



Piggabeen celebrates

Kate McIntosh

Piggabeen's rich history and strong sense of community will be on show at upcoming centenary celebrations for the village hall and former school.

The Piggabeen Hall, which was built by volunteer labour, has been a central focus of the village throughout its long history, hosting weddings, fundraising events, theatre shows, bush dances and community meetings.

'If a family were having a celebration then they would have it there,' said Piggabeen/Cobaki Residents Association secretary Rewa Jarman.

A series of events are planned, kicking off with a family day on Saturday, August 7. Activities planned include a

Piggabeen resident Kaylene Mason (foreground) with colleagues Maria Atkins, Chris Disney, Donna Chemello, Leslie Jordan and Rewa Jarman. Photo Jeff 'Blow In' Dawson

vintage-vehicle parade, historical displays, tree planting, afternoon tea, live music and the burying of a time capsule.

A book on the area's history written by local couple Kathy and Rick Jobson to mark the occasion will also be launched on the day.

Mrs Jobson and her husband, who have lived in Piggabeen for 29 years, wrote the book titled *Two Valleys Over Time* during a three-month period.

The book traces 150 years of Piggabeen history from the first timber getters in 1850, the release of the first landholding lots, which sold at the time for one pound per acre, the rise

and decline of the dairy industry, to the advent of electricity in the 1950s and major subdivisions which took place in the 1970s.

The book also provides a snapshot of the area's well known pioneering families.

Mrs Jobson said the origins of the book stem from a conversation she had about the area's history over a cup of tea with well known local identity, the late Eva Dawes. More than 10 years later, Mrs Jobson took up the project again, piecing together the area's history through personal accounts and archival records from the Tweed Heads Historical Society. She also tracked down

archives from the Piggabeen School, which have been stored at Armidale's New England University since the school's closure in 1974.

School registers obtained by Mrs Jobson showing enrolments from when the school opened in 1904 will be on display during centenary celebrations.

All proceeds from the book will be donated to the Piggabeen/Cobaki Residents' Association.

Ms Jarman said the community, which has its own page on social networking site Facebook, had got behind the event.

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Tourism denied 'fresh flavour'

Kate McIntosh

Tweed Tourism is poised to take on a series of lucrative contracts for the provision of tourism and economic development in the region after Tweed Shire Council resolved to enter negotiations with the peak industry body following an extraordinary meeting on Tuesday.

Cr Phil Youngblutt used his casting vote to carry the motion to decline tenders for four of the five contracts worth about \$1 million, pending the outcome of further negotiations between council, Tweed Tourism and Tweed Economic and Development Corporation (TEDC).

Mayor Warren Polglase, who is a privately elected board member of TEDC, abstained from voting on the matter after declaring a conflict of interest.

The decision follows a series of presentations to council from leading tenderers which included Tweed Tourism, Southern Cross University (SCU), TEDC, Victorian-based company .id (informed decisions) and international consultancy firm RPS.

Cr Katie Milne, whose motion to readvertise the tender failed to find support from fellow councillors, labelled the decision a missed opportunity to inject 'fresh flavour' into the Tweed industry.

'We should take the time to send the message out there that we are serious about the way we present tourism and eco-

nomics development,' she said.

Despite not lending support to Cr Milne's motion Cr Joan Lieshout also expressed disappointment that the tendering process had not produced more diversity.

She warned that Tweed was facing a potential 'double dip recession' and called on councillors to weigh its decisions relating to economic development carefully.

Tweed Tourism has been endorsed as the preferred tenderer for three contracts including tourism development, operation of the Tweed and Murwillumbah visitor information centres, as well as tourism marketing.

Negotiations

Council has also recommended negotiations be held with Tweed Tourism for taking over marketing and promotion of the Tweed for business investment.

TEDC stands to lose out altogether after refusing to tender separately for the statistical research and promotion of business investment contracts, arguing the two components were 'critical and fundamental' and therefore inseparable.

Council awarded the remaining contract for statistical research and business investment to .id.

In a letter to council TEDC chief executive officer Tom Senti criticised moves by council to outsource the provision of tourism services to

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Thousands farewell brave digger

Luis Feliu

National leaders joined Murwillumbah residents last Thursday to bid a final farewell to local soldier Private Nathan John Bewes, who was killed by a roadside bomb in Afghanistan earlier this month.

It was one of the biggest funeral services the town has ever seen.

The 23-year-old soldier from the 6th Battalion, Royal Australian Regiment (RAR) was on his second tour of Afghanistan when he was killed by the explosion on July 9, the 17th Australian soldier killed in that conflict since operations began nine years ago.

Private Bewes, who had also served in East Timor, was the first serviceman from Murwillumbah to be killed in an overseas conflict since the Korean War in the early 1950s.

The former Mt St Patrick College student and Murwillumbah 225 Army Cadet Unit member was at the head of a patrol with the army's mentoring task force in Oruzgan province when he was fatally injured.

During the moving finale to the service at the Sacred Heart Church in Murwillumbah, scores of Pte Bewes' comrades from the Brisbane-based 6th Battalion, army cadets and school students formed a guard of honour which stretched



Family and friends carry the casket of Private Nathan Bewes into the hearse after last Thursday's funeral service at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Murwillumbah. Photo Jeff Dawson

down Main Street from the church as his flag-draped casket was taken by the cortege for a private burial at the Tweed Valley Lawn Cemetery.

The town fell silent and came to a standstill during the procession. Shops had closed their doors as a mark of respect for the soldier described during the service by parish priest Father David Gilbey as 'a son of this community and this nation' who had realised his lifelong passion and purpose to become a soldier and serve his country.

Prime Minister Julia Gillard and Opposition Leader Tony Abbott suspended election campaigning for the day to attend the funeral. They were

joined by other civic leaders, including NSW Premier Kristina Keneally, local MPs and defence chiefs.

Private Bewes's commander, Paul McLachlan, of the 7th Brigade, said the young soldier was 'not your average 23-year-old Australian' and was 'hard to fault as a soldier' who never missed patrol.

'In just four and a half years [in the army], Nathan packed a lot in,' Brigadier McLachlan said of the young man who went on three overseas tours since he joined the army in 2005.

'He was identified as a real leadership prospect and would have gone to officer school, he excelled as a soldier.'

Brigadier McLachlan said, 'On the day he died, Private Bewes was investigating an attack earlier that day on the Afghan Army soldiers he was mentoring and had taken his position at the front of the patrol, putting himself between danger and his mates, when he was killed by the improvised explosive device.'

'He held the welfare and safety of his mates more dearly than his own life,' he said.

Family members, including sister Stephanie Bewes, dad and mum Gary and Kay Bewes, and girlfriend Alice Walsh, praised their 'best mate' before joining other mourners to farewell their loved one outside the church.

Local Government Week Program 2-8 August 2010

Tweed Shire Council is celebrating Local Government Week with a program of free events for the whole community including the annual Family Fun Day at Salt Central Park on Sunday 8 August.



Local Government Week 2010

Monday 2 August

Event Management workshop for community event organisers

10am - 12noon at Council Chambers, Murwillumbah Civic and Cultural Centre
Come and learn about event management and coordination as well as discussions on Council festivals and event policies.
Contact: Barbara Allen, Communications Officer - Events on (02) 6670 2735 or ballen@tweed.nsw.gov.au

Tuesday 3 August

Official Opening of the Bray Park Cycleway

10.30am at Rock Wall, Kyogle Road, Bray Park.
Contact: Alyson Dowling on (02) 6670 2541 or adowling@tweed.nsw.gov.au

Open Day Community Options Project (COPS)

11am - 2pm at HACC Tweed Heads South
An opportunity to find out about what home and community care services are available through Community Options. Talk with case managers about podiatry services, support services for older parent carers and services that are available following discharge from Tweed Heads and Murwillumbah Hospitals.
Contact: Bookings not required, for more information contact June Edwards on (07) 5569 3110 or jedwards@tweed.nsw.gov.au

Wednesday 4 August

Official Opening of Quota Park, Tweed Heads West

11am Quota Park, Caloola Drive Tweed Heads West
Contact: Alyson Dowling on (02) 6670 2541 or adowling@tweed.nsw.gov.au



Tours of Sustainable Living Centre and Kingscliff Waste Water Treatment Plant



2pm and 3pm at the Sustainable Living Centre, Altona Road, Kingscliff
Contact: Yvette van Amstel on (02) 6670 2694 or yvanamstel@tweed.nsw.gov.au

Thursday 5 August

Tweed Laboratory Centre - Lab Tours

10am and 11am at the Tweed Laboratory Centre, Enterprise Drive, Tweed Heads South
Contact: Sindee Wong or Cynthia Konig on (07) 5569 3103

Friday 6 August

Simultaneous workshop on What's hot on the web? What's facebook, youtube, myspace, wikka? What is blogging and flickr?

10am - 11am at Murwillumbah, Tweed Heads and Kingscliff Libraries
Contact: Murwillumbah Library (02) 6670 2427, Tweed Heads Library (07) 5569 3150 and Kingscliff Library (02) 6674 1607

Saturday 7 August

Bray Park Water Treatment Plant guided bus tours of new facility

9am-11am and 12.30pm-2.30pm, pick up at Murwillumbah Civic and Cultural Centre, Tumbulgum Road Murwillumbah. Bookings essential. Cheryl Jackson on (02) 6670 2460 or cjackson@tweed.nsw.gov.au

Sunday 8 August

Tweed Shire Council - Family Fun Day

11am - 2pm at Salt Central Park, South Kingscliff - Bookings not required.
Council's annual family fun day with a huge range of FREE kids activities including face painting, sports games jumping castle, climbing wall and Council big plant and equipment display. Free art workshop to make clay animals and a free sausage sizzle. Come along and see the wide range of Council services on display, meet the Councillors and a free plant giveaway.
Buses to Salt: Surfside 603 from Tweed Heads to Pottsville runs hourly on Sundays. Services begin from Tweed Heads at 7.58am.



ELECTION 2010 ROUNDUP

Labor funds Casuarina surf training

Surfers around the country are set to benefit from a new national surfing training centre to be built at Casuarina as a result of \$2 million federal funding announced this week.

Minister for Sport Kate Ellis and Richmond MP Justine Elliot announced the funding this week for Surfing Australia to build the two-level training facility which will help provide more coaching accreditation and professional development courses to Surfing Australia's 22,800 members and 209 affiliated clubs.

Ms Ellis said the training centre was expected to support the development of more than 3,000 elite surfers and coaches each year and would play a key role in 'helping to maintain Australia's reputation as an international surfing powerhouse'.

She said surfing was enjoyed by around 2.5 million Australians and 'Australia is currently the most successful surfing nation in the world'.

She praised the Tweed's current world surfing champions

Mick Fanning and Stephanie Gilmore, saying 'we have produced some of the world's most successful surfers over the years'.

The training centre would be able to accommodate people visiting the centre from outside the area with sleeping, showering and cooking facilities.

It will also conduct specialised surfing programs for women, indigenous Australians and disabled surfers.

The new centre is expected to be up and running by the end of next year, replacing temporary training facilities now operating at Casuarina by Surfing Australia.

Libs push child care

The Liberal Party's \$89 million pledge to make child care more affordable would make life financially easier for families, according to Liberal candidate for Richmond, Joan van Lieshout.

'Families are struggling to pay the bills and meet rising costs of living. This plan will deliver real action and make a big difference in their daily lives, it will ensure that par-

Meeting the candidates

The four major candidates in the upcoming federal election have agreed to talk at a community meeting on Monday, August 9, organised by the Banora Point and District Residents Association.

The meeting will be held at 7pm at the Banora Point Community Centre, Woodlands Drive, Banora Point.

Residents' association secre-

tary Pat Tate said the meeting would 'give people the opportunity to hear the candidates direct, with ample time for questions from the floor'.

Mrs Tate said association vice president Rod Bates would mediate the forum, with each candidate allowed 10 minutes to speak on their policies before opening the meeting up to question time.

Greens to shun Labor

The Greens will not preference the Labor Party in the seat of Richmond, candidate Joe Ebono has announced, saying the seat was not one of the marginal seats involved in the recent deal between federal Labor and the Greens.

'Local Greens feel that Justine Elliot has done nothing for this electorate that encourages us to advise our voters to support her,' he said.

'Greens preferences are critical to the outcome of the election as none of the other three parties can win in their own right. Voters are sick of the power games and spin from

the corporate parties and want politicians with real values to make the laws.'

Mr Ebono said the Greens in Richmond would provide voters with a how to vote card that simply says Vote 1 Green.

But intending independent candidate for the seat, Nic Faulkner, queried Mr Ebono's statement, saying 'something doesn't seem right'.

'In the House of Reps a voter must number every box, in order of his or her preference. So of course Joe can't actually direct preferences, he can suggest this via his how to vote pamphlet,' Mr Faulkner said.

'However in the Senate if you vote just 1 above the line, your preferences go wherever the party you voted 1 for decides.'

Nats back freeze on marine parks

The coalition's plan to freeze the gazetting of new marine parks around the country has been welcomed by the Nationals' candidate for Richmond, Alan Hunter.

Opposition leader Tony Ab-

bott this week said that the federal government's process of planning for new parks would be put on hold, and the whole process restructured.

Mr Hunter said that the decision would remove the threat to small businesses in Richmond allied to the fishing industry, worth around \$75 million in the region.

'I support Tony Abbott's call for more consultation with affected parties before "no-take zones" are implemented. While I support protecting ocean environments, we have to get this right to ensure people aren't thrown out of business,' the Mullumbimby-based candidate said.

'Let's ensure the science is right on fish numbers and we understand the effect of bans on professional fishing operations before we rush headlong into anything.'

Mr Hunter this week was joined by Nationals colleagues, NSW Senator Fiona Nash and state Tweed MP Geoff Provest on a visit to an aged-care home in Kingscliff 'to show support for the delivery of a high quality, affordable and accessible aged care scheme'.

The group met with residents and staff of the Wommin Bay Village.

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Your mate Gaz

Dear Gaz,
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Now mate, let me give you some good advice, if you're going to some flash resort, you have to act the part. Now I'm talking from experience, the first impression is important. Leave your green bags from Coles at home, I know they make great suitcases, but you don't want to look like a hick!
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See ya soon
Your mate Tony

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Crs revolt over Seabreeze meeting

Kate McIntosh

Tweed Shire councillors opposed to a controversial shopping centre at Pottsville's Seabreeze estate have moved to scuttle plans by mayor Warren Polglase to meet with developers to discuss the site.

Crs Barry Longland, Katie Milne and Dot Holdom, who last week voted against the mayor's motion to meet with developer Metricon, have lodged a rescission motion in a bid to overturn the decision.

Cr Polglase had narrowly won support for his motion, with councillors voting in favour four to three to hear a presentation from Metricon representatives. They had also agreed to hold a separate community meeting on request.

That's despite council spending more than \$500,000 in ratepayer-funded legal fees in 2008 defending its decision to refuse the supermarket in the Land and Environment Court, which ruled in council's favour.

Cr Barry Longland told *The Echo* council's decision to revisit the shopping complex sent a 'bad message' to the community given the proposal was clearly outside the Pottsville Locality Plan, passed unanimously by council a few months ago after a lengthy consultation process.

'We all know there's no scope for that project to have any legs,' said Cr Longland.

The proposed shopping complex which would comprise speciality shops, a petrol station, childcare centre and kiosk had also failed to find support from local business and residents groups, who argued the development would kill off the existing CBD.

Pottsville Community Association acting secretary Mike Wells said while the organisation supported the development of a smaller neighbourhood shopping facility at the site, it remained opposed to any moves to revisit plans for a larger supermarket.

Mike goes pole walking for charity



Pole walker Mike Gates at his first 24-hour non-stop world-record attempt in 2005 on the Old Pacific Highway at Chinderah.

A Tweed Heads endurance pole walker will do more than just trudge along Tweed beaches and riverfront next week in a sweat-raising bid to raise funds for a children's charity.

To encourage donations to the Kids in Need charity, Mike Gates will attempt a world-recordbreaking 48-hour non-stop pole-walkabout challenge, by walking a 21km loop circuit via the beachfronts of Kingscliff and Fingal Head and along the banks of the Tweed River.

He calls his campaign Doing the 'K's for Kids' with the ultimate goal not just to raise funds, but awareness for the charity, which helps local families with children who are seriously ill or have a disability.

Mike says he's inspired by the 'courageous kids that have

dorse the existing CBD rather than try to develop another one closer to it.'

Last week Pottsville Business Chamber president Tania Murdock revealed she had lodged a complaint with the Independent Commission Against Corruption (ICAC) and the Commonwealth Ombudsman over the mayor's continued push for the shopping complex.

he started the walkabout for kids in 2004. He raises funds through sponsorship for the 48-hour walk and through donations from community members and businesses.

In previous years, Mike has completed both 24 and 36-hour non-stop pole-walking challenges, establishing two new world records for the sport. He plans to set a new world record with the completion of the 48-hour walk on Saturday, August 7, supported along the way by family and friends.

He will start at noon next Thursday, August 5, on beach in front of the Cudgen Headland Surf Lifesaving Club and expects to finish 48 hours later at the same spot.

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Controversial JRPP approves Casuarina Beach estate

Luis Feliu

The final stage of the Casuarina Beach housing estate, a subdivision for 170 residential lots, has been given the green light by the state-appointed joint regional planning panel (JRPP).

But fears have already been raised that an approved 40-metre buffer from Cudgen Creek is inadequate and the development could destroy a wildlife corridor and Aboriginal midden sites.

Last Thursday, the northern region JRPP sitting at the Tweed Heads Civic Centre, approved the subdivision in Casuarina's northwest precinct for 159 residential lots, nine duplex lots, two lots for medium density tourist accommodation (135 units), three lots for

public open space and a lot for a pump station.

The JRPP's acting chair, former council general manager Dr John Griffin said in a press release that the panel's decision was consistent with council's recommended approval.

Dr Griffin said the panel was satisfied that the key issues of off-site road construction and drainage, traffic calming and generation, provision of water and sewer design details, access to the adjoining natural reserve, remediation of contaminated land, impacts on flora and fauna and construction noise had been 'adequately addressed' in the assessment and conditions of approval.

But Greens Cr Katie Milne, who lodged an objecting submission, disagreed, saying 'so much for the 50-metre riparian

Panel makes procedural oversight

According to Greens Cr Katie Milne the panel had to rescind the project's approval for 15 minutes 'because they forgot to allow the registered speakers a chance to talk'.

Overlooking the need for local input was no doubt accidental, but it was also symbolic, given that these panels

were appointed by the state government against strong community opposition. Critics say the planning rule book has been turned on its head in a bid to smooth the way for big developers.

Cr Milne added, 'not that it made the slightest of difference anyway'.

ian buffer, if we can't get it in greenfield sites where the hell are we going to get it?

Cr Milne said council had 'argued hard' to keep the buffer at 40 metres yet 'nobody, including the council report, even discussed the fact that the Estuary Management Plan stated that the 50 metre buffer should be "where possible increased"'.
She said that when a council officer was asked if there were koalas on the site, 'the council officer mumbled something about the developer's reports not indicating this'.

Cr Milne also said that council's own mapping indicated koala sightings on the site.

Dr Griffin said the proposal had established two areas for the conservation of endan-

gered ecological communities and habitat of threatened species such as the common Blossom Bat."

The project, valued at around \$11 million, was referred to the JRPP because it was deemed 'regional development' and over the \$10 million threshold for such developments.

Cr Milne said she 'mourned for' wildlife on the east of Cudgen Creek as a result of the approval and it appeared that council's executive management team had overridden the council ecologist's recommendation on plantings for compensatory wildlife habitat.

"The Kings Forest site, just to the south west of this site, is host to one of the most vital koala habitats in the Tweed. This must be considered in

light of the shocking findings in the recent unreleased progress report for council's Koala Plan of Management,' she said.

'I am also very concerned about the four midden sites being this close to the development. It's unclear if there has been a cultural heritage management plan reported or any details of preliminary excavation reports. This is obviously an extremely highly used site.'

Cr Milne said that according to local Aboriginal residents, the minimum distance from the middens should be 300 metres.

'Aboriginal housing, at the very least, should be dedicated in the lots in front of this midden group to provide some form of guardianship,' she said.

'More support for festival'

Luis Feliu

The organiser of one of the longest running festivals on the Tweed, the Murwillumbah Festival of Performing Arts, says he's surprised so many shire residents know so little about it.

Arthur Holmes told *The Echo* after the 79th annual festival held at Murwillumbah's civic centre recently that the volunteer-run event had grown from one week to four and drew round 6,000 young competitors from around the region and further afield this year.

'It's been running for 79 years yet so many people want to know what's happening,' Arthur said.

'This is all volunteer run, an event where hundreds of young people's talents are showcased, it promotes all the good things young people are doing, the whole Tweed should get behind it.'



Young opera singer Phillip Prendergast, pictured after winning the Alton Budd Memorial Award at the 79th Murwillumbah Festival of Performing Arts, will be one of the featured performers at the awards night concert on Monday, August 2. Photo supplied

The festival's award night concert will feature young opera singer Phillip Prendergast, of Toowoomba (formerly of Murwillumbah), the Alton Budd Memorial Prize winner, as well as the other major award winners.

It will be held at the civic centre on Monday, August 2 (not August 8 as mentioned recently) with the doors open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. Entry is \$10 adults, \$15 family and \$5 concession/children. For info call Arthur on 02 6672 1563.

Health-service merger proposed

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Practice Network (TVGPN) currently indicating 50 per cent supported a joint crossborder framework, while the other 50 per cent said Tweed services should either remain under a NSW based system or only partially move north.

TVGPN executive officer Gary Southey would not speculate on the outcome of the report's recommendations, which the federal government is due to finalise by December this year.

However, he said the cross-border merger warranted consideration given that Tweed GPs typically referred patients north for specialist services.

'Ultimately it's the federal government that will decide on the boundaries and whether or not it's prudent to stop at the border.'

Mr Southey said the group planned to conduct a focus group with local service providers next month to discuss how the proposed changes may affect current service delivery.



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Homeless numbers rise



Volunteers for charity Alan Hann and Maureen Meijnen at Luffley Café in Murwillumbah with (centre) manager Haniel Medinet. The café is participating in the charity drive to help the Tweed's homeless. Photo Jeff Dawson

Kate McIntosh

Homelessness in the Tweed is on the rise, with increasing numbers of families with young children sleeping rough, according to a local charity group.

Shocking statistics provided by You Have A Friend, which delivers support services for homeless and marginalised people from Murwillumbah to the border, revealed more than 120 people slept in their cars, on beaches, in vacant buildings and near churches across the Tweed on any given night.

The non-profit organisation said struggling families were also going without regular food for up to three days after welfare payments ran out.

The charity has organised a

number of events in conjunction with this year's National Homeless Week, including an inter-school surfing competition, pancake events, school barbecues and a sleepout

Next week volunteers will visit cafes and restaurants around Murwillumbah to ask permission to leave a collection box and information about the organisation at the premises.

You Have A Friend president John Lee said the situation on Tweed streets was the worst he has seen it in the six years he has worked on homelessness issues.

National Homeless Week runs from August 2-8. For more about local events or to help, contact You Have A Friend on 07 5590 9799 or visit www.youhaveafriend.org.au

Troubled church faces hammer

Kate McIntosh

Property developers, religious organisations and a funeral business are among the potential bidders for the Lakeside Christian Centre, due to go up for mortgagee auction in Brisbane tomorrow (July 30) following a series of long-running scandals.

The 3.4-hectare site, located at Caloola Drive, encompasses the Lakeside Christian Church and conference facilities.

Lakeside Christian College, which has links to the centre, faced closure in April 2008 amid a blaze of controversy after allegations of financial mismanagement levelled at its principal became public.

It was later revealed the Tweed Heads private school had unpaid debts totalling more than \$5.5 million.

The institution was also embroiled in a separate scandal after it was revealed a widowed 68-year-old pastor at the centre, who preached against sex outside marriage, had had a series of affairs with younger women.

A retirement village and funeral home were among the options put forward by interested developers who contacted the agents Ray White.

It is not clear whether the church will continue to operate after the property is sold.

No 'fresh flavour' for tourism (from p1)

companies outside the region, saying the decision would take away jobs from the Tweed.

Mr Senti also requested the opportunity to make a further presentation to council.

Last week council granted the request to all five tenderers in the interests of fair competition, deferring its decision to an extraordinary meeting

Responsibility for tourism and economic development has traditionally been jointly shared by Tweed Tourism and TECD. In March council called for tenders after a local govern-

ment review of its procedures revealed that it was legally obliged to do so.

Cr Milne said she was disappointed that SCU had been shut out saying the institution could have brought a more academic and global focus to tourism strategies for the local industry.

SCU representatives in attendance at Tuesday's meeting declined to comment on the proceedings to *The Echo*.

A final decision on the contracts is expected at council's August meeting.

Piggabeen Hall celebrates

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Mrs Jobson said it's hoped the celebrations would inspire interest in the new generation of Piggabeen residents.

'The hall was a real centre for the region as far as providing a sense of community. We don't have that to the same extent now; people have other outlets, but we are getting a lot of support and we certainly want to keep that going,' she said.

The family fun day on Saturday, August 7, gets under way at the Piggabeen Hall at 2.30pm.

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Slogans R Us

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

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

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

'Moving forward' might be the economist's term for what ordinary folk call 'the future' but it defines nothing. Moving forward towards what – heaven or hell?

'Stand up for real action', a Liberals slogan, is also meaningless, like Nike's 'Just do it'. 'Real action' could be sheltering the homeless or wandering into the shopping mall with a high-powered rifle.

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

– Michael McDonald

Copout clichés piled upon platitudes

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

by Mungo MacCallum



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Joan's dummy spit

It would be hard to imagine that Joan van Lieshout could handle the pressure at federal government level, considering she was unable to cope with the responsibilities of local government.

This councillor suffered an emotional dummy spit, refusing to participate in a vote for mayor, simply because she did not 'like' either of the candidates. This self-indulgent betrayal of all those who had supported her left us with the legacy of a 'lucky dip' mayor whose questionable record led this council to a shameful dismissal in 2005.

There is no doubt that wealth may buy position, but only performance can justify it. Joan's performance at the relatively simple level of local government, does not suggest that she is up for it.

Margaret Bergen
Kingscliff

Floodgates opened

A developer has been given the green light to concrete over a tidal creek and build up a road-way beside the Tweed Heritage Caravan Park by a metre.

This will put lives and homes in danger as when the Tweed River floods the water flows across Chinderah Bay Drive straight into the entrance of the caravan park. I have lived here for over 20 years and when the river flooded, we were able to exit the park via Ozone Street, then Anne Lane, but once it is built up by a metre it will no longer be available so there will no longer be a way out at flood time.

As council has been sent photos and told of this situation they are now responsible for the residents, so be warned all ratepayers I and many others will sue councillors, bureaucrats, state governments and anyone else who is responsible for putting us in this situation.

J Burness
Chinderah

Bad old days

When I took up permanent residence in the Tweed Shire mid 2007 the council was under NSW local government administration.

Over the period of their stewardship until replaced by a publicly elected council I formed the opinion that the administrators performed fair and reasonably in matters of adjudication. Not conceding to everyone's demands upon them but certainly operating without the taint of intrigue and suspicion that regrettably shrouds the elected body through the exception of two or three councillors.

A classic example of such questionable practice was the recent decision taken by mayor

Polglase as part of the gang of four allowing the development company Metricon to resubmit their future plans for the Pottsville Seabreeze Estate.

Given that this same developer as recently as October 2008 had been comprehensively rejected by the Land and Environment Court in a bid to construct a large shopping complex in the residential heart of Seabreeze, it defies rational explanation. Community input for and against Metricon's development application was extensive, occupying one full day of the five day court hearing, plus written submissions together with expert witness presentations by the developer and the council under administration.

Make your own judgement as to why a narrow majority of councillors have again favoured this recourse.

Bring back the administrators!

B Cumming
Pottsville

Muddled management

If ever there was a sign of Tweed Shire Council priorities, this week's restoration, after two years, of the marker of the southern limit of the unleashed dog exercise area on Kingscliff's South Beach, speaks volumes. While we obviously can't tolerate our canine companions sully the beachside aesthetics for the precious tourists from the Mantra and Peppers resorts, further damage to the fragile beach ecology is still encouraged by our councillors.

The sign banning vehicles from proceeding further on the beach, which used to accompany the dog control sign, has not been replaced. Nor has the gate into the paddock behind the large dune on Sutherland Point, allowing that area to become the 'doughnut' capital of the shire, and further contributing to the erosion of what used to be the highest dune on the beach.

Oh and don't forget the campfire pits and dumps of human excrement in an area where camping is, supposedly, prohibited; or the fact that council staff were warned by locals almost twelve months ago that the erosion of the foreshore vegetation and roadway at Faux Park was imminent.

The only consolation to be drawn is that, with such a mind-set, our council's finest may tumble, lemming-like, off the edge of the earth while trying to find their way home from the next council meeting.

Jeremy Cornford
Kingscliff

Repco-less rally?

Repco has been removed from the rally website, which now states 'Rally Australia'.

Has Repco withdrawn as major sponsor? If this is the case, then millions of dollars of Events NSW and council funds have been wasted on a dud event that has no major

sponsor and our hopeless, incompetent NSW government and Tweed Shire Council have been shamed again.

Or are Repco too ashamed to be associated with the scandals surrounding this now nameless race? Minister Macdonald fell on his sword and quit, council general manager and rally board member Mike Rayner might follow minister Macdonald's lead. On your bike, Mike.

James McKenzie
Mt Wollumbin

Cost of poverty

In the Australian Council of Social Services (ACOSS) top 50 list of electorates ranked by poverty, Page is ranked 11th, and Richmond 18th. Around 13 per cent of the north coast population is considered to be living in poverty.

Australia Fair report (2007) set the poverty line, used by OECD, at 50 per cent of the median disposable income for all households. In 2006 this poverty line was \$281 per week for a single adult. An estimated 2.2 million Australians, including 412,000 children, live below this austere poverty line.

A report on 'Homelessness in the Richmond-Tweed Region of NSW' calculated around 600 people are living on the streets, 900 are couch surfing, 170 are being housed in homeless shelters. Thousands of north coast residents are on the verge of homelessness, struggling to pay escalating rents in the private housing market.

It's not surprising community organisations are struggling to keep up with the demand for emergency accommodation and financial relief.

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

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

Maybe it's time our polities stopped worrying about the big end of town and started focusing on solutions to address the difficult choices faced by those less fiscally fortunate. Otherwise we may see refugee camps springing up on a vacant site near you!

Michele Grant
Ocean Shores

Local food celebration

On behalf of the committee for Burringbar School of Arts Hall I would like to thank the Tweed and Byron Echo newspapers for their support in our Winter Farmers Market Feast held Sunday, July 11.

We raised \$4,800 on the day plus donations of \$140 from a few very generous locals. 121 happy people were fed a four course meal where ingredients

Citizens Panels pro and con

■ The dubious Citizens Panel will provide the final piece to the Tweed Shire Council jigsaw. It's been seen to that the elected councillors and their role in council has had many restrictions put in place to nullify dissent.

The council staff, well they have been gagged to a state of near suffocation and are represented by spineless and fearful unions too terrified to take a real stand against the workplace bullying that is so rife.

The Tweed Link is an opportunity lost, because it's a management mouthpiece, not a community voice and is basically irrelevant.

The general manager must be pleased that this latest proposal could once and for all solve his Muzzle Puzzle and require everyone involved in decision making to be under his control.

I believe our community is strong enough to weather these storms and eventually we will have in place a strong and committed administration who care enough to actually consult with us, the local constituents, and we can nurture sustainable growth and still prosper like other local government regions across Australia without the fear and division that this mean and miserable rabble promote.

Paul D Taylor
Murwillumbah

■ Jerry Cornford's anger at the State Planning Department's disregard for council local knowledge when the department is assessing the large development decisions it makes under legislated authority is justified. As is concern about certain individuals on the planning panels involved.

But it seems he's allowed this anger to skew his thinking on too many recent legislative, regulatory and policy changes by the Planning and Local Government Departments and the Tweed Council. Many are a direct result of Daly Inquiry findings. Designed to prevent behaviour facilitating wrongdoing and to improve council's day-to-day performance, such change should be welcomed.

His objection to the proposed Community Engagement Strategy puzzles me. Councillors are not being sidelined, the Citizens' Panel is just one facet. The strategy's aim is to make community consultation more inclusive and give councillors a wider information base on which to make their final decisions. Isn't this an improvement?

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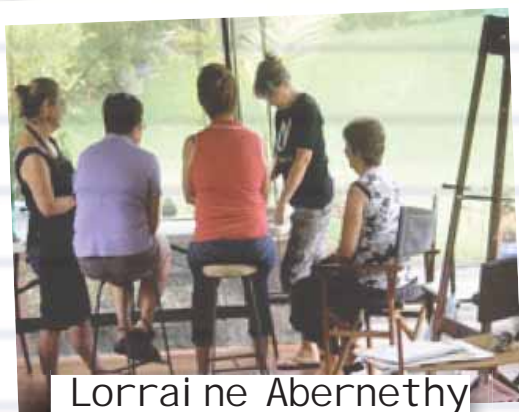
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Schools will be registering their activities in June and July, so keep an eye on the Education Week activities to see what's happening in schools and regions, or call your local school.

For an idea of what Education Week achieves for public schools check out the gallery showcasing the local and regional activities for 2009 at <http://www.schools.nsw.edu.au/events/eduweek/gallery.php>

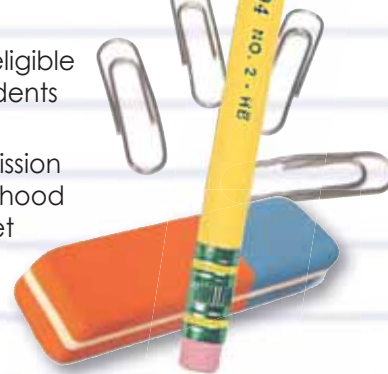
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Television Guide

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



FRIDAY 30

SATURDAY 31

stars

WITH LILITH

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

ARIES: Aries have an ongoing tug of war between personal creativity and the group dynamic, but this week works via compromise rather than travelling the lone road. Saturn in Libra succeeds through cooperation, so do the flexible, bendy dance of negotiation and accommodation as gracefully as you can.

TAURUS: This week it's worthwhile investigating what new technologies have to offer. Opinions will differ and you'll get plenty of exercise dealing with ego trips, but it's worth persevering because someone who could be extremely financially helpful is likely to be one of those trippers.

GEMINI: You're the zodiac's master multi-taskers, but this accident-prone week

needs you taking care on the road – and even more on the tongue. People want plenty of attention but they're so not into criticism, so either find something to admire or hold your fire.

CANCER: Everyone's prickly and reactive this week, not just Cancerians. But you could still get heaps of overdue stuff and unfinished business dealt with so long as you don't promise more than you can comfortably deliver, because expectations are high and cancellations won't be taken lightly.

LEO: A peak week for your cat majesty even in these troubled times, so go somewhere glamorous, buy something gorgeous or do something celebratory to keep your spirits buoyant during ongoing upheavals and uncertainties. Just don't

engage in any regrettable outbursts which could jeopardize your future success.

VIRGO: Mercury moving into Virgo wants to talk about what needs fixing, but you'd be wise to edit before you utter: listen, process, refine ... and then speak. That said, this week's upside brightens and heightens your star quality, attracting hot new admirers to Virgville.

LIBRA: Mars marches into Libra this week to back Saturn in setting up a series of relationship reality checks to address unfinished business in partnerships past and present, with a view to fine tuning the balance between personal enjoyment and responsible commitment to others.

SCORPIO: This week pits ambitious plans

against constraints, responsibility against rebellion and duty against the urge to do things differently. Rather than get upset at what you're not able to achieve just now, or angry at restrictions, look for alternatives that are workable. Enjoyable alternatives.

SAGITTARIUS: This week reboots any minor lack of social liveliness, with planetary energy in the sign of self publicizing urging you to showcase yourself and/or your ideas by dressing to impress: present aspects admire a touch of flair, appreciate a bit of cheek and applaud bold moves.

CAPRICORN: Humanity's definitely going through a rough patch at the moment, so don't be surprised if you're feeling a tad sombre and despondent – you'll find

solutions are there if you think outside the square. Also that treating yourself tenderly will immeasurably improves the tenor of your week.

AQUARIUS: This full-on week opens a window of opportunity for implementing radical relationship rearrangements in spite of personal differences. Try to relax a little when you notice you're becoming stubborn and this week could take care of a whole lot of seemingly insoluble business.

PISCES: This week helps you develop progressive new ways in which partnership patterns are played out. The waves of change affecting you aren't superficial, so direct your energy where it serves you best, moment to moment. And listen to your intuition, which is second to none.

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5.00 rage 6.30 Kids' Programs 9.00 Insiders 10.00 Inside Business 10.30 Offsiders 11.00 Asia Pacific Focus 11.30 Songs Of Praise 12.00 Landline 1.00 Gardening Australia 1.30 Message Stick (G*) 2.00 Travel Oz 2.30 The Legend Of Pancho Barnes And The Happy Bottom Riding Club 3.30 Liquid Stone Gaudi's secrets 4.25 Katsura Rikyu Imperial Villa of the Moon 5.15 Time Will Tell? Dance 5.30 Art Nation 6.00 At The Movies 6.30 Mother And Son 7.00 ABC News 7.30 Life With David Attenborough 8.30 Return To Cranford 10.00 Compass Christianity: A History 10.50 Art Of Spain 11.45 Movie: The Silent Enemy (PG 1958) Laurence Harvey 1.45 Movie: The Lion Has Wings (G 1939) Ralph Richardson 3.00 Message Stick 3.30 Talking Heads Ian Kiernan 4.00 First Tuesday Book Club	5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 11.00 FIFA World Cup Best-Of Highlights 12.00 Futbol Mundial 12.30 Speedweek 1.30 The Mummy Who Came In From The Cold 2.30 Science And Islam 3.30 Once Bitten 4.30 Love's Harvest 5.00 Cycling Central 6.00 Thalassa 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Who Do You Think You Are? 8.30 Dateline 9.30 Cutting Edge: Burma's Nuclear Ambitions 10.20 High Maintenance (M) 10.30 FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Germany Final LIVE 1.00 Weatherwatch	6.00 Religion 7.00 Weekend Sunrise 10.00 AFL Game Day 11.00 Movie: Trail Of The Pink Panther (PG 1982) Peter Sellers, David Niven, Herbert Lom, Joanna Lumley 1.00 Crash Scene Investigators 2.00 AFL Premiership Season Western Bulldogs v North Melbourne 5.00 Border Patrol 5.30 New Zealand On A Plate 6.00 Seven News 6.30 Dancing With The Stars 8.30 Bones (M) 9.30 Castle (M) 10.30 Scrubs 11.00 Air Crash Investigations 12.00 Heroes (M) 2.00 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News	6.00 Religion 7.00 Kids' Programs 8.00 Meet The Press 8.30 The Hit Rater.com 9.00 The Benchwarmers Oz Made 10.00 Hit List TV 12.00 I Fish 1.00 Out Of The Blue 2.00 Big Cat Diary 3.00 Apex Predators 4.00 Landed Music 4.30 Discover Downunder 5.00 Ten News 5.30 Sports Tonight 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Modern Family 7.00 Rules Of Engagement 7.30 Talkin' 'Bout Your Generation 8.30 The Good Wife (M) 9.30 Movie: Little Miss Sunshine (M 2006) Geg Kinnear, Toni Collette, Steve Carell 11.35 Formula 1 Grand Prix Hungary 1.50 Video Hits 2.00 Infomercials 4.00 Religion	6.00 Arrive Alive Cup 7.00 Weekend Today 10.00 Wide World Of Sports 11.00 The Sunday Footy Show 12.00 Sunday Roast 1.00 Gold Coast Marathon 2.00 Men In Trees 3.00 Rescue Special Ops 4.00 Sunday Football Brisbane Broncos v St George Illawarra Dragons 6.00 NBN News 6.30 RBT 7.00 Send In The Dogs 7.30 60 Minutes 8.30 CSI (M) 9.30 Cold Case (M) 11.30 Afterlife (M) 12.30 Super League 2.30 Infomercials 3.30 Religion 4.00 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News
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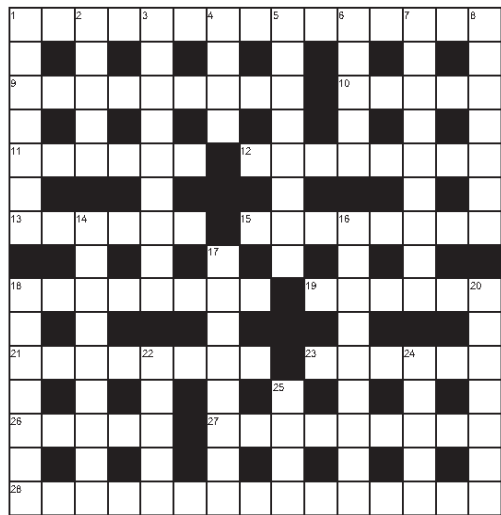
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4.30 Shortland Street 5.00 Something In The Air 5.30 The New Inventors 6.00 Kids' Programs 12.00 Midday Report 12.30 National Press Club Address 1.30 Talking Heads 2.00 Waterloo Road 3.00 Kids' Programs 6.00 Cheese Slices 6.30 Poh's Kitchen 7.00 ABC News 7.30 The 7.30 Report 8.00 The New Inventors 8.30 Spicks And Specks 9.00 Gruen Nation 9.45 Yes We Canberra! The Chaser team's new role as warm-up guys for Lateline 10.20 Lateline 10.55 Lateline Business 11.30 Jekyll (M) 12.25 Chandon Pictures (M) 12.55 Movie: Wagonmaster (G 1950) Ben Johnson, Joanne Dru 2.25 Big Ideas 3.25 National Press Club Address	5.00 Weatherwatch 5.05 World News 1.00 Movie: Malabar Princess (M 2003) French drama. Stars Jacques Villeret, Claude Brasseur, Jules Angélo Bigarnet 2.45 My Date From Hell 3.00 Nest 3.30 Inspiring Teachers 4.00 The Journal 4.30 Newshour 5.30 Global Village 6.00 Letters And Numbers 6.30 World News Australia 7.30 Inspector Rex (PG) 8.30 Unexplained The Cathars 9.30 World News Australia 10.00 Movie: Nathalie... (MA 2003) French drama. Stars Fanny Ardant, Emmanuelle Beart, Gérard Depardieu 11.50 Movie: Invisible Waves (M 2006) Thai drama. Stars Tadanobu Asano, Hye-jeong Kang, Eric Tsand 1.55 Weatherwatch	6.00 Sunrise 9.00 The Morning Show 11.30 Seven Morning News 12.00 Movie: Lone Rider (M 2008) Lou Diamond Phillips, Angela Alvarado, Robert Baker, Timothy Bottoms 2.00 All Saints (M) 3.00 Find My Family 3.30 All For Kids 4.00 It's Academic 4.30 Seven News 5.00 M*A*S*H 5.30 Deal Or No Deal 6.00 Prime News 6.30 Seven News 7.00 Home And Away 7.30 World's Strictest Parents Australia 8.30 City Homicide (M) 9.30 The Suspects (M) 10.30 Daredevils (M) 11.30 Most Shocking (M) 12.30 Home Shopping 5.30 Seven News	6.00 Ten Early News 7.00 Kids' Programs 9.00 Ten News 10.00 The Circle 12.00 Dr Phil (M) 1.00 Oprah Winfrey Show 2.00 Ready Steady Cook 3.00 Judge Judy 3.30 Infomercial 4.00 Huey's Kitchen 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful 5.00 Ten News 6.00 The Simpsons 6.30 Neighbours (G) 7.00 The 7pm Project 7.30 The All New Simpsons Hour 8.30 Lie To Me (M) 9.30 Law & Order (M) 10.30 Late News With Sports Tonight 11.15 The Late Show With David Letterman 12.00 Numb3rs (M) 1.00 What It Takes George Clooney 1.30 Infomercials 4.00 Religion	5.30 Today 9.00 Kerri-Anne 11.00 Infomercials 12.00 Ellen Degeneres Show 1.00 The View 2.00 Days Of Our Lives 3.00 Alive And Cooking 3.30 Magical Tales 4.00 Pyramid 4.30 Afternoon News 5.00 Antiques Roadshow 5.30 Hot Seat 6.00 Evening News 7.00 A Current Affair 7.30 Two And A Half Men 8.00 Hot Property 8.25 Lotto 8.30 The Farmer Wants A Wife 9.30 20 To 1 10.30 Embarrassing Bodies (M) 11.30 Til Death 12.00 Eclipse Music TV 12.30 20/20 1.30 Infomercials 3.30 Good Morning America 5.00 Early Morning News
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Mungo's Crossword

From The Week



Cryptic Clues

ACROSS
1. Divisive gene vote quashed – the English rejoice! (3,4,3,5)
9. See 28 across
10. A ceremony back in North East India (5)
11. Legree takes a year selling preferments (6)
12. Skuas cough and spit in the oceans (3-5)
13. Dictator puts a blemish around the left (6)

15. Old hats give mega back rub, surrounded by swine! (8)
18. See 16 down
19. Amazing sites, a time for a short break (6)
21. Pen records of elegant writers (8)
23. Bird or ape? Even rubbish (6)
26. Push papers (5)
27. Teats about the East are no good at the core – they're three sided (9)

28, 9 across. Handel wants regal teeny ball playing this song – to go with 1. (5'2, 6, 2, 2, 7)

DOWN

1. Good girls make spectacles of themselves (7)
2. Mother about ... about ... it's a fantasy (5)
3. Unrest hear giant nation (9)
4. Docked antelope shows panache (4)
5. Hard pig grabs an advantage, and he's prickly (8)
6. Crush, cut off head and crush again (5)
7. Cannily saw trades towards the Orient (9)
8. Turning back seed is just retribution (7)
14. Expert on confused teen embracing the young left? What a gas! (9)
16, 24 down, 18 across. Hitler's view true bananas ... rousing chorus. to go with 1 and 28 (9,5,3,5)
17. Support, absolute, for abstainer (8)
18... but throw a saucepan at his opposite! (7)
20. A triste, unhappy actress (7)

22. Is the girl a child? (5)
24. See 16 down
25. Account for the copper (4)

Quick Clues

ACROSS

1. A national anthem (3,4,3,5)
9. See 28 across
10. State in North East India (5)
11. The sin of selling ecclesiastical favours (6)
12. Skuas, large ocean birds (3-5)
13 Former Russian dictator (6)
15 Formal felt hats (8)
18. See 16 down
19. Afternoon nap (6)
21. Fashion designers, elegant writers (8)
23. Colourful and varied type of bird (6)
26. Push, put pressure on (5)
27. Three-sided plane figures (9)
28, 9 across. Another British patriotic song, made famous by Vera Lynn (5'2, 6,2,2,7)

DOWN

1. Drinking vessels, spectacles (7)

2. Reverie, fantasy (5)
3. Country in South America (9)
4. Dash, verve (4)
5. Small spined mammal (8)
6. Suppress, annul (5)
7. Towards the orient (9)
8. Goddess of just vengeance (7)
14. Gas used in welding (9)
16, 24 down, 18 across: Patriotic British chorus sung at the Proms (9,5,3,5)
17. Abstaining from alcohol (7)
18. One who drinks a lot of alcohol (7)
20. Female performer (7)
22. Offspring, children (5)
24. See 16 down
26. Account, tab (4)

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BLOC PARTY DJ SET AUGUST 5 NEVERLAND BAR

INSTITUT POLAIRE AUGUST 6 NEVERLAND BAR

FIFTEEN MINUTES OF FAME AUGUST 6 STOKERS SIDING

DALLAS FRASCA AUGUST 6 COOLANGATTA HOTEL

TOM BURLINSON AUGUST 6 TWIN TOWNS

SPIRITUAL SOUNDS OF SHANKARI AUGUST 6 CALYPSO PLAZA, GRIFFITH ST. COOLANGATTA

ZENNITH AUGUST 6 SOUNDLOUNGE

WONDERLAND 'WHO STEALS A LIGHT TOWER' PARTY AUGUST 6 COOLANGATTA HOTEL

SURECUT KIDS MONTHLY PARTY AUGUST 7 NEVERLAND BAR

MARK ANTHONY - HYPNOTIST AUGUST 7 CURRUMBIN RSL

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PIGGABEEN HALL CENTENARY AUGUST 7 PIGGABEEN-COBAKI

ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES EXHIBITION & TRADING FAIR, AUGUST 7 MURWILLUMBAH CIVIC CENTRE

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BABALOU (ABOVE KINGSCLIFF HOTEL) AUGUST 8 SOUTH PACIFIC SOUND SYSTEM DJ T'LINGER

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THE ROCKETSMTHS AUGUST 11 NEVERLAND

ART VS SCIENCE AUGUST 12 COOLANGATTA HOTEL

GYROSCOPE AUGUST 13 COOLANGATTA HOTEL

LIVE MUSIC

Hussy Hicks, Anarchist Duck and Isaac Paddon

Love live music but dislike festival prices? The **Curumbin RSL** will be hosting a splendid series of world class talents when local roots/folk favourites **Hussy Hicks** team up with **Anarchist Duck** and **Isaac Paddon** for a one off show this **Friday July 30**. The Hussies, who recently scored a slot at the Byron Bay Bluesfest, have just returned home to the coast after touring America to promote their new CD *A million different truths*, while Anarchist Duck have also been on the tour trail celebrating the birth of their debut album *Propaganda* and sharing their infectious house-shaking live performances with audiences across Australia. Isaac Paddon has become a surf festival favourite playing organic folk rock with a smooth taste of the Caribbean; he has played Big Day Out here on the Gold Coast and was featured 'pick of the week' on Triple J radio. The night will feature all three acts at the bargain price of \$10 for pre-purchased tickets and \$15 at the door. Tickets available through the Curumbin RSL and online at www.curumbinrsl.com.au/ whats-on . Purchase online and get a \$5 voucher as an

extra bonus, redeemable for all merchandise on the night. **Curumbin RSL, Friday July 30 from 7:30**

The Jazz Kanaries

'Original and borrowed material combined with a tinge of irony and humour' is how the **Jazz Kanaries** describe themselves. The band features Peter Hurcombe on guitar/vocals, Kel McIntosh on sax, Peter McLaughlin on bass and Matt Elliott on drums. They will be performing the early set at **Greenhills On Tweed, River St, South Murwillumbah** this **Friday**. They will then be followed by...

James T and the Tomahawks

After 30 years of playing around various US states, James Thornbury was discovered and brought to LA by Henry Vestine, the founding member of Canned Heat. This run for James was the beginning of 10 years playing guitar, vocals, harmonica, bass and flute for that blues institution. With his new band 'The Tomahawks', James' band consists of David Kirk on guitar and slide, Jason Nancarrow on keyboard, Michael Thornton on bass and Gary Thornton on drums and backing vocals. All are local boys out of SE Queensland and northern NSW. They claim influences from the blues legends,



ANARCHIST DUCK CURRUMBIN RSL FRIDAY JULY 30

and some less legendary, from the 30s, 40s, 50s and 60s and the British folk movement of the 60s and 70s.

The band starts at 8.30pm at **Greenhills On Tweed, River St, South Murwillumbah**. Cost is \$15 for members and \$20 for non members. Under 18s get in for \$5. Blackboard menu and bar service available, no BYO. Bookings essential, phone 02 6672 1697. Also there will be another chance to catch the band at the **Murwillumbah Bowls Club** charity gig, **Saturday July 31**. All profits will be towards to St Patrick College.

Tweed Links Music Club Concert

Enjoy an afternoon of entertainment with the **Tweed Links Quartet** and the **Allan Grant Dancers** this **Sunday**. Bob Green will be MC and special guest artists include Ron and Maureen Sudden, the Queensland Accordion Ensemble, vocalist Michelle Cook and guitarist Laine Aitken. Admission is \$6 for Coolangatta Tweed Heads Golf Club members and \$10 for visitors.

Coolangatta Tweed Heads Golf Club, Sunday August 1 from 2pm. Phone 5590 7870 for further information or visit www.tweedlinksmusicclub.org

The Hard Ons

It sounds ridiculous, but right now, the world needs a new **Hard Ons** album. That's right, in this era of downloading, social-networking and over-the-top consumerism, the world needs, as outrageous as this sounds, the new album from three shirtless middle-aged men who still play like they are the only band on the planet. 'Alfalfa males once summer is done conform or die' represents a compact look at the legendary and powerful Hard Ons. With an epic and infamous disregard for popular trends and nice haircuts, the three quasi-virtuosos claim to have unleashed their finest album to date. **July 30 Coolangatta Hotel**.

The Go Set

Their fifth album is a live venture entitled *Another Round in Melbourne Town*, and is complemented by a national tour. Likened to everything from The

Pogues, to The Clash and early early Midnight Oil, The Go Set combine the traditional sounds of bagpipes and accordion, with punk rock guitars, and a penchant for political lyrics. **Saturday July 31, Coolangatta Hotel**.

Fat Freddy's Drop

Seven headed soul/reggae monster **Fat Freddy's Drop** play **Coolangatta Hotel, August 1**. Never heard of them? They are actually pretty good.

Greenhouse Ball

Stokers Siding will be the place to be this Friday with local and travelling comedians, performers and musos. In the tradition of the Rage against Howard, the **Greenhouse Ball** will be solid entertainment for a good cause. Over the last five years, Greens candidate Giovanni Ebono, aka Uncle Joe, has made us laugh, worry and fume. Join this stellar list of performers in sending the little guy to Canberra where he can pick on the politicians, shake up the big house and give those stuffed suits of the national capital a taste of



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Tyalgum Festival Preview Concert

The **Tyalgum Festival Preview Concert** will feature the **Queensland Symphony Orchestra** horn section. Works by Rimsky-Korsakov, Mozart and Bruckner will be performed, and the cost is \$25 adults, free admission for friends of the festival. Afternoon tea available with the artists after the concert. For bookings and enquiries call Alex Wilkinson 6679 2244 or email info@tyalgumfestival.com.au

Andrew Clermont, Josh Bennett and Parvyn Kaur Singh

'Jeff Beck meets Ravi Shankar on the set of *Oh! Brother Where Art Thou* while dancing in Rio!' This is the bold claim by the publicist of these three musicians. They go on to say 'A twisted taunt of Celtic blues swing bluegrass jazz Indian adventure.' Sounds very good. **Greenhills On Tweed, River St, South Murwillumbah, Thursday August 5.**



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HUSSY HICKS, CURRUMBIN RSL
FRIDAY JULY 30 FROM 7:30



TWEED RIVER ART GALLERY,
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LEFT: ZHONG CHEN'S PAINTING
'POH' 2009
CENTRE: STROLLING TABLE, BY
LYN STEWART, FROM THE SALON
EXHIBITION

soap
box

Mandy Nolan

THE JOY
OF SOX

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

I am contemplating making a video called 'The Secret Life of Socks'. I want to know what happens. I want to look beyond the cliché of the missing sock and launch an investigation to discover where they actually go. They must be somewhere. They can't just disappear entirely. I've sewn tiny micro cameras into the toe of each sock so I can find out just what they're up to. I am not

alone. It's not just my socks, it's my friends socks, my children's socks, my mother's socks. In every house in every street is a drawer full of lone socks. These are the socks that remain.

A lone sock is pointless. Last count, I have 54 lone socks. I don't throw them out. I keep them just in case. I suppose it's cruel to keep their hopes up. They lie in wait, like war widows waiting for a soldier who will never return. I'm thinking of setting up a RSVP website for lone socks looking for their sockmate. Imagine the profiles: '16 year old tartan walk sock seeks partner, preferably cotton blend with reinforced heel. Likes bushwalks, tennis and curling up in a ball.'

When M. Sock Peck wrote 'The Sock Less Travelled' I believe he was talking about the sock who stays behind. The sock that likes to play it safe.

The sock that stays is not a risk taker. It's a scaredy sock, hiding up the back of the sock drawer in its lonely unmatched shame. Socks start out monogamous, entwined in a ball with their identical life partner. To the outsider it's like a marriage of souls.

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

The other sock wants to watch TV and wear fluffy slippers.

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

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

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THE JAZZ KANARIES,
JULY 30,
THE MURWILLUMBAH
JAZZ CLUB GREENHILLS

CHESS by Ian Rogers
Play at Seagulls Club, Thurs 6-10pm
At the Najdorf Memorial tournament in Warsaw, Tomek Rej, 24, seems to be on the way to a Grandmaster 'norm', his first step on the path to securing Australia's sixth Grandmaster title. In the first four rounds, Rej, seeded only 39th, beat two solid Grandmasters and drew with – and should have beaten – the second seed Bartlomiej Maciej. Rej, from Sydney, is not even an International Master, which makes his Warsaw performance all the more remarkable.
Rej has travelled to Europe to compete in a series of five high level tournaments over the next two months. He declared that his intention was to return home



White to play and set a trap

with the International Master title; he has the required IM 'norms' but needed a big increase in world ranking. However, after his first event he may have to recalibrate his ambitions.
Rej's best achievement was the following remarkable swindle in a position many would have given up as lost.
Warsaw 2010
White: T Rej
Black: K Jakubowski
Opening: Sicilian Defence
1.e4 c5 2.Nf3 e6 3.d4 cxd4 4.Nxd4 a6 5.Nc3 d6 6.Be3 b5 7.Qd2 Nf6 8.f3 Nbd7 9.0-0 Bb7 10.g4 Nb6 11.Qf2 Nfd7 12.e5?! By now Rej had used an hour on his clock, a dear sign that he was unfamiliar with the opening. He finds a creative sacrificial idea but unluckily one which has already been tried and found wanting. 12...b4 12...dxe5 13.Ndx5! axb5 14.Bxb5 was Rej's idea but after 14...Nd5 Black would be fine. 13.Ne4 dxe5 14.Nxe6! fxe6 15.Rd6! Creative play, but Jakubowski reacts well. 15...Nd5! 16.Rxe6+ Kf7 17.Ng5+ Kg8 18.Bc4 Rc8! 19.b3 Qa5! (See diagram) At first sight Rej has nothing for his sacrificed material but now he finds what the tournament commentator described as 'a satanic trick'. 20.Qe2! Qxa2? Falling into Rej's trap. After 20...Rxc4! 21.bxc4 (21.Qxc4 Nxe3) 21...Qa3+ Black's counter-attack would have prevailed. 21.Rxa6!! The most beautiful move of the tournament', said the commentator. Unfortunately for Jakubowski his queen is lost because after 21...Bxa6, 22.Bxd5 is checkmate! 21...Rxc4 22.Rxa2 Rc3 23.Bd2 Nc5 24.Kb2 h5 25.Bxc3 bxc3+ 26.Kb1 hxc4 27.Qxe5 gxf3 28.Qe8 1-0

Bellingen Global Carnival

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THEATRE
Engine theatre production
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Engine is a theatrical feat – two actors on stage playing seven different characters.
This production is performance based and is a highly charged event about family, community and cars. Every performance will embrace a chorus of students from local high schools

which is a unique collaboration. The play features Bob Baines (from TV's 'Home and Away') and Melanie Zanetti, with students from Kadina, Richmond River, Mullumbimby, Coffs Harbour, Dorrigo and Wollumbin High Schools. Engine was written by Janis Bauldis and is directed By Julian Louis. **Murwillumbah Civic and Cultural Centre, August 10, 11.**

SERENITY OF LIFE EXHIBITION
LYNNE HUDSON AUGUST 1,
D'BAR GALLERY, COOLANGATTA



Serenity of Life Exhibition

August 1 to September 30.
D'Bar Gallery, 275 Boundary Street, Coolangatta. For more visit www.lynnehudson.com

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The Rotary Club of Murwillumbah is again sponsoring the **Annual Art Exhibition** in conjunction with the **55th Tweed Banana Festival**, starting **August 1**. The exhibition will be officially opened on Tuesday August 17, preceded by drinks and nibbles commencing at 7pm. This will allow public viewing and the opportunity for the patrons to mix freely with some of the artists. We would hope that all the artists exhibiting will be able to attend the opening. Works can be delivered to the **Jesse McMillan Hall, Wollumbin Street, Murwillumbah**. (opposite KFC) between 9:30am and 1pm on Monday August 16. This venue will provide an excellent location where all exhibits will be displayed to their fullest advantage. A catalogue will be prepared to assist buyers and the public to identify the various works.



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GIG GUIDE

THURSDAY 29

TWEED

- CLUB BANORA, BANORA POINT 6PM **CORY HARGREAVES**
- CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB 5.30PM **GLENN BRACE**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB VEENIE'S – **JUST THE TICKET**
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 11AM **LIVE MUSIC**

GOLD COAST

- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 6PM **JAHBUTU**
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 8PM **UNIVERSE STUDENT NIGHT FEAT. SPARKZ DUO & DJ FREQ - E**
- GOLD COAST ARTS CENTRE, 7PM **BEN WINKELMAN TRIO - THE SPANISH TINGE, UNPLUGGED IN THE BASEMENT - STONEMASON**
- KIRRA SPORTS CLUB, 7.30PM **OPEN MIC NIGHT**

BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, **THE HARD ONS**
- BEACH HOTEL, 8.30PM **THE LITTLE STEVIES**
- THE RAILS, 6.30PM **CLAY & DAN**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 7PM **OPEN MIC NIGHT WITH MATTY DEVITT**
- LALA LAND, **AND OH! & BUZZ**
- LIQUID, 10PM **PSYCHOTROPIC**
- ORIENT EXPRESS, **MATT CONNOLLY**
- BYRON ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE 7PM **CIRCUS ARTS SHOWCASE**
- COCOMANGAS, **THIRSTY THURSDAY**
- THE PETIT SNAIL, 7PM **MICK'S SASHIMI BAND**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 6PM **ANNA VAN RIEL**
- MULLUMBIMBY RSL 7PM **MULLUMBERRY JAM**

FRIDAY 30

TWEED

- CABARITA BEACH BAR & GRILL, 8.30PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- CABARITA BEACH SPORTS CLUB 7.30PM **SUGARFOOT**
- CUDGEN LEAGUES CLUB 7.30PM **MATTY BARKER**
- CLUB BANORA, BANORA POINT 7.30PM **SONIIQ DUO**
- IMPERIAL HOTEL, M'BAH 8PM **BILL JACOBI**
- GREENHILLS ON TWEED, RIVER ST, SOUTH MURWILLUMBAH 6PM **THE JAZZ KANARIES**, 8.30PM **JAMES T & THE TOMAHAWKS F**
- KINGSCLIFF BEACH HOTEL, 9.30PM **DARREN MARLOW**
- LUFFLEY CAFE 6:30PM **ROOM UPSTAIRS**
- MURWILLUMBAH HOTEL 9PM **DJ HERVE**
- MURWILLUMBAH SERVICES MEMORIAL CLUB 6.30PM **FRANK SPENCER TRIBUTE**
- POTTSVILLE BEACH SPORTS CLUB 7PM **JACKIE MCDONALD**
- SALT BAR, KINGSCLIFF, 7PM **LETS BE FRANK**
- STOKERS SIDING HALL 7.30PM **GREENS FUNDRAISING CONCERT W MANDY NOLAN, GEOFF MORLEY, DAVO MURRAY, BB SYMES & FRIENDS**
- TWEED TAVERN (THE ROUND HOUSE), MURWILLUMBAH 8PM **DJ CONNECTION AND DUTCH**
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 11AM **LIVE MUSIC** 8.30PM **THE WICKETY WAK YEARS**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB

GOLD COAST

- BURLEIGH HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6.30PM **DAVO**
- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 7.30PM **AKASA**
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 3PM **SIMON MEOLA** 9PM **THE HARD ONS**
- COOLANGATTA SANDS HOTEL 9PM **FATHOM, DJ TALLIE**
- CURRUMBIN RSL 7:30PM **HUSSY HICKS & ANARCHIST DUCK WITH ISAAC PADDON**
- ELSEWHERE BAR, 10PM **ELECTRIC BOOGIE SHOW**
- IVORY TAVERN 8PM **DJ**
- THE ELEPHANT ROCK CAFE, CURRUMBIN 7PM **TIM STOKES**
- GOLD COAST ARTS CENTRE 8PM **COMEDY IN THE BASEMENT - DOUG CHAPPEL**
- TUGUN BOWLS CLUB, 8PM **LIVE MUSIC**

BYRON

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

SATURDAY 31

TWEED

- AUSTRALIAN HOTEL MURWILLUMBAH 8.30PM **NITESTAR**
- CABARITA BEACH SPORTS CLUB 7.30PM **PAUL ATKINS DUO**
- CABARITA BEACH BAR & GRILL, 8PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- CLUB BANORA, BANORA POINT 8PM **WAYNE VITALE**
- CHINDERAH TAVERN 3PM **DAVE TONKS**
- IMPERIAL HOTEL, M'BAH 7.30PM **KARAOKE**
- KINGSCLIFF BEACH HOTEL, 8.30PM **CHAD**
- KINGSCLIFF BEACH BOWLS CLUB 7.30PM **HAPPY DAZE KARAOKE**
- MURWILLUMBAH HOTEL 9PM **BROADFOOT**
- MURWILLUMBAH SERVICES MEMORIAL CLUB 7.30PM **TREVOR RICKS**
- MURWILLUMBAH BOWLS CLUB, **JAMES T AND THE TOMAHAWKS (ST PATRICK COLLEGE BENEFIT)**
- POTTSVILLE BEACH SPORTS CLUB 6PM **GEOFF DUTTON**
- SALTBAR BEACHBAR AND

GOLD COAST

- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 6PM **GREG DOOLAN SHOW**
- BURLEIGH HEADS BOWLS CLUB 1PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 2PM 8PM **FAT FREDDYS DROP**
- CURRUMBIN RSL 1:30PM **THE CHEVROLETS**
- ELSEWHERE BAR, 8PM **ROYALE SUNDAY**
- IVORY TAVERN, TWEED HEADS

BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, **ISAAC PADDON & THE TIDES**
- BEACH HOTEL, 9.30PM **DIRTY LAUNDRY**
- THE RAILS, 6.30PM **LOREN BAND**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 7PM **MATTY WOOD WITH SUPPORT**
- LALA LAND, **EASY P & MILES JUNIOR**
- LIQUID, **H2O DAVE C, SAGEY, FOXXY**
- COCOMANGAS, MAIN ROOM **DJ QC, LOUNGE BAR DJ CARL WALKER**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 7PM **PASSION FLAMENCO**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 7.30PM **THE KELLY GANG**
- MULLUMBIMBY RSL 8.15PM **LEGEND**

SUNDAY 1

TWEED

- CHINDERAH TAVERN, 2PM **TIM STOKES**
- CLUB BANORA, 11.30AM **DANIELLE & IAN MCLEOD** 12.30PM **GLENN BRACE**
- CABARITA BEACH BAR AND GRILL 2PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- POTTSVILLE BEACH SPORTS CLUB 4PM **DEAN GRAY**
- RIVERVIEW HOTEL, M'BAH 2PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- THE ROUNDHOUSE TAVERN, M'BAH 2PM **CABOOSE**
- SPHINX ROCK CAFE, MT BURRELL 1PM **CHOCOLATE STRINGS**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 5PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 2PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- NIMBIN SCHOOL OF ARTS, 7PM **POETRY WORLD CUP**

GOLD COAST

- BURLEIGH BEARS LEAGUES CLUB 6PM **GREG DOOLAN SHOW**
- BURLEIGH HEADS BOWLS CLUB 1PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 2PM 8PM **FAT FREDDYS DROP**
- CURRUMBIN RSL 1:30PM **THE CHEVROLETS**
- ELSEWHERE BAR, 8PM **ROYALE SUNDAY**
- IVORY TAVERN, TWEED HEADS

BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, **HARRY HEALY**
- THE RAILS, 6.30PM **APRIL MAZE**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **BRACKETS JAM NIGHT**
- BALLINA RSL 6PM **SASSY SALSA W LAYLA & TIM**
- STARCOURT THEATRE, LISMORE 6PM **ST KILDA SHORT FILM FESTIVAL**

TUESDAY 3

TWEED

- MURWILLUMBAH HOTEL 7PM **JAM NIGHT**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6.30PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 11AM **LIVE MUSIC**

BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, **HARRY HEALY**
- THE RAILS, 6.30PM **APRIL MAZE**
- BANGALOW HOTEL 7.30PM **BRACKETS JAM NIGHT**
- BALLINA RSL 6PM **SASSY SALSA W LAYLA & TIM**
- STARCOURT THEATRE, LISMORE 6PM **ST KILDA SHORT FILM FESTIVAL**

WEDNESDAY 4

TWEED

- CLUB BANORA, TWEED HEADS, 6PM **SHANDELL**
- TWEED HEADS BOWLS CLUB 6.30PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- TWIN TOWNS CLUBS & RESORTS 11AM **THE DRIFTERS**

GOLD COAST

- COOLANGATTA HOTEL 8PM **LIVE MUSIC**
- GREENMOUNT BEACH CLUB 7PM **DOWNBEAT JAZZ**

BYRON

- HOTEL GREAT NORTHERN, **ELI WOLFE**
- BEACH HOTEL, 4.30PM **THE MATTY DEVITT BAND** 8PM **DJ BEATDUSTER**
- THE RAILS, 6PM **SHINE**
- BYRON BAY BREWERY BUDDHA BAR 7PM **LEIGH JAMES**
- LALA LAND, **CAPTAIN KAINE & DISCO HOOKERS**
- ORIENT EXPRESS, 6PM **TOMMEE**
- BYRON MARKETS 10AM **THE ROMANIACS**
- TREEHOUSE, BELONGIL 6PM **ARA BIOTA & BEAU YOUNG**
- CHAMELEON GLOBAL CAFE, 6PM **TRADITIONAL IRISH MUSIC**
- BELONGIL BEACH CAFE 12.30PM **MICK'S SASHIMI BAND**
- HOTEL BRUNSWICK 4-8PM **SUNDAY SESSIONS WITH ROUND MOUNTAIN GIRLS**

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Taylor outside the seaway



David Solano

I started my fishing weekend on Sunday morning 2am at the Maritime Museum, fishing the tide all the way up to Boyds Bay Bridge.

The time was about 4.30am so I anchored off the 6 knot sign where I often get a few small flathead. I caught nothing, not even a bite.

As the sun rose and the tide started to push in I headed

home, fishing the banks all the way. One rod had a soft plastic and the other a hard bodied lure enabling me to fish deep or shallow.

Just after the Kennedy Drive boat ramp, there is a jetty and a little further along is a great spot where the water really gets moving and a lot of food is thrown around in the current.

Here I caught five legal bream in an hour, all on the

hard bodied lure. Wow! Two weeks ago in the Bream Tournament I caught three legals in two days, but I guess that's fishing. One of the bream caught on Sunday was a 31cm horse.

I arrived home after pulling up the yak around PKG's and going over land with wheels. The end of my fishing day? Not!

My neighbour invited me to go outside on his boat and I jumped at the opportunity, so while Tom drove to the tackle shop I swapped my light gear for some heavier stuff.

On one rod I had a big metal slug and on the other a 7" gulp minnow in the new penny colour rigged with a 1/2oz TT jig head.

This was new territory for me as I've never been outside of the Tweed seaway before.

I was blown away at how little Fingal Headland looked from Fido's and the stunning view of Cook Island looking so wild and rough. I was in awe.

As far as the fish went I ended up with eight tailor, which were caught casting the slug at the sand pumping jetty.

I'm not the only one having a great time fishing – I got this great photo of my mate Richard Creighton from the Sunshine coast, who caught this great fish behind the Tweed Heads hospital.

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

Kingscliff triathlon with extras



The local community of Kingscliff are opening its coastal town once again to the Triathlon world – with the rising of the sun on Sunday September 26, over 1000 participants will converge on the shores of Kingscliff to participate in the Kids, Tempta sprint or Olympic triathlon.

Three additional events have been included in the program: Saturday 'King Ride' a 50km social ride leaving Marine Parade 6.15am; the 'Cudgen Creek Swim Dash' on Saturday and the Saturday morning 5km Fun Run leaving Marine Parade at 9am.

Entries are now open for the Triathlon with more information at www.qsmsports.com. Fields are strictly limited so get your entry in now to avoid disappointment.

SPORT RESULTS

BOWLS

Cabarita Beach Women

27.07.10 Social Bowls - Winning Rink - Barbara Minto, Cath Lynch, Judith Tuckey. Consolation - Norma Gouge, Patricia Taylor, Judy Jones.

Raffles - Coral McCaughan, Patsy Pilcher. Monthly Raffle - Doreen Tilbury.

Cabarita Beach Men

Club Championship Results.

Open Pairs Final I Turnbull & P Schofield 28 def G Goode & E Carsley 7.

Open Triples D Crow, B Griffiths & R Mills 24 def A Jones, T Cox & J Rannie 17. P Welsh, L Shepherd & D Perez 29 def Woody, D Vegter & M Terare. B Rae, B Venner & I Crabb 29 def R Watkins, I Turnbull & P Schofield. M Morgan, L Freeman & C Klaverstyn 25 def B Laybutt, N Ambrose & A Latif 24.

21/7/10 Winners R Tonkin & J Hay. r/up M Howarde & M Mettucci cons L Pigglett & S Breccard.

24/7/10 Sat Social Winners A Jones, E Stenner & L McLeod. Cons Y Hawkey, V Harman & L King.

26/7/10 Winners L Arthur & K Stanley, r/up B Griffiths & W Parr, cons B Laybutt & A Latif.

Condong Cane Toads

Sunday 25th cane toads 22 members held there A G M and the new president is Ron Fuller. After a game was played Winners A Crombie, J Crombie, K Dawson, R/ups B McLennan, B McLennan, R Fuller. Raffle won by P Rannie, M Bramby, R Fuller. Coming events next game 15th August 9-30 start after BBQ lunch.

Condong Ladies

Two singles championship games played today, M.Sweetnam def, E.Hunt. R.Ross def, K.Cusack. Next Tuesday 3-8-10, M.Sweetnam to play R.Ross, marker K.Cusack.

J.Glasby to play B.Mullen, marker P.Flack. Social results, J.Glasby and R.Thorley def, P.Flack and M.Stanfield. Winning rink was won Tuesday by J.Glasby and

R.Thorley. Comp winner was M.Hinde.

Condong Men

Wednesday 21 st 36 bowlers Winners Sparrow, J Miller, P Pluis r/ups L Whyllie, K Hall, R Pilon. Raffle J Ross, L Muir, J Ross. Friday 3 bowl pairs 8 teams played winners W Tjhelan, P Pluis r/ups R Fredericks C Pawlak. Saturday Condong held a pennant Trial with Kingscliff 48 bowlers and 24 bowlers from Banora Point Open singles played D Lucan def T Martain. D Lucan 31 def S Massey 24. Shane Knight def R Kaehler. Open pairs T Needs, N Johnson def R Nelson, D Cowan. W Chisholm, S Massey def G Miller(sub) J Miller. S Reading, P Martain def P Messing, C Pawlak.

Cudgen Leagues Ladies

Results as follows – winners – lead E Wilkinson, 2nd J Lawson, skip M Mc Crindle. Friendship – lead L Ryan, 2nd B Boorman, skip H Wylie. Raffles – J Wotherspoon, M Chisholm, N Love, L Ryan x 2, M McCrindle, I Nipperess, R Evans, B Boorman. Congratulations everyone.

Cudgen Leagues Men

Mon Mixes Mufti 19/7/10 Winners: R.East, J.East, R.Lowe

Wed. Mens Mufti 21/7/10 Winners – F.Pieterse, J.Hazell, B.Bell Losing Rink D.Lowe, P.Smith, T.Grimes

Sat. Mens Whites 24/7/10 Winners: F.Pieterse, J.Hazell, B.Bell Runners Up V.Schiemer, M.Ryan, F.McConnell

1st Round Winners: Brian Moore, J.Neal, Bill Moore. 2nd Round Winners: R.Allen, J.Clarke, A.Jarvis. Keno Winners C.Klaverstyn, R.Hutchinson, R.Allen. Winner of Losers: K.Hansen, R.McIntosh, S.Archbold. Bradmans: R.Matthews, T.Conlon, J.Tom

Championships Major Pairs --- F.Pieterse, J.Hazell 26 def V.Schiemer, M.Ryan 11

Kingscliff Ladies

Wednesday 21st July 2010. Social Bowls results, Winners Rink 11 A.Wonka/D. Jones, Rink 20. D.Greenwell/N. Sherlock/I. Fuller. R/U. Rink 12,

D.James/A.Carruthers/B.Mirls. Raffle Winners 1st Prize M.McCrindle/ 2nd. K.Snare.

Kingscliff Men

Social Bowls Results: Thursday 22nd July: Winners: T Dimmock, H Hockey, O Simpson; B Harris, H Azzopardi, I Smith; B Jones, K Davey, B Henry. Plate Winners: D Clark, R Norris, J Berry. Saturday 24th July: Winners: A Bousie, G Gow, J Smits. Plate Winners: W Ritzau, R Power, G Blackman. Tuesday 27th July: Winners: K Banks, T Hills. Runners Up: M Von Runt, M Von Runt. Plate Winners: V Lewis, M James.

Pottsville Ladies

Thursday July 22. Winners: G.Moore & P.Thorburn. Runner Up: J.Appleton, Lottie Taylor & J.Richards. Lucky Bowler: E.Macdonald

Pottsville Men

Weekly Results

Wednesday 21st July 2010. Winners: B. Brown – D. Clark – J. Field. Runners-Up: B. Wilson – K. Newby G. Reading Consolation.

Friday 23rd July 2010 Winners: I. Richie – J. Boyd. Runners-Up: P. Field – R. Appleton. Consolation

Saturday 24th July 2010 Winners: L. Swift – G. Reading. Runners-Up: B. McKay – D. Dever Consolation.

Championships

Event: Major Singles Final Winner: Greg Sawtell. Score: 31 -- 28. Loser: Steve Piggott. Des Dever 02 6676 3770.

Tweed Heads Ladies

Veteran Triples Final

Alice Plowright Alison Ebsworth Rae Davies Def Josie Ryan Marina Jarick Dawn Fysh

Dodsley Shield – Leigh Rayward Def Jason Neville

Wednesday Pairs

F. Martin P. Dearlove def P. Mann J. Finney (on ends) M. Cooper E. Simpson def L. Elsey P. Griffiths. N. Bolte M. Little def M. Bowler B. Halsall, B. Bradley L.A. French def J. Clark S. Goldsmith (on ends) S. Lusby J. Roche def D. Duncan J. Gilroy, G. Horlock W. West def A. Morris-

sey V. Neill R.Clutterbuck J. Kuchel def P. Clarke F. Hewitt, D. Stewart P. Southern def V. Cunningham B. Bryant, R. Davies C. Murphy M. Purcell def V Philpot J. Tomlin L. Vidulich.

Thursday Social

Y.Waddington A. Shipway def C. Keane J. Redman, K. Henshaw B. Carey P. Henderson def E. Deimel D. Matteucci V. Gibbs. P. Mann S. Hanlon M. Higgins J. Finney def .K Figurs D. Kendall V. Robinson V Philpot. D. Stewart S. Lusby J. Roche S. Goldsmith def M. Kelly M. Gwynne S. Hambleton N. Dowling. N. Craig B. Coles J. Ryman N. Matheson def J. Patton P. Nelson K. Davies B. Adams. M. Axford C. Davis A. Harris J. Pearce def M. Croghan E. Titmarch M. Baxter J. Fisher

B. Everson G. Darcy B. Orchard B. Bitmead def J. Stebbing A. Vermeulen V. Pridham M. Crane. B. Rodger B. Griggs N. Wise S. Ganter def G. Evans D. Kerwitz D. Evans R. van deer Beck

Tweed Heads Men

Championships:

Preliminary Round: Bernie Fletcher d. Mario Liberatore 25/6; Peter Goldsmith d. Jon Bosisto 25/20; John Parker-Smith d. John Griffiths 25/17.

Round 1: Rick Gammon d. Chas Turner 25/14. Carlo Campana d. Alex Mason 25/11: Balance of Round 1 played

Carnival:

Social Results:

Sun 18 July – Green 1: Lena & Alan Hurrey, Jack & Wendy West r/up: Mary & Bob Rorrison, Pam & Tony Govett.

Green 2: Geoff & Jean Green, Pauline & Tony Houghton; r/up: Shirley & Allen Stanley, Jan & Ian Tynan.

Green 3: Brenda & John LeBoeuf, Brenda & Peter Betton; r/up: Wendy & Peter Saville, Josie & Pat Ryan.

Tues 20 July

Winners – Men – Jed Hambleton, Graham O'Bryne, Peter Howell, Tom Kelly; Roy Nixon, Val McGrath, Laurie Lennox, Kevin Parks; r/up: Col Elsey, Lol Sables, Ted Hellyer, Jack Blagbrough; John Brabham, Geoff Turner, Tom Reeves, Stan Nicol

Winners – Ladies

Wed 21 July: – Random Rink Draw.

Green 1: John Burden, Max Reiter; r/up: Kevin Bowler, Gordon Halsall.

Green 2: Bill Boyle, Ken Schmidt; r/up: Clem Jones, Brian Scrase.

Green 3: Maurice Redfern, Jeff Badger, Les Wurth, Dick Myler; r/up: John Reardon, Barry Matheson.

Green 4: John Asser, Ron Sturrock; r/up: Errol Perkins, Ron Hodsdon.

Indoor Green: Frank McPhillips, Carlo Campana; r/up: C. Hicks, Graham Simpson.

Fri 23 July:

Green 1: George Harwood, Norm Pickering, Alan Stephen; r/up: Geoff Green,

George Kendall, Dennis Agnew.

Green 2: Brian Newcombe, John Asser, Ron Sturrock; r/up: Cliff Dury, Fred Fry, Ken Scott.

Green 3: Len Harrison, Peter Goldsmith, Keith Goldsmith; r/up: Brian Bevan, Fred Peel, Mike Nedjati.

Sat 24 July: AA & TT Saturday Jackpot

Green 1: Jean & Bill Finney; r/up: Ray Carter, Max Reiter.

Green 2: Jim O'Neill, Don McDonald, Frank McPhillips, Brian Neill; r/up: G. Murray, Norm Trinder, N. Sutherland.

Green 3: Colleen Graver, Maurie Redfern, Bill Grose; r/up: Geoff Scowan, Gary Clarkson, Des Murrell

Green 4: Janet & Victor Kucher; r/up: Scott & Dennis Agnew.

Tweed Heads Tourers

Last Sunday winners were Francis Hewitt, Gary Hewitt & Frank McPhillips.

DARTS

Tweed Valley

Results of games played 26th July 2010. A Grade Jokers 13 def Cgulls 2, Blues 12 def Lions 3 and no result from Hogan's Heroes v Gulls game.

B Grade Devils 7 def We're Back 4, Tigers 10 def Sharks 1 and Leftovers 10 def Duck Offs 1.

Point Score subject to confirmation. A Grade Jokers 37, Blues 29, Cgulls 16, Lions 13, Hogan's Heroes 12 and Gulls 11. B Grade Devils 23, Tigers 22, Leftovers 21, We're Back 13, Duck Offs 12 and Sharks 8.

GOLF

Chinderah Seniors Social

Results for Thursday 22/7/10 Stroke Winner A grade Ton Hyde net 55 new h/cap 10. R/up Shirley Featherstone net 60 (c/back) new h/cap 9.

Winner B grade John Lees net 53 new h/cap 14. R/up Mick Durrant net 55 new h/cap 16.

Winner C grade Marcia Edmunds net 50 new h/cap 40. R/up Dot Chilcott net 52 new h/cap 26

Ball rundown to net 58

Results for Monday 26/7/10 Stroke & Monthly Medal. Winner Monthly Medal Ted Robinson.

Winner A grade Pat Flanagan net net 57 new h/cap 8. R/up Chris Hassall net 58 new h/cap 8.

Winner B grade Geoff Mobbs net 56 (c/back) new h/cap 14. R/up John Newton net 56 (c/back) new h/cap 14.

Winner C grade Ted Robinson net 54 new h/cap 25. R/up Maree Platt net 55 new h/cap 32. Winner Putting Contest Ray Kenway 25 putts. Ball rundown to net 59.

Next event 2/8/2010 Stableford

Murwillumbah Golf Club

Sunday 18th Women's Winner F.Chadwick 36 pts Members S.Henderson 38 pts N.Pin F.Chadwick

& N.Anderson Monday 12th Vets Mixed & Members 4.B.BB. Stableford .Winner M.Parkes & W.Barton 48 pts R.Up J.Selvey & R.Masiar 46 pts c.b Members Winners A.fraser & R.Warson 49 pts R.Up R.Owens & K.Gent 47 pts N.Pin 2nd R.Kent 8th L.Anderson & W.Haigh 10th M.Parkes & W.Barton 14th F.Selwood & F.Berg B.R.D to Mixed 42 pts c.b Members 45 pts c.b Wednesday 21st Canadian 2 Stroke Winners J.Bertrams & M.Thomas 66.5 R.Up P.Van Trier & C.Hindmarch 67.37 N.Pin 2nd J.Harris 8th J.Harris 10th S.Steen 14th F.Berg B.R.D.to 71 c.b Thursday 22nd July A.Grade M.Reynolds 35 pts R.Up C.Waugh 34 pts B.Grade G.Swan 40 pts R.Up A.Wedlock 39 pts C.Grade J.Dobinson 41 pts R.Up V.Argall 39 pts N.Pin 2nd V.Ireland 8th G.Swan & D.Stafford 10th L.Anderson 14th J.Smith & D.Staford B.R.D to 32 pts c.b Friday G.Johnston 35 pts Saturday 24th 4.B.Aggregate .Winner G.Thompson & P.Coddington 78 nett R.Up K.Ker & F.Monement 77 nett N.Pin 2nd K.Stevens 8th B.Bartlett 10th. C.Read B.R.D to 68 nett c/b .

SHOOTING

Murwillumbah Pistol Club

21-July-10; Air pistol - A Uren 579, J Lumsden 571, L Coleman 561, A Berry 561. Ladies Air Pistol - L Coleman 406. 24-July-10; Standard Pistol - G Smith575, J Hocter 573, N Davis 569, J Blair 569, S Dundon 552, K Hansen 538, A Uren 537, J Lumsden 520, P Walsh 476, D Gazzard 471, A Dennison 436. Ladies Air Pistol - H Luna 381. Air Pistol - P Stupka 566, G Callaghan 559, P Hulme 530. For membership inquiries ring Anita on 6672 5716

Murwillumbah Rifle Club

Fullbore: Best off Rifle scores were, Fullbore W.Shoobridge 100.13 and Wayne Sunderland with 119 in Scope Class.

Scores: S.Dolan 95.10, 6, 101.10; W.Shoobridge 100.13, 0, 100.13; D.Phippard 100.12, 0, 100.12; A.Cronk 99.12, 0, 99.12; D.Chittick 98.6, 1, 99.6; S.Waddell 99.7, 0, 99.7; B.Barrett 94.6, 4, 98.6.Scope: B.Chittick 116, 5, 121; D.Hawkins 111, 9, 120; W.Sunderland 116, 3, 119; P.Weeks 112, 5, 117; P.Weeks 112, 5, 117; P.Loxley-Lewis 110, 6, 116; P.Pritchard 108, 8, 116; M.Small 93, 16, 109; E.McKeever 85, 20, 105. Smallbore: K.Thomson 396, 10, 406; A.Glover 392, 10, 402; G.MacMahon 378, 24, 402; N.Waugh 370, 31, 401; G.Johnston 376, 22, 398; W.Sunderland 395, 3, 398; W.Shoobridge 387, 11, 398; J.Logan 369, 28, 397; M.Small 368, 29, 397; D.Hawkins 386, 9, 395; J.Waugh 363, 31, 394; I.Mays 371, 21, 392; T.Lamb 379, 13, 392; A.Brown 361, 27, 388; B.Bugg 360, 27, 387.P. Darcy 344.

The Gold Coast and Tweed Croquet tournament held earlier this month, is an annual event that attracts national and international visitors. Kiwi competitor John McInnes enjoyed his tournament so much, he couldn't wait to tell us about it.

For a winter croquet visitor from New Zealand the first attraction is the weather. I played in daytime temperatures from 18–23°C. That's at least 10 degrees higher than early July at home and although we had one or two grey days, mostly the sun shone and the wind was hardly present. Lovely croquet playing weather.

The second attraction is that this is a well established, well run tournament. Playing here feels good.

The third attraction is the range of players. In the events in which I played, there were opponents from all around Australia and some from my own country.

A feature I noticed immediately is that the clubs on the Gold Coast are small – one, two or three lawns. That's a great pity. It's a contrast to the lower North Island in New Zealand where I live. There, though we have some small clubs, many have four or more lawns. My own club, Waimarie, in Wellington, has six. More lawns al-

low far more members to play a variety of games and allow tournaments such as this multi-event one on the Gold Coast to be more easily accommodated.

Croquet is such a wonderful sport I can't understand why local authorities here don't provide more space to croquet clubs. Bowls and golf clubs seem to be well accommodated but not croquet. For men and women of all ages, croquet is a wonderful activity. I think it's the best kept secret in sport.

The three commonly played croquet games (association croquet, golf croquet and ricochet) require skill not strength. Men and women can play each other, and play together, without facing a gender disadvantage. Players can start aged about 12 and go to 90. Some people I play have been in the game for 30 or 50 years or more.

Next July I hope to be back for another dose of Gold Coast croquet because I liked it so much. I wonder if I'll find that plans are underway for local clubs to have more lawns. I do hope so.

Anyone who requires information about Croquet please telephone Tweed Heads Croquet Club on 07 5536 7019. If you get the machine, please leave a message and they will get back to you.



Amanda and Apollo in 2007 – Amanda will sponsor two of the events, the Intermediate II and the Grand Prix at the dressage, in memory of her beloved Apollo who passed away.

Tweed Valley Equestrian Group will be hosting a very special weekend of Official Dressage Competition this weekend at the Murwillumbah Showgrounds.

Elite Dressage Squad and Performance Squad member Tor Van Den Berge from Biddaddaba on the Gold Coast, will be competing with two horses over the two days.

Tor will be riding beautiful Hanoverian Warmblood Stallion Lauries AS on Saturday in the Prix St Georges Test and Sunday in the Advanced Test. Tor is also bringing Brioni to compete in four test over the two days.

Riders competing over the two days are coming from as far as Nambour, Toowoomba, Coffs Harbour and the Tablelands.

The event will have high level Judges including Mary Seefried, one of Australia's top level judges who has judged at the Olympics coming. Mary will be there to adjudicate as the event will host levels from Preliminary to the highest and most difficult level of dressage tests, Grand Prix which is an Olympic standard dressage event.

Competition starts on Saturday morning with Kur, dressage to music, in Arena two, with the Novice Freestyle fol-

lowed by Elementary Freestyle, Grand Prix Freestyle and the Intermediate Freestyle.

Arena one will then start with the Preliminary Test, featuring 21 horses, arena three will host the Novice Test with 28 horses and arena four will stage the Elementary Test with 20 horses.

Over on arena two the Medium Test with 13 horses will be followed by Advanced Test, Intermediate II and Prix St Georges Test so the combined four rings will run total of 102 tests all day Saturday with the last ring finishing at 5pm, a full day of great spectator

Sunday will see competition start from 8.30 in both arena two in the Novice Test, followed by the Intermediate I Test and Grand Prix Test, and arena three with the Elementary Test and arena one at with the Medium Test followed by the Advanced Test. Eighty-six tests will be ridden on Sunday with the conclusion at approximately 2pm.

The entire weekend promises to be a great spectacle and the club welcome anyone to come and watch this excellent dressage event, entry is free. Contact numbers for more information about the event are, Kim on 0266 771496, Mandy on 0438 417186 or Keighley 0428 536 868.

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Alstonville Showground will be the venue for the Northern Rivers K9Sports Club's annual Dog Agility and Jumping competitions July 31-August 1, bringing over 80 dogs from Sydney, south-east Queensland and the Northern Rivers to Alstonville. Members of the public are welcome to drop by and watch these dogs and owners in action. Competition starts at 9am on Saturday and 8.30am on Sunday. For info call Janine on 0411 655 037.

Lung heart support group

Tweed Valley Huffers and Puffers and Dicky Tickers support group, a new group to support those in community with heart and lung problems. Open also to carers and partners. Meets on the second Thursday of the month, next one August 12, at Condong Bowls Club at 11am. For info call Di on 02 6672 4330 or Ron on 02 6676 1194.

Women's project

Nurtured Soul Project, creating a day for women to be nurtured, pampered, receive love and connect with local practitioners in the Tweed Valley/ Byron Shire. Women's Wellness Day on August 14 at Tweed Palliative Support house (Dulguigan) near Murwillumbah. All proceeds raised go to Tweed Palliative Support (helping cancer patients and carers) and for an Indigenous women's and children's community in the Great Sandy Desert (WA).

U3A

U3A Twin Towns Christmas in July raffle won by Betty Gregory. Our office moves to 4 Boyd St, Tugun on August 1 with a new telephone number 07 5534 7333, office hours remain 9am-noon, Mon to Fri. New members welcome.

U3A Tweed Coast is for everyone over 40 who is retired/semi-retired. The next forum is on Friday August 6, at 2pm at Kingscliff Uniting Church Hall. Guest speaker, educator and photographer John Pumpurs will talk on his work with frogs of the Tweed. Afternoon tea \$2. All welcome.

Stamp club

Twin Towns Stamp Club will meet at 7.30pm on Monday, August 2, at the HACC Hall, Heffron Street, Tweed Heads South, Visitors welcome. For info call 07 5598 7629.

Acappella choir

Voice Weavers, southern Gold Coast A'cappella Choir welcomes new members. We meet every Thursday night 6.30pm-8.30pm at St Peter's Church hall, cnr Dutton and Lanham Streets, Coolangatta. For info call Mary on 0411 861469 or Jan on 0408 311858

Garden clubs

The Murwillumbah and District Garden Club 33rd Garden Competition will be judged on August 31 and September 1. The competition is open to everyone who lives in the areas west of Murwillumbah, south to Crabbes Creek, Pottsville, Kingscliff, Fingal and all areas in between. Entry forms available from J H Williams Garden Centre, Mitre 10, Arkinda Garden Centre, Colour and Earth Nursery and Coastal Garden Club. Entries close on Friday, August 20. Entry is free and there are some great prizes for winners. For more info call Margaret on 02 6672 3782.

Tweed Coast Garden Association's next meeting is on August 5 from 1.30pm at the Cabarita Community Hall. There will be a special guest speaker. Members please bring something for the trading table and entries for the benching. Visitors and new members welcome to join us for afternoon tea and a chance to win the door prize. Entry is \$2. For info call 02 6676 4402.

Twin Towns and District Garden Club's August meeting is on Monday, August 9 at Tweed Heads Civic Centre. Guest speaker will be Queensland Council of Garden Clubs ambassador

Kath Stumer who will talk about growing Bouganvilleas in hanging baskets.

Entry \$3 which includes morning tea from 8.30am. Meeting starts at 9.30am. All the usual benching, lucky door and raffle prizes, library and plant sales.

Tweed Hospital

Tweed Hospital Auxiliary's next monthly meeting on will be held on August 2 in the Tweed Heads Civic Centre auditorium, at noon, followed by lunch. The AGM begins at 2pm. Guest speaker is Denis Pommer from the PCYC. Members don't forget to bring your lunch and a little something for afternoon tea with our guests. All welcome.

History association

Tweed Gold Coast Family History and Heritage Association will hold its AGM at South Tweed Sports Club, Minjungbal Drive, Sth Tweed Heads at 1.30pm, August 3. The AGM will be followed by a short talk from one of our members, Audrey Eldridge. For info call Noelene on 07 5599 8939.

Lupus syndrome

Lupus and Sjogren's Syndrome Gold Coast-Tweed Support Group Meeting will be held on Saturday, August 7, at LeMonde Café in the Kirra Surf building on the roundabout at Kirra, at 10am. Meet others with Lupus (SLE) and Sjogren's for a social chat. Some information will be on hand from the Lupus Association. New and past members welcome. For info call Kelly on 02 6676 2646 or email info@lupusnsw.org.au for more information.

Volunteering

Looking for a way to gain work experience, meet friends and/or contribute to your community? Volunteering could be your answer! Each week NORTEC Volunteering has approximately 200 volunteer positions available through community organisations in our region. For info on vacancies visit www.nortectld.com.au or call 02 6672 8288.

Family centre

The Family Centre is taking bookings now for a range of parenting and self-help courses. Numbers are limited so book early on 07 5524 8711. Detailed info on all our courses at www.the-familycentre.org.

Pottsville meet

The Pottsville Community Association will hold its AGM on July 27, at the Pottsville Community Hall at 7.45pm. If we are unable to fill all executive positions, then a special general meeting will be held five minutes after the AGM and the future of the association will be decided. For further info call Helen 02 66 76 2549 or Mike 02 6676 0994.

Parenting program

A popular parenting program to strengthen family relationships, this 3-week course aims at helping parents to stop poor behaviour, start positive behaviour and understand the nature of discipline and emotion coaching. Wednesdays, September 8, 15, 22 from 6pm-8pm at the Pottsville Beach Neighbourhood Centre. Couples encouraged to attend, limited child-minding available. For info call Angela at PBNC on 02 6676 4555.

Prostate cancer

The Prostate Cancer Foundation of Australia is having a conference at the Gold Coast Conference and Exhibition Centre at Broadbeach, August 6-8. The program will feature three full days of meetings, workshops and keynote addresses and will provide a unique learning experience on the diagnosis and treatment options in prostate cancer research. For info visit www.prostateawarenessaustralia.com

Playgroups

The Family Centre currently has places available in our Cabarita Tuesday and Murwillumbah Wednesday play-

groups which run from 9.30am-11.3am. To book call 07 5524 8711.

YWCA Encore Program

This free program is for women of any age, who have had breast cancer surgery at any time in their lives, using specifically designed floor and hydrotherapy exercises to relieve discomfort associated with surgery and treatment and reduce the risk of lymphoedema. The next 8 week program begins August 6 at the Tweed Regional Aquatic Centre, Murwillumbah. For further info call Ricarda 0420 925 353 or Sue 0408 795 095. Doctors approval required.

Probus club

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

Kingy playgroup

The Kingscliff Beach Babes Community Playgroup meets every Tuesday morning at 24 Kingscliff St, Kingscliff, for craft, songs, stories and free-play. All children 0-5 years and their caregivers are welcome. For info call Chantal 6674 2856.

Anti-miscarriage drug

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

VIEW clubs

Twin Towns Evening VIEW Club meets 2nd Wednesday of each month at Tweed Heads Bowls Club at 6.30pm. Women of all ages welcome. For info call Barbara on 07 5523 1057.

Twin Towns Day VIEW Club meets on the first Thursday of the month at South Tweed Sports Club, next meeting we celebrate Christmas in July, trading table and speaker, for info call Freda on 07 5524 1357.

Croquet

Tweed Heads Croquet play days are Monday 9am and on Thursday and Saturday from 9.30am. We also conduct golf croquet sessions on Tuesday from 2.30pm and on Thursday and

MONTHLY MARKETS

1st Sat

Brunswick Heads (02) 6628 4495

1st Sun

Banora Point Farmers' Market
0417 759 777

1st Sun

Byron Bay (02) 6680 9703

1st Sun

Pottsville (02) 6676 4555

1st Sun

Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714

2nd Sat

Kingscliff (02) 6674 0827

2nd Sun

The Channon (02) 6688 6433

2nd Sun

Chillingham 0437 041 023

2nd Sun

Lennox Head (02) 6672 2874

2nd Sun

Coolangatta (07) 5533 8202

2nd Sun

Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714

3rd Sat

Mullumbimby (02) 6684 3370

3rd Sat

Murwillumbah Cottage Markets
0417 759 777

3rd Sun

Ballina (02) 6687 4328

3rd Sun

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Nimbin (02) 6689 0000

3rd Sun

Pottsville (02) 6676 4555

3rd Sun

Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714

3rd Sun

Uki (02) 6679 9026

4th Sat

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4th Sun

Bangalow (02) 6687 1911

4th Sun (in 5 Sun month)

Coolangatta
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4th Sun

Murwillumbah 0422 565 168

4th Sun

Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714

5th Sun

Nimbin (02) 6689 0000

5th Sun

Tweed Heads (07) 5599 1714

FARMERS MARKETS

Each Sat

8-11am

Bangalow (02) 6687 1137

Each Thu

8-11am

Byron Bay (02) 6687 1137

Each Tue

New Brighton (02)6684 5390

Each Sat

8am-1pm

Uki (02) 6679 5438

Saturday from 1pm. All welcome to come and try. Phone 07 5599 1611 for more info or just come to the lawns at 39 Recreation Street, Tweed Heads on any play day.

Coolangatta Croquet Club, Lanham St invites you to a free lesson at 9.30am any Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday or 1pm Sunday.

Murwillumbah Croquet Club play days are: Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. For more info on free introductory lessons, call the club on 02 6672 2064.

Pensioner food

Are you a struggling pensioner? Then there is free food at the iBar, Wharf St, Tweed Heads on a **Wednesday** at 12.30pm. Any pensioner welcome. More donations needed. Call Terri 0414 376 057.

Friday: for aged pensioners, at the Ibar, Fridays 9-30am-1pm. Call Thelma on 07 5536 3037 for donating food.

Alcoholics anonymous

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

Exit International

Meetings on end of life choices. For info call Elaine on 07 5535 1151.

Lifeball

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

Family night

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

Scrapbooking

Scrapbooking group 4Her meets every Wednesday at 10am at Christian

Outreach Centre, Prince Street, Murwillumbah. All welcome, bring your own photos, classes available, morning tea provided. For info call Elaine on 6672 1571.

Red Cross

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

PCYC markets

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

Free meals

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

Landcare volunteers

Friends of Wollumbin (FOW) Landcare group are looking for more people to help with the Byangum Community Tweed Riverbank Restoration Project. Volunteers meet the first Saturday of the month from 8am to 1pm to plant trees on the banks of the Tweed River on Kyogle Road, one kilometre south of Byangum Bridge. For further info call Marcia on 6672 8146 or email podge@netspace.net.au.

Kids helpline

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

Community exchange

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

● Third quarter		August 3		14:59		AUGUST 2010 Astronomical data and tides	
● New moon		August 10		13:08			
● First quarter		August 17		04:14			
● Full moon		August 25		03:05			
Day of month	Sun rise	Sun set	Moon rise	Moon set	High tide, height (m)		Low tide, height (m)
1	S 0629	1715	2240	0926	1210, 1.40		0545, 0.46; 1808, 0.63
2	M 0628	1715	2336	0958	0004, 1.32; 1256, 1.40		0623, 0.51; 1904, 0.67
3	T 0628	1716		1034	0055, 1.23; 1348, 1.42		0707, 0.55; 2014, 0.68
4	W 0627	1717	0033	1116	0159, 1.15; 1447, 1.45		0800, 0.59; 2132, 0.65
5	T 0626	1717	0133	1204	0314, 1.11; 1551, 1.52		0902, 0.59; 2245, 0.56
6	F 0625	1718	0234	1259	0430, 1.13; 1653, 1.63		1019, 0.56; 2346, 0.44
7	S 0625	1718	0333	1402	0535, 1.20; 1749, 1.75		1111, 0.49
8	S 0624	1719	0428	1509	0630, 1.28; 1842, 1.87		0038, 0.31; 1207, 0.41
9	M 0623	1719	0518	1620	0721, 1.37; 1932, 1.96		0125, 0.20 ; 1300, 0.32
10	T 0622	1720	0604	1730	0810, 1.46; 2021, 2.00		0211, 0.11 ; 1354, 0.25
11	W 0621	1720	0645	1839	0858, 1.54; 2110, 1.96		0255, 0.07 ; 1447, 0.22
12	T 0620	1721	0724	1947	0946, 1.60; 2200, 1.86		0340, 0.08 ; 1542, 0.22
13	F 0620	1721	0802	2054	1036, 1.63; 2249, 1.71		0423, 0.13 ; 1638, 0.27
14	S 0619	1722	0840	2200	1126, 1.63; 2342, 1.52		0507, 0.22 ; 1737, 0.34
15	S 0618	1723	0919	2305	1218, 1.61		0552, 0.32; 1840, 0.43
16	M 0617	1723	1002		0037, 1.34; 1315, 1.58		0640, 0.44; 1951, 0.50
17	T 0616	1724	1048	0008	0141, 1.19; 1417, 1.54		0732, 0.53; 2111, 0.54
18	W 0615	1724	1138	0109	0256, 1.10; 1526, 1.52		0834, 0.60; 2228, 0.54
19	T 0614	1725	1231	0205	0415, 1.08; 1632, 1.53		0943, 0.62; 2331, 0.50
20	F 0613	1725	1326	0256	0520, 1.12; 1730, 1.56		1045, 0.60
21	S 0612	1726	1422	0342	0611, 1.18; 1817, 1.60		0020, 0.45; 1140, 0.55
22	S 0611	1726	1518	0422	0651, 1.24; 1858, 1.63		0059, 0.40; 1226, 0.50
23	M 0610	1727	1612	0458	0728, 1.29; 1933, 1.65		0132, 0.36; 1306, 0.46
24	T 0609	1727	1706	0531	0800, 1.34; 2006, 1.65		0203, 0.33; 1344, 0.43
25	W 0608	1728	1758	0601	0833, 1.38; 2039, 1.62		0233, 0.32; 1419, 0.42
26	T 0607	1728	1849	0630	0905, 1.42; 2111, 1.58		0301, 0.32; 1456, 0.41
27	F 0606	1729	1941	0659	0938, 1.45; 2144, 1.52		0330, 0.33; 1533, 0.42
28	S 0605	1729	2034	0729	1012, 1.47; 2218, 1.44		0358, 0.35; 1614, 0.45
29	S 0604	1730	2129	0800	1048, 1.48; 2256, 1.35		0428, 0.39; 1656, 0.49
30	M 0603	1730	2225	0835	1128, 1.47; 2337, 1.25		0500, 0.45; 1743, 0.53
31	T 0601	1731	2323	0913	1212, 1.45		0538, 0.50; 1837, 0.58

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



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- Closing Women's Circle

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Time: 9:00am till 4:00pm (Arrive at 8:30 for Opening Ceremony)
Cost: \$100 per person
For bookings email Kiara at: kiaracerutti@hotmail.com
Enquiries call Tweed Palliative Support: 02 6672 8459 or email Anna: anna.willis8@gmail.com
TICKETS ARE LIMITED, NON-REFUNDABLE & NEED TO BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE



Getting caught with your pants down on film would ordinarily be enough to make anyone blush. Not so two nude beachgoers recently caught out by Tweed Shire Council officers and a Channel 7 camera crew, who are filming in Tweed for an upcoming reality TV series on the inner workings of local governments. Far from being embarrassed, the dressed down sunbathers happily signed a waiver agreeing to be filmed. They're now eagerly awaiting their five minutes of fame, with one of the American sunbathers later calling council's Murwillumbah office to enquire when the program was going to air, telling the bemused staffer that he didn't want to miss it.

No connection with the above, but Nude Food Day on Wednesday October 13 celebrates healthy eating and a healthy planet. It encourages kids, families and the workplace to pack their lunch and snacks without the use of any wrapping, which currently results in an average of 1.14 tonnes of waste per household per year. You can register your school or workplace now at www.nudefoodday.com.au.

One Coolangatta jobseeker isn't waiting expectantly for the phone to ring. At a recent job interview that's better off forgotten the woman was outlining her extensive hospitality experience to her prospective employer at a Kirra café when her hand caught the tray of a passing waitress sending three freshly poured coffees sailing through the air. A sandwich, also on the tray at the time, landed on the shoes of the café manager, who was none too pleased by the chaotic turn of events. The woman said she couldn't get out the door fast enough.

A recent *Backburner* item on Lata Modi listed an incorrect phone number. Originally from



If you thought waterskiing was hard at the best of times, try it dressed up as a giant banana. But that's all in a day's work for Banana Jim and Sugar Cane Sue, long-serving mascots of the annual Tweed Valley Banana Festival. They are seen here on a promotional shoot for the upcoming Tweed River Spectacular, one of the major events to take place as part of the Murwillumbah-based festival.

For some post-election frivolity head to Budd Park on August 22 from 10am for a full program of watersport action. Now in its 55th year, the Tweed Valley Banana Festival, which runs from August 13-22, features a variety of sporting events, art and woodcraft shows, a street parade and fun, family activities. This year's theme is 'Heroes and Villains'. For a full listing of events visit www.bananafestival.org.

India, Mrs Modi now lives on the Gold Coast and has been delivering presentations in schools on Indian culture for some 15 years. She has asked Tweed schools or community organisations interested in her lively presentations covering Indian customs, history and food to contact her on 07 5535 4925.

A once popular entertainment venue, the Stardust Room at Seagulls, is facing its final curtain call. Under new plans unveiled for the West Tweed club the auditorium will be incorporated into a proposed \$3 million sport, health and fitness centre at the premises. The development will include a gymnasium, group fitness class

areas, indoor sporting courts, as well as consulting rooms for health/professionals. In its heyday the auditorium hosted the likes of Aussie rockers John Farnham and Hoodoo Gurus, as well as top international acts including the late BB King and Jeff Buckley. The venue had suffered in recent years amid spiralling costs and tough competition in the local entertainment market.

Oh happy day – it's Local Government Week from August 2 to 10. You can check out all the local events at www.tweed.nsw.gov.au, including event workshops at 10am on Monday, August 2, in Murwillumbah. Among the topics are how to

apply for funding from council and tips on how to manage your community event.

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

A reader notes that, despite submissions closing on July 14 for the development application (DA) for the proposed rezoning of protected prime agricultural land at Cudgen to allow for a new police station, 'is it a coincidence that a house on the proposed site has been removed, carted away on trucks last Friday?' The reader asks if the DA 'has already been decided upon irrespective of objections lodged?'

The proud householders of Murwillumbah's 'Sustainability Street' (on Main Street above Mt St Patrick School) are holding a combined garage sale on Saturday, August 7, from 8am to 3pm to uphold their impressive recycling record by putting their preloved household goods up for sale. Morning tea will be served to the browsers in what they call the prettiest street in town with sweeping views of the valley.

'A vote for Labor is a vote for the Greens' is the mantra the Libs trot out every time the Greens give their preferences to Labor. It's crap, of course. Whatever the Greens suggest on their how-to-vote card, you could still put Greens 1 and Liberals 2 on your ballot paper. But why would anyone when the Libs have just insulted their intelligence?

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