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# A community-owned Mullumbimby IGA

Hans Lovejoy

Greg Dutton, president of the Mullumbimby and Ocean Shores Community Gardens, is taking hyper-local food security to the next plateau.

He is calling on the community to invest and run the Dennetts IGA Supermarket as a co-op hybrid model, which he is calling a 'social enterprise'.

Professional Mullumbimby businesses are already engaged, with John Robinson Accounting and Wall & Co Lawyers working with Greg's team to co-ordinate the purchase.

They are presently evaluating the sale contract which also includes due diligence of the business.

## Capital already pledged

The kickstart has been made possible, Greg says, by three wealthy local philanthropists (founding stakeholders) who have already pledged the necessary capital to acquire the business.

'Once our team have secured the supermarket, then we, as community members, will have the opportunity to buy in,' he says.

'As we buy in, the founding stakeholders will reduce their ownership and have their capital repaid.'

'This is a great opportunity for us to take control of our food security,' he says. 'We can keep the profits and jobs here in town and take control of our supermarket experience.'

## Other working co-ops

Greg points to other well-functioning and profitable co-ops in Australia. 'Goondiwindi's co-op ([www.gdi-coop.com.au](http://www.gdi-coop.com.au)), located six hours west of Mullumbimby, has been trading successfully for 29 years, and the Macleay Regional Co-operative runs Kempsey's Supa IGA ([www.macleay-regionalcooperative.com.au](http://www.macleay-regionalcooperative.com.au)). So why not Mullumbimby?

'If we combine just 10 per cent of

Dennetts IGA stock purchases with 100 per cent of profits, an estimated \$900,000 to \$1 million per year would be immediately injected into our Mullumbimby local economy.'

Having been in the region for only three years, Greg's background is in venture capital and business start-ups.

He moved to the area from Sydney to 'live in a more sustainable and self-sufficient region.'

Currently he also serves on the committee for the New Brighton Farmers Market.

## The proposal

Most importantly, all 36 local staff, systems, processes and operations will remain the same, says Greg. 'With the assistance of IGA operations, we will hire an experienced supermarket manager with an excellent track record to take over from the current owner. Our new manager would be

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Greg Dutton, pictured centre, is spearheading a bid to operate the Shire's first community supermarket. Long-time Mullumbimby business owner Gerard Walker from Stewart's Menswear, pictured right, supports the move. 'It means more money and jobs staying here in our local community.' Photo Jeff Dawson

## Mayors set to leave jobs after September elections

Byron mayor Jan Barham and Ballina mayor Phillip Silver both say they will not be contesting the next council elections, to be held in September.

As Australia's first popularly elected Greens mayor, Jan Barham became a Greens member of the New South Wales Legislative Council after last year's election. She told *The Echo* that she will be unable to hold both jobs as the state government will most likely pass legislation prohibiting mayors and councillors from holding dual positions at a state level.

She said, 'I sit in the upper house with the mayor of Shoalhaven and he's still doing both jobs too and that's because we're both committed to seeing things through.'

'On a personal level I'm really heartened to see so many people putting their hands up to run as mayor.'

She told *The Echo* she considered some of her biggest achievements as mayor include pioneering the first Indigenous Land Use Agreement in NSW with the Arakwal Aboriginal

people and completion of the sewerage works which won a National Local Government award.

She says her biggest disappointment as mayor was 'not passing the LEP [Local Environmental Plan]' where she says much good community work was wasted when the state government changed the LEP guidelines.

Her state government portfolio responsibilities with the Greens include family and community services, aging, disability services, Aboriginal affairs, arts, and tourism.

## Silver retires from Council

Cr Silver has been a Ballina Shire councillor for 20 years, having first been elected at a by-election in 1992.

He has been in the top job since 2002. Mayor Silver is currently president of the Northern Rivers Regional Organisation of Councils (NOROC) and, since October last year, chair of Rous Water.

Cr Silver has been on the Rous Water council for 15 years.



Byron Bay High School students Lucy Serret, Ruby Kammoora and Elia Hauge are baring their heads in the World's Greatest Shave. On March 20 in front of the whole student body, the three girls will lose their locks and sport a bold bald look in the name of cancer research for which they are hoping to raise \$5,000. To support them visit [www.worldsgreatestshave.com](http://www.worldsgreatestshave.com) and look for the Byron Bay Bald Eggs in the teams tab. Photo Eve Jeffery



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## Dangerously Poetic celebrates ten years with tenth book



Dangerously Poetic Press is about to launch their tenth book on their tenth anniversary. The anthology, *Wild Honey, Poetry From Byron Bay and Beyond*, features 21 poets on the theme of nature and our place in it. Pictured is Grace McKenna with a copy of the Dangerous Poets anthology which contains her first published poem. The launch will be held on Friday March 9 from 7pm to 9pm at the Brunswick Heads Primary School Hall, Park Street entrance. Photo Jeff 'Booked Until Christmas' Dawson

## Friday night youth drop-in centre

Friday nights in Byron are about to get a lot more entertaining for young people.

A music-based drop-in centre - Yacrockafe - will be kicking off at the Youth Activities Centre (YAC) at 1 Gilmore Crescent, Byron Bay, and opening night is this Friday March 9. Co-ordinator Nicqui Yazdi says, 'These nights are about giving young people a young-adult-style of entertainment and socialising and encouraging them to get into mu-

sic and performance. We have received a number of grants to help get it all started, including a Northern Rivers Community Foundation "Connecting Communities Grant". A donation from Byron Shire Council for music equipment and also a Telstra Assistance Fund music instruments pack, which included an electric drum kit, electric and acoustic guitars, a full-sized electric piano and even a violin.'

She says it will be open every Friday night from 5pm until 10pm. For more information call 6685 777.

## Councillors request a revised report on state govt land grab

Hans Lovejoy

Yabber yabber and humbug broke out at Council's meeting last Thursday over a revised report on the impact of the state government's land grab, specifically at the Brunswick Heads caravan parks.

After Mayor Barham gave her reasons for pushing for the report, she concluded with, 'If you don't think democracy is worth preserving then you're on the wrong planet.' Cr Tucker then replied to a stunned chamber, 'You're on the wrong planet if you don't agree with Jan.'

The gallery then erupted with accusations that Cr Tucker's involvement in local government over the years was of questionable value.

The debate by councillors

largely centred around the need for them to be given a correct assessment of the situation by staff.

'When we get a report, we should be able to rely on it,' the mayor said. 'One map was inaccurate and a two-way street was not accurately represented. We rely on things being on record.'

Cr Tucker, the lone voice of opposition, said, 'What will the revised report achieve; who will write it? Is this ammunition to take on the government? To do what - to reverse the decision? We heard that money has been taken away. That's just not right. This is Crown land and we all own it. We might come out of this worse off.'

Cr Tucker voted against the motion, while everyone else voted for.

## Federal's church saved by books?



From left, Susie Briscoe, Mick Upton and Xavi Goldstein are planning to walk away with stacks of bargains at this weekend's Federal Book Fair, which starts at 9am. Money raised will go towards a community fund to buy the church from the Anglican Diocese. Photo Jeff 'Book'em Danno' Dawson

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required to be a community owner as well, so they have a stake in our success too.'

Shares valued between \$20 and \$40 are being proposed, says Greg.

### Turnover increased

'That way everyone can participate and make it truly a local ownership. In fact with more owners, local suppliers and supporters it's reasonable to forecast the sales and profit will actually increase. It's a great testimony to our community loyalty that

since Woolworths opened in June last year, Dennett's IGA's turnover has actually increased.'

Depending on the final structure, a board of directors or steering group will be formed, he says. 'This team will represent the interests of us, the community owners, the founding stakeholders, the staff and of course us the customers.'

'They will provide overall direction but not be involved in day-to-day management of the business. This way, the current success formula remains the same. The existing "customer

driven" culture will be continued and improved.

'There are obviously a lot of needles to thread but I believe the end result will make a big difference to our region. In fact, I can see this as a model for our community to own more of our local assets and continue to future proof Mullumbimby.'

'It's vital that as many people as possible register their interest to make this happen,' he adds. To find out more and have your say, visit [www.our-mullumbimby.org](http://www.our-mullumbimby.org).

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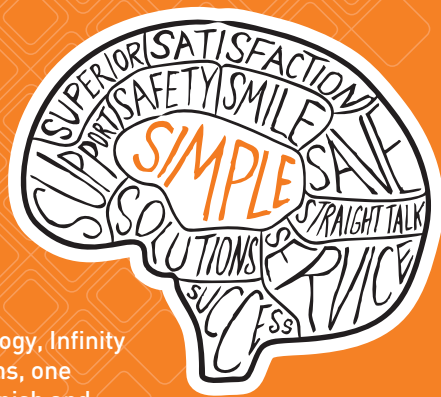
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## Iconic business in turmoil

Luis Felio

The iconic Mullumbimby wholefoods business Santos is in a state of upheaval following a fiery meeting of management, owners and disgruntled staff last Thursday night.

The meeting was called to address 'disharmony among staff over the leadership and direction' of the business, and a further extraordinary meeting within the next two weeks has been called to hopefully resolve the issue.

General manager Jean Bousard, who was appointed to run the 30-year-old business a year ago after previous and

longtime general manager John Dolman retired, offered to stay away from Santos's three outlets in Mullumbimby and Byron Bay and work from home in an effort to ease tensions until the extraordinary meeting was held.

Moana Pearl O'Brien, one of around 90 unitholders of the Santos trust, told *The Echo* the main and pressing issue of holding the meeting was due to the 'distress' among staff and the 'pending resignations'.

Attempts to contact Mr Bousard were unsuccessful.

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## Gala night for film buffs



Swanning at Friday night's red carpet opening, Byron Bay Film Festival's sponsorship manager Kelly Morton and director J'aimee Skippon-Volke, with star of *Face To Face* Vince Colosimo and actress Diana Glenn. The festival continues until this Sunday evening. Photo Jeff 'Filming The Film Fest' Dawson

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## So who dumped diesel into Mullum's sewer?

Luis Felio

The source of a major diesel spill which contaminated the Brunswick Valley Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) two weeks ago has been narrowed down to McGoughans Lane at the northern end of Mullumbimby.

If found guilty, the perpetrator could face a fine of \$250,000.

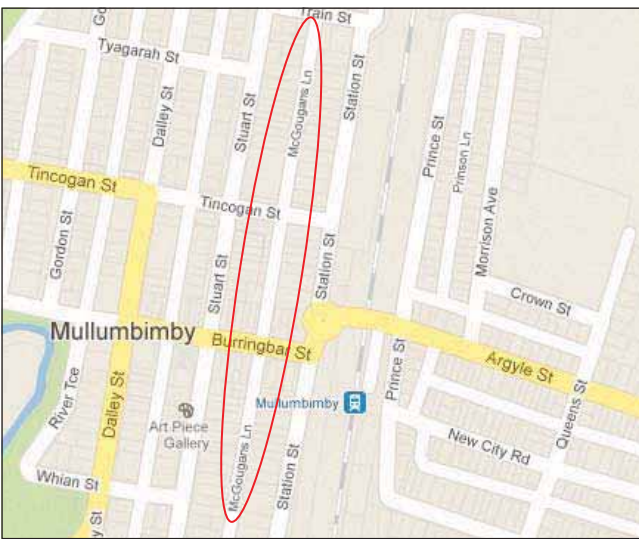
Information from the public on the February 14 spill, which came close to closing down the STP servicing Mullumbimby and Brunswick Heads, is being sought by Byron Council.

Council's executive manager for water and recycling services, Phil Warner, said staff were quick to detect the discharge into the system.

'Workers at the plant were faced with having to minimise the damage to the microbes that digest the effluent in the system by controlling the pH of the plant. STP staff did very well to keep the plant operating during the incident and managed to bring the plant back to full operating capacity in about ten days.'

'And while the possibly illegal discharge damaged the STP system, the plant itself lost no capacity. All inflow during the spill period was treated through the plant, with no bypass directly into the river,' he said.

Mr Warner said the plant treats the effluent using mi-



Council suspects the discharge came from McGoughans Lane in Mullumbimby. Google Maps images

crobes and the impact of the diesel meant the micro organisms in the STP had to overcome the toxic effect of the diesel. 'There was always the risk that had the illegal discharge been larger, then short-term recovery may not have been possible,' he said.

Fears the discharge could have polluted nearby waterways after reddish-brown water was seen in the Brunswick River late last month are unfounded, says Council's environmental health officer Jon Rushforth.

He said it was mostly caused by tannins released from ti-tree leaves decomposing and being washed into the waterways

during the recent heavy rains.

Mr Warner said the diesel discharge had to have been significant given the size of the plant.

'The entire townships of Mullumbimby and Brunswick Heads, which together number about 6000 people, are connected to the plant. A plant the size of the Brunswick Valley STP requires a large volume of diesel to be affected the way it was,' he said.

'As a result, six megalitres of discharge (of treated effluent) across 48 hours were injected into the river that contained phosphorus levels above limits set by the Environmental Protection Authority.'

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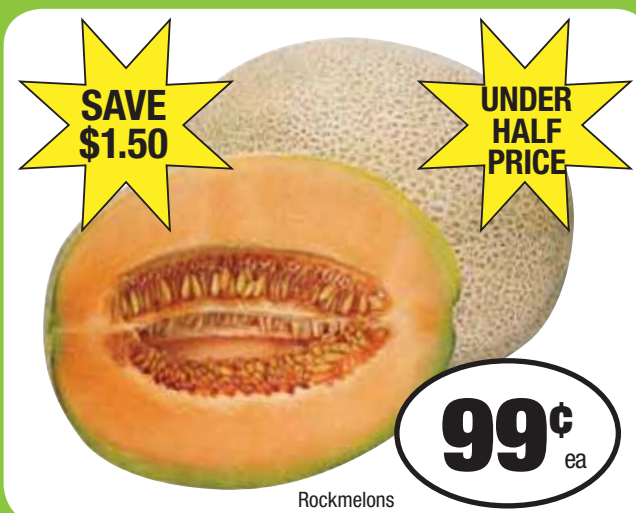
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# Rehab cottage closure ‘a big loss’

Luis Feliu

A unique mental-health rehabilitation centre known as Tincogan Cottage in the heart of Mullumbimby could soon close its doors leaving up to 35 people with mental illnesses from around Byron Shire out in the cold.

The cottage in Tincogan Street has for around 15 years provided day-to-day support and vital social contact for many people with mental health problems, such as bipolar disorder.

Clients say the landmark community service has kept them out of hospital and even prevented suicide, but they fear they will drift away from an organised way of life which sustains them in their recovery.

The centre provides activities including art, music, cooking, a weekly luncheon, yoga,



The Mullumbimby mental-health rehabilitation centre, Tincogan Cottage, faces the axe by federal and state governments.

Photo Jeff Dawson

meditation and gardening, which clients referred there by specialists say gives them a ‘structure’ to their lives.

It is understood that health authorities recently flagged the cottage’s imminent closure, but a spokesperson for the Northern NSW Local Health Dis-

trict, which owns the building, denied this, saying it has made ‘no decision’ to sell the cottage.

And the Coolangatta-based non-government organisation running the federally funded program at the cottage, On Track Community Programs, has failed to comment on the

issue and allay fears.

The Echo spoke to around a dozen of its clients this week who have signed a petition to keep the centre open.

Alex said the service ‘has kept us out of hospital and provided living skills to get back into society; for many of us it stops the wheels falling off’.

‘It’s the only one in Byron Shire where we can get this type of support from mental-health staff and social workers five days a week, and gives us daily living and social skills.

‘It’s the sort of thing which stops people killing themselves, as it gives us a sense of self and belonging.’

Jess said, ‘Every other place for us offers you medication and says “off you go, good luck”.

Amanda says, ‘They should be opening more places like this not closing them down’

# New development behind Lennox causes rifts

Story & photo Eve Jeffery

Land behind Lennox Head that is up for rezoning has caused division between Ballina’s councillors and Lennox’s Chamber of Commerce president.

The proposed Cumbalum Precinct A and Precinct B is between Ross Lane and the Pacific Highway and, if approved, would be a bigger residential area than Lennox Head.

Election hopeful, Lennox Head Chamber of Commerce’s Louise Owen, is against the project which she sees as a bid to turn Lennox Head into another Gold Coast.

‘It is the biggest rezoning that has ever occurred in the Ballina Shire’, she said in a press release. ‘It will explode our population by more than double in a very short space of time.’ She goes on to say that this rezoning does not include all the current land already available for residential buildings which in itself will bring another 4000 to the immediate area of Lennox Head. ‘The two new townships will have their own shopping centres so this will not advance our business community; in fact it

will create much more crowding of Lennox which, in turn, sends people away, not to our businesses.’

But Ballina councillor Sharon Cadwallader says that apart from casting an unfair and untruthful light on Council and its staff, Louise Owen is using the Lennox Head Chamber of Commerce as a political platform to create a scare campaign for the Cumbalum development.

Cr Cadwallader says, ‘Council is dealing with rezonings, not development applications, so the current focus is on determining land suitability for the intended purposes. I am not pro-development as such, but people do need a place to live and we need to provide housing.’

Councillor Jeff Johnson, on the other hand, is against the development and says that he has raised this issue with people in Lennox. ‘When I explain what is being proposed, people are very concerned,’ he says. ‘The idea of building a whole new town on rural and agricultural land is of great concern. The last thing we need is



Ballina councillor Sharon Cadwallader says that much of the land in the development site is unsuitable for building and the development will happen over a 25 to 30 years span, not overnight.

more urban sprawl on farming land. I’m not against development per se, but it needs to be sustainable development, community-style projects in appropriate locations. What I’ve seen so far falls well short of this.

‘This is a cash grab for the

developers.’ He says so far the community has not been involved. Council staff will be conducting the information session concerning the rezonings at the Lennox Head Cultural and Community Centre commencing at 10am on Saturday.

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## Feds fail to act on CSG

Both the federal ALP and coalition have rejected a Greens bill that would recognise water resources that may be affected by major mining and coal-seam gas development as a 'matter of national environmental significance'.

The bill, proposed by the Greens mining spokesperson senator Larissa Waters, says, 'The bill would increase the

environment minister's capacity to protect our water and our environment from CSG. What does it say about the Australian government that they don't want to give themselves the power to act on coal-seam gas?'

'In the driest inhabited continent on Earth, it's ridiculous that water isn't recognised as a national asset and protected at the national level.'

## CSG jobs are in 'managing damage', meeting hears

Mel Hargraves & Chris Dobney

More jobs are created in managing the damage from coal-seam gas (CSG) mining than from the drilling itself, according to state Greens MP Jeremy Buckingham.

Mr Buckingham addressed a community information evening on CSG mining in the northern rivers at the Lismore Workers Club on Thursday night. More than 700 people attended the meeting, at which Mr Buckingham warned that 'if we fail here in the northern

rivers, there will be no stopping this ugly machine.'

As one of six speakers, he gave political context to the night by explaining that the current paradigm in parliament is that 'any industry is a good industry'.

Chaired by Paul Hobbs from Kyogle, the evening's varied speakers included Lismore mayor Jenny Dowell, Trinity High School captain and member of AYCC Amelia Telford, and chairman of Norco board of directors Greg McNamara.

Information delivered on

the night was devastating in its factuality, but hopeful in its delivery.

The meeting was told that the current legislation on CSG mining is outdated and audience members were urged to email, write or phone their state member.

A member of the meeting claimed fracking had commenced in a Casino well yesterday. *The Echo* has confirmed 'unusual activity' around the Metgasco's South Casino Number 2 well yesterday, which included pumping water, to-

gether with what appeared to be a chemical product, into the well. Metgasco has denied the action to other media as there is a state government has a moratorium in place.

Workshops have started in the art of non-violent protest and attracting people who have never even been to a meeting, let alone a protest. Jeremy Buckingham reminded the Northern Rivers of its long and proud history of disobedience and that Australia, particularly the government, is closely watching how we manage the outcome.

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## BB Golf Club wins PGA Award

The Byron Bay Golf Club has won the 2011 NSW/ACT PGA Legends Pro Am of the year award at the PGA awards night at Royal Sydney Golf Club in Sydney, held earlier this month.

The club hosts the Schweppes Australian Legends Tour Championship each year in December and last year the event was won by Ian Baker Finch, his first tournament win since the 1993 Australian PGA.

Peter Swaby, the club's general manager, said that 'to win such an award was a great achievement for a country-based golf club as there were over 30 tournaments played in the NSW/ACT region last year'.

## School program aims to recycle right

Bangalow Public School students participated in the 'Recycle Right' school program last week.

It was developed by Kate Pye, education officer for Solo Resource Recovery, based in Bangalow. 'The main aim of the program is to help schools educate their students about the "dos and don'ts" when it comes to disposing of hard and organic waste,' says Kate.

'It is getting a lot trickier for schools to organise excursions, so I have brought the recycling plant to them,' Kate said.

Kate says the program aims to create a legion of waste warriors. She plans to roll out the program to all primary schools in the Byron Shire.



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## Traces of cyanide found in water supply

Low levels of cyanide compounds have been discovered in water sourced from the Rocky Creek Dam near Lismore.

The dam supplies water to Byron, Ballina, Richmond Valley and Lismore shires.

Mullumbimby is the exception - it is supplied from Council's Lavertys Gap Weir.

Rous Water, the body that manages the dam, says it is investigating irregular water quality tests along with the NSW Ministry of Health. They say however that there is no

threat to public health. 'When Rous Water received the first test result we immediately contacted the NSW Ministry of Health to determine if a public health threat existed,' general manager of Rous Water Kyme Lavelle said.

'Results showed the amount of cyanide was well below levels that would cause either short-term or long-term health problems.'

Cyanide occurs naturally in the environment including waterways and Rous Water be-

lieves the extensive wet weather, which has resulted in a large amount of organic and mineral-based material flowing into Rocky Creek Dam, could be the cause of the problem.

'The dam recently reached its highest level on record and it is possible the organic material that has washed into the dam could have caused the cyanide results,' Mr Lavelle said.

A population of around 95,000 is serviced by this water supply, according to [www.rouswater.nsw.gov.au](http://www.rouswater.nsw.gov.au).

## Tweed Shire appoints new GM

Luis Feliu

Tweed Shire Council has chosen a replacement for retiring general manager Mike Rayner, who leaves office in April.

He is David Keenan, 46, currently the chief executive officer of Mitchell Shire Council on the northern outskirts of Melbourne.

### Greens Cr expelled from selection panel

The decision follows a unanimous decision of six of the seven Tweed councillors at a confidential extraordinary meeting last Monday week.

Cr Katie Milne boycotted the meeting after being controver-

sially expelled from the selection panel by other councillors after telling *The Echo* it would have been 'wonderful' to see a female general manager get the top job, or someone with environmental credentials.

Cr Milne told Cr Longland in a letter she was doing so because of her 'concerns for proper governance' in light of her recent expulsion from the panel and interview process.

Before his role at the helm of Mitchell Shire Council, Mr Keenan spent four years as director city sustainable development at neighbouring Hume Shire Council, responsible for areas including strategic planning, statutory town planning, economic develop-

ment, environment and urban development.

A Tweed Council press release announcing the appointment says Mr Keenan has a Masters degree from the University of Melbourne, a Masters in Business Administration from Victoria University and a Postgraduate Diploma in Planning and the Environment from RMIT, as well as a number of other qualifications.

Mayor Barry Longland welcomed the appointment, saying, 'He is coming to us from a shire with similar growth pressures, with a significant agricultural sector, and this background is particularly relevant to the challenges he will face in Tweed.'



## Coorabell Hall’s new kitchen



Appreciative diners feasted Thai style last Saturday night to christen Coorabell Hall’s new commercial-grade kitchen. Mai Jantau, pictured centre, was ably assisted by Elle

and Satji. Mai said, ‘The newly equipped kitchen was a pleasure to cook in. Its size and bench space made preparing and plating up for so many people very easy.’ ■ Photo Jeff Dawson

## Argy-bargy at Council

Hans Lovejoy

A brouhaha erupted at Byron Council’s public access last week when Cr Ross Tucker and homeless advocate Chris Cusack exchanged heated words over the recently demolished rotunda in Mullumbimby. It was removed by Council workers from the park behind the Civic Hall last week, and served as a homeless shelter. Mr Cusack, a former high school teacher, was asked to finish his timed speech by Cr

Tucker which then prompted Mr Cusack to accuse Cr Tucker of ‘not caring about the homeless’. **Asked to leave** Mr Cusack then asked Cr Tucker to leave the chamber if he ‘didn’t want to hear about the issue.’ Mr Cusack’s parting shot was, ‘You have no compassion.’ Michele Grant quipped from the gallery at one point whether Council would ‘erect a homeless shelter as quickly as it took to demolish that one.’

## Mandy talks at library

In celebration of International Women’s Day, Mullumbimby Library will be hosting local funny woman Mandy Nolan on Friday March 9 at 1.30pm to talk about her new book *What I would do if I were you*. The library will be hosting an afternoon tea at the same

time in the council garden adjoining the library. The event is free, and open to everyone, but attendees could donate a gold coin to the Country Women’s Association (CWA) who will be providing a lot of the afternoon tea. Book by calling 6684 2992.

## Shark catches approved by govt

Federal environment minister Tony Burke has re-approved a fishery that catches tens of thousands of sharks, including threatened species, within the world heritage listed Great Barrier Reef and beyond. The Australian Marine Conservation Society (AMCS) says it is shocked by the re-approval of the East Coast Inshore Fin Fish Fishery (ECIFFF). It allows for shark meat to be sold in supermarkets and shark fins to be exported for shark fin soup. ‘Australia’s environment minister has given a green light to tens of thousands of sharks being caught within the Great

Barrier Reef’, said Tooni Mahto, marine campaigner for AMCS. ‘Despite deep concerns from the Australian public about this shark fishery, the government continues to allow fisheries management by guesswork. ‘The refusal to impose strong regulation on the amount of sharks caught is inexplicable.’ In related news the UNESCO World Heritage Committee has expressed ‘extreme concern’ over development threats to the Great Barrier Reef World Heritage Area. UNESCO is sending a ‘mission’ to assess the status of the World Heritage Area – it arrives on March 5.

## Remembering Phil Witts

An ironbark seat has been placed on Devine’s Lookout in Ocean Shores in memory of local playwright and screenwriter Philip Witts. It is where he and his wife Janie Smith were married and where he proposed seven years ago. Philip was an active member of the Byron writing community and previous vice-presi-

dent of Baywrite and a member of Screenworks. His last production was *The Impossible Dream*, which ran in Cairns for six months at the Shangri-La hotel from 2010 to 2011. Phil also had many plays and radio plays produced in Sydney and Melbourne. Phil died on July 30, 2011 while playing tennis in Mullumbimby. He was 63.

## QLD police minister asked to explain CSG rent-cops

Hans Lovejoy

Queensland police minister Neil Roberts is now being asked to explain to Greens senator Larissa Waters why his police force is being hired to protect coal-seam mining companies. Ms Waters has also asked Mr Roberts to reveal whether Qld police were working in league with the Australian Federal Police to spy on protesters using covert surveillance. *The Echo* reported on February 21 Mr Roberts’s response to whether it was a conflict of interest to hire police to Arrow Energy at the recent protests in the south east Qld town of Kerry. Mr Roberts said ‘no’. Now adding pressure to the question of Mr Roberts’s reasoning and credibility is the Qld Council of Civil Liberties vice-president Terry O’Gorman. He told *The Echo*, ‘I remain of

the view that the arrangements for specials are directed at traffic matters such as the movement of wide loads, roadworks and so on. It is the Council’s intention to make a submission to the QPS that police should not be engaged as specials in relation to political demonstrations be it against the government or any other entity.’ *Crikey*’s Andrew Crook reported last week that Lock the Gate campaigner Drew Hutton said that the current arrangements were ‘completely inappropriate’. ‘It reminds me of how our police were used in the strike-breaking days. That’s the danger; it’s one thing for a community group to pay for police as security for a street festival: that clearly is in the public interest. ‘But where there’s a private company trying to shut down protests, police are conflicted from the outset.’

## Getting naked on a bike

As part of the World Naked Bike Ride, a local naked bike ride is planned for Byron Bay on Sunday March 11 from 2pm. ‘There is no rule as to not wearing or wearing clothing,’ says co-organiser Solihin Milin. ‘It’s all optional. We meet

at the Byron Bay railway station and get painted up with acrylic paint. There is no alcohol involved and everyone has a great time; the public just love it.’ For more visit <http://wiki.worldnakedbikeride.org/wiki/Australia>.

## Free filmmaker’s workshop

A free workshop for independent filmmakers, led by an expert panel, will be held at the Southern Cross Room, upstairs at Byron Community Centre, 11am to 12pm on Friday March 9.

## Volunteer expo in the Bay

The second Volunteer Expo will be held at the Byron Bay Community Centre on March 15. It is a great opportunity for volunteer groups to share ideas, and for the public to see the scope and variety of volunteering opportunities. To register, contact Cherie on 6685 6807 or email [volunteers@byroncentre.com.au](mailto:volunteers@byroncentre.com.au).

## Bluesfest raffles guitars for charity

Three unique Gibson guitars will be raffled by Bluesfest with money raised going to its major charity, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. A pre-raffle display of the guitars will take place at The Byron at Byron Resort and Spa, located at 77 – 97 Broken Head Road, Byron Bay on Friday March 16 from 4 to 7pm. First and second prizes will be signed by many of the major performing artists at this year’s Bluesfest and will be drawn on the main stage at the festival on Monday April 9. Tickets are tax deductible for \$2 and over.

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## While the govt silently sells our sovereignty

Perhaps the biggest story not covered by the media is the sale of Australian property and farms to overseas corporations.

A recent report by the Australian Bureau of Agricultural and Resource Economics and Sciences (ABARES) claims there is no registration of a sale unless it exceeds \$244m. This includes both property and business/farm sales. ABARES notes, 'Some 44 million hectares, or 11.3 per cent of Australian agricultural land, was wholly or partly owned by foreigners, of which around half had majority Australian ownership.' Another interesting claim from the report is that it's the US, not China, that is buying up our land. *Crikey's* Bernard Keane also wrote an article on this report, and pointed out that, 'US investors get special treatment under Foreign Investment Review Board (FIRB) courtesy of the Howard government's Australia-United States Free Trade Agreement (AUSFTA), followed by Malaysia, then the British. Chinese firms had no investment applications at all that year.' Lynne Wilkinson of Ausbuy weighed into the debate with a recent comparison to New Zealand. 'They give priority to their own wealth creators and long-term national interests,' she writes. 'New Zealand dairy farmers recently won a case in their supreme court to stop the sale of eight dairy farms to China. The case was won on the basis that the long-term economic value of these farms would be lost to the New Zealand economy if foreign interests bought them. In the meantime our governments give subsidies to foreign companies to set up business in competition with local manufacturers (OLAM Singapore almond processing), or sell our assets and intellectual property to foreign interests (Victorian Dairy Research Centre to China) leaving local bidders out.'

The issue of sovereignty can sometimes be confused with being patriotic. The 'patriot' concept, however, causes much misery, bigotry and stupidity. Author of *How To Make Friends And Influence People*, Dale Carnegie, even said of it: 'Each nation feels superior to other nations. That breeds patriotism – and wars.'

No, what I am talking about is an understanding by a nation that the land it occupies should be in the stewardship and autonomy of its entire population. Just ask Venezuela, who nationalised their resource sector despite the best efforts of the US. Both our major parties continue to ignore this important issue; the Independents and Greens are the only who have courage to speak up.

Hans Lovejoy, editor

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## Destiny catches up with Robert John Carr

It has taken him 64 years, but Robert John Carr has finally achieved his ambition – nay, his destiny, he would even say his birthright.

From his teenage days in politics Carr has always seen the foreign ministry as his ultimate goal. The journalist Fia Cumming wrote in her book on the New South Wales Labor Right, *Mates*, of how the young Turks of the movement – Carr, Paul Keating, Laurie Brereton and Leo McLeay – used to gather in bars, coffee shops and backrooms to plan their future.

Keating, of course was to become prime minister, with Carr as his foreign minister. Brereton was to take a complementary role as New South Wales premier. And Leaping Leo – well, Leo was the group's enforcer, not really ministerial material. Nonetheless, he was eventually rewarded with a federal seat and, incongruously, a stint as Speaker, an appointment which makes that of Peter Slipper look positively conventional.

For a while the scenario looked as if it was playing itself out; Keating and Brereton appeared set on their paths. But a seat could not be found for Carr. He wanted Kingsford-Smith, but Lionel Bowen beat him to it, and ironically became Bill Hayden's shadow foreign minister; when Hawke won power in 1983 Hayden demanded the job for himself. And Carr, with Canberra at least temporarily out of his reach, settled for joining Brereton in Macquarie Street.

He still thought of it as only a temporary setback and continued to organise the numbers so that he could take over Kingsford Smith when Bowen retired. But the fates again intervened; Labor was swept from office in 1988 and the implacable faceless men of the time

decreed that Brereton was too unpopular with the electorate to take charge of the fight back as state leader. Instead, the poisoned chalice fell to Carr while Brereton claimed Kingsford-Smith and Carr's ticket to Canberra where he eventually finished up (irony on irony) as Keating's foreign minister.

Carr got the state leadership more because he was seen as a clean-skin than through any

the players had left the field. And he had to be forced to eat a meat pie with well-feigned relish after describing the great Australian sausage roll as 'grease wrapped in grease'.

But he knew how to beat the law and order drum to woo the right, and he won the left by his conservation measures – a cause to which he was, and is, genuinely devoted. He declared well over 100 new national

stands the modern world as well as he does the Civil War. He is a regular participant in American-sponsored talk fests and has developed a diverse range of contacts (including, as the commentators insist on reminding us, Gore Vidal – although the relevance of an aging gay novelist, however well-connected, to Australia's regional imperatives is not entirely clear).

Carr is no Kevin Rudd: he will not frighten the bureaucrats with a 24/7 workload and is unlikely to match his predecessor's travel plans or his desire to crash through on big, complex issues such as the G20 – Rudd's greatest triumph. But he will be steady and competent and gives Gillard and her government a big boost in terms of gravitas, debating ability and sheer political nous.

It could even be too big; if Gillard fails to recover in the polls, it will not be long until plots are being hatched to move Carr in as the long-elusive third man, a leadership candidate on to whom the anyone-but-Rudd brigade can latch if their current leader appears ultimately unsalvageable.

He would probably resist; one poisoned chalice in a lifetime is enough, and in any case, Carr has never been one for the genuinely hard slog. As things are, about eighteen months reveling in his lifelong dream, even if it ends up in the defeat of the government – in fact, especially if it ends up in the defeat of the government – should just about see him out.

But you never know. At the very least, Carr adds a new and potent ingredient to the always simmering stew that is the modern Labor Party.

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There is little doubt that Carr still has the passion for the job, and his knowledge of history, particularly American history, is considerable.

by Mungo MacCallum



demonstrated charisma; he had been a diligent but unspectacular minister for Planning and the Environment, and later for Consumer Affairs and then Heritage. But suddenly the reluctant leader showed an unexpected and formidable talent for politics.

In his first campaign in 1991 he forced the coalition into minority government, and then scraped home by a single seat in 1995. He went on to win handsomely in 1999 and 2003, retiring in 2005 as the state's longest continually serving Premier – Henry Parkes lasted longer, but took five separate occasions to do it.

Even though he insisted on being called Bob, Carr was hardly a natural – a bookish, intellectual nerd who hated sport. When dragged to a football match by his aides, he ostentatiously plugged in a Walkman to listen to readings from the works of Marcus Aurelius before leaving at half time. He thought it was over, he explained later; after all,

parks, which he rated as his greatest achievement as premier. In 2003 he initiated a carbon trading scheme, listed by the World Bank as a world first.

He had a voice radio announcers would kill for, and became a nearly invincible performer in the parliamentary bear pit. But his critics insisted that he failed to solve the most intractable problems of state government, notably public transport and public hospitals. Perhaps he was still yearning for the big, international, issues.

At 57 he was still quite young enough to make the move, but after failing in a rather desultory attempt to gain senate preselection in 2006 chose to sink into a relatively quiet life with his wife Helena. He seemed resigned to resting on his not inconsiderable laurels – and then came Gillard.

There is little doubt that Carr still has the passion for the job, and his knowledge of history, particularly American history, is considerable: the question is whether he under-

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# Two sides of the compliance coin

■ I am writing in response to last week's editorial. Byron Shire Council of course seeks to resolve compliance matters before reaching court. The vast majority of compliance matters are resolved this way. However, in a minority of instances, behaviour that directly challenges the fabric of our community must be dealt with more seriously.

[Allegedly] Piling nearly 20 people, many of them young visitors, into a property that places their health and safety at risk, in disregard for the rule of law, all the while breaching the mutual trust and respect that members of a community must have for each other if it is to function properly, falls squarely within the kind of behaviour that council is unequivocally opposed to.

The community should be clear about what has occurred in relation to Mr Major. Council is alleging that he made a substantial private gain at the expense of young people and the broader community through illegal use of his premises. We disagree with the view that taking strong action to prevent people from profiteering through unlawful behaviour negatively impacts on the social harmony. Our view is that by taking strong action, we are helping to protect Byron Shire residents and visitors.

We believe the broader community wants us to take this action. Council receives regular calls from community members about possible unauthorised development being carried out in the Byron Shire.

Were Council to simply stand by and watch as anyone decided to use land illegally, we would be rightly criticised

by ratepayers and visitors for abrogating our duty to defend our neighbourhoods from people seeking to take unlawful advantage of them.

In relation to Council's request for information from *The Echo* regarding the matter of Mr Major, can we again stress what Council was asking for: simple confirmation that the alleged public statements of Mr Major were actually his.

The comments were placed on the record, and the identity of the person was not in dispute. No-one was asking *The Echo* to give up its sources. No-one asked *The Echo* to provide confidential information. No-one asked *The Echo* to do anything but confirm that the comments placed in the public domain belonged to the person who they were attributed to. The comments formed important evidence in the allegations that Mr Major acted unlawfully at the expense of the broader Byron Shire community.

Council will continue to ensure that development and tourism are carried on in a sustainable way in the Byron Shire. We are committed to ensuring that people do not take advantage of visitors or jeopardise the amenity of local residents for a quick buck.

We trust *The Echo* shares our commitment.

**Graeme Faulkner**  
General Manager, Byron Shire Council

■ The first time I was made aware of the fact (which I do not dispute) that our share-house has caused so much a concern was when six council workers, accompanied by two armed and scary-looking

policemen, knocked on my bedroom door at 8am. I never wanted to have any problems with the council nor was I ever approached by the council regarding this issue.

I understand now that before going to court the council did have two other options called 'direction' and 'mediation'. 'Direction' means sending me a letter notifying me of any issues they have and asking me to 'correct my ways'. 'Mediation' means working with me towards finding an acceptable solution.

For example, I could promise never to have more than eight people in our home, and hand over their names and workplace details so the council can check they are all really living and working or studying in Byron and that none of them was in fact a short-term backpacker. And if I was made aware that it is illegal to rent two rooms in our home to schoolies I would simply have not done it. I was maybe naive to think it is allowed simply because over 200 properties in Byron advertised themselves as schoolies accommodation and most charged much more than we did.

I truly think that there are so many things our council can do to improve the quality of our lives, and I do respect them for trying hard to do their work. However, in my case there was (and still is) no need to spend so much time and effort and people and money and lawyers and the valuable time of the court. All they needed to do is ask. I would have been glad to go as far as needed to allow me and my housemates to live in peace.

Since that raid we've had three separate occasions when the council and/or the real estate agency in charge on this property came to inspect our home. In all inspections they found our home to be in good order, clean and organised, with no-one here except our eight housemates, and we have never again received any complaint from the council or real estate agency or the police.

I hope that somehow someone in the council will come to talk to me about this and rethink their position. They will end up spending tens of thousands of dollars in court. There is a fifty per cent chance they will lose and that will not be good for them. There is a fifty per cent chance they will win and anyone who knows me knows there is no way I could afford paying a fine anyway. So what is for sure is that in both scenarios the ratepayers of this Shire will lose valuable money that could be spent elsewhere.

If they ever do find a real illegal backpackers' hostel and the operator is warned to stop, and is insolent enough to ignore such a warning, I will fully support the council's right to raid them and close them down.

People should listen to what the council is telling them. It's just that it's easier to listen when you are communicated with. It's much harder to listen when armed men are surrounding you and your mates and you are being treated as terrorists in your own home. I do not wish anyone to have such a frightening and humiliating experience.

**Shai Major**  
Byron Bay

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## 1080 deaths

I met a farmer on New Brighton beach. He was from Queensland and horrified at the 1080 poison signs along the beach. I told him I have buried a huge dead male possum found drowned – after he went for a drink to ease the 1080, no doubt. Others and I have seen dead kangaroos, one echidna and someone saw 'our' large goanna swimming across to Brunswick, out of here! Many trees and ferns are dead also. National Parks and Wilddead.

**S Hopkinson**  
Ocean Shores

## Hendo's song

It was good to see Mungo quoting Don Henderson's song 'It's On' in *The Echo*. It's a great song and couldn't be more appropriate for the Labor Party's fisticuffs of the last few weeks. And Hendo would have been proud to be quoted

in the same article as Shakespeare. Maybe Mungo thought the song is so well known that it didn't need attribution. But we think Hendo should have been acknowledged.

**Eddie and Lee Dunn**  
Clunes

## Homeless

Read in *The Echo* of Byron Council voting to demolish the rotunda behind Mullum Civic Hall because the rotunda was used to shelter homeless people and some residents of Mullum objected to the practice. This suggests to me that Council and those residents objecting to homeless people using such shelters have no hearts.

If there were homeless refugees throughout the Shire then the homeless wouldn't have to sleep rough. I am so grateful that I am not homeless in this Shire and have somewhere warm to sleep this coming

winter. I ask Council to reconsider the demolition of said rotunda and regain its heart.

**Paul Brecht**  
Mullumbimby

■ Subsequent to my letter last week relating to homeless people finding shelter in the Mullum rotunda, I have since learned that at least some of the folks spending nights there were in fact drunk, noisy and inappropriately behaved. I have also learned that those people moved on quite some time ago, also the fact that the rotunda was structurally unsound and needed to be renovated or demolished.

So my apologies to anyone offended by my referring to them as meanies while I affirm that I would probably be the first person to complain if drunkenness and loud and inappropriate behaviour was happening in my immediate neighbourhood.

## Letters to the Editor

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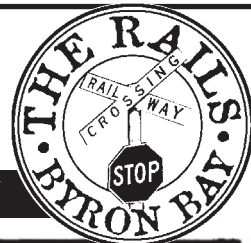
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**Rhonda Ansiewicz**  
Federal

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a relatively prosperous society to provide a place for homeless people to shelter for the night, provided those people abide by basic rules of cleanliness and consideration for others. To do that folks need access to a toilet, a shower, and if possible a locker where they can put their possessions for a limited time. There was talk of that happening right here in Mullum some time last year and I wonder if there has been any progress in that direction. I would love to learn that there has been.

**Bronwyn Sindel**  
Mullumbimby

### Sports complex

Basil Cameron's somewhat jaundiced account (Letters, February 28) of the inevitable

problems that present with a major new project is essentially correct but not fatal.

Basil has 'run interference' on the sports complex process since initially voting against it in line with the GM's opinion that it was potentially another Port Macquarie Glasshouse debacle.

Basil has been consistent and honest, if somewhat tedious, in his opposition. Ross Tucker also voted no but changed tack as soon as he saw his sporting constituency drifting away.

Tina Petroff's peevish appraisal of the complex is dreadfully predictable (Letters, February 28). Tina (who sitteth on the right hand of Mangleson) is obviously tooling up for yet another tilt at a council seat.

Poor Tina was once number two on Ross Tucker's ticket only to be summarily banished down the preferences in favour of Diane Woods - can't imagine why...

Last election she teamed up with the candidate voted 'best in show' in the Byron United poll. He promptly decided he was by far the better top candidate - campaigned as such - and the whole thing finished in tears.

I wait with anticipation to see how she manages the September election but urge readers to see her comments on the Sports and Recreation Complex in this context.

**Cr Tom Tabart**  
Bangalow

### Digital switch

Thanks for the article on analog/digital TV switch. I rang the number and talked to a young man who required my postcode to verify the black spot I am in.

He went on to inform me that Ocean Shores is not changing until November 2012 and that in the meantime they are upgrading the analog

transmitter so that I and many others should receive the new digital TV stations.

I am just writing to let you know in case residents go rushing out to buy equipment and spending money they do not need to. Hold on to your hat - we may be okay.

**Jackie Michael**  
Ocean Shores

■ My question, unanswered in the article 'Analog TV cuts out June 5' is if and when the analog re-transmitter up on the reservoir tank at Patterson Road will be converted to digital, prior to the analog TV shutoff?

Considering the many households struggling to achieve a steady digital TV reception in the hilly and treed areas especially to the south of Byron, I imagine the answer to this question would be widely sought.

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# Super co-op for Mullum?

It is with total delight that I heard that the people of Mullumbimby and any others interested have an opportunity to buy into our local IGA grocery store by restructuring it into a co-operative. Wow! That Wow is not a Woolworth's Wow (stock exchange name) but a real genuine wow. How impressive. This is the one fool-proof way to ensure that choice remains in Mullum, that two grocery stores remain open for business right here.

It seems that co-operatives are a growing trend worldwide. In an article by Michael Green in *The Age* newspaper on 27/2/12, he says that the '300 biggest co-operatives have a revenue of \$US1.6 trillion', and

that in Australia there are '1800 co-operative businesses and 108 mutual banking institutions'. Good company to be in.

From my understanding so far, it is planned to employ a professional and experienced grocer to take over from the wonderful Richard when he retires. Changes to the existing business might be hard to spot when shopping there – just business as usual – and that is really important.

Another great benefit of the local grocery store being owned by the people is that all the profits generated by the store in Mullum remain right here in Mullum and you can't get much more local than that. Build up the town and build

up the community. The money stays here. But choice is also important to me and I like the ability to have two stores to choose from. If any other benefits to investors are in the planning stage they pale into insignificance when the co-operative can be seen as ensuring the two grocery stores remain available for us to shop in.

Please consider supporting this co-operative, Mullum's very own.

Take the time to have a bit of a think, investigate the options and encourage your friends and family to do likewise. It's just too cold in Woolies for me!

**Susan Disney**  
Mullumbimby

<http://myswitch.digitalready.gov.au>: 'This site is on a list of sites in northern NSW that commercial broadcasters have listed as being considered for upgrade to digital TV. The upgrade of this site is a commercial and technical decision that will be made by the broadcasters in the near future, generally expected to be finalised in early 2012. The final arrangements regarding if, how and when to convert this site is a matter for negotiation between the community or local group and the broadcasters.'

I wonder if there is any in-

formation from these deciding bodies that we can all share and help negotiate if need be?

**Tim Shanasy**  
Byron Bay

**Expensive water**

As Warragamba Dam spills this week, Sydney's Kurnell desalination plant still operates, even though the cost of its water is about seven times that of water sourced from dams and its greenhouse gas production is equivalent to an extra 53,000 cars.

This shows how bad decision-making can have long-

term effects. Back in 05 it was revealed former premier Bob Carr was working for Macquarie Bank, which was behind one of the consortia hoping to build the plant. Late in his premiership he had announced plans to build the plant despite previously having decried desalination water as 'bottled energy'.

The problem is that it is expensive to switch the thing on and off, even though utilities minister Carl Scully managed to delude himself that it could be. Consumers and the environment pay the price.

Meanwhile Rous Water continues to investigate desalination as an option for this region. As an elected member I am doing all I can to kill off this loopy idea, but the water industry is powerful and well-connected, so the struggle goes on.

**Cr Richard Staples**  
Talofa

**WTH?**

Dear *Echoists*, what the hell are you people thinking? I'm a regular reader who enjoys and values the paper, but there seem to be streams of unprocessed waste appearing week by week!

You lead with a story about a distinguished doco filmmaker. Nice. But it just happens to be the Hashishins, a vile and valueless murder cult he's recently documented. They became fashionable in the 60s because certain callow youths found hashish dreadfully exciting. Grow up. The Old Man Of The Mountain ran a terror cell which took gullible kids, drugged them, then gave them a pantomime version of the Paradise of The Martyrs described in the Qu'ran, and convinced them it was the real thing. Fowl of their choice, running streams, and a pack of hot babes.

He exploited their religious backgrounds to send them to certain death, tasked with killing other persons on his behalf. The whole business had the moral standing of a holiday camp for paedophiles. You have

in bold text 'Islam Denigrated By The West'. Said doco maker then opines about the West being racist to the core! *Echoists*! Islam is neither an ethnicity nor a nationality. Frankly, Arabic Christians, Druze, et al, not to mention minorities in Syria, Iran, the UAE, Indonesia, Malaysia, Egypt (Copts anyone?) and good old unbelievers find this tendency to treat them as non-persons demeaning. Islam is a bad, fat religious control operation. Show some analysis!

As for being denigrated by the West, Islam has been handled with kid gloves. Would you like 1,000 words on how? We could start with all the people who praise the culture and the Qu'ran without studying either. Oh, btw, Syria was so peaceful. Yep. Nine secret police organisations will do that for you.

For brevity, I'll skip to the final words of *Backlash*, though I could excoriate much in between. 'Democracy – the

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right to vote stupidly? What a snooty, petty, superior thing to conclude with. Because people disagree with us they're stupid? Compared to whom?

And do you really hold so valueless the rights our ancestors fought for millennia to gain? Fighting, among other things, exactly the controlling, domineering system supposedly 'denigrated by the West'.

**Matt Hartley**  
Byron Bay

## Sold short

Two months ago oil was \$78 a barrel. The price of Tapis Oil (Australia's supply) just topped

\$133 a barrel and we are about to pay four cents a litre more for fuel at the pump.

The price didn't go up because there was an increase in demand or a restriction to supply, the classical reasons for a price rise. The price went up because the futures market gambled that the Iran situation may potentially destabilise oil supply, and bet billions on the oil price rising – so it rose.

They do the same with food. There is a charming derivative product called food futures. A trader will buy billions of dollars in wheat, betting the price will rise. They never take delivery of a single grain, but they

cause 'false demand', which pushes up the price of wheat all over the world.

Thousands of poor people are starving to death because food prices are rising way beyond their capacity to pay. The rich just sell the food after the price rise and pocket the difference. Cute.

But the cutest derivative product is short selling, where hedge funds make money in a falling market. They sniff out what stocks are likely to fall, borrow your shares from your super fund, sell them, then re-buy and return them after the price has fallen – pocketing the difference. They make the

money your shares lost. If this idea wasn't so brilliant it would have to be illegal.

In fact, the entire derivatives market should be outlawed. Warren Buffet said it will destroy capitalism. But although crazy financial 'products' caused the GFC, they all still exist. Nothing changed. They suck all the oxygen out of real investment into ponzi-like speculation.

Money for nothing. So they will go on and create another enormous debt bubble – and pass the bill on to the people, for generations.

**Michael Balson**  
Upper Wilson's Creek

## Respect for Labor

Abbott and his party parrot the line that the Gillard government is lazy, inept and incapable of governing. So often is this lie repeated that even some of the seasoned journalists are taking it up without examining the facts.

For example, the Gillard government has passed into law more than 200 pieces of legislation, more than Howard managed when he controlled both houses of parliament and didn't need to consult or negotiate. In every case, Abbott needed only to convince two of the cross-bench members to block the legislation. He has

failed conspicuously to do so.

No opposition leader in recent times has had as much chance as Abbott to introduce legislation and to see it through the parliament from the opposition benches and into law. It would have meant negotiation and compromise with the cross-benches but again, this is an area of total failure. Finally, a good opposition provides thoughtful amendments to improve legislation, and sees them through into the finished act. What significant amendments can Abbott boast of any of this mass of legislation?

It would help this country if the successes of the Labor government were given a little more respect by the media. Then the unceasing negativity, laziness and absence of constructive policy on the part of Abbott and his party could become the focus of the media, rather than the ongoing attempt to wring the last drop of venom out of the now settled leadership stoush.

**Don Brown**  
Bangalow

## Follow the money

Caucus have made their choice between Tweedledum and Tweedledee, both of whom are clearly indebted to 'Business as usual'. Next year the entire electorate get to decide between Tweedledum and Tweedledee, both of whom, unsurprisingly, are clearly indebted to 'Business as usual'.

At every election in every 'democracy', the right/left divide sees society split almost exactly in half, no matter whether voting is compulsory or voluntary and no matter how many parties there are. This effectively neuters the voice of the people and gives 'Business as usual', with its huge wealth and influence, free rein to manipulate the system to its heart's content. You'll find this strategy in any decent military manual: divide and conquer. Democracy, government of the people, by the people, for the people, is a fairy tale, a lie. What we have is government of the people by 'The Money' for 'The Money'.

No other large organisations in the world, apart from politics, use an adversarial decision-making system and for very good reasons. This system of never-ending compromise is, indeed, compromised. It always produces results that nobody, apart from 'Business as usual', is happy with.

In our adversarial race to the bottom where, inevitably, the choice is for the least worst candidate, these least worst people are supposedly making decisions of national importance. We've all seen our politicians at work in parliament. Be honest, if your kids behaved that way how much time would they spend in the naughty corner? Where does this make any sense at all and

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# Byron Council plays hardball on compliance issues

David Lovejoy

Readers may remember that last week's editorial expressed some anger that Byron Shire Council should seek to subpoena the editor's communications with a resident it was taking to court.

The general manager has responded with a letter stressing that Council only wanted to establish that the defendant's statements in the paper 'were actually his.' In addition a press release made the same point at greater length. 'Council was not seeking any information beyond confirmation that what Mr Major told *The Echo* was in fact an accurate reporting of his views,' it said.

What the subpoena actually demanded, with the sanction of arrest if not complied with, was the following:

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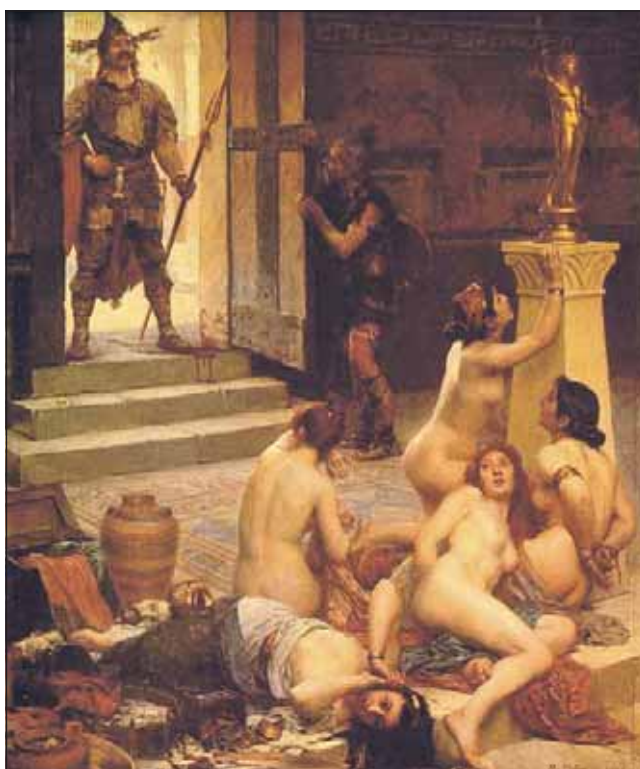
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That the parties subsequently came to an understanding that if Mr Major confirmed that he made the statements attributed to him in the article the subpoena would be withdrawn does not alter the high-handed nature of Council's approach to this case.

## Crusade

So a storm in a teacup – albeit an expensive cup that has cost both sides legal fees. But it illustrates the increasing tendency of our local government to behave as if it is on a crusade to punish wrongdoers. There is an unpleasant triumphalism in Council's announcements when compliance issues are involved.

Why, for example, was it thought necessary to issue a press release with this second sentence: 'Wallace Alan Charles Hunter, Nationals candidate for the Federal seat



A Byron Shire Council compliance officer uncovers another illegal backpacker house in full party mode.

of Richmond during the 2010 Federal election, faced Byron Bay Local Court last Friday (February 12) as a result of action by Byron Shire Council compliance officers.' What does

Mr Hunter's political affiliation have to do with anything?

Then again, the Shai Major case is also notable for the appalling leak of photographic 'evidence' of overcrowded letting to the *Northern Star*. That newspaper did not bother to get Mr Major's side of the story, but there is only one place those photos could have come from. How important is a con-

viction that it demands legal pressure on one media outlet and leaks to another?

One wonders whether this boots an' all approach is what the state government had in mind when it framed the model litigation policy for civil litigation. The policy requires the state and its agencies (including local governments) to act as a model litigant in the conduct of court action.

Section 3.1 reads: 'The obligation to act as a model litigant requires more than merely acting honestly and in accordance with the law and court rules. It also goes beyond the requirement for lawyers to act in accordance with their ethical obligations. Essentially it requires that the state and its agencies act with complete propriety, fairly and in accordance with the highest professional standards.'

## Serious charges

By contrast Council is using the full criminal provisions of the LG Act and the EPA Act in its actions against residents. Many of them have no idea that they are facing such serious charges; some of them cannot even afford legal representation.

One reason the compliance department seems to have untrammelled say in these cases

is the absence of a disputes resolution committee. Another attempt to set one up at Thursday's Council meeting was defeated by head-in-the-sand councillors.

Of course *The Echo* agrees that people should not, in the general manager's words, 'take advantage of visitors or jeopardise the amenity of local residents for a quick buck.'

## Greedy practice

However, prosecuting a share house is one thing; coming to grips with holiday letting in residential zones is quite another. Such letting is a greedy practice that impinges on the lives of residents and artificially inflates the cost of housing. But its proponents believe it is legal according to the NSW Planning Department and Council has hitherto been unable to prevent it.

There are estimated to be 600 such cases of landlords spoiling the amenity of local residents for a quick buck that await the general manager's attention. In the meantime, if you have a compliance issue on a rural property, be prepared for trouble. If you are really unfortunate, like Fast Bucks, you might find the police turning up with the Council crew. Or a subpoena in your letterbox.

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Tuesday 13 March, Kathryn Brown will speak about her research on the Effects of Pollutants on Antarctic Wildlife. 10am-12noon, Uniting Church hall, Fingal St, Brunswick Heads. Phone 6684 3126.

### Orchid news

The next meeting of the Byron District Orchid Society will be held on Monday 12 March at Ewingsdale hall at 7.30. For more information phone Penny on 6680 1600.

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### Anti-nuclear rally

Sunday 11 March at 1pm, Peace Pole (near surf club) Byron Bay. Enquiries 0401 249 732, 6685 8382.

### AWL stall

Animal Welfare League is holding a street stall next Friday 9 March 8.30am-1.30pm at the taxi rank, corner Burringbar and Stuart Streets, Mullumbimby.

### Suicide training

Lifeline Northern Rivers is offering a two-day Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASIST) in Lismore on Tuesday 3 April and Wednesday 4 April 2012. Enquiries to [lifeline@lis.net.au](mailto:lifeline@lis.net.au) or call 6622 4133.

### Gem Club stall

The Byron Lapidary and Gem Club is having a street stall in Byron Bay on Friday 9 March in Jonson St near the NAB. Beautiful rocks, crystals, gems, minerals and jewellery made by club members are for sale.

### View Club

The next luncheon meeting of Brunswick Valley View Club will be held on Thursday 15 March at 10.30am for 11.00am at Brunswick Heads Bowling Club. Cost is \$20. The theme is to wear something green.

### Beginning

on 9-11 March, 2012 at The Garden Inn Motel in Wollongbar. A personal encounter weekend for those who grieve the loss of a partner through separation, divorce or death.

Bookings are essential. Call Judy 6624 1549, Jim 0410 323 843, Annette 6684 0289 or visit [www.belismore.org.au](http://www.belismore.org.au) (Christian group).

### Scrabble Club

meets Tuesdays 1-4pm in the Bowling Club, Old Pacific Highway, Brunswick Heads. Contacts: Barbara Nakkan 6685 0409, Trish Reynolds 6685 0208.

### Charity golf

Mullumbimby & District Hospital Charity Golf Day hosted by the Ocean Shores Country Club, Sunday 11 March, 1pm shotgun start. Bookings through the Pro Shop 6680 1247.

### Aspect family day

Aspect – Far North Coast Centre is holding their annual Family Day on 31 March 2012 at the House With No Steps, 253 Wardell Road, Alstonville. The Family Day is a free event for children with an autism spectrum disorder and their families.

### Soapboxing

Get on your soapbox! Come and heckle or have your say. Lennox Lightning Toastmasters invites you to join them outside the newsagency/Subway shops in Byron Street Lennox Head on Sunday 11 March 2012 at 10am. Call Esther on 0438 745 628 for more info.

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why do we continue to give it credibility?

**Robin Harrison**  
Binna Burra

## Israel's influence

Juergen Klein (Letters, February 28) claims the Israel/Palestine problem is 'only very indirectly of relevance to our region (because so many Israelis moved here during the last decade)'. He is obviously unaware of the Siamese-twin relationship between Australia and Israel.

For example, Gideon Polya claims Kevin Rudd was ousted because he condemned Israel's

violence against the Gaza Aid flotilla and his sacking of an Israeli diplomat after Australian passports were used by Mossad in the murder of Hamas leader Mahmud al-Mabhouh in Dubai. He writes: '... history will show that the main anti-Rudd conspirators came from the powerful pro-Zionist faction of the Parliamentary Labor Party. Thus, as deputy PM Julia Gillard had led a big delegation to Israel in 2009 sponsored by the Australia/Israel & Jewish Affairs Council (AIJAC); key Gillard supporter Bill Shorten MP had visited Israel on a AIJAC-sponsored trip; and vigorous pro-Zionist and Gillard supporter

Michel Danby travelled to Israel in 2008 sponsored by Australia Israel Cultural Exchange (AICE). Other reported Gillard supporters noted for their pro-Israel stance (eg by addressing Zionist organisation functions or other public statements) include Rudd government trade minister Simon Crean, ALP powerbroker Mark Arbib, treasurer Wayne Swan, industry minister Kim Carr, sports minister Kate Ellis, Joe Ludwig, agriculture minister Tony Burke, defence support minister Greg Combet, and obsequiously pro-Israel foreign minister Stephen Smith' (<http://mwcnews.net/f...t-led-coup.html>).

Mr Klein should look at the Australia Israel Chamber of Commerce website and examine the 1,000 Australian companies listed there. The Rainbow Power Company, Nimbin, is still listed, even though they were not consulted and have repeatedly asked for their removal.

Finally, Australians have gone to war because of the call from our so-called friends and have a proud record of supporting the oppressed in South Africa, Vietnam, Tibet, East Timor, West Papua et al. How can we now deny requests for our help from the Palestinians who are oppressed with the

help of our taxes?

**Gareth W R Smith**  
Byron Bay

## Simply unacceptable

I'm sick of periodic complaints about the skydiving plane. Something needs to be done about this. It's simply unacceptable!

As a youth I grew up next to Sydney's Smithy Airport. Much duress was suffered from TAA MD-DC9s flying overhead. In an adjacent property today the sound of fossil fuel burning: a ride-on mower. I'm certain it will be followed by a brush-cutter; followed by the slightly lower drone of that most stupid

and dumbest invention of all time, the leaf blower!

When I first settled in the Shire I was constantly harassed: the sound of distant car tyres rolling across Myocum, exhalation of Harley Davidson, gas burner propelling a balloon... Worst of all, the day-long bombardment of tractors tending farmland.

I moved to Durrumbul, same thing. Suffolk, no good either: ocean was relentless. And let me tell you that national highway just unequivocally has to go.

So, how do we help these people that cannot handle the noise of aeroplanes? Earplugs! What about a fund providing earplugs free? I will gladly donate the first half-dozen pairs.

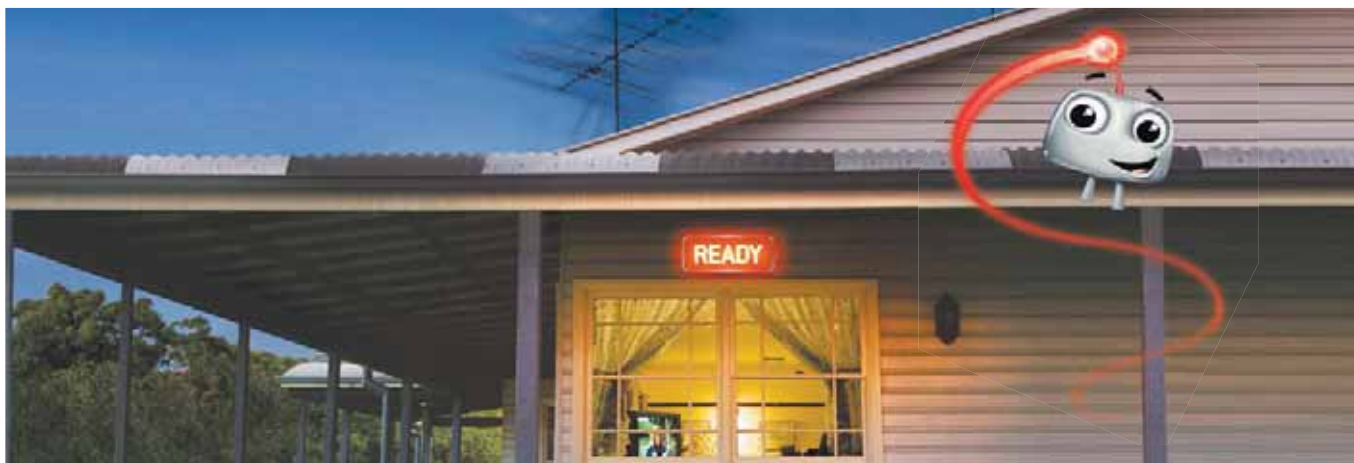
That ride-on is still bloody going; it's been over an hour now. Reminds me of a scene from *The Blues Brothers*.

**Dr Shekel aka Adam Goldstein**  
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# Are you ready for digital TV?



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## Teenage girls top of homeless list

More young women seek support for homelessness than any other group in society, according to a recent report released by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW).

The National Data Collection report found that in 2010-2011 alone, over 10,000 NSW females, aged 15-24, sought support from homelessness agencies. With other states and territories taken into account, this number grows to 32,500 nationally.

Sir David Martin Foundation CEO, Jannine Jackson, said that for many of these young women, homelessness is the start of descent into drug abuse, mental illness, prostitution and abusive relationships.

'More often than not these girls are escaping domestic violence, abuse and family breakdowns. Many have never experienced a stable home life and have disengaged from education. With few resources and little support, they are an easy target to prey on.'

Of this age bracket, it was the younger end of the spectrum that was more likely to require assistance. The report shows that 1 in 39 NSW females aged 15-19 accessed support in 2010-11, slightly higher than the national figure of 1 in 40.

Overall the report found that 230,500 (or 1 in 97 Australians) used specialist homelessness services, increasing from 1 in every 110 over 2009-10. Fifty-nine per cent of these (over 135,500) accessing the service were under the age of 25.

You can read the full report 'Government-funded specialist homelessness services: SAAP National Data Collection annual report 2010-11: Australia' at <http://bit.ly/APre7w>.

See more on the Sir David Martin Foundation at [www.sdmf.org.au](http://www.sdmf.org.au).



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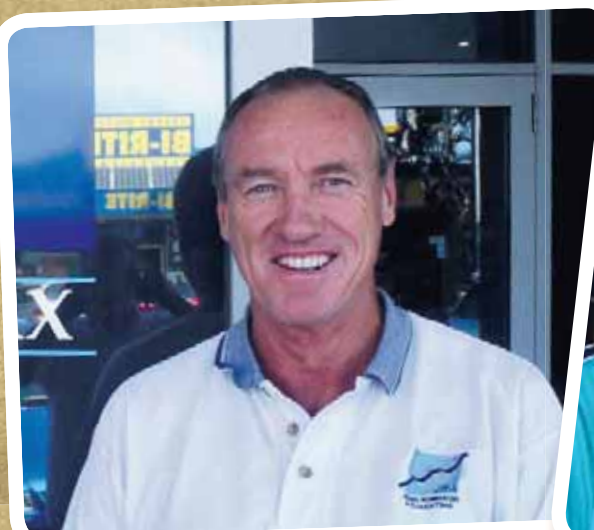
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# How floods affect the carbon cycle

As communities across Australia's eastern states clean up after recent heavy rain and flooding, Southern Cross University researchers are testing the waters to understand what drives the de-oxygenation of rivers and estuaries that follows in the wake of flood events.

Damien Maher, a post-doctoral fellow, and Dr Isaac Santos, a senior lecturer, both with the University's Centre for Coastal Biogeochemistry Research, are investigating the effect of the current flood event on the carbon cycle, with a particular focus on the

Richmond River estuary. 'The runoff from these flood events delivers a lot of nutrients from the catchment to the estuary and we know the potential for a fish kill is high. We're wondering how these events influence greenhouse gas emissions from estuaries,' Mr Maher said.

'We want to understand how much carbon delivered to the estuary is released to the atmosphere and how much is buried and sequestered for long-term storage.

'Like many estuaries the Richmond River catchment has significant areas of acid

sulfate soils. Our preliminary findings indicate that the carbon dioxide concentrations in these waters are among the highest ever measured.'

Mr Maher said one hypothesis under investigation is that water draining from acid sulfate soils drives the de-oxygenation of estuarine water and an associated release of carbon dioxide.

'Anecdotally fish kill events occurred prior to development of the catchment but development has certainly exacerbated the problem. When the land was forested, water on the floodplain was retained and released slowly into the main estuary, giving organic material a long time to break down.

'Now land clearing and the construction of extensive drain

systems enable water that's very low in oxygen to be rapidly delivered back into the river.'

Radon concentrations are also being measured. Radon is a naturally occurring gas that alerts researchers to groundwater. 'Radon is a good groundwater tracer because it is naturally high in groundwater while being low in surface water,' says Dr Isaac Santos, who recently brought radon technology to Australia.

'By monitoring concentrations of radon along the estuary we will be able to determine the role of groundwater in estuarine de-oxygenation and greenhouse gas emissions.'

Their research is funded by grants by the Hermon Slade Foundation and the Australian Research Council.

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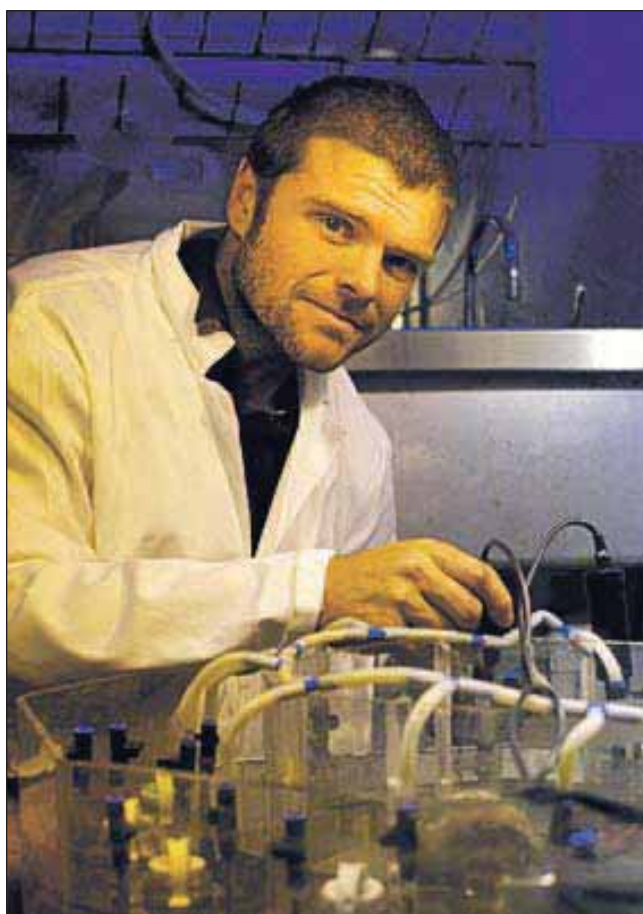
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# Face of Fukushima



Travelling Japanese artist Zin makes a poignant point on the effect of radiation from the Fukushima disaster. Fukushima mothers will address a gathering to commemorate the first anniversary of Japan's tsunami and resulting nuclear disaster on Sunday March 11 at the chai tent at The Channon market at 12 noon. For more of Zin's art visit <http://zinart.net>.

# Troubled minds award

SANE Australia, the national mental health charity, has announced *Understanding Troubled Minds: a guide to mental illness and its treatment* as its 2012 Book of the Year.

'Drawing on a wealth of experience in psychiatry, Sidney Bloch has written a book that is accessible, comprehensive and user-friendly. It's an excellent resource on mental illness for the general public,' says Barbara Hocking, executive director of SANE Australia.

Published by Melbourne University Press, this fully revised second edition examines the broad spectrum of mental health topics.

Chapters include Making sense of a life; Defining and classifying mental illnesses; The spectrum of anxiety; Eating disorders; The elderly; Gender identity and sexual disorders; and Promoting mental health.

Barbara Hocking says *Understanding Troubled Minds* complements SANE Australia's own resources on mental illness and suicide prevention. 'We have a suite of guide books, DVDs and other material to help people with mental illness, their families and supporters through the distress and confusion many feel, especially at the time of diagnosis. It has a reassuring tone and the use of case studies helps to personalise "troubled minds".'

Sidney Bloch is emeritus professor in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Melbourne. He was associate editor of the *British Journal of Psychiatry* for a decade and chief editor of the *Australian and New Zealand Journal of Psychiatry* for 13 years.

*Understanding Troubled Minds* is available at <http://www.sane.org/information/bookshop>.

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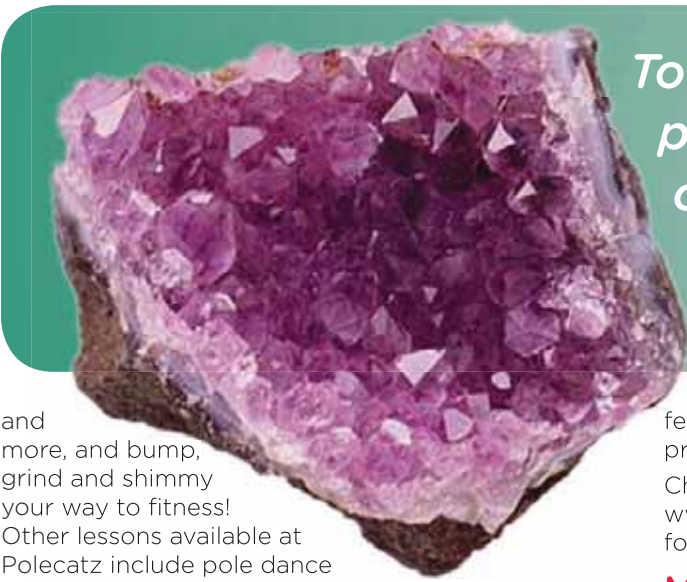
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## pieta plays

PIETA BROWN WAS LAST IN OUR AREA TWO YEARS AGO WHEN MULLUM MUSIC FESTIVAL INTRODUCED HER TO AUDIENCES. SHE'S A BEAUTIFUL GIRL WITH A BEAUTIFUL VOICE. MS BROWN HAS PROVED HERSELF ONE OF THOSE ACTS THAT INDUCE LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT. SHE'S SIMPLY MESMERISING. SEVEN CAUGHT UP WITH PIETA ON THOSE TWO YEARS BETWEEN DRINKS.

**What has been your musical mission for the last 12 months?** Expansion! Spanning Time! On all levels!

**What have you been listening to lately that has informed some of your choices for *Mercury*?** Howlin' Wolf, Mark Knopfler, Jean Ritchie, Percy Sledge, Tim O'Brien, George Harrison, Lucie Thorne.

**In Oct 2011 you released *Mercury*. It's been on the American Roots Music Radio play list for the last four months. Are you happy with the album and the reception?** Yes! It's been number one on that chart even recently... All you can really ask for as a musician/singer/songwriter is that someone might listen to your songs! I'm happy...

**Do you feel *Mercury* is more accessible than your previous albums, or is it more a case that your music is just getting out there more now?** I don't know! I love what I do and am glad that it is growing.

**This tour is your second visit to Australia. How did you find your first visit? You're coming back so it**

**must have been okay.** I really enjoyed my first visit... I enjoyed all the music and the feel of the land... I also made some good friends! I'm genuinely looking forward to returning!

**What film have you seen or book have you read lately that moved you?** I've just read a stunning book called *The Tiger's Wife*.

**Besides music, what are your passions?** I have a passion for the idea of and the act of peace. And I sure love walking out in the woods. Being with my family and friends is also at the very top of my list. Dancing is fun!

**Your music is released in Australia by Vitamin Records, who are based in Mullumbimby. I notice Lucie Thorne, who is also signed to Vitamin, is on the tour. What do you think of the local talent?** Supreme. I have been introduced to a lot of music through Vitamin... I've also been enjoying the music of Jordie Lane.

**This time around you're performing as a trio. Can you tell us a bit about the group and what we can expect at your Star Court Theatre show?** The Sawdust Boys will join me... This is JT Bates on drums and Mike Rossetto on the electric guitar and banjo. We'll be playing songs from *Mercury*, *One and All* and some new songs too... Most likely no acrobatics, but we are looking forward to conjuring! And if we're lucky we'll get Lucie to join us too.

**Lismore Star Court Theatre on Saturday 17 March. Tickets at the venue.**



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## GIVEAWAY\*

### DOUBLE PASS TO NEVEN

We have a double pass to Currumbin RSL's Side Splitting Laughter on Wednesday. Simply email [gigs@echo.net.au](mailto:gigs@echo.net.au) with subject header 'I'm in Neven'.



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Two of the performing acts answered a few questions in the lead-up to their gig.

### AJAX:

**How does it feel to be returning to the shores of Byron Bay?** I love Byron – went surfing there every year when I was a grom (parents live down the coast at Coffs Harbour). Broke my leg in the mud at Splendour in Byron and nearly lost my virginity there too.

**What can you tell us about your recent project *Twinsy*?** It's a project my mum can dance to and she can tell her friends at ukulele classes that her son is in a band. A drunken fusion of myself, Guy from Yacht Club and Michael Belsar from Hunting Grounds going tropical.

**How do you usually go about preparing for each of your performances?** Two to three hours re-editing tracks, working on tricks, a hip flask and some hat changes.

**How did 2011 wrap up for you and your shows?** It was

a quieter year for me working on *Twinsy* and *Parachute Youth Running* sweat it out and working on Ajax original stuff.

**Do you have any memorable performances to date?** Hmmm Daft Punk support for Australia, Parklife, First Justice tour, Diplo... shit, too many to mention.

**What can our Sunday Safari audience look forward to in this performance?** A smuggled hip flask, a hat change, and smashing the edit.

### THE CAIROS:

**This show is part of your 'We All Buy Stars' tour. How has it been going so far?** It's been really fun. We've been hanging out with the Chicks Who Love Guns guys a lot, who are opening most the shows on the tour. Skateboarding, drinking longnecks, parks etc. Byron will be the last date of the tour; we love it there so yeah,

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DOCTOR DOCTOR

One Fish Two Fish Red Fish Blue Fish. This is the first book I remember reading as a small child. Somehow the bentness of the verse fitted the bentness of my small mind with perfection. In a world of children's books that tell stories of teddy bears getting lost or children learning to swim, the work of Theodor Seuss Geisel stands out as sheer eccentric brilliance. Surely the good Doctor had a secret stash of LSD that he hooked into before putting pen to paper. How else could you create an engaging trisyllabic romp involving a cat in a hat? A fish in a dish? Or a fox in sox? I don't think they've made drugs that good for decades. The amazing thing is, Seuss did it straight. Somehow his adult mind retained the ability to bend itself backwards making narratives out of inanimate objects and ghostly tyrants out of empty pants. It's amazing how those Seussian phrases

have remained tattooed on the wall of my brain... 'I know it is wet and the sun is not sunny. But we can have lots of good fun that is funny!' It just so happens that the date of my writing this is 2 March. One quick google revealed that this just happens to be Geisel's birthday (with a name like Geisel you'd need a sense of humour!) That cosmic coincidence of not so grand proportions inspired me to research the Doctor's contortions. Like who was he and from where did he come? Did he run private practice in the removal of bums? These things made for sitting for mess and for shitting would be best removed and and replaced with knitting. Imagine popping down to your local surgery and being confronted with Dr Seuss. 'Hello, Doctor, I seem to have a pain in my zax.' He'd flip open his bag and blow hard on the sax.

Because a doctor knows one thing, or if he knows two, that blowing a blow is the least you can do. If surreal delusional pain persists, then see your doctor. A bit of rhyming verse would certainly liven up a boring old pap smear. 'This thing is a duck, see it quack with its beak, now lie back dear lady it's time for a peek.' Turns out of course that Dr Seuss wasn't that kind of doctor. In fact he wasn't any kind of doctor at all. I assumed he was an academic, sporting some sort of impressive Doctorate in Philosophy with an unpublished thesis on thneeds. But although he enrolled, as many of us do, with extremely good intentions, it appears that Dr Seuss never became a Dr. He was a Mr. Mr Seuss just sounds a bit like Mr Suss, the kind of Mister that brother and sister are warned to steer clear of. I have always loved the illustrations – but on reflection I am wondering whether the good 'doctor' was in fact a time traveller. Did Seuss travel forward in time to a Full Moon Party at Kohinur Hall or a Main Arm gathering for creative inspiration? Because I can assure you that is where people wear thneeds. In fact

thneed-wearing babies have been born to thneed-wearing mothers, in a family of thneed-wearing sisters and brothers. And the other day coming out of the Mullumbimby post office, I declare that I sighted both Thing One and Thing Two. Seuss stories are strange and often quite curly, but there's always something deeper, a wisdom quite pearly. My favourite Seuss is 'Oh! The Places You'll Go'. The verse is about growing up, having a dream, reaching for it, failing and then finding yourself in the struggle. This was written by Seuss in 1990, many decades after his first wife had suicided after finding out about his affair with the woman who was to be his next. No doubt dear Geisel had been a weasel and painted himself into a blob on an easel. In one of my favourite passages he declares, 'I'm sorry to say so but, sadly, it's true that Bang-ups and Hang-ups can happen to you. You can get all hung up in a prickly-ly perch. And your gang will fly on. You'll be left in a Lurch. You'll come down from the Lurch with an unpleasant bump. And the chances are,

then that you'll be in a Slump. And when you're in a Slump, you're not in for much fun. Un-slumping yourself is not easily done.' And it goes on for pages, cleverly and precisely detailing depression and alienation – rather advanced themes for a three-year-old's bedtime story. So many thanks for the brilliant work of a man who wrote in anapestic, ambphibracic and trochaic tetrameter, mixing it up occasionally with some iambic tetrameter. Much more impressive than 'see Spot run'. Of course Johnny Depp has bought the film rights to his story and is signing up to play Seuss. I have always thought, now that's a man who would look good nude in a thneed. Perhaps Seuss himself has even written the review: 'And now comes an act of Enormous Enormance! No former performer's performed this performance!' Fake doctors rock. by Dr Mandy



Read more of Mandy in her new book, *What I Would Do If I Were You*, available at all good bookshops.

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## BLUES NEWS

In lieu of the Rogery Daltrey (non-)appearance, **Bluesfest** have stoked the fires by announcing a second John Fogerty performance on Monday. Festival director Peter Noble says, 'We are thrilled to announce a second and spectacular 6pm sunset show for **John Fogerty** on

Easter Monday. This time he will perform his **Creedence Clearwater Revival** album *Green River* in its entirety, plus his 'bonus' set drawn from the canon of his solo and CCR hits. This special sunset performance will set the scene for Bluesfest's closing night with many more wonderful artists to follow afterwards.'

The complete, official and downloadable playing schedule is also now available on the website [www.bluesfest.com.au](http://www.bluesfest.com.au).

The 23rd Bluesfest is taking place between **Thursday 5 April and Monday 9 April** at its festival home at **Tyagarah Tea Tree Farm** just outside of Byron Bay.

If you have not secured your tickets to Bluesfest 2012, now is the time to act. Tickets are selling very fast and some Festival days are headed towards a sell-out. Tickets are on sale through [www.bluesfest.com.au](http://www.bluesfest.com.au) or by phoning the Bluesfest office on 02 6685 8310.

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pretty ideal!

**Your single of the same name has been getting some pretty rave reviews. Did you guys expect (or at least hope) for this kind of reaction?** We didn't actually think it should be the first single off the EP. The rest of the songs we have are quite a bit different but it looks like it was the right decision.

**What are your plans for 2012 after the tour wraps up?** We're releasing our EP on 6 April. After that we're basically touring throughout most parts of the year. There first one is a month-long tour with Bluejuice throughout April. It should be pretty rad.

**Can we expect an album out anytime soon?** We haven't even released the EP yet, hahaha. We are writing a lot of songs so I'd say an album would be a nice progression.

**How did you guys come to form as a band?** Alfio (guitar), Alistar (singer), Reuben (bass) all went to Brisbane State High School together in Brisbane. Ali and Alf started the band with a couple of guys who now play in Last Dinosaurs. After they left I (BC) and Reuben came into the band and it's been puppy dogs and candy canes every since. That was years ago now.

**How has the journey been so far with all this media and excitement surrounding your**

**band?** It's been great being able to get our songs out there easier and I guess gets more people to our shows which is sweet, it leaves us with more time to play music and be a band, which is the best thing I think.

**What can our audience expect**

**from you guys at this Sunday Safari?** Some tired young boys celebrating the end of a long month over a couple of the Byron Bay Brewery's finest amber nectars...

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## YAC ROCK

The **Byron Youth Centre** have re-invigorated their Friday nights and kicked off an exciting new initiative: **YacRock Cafe**. This is a free weekly music-based drop-in program for high-school-aged young people every **Friday night** at the **Activity Centre**.

The opening night party is sponsored by **Project U-Turn**. Guest artists on the night include award-winning young band **Lifeline**, **Mitchell Smith** (X-Factor), **Cecilia Brandolini**, **Loki Hough** and **Haven Hough**. There will be giveaways from surf and skateboard company **Bone Machine**, including a custom-made skateboard and t-shirt packs, and free pizza from the new **Byron Bay Pizza Co** that has recently opened up in Sunrise. Open from 5 to 10pm with music teachers and mentors available in the Loud Room from 5 to 7pm, followed by jam-session performance opportunities for young bands and musicians on the YAC stage from 7 to 10pm. The YacRock Cafe will also be open from 6.30 to 9.30pm, selling affordable, yummy food. BUDDI team leader and YacRock Cafe coordinator Nicqui Yazdi said, 'These nights are about giving young people a young-adult style of entertainment and

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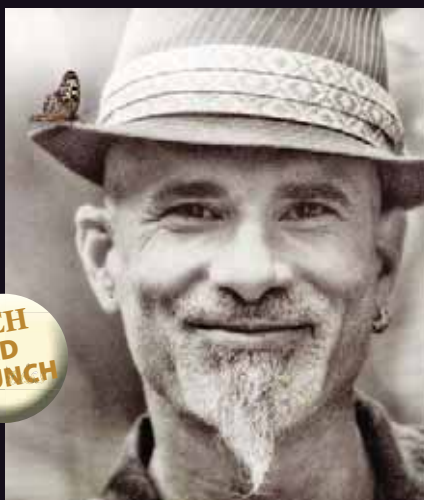
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### NUCLEAR-FREE EARTH

**Mothers from Fukushima** will address a gathering to commemorate the first anniversary of the Japan tsunami and resulting nuclear fallout on **Sunday** at the **Chai Tent at The Channon market**. The gathering will begin at 10am, with a peace and remembrance circle called for 12 noon. The gathering is part of a global day of protest against the nuclear industry. Artists playing on the day include: **Healing Earth, Barefoot Gypsies, Vasudha & Jem, Nakula, Gina Lakosta, Los Bastardos, Nathan Kaye, and Simon Jerrems & Friends**. Special guests **Yosuke Onuma** (guitar) from Japan and **Thomas de Udiyana** (sitar) from Brazil will also feature on the day. A recent film on Fukushima citizens' initiatives to deal with the nuclear crisis will also be shown, along with information and networking for a nuclear-free planet. Please wear a yellow ribbon or something yellow to indicate your opposition to nuclear power.

### TOMMEE LAUNCH

Palumara is a fish soup dish that comes from the Bima tribe of Sumbawa island in Indonesia, the island where **Tommee** and both of his grandmothers were born.

This is the dish that inspired Tommee to craft his new album (number 7) *Recipe*. On the album, Tommee sings, plays guitar and combines this with the sounds of the pandeiro (Brazilian tambourine), double bass and cello bass.

These have all been blended into an exotic tasty dish.

All the song titles on the album are the names of the ingredients needed to make the palumara. On tour, Tommee plays guitar, kecapi and sings, and will be accompanied by **Walter Piccolruaz** on pandeiro and **Shannon Green** on the bass. **Friday** at the **Drill Hall in Mullumbimby**, 7.30. Tickets at Mullum Bookshop or at the door.

### DECKKER & PULSE

**GLO Dance** puts on an extra-special night of conscious dance featuring international **DJ Chris Deckker**. Founder of the global **Earthdance** event and legendary dance band **Medicine Drum**, Chris plays a fantastic mix of international flavours and globally infused funky breaks. Originally from Australia, Chris Deckker has travelled the world, studying the healing effects of drumming and dance on tribal cultures. He has lived and worked in Amsterdam, London and San Francisco among other places. His work took him to London in 1994 where he pursued his vision of reviving the lost tribal roots of the urban environment. Earthdance has now become the largest global

synchronised dance event in the world. He is joined by **DJ Pulse** at **Uki Town Hall on Friday**. 8pm \$15 at the door.

### NAUGHTY SHYBABY IN THE MIDDLE

Aside from being a kick-arse rock band who ooze and fuse attitude and chops with no small dose of sexy shtick, **Shybaby** are the antithesis of their name as lead singer **Shiney Lefai**'s sultry yet somehow supercharged performances often all too clearly illustrate. Backed by a band of musical scoundrels with gig sheets as long as their penance prayers, the combined result is the sexiest, rocking-est, baddest (in a good way) rock-covers show this side of, well, just about anywhere. With a spring in their step, a glint in their eye(s) and a swag of new tunes for the faithful, Shybaby descends on the **Middle Pub, Mullumbimby**, this Friday from 8pm.

### YOU CAN'T IGNORE CELADORE

Up-and-coming indie-rock trio **Celadore** have just released their new single *Bakery* In May 2011, Celadore entered Melbourne's Red Door Sounds to record their sophomore EP, solely intent on leaving with a recording that captured them at their very best, as a live band. When it was released in October

2011, *Beat* magazine proclaimed it as 'an EP that could easily be a late contender for one of the best local releases of the year', while *The Dwarf* echoed those remarks, calling the EP 'one of the year's most exciting local releases'. **Saturday** at the **Hotel Great Northern**.

### SOLER ECLIPSES THE SHEOAK

**Andrea Soler** performs at the **Sheoak Shack** on **Friday** for the opening of a new art exhibition to celebrate International Women's Day.

The exhibition is by a group of local women and is called *The Sacred Me*. Andrea Soler is a genuine gypsy. Music is her life and she lives it with a nod to the cultural tradition of the troubadour, travelling the world, singing songs, telling tales and lifting spirits with a beguiling, bohemian flare and an authentic joie de vivre. Her music is nomadic too, wandering the realms of indie folk, jazz, roots and world music. With touches of calypso, flamenco, reggae and more, Andrea intuitively blends a myriad of global influences to create music with universal appeal. From 6.30pm.

### CLASSICAL MUSIC AT THE OLD BAKERY

**Aria Viva**, an exciting classical duo, will debut their new show **A Taste of Opera** at the **Harvest Old Bakery** on **Sunday** at 4pm.

Four years ago, Lecia Robertson, soprano, and Margaret Curtis, pianist and harpist, met as the new girls in town when they were invited to perform together at the Four Seasons concert series in Murwillumbah. This led to subsequent collaborations for concerts in the local area.

Billed as an afternoon of sensory delight, A Taste of Opera is divided into quarters, that is, Italian, French, German and English. Songs, as well as operatic arias from each country, will be performed. Many favourites

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More than two decades on **John Course** is still one of the leading personalities in Australian dance-music culture. John has been part of the house-music revolution in Australia. Closing the huge New Year's Day event Summerdays to over 20,000 people and playing between Eric Morillo and Fedde Le Grande at Sensation on New Year's Eve in front of 40,000 plus are just two examples. He has played alongside the world's biggest DJs, and plays regularly in party spots such as Koh Samui in Thailand and the Paradise Club in Mykonos. He is at **La La Land** on **Friday**.

### MR MARMALADE

**Wild Marmalade**, Byron Bay's favourite drum 'n' didgeridoo dance band and will be returning to their favourite local venue, **Coorabell Hall**, on **Friday 9 March** with their non-stop organic dance session featuring keyboard player **Si Fixion**. Having completed eight tours of Japan and nine of Europe, as well as concerts in the USA and Canada, Wild Marmalade have been spreading their unique didgeridoo-and-drum dance sound to a global audience. 8pm.

Tickets: Pre \$17(+bf) / Door \$20; available: [www.kupromotions.com.au](http://www.kupromotions.com.au).

### THE NITESTAR IN LENNOX

**Nitestar** have been rocking around the Byron and Lismore area for two years, pumping out a great authentic rock sound with a punk-grunge edge. This three-piece deliver a solid selection of songs that everyone can enjoy, twisting through a musical maze of driving beats and amazing vocal. Star on lead vocals and bass provides a stunning attack on songs that some wouldn't dare. Rocking at the **Lennox Hotel** this **Saturday** from 9.30pm

### LEIGH LIVE AT THE BOWLO

**Leigh Carriage's** performances are always dynamic, masterful and passionate, and this coming **Tuesday** at the **Lismore Bowlo** she will be presenting a repertoire consisting mostly of her own compositions. Always musically and lyrically profound, the transparency and honesty of her communication ranges from engaging to devastating! 8.30pm. Tix \$8/12.

### FYAH AT THE RAILS

**Fyah Walk** blaze up another big roots-reggae session at **the Rails** on **Friday** with two big sets starting at 7pm. The band are gearing up for their huge dub show with **Mad Professor** at the **Great Northern** later this month and have some new songs from their new album on its way to preview and some new members as well.

### HEAZLETT AT BANGALOW

**Mark Heazlett** has been gifted with a great singing voice and an easy guitar-playing style. He also has a secret identity as The Byron Wedding Singer, playing regular gigs at wedding ceremonies around the Byron Shire. But this Friday he is playing with his band, featuring **Toby Andrews** on guitar and **Waz Porter** on drums. So come and take your vows with the Mark Heazlett Band playing at the **Bangalow Hotel** this **Friday** from 7.

### KRUSH THE BEACH

**DJ Krush** (Hideaki Ishii) began his career after watching the film Wild Style in the early 80s. He was inspired, bought himself a set of

turntables and began to learn the art of turntablism. In 1987, he formed the Krush Posse, which made numerous appearances as a group in late 1992 and which gave him recognition for becoming the first DJ in Japan to perform with live musicians. He released his first album *Krush* in 1993, which stated his presence in the scene, and he has since released thirteen more. **Wednesday** at the **Beach Hotel**, 9pm, free entry.

### LAUNCHING RAZ BIN SAM

**Raz Bin Sam**, a Jewish artist with a dynamic style and sound, comes from a small town in the centre of Israel. Inspired to shed light on his people's story, Bin Sam travelled abroad to produce his works in English, aiming to spread the Israelite truth internationally.

Raz Bin Sam's lyrics and unique vocal delivery are a growing voice for peace in the Middle-East. The band uses a combination of roots, dancehall and Middle-Eastern rhythms. They launch their album at the **Beach Hotel** on **Friday**. Free entry.

### LATE FOR WOODSTOCK

Keeping the music of the 60s and 70s alive! In 1988, **Late For Woodstock** burst onto the music scene wowning crowds and embracing the classic songs and artists of the 60s and 70s with authentic renditions from modern music's most popular and enduring era.

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### SHINE IN BYRON

If you missed out on seeing **David Helfgott's** last concert on the north coast at the beginning of December this is the perfect chance to see him in intimate surrounds at the **Byron Community Centre**, before he heads off for his European tour. David will play a program of Rachmaninov, Liszt and Beethoven. Joining him on the program is multi-award-

winning composer, pianist and once-resident of Byron Bay, **Yantra de Vilder**, who will play her improvisations on the Steinway with a backdrop of *the art of nature* on the big screen. **Saturday and Sunday 17 and 18 March** at 7.30pm and 2pm respectively. Tix \$43-49, at [www.byroncentre.com.au](http://www.byroncentre.com.au) or phone 6685 6807.

### CANADIAN INDIE MUSIC AT MT BURRELL

Canadian indie/folk artist **Faye Blais** announces her final tour in this latest six-month visit to Australia, which she calls her second home. Blais has been spreading herself thin, playing continuously since her arrival in October, touring and sharing bills with Australia's own Rosie Burgess Trio, Jungal, Genevieve Chadwick, Owl Eyes, Gossling, Nicole Brophy and Alexis Nicole among others. She has also jumped on the roster for festivals along the coast, including Gulgong Folk Festival (NSW), upcoming Nannup Folk Festival (WA), and Yackandandah Folk Festival (VIC). **Sunday** at **Sphinx Rock Cafe** at **Mt Burrell**.

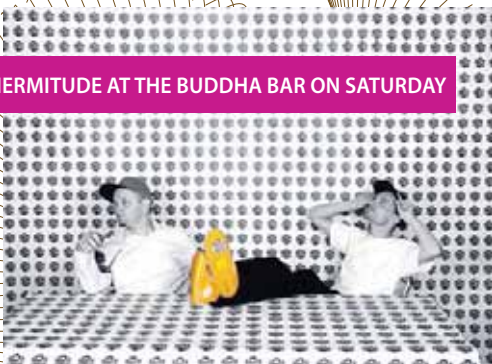
### HERMITUDE AT THE B BAR

**Hermitude** formed in 2001 when Blue Mountains duo **Luke Dubs** (Luke Dubber) and **Elgusto** (Angus Stuart) paired up with a shared love of beats and turntablism. The offspring of professional musicians, they'd performed together in jazz and funk bands since their early teens.

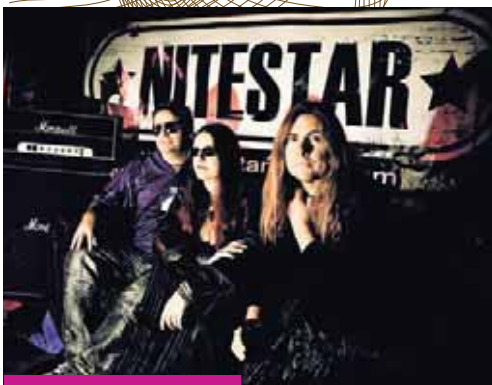
Hermitude's sound progressed into more electronic territory, embracing instrumental hip-hop's electronic relative 'future beats'. Responsible for many dancefloor gems, they are at the **Buddha Bar** on **Saturday**.



FAYE BLAIS AT SPHINX ROCK CAFE ON SUNDAY

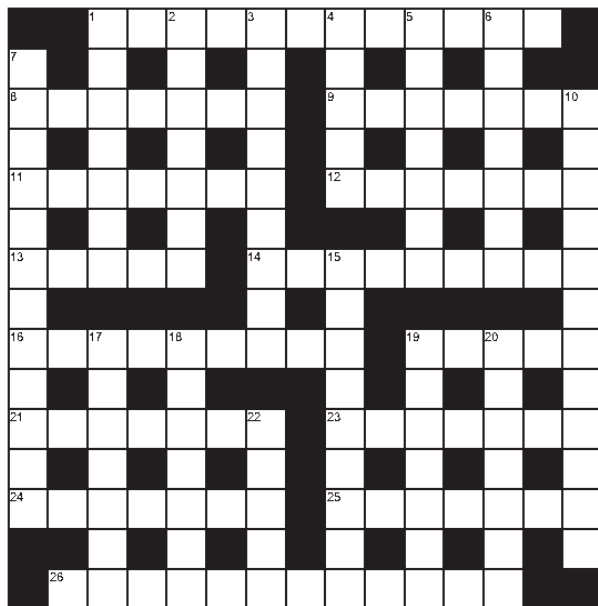


HERMITUDE AT THE BUDDHA BAR ON SATURDAY



NITESTAR AT THE LENNOX HOTEL ON SATURDAY

## Mungo's Crossword



### Quick Clues

#### ACROSS

1. Ali Baba's fellow criminals, according the 1001 Nights (5,7)
  8. Long steps or paces (7)
  9. Formal arguments or discussions (7)
  11. Arithmetical mean (7)
  12. Attend to an itch (7)
  13. Not within proper bounds (of behaviour) (5)
  14. Dance club (9)
  16. Wistful, close to tears (5-4)
  19. Australian political party (5)
  21. Sound systems (abbrev) (7)
  23. German battleship sunk by the RAF in 1944 (7)
  24. Shepherd, subject of an ode by John Milton (7)
  25. Called upon, sojourned with (7)
  26. Household artefact rubbed to evoke a genie in the 1001 Nights (7\*1,4)
- #### DOWN
1. Decay, turmoil (7)
  2. Spread out from centre, illuminate (7)
  3. The day before today (9)
  4. Hell, or the god of hell (5)
  5. Ban, stopping of trade (7)
  6. Give a right to, allow a claim (7)
  7. Jewish citizen of a Persian city, hero of a story in the 1001 Nights (5,2,5)
  10. Female narrator of the 1001 Nights (12)
  15. Medicines to induce drowsiness or sleep (9)
  17. Cut out of a letter or design (7)
  18. Ceded, surrendered (7)
  19. City in Northern Greece, also given name of Professor Behrendt (7)
  20. Reinforced, also heavily urbanised (5,2)
  22. Popular style of Japanese food (5)

### Last week's solution

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### Cryptic Clues

#### ACROSS


1. The Ivy Forest Mob – Ali's gang, according to 10 (5,7)
  8. Steps into trousers (7)
  9. Coming-out girl consumed by small considerations (7)
  11. Hail Fury – can be mean (7)
  12. Money can be the devil if it's old (7)
  13. Unpopular matter – not proper (5)
  14. Hectic sod wrecks night spot (9)
  16. Note: horse carrying two unknowns is showing unhappiness (5-4)
  19. Scientific institution, or a political party? (5)
  21. Unsteadily steer very large sound systems (7)
  23. Strange trip with object unknown – it's a German warship! (7)
  24. Massacred 101, sadly mourned by John Milton (7)
  25. Dropped in on six, in place (7)
  26. Found in damp Dallas – precious object mentioned by 10 (7\*1,4)
- #### DOWN
1. We hear that sable, perhaps, signified agitation (7)
  2. Shed light on estimate about a princess (7)
  3. Eve, agreed, trade around axis (9)
  4. Uneven shade? Hell; ... (5)
  5. ... thus, graduate inside bar (7)
  6. Give right to obscene teen lit (7)
  7. Chaotic Somalia focus for one of 10's heroes (5,2,5)
  10. Reveal he's a crazed storyteller? But it's a woman! (12)
  15. Three directions about a case – they'll send you to sleep (9)
  17. Supply an outline for confused clients (7)
  18. Unknown journalist covered up, lied badly, and threw in the towel (7)
  19. Ms Giddings is second inside a northern Greek city (7)
  20. Strengthened a characteristic of most cities (5,2)
  22. South American greeting Japanese food (5)

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



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# Stars

WITH LILITH

Mercury teaming up with Uranus in flammable Aries has this week surfing verbal tsunamis, while Venus moving to cosy Taurus just wants comfort food, comfort love and no-fuss fun...

- ♈ **ARIES:** With Mercury joining Uranus in Aries you'll be ardent, persuasive, throwing off sparks – also impulsively outspoken. So try to be as good a listener as you are a speaker this week; instead of getting wild and riled with difficult others, understand they're just people having difficulties.
- ♉ **TAURUS:** This week tugs Taurans out of their heads into their feelings, while planetary attractor Venus stimulates your popularity portal with excellent chemistry and attention. You're buzzing with inspired insights but savvy strategies are still needed to implement them, and discretion recommended in sharing them.
- ♊ **GEMINI:** This week you're gushing with sudden rushes of spontaneous inspiration, but get that inner editor on the job. Right now teamwork's a ticklish business, so assess what might best be kept under wraps if you don't want your flippant chitchat becoming someone else's information highway.
- ♋ **CANCER:** This week favours a domestic rethink. If present changes are unsettling, don't go the route of melancholy moodiness or righteous resignation, because worrying is using your imagination to create results you don't want. And you know you can create something far better than that...
- ♌ **LEO:** All life needs the yin/yang of darkness to germinate and light to flower, and this week's erratic moods and unpredictable reactions invoke Leo Carl Jung's words: 'Knowing your own darkness is the best method of dealing with other people's darknesses'. Keep your heart open to healing possibilities.
- ♍ **VIRGO:** With the world in flux, many struggle to maintain coherent routines. Not Virgos, though, whose primary planet Mercury moves to assertive Aries this week. But approach the Show Me The Money conversation gracefully if you want cooperation – especially during late week's annual Virgo full moon.
- ♎ **LIBRA:** Enjoy your leading lady Venus in Taurus by spending spesh time with your close tribe expressing affection which then ripples back to you in many delicious ways. As new horizons light up for you, some through past connections, your stars say go for it.
- ♏ **SCORPIO:** This week strongly suggests that connecting with others is in your best interests on every level from personal to professional to pleasurable. Yes, people may be exasperatingly vague and dilatory, but there'll also be plenty of magical happenings. Minimise emotional fallout by easing up, primarily on yourself.
- ♐ **SAGITTARIUS:** Resistance to stress isn't maximal this week, which could test your flexibility rating and sensitivity levels. So instead of getting impatient with slowcoaches, try joining them; tossing the to-do list and allowing yourself some time to just veg out and integrate what's going on.
- ♑ **CAPRICORN:** What can organised, practical Capricorns learn from this Neptunian week? Forgiveness. As Capricorn Mohammed Ali observed: 'Service to others is the rent you pay for your room here on earth'. The present positive healing cycle could foster closer, more gratifying ties with friends, colleagues and community.
- ♒ **AQUARIUS:** Even though the way others feel mightn't make sense to you, emotions have their own logic and this week need tactful handling. If present fatigues and frustrations, obligations and responsibilities feel depleting, set your psychic satnav to health improvement: investigate the latest products, techniques, services and research.
- ♓ **PISCES:** With Mercury's move to active Aries, it's a good idea to get as much done as possible before the next three weeks' retrogrades chuck trouble dust in the works. If professional perks which looked promising go into a holding pattern don't be surprised, do be patient.

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Shine in Byron

# David Helfgott & Yantra de Vilder

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## A FUNNY THING HAPPENED...

The other day comedian **Ellen Briggs** was shopping at her local Woolworths supermarket in the village of Mullumbimby. The arrival of the multinational had attracted years of public dissent with many local figures being outspoken about their disappointment with local community members who supported the food chain. A local shopper approached Ms Briggs with a 'you shouldn't be shopping here after everything you've said!' It took Ellen a few moments to realise that she wasn't been victimised, that she was in fact being mistaken for Mandy Nolan. Ellen remarked, 'I'm not Mandy Nolan'. The disgruntled customer didn't believe her so she created a little public mischief. 'Well, okay, I am; I'm just trying to make myself smaller so no one notices!'

Ellen Briggs is definitely not Mandy Nolan. But she is a fellow Mullumbimby dweller and a sensational comic who uses her reluctance to accept the oppressive expectations of motherhood to inform her material. Ellen is the MC at the **Open Mic Comedy** at the **Tatts Hotel** on **Wednesday 7 March** at 8pm. Entry is just \$5 – a bargain for two amazing hours of laughs and frivolity!

## FILM FESTIVAL SPECIAL EVENT

ACON Northern Rivers are the co-presenters of Thursday evening's program at the **Byron Bay International Film Festival**. Showcasing the films *The Skin I'm In*, *Hold on Tight*, and *Simply Rob*, it's an evening full of empowering entertainment focused on the challenges and realities faced by countless people within every community. The evening will feature a world premiere of *The Skin I'm In*. As far back as 1997, filmmaker Broderick Fox was receiving substantial recognition and awards for his work. But in 2005 he was found unconscious on the Berlin subway tracks, injured from the fall and with a lethal blood alcohol level of 0.47. Lucky for him, strangers pulled him to safety. Broderick had been given another chance at life. Forced to acknowledge how empty and unhinged his life had become, Fox made a very big decision. One that took him on a journey of body, mind and spirit. Initiating an unusual collaboration between himself, a Canadian indigenous Kwakwakan artist (Rande), and an African-American tattoo artist (Zulu), Broderick sets himself on the path to turn his life around. The film documents the



slow transformation of Broderick's body into a living canvas. This film candidly shares the filmmaker's history of self-abuse, spiritual neglect, and an intellectual drive that resulted in fragmenting his identity. It is a film about coming out, standing up to cultural prejudice and defining yourself through your own life experience rather than yielding to the status quo. It offers courage and hope for all individuals to chart their own path towards self-understanding and social ease. Also screening is *Simply Rob*, a documentary about the challenges associated with being a young gay man. *Simply Rob* focuses on New York Latino poet and activist Rob Vassilarakis. Rob has a wealth of stories to tell and a gift for doing this through the creative expression of poetry. When Rob was only 17, his world took an abrupt change of direction. His mother discovered he was homosexual, and he was therefore no longer welcome in the family home. Cut loose and alone in a society that had yet to find its comfort zone with homosexuality, Rob lived life on a dysfunctional and abusive edge. In 1993 he was diagnosed HIV-positive. Feeling like he was out of luck and would soon be out of time, Rob chose to escape reality through substance abuse. Rob's downward spiral increased, eventually leaving him homeless on the streets of New York City. Filmed during World Aids Day 2010, *Simply Rob* is an uplifting journey through one man's private hell and ultimate triumphs. And finally, *Hold On Tight*, a film about same-sex relationships. This short documentary moves between the public and private spaces in which lesbian and gay couples live, and explores small gestures of human connectedness. These gentle interactions not only carry a huge personal significance, but also the potent power to create social change. Yet for most people, being affectionate beyond the front door isn't intended as a political statement – it's simply an expression of love. **Byron Community Centre** on **Thursday** from 7.30pm.

## PENSIONERS WITH PUNCH

In new British comedy *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel*, Judi Dench, Bill Nighy, Tom Wilkinson and Maggie Smith play a mismatched group of pensioners who decide to spend their retirement in the less expensive and seemingly exotic subcontinent. Upon their arrival in India, however, they're dismayed to find that the advertisements for their luxurious hotel have been somewhat photoshopped. *The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel* is a hilarious and life-affirming comedy about life, love and new beginnings, from the director of *Shakespeare in Love*. **Dendy Byron Bay Cinema** is holding a preview screening on **Sunday** at 4.30 pm. Club Dendy members can buy up to four tickets at the special members' price of \$7 each.

## NEVEN'S A LAUGH

Melbourne-based comedian **Mick Neven** headlines **Side Splitting Laughter** at the **Currambin RSL** this **Wednesday**. Beneath his laidback and approachable on-stage persona, Mick has a sharp wit and skill for observation and storytelling that makes his comedy something that resonates with his audience. Mick is joined by **Paul McMahon** as support. Paul recently enjoyed huge accolades at the Woodford Folk Festival. Doors and bar open at 6.30pm with the show starting at 7.30pm. A free kids' club is open until 10pm and tickets are only \$15 for Club members or \$20 non-members. Tickets can be purchased at the Club, by calling 5534 7999 or via the website [www.currambinrsl.com.au](http://www.currambinrsl.com.au).

## CORROBORREE

Have you considered attending **Julinbah Yowarl: Rainbow Corroboree** at **Rocky River near Tabulam** from **16 to 20 March**? Five days of sharing traditional and contemporary culture, Dreamtime, ceremony, art and stories, meeting elders, bushfood and performances. This is a cultural event created between Jabulla custodians and wider indigenous and non-indigenous communities. To find out more, Facebook 'Bunjalong Dreaming'.

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Sunday 11  
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- BALLINA RSL 8PM **SUPA NORTH PRESENTS GUYS & DOLLS**
- TATTS HOTEL, LISMORE 8PM **OPEN MIC COMEDY W ELLEN BRIGGS**
- CURRUMBIN RSL 7.30PM **SIDE SPLITTING COMEDY W MICK NEVEN, MANDY NOLAN PAUL MCMAHON**

**THURSDAY 8**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9PM **GARRETT KATO**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **ALEKS & RAMPS**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 9PM **MARSHALL O'KELL**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY **COCKATOO PAUL**
- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE & ASSOCIATED VENUES **BYRON FILM FESTIVAL**
- OWL & PUSSYCAT, BYRON **THE TRANSLATORS**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **THURSDAY TEMPTATIONS W DJ TAYA**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 8PM **MICK MCHUGH**
- WOODY'S SURF SHACK, BYRON **DJ SANCHEZ + WICKED TRAVEL ADVENTURE GIVEAWAY**
- LA LA LAND, BYRON BAY **BRETT SELLWOOD**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **GIRLS OF THE WET TEE SHIRT**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **SHANE MURPHY**
- LENNOX HOTEL **JAM NIGHT W BENNY**
- AUSTRALIAN HOTEL, BALLINA 7PM **MICK BUCKLEY PIANO MAN**
- BALLINA RSL 8PM **SUPA NORTH PRESENTS GUYS & DOLLS**
- NIMBIN HOTEL 6PM **ADAM BROWN**
- UKI HALL 7PM **SING IT UP W THE FULL MOON: VOCAL COLLABORATION**

**FRIDAY 9**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 5PM **BEACHY FRIDAYS CHEAP DRINKS**

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& NIBBLES W FOG, GUY & DAN 9.30PM **RAZ BIN SAM** ALBUM LAUNCH W **THE LION I BAND**

- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **FYAHWALK**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 9PM **BELL & BONE**
- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE & ASSOCIATED VENUES **BYRON FILM FESTIVAL**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY 8PM **HERMITUDE HYPER PARADISE TOUR W SPECIAL GUESTS SIETTA**
- OWL & PUSSYCAT, BYRON **LIVE @ FIVE W KYLE LIONHART** 9PM **DJ BEACHHOUSE BEATS**
- BYRON YOUTH ACTIVITIES CENTRE 5PM **YACROCK CAFE**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **DJ JIMMY D + DJ QC**
- WOODY'S SURF SHACK, BYRON 8PM **DJ DALLAS + HAPPY HOUR**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 8PM **THE GINGERS MALONE ENSEMBLE**
- LA LA LAND, BYRON **JOHN COURSE + JOHN POWELL + & OH!**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **GI JANE & THE CAMO GIRLS**
- COORABELL HALL 8PM **WILD MARMALADE**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **HUDABRASTIC FUNK**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **PINK ZINC**
- BRUNSWICK HEADS PRIMARY SCHOOL HALL 7PM  **Dangerously Poetic Launch of Wild Honey**
- MULLUMBIMBY FARMERS MARKET 8.30AM **ANDREA SOLER**
- DRILL HALL, MULLUMBIMBY 7.30PM **TOMMEE CD LAUNCH + WALTER PICCOLRUAZ + SHANNON GREEN**
- MIDDLE PUB, MULLUMBIMBY 8PM **SHYBABY**
- OCEAN SHORES TAVERN 7.30PM **CLAY BLYTH**
- BILLINUDGEL HOTEL 8PM **THE SULTANS**
- LENNOX HOTEL **SOUNDS OF SUMMER ROUND 4**
- SHAW'S BAY HOTEL, BALLINA 8PM **THE DIRTY CHANNEL**
- BALLINA RSL 8PM **SUPA NORTH PRESENTS GUYS & DOLLS** 8.30PM **ABBALIVE DRESS UP PARTY**
- SCU, LISMORE **ASTON SHUFFLE**
- UKI HALL 8PM **GLO DANCE W DJ PULSE, CHRIS DEKKER**
- SHEOAK SHACK, FINGAL 6PM **THE SACRED ME EXHIBITION OPENING W ANDREA SOLER**
- TWIN TOWNS, TWEED HEADS 8PM **THE PLATTERS FEAT MONROE POWELL**

**SATURDAY 10**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 9.30PM **DJ DANIEL WEBBER**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **PAUL HASSELGRONE + RUSTY STEEL**

HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 9PM **CELADORE + A LITTLE PROVINCE + GARRETT KATO**

- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE & ASSOCIATED VENUES **BYRON FILM FESTIVAL**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY, BEER GARDEN **MATTY DEVITT BAND, FREE**
- THE MUSIC WAREHOUSE, BYRON 7PM **SAM JOOLE, RICH LATIMER, ZAHLU + ELENA B WILLIAMS**
- OWL & PUSSYCAT, BYRON **DJ BEACHHOUSE BEATS**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **DJ QC + DJ JIMMY D**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 8PM **KINDLING DUO**
- WOODY'S SURF SHACK, BYRON 8PM **DJ GETKANE + HAPPY HOUR**
- LA LA LAND, BYRON BAY **RHYS BYNON**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **GIRLS GIRLS GIRLS**
- SUFFOLK PARK HALL 8PM **COME & DANCE LIVE LATIN BAND: OZ LATIN BROTHERS, FREE**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **GREG KEW**
- FEDERAL CHURCH 9-12 **BOOK FAIR**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7PM **BROADFOOT**
- LULU'S CAFE, MULLUMBIMBY 11AM **SLIM PICKENS**
- BILLINUDGEL HOTEL 8.30PM **MICK BUCKLEY**
- LENNOX HOTEL 9.30PM **NITESTAR**
- BALLINA RSL 2PM & 8PM **SUPA NORTH PRESENTS GUYS & DOLLS** 8PM **LEIGH JAMES TRIO**
- SHEOAK SHACK, FINGAL 7PM **NATHAN KAYE**
- TWIN TOWNS 8PM **BELINDA CARLISLE**

**SUNDAY 11**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 1PM **SUPER DRY SUNDAYS** 4.30PM **LATE FOR WOODSTOCK** 8PM **ALISON WONDERLAND** ALBUM LAUNCH
- THE RAILS, BYRON 6.30PM **CARTER ROLLINS**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON **DAN HANNAFORD**
- BYRON COMMUNITY CENTRE & ASSOCIATED VENUES **BYRON FILM FESTIVAL**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY **SUNDAY SAFARI FEAT. AJAX, THE CAIROS, SAMPOLOGY + PAM PAM PAM**
- OWL & PUSSYCAT, BYRON 2PM **DJ BEACHHOUSE BEATS** 4PM **DJ SUPERNOVA JADE**
- LA LA LAND, BYRON **DANIEL WEBBER & DISCROW**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 5PM **REILLY FITZALAN** 7PM **JIMMY DOWLING**
- HARVEST CAFE, NEWRYBAR 4PM **ARIA VIVA A TASTE OF OPERA**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 4PM **SUNDAY**

**SESSION W SUPER CHEESE**

- SANDBAR, BRUNSWICK HEADS 10AM **WALDO + GOODFELLOW**
- OCEAN SHORES TAVERN 2PM **DAN HANNAFORD**
- BILLINUDGEL HOTEL 3PM **SUNDAY AFTERNOON JAM**
- LENNOX HOTEL **CLAY BLYTH**
- RIVERVIEW HOTEL, MURWILLUMBAH 2PM **WISHING WELL**
- BY THE RIVER LOUNGE BAR, BALLINA 3PM **ELIZABETH LORD & LEIGH JAMES**
- CHAI TENT, CHANNON MARKET 10AM **NUCLEAR-FREE EARTH W HEALING EARTH, BAREFOOT GYPSIES, VASUDHA & JEM, NAKULA, GINA LAKOSTA, LOS BASTARDOS, NATHAN KAYE, SIMON JERREMS, YOSUKE ONUMA, THOMAS DE UDIYANA + FUKUSHIMA**
- SPINX ROCK CAFE, MT BURRELL 2PM **FAYE BLAIS BAND**
- TWIN TOWNS, TWEED HEADS **BUSTING OUT**

**MONDAY 12**

- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 7.30PM **NRL LIVE ON THE BIG SCREEN EELS V WARRIORS**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 7PM **GREG KEW**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 9PM **JON J BRADLEY**
- LA LA LAND, BYRON **STRETCH**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY, BEER GARDEN 6PM **WORLD OF LIGHT DJ/AV SET, FREE**
- OWL & PUSSYCAT, BYRON 9PM **GARRET KATO**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **INDUSTRY NIGHT W DJ TAYA**
- WOODY'S SURF SHACK, BYRON 8PM **DJ SANCHEZ + HAPPY HOUR**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **MAD MEXICAN MONDAY**

**TUESDAY 13**


- BEACH HOTEL, BYRON 11AM **BUSKING OVER BYRON** 7.30PM **POOL COMP** 8PM **OPEN MIC NIGHT**
- THE RAILS, BYRON 11AM **BUSKING COMPETITION** 7PM **JORDAN MILLA**
- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, BYRON 9PM **HARRY HEALY**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY, BEER GARDEN 6PM **GUIDO UNPLUGGED, FREE**
- OWL & PUSSYCAT, BYRON 9PM **KIT BRAY**
- COCOMANGAS, BYRON **CHEAPER TUESDAY**
- WOODY'S SURF SHACK, BYRON **SKYDIVE GIVEAWAY W DJ DALLAS**
- LA LA LAND, BYRON BAY **RHYS BYNON**
- CHEEKY MONKEYS, BYRON **COYOTE UGLY DANCING GIRLS**
- NEW BRIGHTON FARMERS MARKET 8.30AM **ANDY BOURKE**
- BALLINA RSL 6PM **SASSY SALSA W LAYLA & TIM**
- LISMORE CITY BOWLO 8.30PM **LEIGH CARRIAGE QUARTET**

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**FRIDAY 9**  
7:30pm

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7:30pm

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# cinema review

## Project X

Remember that pimply teenager who, a year or so back, while his parents were away, threw a party that was crashed by a million other kids and went completely off the Richter scale? Such is the ephemeral nature of social networking and the 24/7 headline cycle (as Sir Joh so succinctly put it, it's all about 'feeding the chooks'), I had forgotten his name within a few weeks of it happening, but for a while there he was the media's number-one darling/demon (they are one and the same). This flick is little more than a boring rehash of that event. Thomas lives in North Pasadena and his best-buddy classmates are Costa, a fast-talking, utterly obnoxious Jewish boy from Queens, and JB,

a lumpy, bespectacled, curly-haired guy who just wants to get laid. Thomas's girlfriend is blonde Kirby, one of the school's many beauties – in fact (this shouldn't come as a surprise), it is an educational establishment of wall-to-wall spunkettes. Mom and Dad hoof off to celebrate their wedding anniversary, leaving Thomas unsupervised to make whoopee on his eighteenth birthday. His mates' party plans go viral and by midnight the place has been over-run by very loud youngsters whose every other word, even before they get plastered, is *fuck*. The sense of entitlement that is nowadays attendant with privilege is ugly enough (you should see the clutter of possessions in Thomas's bedroom), but an unabashed disregard for others is even less

edifying in any civilised society. That such behaviour should be lauded – and make no mistake, Thomas learns nothing from the night's catastrophic developments, rather he is made a hero for his ratbaggery – is a desperately sad indictment of our 'up yours' culture. With the Oscars having just celebrated cinema's highest achievements and the Byron Bay International Film Festival opening our eyes to the art form's bounteous diversity, it comes as a low blow to the nether regions to be exposed to a morally bankrupt movie of such mind-numbing pointlessness and heartbreaking stupidity. ~ **John Campbell**

## The Artist

It's stating the obvious, but worth remembering – cinema is first and foremost a visual medium. In reminding us of this, Michel Hazanavicius's silent movie (a modern masterpiece, there can be no quibbling) also takes us deeper into his subject's world than what we have become accustomed to in so much contemporary blather. Instead of being spoon-fed with what is often trite dialogue and regurgitated cliché, we are forced to concentrate, to observe more closely what is happening in the story, to interpret its characters' actions and emotions for ourselves. So adept is Hazanavicius in the language of imagery that the task is not onerous, but profoundly rewarding. It is 1927 and George Valentin (Jean Dujardin) is a swashbuckling hero of the silver screen. Audiences flock to his latest adventure – and what an evocative introductory shot it is, of a full house enthralled by what they are watching – but just around the corner is the advent of the talkies. The beautiful actress Peppy Miller (Bérénice Bejo), owing her career to Valentin, moves with the times to become a great star and ultimately to contribute to her failed mentor's redemption (the sequence of repeated takes of them first appearing before camera together is typical of the enchantment that Hazanavicius

weaves). Adhering to precedent, The Artist is shot in a tight 4x3 ratio, in shimmering black and white (Guillaume Schiffman's photography is a dream), and with painstaking attention to period detail. Not a frame is wasted and not a note of Ludovic Bource's sublime score miscues (the homage to Bernard Hermann's sombre love-scene piece from Vertigo intensifies a fraught climax). Dujardin's performance is of extraordinary subtlety and breadth, as is Bejo's and even the dog Uggo's – because the tone of reverential melodrama has been so indelibly set, the little terrier's dash to save the day in an emergency is not in the least corny. For those doubters, it must be stressed that the previews give no indication of what is a magnificent, timeless work of art. ~ **John Campbell**

## The Iron Lady

Margaret Thatcher, like John Howard, polarised public opinion. I was never an admirer (of either), but it must be conceded that Phyllida Lloyd's bittersweet bio-pic is neither hagiography nor hatchet job. It opens (minus intrusive credits) with the aged Thatcher being brushed aside by a suited gent as she approaches the counter in a grocery shop. The scene is one of cruel irony, for at the very outset we see the frail old lady, returned to the setting from whence she came as a child, a victim of the aspirational (or 'I'm alright Jack') mentality that she championed throughout her career. Abi Morgan's scrambled but always coherent screenplay then randomly jumps to and from different periods of the former prime minister's life, reflecting fractured images and recollections of the past as they flash into the mind of a woman who is losing her grip on reality and living increasingly in the bubble of memory. Without re-writing history, the volatile politics of the period – miners' strikes, IRA bombings, the Falklands War – are not so much breezed through, with at times

shocking use of archival news footage (the sinking of the General Belgrano will remain forever inexcusable to many) as given thumbnail sketches. The temper of the times is well established – only the most blinkered feminists would deride her achievements – allowing for Lloyd to eke out what made Thatcher tick. That an old-fashioned boy-meets-girl romance should emerge from the tempest is the movie's real surprise. Meryl Streep is superb – watch the beautifully studied shots of her stooped walk as, like a tragic Shakespearean

heroine, she shuffles through her empty palace. Jim Broadbent as Thatcher's late husband Dennis, haunting her lonely widowhood, is reliably good, if a little more robust than I always imagined the fellow to be, while Olivia Colman as daughter Carol brings a true sense of family to the piece. Intractable haters will resent Lloyd for finding the human being behind the twin-pearled, bellicose colossus, but if you can get over your prejudice you'll find the film provocative, insightful and unexpectedly sad. ~ **John Campbell**

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**The Iron Lady** 8:30pm

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**J. Edgar** 5:45pm  
**Woman 6th Floor(F)** 8:30pm

**Thursday 8th March**  
**Martha Marcy,M.M.** 4:00pm  
**The Iron Lady** 6:15pm  
**Dragon Tattoo** 8:30pm

**Friday 9th March**  
**The Iron Lady** 3:15pm  
**Dragon Tattoo** 5:30pm  
**Martha Marcy,M.M.** 8:30pm

**Saturday 10th March**  
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**Martha Marcy,M.M.** 4:00pm  
**The Iron Lady** 6:15pm  
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**Going Vertical - \$11** 2:00pm  
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**The Iron Lady** 3:15pm  
**Dragon Tattoo** 5:30pm  
**J. Edgar** 8:30pm

**Tuesday 13th March**  
**J. Edgar** 3:15pm  
**Martha Marcy,M.M.** 6:15pm  
**Dragon Tattoo** 8:30pm

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Television Guide

1. Great Australian film: Cate Blanchett stars in **Little Fish** (ABC2, Saturday, 8.30pm) as the former heroin addict trying to keep her life, and her family's, on an even keel. There is a fabulous performance by Noni Hazelhurst as her mum, and a great supporting role by Hugo Weaving as the bad influence, while Sam Neill turns up as the crime boss. A creditable 86% on the Tomatometer (www.rottentomatoes.com).

2. Brad Pitt is at his weirdest best in **Fight Club** (Go!, Sunday, 9.30pm), based on the eponymous novel by Chuck Palahniuk, as are Edward Norton and Helena Bonham Carter. It is a brutal, psychologically gripping film, with the real relationship between Pitt and Norton only revealed at the end. Director David Fincher describes the journey thus: 'We're designed to be hunters and we're in a society of shopping. There's nothing to kill anymore, there's nothing to fight, nothing to overcome, nothing to explore. In that societal emasculation this everyman [the narrator] is created.' This cult favourite ranks only 81% on the Tomatometer – some critics didn't get it.



WEDNESDAY 7

<b>ABC 1</b> 4.00 The New Inventors 4.30 Can We Help? 6.00 ABC News 9.30 Business Today 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Big Ideas 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 National Press Club Address 1.30 The Trophy Room 2.00 The Volcano That Stopped The World 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Restoration Home 7.00 ABC News 7.30 7.30 8.00 Woodley 8.30 Adam Hills In Gordon St Tonight 9.30 Outland (M) 10.00 At The Movies 10.30 Lateline 11.05 The Business 11.35 Choose Your Own Adventure (M) 12.00 The IT Crowd 12.30 Movie: Murder By Decree (M 1979) Sherlock Holmes mystery. Christopher Plummer, James Mason 2.30 Star Stories: Bono (M) 3.00 rage	9.30 Empire (M) 10.30 World News Australia 11.05 Movie: Faith (M 2010) German drama 12.45 Movie: Parineeta (PG 2005) Bollywood 3.05 Weatherwatch
<b>SBS 2</b> 5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 Global Village 6.35 Come Dine With Me Greece 7.35 Rex In Rome 8.30 The Killing (M) 9.40 UEFA Champions League Arsenal v AC Milan 11.00 Movie: Kops (M 2002) Swedish comedy 12.50 Weatherwatch	<b>PRIME</b> 6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show 11.30 Seven News 12.00 Hart To Hart 2.00 Dr Oz 3.00 Surf Patrol 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Seven News 5.30 Deal Or No Deal 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Home And Away 7.30 My Kitchen Rules 8.30 Please Marry My Boy 9.30 The Amazing Race 10.30 How I Met Your Mother 11.30 The Marriage Ref 12.30 Sons And Daughters 1.00 Home Shopping 5.30 News
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7.30 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 8.30 Burn Notice (M) 9.30 Movie: 28 Weeks Later (AV 2007) UK thriller. Robert Carlyle, Catherine McCormack 11.30 M*A*S*H 12.00 Omnisport 12.30 Black Gold 1.30 I Fish 2.30 FA Cup Classic 3.00 Bundesliga Football – Bayer Leverkusen v Bayern Munich	<b>NBN</b> 5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings 11.00 Home Shopping 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Entertainment Tonight 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 NBN News 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 NBN News 7.00 A Current Affair 7.30 The Big Bang Theory 8.00 RBT 8.25 Lotto 8.30 Movie: Sherlock Holmes (M 2009) US action. Robert Downey Jr, Jude Law 11.30 Person Of Interest (M) 12.05 Weeds (MA) 12.35 Dark Blue (M) 1.30 Home Shopping 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News
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THURSDAY 8

<b>ABC 1</b> 4.00 The New Inventors 4.30 Can We Help? 6.00 ABC News 9.30 Business Today 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Restoration Home 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Adventures Of Sherlock Holmes 1.30 At The Movies 2.00 Mystery Skulls Of Palau 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 River Cottage 7.00 ABC News 7.30 7.30 8.00 Family Confidential 8.30 The Straits (M) 9.30 Whitechapel (M) 10.15 Lateline 10.50 The Business 11.20 Museum Of Life 12.20 Bomb Harvest (M) 1.20 The Clinic 2.10 River Cottage 3.00 rage	11.05 UEFA Champions League Hour 12.05 The Fixer (M) 1.00 Movie: Reykjavik-Rotterdam (MA 2008) Icelandic thriller 2.35 Weatherwatch
<b>ABC 2</b> 6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 Spicks And Specks 7.30 Doctor Who 8.30 Arrested Development (M) 9.00 Portlandia (M) 9.30 The Warehouse Comedy Festival (M) 10.00 Grandma's House (M) 10.30 Outland (M) 11.00 Peep Show (M) 11.25 Lily Allen (M) 12.15 Pete Versus Life (M) 12.40 Junkyard Wars 1.30 ABC News 1.35 Close	<b>SBS 2</b> 5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 Global Village 6.30 Come Dine With Me Greece 7.30 Aung San Suu Kyi 8.30 UEFA Champions League Hour 9.30 Movie: Game Of Four (M 2007) French comedy 11.10 Movie: What No One Knows (M 2008) Danish thriller 12.55 Weatherwatch
<b>ABC NEWS 24</b> 4.00 Lateline 4.30 The Business 5.00 Newshour 6.00 ABC News 9.30 Business Today 10.00 ABC News 12.30 Newsline 1.00 ABC News 2.30 State To State 3.00 Afternoon Live 5.30 Capital Hill 5.45 Rural Quarter 6.00 The Drum 6.45 Weather Quarter 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Grandstand 8.00 ABC News 8.30 The Business 9.00 The World 10.00 The Drum 10.45 Weather Quarter 11.00 ABC News 11.30 7.30 12.00 ABC News 12.30 Lateline 1.00 BBC News 1.30 Newsline 2.00 Newshour 3.00 BBC World News 3.30 7.30	<b>TEN</b> 6.00 Breakfast 9.00 The Circle 11.30 Wurrawhy 12.00 Dr Phil 1.00 The Doctors 2.00 Ready Steady Cook 3.00 Judge Judy 3.30 Good Chef Bad Chef 4.00 Scope 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Project 7.00 The Biggest Loser 8.00 Modern Family 8.30 Law & Order (M) 10.30 A Gifted Man 11.30 The Late Show 12.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion
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FRIDAY 9

<b>ABC 1</b> 4.00 WNBL Basketball 6.00 ABC News 9.30 Business Today 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 The Old Guys 11.30 One Plus One 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Dalziel And Pascoe (M) 2.00 Monarch Of The Glen 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Grand Designs Revisited 7.00 ABC News 7.30 7.30 8.30 Miss Fisher's Murder Mysteries (M) 9.30 Luther (M) 10.30 Lateline 11.05 Adam Hills In Gordon St Tonight 12.10 rage (MA)	11.05 UEFA Champions League Hour 12.05 The Fixer (M) 1.00 Movie: Reykjavik-Rotterdam (MA 2008) Icelandic thriller 2.35 Weatherwatch
<b>ABC 2</b> 6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 Spicks And Specks 7.30 Doctor Who 8.30 The Last Man Standing Burkina Faso (MA) 9.30 Misfits (MA) 10.20 The Straits (M) 11.30 Being Human (M) 1.30 Root Of All Evil (M) 1.45 ABC News 1.50 Close	<b>SBS 2</b> 5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 Global Village 6.35 Come Dine With Me Greece 7.30 Dateline 8.30 Insight 9.30 Movie: Love In A Puff (M 2010) Cantonese comedy 11.20 Movie: Big Man Japan (M 2007) Japanese comedy 1.15 Weatherwatch
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10.00 Cops (M) 10.30 M*A*S*H 11.00 Omnisport 11.30 NASCAR Sprint Cup – Phoenix 3.00 Serie A Football – Roma v Lazio 5.00 WGC Cadillac Championship Golf LIVE – Florida	<b>PRIME</b> 6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show 11.30 Seven News 12.00 Movie: College Can Be Murder (M 2007) US drama. Dick Van Dyke, Barry Van Dyke 2.00 Dr Oz 3.00 Surf Patrol 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Seven News 5.30 Deal Or No Deal 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Home And Away 7.30 My Kitchen Rules 8.30 Grey's Anatomy (M) 9.30 Desperate Housewives (M) 10.30 Private Practice (MA) 11.30 30 Rock (M) 12.00 My Big Friggin Wedding (M) 1.00 Home Shopping 5.30 News
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<b>GEM</b> 6.00 Today 9.00 Home Shopping 10.30 Alive & Cooking 11.00 Friends 12.00 Movie: The Love Lottery (G 1954) UK comedy. David Niven, Peggy Cummins 2.00 Rescue Special Ops 3.00 Baboon Bandits 3.30 Cheetah Kingdom 4.00 Excess Baggage 5.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 6.00 Friends 7.00 The Zoo 7.30 Friends 8.30 Picker Sisters 9.30 Movie: Divine Secrets Of The Ya-Ya Sisterhood (M 2002) US drama. Sandra Bullock, Ellen Burstyn 12.00 Conan (M) 1.00 Psychic TV 2.30 Home Shopping 4.30 Religion 5.00 Birds Of A Feather 5.30 Today	<b>PLEASE NOTE</b> The Echo takes great care producing this guide, but unfortunately TV stations like to tinker with things at the last minute and sometimes make changes after we have gone to print.

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SATURDAY 10

ABC 1

5.00 rage (PG) 11.00 Spicks And Specks 11.30 7.30 12.00 Foreign Correspondent 12.30 Australian Story 1.00 **Movie: A Man For All Seasons** (G 1966) UK biography. Paul Scofield, Wendy Hiller 3.00 **Movie: Rear Window** (PG 1954) Hitchcock suspense. James Stewart, Grace Kelly 5.10 Japan Tsunami

6.10 Minder 7.00 ABC News 7.30 New Tricks 8.30 Spooks (M) 9.35 Strike Back (M)

10.20 **The Jonathan Ross Show** (MAV 2009) French drama 1.15 Weatherwatch 11.05 Ashes To Ashes (M) 12.00 rage (MA)

ABC 2

6.00 Kids' Program 7.00 Woodley 7.30 **Adam Hills In Gordon St Tonight** 8.30 **Movie: Little Fish** (M 2005) Australian drama. Cate Blanchett, Sam Neill

10.20 **Movie: The Night, The Prowler** (M 1978) Australian drama. Ruth Cracknell, John Frawley 11.45 Misfits (M) 12.50 The Wire (M) 1.45 ABC News 1.50 Close

ABC NEWS 24

4.00 National Press Club Address 5.00 Newshour 6.00 7.30 6.30 State To State 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Contact Sport 8.00 Weekend Breakfast 11.30 The World This Week 12.00 ABC News 12.45 Food Quarter 1.00 Big Ideas 2.00 ABC News 2.30 Contact Sport 3.00 ABC News 3.30 Australian Story 4.00 ABC News 4.30 At The Movies 5.00 ABC News 5.30 One Plus One 6.00 ABC News 6.30 Foreign Correspondent 7.00 ABC News 7.30 State To State 8.00 Four Corners 8.45 Big Ideas 9.00 ABC News 9.30 The World This Week 10.00 ABC News 10.30 Australian Story 11.00 Planet America 11.45 Finance Quarter 12.00 Q&A 1.00 BBC World News 1.30 7.30 2.00 Newshour 3.00 BBC World News 3.30 7.30

SBS 1

5.00 World News 5.05 World News 1.00 Opera: Orpheus And Eurydice 2.50 Art In The 21st Century 3.50 The Beauty Of Maps 4.30 Newshour 5.35 Hot Cities 6.30 World News Australia 7.35 Monster Moves 8.30 Rockwiz 9.15 Mad Men (M) 11.05 **Movie: An Empress And The Warriors** (MAV 2008) Mandarin action

12.45 **Movie: Ong-Bak** (MAV 2003) Thai Martial arts 2.35 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 **A Fork In The Mediterranean** Turkey 6.30 **My Cypriot Kitchen** 7.00 **UEFA Europa League** Sporting Club v Manchester City 8.30 Vivienne Westwood (M) 9.35 **Movie: Sin Nombre** (MAV 2009) Mexican thriller 11.20 **Movie: Student Services** (MAV 2009) French drama 1.15 Weatherwatch

TEN

6.00 Kids' Programs 9.30 Places We Go 10.00 Hot30 Countdown 12.00 Radar 12.30 Working With Dangerous Animals 1.30 Everyday Gourmet 2.30 **Movie: Little Secrets** (PG 2001) US comedy. Evan Rachel Wood, David Gallagher 4.30 All 4 Adventure 5.00 Ten News

6.00 Rules Of Engagement 6.30 **Movie: Ice Age – Dawn Of The Dinosaurs** (PG 2009) Animation

8.35 **Graham Norton Show** 9.35 **An Idiot Abroad** (M) 10.35 **Movie: Smart People** (M 2008) US comedy. Dennis Quaid, Sarah Jessica Parker 12.30 Ally McBeal (M) 1.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

ELEVEN

6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 The Brady Bunch 7.30 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 8.00 Family Ties 8.30 Everybody Loves Raymond 9.00 Country Music TV 11.30 King Of Queens 12.00 Charmed 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Infomercial 3.30 Cheers 4.00 Becker 4.30 Family Ties 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch

6.00 **Sabrina The Teenage Witch** 6.30 **Everybody Loves Raymond** 7.30 **The Simpsons** 8.30 Futurama 9.30 **Star Trek: Voyager** 11.30 Hot30 Countdown 1.30 The Hit Rater.com 2.00 Cheers 2.30 Becker 3.00 Charmed 4.00 Sabrina The Teenage Witch 4.30 Everybody Loves Raymond 5.00 **Star Trek: Voyager**

ONE HD

6.00 WGC Cadillac Championship Golf LIVE – Florida 10.00 Omnispot 10.30 World Of Free Sports 11.00 Ironman Series Review 12.00 The WWE Experience 1.00 I Fish 2.00 Black Gold 3.00 True Heroes 4.00 Recruits 5.00 Places We Go 5.30 M\*A\*S\*H

6.00 Get Smart 6.30 M\*A\*S\*H

7.30 **Talkin' 'Bout Your Generation**

8.30 **Movie: Broken Arrow** (M 1996) US action. John Travolta, Christian Slater

10.40 NBL Basketball – Adelaide v New Zealand 12.40 Omnispot 1.00 UFC 109 (M) 3.00 Ross Kemp On Gangs (AV) 4.00 WGC Cadillac Championship Golf LIVE – Florida

PRIME

6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 Weekend Sunrise 9.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Australian Cup Horse Racing LIVE – Flemington 5.00 Wild Vets 5.30 Sydney Weekender

6.00 Seven News

6.30 **Movie: The Lion King** (G 1994) Animation

8.30 **Movie: Alice In Wonderland** (PG 2010) US fantasy. Johnny Depp, Mia Wasikowska

10.50 **Movie: The Hard Way** (M 1991) US comedy. Michael J Fox, James Woods 1.05 **Movie: Undertow** (M 2004) US drama. Josh Lucas, Jamie Bell 3.20 Home Shopping

7TWO

6.30 Kids' Programs 8.00 Home Shopping 9.00 Better Homes And Gardens 10.30 The Great Outdoors 11.30 Queensland Weekender 12.00 Great South East 12.30 Creek To Creek 1.00 Sydney Weekender 1.30 Weekend Kitchen 3.45 Journey Of A Lifetime 5.00 Around The World In 80 Trades

6.00 **The Benny Hill Show**

6.30 **Down To Earth** 7.30 **Heartbeat** 8.30 **Taggart** (M)

11.30 Black Sheep Squadron 12.30 Rome (AV) 1.30 **Movie: Action In Arabia** (PG 1944) US drama. George Sanders, Virginia Bruce 3.00 Leyland Brothers World 4.00 Journey Of A Lifetime 5.00 Around The World In 80 Trades

7MATE

6.00 Malcolm And Eddie 6.30 Buck Rogers 7.30 The Jeff Foxworthy Show 8.00 Home Shopping 9.00 NBC Today 11.00 The Spitfire And The Lancaster 12.00 Crazy Like A Fox 1.00 Baywatch 2.00 V.I.P. 4.00 The Drew Carey Show 4.30 Man V Food 5.30 Monster Fish 6.30 **Mighty Structures** 7.30 **Megastructures Breakdown** 8.40 **Super Factories** 9.45 **Mythbusters** 10.45 Mega Movers 11.45 The Universe 12.30 Man V Food 1.00 V.I.P. 3.00 Buck Rogers 4.00 Crazy Like A Fox 5.00

The Jeff Foxworthy Show 5.30 Home Shopping

NBN

6.00 Danoz 7.00 Weekend Today 9.00 Mornings 11.00 Kids' Programs 3.00 Australian Water Ski Titles 3.30 Who Do You Think You Are? 4.30 The Garden Gurus 5.00 Getaway 5.30 NBN... Today & Yesterday

6.00 NBN News

6.30 **Australia's Funniest Home Videos** 7.30 **Movie: The Bee Movie** (G 2007) Animation

8.40 Lotto 9.30 **Movie: What Happens In Vegas** (M 2008) US comedy. Cameron Diaz, Ashton Kutcher

11.30 **Movie: King's Ransom** (M 2005) US comedy. Anthony Anderson, Jay Mohr 1.20 **Movie: Don't Look Now** (M 1973) UK thriller. Julie Christie, Donald Sutherland 1.30 Skippy 4.00 Infomercials

GO!

6.00 Kids' Programs 2.30 Spin City 3.30 The Nanny 4.30 Seinfeld 5.30 Total Wipeout UK

6.30 Top Gear

7.30 Two And A Half Men 8.30 **Movie: Wild Wild West** (PG 1999) US comedy. Will Smith, Kevin Kline

10.40 Alcatraz (M) 11.40 South Park (MA) 12.00 Total Wipeout UK 2.00 The Hills (M) 5.00 Bratz 5.30 Tamagotchi

GEM

6.00 **Movie: Raising The Wind** (G 1961) UK comedy. J Robertson Justice, Leslie Phillips 8.00 Infomercials 9.30 **Movie: Carlton-Browne Of The F.O.** (G 1959) UK comedy. Peter Sellers, Terry Thomas 11.25 **Movie: I Live In Grosvenor Square** (G 1945) UK comedy. Anna Neagle, Rex Harrison 1.45 **Movie: The Sundowners** (G 1960) UK drama. Deborah Kerr, Robert Mitchum 4.30 **Movie: Empire Of The Sun** (PG 1987) WWII biography. Christian Bale, John Malkovich

7.30 **Antiques Roadshow** 8.30 **CSI: NY** (M) 9.30 **CSI: Miami** (M) 10.30 **CSI** (M)

11.30 Conan (M) 12.20 Psych TV 1.50 **Movie: Plenty** (M 1985) UK drama. Meryl Streep, Sam Neill 4.00 **Movie: Spring In Park Lane** (G 1948) UK comedy. Anna Neagle, Michael Wilding

MONDAY 12

ABC 1

4.00 The New Inventors 4.30 Can We Help? 5.00 Gardening Australia 5.30 Catalyst 6.00 ABC News 9.30 Business Today 10.00 Kids' Programs 11.00 Landline 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 Great Expectations 1.30 Monarch Of The Glen 2.30 Voices From The Cape 3.00 Kids' Programs

6.00 Grand Designs Revisited 7.00 ABC News 7.30 7.30 8.00 Australian Story 8.30 Four Corners 9.20 Media Watch 9.35 Q&A

10.30 Lateline 11.05 The Business 11.35 Spooks (M) 12.30 The Real Anne Lister 1.30 The Great Contemporary Art Bubble 3.00 rage

ABC 2

6.00 Kids' Programs 7.00 Spicks And Specks 7.30 Doctor Who 8.30 Louis Theroux's Weird Weekends (M) 9.30 The Tudors (MA) 10.25 Kitchen Cabinet Penny Wong

10.55 Dragons' Den 11.55 Sanctuary (M) 12.40 Zoo Days 1.05 Heartland 1.50 ABC News 1.55 Close

ABC NEWS 24

4.00 Big Ideas 5.00 Newshour 6.00 ABC News 9.30 Business Today 10.00 ABC News 12.30 National Press Club Address 1.30 ABC News 2.30 One Plus One 3.00 Afternoon Live 5.30 Capital Hill 5.45 Finance Quarter 6.00 The Drum 6.45 Health Quarter 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Grandstand 8.00 ABC News 8.30 The Business 9.00 The World 9.30 Q&A 10.30 ABC News 11.00 The Drum 11.45 Health Quarter 12.00 ABC News 12.30 Lateline 1.00 BBC News 1.30 Australia Network News 2.00 Newshour 3.00 BBC World News 3.30 7.30

SBS 1

5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Concert Schönbrunn 2.30 The Squiz 3.00 Letters And Numbers 3.30 World News 4.00 The Journal 4.30 FIFA 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 James May's Man Lab 9.30 Danger 5 (M) 10.05 The Ricky Gervais Show 10.30 World News Australia 11.05 The World Game 12.05

SOS (G/M) 1.05 **Movie: Man Of Glass** (MA 2007) Italian drama 2.55 Weatherwatch

SBS 2

5.00 Weatherwatch 6.00 World News 6.00 **Global Village** 6.35 **Come Dine With Me** Greece

7.30 **Why Can't We Predict Earthquakes?** 8.30 **Nuclear Nightmares** 9.30 **The World Game** 10.30 **IAAF World Indoor Athletics Championships** Turkey

12.00 Weatherwatch

TEN

6.00 Breakfast 9.00 The Circle 11.30 Wurraway 12.00 Dr Phil 1.00 The Doctors 2.00 Ready Steady Cook 3.00 Judge Judy 3.30 Good Chef Bad Chef 4.00 Totally Wild 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News

6.00 The Project 7.00 The Biggest Loser 8.00 Bondi Rescue 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles (M) 9.30 Hawaii Five-O (M)

10.30 Medium (M) 11.30 The Late Show 12.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion

ELEVEN

6.00 Kids' Programs 9.00 Dr Quinn Medicine Woman 10.00 7th Heaven 11.00 The Love Boat 12.00 Charmed 1.00 Jag 2.00 MacGyver 3.00 Infomercial 3.30 Cheers 4.00 Becker 4.30 Family Ties 5.00 Happy Days 5.30 The Brady Bunch 6.00 **Sabrina The Teenage Witch** 6.30 **Neighbours** 7.00 **Everybody Loves Raymond** 7.30 Futurama 8.30 Ringer (M) 10.30 Frasier 11.00 The Late Late Show 12.00 Cash Call (M) 1.30 Happy Days 2.00 The Love Boat 3.00 Charmed 4.00 Dr Quinn Medicine Woman 5.00 7th Heaven

ONE HD

6.00 NASCAR Sprint Cup LIVE – Las Vegas 9.30 World Of Free Sports 10.00 Serie A Football – Palermo v Milan 12.00 Omnispot 12.30 I Fish 1.30 Fiberglass & Megapixels 2.30 Airline 3.30 Beach Patrol 3.30 Airline 4.00 Jeopardy! 4.30 Beach Patrol 5.00 I Fish 6.00 M\*A\*S\*H 6.30 Get Smart 7.00 Cops 7.30 **Whose Line Is It Anyway?** 8.30 TBA 10.30 M\*A\*S\*H

11.00 Omnispot 11.30 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 12.30 I Fish 1.30 Magic Of The FA Cup 2.30 FA Cup Classic 3.00 Arsenal Football

PRIME

6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show 11.30 Seven News 12.00 Jesse Stone (M) 2.00 Dr Oz 3.00 Surf Patrol 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 Seven News 5.30 Deal Or No Deal 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Home And Away 7.30 My Kitchen Rules 9.00 Revenge (M) 10.00 How I Met Your Mother 10.30 Happy Endings 11.30 Sports Fever (M) 12.30 Picture This 1.00 Home Shopping 5.30 News

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6.30 Kids' Programs 9.00 Home And Away 9.30 Sons And Daughters 10.00 Coronation Street 10.30 Shortland Street 11.00 Martha Stewart Show 12.00 Private Practice 1.00 Parenthood 2.00 **Movie: Hell Boats** (PG 1970) WWII drama. James Franciscus, Elizabeth Shepherd 4.00 Doctor In Charge 4.30 Murphy Brown 5.00 Mad About You 5.30 Who's The Boss? 6.00 Bargain Hunt 7.00 Dad's Army 7.30 Heartbeat 8.30 Hamish Macbeth 9.30 Dangerfield (M)

10.40 Men Behaving Badly 11.20 Six Feet Under (AV) 12.00 Mad About You 12.30 Who's The Boss? 1.00 Martha Stewart Show 2.00 Medical Rookies 2.30 **Movie: Hell Boats** 4.30 Shortland Street 5.00 Home Shopping

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6.30 Kids' Programs 9.00 NBC Today 10.00 NBC Meet The Press 11.00 Adam 12 11.30 Newsradio 12.00 Crazy Like A Fox 1.00 Baywatch 2.00 The A Team 3.00 Motor Mate 4.30 Monster Garage 5.30 That '70s Show 6.30 **How I Met Your Mother** 7.30 **Man V Food** 8.30 Sports Fever (M) 9.30 Lockdown (M) 10.30 Operation Repo (M) 11.30 All Worked Up (M) 12.00 Crazy Like A Fox 1.00 Baywatch 2.00 Motor Mate 3.30 Newsradio 4.00 The A Team 5.00 Adam 12 5.30 Home Shopping

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NBN

5.30 Today 9.00 Mornings 11.00 Home Shopping 12.00 The Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Entertainment Tonight 3.30 Kids' Programs 4.30 NBN News 5.30 Hot Seat

6.00 NBN News

7.00 **A Current Affair**

7.30 **The Big Bang Theory**

8.25 Lotto 8.30 Alcatraz (M)

9.30 **Person Of Interest** (M)

10.30 **True CSI: Cold Blood** (AV)

11.30 Super Rugby Extra Time 12.30 Damages (M) 1.30 Entertainment Tonight 2.00 Infomercials 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News

6.00 Kids' Programs 1.00 Seinfeld 1.30 Entertainment Tonight 2.00 TMZ 2.30 The Nanny 3.00 Just Shoot Me 3.30 Kids' Programs 5.30 Wipeout USA

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	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>bangalow espressobar &amp; pizzabar</b>  cnr station &amp; deacon streets bangalow  <b>6687 1271</b>  DINE IN. T/WAY. BYO </div> </div>	<div> <b>Zentveld's local coffee offerings</b>  coffee. brunch. pizza. pides. salads. cakes  Delicious house made treats and pizza (inc GF). Specialising in local produce and fabulous coffee!  <b>ESPRESSO BAR</b> Mon–Sat and <i>market</i> Sunday–8am  <b>PIZZA</b> lunch 11.30am–2.30pm evenings 5.30pm til late. </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Utopia Bangalow</b>  Open Breakfast &amp; Lunch  8am - 4.30pm  Afternoon cake  <b>6687 2088</b> </div> </div>	<div> Utopia Bangalow provides award winning food by well recognised chefs in a stylish and relaxed atmosphere. Enjoy the elegant setting for your next wholesome breakfast, gourmet lunch or indulgent snack. The emphasis is on fresh locally sourced produce and our divine Utopia blend coffee. </div>
<div> <div> BILLINUDGEL</div> <div> </div> </div>	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Billi's Thai</b>  Open Wed-Sun  <b>NEW OPENING TIME 6pm</b>  Dine in or takeaway  Billinudgel Village  <b>6680 3352</b> </div> </div>	<div> <div>  </div> <div> For over 17 years Billi's Thai has re-created the traditional taste of Thailand in Billinudgel. Offering an extensive menu, scrumptious desserts, specials board, and western-style kids' menu.  The whole family will enjoy the relaxed village atmosphere from the covered verandah or inside dining area. Be part of the best-kept secret in the shire! </div> </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Gringo's Fresh Mex</b>  Licensed/B.Y.O. wine  Dine In /Takeaway  Open at 5.30  Cnr. Tweed &amp; Fawcett St.  Brunswick Heads  Call for reservations.  <b>6685 1955</b> </div> </div>	<div> Sip your margarita in our casual covered garden and enjoy the fresh clean flavours of Mexico. Everything home made. Always tasty Not Spicy Hot. Sample some of our house salsas, such as smokey chipotle or fiery habanero. A great selection of Tequilas, imported beers and wine.  <b>• Full meals from \$15.75</b>  <b>• Banquet menus available.</b> </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Hotel Brunswick</b>  Open daily from 10am  Mullumbimbi St,  Brunswick Heads  <b>6685 1236</b> </div> </div>	<div> The Bruns Brasserie's newest addition is crispy crust pizzas. Daily selections include fresh grilled snapper, juicy steaks and bangers and mash. Gourmet coffees, Devonshire teas, freshly squeezed juices and delicious desserts are also available.  Lunch and dinner bookings available on request. </div>
<div> <div> BRUNSWICK HEADS</div> <div> </div> </div>	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Dominic's Risoranté</b>  Open for dinner  Wednesday to Saturday  from 5pm  Fingal St, Brunswick Heads  <b>6685 1688</b> </div> </div>	<div> Dine in or Takeaway  Restaurant wine bar  Tapas cocktails  Daily specials    <b>Tapas Happy Hour from 5.30 Friday afternoons</b> </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Traditional Thai</b>  Lunch Friday, Saturday &amp;  Sunday 12-4pm  Dinner, drinks &amp; nibbles  every evening 5.30-9.30pm  5/2 Fletcher St, Byron Bay  <b>6685 5151</b> </div> </div>	<div> At Traditional Thai you can discover your new can't-live-without-it dish among never-get-it-wrong satay skewers and all-time-favourite pad Thai. It is here that the curry pastes are freshly pounded to leave your palate dumbfounded. It is here that the ambrosial meals are cooked to order and the scrumptious cocktails and mocktails thrust you in a land of wonderful tales.  Find us at the beach end of Fletcher St. You can dine-in or take-away seconds from the water and sand. At Traditional Thai banquet menus for special events and private catering are also a popular demand. </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Slice Pizzeria</b>  Open 7 days 12.00 till late  (very late on weekends)  Beach end of Jonson St  (under Hogs Breath Café)  <b>66 809 357</b> </div> </div>	<div> Slice Pizzeria is Byron's only authentic stone oven pizza. Made with top shelf ingredients and ready to be eaten by the slice or whole. Real handcrafted dough, opened in front of your eyes with our bare, trained hands. Italian grown tomatoes and flour. Butcher quality meats. Real, fresh, local produce. Fresh, pure mozzarella (no blends, no substitutes). A simple and unique slow rise process, minimising the use of yeast, therefore giving you a lighter and healthier feeling. Enjoy! You just ate something good. </div>
<div> <div> BYRON BAY</div> <div> </div> </div>	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Fishheads</b>  Open seven days  Breakfast, lunch, dinner  <b>Byron Bay</b> – 1 Jonson St  <b>6680 7632</b>  <b>Bangalow</b> – 2 Byron St  <b>6687 2883</b> </div> </div>	<div> <b>HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM THE TEAM AT FISHHEADS BYRON AND BANGALOW!</b>  Join us for sensational seafood on the bustling beachfront at Byron or enjoy the tranquility in the historic town of Bangalow (now offering free Wi-Fi).  Our new summer menu is now being served. </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Pass Café</b>  Open 7 days from 7am  Breakfast &amp; lunch BYO  Fri &amp; Sat bfast/lunch/dinner  Brooke Drive, Byron Bay  <b>6680 8028</b>  contact@thepasscafe.com.au </div> </div>	<div> <b>Now open Friday &amp; Saturday nights.</b>  The newly refurbished iconic Pass Café is open again, offering value for money dine in and takeaway meals.  Local fresh ingredients used in all meals. Come by road, foot or sand to this casual dining experience.  Available for hire for private functions.  Bookings essential. </div>
	<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Thai@Byron</b>  Open for dinner 7 days.  Feros Arcade, Jonson St,  Byron Bay  <b>6685 6737</b> </div> </div>	<div> Take your taste buds on a culinary tour of Thailand! Experienced Thai chefs cooking fresh, authentic Thai cuisine with love! Popular with locals and tourists alike.  Dine -in and take-away.  Fully licenced bar. </div> <div>  </div>

## Taking the cake

VICTORIA COSFORD



Rebel has done a lot of books. And the shoe she crafted for one party was so successful that girls kept trying it on, like Cinderella's slipper.

These are, however, cakes. A business less than two years old has seen Mullumbimby-based Rebel Taylor become sought out for her novelty cakes. When she shows you photos of them you can quite see why. Meticulous attention to detail deceives you into believing that the Kombi van is the real thing except in miniature; that a watch is quietly ticking away; that a finger on a cupcake, sinisterly, has just been severed.

Her Rebellious Cake Company was born out of the increasingly popular reception Rebel's cakes were inspiring at friends' children's parties. With youngsters of her own she had always wanted to do something a little different when it came to juvenile events. In the beginning her cakes were simple and two-dimensional, shapes cut out of her basic baking so that they resembled butterflies or robots. 'My early cakes are shocking, hideous!', she tells me, 'but I was so proud at the time.' She was using an old version of a *Women's Weekly* cook book, having decided that her youngest child was an age manageable enough for her to have some time on her hands and be creative. 'I wanted to do something rather than just be a mum,' she says. Besides, the appeal of creating fantasy cakes was in the making something from nothing, seeing it take shape, then seeing people's reactions.

Rebel was up and running, largely teaching herself through trial and error but learning as well through online research. As her confidence and experience grew the cakes became more



ambitious; they became three-dimensional. And it is all she thinks about! 'I dream about cakes,' she tells me. Even if she is reading a story to her child she is busily wondering if there isn't a cake in there somewhere; *obsession* might be the the word.

Meanwhile, she has developed her own process. She tells me that one cake will generally consume a minimum of four days but up to a week what with the various stages involved – the baking, the application of ganache, the drying out, applying the fondant. It's high-risk, with every element needing to be stable every step of the way – especially given the humidity of the far north coast, a challenge Rebel cites as by far her greatest. She is currently researching different ways to combat it and is trying out a new recipe using potato flour.

'But I've tried various things – like lamps shining on the cakes to dry them out, or the air-conditioning in the car. Storage, because of the humidity, is another problem.'

Clients – all of them as a result of word-of-mouth or Facebook (she has never advertised) – approach Rebel with specific requests, so it's a bespoke business – and, for all the playfulness of the designs, it is an adult market to which she largely caters. She tells me that no two creations are ever the same, even if she is asked to replicate one.

I ask Rebel if she still enjoys eating cakes. 'Am I allowed to say I don't like cake anymore?' she replies. 'I've gone off it!'

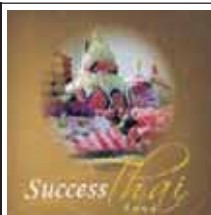
Rebel's cakes can be viewed on her website [www.rebellyouscakeco.com.au](http://www.rebellyouscakeco.com.au) or, for a more comprehensive and updated range, on Facebook.

<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>The Aztec Byron Bay</b>  32 Lawson St, <b>6680 8198</b>  <b>LICENSED MEXICAN RESTAURANT</b>  NOW OPEN 7 days  Lunch/ Dinner  Phone ahead for opening times </div> </div>	<div> All the favourites – Nachos, Enchiladas, Burritos etc  Extensive vegetarian options.  <b>TWO UP TUESDAY</b> - Buy one main meal and receive a second main meal for FREE from 5.30pm. Inexpensive and extensive cocktail list.  \$20.00 Group Bookings Menu for bookings of 15 or more  Takeaways and Childrens Menu available. Conditions Apply.  <b>THE ORIGINAL FLAVOURS OF MEXICO.</b> </div>
<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Beach Kitchen</b>  Open 8am till late  At the Beach Hotel,  Bay St, Byron Bay  <b>6685 6402</b>  <a href="http://www.beachhotel.com.au">www.beachhotel.com.au</a> </div> </div>	<div> Beachside breakfast, lunch and dinner right in the heart of town overlooking Main Beach, Byron Bay'   </div>
<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>WhyNot!</b>  Breakfast &amp; Lunch  7 days from 6am  Cocktails &amp; Dinner  Wednesday to Sunday  18 Jonson St, Byron Bay  <b>6680 7994</b>  <a href="http://whynotbyronbay.com.au">whynotbyronbay.com.au</a> </div> </div>	<div> <div> <b>SHARE THE LOVE</b>  with our new shared dining options:  3-courses shared between 2 diners: \$45    NEW COCKTAIL LIST - FUNKY ORIGINALS - ALL TIME CLASSICS </div> </div>
<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>Lemongrass</b>  Open 7 nights  5.30pm-9pm  Shop 3/17 Lawson Arcade  Phone orders welcome  <b>6680 8443</b> </div> </div>	<div> 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. </div>
<div> <div>  </div> <div> <b>The Restaurant at The Byron at Byron</b>  Breakfast, lunch and dinner 7 days  77-97 Broken Head Road  Byron Bay  <b>6639 2111</b> </div> </div>	<div> 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. <b>Happy Hour:</b> Join us from 4.30-6.00pm Sunday – Thursday for a relaxing drink on the deck with \$10 cocktails, \$6 wines and \$5 beers. </div>

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### Success Thai

Lunch Mon-Fri 11am-2.30pm  
Dinner 7 days from 5pm.  
3/109 Jonson St,  
Byron Bay  
**6680 7798**

Experienced Thai chefs  
cooking fresh delicious  
Thai food for you.

Fully Licensed Restaurant  
and B.Y.O. for wine.

Welcome for dine-in or  
take-away.



### The Balcony

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

A 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 Bar & Restaurant.



### Rae's Fish Cafe

Lunch & Dinner 7 days  
Wategos Beach,  
Byron Bay  
**6685 5366**  
raes@wategos.com.au

Casual relaxed seaside dining  
overlooking the picturesque  
Wategos beach. Using the freshest  
produce and seafood from  
throughout the region.

Rae's is an iconic restaurant with a  
reputation as the best in the area.



### 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.



### Italian at the Pacific

Open for Dinner & Cocktails  
7 days from 4pm till late  
Next to the Beach Hotel  
Bay Street  
**6680 7055**  
italianatthepacific.com.au

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



### Byron Bay Pizza Co.

**OPEN 7 DAYS**  
**B'fast & Lunch (8am-2pm)**  
**Dinner (from 5.30pm)**  
THE KIOSK @ The Byron Bay  
Tourist Village (Sunrise Bvd)  
Ph. 66809773  
**byronbaypizza.com**

The Byron Bay Pizza Company is dedicated to making the best take'n' bake pizzas on the planet from the finest locally farmed and ethically produced ingredients. Come & check out our little pizza factory at **THE KIOSK @ The Byron Bay Tourist Village** where you can grab a pizza (hot or take'n' bake) as well as fantastic coffee and more!

**Treat yourself – It's food you can feel good about.**



### Targa

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

Café by day, Italian restaurant by night. Targa is dishing up contemporary Italian fare, seven days a week, Genovese Coffee and a small but interesting wine list of local and Italian varietals.



### Fig Tree Restaurant

LUNCH: Sat-Sun  
DINNER: Thurs, Fri, Sat  
4 Sunrise Lane,  
Ewingsdale  
**02 66 847 273**

*'Local produce, global flavour'*

Stunning views overlooking Byron Bay

**www.figtreerestaurant.com.au**

*'Best BYO Restaurant 2011'*



### Earth'n'Sea PIZZA and Pasta

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

Earth'n'Sea Pizza and Pasta has been a vibrant part of the Byron dining scene since 1976. Their basic philosophy is to buy the best produce locally and make their 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. Fully licensed. FREE underground parking available.



### O-Sushi

**Byron Bay** Woolies Plaza,  
Jonson St **02 6685 7103**  
**Coolangatta** Showcase  
on the Beach **07 5536 5455**  
**Broadbeach** The Oracle,  
12 Charles Ave **07 5570 2166**  
www.osushi.com.au

Winner of the favourite Japanese restaurant in Australia in the I Love Food Competition. In 2011 O-Sushi won the best Asian restaurant in the Northern Rivers and New England in the Savour competition. Eat in or takeaway. Licensed. Open 7 days 11am till late. 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.



### 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.



### Treehouse on Belongil

25 Childe St, Byron Bay  
Open daily 8am-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 Thursday – Sunday from 7pm



### One One One

6am coffee Mon - Fri  
Breakfast & Lunch 7 days  
Dinner Tues – Sat  
1/111 Jonson St (opp cinema)  
**66807 388**  
cafeoneone@yahoo.com.au

### One One One is now open for dinner!

From Tuesday – Saturday, our kitchen is transforming local produce into Mediterranean fine dining at cafe prices, made complete with a unique wine and cocktail bar. Don't miss our Paddock to Plate degustation menu on Wednesday & Thursday nights - a 5-course set menu matched with wines for \$75!

And of course we are still open for breakfast, lunch & coffee 7 days a week.



### st. elmo

Opening hours:  
Mon-Wed: 3pm till late  
Thurs-Sun: Noon till late  
Lunch, Dinner, Tapas, Drinks  
Cnr Fletcher St and  
Lawson Lane, Byron Bay  
**6680 7426**

### UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

www.stelmodining.com  
Enjoy great company, delicious food, tasteful wines and sophisticated cocktails. Our traditional Spanish menu, combining fresh and flavoursome ingredients, goes hand in hand with our extensive and careful selected wine list - featuring a unique selection of Australian and international wines. Kick back with friends and share tapas, enjoy a main meal to yourself or relax at the bar. There's something to please everyone.



### Wilson's by The Creek

Open Fri, Sat, Sun  
Lunch 12-3pm  
Dinner 5-10pm  
139 Newes Rd, Coorabell  
**6684 7348**  
Bookings essential

Discover Wilson's By The Creek Restaurant tucked away in the Byron hinterland. Newly open to the public, the elegant restaurant offers a truly gourmet experience, accompanied by Peppers renowned personal service. Savour the incredible flavours of the hinterland for a romantic dinner or gathering with friends, as Head Chef Adam Hall inspires you with his seasonal menu brimming with local produce.



### Fins

Salt Village, Kingscliff  
**6674 4833**  
dining@fins.com.au  
Dinner 7 days  
Lunch Fri, Sat & Sun



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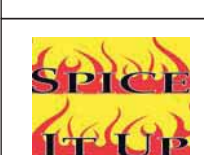
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**FINS** is famous for serving the best seafood in Australia. We have now launched **FINS EARTH**.

An exciting menu of the best steaks from Australia's most premium producers. Choose your cut, choose how you would like it served.



### Spice It Up Thai Restaurant

Open 5 days.  
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5pm • Dine-in or Takeaway  
**6684 2273**  
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### FOR THE LOVE OF THAI FOOD!



### 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

This iconic pie shop is now Byron Shire's "Little Secret", still serving a full range of traditional, handmade pies with the option of mushy peas and potato. We also do **great espresso coffee, fresh sandwiches, salads, fruit salads and slices**.

Come on in for a milkshake, sit down and watch the world go by. Hope to see you soon.



### La Table

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

**Café:** First Café in the shire to offer quality espresso coffee & organic milk! Modern Wholesome Café food & house baked pastries. Relax in our tropical courtyard with friendly professional service. **Resto:** Late afternoon – Share a drink with something to taste. Evening: Live life deliciously with our new creative fortnightly changing menu! French Chef Bruno passionately recreates bistro classics using high quality produce. **Reviewed and recommended by SMH Good Food Guide – 3rd consecutive year!**



### Yum Yum Tree Café

**Breakfast & Lunch**  
7 days from 8am  
**Dinner: Fri & Sat**  
From 6pm, until March 10  
**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 flair, 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



### Pizza Paradiso

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

Artisan pizzas hand crafted on the premises using the freshest local produce and the best of traditional and modern styles.

Selection of flat breads. Large range of vegetarian pizzas and pastas. Gluten-free base available.



### Horizons

Lunch from 11am  
Dinner from 5.30pm  
Brunch Sundays from  
10am  
Phone: (07) 5536 2277  
or visit  
**www.twintowns.com.au**

Overlooking the sparkling blue waters of the Jack Evans Boat Harbour at Twin Towns is Horizons restaurant. Enjoy a friendly atmosphere with casual indoor or al fresco dining where you can take in our spectacular views. Bring a friend to Horizons for High Tea available Monday to Saturday in the afternoon from 2.30pm to 4.30pm for an extra special afternoon delight!



### Santos Trading Warehouse

Mon-Thurs 9 to 5  
Fridays 9 to 4  
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC  
3/7 Brigantine Street,  
Byron Arts & Industry Park  
**6685 5685**

Most are aware of the two wonderful Santos healthy food stores on Jonson St, Byron Bay & Burringbar St, Mullumbimby, but did you know that you can also shop at the Santos Warehouse? Small enough for personal care, large enough for competitive prices, we have been supplying high quality biodynamic, organic & natural products to Byron Shire & beyond since 1975. We continue our commitment to sourcing as locally as possible. Encouraging community.



### Luscious Foods

1/6 Tasman Way, Byron  
Arts & Industry Estate  
**6680 8228**  
www.lusciousfoods.com.au  
info@lusciousfoods.com.au

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



### Red Ginger

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

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



## SPORT RESULTS

**Angling**  
**Brunswick Fishing Club**  
Winner of February outing was Bruce Venn.Congratulations also to Graham Fredericks who after a tough night of fishing was successful in landing his first Jewfish.

Date for the annual President’s Shield outing has been set for 24th March. We hope the weather is kind to us & hope to see you all there. Next club outing date has been set for Saturday 31st March with a 3pm check-out and weigh in Sunday at 9am.

**BOWLS**  
**Brunswick Heads Men**  
WED 29.2.12  
Cock of walk J Rydman Triples 1st J Flemming P Dixon P Kurtz 2nd T Sellwood E O’Donnel D Wyborn 3rd K Hosie K Roberts R Roberts Club Pairs E Hanrahan J Phypers def D Turnbull and D Proudlock. J Anderson L Wade def P Brassington G Rendell. T Sellwood(sub) S Howaston def T Ives J Foster.

**Brunswick Heads Women**  
Tuesday 28th February: Number 4 Penant team lost to Cabarita, and Number 3 team had a win at home over Kingscliff 46 to 38. Social Bowls: Zena Wagner, Lorraine Siddall & Denise Batson 21 def. Rosa Kinnear, Joan Loomes & Margaret Darby 12. Winners: rink 14 Z.Wagner, L. Siddall & D. Batson. Raffle won by. Bev. Rose. Byron Bay Men  
Tuesdays social bowls starts at 1pm with this winner Ivan Easten and the jackpot didn’t go off and now stands at \$400. Thursdays self selected pairs 10m start names in early to have a shot at the jackpot which is \$200 and the chance of a meat tray (t-bones). This week the pair of P Boyd and S Reid are the winners with P Darby and T Hillard runners-up. The meat tray was won by M Hale.

Saturdays social bowls winners are D Baker and I Easten. Saturday also saw the semi finals of the club Fours Championship being played with a win to the team of P Darby, W Borkhardt, R Henderson and K Rice. They are due to play M Barry, J Fleming, A Everingham and T Barry in the Final on Saturday 10th March. The Club Triples Championships has been drawn and is now on the notice board with skips to arrange playing dates.

**Byron Bay Women**  
Tuesday 28th saw a game of triples being played. Winners were H Bashforth, J Meinel and K Quinnell. We also had a couple of beginners having a roll-up. New bowlers are welcome any Tuesday. Come in and say ‘Hi’ and find out what the sport of lawn bowls is all about! Visitors are Welcome any Tuesday. Please be at the club by 9:15am to put your name in or ring the club on 66856202. Bowls begin at 9:40am but you need to be in the club before 9.30am.

**Ocean Shores Mens**  
Mon 27.2 Triples: Winners: P. Hain, L. Wyatt, M. Cronin, R/U: G. Jansen, J. Hay, D. Hughes

Tues 28.2 Twilights: Winners: E. Miller, E. Dunham, L. Johnston,R/U: J. Mason, J. Lockhart  
Fri 2.3 Norfolk Shirt Boy Rodney Roberts Club Championships: Singles:G. Condie Def H. Schollbach. T. Mitchell Def K. Roberts

Triples: D. Matheson, S. Pratt, L. Hoffman

Def G. Priday, G. LeClere, J.T. Gray  
**Ocean Shores Women**  
22/2:Mixed Social: E Miller,M Bertoli,B Sprengel(Winners on 2 by 10 ends Aggregate Score) d S Woolford,G Johnston,M James & M Franks,J Bartlett,B Toby.;S Woolford,G Johnston,M James d J Seamer,L Wright,W Sprengel; M Franks,J Bartlett,B Toby d J Seamer,L Wright,W Sprengel.29/2: Mixed Social:J Bartlett,M Bertoli,J Boyle(Winners) d B Boyle,S Iversen,W Sprengel& J Seamer,B Baber,G Johnston;E Miller,Jim Boyle,B Sprengel d B Boyle,S Iversen,W Sprengel;J Seamer,B Baber,G Johnston d E Miller,Jim Boyle,B Sprengel.Pennants:28/2:Grade 2 d Murwillumbah;Grade 4 lost to Cabarita 2;1/3:Grade 4 d Cudgen Leagues;Grade 2 lost to Cudgen Leagues.

**BRIDGE**  
**Ocean Shores**  
Wed.29/2:6 Table Mitchell : N-S: 1st gross:P/R Keyte;2nd. gross:T Ellis/M

www.echo.net.au

Hosie.E-W:1st gross:B/Be Philipson;;2nd gross:P Sullivan/P Quirke. We meet @ Ocean Shores Country Club every Wed. evening. Seated by 6:15pm.All Bridge players welcome.Ph: Pam: 66803871

**GOLF**  
**Mullumbimby**  
Monthyl Medal 03/03/12  
A Grade Winner: Wayne Ferrier – 67 C/B \* Medal Winner \* Runner Up: Nick Emmanoillidis 67.  
B Grade Winner: Berry Reid 69, Runner Up: Mark Hartley 70.  
C Grade Winner: Gordon Brown 68. Runner Up: Bruce Hogwood 69.  
Nearest the Pins – 5th: C. McClymont 132 cm, 7th: T. Batson 690 cm, 9th: W. Ferrier 314cm, 12th: W. Ferrier 216 cm, 17th: P. Treweek199 cm. Gundies Mug: Wayne Ferrier.

**Ocean Shores Ladies**  
Tuesday 28th February 2012. Osmur Shield Stableford  
Winners of the Osmur Shield - Ocean Shores.  
Murwillumbah Winner - J DeClosely 30. Ocean Shores Winner C Martin 37.  
Winner Div 1 R Moller 36 c/b. R/Up M Broughton 36. Winner Div 2 J Baxter 35 c/b. R/Up Div2 D Devir 35. NTP Div 1 P Keenan Div 2 C Blacker.  
Vouchers to 30.  
Thursday March 1st. 2012. Stableford. Winner D Devir 39 R/Up J Andrews 38 Vouchers to 32  
Saturday March 3rd 2012 Stroke, Putting. Winner F Crowder 68 nett. Vouchers to 72 nett. Putting J Maddock 28 c/b. NTP J Andrews.

**Ocean Shores Men**  
Monday 27 Feb-Medley Stableford  
1st Alexander Ross 43pts,2nd Roy Richards 42pts,3rd William Blair 41pts  
Wednesday 29 Feb-Single Stableford Computos  
Div 1-1st Peter Ferris 39pts,2nd Joh Price 39pts,3rd Mervyn Brady 39pts  
Div 2- 1st Darren Gray 45pts,2ndIgor Blumenthal 45pts,3rd Trevor Johnston 43pts  
Saturday 03 Feb-Monthly Medal - Stroke Grant & Brady Accountants  
Blue Tees-1st Brett Johnston 64,2ndGraig Morris 66,3rd Colin Lee 69  
White Tees-1st David Harmon 65,2nd John Staric 66,3rd Stephen Moon 67

**Ocean Shores Vets**  
1st March 2012  
Stableford 86 starters – Winner: Trevor Johnston 42 points C/B, Runner up: Bill Nichols 42 points C/B, Third: Russ Handyside 42, Fourth: Ian Opperman 41 C/B.  
NTP 3rd H/C 0-19: Denis McCulloch, H/C 20+: Ross Clifford, NTP 6th: Ted Carroll, NTP 8th: Tom Clark, NTP 12th: Geoff Collins, NTP 15th: Bob Lofts, NTP 17th H/C 0-19: John Bartlett, H/C 20+: Russel Handyside. Captain’s Gorilla Award: H/C 0-19: Peter Keogh, H/C 20+: Bill Nichols. Balls to: 35. Juan “Jimmy” Price scrubbers ball: Jonathan Clemens.

**SURFING**  
**Byron Boardriders**  
Last Sunday saw round 2 of the boardriders held at the wreck in windy 2-3ft waves. The grommets had a bank off the edge of the carpark and the opens and masters surfed off the main wreck peak.

We had a good roll up to our club judging course on Saturday so many of our younger crew were keen to put the theory into practice with a lot of them lining up to have a turn at judging some heats. Results of our contest were as follows; Opens;1st Tommy Boucat 2 Bryce Cameron 3 Diego Brazil 4 Tom Donoghue. Womens;1st Kirsten Ogden 2 Maddi King 3 Abbey Paxton 4 Sally Miller. Seniors;1st Lee Miller 2 Ben Simpson 3 Pete 4 Chris 5 Rob. Masters;1st Zippy 2 Lee Miller 3 Dan 4 Phil 5 Rob.

Juniors;1st Tommy Boucat 2 Will Harbison 3 Jaydon Nichols 4 Lorne Cadets;1st Jacob Ogden 2 Finn Crisp 3 Dan Kabor 4 Cory Flanagan. Fleas;1st Joel Paxton 2 Pascal Dattler 3 Tai Daniels 4 Raf Coorey. Jun Girls;1st Jemma Pollock 2 Abbey Paxton 3 Indigo Wilson.

Our next club round will be on the 1st April, the following weekend being Easter and the 37th annual Byron Easter Classic. Entries are filling up fast so get yours in to ensure a spot. Finally entry forms will also be out soon for the Junior regional titles in late April

so watch out for them and get in early.  
**TABLE TENNIS**  
**Mulumbimby**  
John Harrison won the singles open competition undefeated and Mark Smith was second with just the one loss. Chris Strybos had an exciting match with John, going down 25-23 in the fifth set! The doubles competition was won by Mark Smith & Chris Strybos 3-0 from John Harrison & Erich Reinermann. All welcome, play is at the Mullumbimby Tennis Clubhouse, Byron Street Mullumbimby, thursday evening 6.30pm start. Also, build on your skills with our new table tennis robot. Enquiries phone Mark 04 09 47 35 17 or Chris 6684 1468.

## SPORT DRAWS

**SQUASH**  
**Brunswick Heads**  
Wednesday 7/3/12Round 9 - Perry Homes Comp, Cape Byron Medical Centre v The Potato Works - MStebbing v CLittlewood, PVanhorff v ALI, JNicolson v RCameron, RJames v NMoon, Occupational Health & Rehab Services v Inky Business - TDryden v JBristow, MVirtue v CWalsh, WKnight v CBooth, CJohnston v CNaughton, Brunswick Heads Pharmacy v Byron Bay Trophies - BTrivett v CAshworth, RKing v PHill, SSchubert v SMCteare, BDoran v FKing, Coastal Voice & Data v Ocean Shores, Galss - GDavis v TKropp, SMoon v Kijay, RHughes v JGribble, CBaggerman v ACox

Monday 12/3/12  
Round 8 - Byron Health Foods Comp Division 1 - 5.00 pm BTrivett v GDavis; 6.00 pm LPowell v LTomasella. CLittlewood bye  
Division 2 - 5.00 pm MCassidy v JGribble, CWalsh v SMoon, RKing v Kijay  
Division 3 - 5.00 pm RDraper v JHounslow, JNicolson v ALI, RHughes v ACox  
Division 4 - 5.00 pm CNaughton v SMCteare, SSchubert v BSchubert, CJohnston v JHodges  
Division 5 - 5.00 pm TAshworth v NFrazier, CBolton v CBaggerman, FKing v BDoran; 5.30 pm GCarter v PFrazier

Wednesday 14/3/12  
Round 10 - Perry Homes Comp  
Cape Byron Medical Centre v Ocean Shores Glass - MStebbing v TKropp, PVanhorff v Kijay, JNicolson v JGribble, RJames v ACox  
Occupational Health & Rehab Services v The Potato Works - TDryden v CLittlewood, MVirtue v ALI, WKnight v RCameron, CJohnston v NMoon  
Brunswick Heads Pharmacy v Inky Business - BTrivett v JBristow, RKing v CWalsh, SSchubert v CBooth, BDoran v CNaughton  
Coastal Voice & Data v Byron Bay Trophies - GDavis v CAshworth, SMoon v PHill, RHughes v SMCteare, CBaggerman v FKing

**VOLLEYBALL**  
**Brunswick Heads**  
Tuesday 6/3/12  
Junior Comp - 5.00 pm - 6.00 pm. \$5 per week. 12 - 17 age group. Phone 66851794 to play. Beginners welcome  
Round 3 - J. V. Towing Comp 6.00 pm - Power Rangers v Lounge Hogs, Eagles v Bad. Duty - Flash 7.00 pm - Packers v Flash, Squeakers v Cocos. Duty - Bad

Thursday 8/3/12  
Round 6 - Ocean Shores True Value Hardware Comp 6.00 pm - Fill Ins v Babes, Chillii Twist v Exodia, Hollies v Flukes. Duty - Divas 7.00 pm - Grogmonsters v Volleys, Divas v DMS, Mandies v Muchachas. Duty - Hollie

Tuesday 13/3/12  
Junior Comp - 5.00 pm - 6.00 pm. \$5 per week. 12 - 17 age group. Phone 66851794. Beginners welcome  
Round 4 - J. V. Towing Comp 6.00 pm - Squeakers v Lounge Hogs, Eagles v Packers. Duty - Cocos 7.00 pm - Power Rangers v Flash, Bad v Cocos. Duty - Squeakers

## SLSC PATROLS

**Brunswick SLSC**  
**Sat 10/3 10am-3pm Patrol 3**  
K Southwell M Quinn K Edwards P Byrne M Quinn D Hopkins C Anderson M Quinn N Frazier M McRae K Hogan J Gijbsers  
Sun 11/3 9am-4pm Patrol 4  
S Dennis S White T Pinxteren M Went S Anderson J Hill M Holmes T Collinson A Hill B McDonald C Leplaw J Callanan A Thomas G Dennis K Pinxteren M Dennis.

# Byron Nippers win silver at Kingscliff



Byron Bay’s Under 10 Girls Board Relay Team members India Hembrow, Hayley Smith and Kenya Drury on the Podium receiving their Silver medals for second place in the State Junior Surf Life Saving Titles held at Kingscliff on the weekend.

The Bay’s Tom Rowley was another medal winner on the day; Tom secured the bronze medal in the Under 13s Surf Board Riding in the Final.

Both the girls and Tom did Byron proud progressing through heats and semi- finals to take their places on the start line in the final and are now the proud holders of the silver medal and the title of second place at the State Titles in the under 10 Female Board Relay and the under 13 male Surf Board Riding.

## MONTHLY MARKETS

1st SAT	Bruns Heads	6628 4495
1st SAT	Murwillumbah	0417 759 777
1st SAT	Lismore Con Artists	0407 124 991
1st SUN	Byron Bay	6685 6807
1st SUN	Lismore Car Boot	6628 7333
2nd SUN	The Channon	6688 6433
2nd SUN	Lennox Head	6686 2139
2nd SUN	Alstonville	6628 1568
3rd SAT	Mullumbimby	6684 3370
3rd SAT	Murwillumbah	0417 759 777
3rd SUN	Uki	6679 5921
3rd SUN	Nimbin	6689 0000
3rd SUN	Lismore Car Boot	6628 7333
3rd SUN	Ballina	6687 4328
4th SUN	Bangalow	6687 1911
5th SUN	Lennox Head	6687 8618
5th SUN	Nimbin	6689 0000


SATURDAYS  
Byron Community Bazaar 10-2pm 6685 6807

<b>FARMERS MARKETS</b>	
Each TUE	New Brighton 6684 5390
Each TUE	Organic Lismore 6628 1084
Each WED 7-11am	M'bah 6684 7834
Each THU 8-11am	Byron 6687 1137
Each FRI 7-11am	Mullum 6684 5390
Each SAT 8-11am	Bangalow 6687 1137
Each SAT 8am-1pm	Uki 6679 5530

**Byron Bay Camping & Disposals**  
**For Redback work boots and tents**  
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● First quarter March 1 12:22					<b>MARCH 2012</b> Astronomical data and tides	
○ Full moon March 8 20:40						
● Third quarter March 15 12:25						
● New moon March 23 01:37						
● First quarter March 31 06:41						
Day of month	Sun rise	Sun set	Moon rise	Moon set	High tide, height (m)	Low tide, height (m)
1 T	0637	1918	1340		0236,1.42; 1507,1.11	0921,0.68; 2054,0.71
2 F	0638	1917	1430	0018	0341,1.41; 1629,1.10	1037,0.67; 2208,0.71
3 S	0639	1916	1518	0109	0449,1.45; 1744,1.14	1145,0.61; 2317,0.67
4 S	0639	1915	1604	0205	0551,1.52; 1839,1.22	1239,0.52
5 M	0640	1914	1647	0303	0643,1.61; 1924,1.33	0015,0.59; 1323,0.42
6 T	0641	1913	1728	0404	<b>0729,1.70</b> ; 2005,1.44	0106,0.50; 1402,0.32
7 W	0641	1912	1807	0506	<b>0814,1.77</b> ; 2045,1.55	0153,0.40; <b>1441,0.25</b>
8 T	0642	1911	1846	0610	<b>0858,1.81</b> ; 2128,1.66	0241,0.31; <b>1519,0.20</b>
9 F	0642	1909	1926	0715	<b>0944,1.80</b> ; <b>2211,1.74</b>	<b>0329,0.25</b> ; <b>1600,0.18</b>
10 S	0643	1908	2008	0821	<b>1030,1.75</b> ; <b>2256,1.78</b>	<b>0419,0.22</b> ; <b>1640,0.21</b>
11 S	0644	1907	2052	0928	1120,1.65; <b>2344,1.79</b>	<b>0512,0.23</b> ; <b>1723,0.27</b>
12 M	0644	1906	2141	1036	1212,1.53	<b>0607,0.28</b> ; 1808,0.37
13 T	0645	1905	2234	1142	<b>0035,1.76</b> ; 1308,1.39	0708,0.35; 1858,0.47
14 W	0645	1904	2331	1245	<b>0131,1.71</b> ; 1411,1.28	0815,0.42; 1956,0.57
15 T	0646	1903		1344	0235,1.64; 1526,1.21	0930,0.47; 2105,0.63
16 F	0647	1901	0030	1436	0347,1.60; 1647,1.21	1045,0.49; 2223,0.65
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19 M	0648	1858	0329	1643	0700,1.63; 1937,1.43	0037,0.55; 1332,0.40
20 T	0649	1857	0426	1718	0745,1.64; 2016,1.50	0130,0.50; 1411,0.38
21 W	0650	1856	0521	1751	0827,1.63; 2053,1.56	0214,0.45; 1445,0.37
22 T	0650	1855	0615	1824	0904,1.60; 2127,1.60	0255,0.43; 1516,0.38
23 F	0651	1853	0709	1857	0940,1.55; 2159,1.63	0323,0.42; 1545,0.40
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25 S	0652	1851	0855	2006	1049,1.44; 2303,1.64	0446,0.44; 1644,0.48
26 M	0652	1850	0947	2045	1126,1.38; 2338,1.62	0525,0.47; 1714,0.53
27 T	0653	1849	1040	2126	1204,1.31	0606,0.52; 1747,0.59
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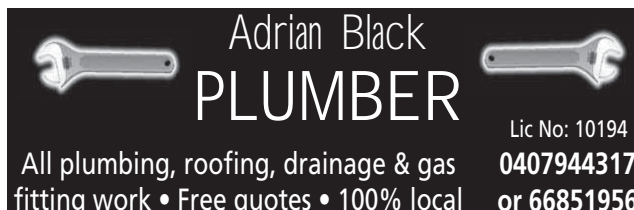
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**Sat 30th March/Sun 1st April 10am-3pm. Leela 0416 455 804.**

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## HOUSE SIT

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**LENNOX HEAD** room in great house, 3 mins walk beach \$150pw. 0417691117

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**LUCIANO (Louie) SAINTE TORRESI**  
(23/12/32 - 3/3/12)  
Passed away suddenly at home on Saturday March 3rd, aged 79.  
Loved husband of Maria Torresi and father of Gino & Julie, David & Petria and Elsa & Peter. Much loved grandfather 'Nonno' to 14 grandchildren. He will be sadly missed and forever in our hearts

**FUNERAL NOTICES**

**LUCIANO SAINTE TORRESI**  
Funeral to be held at St Johns Catholic Church, Mullumbimby on Wednesday 7/3/2012 at 10am.  
Followed by light refreshments at Brunswick Heads Bowling Club at 1pm

**LOST & FOUND**

**LOST:** Cat, young male Tortoiseshell, Lennox Head area. Ph 0408863790

**MISSING CAT**  
Since 1st March from Ocean Shores. She's small brownish-grey tortoiseshell 3yo very timid. Please call 0412615765

**LOST:** Necklace bronze with blue stones, extreme sentimental value. Reward \$1000. Lost near Byron at Byron Hotel. Sat 3rd March. Phone 0416436878

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<b>McGettigans Lane</b> <b>Ewingsdale</b> <b>10.2012.45.1</b>	Cornell Holdings P/L 41 lot subdivision on 60 hectares	<b>close 7/3/12</b>
<b>36 Cowper St</b> <b>Byron Bay</b> <b>10.2012.55.1</b>	G Marshall dual occupancy	<b>close 7/3/12</b>
<b>10 Julian Rocks Dve</b> <b>Byron Bay</b> <b>10.2012.60.1</b>	C Lonergan granny flat	<b>close 14/3/12</b>
<b>3 Narooma Dve</b> <b>Ocean Shores</b> <b>10.2012.66.1</b>	Sekulic & Ford 2 storey dual occupancy	<b>close 14/3/12</b>
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**Byron Bay High year 10 vocational learning program students seek work placements**

Twenty-one students enrolled in the Year 10 Vocational Learning Program (VLP) at Byron Bay High School are seeking local businesses willing to engage them on work placements for a period of up to eight weeks at a time. These work placements will commence during March and students will be required to attend the work placements each Friday.

These students have a wide variety of requests for experience in industries from building through to hairdressing. Businesses involved would be required to provide the students with employment related workplace skills and an understanding of the work environment. The VLP students are between 15 and 16 years of age.

Vocational Learning prepares students with the skills they require to participate in life, education and work beyond the school environment. The aim of the program is to give students 'real-life' challenges in problem-solving, futures planning and teach them critical skills, techniques and procedures for learning, work and life.

The Vocational Learning Program students will be exposed to an array of experi-

ences within and outside of the classroom. These will include guest speakers, excursions, careers counselling, work experience, industry visits, mentoring, team projects, research projects, personal development programs, physical activities, community based learning and service learning. They will also be engaged in obtaining industry certificates throughout the year, including barista courses and first aid training.

BUDDI team leader Nicqui Yazdi, who is engaged as a mentor for the VLP students, said, 'This is such an exciting opportunity for these young students. They are a great bunch of young people and all really looking forward to getting into their work placements. For the businesses, it will be wonderful project for them in providing real skills to these young people in order to help them gain a better understanding of the various types of career paths that will be available to them in the future.'

Businesses wishing to be involved in work placements for the VLP students can contact Nicqui Yazdi on 0402 013 177 or email buddiouthteam@yahoo.com.au for more information.

**EMERGENCY NUMBERS**  
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Please be assured that I will be getting married no matter what you or my dysfunctional sister have to say. We might have to go to Las Vegas or New Zealand but we will be getting married. I always get what I want and this is very important to me. Lester, you have a few secrets of your own that you want to keep down low,

**so watch out!**



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## Looking to move into a retirement village?

by Richard Andrews

Living in a retirement community is a great lifestyle choice for retirees, providing an instant social network and low-maintenance homes specially built for comfort and security. Unfortunately, though, buying a retirement community home can be difficult and confusing, as many hidden traps and costs await the unwary buyer. Before starting out, follow these five tips:

1. Make the move early. Don't wait for the move to be 'forced' on you by family or circumstances and

make sure you are still active enough to enjoy the community life.

2. Plan to stay for the long term. Leaving a retirement village triggers most of the fees and charges that are applied during your stay. You need time for the growth in the value of your unit to reduce the impact of such charges.

3. Negotiate everything! Most buyers don't realise that many parts of the retirement village purchase contract can be negotiated, particularly in the current market where many retirement villages are struggling to make sales.

4. Get good advice. You will

no doubt be spending several hundreds of thousands of dollars on your retirement village unit. Paying an expert for their advice can not only save you money, but can give you the peace of mind that the contracts are in order and that you have received the best deal possible.

5. Above all, never rush your decision. Take your time and make sure you will feel comfortable in your new residence.

• Richard Andrews is the author of *Don't Buy Your Retirement Home Without Me!* (published by Wright-books).



Typical Australian retirement village

### ...and here's how the Dutch do it!

Humanitas Foundation is a housing corporation with a philosophy to enhance human happiness for clients with a physical, or somatic, handicap where 'cure' and 'care' are not the core business.

Living arrangements and a general feeling of well being are elements of equal importance.

Affordable housing units open onto a central village square, so no matter where you go you have to meet people whether you want to or not. Their over-55 villages set a new standard of comfort, inclusion and integration into local community.

At the Akropolis (Rotterdam), the village square has a thriving

restaurant, a craft and jewellery market, a bar, a pool hall, a convenience store. Locals, friends and family can wander through, drink at the bar, eat at the restaurant. There's a pool hall, a museum, art gallery and extensive outdoor gardens.

A long way from when I visit my 'olds' here.



## Majority of mortgage holders looking to switch, says CUA

According to new research by CUA, Australia's largest customer-owned financial institution, an overwhelming majority of Australians would abandon their mortgage provider for a more competitive rate.

### Key findings

#### Switching intentions

• 77% of mortgage holders would switch or would consider switching lenders if their lender increased rates independently of the RBA.

• 81% of mortgage holders would switch or consider switching if they found a lender with a more competitive mortgage rate.

#### Interest rate expectations

• 83% of Australians believe official interest rates will increase or stay on hold over the next three months.

• Only 17% of Australians think the RBA will cut interest rates in the next three months.

• 53% of women believe interest rates will go up in the next three months compared with 39% of men.

#### Mortgage fixing intentions

• 75% of variable rate mortgage holders would not fix their mortgage rate at all.

• Only 3% of variable rate mortgage holders plan to fix in the next three months.

• 21% of variable rate mortgage

holders plan to fix at some point in the future, but not in the next three months.

**Switching:** The majority of Australians are considering switching home lenders. More than three quarters (77%) of Australian mortgage holders surveyed would leave or start looking elsewhere if their current lender increased their mortgage rates outside of official interest rate decisions. In addition, 81% of people would go to another lender or consider going to another lender for a more competitive interest rate.

CUA Ballina Branch Manager Gae Ferris said, 'There is now more evidence than ever before that many Australians are unhappy with the rate their current mortgage lender is providing and they're planning to take some action.'

'The CUA Mortgage Survey shows Australians are increasingly frustrated with lenders who don't offer competitive products. CUA has seen more people coming into our branches wanting to switch away from the big banks to a customer-owned lender that doesn't have to keep their shareholders happy and can consistently offer highly competitive rates.'

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3 2.5 2

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- Interest over \$780,000.  
For more information contact Liam Annesley 0417 780 795 or LJ Hooker Byron Bay 6685 7300.

**LJ Hooker**



26 Shirley Street, Byron Bay

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Auction 12 noon onsite March 31st.

Glen Irwin 0418 604 080 or  
Peter Yopp 0411 837 330.

**LJ Hooker**



Unit 8/47-49 Shirley Street, Byron Bay

1 1 1

- ✓ Spacious fully furnished
- ✓ Top floor, North facing
- ✓ Large open plan living/dining
- ✓ Modern kitchen & bathroom
- ✓ Top location walk to Main Beach, cafes, shops

- ✓ Large pool & BBQ area
- Price \$440,000.  
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**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 1.30-2pm



## Reluctant sale under pressure

**14 Hillcrest Drive, Tintenbar.**

- ✓ Large 2 storey 4 bedrm, 3 bathrm home
- ✓ Sep 2 bedroom studio with kit, dining & living
- ✓ Main house upstairs has 3 beds, ens & new bathroom
- ✓ Open plan living/dining, good kitchen
- ✓ Lower level has extra bedroom, family room & wet bar
- ✓ Beautiful gardens and lush tropical surrounds

- ✓ Substantial deck area & lovely covered walkways
- ✓ Sep studio is perfect for teenagers or ext. family

**Auction 5pm March 28th at Lennox Hotel Function Room**  
Contact Lois Buckett 0428 877 399, Yonika Mantel 0423 057 748.

[loisbuckett.com.au](http://loisbuckett.com.au)

**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 12-12.30pm



## Fabulous Skennars Head location

**4 Monivae Place, Skennars Head.**

- ✓ Freshly painted throughout
- ✓ Two levels, formal/casual living
- ✓ Spacious five bedrooms, 2½ bath
- ✓ Large lounge, open gas kitchen
- ✓ Separate study and office
- ✓ Elevated wrap around verandahs
- ✓ Easy care landscaped gardens

- ✓ Remote double garage
  - ✓ Walk to Boulder beach
  - ✓ Close to schools, child care
- Price \$890,000.**  
Elise Benson 0407 896 100.

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**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 3-3.30pm



## Modern Home In Eco Style Development

**46 Forest Glades, Suffolk Park.**

- ✓ Nestled within 8 hectares of the Broken Head Nature Reserve
- ✓ Fabulous townhouse in low density eco-residential development
- ✓ 2 storey contemporary, near new home
- ✓ Fabulous kitchen with stone bench tops & SS appliances
- ✓ 3 bedrooms all with built ins and stylish bathroom
- ✓ Large master suite with 2 robes & ensuite

- ✓ Great entertaining area with views over bushland
- ✓ On-site pool and BBQ area as part of community title

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**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 11.15am-12pm



## Job Transfer Requires Urgent Sale!

**Offers over \$550,000**

**34 Left Bank Road, Mullumbimby.**

Job transfer requires urgent sale. This 3 bedroom, 2 level house offers flexibility of use in any situation. Parents upstairs, kids/granny/guests downstairs, or live upstairs and rent out the bottom. Generous 2,466m² (over half acre approx) with glorious rural views and potential for a granny flat (STCA). Solar hot water system, security screens and air-conditioning on both levels. Fully

fenced it is safe for your kids and pets. Handy to Mullumbimby High School and Shearwater Steiner School. This is a great buy! Call me now for a viewing.

**This property MUST BE SOLD.**

Ernst Reisch 0428 842 387.  
Web ID: 513911



## Vendor Wants It Sold!

**\$565,000**

**69 Brushbox Drive, Mullumbimby.**

Enjoy privacy and a rural outlook with this NE facing, elevated 3 bedroom home.

- ✓ Great potential to extend and/or add a granny flat (STCA)
- ✓ Close to Mullumbimby, schools and all amenities
- ✓ Quality construction and beautifully maintained, with the living and third bedroom opening onto the verandah
- ✓ Timber flooring in the living area, combustion heater and aircon.

- ✓ Ample storage or workspace under the house
  - ✓ 4,462m² (1 acre approx) of established gardens and a small forested section
  - ✓ Enjoy a cuppa in the morning sun on the rear deck or relax on the front verandah enjoying the views
- Contact Paul Eatwell 0414 466 111 to inspect this property. Web ID: 514926.



## Original 1970s Retro Home – Beachside Suffolk Park

In a bush reserve setting this comfortable, low maintenance home has remote control LUG with internal access. Situated on a 582m² garden block close to shops and easy walk to the beach it offers great potential.

**Contact owner 6680 7225 or 0428 291 424.**

**\$485,000**

**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 11am-12pm



## 2/182 Broken Head Road, Suffolk Park

**2 1 1**

- ✓ Good, good vibrations
- ✓ Priced to sell
- ✓ Walking distance to beach and shops
- ✓ In pristine condition
- ✓ Sunny, private courtyard
- ✓ SLUG with internal access

- ✓ Landscaped gardens
- Price: \$389,000.**  
Contact Janis Perkins on 0438 841 122 or 6685 6588.

**Raine&Horne.**

**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 12-12.30pm



## ON THE WATER, IN THE VILLAGE, RARE RIVERSIDE LOCATION

**18 South Beach L, Brunswick Heads.**

- ✓ Popular holiday rental, renovated and furnished just 1.5 hours from Brisbane with expansive views across the river
- ✓ 2 minute walk across footbridge to cafes, shops & iconic Brunswick Hotel
- ✓ 2 minute walk to Torakina Beach and surf beach around to Byron Bay
- ✓ Fully fenced with lush easy-care gardens, rear paved barbecue area.

- ✓ Downstairs is open plan living, aircon, double bedroom & study
  - ✓ Upstairs has 2 large bedrooms with stunning views opening onto decks
- Auction 1pm onsite Sat March 31st.**  
For further details, contact Russell Siwicki on 0419 627 109 or Dave Bosselmann on 0431 100 097.



**OPEN HOUSE**  
Wed & Sat 11am-1pm



## 2/47 Bottlebrush Crescent, Suffolk Park.

**3 2 2**

- ✓ Quiet and private location
- ✓ Light & spacious open-plan living
- ✓ Cathedral ceilings
- ✓ Solar hot water & power
- ✓ Large bedrooms w/ generous built-ins
- ✓ Large kitchen with lots of bench space & storage
- ✓ Covered deck
- ✓ Close to beach, park & shops
- ✓ Extensive storage throughout

- ✓ SLUG with internal access
  - ✓ Low maintenance garden
- Price \$549,000. All reasonable offers considered.**  
Private sale. Contact owner on 6685 4632 / 0402 538 577 or lisaklenk@gmail.com. View property on realestate.com.au.

**\$549,000**



## This Outstanding Restaurant Ticks All The Boxes

- ✓ Arguably the best location on the strip adjacent the Bangalow Hotel
  - ✓ Indoor and alfresco dining, top of the range plant
  - ✓ A new 5 year lease with great terms and options
  - ✓ Liquor licence, onsite customer parking, the list goes on
  - ✓ This outstanding site is generating impressive turnover. Run it yourself and reap the profits.
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## Byron Shire living... without the price tag

**3/2 Durroon Court, Ocean Shores.**

- ✓ Renovated ready-to-live-in unit
- ✓ 2 good sized bedrooms with built-ins
- ✓ Open plan kitchen with s/s appliances
- ✓ Spacious dining/living area leading to balcony
- ✓ Privacy, leafy views and NE aspect
- ✓ Large garage with remote control entry

- ✓ Stainless steel ceiling fans, insulation & internal laundry
- Price \$285,000.**  
Call Tod Martin 0412 734 122.





Property in Focus

A Rural Parcel, Close to Town



A private natural setting with tropical and native trees and fronting the Brunswick River. This two acre parcel is a gem located just on the edge of Mullumbimby. The character timber home has liveable wide verandahs, timber floors, high ceilings and faces due north. Three bedrooms, one bathroom, open plan living and separate kitchen. The guests are catered for with a self contained studio. A pool for those hot days and covered car accommodation (single lock up garage plus carport), 1KW of solar panels keeps those power bills down. This property has a lot going for it and is worth an inspection.

**Price:** \$629,000.  
**Agent:** Mark Cochrane Real Estate 6684 2663.





**AUCTION THIS SATURDAY**



7 Gloria Street, South Golden Beach

4 2 1

**AUCTION THIS SATURDAY**  
I am so over it ... I just want it sold!

- Solid home, two separate living areas, tropical gardens and spa bath.
- Big bonus ... next to no maintenance and only steps away from the beach.

**Auction Saturday 10th March 2012 11.30 am**  
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Private Land Sale – Suffolk Park



- Rare vacant block with a view to the ocean
- 770m<sup>2</sup> vacant land
- New rear fence
- Architectural plans and reports available

**Price \$540,000**  
**For more details**  
**call 02 6685 3397**





## Myocum, 9 Mountain Blue Court

4 2 2

• **Owners committed to sell!**

- Stunning Pavillion style home
- Expansive hinterland views to the North
- Luxurious infinity edge style pool

**Open:** Saturday 11.00-11.30am

**Auction:** Tuesday 27th March 5.30pm

Byron Bay Golf Club

**Enquiries:** James Young 0419 856 840, 6685 8466



## Byron Bay, 81 Sunrise Boulevard

3 2 2

Interest Over \$479,000

• **Owner Liquidating**

- Bright, north facing, overlooks leafy reserve
- Open plan kitchen, dining and living space
- Close to Sunrise shops, this is a great investment!

**Open:** Saturday 11.00-11.30am

**Auction:** Tuesday 27th March 5.30pm

Byron Bay Golf Club

**Enquiries:** James Young 0419 856 840, 6685 8466



## Byron Bay, 13 Cemetery Road

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• **Federation style property**

- Classic property located in a beautiful private leafy setting
- Only minutes bike ride to Byron's township and Tallow beach
- The seller is very keen and wants it sold vacant!

**Open:** Saturday 10th March 11.00-11.30am

**Auction:** Tuesday 27th March 5.30pm

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## Ewingsdale, 210 Balraith Lane

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Interest over \$3,100,000

• **"Sell my beautiful home"**

- Breathtaking views to the lighthouse
- Tuscany in the heart of Byron Bay
- Beautiful pool with guest accomodation

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NEW LISTING  
29 March Auction



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## TROPICAL BANGALOW PARADISE AMBIENT, SUNFILLED, LIFESTYLE PROPERTY

- Beautifully appointed home in private, tropical setting
- Stylish features incl. timber floors & raked ceilings
- Entertaining deck overlooking inground pool & gazebo
- Spacious, open-plan kitchen, dining & living area
- Separate media room & home office downstairs
- Fully landscaped 800sqm battle-axe block

3A Rifle Range Road, BANGALOW  
Open house Saturday 11 - 11.30am  
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29 March Auction



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## RARE RURAL DUAL OCCUPANCY APPROVAL SPACE & PRIVACY ON ELEVATED EAST ASPECT 5 ACRES

- Build 2 x 4 bedroom homes on beautiful Brooklet small acreage
- Live-in and enjoy existing 2-bedroom self-contained studio & sparkling, landscaped pool while establishing your new lifestyle
- Easy access to beaches, Bangalow & Ballina
- Family circumstances warrant a move north now – inspect with “good buying” in mind!

13 Jorgensons Lane, BROOKLET  
Open house Saturday 11 - 11.30am  
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Auction 29th March

29 March Auction



Vacant Land

## COOPERS CREEK SMALL ACREAGE COMBINATION OF BEAUTY, ACRES & CREEK WITH BEACH PROXIMITY

- Postcard pretty 3 acre lot
- Overlook your own refreshing, babbling creek
- Approved building DA with north aspect
- Power connected and sealed road access
- Very private bushland setting
- Just 10 mins to Byron or Bangalow
- Subtle background noise of creek and birdlife
- Irrigate your orchard from permanent weir

COOPERS SHOOT  
Inspection by appointment

Elders Bangalow  
Greg Price 0412 871 500

Auction 29th March

Ray White  
Michael Gudgeon 0419 495 494



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## THE EPITOME OF COUNTRY LIVING

- Stunning 3 year old residence exudes contemporary finishes
- Private position amidst 12 acres of pristine countryside
- Enormous outdoor decking providing extended living area
- Country elegance boasting masses of space
- Extensive use of quality hardwood timber throughout
- Soaring ceiling in living room with feature timbers

GOONENGERRY  
Inspection by appointment  
Duncan Lorimer 0400 844 412

\$1,750,000



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## 5 Acres with Quality Residence

- Architect designed home
- 5 acres on hilltop
- Views to Byron Bay & lighthouse
- Private cul-de-sac location
- In-ground pool
- Separate studio & outbuildings
- Short drive to Federal village

FEDERAL  
Inspection by appointment  
Rob Nedwich 0411 285 533

FORTHCOMING AUCTION



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## House, Creek, Self-Contained Studio

- Located way off the main road
- Multi-level living
- Self-contained studio
- North facing deck
- Suitable for horses or cattle
- Long settlement OK
- Swimming hole
- 100% Private

NASHUA  
Inspection by appointment  
Denise Burch 0408 193 415

\$799,000





## Belongil Beach NSW 2A Border Street

2 1 1

### Receivers' Sale

This has to be the epitome of Byron Bay living! This original style timber beach house is loaded with charm and character. Situated right on the sands at Belongil Beach it boasts private direct access to the surf with panoramic ocean, beach and mountain views.

- Absolute prime beachfront position
- Level 683m<sup>2</sup> block with original Beach House\*
- Beach, ocean and mountain views
- Lot 2 DP 1623 Sec 1
- Byron Bay CBD within 1km (approx)

\* approximate size indication only

Web Id: 742381

Open: Thur 1:00 - 1:30pm  
Sat 1:00 - 1:30pm

Auction: 10:00am Sat 24 Mar onsite

Agent: Lloyd Lawton  
0403 229 433

Byron Bay



### BEST VALUE FAMILY HOME Just \$479,000

Just a couple of hundred metres from the centre of Mullum and in a lovely quiet tree lined street. The cutest period home lovingly cared for with two huge bedrooms, big sleepout, big lounge, separate dining room and new kitchen/family area. There's also a double Colorbond shed with access to the rear lane. 665m<sup>2</sup>. L/N 3553



### CENTRALLY LOCATED STRATA SHOPS \$389,000 each

Shop 1 – Leased to Bombay Cherry. Floor area approx 77m<sup>2</sup>. Ample parking.  
Shop 2 – Availabe vacant possession. Floor area approx 75m<sup>2</sup>. Ample parking. Rarely available, priced to sell!  
L/N 3563.



### BIG HOME – BIG VIEWS \$439,000

Here's a big high set home with four large bedrooms and a very big lounge room. The Views are across Main Arm Valley right to Mt Chincogan. There's an eat in kitchen and fully enclosed ground floor area for storage/workshop or guests quarters plus extra lock up garage. Great value, great position. 1046m<sup>2</sup>. L/N 3564.



### STUNNING BIG BEACH HOME \$769,000

Very impressive elevated timber home with huge living areas, great verandahs and four bedrooms plus computer room. Sunken lounge, slow-combustion fire place, master bed features huge walk-in robe and ensuite. This property is private, northerly aspected, lovely inground pool and it adjoins Capricornia canal. Just a couple of 100 metres walk to the beach. 998.2m<sup>2</sup> L/N 3577.



### PANORAMIC VISTAS AND BIG ROCKS \$995,000

Perfectly located within minutes to Brunswick Heads, Byron Bay and Mullumbimby. This 10 acre parcel has a lot going for it. The main house with amazing views of the mountains has five bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, open plan living and plenty of deck space. The second dwelling has two bedrooms, open plan living, kitchen and bathroom. Spring water, inground pool, sauna and an incredible supply of stunning rocks. 4ha. L/N 3578.



### GOONENGERRYS HIGHEST POINT – GREAT VIEWS \$850,000

'Mirambeena' located on the most elevated point in Goonengerry is a private lush haven with stunning views of the coast and Cape Byron. It has an approved D.A. for a two storey home plus a cosy timber cottage which has been tenanted for ages to excellent people. The cottage has timber floors, open plan living with an open fireplace, 3 bedrooms and outdoor covered area, a large shed, 3 phase power, spring water, 2 dams and beautiful forest. 16.3ha (40 acres) L/N 3571



### TROPICAL GEM \$725,000

One of the best priced properties in Byron Shire. 52 acres of lush green hills and tropical rain forest with excellent creek frontage. The timber home is modern and spacious with large open plan living, two bedrooms and two bathrooms. Covered verandahs to take in the stunning escarpment views. A separate studio/office is air conditioned and could be increased in size. Great shed space 10x9 for cars and workshop. L/N 3569.



### COUNTRY VALUE PLUS STUDIO \$529,000

Now here's value for money. A solid cottage with spacious layout and interesting features. Open plan, new kitchen, big family area and lounge room plus covered verandah. Also, and this is cool! There is a new council approved Colorbond studio nearby – huge potential here. L/N 3554.

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### LJ HOOKER BYRON BAY

26 Shirley Street, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.30am  
26 Corkwood Crescent, Suffolk Park.  
Sat 12-12.30pm  
15 Dehnga Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.30pm  
6 Tristania Place, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.30am  
49 Coogera Circuit, Suffolk Park. Sat 12-12.30pm  
92 Sunrise Blvd, Byron Bay. Sat 1-1.30pm  
20 Pepperbush Street, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.30am  
**FIRST NATIONAL BYRON BAY**  
25/11-19 Cooper Street, Byron Bay.  
Wed 2-2.30pm  
81 Sunrise Boulevard, Byron Bay.  
Sat 10-10.30am  
1/41 Redgum Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 10-10.30am  
256 Midgen Flat Road, Newrybar.  
Sat 10-10.30am  
13 Cemetery Road, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.30am  
9 Mountain Blue Court, Myocum. Sat 11-11.30am  
774 Friday Hut Road, Possum Creek.  
Sat 11-11.30am  
50 Julian Rocks Drive, Byron Bay. Sat 11-11.30am  
12 Raftons Road, Bangalow. Sat 12-12.30pm  
210 Balraith Lane, Ewingsdale. Sat 12-12.30pm  
41B Teak Circuit, Suffolk Park. Sat 2-2.30pm  
**ELDERS BANGALOW**  
13 Rifle Range Road, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am  
3a Rifle Range Road, Bangalow. Sat 11-11.30am  
122 Elliot Road, Clunes. Sat 11-11.30am  
13 Jorgensons Lane, Brooklet. Sat 11-11.30am  
**GNF BANGALOW**  
19 Funnell Drive, Modanville. Sat 3.30-4pm  
388 Corndale Rd, Corndale. Sat 2.30-3pm  
**LJ HOOKER BRUNSWICK HEADS**  
7 Gloria Street, South Golden Beach.  
Thu 5.30-6pm  
33 Kingsford Drive, Brunswick Heads.  
Sat 12-12.30pm  
8 Berrimbillah Court, North Ocean Shores.  
Sat 12-12.30pm  
18 Byron Street, Brunswick Heads.  
Sat 12-12.30pm  
16 Kolara Way, North Ocean Shores.  
Sat 1-1.30pm  
5/1 Bindaree Way, Ocean Shores. Sat 1-1.30pm

10/5 – 7 Newberry Parade, Brunswick Heads.  
Sat 1-1.30pm  
2/5 Jarrah Court, Ocean Shores. Sat 2-2.30pm  
**PRD OCEAN SHORES**  
12 Philip Street, South Golden Beach.  
Sat 11-11.45am  
3 Werruna Avenue, Ocean Shores. Sat 1-1.45pm  
**PRIVATE SALE.**  
2/47 Bottlebrush Crescent, Suffolk Park. Wed &  
Sat 11am-1pm  
**PROFESSIONALS MULLUMBIMBY**  
34 Left Bank Road, Mullumbimby.  
Sat 11.45am-12pm  
**RAY WHITE BYRON BAY**  
5/9 Shirley Street, Byron Bay. Wed 12-12.30pm  
17 McGregor Street, Suffolk Park. Thu &  
Sat 10-10.30am  
37 Redgum Place, Suffolk Park. Sat 10-10.30am  
19 Taylors Lane, Ewingsdale. Sat 10-10.30am  
29 Caniaba Cres, Suffolk Park. Thu &  
Sat 11-11.30pm  
3/20 Fletcher Street, Byron Bay. Sat 12-12.30pm  
21 Mackay Street, Byron Bay. Sat 12.30-1pm  
196 Friday Hut Road, Byron Bay.  
Sat 12.30-1.30pm  
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 6 & 7 Wollumbin Street, Byron  
Bay. Sat 1.30-2pm  
Lot 6/66 Natural Lane, Coopers Shoot.  
Sat 2.30-3pm  
4/2-6 Cemetery Road, Byron Bay. Sat 2.30-3pm  
10 Beachside Drive, Suffolk Park. Sat 3.30-4pm  
5 Tea Tree Court, Suffolk Park. Sat 3.30-4pm

## AUCTIONS

**ELDERS BANGALOW**  
*Auctions March 29*  
6/247 off Coopers Shoot Rd, Coopers Shoot  
13 Jorgensons Lane, Brooklet. Inspect  
Sat 11-11.30am  
**Auction date to be confirmed**  
90 Lizray Road, Federal  
**GNF BANGALOW**  
**Auction 11am onsite March 17**  
110 Lychee Drive, Rosebank. Inspect  
Sat 1.30-2pm

### Auction 11am onsite March 31

10 Standing Street, The Channon

### GNF BANGALOW

### Auction 11am onsite March 17

110 Lychee Drive, Rosebank. Inspect  
Sat 1.30-2pm

### Auction 11am onsite March 31

10 Standing Street, The Channon. Inspect  
Sat 12-12.30pm

### RAY WHITE BYRON BAY

### Auction 12pm onsite Saturday March 10

24 Bottlebrush Cres, Suffolk Park. Thu &  
Sat 11.30am-12pm

### Auction 9.30am onsite Saturday March 17

4/20 Mackay Street, Byron Bay. Sat 10-10.30am

### Auction 10.30am onsite Saturday March 17

'The Butter Factory' Units 1, 6 & 9/140 Jonson St,  
Byron Bay. Thu & Sat 1.30-2pm

### Auction 1.30pm onsite Saturday March 17

26 Bayview Drive, Goonengerry. Sat 11am-12pm

### Auction 10am onsite Saturday March 24

2A Border Street, Byron Bay. Thu & Sat 1-1.30pm

### Auction Wednesday March 28

Lot 6/66 Natural Lane, Coopers Shoot.  
Sat 2.30-3pm

## NEW LISTINGS

### ELDERS BANGALOW

- Federal, 90 Lizray Road, \$1,275,000: Architect designed home, 5 acres on a hilltop, views to Byron and Lighthouse.
- Rosebank, 2466 Dunoon Road, \$1,280,000: Charming 1900s timber home, 100 acres, creek frontage, northerly views.
- Goonengerry, 180 Mafeking Road, \$1,750,000: Stunning 3yr old residence, 12 acres, private position.
- Clunes, 18a Avalon Avenue, \$459,000: Modern Family Home, quiet location, high ceilings, polished timber floors.
- Brooklet, 13 Jorgensons Lane, Auction 29th March: Detached dual occupancy approved, 5

acres, existing 2 bed studio.

- Rosebank, 546 Rosebank Road, Auction 29th March: Iconic Rosebank General Store & cottage.
- Bangalow, 3a Rifle Range Road, Auction 29th March: Private, tropical setting, stylish features, 800m2 block.

### GNF BANGALOW

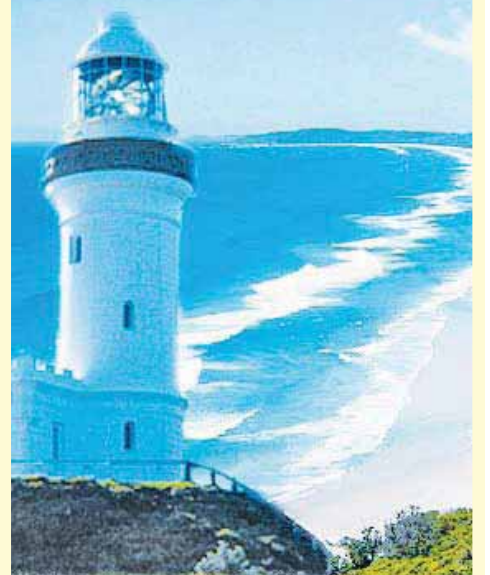
- 8 Hanlon Court, Bangalow \$695,000 – Private, peaceful home on large block, self contained flat, walking distance to the village

### RAY WHITE BYRON BAY

- 4/2-6 Cemetery Road, Byron Bay. \$669,000

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Other features include double carport, reverse cycle air conditioning and gorgeous rural views.



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A great opportunity to purchase a rare, elevated and level 5 acres close to Federal Village.

You will be amazed by the spectacular views that this location offers and the privacy that can only be found down the end of a quiet country lane.

The property boasts an existing north facing open plan dwelling which features a country style kitchen, three bedrooms and great storage. However, it also provides a great place to live while you plan your new home. With the added bonus of an easement to the Wilsons River, the possibilities are limited only by your imagination. This property is well priced and will sell quickly.



154 WALTONS ROAD, FEDERAL  
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### HORSE PERFECT WITH COUNTRY LIVING - CITY CONVENIENCE, BEXHILL

With lovely rural views and strategically located, only 7 minutes to Lismore CBD and close to Bexhill village, you will discover this comfortable, 3 bedroom, full brick home on 12 cleared, flood free acres. Enjoy the coolness in summer and the warmth in winter with the high ceilings, wide hallway and oversized rooms, together with the traditional fireplace and r/c air conditioning.

You will love the original hardwood polished floors, large covered outdoor entertaining area with spa, the separate light filled office and storage space, easy care established gardens and superb garage area and tool shed.



**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday 10-10.30am

16 GREENGATE ROAD, BEXHILL  
Well priced and meeting the market at \$585,000  
Contact Scott on 0412 296 872

### SENSATIONAL FAMILY HIDEAWAY

This large, two storey home exudes privacy and tranquility. Deep verandahs provide an elevated platform from which to view the extensive gardens and the enormous 15-metre swimming pool.

There are four generous bedrooms with vistas of the gardens through large windows or sliding doors out to the balconies that wrap the northern and easterly sides. The master suite has en-suite bathroom, walk-in robe and private Juliet balcony. Timber floors and high ceilings throughout the open plan kitchen, dining and living areas provide an airy and welcoming environment, perfect for small or large gatherings.

Downstairs there is an office/media room, a rumpus area and storage. Outside there is a purpose built yoga studio, which could easily double as guest accommodation (STCA). Double carport, plus space for at least two or three more cars, add to this property's functional convenience.



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Saturday 11-11.30am

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Well, the Santos unit-holders' meeting in Mullum last Thursday was intense, just like one of those new-age cathartic workshops. Santos staff gathered downstairs until unit-holders voted to let them into the meeting, which was a conciliatory move. Santos GM Jean Bousard remains optimistic that a healing process can be achieved. At his personal website [www.association-esoterism.com/spip.php?rubrique38](http://www.association-esoterism.com/spip.php?rubrique38), where he is known as Samasathi, Mr Bousard is all upbeat and offers membership of his spiritual association for only \$25. 'What will you receive as a member? Nothing at all for your little fragmented ego but... so much for your true Self!'

Those who got turfed out in the Inghams purge of its Byron Bay chicken-slaughter plant can get free legal help from Legal Aid NSW, which can offer advice on debts, rent payments and other legal issues. Lawyers from the Lismore office of Legal Aid will be available in Byron Bay on March 12 and 14 - call 6621 2082 to make an appointment. Chickens, however, will have to wait a little longer until all operations in Australia are free range. Resist the Australian Egg Corporation's attempts to water down free-range standards at Animals Australia's website [www.animalsaustralia.org/take\\_action/save-free-range-eggs](http://www.animalsaustralia.org/take_action/save-free-range-eggs). And for your own use, simply keep chickens or buy free range from a neighbour or farmers market.

As a letter writer points out this week, check with the Digital Ready hotline 1800 20 10 13 before you buy all your TV gear if you're in a black spot. There may be plans to upgrade an analog tower near you.

We're proud of our own little efforts at creating promotional videos for *Echonetdaily* but we're gobsmacked by the pro-



John Dahlsen's spectacular public sculpture has drawn its fair share of plaudits and opprobrium and now this piece of activism: 'They can have their big pineapples, big bananas and big prawns because we now have the Big Root. Recently unveiled in Apex Park opposite the Beach Hotel, this giant artefact is bound to attract even more tourists searching for the true meaning of love.'

duction values (and writing skill) of *The Guardian's* own take on the Three Little Pigs: <http://bit.ly/ze22Q8>.

Reports to the NSW parliament from the auditor-general Peter Achterstraat are not exactly BBQ-stoppers in most households but are an indictment of government house-keeping: 'NSW government agencies continue to submit financial reports for audit with numerous errors and incorrect accounting treatments. I identified 1,256 misstatements, of which 540 needed to be corrected by agencies before I could issue my audit opinions. There were 25 errors each exceeding \$20 million.' And small business gets chided when it's late with its paperwork - go figure.

Byron Shire has had a good showing in the bush poetry stakes, especially through the efforts of The Mullumbimby Bloke, Ray Essery. Entries have now opened for written work in the Australian Unity Bryan Kelleher Literary Award. En-

try is free and the competition closes on Friday June 29. Winners will share in more than \$2,250 worth of prizes. Application forms are available at [www.australianunity.com.au/literaryaward](http://www.australianunity.com.au/literaryaward) or by calling 03 8682 6701.



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