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Allora P-10 State School Welcomes Acting Principal

Mrs Carole Douglas has been appointed Acting Principal of Allora P-10 State School for Term 4, 2020, Mrs Douglas has come to Allora P-10 SS from Drayton State School. Current Principal, Mr Shaun Kanowski, is taking leave in Term 4 to write up his PhD thesis.

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Acting Allora P-10 State School Principal Carole Douglas.

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and relieving officer Senior

Constable Ben Lyell would

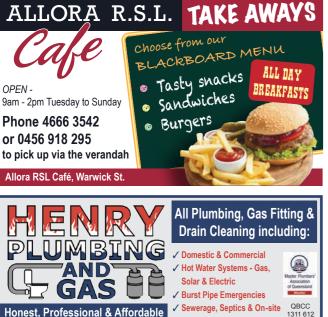
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National Police membrance Day was commemorated last Tuesday, 29 September.

It was held to honour those officers who have given their lives in service.

A small, wreath laying ceremony was held at Warwick Station.

Current Allora Station officers Senior Sergeant

Childhood Dream Comes True

Amanda Johnson (nee Newport) was thrilled when she recently graduated from the Police Academy in Brisbane

Having attended Allora

Police Station.



First Year Constable Amanda Johnson.

WEATHER FOREGAST								
Day	Forecast	Min/I	Max					
WED	ё Morning Clouds. Warm.	12	28					
THU	🟓 Broken Clouds. Warm.	11	28					
FRI	칃 Morning Clouds. Warm.	12	28					
SAT	🧼 Mostly Sunny. Warm.	10	28					
SUN	🟓 Morning Clouds. Mild.	11	25					
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Another hoon caught in Allora

A young hoon has left Allora Police scratching their heads after they caught yet another driver performing 'circle work' in the town.

The 21-years-old Newtown man was intercepted by Allora Police shortly before 5am Sunday morning after he was detected attempting burnouts at the intersection of the New England Highway and Allora Drive.

The man will face loss of licence after being issued with traffic infringement notices for the offences of driving to cause undue noise or smoke, (a classified offence), driving hoon unaccompanied on his learner's permit and failing to display his "L" plates.

With fines in excess of \$800 and the loss of 8 points, the offender's car has also been immobilised for a period of 90 days, meaning it cannot be driven at all.

DRUG POSSESSION -A 28-years-old Toowoomba man will face the Warwick Magistrates Court on October 28, charged with cannabis and amphetamine possession and utensil possession following a search by local officers in Dalrymple Creek Park on September 22.

Police attention was drawn to the vehicle and its single occupant during the conduct of regular patrols of the area during the course of the afternoon.

A search of the vehicle located small quantities of both cannabis and amphetamine. smoking utensils and used syringes.

DAMAGED UTE -Local Police are asking the assistance of anyone who has information relating to the wanton and wilful damage of a local man's Toyota utility which was parked in Herbert Street on Friday night, September 18. The young Allora man did



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thoughts and best wishes on the day. They would further like to thank the Allora & District community for their support generally.

Damian

State School and Clifton High, Amanda started her career in Nursing but always wanted to join the Police Force

Parents John and Gail Newport are proud of Amanda's achievements but due to Covid-19 were unable to attend the graduation.

Amanda has been posted to the Caboolture



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the right thing and parked his vehicle up for the night after having had several drinks in town.

When he returned the next morning to collect his ute, he found that the front passenger side had been kicked in.

Anyone with information as to the identity of the person/s responsible is asked to contact Allora Police.

STOLEN VEHICLE - Likewise, community assistance is sought in relation to the theft of a

Holden Commodore sedan from the side of the road on Warwick Road, Allora Toolburra. on

the same night.

The vehicle had broken down on its owner so he returned home to Hendon that evening and left it at the Toolburra Plains Road turn off, pending collection the next morning during daylight hours.

It was stolen overnight however and has not yet been recovered.

Anyone with information as to the location of the vehicle and/or the person responsible are asked to contact Allora Police or Crimestoppers.



Stolen Holden Commodore Sedan



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Steghan and Ty TIE THE KNOT



Allora couple Meghan Stewart and Ty Gardner celebrated their marriage at a ceremony on Saturday September 19 surrouded by their nearest and dearest on the stunningly manicured grounds of the historic Talgai Homestead.

Tying the knot under an rustic arbour adorned with roses, pampas grass and Australian natives overlooking the picturesque paddocks of Allora, it was

the perfect setting for Meg and Ty to exchange their vows.

After the ceremony the wedding party headed to another local property Rivoli Farm for a sneaky drink and lots of laughs while they had their official wedding shots snapped alongside Raven and Abby, two of Rivoli's mares.

Congratilations to the happy couple.

Above: Ty and Meg with their wedding party (left to right) Jamie Gardner, Alex Stewart, Kelsee Huth, Ebony Freeman, Lily Stewart, Denby Watt, Brodie Frizzell and Tim Tate Photos: Vicki Miller Photography

WE'D LOVE TO PUBLISH MORE special moment PICS IN THE ALLORA ADVERTISER

so... if you know of anyone from the area who's tied the knot, or who's made an announcement that they're going to, then please give us a hoy! Or, tell them they can send their high resolution photographs to: editor@alloraadvertiser.com

Since arriving from South Australia in late 1995. Kath & Col became a big part of the Allora community, getting to know the locals through the Railway Hotel which they leased for 2 years.

Col who was a National Serviceman in the Vietnam War attended an Anzac Day Service in Allora and the late Heather Neale invited him to become a member of the local RSL Sub Branch. Kath joined the Ladies Auxiliary and later became Treasurer. When the Auxiliary closed Kath became Secretary of the Sub-Branch. This was to become a huge part of their lives. From 2014 many grants were applied and received to refurbish the local Sub Branch hall. Jupitors Casino repainted inside and out, refurbished the floors and built a deck off the hall. By 2016 revenue was hard to raise so they took a chance and opened a café to produce enough revenue to keep the hall



The endeavour solvent. proved to be successful. Kath and Col always had a strong belief that the Hall be retained for the local community.

Over 10 years Col volunteered to care for the gardens and clean the hall and later maintained the café on a daily basis and



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Allora Farewells Kath & Col Turner

Kath running the kitchen. In their spare time they would be down the main street selling tickets to raise money for the Hall.

It's estimated that Kath

raised in excess of \$100.000 for the RSL Sub Branch.

Kath & Col left Allora last month and are now living in North Queensland to be close to their family.





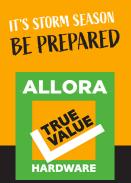
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AND MUCH MORE



PREPARING AN EMERGENCY PLAN

It's a good idea to have an emergency plan for your household and not just for storm season - it could be needed for other events such as a bushfire or a flood, for example.

While many of the things associated with preparing a plan may seem to be commonsense, there's a number of things that may not occur to you readily.

The best idea is to seek advice, and one very comprehensive source of information about putting together your Emergency Plan is the Queensland Government website getready.qld.gov.au

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STORM-PROOFING YOUR HOME

You can help protect your home from damage by being prepared now.

STEPS TO TAKE INCLUDE

• Ensuring trees in your yard are cut back with dead branches moved away from your house

• Keeping your gutters clear, securing any loose tiles, and ensuring there are no leaks in sealed joints, such as around skylights

• Preparing an emergency plan and making sure that every member of the household is aware of it

- Checking your first-aid supplies
- Ensuring that your insurance policy is current and adequate to cover any potential damage
- · Making sure you have a battery-powered radio

AFTER THE **STORM PASSES**

- Ensure that everyone is safe including your neighbours
- Be aware of any fallen powerlines and stay clear
- · Check for any damage
- If you need assistance, contact the SES on 132 500

• If there is property damage, take photographs - they will be useful if you are making an insurance claim





WHEN A STORM HITS

• If you are outside, find a safe place to shelter from the storm - not under trees.

• When at home during a storm, stay indoors, away from windows and glass doors.

Stay tuned to radio or TV for updates

· If you're driving, stop somewhere away from power lines and trees and if possible, under shelter

Never enter flooded waterways

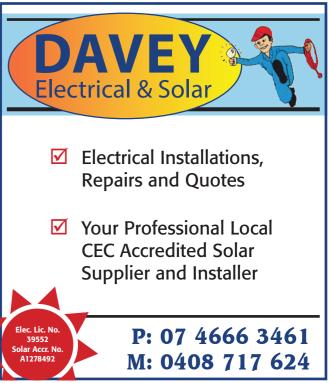
• If an emergency arises, call triple zero - 000 for Ambulance, Fire Brigade or Police

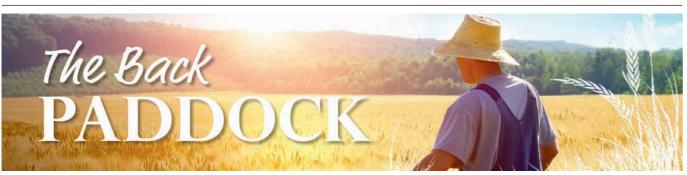


Police, Fire or Ambulance SES Policelink **Traffic & Travel Information** Warwick Hospital

On two-way Citizen band Radio, there are specific emergency channels that can be used in cases of emergency:

Channel 9 (27.065MHz) on the HF band Channel 5/25 (476.525/477.275 MHz) on UHF Band These should only be use in urgent, emergency cases





Drought Community Support Initiative

The Salvation Army is working with the Australian Government to deliver the Drought Community Support Initiative - Round 2 for eligible drought affected households.

Basically the assistance

is for: · Farmers, farm workers. farm suppliers and farm contractors who live and/or work in one of the eligible local government areas Who are Australian citizens or permanent residents

Warwick Saleyards Advisory Committee Announced

The community people on the committee are - Jim Wedge, Matthew Grayson, Ross Fraser, Graham Kirkland and John P Henry. Councillors Marco Gliori and Cynthia McDonald will represent the SDRC.

The purpose of the Saleyards Advisory Committee (SAC) is to provide Southern Downs Regional Council with strategic guidance and/or recommendations in relation to the Warwick Saleyards on an ongoing basis. Duties will include actions to improve the saleyards; suggested capital works program; advocate to the development and maintenance of the saleyards; identify grant and external funding opportunities; be the central point to communicate between Council and saleyard users and promote the saleyards beyond the Local Government border.

The SAC will remain operational for the current term of Council.

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 Are 18 years of age or over Have not had this assistance since 19 November 2019 from The Salvation Army

Each household can receive up to \$3,000. If there is more than one house on a property, each household can apply. Farm workers living in accommodation provided by the farmer, for example a shearing guarters, are each able to apply. Confirmation would be sought from the farmer to clarify they work

for the farmer. Community members who have received assistance due to fires are still eligible for the Drought Community Support Initiative assistance if they meet our guidelines.

Households on the Southern Downs Regional can apply online at www. salvationarmy.org.au/ drought

If there are questions ahead of filling out an online application, call Drought Community Support Team on 1300 551 030





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households, so it's common sense to focus on how we can save water in these areas

"In the bathroom, using a water efficient shower head can reduce water consumption by 50%, and water captured in a bucket and saved from going down the drain can be re-used for other purposes such as flushing the toilet or watering the garden.

"Check your toilet for slow leaks. A visibly leaking toilet can waste more than 160 litres a day. Replacing single flush toilets with a dual flush system could save up to 80 litres per day.

"When it comes to the laundry, always ensure you have a full load of washing before turning on your machine. If you have a small load, always



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double check you've adjusted your water level. Consider running a hose from the washing machine to the garden.

"Also take advantage of the eco option on appliances. Eco cycles not only save water, but also energy and money. If you're purchasing new appliances or upgrading appliances, do your research and check the water rating. The more stars the greater the water saving."

Extreme Level water restrictions of 120 litres per person per day currently apply to all treated town water supplies delivered to the household tap or supplied by a water carter.



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REAL ESTATE GUIDE

Helen Harm **Real Estate**

for property in Warwick

RENOVATED PERIOD HOME



\$ 290.000 Renovated 3 bedrooms, master has 2-way bathroom Combined kitchen, dining & living with woodfire & aircon Bathroom has spa bath, separate shower & vanity. Separate toilet Internal laundry & storage at back door 2 car colorbond fenced 1100 m

INVESTORS:

Rent appraisal is \$310 per week.

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WHEN SIZE & LOCATION MATTER \$ 245.000

Aircon reno 4 bed, built-ins Good kitchen/ dining Bia lounae livina Hallway storage Shower over bath, separate toilet, laundry downstairs Fenced 647 m² vard. new colorbond shed Front deck with shade-sail On city bus route, close to schools

& shops

INVESTORS: Rents at \$280 per weel

\$187.000

Neat 2 built-in bed Westbuilt home Elevated 2023 m² (1/2 acre) panoramic mountain view. Aircon + woodfire in open plan living + kitchen 3 Brm, shower, gas heater, open living, kitchen, 2 car, deck Bathroom with shower, toilet 4+ Brm, shower, living, kitchen, 13 rooms, 2 car, storage combined laundry. 2 bay shed, attached outdoor 5 Brm, 2 bath, aircon, 2 living, kitchen, 2 car, gard/shed FURNISHED - 5 Brm. 3 bath, aircon, 2 living, kitchen, 2 car, gard/shed

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- Laundry off the kitchen accesses
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\$ 350.000

- Aircon 4 Bed Executive main ensuite/walk-in 2 bath, 2 car remote Solar power 2 KVA (8 panel) Rotunda lounge/media Mod kitchen, electric appliances, pantry Storage and more storage Large undercover entertaining,
- Pizza Oven 735 m² fenced yard, vehicle access

COUNTRY APPEAL

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WATER, VIEWS & POSSIBILITIES

Renovated 3 bed • sheds & more sheds • 2 bed Besser brick cabin

Steel cattle yards, good fencing right round ... plus more.

\$ 349,000 3 Bed Brick, built-ins on 1.21 Ha (3ac Lounge has wood fire

Vinyl planking throughout Huge entertaining deck & landscaped yard. Modern kitchen - electric appliance dishwasher & pantry. 2nd fenced paddock - garden shed. 2 carport on home + 2 lock up garage INVESTORS: Renting at \$340 per week.

See www.helenharm.com for more listings

MARYVALE - 1012 m ² , power available, close to school, views	\$ 40,000
MARYVALE - 2024 m ² , power nearby, school, VIEWS (2 adjoining blocks)	\$ 45,000
MARYVALE - 3642 m ² , power available, character with gully, VIEWS	\$ 50,00
ALLORA - 917 m ² , planned development, bitumen road, DA in place	\$ 87,000
HENDON - 3819 m ² , adjoining blocks, 2 deeds, power at road, new home area	\$ 80,000
PRATTEN - 4052 m ² , all weather road, water & power available	\$ 45,000
PRATTEN - 2.02 Ha (5 Ac) bitumen road, Rural acreage, power at road UNDERCONTRACT	\$ 52,00
WARWICK - 854 m ² , 3 bay colorbond Shed, power, town water, curb & channel	\$ 100,0
WARWICK - 1.16 Ha on spring fed creek, bitumen frontage, power, fenced	\$ 189,0









\$ 325,000 Neat 4 bed Brick Veneer, built-in Master has en suite, walk-in robe Elevated 942 m² fully fenced (room for shed) Aircon in open plan living + kitchen Bathroom with shower over

- bath, toilet. 2 Car remote garage, laundry
- In cul de sac, side vehicle entry



- niche







- adjoining dining.
 - 876 m² backyard, 2 car garage
 - Original garage is rumpus/office

\$ 220,000 Aircon reno 2 built-in bed + 1 bed en suite semi-detached. New modern kitchen

- Combined lounge/ dining
- Hallway storage Shower over bath, separate toilet,
- laundry downstairs
- Fenced 546 m² yard, carport On city bus route, close to schools
- & golf course
- INVESTORS: Renting at \$265 per week.

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\$ 365,000

- Tradie doors on 2 bay shed, plus garden shed.
- Solar power 5 KVA
- Aircon 4 Red + office/5th Built-ins throughout,
- lots of storage
- Master has ensuite 2 Bathrooms
- 2 living areas
- Galley kitchen
- Large undercover entertaining
- 966 m² fenced yard



\$ 290,000

- Aircon 4 built-in bed, 2 bath, 2 liv
- Vehicle access to fenced 624 m²
- Kitchen has modern electric conveniences & pantry.
- Open plan family dining/living
- Covered outdoor entertaining.
- Single garage, laundry nook
- 2 Bay shed + water tank

Rent is \$325 per week.

NVESTORS:

GREAT HORSE PROPERTY

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- 7.58 Ha (18.73 Acres)
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- Swimming Pool
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- Fenced to 11 paddocks with laneways

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\$ 299.000

- 3 bed, North facing verandah
- Main bedroom has built-ins
- Separate lounge has wood fire
- Modern kitchen dining combo
- Split system aircon, solar hot water,
- entertainment area
- Double garage, 3 fenced paddocks

INVESTORS: Currently renting at \$300 per week.



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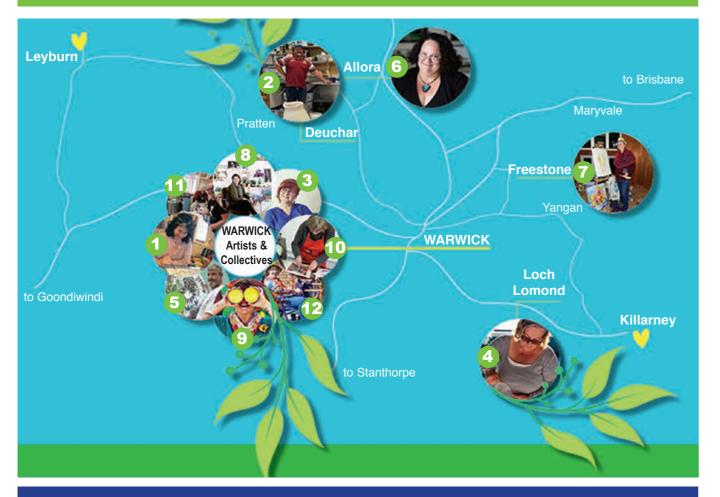
The Australian Government is extending the temporary JobKeeper Payment to the end of March 2021. From 28 September, businesses must meet the turnover test and submit their declarations by the 14th of each month.

There will be two new payment rates - one for those who work more than 20 hours per week in the relevant period, and another for those who work less. The employee eligibility date has also changed to 1 July, meaning some businesses could claim for more staff.

It's part of our plan to keep business in business, and Australians in jobs.



Condamine Country Art & Craft Trail - 17 & 18 October 2020



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- 2. ROBERT CULLEN POTTER Open Studio/Demonstration/Try for free 90 QUIGLEYS ROAD DEUCHAR
- 3. SUE HAMLET PAINTER Demonstration/Pop Up Exhibition WARWICK ART GALLERY
- 4. DONNA HEY CANDLE MAKER Open Studio/Demonstration/Workshops 98 ORCHARD ROAD LOCH LOMOND
- 5. CHRISTOPHER HULME MOSAIC ART Open Studio/Workshops/Pop Up Exhibition 2 ELIZA COURT WARWICK

- 6. LEAH KELLY GLASS/CERAMIC ART Open Studio/Workshops/Pop Up Exhibition **13 FORDE STREET ALLORA**
 - 7. SUE KEONG PAINTER Open Studio/Workshops/Pop Up Exhibition
 - 185 PAYNES ROAD FREESTONE 8. NIKKI MALONE PAINTER
 - Open Studio/Workshops/Pop Up Exhibition 7 CECIL STREET WARWICK 9. LOUISE TAIT CREATIVE WORKSHOPS
 - Open Studio/Workshops **13 CLARKE STREET WARWICK**
 - **10. WARWICK ARTIST GROUP** Open Studio/Workshops/Demonstrations 21 WILLI STREET WARWICK

- **11. WARWICK POTTERS ASSOCIATION** Open Studio/Try for free/Pop Up Exhibition BARNES PARK 63 HORSEMAN ROAD WARWICK
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Exquisite Candles That Are Nearly Too Beautiful To Light



Donna Hey at her newly Loch Lomond, draws her views of the Great Dividing Range.

from a qualified chandler, Donna has been creating attended many workshops, honing her craft to keep up

as high quality fragrant candles and pillar candles in soy and beeswax.

be part of the Condamine Country Art & Craft Trail on 17th & 18th October.

During the weekend Donna is offering a 2 hour workshop to learn how to make candles.

will be

spot.



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Looking Back... Allora's Past 25 years ago October 1995 Athletics Championships

Allora State School will have seven students competing in State Schools athletics championships in Brisbane this year. Allora has three representatives in the Darling Downs Under 15 team, Leah Holmes in discus, Adam May in javelin and Shannon Lyons in shot put. In the Under 14 age group, Wayne Lyons will compete in the shot put.

Three Allora students will compete for Darling Downs in the State primary schools championships. Greg Holmes will contest the 1983 shotput and discus, Drew Wilson the 100 metres and shot put for students born in 1985, and Jenni Jones the 1982 long jump.

Allora's Past 75 years ago October 1945 **Mock Wedding**

The sum of £27/6 was taken at a "mock wedding" and dance held in the Goomburra Hall in aid of funds for the Red Cross Society. The function was made more interesting by the fact that the identity of the participants in the entertainment had been kept a close secret until the night of the event. Even then many of the audience were unable to recognise some of the principals.

Those taking part were Max Wright (bride), Miss Margaret Morris (bridegroom), George Gilmore and Alan Carsburg (bridesmaids), Joyce Bradford (best man), Audrey Wright (groomsman), Derek Morris and Norman



The cast of "Two Brides - One Wedding" staged in the Goomburra Hall c.1970. They are from left: Pauline Barrett, Robyn Nussey, Joyce Abernethy and Helen Corbett.

Bradford (flower girls), Mrs. J. E. Nussey (parson), Mr. J. E. Nussey (grandma), Mr. Syd Morris and Mrs Black (bride's parents), Mr Gouldson and Mrs Morris (groom's parents), Lyndall Smith (boyfriend of the bride) and Dolly Balderson (jilted man from the city).

Allora's Past 100 years ago October 1920

Damage by Rain

Heavy rain set in at midday on Saturday and fell almost continually throughout Sunday, resulting in the best spring rain that has been experienced for years. The soil, which was in a very dry and cracked state, is now well soaked. Unfortunately, owing to its height, the greater part of the wheat crop has been beaten to the ground and the whole extent of the wheat country bears a very wrecked appearance. As it dries, the crop will probably rise considerably, but little of it in this district will now be suitable for harvesting by

stripping machinery, and the reaper and binder will be the principal machine for the work

Allora's Past 150 years ago October 1870

Alderman Elected

The election of an alderman for the Allora Municipal Council, which took place in the Town Hall on Thursday, resulted in the return of Mr Patrick Kellev. The numbers polled for the different candidates were as follows:-Mr Kellev 21: Mr John Holmes 16: Mr John Sprv

Roberts 8.

All the candidates were present when the poll was declared but no speeches were made. A majority of the aldermen are highly dissatisfied with the result of the election and three aldermen (including the Mayor) have resigned. Alderman Edward Anderson has been elected mayor for the current year.

Colin Newport

Society of Creative Anachronisms



Allora set the scene for members of the Canton of Stegby from the Southern Downs. The group visited the Allora showground recently and had a great day. recreating pre-seventeenth century skills, combat and culture. Canton of Steqby is part of the Kingdom of

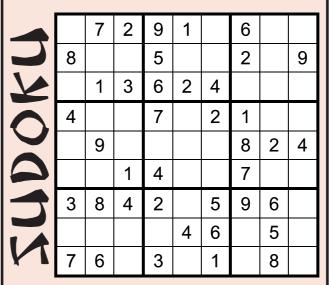
Lochac in the Society for Creative Anachronism (SCA), one of the world's oldest medieval reenactment society. In Warwick there are

approximately 30 members who meet every Wednesday evening in the Senior Citizens Rooms.

(Photo: Leanne Doepel)

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Jeremy's View My pets

This week I've decided to write about my pets. We really love animals at our house and we do our best to look after them.

Connie - Connie is a Cavalier King Charles Spaniel dog that Mum got before she met Dad and before I was born. Connie is brown and she is my favourite dog. She is also 13.

Missie - Missie is a brown and white Cavalier King Charles Spaniel. She is Dad and Willam's favourite dog and is 14 years old. One time (before I was born) Missie trapped her head in the sink and the firefighters had to get Missie's head out. The firefighters wanted to put it on the newspaper but because back then mum was in the Airforce and she was living in home that was owned by the Airforce, she said no.

Mavis - Dad really likes cats so one day Dad was at the Southern Downs Ark and Dad really liked a ginger white and black cat named Electra. Dad asked Mum if we could get her and Mum said yes. Dad didn't like the name Electra so we renamed her Mavis after a British comedy show named Open All Hours. And Mavis also hates all people, except for Mum and our other cat Granville

Granville - After we got Mavis we found out that Mavis loved Mum but hated Dad so we got Granville from the Ark also named after a character from Open All hours. Granville is a kitten and is ginger and white. Norman - One day a ginger cat (who was a stray) started coming to our house for dinner. So mum put a post up on Facebook asking if it was anybody's cat. When no one replied we named him Norman (also after Open All Hours). When he first arrived he was skinny but now he is very

Guinea Fowl - One day mum found out about these African birds (who are related to turkey's). who chase away snakes on Facebook. She also found that someone was selling them in Pittsworth so we went to Pittsworth and bought some. When we got them they were babies called keets and were cute. But when they grew up they turned noisy and ugly. One time two of them were trapped in the garden (even though they could clearly get out by going through the plants) but instead of going through the plants they kept going back and fourth and back and fourth until they finely figured out how they could get out.

We also have chickens and cows on our property. The chickens are really friendly and the cows belong to our neighbours.

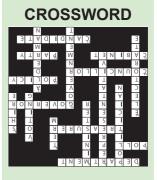
Across

- 1. A store like Macy's.
- 5. Dehorn cattle.
- 8. Club official with a cashbox.
- 11. Machine regulator.
- 13 Plan of action adopted by an
- individual or social group.
- 14. Andrew, Marco, Cythia or Sheryl on our Southern Downs, for example.
- 15. Furniture piece for storing china.
- 16 Birthday celebration
- 17. One standing who wishes to sit.

Down

- 2. An MP for example.
- 3. Typical (of a class or group).
- 4. Official one in church.
- 6 Division of an academic year
- 7. Taking part in poll.
- 9. Frodo and Bilbo's home, with "the
- 10. A body of those gualified for 7 down
- 11. This week's crossword theme.
- 12. Terry, right-arm medium-fast Australian bowler born in 1956.

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GARAGE SALE - Unit 2, 22 Erhardt Street, Allora. From 8am. Near new whitegoods, household goods and garden tools. Everything must go.

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Funeral Notice

Michael 'Mick' John Cole, dearly loved husband of Jessica, loved father of Jordan, passed away peacefully after a long battle with Liver Cancer on Friday the 25th September, Aged 58 years.

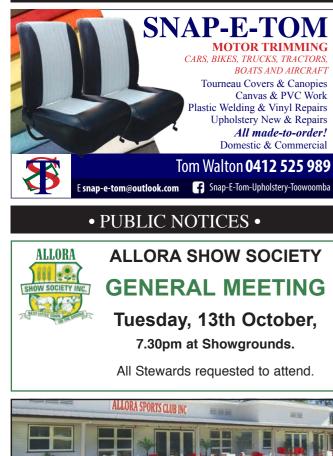
Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend the celebration of his life to be held at the Allora Showgrounds on Friday 9th October from 11am.

A viewing is also scheduled on the 9th from 9am at Warwick Funerals, 48 Willi Street, for anyone wishing to pay their respects.

Jessica and Jordon would like to express their thanks to friends, family and the wider community for their support and kind words during this difficult time.

Flowers and tributes can be sent to 161 Goomburra Street, Hendon, QLD 4362 to be displayed during the service.

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For information on Baptism, Weddings, Funerals and other church enquiries, phone 4666 3377. St Patrick's Parish School (Prep - Yr. 6), enquiries 4666 3551.

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All Sunday Services/Sunday School and Wednesday Bible Study are suspended until further notice

MEN'S BREAKFAST - To ensure the health of our many valued visitors, we have CANCELLED the Breakfasts until further notice. We will advertise when they recommence.

Enquiries to Pastor Elton Wiltshire 4666 3743 A Warm Welcome to ALL.

Uniting Church Allora SERVICE THIS SUNDAY AT 9.00AM. Enquiries phone 4666 3225. All welcome.

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A ripping field of 26 players contested the Percy's Fruit Duck Run last Friday. Winner with a mammoth 29 points was Aaron. Back to your club handicap next week Simmo. Runner up was Kenny with a very handy 25 points. Rundown Roy, Sparky, Jimmy and Whit. Pin Tommy Morris, approach Ray and long putt Frizz. Thanks Percy. Sunday was a club trophy with a field of 22 players and continuing the trend of cracker scores, Russell won the day with an unbelievable 45 points. Russell also took out the pin shots on 7/16 and 6/15. Well done Russ. Jimmy was runner up with 40 points, a winning score on any other given Sunday. (Jimmy is pictured receiving his runner-up trophy

from Sports Club President Kev). Rundown Doreen and Benny. Other pins Benny (4/13 and 3/12) and Moose (8/17). Ray won the long putt on 5/14. This Sunday will be the Railway Hotel Monthly Mug. Matchplay results Jason d Tommy Morris and Benny d John E. Although we were down on numbers we sent a pretty good side over to Clifton on Saturday to play the Allcliff Shield. Well done to the old rivals Clifton who won the day, although it is some consolation that Allora won the series. Big week for the golf course with irrigation being laid on fairways and the Tommy Maher bridge to be completed. The week after we will be laying paths. Duck Run start will be delayed until 2



President Kev. Harrison presents runner-up trophy to Jimmy.

PM this Friday due to the school running its cross country on that day. A reminder that the Sports

Club AGM is on this Saturday afternoon at 3 pm at the club. See you on the links.

Round two of the Tony Morris Tiling Night Bowls competition was played on the 29th. Results were Pig Lures 13 d Gina's Babies 7 (now known as the "Chumps" not the "Champs"), Are You Game Enough 25 d The Bowled and the Beautiful 9, Tramps Like Us 17 d

The Three of Us 12, Landcruisers Plus One 18 d Railway Hotel 9, Doesn't Matter 13 d Fire Ants 9, A Bowla Viris 22 d Generation Gap 2, The Three Stooges 17 d The Other Team 10. Winners drawn out were Landcruisers Plus One and



losers were The Railway Hotel. Hoey Wagyu Touchers were won by Nat (welcome to Night Bowls Nat) Ash, Alana, Gary, Jacqi and Gade. The White's Garage jackpot of \$40 did not go off so it will be \$60 next week.

Thanks to Tim and Rhiannon

for your continued support of the night bowls and the Sports Club. Thanks to our weekly raffle sponsors The Railway, Percy's Fruit and Allora Butchery. Thanks also to Ryan for running the music. See you all next week.



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