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**Allora Bush Christmas Face Painting:** These three Allora State School students had their faces painted at the recent Allora Christmas street party. L to R - Lexie Heslin (yr.1), Bethany Chisnell (yr.1) and Macey Heslin (prep).

David, Jan &  
Fraser at

## The Allora Advertiser

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This is the final edition of The Allora Advertiser for 2010. Our next edition will be published Thursday, 13th January 2011.



## Charity Function at Goomburra Hall -

Goomburra Hall will play host to the first of many Country music Concerts on 30th January 2011, organised and run by local identity and principal of the successful Stanthorpe Country Music Stampede, Maggie Stokes. Two bands will perform Wild Spurs and Blue Rain a variety of singers will perform. Start time is 12 noon until approx 5pm entry \$5.00 per person with light afternoon tea provided with tea or coffee. Proceeds to go to the Goomburra Hall to keep our little hall profitable and open for many other venues. Please call Maggie on 07 4666 6062.



Country Music Artist Maggie Stokes.

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## WEATHER FORECAST

Day	Forecast	Min/Max
THU	Showers. Mostly Cloudy. Mild.	16 24
FRI	Scattered Showers. Mostly Cloudy. Mild.	18 24
SAT	Showers. Mostly Cloudy. Mild.	18 24
SUN	Heavy Rain. Mostly Cloudy. Mild. Humid.	19 24
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## Parking patrols in Warwick CBD

Southern Downs Regional Council's new Local Laws Officer has re-started parking patrols in the Warwick Central Business District.

Mayor Ron Bellingham said that councillors had received numerous complaints from business owners about people parking for too long in time limited spaces on CBD streets.

"Certainly with the Christmas and post-Christmas sales period there is a need for drivers to note parking limits, so that all residents can access parking in the CBD during this busy period," said Cr Bellingham.

"Parking restrictions are there to ensure that traffic keeps moving throughout the day giving fair and equitable access to all businesses.

"If shoppers know that they will be able to get a park, they are more likely to stay and shop in their local community which has a positive economic effect," Cr Bellingham said.

He said that due to staff changes, patrols had ceased for a short time, but as of tomorrow "people parking for longer than the allotted time zone risk being fined".

He also urged people to take note of disabled parking spaces and loading zone allocations and leave them for the people who need them.

The patrols will only monitor streets in the CBD which have signage limiting parking times. Residents who wish to park for longer are encouraged to use the Council carparks in Acacia Avenue and behind the Town Hall which allow all day parking. In Warwick, parking restrictions range from 30 minutes to four hours and fines are currently set at \$20.

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Black & Gold Canola Cooking Spray 400g..... **\$2.29**  
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Energizer Max Batteries AA or AAA 4pk...  
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Nestlé Milo 1.25kg..... **\$10.99**  
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The staff from the Allora Pharmacy would like to wish all their valued customers a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Safe New year.



### Christmas Opening Hours:

Christmas Eve - 8.30am-5.00pm  
Christmas Day - CLOSED  
Monday, 27th December - CLOSED  
Tuesday, 28th December - CLOSED  
Wednesday, 29th December - 8.30am-5.00pm  
Thursday, 30th December - 8.30am-5.00pm  
Friday, 31st December - 8.30am-5.00pm  
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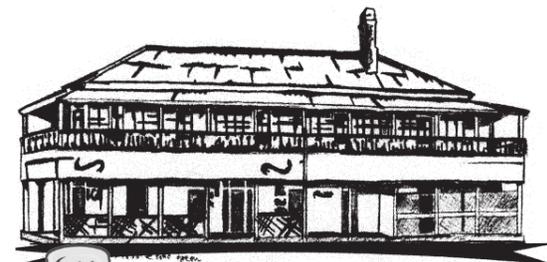
**PHONE 4666 3293**

After Hours 4666 3195

## ALLORA RURAL WATCH POLICE REPORT (October – November 2010)

- 08/10/10:** A 50-year-old Allora resident was issued a Notice to Appear for drink driving (0.088%) following a two vehicle traffic crash with injury occurring on East Street, Hendon.
- 16/10/10:** A 16-year-old Leichhardt youth was issued a Notice to Appear for driving whilst unlicensed, driving an unregistered and uninsured vehicle and driving without due care and attention following a non-injury traffic crash in Neale Avenue, Allora.
- 19/10/10:** A 50-year-old Allora resident was arrested and charged for breaching a domestic violence order.
- 22/10/10:** A 33-year-old Toowoomba resident was served a Notice to Appear for driving an unregistered & uninsured vehicle whilst displaying false plates, failing to display P plates and failing to produce a driver license following an intercept in Allora Drive.
- 02/11/10:** A 54-year-old Allora resident has been issued a Notice to Appear for stealing from the Allora Foodworks.
- 05/11/10:** Two Victorian males were arrested and charged by Allora police following their failure to pay for fuel at the Allora Freedom Service Station. They were also charged with unlicensed driving and possession of a bong.
- Between **10/11/10 & 20/11/10:** Offenders have broken and entered the dwelling at 5 Water Lane, Allora while the occupants were away and have stolen an LG Home theatre, Telstra T Hub, and Hitachi computer. Police have suspects and are awaiting DNA analysis. Police would like to invite the offenders to attend the police station prior to DNA analysis returning to save them time in worry.
- 23/11/10:** Allora police attended at a single motor bike fatality on the Warwick Allora Rd near Shepherds Drive, Deuchar. The matter is a full police investigation for the coroner.
- 26/11/10:** A 2 vehicle traffic crash occurred on the Allora Clifton Road with the driver of one vehicle being issued an infringement notice for failing to give way and failing to fulfil duties following the crash.
- 30/11/10:** A single vehicle crash occurred on the Upper Spring Creek Rd when a Subaru station wagon and a cow have collided. The cow is deceased.

Merry Christmas from Des and Gavin.



## DECEMBER SPECIALS

VB stubs 375mL .....	24pk	\$42.99
Carlton Mid stubs 375mL .....	24pk	\$32.99
XXXX Gold 375mL cans .....	30pk	\$42.99
Tooheys Extra Dry stubs 345mL..	24pk	\$42.99
Johnnie Walker Red RTD 375mL ..	6pk	\$21.99
.....	any 2 for	\$40.00
Bundaberg Up 4.8% 375mL cans	6pk	\$21.99
.....	any 2 for	\$40.00
Jim Beam White 4.8% 375mL cans	6pk	\$21.99
Strongbow Cider 355mL.....	6pk	\$12.99
Cruiser Range 275mL .....	4pk	\$12.99
Black Douglas Scotch 700mL.....		\$29.99
Jack Daniels Bourbon 700mL.....		\$39.99
Johnnie Walker Black 700mL .....		\$41.99
Bundaberg Up Rum 700mL .....		\$32.99
Smirnoff Vodka 700mL.....		\$31.99
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Brown Bros Zibibbo Rosa 750mL.....		\$12.99
Yellowglen Yellow Range 750mL .....		\$9.99

SPECIALS END 31 DECEMBER 2010 OR WHILE STOCKS LAST.

# RAILWAY HOTEL ALLORA



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Finlandia Vodka Mango 700mL.....		\$31.99
Finlandia Vodka Cranberry 700mL....		\$31.99
Finlandia Vodka Lime 700mL .....		\$31.99
Appleton Estate Rum with Lime Squeezer	700mL .....	\$44.99
Chambord Liquor with Napoleon Lip Gloss	500mL .....	\$39.99
Chambord Liquor 200mL .....		\$19.99
Smirnoff Vodka and Cranberry Juice 2L	Casks .....	\$26.99
Passion Pop In A Can .....	4pk	\$15.99
Jack Daniels & Cola 330mL cans ..	24pk	\$79.99
Jacobs Creek Moscato 750mL .....		\$13.99



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BBQ Chicken .....	\$10	\$16

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SUN 26/12/10 - CLOSED  
SAT 1/01/11 - CLOSED  
SUN 2/01/11 - CLOSED  
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**THE RAILWAY HOTEL - Any queries phone 4666 3402**

## Looking Back...

Allora's Past 50 years ago December 1960

### It happened out in Allora

A town not too far west  
Where the twins who took on painting  
Were really put to test.

The job you see they had to do  
Was paint the pub, and about time too;  
They started with confidence supreme,  
Using colours of grey and green  
With just a little touch of cream,  
When Pauline said, "this is no dice,  
We'll be like Surfers Paradise".  
And to the painters great dismay,  
Joe said she could have her way.  
So, now instead of modest brown  
The folks in this our old home town  
Can see the pub in red and blue  
With quite a bit of violet hue.  
If perchance you visit here  
Don't just stand around and sneer,  
Walk right in and have a beer.  
Then if by chance you get the shakes  
And stumble round the bar-room floor,  
Instead of seeing purple snakes,  
You can see that purple bar-room door.

*Complements of the Season  
from Joe and Pauline Corvaia  
at the Commercial Hotel.*

Allora's Past 100 years ago December 1910

### Christmas Eve

Fine and balmy weather resulted in a very large infusion of people into the town, and plenty of business being done by all kinds of tradespeople. The shops had made ample preparations for the Season's trade, and all through the week the tide of business ran high, the culmination coming on Saturday night when assistants in the brilliantly lighted and gaily decorated shops were hard put to serve the army of customers. Santa Claus in many guises was abroad, there was a high demand for toys and gifts of every description and to the credit of our business people, be it said, there was no need for the most exacting and fastidious taste to go unsatisfied. The selection was there to be seen and we are pleased to learn that the storekeepers duly reaped the reward. An amazing trade was done by the caterers for the supply of refreshments, fruit, etc., most of them being sold out of the popular lines. The crowd was an orderly one, there were odd cases of inebriation and a little too much cracker-firing in the principal streets, but nothing to hurt and the most friendly and harmonious atmosphere prevailed amongst the holiday makers. It was all over by midnight, by which time all rightly disposed persons had sought their downy couches and the last sounds of revelry had been swallowed up by the stillness of the calm starlit night which drew imperceptibly towards the dawn of yet another Christmas Day.

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## CHRISTMAS CLOSURES

### OFFICES & LIBRARIES

All offices and libraries will close for the Christmas/New Year period from 3pm on Friday, December 24, reopening at normal times on Tuesday, 4 January 2011. Council staff will be on call for emergencies during this period and can be contacted on 4661 0399 (Warwick) or 0418 717 369 (Stanthorpe).

### WASTE COLLECTION

The Allora Landfill will be closed on Christmas Day and Boxing Day.

Waste collection services (wheelie bins) will be carried out as normal.

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Chief Executive Officer

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### The Cunningham Highway at the Gap now re-open to traffic

The Cunningham Highway re-opened to traffic at 6pm, Monday, 20 December 2010 after the successful removal of two boulders at the top of Cunningham's Gap.

Transport and Main Roads District Director Paul Noonan said the opening marked the completion of urgent safety works to stabilise the rock face.

Seven days of 12-hour closures allowed major work to the slope face above Gap Creek Bridge as well as on the highway at Clayton's Gully.

"I understand the closures were an inconvenience for many and I would like to thank everyone for their patience during these emergency works.

"However the boulders have been removed and no longer present a threat to motorists thanks to a team of geotechnical experts including three teams of abseilers who scaled the rock face and shattered the boulders.

"They've also drilled rock bolts into the slope face for extra security.

During the removal of the boulders shipping containers provided a physical barrier between the falling rock debris and the road surface and Gap Creek Bridge.

Mr Noonan said a temporary bridge had been at the ready in case Gap Creek Bridge was damaged during the works.

"If the bridge had been damaged we could have put the temporary bridge in place, allowing us to quickly re-open the road."

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## BAD JOKE OF THE WEEK

A man in a bar has a couple of beers, and the bartender tells him he owes \$4.

"But I paid, don't you remember?" says the customer.

"Okay," says the bartender, "If you said you paid, you did."

The man then goes outside and tells the first person he sees that the bartender can't keep track of whether his customers have paid.

The second man then rushes in, orders a beer and later pulls the same stunt.

The barkeep replies, "If you say you paid, I'll take your word for it."

Soon the customer goes into the street, sees an old friend, and tells him how to get free drinks.

The man hurries into the bar and begins to drink high-balls when, suddenly, the bartender leans over and says, "You know, a funny thing happened in here tonight. Two men were drinking beer, neither paid and both claimed that they did. The next guy who tries that is going to get punched right in the nose."

"Don't bother me with your troubles," the final patron responds. "Just give me my change and I'll be on my way."

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Monday, 27th December - CLOSED

Tuesday 28th December - CLOSED

Friday, 31st December - CLOSED

Monday, 3rd January - CLOSED

Tuesday, 4th January - Normal Trading hours

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"We wish you a Merry Christmas..."



Cynthia and Joanne from **Mayne Real Estate** would like to thank all our clients for their wonderful support during the year.

**We hope everyone has a Wonderful Christmas and Joyeous and Prosperous New Year.**



2010 may have been quieter than we would all have liked but 2011 is going to be a bumper year - have a great break, see you next year.

Technically, our office will be CLOSED from Thursday, 23rd December until 3rd January 2011. However we are not far away and will be available on mobile if needed. Cynthia 0427 659 189 Joanne 0400 402 057

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### Inspiring guest at Australia Day celebrations

Guest speaker and Ambassador at the 2011 Australia Day celebrations in Stanthorpe and Warwick will be 2009 Suncorp Queenslander of the Year, Sergeant Dimitrios (Jim) Bellos.

Sergeant Bellos is the Regional Cross Cultural Liaison Officer with the Metropolitan South Region, Queensland Police Service, where an expanding

population speaks over 150 different languages and practices over 130 different faiths.

He was recognised for his work in this multicultural environment, and a range of programs which helped formalize links between communities and instil trust, understanding and harmony.

Most notably this included the award-winning 'For the Love of the Game' youth sporting program that worked with more than 6,000 young people from diverse backgrounds, leading to a noted decrease in youth crime in the area.

Sergeant Bellos also formed community consultative groups, multi faith dinners and information sessions.

He has gained the respect and trust of local community leaders and residents and has received national and State awards on 'For the Love of the Game' and six national and State awards for his own outstanding contribution.

He is being brought to the Southern Downs by the Woolworths Ambassador Program, in partnership with the Queensland Government and the National Australia Day Council, to help celebrate Australia Day.

Mayor, Ron Bellingham praised both Sgt Bellos' upcoming visit and the Woolworths Ambassador Program.

"The Ambassador Program gives regional and remote areas as well as metropolitan areas the opportunity to meet and interact with outstanding Australians as they share their inspirational stories about what being an Australian means to them," Cr Bellingham said.

"Smaller communities like ours can have official ceremonies that are equally as important as the larger cities," he added.

There will be plenty of fun and free activities planned in the Southern Downs to help residents participate in one of the biggest celebrations in the nation.

"Australia Day events have been planned all over the region with celebrations ranging from a community breakfast in Killarney, to a riverside concert in Warwick's Queens Park, or an afternoon of Aussie fun and entertainment in Stanthorpe's Weeroona Park," Mayor Bellingham said.

Nominations are now open for local Australia Day Awards for both Stanthorpe and Warwick in eight categories: Citizen of the Year, Junior Citizen of the Year, Community Event of the Year,

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For more information on the Australia Day celebrations, please contact Tracy Vellacott on (07) 4661 0305 or email [tracy.vellacott@southerndowns.qld.gov.au](mailto:tracy.vellacott@southerndowns.qld.gov.au).

### WIRAC urges parents to supervise children properly at pool

Southern Downs Regional Council is reminding all parents that children under the age of 11 are not permitted to enter Warwick Indoor Recreation and Aquatic Centre without active supervision of a person 16 years or older.

The reminder comes as some parents continue to flaunt the rules of the recreation centre by dropping off unsupervised children as young as six.

"It's probably the worst it's ever been," said Centre Manager Don Warrener.

"One group of three children aged six to nine were dropped off this morning and we were forced to call the parent and have them picked up.

"In the interests of safety, you must be 11 years old to swim by yourself and children are not allowed entry unless they are under active supervision of a person 16 years or older," Mr Warrener said.

"There will be no exceptions and parents will be called to collect under age children from the pool."

As a member of the Royal Life Saving Society of Australia's Keep Watch @ Public Pools program, the Warwick Indoor Recreation & Aquatic Centre is keen to promote the importance of adult supervision in preventing children from drowning. Seventy per cent of drowning deaths at public pools are due to a lack of direct supervision by a parent or carer while the child is in the water.

The Keep Watch program sets the following standard guidelines for supervision, which applies at all Council swimming pools:

- Children 10 years and under will be refused entry unless under active supervision of a person 16 years or older
- Children under five years must have a parent or carer in the water within arm's reach
- Children six to 10 years must have a parent or carer within constant active eye contact
- Children 11 to 14 years must have a parent or carer physically check on them on a regular basis.

Mr Warrener made no apologies for WIRAC's campaign to make parents and carers understand the dangers of leaving children unattended at a public pool.

"In summer, when our pools are at maximum capacity, the Keep Watch message is one that Council wants parents and carers to pay attention to.

"It only takes a split second for a child to get into difficulty in the water, so give your child all your attention, stay close to them and keep watch to save lives," he said.

### Be aware of new pool safety regulations

This summer many shoppers may take the plunge and buy an inflatable pool for their families, but shoppers need to be aware

THINGS THAT HAPPENED ON THIS DAY - 23rd DECEMBER	
1672 - Giovanni Cassini discovers Rhea, a satellite of Saturn.	"Hoffmeyer's Legacy".
1690 - John Flamsteed observes Uranus without realizing it's undiscovered.	1914 - World War I: Australian and New Zealand troops arrive in Cairo, Egypt.
1834 - Joseph Hansom of London receives patent for Hansom cabs.	1919 - 1st hospital ship built to move wounded naval personnel launched.
1888 - Dutch painter Vincent van Gogh cuts off his left ear.	1919 - Alice H Parker patents gas heating furnace.
1894 - Debussy's ballet "L'après-midi d'un faune," premieres in Paris.	1920 - Ireland divided into 2 parts, each with its own parliament.
1912 - 1st "Keystone Kops" film, titled	1922 - BBC Radio began daily newscasts.
	1933 - Train crash in Eastern Paris; 230 die.
	1937 - First flight of the Vickers Wellington bomber.
	1938 - Discovery of the first modern coelacanth in South Africa.
	1939 - South Australia score 7-821 against Queensland in Cricket.
	1947 - Transistor invented by Bardeen, Brattain & Shockley in Bell Labs
	1954 - The first human kidney transplant is performed by Dr. Joseph E. Murray at Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston, Massachusetts.
	1957 - Test Cricket debut for Wally Grout & Bobby Simpson v S Africa
	1964 - India & Ceylon hit by cyclone, about 4,850 killed.
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that new pool safety regulations may apply. New Queensland State Government laws on pool fence safety apply to any pool - whether inflatable, above-ground or in-ground - which holds water at a depth of 30 centimetres or more. Southern Downs Regional Council Director of Planning & Environment, Ken Harris, said this may catch out people who buy or receive an inflatable or above-ground pool as a Christmas gift.

"Inflatable and above-ground pools can be very affordable, but may require thousands of dollars worth of pool fencing depending on their depth," Mr Harris said.

"Under the new regulations, any pool with water more than 30cm deep must have a pool fence that meets current state government safety standards."

All properties with pools that fit this description need to be included in a state-based pool safety register by May 2011.

That includes pools at homes, hotels/motels and other facilities. Pool owners have almost five years, until 30 November 2015, to comply with the new pool safety standards unless they are selling or leasing their property before then. However, from 1 December 2010, any property owner who is leasing or selling their property must have a current Pool Safety Certificate. Pool safety certificates are valid for one year for a shared pool, such as a pool in an apartment complex, and two years for a non-shared pool.

Southern Downs Regional Council currently has two licensed Pool Safety Officers who can inspect pools and issue Pool Safety Certificates. Residents are also reminded that under state legislation, building approval from Council is required for construction of pools and pool fences.

To organise a Pool Safety Inspection, contact Council on (07) 4661 0300 or (07) 4681 5500. For more information on compliance with the state pool safety laws visit [www.dip.qld.gov.au](http://www.dip.qld.gov.au) and go to the Pool Safety section.

# Events Calendar

2011

**January -**  
**Tue 4** Wattles Training Commences U18, Reserve & A Platz Oval Clifton, 6.30pm  
**Wed 5** Wattles Tag League Commences, All Grades Platz Oval Clifton, 6.30pm  
**Sat 8** Wattles Juniors Season Launch Leyburn Hotel, Leyburn, 4.00pm  
**Sat 22** Allora Heritage Weekend  
**& Sun 23** Allora Showgrounds  
**Sat 22** Wattles Meet & Greet Downs Hotel, Drayton, 3.00pm

**February -**  
**Sat 19** Wattles Junior Sign-On & Muster Platz Oval Clifton, 4.00pm

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<b>Tue</b>	Breakfast Show with Debbie Andersen	9am - 12md Easy Listening: Interviews, John Elliott	12md -3pm Easy Listening Lunchbox with Russell Neucomb	3pm - 6pm Tuesday Arvo/DriveTime with Loyd Wiermans	6pm - 8pm One Ladies Great Music/Jodi Keim/	8pm - 12mn Tuesday Night Country	12mn - 6am CBAA Satellite Programs
<b>Wed</b>	6am-9am Wednesday Breakfast Show/Pat Elliott/Mike Parris.	9am - 12md Easy Listening 70's to 90's: Danny Collins & Don Maher	12md - 4pm Early afternoon Mix 50's to 70's: Keith Tootell	4pm-6pm 70',80's,90's with Kris Moulder	6pm - 8pm Top 20 Pop Hits of the week with Tor Moulder/Emma Costello	8pm - 12mn Best songs of all times: Cedric Robbins	12mn - 6am CBAA Satellite Programs
<b>Thu</b>	Breakfast Show Pat Elliott	9am - 10am A little more brekky with Pat E 10am to 1pm/Music from other countries&with Julie	1pm-4pm Musical Memories with Keith Tootell	4pm-6pm Music Through the 80's & 90's with Julian Gibbs	6pm - 8pm Great Music of the 80's with Peter Hardwick	8pm - 12mn Jazz/Swing/Blues: Arthur Denton/	12mn - 6am CBAA Satellite Programs
<b>Fri</b>	Breakfast Show: Brian Moore & David Stevens	9am - 12md - Andy again - some of your favourite hits with Andy Wilson	12pm-4pm Friday Avro Mix Pat Elliott	4pm - 7pm Youth Music: Kris Moulder/Sue Keong	7pm - 11pm Rock & Roll: Bob Loxley/David Ure	11pm - 6am CBAA Satellite Programs	
<b>Sat</b>	Breakfast Show: John Moulder	9am - 12md Saturday Morning Best Sounds with Pat Elliott/Donna Turnley/Keith Tootell	12md-3pm Swing intoSaturday Arvo with Kathy Mapes/Krissy Bloomfield/Tim Moulder	3pm - 6pm Drive Time Music/ & Peter Hardwick	6pm - 9pm Saturday Night Country: (Old/Modern/Crossover) Don Maher/Pauline Pickering/Mary	9pm - 12mn Continuation of Country Music: Don Maher	12mn - 6am 4SDB's Great Music Mix
<b>Sun</b>	Breakfast Show: Russell Neucomb	9am - 1pm Australian Country Music/Bush Ballads & Verse/Aussie Top 20 Albums	1pm - 4pm Those were the days: Arthur Denton	4pm - 6pm Classical Music: Arthur Denton	6pm - 7pm Religious Hour with Ann & Carol	7pm -10pm Sunday Night Country	12mn -6am CBAA Satellite Programs

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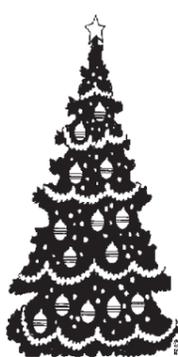
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## Crews will keep the lights on at Christmas

While most of us will join family and friends in traditional Christmas Day celebrations, a dedicated team of Ergon Energy workers will help keep the power system ticking 24 hours a day, seven days a week during the festive season. Many staff will sacrifice Christmas with their families to monitor, manage and respond to any problems across South West Queensland's vast electricity network. An active summer storm season has arrived and local crews will be ready to respond during the Christmas and New Year long weekends should such impacts occur. Ergon Energy's Acting Manager Regional Services Michael Hellyer said during the summer season it was impossible to avoid or predict what the weather would bring. "We have a robust network, but you can never 'storm proof' a network. The reality is that extremes in summer weather will cause damage from time to time that result in power interruptions for our customers," Mr Hellyer said. "It's our response when these impacts occur that makes the difference - even on Christmas Day." Normal on-call arrangements will be in place at Ergon Energy's depots so field crews can respond if required to any power-related contingencies during the holiday season. Staff will be on deck in Ergon Energy's National Contact Centre to take fault and emergency calls from across regional Queensland on 13 22 96. Mr Hellyer paid tribute to those staff who, because of the nature of their work, will forgo precious time with family and friends over the Christmas and New Year period. "This is recognition and true commitment to the essential service we provide to our communities," he said. "Our customers can rest easy in the knowledge that while we are all enjoying the special moments the festive season brings, there is a professional group of dedicated people behind the scenes looking after the power system so we can enjoy all the modern comforts on Christmas Day and over the New Year period. "Our people are a credit to the Ergon Energy adage 'everything in our power' and the wider community should be proud of them - we certainly are." Mr Hellyer took the opportunity to wish all customers in South West Queensland a happy and safe Christmas and New Year.

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**ALLORA CRICKET CLUB**  
**And More Rain on Allora's Parade**  
The cricket team who rarely has an opportunity to play cricket, the Allora Foodworks Eleven at least made their way to Slade Park in Warwick last Saturday, and regardless of damp conditions the previous night, play was to commence. But Allora still failed to take the field due to opponents Killarney forfeiting minutes from the scheduled start. With four matches washed out this season due to the very wet conditions, the local boys were keen to get on the paddock and force their claims. The forfeit allows Allora a full round premiership points, but the team is also in need of time at the wicket. A bonus for the Allora eleven was that they managed to leap a spot on the ladder without getting their whites muddy, moving up to the seventh rung. Despite a disappointing first round of the season with cancelled matches also causing upheaval, the Allora side can still play their way into a finals position by the business end of the season. The team to play against Killarney last Saturday was: Adam May (C), Brady Glass, Justin Briggs, Andrew Petersen, Kris McLennan, Aaron Vietheer, Steve Hughes, Alex Morris, Jared

Petersen & Nick Morris.  
Classy young bowling talent & Allora player Brodie Frizzell has returned from the Queensland Secondary Schools Under 15 State Cricket Championships in Bundaberg where he represented Darling Downs & South West Queensland. Across the Carnival he finished with 7 wickets to his name and better than 50 odd runs off the bat. Frizzell and a number of other young players are showing a lot of ability of late and will be mainstays in Allora's cricketing future. A late withdrawal last Saturday was usual Allora team skipper Cameron Masters, who had to escort wife and Allora Cricket Club Treasurer, Shannon Masters to Toowoomba post haste. The Allora Cricket Club extends their wishes of congratulations to both Cameron and Shannon on the birth of their first child, a daughter Sophie Leigh. This Friday evening the Allora Cricket Club Christmas Raffle will be drawn at the Railway Hotel at 7 pm. Tickets will be available up until the draw. A special thanks to the businesses that sponsored the raffle, in particular Allora True Value Hardware, Jenco Feeds & Seeds, Allora Pharmacy, the Railway Hotel & Allora News. A very special thanks also to Ken & Heather Petersen (K.D. & H.M. Petersen Building) for their many & generous donations. Also a special thanks to Shaune

Duffy (Tractor & Implement In Miniature Diecast Models) of Hendon for his excellent donation towards the fundraiser. Special mention also to Shannon Masters and players Cameron Masters, Steve Bolzan, Scott Sparksman & Justin Briggs for their efforts in selling tickets on Bush Christmas Night, and also thank you to the Rotary Club Of Allora for the opportunity. Warwick Cricket Association fixtures commence in the new year on the Saturday, 8th January 2011.

Team	Played	Won	Lost	Bye	B/P	Total Points
Maryvale	7	5	1	1	6	26
CSD Criterion	7	5	1	1	5	25*
Inglewood	7	5	1	1	4	24
Wheatvale	7	4	2	1	2	18
RSL Diggers	8	3	4	1	3	15
Colts	7	2	4	1	4	12
Allora	7	2	4	1	2	10
Sovereign	7	2	4	1	-	8
Killarney	7	-	7	-	-	0

A very Merry Christmas & Happy New Year to all.

Glyn Rees

**• CHURCH NOTICES •**

**Scots Presbyterian Church - Allora.**

**SUNDAY'S SERVICE AT ALLORA - 9.30am.**

**Sunday, 19th December -**

**CHRISTMAS COMBINED CAROL Service - 7.00pm,**  
Scots Presbyterian Church

**Saturday, 25th December -**

**CHRISTMAS MORNING SERVICE - 9.30am**

Enquiries to Pastor Dennis Mooney 4666 3829.

A Warm Welcome to ALL.

*We wish you every Blessing on a Safe Christmas and New Year*

**The Anglican Parish of Allora and Clifton - Service Times**

**St Davids: Allora**

Sundays:	Holy Communion	10.00am
Saturdays:	Holy Communion 1st of month	7.00pm
Wednesdays:	Morning Prayer	10.00am

**All Saints: Clifton**

Sundays:	Holy Communion	8.00am
	Anglican Family Fellowship	5.30pm

**Please note:** Children are being especially welcomed at the St David's 10.00am **Kidz Time** services on the 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month.

**CHRISTMAS SERVICES**

**Christmas Eve, 24th December - Clifton 7.00pm, Allora 11.30pm**

**Christmas Day, 25th December - Allora 8.00am, Clifton 10.00am**

**Sunday, 26th - No Parish Services**

**Locum - Rev. Les Monaghan - Phone 0438 670 066 / 4666 3343**

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**CHRISTMAS DAY, 8.30am - No Service on Sunday.**

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**• SOLUTIONS •**

**THIS WEEK'S SUDOKU SOLUTION**

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**• ANNOUNCEMENTS •**

**Marriage Notice...**

SHAW - STALLMAN - RENEE & DERRICK were married at Preston Village Chapel on 4th December 2010. Renee is the eldest daughter of Maree Gillam and Brad Stallman. Derrick is the only son of Ann & Andy Shaw.

*Love and best wishes from both families.*



**Thanks...**

Thank you to the good people of Allora for the many prayerful, practical and generous ways in which you have expressed love, compassion and support for myself and my family during the past weeks. We are so blessed to be part of this caring community.

*Joyce Gibson*

**Birth Notice...**

MASTERS - Cameron & Shannon (nee Petersen) welcome with love a baby girl, "SOPHIE LEIGH", on 18th December 2010, 6 lb 10½ oz. First grandchild for Ken & Heather Petersen and fourth grandchild and first grand daughter for Neil & Sharon Masters of Allora.

**Birthday Greeting...**

*Guess Who's 50?*

*Remember - after fifty, everything that doesn't hurt, doesn't work.*

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY JON CONSTABLE**

*- 26th December.*

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**• PUBLIC NOTICES •**

Amy & staff would like to wish all valued customers a **MERRY CHRISTMAS** and **HAPPY NEW YEAR**, and advise **AMY'S COUNTRY CAFE** will be **CLOSED** from Saturday, December 25th and **RE-OPENING** Wednesday, December 29th.

**THE ALLORA DENTAL SURGERY will be CLOSED FRIDAY, 24/12/2010 and will RE-OPEN 10/01/2011.**

*Alan & Staff would like to wish everyone a Safe and Merry Christmas*

**C.A. & V.J. WILLETT wish to advise their new address is Lot 1, Hillside Road, Allora. Effective immediately. All phone numbers remain the same.**

*We wish all our clients a Very Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year*

**DATE CLAIMER - ALLORA BRANCH QCWA INTERNATIONAL DAY, 29th April 2011, St. Andrew's Hall. Country of Study - East Timor.**

**ALLORA MARKETS - Allora Showgrounds, Sunday, 2nd January, 7.00am - 12 noon. Stall holders welcome. Phone 4661 4787**

**• FOR SALE •**

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**Allora Old Bike Wheel trophy up for grabs - Boxing Day Extravaganza**

Well it's that time again! When the boys take on the men in the gladiatorial fight of the year -

The Allora Annual Old Wheel Touch Trophy match (AAOBWTTM for short) will be run, won, lost (...and sometimes drawn) on the 26th December starting 10.30 am (Allora Time). Be there or be square.

A time when Allora locals and ex-pats congregate back in the home town to decide the bragging rights for the coming year. Who will it be on 2010? The OVERS or the UNDERS???

Just so everyone is up to speed, the OVER 30's currently hold sway!

This year the Organising Committee has deemed it necessary that all those wanting to participate in this most hallowed of games, should stump up \$5 for the privilege, before the game. No pay no play.

The awards presentation will be at the Railway Hotel this year. The Railway is kindly putting on a sausage sizzle and monies raised from the entry fee and the sausage sizzle will be donated to a local charity as per previous years. (NB Charity to be disclosed on the night, and only after the organising

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committee has taken their well deserved cut).

It is important that all players take time out to perform stretching and aerobic exercises and we don't just mean on match day. This applies particularly to the OVERS fraternity; an often deluded bunch who live on past glories, or worse, fantasies. There's nothing more sad or pitiful than seeing some woop who didn't even possess the heart let alone tactical nous for junior league, insist on being in the middle of the ruck on game day trying to be Wally Lewis. Barking orders. And then not subbing off...

I speak of the likes of John Gordon Jnr... what a hide. And as a general rule of thumb, if you are over 30 and you look down and can't see your toes for your gut, then it might be time to reassess your participation. Furthermore, if this is your first actual 'run' in 2010, please consider winding your expectations back a tad, and perhaps helping out in a more meaningful way by barracking and encouraging from the sidelines. You might like to consider a position as official time-keeper or bean counter. The OVERS have been exposed many a time stacking the numbers (which is fair enough...Ed)

On a sadder note, 2010 also saw the passing one of our great referees - Terry Doyle. He will be honoured in the presentations.

See you there!

# GLENMAR FUELS



*Glenn & Marg and the team wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.  
We look forward to serving you again in 2011.*



## NEW YEARS EVE FIREWORKS IN WARWICK

Warwick Tourism and Events together with The Southern Downs Regional Council are proud to bring you the 2010 New Years Eve Fireworks.

Come and enjoy a program of family fun activities from 5.00 pm including kids rides and the Cowboys Rugby League Club Hot Food & Licensed Bar. Don't miss the excitement and colour of the fireworks without waiting up until midnight. As the emphasis is on being family friendly, the pyrotechnic display will commence from 8.00 pm on Friday 31st December in Queens Park, Warwick.

The Cowboys Club will be offering fish & chips in butchers paper along with coffee and sweets, so come prepared with

a picnic rug, deck chairs, your friends and family and enjoy a fun night out.

If you are driving down to the park please be aware that Park Road, southern side of Queens Park entrance will also be closed to traffic from 6.30 pm so make sure you get your viewing spot early!

Please don't forget to take special care of your four legged friends, as the loud noise may scare them on the night.

For more information contact Warwick Tourism and Events Phone 4661 9073.

## THE ALLORA MEDICAL PRACTICE

*wishes the Allora Community a Happy and Safe Christmas and New Year and would like to thank them for their ongoing support.*

The surgery will be closed for the public holidays only and will be opening at 8.30am for all normal working days.

MONDAY 27th - CLOSED  
TUESDAY 28th - CLOSED  
WEDNESDAY 29th - OPEN 8.30AM  
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