prohibited and then assessed. A total of 13,000 species is now permitted. This list is now kept up to date by one permanent staff member. How about our Northern Rivers wholesalers lead the way?

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# Green Rising: dangers of political environmentalism

David D'Amato

For those who genuinely value individual rights, the question of whether human beings are responsible for global climate change bears no weight on arguments concerning the role of the state in society; the answer to the question, no matter what it is, could not justify or legitimise any measure that would transgress an individual's right to be free from the aggressive force inherent in statism. Assuming for the sake of argument that environmental conditions are changing, that the changes represents a serious danger to life, and that human action is a noteworthy cause of

the changes, there is nevertheless no reason to believe that the use of violence, embodied in government policies, could provide a solution.

## Individual rights

Still, accepting the possibility that comprehensive coercion and further disregard for individual rights could normalise earth's temperature, securing a habitable planet for future generations, it's not at all clear that this is a price free people should be willing to pay or should have to pay. As a matter of course, the world would be a far more verdant place if humanity lapsed into a pre-industrial way of life, rejecting

technology and adopting the customs of, for example, some Amazonian tribes that today continue to live in much the same way as they did hundreds of years ago. Indeed, political environmentalists like Bill McKibben have argued that traditional notions of modernity and linear progress have obfuscated the reality that human beings actually have too much technology, proposing that we scale back our attempts to facilitate and streamline the appurtenances of human life.

As brimful with contradictions as the broader political movement it represents, McKibben's book, *Enough*, bafflingly blames the 'hyperindividualism of the West' for 'the possibility that technology may replace humanity' and 'undermine consciousness.'

Political environmentalists largely see technology, in itself a conduit for creative energy that has hitherto made the world more sanitary, food more bountiful, and life longer and more enjoyable, as completely impotent in the face of the climate change menace. Like the Luddites who vainly struggled against the advancements of

the Industrial Revolution, today's political environmental movement is – contrary to its own insistence – thoroughly opposed to science and human flourishing.

## A kind of god

Arguably beginning in 1962 with the publication of Rachel Carson's *Silent Spring*, the political environmental movement has always styled the planet as a kind of god, possessed of its own spirit, and has always been willing us to cease improving the conditions of human life at its expense. Considering the earth an entity, the movement treats the 'health' of the planet as an end in and of itself, ennobling elements of nature as values above and beyond the things that can be done with them to meliorate human life. Despite confronting the population with apocalyptic visions of rising seas drowning whole cities, political environmentalists unabashedly admit that their movement is not about humans or their future safety at all.

In his *Respect for Nature: A Theory of Environmental Ethics*, philosopher and environmentalist Paul Taylor writes, 'Given the total, absolute, and final disappearance of Homo Sapiens, not only would the Earth's community of life con-

tinue to exist but in all probability its wellbeing would be enhanced. Our presence, in short, is not needed. And if we were to take the standpoint of that Life Community and give voice to its true interests, the ending of the human epoch on Earth would most likely be greeted with a hearty "Good riddance!"'

Environmentalists thus present human life, with all its shameful neglect and exploitation of the extra-human 'Life Community', as the unequivocal enemy of the highest ethical principles, openly embracing the idea of human extinction. If the political environmental movement held the preservation of human life as its goal, it would – rather than damning innovation – underscore the importance of continued technological development.

## Blighting the world

Complaints about the hubris of Western culture and 'valuing our species too highly' should perhaps be directed at the idea that human beings could heat up the globe to such a degree as to threaten all of life.

Abandoning both the natural and social sciences, the environmental movement, if its goals are allowed to succeed, will blight the world with the kind of society fit only for the

animals it so reveres. But even more than its positive goals, political environmentalism is sure about what it stands against: reason, technology, free markets, individual rights. When politicians start talking about climate change, we would do well to listen closely to what they're really saying.

Every concession to the state as the proper means to the end of a cleaner, safer earth only emboldens statists. Advocacy for government action, no matter what its form, is perforce an attack on technology and innovation insofar as it demonstrates a lack of faith in them as solutions.

Experiment and an upheaval of the current state-corporate order are the route to both the destruction of state-capitalism and to a healthier environment, the twin objectives being logically and empirically fused.

It is important not to blame sincere, earnest environmentalists, largely exploited by political environmentalism, for the turpitude of the state solutions. At the same time, anarchists need to encourage them to abandon the political process and embrace the voluntary answers to the global environmental predicament.

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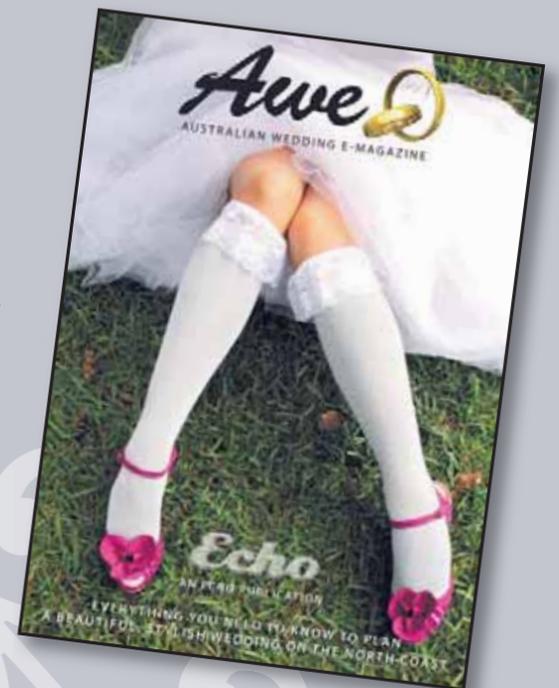
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Have your child start going to sleep a little earlier each day for the week before school. Children need ample sleep to be able to meet the rigors of the academic day with successful attitudes.

Make school shopping fun. Get your child excited. Make him/her part of the shopping process.

Buy that special folder. If it's a dollar more because it has some cartoon character on it, eat the extra dollar! Your child will be excited to show off his/her cool folder at school.

Look for child friendly tape, glue, pens, and pencils. A little glitter and colour can go a long way toward making a child feel good about his/her school supplies. It's amazing!

Discuss BREAKFAST. Find out what your child will eat for breakfast and make him/her promise to eat breakfast on a daily basis. A hungry, tired child is not a child capable of learning.

Remember that your attitude toward school goes a long way toward influencing your child's attitude. Be involved. Be positive. Be active. Let your child know that you are on his/her side. Show him/her that you are excited about his/her academic career. Chances are your child will get excited, too.

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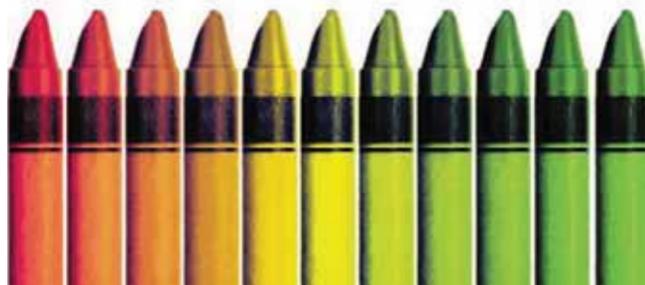
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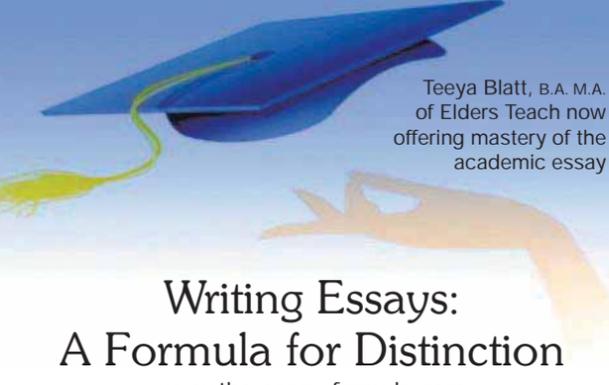
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The sales of bicycles are supported by figures released by the Australian government indicating a 32 per cent increase in people choosing to ride a bike in the same period. Australians are choosing the bicycle for transport, recreation, fitness, general health and sport in increasing numbers.

The choice to ride a bicycle is increasingly broadly based across the entire population; it's not just the domain of the fit, the fast or the sporty.

With the community's support for and participation in cycling and the benefits extending to the economic, health, environmental and social arenas, there are strong arguments for the government to do more to support it.

The recent release of the National Cycling Strategy 2011-2016 by the Minister for Infrastructure and Transport shows the time is right for the federal government to commit more funding to achieve its objectives. Signed by all federal, state and territory transport ministers, the National Cycling Strategy aims to double the rate of cycling by 2016.

Federal leadership and increased investment in infrastructure, educational and promotional programs will be needed, however, if this goal is to be achieved. The Cycling Promotion Fund applauds the recent federal commitment to the national AustCycle program which will encourage more Australians to acquire the skills they need to cycle safely, but there's more that needs to be done.

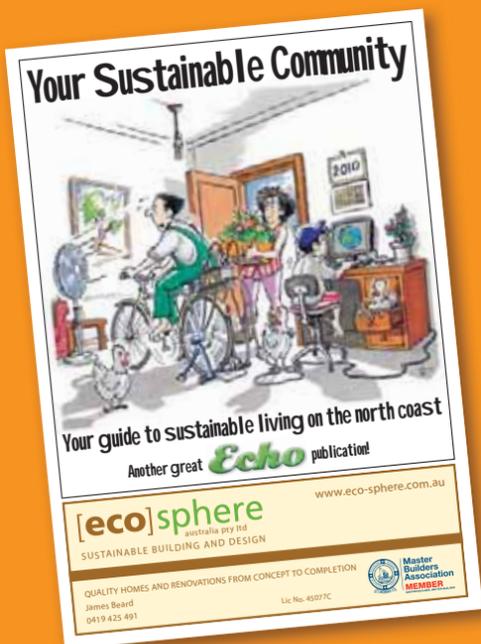
The Australian government is facing critical decisions on key transport issues. In 2005 the cost in lost productivity through transport congestion was \$9 billion per year, forecast to grow to \$20 billion per year by 2020.

'We are facing an obesity crisis,' according to the Cycling Promotion Fund, and 'the average Australian would get their daily requirements of physical activity if they walked, rode a bicycle or caught public transport to work.'

'The use of bicycles for transport, recreation and fitness continues to have increasing benefits to the Australian economy and these will continue to increase as bicycle sales continue to grow. The Cycling Promotion Fund calls on the federal government to invest in support of the increasing numbers of Australians who are voting with their feet and choosing to ride a bicycle.'



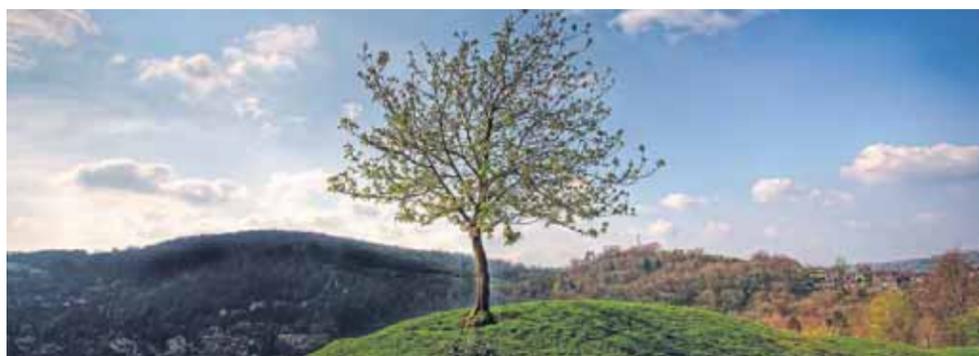
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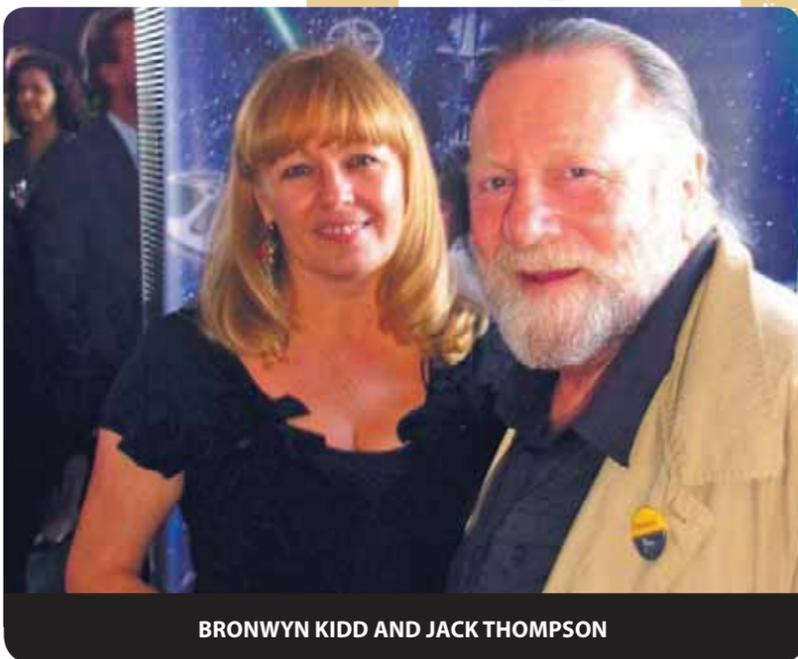


THIS WEEKEND (FRIDAY THROUGH TO SUNDAY) **FLICKERFEST** TRAVELS TO THE BANGALOW A&I HALL PROVIDING LOCAL FILM LOVERS WITH THE OPPORTUNITY TO SEE SOME OF THE BEST SHORT FILMS FROM AROUND THE WORLD. FESTIVAL DIRECTOR FOR THE PAST 14 YEARS, BRONWYN KIDD, CHATS WITH **SEVEN** ABOUT THIS IMPORTANT NATIONAL EVENT.

**What do you think are the key ingredients that have made Flickerfest such a successful international film festival?** Great short films hand picked from the latest cutting edge, most entertaining and innovative field on offer across the world means that competition is world class which is great for Australian audiences and also for film makers officially selected for competition. Like all arts events an event such as Flickerfest requires 100 per cent dedication and I think passion for and love of cinema, perseverance and hard work are the key to success of any festival. Flickerfest also occupies a unique place within the Australian festival landscape as the only Academy® Accredited and BAFTA-recognised short film festival on Australian shores.

**How hard is it to maintain international ranking?** Keeping up the standard of competition requires a lot of maintenance of international relationships that have been built up over many years of the festival's operation; being able to handpick 100 films out of 1790 entries means that our competition always includes exceptional Australian and international shorts and since becoming Academy® Accredited in 2002 we've had over 30 films go on to win or be nominated for an Oscar – which keeps our international profile strong and interest from film makers at a peak.

**Why are short films important? Aren't they just expensive and unmarketable?** Short films are the key to any strong film industry as they provide the platform by which film makers can develop their skills, analyse their work and have it viewed by an audience and become professional film practitioners, Flickerfest has been thrilled to be the launching pad for great Australian film makers such as David Michod (*Animal Kingdom*), Warwick Thornton (*Samson and Delilah*) Claire McCarthy (*Waiting City*) and Oscar winner Adam Elliot (*Harvey Krumpet*) to name but a few.



BRONWYN KIDD AND JACK THOMPSON

have had their short films screen at Flickerfest before going on to international success. It's very exciting to discover such fabulous talent and to provide a platform for them to have their work screened and enjoyed by audiences far and wide.

Flickerfest also have a catalogue of Australian short film that we distribute to great demand around the world. Our TV show Flickerfest on EXTRA on Foxtel and our new DVD 20 years of Flickerfest, just released with Madman for sale across Australia, show that there is an ever increasing hunger for creative and entertaining short film by audiences even outside the festival arena.

**What do you think is the essence of a great short film? What works best?** A story that is surprising, entertaining and not cliched always works best for me, particularly when you watch thousands of films each year like I do – an authentic story jumps off the screen at you and when someone is telling a story that they are passionate about and have a burning desire to tell it's always going to be the most engaging.

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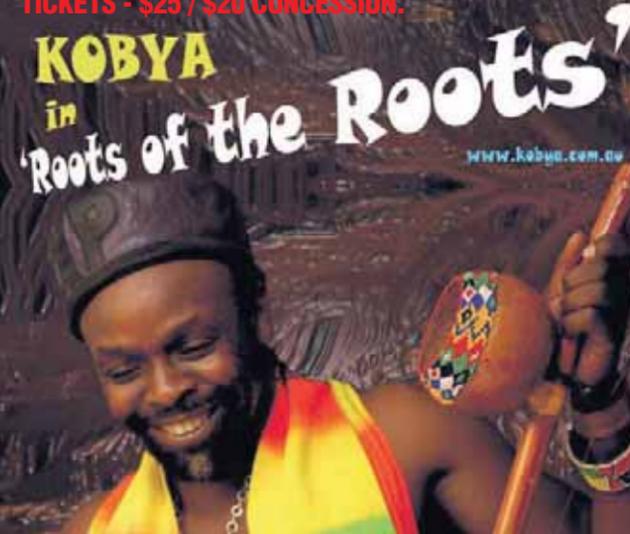
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**What country do you think makes the most consistently interesting short films? Why?** That's a hard one. Obviously there's

us of course! I love Australian films but I'm also a very big fan of Scandinavian shorts; they always have great production values and a quirky edge - born of great government investment in the arts and an interesting cultural sensibility

**Why do you think animations work so well as shorts? They are often the most powerful in the screenings.** With animation you can tell any story on any subject and you are not limited by realities in live action short films such as location or actors; that allows animators to unleash their full creativity on the screen. This year we're screening the multi-award winning and exceptionally beautiful animated film *Babel* - a remarkable film set in Shanghai about the transformation of the Chinese society and way of life - it's epic and I think would have been totally impossible to recreate in live action.

**What are the stand-out films you are screening this year?** It's hard having personal favourites in such a strong field but I do

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Mandy Nolan



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ME

It's my birthday. I'm 43. It's kind of shocking. Assuming that my hedonistic years of imbibing pot, alcohol and nicotine haven't affected my longevity (my nanna is 94 and cranking) I should reach well into my eighties, so this birthday makes me officially middle aged.

I don't mind being old. Getting old is a privilege. Considering most people in the developing world don't make it much past 30 then every year is a bonus. It's just that it's happened so fast. I'm not worried about losing my youthful good looks; I've never been that good-looking to start with.

Sure, I'm striking in that 'how much does that woman look like those black dudes from White Chicks?' sort of way. In fact I think I've got better looking as I've aged. Being a six foot woman has always been a task. You're constantly imposing. Most of the men I dated were incapable of rescuing me. At the first sign of danger they cowered behind me and used me for cover.

But time has levelled the playing field somewhat and by comparison I'm doing OK now. I like my face. I like the crows feet around my eyes and the frown line between my eyebrows. I like the line that now travels across my forehead; it suggests that I've been thinking. And laughing. And that I've been angry and sad. I have an emotional history that's etched on the hard drive of my face. And arse. Although you need to know braille to read that little beauty.

I'll never get botox. People with botox just look frightened of ageing, which makes them look like lineless shiny-headed freaks with no story who don't love themselves. I don't want a head like Bert Newton. Or a son for that matter. What worries me about ageing is that I just won't have time to do all the things I was setting out to do. I was intending to do so much more.

I absolutely adore my life. The normal, average, everyday mundanity of it. It's awesome. Like, I'd like to have at least another five kids. But I think my womb would drop out and I've almost run out of husbands. The only promise I've ever made to myself is to never have regrets. Take risks. Achieve your goals. But there's just so bloody much on the to-do list.

So I decided it was time to write my bucket list for the next 43 years. These are things I really want to do before I check out of this overpriced resort called Planet Earth. I want to learn to knit, make a crocquenbouche, do the worm, go shopping naked at Woolies as a protest against overpackaging, milk a cat, play

'House of The Rising Sun' on the guitar and use it as my set for busking outside my local supermarket, join a drum circle and dance at the farmers' market, clean my car, get the perfect six-pack, (not abs, of beer), tongue kiss Johnny Depp, and his wife, clean the toilet, print all my photos and put them in photo albums, do my tax, get more amalgam fillings and immunise other people's unvaccinated children for whooping cough when they come for sleepovers. I also want to sort out all the shit in the third drawer. I want to get batteries for the remote and I'm going to worm the cat.

I open magazines and am sickened by these gorgeous young overachievers. Sure they're stupid. But they're rich and living the dream. The biggest goal I kicked this week was paying off my pantry. I've had to make new heroes. People over 40 need heroes who are people who didn't really make a go of it until they were in their forties. So here are some new candidates: Barack Obama, Nelson Mandela, Mother Theresa, Albert Einstein, Willie Nelson, Billy Bob Thornton, Margaret Atwood and Grandpa Simpson.

Then there are the hordes of people who haven't figured out what the hell they should be doing until later in life. It's one of life's great riddles. What the hell am I supposed to do? Like maybe I'm not meant to be a comedian after all. Maybe I'm Oprah. But a tall big-nosed white woman version.

Lots of famous people got it wrong to start with. In his thirties, Sylvester Stallone was a deli counter assistant. Then he wrote and starred in *Rocky*. What else is a five foot three guy gonna do. Maybe he should have stuck with cold cuts. Before he became the leading light of the Communist Party, Mao Tse-Tung was a primary school teacher. Who would have thought that his part time hobby could become so lucrative? The infamous Colonel Sanders was on the dole and he didn't start his franchise until he was 65. He came up with nuggets because he needed food that didn't need chewing.

At age 30, Jesus was a carpenter. Who would have thought that he was going to use those next three years after his rather uneventful time at TAFE turning coffee tables and bread boards to become the Messiah? I would have liked to have seen Jesus's bucket list: 'become the king of the Jews, have a really awesome dinner party and then get totally nailed!'

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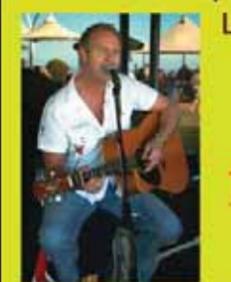
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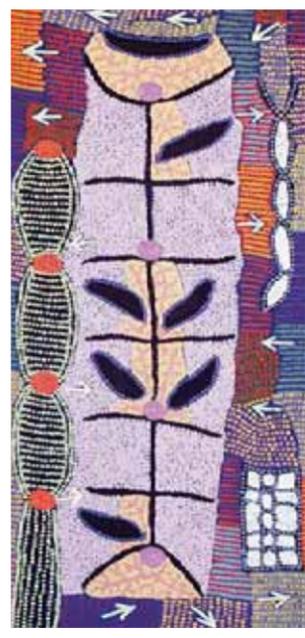

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love *Music in the Blood* from Romania – a beautiful and moving film about a gypsy boy and his dad who are trying to make it in the world of Manele music. The very powerful *Ana's Playground* – an allegory about the moment when a child is forced to choose between ideology and humanity whilst living and playing in a war zone. The hilarious *Cow Who wants to be a Hamburger* by cult Oscar winning animator Bill Plympton. In the Australian section the deeply moving *Telegram Man* starring Jack Thompson, Gary Sweet and Sigrid Thornton and *When The Wind Changes* – a quirky musical mad comedy.

**What about the Byron All Shorts? What made you want to include that as part of the program?** I live here and I've made films here myself so I think it's extremely important to encourage local film makers and provide a platform for their work. We've had some really talented local film makers participate in Byron All shorts with some very accomplished short films over the years and I'm sure the third year will be no exception.

**Are we getting better at film making or are we just kidding ourselves?** Thankfully we are! For me short film is the most exciting place to be in cinema today; it's where our latest generation of storytellers express the stories at the heart of who we are, interested in only excellent and innovative films, uninhibited by the pressures of the box office.

**The Byron All Shorts final program will screen on Saturday at 5pm with the Awards on Sunday 8pm prior to Flickerfests Best Of Australian Shorts screening. Flickerfest is at the Bangalow A&I Hall Friday – Sunday. All info programs and announcements can be found at [www.iQ.org.au](http://www.iQ.org.au) or call 6684 5577.**



### The Last

Hailing from Byron Bay, five piece rock outfit **The Last** are one of the most exciting musical prospects on the East Coast of Australia. Dismissing the trend of cyber-synth music, The Last are a breath of fresh air – musicians who play and write all their own music, passionate musicians with an unquenchable desire to create something amazing.



THE LAST THE BEACH HOTEL THURSDAY.

### What did ya say Mista Speaker?

After storming the Rails recently and whipping the joint into a seething, heaving tangle of humanity, complete with a seemingly spontaneously choreographed dance troupe, Byron's own soul swingers, **Mr Speaker**, continue their world tour of local venues by playing at the Beach Hotel this Wednesday night. When interviewed recently for the esteemed publication, Guns and Ammo and Dr Who, charismatic and often controversial drummer, Mick 'Sledgehammer' Hidden, reported that, 'we're gonna smash that place up! **Beach Hotel 19th of January 2011**...indecipherable mumbling...Mayan calendar...more indecipherable mumbling. Even daleks would dance at a Mr Speaker show.' Bewildering words from a strange man but rest assured that the rest of the eight-piece band is amped, clear-eyed and ready to deliver another high-energy dose of funk and swing laced with the occasional twist of hip hop and reggae. Do not miss out (or Mick will come to your place for tea and a chat!)

Their style is something new and exciting – a rock band that sounds like no other, taking cues from and giving nods to a wide range of influences, from the classical composers, to jazz, blues, rock and even today's manufactured stars – finally, a rock band that realises good music transcends all notions of genre. **The Beach Hotel Thursday.**



## program guide

**SUMMER 1 NOVEMBER – APRIL 30**

**MONDAY**  
 6am Morning Mix Kabes  
 9am The Lighthouse Lounge Andy Travis  
 11am Belly Belly Sisters  
 12pm Pregnancy Birth & Beyond Nicole Foder  
 1pm Inspiration Rose  
 2pm Q's Jazz and Blues Quentin Watts  
 4pm Cruizy Beats DJ Cruizy  
 6pm Grailey Whole Celtic Show Margaret Wyatt  
 8pm Around The World Sammy Ibrahim  
 10pm Freedom Run Jimmy & Callum

**TUESDAY**  
 6am Cock a Doodle Doo Lou  
 9pm Love Life & Laughter Pavitar  
 11am Byron Business Phil Daly  
 12pm Soul Fyah Nazar  
 2pm The Music Garden Michael Brereton  
 4pm Theme Park Lyn McCarthy  
 6pm Post Modern Backlash Hudson Birden  
 8pm Radio Mundial Steve Snelgrove  
 10pm Shels Place Shel

**WEDNESDAY**  
 6am Catch and Grab Holly Holster  
 9am 2481 Undone Nicqui Yazdi  
 11am Go Earthcare Ros Elliott  
 12pm Suara Indonesia Francesca, Kirana, Judy  
 1pm Passport Tegs & Adsy  
 2pm The Junkyard Stuey  
 4pm Cowgirl In The Sand Mel  
 6pm Bongo Gum Brett Diemar  
 8pm Free Range Rhythms Elixza  
 10pm The Freq Consortium Interval

**THURSDAY**  
 6am Planet Luv Glitter  
 9am Arts Canvass Karena  
 11am The Bohemian Beat Riddhi  
 12pm Baby Boomers Lunch Alan the yesterday man  
 2pm Audio Chocolate Rich  
 4pm Future Classics Matt Meir  
 6pm Crossroads Paul Martin  
 8pm Cruisin For A Bluesin Honeydripper  
 10pm The Booty Call Lainie  
 12am On The One Mr Mantiki

**FRIDAY**  
 6am That Friday Feeling Nicky  
 9am The Spin Cycle Karin Kolbe  
 11am Not The Comedy Show Paul & Danno  
 12pm Whirled Music Phil Hurst  
 1pm Fab Wah Tom T Jet  
 2pm Grooveyard Teesha  
 4pm Strictly Vinyl ( Happy Days ) Inchie  
 6pm Chop Suey Rachi  
 8pm Submerged/ Down & Out Si Clone Pab & Slinky  
 10pm Café Royal Al Royale

**SATURDAY**  
 6am Buffet Breakfast Chilla  
 8am Musical Kaleidoscope Jill  
 10am Cowboy Sweetheart Carrie D  
 12pm Blues From The Bay Anthony & Ken  
 2pm Paris Cat Alley Lulu  
 5pm Justice & Miss Chi Justine & Ancika  
 6pm Random Rhythms Ashgirl  
 8pm Diggin In The Archives Undertaker & Joan of Ark  
 10pm Neo Disco Uberman

**SUNDAY**  
 7am Colours of Byron Des  
 10am Jazz Moods Jean Brown  
 12pm Omnibus RG Pedicine & Les Schmidt  
 2pm Radio Latina Yolanda & Beta  
 4pm The Bay Lounge Aqua  
 6pm Roots And Culture D J Selector  
 8pm Broken Heart Road Peggy & Fulton  
 10pm Sounds of Africa Massaganda

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Thurs 27 Jan 6pm  
**Alex & Allyson Grey**  
 Byron Bay Exhibition  
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Fri 28 & Sat 29 Jan 8pm  
**Roots of the Roots with Kobya**  
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FRI 28TH JAN 8PM

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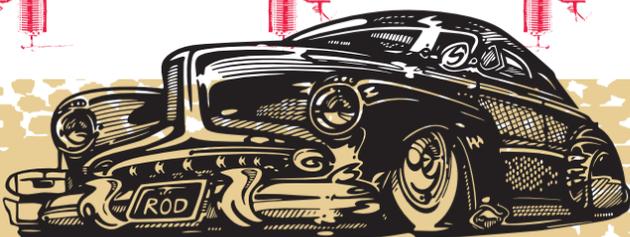
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This is a unique opportunity for Australia as a community to stand as one. danceAID+ will be held at LALA Land on Thursday. For more information visit their website: [www.lalalandbyronbay.com.au](http://www.lalalandbyronbay.com.au).

## Fundy at the Beachy

In response to the Queensland flood devastation the Beach Hotel is organising a fundraiser on Sunday afternoon. This is a last minute event so we are calling out to any locals or businesses that would like to donate prizes for raffles or who can help in any way to raise funds for the victims of this catastrophe. The other way people can help is to attend on the day and donate what you can.

The Beach Hotel will start the fundraiser with a donation of \$5,000 in cash, plus prize donations that will be raffled.

The day will feature the ever-popular Lisa Hunt and MC extraordinaire Mandy Nolan and proceedings will begin at 4pm. On the day pub-goers will be encouraged to donate upon entry to the pub. Raffles will be run throughout the afternoon with prizes already being donated from many local businesses. Please contact [reception@beachhotel.com.au](mailto:reception@beachhotel.com.au) or call 6685 6402 to pledge your support.

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TALLULAH RENDALL AT THE BANGALOW BOWLING CLUB ON FRIDAY

### Stanton Warriors

With an eclectic past drawing on underground house, hip hop, electro and funk, the London based **Stanton Warriors** have created a unique style of bass heavy breaks. Their hugely popular *Stanton Sessions* and *Fabric* mix CDs continue to define the sound

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London based singer/songwriter **Tallulah Rendall's** music is ethereal yet powerful, delicate and yet vociferous in its beautifully orchestrated sound.

Tallulah composes music to nourish your soul and feed your mind. A passionate performer, she weaves enchanting vocals with a rock'n'roll elegance not usually associated with today's female artists. Songs rise into soaring, expansive climaxes, her voice a mesmerising constant – one of the most exciting musicians the UK has produced in a long time. See her at the **Bangalow Bowlo on Friday.**

### Madness for Method

With three critically acclaimed albums to their name, hundreds of gigs under their belt roots/rock duo **Method** are backing the boat into the swollen river and preparing to brave the elements on another North Coast adventure tour.

Guitarist **Bill Jacobi** is a popular solo performer in and around the Northern Rivers area, with open tuned and lap slide guitars twisting their way around evocative soundscapes and passionate songwriting. He is joined by drummer **Frank Corby**, most recently seen pounding the skins behind legendary blues band **The Bondi Cigars**. Frank is also a notable songwriter in his own right,



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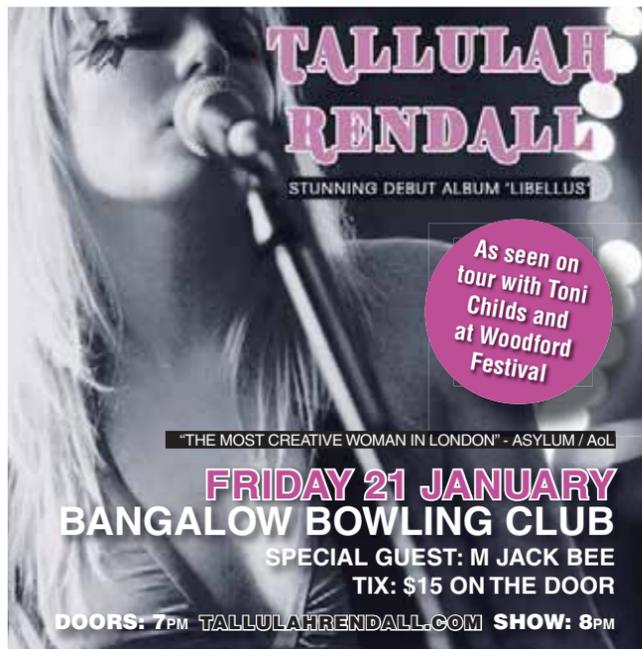
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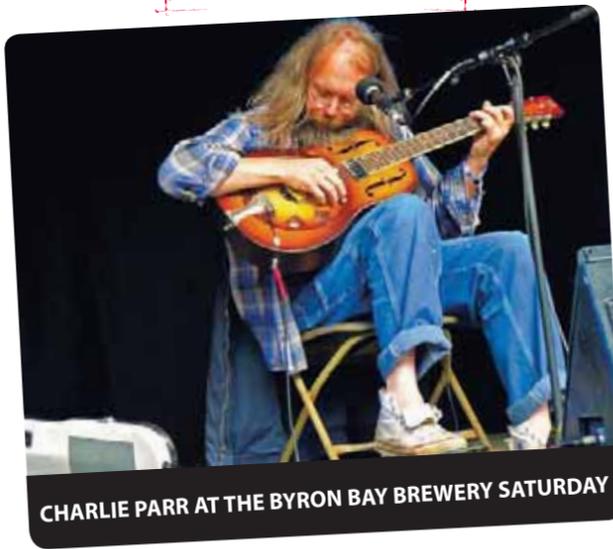
adding a rich tapestry of rhythm and texture as well as his dark vocals and lyrical twists to the mix.

Together they make music that is an eclectic amalgamation of swamp/roots, alternative country and hillbilly funk that somehow manages to look back at a wealth of musical tradition, have a poke around and then turn and run the other way. You can catch them at **The Eltham Hotel** on **Friday** and at **The Lennox Point Hotel** on **Saturday**.

### Psychedelia from the jungles of Cambodia

The **Cambodian Space Project** is a cosmic, psychedelic rock band with Hendrix grooves and original music coupled with the Srey Thy's hypnotic Khmer dancing and singing traditions with story-telling lyrics about her homeland. Its stratospheric rise from its launch site in Phnom Penh has taken Cambodia, and now the world, by surprise.

Made up of musicians from Cambodia, France and Australia, the band's cross-cultural rock has recently attracted the attention of music lovers across the globe. The Cambodian Space Project supported by Brisbane band Alpha Omega will be launching their psychedelic space rock at **Mullum Civic Centre** on **Friday**.



CHARLIE PARR AT THE BYRON BAY BREWERY SATURDAY

Charlie Parr's love affair with Australian audiences continues this summer as the folk and blues don returns for a month long national sojourn following the release of his latest album, *When The Devil Goes Blind*. With a tale to tell and an encyclopaedic knowledge of the American folk tradition, Charlie Parr will knock you out with a spirited performance at the **Byron Bay Brewery Saturday**.

### The House in Ruins in the East

Baltimore dream pop darlings **Beach House** and Australian indie favourites **The Middle East** are getting together for a one-off headline show. It is both artists' only headline show in the area and a rare opportunity to see Beach House in an intimate setting at the beginning of a spectacularly successful tour which has seen the band sell out its Melbourne shows and Sydney Festival shows, as well as performing at Laneway Festival around the country.

**Beach House** have been described as the most powerful make-out band in existence. Their third album *Teen Dream* has been a runaway indie success, transforming them from blogosphere darlings to a breakout band who sold out shows all over the northern hemisphere and played just about every festival you can name.

The **Middle East** have just finished their debut album and have been playing a few one-off shows. The band's latest single is called *Jesus Came To My Birthday Party*.

First on the bill is NZ's **Tiny Ruins**, is recording her debut album with acclaimed producer J Walker of Machine Translations. See three great bands at the **Mullumbimby Civic Hall** on **Saturday**.



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### Triple threat of rock, roots to reggae

**Chase the Sun** are a bluesy rock trio combining elements of old school acoustic blues with loud guitar, blazing hard funk and a cranking 70s southern rock feel. **Claude Hay** is a 'one man band' from the Blue Mountains playing Roots and Indie and surprising the audience with his talents. **Cass Eager** with her distinctive pipes and guitar sound travels the gamut from soul to blues, folk to funk and roots to reggae. See the three get their RRR on **Friday** at the **Brewery Byron Bay**.

### Red Bantoo

Having worked alongside some of Australia's premier musical artists, the dynamic duo **Red Bantoo** are bursting onto the Australian music scene with a star studded debut.

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### Wolfmother says...

*We are brimming with excitement to be joining the BDO touring juggernaut around Australia during the next few weeks.*

*Being the massive tour that it is, there are a few days off along the way. Rather than stay in our hotels sipping tea we thought we'd rock out with Australia's finest rural and coastal towns in Byron Bay, Ballarat and Geelong.*

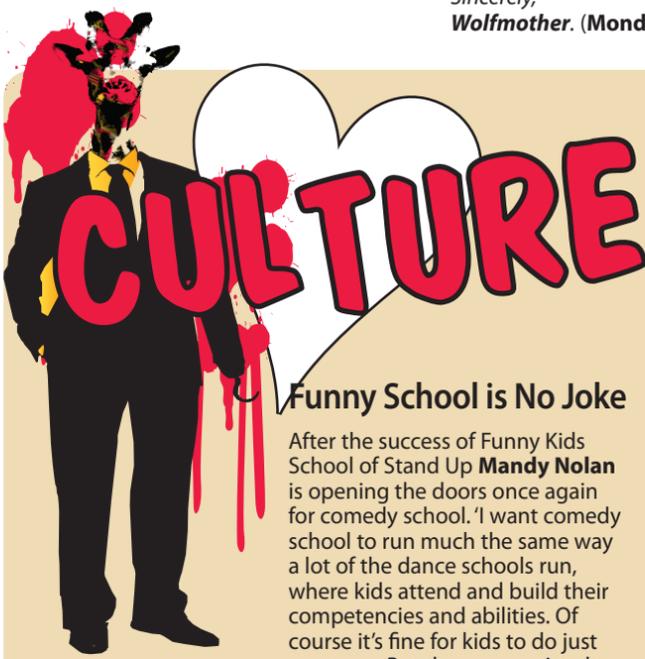
*So if you happen to be in any of these fine shires, come on down and join us for a grand night of riffage, wailing, distorted organ sounds and general unapologetic showmanship in the most humble manner at the following venue.*

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Sincerely,  
**Wolfmother. (Monday, The Great Northern.)**



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### MYNC Dance

**MYNC** are an electronic dance act led by front man and owner of Cr2 Records, Mark Brown. With a career that started back in the mid nineties, MYNC have been at the forefront of leading electronic dance music with DJ sets around the world at clubs

such as Ministry of Sound (London), Home (Sydney), Pacha (New York), Space (Miami), Sanctuary (Dubai) and Ibiza's greatest super-clubs such as Space and Pacha. Voted in the *DJ Magazine* Top 100 DJs, and privileged to have been asked to mix such highly rated compilations such as Ministry of Sound Sessions and Live & Direct – Space Ibiza, it is easy to see that MYNC are one of the most highly rated dance acts around. **LaLa Land, Friday.**

### Summer Surfing Classics

Ripe Productions and Byron Theatre present a trilogy of great Australian surf films.

**Crystal Voyager**, directed by David Elfick, premiered in 1973 and was filmed, written and narrated by surfer, photographer and filmmaker George Greenough, featuring Richie West and Nat Young. Screens 3.30pm.

**Morning of the Earth** – what can you say? It's an international cult surfing classic. Screens 5.30pm.

**Going Vertical** – is the epic search to unravel surfing's great mystery. Starring Bob Mctavish, Dick Brewer, Kelly Slater, Mick Fanning, Gerry Lopez, Nat Young and Directed by David Bradbury. Screens 7.30pm.

The surf classics screen at **Byron Bay Community Centre** on **Sunday.**



### The gift of Aspergers

**Leigh Arnold**, local artist and painter, is gifted with a very special way of seeing the world. His work reveals an inner world of a visionary experience, capturing the most intrinsic and awe inspiring geometrical designs. Leigh's canvases are hand painted using mixed media and extremely fine pen work that will leave you contemplating this multi-dimensional universe and its many sides.

Leigh's work has captured the interests of international art collectors from Nimbin to New York. The Australian Mathematical Science Institute commissioned two of his images to use as a logo and for promotional material for mathematic conferences.

Leigh, a prolific and talented artist shows how dyslexia and autism have lead to a very unique way of representing nature, as not so many of us know it. Meet the artist on the opening event of his next exhibition **Another Side**, as Leigh explores yet another dimension on **Friday at Zakay Gallery** in Byron Bay.

### For the love of art, science and music

Visionary artists **Alex and Allyson Grey** will sep foot upon Australian soil to present their radiant portfolio of visionary paintings, drawings, and multimedia to art, science and music lovers across the nation. Original works by Alex Grey will be on display along with some reprints created especially for this tour.

Alex will be doing a live painting throughout the evening, with a selection of lush sacred sounds and ambient grooves providing the back drop. Some other local visionary artists will also be displaying works. This will be an amazing multi-arts interactive event, not to be missed. **Byron Community Centre, Thursday.**

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Wednesday 19  
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**MR SPEAKER**

Thursday 20  
9.00pm  
**THE LAST**

Friday 21  
5.00pm  
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Saturday 22  
9.30pm  
**RED BANTOO**

Sunday 23  
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1.00pm  
**DJ ARI**  
4.30pm  
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- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE THEATRE 7PM **BIG SING**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 6.30PM **OPEN MIC NIGHT**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **TONY CREA & ALEX WOLFENDEN DIRECT FROM IBIZA**
- O'SUSHI, BYRON 6PM **RICH LATIMER**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **WICKED WEDNESDAY**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **BEACH PARTY**
- LENNOX HOTEL 8.30PM **PERUVIAN BATTLESHIP DJS**

**THURSDAY 20**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9PM **THE LAST**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **THE FRIDAYS**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 8PM **STANTON WARRIORS (UK) & SKOOL OF THOUGHT (UK)**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **DANCE AID FOR QUEENSLAND FLOOD VICTIMS WITH GRANT SMILLIE + GUESTS**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 7PM **CHASE THE SUN, CLAUDE HAY, CASS EAGER**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **THIRSTY THURSDAY**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **HOT WET T-SHIRT SHOW**
- TREE HOUSE, BELONGIL 6PM **MARK RIDOUT**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **HARRY HEALEY**
- THE OLD BAKERY, HARVEST, NEWRYBAR 6PM **DANNY ROSS TRIO FEATURING SI FIXION**
- LENNOX HOTEL 9PM **JAM NIGHT**
- HENRY ROUSE TAVERN, BALLINA 6PM **JACK THORNCRAFT TRIO**
- SHAW'S BAY HOTEL, BALLINA 8PM **VOCAL PARTY KARAOKE**



**FRIDAY 21**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 5PM **BEACHY FRIDAYS WITH RUSS WALKER & TOMMY GREGG** 9.30PM **PINK ZINC**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **VANESSA BAKER**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 8.30PM **TREASURE FINGERS (USA) + TRIP KICKS DJS**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **MYNC + DANIEL WEBBER & RYAN RUSHTON**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 7.30PM **BEATS WORKING & DJ RESIN DOGS**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON MAIN ROOM: **DJ QC LOUNGE BAR: DJ CARL WALKER**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL **THE LUCKY WONDERS**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **THE MCMENAMINS**
- BANGALOW BOWLING CLUB 7PM **TALLULAH RENDALL**
- A&I HALL, BANGALOW 8.30PM **FLICKERFEST OPENING NIGHT PARTY + INTERNATIONAL 1**
- TSANG'S CHINESE RESTAURANT, BANGALOW 7PM **WALDO KNIGHT**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **RAGGA JUMP**
- MULLUMBIMBY FARMERS MARKET 8.30AM **THE FIRE TREE & THE CURLY COUSINS**
- COURTHOUSE HOTEL, MULLUMBIMBY 6PM **DEIDI VINE & FRIENDS**
- MIDDLE PUB, MULLUMBIMBY 7.30PM **SHYBABY**
- MULLUM CIVIC CENTRE 8PM **THE CAMBODIAN SPACE PROJECT**
- OCEAN SHORES COUNTRY CLUB 6.30PM **BIG MUSIC**

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**SATURDAY 22**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9PM **RED BANTOO**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **NEO**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON BAY 8PM **TRE HOMBRES**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **RHYS BYNON + MILES JR**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 7PM **CHARLIE PARR & DAN HANNAFORD** 7PM **MATTY WOODS**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **LADIES NIGHT**
- JACK'S SHED, BYRON 7.30PM **MY LEFT BOOT, HEAVY SUN, THE FEEL**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **CHRIS ARONSTEN**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 7PM **SHAI SHRIKI**
- A&I HALL, BANGALOW 8.30PM **FLICKERFEST INTERNATIONAL & AUSTRALIAN FILMS**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **MIRROR WORLD**
- LULU'S CAFE, MULLUMBIMBY 11AM **BARRY FERRIER**
- EX-SERVICES CLUB, MULLUMBIMBY 8PM **THE ROGUE GENE WITH BELLE HENDRIK**
- CIVIC HALL, MULLUMBIMBY **BEACH HOUSE, MIDDLE EAST & TINY RUINS**
- LENNOX HEAD BOWLING CLUB 7.30PM **TONY LLEWELLYN**
- LENNOX POINT HOTEL **METHOD**
- AUSTRALIAN HOTEL, BALLINA 7.30PM **RICHIE WILLIAMS DUO**
- LISMORE TWILIGHT MARKET 5PM **MARK AND CASS/ RUTHIE MATOOTHIE**

**SUNDAY 23**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 1PM **DJ ARI** 4.30PM **LISA HUNT** 8PM **DJ LONGTIME**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 6.30PM **SHINE**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 8PM **BORGES & REIDY**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 7PM **LUKE CARRA BAND**
- LALA LAND, BYRON **DISCROW**
- BYRON BAY GOLF CLUB 2PM **JOHN J BRADLEY**
- ITALIAN AT THE PACIFIC, BYRON 1PM **PASSION FLAMENCA**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 4PM **LIFELINE** 7PM **M JACK BEE**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 12.30PM **JACK THORNCRAFT TRIO**
- A&I HALL, BANGALOW 8.30PM **FLICKERFEST BEST OF AUSTRALIAN SHORTS**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 4PM **SUNDAY SESSIONS WITH BLUESVILLE STATION**
- BILLINUDGEL HOTEL 1-4PM **JANUARY JAZZ WITH MICK'S SASHIMI BAND**
- BY THE RIVER, BALLINA 3PM **JIM KELLY TRIO + SARAH GRANT**

**MONDAY 24**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9PM **ANDY BURKE**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **JOSH BOOTS**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **BACKPACKER PARTY**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 6PM **LUKE CARRA**

**TUESDAY 25**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9PM **REBECCA ISLAND TRIO**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **CHRIS ARONSTEN**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 8PM **HARRY HEALY**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 7PM **MICK BUCKLEY'S PIANO BAR**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **TIGHTARSE TUESDAY WITH DJ LOUIE LOCO**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **BRACKETS JAM NIGHT**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 1PM 7.30PM **ALEMAN BROTHERS**

**HOTEL BRUNSWICK**

THURSDAY 20  
7:30pm  
**HARRY HEALY**

FRIDAY 21  
7:30pm  
**RAGGA JUMP**

SATURDAY 22  
7:30pm  
**MIRROR WORLD**

SUNDAY 23  
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# cinema REVIEWS

## The Dilemma

In the case of Vince Vaughn, you either really like him or you really don't. For some, he just takes up too much space, both physically and aurally – he's enormous, loud and in your face. I have warmed to him a lot, but feared that his teaming up with director Ron Howard would be unworkable. Throughout a distinguished career of good'n'proper films, Howard has carried with him the ethical certainties that he learnt as a boy in Mayberry and later as a teenager at the drug store of happy days Milwaukee – he's a right friendly guy, whereas Vaughn's

abrasive persona (here as Ronny) is closer to the mean end of the spectrum. The result of their collaboration never settles on an even keel and though billed as a romantic comedy it does not attain the frothiness or tenderness of that genre. Most of the laughs are provided by Channing Tatum's Zip, the tattoo'd but snaggy bonehead who is having it off with Geneva (Winona Ryder), wife of Ronny's best buddy Nick (Kevin James), but the lack of feel-good mirth is compensated for by the problem posed and the edginess that it creates. Ronny, planning to marry long-time



girlfriend Beth (Jennifer Connelly), inadvertently spies Geneva in the arms of Zip and agonises over whether or not he should tell Nick of her philandering. Both men are preoccupied in pitching their revolutionary electric engine to Chrysler, with Nick under the pump as the engineering brains of the outfit to perfect their project as a deadline looms (James as a portly cuckold is fine, but it's stretching it to see him as a scientist). Secrets and lies and handling an ugly truth while attempting to limit its collateral damage lead inevitably to stressed relationships. Howard's tendency to open the soppiness valve is countered by Vaughn's bull in a china shop intensity and his confronting crassness, and Ryder contributes a tremendously spidery portrayal of a character whose indiscretion is condemned with a severity not applied to her equally impeachable husband's flawed behaviour. Howard ultimately sees to it that all is right with the world, but an ambiguous, not to say disappointing resolution (Geneva's fate is given scant consideration) is less than satisfying – a couple of blokes hugging on an ice-hockey rink dodges more questions than it answers. Which is a pity, because there is much else to be taken in by, including a genuine element of suspense. Give it a go – you might even come around to big boisterous Vince. ~ *John Campbell*

## Unstoppable

It's true, there is no shortage of movies that allow you to leave your brain at the door when entering. What you need to

remember, though, is that by abandoning your critical faculties you run the risk of not appreciating the qualities of the bleedin' obvious. For what it is – a mainstream action (packed) drama – this is simply fantastic. Coming from Tony Scott, its testosterone count, not unexpectedly, is through the roof, but so too is the precision and polish with which it has been put together. To start with, the casting is perfect; seeing the fat dumb brother (Ethan Suplee) of TV's Earl Hickey in charge of rolling stock can only indicate a disaster waiting to happen, and sure enough ... a train carrying chemicals capable of unthinkable destruction gets loose and is headed for the blue-collar Pennsylvania town of Stanton. Also on the line that morning is Frank (Denzel Washington – who doesn't love him?), an engineer with twenty-eight years' service but an uncertain future before him, and he's a widowed father of two rebellious daughters to boot. His partner Will (Chris Pine), an Afghan War vet separated from his lovely blonde wife and cute baby, needs to prove himself in his new job. Then there's the beautiful young woman (Rosario Dawson) coping with the mounting pressure of the crisis at control centre, surrounded by the ubiquitous walls of electric maps displaying the course of the runaway train, the nerd railway expert, the sweaty company rep, the cowboy troubleshooter who fangs after the train in his enormous ute, the locomotive itself, as callous and terrifying a monster as the shark in *Jaws*, the regular cuts to breathless news reports of the impending catastrophe ... and, oh no! a pair of flighty thoroughbred horses on the track. Yes, it's got it all, in just the right measure. Saturated colour with high, splintery contrast, a furiously paced edit on a tight linear projection and pen portraits of characters we've met a million times seal the deal. And I might be drawing a long bow here, but there also seems to be at its core a deep psychological need for Americans to know that the horror of 9/11 will not be repeated. That two ordinary working guys, black and white (like those of New York's fire brigade and police department) can save the day with the old-fashioned virtues of valour, enterprise and selflessness. It's not to everyone's taste, but I was rapt for every minute of a throttling good adventure. ~ *John Campbell*

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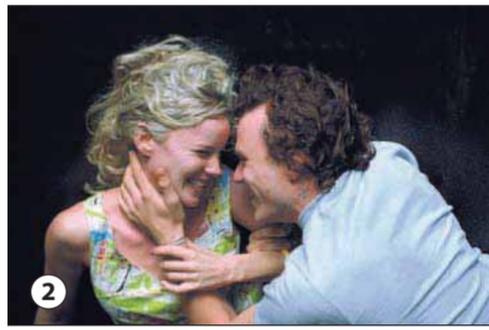
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# Television Guide

1. Rafael Nadal gets his games confused as he practises for the **Australian Open Tennis** (Prime, throughout the week, various times), an orgy of spherophilia for tennis tragics.  
 2. Gorgeous young things Abbie Cornish and Heath Ledger descend into a deadhead druggie love cul-de-sac in **Candy** (SBS1, Saturday, 10.05pm). As morally uplifting as napalm.  
 3. Our Nicole is Hugh Jackman's love interest in Baz Luhrman's sweeping epic **Australia** (TEN, Sunday, 8.30pm), where the men are men and the kangaroos are hopping mad at all the tourism spinoffs.



<p><b>WEDNESDAY 19</b></p> <p><b>ABC 1</b>                  4.30 The Cook And The Chef 5.00 Something In The Air 5.30 The Einstein Factor 6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Pilot Guides 1.30 Ben's Zoo 2.00 The Bill 3.00 Kids' Programs                  6.00 My Family 6.30 Shamwari 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report 8.00 QI 8.30 The Trophy Room 9.00 Outnumbered 9.35 Summer Heights High (M) 10.00 Getting On 10.30 Late Edition News 10.45 Brat Camp (M) 11.35 Grand Designs 12.25 Movie: Gloria (M 1980) US drama. Stars Julie Carmen 2.30 40 Years On 3.00 National Press Club Address</p> <p><b>ABC 2</b>                  5.30 Talking Heads: David Suzuki 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs 7.15 The Daily Show 7.35 Important Things 8.00 Dog Whisperer 8.30 Fat And Fatter 9.30 The Agony And The Ecstasy Of Phil Spector 11.15 Eataholics 12.15 What Would Happen If... 12.35 The People Watchers 1.25 Close</p>	<p><b>ABC 3</b>                  6.05am to 4.40pm Kids' Programs 5.05 CJ The DJ 5.15 Grizzly Tales For Gruesome Kids 5.30 League Of Super Evil 6.00 Spliced! 6.30 Prank Patrol International 6.50 Good Game: SP 7.10 What Do You Know? 7.40 M.I. High 8.10 Jeopardy 8.35 Degra: The Next Generation 9.00 Close</p> <p><b>ABC NEWS 24</b>                  4.00 ABC News 4.05 The Quarters 4.20 The Drum 5.00 ABC News 5.15 The Quarters 5.30 The 7.30 Report 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 ABC News 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Foreign Correspondent 1.00 ABC News 2.00 Midday Report 2.30 Stateline 3.00 Afternoon Live 5.30 Landline Extra 6.00 ABC News 6.05 The Drum 6.45 The Quarters 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report 8.00 ABC News 8.30 Stateline 9.00 The World 10.00 ABC News 10.05 The Drum 10.45 The Quarters 11.00 ABC News 11.30 The 7.30 Report 12.00 ABC News 12.05 Big Ideas 1.00 BBC News 1.30 Australia Network News 2.00 BBC World News 2.30 Australia Network News 3.00 Big Ideas</p> <p><b>SBS 1</b>                  5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Movie: Children Of Heaven (G 1997) Iranian drama 2.45 Anna 3.00 Classical Destinations 3.30 Letters And Numbers 4.00 The Journal 4.30 Newshour 5.30 Letters And Numbers 6.00 Tour Down Under Cycling Highlights 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Rex In Rome</p>	<p><b>SBS 2</b>                  5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 A Fork In Asia Beijing 6.30 Come Dine With Me Greece 7.30 Anthrax War 8.30 Tour Down Under Cycling Highlights 9.00 Disable Bodied Sailors 9.30 Movie: Noi The Albino (M 2003) Icelandic drama 11.10 Movie: Feathers In My Head (M 2003) Belgian drama 1.05 Weatherwatch</p> <p><b>TEN</b>                  6.00 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 Good Chef Bad Chef 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Jamie's 30 Minute Meals 7.00 The 7pm Project 7.30 Oprah's Australian Adventure 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles (M) 9.30 White Collar (M) 10.30 Late News 11.00 Overtime 12.00 The Late Show 1.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion</p>	<p><b>ELEVEN</b>                  6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Neighbours 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork &amp; Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties 6.30 Neighbours 7.00 Everybody Loves Raymond 7.30 The Simpsons 8.00 Futurama 8.30 The Simpsons 9.00 The Cleveland Show 9.30 King Of The Hill 10.00 The Cleveland Show 10.30 The Late Late Show 11.30 Cheers 12.00 Roseanne 12.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 1.00 Mork &amp; Mindy 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Diagnosis Murder 4.00 Jag 5.00 MacGyver</p> <p><b>ONE HD</b>                  6.00 Serie A Football 6.30 Bundesliga Football 7.30 Golf Central 8.00 The Pro Shop 9.00 America's Game 10.00 NFL Total Access 11.00 Real NBA 11.30 NBA Basketball - LIVE 2.00 Second Test Netball - Jamaica v Australia 3.00 Omnispport 3.30 World Tour Beach Volleyball 4.00 ASP World Tour Surfing 5.00 M7 Multisport 5.30 Xtreme Paintball 6.00 Pro Series Drag Racing 7.30 Ironman Western Australia 8.30 Overtime 9.30 Sports Tonight 10.00 MVP 10.30 NBA</p>	<p>Basketball 12.30 Sports Tonight Late 12.45 NFL Playoffs 3.15 ATP World Tour Tennis 3.45 Omnispport 4.00 Bundesliga Football</p> <p><b>PRIME</b>                  6.00 Sunrise 9.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Seven News 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News</p> <p><b>7 TWO</b>                  6.00 Kids Time 9.30 Shortland Street 10.00 Coronation Street 10.30 Emmerdale 11.00 Hollyoaks 12.00 Murphy Brown 12.30 The Good Life 1.00 Best Of The Morning Show 2.00 Full House 2.30 Movie: Meteor Man (PG 1993) US sci-fi 4.30 Welcome Back Kotter 5.00 Head Of The Class 5.30 Growing Pains 6.00 A House In Florida 6.30 Bargain Hunt 7.00 Men Behaving Badly 7.30 Heartbeat 8.40 Pie In The Sky 9.45 Wycliffe (M) 12.00 Minder 1.00 Leyland Brothers World 2.00 Harry's Practice 2.30 Medical Rookies 3.00 Home Shopping 4.00 NBC Today 5.00 Home Shopping</p>	<p><b>7MATE</b>                  6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 NBC Today 11.00 Beach Patrol 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 The Drew Carey Show 5.30 According To Jim 6.30 Scrubs 7.00 That '70s Show 7.30 How I Met Your Mother 8.00 Scrubs 8.30 Family Guy (M) 9.00 American Dad 9.30 Scrubs 10.00 Double Take (M) 11.00 Chappelle's Show (MA) 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Baywatch 3.00 Home Shopping 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal</p> <p><b>NBN</b>                  5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings With Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Home Shopping 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Live And Cooking 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Afternoon News 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 NBN News 7.00 A Current Affair 7.30 Two And A Half Men 8.00 Customs 8.25 Lotto 8.30 CSI: Miami (M) 9.30 CSI: NY (M) 10.30 Cold Case (M) 11.30 The Bill Engvall Show 12.00 Mad TV 12.50 Entertainment Tonight 1.20 Santana 1.30 Infomercials 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News</p>	<p><b>GO!</b>                  6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight 11.00 TMZ 11.30 Get Smart 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Hills 2.00 Charlie's Angels 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 Kids' Programs 6.00 Wipeout 7.00 Australia's Funniest Home Videos 7.30 Top Gear 8.30 V (M) 9.30 Fringe (M) 10.30 Movie: Unleashed (AV 2005) US action 12.40 Fringe (M) 1.40 Seinfeld 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Get Smart 5.30 The Flintstones</p> <p><b>GEM</b>                  6.00 Today 9.00 Alive &amp; 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<p><b>THURSDAY 20</b></p> <p><b>ABC 1</b>                  4.00 Catalyst 4.30 The Cook And The Chef 5.00 Something In The Air 5.30 The Einstein Factor 6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Robin Hood 1.30 Echo Beach 2.00 The Bill 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 My Family 6.30 Shamwari 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report 8.00 The Bionic Vet 8.30 Ashes To Ashes (M) 9.30 Grand Designs 10.20 Late Edition News 10.30 Mansfield Park 12.00 Movie: Murder By Death (PG 1976) US comedy 1.40 Movie: See No Evil (M 1971) UK drama 3.05 Papa Bilong Chimbu</p> <p><b>ABC 2</b>                  5.30 Can We Help? 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs 7.15 The Daily Show 7.35 Important Things 8.00 The Young Ones 8.30 Party Down 9.00 Lunch Monkeys (M) 9.30 Graham Norton Show 10.15 Father Ted 10.40 The League Of Gentlemen 11.15 Inside The Actors Studio: Goldie Hawn 12.00 Planet Rock Profiles: Nelly Furtado 12.30 The People Watchers 1.20 Close</p>	<p><b>ABC 3</b>                  6.05am to 4.40pm Kids' Programs 5.05 CJ The DJ 5.15 Grizzly Tales For Gruesome Kids 5.30 League Of Super Evil 6.00 Spliced! 6.30 Prank Patrol International 6.50 Good Game: SP 7.10 What Do You Know? 7.40 M.I. 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Order: SVU (M) 10.30 Late News 11.00 The Late Show 12.00 Burn Notice (M) 1.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion</p>	<p><b>ELEVEN</b>                  6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Neighbours 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork &amp; Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties 6.30 Neighbours 7.00 Everybody Loves Raymond 7.30 The Simpsons 8.30 Stargate Universe (M) 9.30 Star Trek - Next Generation 10.30 The Late Late Show 11.30 Cheers 12.00 Roseanne 12.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 1.00 Mork &amp; Mindy 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Diagnosis Murder 4.00 Jag 5.00 MacGyver</p> <p><b>ONE HD</b>                  6.00 Serie A Football 8.00 Overtime 9.00 America's Game 10.00 Ironman Western Australia 11.00 Arsenal Football 2.00 Third Test Netball - Jamaica v Australia 3.00 Omnispport 3.30 ATP World Tour Tennis 4.00 BMX Road Fools 5.00 Tread BMX 5.30 NBL Basketball LIVE - Adelaide 36ers v New Zealand Breakers 7.30 Red Bull X Fighters 8.30 The WWE Experience 9.30 Sports Tonight 10.00 UFC 104 12.00 Sports Tonight Late 12.15 Golf Central 12.45 Omnispport 1.15 Overtime 2.15</p>	<p>Bundesliga Football 3.15 Serie A Football 5.45 Omnispport</p> <p><b>PRIME</b>                  6.00 Sunrise 9.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Seven News 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News</p> <p><b>7 TWO</b>                  6.00 Kids Time 9.30 Shortland Street 10.00 Coronation Street 10.30 Emmerdale 11.00 Hollyoaks 12.00 Murphy Brown 12.30 The Good Life 1.00 Best Of The Morning Show 2.00 Full House 2.30 Movie: Mannequin (PG 1987) US comedy 4.30 Welcome Back Kotter 5.00 Head Of The Class 5.30 Growing Pains 6.00 A House In Florida 6.30 Bargain Hunt 7.00 Movie: Merlin's Apprentice (PG 2006) US adventure 11.00 Movie: Gigli (M 2003) US comedy 1.30 2002 Australian Open Tennis Final: Hings v Capriati 3.30 Harry's Practice 4.00 Leyland Brothers World 5.00 Home Shopping</p> <p><b>7MATE</b>                  6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 NBC Today 11.00 Beach Patrol 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI (M) 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00</p>	<p>Baywatch 5.00 The Drew Carey Show 5.30 According To Jim 6.30 Scrubs 7.00 That '70s Show 7.30 Supercarrier 9.30 Gangs Of Oz (M) 10.30 The Shield (AV) 11.30 The Sopranos (AV) 12.30 Strikeforce (M) 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI (M) 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal</p> <p><b>NBN</b>                  5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings With Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Home Shopping 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Live And Cooking 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Afternoon News 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 NBN News 7.00 A Current Affair 7.30 Getaway 8.30 CSI: NY (M) 9.30 CSI (M) 10.30 Cold Case (M) 11.30 The Bill Engvall Show 12.00 Burying Brian (M) 1.00 Entertainment Tonight 1.30 Skippy 2.00 Infomercials 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News</p> <p><b>GO!</b>                  6.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Entertainment Tonight 11.00 TMZ 11.30 Get Smart 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Hills 2.00 Here Comes The Newlyweds 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 Kids' Programs 6.30 Wipeout 7.00 Australia's Funniest Home</p>	<p><b>Videos</b>                  7.30 The Big Bang Theory 8.00 The Middle 8.30 The Big Bang Theory 9.00 The Inbetweeners (MA) 9.30 Movie: Good Luck Chuck (MA 2007) US comedy 11.35 Reno 911 (M) 12.05 The Inbetweeners (MA) 12.35 Seinfeld 1.00 V (M) 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Get Smart 5.30 The Flintstones</p> <p><b>GEM</b>                  6.00 Today 9.00 Alive &amp; 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ABC 2

5.30 Talking Heads 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs 7.15 The Daily Show 7.35 Important Things 8.00 Navy Divers 8.30 Wired (M) 9.30 The Tudors 10.25 The Wire (MA) 12.20 I Rock: Highway To Hell (M) 12.50 People Watchers 1.40 Close

ABC 3

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10.45 Mistresses (MA) 11.15 Movie: AV (MA 2005) Cantonese drama 1.10 Movie: The House Of Sand (MA 2005) Brazilian drama 3.10 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 A Fork In Asia: Nepal 6.30 Come Dine With Me Greece 7.30 More Than A Fiesta 8.00 China 21 8.30 Tour Down Under Cycling Highlights 9.00 Disable Bodied Sailors 9.30 Movie: Dororo (MAV 2007) Japanese fantasy 12.00 Movie: Golden Chicken (M 2003) Cantonese comedy 2.00 Weatherwatch

TEN

6.00 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 Good Chef, Bad Chef 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Jamie's 30 Minute Meals 7.00 The 7pm Project 7.30 Oprah In Australia 8.30 Movie: The First Wives Club (PG 1996) US comedy. Stars Bette Midler 10.30 Outrageous Fortune (M) 11.30 Late News 12.00 Sports Tonight 12.30 The Late Show 1.30 Infomercials 5.00 Religion

ELEVEN

6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Neighbours 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork & Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties 6.30 Neighbours 7.00 Everybody Loves Raymond 7.30 90210 8.30 So You Think You Can Dance 10.30 The Late Late Show 11.30 Cheers 12.00 Roseanne 12.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 1.00 Mork & Mindy 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Diagnosis Murder 4.00 Jag 5.00 MacGyver

ONE HD

6.00 Golf Central 6.30 PGA Tour Of Australia Golf 8.30 ATP World Tour Tennis 9.00 America's Game 10.00 NBL Basketball 12.00 NBA Basketball - LIVE 5.15 Omnisport 5.30 Escape With ET 6.00 Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures 7.00 I Fish 7.30 Sports Tonight 8.00 NBL Basketball LIVE - Wollongong Hawks v Sydney Kings 10.00 Pro Series Drag Racing 11.30 Sports Tonight Late 12.00 UFC Marathon 2.45 MVP 3.15 Arsenal Football

PRIME

6.00 Sunrise 9.00 Kids' Programs 10.30 Seven News 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 12.30 Movie: Bailey's Mistake (PG 2001) US drama. Stars Linda Hamilton 2.00 Home Shopping

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 Hollyoaks 12.00 Murphy Brown 12.30 The Good Life 1.00 Best Of The Morning Show 2.00 Full House 2.30 Movie: Decameron Nights (G 1953) UK romance. Stars Joan Fontaine 4.30 Welcome Back Kotter 5.00 Head Of The Class 5.30 Growing Pains 6.00 A House In Florida 6.30 Bargain Hunt 7.00 Men Behaving Badly 7.30 Ghost Whisperer 8.30 Escape To The Country 9.30 60 Minute Makeover 10.30 Living In The Sun 11.30 Movie: Look Back In Anger (PG 1959) UK drama. Stars Richard Burton 1.30 2005 Australian Open Tennis: Nalbandian v Hewitt

7MATE

6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 NBC Today 11.00 Beach Patrol 12.00 Quincy ME

1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 The Drew Carey Show 5.30 According To Jim 6.30 Scrubs 7.00 That '70s Show 7.30 Gary Unmarried 8.30 Ax Men (M) 9.30 Movie: Lock, Stock And Two Smoking Barrels (AV 1998) UK thriller. Stars Jason Flemyng 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal

NBN

5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings With Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Infomercials 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 One Day Cricket LIVE - Australia v England 6.00 Evening News 6.30 Cricket continues 10.00 Movie: Lethal Weapon 3 (M 1992) US action. Stars Mel Gibson 12.30 Movie: Grilled (M 2005) US comedy. Stars Ray Romano 2.05 Movie: That'll Be The Day (M 1974) UK musical drama. Stars Ringo Starr 3.50 Katie Noonan 4.00 Danoz 4.30 Good Morning America

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ABC 1

5.00 rage (PG) 11.00 The Best In Australia 12.00 Message Stick (G\*) 12.30 Best Of Australian Story 1.00 WNBL Basketball - Bulleen v Dandenong 3.00 W-League Football LIVE - Brisbane v Newcastle 5.00 NSW Open Bowls 6.00 Kylie Kwong My China 6.30 Best Of Gardening Australia 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Bed Of Roses 8.30 Midsomer Murders (M) 10.10 Graham Norton Show (M) 11.00 Desperate Romantics (M) 12.00 rage (M)

ABC 2

6.00 Kids' Program 7.00 IPC World Athletics Championships From Christchurch 7.45 Republic Of Doyle 8.30 Movie: Escape From Alcatraz (M 1979) US action. Stars Clint Eastwood 10.15 Movie: The Buccaneer (G 1938) US adventure 12.25 Perfect Child Mummies 1.15 Sun, Sea & Bargain Spotting 2.20 Close

ABC 3

6.05am to 4.40pm Kids' Programs 5.10 Escape From Scorpion Island 5.40 League Of Super Evil 6.05 Stoked 6.40 Outback 8 7.05 Serious Andes

7.30 Good Game SP 7.50 The Tribe 9.10 Close

ABC NEWS 24

4.00 ABC News 4.05 The Quarters 4.15 The Drum 5.00 Big Ideas 6.00 Dispatches 2010 6.30 Stataline Select 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Contact Sport 8.00 ABC News 8.45 The Quarters 9.00 ABC News 9.30 Landline Extra 10.00 One Plus One 10.30 Stataline Summer 11.00 ABC News 11.30 The World This Week 12.00 ABC News 12.30 7.30 Select 1.00 Big Ideas 2.00 Four Corners 2.45 The Quarters 3.00 Stataline Select 3.30 Foreign Correspondent 4.00 ABC News 4.30 Stataline Summer 5.00 ABC News 5.30 One Plus One 6.00 ABC News 6.30 Australian Story Classic 7.00 ABC News 7.30 7.30 Select 8.00 The Howard Years 9.00 ABC News 9.30 Landline Extra 10.00 ABC News 10.30 Contact Sport 11.00 ABC News 11.30 Foreign Correspondent 12.00 Big Ideas 1.00 BBC World News 1.30 Stataline Select 2.00 Four Corners 2.45 The Quarters 3.00 BBC World News 3.30 Stataline Summer

SBS 1

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Tour Down Under Cycling LIVE from Adelaide 3.00 Sketches Of Frank Gehry 4.30 Newshour 5.30 Food Safari 6.00 Disable Bodied Sailors 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Big, Bigger, Biggest 8.30 Iron Chef 9.20 Rockwiz Rewind

10.05 Movie: Candy (MA 2006) Australian drama 12.00 SOS (M) 1.00 Great Australian Albums: I'm Stranded By The Saints 2.00 Drawn Together (MA) 2.25 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 Here Comes The Neighbourhood 6.30 Sarah Wiener And The Kitchen Kids 7.30 Dangerous Liaisons Famous mistresses 8.30 Tour Down Under Cycling Highlights 9.30 Movie: Eager Bodies (MA 2003) French drama 11.10 Movie: The Ring Finger (MA 2005) French drama 1.00 Weatherwatch

TEN

6.00 Kids' Programs 10.00 Hit List TV 12.00 Landed Music 12.30 Infomercials 1.30 Everybody Hates Chris 2.00 It's Me Or The Dog 3.00 Big Cat Diary 4.00 11 Days In Afghanistan 5.00 Ten News 5.30 Sports Tonight 6.00 Raising Hope 6.30 The Gadget Show 7.30 Movie: Eragon (PG 2006) US action/adventure. Stars Ed Speleers 9.35 Movie: Collateral (M 2004) US drama. Stars Tom Cruise 11.50 Movie: What Dreams May Come (M 1998) US drama. Stars Robin Williams 2.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

ELEVEN

6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Neighbours 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork & Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties 6.30 Everybody Loves Raymond 7.30 Get Smart 8.30 Hogan's Heroes 9.30 Movie: Harlem Nights (M 1989) US comedy. Stars Eddie Murphy 12.00 Roseanne 12.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 1.00 Mork & Mindy 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Diagnosis Murder 4.00 Jag 5.00 MacGyver

ONE HD

6.00 Liverpool Football 9.00 America's Game 10.00 NFL Total Access 11.00 NBA Basketball 3.00 NBL Basketball 5.00 Omnisport 5.30 The WWE Experience 6.30 M7 Multisport 7.00 Sports Tonight 7.30 Jayco Bay Cycling Classic 9.30 Drift 10.00 24/7 Jimmie Johnson 10.30 MotoGP Classic 11.30 Ironman Western Australia 12.30 UFC Unleashed 1.25 Bundesliga Football 3.20 Omnisport 4.00 Serie A Football

PRIME

6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 Weekend Sunrise 9.00 Saturday Disney 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 6.00 Seven News 6.30 Australian Open Tennis LIVE 12.30 Movie: Sione's Wedding (M 2006) New Zealand comedy. Stars Oscar Kightley 2.30 Home Shopping

7 TWO

6.00 Kids' Programs 8.30 Better Homes And Gardens 9.30 The Great Outdoors 10.30 Second Chance Honeymoon 11.50 Big J's Place 12.20 Movie: How To Succeed In Business Without Really Trying (G 1967) US comedy. Stars Robert Morse 2.40 Movie: The War Lover (PG 1962) US drama. Stars Steve McQueen 5.00 Destination New Zealand 5.30 Man About The House 6.00 Love Thy Neighbour 6.30 Born And Bred 7.30 Heartbeat 8.40 Inspector Morse 11.00 The Knock (M) 1.15 1993 Australian Open Tennis Final: Seles v Graf 3.20 2005 Australian Open Tennis: Hewitt v Roddick

7MATE

6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 Beach Patrol 10.00 NBC Today 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 The Drew Carey Show 5.30 According To Jim

6.30 Engineering Disasters 7.30 Air Crash Investigations 8.30 Mega Disasters 9.30 The Universe 10.30 World War II: The Lost Films (M) 12.30 Airwolf 1.30 Strikeforce (M) 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal

NBN

6.00 Danoz 7.00 Weekend Today 9.00 Saturday Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kids' Programs 1.00 Fishing Australia 1.30 Movie: Jungle Girl And The Lost Island Of The Dinosaurs (C) Animation 2.30 Wildlife 3.30 Discover Downunder 4.00 The Garden Gurus 4.30 Random Acts Of Kindness 5.30 Postcards 6.00 NBN News 6.30 Australia's Funniest Home Videos 7.30 The Cube 8.30 Movie: The Fugitive (M 1993) US action. Stars Harrison Ford 8.40 Lotto 11.15 Movie: Head In The Clouds (AV 2004) US drama. Stars Charlize Theron 1.35 Movie: Sweeney 2 (M 1978) UK drama. Stars John Thaw 3.30 Skippy 4.00 Infomercials

GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 1.00 Get Smart 2.00 Here's Lucy 3.00 Green Acres 3.30 The Dukes Of Hazzard 4.30 Privileged 5.30 The Unnatural History 6.30 Movie: Adventures Of Sharkboy And Lavagirl (G 2005) US adventure. Stars Taylor Lautner 8.30 Movie: Spiderman 3 (M 2007) US action. Stars Tobey Maguire 11.30 Movie: Anaconda Trail Of Blood (AV 2008) US thriller. Stars Crystal Allen 1.25 Movie: Evil Never Dies (AV 2003) US thriller. Stars Thomas Gibson 3.30 Green Acres 4.00 The Dukes Of Hazzard 5.00 Kids' programs

GEM

6.00 Movie: Tommy The Toreador (G 1959) UK comedy. Stars Tommy Steele 7.50 Movie: Piccadilly Incident (G 1945) UK WWII drama. Stars Anna Neagle 10.00 Movie: Up Periscope (PG 1959) WWII drama. Stars James Garner 12.15 Movie: The Conquest Of Everest (G 1953) UK documentary 1.50 Movie: The Lady Killers (PG 1955) UK comedy. Stars Alec Guinness 3.45 Movie: Lady L (PG 1965) US drama. Stars Sophia Loren 6.00 The Nanny 6.30 Wild South America: Andes To Amazon 7.30 Blackadder Goes Forth 8.00 The Black Adder 8.30 CSI (M) 9.30 CSI: Miami (M) 10.30 CSI: New York (M) 11.30 Conan (M) 12.30 Movie: Up Periscope 2.35 Movie: The Lady Killers 4.20 Movie: Holiday On The Buses (PG 1973) UK comedy. Stars Reg Varney

ABC 1

5.00 rage (PG) 6.30 Kids' Programs 9.00 Surfing The Menu 9.30 The Wild Gourmets 10.30 Nicholas Crane's Britannia 11.30 Songs Of Praise 12.00 Best Of Landline 1.00 Best Of Gardening Australia 1.30 Message Stick 2.00 Adventures In Architecture 3.00 Mandela Day 4.30 Kurt Elling Jazz And Orchestra 5.30 Mr Bean 5.45 Dr Who 6.30 Wallace And Gromit's World Of Invention 7.00 ABC News 7.30 South Pacific 8.30 Movie: Bran Nue Dae (PG 2009) Australian drama/musical 9.50 Story Of Bran Nue Dae 10.20 Movie: The Proposition (MA 2005) Australian drama. Stars Richard Wilson 12.05 Mad Hot Ballroom 1.50 Movie: I Dream Too Much (G 1935) US comedy 3.30 The Cook And The Chef

ABC 2

6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 IPC World Athletics Championships From Christchurch 8.00 Joan Baez 9.30 Deconstructing John Kelly (M) 10.00 Extras (M) 10.30 Gimme, Gimme, Gimme (M) 11.00 Hamish Macbeth 11.50 The Last Enemy (M) 12.50 Wyclef Jean's All Star Jam At Carnegie Hall 1.55 Close

6.05am to 4.05pm Kids' Programs 4.30 Escape From Scorpion Island 5.00 Dead Gorgeous 5.30 Prank Patrol International 6.00 Dani's House 6.30 My Life As A Popat 6.55 Kaitangata Twitch 7.20 The Latest Buzz 7.45 The Wannabes 8.10 Majority Rules 8.35 Degraasi: The Next Generation 9.00 Close

ABC NEWS 24

4.00 Four Corners 4.45 The Quarters 5.00 Big Ideas 6.00 Dispatches 2010 6.30 Stataline Select 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Talking Heads: Sir Richard Branson 8.00 ABC News 8.30 7.30 Select 9.30 The World This Week 10.00 ABC News 10.30 Stataline Summer 11.00 ABC News 11.30 One Plus One 12.00 ABC News 12.30 Contact Sport 1.00 Big Ideas 2.00 Landline 3.00 Stataline Select 3.30 Australian Story Classic 4.00 ABC News 4.30 Stataline Summer 5.00 ABC News 5.30 Landline Extra 6.00 ABC News 6.30 Foreign Correspondent 7.00 ABC News 7.30 One Plus One 8.00 Dispatches 2010 9.00 ABC News 9.30 Dispatches 2010 10.00 ABC News 10.30 The World This Week 11.00 ABC News 11.30 Australian Story Classic 12.00 Big Ideas 1.00 BBC World News 1.30 Stataline Select 2.00 Big Ideas 3.00 BBC World News 3.30 Stataline Summer

SBS 1

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.35 World News 10.30 Football Asia 11.00 FIFA Ballon d'Or 2010 12.00 FIFA Futbol Mundial 12.30 Speedweek

2.00 Tour Down Under Cycling Highlights 4.30 Dakar Rally Highlights 5.00 Cycling Central 6.00 Thalassa 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Faces Of America 8.30 Immigration Nation 9.35 Catastophe 10.35 John Adams (M) 12.15 Movie: Love + Hate (M 2004) UK drama 1.50 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 6.00 ADbc 6.30 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour Of Britain 7.30 Ninja Warrior 8.00 Unbeatable Banzuke 8.30 Tour Down Under Cycling Highlights 9.30 Movie: Conversations With My Gardener (M 2007) French comedy 11.20 Movie: Our Father (PG 2002) Chadian drama 12.50 Weatherwatch

TEN

6.00 Religion 7.00 Kids' Programs 8.00 Fishin' Trip 8.30 The Hit Rater. Com 9.00 The Benchwarmers Oz Made 10.00 Hit List TV 12.00 Surf Coast Knockout Golf LIVE from Torquay, Victoria 5.00 Ten News 5.30 Sports Tonight 6.00 Raising Hope 6.30 Rules Of Engagement 7.30 Oprah In Australia With Hugh, Olivia, Nicole, Keith, Bono

8.30 Movie: Australia (M 2008) Australian drama. Stars Nicole Kidman 12.00 Cops (M) 1.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

ELEVEN

6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Everybody Loves Raymond 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork & Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties 6.30 Everybody Loves Raymond 7.30 New Zealand's Next Top Model 8.30 Smallville 10.30 Angel (M) 12.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 1.00 Mork & Mindy 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Diagnosis Murder 4.00 Jag 5.00 MacGyver

ONE HD

6.00 Jayco Bay Cycling Classic 8.00 Quiksilver Pro Surfing 9.00 Cliff Diving 9.30 Kitesurfing 10.00 Bundesliga Football 12.00 Surf Coast Knockout Golf LIVE 7.00 NBL Basketball LIVE - Perth Wildcats v Adelaide 36ers 9.00 Sports Tonight 9.30 Movie: A Shot At Glory (M 2000) US drama. Stars Robert Duvall 11.30 24/7

Jimmie Johnson 12.00 Omnisport 12.30 ATP World Tour Tennis 1.00 Serie A Football - LIVE 3.00 America's Game

PRIME

6.00 Religion 7.00 Weekend Sunrise 10.00 Home Improvement 10.30 My Wife And Kids 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE - 4th round 6.00 Seven News 6.30 Australian Open Tennis LIVE - 4th round 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News

7 TWO

6.00 Kids' Programs 8.30 Movie: Step Lively (G 1944) US musical. Stars Frank Sinatra 10.20 Movie: Brave Warrior (PG 1952) Western. Stars Jon Hall 12.00 Movie: The Big Country (PG 1958) US drama. Stars Gregory Peck 3.35 Movie: Short Circuit 2 (PG 1988) US comedy. Stars Fisher Stevens 6.00 Love Thy Neighbour 6.30 All Creatures Great And Small 7.30 Bargain Hunt 8.00 10 Years Younger 9.30 Escape To The Country 9.30 Live The Dream 10.30 Restaurant In Our Living Room 11.30 Club Reps Aftersun (MA) 12.30 Not Going Out 1.00 2008 Australian Open Tennis: Hewitt v Baghdatis 5.00 Home Shopping

7MATE

6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 Movie: The Horse Soldiers (G 1959) Civil War drama. Stars John Wayne 11.30 Beach Patrol 12.00 Movie: Back To School (PG 1986) US comedy. Stars Robert Downey Jr 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 The Drew Carey Show 5.30 According To Jim 6.30 That '70s Show 7.30 Gene Simmons Family Jewels 8.30 Movie: National Lampoon's Animal House (M 1978) US comedy. Stars John Belushi 11.00 Boston Legal (M) 12.00 Lost (M) 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal

NBN

6.00 Infomercials 7.00 Weekend Today 10.00 Surfsport 11.00 Cybershack 11.30 F Troop 12.00 Kids' Programs 2.00 One Day Cricket Series LIVE - Australia v England 6.00 NBN News 6.30 Cricket continues 10.00 Movie: Murder At 1600 (M 1997) US action. Stars Wesley Snipes 12.20 Movie: Good Fences (M 2003) US comedy. Stars Danny Glover 2.30 Infomercials 3.30 Religion 4.00 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News

GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 The Hills 12.30 Cribs 1.30 Here's Lucy 2.30 Green Acres 3.30 The Dukes Of Hazzard 4.30 Privileged 5.30 Wipeout 6.30 The Middle 7.30 The Big Bang Theory 8.00 The Middle 8.30 The Big Bang Theory 9.00 The Middle 9.30 Movie: Boogie Nights (MA 1997) US drama. Stars Mark Wahlberg 12.30 Watchmen: The Complete Motion Comic (AV) 1.00 The Dukes Of Hazzard 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Privileged 5.00 Here's Lucy

GEM

6.00 Religion 6.30 Movie: Trent's Last Case (G 1952) UK drama. Stars Michael Wilding 8.30 Movie: Life With Father (G 1947) US comedy. Stars Irene Dunne 11.00 Movie: Clash Of The Titans (PG 1981) US action. Stars Laurence Olivier 1.30 The Nanny 2.00 Birds Of A Feather 2.30 Bless This House 3.00 Allo Allo 3.30 Movie: Agatha Christie's Evil Under The Sun (PG 1982) UK mystery. Stars Peter Ustinov 6.00 The Nanny 6.30 Antiques Roadshow 7.30 As Time Goes By 8.00 Allo Allo 8.30 Movie: A Perfect World (M 1993) US drama. Stars Clint Eastwood 11.20 Without A Trace (M) 12.20 Movie: Blue Murder At St Trinian's (G 1957) UK comedy. Stars Terry Thomas 2.00 Home Shopping 4.30 Religion 5.00 Adventures In Rainbow Country 5.30 Today

**ABC 1**  
 4.00 First Tuesday Book Club 5.00 Something In The Air 5.30 The Einstein Factor 6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Middy Report 12.30 The Forsyte Saga 1.30 An Island Parish 2.00 The Bill  
 3.00 Women's T20 Cricket LIVE - Australia v England  
 6.00 My Family  
 6.30 Shamwari  
 7.00 ABC News  
 7.30 The 7.30 Report  
 8.00 Grumpy Guide To Money  
 8.30 Gandhi: The Rise To Fame  
 9.30 Return To Lake Eyre  
 10.30 Late Edition News  
 10.40 The Bridge: Sydney Harbour Bridge 11.40 Murphy's Law (M)  
 12.30 The Clinic (M) 1.25 Movie: Underwater! (G 1955) US drama 3.00 NSW Open Bowls

**ABC 2**  
 5.30 Can We Help? 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs  
 7.15 The Daily Show  
 7.40 Important Things  
 8.00 Absolutely Fabulous  
 8.30 Durham County (M)  
 9.30 Generation Kill (M)  
 10.30 Teachers (M)  
 11.30 Being Erica 12.15 London Live: Girls, Girls, Girls Special 12.40 I'm From Rolling Stone 1.00 Coach Trip 1.30 Close

**ABC 3**  
 6.05am to 4.40pm Kids' Programs  
 5.00 CJ The DJ 5.15 Grizzly Tales For Gruesome Kids 5.35 League Of Super Evil 6.00 Spliced! 6.30 Prank Patrol International 6.50 Good Game: SP 7.10 What Do You Know? 7.40 M.I. High 8.10 Jeopardy 8.35 Degraasi: The Next Generation 9.00 Close

**ABC NEWS 24**  
 4.00 ABC News 4.05 Big Ideas 5.00 ABC News 5.15 The Quarters 5.30 7.30 Select 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 ABC News 12.00 Middy Report 12.30 One Plus One 1.00 ABC News 2.00 Middy Report 2.30 Talking Heads 3.00 Afternoon Live 5.30 7.30 Select 6.00 ABC News 6.05 The Drum 6.45 The Quarters 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report 8.00 ABC News 8.30 Foreign Correspondent 9.00 The World 10.00 ABC News 10.05 The Drum 10.45 The Quarters 11.00 ABC News 11.30 The 7.30 Report 12.00 Big Ideas 1.00 BBC News 1.30 Australia Network News 2.00 BBC World News 2.30 Australia Network News 3.00 Big Ideas

**SBS 1**  
 5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Food Lovers' Guide To Australia 1.30 Les Misérables 3.30 Letters And Numbers 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  
 9.30 World News Australia

10.00 Facejacker (M)  
 10.30 South Park (M/MA)  
 11.30 The World Game 12.30 Movie: The 36th Chamber Of Shaolin (M 1977) Cantonese action 2.30 Weatherwatch

**SBS 2**  
 5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News  
 6.00 A Fork In The Road Singapore  
 6.30 Come Dine With Me Greece  
 7.30 Why Can't We Predict Earthquakes?  
 8.30 How To Survive A Disaster  
 9.30 The World Game  
 10.30 Movie: Joint Security Area (MAV 2000) South Korean thriller  
 12.30 Weatherwatch

**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 Good Chef Bad Chef 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News  
 6.00 6PM With George Negus  
 6.30 Ten News  
 7.00 The 7pm Project  
 7.30 Glee  
 8.30 Undercover Boss  
 9.30 Good News Week (M)  
 10.30 Outrageous Fortune (M)  
 11.30 Late News 12.00 The Late Show 1.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

**ELEVEN**  
 6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Neighbours 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork & Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties  
 6.30 Neighbours  
 7.00 Everybody Loves Raymond  
 7.30 Futurama  
 8.30 Supernatural (M)  
 9.30 Dexter (AV)  
 10.30 The Late Late Show  
 11.30 Cheers 12.00 Roseanne 12.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 1.00 Mork & Mindy 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Diagnosis Murder 4.00 Jag 5.00 MacGyver

**ONE HD**  
 6.00 America's Game 7.00 NFL Playoffs - LIVE 2.00 MVP 2.30 Real NBA 3.00 Omnisport 3.30 24/7 Jimmie Johnson 4.00 Red Bull X Fighters 5.00 First Ascent 6.00 NFL Playoffs 8.30 World Football News 9.30 Sports Tonight 10.00 The Pro Shop 11.00 PGA Tour Of Australasia Golf 12.00 Fore Inventors Only 1.00 Sports Tonight Late 1.10 Ironman World Championship - Hawaii 2.10 Omnisport 2.40 Serie A Football 3.45 Mecum Auto Auction 5.30 Omnisport

**PRIME**  
 6.00 Sunrise 9.00 Kids' Programs  
 10.30 Seven News  
 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE - 4th round  
 6.00 Prime News  
 6.30 Seven News  
 7.00 Home And Away  
 7.30 Australian Open Tennis LIVE - 4th round  
 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News

**7 TWO**  
 6.00 KidsTime 9.30 Shortland Street 10.00 Coronation Street 10.30 Emmerdale 11.00 Hollyoaks 11.30 Passport To The Sun 12.00 Murphy Brown 12.30 The Good Life 1.00 Best Of The Morning Show 2.00 Full House 2.30 Movie: Benny & Joon (PG 1993) US comedy. Stars Johnny Depp 4.30 Welcome Back Kotter 5.00 Head Of The Class 5.30 Growing Pains 6.00 A House In Florida  
 6.30 Bargain Hunt  
 7.00 Men Behaving Badly  
 7.30 Heartbeat  
 8.30 Jonathan Creek (M)  
 9.40 Maisie Raine (M)  
 10.50 The Philanthropist (M) 11.50 Last Man Standing (M) 12.50 Not Going Out 1.20 2010 Australian Open Tennis: Roddick v Gonzalez 5.00 Home Shopping

**7MATE**  
 6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 NBC Today 10.00 NBC Meet The Press 11.00 Australia's Greatest Athlete 12.00

Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 The Drew Carey Show 5.30 According To Jim  
 6.30 Scrubs  
 7.00 That '70s Show  
 7.30 How I Met Your Mother  
 8.30 Family Guy (M)  
 9.00 American Dad  
 9.30 Double Take (M)  
 10.30 CNNNN (M)  
 11.30 Russell Brand's Ponderland (M) 12.00 Strikeforce (M) 12.30 Big Joe's Place 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal

**NBN**  
 5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings With Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Home Shopping 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Afternoon News 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 NBN News  
 7.00 A Current Affair  
 7.30 Two And A Half Men  
 8.25 Lotto  
 8.30 The Mentalist (M)  
 9.30 CSI (M)  
 10.30 Embarrassing Bodies (M)  
 11.30 The Bill Engvall Show 12.00 What Would You Do 1.00 Spyforce 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 Get Smart 12.00 Here's Lucy

12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 Cribs 2.00 Privileged 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 Kids' Programs  
 6.30 Movie: The Bugs Bunny/Roadrunner Movie (G 1979) Animation  
 8.30 Pretty Little Liars (M)  
 9.30 Movie: I Know What You Did Last Summer (M 1997) US thriller. Stars Jennifer Love Hewitt  
 11.35 Two And A Half Men 12.00 Gossip Girl (M) 1.00 Pretty Little Liars (M) 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Get Smart 5.30 The Flintstones

**GEM**  
 6.00 Today 9.00 Alive & Cooking 9.30 The Zoo 10.00 The Nanny 10.30 Friends 11.00 Murder, She Wrote 12.00 Movie: Sands Of The Desert (G 1960) UK comedy. Stars Charles Drake 2.00 Wife Swap USA 3.00 McLeod's Daughters 4.00 Wild South America: Andes To Amazon 5.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 6.00 The Nanny  
 6.30 Friends  
 7.00 The Zoo  
 8.00 Animal Emergency  
 8.30 Movie: Mona Lisa Smile (PG 2003) US drama. Stars Julia Roberts  
 11.00 Southland (M) 12.00 Friends 12.30 The Zoo 1.00 Murder, She Wrote 2.00 Home Shopping 4.30 Religion 5.00 Rainbow Country 5.30 Today

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**ABC 1**  
 4.00 Sleuth 101 4.30 The Cook And The Chef 5.00 Something In The Air 5.30 The Einstein Factor 6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Middy Report 12.30 Time Team 1.20 Paul Merton In China 2.00 The Bill 3.00 Kids' Programs  
 6.00 My Family  
 6.30 Shamwari  
 7.00 ABC News  
 7.30 The 7.30 Report  
 8.00 Poh's Kitchen  
 8.30 Australia Celebrates  
 10.30 Late Edition News  
 10.45 The Fibros And The Silvertails 11.45 Who Killed Dr Bogle And Mrs Chandler? 12.40 The Chaser's War On Everything (M) 1.10 Movie: The Strange Love Of Martha Ivers (PG 1946) US drama. Stars Barbara Stanwyck

**ABC 2**  
 5.30 Can We Help? 6.00 ABC News Breakfast 9.00 Kids' Programs  
 7.15 The Daily Show  
 7.35 Important Things  
 8.00 Black Books  
 8.30 Jack Osbourne  
 9.30 Whitest Kids U Know  
 10.00 Generation Kill (M)  
 11.00 Hyperdrive 11.30 Black Books 12.00 Choose Your Own Adventure (M) 12.30 London Live 12.55 I'm From Rolling Stone 1.20 Coach Trip 1.45 Close

**ABC 3**  
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**SBS 1**  
 5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Movie: The True Legend Of The Eiffel Tower (PG 2006) French drama 2.45 Lies 3.00 Classical Destinations 3.30 Letters And Numbers 4.00 The Journal 4.30 Newshour 5.30 Global Village  
 6.00 Letters And Numbers  
 6.30 World News Australia

7.30 What's In That Pill?  
 8.30 Living The End (M)  
 9.30 World News Australia  
 10.05 The Late Session  
 11.05 Hot Docs: Afghan Star 12.15 Movie: Heart Of Fire (M 2008) German drama 1.55 Weatherwatch

**SBS 2**  
 5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News  
 6.00 A Fork In Asia Guilin  
 6.30 Come Dine With Me Greece  
 7.30 Lost Worlds Europe in the Middle Ages  
 8.30 As It Happened: Japan In Ruins Tokyo the day the war ended  
 9.30 Movie: Jan Dara (MA 2001) Thai thriller  
 11.30 Movie: Iron Island (M 2005) Iranian drama 1.05 Weatherwatch

**TEN**  
 6.00 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 Good Chef Bad Chef 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News  
 6.00 6PM With George Negus  
 6.30 Ten News  
 7.00 The 7pm Project  
 7.30 Talking 'Bout Your Generation  
 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles (M)  
 9.30 Lie To Me (M)  
 10.30 Late News  
 11.00 The Late Show 12.00 Numb3rs (M) 1.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

**ELEVEN**  
 6.00 Touched By An Angel 7.00 7th Heaven 8.00 The Brady Bunch 8.30 Neighbours 9.00 Touched By An Angel 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Diagnosis Murder 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Cheers 3.30 Roseanne 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Mork & Mindy 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 Family Ties  
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 7.00 Everybody Loves Raymond  
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 10.05 Californication (M)  
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**PRIME**  
 6.00 Sunrise 9.00 Kids' Programs  
 10.30 Seven News  
 11.00 Australian Open Tennis LIVE - Quarter finals  
 6.00 Prime News  
 6.30 Seven News  
 7.00 Home And Away  
 7.30 Australian Open Tennis LIVE - Quarter finals  
 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News

**7 TWO**  
 6.00 KidsTime 9.30 Shortland Street 10.00 Coronation Street 10.30 Emmerdale 11.00 Hollyoaks 11.30 Passport To The Sun 12.00 Murphy Brown 12.30 The Good Life 1.00 Best Of The Morning Show 2.00 Full House 2.30 Movie: Company Business (PG 1991) US action/comedy. Stars Gene Hackman 4.30 Welcome Back Kotter 5.00 Head Of The Class 5.30 Growing Pains  
 6.00 A House In Florida  
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 7.00 Men Behaving Badly  
 7.30 Some Mothers Do 'ave 'em  
 8.10 Are You Being Served?  
 8.50 To The Manor Born  
 9.30 Porridge  
 10.10 Movie: Carry On, Follow That Camel (PG 1967) UK comedy. Stars Kenneth Williams 12.15 The Palace (M) 1.20 Big J's Place 1.50 1988 Australian Open Tennis: Lendl v Cash 5.00 Home Shopping

**7MATE**  
 6.00 Wagon Train 7.00 The Virginian 8.30 McHale's Navy 9.00 NBC Today 11.00 Australia's Greatest Athlete 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal  
 6.30 Scrubs  
 7.00 That '70s Show  
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 8.30 Family Guy (M)  
 9.00 American Dad (M)  
 9.30 My Name Is Earl  
 10.30 Scrubs  
 11.30 Punk'd (M) 12.00 Quincy ME 1.00 Airwolf 2.00 Magnum PI 3.00 The Rockford Files 4.00 Baywatch 5.00 McHale's Navy 5.30 Deal Or No Deal

**NBN**  
 5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings With Kerri-Anne 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Home Shopping 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Afternoon News 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 NBN News  
 7.00 A Current Affair  
 7.30 The Big Bang Theory  
 8.00 Top Gear  
 9.30 20 To 1  
 10.30 The Australian Of The Year Awards 2011  
 11.30 The Bill Engvall Show 12.00 20/20 1.00 Entertainment Tonight 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 Get Smart 12.00 Here's Lucy 12.30 Seinfeld 1.00 The Hills 2.00 Charlies Angels 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 Kids' Programs 6.30 Wipeout 7.30 Movie: Serving Sara (PG 2002) US comedy. Stars Matthew Perry  
 9.30 Movie: Charlies Angels - Full Throttle (M 2003) US action. Stars Cameron Diaz  
 11.45 South Park (M) 12.15 Movie: Batman - Gotham Knight (M 2008) US animation 2.00 Home Shopping 4.00 Just Shoot Me 4.30 TMZ 5.00 Get Smart 5.30 The Flintstones

**GEM**  
 6.00 Today 9.00 Alive & Cooking 9.30 The Zoo 10.00 The Nanny 10.30 Friends 11.00 Murder, She Wrote 12.00 Movie: Up Jumped A Swagman (G 1965) UK musical/comedy. Stars Frank Ifield 2.00 Wife Swap USA 3.00 McLeod's Daughters 4.00 The Zoo 4.30 Animal Emergency 5.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show  
 6.00 The Nanny  
 6.30 Friends  
 7.00 The Zoo  
 7.30 Secret Millionaire  
 8.30 Hoarders  
 9.30 The Closer (M)  
 10.30 Rizzoli & Isles (AV)  
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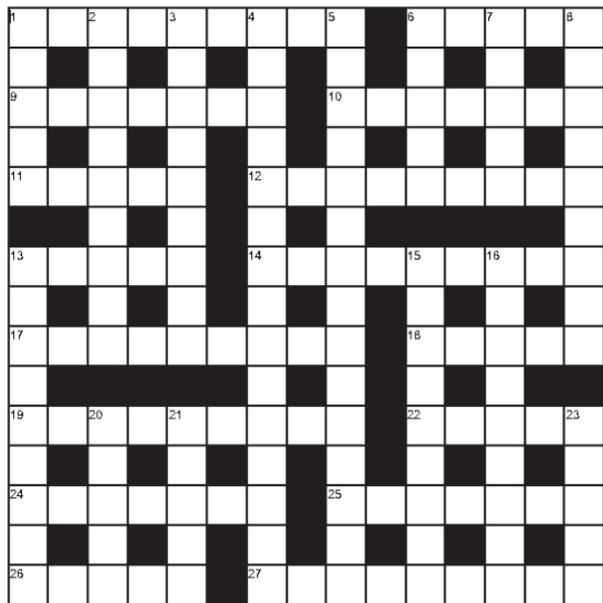
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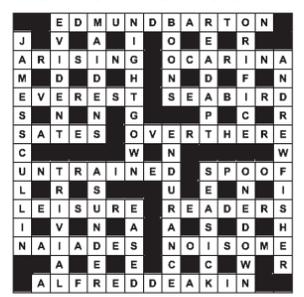
### Quick Clues

- ACROSS**
- Printed publication, usually daily (9)
  - Shack, run-down dwelling place (5)
  - Agitator, one who causes trouble (7)
  - Verve, panache, showiness (7)
  - Unhappily, mournfully (5)
  - Optimists, believers in a perfect world (9)
  - Famous fountain in Rome (5)
  - Devices to aid memory (9)
  - Variety of kernels used roasted or salted but not raw (6,3)
  - Hygienic, unsoiled (5)
  - Alert, on the lookout (9)
  - Messages sent via the internet (5)
  - Citizen of Tel Aviv (7)
  - Sulphuric acid (7)
  - Overly sentimental, mawkish (5)
  - Hankering for the past (9)
- DOWN**
- Shelters, homes for birds (5)
  - Strange behaviour, eccentricity (9)
  - The agenda or code laid down by a political group (5,4)
  - Member of an elected legislature (15)
  - Agents, often those elected to public office (15)
  - Greenish brown colour; also a nut-bearing shrub (5)
  - Glass containers used by chemists (5)
  - Revolving tray for serving food (4,5)
  - Science concerned with the movement of the earth's crust (9)
  - Formal group of musicians (9)
  - Repeating, processing by rote (9)
  - Remnant, small piece (5)
  - Thin, attenuated (5)
  - Shrub with fragrant white, pink and purple blossoms (5)

### Cryptic Clues

- ACROSS**
- Young impersonators grab bookmaker, they inform us (9)
  - Hot, feverish love in a hut (5)
  - Agitator is, perhaps, a prisoner (7)
  - Transcendental double unknown. A double unknown? That shows panache! (7)
  - Single mad lady, unhappily (5)
  - Imaginative thought leading to agendas - what we would like 4 and 5 to be! (9)
  - I have right to return to the fountain (5)
  - Note about number, number 99 - son, they'll help you remember! (9)
  - Snack money went astray? About turn! (6,3)
  - Cold, thin scrub (5)
  - Alert slave of a Russian river? (9)
  - Send message to English mother, 49 (5)
  - Middle easterner is God-priest (7)
  - 25, three and fifty: a corrosive brew (7)
  - Very soft ingredient for sauce - positively mawkish! (5)
  - Musing on the past, I cast long shadows (9)
- DOWN**
- Settles son in traps (5)
  - You and I on a single way over the headland - that's an oddity! (9)
  - Do queue - 4 and 5 are expected to stick to it (5,4)
  - Level post back with specialist born in Spring - we picked her... (15)
  - ... and all her colleagues. Angry private harbours hate with two courses (15)
  - The first Mrs Hawke, a mix of Green and brown (5)
  - Glass vessels --Russian, perhaps, rises top hold one (5)
  - Idle Sontag goes around and round at the table (4,5)
  - Strange sect imbibes a pick-me-up; that's shaky science! (9)
  - Her actors perform for musicians (9)
  - Information technology with hesitation at first instance no good - try repeating! (9)
  - Break up the fight (5)
  - Young antelope retreats - it's thin, anyway (5)
  - Call back about singular fragrant flower (5)
- Mungo's Crossword first published in *The Week*.

### Last week's solution



WITH LILITH

Super sensitive midweek full moon precludes a portentous late week as Sun/Mars/Neptune in Aquarius announce the shape of things to come...



- ♈ ARIES:** If boss planet Mars rocking into enterprising Aquarius expands your solo plans into shared enterprises that's fine, though emotional frictions could spark during midweek full moon. This week wants you translating inspirational ideas into practical action by grounding them into a step by step progression.
- ♉ TAURUS:** While this week doesn't promise to be what Taurean comic Ben Elton calls trouser-throbbingly thrilling, you will be offered an opportunity to complete something that's been dragging on for a very long time. As a past situation repeats itself, make this the final replay...
- ♊ GEMINI:** Mars in a socializing fellow air sign makes this week a winner for fun and profit schmoozing or brainstorming new money moves. But if its extraordinarily frisky astral hormones activate relationship complications try not to over-think problems, which dissipate after midweek fireworks.
- ♋ CANCER:** Your annual full moon in Cancer makes this an emotional week, bringing angsty matters to a crisis, a crossroads, a turning point. Fortunately Mars in your house of sharing's well placed to help you shed old conditioning and the weight of past mistakes, your own and others.
- ♌ LEO:** Rather than a look-at-me-being-fabulous attitude, do things well for your own sake this week. Avoid midweek histrionics, and when late week Leo moon's caviar taste meets budgetary restrictions, don't growl - your inimitable style makes cheap and cheerful look like the latest in thing.
- ♍ VIRGO:** You've got nothing to lose and everything to gain this week by experimenting, being adventurous and stretching your mind to broader perspectives. Don't dismiss strange inspirations or unusual offers, although wise Virgins will probably play it safe by staying solo around midweek's antsy, angsty full moon.
- ♎ LIBRA:** By now resolutions are wearing thin, so if you find you're slipping back into bad habits, take heart from Libran poet T.S. Eliot: *Last year's words belong to last year's language, and next year's words await another voice.* To make an end is to make a beginning.
- ♏ SCORPIO:** Choose tasks this week that can be accomplished in a given time, rather than open-ended projects that deprive you of a sense of fulfillment. Domestic tensions and security issues could bubble up under midweek moon, but then love throws a party in your heart again...
- ♐ SAGITTARIUS:** You're keen to contribute this week, but going at things like a bat out of hell is tough on the system. Cut yourself some slack. And pay attention to what's being said on the street, in the supermarket, in restaurants, in passing - something's there for you.
- ♑ CAPRICORN:** Mercury on board S.S. Capricorn ups your concentration, memory and attention to detail, but remember Capricorn composer Irving Mills' observation: It don't mean a thing if it ain't got that swing. Let your thinking take a quantum leap - the more outrageous and unconventional the better.
- ♒ AQUARIUS:** If midweek full moon stirs up drama, late week Sun joining Mars and Neptune in Aquarius kicks off your month in the sun with vibrant drive and initiative. While you're the centre of attention promote whatever project you're engaged in, but watch out for envious others.
- ♓ PISCES:** Midweek full moon exposes emotions that have been bubbling away under the surface. Efforts to have things your own way are likely to go astray as old sabotage patterns and insecurities undermine your best intentions. Step beyond them up to the improved future version of yourself.

## CHESS by Ian Rogers

Play at Byron Services Club, Mon 7-10pm



A last round win by George Xie (pictured above) over Canberra's Junta Ikeda on Thursday gave the Sydneysider shared first place in a second consecutive Australian Open.

Going into the last round, Xie, 25, was trailing Australian number one Zhao Zong Yuan and Queensland's teenage star Moulthun Ly by half a point but when the leaders drew with each other, Xie was given a chance to tie with them for first place.

Having unluckily lost the title on a tiebreaker in 2008, Xie was more fortunate this time, edging out Zhao, despite the only Grandmaster in the field beating Xie in their individual encounter. Xie also moved a few steps

closer to the coveted Grandmaster title himself; having achieved the three required world class performances, he is now tantalisingly close to the required world ranking.

Xie's Open title was built on a stunning performance against Australia's best teenage talents. While Zhao, an ancient 24, struggled to cope with the young guns, Xie scored 5/5 against the rising stars Ly, Ikeda, Illingworth, Nakauchi and Zulfic. Many of these wins were demolitions: Zulfic lasted only 20 moves, Illingworth, 26.

At the closing ceremony on Thursday evening, Xie not only collected the Open trophy but was also awarded the Steiner medal for 2010 Australian Player of the Year. (There was no trifecta for Xie as Zhao edged him out for the 2010 Grand Prix.)

While for Zhao this was just a par result, 19-year-old Ly would have been just as satisfied as

Xie; by tying for first he also moved his world ranking close to International Master level.

Ly looked like a world-beater when he first scored an International Master result four years ago, but studies took over and his chess level stagnated. Now he has become more motivated and his result in Sydney and on the Gold Coast two weeks earlier indicates that he has taken a new step up.

Yet Canberra teenagers Andrew Brown and Ikeda finished only just behind Ly, Brown knocking over Olympian Stephen Solomon and Ikeda, who led throughout the first half of the tournament, toppling Zhao.

Many other juniors featured among the top ten during the event, a further sign that a new generation is already challenging the 20-somethings who currently occupy the top positions in the Australian Olympic team.

Some wise heads had seen

this coming; during the recent Olympiad in Siberia, veterans IM Solomon and GM Darryl Johansen agreed that 2010 would probably be their final Olympic appearance.

2011 Australian Open  
**White: G Xie**  
**Black: M Illingworth**  
 Opening: Scotch Game  
**1.e4 e5 2.Nf3 Nc6 3.d4 exd4 4.Nxd4 g6 5.Nc3 Bg7 6.Be3 Nge7?!** A fingerfehler. Illingworth had prepared 6...Nf6 7.Qd2 0-0 8.0-0 d5! but too much online blitz chess had programmed Illingworth to use his hand before his brain. **7.Qd2 0-0?** Now the Black king is a sitting duck. Black should prepare for queenside castling with ...d6, Be6 and Qd7. **8.0-0 d6 9.h4!** The classic way to exploit the absence of an f6 knight. **9...Nxd4 10.Bxd4 Bxd4 11.Qxd4 Nc6 12.Qd2 Be6 13.h5 Qf6 14.f4 Nb4** A desperate counter-attack which leads nowhere. However, Black cannot wait for g4 to overwhelm him. **15.Kb1 Rfd8 16.a3 Na6 17.hxg6 hxg6 18.f5! gx5 19.exf5 Nc5** Equivalent to resignation, but 19...Bxf5 20.Nd5 and 19...Qxf5 20.Qh6 were also hopeless. **20.fxe6 Nxe6 21.Bd3 Kf8 22.Rdf1 Qg7 23.Rh7 Ke7 24.Nd5+ Kd7 25.Rxg7 Nxg7 26.Rxf7+ 1-0**

■ 2011 Australian Open leading final scores: =1.Xie (N), Zhao (N), Ly (Q) 8.5/11; =4.V Smirnov (N), Brown (ACT) 8.

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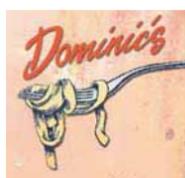
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## Health Food Stores

Victoria Cosford

The Pughs ran the Bulk Health Food store in Canberra's Civic Centre ('Civic') in the early seventies and for a while this was my after-school job. She remains indistinct in my memory, but not so Mr Pugh, a tall and portly Englishman who seemed to have walked straight out of a British sitcom.

We were called 'bulk' because so much of what was sold came in large sacks, or jars, or vats. The store had a peculiar fragrance of fusty dusty mustiness, which may have owed to the plethora of vitamins and supplements which composed a good half of it. Those indeed came in their standard receptacles, as did the surprisingly large range of packaged felafel, tinned Vegelinks, plastic-sheathed tofu and tempeh. But there were four huge tins with taps containing different types of honey, to which customers would submit their brought-from-home jars – an unsurprisingly messy arrangement to which no one ever objected. There were capacious drawers opening up to reveal grains, rice, nuts and pulses, and screw-top glass jars of spices and dried herbs. There was a section devoted to skin care: a plethora of little pots sealing away the secret to eternal youth or relief from haemorrhoids, all shatteringly expensive. It was clear – even back then – that to live longer and look younger you also needed a lot of money. There was Evening Primrose Oil, a name which enchanted me at a price which astounded me – and an ongoing volley of little old ladies who came to stock up on it. Its claims to benefit skin disorders, PMS and arthritis have subsequently been discredited or at least exaggerated – as they were for other popular lines we sold such as lecithin and apple cider vinegar. The latter was at the time experiencing a huge wave of popularity, largely due to the

belief that it was a fat-burner. In 1958 a Dr DC Jarvis had published a bestselling book which extolled its medicinal and health-giving virtues; in the early seventies people were reading it all over again. (Naturally I had a shot at the diet – three teaspoons of apple cider vinegar taken before every meal – and lasted several days before deciding its unpalatable acidity was too awful for words.)

There was a bookshelf too of worthy health-related self-help titles by people like Gaylord Hauser and Adelle Davis, which in bored moments I would listlessly leaf through, longing for Answers. I probably found happier answers on my trips to the store-room, always a high-point of my afternoons. The store-room gave real meaning to the word bulk. Here, hessian sacks lolled weightily against each other; here I could just dip in one small, plump schoolgirl's hand and withdraw a palm's worth of roasted unsalted cashews, or fat chalky Brazil nuts, or – the best sack – cooking chocolate. Even when the level of cassia cinnamon or whole cloves in the jars had merely dropped a fraction I would zealously ensure that they be topped up in my eagerness to get back to that cool, silent, forgiving store-room.

Oddly enough, after all these decades I find that health food stores still pulsate with the same smells, the same products – the same aura, if you like. Of course, today it's all 'organic' and 'unprocessed' and 'natural' and become so mainstream that supermarkets devote sections to the sort of food they sell. There's a timeless feel to health food stores – as if they found their own particular tone and decided there was no need to change – which I find as comfortable as it is comforting.

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The Fig Tree is perfectly positioned with commanding views over the Pacific Ocean and Byron Bay. Opened in 1981 it has been the benchmark in highlighting Byron Bay's fantastic local produce. Chefs/owners Jules and 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](http://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](http://www.osushi.com.au)

Winner of the favourite Japanese restaurant all over Australia in the I Love Food Competition. 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.





**The Deck**  
 Byron Bay Golf Club  
 B'fast: Sun 8.30am-11am  
 Lunch: Wed-Sun 11am-3pm  
 Dinner: Wed-Sat 5.30pm-9pm  
**6685 6470**

**Now open Sundays for breakfast and lunch**  
 Had enough of the rat race in the CBD? Just 3km from the centre of town nestled in the beautiful surrounds of Byron Bay's golf course The Deck at Byron is fast becoming the hot spot for locals and their families with Friday night entertainment for the kids and great value for money, a wide range of menu options and fresh and exciting specials for dinner. Don't be the last to find out! Bookings essential.

**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 and local produce  
 Award winning Campos coffee  
 Cakes made onsite

**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.

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

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



**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.

**Lemongrass at Byron**  
 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.

**Bayside Traditional Thai**  
 Open for dinner 7 nights a week  
 5.30pm - 9.30pm  
 5/2 Fletcher St, Byron Bay  
**6685 5151**

What do a Colombian, a Bulgarian and a Laosythaianese have in common? Traditional Thai! Setup by a Heng, cooked by a Verano, served by a Pavlova. We can be found in the Asian end of Fletcher St, just seconds away from the beach. Dine in the warm colourful atmosphere of our restaurant or take away. Banquet menus ideal for functions and private catering also available.

**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

**ENSO**  
 Savvy is upgrading, Enzo is coming... Now open seven nights, sunset drinks and izakaya from 3pm, dinner from 6pm till later than most.  
 Level 2 4/9 Fletcher Street, Byron Bay Ph: 6685 7856

Come meet our new 'world class' teppanyaki chef Daniel Fahtki and get 10% off teppanyaki anytime in December when you mention this ad. Exciting things are happening, watch this space...

**BYRON at Byron**  
 Breakfast, lunch and dinner 7 days  
 77-97 Broken Head Road Byron Bay  
**6639 2111**

With a focus on fresh local produce, the Restaurant at The Byron at Byron showcases fine food with passion. Dine in style overlooking a spectacular rainforest background and select from the seasonal menu which includes an enticing degustation dinner.  
**Happy Hour:** Join us from 4.30-6.00pm, Sunday to Thursday for a relaxing drink on the deck with \$10 cocktails, \$6 wines and \$5 beers.

**Calypso Kitchen**  
 Open 7 days  
 Lunch and dinner 11am-10pm daily  
**6685 5721**  
 3/31 Lawson St, Byron Bay

Calypso Kitchen introduces Caribbean food to the Byron Shire. Open 11am - 10pm 7 days. Why not come in and enjoy a taste of the Caribbean? Trinidadian roti, Jamaican patties, a selection of vegan dishes and daily specials on offer.

**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.

**THE AZTEC BYRON BAY**  
 32 Lawson St, **6680 8198**  
**LICENSED MEXICAN RESTAURANT**  
 NOW OPEN 6 days  
 Lunch (w/ends only)  
 Dinner 6 nights

All the favourites Nachos, Enchiladas, Burritos etc extensive vegetarian options. **OPENING SPECIALS:** 1/2 price lunch MONDAY TO FRIDAY Main Menu #1-#33 TWO UP TUESDAY - Buy one main meal and receive a second Main meal for Free from 5.30pm \$20.00 Group Bookings Menu for bookings of 15 or more Takeways and Childrens Menu available. Conditions Apply. **THE ORIGINAL FLAVOURS OF MEXICO.**

**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.

## We know what Goths want

Last week we wondered what Goths would like as food. This week a local Goth responds:



*We Goths prefer smouldering away like human volcanos in floor length ebony fur over black leather lingerie while dining on blood coloured beverages, mysterious fungi and licorice whips in underground dungeons. We're angels of the night into dark ritual pleasures, b and d, s and m, studs, tats, piercing, Nick Cave, Dracula movies and Bluebeard's castle, so stint not on the violet velvet, blood red roses with thorns, wrought iron candelabra furred with verdigris, ruby glass goblets and burgundy damask napkins. Feed us black magic banquets of devilish delicacies - dark foods with wicked flavours, addictive tastes and sexy reputations. Plutonic underground truffles and mushrooms, offal, raw fish with spirits, infernal salsas, hellish relishes, sinfully stimulating spices, killer chili, crimson fruit and veg. Switch off the lights and the mobile or you'll spoil the spell. Blowtorch the braziers of frankincense. Serve us Black Velvets and*

*Bloody Marys made with chili vodka. Have the blindfold gypsy musicians play tormented flamenco and let the midnight feast begin with iced black caviar on pumpernickel and steak tartare: raw beef crowned with scarlet habanero. Toss in an amuse-bouche of absinthe and blackcurrant sorbet, then proceed with squid ink pasta putanesca, charred octopus tart with black olive tapenade and beetroot puree, venison in a mole sauce with spiced black rice. Ply us with armagnac prune tart in chocolate pastry, black sapote mud cake with espresso granita, kahlua creme bruleed with a blowtorch and sambucca nero with flaming coffee beans. Thank you.*

**ITALIAN AT THE PACIFIC**  
 Breakfast & Dinner 7 days  
 Lunches Fri, Sat & Sun  
 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 appetit! Jonson Street, Byron Bay. www.whynotbyronbay.com.au **6680 7994**

**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 licensed and delicious cocktails.

**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 Summer menu so if a little smoke and spice is your taste - Now is the time to head down to The Orient Express.

## SNIPPETS

### LATINO CELLAR

Local wine expert David Stevens-Castro has just launched a new website called Latino Cellar for those interested in the increasingly popular wines from Chile and Argentina. On it he encourages users to send in any questions they may have, posts upcoming wine-related events, and offers a portfolio of wines available for purchase online. In addition he offers Wine Tasting Parties which combine education with pleasure. He will come to your home and present a personalised tasting party for groups between six and 20 people in the Northern Rivers region, Gold Coast, Brisbane or Sydney. From \$50 a head the parties include wine, tuition, cheeses and bread or crackers as well as all the glasses. More information can be obtained on the website [www.latinocellar.com](http://www.latinocellar.com).

### WINE ANNUAL

Still on wine, best-selling author and one of Australia's leading wine communicators Jeremy Oliver has released his 14th edition of *The Australian Wine Annual*. A trained winemaker, Jeremy has been writing about wine for 26 years and has a reputation for picking superb wines and making discoveries. He personally tastes every wine reviewed in the book and marks them on quality. The *Australian Wine Annual (2011)* is available from most book stores.

### HELP FOR START-UP RESTOS

All those keen on the idea of starting up their own cafe or restaurant will have the opportunity to learn the ropes at a seminar entitled 'Starting Your Small Business', run by the Northern Rivers Business Enterprise Centre. The 2 1/2 hour evening workshop will discuss how the first 12 - 18 months in business are critical to survival for new business owners, whether they purchase an existing one or start a new small business. Covering legal and tax obligations, types of insurance, employing staff, business plans and business structures, it will be held on Tuesday February 8 at Ballina RSL, on Wednesday February 9 at Lismore Workers Club and on Wednesday February 16 at Level 1 Wharf Central, Tweed Heads. To book or enquire further phone 6622 1933.

BYRON BAY CONTINUED



### The Petit Snail

Open Wed-Sat  
6:30pm till late  
Accordian on Fridays  
Fully licensed.  
Live Music some nights.  
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](http://www.thepetitsnail.com.au).

'Most highly rated French Restaurant in Australia' - My Taste Website



### Fishmongers Takeaway

Open 7 days from midday.  
Bay Lane - behind the Beach Hotel  
6680 8080  
[www.fishmongers.com.au](http://www.fishmongers.com.au)

Fishmongers serve up seafood the way it's meant to be - simple, fresh and really tasty! Try our famous homemade chips, A-grade fish and other jumping fresh seafood & daily specials. We are tucked away behind the Beach Hotel in Bay Lane - eat in or take to a beach near you!



### Targa

Open 7 days  
7am - 10pm  
Corner Marvell & Middleton Sts,  
Reservations:  
6680 9960

[www.targarestaurant.com](http://www.targarestaurant.com)



### Fins

Salt Village, Kingscliff  
6674 4833  
[dining@fins.com.au](mailto:dining@fins.com.au)  
Dinner 7 days  
Lunch Fri, Sat & Sun  
GOOD FOOD GUIDE CHEFS HAT EVERY YEAR SINCE 1998

A big thank you to all our patrons. Fins is proud to announce we won 'BEST SEAFOOD RESTAURANT' in regional NSW in the Restaurant and Catering Awards.

Next we take on Best in Australia!



### Blackboard at the Beach

Breakfast & lunch Wed-Sun  
NOW OPEN Fri & Sat nights  
6687 4333  
[www.blackboard.net.au](http://www.blackboard.net.au)

Recommended in the Sydney Morning Herald Good Food Guide 2011, 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. Also NOW OPEN Friday and Saturday nights.



### Seven Mile Café

Licensed  
BYO (Bottled Wine)  
41 Pacific Parade  
Lennox Head  
6687 6210

Over \$280.00 value free when you purchase the Seven Mile Restaurant calendar for just \$20.00! Also with every \$50.00 gift certificate you purchase we will GIVE you a \$10.00 gift certificate! [www.sevenmilerestaurant.com.au](http://www.sevenmilerestaurant.com.au)



### 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](http://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 2011 Good Food Guide Reviewed and Top 10 Sustainable Restaurants**



### Poinciana Food Bar Cafe Music

55 Station St,  
Mullumbimby  
6684 4036  
[www.poincianacafe.com](http://www.poincianacafe.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!



### Spice It Up Thai Restaurant

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

2010 Sydney Morning Herald Good Food Guide  
**FOR THE LOVE OF THAI FOOD!**



### Jordan's

Unit 4, 8 Smith St,  
Mullumbimby  
6684 1919  
[www.jordanspastry.com.au](http://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.



### Uncle Tom's Pies

At the Gateway to Mullum  
Mon-Fri: 6am to 6:30pm  
Sat: 6:30am to 6:00pm  
Sun: 7:00am to 6:00pm  
6684 4041  
[rich@rd.au.com](mailto:rich@rd.au.com)

Byron Shire's iconic pie shop, recently renovated and now serving a full range of traditional, handmade pies served with mashed potato and mushy peas. **We also do great espresso coffee, fresh sandwiches, salads, fruit salads and slices.** Come on in and try our pie of the week or maybe even a milkshake with the kids and enjoy friendly, country hospitality.



### Yum Yum Tree Café

Breakfast & Lunch  
7 days from 8am  
Dinner  
Thurs, Fri & Sat from 6pm  
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](http://www.yumyumtreecafe.com.au)



### Your Italian Kitchen

Shop 32, Ocean Village  
Shopping Centre  
6680 2346  
Open Mon-Fri: 11am-8pm  
Sat: 5pm Onwards

Inspired by the taste of southern Italy, Your Italian Kitchen offers a great range of classic pasta and sauce combinations. Our sauces are slow cooked for hours using recipes handed down through generations. You can phone through your order or visit us before shopping at the centre but don't forget to enquire about our daily specials.

KINGSCLIFF

LENNOX

MULLUMBIMBY

OCEAN SHORES

SUFFOLK PARK

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SUPPLIERS

# That's the wood chopped for another year

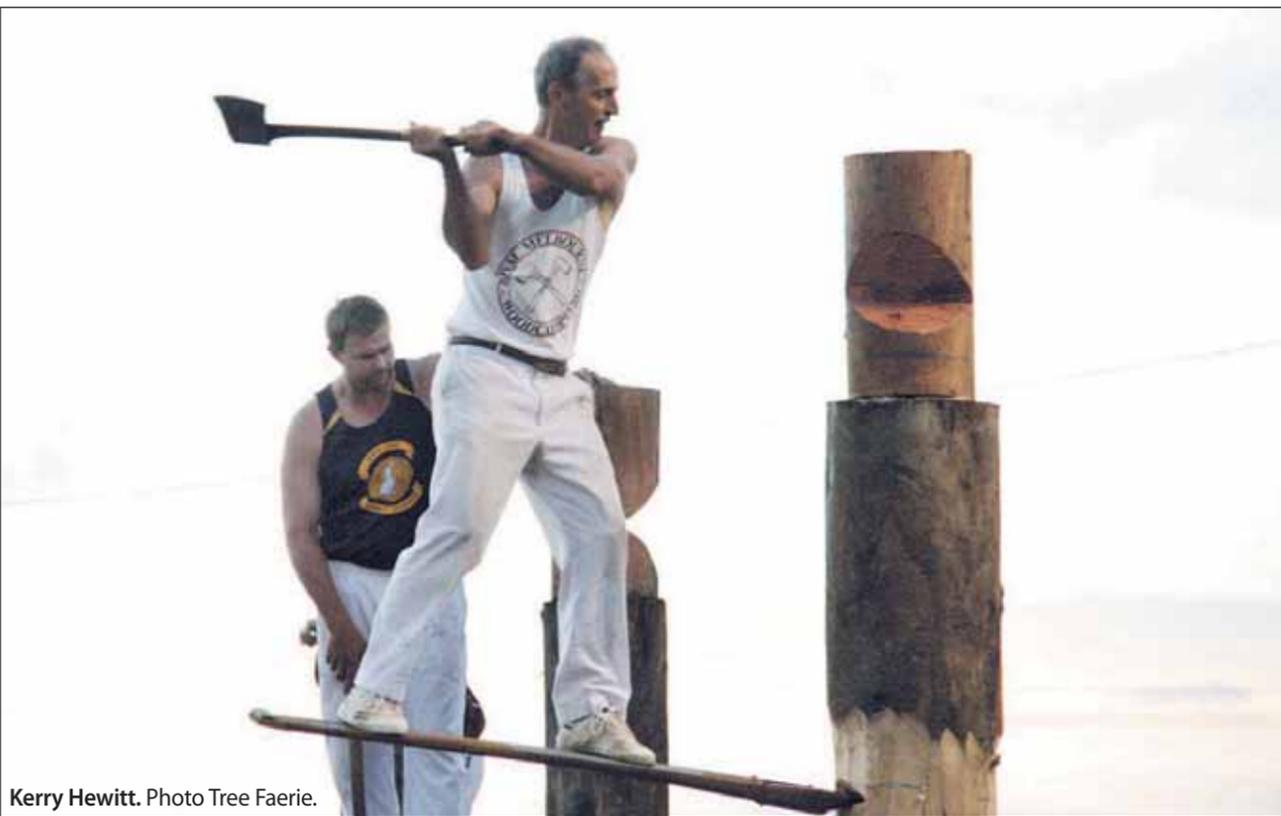
Axeman Kerry Hewitt was a member of one of over twenty clans to bring their families to the 2011 Brunswick Valley Woodchop.

There must be something in the family that chops together stays together, because year after year the woodchopping dynasties from Australia and the Wynyards from New Zealand keep coming back for another dose of what they love so much.

In this event Kerry came in fourth, a bittersweet place that saw his son Lindsay take out first to keep the family name on the winners' board.

Another clan that did exceptionally were Jason and Karmyn Wynyard, who always draw an admiring crowd at Bruns.

Jason came third in the 300mm Standing Block, second in the 325 mm Underhand, and first in both the Single Handed Sawing and the Double Handed Sawing. Together the pair unsurprisingly won the Jack and Jill 375 Double Handed Sawing and Karmyn, a graceful and gracious Amazonian mother of three, won equal first place in the Women's Overall Points Score Handicap and equal Women's Champion of Champions.



Kerry Hewitt. Photo Tree Faerie.

## let's play football

**Pre-season training/selection for Byron Bay Football Club's Premier Division Squad** will be held at the Byron Recreation Grounds on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from January 25 to March 2011, with new **Director of Coaching, John Sowter.**

**training/sign on dates**

**Prem/Reserves: 6pm Tuesday, Jan 25, 2011**

Senior Womens: 6pm Monday, 24 Jan 2011  
 Senior Mens: 6pm Wednesday, 2 Feb 2011  
 Junior Boys/Girls: 9am Saturday, 12 Feb 2011

**ramsbyronbayfc**

email: coach@byronbayfc.com.au for more information

## SPORT RESULTS

### BOWLS

#### Brunswick Heads Men

Wednesday 14/1 - Self Selected Triples. 1st C Jensen; L. Campbell; R. Montgomery, 2nd T Jenkins; P. Kurtz; T. Batchlor, 3rd B O'Donnell; R. Frapple; B. Bolland.  
 Friday 14/1 - Pairs 1st G. Rendell; L. McCormick, 2nd E. Boyter; J. Phypers.  
 Saturday 15/1 - Open Pairs. 1st S. Brecard; J. Hay.

#### Byron Bay Men

Thursdays self selected pairs - winners Bob Macaulay and Peter Darby on 19 points, Maurie Dunn and Stu Wallace second on 18 points, margin 24.

Saturdays social bowls was won by Ivan Eastern, Pat Anderson and Judith Wright, Runners up were Werner Borkhart and Bob Lewis.  
 Mark Barry, Peter Lofts and Dick Aldridge travelled to Cabarita on Saturday for the Annual District Charity Day which clubs raised \$2,500 for 'Kids In Need'.

#### Byron Bay Women

Ladies Bowls Tuesday mornings. Names in by 9:15am (ph 66856202), be in the club by 9:30.

#### Lennox Head Men

Tuesday 11th January; Self selected triples; Winners: B Lawless, I Whitehall, D Taylor Snr. 22 d B Murray, G Carter, B Earle 13; Runners-up: B Edwards, J Adams, G Heffernan 25 d J Lowry, M Knott, F Dodd 15; K Foster, G Lightfoot 22 (jackpot winners \$340.) d D Lewis, B Malcolm 15; J Dudgeon, E Burgess, J Burrows 28 d M Berger, B Harrington, L Chaseling 12; J Robinson, L Martin, C Ulrick 25 d G Grady, R Reid, S Prasad 16; E Edwards, R Sullivan, G Pascoe 23 d P Sharp, R Orme, B Saric 10; C Skennar, L Bartlett 24 d

G Hayes, G Bowden 22;

Wednesday 12th January; Lennox Head Hardware Twilight Pairs; Winners: J Barrow, G Maloney d B Tasker, S Tasker; C Skennar, R Hurst 27 (Jackpot winners), d G Heffernan, D Gregor 10; J Adams, B Evans 21 d B Edwards, J Robinson 11; K Pringle, K McGuire 17 d G Ironfield 15; G Grady, R Reid 20 d D Smith, L Martin 19; R Bolger, W McRae 21 d R Pringle, S Lewis 18; G Mathews, B Saric 19 d E Burgess, J Burrows 14;  
 Friday 14th January; Open Pairs; Winners: J Dudgeon, K Philp, F Somerville 22 d S Skennar, C Skennar, M Daley 12; Runners-up: R Whitney, P Brining, F Whitney 21 d S Whitehall, J Lowry, I Whitehall 8; G Ironfield, G Hayes, J Bowen 25 d M Berger, R De Re, B De Re 22; J Raeburn, G Carter, D Taylor Snr 18 d J Brook, P Sharp, G Brook 12; B Sullivan, R Sullivan 26 d N Hanaway, B McRae 19; S Nicol, E Reid, R Reid 22 d A Humphries, B Murray, N Holmes 18; M Knott, S Grady, G Grady 24 d B Knott, L Martin, G Martin 16;  
 Saturday 15th January; Club selected; Winners: K Kilby, I Whitehall, B Westworth 23 d B Gregory, G Carter, L Chaseling 17; M Berger, P Sharp 19 d K Foster, G Houston 16. D Lewis, D Gowden 22 d G Ironfield, B Schweizer 21; Round 2 Club Fours Championship: W Hampson, I Saric, D Tancred, N Burgess 28 d K McGuire, B Malcolm, G Maloney, G Lightfoot 7;  
 R Pringle, K Pringle, E Burgess, J Burrows 24 d M Daley, R De Re, R Reid, G Brook 19; G Hayes, A Reynolds, G Bowden, J Bowen 22 d J Lowry, G Mathews, S Prasad, B Evans 17; D Smith, L Martin, G Grady, D Kemp (rink runners-up) 25 d C Skennar, R Hurst, G Heffernan, D Gregor 15;

#### Lennox Head Women

Wednesday 12 Club Fours Championship A Humphries, C Lawless, M Battese, S Grady 23 d B Knott, J Burgess, K Philp, R Somerville 10  
 S Whitehall, J McRae, M Hanaway, A Dunger (winning rink) 20 d C Brown, B Turner, J Brook, E Astley 13. R Heffernan, E Steele, P Brining, M Gregor (r/up) 24 d J Fogarty, D Martin, B Sullivan, G Martin 13  
 Social: S Nicol, T Harrington, O Stobart 27 d J Raeburn, F McCarthy, M Hadler 8.

#### Mullumbimby Ex-Services Men

Saturday 8/1/11  
 Played 14/15 ends before a heavenly game was shortened by the usual heavenly event of the past weeks.  
 R.Fenwick, H.McKenna (c/w) 17 def R.Gower, Skip Canabou 11. K.Wriggley, B.McClymont, J.Morgan 15 def R.Wriggley, G.Naoum, J.McKay 14. Gower, Wicks Fenwick 20 def B.Rose, C.McClymont 9.

#### Wednesday 12/1/11

J.McKay, A.Bartlett, M.Thorne 27 def R.Kidby, A.Pyzer, B.Gibson 16. L.Boyter, J.Green(visiting), J.Canabou 22 def B.Ball, B.Neate, S.Dettman 18. D.Blake, R.Gower 28 def W.Borkert, L.Christian 8  
**Mullumbimby ExServices Women**  
 Tuesday 11/1/11  
 Social: S.Brown, J.Graham, H.Robb (WSM) def F.Booth, J.Lee, R.Thompson. R.Wainwright, J.Towner def J.Ball, B.Croft. Raffle - J.Kidman

#### Ocean Shores Men

Mon 3/1 Triples Winners were M Haines, G Wall & R Norris, R/U D Hammond, L Johnston & K Roberts  
 Fri 7/1 Norfolk Rules. Artie Priest stumbled,

tripped & fell to be shirtboy in 011

Sat 8/1 Pairs Winners were P Hain & K Roberts, R/U K Hosie & M James, 3RD D Lawson & B Payne

### BRIDGE

#### Brunswick Valley

10/01/11: 7½ Table Rover Mitchell. N/S: 1st gross; Mahant Downey/Pat Hems; 2nd gross; David Dare/Freda Star. E/W: 1st gross; Ian Homfray/Margot Homfray; 2nd gross; Kath Westall/Richard Pedicini. We meet at Brunswick Heads Community Centre on Monday and Saturday. Seated by 1245. 15/01/11: 8 table Mitchell (with skip). N/S: 1st gross; Margot Homfray/Diana Gall; 2nd gross; Esme Sherry/Mary Solway. E/W: 1st gross; Doreen Grant/Fay Patterson; 2nd gross; Gerry Withey/Alleyne Withey.

#### Ocean Shores

12/01: 7 Table Mitchell. N-S:1st gross:M Boyle/M Clark;2nd gross:S VanRossum/P Sullivan.E-W:1st gross:M Hosie/Partners;2nd gross:B Hurst/E Bridge-man.We meet @ Ocean Shores Country Club every Wed. evening. Be seated by 6:15pm. No partner required.All welcome. Enquiries:P Sullivan 66803871 or Club office.

### GOLF

#### Mullumbimby

15/01/11 Stableford Winner: F Kimpton Score: 43. Runner Up: S Cooper Score: 41. NTPs: 5th: D Carsburg 250cm, 7th: S Cooper, 9th: A Berry 600cm, 11th 2nd Shot: NIL, 12th: D Carsburg 380cm, 17th: D Carsburg 300. Ball Run Down: 37 C/B Gundies Mug: S Cooper.

#### Ocean Shores Men

Wed - 12/1/11 Single Stableford - 1st Michael Short 44 pts, 2nd Snow Downes 41 pts, 3rd Rodney Barnes 41 pts. P.Pin S.Brecard. Balls to 35.

Sat - 15/1/11 Monthly Medal - Stroke Blue Tees. 1st Wayne Dobson 68, 2nd Gary Bourke 71, 3rd Stuart Brady 72.

### TABLE TENNIS

**Mullumbimby**  
 Kevin Poole won the singles open competition from Chris Strybos 3 games to 2. The doubles competition final was won by Mark Smith & Chris Strybos 3-0 from Alice Jarvis & Kevin Poole.  
 Enquiries Mark 0409 473 517 or Chris 6684 1468.

## SPORT DRAWS

### Squash

Wednesday Squash Round 3 19/1/11  
 Coastal Voice & Data V Ocean Shores Glass; Byron Bay Trophies V The Potato Works  
 Ocean Shores Bakery V Occupational Health & Rehab; Cape Byron Medical Centre V Brunswick Heads Pharmacy  
 Monday Squash Round 15 24/1/11  
 Division 1 5:00 G.Davis V B. Trivett; L.Tomasella V C. Littlewood; 6:00 L.Powell V M.Page-smith  
 Division 2 5:00 C. Walsh V A. Li; Kijay V J. Gribble; M. Cassidy V S. Moon  
 Division 3 5:00 S. Page-smith V R. Draper; C. Johnson V J. Nicolson  
 Division 4 5:00 F. King V D. Benham; C. Bolton V B. Doran; A. Cox V S. Mc Teare 6:30 C. Wilkinson V C. Naughton

### Brunswick Heads Volleyball

Tuesday 18/1/11  
 Round 13 - J.V. Towing Comp 6.00 P.M. Kfc V. Ballistic, Scramblers V. No Name, Masala V. Bounders. Duty - Lounge Lizards

7.00 P.M. Lounge Lizards V. Castaways, Hedgehogs V. Flash, Hit & Run V. Falcons, Dropzone V. Coolers. Duty - Kfc & Scramblers

Thursday 20/1/11  
 Round 1 - O.S. True Value Hardware Comp 6.00 P.M. Flukes V. Tripods, Angels V. Snickers, La Tree Fairies V. Fill Ins, Volleys V. Fire-flys. Duty - Ferns & Amies

7.00 P.M. Amies V. Mum's The Word, Ferns V. Kookaburras, Divas V. Go Go Girls, Chilli Twist V. Kaos.Com. Duty - Flukes & Angels

Wednesday 19/1/11  
 Round 3 - Perry Homes Comp

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Monday 24/1/11  
 Round 15 - byron health foods comp

Division 1 - 5.00 p.M. G.Davis v. B.Trivett, I.Tomasella v. C.Littlewood; 6.00 p.M. L.Powell v. M.Page-smith

Division 2 - 5.00 p.M. C.Walsh v. A.Li, kijay v. J.Gribble, m.Cassidy v. S.Moon

Division 3 - I.Alidenes v. R.Draper, s.Page-smith v. R.Cross, c.Johnston v. J.Nicolson

Division 4 - 5.00 p.M. F.King v. D.Benham, c.Bolton v. B.Doran, a.Cox v. S.McTeare; 6.30 p.M. C.Wilkinson v. C.Naughton

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Day of month	Sun rise	Sun set	Moon rise	Moon set	High tide, height (m)	Low tide, height (m)
1 S	0551	1947	0240	1657	0634,1.71; 1913,1.24	1325,0.40
2 S	0551	1947	0332	1756	0729,1.77; 2008,1.26	0047,0.48; 1417,0.33
3 M	0552	1947	0427	1850	0817,1.81; 2055,1.29	0138,0.47; 1503,0.29
4 T	0553	1947	0526	1939	0902,1.83; 2138,1.31	0225,0.46; 1545,0.28
5 W	0554	1947	0624	2021	0944,1.81; 2218,1.32	0309,0.46; 1623,0.28
6 T	0554	1948	0722	2059	1021,1.78; 2257,1.32	0350,0.47; 1700,0.30
7 F	0555	1948	0818	2133	1058,1.72; 2334,1.32	0430,0.49; 1733,0.34
8 S	0556	1948	0913	2204	1132,1.64	0510,0.53; 1806,0.38
9 S	0557	1948	1005	2234	0012,1.32; 1207,1.55	0550,0.57; 1839,0.42
10 M	0557	1948	1057	2303	0051,1.33; 1244,1.46	0635,0.61; 1914,0.46
11 T	0558	1948	1148	2333	0134,1.34; 1325,1.35	0724,0.66; 1952,0.51
12 W	0559	1948	1241		0223,1.35; 1415,1.25	0822,0.70; 2036,0.56
13 T	0600	1948	1335	0005	0316,1.37; 1515,1.17	0930,0.71; 2129,0.59
14 F	0601	1948	1431	0040	0413,1.41; 1629,1.12	1047,0.69; 2226,0.60
15 S	0601	1948	1528	0119	0511,1.47; 1741,1.13	1200,0.62; 2325,0.59
16 S	0602	1948	1627	0205	0606,1.56; 1844,1.17	1258,0.53
17 M	0603	1947	1725	0257	0657,1.66; 1936,1.23	0019,0.55; 1346,0.42
18 T	0604	1947	1820	0355	0745,1.77; 2024,1.30	0109,0.49; 1431,0.31
19 W	0605	1947	1911	0459	0832,1.87; 2110,1.37	0159,0.42; 1515,0.21
20 T	0606	1947	1957	0607	0918,1.94; 2156,1.44	0246,0.35; 1558,0.15
21 F	0606	1947	2039	0715	1005,1.97; 2242,1.49	0337,0.31; 1640,0.11
22 S	0607	1946	2118	0822	1052,1.93; 2330,1.53	0428,0.29; 1723,0.12
23 S	0608	1946	2156	0929	1140,1.84	0520,0.30; 1807,0.17
24 M	0609	1946	2233	1034	0019,1.56; 1230,1.70	0617,0.35; 1852,0.25
25 T	0610	1945	2312	1139	0111,1.41; 1322,1.53	0716,0.41; 1938,0.34
26 W	0611	1945	2354	1244	0206,1.57; 1420,1.36	0823,0.48; 2029,0.44
27 T	0612	1944		1348	0307,1.56; 1530,1.22	0939,0.53; 2127,0.52
28 F	0612	1944	0039	1450	0413,1.57; 1649,1.15	1100,0.54; 2232,0.57
29 S	0613	1943	0128	1550	0520,1.59; 1806,1.15	1216,0.50; 2338,0.57
30 S	0614	1943	0222	1645	0623,1.64; 1909,1.19	1318,0.44
31 M	0615	1942	0318	1735	0718,1.68; 1959,1.25	0037,0.56; 1407,0.38

All times Eastern Daylight Saving. Time lags: Ballina Boat Dock: 15 min; Byron Bay: nil; Brunswick River Highway Bridge: high 30 min, low 1 hr; Mullumbimby: 1 hr 10 min; Tillanudge: 3 hr 55 min; Chinderah: high 1 hr 30 min, low 2 hr; Terranora Inlet: high 2 hr 10 min, low 2 hr 25 min; Murwillumbah: high 2 hr 30 min, low 2 hr 50 min. Tides in bold indicate high tide of 1.7m or more and low tide of 0.3m or less. Data courtesy of the National Tidal Centre.





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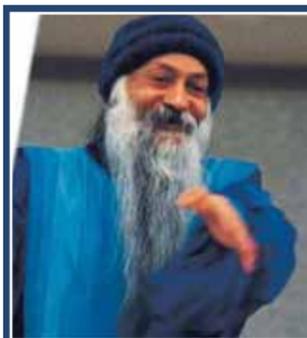
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**SUNRISE BLVD**

\$360p/w, 3 bed, great location, quiet courtyard, SLUG, avail 24/1/11

**SUNRISE BLVD**

\$400p/w, 3 bed, 2 bath, backs onto reserve, long lease, avail 25/1/11

**CANIABA CRESCENT**

\$650p/w, 3 bed, 2 bath, modern, large deck with views, avail 3/2/11

**L.J. Hooker Byron Bay**

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Byron Bay

**BAYSHORE DRIVE \$400pw**

2 Bedroom, 1 Bathroom Duplex  
Rear courtyard, SLUG  
Available start of February

**BOTTLEBRUSH CRESCENT \$460pw**

3 bedroom, 2 bathroom townhouse  
Rear courtyard, SLUG  
Available start of February

**MAHOGANY DRIVE \$465pw**

3 bedroom, 2 bathroom townhouse  
SLUG, quiet complex  
Available start of February

**BRANDON STREET \$500pw**

2 bedroom, 1 bathroom duplex  
SLUG, close to beach  
Available 18/02/11

**OLD BANGALOW ROAD \$540pw**

3 bedroom, 1 bathroom townhouse  
Spacious rear patio, SLUG  
Available now

**LAWSON STREET \$550pw**

2 bedroom, 2 bathroom apartment  
Fully furnished, opposite Clarks Beach  
Available mid February

**SUNRISE BLVD \$600pw**

4 bedroom, 2 bathroom house  
DLUG, fenced backyard, pool  
Available mid January

**CEMETERY ROAD \$600pw**

4 bedroom, 1 bathroom townhouse  
DLUG, rear timber deck  
Available start of February

**KENNEDYS LANE \$850pw**

3 bedroom, 2 bathroom home  
Separate self-contained studio  
Large saltwater pool, rural outlook  
Available late January

Ray White Rental Centre  
3/47 Byron Street, Byron Bay  
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**ROSEBANK** caravan, 2br + annexe, on acreage, outdoor bthrm, compost toilet, \$65pw + bills. Ph 66882162

**STUDIO** McAuleys Lane for 6 months \$180pw. Phone 66841022

**BROOKLET** new 1br unit + carspace, \$260pw incl elect. Ph 0413827059

**O.SHORES** self-cont timber studio cabin, private balcony, rainforest aspect, \$190pw + bond. Ph 0404617517

**LUSH NEW TIMBER** s-c 1br cottage, light, airy, spa, rural water views, sep kitchen/dining room, 7 min from Mullum, no pets, \$350pw. 66845003

**SUNRISE** 3br house + office, huge rumpus rm/studio, separate outdoor living area, \$500pw. Workers only, refs essential. Email nicollette@nicolletteboaz.com

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**SUNRISE** 3br + sunrm, 2 bthrm hse, huge open lounge/dining/kitchen with st/steel gas, quiet street, backs on reserve, walk to beach, shops, bus 20m, pets neg, avail 4 Feb, \$540pw. 0400023040

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**BYRON/SUNRISE** s-c studio, close bus, shops, beach, \$275pw. 0421932945

**ROSEBANK** 5br house, acres \$400pw. Flat \$150. Neg gardening. 0429882058

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3 bedroom house, in ground pool. Note: Tenanted g/flat out front, \$400pw

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Avail Now, \$390/week

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hatha Yoga (Aesha) 9.30-11.30am	Yoga Basics (Aesha) 8.00-9.30am	Shanti Yoga (Linda) 10.30-11.30am	Hatha Yoga (Aesha) 9.30-11.30am	Shanti Yoga (Linda) 9.30-10.30am
	Gentle Yoga (Linda) 10.30-11.30am			Shanti Yoga (Linda) 11.00-12.00 noon
Meditation 12.00-1.00pm	Meditation 12.00-1.00pm	Meditation 12.00-1.00pm	Meditation 12.00-1.00pm	Pranayama 12.00-1.00pm
Feldenkrais (Linda P) 1.30-3.00pm	On Track (Linda) Closed Class 2.00-3.00pm		Therapeutic Massage (Aesha)	On Track (Linda) Closed Class 1.30-2.30pm
	Children's Yoga (Linda) 3.30-4.30pm School Term		Therapeutic Massage (Aesha)	
		Kirtan Devotional Music (Sangeeta, Kunda & Dinesh) 7.15pm	Gentle Yoga for Men (Kim) 5.15-6.15pm	
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I love you to the moon and back!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY FALLON!**  
Wishing you lots of love on your 20th birthday. Hope you have a great day and get totally spoiled!  
Lots of love from Sandra and Peter, Shoshi & Chava xoxo

Happy Birthday Mandy  
you're our over 40 hero!  
from the Echo-ites

**INDIGO**  
Happy 13th birthday sweetheart. Hope you have a wonderful day. All our love from Mum, Dad, Ruby and Granny.

**CHURCH NOTICES**  
**BILLI CHURCH**  
An ACC church, Mogo Place, Billinudgel, Sundays 9.30am. Enq 66803202. All welcome

**DEATH NOTICES**

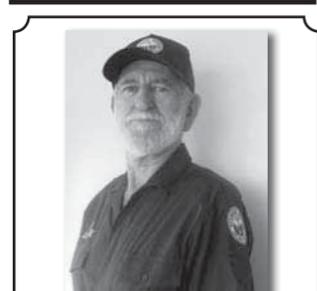


My Darling, beautiful, angelic, amazing, sweet, inspirational, caring, giving, precious angel from Heaven.  
Rev. Teri DeAun Hood.  
(Creator of the new Mullum store, She Loves Feathers).  
You were the most beautiful living soul I have ever met. You were my best friend, my inspiration to enhance life to its fullest, my belief that true angels do exist and of course the absolute love of my life.  
I feel you so close and so does everyone you touched. I know you're now an angel amongst the highest angels. I know you're flying high and shining bright. Your loving twin flame. Ian Thomas.  
28/08/63 - 03/01/11



**Patsy Frederick-Barnett (Nee Cuyler)**  
Passed away peacefully at home in Canada, beautiful as always. 5pm January 10, 2011 (Aussie time).

Born 21st Aug 1955. Lived at Federal for 10 years. We shall miss you so much. Sweet natured, sensitive, gorgeous, brave & humorous to the end. Was always a go getter girl. Fly high sweetheart.  
From all who love you here in Oz.



**Edwin James Reid**  
was born 21/7/1936 a good boy and died 16/01/2011 a good man. During his life he was a navy service man, professional adventurer, artist, cricketer, teacher, volunteer, loving partner and parent.  
All that were lucky enough to know him would have felt the virtue of simple good will.  
Ed learnt, carried and relayed the importance of a life based on personal strength, responsibility and enjoyment without greed, malice and excessive selfishness.  
A funeral service for family and friends will be held at Tweed Heads Crematorium Chapel, Sunshine Ave  
21/1/11 at 1pm NSW time

**FUNERAL NOTICES**

**BRAND, Peter Elliot**  
12 January 2011  
Passed away peacefully with Mariam at his side. Peter will be sadly missed by all family and friends.  
A celebration of Peter's life will be held at 37A Julian Place, Wategos, Byron Bay on Saturday, 22 January 2011, commencing at 2pm.  
**Michael Currie Funerals. 66846232**

**RETURN THANKS**

**MARIAN FRANKS & FAMILY** wish to thank Alan's caring friends for their sincere condolences with flowers, cards & love. My personal thanks to each one. God Bless, Marian

**LOST & FOUND**

**LOST:** long haired mini Dachshund, tan coloured, from 7 Mile Beach/Broken Head area. Please phone 66875587

**FOUND:** BIRD near Byron Arts Factory. Call 0402331482

**AGISTMENT**

**BRUNS** 100 secure acres avail for cattle, good feed & water. Ph 0414060223

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**Tortie Twins**  
This week we feature two little girls from the same litter. They are tortoiseshell and only 9 weeks old. These delightful little ladies are very playful and affectionate. Both are desexed and microchipped and waiting for a new home. Come and meet the girls at the Cat Adoption Centre, 124 Dalley St, Mullumbimby. Open Tues. 9-11am, Thurs. 3-5pm and Sat. 10-12 noon. Call AWL on 6684 4070.

**Companion Animals Welfare Inc.**



**Beu & Tui**  
Beu and Tui are 3 and 4 yr old pure bred Border Collie. Very reluctantly surrendered due to family circumstances. CAWI would love to see them find a home together. Well behaved farm dogs, they love walking, running and are wonderful with children.  
**Ph 6685 1444 b/h**  
[www.cawi.org.au](http://www.cawi.org.au)  
Adoption fees apply

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# Home lending improves in November

ABS figures released recently show that the number of new home loans posted a modest rise for the third consecutive month in November 2010, according to the Housing Industry Association.

HIA Chief Economist Dr Harley Dale said that in November 2010 the number of loans for construction increased by 2.7 per cent while loans for the purchase of new homes increased by 9.7 per cent.

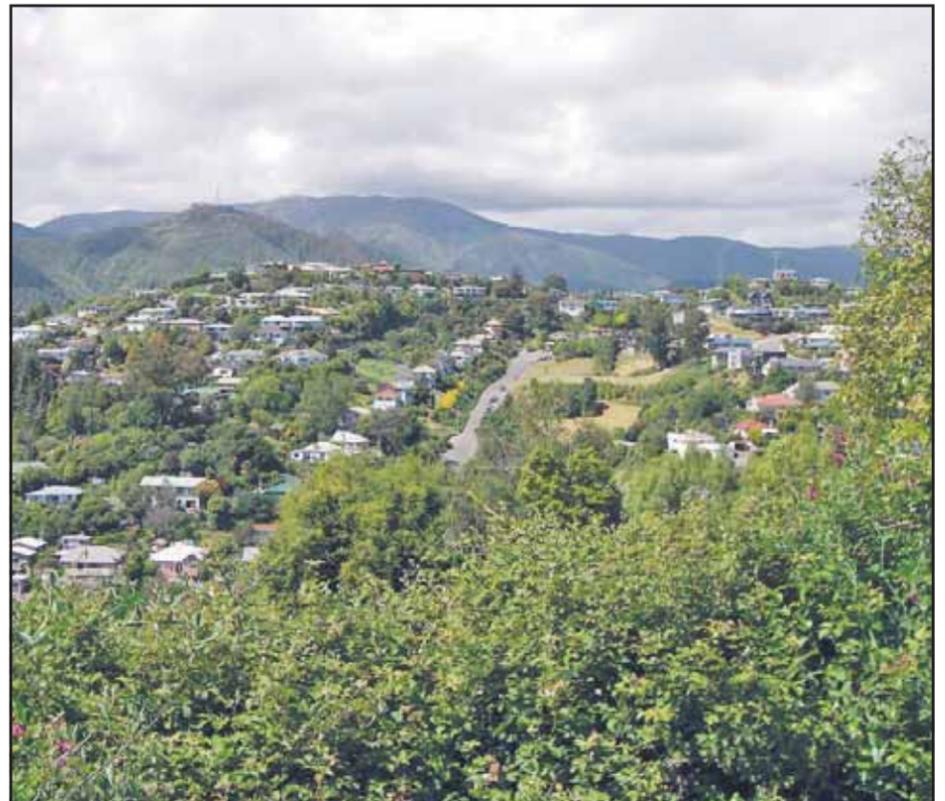
'It is encouraging to see a bottoming out in new home lending over September - November 2010, although we remain mindful that the full impact of last November's rate hikes is yet to emerge,' Dr Dale said.

'A period of interest rate stability this year would cer-

tainly enhance the prospects of a slow recovery in new housing confidence. However, the lagged impact of interest rate rises and on-going credit constraints will generate a weaker level of new home building in 2011, meaning only two years in a decade when residential construction has risen.

'The withdrawal of monetary and fiscal policy stimulus has laid bare the challenges policy makers face in reducing the considerable supply side obstacles to new housing.

'In 2011 the release of the federal government's population policy, the summit on taxation, and hoped-for progress in the slow COAG reform process all provide opportunities to create



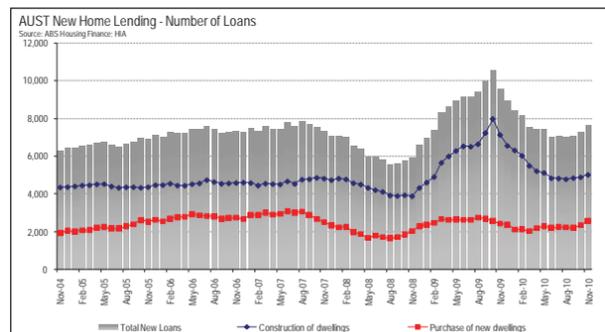
an environment where a sustained increase in new home building can emerge. Until this situation occurs, Australia's dwelling shortage will continue to increase, disadvantaging households seeking to build a new home or rent a dwelling.'

Lending for the construction of dwellings for rent or resale, an imperfect measure of new residential investment,

continued its upward trend in November last year, off a very low base. First home buyer loans, meanwhile, appear to be finding a base, but over the three months to November 2010 remained nearly 50 per cent down on the same period in 2009.

In seasonally adjusted terms, in November 2010 the total number of owner oc-

cupier loans increased by 3.3 per cent in New South Wales and was up by 2.2 per cent in Victoria, 1.6 per cent in Queensland, 2.3 per cent in South Australia, 2.2 per cent in Western Australia, 7.4 per cent in the Northern Territory, and 3.7 per cent in the Australian Capital Territory. Loans fell by 1.9 per cent in Tasmania.



## DA Watch

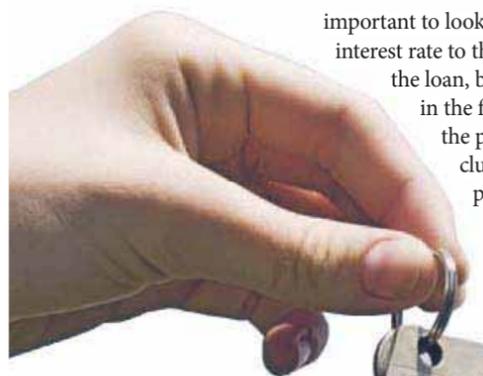
You may not see Council's development application advertising as it is not placed in your community paper.

As a free service, therefore, we regularly list all significant new DAs on public exhibition, making clear exactly what is sought in the applications and identifying the location of the land affected.

We urge readers to follow up on DAs they feel may affect them by visiting Council's office before the advised closing date and making an appropriate written submission.

Lot 491 DP858897 Lilli Pilli Drive Byron Bay 10.2010.638.1	C Lonergan expanded dwelling, shed & tree removal	close 19/1/11
105 Coopers Shoot Rd Coopers Shoot 10.2010.623.1	M Scott dual occupancy	close 19/1/11
10 Little Burns St Byron Bay 10.2010.609.1	... New dwelling to create dual occupancy	close 19/1/11
26 Shelley Dve Byron Bay 10.2010.630.1	D Baulch 2 storey expanded house & swimming pool	close 19/1/11
13 Boondoon Cres Ocean Shores 10.2010.626.1	I Landy 2 detached dwellings to create dual occupancy	close 19/1/11
12 Palm Valley Dve Byron Bay 10.2010.644.1	S & G Campbell demolish dwelling, build 3 level dwelling	close 27/1/11
111 Parkway Dve Ewingsdale 10.2010.636.1	D Cope 2 storey dwelling	close 24/1/11

## Tips for first time home buyers



Buying a home can be a long, complicated and frightening process, and it is important to be prepared. Knowledge is power when it comes to negotiating the difficult world of home prices, interest rates and mortgage loans.

For a first time home buyer, there are many factors to consider before you buy. The more information you can gather before you start shopping, the better off you will be.

### LOOK BEYOND THE PRICE

When it comes to securing a quality mortgage loan, it is

important to look beyond the interest rate to the true cost of the loan, both now and in the future. Read the paperwork, including the fine print, carefully, especially if the interest rate is below market rates.

Upon closer inspection you may find that the interest rate is guaranteed for only a short period of time, or that it is subject to rise sharply in the future. Your mortgage loan may be the most important contract you will ever sign, and it is essential that you understand your rights and your responsibilities before signing on the dotted line. In many cases it will make sense to hire a lawyer to review the mortgage paperwork for you.

### EVERY SITUATION IS UNIQUE

Every homebuyer will have a different set of circumstances, and it is important for the lender to consider those factors. Some homeowners may plan to move in a year or two, and they may be able to benefit from a variable rate mortgage. Others will plan to remain in their home for decades, and those home buyers may benefit from the stability of a fixed rate mortgage and its predictable and stable monthly payment.

It is also important for those buying a first home to factor in the additional costs of the mortgage when deciding how much they can afford to pay. Things like closing costs and the high price of private mortgage insurance can drive up costs and eat into funds that would otherwise be available for home improvements, furnishings and other essentials. In some cases sellers may be willing to pay some of the closing costs, and some lenders will be able to negotiate those closing costs downward.

The key is to ask those questions before the closing date arrives, and to be prepared to search for a better deal if necessary.

First time buyers should also be on the lookout for any hidden fees. These small nuisance fees can add up to hundreds of dollars on closing day, so be sure to scour your paperwork for any such fees. If you are unsure about the legitimacy of any charge be sure to ask for a valid explanation.

And of course first time home buyers should not lose sight of the home itself in the quest for the perfect mortgage. Any defects should be pointed out to the seller well before the closing is to take place. The costs of every needed repair should be carefully negotiated prior to the purchase, and buyers should always follow up to make sure that all requested repairs have been made. A home is a major purchase, and it is important to make sure that everything has been taken care of before moving in.

- from www.realestateabc.com



**NEW LISTING**

### Exclusive Secluded Getaway

- ✓ 1.385ha on the ridgeline at St Helena
- ✓ Fantastic hinterland & ocean views
- ✓ 3 bedroom 2 bathroom home
- ✓ Sparkling inground pool
- ✓ Separate childrens rumpus room
- ✓ Secluded lifestyle sanctuary

**Price \$4,600,000.**  
Contact Glen Irwin on 0418 604 080 or 6685 7300 at L J Hooker Byron Bay.



### Rare Property Offering

- ✓ 4 bed, 3 bath, 4 car home
- ✓ Don't miss this rare offering
- ✓ 28.47ha of fertile land
- ✓ 20x15m machinery shed
- ✓ View to Byron Bay Lighthouse
- ✓ Take advantage – act now!

**Price \$2,575,000.**  
Contact Peter Yopp 0411 837 330, Glen Irwin 0418 604 080 or L J Hooker Byron Bay 6685 7300.



### 'Breeze' Quality Villa Centre Brunswick Heads

**1/20 Booyun St, Brunswick Heads.**

Breeze is a contemporary two storey stand alone villa in a complex of ten. It is open and spacious which makes it perfect for families, entertaining and as a holiday home which sleeps up to six persons.

Open plan lounge dining and kitchen opens out through bifold doors onto a north facing alfresco dining deck and leafy courtyard. There is also a separate TV/rumpus/guest area off the living area. Our office currently manages this property as a holiday rental and it enjoys

high occupancy levels. The property is with in easy walking distance to shops, cafes, river and surfing beach. This is an excellent opportunity to secure this very unique villa to either live in or use as your own holiday accommodation.

**Price \$599,000.**  
To inspect contact Russell Siwicki 0419 627 109 or David Bosselmann 0431 100 097.



### McAuleys Lane, Mullumbimby

- ✓ 15 beautiful acres
- ✓ Lovely studio and converted bails
- ✓ Fruit orchard, chook yard and gardens
- ✓ Large picturesque dam and tanks
- ✓ Koala and wildlife haven
- ✓ Prime location

Stunning outlook, elevated land!  
Extremely private, but very close to Brunswick Heads and Mullumbimby  
Contact 6684 6862, 0402 470 546 or 0427 470 546.

**\$865,000**



### Beachside Bliss

**36 River Street, New Brighton.**

With the beach a stone's throw away, the river directly opposite, and a fabulous café up the road you will never want to leave this idyllic location. Completely renovated in 2007, the circa 1920's beach shack has been converted into a stylish and contemporary beachside residence perfect for relaxed living all year round. The home features quality finishes throughout and a fabulous open plan design by renowned architect, Paul Uhlmann.

The style is beach house meets character home with a blend of white-washed timber lined walls, high ceilings, polished floorboards and louvre windows, mosaic tiles and bi-fold doors connecting the inside and outside living areas.

**Price \$1,350,000.**  
Agents Elders Bangalow  
Janice Maple 0401 026 359,  
Duncan Lorimer 0400 844 412.



### Down sizing? Walk to town? Look here!

**9 Campbell Street, Bangalow.**

- ✓ Low maintenance property
- ✓ Easy walk into town
- ✓ Oversize deck with rural outlook
- ✓ Contemporary design
- ✓ Private decks off bedrooms
- ✓ Four bedrooms – or a separate home office

Quiet laneway  
Nothing to spend  
**Offers Over \$650,000.**  
Sales agent Denise Burch 0408 193 415.  
Web Id 400660



### 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. New Price \$420,000**  
Contact Ruth on 0423 626 762.  
No agents please! ID#:21088

**diysell.com.au**



### Tree Change Anyone?

- ✓ Beautifully renovated 3 bedroom federation cottage on 15 cleared acres
- ✓ Restumped, satellite fast broadband, AC, Satellite TV
- ✓ 6x6m Colorbond shed and 8x16m timber stables.
- ✓ Bulk rainwater tanks and spring fed gully.
- ✓ Set up for horses. Lovely community.

Located in the picturesque Collins Creek Valley.  
17 km north of Kyogle. Views to National Park.  
**Call Alok or Natalie on 6684 7180.**  
alok@expandesign.com.au

**\$435,000**



### Ocean Shores Duplex

- ✓ Ocean Shores duplex in block of 2.
- ✓ Bordering on national park
- ✓ Solid brick rendered construction
- ✓ 2 bedrooms plus office
- ✓ Recently fully renovated
- ✓ Stainless steel gas stove
- ✓ Solar hot water

Front and rear yard  
End of cul de sac  
**Price \$360,000**  
Contact owner on 02 6685 5819 or 0411 294 286

**\$360,000**

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*Property in Focus*  
**Forthcoming Auction**  
**These Vendors are motivated to sell!**



Owners of this stunning lakeside Ewingsdale property have issued instructions... Sell now! Set on a level 1¼ acres (approx 4941m<sup>2</sup>), with easy care sprawling park like grounds, the main house includes four bedrooms and two bathrooms plus there's a fully self-contained private cottage.

Take in the peace and tranquillity in your relaxed yet contemporary home, enjoy a dip in the sparkling in-ground salt water pool, or entertain friends with the great Australian BBQ all in the comfort of your own backyard.

The property *will* be sold at auction, if not sold beforehand! Don't miss your opportunity. Arrange an inspection today!

**Address:** 12 Magnolia Place, Ewingsdale  
**Open House:** Every Saturday (prior to auction) 12-1pm

**Auction:** 12noon onsite Sunday February 27

**Agent:** Janis Perkins 0438 841 122.

Raine & Horne Byron Bay 6685 6588.



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41 Booyun Street, Brunswick Heads

**BRUNS CUTIE**

Living in Brunswick itself would be enough to please most, taking a leisure stroll to the Boutique CBD, a swim in the river, maybe a surf or fish could be on the cards. Then come home to this cute 2 big bedrooms, study/3rd bedroom, single garage, north facing deck, private garden and a relaxed ambience.

**To inspect call me, Peter on 0411 801 795**

**Price:** \$ 619,000

**View: Saturday 11-11.30am**



33 Booyun Street, Brunswick Heads

**ELDERLY OWNERS DOWN SIZING**

The time has come for Ted & Marie, they have to downsize from their beautiful gardens, north facing, rear lane access yard with the best vegi patch, north facing covered entertaining area, 2 sep living spaces, main bedroom with ensuite and the 2 other rooms with built-ins and a double garage are becoming too much.

**Price:** \$ 750,000

**Contact:** Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



40 Tweed Street, Brunswick Heads

**BEST OF TWO WORLDS**

- 4 bedrooms upstairs, double garage & storage
- Timber floors
- Shop/flat downstairs
- Great exposure for a business
- Central location in town

**Price:** \$ 725,000

**Contact:** Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



27 Tweed Street, Brunswick Heads

**IN TOWN BRUNS**

- 3 bedrooms
- 2 Storey
- Needs renovating
- Single lock up garage
- Easy care block

**Price:** \$ 520,000

**Contact:** Peter Browning on 0411 801 795



35 Fingal Street, Brunswick Heads

**HEART OF BRUNSWICK FLATS**

Don't miss your chance to secure this very rare opportunity to buy these flats located right in the heart of Brunswick Heads. The building consists of 3 flats, 3 x 2 bedrooms, weekly income of \$680.00, rear lane access, north facing back yard on a 674m<sup>2</sup> block.

**To inspect call me, Peter on 0411 801 795**



2/1 Rajah Road, Ocean Shores

**SELL THE LAWN MOWER**

Welcome home to easy living in this spacious over 50s unit. Great base for grey nomads, baby boomers or empty nesters looking to downsize. • 2 bedroom, 1 bathroom with internal laundry • Enclosed balcony, river views • Extra long lock up garage, storage • Community room, wheelchair access

**Contact:** Fiona Crandell 0439 450 177

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**19 Nana Street, Brunswick Heads**

**EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED**

When you step inside this prestigious property of distinction. A change in plans by the owners of this unassuming, quality home means that you now have the opportunity to live in luxury in the seaside village of Brunswick Heads.

Cafés, restaurants, boutique shops and the iconic 'Hotel Brunswick' are all within walking distance.

Enjoy a swim at patrolled surf beaches, Torakina Beach or beautiful Brunswick River, then finish the day off by relaxing back at your own private plunge pool.

Sound too much like hard work? Then just stay home, indulge in some simple pleasures on your timber deck with a glass of champagne and enjoy the breeze.

- 4 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms, 2 kitchens
- European appliances, granite bench tops
- Solar heated plunge pool, tropical gardens
- Open plan living, expansive timber decks
- Fully fenced yard, rear lane access, off street parking

**Price:** \$990, 000

**Inspection by appointment**

**Contact:** Fiona Crandell (0439) 450 177



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11/8 Byron Street, Byron Bay

CBD POSITION



- Walk everywhere from this private modern holiday unit
- Centrally located, 2 bedrooms, big private verandah
- Fully furnished
- Pool & café in complex
- Solid investment with good returns
- 1 car security lock up garage

All Offers Considered  
Michele Jackson – 0407 906 301



24 Childe Street, Byron Bay

JIMMY'S BEACHOUSE



- Great beach location & holiday let
- Fully equipped large stainless steel kitchen with all the gadgets
- Air conditioning, fireplace, accommodates 10
- Fully fenced property with secure off street parking

All Offers Considered  
Barb Upson-Shaw – 0410 599 230



6 Centennial Circuit, Byron Bay

BUY THE BLOCK – EXCELLENT RETURNS

- Unit 1 – 183m<sup>2</sup> on the floor & 90m<sup>2</sup> on the mezz
- Unit 2 – 183m<sup>2</sup> on the floor
- Unit 3 – 183m<sup>2</sup> on the floor
- All individually strata titled
- Tenants pay all outgoings

All Offers Considered  
Michele Jackson – 0407 906 301



30 Tallowood Crescent, Byron Bay

ALL THE BOXES ARE TICKED



- Best Byron location
- Three separate living areas
- Swimming pool
- Perfect outdoor entertaining area

Price: \$865,000  
Matt Klein – 0403 783 420



Lot 7 Bundaleer Road, Broken Head

A TOP CLASS PROPERTY

- One of the most outstanding positions
- 360 degree view
- Reliable spring fed dam
- Few minutes to Byron Bay and Lennox Head
- Agent declares interest

Price: \$1,900,000  
Owen Lynn – 6685 6552



221 Kennedys Lane, Ewingsdale

DREAMS CAN COME TRUE – BUSINESS AND LIFETYLE BAMBOO SANCTUARY



- 21 acres
- Bamboo nursery
- 5 minutes to Byron Bay and Brunswick Heads.
- Swimming pool

Price: \$1,860,000  
Matt Klein – 0403 783 420

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TOTAL PRIVACY ASSURED IN NATURAL LANE

- 7/66 Natural Lane, Coopers Shoot.**
- ✓ 1.8ha (approx) – Easy maintenance opportunity – Relax!
  - ✓ Superb location west end of Natural Lane – Coopers Shoot
  - ✓ Hidden valley, unspoiled rainforest views
  - ✓ Central Bangalow, Byron & Lennox
  - ✓ Existing cabin, ideal weekender
  - ✓ Small community title with approved building entitlement
  - ✓ Sealed driveway to building site, power
  - ✓ Neighbourhood land has waterfall/ creek & bush walking
  - ✓ 10 minutes drive to beach
- Auction 6pm Feb 2 at Ramada Ballina.**  
Inspect by appointment 7 days.  
**Contact: MARK KINNEALLY**  
0429 868 001.

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OPEN HOUSE  
Saturday 11-11.30am

A BLANK CANVAS AWAITS YOUR CREATION

- 297 Possum Creek Rd, Possum Creek.**
- ✓ Located in the heart of Possum Creek
  - ✓ 180° northerly views to Coorabell
  - ✓ Close to Bangalow, short drive Byron Bay
  - ✓ Elevated comfortable 2 bed, 2 bath home
  - ✓ Land value only – massive farm shed currently leased
  - ✓ Large spring-fed dam & irrigation licence
  - ✓ 26ac (approx) 2/3 pasture, 1/3 mature trees (approx)
  - ✓ A rare opportunity to secure a property like this
- Auction 6pm Feb 2 at Ramada Ballina.**  
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PRICE GUIDE  
\$1,500,000+

VACANT LAND IN THIS LOCATION IS A RARE FIND

- Lot 10 Midden Flat Rd, Broken Head.**
- ✓ Land 27.48Ha or 67.9 acres approx
  - ✓ Gently sloping to flat land with some big fig trees. Currently used for grazing. Ideal for horse stud
  - ✓ Has approved elevated building site
  - ✓ Less than 5 mins to Broken Head beach
  - ✓ Adjoining 106 acres for sale as well
  - ✓ Not offered for sale in over 75 years
  - ✓ This is an opportunity not to miss out on this day 2nd Feb!
  - ✓ Permanent spring fed creek
  - ✓ View by appointment 7 days.
- Contact: MARK KINNEALLY**  
0429 868 001.

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OPEN HOUSE  
Saturday 3-3.30pm

OCEAN VIEWS TO ENJOY!

- 2/59 Bayview Drive, East Ballina.**
- ✓ Perfect NE aspect apartment & ocean views to Angels Beach
  - ✓ 3 spacious bedrooms, ensuite
  - ✓ Open plan living/dining and good sized kitchen
  - ✓ Wonderful views from upper living areas
  - ✓ Two levels, with air con upstairs
  - ✓ Potential to build a massive ocean view deck (STCA)
  - ✓ Oversized DLUG with ample storage
  - ✓ Walking distance to the beach & cafes
- Auction 6pm Feb 2 at Ramada Ballina.**  
**Contact: LOIS BUCKETT**  
0428 877 399.

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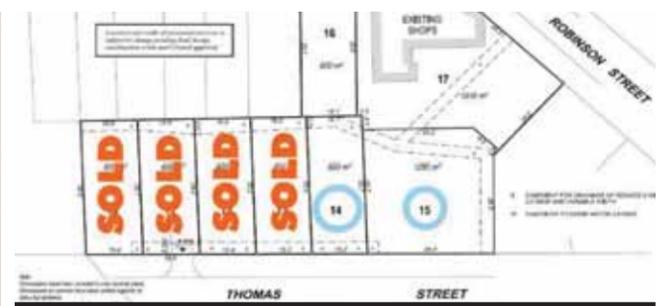


OPEN HOUSE  
Saturday 11-11.30am

LOCATION, LOCATION – STROLL TO TOWN & BEACH

- 7 Cooloola Avenue, Lennox Head.**
- ✓ Large village family home in a great location
  - ✓ Easy stroll to beach, school, town and lake
  - ✓ 4 spacious bedrooms, bathroom, main with en-suite
  - ✓ Spacious open plan kitchen
  - ✓ Two large living areas
  - ✓ Private established low maint gardens
  - ✓ Covered entertaining & BBQ area
  - ✓ 664m<sup>2</sup> level block, fully fenced backyard
- Auction 6pm Feb 2 at Ramada Ballina.**  
**Contact: LOIS BUCKETT**  
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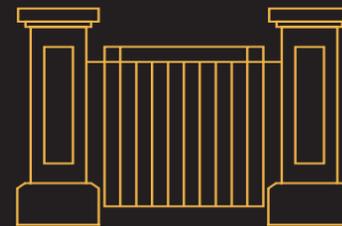
WE HAVE THE DIRT EVERYONE'S BEEN WAITING FOR

- Lots 14 & 15 Thomas St, Bangalow.**
- ✓ These fully serviced blocks are located just behind the Readings shops. This will be the last time in history where vacant blocks in this location with pleasant rural views will ever be available again.
  - ✓ One of Bangalow's best addresses!
  - ✓ Lot 14 – 600m<sup>2</sup>. Lot 15 – 1250m<sup>2</sup>
  - ✓ Lot 15 – Could build 4 units STCA
  - ✓ Pleasant rural view and easy stroll to town
  - ✓ Only 2 blocks left! Do not miss out on this day 2nd Feb!
- Auction 6pm Feb 2 at Ramada Ballina**  
**Contact: ELISE BENSON** 0407 896 100,  
**MARK KINNEALLY**  
0429 868 001.

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# SCOTT HARVEY

## REAL ESTATE



**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 1.30-2pm

**PRICE GUIDE**  
\$595,000

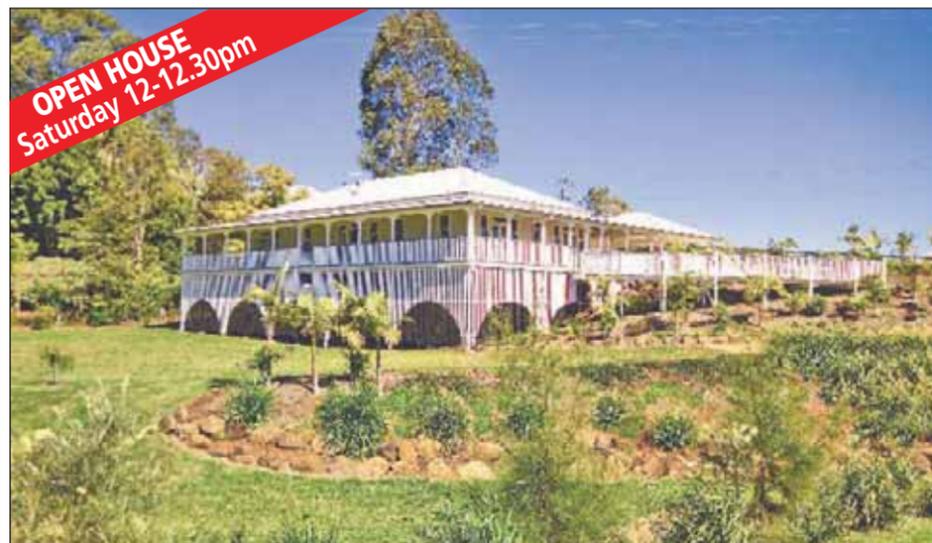
### VIEWS FOREVER - 9 ACRES - BROOKLET

With guaranteed range and lovely valley views, discover this 4 bedroom plus study, hideaway bungalow, that is close to everywhere.

Only 8 minutes' drive to Bangalow and 10 minutes from the beach this single level brick home is in a highly sought after location.

Perfect to enjoy the local restaurants, cafes, and antique galleries that abound, whilst having the added convenience of being en route for all school buses.

719 FERNLEIGH ROAD, BROOKLET  
**AUCTION ONSITE FEB 12, 2011**  
**PRICE GUIDE \$595,000**  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872



**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 12-12.30pm

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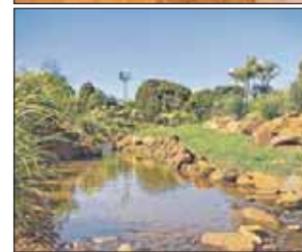
Tucked away in the historic village of Bangalow you will discover this beautifully built Queenslander on 1.2 acres, with lovely views across its meandering creek to lush paddocks, where black Angus cows happily graze.

This 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom, plus study home features gorgeous open plan lounge and dining with fireplace, delightful kitchen and french doors opening onto the wrap around verandahs from all rooms in the house.

There are skylights in the kitchen and bathrooms providing loads of natural light and 9 solar panels on the roof, which generate enough power to cover most of the electricity bills. Although on town water this energy efficient home boasts two water tanks holding over 6800 litres of rainwater, enough to offset all your water requirements.

There is a two car garage and large clearance underneath the house perfect to store everything, including the ride-on lawn mower.

3 BALLINA ROAD, BANGALOW  
**Price to sell at \$1,550,000**  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872



**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 12-1pm



### EASY LIVING IN FERNLEIGH

Adventure into Fernleigh for a taste of Provence and discover this delightful 4 bedroom with study home on 1 hectare. Enjoy the well planned outdoor entertaining area with in ground pool, cabana and extended balcony that flows to the park-like grounds and onto the groomed paddock with a creek frontage for the horse.

With a sealed driveway, double garage, easy care gardens and a sense of holiday, this very tastefully presented home with internal skylights, ceiling fans and combustion fire makes life very pleasant.

• Effective insulation • Fully ducted airconditioning with separation control • Only 10 minutes to Bangalow and 15 minutes to the beach this rural life style gem must be considered.

375 FERNLEIGH RD, FERNLEIGH.  
**AUCTION ONSITE FEB 12, 2011 - PRICE GUIDE \$729,000**  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872



### VACANT LAND - PANORAMIC VIEWS - TINTENBAR

This stunning parcel of land sits proudly high in the exclusive Phoenix Park Estate in Tintenbar and offers fabulous northern and panoramic valley views. A manicured 1.23 hectares with pine tree backdrop is poised ready for building your dream home with plenty of space to include your pool, outdoor entertaining areas, tennis court and veggie garden. With the added advantage of two available entrances to the homesite, this delightful block with sealed road access, close to Tintenbar general store, medical centre and golf course, has great potential. Only 10 mins drive to Ballina airport, Lennox Head and Alstonville, 15 mins to Bangalow.

**PRICE \$585,000**  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872



**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 11-11.30am



### FAMILY PERFECT - BANGALOW

Located in the quiet end of town, you will discover this charming, 8 year old, 3 bedroom 2 bathroom one level home with lock up garage and a sense of easy living.

You will love the enormous north facing undercover decking superb for entertaining and the outdoor lifestyle that flows to a large fully fenced grassed area perfect for the pool.

Offering reverse cycle air, insulation and fans throughout, this family friendly home, with easy care garden, veggie patch and only a short walk to the CBD of Bangalow will guarantee you a wonderful value for money purchase.

53 TRISTANIA ST, BANGALOW  
**Priced to sell at \$585,000**  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872

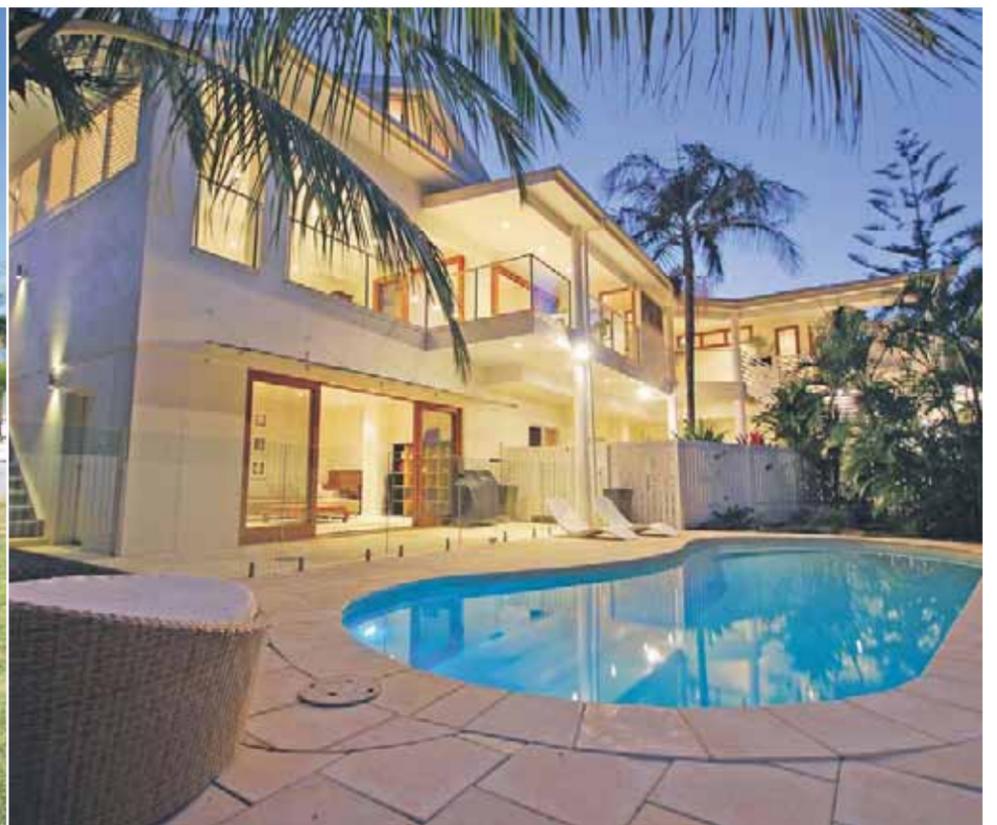


### LUXURY MODERN HOME - TINTENBAR

Discover this stunning contemporary residence, well elevated on 1.2 prime acres with magical northeasterly rural views in the prestigious Phoenix Park Estate on the edge of the Byron Bay hinterland.

You will love the outdoor, undercover balcony area overlooking the superb, classically designed in ground pool, perfectly positioned for year round entertainment and cleverly designed to capture the cooling breezes of summer and the wonderful winter sun. Only 15 minutes' drive to Ballina and Lennox Head and 20 mins to Byron Bay, offers the ultimate in rural residential living.

144 FORRESTERS WAY, TINTENBAR  
**PRICE \$1,595,000**  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872



**auction**

**789 friday hut road**

an ultra private and luxurious resort style residence on 5 acres with panoramic views. this is one of the most stunning properties in byron bay. this exclusive home has been designed for relaxation and entertainment.

- heated polished concrete & carpeted floors
- floor to ceiling slide away glass doors
- separate media room and office
- 10 mins from tropical broken head beach

belleproperty.com/28p0235

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**view** by appointment  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** frances o'connor  
 0412 522 540

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**byron bay**

**36 beachcomber drive**

occupying an exclusive byron bay beachfront position is this immaculately presented family residence known as 'dolphins'. experience the ultimate of beach lifestyle in this haven of style and sophistication.

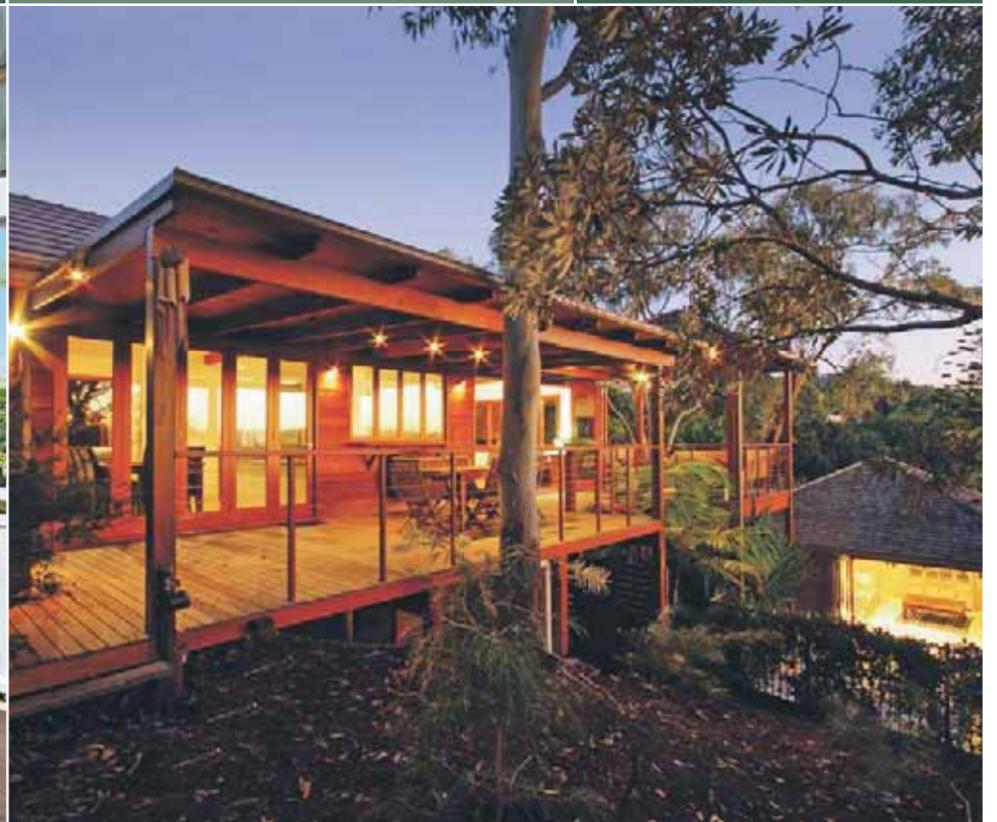
- absolute beachfront position
- rare dual occupancy approval
- architecturally designed
- north east facing decks

belleproperty.com/28p0257

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**view** sat 2.00pm - 2.30pm  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** bryce cameron  
 0412 057 672  
 neil cameron  
 0419 274 798

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PROPERTY



**bangalow**

**9 barby crescent**

positioned for absolute convenience this open plan family home is perfectly constructed to capture every piece of the breathtaking hinterland views that are on offer.

- quality family residence
- generous rumpus room and separate study
- impressive covered entertaining area
- live in comfort with open, breezy living areas

belleproperty.com/28p0240

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**view** sat 12.00pm - 12.30pm  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** bryce cameron  
 0412 057 672  
 neil cameron  
 0419 274 798

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**byron bay**

**58 paterson street**

positioned in a prestigious area of byron bay, this magnificent architecturally designed home presents to the occupants stunning byron hinterland views and tranquil surrounds.

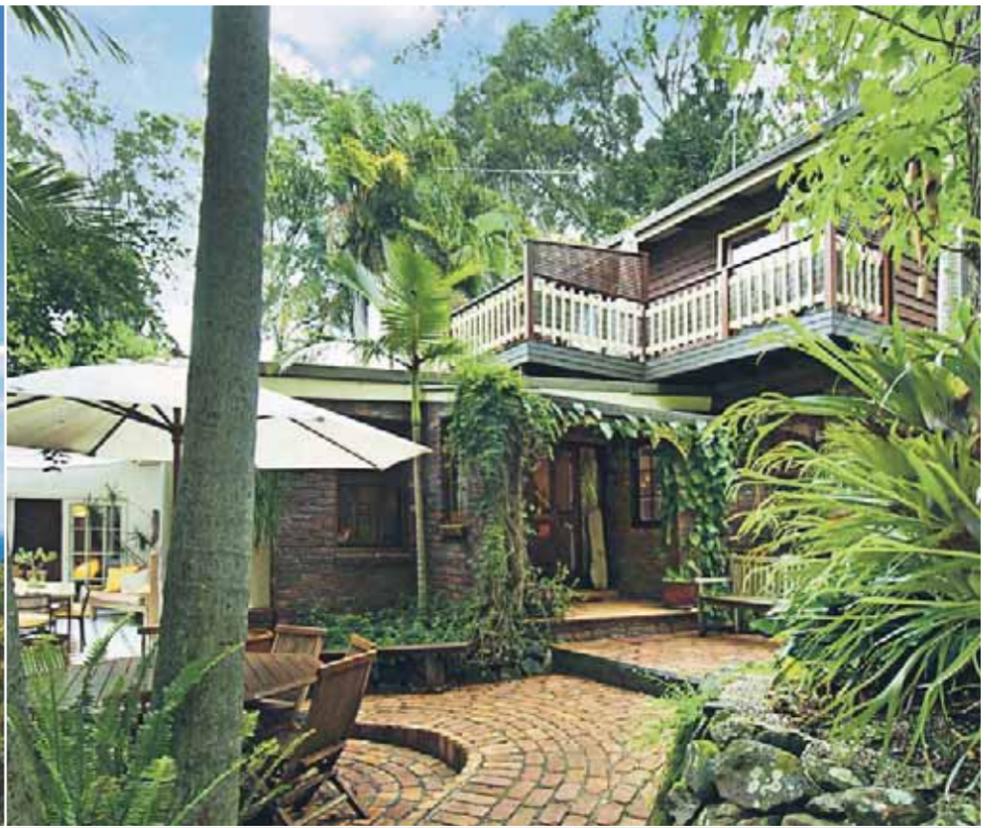
- stunning architecture
- open plan luxury living and entertaining
- separate studio
- 1303 square metre block in the heart of byron bay

belleproperty.com/28p0239

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**view** thu 5.00pm - 5.30pm  
 sat 1.00pm - 1.30pm  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** neil cameron  
 0419 274 798  
 bryce cameron  
 0412 057 672

**belle**  
PROPERTY



**byron bay**

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**63a massinger street**

sensational ocean and hinterland views form a sweeping panorama from this premium elevated position overlooking byron township.

- self-contained guest accommodation
- immaculately presented split level home
- opportunity for yet another level (stca)
- da approved for extensive decking and wet-edge pool

[belleproperty.com/28p0247](http://belleproperty.com/28p0247)

**byron bay**

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**6 skimmers shoot road**

situated on a two acre estate just three minutes drive down a tree lined country road to a cinema, spa, restaurant and bar close to byron bay cbd.

- dual occupancy 2 x 4 bedroom homes
- separate one bedroom residence
- large artists/meditation studio space
- swimming pool

[belleproperty.com/28p0220](http://belleproperty.com/28p0220)

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**byron bay**

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**2/136 alcorn street**

unequaled as far as beach side duplex's go, this modern apartment is located directly opposite the beach and has arguably the premium position on alcorn street.

- directly opposite beach
- excellent holiday let returns
- light filled living/entertaining space
- stunning plunge pool

[belleproperty.com/28p0265](http://belleproperty.com/28p0265)

**byron bay**

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**4/42 mcgregor street**

extraordinarily situated with stunning absolute beach frontage offering breathtaking views of tallow beach and the pacific ocean.

- high end accommodation business
- guaranteed 5% pa income return
- capital growth of 20% pa
- prime beachfront location with exclusive beach access.

[belleproperty.com/28p0162](http://belleproperty.com/28p0162)

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**byron bay**

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**91 jonson street**

this is a prime main street position in the heart of byron bay, with a solid long term tenant. commercial retail property in jonson st has enjoyed excellent capital growth over previous years and will continue to do so.

- net return of \$235,000.
- rear lane access
- separate free standing house
- includes a large commercial/retail area

[belleproperty.com/28p0238](http://belleproperty.com/28p0238)

**view** by appointment  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** **neil cameron**  
**0419 274 798**  
**bryce cameron**  
**0412 057 672**

**belle**  
**PROPERTY**



**byron bay**

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**2 palm place**

enjoying a convenient address in a very popular family orientated estate this quality residence has everything just moments away. this area has seen good capital growth in recent years.

- easy access, spacious single level living
- salt water in-ground swimming pool
- low maintenance gardens with bore water
- short stroll to the beach and shops

[belleproperty.com/28p0259](http://belleproperty.com/28p0259)

**view** sat 11.00am - 11.30am  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** **neil cameron**  
**0419 274 798**  
**bryce cameron**  
**0412 057 672**

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**PROPERTY**



**federal**

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**97 federal road**

let yourself experience the beauty of 'tambaran'. nestled in a sought after area, high in the hills behind byron bay is this perfectly presented family residence.

- exotic tropical gardens spread over 5 acres
- 3 individually fenced paddock
- separate studio living with shower & toilet
- large vegetable & orchid garden

[belleproperty.com/28p0230](http://belleproperty.com/28p0230)

**view** sat 11.00am - 11.30am  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** **bryce cameron**  
**0412 057 672**  
**neil cameron**  
**0419 274 798**

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**PROPERTY**



**brunswick heads**

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**67 hyrama crescent**

this secluded rural property offers complete privacy and tranquility. here you will be 'living the dream' whether it be as a holiday retreat or as your family home.

- underground power and town water
- 2 horse stables & loading ramp on 5.85 acres
- shed 9 metre x 6 metre with concrete floor
- rare opportunity to purchase a unique property

[belleproperty.com/28p0260](http://belleproperty.com/28p0260)

**view** sat 4.00pm - 4.30pm  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm  
**contact** **neil cameron**  
**0419 274 798**  
**bryce cameron**  
**0412 057 672**

**belle**  
**PROPERTY**



**lennox head**

**2 greenwood place**  
 this property is nestled on a hillside in the heart of one of australia's iconic ocean side resorts.

- floodlit, full sized tennis court
- in ground pool with pebble and tile finish
- cubby house and playground
- ocean, beach and rural views

belleproperty.com/28p0219

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**view** wed 12.00pm to 1.00pm  
**auction** tue 15 feb 6.00pm byron at byron  
**contact** frances o'connor 0412 522 540

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**byron bay**

**37 kingsley street**  
 a tranquil oasis of luxury, complete with tropical night lit landscaped gardens and free-form bionova pool. this architect-designed home is perfectly situated in the leafy heritage area of byron bay and short level walk to beach, shops and cafes.

- french doors onto expansive decks
- 5 br + 2br pavilion approved for use as b&b
- modern kitchen with marble bench tops
- 1012 sqm block with rear lane access

belleproperty.com/28p0237

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**view for sale** sat 11.00am - 11.30am \$2,150,000  
**contact** frances o'connor 0412 522 540

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PROPERTY



**knockrow**

**16 carney place**  
 this delightful easy living home has spectacular views from every window whilst still enjoying complete privacy with its stunning tropical rural setting on this one in a million ten acre block.

- situated on 10 acres
- potential and style
- two separate living spaces
- 15 minutes from bangalow and byron

belleproperty.com/28p0223

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**view for sale** sat 12.00pm - 12.30pm \$1,000,000  
**contact** frances o'connor 0412 522 540

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**byron bay**

**90 general stubbs drive**  
 the perfect hobby farm with cleared land which gently slopes down to your private swimming hole with 200m of stunning, pristine water frontage on coopers creek.

- situated on 18 acres
- very quiet without traffic noise
- views north up the coopers creek valley
- french doors opening onto the extensive verandah.

belleproperty.com/28p0222

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**view for sale** by appointment offers over \$900,000  
**contact** frances o'connor 0412 522 540

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**OPEN HOME**  
Sat 10:30am - 11am

**Mullumbimby 18 Hottentot Crescent**  
**Investors Take Note**  
Positioned in a quiet cul-de-sac opposite a reserve, this large family home features six bedrooms and two bathrooms and must be sold.  
• Elevated and north facing 823sqm block  
• Light and spacious with three separate living areas  
• Undercover entertaining area  
• Good return and potential on offer

Web Id: 505351  
For Sale \$495,000  
Heidi Last 0416 072 868

Byron Bay



**OPEN HOME**  
Sat 1pm - 1:30pm

**Byron Bay 8 Shelley Drive**  
**Start the New Year in a New House**  
A well presented interior and a terraced landscaped backyard with an inviting pool, define this elevated family home, set on a generous 716m2 block.  
• Recently renovated bathrooms & kitchen  
• Manicured grounds with stone feature walls  
• Built in wardrobes in all 3 bedrooms  
• Wonderfully wide covered entertaining verandah

Web Id: 544576  
For Sale \$749,000  
Stuart Aitken 0417 242 537 Brett Connable 0408 155 931

Byron Bay



agent declares interest

**Bangalow 11 Sansom Street**  
**Elevated Vacant Block**  
An easy stroll to the colourful main street with many award winning restaurants, cafes and specialty shops.  
• 711m2 manicured block with rural backdrop  
• Very leafy surrounds with abundant bird life  
• Rich red alluvial soil great for the keen gardener  
• Primary school and Child day care close by

Web Id: 533982  
For Sale \$425,000  
View by appointment  
Kaye Wilkie 0412 856 208

Byron Bay



**Byron Bay 3/26 Brigantine Street**  
**Must Be Sold**  
Located in the popular Byron Bay Arts & Industry Estate, this "L" shaped industrial unit is well suited for investment or personal use.  
• Cheapest unit on the market  
• Total area of 95sqm  
• 3 phase power  
• Skylights for additional light

Web Id: 405728  
For Sale \$180,000  
View by appointment  
Lloyd Lawton 0403 229 433

Byron Bay



**Suffolk Park 42 MacGregor Street**  
**Tuckeroo Beach House**  
Offering one of the best absolute beachfront positions and at a very affordable entry level price, this versatile beach home offers the idyllic Byron Bay lifestyle.  
• Architect design, open plan beachy feel with plenty of options  
• Separate studio that could be integrated into the home  
• Light, warm interior, high open ceilings, sunny decks  
• The beach is just moments away and shops close by

Web Id: 532636  
For Sale \$1,590,000  
View by appointment  
David Gordon 0418 856 222 Lloyd Lawton 0403 229 433

Byron Bay



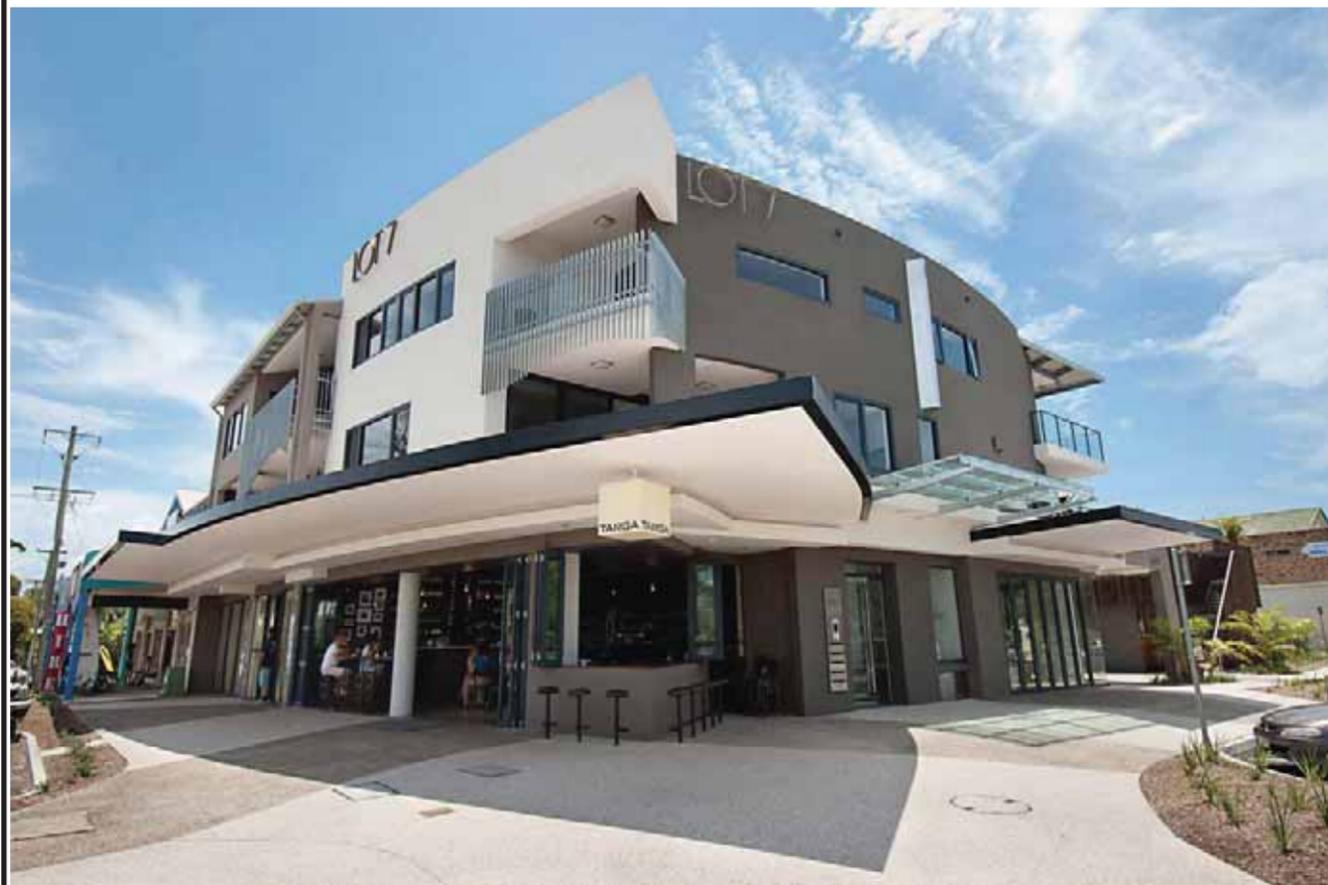
**OPEN HOME**  
Sat 2pm - 3pm

agent declares interest

**Bangalow 5 Bangalay Court**  
**Owners Moving Overseas**  
Nestled in a tranquil enclave, this well maintained family home is walking distance to Bangalow's main street and only ten minutes to Byron Bay beaches.  
• Contemporary design with high ceilings  
• 3 good sized bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, reverse air conditioning  
• Wide covered entertaining deck with north aspect and established tropical garden with rural backdrop  
• Large eat-in kitchen, separate dining

Web Id: 531196  
For Sale \$685,000  
Kaye Wilkie 0412 856 208

Byron Bay



## Byron Bay 11 Marvel Street

Very rarely does the opportunity to purchase a luxury vacant apartment in the heart of Byron Bay present itself.

On offer is a choice of four brand new architecturally designed and unique apartments on the edge of the business district and just a short stroll to the Main beach. The development has been complemented by its onsite facilities and world class dining and shopping just downstairs.

- ▶ Luxurious interiors that flow to terraces
- ▶ Gourmet kitchens with Caesar stone bench tops
- ▶ Recreational deck and stunning pool
- ▶ Just minutes walk to everything
- ▶ Stunning aspects and tranquil outlooks

All apartments come with a stunning array of fixtures and fittings such as Miele, Smeg appliances and have the finest in Caesar stone and Carrara marble throughout the kitchen and bathrooms. Designed by a leading coastal architect these apartments provide the absolute best in quality & sophistication.

**Asking Price** from \$1,250,000

**View** Wednesday & Saturday 1:00pm - 3:00pm  
or By Appointment

**Agents** Lloyd Lawton 0403 229 433  
David Gordon 0418 856 222



Byron Bay

Sales Office: 15 Fletcher Street, Byron Bay. Ph (02) 66 856 222 www.rwbyronbay.com

**Ray White**

**NOW SELLING OFF THE PLAN**

# Settlement Due April 2012

**Prices from \$420,000**



## Beachbreak @ Suffolk

- Construction commencing December
- Affordable beachside living
- Great investment
- 5% deposit

Agency declares interest\*

**Agent** Graham Dunn  
0418 663 620  
**Office** 12 Lawson Street, Byron Bay NSW  
**Contact** 02 6685 8575  
**Website** [www.byronbaypropertysales.com.au](http://www.byronbaypropertysales.com.au)  
**Email** [graham@byronbaysales.com.au](mailto:graham@byronbaysales.com.au)





**OPEN HOUSE**

**24 Palm Valley Drive, Byron Bay**

- Beach house, NE aspect
- Beautiful views over Wategos
- Front deck, rear courtyard
- 669m<sup>2</sup> allotment
- Loaded with seaside charm

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**Price:** \$3,500,000  
**View:** Saturday 11-11.30am  
**Contact:** Glen Irwin 0418 604 080



**OPEN HOUSE**

**8 'Seagrove' 11 Constellation Close, Byron Bay**

- Quality fixtures & finishes
- Polished timber floors
- Sparkling inground pool
- Short stroll to town & beach
- Developer wants it sold

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**Price:** \$634,500  
**View:** Saturday 12-12.30pm  
**Contact:** Peter Yopp 0411 837 330  
Tony Farrell 0417 212 692



**OPEN HOUSE**

**5/120 Jonson Street, Byron Bay**

- Affordable investment property
- Fully furnished
- Located close to all the action
- Owners have instructed us to SELL!!

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**Price:** \$450,000  
**View:** Saturday 12-12.30pm  
**Contact:** Glen Irwin 0418 604 080  
Peter Yopp 0411 837 330



**OPEN HOUSE**

**14 Valley Court, Ewingsdale**

- 2 homes & pavillion style pool house
- Privacy & seclusion assured
- In ground 10m pool
- Easy care 5,085m<sup>2</sup> property
- Desirable & exclusive

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**Price:** \$1,095,000  
**View:** Saturday 12-12.30pm  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**OPEN HOUSE**

**101 Phillips Road, Newrybar**

- 126 acres
- Close to Byron Bay
- Must see to appreciate

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**Price:** On Application  
**View:** Saturday 1-1.30pm  
**Contact:** Glen Irwin 0418 604 080



**OPEN HOUSE**

**'Seadrift' 6-8 Browning Street, Byron Bay**

- 2 x brand new townhouses
- Quality fixtures & finishes
- Polished timber floors
- Secure gated complex
- Developer says clear now

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**Price:** From \$679,500  
**View:** Saturday 1-1.30pm  
**Contact:** Peter Yopp 0411 837 330  
Tony Farrell 0417 212 692



**OPEN HOUSE**

**38B Shelley Drive, Byron Bay**

- Downstairs retreat & studio
- Close to town and beaches
- Elevated, backs onto reserve
- Timber home with character & charm
- Private & peaceful

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**Price:** \$850,000  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**OPEN HOUSE**

**46 Coogera Circuit, Suffolk Park**

- Fantastic family home
- Easy care 674.5m<sup>2</sup> block
- Outdoor entertaining area
- Fully fenced backyard
- Open plan living/dining
- Walk to shops, tavern, golf course & beach

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**Price:** \$690,000  
**Contact:** Jon Luton 0422 794 384  
Glen Irwin 0418 604 080



**Traditional Charm With Contemporary Interiors**

- Charming beach house
- Spacious open plan living area
- Beautiful & artful renovation
- Surrounded by quality homes
- Easy stroll to town, beaches & parks

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**Price:** \$1,050,000  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**Land & Location For Your Byron Bay Dream**

- Vacant block in centre of town
- Located in a highly sought after street
- Plans available for a 3 bedroom home (STCA)
- Walk to town, beaches, shops & cafes

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**Price:** \$549,000  
**Contact:** Peter Yopp 0411 837 330



**'Bellagio'**

- Luxurious award winning home
- Amazing design & presentation
- Separate study
- Open plan living
- Vendors are ready to go

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**Price:** Interest over \$895,000  
**Contact:** Erin Chapple 0434 007 227



**Dehnga Place, Suffolk Park**

- Spectacular land release
- Lot sizes 611m<sup>2</sup> to 882m<sup>2</sup>
- Close to schools, shops and transport
- Some lakefront blocks
- Located in a quality estate

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**Price:** From \$425,000  
**Contact:** Tony Farrell 0417 212 692



**Footsteps To The Beach**

- Secluded saltwater pool
- Only 150 metres to beach
- Lush private courtyard
- Rare opportunity in tightly held complex

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**Price:** Offers Over \$750,000  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**Lifestyle Living In The Heart Of Byron Bay**

- Family home on generous level 1,012m<sup>2</sup> block
- Exquisite renovation
- Blend of original character & contemporary style
- Possibility of sub-division STCA, rear lane access

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**Price:** \$1,980,000  
**Contact:** Jon Luton 0422 794 384  
Glen Irwin 0418 604 080



**Byron Classic Brought Back To Life**

- Beautifully renovated original residence
- Classic home, grand spaces
- Set on approx. 900m<sup>2</sup>
- Latest standards in comfort
- One of a kind

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**Contact:** Peter Yopp 0411 837 330  
Glen Irwin 0418 604 080



**Overlooking Golf Course**

- Fabulous townhouse
- Adjoining golf course
- Open plan living area
- Well appointed kitchen
- Sunny N-facing balcony
- Investment opportunity

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**Price:** \$425,000  
**Contact:** Erin Chapple 0434 007 227



**In Town Apartment**

- Ground floor dual key apartment
- In town location
- Pool, spa, BBQ area
- On-site management
- Income growth each year

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**Price:** \$610,000  
**Contact:** Tony Farrell 0417 212 692



**'Byron Central Apartments'**

- Fantastic studio apartment
- Sleeps 4 comfortably
- 2 blocks from Main Beach
- Own secure carpark
- Great value apartment
- Priced to sell quickly

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**Price:** \$270,000  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**Elevated Rural Land**

- Land size of 9,070m<sup>2</sup> approx
- Rural views to Mt Warning
- Very close to Byron Bay
- Approved for upmarket residence
- 2,000 metres to beach

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**Price:** \$670,000  
**Contact:** Peter Yopp 0411 837 330



**'Mecca Centre'**

- Well built industrial unit
- 117m<sup>2</sup> total floor space
- Offering 82m<sup>2</sup> downstairs
- Mezzanine level is 35m<sup>2</sup>
- Separate toilet & shower
- Car space on title

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**Price:** \$259,000  
**Contact:** Erin Chapple 0434 007 227



**'Bogarts' On Byron**

- Quality finishes & interior
- Open spacious living area
- In the heart of town
- Short stroll to Main Beach
- Comes fully furnished
- Agent declares interest

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**Price:** \$995,000  
**Contact:** Tony Farrell 0417 212 692



**Beachside Living - Reduced To Sell**

- Great beachside location
- Open plan living & dining
- Inground saltwater pool
- Built for privacy & security
- Stroll to shops, tavern & beach

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**Price:** \$470,000  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**'Mariner Bay'**

- Great income & low expenses
- Top floor rear apartment
- 200 metres to the beach
- Open plan design
- Vendors must sell

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**Price:** \$750,000  
**Contact:** Liam Annesley 0417 780 795



**Coastal Acreage**

- 55 acres of vacant rural land
- Building Entitlement
- 5 minutes to Broken Head
- 10 minutes to Byron Bay
- Natural spring water and dam
- Fully fenced

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**Price:** \$1,550,000  
**Contact:** Glen Irwin 0418 604 080  
Peter Yopp 0411 837 330

**LJHooker 4/31 Lawson St, Byron Bay 6685 7300**





## Professionals

mullumbimby – bangalow



**MULLUMBIMBY** \$469,000  
**ATTENTION 1ST HOMEBUYER / INVESTOR**

- 3 bedroom 1 bathroom solid double brick home
- North facing, quiet cul de sac location, 660m<sup>2</sup> land
- Close to Brunswick River, park and sports field
- Walk / cycle to town, 10km to Brunswick Beach

Paul Eatwell 0414 466 111



**BRUNSWICK HEADS** \$990,000  
**19 NANA STREET**

- 4 beds, 4 baths – 2 separate living spaces
- Entertaining deck and plunge pool
- Quiet location – stroll to beach and cafes
- Rear lane access – off street parking

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**MULLUMBIMBY** \$1,150,000  
**16 ACRES 2KM FROM TOWN**

- North facing, great views of Mount Chincogan
- High ceilings, open plan, 3 bed, two bathrooms
- 24 x 9 metres shed, self contained one bed studio
- Brunswick River frontage, bore, 4 water tanks

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**OCEAN SHORES** \$555,000  
**RANCHO RELAXO**

- Reminiscent of Santa Fe adobe style
- Approved dual occupancy, South Pacific views
- 3 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, media room
- 790m<sup>2</sup> of cool with retro pool

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**THE POCKET** \$660,000  
**RAINBOW RIVER**

- Magical, private, idyllic creek side location
- Spacious 2 bedroom cottage
- Separate one bedroom cabin with bathroom
- North facing 2.83ha (7 acres) approximately

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**MULLUMBIMBY** \$469,000  
**CENTRAL POTENTIAL**

- 3 bedroom brick and tile
- Great potential to enhance
- Tasteful, spacious interior
- Stroll to town shops and cafes

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**MULLUMBIMBY** \$669,000  
**GORGEOUS ON GORDON**

- Original cottage with stunning city style
- New kitchen with European appliances
- 3 bedrooms, 2 sparkling bathrooms
- Rear lane, garage/potential studio STCA

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**MULLUMBIMBY** \$749,000  
**SPACE AND GRACE**

- Nestled amongst trees on elevated 8308m<sup>2</sup>
- 4 beds, 1 bath plus separate bath house
- High ceilings, timber floors, rosewood kitchen
- Between Mullum and Steiner School

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## OPEN FOR INSPECTIONS

### LJ HOOKER BYRON BAY

24 Palm Valley Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.30am  
8 'Seagrove' 11 Constellation Close, Byron Bay.  
Sat 12-12.30pm  
5/120 Jonson Street, Byron Bay. Sat 12-12.30pm  
14 Valley Court, Ewingsdale. Sat 12-12.30pm  
101 Phillips road, Newrybar. Sat 1-1.30pm  
'Seadrift' 6-8 Browning Street, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.30pm

### LJ HOOKER BRUNSWICK HEADS

41 Booyun Street, Brunswick Heads. Sat 11-11.30am

### BANGALOW REAL ESTATE

14 Barby Crescent, Bangalow. Wed & Sat 11-11.45am  
3 Campbell Street, Bangalow. Wed & Sat 11-11.45am  
60 Fair View Road, Rosebank. Sat 12.30-1.30pm  
82 Coopers Creek Road. Sat 2-3pm

### ELDERS BANGALOW

200 Eureka Road, Eureka. Sat 11-11.30am  
56 Rankin Drive, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am  
11 Raftons Road, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am  
102 Eureka Road, Rosebank. Sat 11-11.30am  
15 Gittoes Lane, Possum Creek. Sat 11-11.30am  
12 Raftons Road, Bangalow. Sat 12-12.30pm  
9 Campbell Street, Bangalow. Sat 12-12.30pm  
11 Campbell Street, Bangalow. Sat 12-12.30pm  
8 Roses Road, Federal. Sat 12-12.30pm  
113 Kings Road, Federal. Sat 12-12.30pm  
36 River Street, New Brighton. Sat 1-1.30pm  
24 Beachside Drive, Suffolk Park. Sat 1-1.30pm  
29 Myocum Ridge Road, Myocum. Sat 1-1.30pm  
9 Koonyum Range Road, Wilsons Creek. Sat 2-2.30pm

### PRDNATIONWIDE OCEAN SHORES

Seagrass, 1 Langi Place, Ocean Shores. Sat 10am-12pm  
1 Kulgan Court, Ocean Shores. Sat 10-10.45am  
7 Narrogal Court, Ocean Shores. Sat 11-11.45am  
34 Warrambool Road, Ocean Shores. Sat 12-12.45pm  
23 Berrimbillah Court, North Ocean Shores. Sat 1-1.45pm  
24 Berrimbillah Court, North Ocean Shores. Sat 1-1.45pm

### PRIVATE SALE: OPPORTUNITY TO GET INTO THE MARKET

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

### BYRON BAY FIRST NATIONAL REAL ESTATE

8 Coachwood Close, Byron Bay. Sat 10-10.30am  
7 'Tallows at Byron', Sallywattle Drive, Suffolk Park.  
Sat 10-10.30am  
1/4 Lilli Pilli Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 10.30-11am  
20 Cooper Street, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.30am

1/15 Oceanside Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 11.30am-12pm  
14 Melaleuca Drive, Mullumbimby. Sat 12-12.30pm  
25 Corkwood Crescent, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.30pm  
180 Binna Burra Road, Binna Burra. Sat 12.30-1pm  
House 56, 12 Hazelwood Close, Suffolk Park. Sat 1-1.30pm  
6 Driftwood Avenue, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.30pm  
29 Paterson Lane, Byron Bay. Sat 1.30-2pm  
49 Stuart Street, Mullumbimby. Sat 2.30-3pm

### ELDERS NEW BRIGHTON

7 Terrace St, New Brighton. Sat 11am-12pm  
12 Pacific Esplanade, South Golden Beach. Sat 11am-12pm  
22 Muli Muli Ave, Fern Beach. Sat 10-10.45am  
10 Beach Ave, South Golden Beach. Sat 10-10.45am

### RAY WHITE BYRON BAY

31 Kalemajere Drive, Suffolk Park. Sat 10-10.30am  
17A Beech Drive, Suffolk Park. Sat 11-11.30am  
1/9 Massinger Street, Byron Bay. Sat 12-12.30pm  
24/3 Pecan Court, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.30pm  
8 Shelley Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.30pm  
1/11 Marvel Street, Byron Bay. Wed & Sat 1-3pm  
2/11 Marvel Street, Byron Bay. Wed & Sat 1-3pm  
3/11 Marvel Street, Byron Bay. Wed & Sat 1-3pm  
4/11 Marvel Street, Byron Bay. Wed & Sat 1-3pm  
5 Bangalay Court, Bangalow. Sat 2-3pm

### SCOTT HARVEY REAL ESTATE

3 Ballina Road, Bangalow. Sat 12-12.30pm  
53 Tristania Street, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am

### PROFESSIONALS MULLUMBIMBY

19 Nana Street, Brunswick Heads, Sat 12.15-1pm

## AUCTIONS

### PRDNATIONWIDE OCEAN SHORES

23 Berrimbillah Court, North Ocean Shores. Auction 1pm onsite  
Sat Jan 29

### ELDERS NEW BRIGHTON

7 Terrace St, New Brighton. Auction Feb 12

### RAY WHITE BYRON BAY

12 Magnolia Place, Ewingsdale. Auction 12pm onsite Sun Feb  
27. Inspect every Sat 12-1pm

### LOIS BUCKETT REAL ESTATE

Auctions 6pm Feb 2 at Ramada Ballina  
7/66 Natural Lane, Coopers Shoot  
297 Possum Creek Rd, Possum Creek. Inspect Sat 11-11.30am  
2/59Bbayview Drive, East Ballina. Inspect Sat 3-3.30pm  
7 Cooloola Avenue, Lennox Head. Inspect 11-11.30am  
Lots 14 & 15 Thomas Street, Bangalow.

### SCOTT HARVEY REAL ESTATE

719 Fernleigh Road, Brooklet. Auction onsite Feb 12. Inspect  
Sat 1.30-2pm  
375 Fernleigh Road, Fernleigh. Auction onsite Feb 12. Inspect  
Sat 12-1pm

### BELLE PROPERTIES

Auctions 6pm Tue Feb 15  
789 Friday Hut Road  
36 Beachcomber Drive, Byron Bay. Inspect Sat 2-2.30pm  
9 Barby Crescent, Bangalow. Inspect Sat 12-12.30pm  
58 Paterson Street, Byron Bay. Inspect Thu 5-5.30pm & Sat  
1-1.30pm  
63a Massinger Street, Byron Bay. Inspect Sat 10-10.30am  
6 Skinners Shoot Road, Byron Bay. Inspect Sat 1-1.30pm  
2/136 Alcorn Street, Byron Bay. Inspect Mon 1.30-2pm  
4/42 McGregor Street, Byron Bay. Inspect Sat 1.30-2pm  
2 Palm Place, Byron Bay. Inspect Sat 11-11.30am  
97 Federal Road, Federal. Inspect Sat 11-11.30am  
67 Hyrama Crescent, Brunswick Head. Inspect Sat 4-4.30pm  
2 Greenwood Place, Lennox Head. Inspect Wed 12-1pm  
37 Kingsley Street, Byron Bay. Inspect Sat 11-11.30pm  
16 Carney Place, Knockrow. Inspect Sat 12-12.30pm  
90 General Stubbs Drive, Byron Bay

## NEW LISTINGS

### ELDERS BANGALOW

Suffolk Park, 24 Beachside Drive, \$1,275,000: Large private  
1278m<sup>2</sup> block, low maintenance home, 2 minute walk to beach.  
Bangalow, 12 Muskwood Place, \$890,000: Sensational rural  
views, 725m<sup>2</sup> block, modern home, spacious decks, quiet area.  
Ewingsdale, 191 Myocum Road, \$950,000: 10 clear level acres,  
potential to value add, comfortable brick home, studio/shed.  
Byron Bay, 30 Tallowood Cres, \$865,000: Well situated 4  
bedroom home, outdoor entertaining area, close to town &  
beaches.  
Bangalow, 12 Raftons Road, Forthcoming Auction: Tastefully  
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So far Byron Shire has come out very well in all the recent deluges, and certainly much better than all the poor folks in Brazil caught in the mudslides. La Niña is certainly doing her thing on a grand scale. There are many ways you can help out with Queensland flood relief. One is the Premier's Disaster Relief Appeal at [www.qld.gov.au/floods/donate.html](http://www.qld.gov.au/floods/donate.html), or if you prefer to use a phone, call 1800 219 028.

In the Taste columns last week, we asked what might be the preferred food of Goths. This week we got a fabulous answer, which you can read in the Taste pages.

One of the doyens of psychedelic art, Alex Grey, and his partner Allyson will perform

a 'live painting event' in Byron Bay on January 27 followed by exhibitions in Melbourne and Sydney. Visit [www.earthfreq.com/alex\\_and\\_allyson\\_grey\\_byron\\_exhibition](http://www.earthfreq.com/alex_and_allyson_grey_byron_exhibition) to see more and Alex's site is at <http://alexgrey.com>, for when too many swirling molecular cutaways is never enough.

With the inquest into the death of Jai Morcom at Mullum High soon to begin on January 31 at Lismore courthouse, his dad Steve Drummond presents the sad and moving history on YouTube at [www.youtube.com/watch?v=eOYoHoJxds8](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eOYoHoJxds8), or search 'Jai'.

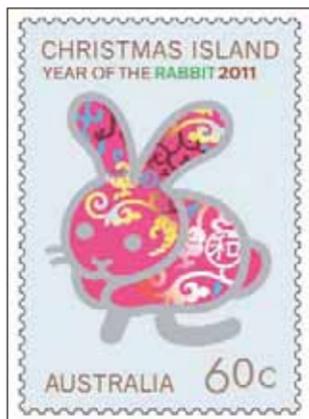
The Beach Party returns! (remember Annette Funicello in *Beach Blanket Bingo* [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Beach\\_Blanket\\_Bingo](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Beach_Blanket_Bingo)? Probably not.) The Summer Holiday Youth Activity program organisers are holding a beach party at South Golden Beach Community Hall on Friday January 14 - free workshops and fun activities, food and entertainment from 5pm to 10pm.

Much spam purportedly coming from the Australian Tax Office is currently doing the rounds. Do not respond, junk it. Likewise with email offers from banks, former Nigerian ministers of state and those intent on increasing the length of your generative organ. And gamers, watch out for emails asking you to change your login for security purposes. It's a jungle out there.

Headlines 20 years ago: Peace march draws 400 and is addressed by federal MP Neville Newell (remember when we didn't support war?), Health service denies plans to close Byron hospital, and Byron Council worries about possible pollution from Ballina Council beachworks. - *The Echo* 16/1/91



Picture this: you're driving down the highway when you come across a line of cars stopped by a tree which has fallen across the roadway. No-one has a chainsaw, what to do? A couple of cars back pulls up a mountain of a man, Brad Hains, headed for the Brunswick woodchop. Jumps out, grabs an axe from the boot and goes to work, to the delight of many women and embarrassment of a few men. Photo Jeff...and hangs around in bars' Dawson



Says Australia Post: Chinese legend tells of three sages who transformed themselves into pitiful old men and begged for something to eat from a fox, a monkey and a rabbit. The fox and the monkey both had food to give, but the rabbit having nothing offered himself as dinner. The sages were so touched by the rabbit's kind sacrifice that they let him live in the Moon Palace. He is now known as the Jade Rabbit and can be seen every night preparing the elixir of immortality in a mortar and pestle for the moon goddess. So how come only Christmas Island gets the cute stamp?

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