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Looking back on 96 years

By Khrysti Balanay

At almost 96 years old, Kyrle has lived a fascinating life.

Kyrle grew up on her family farm out near Goovigen, located just under two hours from Gladstone.

Being raised with five brothers, Kyrle was determined to be treated equally.

Whether it was winning a fistfight or outracing her brothers on their Australian stock horses - she did it.

Read more about Kyrle story on page 8

Culture and fun!

Gladstone residents celebrated diversity and inclusion at a Community Fun Day at the Philip Street Communities and Families Precinct on Saturday, 13 November.

Attendees enjoyed live music, free tours of the precinct, a free sausage sizzle and all-ability picnic games and activities.

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Excellence recognised

Three students from the Gladstone region have been recognised today for their outstanding ideas and innovations as part of the Future Makers STEM Inventors Project.

More than 35 local students from Toowoomba State High, Calliope State High, Tannum Sands State High and Rosedale State School submitted their ideas as part of the project.

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The Pacific Pikininis perform at the Philip Street Communities and Families Precinct.

Vax crunch time

By Eilish Massie

Gladstone business owners have shared their biggest concerns regarding Queensland Health's new Covid-19 vaccine restrictions, with staff abuse one of the major fears.

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MONDAY
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Vicki and Troy Venz at the Beer + Cider Festival at the GPC Marina Parklands.
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Richard and Lynda Ninness.



Olly Sturt and Chris Tarr.

‘Over the moon’: Organisers thrilled

By Eilish Massie

More than 1200 people attended the second Beer and Cider event last weekend, with many praising the event.

Held this time at the GPC Marina Parklands, residents enjoyed beers from Blackflag Brewing, Your Mates Brewing Co, Heads of Noosa and Ballistic Beer Bundaberg.

Residents also enjoyed food from Hughey's Que, Mr. Pulled, Piping Hot Wood Fired Pizza, Kebab Heaven and The Lunch Box.

CQ Beer + Cider coordinators Jacqui Betts and Amanda O'Reilly said they were 'over the moon' with how that day turned out.

"From start to finish it was just perfect. The weather cleared up; it was just meant to be for us," they said.

Ms Betts said the most popular drink proved to be the 'Tilly Ginger Beer' from Your Mates Brewing Co. in the can and on tap, as well as Blackflag Brewing's "Rage- Juicy Pale Ale".

Ms Betts said they had also received praise from the new entertainment on board, which included DJ Ben, B2J w/ Caitlin Bignall, Chris Bax Band, Jayd McKenzie & Wayno, Maddi and the Hoopers and Side Hustle.

"We had a new site at the GPC Marina Parklands, which the Parklands crew did a stellar job getting up to scratch for our event, they went above and beyond," she said.

"Absolutely great feedback about the new site, the entertainment and the day overall from attendees."

Ms Betts said organisers were likely to keep

the event to once a year, after running the event in February this year.

"We just wanted to change the time of year we held the event to a more suitable temperature, and to give GFE some time between our main event of the year, which is The Gladstone Harbour Festival happening at Easter each year," she said.

"The festival takes up a lot of time to organise all the brewers, food vendors, live entertainment and Volunteers, it's been great to have a good 4-5 months to get that done.

"We will have dates locked in for the next CQ Beer + Cider Festival after Christmas, but we will now put all our Focus in the Harbour Festival which the CQ Beer + Cider Festival supports."



Keg throwing at the Beer + Cider Festival.

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The editor's desk

Last week's Beer and Cider festival was phenomenal.

It was safe to say organisers certainly made up for February's event.

After moving to Gladstone two years ago and realising pretty quickly there is not a lot to do around here, it is pretty great to have these sorts of events.

Organisers had it all covered. The live entertainment was off chops, the beer on tap was amazing (and they didn't run out of beer this time!) and there were plenty of games for everyone.

I'm definitely looking forward to next year's event.



- Eilish Massie

Regret for 'reckless' acts

Tannum Sands State High School students have issued an apology regarding 'reckless behaviour' during a scavenger hunt last weekend.

The school cohort said they took accountability for their actions, and were taking steps to rectify any damage that was caused during the events.

"As a group we are endeavouring to partake in an emu parade at the Tannum Sands Esplanade and at our school grounds to ensure that our beautiful environment is not affected. Furthermore, we are setting up a good faith box in the administration building so we can each donate money to give to the real estate agencies that were impacted by stolen and

damaged signs," the class said via the school's Facebook page.

The Year 12 students said there was wider involvement from other neighbouring schools.

"As a cohort, we agree that as a result of this, the scavenger hunt got bigger than ever intended and we seek to make sure that there is no repetition of this behaviour in the future," they said.

"Our good intentions have been clouded by bad decisions and by taking responsibility both individually and as a group we sincerely hope our community can forgive us for any damage and celebrate all that we have achieved over the next week.

"Years of hard work and dedication to our

studies is drawing to a close and we do not want our teachers and our wider community to overlook that as a result of last weekends events."

A Queensland Education spokesperson said the department were aware of a number of inappropriate and unsafe activities undertaken by some Tannum Sands State High School students over the weekend.

They said the activity was not associated with the school.

"The school has provided a forum for students who chose to be involved in these activities to come forward and take responsibility for their actions and rectify any damage caused," the spokesperson said.

Students involved will engage in a litter parade at the Tannum Sands Esplanade and on school grounds to ensure all rubbish is removed and any physical damage to school and community property is rectified, contribute to a good faith box set up in the administration building, allowing them to donate money to support those impacted and provide a public apology to all school staff and members of the community via the school's Facebook page.

The incident is still currently being reviewed by the school leadership team and additional disciplinary consequences may be applied to individuals in line with the school's Student Code of Conduct.



Weekend looking 'Greener'

By Eilish Massie

The Grass Is Greener is coming to our backyard this weekend.

Festival directors Oli Frost and Johnny Eddings are bringing the Backyard Series to Gladstone, a spin-off festival from popular event The Grass is Greener.

From October to November, the Backyard Series will travel to regional Queensland and will stop in towns such as Townsville, Toowoomba, Gladstone and Mackay.

After having secured dates in towns which are arguably often overlooked for high-calibre contemporary festivals, The Backyard Series aims to be the highlight of 2021 for these regional communities, bringing some much-needed entertainment in what's been a difficult time.

The stellar line-up includes headliner Peking Duk, North East Party House, Sydney electro-pop artist Boo Seeka, and internationally acclaimed EDM juggernaut Will Sparks. Jade Zoe, Jesswar and Tenzin will round out an all Australian superstar lineup.

It was Gladstone local Ryan Fawzi who pitched Gladstone as a key location to the festivals' founders Mr Frost and Mr Eddings.

"I spent 21 glorious years of my life in Gladstone so that's why I wanted to bring this music festival back there," Mr Fawzi said.

"Being a Gladstone boy, I'm so excited to bring something back there after many years of people complaining there is nothing to do in Gladstone."

Mr Fawzi said Gladstone had a good catchment zone for those living in Central Queensland.

He said the event aimed to attract those living in Rockhampton, Biloela, Agnes Water and Bundaberg.

"Coming from Central Queensland, there are people in regional towns that love this stuff," he said.

"Growing up in Gladstone I would go down to Brisbane or the Gold Coast to go to music festivals and you would just do it, you would go down on a Friday and not think twice about asking for time off. I saw an opportunity in Gladstone as it's got that catchment zone, I feel like people from Bundaberg would be more inclined to go to Gladstone than Rockhampton, and for those living in Rockhampton, it's just an hour drive for them.

"I know the appetite for music festivals is there for CQ, and I wanted to give Gladstone the opportunity to have an established music festival there."

The 18+ event will be fully licensed, and will also incorporate many local businesses.

Grass is Greener The Backyard Series will be at Memorial Park on 20 November.

Calling all photographers

Gladstone Regional Council's Agnes Water Rural Transaction Centre (RTC) is hosting its annual amateur photography competition from now until December with a theme of 'The Discovery Coast through my eyes'.

The competition is divided into two categories, under-18s and 18-plus, with submissions and voting conducted via Council's online Conversations platform.

Voting will also be available at the Agnes Water RTC.

Photos must be taken in Agnes Water and the surrounding areas, including Agnes Water, Seventeen Seventy, Captain Creek, Baffle Creek, Deepwater National Park, Eurimbula National Park, Turkey Beach, Rodds Peninsular National Park, Mount Colosseum National Park, Rosedale, Lowmead, Bororen and Miriam Vale.

Gladstone Region Councillor Natalia Muszkat said submissions are now open and will close at 11.59pm on Sunday 28 November.

"Once submissions close a voting period will open up from Monday 29 November until Sunday 12 December," Councillor Muszkat said.

"The winners will be selected through a public vote with the winning entries each receiving a \$100 gift voucher and award certificate.

"While the competition has a theme, what you decide to photograph is entirely up for interpretation provided it meets the terms and conditions of entry.

"Winning entries will be announced on Wednesday 15 December."

The Agnes Water RTC competition follows on from the Mount Larcom RTC's annual photo competition, won by Nathan Corbett for his image The Chosen One.

Visit conversations.gladstone.qld.gov.au and click on the 2021 Agnes Water Photography Competition icon to submit your entry.



Zonta Club of Gladstone with Gladstone Police during the 16 Days of Activism 2020.

Zonta gets active and lights the town in orange

Zonta Clubs around the world will unite for 16 Days of Activism Against Gender Based Violence from 25 November to 10 December.

The aim is to eliminate violence against women and girls.

In the lead up to and during the 16 days of action, The Zonta Club of Gladstone is asking businesses, industry and the community to light up or decorate Orange during the 16 days.

Members of the Zonta Club of Gladstone invite community members to participate in the Orange Walk which will start at Li-

brary Square on Thursday 25th November at 6pm and finish at East Shores to enjoy the lights and a sausage sizzle. Residents are urged to wear orange for the event and hear about issues in the Gladstone region.

Look out for the freestanding orange ladies who travel around Gladstone, spreading Zonta's message during the campaign. If you would like to host one, please do not hesitate to contact the club.

If you would like to join in the challenge to Orange Gladstone, please send a message at zontagladstone@gmail.com.

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Gladstone's rate higher

By Duncan Evans

With the borders set to give way in a month, 61.3 per cent of eligible residents within Gladstone are fully vaccinated as of November 14, a substantial gap from the state-wide average of 70.2 per cent.

However, Gladstone's 'first dose' figures are more closely aligned with the rest of Queensland.

State-wide, 82.0 per cent of eligible people

have received one jab.

In Gladstone, the figure is 79.0 per cent.

Across Central Queensland, Gladstone now outstrips every other local government area in terms of first dose rates.

Its closest competitor is Rockhampton, with a first dose rate of 78.2 per cent.

The Gladstone Community Vaccination Clinic at 25 Derby Street is now open seven days a week, from 9am to 4pm.

On Thursday, the clinic is open until 7pm.

Boyce slams 'Big Brother'

By Duncan Evans

Colin Boyce, the LNP candidate for the federal seat of Flynn, has sharply criticised the state government's proposed vaccine regulations, calling them a step towards a 'Big Brother' police state.

"The Queensland Labor Government's Vaccine Rules are a complete departure from the Australian way," he wrote on Facebook last week.

"It signals the imminent rollout of vaccination passports, and an escalation of 'Big Brother' police state, totalitarian rule."

The regulations, set to come in on December 17, will lock out unvaccinated Queenslanders from a range of everyday activities.

"Christmas will soon be upon us," Mr Boyce continues.

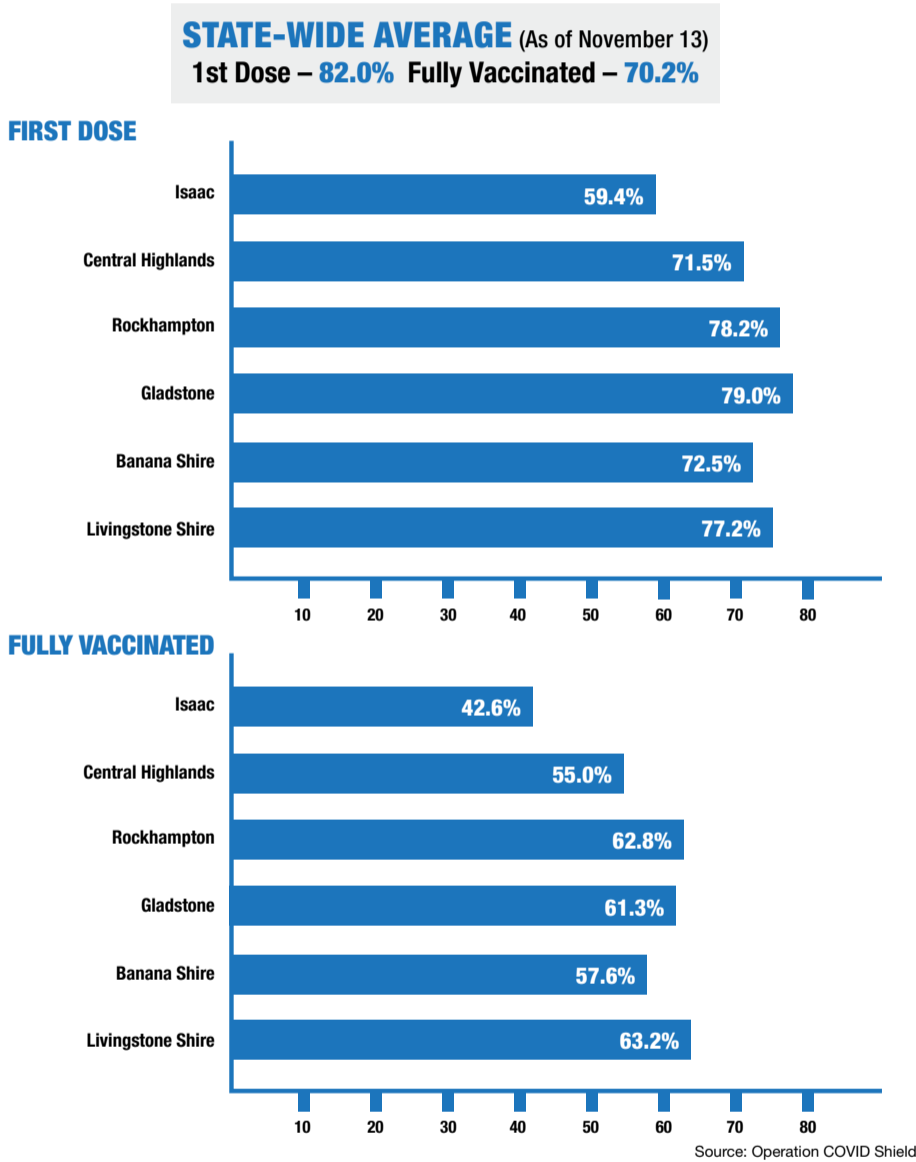
"So many Queenslanders will now face the prospect of being denied access to pubs, clubs,

sporting, and entertainment venues. What if you have a wedding to go to? One unvaccinated guest means only 20 people can attend a wedding. I wonder if you will be allowed to go to the beach and swim in the ocean, if you are not vaccinated? Who is going to police this? Our police have enough to do, with the increasing crime rates throughout Queensland."

"Whilst I support vaccination, I do not support unnecessary, mandatory vaccination that removes our fundamental right of choice. The threat of losing your job or being unable to enter a business – these are not voluntary choices that anyone can make. For a Queensland government to enforce these conditions on our citizens will simply alienate and ostracise those who choose not to be vaccinated. We live in Australia, not some communist country."

CQ Today understands that Mr Boyce's rival for the seat of Flynn, Labor candidate and Gladstone Mayor Matt Burnett, supports the state government's position.

Central Queensland Vaccination Rates as of November 14



How to prove you're vaxxed

By CQ Today

Had the jab? You'll soon need to prove it to participate in regular life.

From December 17 onwards, the state government plans to lock out unvaccinated Queenslanders from a range of everyday activities, from going to the pub to watching a game at Browne Park or Kev Broome Stadium.

Your ticket to freedom comes in the form of a certificate demonstrating proof of vaccination for Covid.

There are a number of ways you can secure your certificate and you don't need to be tech-savvy to get one.

Even if you don't use the internet or smartphones, a certificate is easy to attain.

Here are the three basic ways to do so.

1. Download a digital copy of your certificate from MyGov.

Log on to MyGov and link your Medicare card to your MyGov account.

Once you have linked Medicare to My-

Gov, you can download a copy of your digital certificate.

It can also be saved to Apple Wallet and Google Play.

2. Ask your vaccine provider for a printed certificate of your vaccination.

If you've had your jab at a pharmacy or GP clinic, ask them to print out a certificate of your vaccination.

3. Call the Australian Immunisations Register

You can call the Australian Immunisations Register on 1800 653 809 to request a printed copy of your vaccination certificate.

CQ Today called this number on Monday and the process was quick and easy.

You will require your Medicare card and from there the operator will ask you a series of security questions to confirm your identity.

Once your identity has been confirmed, give the operator the correct mailing address and your certificate will sent to you.

It might take up to 10 days to arrive by post.



NRL games will only be available to the vaccinated from December 17 onwards.

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Business 'entry' concern

By Eilish Massie

With Queensland surpassing the 70 per cent vaccination rate, Gladstone businesses have voiced their concern how the new restrictions would affect their establishments.

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Outdoor entertainment activities like sports stadiums and theme parks, as well as all festivals, will also only allow vaccinated staff and patrons to enter.

Only fully vaccinated people will be able to visit hospitals, aged care facilities, prisons and disability services, except in end-of-life or emergency situations.

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While he said it was important for people to get vaccinated, Mr Noordermeer said he did not judge those who did not want the jab.

"I don't really agree with forcing people to get vaccinated who don't want to get it," he said.

"But then again at the same time it's the only way to get people to get vaccinated."

"It's unfortunate it's come to that but I understand why people wouldn't want to get vaccinated."

Gladstone Cinemas general manager Melissa Struik said she was waiting on official guidelines from the State Government on how to navigate the new health guidelines.

"We're kind of taking a stab at what they are going to implement," Ms Struik said.

"At this stage we have the Queensland check in app and we've been advised it will likely be a similar procedure where you'll check in via the app, and show us evidence you have been double vaxxed and if you don't have the green tick, you won't be allowed in."

While Gladstone cinema staff are well-prepared to handle the new changes, Ms Struik still had concerns if people would abuse staff for following Government regulations.



Aodhan McCann (left) said the new laws could change everything.

"I don't think it should be our job (to police) the new rules, it's an uncomfortable situation for me to put my staff in but there is no alternative, we'll just do as we're told and try to play the game right."

"Of course we will have police enforcement but I don't think there are enough resources to go around."

Another concern was also about letting Covid-19 into the community and the repercussions it would have on her business.

"I'm concerned about confirmed cases in Gladstone, we're trying to think about that as well," she said.

"Would I need two teams of people in case we get shut down? We're just trying to figure out all these contingency plans in case the worst does happen."

Meanwhile Mieplace Niteclub owner Aodhan McCann told the Courier Mail he thought the new regulations could change everything.

"At the end of the day it is a decision they've made, I don't think it's a good decision for our industry," he said.

"If people are unvaccinated and not allowed in that potentially harms my business, if staff are unvaccinated they can't work."

Mr McCann said he was worried the State Government had gone the wrong way about getting people vaccinated.

"I think they should have said 'if you choose to go unvaccinated, then you have to deal with the financial repercussions of specialist care in the ICU'," he said.

"Forcing people to do it is not the right answer."

Mr McCann said it was unclear how the government expected businesses to police the new rules, and what the fines were going to be for anyone who does breach the regulations.

A Queensland Police Service spokesman said police would work closely with local businesses and the community to ensure everyone was aware of the new public health direction.

Customers entering venues will need to check-in to the venue and show evidence they are fully vaccinated.

"Throughout the pandemic, the Queensland Police Service has maintained a communication and compassion approach to achieve compliance," he said.

"We encourage businesses to clearly display the new rules to help inform their customers."

"While we do not expect business owners and employees to act as police, we do ask that they understand and abide by their obligations."

"If business operators experience difficult customers who refuse to comply with the rules or leave the premises, they can contact



Gladstone Cinemas general manager Melissa Struik



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police and we can assist.

"The QPS will continue to take an educative approach to compliance around COVID 19 measures, however, if blatant breaches are detected, we will take action."

The QPS spokesman said there would be fines up to \$1,378 for individuals and \$6892 for businesses which fail to comply with the public health directions.

"Further action can also be taken, depending on the circumstances of the matter."

"QPS officers will continue to work closely with partner agencies including the Office of Liquor and Gaming to undertake compliance operations."

Mr Noordermeer said it should citizen's own responsibility to follow the new rules.

"In the end we're not trained to deal with those kinds of questions, and we're learning as well," he said.

"I'm fully vaccinated but I don't hold it against anyone who is not vaccinated."

"Unfortunately there is nothing we can do about (the new rules), those who are unvaxxed just won't be allowed in the venue."

"I just ask for people not to take it out on staff."

"Most of them are just out of highschool, and people can get pretty aggressive about it and it's just not fair on them."

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Style House Fashion offers a variety of ladies clothing options.

Passion for fashion

By Khrysti Balanay

What started as a passion for fashion led Gabrielle Hockings to open her store, Style House Fashion.

Style House Fashion offers boutique clothing to residents of the Gladstone region and beyond.

“I wanted to cater for ladies of all ages and sizes,” Gabrielle said.

“The clothing I stock has a bohemian style that can be dressed up or down to fit every occasion.

“We offer stylish clothes that are unique in their design.”

Before Gabrielle opened the store, Style House Fashion originated as a market stall.

“We wanted to get ourselves out there,” Gabrielle said.

“We were showcasing something different that was available within the region.

“We first had a store in Tannum Sands before moving to Boyne Island and now to our current store in Gladstone.

“When I first opened the store, it was a gamble, but it paid off.”

Style House Fashion has a user-friendly website that is regularly updated to showcase the latest range in clothing.

They also post Australia wide and offer an in-store click and collect.



Style House Fashion is located at 6A, 85 Sun Valley Rd, Gladstone Central.

“Our styles go quickly,” Gabrielle said.

“We hand measure everything, so the sizing is always accurate.

“And we also do quality checking where we steam the clothes to ensure it is perfect.

“It’s a lot more work, but it’s better for the customers.”

Gabrielle has remarked that the success of her business has come down to the support of the community.

“We have customers still shopping with us from the beginning,” Gabrielle said.

“We feel so loved and blessed.”

Style House Fashion has something to offer for those thinking about Christmas ideas or



wanting to update their wardrobe.

“We try to make people feel comfortable and at home,” Gabrielle said.

“We have a range of styles to suit your lifestyle.

“You may surprise yourself with loving different colours and fabrics.

“If you haven’t been in yet, then please come in and see us.”

For more information, visit stylehouse-fashion.com.au/ or see their Facebook page at stylehousefashion.au

Alleged Assault

Paramedics assessed five patients following an alleged assault at a New Auckland private address on Tuesday night.

Emergency services were responded to the address at 11.54pm.

Four patients were transported to Gladstone Hospital in stable conditions, while a male in his 20s with an ankle injury was assessed and declined transport to hospital.

Two men, one in his 20s and another in his 30s, were taken to hospital with head injuries.

Meanwhile a woman in her 20s was taken with an arm injury and another man in his 20s was taken with rib and minor head injuries.

Roadworks

Gladstone Regional Council will undertake an asphalt resurfacing project along various Gladstone CBD streets, commencing from Wednesday 24 November.

The project will upgrade existing road surfaces that provide access to residential, business and commercial premises.

Works will occur along sections of six streets in and near the Gladstone CBD area, with works expected to be completed by early December 2021, weather permitting.

Upcoming asphalt resurfacing will occur along: ? Railway Street (Glenlyon Street to Bayne Street) ? Scenery Street – Two sections (Kent Street to Railway Street) (Tank Street to Fisher Street) ? Short Street – Two sections (Toolooa Street to Auckland Street) (Auckland Street to Oaka Street) ? William Street – Two sections (Auckland Street to Goondoon Street) (Goondoon Street to Glenlyon Road) ? Yar-roon St (Auckland Street to Glenlyon Road) ? Goondoon St (Tank Street roundabout to Eden Street – these works will require closing of the roundabout).

Gladstone Region Councillor Chris Trevor said the project would resurface about 2.8km of road using approximately 3000t of asphalt. “These upcoming works will renew priority road areas within the Gladstone CBD,” Councillor Trevor said.

New York Times best-selling author comes to Gladstone

Gladstone City Library is offering people a chance to rub shoulders with a New York Times bestselling author when Heather Morris visits the Port City on Thursday 25 November.

Heather Morris is the author of The Tattooist of Auschwitz, a novel told from the perspective of Lale Sokolov, detailing his journey as a prisoner of Auschwitz concentration camp during the Second World War.

Gladstone Region Councillor Desley O’Grady said the New Zealand-born author will visit Gladstone as part of her tour to share her latest book Three Sisters.

“Gladstone City Library will be the place to be between 6pm-7.30pm on Thursday 25 November as Heather talks about her books and opens up to the audience for a question and answer time,” Councillor O’Grady said.

“An author visit is a great way to connect with a book and hear directly from them on how they wrote the story, where their inspiration came from, the amount of research involved and more.

“This event will include a light supper, so please contact the Gladstone City Library on 4976 6400, email library@gladstone.qld.gov.au or visit the friendly team in person to RSVP.”

Aurecon to bring new jobs to support emerging tech

By Eilish Massie

International design, engineering and advisory company, Aurecon is increasing its commitment to the Gladstone region by aiming to double its 35-person team and presence over the next two years.

Significant announcements have been made regarding Gladstone as a hydrogen precinct, a renewable energy zone and modern manufacturing destination with advanced technology and large-scale investment in new projects. Industry and the Queensland Government expects to bring billions of dollars to the local economy and support thousands of jobs to enable the transition to net zero emissions for Australia and the world’s economies.

Aurecon’s extensive experience in working with government and private sector clients to deliver major resources, energy and infrastructure projects in the region means it is well-placed to play a key role in the new developments, building on its existing portfolio of work.



Sue Allan and Evelyn Storey.

“We are growing our team in Gladstone to support the growth and sustainability of our clients operations and projects and Gladstone’s local industries and communities.

“We want to see Gladstone reap the benefits of the opportunities for current and future industries, and we are focused on a continued vision for Gladstone as a thriving community with a sustained heavy industry and high tech workforce, decarbonising ex-

isting industries, transitioning assets to new industries, maturing new technology supply chains like hydrogen and continuing to leverage Gladstone’s unrivalled deep water port and berth facilities.

“To prepare for this, we are bolstering our footprint in the area,” commented Evelyn Storey, Regional Managing Director for Queensland.

As part of the deployment of existing and new technology, and after being part of the Gladstone community for over 30 years, Aurecon is investing in the capacity to bring more jobs to the area by moving to more extensive and more fit-for-purpose premises at 130 Auckland Street, Gladstone.

“Increasing our footprint starts with setting ourselves up with the infrastructure required to grow our team and service capabilities. Our new premises will house our current 35 employees and allow a quick scaling to double our size over the next two years. This is an exciting time for Aurecon in the Glad-

stone community,” added Ms Storey.

Aurecon is also announcing Gladstone’s new office leader will be Sue Allan, joining Aurecon from the Australian resources sector. Ms Allan has worked across an array of capability areas within complex operating assets, including projects, technology, operations, production, business improvement and HSE, and across commodities including gold, copper, lead, zinc, iron ore, coal and alumina.

“I’m also pleased to announce Sue Allan will be joining as the Gladstone office’s team leader. She brings a wealth of experience from the resources sector to build our team here and engage with the rest of the sector,” Ms Storey continued.

“Joining Aurecon now is an exciting opportunity because Gladstone is on the edge of an enormous industrial boom in Central Queensland. I look forward to bringing more jobs to the Gladstone area and bringing more Aurecon investment to the area,” said Ms Allan.

Unique Christmas touch

The Christmas Tree project at the Gladstone Airport is back.

Entering its second year of building cultural community capacity, Art-Port's Community Christmas Tree project will be engaging hundreds of youth (of all abilities) in the Gladstone Region as a lead up to the festive period, where Melissa Peacock from A Country Arts practice will be facilitating free community art workshops at schools and at the Gladstone Airport.

In 2020, Art-Port partners A Country Arts Practice and Gladstone Airport Corporation engaged the Gladstone Men's Shed to design and build a Christmas tree. It stands three metres tall and two metres wide and is made of aluminium, representing the local industry in our region.

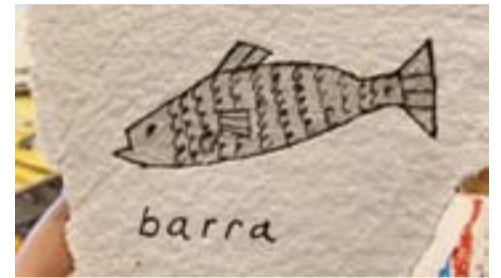
The tree branches house 360 original drawings on bespoke recycled paper bunting by emerging artists, with its intention to display public art by the youth of the region on an annual basis.

This year Yarwun & Nagoorin State Schools, Rosella Park School Centre, St. Francis & St. John the baptis Catholic School, Tannum Sands kindergarten & Bambini early childhood centre have taken part.

The workshops will consist of the students and pre-schoolers developing skills and receiving educational instructions on sustainability as they learn how to make handmade paper bunting, and then will be introduced to basic skills in sewing to hang the bunting from the steel branches.

These additional skills will foster them into becoming eco-champions of the future, by learning sustainable art practices. Each participant will be invited to the launch, where they will have the opportunity to take part in public speaking if they wish.

Support in self-expression will be an additional key feature as participants learn and develop technical skills in drawing, based on their own personal experiences in relation to



sustainability and self-expression when immersed in and surrounded by the 'Silly Season'.

The Christmas Tree will be officially launched at the Gladstone Airport on the 19th

of November, with a celebratory morning tea & live performances on offer. The public and community art piece will be showcased at Art-Port until mid January 2022.

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From horses to cars, Kyrle in her Kingswood.



Kyrle on her horse Mex.

The story of Kyrle

By Khrysti Balanay

This week I had the pleasure of talking to Kyrle, born Frances Kyrle Reimer (nee Pitman), who turns 96 years old on 26 February.

Born in Mount Morgan in 1926 to Charles Leslie Pitman and Frances Louisa Inglis, Kyrle arrived at Goovigen when she was six days old.

Goovigen is a small rural village located in the Banana Shire with a population of about 200 people.

Their property, Mottley, was about 800 acres on Old Prairie Road at Lake Pleasant, now known as Lake Pleasant Road, Goovigen.

It was granted to Kyrle's father in 1922 as a soldiers settlement block, granted to soldiers involved in active service during World War One.

Kyrle's life has been filled with adventures and memories within the Central Queensland region.

In April 1928, a tropical cyclone near Mackay resulted in significant floods to the Callide River.

"I was only two years old at the time, but I still remember vividly the water rising, and it was inches from the floorboards," Kyrle said.

"There were 13 people cramped in our small house that night.

"We lost all our cotton crop, potatoes, and pigs."

In early 1931, the family shifted to a property across the road, called Cooleighba, presumably due to the coolibah trees.

Kyrle was the only girl alongside five brothers Leslie, Henry, Reginald, Charles, and Edward - so she was determined to prove that she should be treated equally.

"I remember having to work in the paddocks and milking the cows and doing all the farm work with my brothers," she said.

"But being the only girl, I was also expected to help mum in the house as well, but the boys



Kyrle and her brothers in the old wagon on the farm during the depression years.

were never made to help.

"I soon learnt how to fistfight against my brothers as I did not think it was fair."

Kyrle's childhood memory included her and her younger brother Reggie noticing that the fire had gone low in their old wooden stove.

"We poured kerosene onto the still-hot coals and struck a match," Kyrle said.

"The result blew my brother and me clear across the room.

"Luckily, we were both uninjured because my dad heard the explosion from out in the paddock half a mile away."

Kyrle grew up riding horses with some of her fondest memories on horseback.

"We had Australian stock horses, and we only knew two speeds, flat out and dead stop," she said.

"I could even ride two horses at once, standing up with one foot on each horse doing tricks around the cattle yards."

By 1939, Kyrle had finished primary school at Lake Pleasant School, and it was decided that she attend Saint Faith's all-girls boarding school in Yeppoon.

"It was a real shock, the Sisters and I clashed sometimes," Kyrle said.

"I didn't like the constraints of being at school after the freedom of living in the country."

So at 13 years old, Kyrle took the opportunity to leave school and cook for her dad, who was dam sinking out west.

In 1940, World War Two had broken out, and men from the district left the farms to join.

"Dad wanted to sell the farm, but mum wouldn't have it, so I said that I will help run Cooleighba," Kyrle said.

"I learnt to drive at 14 and drove a Ford 10 utility.

I was the first girl in the district to drive a car, and you could say I had a lead foot."

In February 1942, a tropical cycle hit north Queensland near Cardwell and travelled down the coast to the north of Mackay.

The flood resulted in the loss of life in the Dawson and Callide Valleys with widespread property loss.

The devastation was said to be more severe than the 'big flood' of 1928.

"We had 18 inches of water under the house," Kyrle said.

"I remember all of us carrying mum's new kerosene fridge up the stairs to save it.

"We also managed to get all the cattle and horses to higher ground.

"We didn't lose any stock; we were very lucky."

Kyrle's older brothers, Leslie and Henry, were called to join the war effort in 1942.

"Dad and Reggie went to Townsville to work on the defence road between Longreach and Townsville," Kyrle said.

"Charlie and Eddie went to Saint Brendan's boarding school in Yeppoon.

"Mum and I ran the farm during the next two years.

"Some of the farmers didn't take kindly to a 16-year-old girl giving them orders, but they didn't last long."

After the war in 1949, Kyrle left the farm to marry Kevin Reimer and has six children Ron, Greg, Karen, Garvey, Harvey, Leonie, and Debbie.

From listening to Kyrle's story, it is clear that she has lived an exciting life and proved the strength of women many times over.

In a follow-up chat, I asked Kyrle what her best life advice was; she replied, follow your dreams because today's dreams are tomorrow's reality.

To read more about Kyrle's life, be sure to read next week's edition of Gladstone Today.

Charitable act might help find best chance of giving

By Eilish Massie

If you're looking for a charitable gift this Christmas, the ladies from the Gladstone QUOTA club have you covered.

The group's Christmas cent sale at Gladstone Bowls Club next weekend is not only a club tradition, but also an opportunity for some great last minute gift ideas.

Held as a fundraiser for the group, the QUOTA cent sale takes place three times a year - for Mother's Day, Father's Day and Christmas.

Liz Robertson said it was an opportunity to raise some much needed funds for disad-

vantaged families and children.

"Our annual Christmas Cent Sale proceeds will go towards Christmas hampers for disadvantaged members of our community and also our Pencils Plus Project for disadvantaged children," she said.

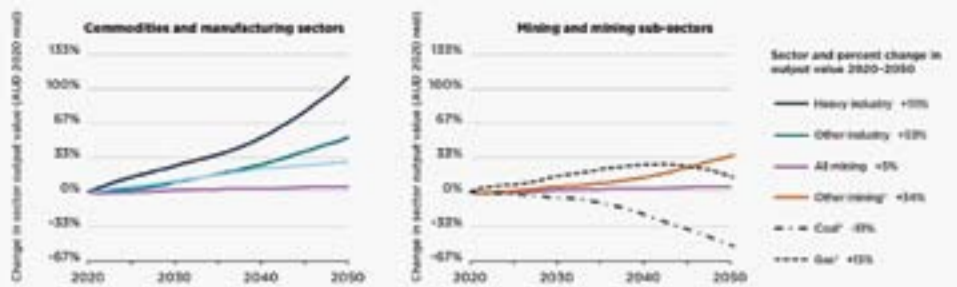
The Christmas Cent Sale sponsored by Quota Club of Gladstone will be held at the Gladstone Bowls Club on 27 November from midday.

There will be prizes, cake walk, raffles and lucky door prizes with afternoon tea included.

Entry is \$1.00 for Adults, 50c for children.



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Figure E5.3 Outlook for the value of export oriented sectors, the Plan scenario, 2020-2050

Picture: DISER ECONOMIC MODELLING FOR THE PLAN

Coal's dim forecasts

By Duncan Evans

The value of Australia's coal production is expected to fall by 50 per cent out to 2050, according to modelling from the federal government released last Friday.

The modelling, which underpins the government's commitment to net zero emissions by 2050, says "global demand shifts beyond Australia's control" will depress coal's prospects, though the value of mining exports overall is expected to rise by 5 per cent with demand for critical minerals leading the rise.

"This shift is projected to occur over several decades, not as a sudden shock," the report states.

Coal's fall will be driven primarily by expected changes in energy production.

"If countries take action to achieve their 2030 and 2050 targets, there will be a corresponding reduction in the global demand for traditional energy sources. This reduced demand will impact Australian production, as Australia is a major exporter of traditional energy sources such as coal and gas," the report states.



Stage one of the Lake Awoonga Water Mains Renewal Project has been completed. Stage two is to be completed early next month.

Lake renewal project moves onto final stage

The final stage of the Lake Awoonga Water Mains Renewal Project will begin from 21 November, encompassing Auckland Street from Tank Street to Short Street.

Residents have been notified of these works in advance that are expected to be completed by mid-February 2022.

The Lake Awoonga Water Mains Renewal Project has been conducted over three stages as part of Gladstone Regional Council's 2021 works program.

Works involved include the removal of existing water mains, installation of temporary above-ground water lines, installation of new water main, new water main connection, testing and activation of the new water main and removal of temporary water lines.

Stage 1 of the project started in July at New Auckland (encompassing Sandpiper Avenue from Lorikeet Avenue to Cockatoo Drive), with Stage 2 beginning at Clinton in August servicing Aerodrome Road from J. Hickey Avenue to Clark Street.

Stage 1 works were completed in August and Stage 2 works are expected to be completed by 10 December.

Gladstone Region Councillor Chris

Cameron said water mains in these areas were identified as ageing water infrastructure requiring replacement.

"The Lake Awoonga Water Mains Renewal Project aims to deliver a more reliable water supply for our residents with the new infrastructure expected to help reduce unplanned water interruptions," Councillor Cameron said.

"Construction times will be Monday to Friday 6.30am-6pm and 8am-4pm Saturday and Sunday, although some night works may be considered.

"These works may also impact footpath access with ramps in place to protect temporary above-ground water lines where they cross residential driveways and roadways.

"As always, Council's commitment to safety and quality ensures that all works will be undertaken with the highest practical levels of safety for workers, residents, pedestrians, motorists, cyclists and users of the area, but please exercise caution when travelling through this area."

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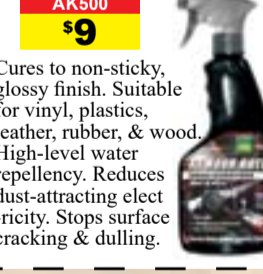
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Gladstone Midday Rotary's Kath, Robin and Robert provide free sausages and drinks.



Cam, 6, and Brent Crawford.



Councils manager of waste Chris Irving with Nathan Wintour taking surveys.

Gladstone residents had fun while celebrating diversity and inclusion at the Philip Street Communities and Families Precinct on Saturday and photographer **MIKE RICHARDS** was there to capture all the action.

Fun day at Philip St

By Matthew Pearce



Azel Trapp, 2.



Chris Kratkat and David Gregory.



The Pacific Pikininis at the Community Fun Day at the Philip Street Communities and Families Precinct.



Liam Warrenner, 9, and Caleb Rebel, 12.



Ayana, 6 and Yuvaan Kambos, 3, with Mehreen Kaur, 10.



Lena Asa and Katherine Craigie.

Be prepared for fires

The Queensland Fire & Biodiversity Consortium's fire and vegetation management information night and workshop is coming to Gladstone and surrounds on 1 December, at a venue to be determined.

The event will give landholders the chance to share and learn how to prepare for and manage fire on their properties and in the surrounding landscape.

Representatives from the Rural Fire Service Queensland, local government, the QFBC, and relevant government land management agencies will share information about their roles and offer advice about planning for the bushfires.

Local laws, vegetation management, fire and grazing, fire and timber production and



Learn how to prepare for and manage fire on your property.

the conservation of plants and animals will also be discussed.

Queensland Fire and Biodiversity Consortium manager Dr Samantha Lloyd is encour-

aging local landholders to take advantage of this opportunity.

"Central Queensland residents have experienced a number of bushfires, and these sessions are a great opportunity for local landholders to put more tools in their belt and better prepare their properties for fire," she said.

"These workshops are free of charge and will give residents the skills needed to prepare their properties for bushfires and access personalised advice."

The Queensland Fire and Biodiversity Consortium (QFBC) - a program of Healthy Land and Water - and the Queensland Fire and Emergency Services (QFES) is partnering with

local councils to deliver the sessions.

Together with a Rockhampton information night on 14 December, the information night will cover management roles and responsibilities, fire season planning and preparation, as well as managing fire regimes to protect and enhance native vegetation.

The information nights will put emphasis on building retro-fit options for bushfire protection.

For more information, please contact Craig Welden on craig.w@hlw.org.au or 0437 726 279.

To register go to eventbrite.com.au/e/free-bushfire-information-night-gladstone-and-surrounds-tickets-210751231607

Bursaries for Qld students

The Queensland Country Women's Association has a range of 2022 bursary offerings on offer for secondary and tertiary students.

The 22 bursaries are each valued between \$500 and \$2500, covering different ages and areas of study. They are designed to provide financial assistance to students to enable them to pursue their educational goals.

QCWA state president Sheila Campbell said the annual bursary campaign was one of the association's great joys in being able to support the Queensland community.

"Education is a cornerstone of the QCWA, so we offer a number of bursaries every year to assist Queensland students with the cost of their studies."

She said for many self-funded tertiary students, driven to achieve their goal, the need to work while juggling academic study, assignments, tutorials, and exams was ever present.

"For some, one of the QCWA's bursaries could mean the career-defining difference between continuing their studies or not."

With 2022 being the milestone centenary of the QCWA there are five new QCWA Centenary Bursaries for students in Nutrition, Agriculture, Education, Physical Education and for an Apprenticeship. Each of these new bursaries is for \$2500.

Some of the bursaries on offer include:

- Ruth Fairfax Memorial Bursary for rural studies (2 x \$2,500)
- Audrey J Hoskin Music Bursary for vocal or instrumental studies (1 x \$1,000)
- Greater Brisbane Daphne Dowdle Midwifery Bursary (1 x \$1,000)
- Border Division for a mature age student (1 x \$1000)
- Condamine Valley/Warwick Branch Bursary (3 x \$1500)
- Eumundi Branch Queensland Youth Orchestra Bursary for studying music at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music (2 x \$600)
- Mallalieu Home Foundation Trust Scholarship for accommodation for music study (4 x \$500).

For more information and application forms, visit www.qcwa.org.au/student-bursaries

Applications close 31 January 2022.




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Gladstone students excel

By Eilish Massie

Three students from the Gladstone region have been recognised for their outstanding ideas and innovations as part of the Future Makers STEM Inventors Project presented by Queensland Museum Network and Shell's QGC business.

More than 35 local students from Toolooa State High, Calliope State High, Tannum Sands State High and Rosedale State School submitted their ideas as part of the project.

Two submissions from Tannum Sands State High and Calliope State High took out first place - 'Marine Species Decline' by Kasey Pfeiffer and 'Drought' by Annabelle Bailey and Emily Love.

The project, launched in September, gave students a month to identify an environmental issue in their local area, design a STEM based solution and create a presentation of their ideas using design thinking and prototyping.

Kasey, Annabelle, Emily and their peers today enjoyed a special STEM event at the Gladstone Entertainment and Convention Centre hosted by Queensland Museum Network and Shell's QGC business, to celebrate their efforts and love of STEM subjects.

BOP Industries presenters were a highlight of the day with their Industry Innovators workshop, encouraging students to apply their skills to a series of real-world challenges and pitch their concepts to local industry leaders for consideration.

Queensland Museum Network CEO Dr Jim Thompson said the STEM Inventors Project provides a unique opportunity for the students to apply their classroom learning to real-world opportunities and challenges.

"Students are naturally curious and the entries are inspiring, all displaying critical thinking, problem solving and creativity, which are foundational STEM skills and important life skills," Dr Thompson said.

The awards program is an initiative of the Future Makers partnership between Queensland Museum Network and Shell's QGC business to advance STEM education and increase student participation.

The Future Makers program is a partnership between Shell's QGC business and Queensland Museum Network. The social investment program is supported by Shell's joint venture partners Tokyo Gas and CNOOC, contributing to strong, liveable communities across the Western Downs and Gladstone regions.



From left: Kasey Pfeiffer, Annabelle Bailey and Emily Love.

Lara lives every young dancer's dream

It is the dream of ballet students all over the world to dance the role of Clara in the well loved ballet The Nutcracker.

Now, Gladstone student Lara Mackey will have her dream come true when she performs as Clara at the Gladstone Entertainment Centre on 26 November when Adagio School of Dance presents the well known classic at its inaugural concert.

Adagio School of Dance director Eloise Bowen said Lara was an exceptionally talented young dancer and well deserving of this honour.

"We are very proud of all of our students who are busy readying for their performance under the watchful eye of Wendy Barker who herself performed in The Nutcracker many times when she danced professionally overseas," she said.

"We have been very fortunate to have Wendy choreograph The Nutcracker for our school and look forward to a wonderfully successful evening of dance."

The Nutcracker Ballet will start at 6.30pm, 26 November at the Gladstone Entertainment Centre.

Tickets are Adult \$35, GECC Loyalty \$30, Concession \$30, Student \$30 and Child (2-6 yrs) \$15.

Book now through the Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre website.

Lara Mackey from Adagio School of Dance stars in The Nutcracker.





Gladstone firm turns 11

This November, Anthony and Kristy from Gladstone Sportspower will celebrate 11 years in business. After purchasing the business from previous owners Karen and Dave Sweeney, the pair had have brought one of Australia's major independent sports brands to Gladstone. Here's what they had to say:

We currently employee 11 staff members. Jeremy McVinish, our store manager is our longest team member who has been with us over 9 years including through high school and in between university breaks.

We attribute our longevity in business to three key elements:

1. Continued local support and custom from our community, individuals and clubs and organisations, we are so appreciative and thankful for everyone's continued patronage in choosing us where they can.
2. Our Team - we are so very lucky and proud



to have such a wonderful team to work with that are knowledgeable, loyal and support us and our business, they are family to us and we are so appreciative to work with such an amazing group.

3. We are so fortunate to live in a community that has always been sport and fitness focused.

Our journey as small business owners has

been a huge learning curve (and we are still learning as we go).

We have seen our community through both the boom and bust cycles. We have seen local sports die off and then a resurgence of social and club sports and fitness post Covid.

Covid has shown the importance of a healthy and well balanced lifestyle and we are so lucky that we have the best region and facilities in CQ to be able to embrace and maintain a healthy outdoors lifestyle.

We love being able to help our customers and see their progress along their journey whether they are starting a new sport or fitness regime or seeing them excel in their chosen sporting field or career.

We love our community and love that with continued support we are in turn able to help out wherever we are able with local sporting club and team fundraisers, school events,

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Our Team are continually learning and keeping up to date with the latest tech and training to be able to offer our customers a personalised and informed instore experience.

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A complete store renovation 18 months ago brought a fresh, modern and spacious new look and feel to our instore shopping experience.

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Thomas Henry Keen was born in Townsville in 1915 but was living in Gladstone when he enlisted in the RAAF in 1940.

In Jan 1942, he was serving on Royal Australian Air Force Catalina Number A24-9. These were flying boats.

They were lightly armed with vintage World War I Lewis guns, they had no fighter protection and were at the mercy of the agile Japanese Zeros.

The captain was US Navy pilot Lt George Leland Hutchison. They were operating from Port Moresby, New Guinea and Catalina A24-9 was brought down by Zeros near Lae about noon on 21 January, 1942.

Their skipper had managed to obtain nine parachutes for this trip. Previous missions had not carried any parachutes. Only one man survived, thanks to his parachute, Thomas Henry Keen.

The crew was LAC Meadow, the wireless operator, on the bow gun, Lt Hutchison at the controls. LAC Downes and Sgt. Coote on the radio, Murphy up in the engineer's seat under the fuel tanks, LAC Craigie on the twin guns portside and Pilot Officer Tommy Rowe, the second pilot, between the Perspex blisters to act as fire-controller. Cpl Tom Keen was with the twin Lewis guns on the starboard side and newly arrived Sgt Jack Wyche on the single gun in the rear tunnel compartment.

That day their mission was to deliver radio gear to Salamaua on the north coast of New Guinea. They took off at 0735 hours and at about midday the klaxon horn blew 'action stations'.

The wireless operator hurried through and reported, "We've been recalled to base, the Japanese are attacking Lae and Bulolo so we're getting out of danger."

While they were retracing their course along



the coastline only this time closer inshore. The intercom announced: "13 or more enemy aircraft on the port bow about five miles."

Soon all hell broke loose as explosions burst very close. Flames and smoke were everywhere and it was impossible to see overhead.

The plane was alight with a third of its wing gone.

The Captain told Tom on the intercom that everyone up front was dead and Tom told him, everyone else in the rear was also dead. Tom then realised everyone else was dead when the Captain's voice cut off after another clatter of bullets and the plane went into a steep dive. They were about 4000 feet above the coastal range.

Tom saw the parachute and harness jammed between the seat and hull where he'd stowed it earlier. He slammed it on.

Tom was leaning out of the hatch when he was suddenly sucked through and the parachute pack tore loose from the harness as he fell. He panicked when he thought the chute was gone, then he saw it above him still in its envelope.

The webbing straps had been ripped out of their press clipped tabs and the parachute was streaming above him.

Tom climbed up the straps hand over hand until he got his chin over the pack, then he grabbed the ripcord and pulled. It was a fall of some 1500 feet before there was a flash of white silk and the chute finally opened. Looking down he saw Catalina A24-9 in flames,



with the engines still at full throttle, smash at a steep angle into the mountains below. It was followed by a sudden blast and updraft which tore at his body and skin.

Several of the Zeros were circling above with the leader diving directly at him.

Tom pretended to be dead and the zeros roared past not firing. Tom noticed a hole in the canopy below him and aimed for it, he ended up hanging about 15 feet above the ground.

He turned the release lever and dropped out of the harness, hit the soft ground with a thump and rolled down a slope until he collided with a small tree trunk.

Abridged, from 'The Sole Survivor' by Robert Kendall Piper, RAAF Wings Magazine Summer 1984, by the editor, Yvonne Cooper. Read the second half of Thomas Henry Keen's story in next week's Gladstone Today.

Kate

Natalie

Wayne

COVID safe at work for our community

I am absolutely dedicated to helping people to live at home. Having the COVID-19 vaccine gives me confidence that I can protect our clients as well as myself, my family, and my community. **Kate Bartz**

As a Support Worker, it's really important that we protect our clients. Having the COVID-19 vaccine means I am not only keeping them safe but I am also protecting my family and our community. **Natalie Martin**

I'm happy to be fully vaccinated. It means I can keep myself and my family safe, but I can also work with the Elders in our community and know I'm helping to keep them safe from COVID-19. **Wayne Warradoo**

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With a mandate to protect our Aged Care clients, all Support Workers in the Nhulundu Health Service Aged Care Program are vaccinated against influenza and COVID-19.

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New acts at music fest

The 15th annual Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival is looking better than ever with two new acts joining the lineup - Linc Phelps and the Round Mountain Girls.

The iconic annual festival will return to the Discovery Coast from Friday, 18 February to Sunday, 20 February and will be held at the SES Grounds, Captain Cook Drive, Town of 1770.

Born and raised in Gympie, home of the famous Music Muster, Linc Phelps found himself immersed in music at school, but knew he didn't exactly fit into the country genre of the day.

In an era when roots or Americana music was gaining popularity in Australia, he felt more akin to that form than the cliched version of US pop country that dominated the airwaves at the time.

Drawing inspiration from blues and soul pioneers such as Delbert McClinton and Bonnie Raitt, with a nod to Americana artists such as Jason Isbell and Amos Lee, Linc developed what could best be described as a truly authentic sound, avoiding the cliches that flavour some contemporary music.

Linc is an artist who wears his heart on his sleeve, never more evident than in the lyrics of his original music.

The Round Mountain Girls have played on Australia's biggest stages at the nation's biggest festivals alongside some of the world's biggest names, including opening the main stage at the iconic Bluesfest for Zac Brown and Santana, where they'll be performing again in 2022.

If Mumford and Sons, The Pogues and Metallica had a three-way love child, it would be one of the Round Mountain Girls, coined in



The Round Mountain Girls have played on Australia's biggest stages at the nation's biggest festivals.

the press as the 'finest purveyors of Celtabilypunkfolkrootsgrass in the Southern Hemisphere' and 'heavy metal folk'.

According to Sam Fell of Rhythms Magazine, "They play like they own the place, never has a band seemed so comfortable on a stage."

The Round Mountain Girls and Linc Phelps and his band The Next Best Thing will join already announced acts Devil's Kiosk and Innocent Eve on the Marquee Stage.

Three-day Day Early Bird Tickets to the Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival are on sale now.

You can book tickets and places to stay at www.agnesbluesandroots.com.au

The Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival is supported by the Queensland Government through Tourism and Events Queensland.



Linc Phelps and his band The Next Best Thing will perform at the annual Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival early next year.

Measure twice. Cut once.

Major changes to the national building code relating to Accessible Housing and Energy Efficiency must be handled right, or we'll all wear the costs.

The Queensland Government is trying to push through substantial changes to the building code, without addressing the very real concerns for home buyers and the building industry.

It's true that future provisions are needed for the elderly and people with disabilities and to ensure sustainable housing stock into the future, but the benefits won't be realised if not introduced properly. We also must have fair and practical outcomes for Aussie home

buyers who are struggling with housing affordability, and the builders and tradies who deliver new homes for our communities.

If this is going to work and genuinely benefit those who need it, we need more clarity, and time for transition planning.

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Gladstone Regional Council's 2020/21 Annual Report cover photo features Gooreng Gooreng representative Annie Johnson who facilitated our Cultural Awareness Tours across the region in June 2021.

Council's 2020/21 Annual Report is a page turner

Reading a 248-page annual report may not be everyone's cup of tea, but Gladstone Regional Council's recently published 2020/21 Annual Report could change your perception.

Like any annual report, inevitably there are pages dedicated to financial figures and key performances indicators.

However, with the addition of some modern, interactive elements, Council's 2020/21 report is one you might find reading in your spare time.

Interactive links are embedded within the report and by clicking on certain icons, readers can be redirected to more information on Council's website, view news articles or YouTube videos.

Gladstone Region Mayor Matt Burnett said this year's annual report dedicates six pages to successes and challenges faced by the business in 2020/21.

"One of those successes is featured on the front cover with an image of Gooreng Gooreng representative Annie Johnson, with further successes listed from page 36," Cr Burnett said.

"Annie helped facilitate our Cultural Awareness Tours across the region with those tours providing an opportunity for residents to learn about scarred trees, natural medicines, language, culture

and much more through the lens of our First Nations people.

"These tours were very well received and there's plenty of interest to see them continue next year."

Visit www.gladstone.qld.gov.au/plans-reports to view the annual report.



Cr Glenn Churchill and Council employees at Gladstone Transfer Station.

Call for bin chickens to take a stickybeak at survey

Council is reviewing long-term waste management opportunities, and to make sure we are delivering the right services for the region, residents can have their say.

As part of this review, Council needs to understand our current waste management practices and preferences, particularly around Food Organics and Garden Organics (FOGO).

Feedback will be used to help Council understand FOGO and resource recovery opportunities.

Residents can complete short surveys, either online or in person, or attend an 'open house' or pop-up stall at Gladstone, Agnes Water, Benaraby and Calliope.

Hardcopy surveys can be found at all Council transfer stations.

Visit <https://conversations.gladstone.qld.gov.au> and click on Don't Waste our Waste to find out more.



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A reminder to keep your property neat and tidy in preparation for storm season.



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OPINION

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Race that stops a nation

Today's View

The Melbourne Cup – this great race is held on the first Tuesday of November and is Australia's best recognised horse race. First run in 1861 by the Victorian Turf Club, this two mile handicap race was introduced to show up their rival the Victorian Jockey Club.

Archer was the first racehorse to win the cup and backed that up again in 1862.

It has been followed by some equally great winners, Carbine in 1890, Phar Lap in 1930, Peter Pan in 1932 and 1934, Rain Lover in 1968 and 1969, Might and Power in 1997 and the great Makybe Diva in consecutive wins over 2003, 2004 and 2005. Bart Cummings the master horse trainer has the most cups win with 12.

Phar Lap, commonly called the people's champion has been the shortest-priced winner in the history of the cup to date, with odds of 8/11 and there have been four horses that have won with odds of 100/1, these being The Pearl in 1871, Wotan in 1936, Old Rowley in 1940 and the Prince of Penzance in 2015.

The Melbourne Cup is one of the world's richest and most prestigious horse races and in Australia its standing is such that it is called the race that stops the nation. The attendance for the inaugural cup was 4000 people and the



Melbourne Cup Day at the Frenchville Sports Club saw Rockhampton's best dressed attend the function.

highest recorded attendance was in 2003 with 122,736 patrons. In 2021 due to covid restrictions the crowd attendance was capped at 10,000.

The 100,000 number of people attending the Melbourne Cup was first broken in 1923 and for the most part has been consistently over 100,000 for over 90 odd years.

If you cannot attend the actual event in Melbourne, there are plenty of Melbourne Cup parties throughout the nation.

It would be rare to find a community or a place that would not celebrate this race, lunch

among friends, a reason to wear your best outfit and enjoy. To help celebrate a half day public holiday was granted to the public servants in 1865 and then officially gazetted in 1873.

This race has been so ingrained in the Australian psyche that it is seen as a badge of honour to have picked the winner in the yearly cup. Most know of a non-punter who will back every horse for a dollar to win, just so that they can declare that they picked the winner. For one week a year the opening question of most conversations will start with "who do you like in the cup" or "did you pick the winner"?

Where placing money on the outcome of a horse race is usually considered as gambling, this race changes that, betting on the Melbourne Cup is just the done thing. The Melbourne Cup sweep has also become a stable program for most businesses on that first Tuesday in November along with fashion parades and cold chicken lunches.

This three-minute race held at 3pm AEDST would be one if not the most watched event in Australian television each year and reinforces that this great nation's residents love their sport.

VOX POP

WE TAKE IT TO THE STREETS

How do you feel about the latest restrictions allowing only those who are double vaxxed to enter pubs, clubs, restaurants and cinemas etc.?



Chanel, 35
I'm double vaxxed. I did it purely for work reasons. It's an evolution, it's something we all have to do regardless. Whether people should be forced to do it, I feel like it's the government's last attempt to get people to follow suit. At the end of the day, how many years ago was it that you could drive around and not have to wear a seatbelt? Then the government brought it in that you have to wear a seatbelt and now people our age just wear a seatbelt. You know, we're not thinking we're forced to do it, our rights have been taken away. It's just something that's in place. I'm sure in fifty years time there is going to be a vaccine and everyone just gets it because it's the norm.



Abi 19 and Bailey 17
Abi: I think the government is just trying to make it more safe. I think it's pretty fair.
Bailey: I think it's just so talked up by the media and everyone gets worked up about it. I don't think people are doing enough research. But I also think it's double standards you could go to a shopping centre without having the double vaccination but you can't go to the pub.



Ron Rhodes, 72
I don't crucify anyone who doesn't want to get vaccinated, but it's just the way I was brought up, we all got vaccinated against smallpox. Maybe this is just a whole different incident.



LYNCHY'S JOKE OF THE WEEK

1. Poor Barry was walking home from the pub this particular night and thought he would take a shortcut through the cemetery.

It was overcast and not much light at all.

All of a sudden he hears a tapping noise, he becomes a little agitated and quickens his step.

The tapping noise was getting louder and louder.

Now Jack was beginning to be a tad frightened.

He stopped and peered into the darkness and came across a man chiselling a tombstone.

"Wow," said Jack. "You scared the living daylights out of me. What are you doing working so late?"

The man replies while still chiselling away, "They spelt my name wrong."

2. A grizzly bear walks into a bar and asks the bartender for a rum andcoke.

The bartender says why the big pause?

The bear replies I don't know I was born with them.

ON THIS DAY

18 NOVEMBER IS KNOWN AS MICKEY MOUSE DAY.

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY:

1477: First English dated printed book "Dictes & Sayengis of the Phylosophers" by William Caxton

1626: St. Peter's Basilica is consecrated, replacing an earlier basilica on the same site and becoming the world's largest Christian basilica

1916: British General Douglas Haig finally

calls off the 1st Battle of the Somme in World War I after more than 1 million soldiers had been killed or wounded

1978: In Jonestown, Guyana, 918 members of the Peoples Temple are murdered or commit suicide under the leadership of cult leader Jim Jones

1993: Black and white leaders in South Africa approve new democratic constitution

OPINION

Matt Canavan



'Passport' divides society

This week some businesses in Yeppoon organised a meeting to express concerns about the Queensland Government's introduction of a mandatory vaccine passport. With just four days of planning, around 600 passionate and concerned people crammed into the Yeppoon town hall. I have never seen a political reaction like it.

The outpouring of concern has confirmed for me why we are wrong to divide our society by requiring people to show medical papers. The vaccine works (to reduce the risk of a severe reaction) but these vaccine mandates do not work because the vaccine does a poor job at stopping transmission. Why take away people's jobs and businesses for something that will not work?

There are not many details of the Queensland Government's plan, they have yet to issue the full regulation. The basic plan is that when Queensland hits an 80 per cent vaccination rate (currently scheduled to be on 17 December) it will be mandatory to show your vaccine passport to enter hotels, pubs, restaurants and entertainment venues. Weddings will be capped at just 20 people unless everyone attending is vaccinated. These restrictions are in addition to the already announced policy of making all Queensland health workers get vaccinated.

The Queensland Government only gives one reason for the removal of people's freedom to decide what medical treatment they receive. Their explanation document says, "To ensure we don't overwhelm our hospital system when we have outbreaks, some restrictions on unvaccinated people are necessary."

The Queensland Government revealed that five per cent of nurses have left their jobs rather than get the vaccine. So how does a policy that has caused us to have 4,000 fewer health workers help in stopping our hospital system becoming 'overwhelmed'?

Because we have not had widespread coronavirus cases, Queensland can benefit from looking at what other countries have done, and compare what works and what does not. It is clear that vaccine mandates do not work.

Germany, the Netherlands, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic and Serbia all have policies that require vaccination to



A business owner stands up at the meeting to protest the state government's proposed vaccine regulations.

enter venues. They all have high vaccination rates. They have all experienced record numbers of coronavirus cases over the past month. Vaccine mandates do not work.

Bill Gates, someone who has been supportive of vaccination, revealed why they do not work in the past week. He spoke the truth when he said that vaccines only 'slightly reduce transmission'. Even after you are vaccinated, you can still catch coronavirus and you can still pass it on.

There is no health justification to make people get a medical treatment, if that treatment does not significantly benefit anyone else. Further, the Queensland Government's proposed mandates apply to anyone over the

age of 16. Yet, Taiwan has just suspended Pfizer doses for children aged between 12 and 17 due to concerns over side effects that impact the heart. Why are we making young people take a vaccine with such side effects when the risk of Covid to young people is so low?

So why would the Queensland Government be doing this? In my view, they are just trying to boost the vaccination rate that had flatlined in Queensland. I noticed on the weekend, after the announcement of mandatory vaccination, that there were more people at the walk-in vaccination clinics than at Bunnings. The Queensland Government says they are not forcing us. They are just taking away everything until you consent.

This will probably work to lift Queensland's vaccination rate. So once we get to 90 per cent and above the Queensland Government should remove these mandates that are causing people to lose their jobs and their livelihoods. The vaccine mandates are cruel and inhumane.

And, if we do not fight back to stop these mandates now, what is next? Will we be made to get booster shots every year? Will they make our kids get the jab to attend school?

I do believe that the vaccines work to reduce the risk of the coronavirus to the person getting the vaccine. That is why I got the vaccine and that is my choice.

We have lost a lot through the coronavirus. Let's not lose our free country too.

What's in a name? A clear identity for your customers

One question that several people asked after reading our last piece was, how do I come up with a good name for my business? There is no absolute right or wrong naming strategy to use, but you should consider looking for the following:

- A name that is memorable (will people remember it if they hear or see it again).
- A name that is easy to remember (if someone sees your logo, will they remember your name so they can Google you when they need you).
- A name that says what you do, for example London Acting School speaks for itself.
- A name that conveys a message, be that high quality, low cost or unique products.

You may decide to find a name that incorporates all these elements. You might also decide on a name that incorporates none of them! Remember though, the less of these elements that you incorporate, the more work you are going to have to do and money you are going to have to spend developing brand awareness and communicating your value to potential clients. Keep in mind that if:

- Your business name is not memorable; you might have to expose potential customers to your branding more times before they start to become consciously aware of you.
- Your business name is not easy to remember, you will lose sales because people who would have bought from you end up buy-

YOUR BUSINESS QUESTIONS ANSWERED

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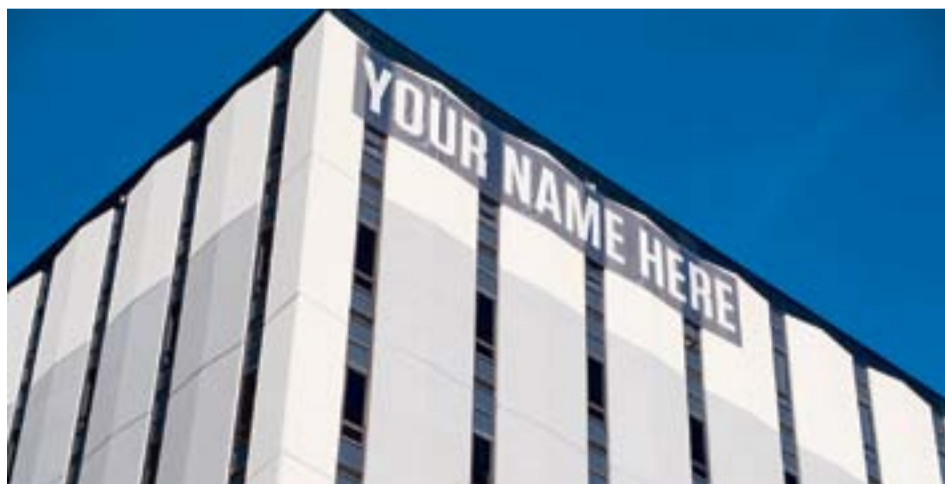


ing from a competitor who's name they can remember.

- Potential customers can't tell what you do from your name you will miss some customers who never stop to consider that you have what they need and you will also miss out on some easy organic search engine traffic.
- Your business name doesn't communicate what your business is all about at a deeper level, some customers won't relate to you and won't buy from you.

It is ok to have a unique name that requires more explanation. Just remember, if you go down this route, you must then actually take the time and spend the money to communicate what you are all about to potential customers.

One final thought, just because you come up with the perfect business name doesn't mean you can use it. If the name you like is already in use you will have to come up with a different name, or at least alter the name



There is no absolute right or wrong naming strategy to use when naming your business.

you like enough so that there can be no confusion between you and the other business that already owns the name. It's important to confirm the name you want is available and register it before you commit too much time, energy and money to a name you can't use. This is a common mistake and even seasoned veterans occasionally get so excited they forget to check. Just ask Mark Zuckerberg and his team who got so excited about rebranding the Facebook Group of companies as Meta that nobody checked if the name was

available before announcing the new name and showing the new logo to the public. Now the business that actually has the rights to this name has asked for \$20 million to make the name available!

If you have a question about starting a business or running your existing business, we'd love to hear from you because we'll select a new question to answer here every two weeks. You can submit your question to james@qsb-consulting.com using the subject 'Gladstone Today'.

Rose by any other name

Summer has arrived and therefore our general wine drinking style will change. And the new style of wine that is on an upward trend in interest and rightly so is Rose.

What is Rose Wine?

Rose is interesting to discuss, because Rose is not a specific type of grape! It's a genre of wine like white wine and red wine. Rose can be produced from any red/black grape and cultivated from any wine region. Although it has become a recent favourite in Australia. It has been a mainstay in France for centuries. In particular in the region of Provence. It is also popular in Italy where it is called Rosato. And in Spain, where it is called Rosado.

Rose can be a single varietal or blend. The

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most common grape varieties used to produce Rose are: Pinot Noir, Cinsault, Grenache, Sangiovese, Shiraz, Carignan and Mourvedre.

How is Rose Produced?

When grapes are crushed the juice that comes out of the fruit is clear, it's the grape skins that

gives Rose that wonderful pinkish hue. In winemaking this process is called maceration.

When the juice and grape skins marry, the perfect union starts. The colour of the grape skins bleeds into the juice. Winemakers only macerate for a few hours or up to a day to produce Rose. Whereas it can be weeks to produce red wines. Although Rose has been around for centuries in France, its only now having its day in the Sun in Australia. And if you want to enjoy the perfect wine in the Sun, Rose is a great choice. Its pinkish/ light red colour gleams in an ice bucket.

What does Rose taste like?

This is a multi-choice question. Because each varietal has its own distinctive flavours. A Rose

produced from Pinot Noir will taste different to a Rose produced from Shiraz. If presented with the opportunity to attend a tasting of different Rose's accept it. Because you'll be introduced to a variance in flavours.

Rose and Food Pairings

Best known for its al fresco – friendly sipping style.

Rose is also a total winner, when seeking to pair a wine with many different foods. The same well-produced Rose would not be out of place at a picnic or a private dinner party. This blush wine pairs well with sushi, chicken wings, salads, pasta, rice dishes and especially with Queensland prawns and grilled fish.

Enjoy exploring the many Roses on offer.

Conquer your fears, seek possibilities

**THIS WEEK
WITH
JORDIE**



I wholeheartedly believe that fear can be a force that possesses the power to hold us back or a motivating factor that inspires us to take a big brave step forward anyway.

I have focused a lot of my energy of late on changing my relationship with fear; I have grown to quietly respect it but I have a firm stance on not giving it the freedom to rule my life.

I know that we all experience our relationships with fear differently, for some of us it may have a stronger presence in our everyday compared to others. Some of us have learned to embrace what it has to offer, some of us live life with fear quietly lingering in the background and some of us are always trying to seek out ways to conquer it instead of letting it continue to dictate our daily lives.

I have ticked a few items off my bucket list recently, some of them being the things I never thought I would be brave enough to commit to and achieve. Yet, I managed to persevere and on the other side of my fear, I feel much lighter, liberated and loving the idea of exploring life beyond my comfort zone so much more.

It's a slow, stressful, and not an overly simple process by any stretch but facing fears can truly become one of the most empowering feelings. I genuinely believe that we all deserve to bask in that glorious sense of accomplishment, courage, and commitment. We all have it in us to become who we want to be and get to where we want to go, we just have to acknowledge that this experience will hold uncertainty, fear, and moments of temporary discomfort as we confront situations we may have always previously shied away from.

Fear will always be with us in some way on our life path.

However, it is up to us as to whether we let it take the wheel or ride in the backseat. It is a difficult passenger to place, as it needs space from the driver and other passengers, but it still needs to be present to assist with our sense of direction. It can serve us well and help to get us to where we want to be if we allow it to whisper and deprive it of its license to drive.

One thing we should never have to fear is reaching out to seek support or guidance on how to navigate the things that trouble us. We should never have to feel alone when we decide to conquer it instead of letting it consume us.

Below are some links to helpful articles for some extra support:

- How to Face Your Fears: Healthy Ways to Cope (verywellmind.com)
- How to Deal with Fear and Anxiety | Taking Charge of Your Health & Wellbeing (umn.edu)



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Research gives vital clues

An innovative partnership to further understand Gladstone harbour is underway with Gladstone Ports Corporation's (GPC) environment specialist Dr Megan Ellis, joining CQUniversity's research team.

For the past four months, Dr Ellis has been working with the CQUniversity's researchers at the Coastal Marine Ecosystems Research Centre (CMERC) to develop a research strategy to address some of the key environmental challenges facing the harbour.

Dr Ellis said so far the unique experience has been rewarding for both GPC and CQU as well as herself.

"It's been great to meet with CMERC researchers and discover more about the research they are undertaking, both by talking with them and getting involved in the research," she said.

"Last month I kayaked adjacent to Fisherman's Landing to collect sensor data with PhD student Rory Mulloy, whose scholarship is co-funded by GPC and CQU.

"Rory's project is all about using 'working with nature' approaches to increase biodiversity on and adjacent to the seawalls."

Chief Operating Officer Craig Walker said GPC and CQU share a geographical footprint in Rockhampton, Bundaberg and Gladstone and are key contributors to the community, with combined expertise.

"Connecting industry with a research and education partner means that young people from Central Queensland don't need to leave the region to study, especially when we have excellent facilities," he said.

"The secondment of our environmental specialist Megan is an ideal collaboration between GPC and CQU's CMERC research team to identify and address challenges.

"This would not be possible without a strong relationship between our organisations that has been built on a willingness for excellence in this region."



GPC's environmental specialist Dr Megan Ellis and CQU's CMERC director Dr Emma Jackson.

CQUniversity's CMERC Director Emma Jackson said having a local research organisation with the knowledge and capabilities to support sustainable port operations is a win-win for industry, community and the environment.

"The number one reason people leave regional areas is for education, and once they're

gone it's incredibly hard to lure back the skilled workers we need," Associate Professor Jackson said.

"Our common goal is ensuring sustainable and healthy Port operations through economic, environmental and social research that's focussed on delivering practical solutions."

The research aligns with the partnership's

strategy of taking a holistic view beyond purely environmental research and connecting it with other aspects of GPC's business and CQU's economics and social science research.

The research partnership follows after CQUniversity and GPC signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) last June, to work together in becoming world leaders in port research and operations.

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GladstoneToday COMMUNITY EVENTS BILLBOARD

Thursday 18 November

Garden Tours

Be guided through the gardens by our own Friends of the Gardens Visitor Services Volunteers. A wealth of knowledge about the Gardens is shared with visitors. The volunteers who run the Tour are trained in not only scientific facts about the various plants and animals, but also the history and stories behind Tondoon.

Time: 10am to 11:30am

Location: Tondoon Botanic Gardens, 672 Glenlyon Road, Gladstone.

For more information call 4971 4444 or email tondoon@gladstone.qld.gov.au

Friday 19 November

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Bring your own bag to take bargain books, DVDs, magazines and more. All proceeds go towards new resources for our libraries.

Time: 9am to 5pm

Location: Gladstone City Library, 39 Goondoon Street, Gladstone.

For more information contact 4976 6400

Saturday 20 November

Gladstone Park Run

A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate - it's up to you!

Time: 7am

Location: Lions Park, off Dawson Highway, Gladstone.

For more information email gladstoneqld@parkrun.com

Tannum Sands Park Run

A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate - it's up to you!

Time: 7am

Location: Canoe Point Park, Caledon Street, Tannum Sands.

For more information email tannumsands@parkrun.com

Turkey Beach Markets and Car Boot Sale

Hand made and homemade goods and trash/treasure car boot sale.

Time: 8am to 12pm

Location: Worthington Road Reserve, Turkey Beach.

For more information contact 0428 756 242.

Garage Sale Trail

Households, schools, community groups, and local businesses are all invited to host a garage sale or shop the Trail, joining a nationwide movement that sees over 3,500 tonnes of stuff sold and diverted from landfill.

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Art Awards Artist Talks

This is a unique and exciting opportunity to meet selected Award-winning artists and hear them share their knowledge.

Time: 10:30am



Location: Cnr of Goondoon and Bramston Street, Gladstone Central.

For more information contact Gladstone Regional Art Gallery Museum 4976 6766.

Sunday 21 November

Rotary Charity Markets

Come along and see the beautiful Tondoon Botanic Gardens come alive with food, craft, fruit and vegetables and much more.

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Dance Kix Concert

Showcasing our dancer's skills for family and friends.

Time: 1:30pm to 3:30pm

Location: Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre, 56 Goondoon Street, Gladstone.

For more information see the Gladstone Entertainment website.

Monday 22 November

Food Drive Collection

Gladstone Regional Libraries are encouraging residents to make donations of non-perishables and basic toiletries this holiday season.

Note: This event runs until Monday, 20 December.

Time: 8:30am to 5pm

Location: Gladstone Region

For more information see the Gladstone Regional Council website.

Tuesday 23 November

Tuesday Art Play

Bring your little one along with you and join an experienced children's art tutor, for some hassle-free fun.

Time: 10:30am to 11:15am.

Location: Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum Cnr of Goondoon and Bramston Street, Gladstone.

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Author of The Tattooist of Auschwitz, Heather Morris Visits

Heather will be in Gladstone as part of her tour to share her latest book Three Sisters.

Time: 6pm to 7:30pm

Location: Gladstone City Library, 39 Goondoon Street, Gladstone.

For more information see the Gladstone Regional Council website.

Friday 26 November

Calliope Community Christmas Carols

Set to be a family fun evening with special guest performances from Calliope School Students, Calliope Children's Choir, Joan Mackay, Julee Anne Bell from "The Voice".

Time: 4pm to 9pm

Location: Chapman Park, Calliope.

For more information see the Gladstone Regional Council website.

The Nutcracker - Adagio School of Dance

Join us as we embark on a magical journey from the majestic Stahlbaum house to the dazzling land of sweets as we share this famed Christmas tale through the gift of dance.

Time: 6:30pm to 9:30pm

Location: Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre, 56 Goondoon Street, Gladstone.

For more information see their Facebook page.

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Christmas Cent Sale

Delicious afternoon tea with lots of great lucky door prizes and raffles. Proceeds go towards Christmas hampers for local charities and Pencils Plus Project. This event is hosted by Quota Club of Gladstone.

Time: 12pm

Location: Gladstone Bowls Club, 6A Ferris Street, Gladstone City.

For more information see their Facebook page.

Sunday 28 November

Discovery Coast Markets

Featuring food stalls, live entertainment, arts and creation stalls and lots more making this event an awesome family-friendly outing. (Note: dogs are allowed on leads).

Time: 8am

Location: 1770 SES Grounds on Captain Cook Drive, Agnes Water.

For more information email dcmarkets@gmail.com

Calliope Rotary Markets

Markets for everyone with entertainment and food.

Time: 8am to 12pm

Location: Chapman Park, 3 Taragoola Road, Calliope.

For more information call Susan on 0414 874 721

Amber Wieland School of Dance - Annual Showcase

With toe-tapping music, glitzy costumes, and fabulous dancers - we invite you to join us for a blockbuster amount of fun!

Time: 3pm to 5:30pm

Location: Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre, 56 Goondoon Street, Gladstone.

For more information see the Gladstone Regional Council website.

Monday 29 November

PlayTime at the Precinct

Join us for a morning of games, laughter, and play for children aged 12 months to 5 years.

Time: 10am to 11:30am

Location: Philip Street Communities and Families Precinct, 1 Pengelly St, West Gladstone

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Jason, Michael, Jasmin and Taena at the Beer + Cider Festival.



Kristen Callinan and Bronwyn Bryan.



Mika Levci.

It's the toast of the town

More than 1200 people attended the second Beer + Cider Festival at the GPC Marina Parklands on the weekend and photographer **MIKE RICHARDS** was there to see who was out and about.



Paula and Brad Hitchcock.



Naturally SAS Hair & Beauty.



Andrew Tarr and Tina Vee.



Tracey Rose and Melanie Hall with Theresa Butcher and MP Glenn Butcher.



Tracey, Tamara, Jason, Emma and Yolande.



Michelle, Jackson, Amber, Catherine, Emily, Amber and Kurt.



The Chris Bax Band.



The Neon Stars.



Trish Blackmore and Dianne MacKenzie.



Nathan Dallas and Shane Cruse.



Jason Burns.



Kristie Petersen and Andrew Tremaine.



Renee, Jane, Toni and Citra.



Volunteers Lyn Powell, Mandy De Bruijn and Kathy Nielsen.



Ashleigh Salter, Ali Hillhouse and Davia Simmons.



Ricki, Aaron, Brendan and Jack.

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Looking the part stylishly

Looking stylish and put together isn't always about how much you spend on clothes, wearing designer clothes or labels or even wearing the latest trends.

Being stylish doesn't have to be that complicated, it's about shopping smarter and adding simple additions to your outfits with accessories, belts, jewellery, scarves, or simple tucks. Here are a few ways to elevate your everyday outfits whether going out to lunch, work, or a night out, these simple ideas will help you make the most of your wardrobe.

1. The most important step in this process is ensuring the garment fits you properly. If something doesn't fit right, it can look out of place or messy, so this is crucial.
2. Adding a belt or scarf can hold the power to transform your outfit. They can highlight shape and act as a point of interest to your outfit. There are so many ways to tie them now and a simple google search can assist with inspiration.
3. This trend has been around for many years and I'm totally on board! The Tuck is a great way to elevate your look and highlight your shape. Again, there are so many ways to tuck and is one of the easiest ways to add style.

4. Accessories are like the cherry on top of a cake that can pull the entire outfit together. Whether it's jewellery, a handbag or clutch or hat can change the way an outfit looks to suit different occasions.
 5. Layers can also elevate your look and my go to third layer is a blazer. Adding a jacket, vest, cardigan, or button-up shirt can take your outfit from day to night and helps maximise the use of garments in your wardrobe.
- It's about using the clothes in your wardrobe in multiple ways and making your wardrobe work for you!
- Try these simple tips and you'll be sure to make a statement.

An outfit can be easily styled with certain accessories like a belt or blazer.



MAKE A DIFFERENCE THIS FESTIVE SEASON Adopt-A-Family Christmas Appeal

2021 has been a tough year for many Central Queenslanders, and Christmas can be difficult time for families doing it tough.

This year you can make a difference and brighten the lives of local families by sharing in the spirit of the season! Support the Adopt-A-Family for Christmas Appeal, and you will have the chance to make a real difference to a local family facing financial hardship or social dislocation.

How to Help

Keep an eye out each week in Gladstone Today for an update of family lists. Then get in touch with the charity that nominated them to find out what you can do to make their Christmas truly memorable.



Key: M - Mum; D - Dad; GM - Grandmother; GD - Grandfather; AM - Adult Male; AF - Adult Female; B - Boy & G - Girl

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| 2. AF | 10. AM | 18. D, B13 | 26. M, B6, G4 |
| 3. AM | 11. AF | 19. M, B12, G10, G6 | 27. M, B14, G15 |
| 4. M, D, G17, G10, G8, | 12. AF | 20. GD, B8, G12, G5, G4 | 28. GM, B10, B8, B6 |
| 5. GM, B3, G1 | 13. AM | 21. M, GM, B3 | 29. M, GD, B4 |
| 6. M, B2, G1 | 14. M, D, G9, G3, G2 | 22. GM, B11mths | 30. GD, B10, B8, B6 |
| 7. M, D, G4, G1 | 15. GM, GD, B1, G8, G7, G1mth | 23. GM, GD, B1, G3 | 31. AF & AM |
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GladstoneToday

Brussels sprouts get tasty

By Bridget Ryan

As a child my father grew brussels sprouts to supplement our sheep feed during winter.

Mum would make us pick some of the bigger ones to boil to mush to supplement the human's diet.

Nobody got sick from mums cooking but there were no requests for recipes to go into the local CWA cookbook or prizes at the local show.

But this vegetable has come into its own given the right treatment!

Picked young and green they are a delicious base for this meal.

- Ingredients:**
- Olive oil
 - 1 x onion diced
 - Chilli (optional to taste)
 - 2 cloves garlic
 - 4 rashers of bacon thinly sliced
 - 250g Brussels Sprouts ends trimmed and quartered
 - ¼ cup white wine or chicken stock
 - Salt and pepper
 - Parmesan cheese grated to serve.

Method:

1. Cook onions, garlic and chilli in olive oil until soft. Add bacon and brussels sprouts, fry for a couple of minutes then add the wine/stock. Reduce liquid. Season with salt and pepper to taste. Serve with gnocchi, pasta, noodles and top with parmesan.



Brussels sprouts and bacon fresh from the market.



Not like mother used to make.

Sweet treat with a slice of sour: The zing of lemon

**CUT OUT AND
KEEP RECIPE**

GRANNY GAY



Hi all.

Does anyone else chose the lemon option over the chocolate option when it comes to cakes, puddings, desserts etc?

The combination of initial sweetness with the sour finish is just so good.

Being that lemons are available in abundance right now, I thought a tasty Lemon Jelly Slice would be the perfect recipe of the week.

The kettle seems to have been flicked on regularly the last few days, so I can't imagine this slice will last long.

It's easy. It's yummy.

So let's cook!

Lemon Jelly Slice

- Ingredients:**
- Base**
- ¼ cup Sugar
 - 1.5 cups Self Raising Flour
 - ½ cup melted Butter
 - 1 Egg, lightly beaten

Method:

Base

- Preheat oven to 175°
- Grease and line a slice tin.
- Place dry ingredients into a bowl. Mix in beaten egg and melted butter until it comes together. Add a little more melted butter if it's too dry.
- Press mixture into prepared tin.
- Bake for 15-20 minutes, or until lightly brown.

- Tips & Tricks:**
- I like to add ½ cup of coconut into the base dry ingredients before mixing the butter and egg in.
 - Grate lemon zest into the base to boost the lemon flavour.



Mmm Tasty!!

- Topping**
- ½ cup Sugar
 - 3 heaped tablespoons Custard Powder
 - ¾ cup Lemon Juice
 - 1 cup Water

Topping

- Whisk all ingredients together in a medium size saucepan.
- Place over medium/high heat.
- Stir constantly until it boils and thickens.
- Pour over the base while both are still hot.
- Leave to cool. Cut into squares and store in the fridge.

- You can use any combination of lemon juice, lime juice or passionfruit pulp in the topping. Just passionfruit pulp on its own is delicious as well.

Happy baking! Stay safe!



Great with a cuppa.

Your year ahead
Expect this next year to be busy. You'll need to run at maximum efficiency, so allow the occasional time-out to refresh mind, body and soul, especially in these next few demanding months. Settle debts, see to unfinished projects and send out clear signals that no one has the right to control your thoughts or actions. Your wallet should notice a little weight gain after January - until you decide to spend up. Try a sensible budget instead - there will always be many bills to be paid. You're allowed the odd luxury, but only if it's truly affordable.



ARIES
(Mar 21 - Apr 20)

You may be tempted to shift the blame onto others and why not, when everyone else is doing the same? It's a week where there's little room to manoeuvre. No one in particular is at fault. It's more a case of each for themselves. And you have every right to follow suit. The upside: business and pleasure entwine. Delightfully so.
Best Day: Monday 22nd



TAURUS
(Apr 21 - May 20)

This week, don't ruffle any feathers by speaking up at the wrong time or for the wrong reasons. It's no use shouting louder than others if what you say isn't being heard. And be sure to have all the facts before you speak. Listen carefully, Taurus, and be certain that you have the whole truth before voicing a verbal attack.
Best Day: Sunday 21st



GEMINI
(May 21 - Jun 21)

Here's a delightful week, when social life and friendships are likely to thrive. You actively seek like-minded souls, and they're magnetically drawn to you. In matters of the heart, carnally charged couples embrace deeper passions. Singles, too, are encouraged to give boldest fantasies free reign. Lust at first sight, perhaps?
Best Day: Friday 26th



CANCER
(Jun 22 - Jul 22)

Change is coming - so sharpen your intellect, and prepare. By week's end your ability to think differently allows you to develop innovative new concepts. More to the point, you're no longer prepared to be taken for granted and won't hesitate in letting others know this. For singles, a new love affair promises to be more than just a casual fling.
Best Day: Saturday 27th



LEO
(Jul 23 - Aug 23)

A phase of your life is coming to a close, so prepare for disruption. Relationships built on sand can expect some erosion. Discontent could even lead you towards clandestine meetings. Singles, too, may prefer a secret dalliance. Finances feature strongly, as does the need to chase your professional dreams. An interesting week ahead.
Best Day: Sunday 21st



LIBRA
(Sep 23 - Oct 23)

Everyone has moments of doubt. The thoughts of "would have", "could have" or "should have" can sometimes overpower your motivation and energy. You can't change the past, Libra - but you can let go of old negativity. Remember the lessons learned, but leave the dramatics behind. Be present. Stay present.
Best Day: Monday 22nd



SAGITTARIUS
(Nov 23 - Dec 21)

Putting your grand plans into motion could prove to be tricky this week. Pushing your agenda before it's primed to go isn't conducive to success. Instead, tap into your creativity, and let it lead you in the right direction: with art, a journal, make a collage. It could generate that major 'a-ha' moment that provides you with the right answers.
Best Day: Tuesday 23rd



CAPRICORN
(Dec 22 - Jan 20)

You're upset, Capricorn - and want to speak your mind. But if you have nothing nice to say - for now, it's wiser to say nothing at all. Don't make allegations that are hard to take back. Should you choose to push personal boundaries, be sure you can cope with the consequences. Or if feeling truly tired, take some time out to rest.
Best Day: Friday 26th



AQUARIUS
(Jan 21 - Feb 18)

Aquarians are famous for their fiercely stubborn streak. And as compromise isn't your top priority this week, expect some heated discussions. You've had a taste of freedom and want more. Though the planets counsel a degree of care, you want to throw caution to the wind. Just as well your cash supply looks plentiful - even if it is borrowed.
Best Day: Thursday 25th



PISCES
(Feb 19 - Mar 20)

At last, you're ready to start acting on that list of great ideas. Soon, you'll experience extra clarity that will benefit that long-standing labour of love you've been working on. Bringing your dreams to life will keep you too busy for romance, but be on the look-out for an unexpected financial possibility - very welcome in these unsettled times.
Best Day: Saturday 27th




VIRGO
(Aug 24 - Sep 22)

Times have been hard for a while now, with money issues demanding more attention. Good news: this week anxiety starts to ease, to the point where you can relax. Quality time isn't so easy to come by during difficult times, so accept this short spell of fun and friendship as a gift from the heavens. Whatever happens, simply enjoy.
Best Day: Tuesday 23rd



SCORPIO
(Oct 24 - Nov 22)

Deciding whether or not to give someone another shot is difficult this week. Emotions fluctuate, as you initially succeed in going with the flow, only to perhaps change your mind again...and again. You might also get mixed signals and wonder whether or not you're making a mistake. For now, it could be hard to tell.
Best Day: Wednesday 24th

ARROW WORDS												
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The Guide

Read all about it: Claudia Karvan delves into the inspirations behind literary classics in *Books That Made Us*.



PICK OF THE WEEK

BOOKS THAT MADE US
ABC TV, Tuesday, 8.30pm

Settle in for a comprehensive and beguiling exploration of Australian literature with beloved actor Claudia Karvan. In this special new three-part series, the *Secret Life of Us* and *Love My Way* star embarks on a fantastic journey to understand all about Aussie literature, delving into a selection of our bestselling books, the inspiration behind them, and how they have helped shape Australian identity. It's a mammoth undertaking; Karvan's passion and curiosity is infectious. She kicks off this week focusing on characters, catching up with revered writers including Christos Tsiolkas in a Greek tavern and Tim Winton in a town hall with ties to *Cloudstreet*.

ADELE: ONE NIGHT ONLY
Seven, Sunday, 7pm

English singer-songwriter Adele (pictured) has kept a low profile while delivering a stream of chart-topping, catchy songs featuring her soulful voice. Now, after six years of musical silence and with a new album about to hit the shelves, fans are treated to this epic two-hour special, recorded live in Los Angeles. The singing powerhouse will perform 10 of her songs, including tracks from her new album, *30*. In a move that will give many *deja vu*, Adele also sits down with Oprah Winfrey in her rose garden for a wide-ranging chat.



GRANTCHESTER
ABC TV, Saturday, 7.30pm

Tuning in for a season finale is always nerve-racking: will the conclusion be palatable and is another season on the way? Fans of this charming '50s-set drama will be pleased to find a resounding yes to both questions; now we can all sit back and immerse ourselves in the respectable world of Reverend William Davenport (Tom Brittney, pictured) and DI Geordie Keating (Robson Green). Tonight, when a successful music producer is murdered, Geordie must consider whether an army buddy could be the killer.



COULD YOU SURVIVE ON THE BREADLINE?
SBS, Wednesday, 8.30pm

More than three million Aussies live below the poverty line, and this confronting three-part documentary does an excellent job of shining a light on this national problem. Many people already have ideas about what sort of folk must rely on welfare to survive, and this series smashes stereotypes to reveal the reality. Chef Julie Goodwin (pictured), journalist Caleb Bond and NSW Greens MP Jenny Leong forgo their money and possessions to meet and live with people on the poverty line.



Friday, November 19

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. **10.00** Q+A. (R) **11.05** Australia Remastered. (Final, R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **1.00** Exposing The Illegal Organ Trade. (Ma, R) **1.30** The Sound. (R) **2.00** Miniseries: The Cry. (Mals, R) **3.00** ABC News Afternoons. **4.10** Think Tank. (R) **5.05** Grand Designs Australia. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** Gardening Australia. Costa Georgiadis and junior guest Caylee plant herbs. **8.30** Annika. (Final, Mav) Annika and her team's lives are in grave danger as they investigate the murder of a young woman. **9.20** **MOVIE:** Tea With The Dames. (2018, M), R) Four actors talk about their lives. Judi Dench, Maggie Smith. **10.40** Talking Heads. (Ma) **11.15** ABC Late News. **11.30** The Vaccine. (R) **11.45** Gruen. (R) **12.25** Preppers. (Mals, R) **12.55** Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) **6am** Children's Programs. **5.55pm** Fireman Sam. **6.10** Hey Duggee. **6.20** Bluey. **6.25** Shaun The Sheep. **6.40** Andy's Safari Adventures. **7.00** Dino Dana. **7.15** Odd Squad. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Hard Quiz. **8.30** Nick Cave Alone At Alexandra Palace. **10.00** Doctor Who. **10.50** Art Works. **11.15** Brush With Fame. **11.45** Live At The Apollo. **12.30am** Would I Lie To You? **1.05** Sick Of It. **1.25** Community. **1.45** Parks And Recreation. **2.10** Reno 911! **2.30** The Housemate. **2.45** ABC News Update. **2.50** Close. **5.05** Five Minutes More. **5.10** Sarah & Duck. **5.20** The Hive. **5.30** Digby Dragon. **5.40** Late Programs.

NITV (34) **6am** Morning Programs. **8.40** Bushwhacked! **9.30** The Magic Canoe. **10.00** Going Places. **11.00** Stockman's Strategy. **Noon** **MOVIE:** Beyond The Lights. (2014, M) **1.55** I Am Numamurdi. **2.00** Intune 08. **3.00** Wapos Bay. **3.25** The Magic Canoe. **3.50** Aussie Bush Tales. **4.00** Project Planet. **4.30** Move It Mob Style. **5.00** Shortland Street. **5.30** Chefs' Line. **6.00** On Country Kitchen. **6.30** Cooking Hawaiian Style. **7.00** NITV News: Nula. **7.30** **MOVIE:** Kirikou And The Men And Women. (2012, PG) **9.05** Bedtime Stories. **9.15** For My Father's Kingdom. **10.55** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **11.00** Spanish News. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24. **12.30** ABC America: World News Tonight. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Muslims Like Us Australia. (Mal, R) **3.00** NITV News: Nula. **3.30** Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG) **3.35** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) **3.45** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) **4.15** Secrets Unearthed. (PGa, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (PG) **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) Presented by Marc Fennell. **6.30** SBS World News. **7.30** Hitler: Countdown To War. Part 1 of 3. **10.15** SBS World News Late. **10.45** The Back Side Of Television: 100% Nothing Down The Well. (MA15+, R) Part 1 of 3. **11.15** The Twelve. (MA15+s, R) Twelve people become jurors. **3.50** Hunters. (PGal, R) **4.45** Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) **5.00** France 24 Feature. **5.15** NHK World English News. **5.30** Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) **6am** WorldWatch. **Noon** Gymnastics. FIG Rhythmic World Cup. **1.35** Most Expensivest. **2.00** Rise Up. **2.55** Chefs' Line. **3.55** WorldWatch. **5.25** Takeshi's Castle. **5.55** Shortland Street. **6.25** RockWiz Rewind. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Hoarders. **9.20** Sex Revolutions. **10.20** Hear Me Out. **11.15** Project Blue Book. **12.05am** Nirvana The Band The Show. **1.05** Fanatics: The Deep End. **1.35** VICE. **2.35** NHK World English News. **3.00** Thai News. **3.30** Bangla News. **4.00** Punjabi News. **4.30** Sri Lankan Sinhalese News. **5.00** Korean News. **5.30** Indonesian News.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) **6am** Asterix And Obelix In Britain. Continued. (2012, PG, French) **7.05** The Nightingale. (2013, Mandarin) **9.00** Boychoir. (2014, PG) **10.55** Capernaum. (2018, M, Lebanese Arabic) **1.15pm** Date With An Angel. (1987, PG) **3.15** A Month Of Sundays. (2015, PG) **5.15** Kim Ji-Young, Born 1982. (2019, PG, Korean) **7.25** A United Kingdom. (2016, PG) **9.30** The King's Speech. (2010, M) **11.40** Two Days, One Night. (2014, M, French) **1.30am** Ip Man. (2008, M, Cantonese) **3.30** In Your Hands. (2018, M, French) **5.35** A United Kingdom. (2016, PG)

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) **11.30** Seven Morning News. **12.00** **MOVIE:** Web Of Dreams. (2019, Mav, R) Jennifer Laporte. **2.00** House Of Wellness. (PG) **3.00** The Chase. (R) **4.00** Seven News At 4. **5.00** The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.

6.00 Seven Local News. **6.30** Seven News. **7.00** Better Homes And Gardens. Hosted by Johanna Griggs. **8.30** **MOVIE:** The Holiday. (2006, Mls, R) Two women, who live on opposite sides of the Atlantic, impulsively switch homes for Christmas. Cameron Diaz, Kate Winslet, Jude Law. **11.10** Big Brother VIP. (PG, R) Hosted by Sonia Kruger. **12.40** Harry's Practice. (R) **2.00** Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Million Dollar Minute. (R) **5.00** NBC Today.

7TWO (72) **6am** Home Shopping. **6.30** The Real Seachange. **7.00** My Greek Odyssey. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** House Of Wellness. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Better Homes And Gardens. **3.30** Super Garden. **4.30** M*A*S*H. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Border Security: International. **8.30** Escape To The Country. **10.30** Billy Connolly: Great American Trail. **11.30** Chris Tarrant's Extreme Railways. **12.30am** The Fine Art Auction. **3.30** Caravan & Camping WA. **4.00** Better Homes And Gardens. **5.30** Home Shopping.

7MATE (73) **6am** ITM Fishing Show. **6.30** Fishing Addiction. **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** American Pickers. **9.00** Leepu And Pitbull. **10.00** America's Game. **11.00** A Football Life. **Noon** Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 10. Sydney SuperSprint. Highlights. **1.00** Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 10. Sydney SuperSprint. Highlights. **2.00** Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. **3.00** Great Lake Warriors. **4.00** Timbersports. **4.30** Leepu And Pitbull. **5.30** **MOVIE:** 10,000 BC. (2008, PG) **7.30** **MOVIE:** Aquaman. (2018, M) **10.20** **MOVIE:** Lethal Weapon 4. (1998, M) **12.55am** Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) **11.30** Morning News. **12.00** **MOVIE:** Lethal Beauty. (2018, Mav) **1.45** Talking Honey: Princess Diana. (PG, R) **2.00** Pointless. (PG) **3.00** Tipping Point. (PG) **4.00** Afternoon News. **4.30** Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) **5.30** WIN News.

6.00 Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** Taronga: Who's Who In The Zoo: Hungry Hippo. (PG) A lemur may have a melanoma. **8.30** **MOVIE:** A Few Good Men. (1992, Mal, R) Two lawyers defend a pair of US Marines who have been accused of murdering a fellow serviceman. Tom Cruise, Jack Nicholson, Demi Moore. **11.15** **MOVIE:** The Boy In The Striped Pyjamas. (2008, Ma, R) Asa Butterfield. **1.00** The Garden Gurus. (R) **1.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Global Shop. (R) **4.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **5.30** A Current Affair. (R)

9GEM (81, 92) **6am** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **10.30** Pointless. **11.30** My Favorite Martian. **Noon** Death In Paradise. **1.10** Days Of Our Lives. **2.05** The Young And The Restless. **3.00** Explore. **3.05** Antiques Roadshow. **3.35** **MOVIE:** The Duke Wore Jeans. (1958) **5.30** The Secret Life Of The Zoo. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** Saved & Remade. **8.30** **MOVIE:** First Man. (2018, M) **11.15** The Enemy Within. **12.10am** Antiques Roadshow. **12.35** My Favorite Martian. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping.

9GO! (82, 93) **6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** Supergirl. **1.00** Vanderpump Rules. **2.00** Making A Model With Yolanda Hadid. **3.00** Malcolm. **3.30** The Nanny. **4.00** 3rd Rock From The Sun. **4.30** That '70s Show. **5.00** Malcolm. **6.00** Young Sheldon. **6.30** **MOVIE:** Lemony Snicket's A Series Of Unfortunate Events. (2004, PG) **8.40** **MOVIE:** Spider-Man: Homecoming. (2017, M) **11.20** Young Sheldon. **11.45** Malcolm. **12.15am** The Arrangement. **1.15** Vanderpump Rules. **2.10** Making A Model With Yolanda Hadid. **2.50** Clarence. **3.00** Teen Titans Go! **3.30** Kaijudo: Rise Of The Duel Masters. **4.00** Pokémon. **4.30** Late Programs.

TEN (5, 1)

6.00 The Talk. (PGa) **7.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **7.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) **8.00** Studio 10. (PG) **12.00** Dr Phil. **1.00** The Living Room. (R) **2.00** Entertainment Tonight. **2.30** Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **3.00** Judge Judy. (PG) **3.30** My Market Kitchen. (R) **4.00** Farm To Fork. (PG) **4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. **5.00** 10 News First.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. **7.30** The Graham Norton Show. (Mals) Guests include Stephen Fry. **8.30** To Be Advised. **9.30** Best Of The Sydney Comedy Festival. (MA15+ls, R) Stand-up performances by Nick Cody, Stephen K. Amos and Aaron Chen from the Sydney Comedy Festival. **11.00** The Project. (R) **12.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) **1.00** Home Shopping. (R) **2.30** Infomercials. (PG, R) **3.00** Home Shopping. (R) **5.30** Infomercials. (PG, R)

10 PEACH (52, 11) **6am** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** Seinfeld. **8.00** Becker. **9.00** The Middle. **10.00** Frasier. **11.00** The Big Bang Theory. **Noon** In The Dark. **1.00** 2 Broke Girls. **2.00** Seinfeld. **2.30** The Unicorn. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.30** Friends. **11.30** 2 Broke Girls. **Midnight** Home Shopping. **12.30** Infomercials. **1.00** Home Shopping. **1.30** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **2.30** The Late Late Show With James Corden. **3.30** In The Dark. **4.30** Home Shopping. **5.30** Infomercials.

10 BOLD (53, 12) **6am** Home Shopping. **7.00** Infomercials. **8.00** Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 19. São Paulo Grand Prix. Highlights. **9.00** Diagnosis Murder. **10.00** JAG. **Noon** MacGyver. **1.00** Star Trek: Discovery. **2.00** NCIS. **3.00** Diagnosis Murder. **5.00** JAG. **7.00** Bondi Rescue. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** Law & Order: SVU. **11.30** CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. **12.30am** Home Shopping. **1.00** Infomercials. **1.30** Home Shopping. **2.00** Madam Secretary. **3.00** NCIS: New Orleans. **5.00** Diagnosis Murder.

<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 10.00 Rage. (PG) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 Annika. (Final, Mav, R) 1.20 Midsomer Murders. (PG, R) 3.00 Restoration Australia. (PG, R) 3.55 Dream Gardens. (R) 4.30 Landline. 5.00 Rick Stein’s Secret France. (R)</p> <p>6.00 Monty Don’s Japanese Gardens. (R) Part 2 of 2. 7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today’s top stories. 7.30 Grantchester. (Final, PGa) When a successful music producer is murdered, Georgie finds himself implicated in the investigation. 8.20 Miniseries: Ridley Road. (Mv) Part 2 of 4. Vivien meets Colin Jordan, who takes her into the heart of the National Socialist Movement. 9.20 Total Control. (Mal, R) Alex returns home determined to get her grassroots campaign off the ground. 10.15 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) Rumours spread about a sailor with smallpox. 11.15 Father Brown. (Mav, R) Father Brown and Mallory go missing. 12.00 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 Small Business Secrets. (PG, R) 2.30 Motorcycle Racing. FIM Superbike World Championship. Round 13. Highlights. 3.30 Running On Time. (R) 3.45 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (R) 4.15 Wheels Of Wonder. (R) 5.35 Nazi Megastructures. (PGav, R)</p> <p>6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Celebrity Letters And Numbers. (M) Hosted by Michael Hing. 8.30 Tutankhamun: Life, Death And Legacy. (PG, R) Part 3 of 3. An examination of Ancient Egypt’s pharaoh Tutankhamun concludes. 9.25 Russia To Iran: Across The Wild Frontier. (PGa, R) Part 2 of 5. Explorer Levison Wood and his guide head into the remote mountains. 10.15 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (Mals, R) Hosted by Jimmy Carr. 11.10 MOVIE: JFK. (1991, Malsv, R) Kevin Costner. 2.30 MOVIE: The Wave. (2019, MA15+al, R) 4.00 Hunters. (Ma, R) 4.50 Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG) 12.00 Horse Racing. The Gong Race Day and Ballarat Cup Day. 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.00 Seven News At 5. 5.30 Creek To Coast. A look at the latest in outdoor activities.</p> <p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 MOVIE: Harry Potter And The Deathly Hallows: Part 2. (2011, PGahv, R) Harry, Ron and Hermione hunt down the last of Voldemort’s horcruxes in the hope of ending his threat forever. Daniel Radcliffe, Emma Watson. 9.35 MOVIE: Venom. (2018, Malv, R) A journalist is unwittingly merged with a symbiotic alien with lethal abilities. Tom Hardy, Michelle Williams, Riz Ahmed. 11.40 Surveillance Oz. (PGas, R) A brazen art thief gets chased by a chef. 12.10 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Highlights. 1.40 Harry’s Practice. (R) Information about pet care. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Get Clever. (R) 5.00 House Of Wellness. (PGa, R)</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Animal Tales. (PGm, R) 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Today Extra: Saturday. (PG) 12.00 Animal Embassy. (R) 12.30 Destination WA. (Final) 1.00 Good Food Kitchen. 1.30 My Way. 2.00 Talking Honey: Relationship Specials. (PG) 2.10 Parental Guidance. (PGa, R) 4.30 The Garden Gurus. 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 Getaway. (PG)</p> <p>6.00 Nine News Saturday. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 MOVIE: Top Gun. (1986, PGlsv, R) Students at an elite US flying school for advanced fighter pilots compete against each other to be the best in the class. Tom Cruise, Kelly McGillis. 9.40 MOVIE: Battleship. (2012, Mv, R) The crew of a US Navy warship finds themselves involved in a pitched battle against aliens. Taylor Kitsch, Alexander Skarsgård, Rihanna. 12.00 MOVIE: The Guilt Trip. (2012, Mls, R) An inventor takes a road trip with his mother. Barbra Streisand. 1.40 A Current Affair. (R) 2.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 Global Shop. (R) 5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 5.30 Wesley Impact With Stu Cameron. (PG)</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6am Morning Programs. 7.30 Escape Fishing. (R) 8.00 All 4 Adventure. (PG, R) 9.00 Taste Of Australia. (R) 9.30 St10. (PG) 12.00 Creative Generation 2021. 1.30 Jamie & The Nonnas. (R) 2.30 Australia By Design: Innovations. (PG, R) 3.00 What’s Up Down Under. 3.30 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 4.00 GCBC. (R) 4.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 5.00 News.</p> <p>6.00 Soccer. A-League Men. Round 1. Western Sydney Wanderers v Sydney FC. From CommBank Stadium, Sydney. 9.00 Ambulance. (Ma, R) As protestors begin flooding London and blocking the roads, the entire computer system used to respond to 999 calls crashes, and call handlers resort to filing out urgent ambulance requests on paper. 11.00 Miniseries: Lie With Me. (Madls, R) Part 3 of 4. Becky is conflicted when Anna tells her Jake is physically abusive, showing her a bruise on her shoulder. When Jake lures Becky back into his orbit, Anna takes drastic measures to protect her children. 12.00 Home Shopping. (R) 1.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 2.30 Home Shopping. (R) 5.00 Hour Of Power. Religious program.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children’s Programs. 7.15pm Sir Mouse. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.20 Live At The Apollo. 9.05 Ross Noble: El Hablador. 9.50 Sammy J. (Final) 9.55 Mock The Week. 10.25 Schitt’s Creek. 11.10 Mystify Michael Hutchence. 12.50am Unprotected Sets. 1.15 Red Dwarf. 1.45 Escape From The City. 2.45 Halal Gurls. (Final) 2.55 Nightwalkers. (Final) 3.05 ABC News Update. 3.10 Close. 5.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Letterkenny. 2.30 Nocturne In Black. 2.55 Chefs’ Line. 3.25 Rockwiz. 4.25 WorldWatch. 5.50 Megafactories. 6.40 The Bee Whisperer. (Final) 7.40 Brooklyn Nine-Nine. 8.30 Stuck In The Suez. 9.30 The X-Files. 12.50am South Park. 1.50 King Of The Road. 2.40 France 24. 3.00 Thai News. 3.30 Bangla News. 4.00 Punjabi News. 4.30 Sri Lankan Sinhalese News. 5.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 8.30 Travel Oz. 9.00 Three Wide No Cover. 10.00 Travel Oz. 11.00 Weekender. 11.30 Creek To Coast. Noon Sydney Weekender. 12.30 House Of Wellness. 1.40 MOVIE: Harum Scarum. (1965) 3.30 MOVIE: Spinout. (1966) 5.30 Ed And Karen’s Recipes For Success. 6.30 The Yorkshire Vet. 8.30 Escape To The Country. 11.30 The Yorkshire Vet. 12.30am The Fine Art Auction. 3.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am Newstyle Direct. 6.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 10.00 My Favorite Martian. 10.30 Edgar Wallace Mysteries. 11.45 The Avengers. 12.55pm MOVIE: Turned Out Nice Again. (1941) 2.35 MOVIE: Kings Of The Sun. (1963, PG) 4.45 MOVIE: The Train. (1964, PG) 7.30 MOVIE: Schindler’s List. (1993, M) 11.30 Memory Lane. 12.50am Explore. 1.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 8.00 Becker. 9.00 The Middle. 9.30 2021 MTV Europe Music Awards. 11.30 To Be Advised. 3pm The Neighborhood. 4.00 Friends. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.45 2 Broke Girls. 12.10am Home Shopping. 1.10 Infomercials. 1.40 Nancy Drew. 3.30 Undercover Girlfriends. 4.30 Home Shopping.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 11.35 Wawu Divine Hope. 12.05pm When The River Runs Dry. 1.00 Queensland Murri Carnival. 2.00 Cricket. NT Twenty20. 5.00 Indian Country Today. 5.30 APTN National News. 6.00 NITV News: Nula. 6.30 Going Places. 7.30 NITV News Update. 7.40 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman. 8.30 The Talk: Race In America. 10.35 Night. Midnight Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am A United Kingdom. Continued. (2016, PG) 7.40 Panga. (2020, Hindi) 10.05 Tracks. (2013, M) 12.10pm Kim Ji-Young. Born 1982. (2019, PG, Korean) 2.20 Belle And Sebastian. (2013, PG, French) 4.10 The Straight Story. (1999, PG) 6.15 The Odyssey. (2016, PG, French) 8.30 Harry Brown. (2009, MA15+) 10.30 American Beauty. (1999, MA15+) 12.50am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. 3.30pm Motor Racing. Supercars C’ship. Sydney SuperNight. Support 5.30 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Qualifying. From Sydney Motorsport Park, Eastern Creek, NSW. 6.00 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Race 29. 8.30 MOVIE: Terminator: Dark Fate. (2019, MA15+) 11.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children’s Programs. 1pm Power Rangers Beast Morphers. 1.30 Malcolm. 2.30 Young Sheldon. 5.15 MOVIE: Alvin And The Chipmunks: Chipwrecked. (2011) 7.00 MOVIE: Shrek 2. (2004, PG) 8.55 MOVIE: 50 First Dates. (2004, M) 10.50 MOVIE: The Love Guru. (2008, M) 12.35am Westside. 2.35 Mexican Dynasties. 3.30 Thunderbirds. 4.30 Teen Titans Go! 4.50 Ninjago. 5.30 Yu-Gi-Oh! Classic.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Infomercials. 8.00 Home Shopping. 9.00 Soccer. 2022 FIFA World Cup Qualifier. AFC Third Round. China v Australia. Replay. Noon The Doctors. 1.00 Pat Callinan’s 4x4 Adventures. 2.00 One Strange Rock. 3.00 JAG. 4.00 Bondi Rescue. 4.30 iFish. 5.00 Reel Action. 5.30 MacGyver. 6.30 Scorpion. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 NCIS: New Orleans. 10.20 MacGyver. 11.20 Late Programs.</p>



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<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 9.00 Insiders. 10.00 Offsiders. 10.30 The World This Week. (R) 11.00 Compass. (PGa, R) 11.30 Songs Of Praise. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 Landline. 1.30 Gardening Australia. (R) 2.30 Pilgrimage: The Road To Santiago. (PG, R) 3.30 Rick Stein’s Secret France. (R) 4.30 Everyone’s A Critic. (PG, R) 5.00 Art Works. (PG, R) 5.30 The Sound.</p> <p>6.00 Antiques Roadshow. Hosted by Fiona Bruce. 7.00 ABC News Sunday. 7.40 Death In Paradise. (Mv, R) A zoo owner is poisoned by a dart. 8.40 Total Control. (Mal) Alex’s success on the campaign trail has caught the attention of popular incumbent Jack Ramsay. 9.35 Noughts + Crosses. (Mal) As Albion celebrates midsummer, Lekan stops at nothing to get revenge on Callum. 10.35 Stateless. (Malsv, R) 11.30 Talking Heads. (Ma, R) 12.05 Silent Witness. (Ma, R) 1.05 MOVIE: Tea With The Dames. (2018, MI, R) 2.25 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.00 Death In Paradise. (Mv, R) 5.00 Insiders. (R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 7.30 Italian News. 8.10 Filipino News. 8.40 French News. 9.30 Greek News. 10.30 German News. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 France 24 English News Second Edition. 1.00 Speedweek. 3.00 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PG, R) 3.30 Figure Skating. ISU Grand Prix. Round 4. NHK Trophy. Highlights. 5.35 Nazi Megastructures. (PGa, R)</p> <p>6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 DNA Family Secrets. (PG) Part 1 of 3. 8.40 The Assassination Of JFK. (M) Reconstructs the exact timeline of the 1963 assassination of JFK in minute-by-minute forensic detail. 10.00 Fight The Power: The History Of Protests. (M) Explores the history of public protests. 10.50 Addicted Australia. (Madl, R) 11.50 24 Hours In Emergency: Fix You. (Ma, R) 12.45 Michael Mosley: A History Of Surgery. (PGa, R) 2.45 America’s Great Divide: From Obama To Trump. (Mav, R) 4.55 Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG) 11.30 Motor Racing. Supercars C’ship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Race 29. Pre-Race. 1.30 Motor Racing. Supercars C’ship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Race 30. 4.30 Border Security: Australia’s Front Line. (PG, R) 5.00 Seven News At 5. 5.30 Weekender.</p> <p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Adele: One Night Only. (PG) Featuring performances from Adele. 9.00 7NEWS Spotlight. Investigative news program. 10.00 S.W.A.T. (M) The team pursues a couple who have gone on the run to hunt for a set of rare chess pieces that is worth millions. 12.00 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Highlights. 1.30 Harry’s Practice. (R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Million Dollar Minute. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Animal Tales. (PGm, R) 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Sports Sunday. (PG) 11.00 The Xtreme CollXtion. (PG, R) 11.30 Fishing Australia. 12.00 Ultimate Rush. (PGI, R) 12.30 MOVIE: Rocky. (1976, PGlv, R) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire, Burt Young. 2.50 Parental Guidance. (PGa, R) 4.00 Bondi Vet. (PGm) 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 My Way.</p> <p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 LEGO Masters Bricksmas Special. (PG) Part 1 of 2. 8.30 60 Minutes. Current affairs program, investigating, analysing and uncovering the issues affecting all Australians. 9.30 Nine News Late. Takes a look at the latest news and events from Australia and around the world. 10.00 The Killing Of Breonna Taylor. (Mal) A look at the death of Breonna Taylor. 11.15 The First 48: The House On Madrona Street. (Mav) 12.05 Cold Case: New Leads Wanted. (Ma) 1.00 The Xtreme CollXtion. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Take Two. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6am Morning Programs. 7.30 Tomorrow’s World. (PGa) 8.00 Three Veg And Meat. (R) 8.30 Freshly Picked. (R) 9.00 Destination Dessert. 9.30 St10. (PG) 12.00 Celebrity MasterChef Australia. (R) 1.10 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 1.30 Healthy Homes Aust. 2.00 GCBC. (R) 2.30 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 3.00 4x4 Adventures. 4.00 My Market Kitchen. (R) 4.30 Taste Of Australia. (R) 5.00 News.</p> <p>6.30 The Sunday Project. A look at the day’s news. 7.30 The Graham Norton Show. Celebrity guests include Lady Gaga. 8.30 CSI: Vegas. (MA15+v) An abandoned horse covered in blood leads the CSI team to a halfway house for convicted murderers. Grissom and Sara begin to circle their prime suspect in the David Hodges case. 9.30 FBI. After a young girl is kidnapped from day care, the team realises the case is linked to a debt owed to a deadly gang. 11.30 The Sunday Project. (R) 12.30 Home Shopping. (R) 1.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 3.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children’s Programs. 7.15pm Sir Mouse. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Compass. 8.30 Louis Theroux: Transgender Kids. 9.30 Tick F***ing Tock. 10.30 Nick Cave Alone At Alexandra Palace. Midnight George Clarke’s Amazing Spaces. 12.45 China Love. 1.45 Unprotected Sets. 2.15 In The Long Run. 2.35 ABC News Update. 2.40 Close. 5.05 Five Minutes More. 5.10 Sarah & Duck. 5.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 NBA. Indiana Pacers v New Orleans Pelicans. 12.30pm WorldWatch. 1.00 Rivals. 1.30 Lee Lin Chin’s Fashionista. 1.40 The Girl Who Swallowed Bees. 1.50 Rockwiz. 2.50 Ancient Aliens. 3.40 WorldWatch. 4.10 The Point. 4.40 Insight. 5.40 Underground Worlds. 6.30 Country Music. 7.30 The Great Boeing 787. 8.30 Murdered By A Mob. 9.20 Criminal Planet. 10.10 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 The Thrill Of The Chase. 11.00 The Great Australian Doorstep. 11.30 Your 4x4. Noon House Of Wellness. 1.15 Escape To The Country. 2.15 Master Builders 2021 Excellence In Housing Awards. 4.15 Border Security: Int. 4.45 MOVIE: Memphis Belle. (1990, PG) 7.00 Border Security. 8.30 Chris Tarrant’s Extreme Railways. 9.30 Mighty Trains. 10.30 Heathrow. 11.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs. 7.30 In Touch. 8.00 Beyond Today. 8.30 The Incredible Journey. 9.00 TV Shop. 10.00 Seaway. 11.05 Edgar Wallace Mysteries. 12.20pm Garden Gurus. 12.50 Getaway. 1.20 MOVIE: Piccadilly Incident. (1946) 3.30 MOVIE: War Drums. (1957, PG) 5.00 MOVIE: The Unforgiven. (1960, PG) 7.30 Agatha Raisin. 8.30 Coroner. 10.30 Chicago P.D. 11.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am This Is Us. 7.50 The Neighborhood. 8.40 The Middle. 9.40 Neighbours. 11.40 To Be Advised. 3pm 2021 MTV Europe Music Awards. 5.00 Friends. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Friends. 9.30 2 Broke Girls. Midnight Home Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Home Shopping. 1.30 MOVIE: The Great Gatsby. (2013, M) 4.05 2 Broke Girls. 4.30 Home Shopping.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 11.15 Football. WKFL. From Western Australia. 12.45pm Motor Racing. Dakar Rally. Stage 8. Highlights. 1.15 Soccer. Serie A Femminile. 3.00 Rugby Union. Monsoon Rugby Union. 4.30 Softball. SA Premier League. 6.00 NITV News: Nula. 6.30 First Contact Canada. 7.30 NITV News Update. 7.40 A Time To Swim. 8.40 MOVIE: In The Cold Dark Night. (2020) 10.25 The Fifth Region. 11.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Belle And Sebastian. Continued. (2013, PG, French) 7.20 Kim Ji-Young. Born 1982. (2019, PG, Korean) 9.30 The Odyssey. (2016, PG, French) 11.45 The Straight Story. (1999, PG) 1.50pm A United Kingdom. (2016, PG) 3.55 Panga. (2020, Hindi) 6.20 Lion. (2016, PG) 8.30 Farewell, My Queen. (2012, M, French) 10.25 The Man Who Killed Don Quixote. (2018, M) 12.50am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. 12.30pm Cricket. Women’s Big Bash League. Game 56. Adelaide Strikers v Melbourne Stars. 4.00 Big Water Adventures. 4.30 Blue Water Savages. 5.00 Merv Hughes Fishing. 5.30 Storage Wars Canada. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 MOVIE: Captain America: Civil War. (2016, M) 10.30 MOVIE: The A-Team. (2010, M) 1am Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children’s Programs. 1.30pm MOVIE: Pokémon 3: The Spell Of Unknown. (2001, PG) 3.00 MOVIE: Pokémon: Lucario And The Mystery Of Mew. (2005) 5.00 MOVIE: Paddington 2. (2017) 7.00 MOVIE: Dolittle. (2020, PG) 8.50 MOVIE: Casino Royale. (2006, M) 11.45 Young Sheldon. 12.35am Westside. 2.30 The Break Boys. 3.00 Power Rangers Beast Morphers. 3.30 Thunderbirds. 4.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Morning Programs. 9.00 Healthy Homes Aust. 9.30 Escape Fishing. 10.00 Pooches At Play. 10.30 The Doctors. 11.30 Scorpion. 12.30pm MacGyver. 1.30 Bondi Rescue. 2.00 The Offroad Adventure Show. 3.00 All 4 Adventure. 4.00 RV Daily Foodie Trails. 4.30 What’s Up Down Under. 5.00 I Fish. 5.30 Bondi Rescue. 6.00 JAG. 7.00 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 9.25 Star Trek: Discovery. 11.25 Late Programs.</p>

Monday, November 22

<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Landline. (R) 11.00 The Great Acceleration. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Grantchester. (Final, PGa, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.15 ABC News Afternoons. 4.10 Think Tank. (R) 5.10 Grand Designs Australia. (PG, R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 Al Jazeera News. 2.00 Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) 2.05 The Day Kennedy Died. (PGa, R) 3.05 Journey Through Albania. (PG) 3.40 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG) 4.10 Supervet Specials. (PG) 5.05 Jeopardy! (PG) 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: My Daughter Must Live. (2014, Mav, R) 2.00 Criminal Confessions: Gainesville. (Malv, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 LEGO Masters Bricksmas Special. (PG, R) 1.30 Getaway. (PG, R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. 1.00 Celebrity MasterChef Australia. (R) 2.10 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG) 3.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. 8.00 Australian Story. (Final) Australians tell personal stories. 8.30 Universe With Brian Cox: The Search For Second Earth Alien Worlds. Part 2 of 5. 9.30 Media Watch. (PG) Hosted by Paul Barry. 9.45 The Wimbledon Kidnapping. (PG) Part 1 of 2. 10.35 ABC Late News. 10.50 The Business. (R) 11.05 Mystify Michael Hutchence. (Mal, R) 12.45 Parliament Question Time. 1.45 Noughts + Crosses. (Mal, R) 2.45 Silent Witness. (Ma, R) 3.45 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p>	<p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 Britain's Most Historic Towns: Elizabethan Plymouth. (PG, R) Professor Alice Roberts visits Plymouth. 8.30 Animal Einsteins: Builders. (PG) Chris Packham takes a look at nature's best builders and animal architects. 9.30 The Best Of 24 Hours In Emergency: Remembrance Day. (M) A compilation of stories focusing on the love between patients and their nearest and dearest. 10.25 SBS World News Late. 10.55 Bosch. (Malv) 11.40 The Crimson Rivers. (MA15+ad, R) 1.30 The Red Line. (Masv, R) 3.15 Creative Minds. (PGn, R) 4.05 Sinkholes: Deadly Drops. (PG, R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away. (PG) 7.30 Big Brother VIP. (PG) VIPs are invited to take a holiday from their celebrity lives and move into a luxury hotel. 9.00 9-1-1. (Mamv) A truck crashes into a high school homecoming parade. Athena and Michael try to help Harry in the aftermath of his kidnapping. May is intimidated by a returning call centre legend. 11.00 The Latest: Seven News. 11.30 Fantasy Island. (PG) A woman wants to spend time with her family. 12.30 God Friended Me. (PGad, R) Ali begins chemotherapy. 1.30 The Real Seachange. (R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 To Be Advised. 9.00 Love Island Australia. (Mls) The adventurous singles continue their quest to find a romantic match in northern NSW. 10.00 Kath & Kim. (PGL, R) Kath and Kel buy a pet dog. 11.10 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. 11.40 New Amsterdam. (Mam, R) Max's life hangs in the balance. 12.35 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Take Two. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.</p>	<p>6.30 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. 7.30 Celebrity MasterChef Australia. (Final, PG) The celebrities conclude their quest to claim the title and \$100,000 for their chosen charity. 9.10 FBI: Most Wanted. (Mav, R) The team searches for a woman who is heading down a deadly path of vengeance, using ties to an online radical conspiracy organisation to further her cause. Barnes makes a life-changing decision. 11.00 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Late night talk show. 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 3.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 To Be Advised. 8.30 David Attenborough's Galapagos. (Final) 9.20 George Clarke's Amazing Christmas Spaces. 10.10 Doctor Who. 10.55 Adam Hills: The Last Leg. 11.35 Escape From The City. 12.35am Red Dwarf. 1.05 Community. 1.25 The Letdown. 2.00 Parks And Recreation. 2.20 Reno 91!! 2.45 ABC News Update. 2.50 Close. 5.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am Morning Programs. 12.30pm Prohibition In Northern Canada. 1.00 Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. 1.10 MOVIE: Paper Moon. (1973, PG) 3.05 Chefs' Line. 4.05 WorldWatch. 5.25 Takeshi's Castle. 5.55 Shortland Street. 6.25 RockWiz. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.30 News. 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Dark Side Of The '90s. 9.20 The Back Side Of Television. 9.50 The Story Of Who Let The Dogs Out. 10.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. 10.30 Master Builders 2021 Excellence In Housing Awards. 12.30pm House Of Wellness. 1.30 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Cleaning Up. 3.00 Sydney Weekender. 3.30 Super Garden. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Doc Martin. 8.30 The Inspector Lynley Mysteries. 10.30 Cold Case. 11.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs. 9.30 Newstyle Direct. 10.00 Danoz. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Agatha Raisin. 1.00 Days Of Our Lives. 1.55 The Young And The Restless. 2.50 Garden Gurus Moments. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 MOVIE: The Man Who Finally Died. (1963, PG) 5.30 The Secret Life Of The Zoo. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 Poirot. 8.40 Agatha Christie's Marple. 10.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Big Bang Theory. 7.00 Friends. 9.00 The Middle. 10.00 The 2021 American Music Awards. 1pm Nancy Drew. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.00 The Unicorn. 11.30 2 Broke Girls. Midnight Home Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.30 The 2021 American Music Awards. 4.30 Home Shopping.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2.40pm Songlines On Screen. 3.00 Jarjums. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Jarjums. 5.00 Shortland Street. 5.30 Chefs' Line. 6.00 The 77 Percent. 6.30 Cooking Hawaiian Style. 7.00 Our Stories. 7.15 Keep Calm And Decolonize. 7.20 News. 7.30 Road Open. 7.40 Through The Wormhole. 8.30 Karla Grant Presents. 9.00 College Behind Bars. 10.00 News. 10.10 APTN National News. 10.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Swallows And Amazons. Continued. (2016, PG) 7.20 Lion. (2016, PG) 9.30 Belle And Sebastian. (2013, PG, French) 11.20 Shoplifters. (2018, M, Japanese) 1.35pm The Odyssey. (2016, PG, French) 3.50 The Falcons. (2018, PG, Icelandic) 5.45 Master Cheng: A Spice For Life. (2019, PG) 7.50 Song For Marion. (2012, PG) 9.30 The Keeper. (2018, M) 11.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. Noon Seven's Motorsport Classic. 12.30 Inside Line. 1.30 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Highlights. 3.00 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 11. Sydney SuperNight. Highlights. 4.30 7th Gear. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 American Pickers. 8.30 MOVIE: Bad Boys. (1995, MA15+) 11.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon Supergirl. 1.00 Vanderpump Rules. 2.00 Revenge Body With Khloe Kardashian. 3.00 Malcolm. 4.00 Children's Programs. 5.00 Malcolm. 6.00 The Nanny. 6.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 7.00 That '70s Show. 7.30 RBT. 8.30 MOVIE: Quantum Of Solace. (2008, M) 10.40 Stunt Science. 11.40 3rd Rock From The Sun. 12.10am The Arrangement. 1.10 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 7.30 Home Shopping. 8.00 The Doctors. 9.00 Diagnosis Murder. 10.00 JAG. Noon SEAL Team. 2.00 NCIS. 3.00 Diagnosis Murder. 5.00 JAG. 7.00 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 10.20 A-League Highlights Show. 11.20 Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 20. Qatar Grand Prix. Highlights. 12.20am Infomercials. 12.50 Home Shopping. 2.20 48 Hours. 3.15 Hawaii Five-0. 5.05 The Doctors.</p>



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Tuesday, November 23

<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 War On Waste. (PG, R) 11.00 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Miniseries: Ridley Road. (Mv, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.15 ABC News Afternoons. 4.10 Think Tank. (R) 5.10 Grand Designs Australia. (R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 The Mosque Next Door. (Mal, R) 3.00 Journey Through Albania. (PG) 3.35 Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG) 3.40 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG) 4.10 The Kennedys: A Fatal Ambition. (PGa, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! (PG) 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Escaping The Madhouse: The Nellie Bly Story. (2019, Masv, R) 2.00 Criminal Confessions. (Madlv, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 To Be Advised. 1.30 Good Food Kitchen. (R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. 1.00 Celebrity MasterChef Australia. (PG, R) 2.40 Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG) 3.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. 8.00 Anh's Brush With Fame: Dr Richard Harris. (PG, R) Anh Do paints Dr Richard Harris. 8.30 Books That Made Us: People. (Malv, R) Part 1 of 3. 9.30 Louis Theroux: Selling Sex. (Malns, R) Louis Theroux interviews sex workers. 10.35 ABC Late News. 10.50 The Business. (R) 11.10 Q+A. (R) 12.10 Parliament Question Time. 1.10 Midsomer Murders. (PG, R) 2.40 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p>	<p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great Canadian Railroad Journeys: Portage La Prairie To Saskatoon. (PG, R) Hosted by Michael Portillo. 8.40 New York Super Airport. (PG) Part 2 of 3. Construction crews battle to stay on schedule and build the new gates. 9.35 Egypt With The World's Greatest Explorer: Off The Map. (PGa, R) Part 2 of 3. 10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Before We Die. (MA15+dv) 12.10 Miss S. (Premiere, Ma) 4.50 Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away. (PG) 7.30 Big Brother VIP. (PG) VIPs are invited to take a holiday from their celebrity lives and move into a luxury hotel. 9.00 MOVIE: Wonder Woman. (2017, Mav, R) An Amazonian princess leaves her isolated island home to help end World War I. Gal Gadot, Chris Pine, Robin Wright. 11.45 The Goldbergs. (PGls, R) Beverly convinces Murray to get a hot tub. 12.15 God Friended Me. (PGa, R) 2.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 To Be Advised. 9.00 Travel Guides. (PGL, R) Ordinary Aussies take on the job of travel critics, rating and reviewing their travel experiences. 10.00 Love Island Australia. (Mls) Hosted by Sophie Monk. 11.00 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. 11.30 Damian Lewis: Spy Wars: Escape From Tehran. (Mv) A look at the escape of diplomats from Iran. 12.30 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Take Two. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.</p>	<p>6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. 7.30 The Dog House Australia. (PGa) Narrated by Dr Chris Brown. 8.30 The Cheap Seats. (Final, Mal) Presenters Melanie Bracewell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was. 9.25 NCIS. (M, R) McGee and his wife Dellah's holiday to the Bahamas transforms into a high-stakes mission. 10.25 NCIS: Los Angeles. (Mv, R) Deeks is kicked out of training. 11.25 The Project. (R) 12.25 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 3.00 Infomercials. (PG, R) 3.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.30 Adam Hills: The Last Leg. 9.10 Schitt's Creek. 9.55 Preppers. 10.30 Prepping Australia. 10.45 Doctor Who. 11.30 In The Long Run. 11.55 Sick Of It. 12.20am Ross Noble: El Hablador. 1.05 Community. 1.25 Parks And Recreation. 1.50 Reno 91!! 2.10 The Housemate. 2.30 ABC News Update. 2.35 Close. 5.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Basketball. NBA. Indiana Pacers v New Orleans Pelicans. Replay. 2.00 Beerland. 3.00 Chefs' Line. 4.00 WorldWatch. 5.25 Takeshi's Castle. 5.55 Shortland Street. 6.25 RockWiz. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Alone. (Final) 9.40 Stacey Dooley Sleeps Over. 10.35 MOVIE: Under The Silver Lake. (2018, MA15+) 1.05am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 The Real Seachange. 7.00 My Greek Odyssey. 8.00 American Pickers. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon House Of Wellness. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Cleaning Up. 3.00 Creek To Coast. 3.30 Super Garden. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Pie In The Sky. 8.30 Lewis. 12.30am To Be Advised. 1.30 The Real Seachange. 2.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop. 7.00 Creflo. 7.30 TV Shop. 9.30 Newstyle Direct. 10.00 Danoz. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Poirot. 1.10 Days Of Our Lives. 2.05 The Young And The Restless. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 MOVIE: Geordie. (1955) 5.30 The Secret Life Of The Zoo. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 New Tricks. 8.40 The Closer. 9.40 Rizzoli & Isles. 10.40 Law & Order: Criminal Intent. 11.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Seinfeld. 8.00 Becker. 9.00 The Middle. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The King Of Queens. Noon In The Dark. (Final) 1.00 2 Broke Girls. 2.00 Seinfeld. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Mom. 11.35 Frasier. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.30 Late Programs.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2pm Vote Yes For Aborigines. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Bino And Fino. 4.00 Project Planet. 4.30 Move It Mob Style. 5.00 Shortland Street. 5.30 Chefs' Line. 6.00 On Country Kitchen. 6.30 Family Rules. 7.30 NITV News Update. 7.40 The Whole Table. 8.40 Miniseries: Out Of Their Skin. 9.35 Black Market. 10.05 News. 10.15 Hate Thy Neighbour. 11.05 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am The Falcons. (2018, PG, Icelandic) 7.55 Song For Marion. (2012, PG) 9.35 Master Cheng: A Spice For Life. (2019, PG) 11.40 Farewell, My Queen. (2012, M, French) 1.35pm Swallows And Amazons. (2016, PG) 3.25 Lion. (2016, PG) 5.35 Romeo And Juliet. (2013, PG) 7.45 A Long Way Down. (2014, M) 9.30 71. (2014, MA15+) 11.25 Gary Of The Pacific. (2017, M) 1am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (73) 6am ITM Fishing Show. 6.30 Fishing Addiction. 7.30 Creek To Coast. 8.00 American Pickers. 10.00 America's Game. 11.00 A Football Life. Noon MOVIE: Executive Decision. (1996, M) 3.00 Storage Wars: TX. 3.30 American Pickers. 4.30 Barter Kings. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 Highway Patrol. 8.30 MOVIE: Bad Boys II. (2003, MA15+) 11.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon Supergirl. 1.00 Vanderpump Rules. 2.00 Revenge Body With Khloe Kardashian. 3.00 Malcolm. 3.30 The Nanny. 4.00 3rd Rock From The Sun. 4.30 That '70s Show. 5.00 Malcolm. 6.00 The Nanny. 6.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 7.00 That '70s Show. 7.30 Damian Lewis: Spy Wars. 8.30 MOVIE: Skyfall. (2012, M) 11.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. Midnight The Arrangement. 1.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 7.00 Infomercials. 8.00 Bondi Rescue. 8.30 Waltzing Jimeoin. 9.00 A-League Highlights Show. 10.00 JAG. Noon NCIS: Los Angeles. 1.00 NCIS. 3.00 Diagnosis Murder. 5.00 JAG. 7.00 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Blue Bloods. 10.25 NCIS: New Orleans. 12.15am Home Shopping. 12.45 Infomercials. 1.15 Home Shopping. 2.15 MOVIE: Bad Eggs. (2003, M) 4.10 Madam Secretary. 5.05 JAG.</p>

Wednesday, November 24

<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Invisible Wars. (PG, R) 11.00 Monty Don's Japanese Gardens. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 National Press Club Address. 1.35 Media Watch. (PG, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.15 ABC News Afternoons. 4.10 Think Tank. (R) 5.05 Grand Designs Australia. (PG, R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 10.30 German News. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 The Mosque Next Door. (PGal, R) 3.00 Dylan Alcott Meets Julia Gillard. (PG) 3.40 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG) 4.10 The Kennedys: A Fatal Ambition. (PGad, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! (PG) 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Missing At 17. (2013, Mav, R) 2.00 Criminal Confessions: Boone County. (Mav, R) 3.00 The Chase. (R) 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 To Be Advised. 1.30 My Way. (R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. 1.00 The Bachelorette Australia. (PGL, R) 3.15 Judge Judy. (PG) 3.45 My Market Kitchen. (R) 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. Presented by Leigh Sales. 8.00 Hard Quiz. (PG) Hosted by Tom Gleeson. 8.30 Gruen. Wil Anderson and a team of experts analyse the advertising industry and consumerism. 9.10 Preppers. (MA15+I) After finding a skeleton, the preppers kidnap an archaeologist to determine the bones' origins. 9.40 QI. (PG, R) Hosted by Sandi Toksvig. 10.10 Adam Hills: The Last Leg. (R) 10.55 ABC Late News. 11.10 The Business. (R) 11.25 Universe With Brian Cox. (R) 12.25 Media Watch. (PG, R) 12.40 Parliament Question Time. 1.40 Father Brown. (Mav, R) 2.30 Rage. (MA15+adhlinsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p>	<p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) Presented by Marc Fennell. 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Scotland's Sacred Islands With Ben Fogle: Northern Outer Hebrides. (PG) Part 2 of 4. 8.30 Could You Survive On The Breadline? (M) Part 2 of 3. The participants experience the challenges of trying to support a family on welfare. 9.30 Before We Die. (MA15+) Bianca works out what happened to Stefan and makes a proposition to Christian. 10.25 SBS World News Late. 10.55 Atlantic Crossing. (Final, Ma) Märtha suffers a great loss. 12.00 On Becoming A God In Central Florida. (Mals, R) 4.30 VICE Guide To Film. (Mlv, R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away. (PG) 8.30 America's Got Talent. (PG) The performers take to the stage in front of judges Simon Cowell, Heidi Klum, Howie Mandel and Sofia Vergara to prove they have what it takes in the semi-final round of the competition. Hosted by Terry Crews. 11.30 The Latest: Seven News. 12.00 The Windsors. (Mdlis, R) King George III appears to William as the ghost of Christmas past to help him with an important decision. 1.00 God Friendd Me. (PG, R) Ali becomes a candidate for a drug trial. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise. News, sport and weather.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Mega Zoo. (Premiere, PG) A look at three Victorian zoos. 8.30 Love Island Australia. (Mls) The adventurous singles continue their quest to find a romantic match in northern NSW. 9.30 Botched: Obsessed. (Mamn) Dr Paul Nassif and Dr Terry Dubrow count down the top 12 most obsessed patients from the show. 10.30 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. 11.00 New Amsterdam. (Mam, R) 12.00 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.00 A Current Affair. (R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.</p>	<p>6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. 7.30 The Bachelorette Australia. Brooke Blurton continues her journey to find true love among a group of eligible male and female suitors. 8.30 Bull. (Ma) 9.30 Miniseries: Lie With Me. (Final, Madl) Part 4 of 4. There is no going back as Anna enacts the final stage of her plan, with tragic repercussions. 10.30 Bull. (Mv, R) Bull is reunited with his ex-wife. 11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Late night talk show. 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 3.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Would I Lie To You? 8.30 Art Works. 9.00 MOVIE: Jaimen Hudson: From Sky To Sea. (2021, M) 9.55 The Sound. 10.20 Doctor Who. 11.05 Books That Made Us. 12.05am Love On The Spectrum. 1.00 Louis Theroux: Transgender Kids. 2.00 Community. 2.20 Parks And Recreation. 2.45 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Basketball. NBA. Detroit Pistons v LA Lakers. Replay. 2.00 Beerland. 3.00 Chefs' Line. 4.00 WorldWatch. 5.25 Takeshi's Castle. 5.55 Shortland Street. 6.25 Rockwiz. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Al Pacino: The Reluctant Star. 9.40 MOVIE: Scarface. (1983, MA15+) 12.45am VICE Guide To Film. 1.10 The Wrestlers. 2.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 The Real Seachange. 7.00 My Greek Odyssey. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon House Of Wellness. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Gold Digger. 3.00 To Be Advised. 3.30 Super Garden. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 The Vicar Of Dibley. 8.50 Mrs Brown's Boys. 10.50 Miranda. 11.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop. 7.00 Creflo Dollar Ministries. 7.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon New Tricks. 1.10 Days Of Our Lives. 2.05 The Young And The Restless. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 MOVIE: Up The Chastity Belt. (1971, PG) 5.30 The Secret Life Of The Zoo. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 As Time Goes By. 8.50 Midsomer Murders. 10.50 House. 11.50 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 8.00 Becker. 9.00 The Middle. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 Friends. Noon In The Dark. 1.00 2 Broke Girls. 2.00 Mom. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.20 2 Broke Girls. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Shopping. 1.30 Late Programs.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2.25pm Mparntwe: Sacred Sites. 2.55 Keep Calm And Decolonize. 3.00 Jarjums. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Jarjums. 5.00 Shortland Street. 5.30 Chefs' Line. 6.00 On Country Kitchen. 6.30 Cooking Hawaiian Style. 7.00 Our Stories. 7.15 Keep Calm And Decolonize. 7.20 News. 7.30 Celtics/Lakers: Best Of Enemies. 9.20 Red Earth Uncovered. 10.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Morning Programs. 7.05 Little Men. (2016, PG) 8.40 Romeo And Juliet. (2013, PG) 10.50 The Enigma Of Arrival. (2018, M, Mandarin) 12.55pm The Falcons. (2018, PG, Icelandic) 2.50 Song For Marion. (2012, PG) 4.30 Asterix: The Mansions Of The Gods. (2014, PG, French) 6.05 Abe. (2019, PG) 7.40 The Wedding Guest. (2018, M) 9.30 Our Kind Of Traitor. (2016, MA15+) 11.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. 9.00 Barter Kings. 10.00 America's Game. 11.00 A Football Life. Noon Storage Wars Canada. 1.00 Inside Line. 2.00 7th Gear. 3.00 Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. 4.00 Fish'n With Mates. 4.30 Leepu And Pitbull. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket. Women's Big Bash League. First semi-final. 9.00 MOVIE: Bad Boys For Life. (2020, MA15+) 11.35 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon Supergirl. 1.00 Vanderpump Rules. 2.00 Revenge Body With Khloe Kardashian. 3.00 Malcolm. 3.30 The Nanny. 4.00 3rd Rock From The Sun. 4.30 That '70s Show. 5.00 Malcolm. 6.00 The Nanny. 6.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 7.00 That '70s Show. 7.30 Kalgoorlie Cops. 8.30 MOVIE: Spectre. (2015, M) 11.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. Midnight The Arrangement. 1.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 Destination Dessert. 8.30 iFish. 9.00 One Strange Rock. 10.00 JAG. Noon NCIS: Los Angeles. 1.00 NCIS. 3.00 Diagnosis Murder. 5.00 JAG. 7.00 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. 11.15 MacGyver. 12.10am Home Shopping. 1.40 Infomercials. 2.10 Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 20. Qatar Grand Prix. Highlights. 3.10 48 Hours. 4.05 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. 5.00 The Doctors.</p>

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Thursday, November 25

<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Australian Story. (Final, R) 10.30 Gardening Australia Presents. (R) 11.00 Prince Charles: Inside The Duchy Of Cornwall. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Hard Quiz. (PG, R) 1.25 QI. (PG, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.15 ABC News Afternoons. 4.10 Think Tank. (R) 5.10 Grand Designs Australia. (R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24. 12.30 ABC America: World News Tonight. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 The Mosque Next Door. (PGal, R) 3.00 Woven Threads Stories From Within. (PG) 3.10 Dylan Alcott Meets Kevin Sheedy. (PG) 3.45 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG) 4.15 Secrets Unearthed. (R) 5.05 Jeopardy! (PG) 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Seeds Of Yesterday. (2015, Mals, R) 2.00 Criminal Confessions: Houston. (Mdlv, R) 3.00 The Chase. (R) 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 Mega Zoo. (PG, R) 1.00 Desperate Housewives. (Mas) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) 5.30 WIN News.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. 1.00 The Bachelorette Australia. (R) 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG) 3.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. Presented by Leigh Sales. 8.00 Following The Drug Money. (PG) An investigation into money laundering. 8.30 Q+A. Interactive public affairs program featuring a panel of experts and commentators. 9.35 Doctor Who. (PGh, R) The Doctor investigates a girl's disappearance. 10.35 You Can't Ask That: Sex Workers. (Mals, R) 10.50 ABC Late News. 11.05 The Business. (R) 11.25 Pilgrimage: Road To Rome. (R) 12.25 Parliament Question Time. 1.25 The Wimbledon Kidnapping. (PG, R) 2.10 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) 3.10 Rage. (MA15+adhlinsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p>	<p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 The Wonderful World Of Chocolate. (Return) A look at the factory producing Poppets. 8.30 Red Election. (MA15+) William invites Katrine to his house where he plans to find out the truth about her and either turn her or kill her. 9.25 Secrets Of Westminster. (Mv, R) Explores the secrets of Westminster. 10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Gomorrah. (MA15+av, R) 11.50 Whiskey Cavalier. (Mv, R) 3.10 Creative Minds. (PG, R) 4.05 Sinkholes: Deadly Drops. (PG, R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away. (PGasv) 8.30 The Front Bar: Ashes Edition. (M) Sam Pang, Mick Molloy and Andy Maher take a lighter look at the Ashes series which is scheduled to be played at five venues across Australia in December and January. 9.30 The Latest: Seven News. 10.00 MOVIE: The Long Kiss Goodnight. (1996, MA15+v, R) A suburban housewife suffering amnesia begins to suspect she may have been a secret agent. Geena Davis, Samuel L Jackson. 12.30 Black-ish. (PGa) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 RBT. (Ml) A look at police random breath test patrols. 8.30 Paramedics. (M, R) First responders consider breaking down doors to get to a possible stroke patient. 9.30 A+E After Dark. (Return, Mlm) An aggressive patient is brought into hospital for treatment to a split eyebrow and facial injuries. 10.30 Nine News Late. 11.00 New Amsterdam. (Ma, R) 11.50 The Fix. (Mv, R) 12.40 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.</p>	<p>6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. 7.30 The Bachelorette Australia. (Final) Brooke Blurton concludes her journey to find true love among a group of eligible male and female suitors. 9.00 MOVIE: Hustlers. (2019, MA15+Ins) A crew of savvy former strip club employees bands together to turn the tables on their Wall Street clients. Jennifer Lopez, Constance Wu, Julia Stiles. 11.10 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.10 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.00 Infomercials. (PG) 3.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.30 Mock The Week. 9.00 Hard Quiz. 9.30 Gruen. 10.10 Doctor Who. 10.55 You Can't Ask That. 11.25 David Attenborough's Galapagos. (Final) 12.20am Tick F***ing Tock. 1.15 Community. 1.35 Parks And Recreation. 2.00 Reno 91!! 2.20 ABC News Update. 2.25 Close. 5.05 Five Minutes More. 5.10 Sarah & Duck. 5.20 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Gymnastics. FIG Rhythmic World Cup Series. H'lights. 1.35 Most Expensivest. 2.05 Hustle. 2.55 Chefs' Line. 3.55 WorldWatch. 5.25 Takeshi's Castle. 5.55 Shortland Street. 6.25 Rockwiz. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 The Curse Of Oak Island. 10.10 The Source. 11.00 Return Of The Taliban. 12.05am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 To Be Advised. 7.00 My Greek Odyssey. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon House Of Wellness. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Gold Digger. 3.00 Weekender. 3.30 Super Garden. 4.30 M*A*S*H. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Father Brown. 8.30 Inspector Morse. 10.50 Murdoch Mysteries. 11.50 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop. 7.00 Creflo. 7.30 TV Shop. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon As Time Goes By. 1.10 Days Of Our Lives. 2.05 The Young And The Restless. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 Australia's Top Ten Of Everything. 4.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 Death In Paradise. 8.40 The Brokenwood Mysteries. 10.40 Law & Order. 11.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Frasier. 8.00 Becker. 9.00 The Middle. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The Big Bang Theory. Noon In The Dark. 1.00 2 Broke Girls. 2.00 Mom. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 The Unicorn. (Final) 10.00 Seinfeld. 11.00 Late Programs.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.50pm Message From Mungo. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Bino And Fino. 4.00 Project Planet. 4.30 Move It Mob Style. 5.00 Shortland Street. 5.30 Chefs' Line. 6.00 On Country Kitchen. 6.30 Strait To The Plate. 7.00 Our Stories. 7.15 Keep Calm And Decolonize. 7.20 News. 7.30 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. 8.30 MOVIE: Ten Canoes. (2006, M) 10.30 Twelve Canoes. 11.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Abe. Continued. (2019, PG) 7.25 Watership Down. (1978, PG) 9.05 Stanley Ka Dabba. (2011, PG, Hindi) 10.50 Asterix: The Mansions Of The Gods. (2014, PG, French) 12.25pm The Trouble With You. (2018, M, French) 2.25 Romeo And Juliet. (2013, PG) 4.35 Little Men. (2016, PG) 6.10 Binti. (2019, PG, Dutch) 7.50 Days Of The Bagnold Summer. (2019, M) 9.30 Made In Dagenham. (2010, M) 11.35 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 America's Game. 11.00 A Football Life. Noon Storage Wars Canada. 1.00 Ink Master. 2.00 Ink Master: Redemption. 2.30 Storage Wars: TX. 3.00 Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. 4.00 Fish'n With Mates. 4.30 Leepu And Pitbull. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket. Women's Big Bash League. Second semi-final. 9.00 MOVIE: Predator. (1987, M) 11.15 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon Supergirl. 1.00 Vanderpump Rules. 2.00 Revenge Body With Khloe Kardashian. 3.00 Malcolm. 3.30 The Nanny. 4.00 3rd Rock From The Sun. 4.30 That '70s Show. 5.00 Malcolm. 6.00 The Nanny. 6.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 7.00 That '70s Show. 7.30 Survivor 41. 8.30 To Be Advised. 11.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. Midnight The Arrangement. 1.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Infomercials. 8.00 What's Up Down Under. 8.30 Escape Fishing With ET. 9.00 Diagnosis Murder. 10.00 JAG. Noon NCIS: Los Angeles. 1.00 NCIS. 3.00 Diagnosis Murder. 5.00 JAG. 7.00 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Hawaii Five-0. 10.30 SEAL Team. 12.30am Infomercials. 1.00 Home Shopping. 2.00 Madam Secretary. 3.00 Blue Bloods. 4.00 Hawaii Five-0.</p>

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ACROSS

- 1 Those who murder important persons (9)
- 6 Needy (4)
- 10 Belly (colloq) (3)
- 11 Connected with (11)
- 12 Powerful (8)
- 13 Amenable (6)
- 14 Head cook (4)
- 15 Permits (7)
- 20 Country in Horn of Africa (7)
- 21 Light ring (4)
- 25 Peninsula in SW Asia (6)
- 26 Sycophant (8)
- 28 Between two races (11)
- 29 Amiss (3)
- 30 Crusted sore (4)
- 31 Relating to the body (9)

DOWN

- 4 Disease caused by common virus (9)
- 5 Preservative (4)
- 7 Egyptian god of the afterlife (6)
- 8 Give up (6)
- 9 Blade affixed to firearm (7)
- 16 British military rank (9)
- 17 Slim dagger (7)
- 18 A male voice (8)
- 19 Potent (8)
- 22 ABC's (6)
- 23 US celebrity chef, — Stewart (6)
- 24 Email address identifier (4,2)
- 27 Fashion designer, — Jacobs (4)

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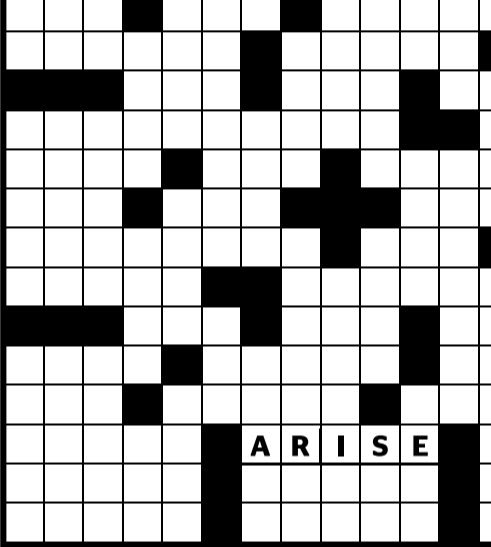
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4 LETTERS

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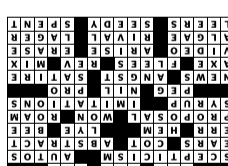
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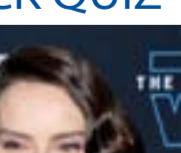
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Insert the missing letters to make 10 words – five reading across the grid and five reading down.

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QUICK QUIZ



- 1 Did the Julian calendar take effect in 55, 50 or 45 BCE?
- 2 What is the floral emblem of Queensland?
- 3 The four strings on a cello are pitched to what notes?
- 4 Australia is divided into how many time zones?
- 5 Who was the mother of Alexander the Great?
- 6 In which country were Monte Carlo biscuits invented?
- 7 What is Australia's smallest bird of prey?
- 8 Daisy Ridley (pictured) plays the title role in which 2018 romantic drama film?
- 9 Alice Cooper, Johnny Depp and Joe Perry formed which US rock supergroup in 2015?
- 10 The Raise the Age movement aims to raise the age of criminal responsibility from 10 to what?

COMICS

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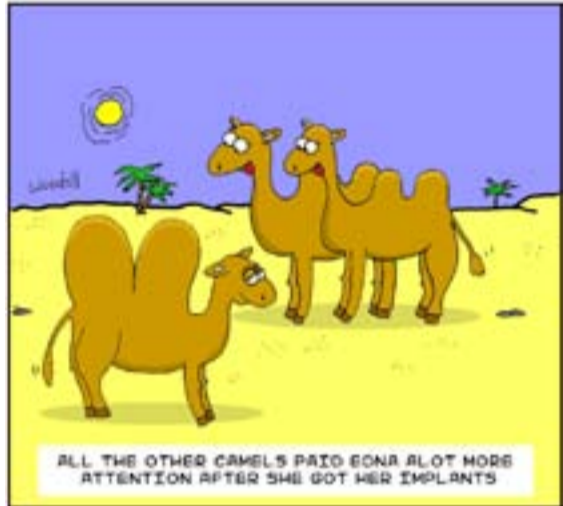
Bushy Tales



Swamp



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Ballard Street



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Both Clare and Carl have pleaser personalities

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Against the Grain



Providing opportunities

EQIP (Education Queensland Industry Partnership) is a world-class non-profit initiative, providing a central point of contact to facilitate the collaboration between Education Queensland, local community organisations, business and industry to provide alternative education opportunities and career pathways for students in the Gladstone Region.

EQIP's objectives are to:

- Provide opportunities for students to develop skills and knowledge for entry into the workforce
- Connect work-ready young people with the community and prospective employers
- Engage industry and education to ensure training aligns with industry expectations and employment needs
- Seek, promote and sustain partnerships with employers and service providers

EQIP's small team of four staff (Nicole Allison, Melanie Kent-Ford, Jessica Driesen and Linda Vale) work to these objectives by facilitating seven Authentic Workplace Learning Programs, Work Experience, and coordinating the Gladstone Careers Expo.

Throughout 2021, EQIP coordinated seven VET programs designed to provide pathways into a wide variety of industries, including civil construction, engineering manufacturing, process plant operations, automotive mechanical, building construction, hospitality, tourism, health and business support services.

These programs included:

- EQIP Health Support Services (EHSS)
- EQIP Business, Industry and Tourism Skills Centre (EBITS) onsite at Boyne Smelters Limited.
- EQIP Engineering Skills Centre (EESC) onsite training at NRG Gladstone Power Station.
- PREQIP Year 10 Indigenous program providing individualised career development and case management.
- EQIP Process Plant Operations (EPMA) onsite training with Queensland Alumina Limited.
- EQIP Technical College Gladstone Region (ETCGR) onsite training at local small to medium businesses.
- EQIP Doorways to Civil Construction (ED2CC) onsite training at McCosker Contracting.

In 2021, a total of 245 students from Toowoomba, Gladstone and Tannum Sands State High Schools completed vocational qualifications and developed work-ready skills in an authentic workplace environment (14 classes across seven programs).

EQIP's long-term program partners NRG Gladstone Power Station, Boyne Smelt-



ers Limited, McCosker Contracting and CQUniversity continued to host four of these programs in specialised onsite learning facilities.

A simulated Health Hub was also set up in the Gladstone State High School Trades Training Centre to deliver EQIP's Health Support Services program.

In addition to these training facilities, host employers provided students with structured workplace learning aligned to their vocational studies and career pathways.

EQIP has been guided by the cumulative knowledge of our five Advisory Committees.

These committees are made up of school, business, and industry representatives; these committees meet quarterly to discuss insights into education and industry and emerging trends.

Along with EQIP board members, our advisory committees help shape programs design and delivery to ensure students receive relevant skill development aligned to local needs.

EQIP facilitates Work Experience on behalf of nine schools within the region (including Education Queensland and private schools).

EQIP has seen strong participation from all schools, host employers and students, and as of November 2021 - EQIP had organised 1114 work experience placements for the year.

Through work experience, 285 host employers provided 845 Year 8-12 students an opportunity to learn about occupations and industry, develop skills and experience, and observe people at work and the work they do.

Of these students, 241 were enrolled in Structured Work Placement, completing one day per week or fortnight throughout the year and 93 of these were part of an EQIP Program.

In 2021, two workshops were also provided to students - including a Fusion Welding workshop in partnership with Weld Australia, CQ Manufacturing Hubs and the Department of Small Business and Training; and an Innov8ors entrepreneurship boot camp in partnership with Startup Gladstone.

On Wednesday, 12 May 2021, EQIP Coordinated the annual Gladstone Careers Expo in partnership with CQUniversity Gladstone and Gladstone Regional Council.

The event was a massive success, with 44 exhibiting stalls present on the day from



business, industry, government, training providers, universities and community services.

Over 950 students visited the expo from over 12 schools, including those outside the region.

It was great to see the return of this event after its cancellation due to Covid last year.

EQIP thanks the members of its Management Committee, Advisory Committees, Sponsors, Program and Work Experience partners who have supported the development of students, programs and opportunities.

We would also like to acknowledge the hard work of Program Coordinators, Senior Schooling teams and community members.

Through collaboration, shared objectives, and a desire to support student outcomes, EQIP continues to operate successfully for the benefit of our young people and the next-generation workforce.

We congratulate all of our graduating students on your successes this year and wish you the very best of luck as you move onto a new and exciting chapter in your lives.

May you never stop learning, exploring, growing and challenging yourself to be your best!

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Creating opportunities for the future of our students

Thank you to the schools, businesses and local Industry providers who make these opportunities possible.

2021 EQIP GRADUATES



Varied careers in Health

This year saw the re-commencement of EQIP's Health Program, thanks to a partnership with Registered Training Organisation Bluestone Medical and Professional.

The program welcomed 15 students from years 10-12 at Gladstone and Toolooa State High Schools for this year's program.

Students joined the program with varied career interests from nursing and midwifery, occupational therapy, massage, aged care, psychology and pharmacy, to social and community work.

A simulated Health Hub was set up in the Gladstone State High School's Trades Training Centre for this year's program, aligning with EQIP's model for providing Authentic Workplace Learning.

In addition to beds and equipment provided by Bluestone, EQIP received grant sponsorship from Wiggins Island Coal Export Terminal (WICET) which allowed for the purchase of additional items to increase the authenticity of the space – this included anatomical models, a defibrillator trainer, germ kit, and life-sized mannequin the students named 'Penelope'.

Students completed 12 units of competency as part of a Certificate II in Health Support Services each Tuesday over three terms, with Bluestone trainer Lorraine.

These included units in communication, food preparation, infection prevention, workplace health and safety, legal/ethical work practices, patient transportation, bed preparation and manual handling. Students also received their First Aid qualification.

There is still a large shortage of health-related work experience opportunities available in the region, particularly with Covid



EQIP's Health Program welcomed 15 students from years 10-12 at Gladstone and Toolooa State High Schools for this year's program.

restrictions still in place, though some students were able to secure placement, including: Tage Bergstrom - Boyne Tannum Occupational Therapy, Khiya Moore - Roseberry Dignity Hub and Jake Beling with the GRC Community Engagement Centre.

The graduation for the program was held on 10 August 2021 with High Attendance Awards being presented to Ashlei Biancucci, Kaitlyn Elsdon, Joyce Abrea, Tage Bergstrom and Emma Inman. The student of the Year finalists were Tage Bergstrom, Taurie Aldwell and Joyce Abrea with the award going to Tage from Toolooa State High School Student.

The 2022 program is in process of being finalised, with enrolment expected from students across Gladstone, Toolooa, Calliope and Mount Larcom Schools.



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Learning in 'workplace'

Established in 2006, the EQIP Business, Industry and Tourism Skills Centre (EBITS) offers the opportunity for Year 10, 11 and 12 students to learn in an authentic workplace environment.

Students complete their certificate courses onsite at Boyne Smelters Ltd (BSL) for one full day per week with exposure to industry mentors, activities and tasks.

This assists youth in transitioning into careers or further education and/or training by providing real work learning opportunities.

EBITS prepares students for further learning, assists with expanding career choices and equips them with well-developed employability skills.

The longevity of the program (16 years and over 600 students) is a testament to the relationship between BSL, EQIP and Tannum Sands State High School.

While students often go into further study, networking has also seen many embark on traineeships, apprenticeships and other employment options within the industry.

In 2021, a total of 46 students received qualifications of Certificate II in Business, Certificate III in Business, Certificate II in Tourism or Certificate II in Active Volunteering. As a team, there were also over 750 hours of volunteering achieved, encouraging ongoing community involvement and networking. Students would agree that the opportunities offered to them are endless.

Congratulations to our 2021 students - we look forward to hearing about your future endeavours.

Tonita Williams,
Program Co-ordinator



Testimonials

'EBITS was an amazing experience. I have learned a lot about workplaces and myself. It teaches you about the workplace and boosts your confidence by pushing you out of your comfort zones' - Reynold

'EBITS opened me up to so many more opportunities' - Emma

'The main thing I enjoyed about EBITS was the skills that I gained to use in my daily life and working with people' - Libby

'The course was a great learning experience with a good mix of theory and practical work' - Ruby

'EBITS is a great way for you to hit the ground running in the industry' - Toby

'At EBITS, you are not only learning, you are making memories and friends as well as forming strong bonds with the people in your class' - Alissa



EQIP Business, Industry and Tourism Skills Centre 2021 graduates.



Congratulations to the 2021 EQIP Graduates

Boyne Smelters Limited (BSL) are proud partners of the EQIP Business, Industry and Tourism Skills Centre program (EBITS). The program operates in partnership with BSL, EQIP and Tannum State High School and provides students with an opportunity to develop their skills while gaining exposure to industry mentors, activities and tasks. Since 2006, BSL has provided authentic workplace learning opportunities for more than 600 EBITS students. Boyne Smelters congratulates the 2021 EQIP graduates on their achievements and wish them well in their future endeavours.



End of a powerful era

2021 is the end of an era, concluding a 19-year collaboration with NRG Power Station for students of EQIP's Engineering Skills Centre.

The program has recruited up to 30 new students annually for a two-year program, with 20 Year 12 students recently finishing their time with the program at their graduation event on Thursday, 11 November.

A further seven students left the program earlier this year to commence an apprenticeship and more than half of those graduating have accepted apprenticeship offers so far.

10 students received 100% attendance awards at the graduation, with EQIP student awards being presented to Saxon Smith, Lainey Goss and Jake Devine.

Skills Centre students study a Certificate II in Engineering Pathways in an authentic industrial work environment with access to industry-standard manufacturing equipment including milling machines, lathes, guillotines, oxy-acetylene and welders.

The students were under the guidance of CQUniversity Trainers – Paul Higgins and Alan Pead, and EQIP program supervisor

Melanie Kent-Ford. In addition to the 12 units of competency, students completed additional pledge work for NRG, and various individual projects from concept, design and production.

Each student has rotated fortnightly spending a day each fortnight at the Skills Centre, and the alternate day is structured workplace learning in a vocation aligned to their career interests. Students have also completed Career Development Training, been involved in many after-hours volunteer events and completed mock interviews with industry representatives.

EQIP congratulates our 2021 Skills Centre Graduates and wishes them the best of luck on their exciting new challenges as our region's next apprentices.

EQIP would like to sincerely thank NRG for their long-term partnership and hosting of the Engineering Skills Centre from 2003 – 2021.

We look forward to their continued support as a sponsor and work experience partners. The program will operate from CQUniversity for 2022 as EQIP secures support and funding for a new facility.



2021 Skills Centre Graduates.

Students peruse career options in personalised way

PREQIP is an individualised Career Development and Case Management model for Year 10 Indigenous students to investigate potential career opportunities in the region.

Students undergo a personal evaluation report and career investigation (information, opportunities and pathways) in their school SET plan.

As part of the program, students are offered training, mentoring, work experience and other opportunities to align with their chosen career pathway to a university course, apprenticeship, traineeship or full-time employment.

The program saw a record number of students participate during 2021, with 42 Year 10 students from Gladstone State High School, Toolooa State High School and Tannum Sands State High School.

The cohort was welcomed with an Orientation Day at Boyne Island Environmental Education Centre (BIEEC) on Friday, 30 July and have been provided with the following opportunities over 13 weeks:

Construction Induction White Card Training

First Aid / CPR Training

Visit Gladstone Airport, including tour and activities with the Aviation Fire Rescue Services.

Tour of CQUniversity Gladstone and TAFE study options for 2022, and a visit



Students had the opportunity to complete their Construction Induction White Card training.

to CMERC

Morning excursion to Monadelphous Industries, followed by an afternoon tour of on-site Rental Group

Tour and group activities with program partner, Contract Resources

Visit Sealink, TAMS Group and GAPDL

Excursion to Rockhampton for a tour of

CQUniversity and the Capricorn Helicopter Rescue Service

Visit Xtreme Engineering

Tour to Shell's QGC Facility on Curtis Island

The 42 students graduated from the program at the CQUniversity Marina Campus on 28 October.

Congratulations to our 2021 Ambassador and finalists:

- Gladstone State High School: Finalists Tyrn Bertram-Littleboy and Byron Henney. The award went to Kedan Tass.
- Toolooa State High School: Finalists Janara Donald and Brodie Tory. The award went to Kyan Dwyer
- Tannum Sands State High School: Finalists Temiah Lusty and Zacharia Bishop. The award went to Jayah Grogan.

The program's popularity and success have increased drastically over the past few years, seeing a 300% increase in applications since 2018.

These opportunities are provided thanks to sponsorship from long term program partners – ConocoPhillips APLNG, Shell's QGC Business and Santos GLNG.

The sponsors financially contributed to the program's success and assisted in the planning and coordinating events with the support of a dedicated Advisory Committee.

The program received additional sponsorship from Honeywell, including a partnership with Contract Resources and Greyhound Buses.

Local schools and their Indigenous support teams were also crucial to the success of the program.

Students graduate

EQIP's Process Plant Operations (EPMA) students recently celebrated their program graduation after completing a 12-month course with CQUniversity Gladstone.

Overall, 14 students studied a Certificate II in Process Plant Operations one day each week.

The students also received their First Aid, Confined Space, Isolations and Gas Test Atmospheres competencies.

Within the course, students had the opportunity to complete their studies with a hands-on approach in a safe, controlled, and easy to comprehend environment.

Practical training was provided to students in the program's Rig Room, which simulates a small-scale LNG process.

The training rigs enabled the understanding of basic process operational principles in:

- Tank level and flow level
- Gas absorption
- Compressor
- Gas separation
- Refrigeration
- Head exchange

Additionally, EPMA introduced the concepts for safe industry operations via a practical approach.

Students had the opportunity to develop their skills in:

- Occupational safety
- Process safety
- Live plant awareness
- Control room operations
- Plant inspection
- Plant start up
- Hazard identification
- Communication
- Radio operations
- Plant monitoring
- Follow procedures
- Read diagrams



EQIP students have completed their studies for a Certificate II in Process Plant Operations.

- Emergency response
- Safe shut down

Through the program's partnership with Queensland Alumina Limited (QAL), students visited the refinery on four occasions this year to complete tours, practical activities and listen to guest speaker sessions.

Students were also allowed to attend an excursion to Santos's GLNG facility on Curtis Island, followed by Career Development and mock assessment centre training with Programmed Recruitment.

EQIP congratulates our 14 EPMA Graduates on the successful completion of the program and extra-curricular activities this year. **With a special congratulations to this**

year's award winners and finalists:

- Ambassador Award: Finalists – Colby O'Flanagan and Isabella Conza D'Arro. Winner – Carter Wise.
- Student of the Year Award: Finalists – Benjamin Farley and Carter Wise. Winner – Kate Sansawang.

Thank you to CQUniversity and Trainer Troy Dailey – for the facilitation of the program for another year.

And to our long-term program sponsors and partners at ConocoPhillips APLNG, Shell's QGC Business and Santos GLNG for making this opportunity possible for local students.



Better equipped: Tips for getting job ready

EQIP Gladstone has seen its busiest year yet in terms of work experience with a record-breaking number of students going out into the workforce to experience a career/vocation that interests them.

So far in 2021, EQIP has facilitated more than 1100 work experience placements for students in the Gladstone region.

This includes more than 850 students across the 9 different high schools in the Gladstone region. These students are afforded an opportunity to learn about occupations and industry, develop workplace skills and experience as well as receive valuable connections and references for when it comes time to apply for employment.

The success of the work experience program is reliant on the overwhelming support it receives from local businesses and industry in Gladstone.

EQIP has seen more than 290 host employers in the region actively taking students on board this year in a variety of different occupations.

Now that we are coming to the end of the year many of these students are starting apprenticeships, traineeships or other employment, sometimes with their own work experience hosts.

It's wonderful to see how the students do in their placement, what they learn from it and where it takes them.

The feedback we receive from their supervisors or colleagues is one of the

most rewarding parts of the program. We encourage students who are unsure of what they want to do or who want to know more about their potential career choice to apply for work experience throughout the year.

EQIP's 10 work experience hosts (by total placements in the last five years)

1. Gladstone Ports Corporation Ltd (GPC)
2. NRG Gladstone Power Station
3. McCosker Contracting Pty Ltd
4. Rio Tinto Yarwun
5. Komatsu
6. CQ Diesel Fitting
7. Walz Constructions
8. Ergon Energy
9. Andersons Auto City
10. Aestec Services

Completing relevant work experience and related certificates

Students are able to complete up to 30 days of work experience per calendar year and there are many benefits for students who complete work experience, including:

- Learn more about a specific industry and occupation
- Explore potential career pathways
- Develop and demonstrate technical and behavioural skills and knowledge
- Extend the theoretical learnings from school/VET qualification into practical applications in the workplace
- Prepare for the demands and expectations of the working world.

tions of the working world.

Getting Job Ready

It is important to be involved in and include extra-curricular activities on a resume.

This can include sporting activities, after school activities, volunteering regularly for a group or adhoc volunteering at on off events. For recent school leavers with limited work experience, extra-curricular activities can demonstrate important transferable skills that are highly valuable in the work place. They also illustrate an individual's ability to manage their time and often show a well-developed soft skill set in regard to leadership, training, community. Being involved in the community demonstrates that you care about the community, you have great work ethic and that you aren't just motivated by money.

Your Resume should catch the readers' attention (ie. recruiter or hiring manager) within the first 2.5 to 6 seconds. The Career Summary/Overview is the most important part of your resume – enabling you to provide a summary of your background, qualification/s and skills that you can bring to the job; and needs to be tailored by using key words /phrases for each job that you are applying for.

Work Experience and Employment History should have details of the name of employers/work experience hosts, position titles, dates, duties/responsibilities and any achievements. List your employment in descending chronological order

(ie. with your most current employment first).

Make sure your resume uses consistent language and style throughout the document (ie. use present and past tense respectively for current and past employment); and use bullet points to list your duties or responsibilities.

Keep it Short – your resume should be no longer than two pages.

Your cover letter should be engaging – you want to capture the interest of the person reading it so that they turn to your resume to find out more.

It's also about showing the employer how your skills and experience are a good match for the role. That's why you should always create a cover letter especially for the role you're applying for – it shouldn't be a generic letter. Use your cover letter to show how your skills and experience relate to the Key Selection Criteria of the advertised position.

Rather than writing 'To whom it may concern' or 'Dear Sir or Madam', find out who to address your letter to; you could phone the company to ask. It's more personal that way and shows you've taken initiative.

Triple check your spelling and grammar. Try printing your letter out then coming back to it fresh, or get someone with a keen eye to look over it for you.

Keep your letter to around 250-350 words on a single page.

Alternative pathways

The EQIP Technical College is located in Boles street and provides a two-year alternative education program for Year 11-12 students who enrol through Gladstone State High School.

Students study an individual pathway identified for opportunities for employment in the region - from hands-on trade pathways, traineeships, or full-time employment across a variety of sectors.

Students also have the opportunity to complete a school-based traineeship.

In Year 11, students study Math Essentials, Essential English, Certificate II Business (moving to Certificate II Work Skills for 2022) and Certificate II Skills for Work and Vocational Pathways.

Students have been off-site two days each week engaging a CQUniversity funded TAFE course one-day-per-week, as well as up to 30 days of associated work experience one-day-per-week in a small to medium local business.

In Year 12 students continue their Math and English studies, as well as Social and Community Studies, a Certificate II in Information Digital Media Technology (IDMT) and their one-day-per-week work placement.

There is 17 Year 12 students graduating from the College this year, with another two Year 11 students finishing their apprenticeships.

These students have pursued varied pathways in Engineering, Tourism, Aged Care, Construction, Warehousing, Real Estate and Automotive.

EQIP would like to thank all of our Technical College Work Experience hosts for



KC Wright-Ramsay is the recipient of multiple awards from EQIP Technical College's graduating class. KC currently hoping to achieve an electrical apprenticeship.

their ongoing support and commitment to the program and for providing key learning opportunities for students.

EQIP looks forward to welcoming 28

new students to the College for 2022 and will commence sourcing Work Experience opportunities for these students in the coming months.

If any businesses are interested in offering an opportunity for work experience one day each week please contact EQIP for more information.

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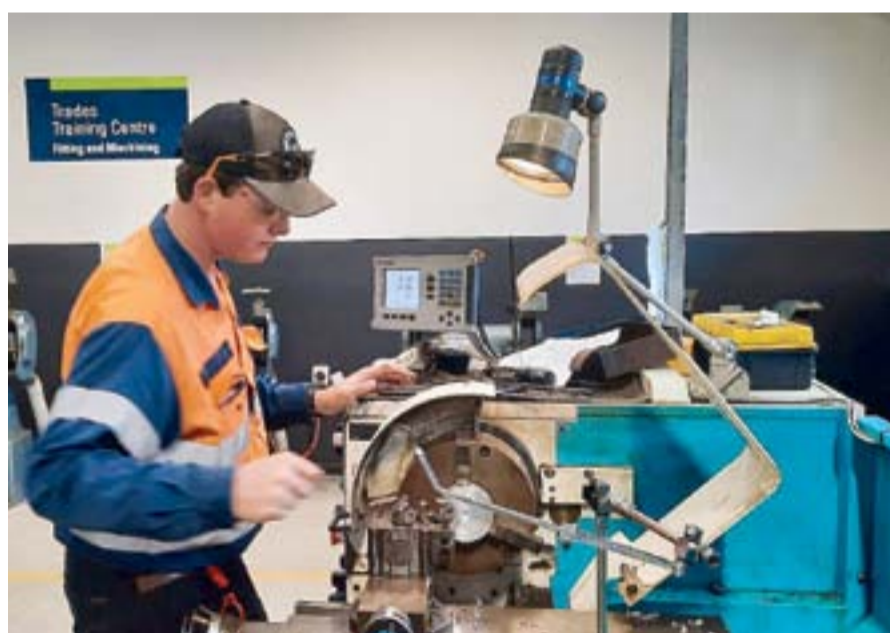
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2021 EQIP GRADUATES



EQIP Technical College graduating class of 2021.

EQIP congratulates the 2021 Technical College Awardees:

- KC Wright-Ramsay (Year 12) – McCosker's Gold Academic Awards for Essential English, Essential Math, and Social and Community Studies; Rio Tinto Teachers Choice Award; Site Skills Training Gladstone Student of the Year Award for year 12, and Gladstone Regional Council Bur-

sary for determination and leadership.

- Jackson Gray (Year 12) – QAL Career Pathways officer Award for a positive attitude to work experience
- Kayla Shields (Year 12) – McCosker's Gold Academic Award for Certificate II in IDMT
- Amity Freese (Year 11) - McCosker's Gold

Academic Award for Essential English

- Piper Loughran (Year 11) – McCosker's Gold Academic Award for Essential Maths; Site Skills Training Gladstone Student of the Year Award for year 11
- Talia Eggmolesse (Year 11) – McCosker's Gold Academic Award for Certificate II in Business

Technical College Work Experience Hosts for 2021

- Aestec Engineering
- Andersons Auto
- Bill Robertson's Toyota
- Blackwoods
- Boy Espresso
- Calliope Automotive
- Chris May Concreting
- Clinton Takeaway
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Doorways to success

16 students have graduated from the EQIP Doorways to Civil Construction program following a year of hard work.

The course included onsite training for Year 10 students at McCosker Contracting.

McCosker Contracting has been a long supporter of this program, having been a company host for close to 20 years.

Each Thursday, the students would work onsite and were introduced to the construction industry and given the opportunity to learn entry-level construction skills, including hand tools and powered equipment, workplace health and safety, and how to behave appropriately in the workplace.

Graduates completed various pledge work practical projects for local industry and community groups to complete a Cer-

tificate I in Resource and Infrastructure.

Doorways to Civil Construction students completed projects for the government painting yellow construction men.

They also participated in projects for a local primary school, painting benches and pouring concrete for pathways.

The program included constructing picnic tables, Gabion seating walls, Cape Cod chairs, and formwork in the past.

Many of the students successfully continued into one of EQIPs senior trade programs.

The students' hard work was recognised at their graduation ceremony, with two students receiving awards:

- John Taylor - 2021 Student of the Year
- Loukas Hayes - 2021 Ambassador of the Year



John Taylor - 2021 Student of the Year.



Loukas Hayes - 2021 Ambassador of the Year.



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COASTAL lifestyle properties are in hot demand and 48 Old Scenic delivers spacious family comfort in an outstanding location. Situated just metres from Lammermoor beach (3 minute walk) on a leafy one-way street with a 27 metre frontage there is a lot to love about this home. The fabulous fresh interiors are sure to delight in addition to the huge 982m² allotment on 2 lot numbers with potential to build a small 80m² lowset home on the front of the allotment overlooking the Native Gardens. (stca) or build a shed and install a swimming pool.

This highset home exudes a delightful coastal atmosphere and there is lots of room to accommodate your family and friends. The large living area provides plenty of options with a spacious kitchen with Caesar stone bench, substantial lounge and an additional dining/lounge area. The living space flows onto the entertaining deck where you will enjoy the leafy outlook over the Lammermoor Native Gardens. Sit back with family friends, fire up the barbecue and soak up the sounds of nature, the cool ocean breeze and ocean views with North Keppel Island.

The polished timber floors throughout the home are a gorgeous feature and add a sense of warmth and character, the king size master bedroom is complete with lots

of built-in storage and a stylish ensuite. The 2nd and 3rd bedrooms are king size and 4th a single bedroom, all are bright and airy and within easy access to the gorgeous new main bathroom.

The 982m² block is fantastic, and there is plenty of room to store the boat, caravan and all the toys. Front garage area of the home has super high clearance, hence heaps of Future Potential if you wish to make this area into a rumpus room /retreat (stca) or other uses after you build your shed. There are so many options with this home and allotment, all within 3 minutes' walk to have a refreshing swim and to leave your footprints in the sand on Lammermoor beach.

A short 7-minute drive to Rosslyn Bay Marina to launch your boat for a day's fishing.

The home is also located within walking distance to the Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School.

Homes in this locality are tightly held and in high demand, an ideal family home or holiday home in a wonderful location.

Attention investors: In the current rental market this property would rent for \$700-\$750 per week furnished.

Now is the time to make your move to secure your own little slice of paradise. ●



HOME ESSENTIALS

Address: 48 Old Scenic Highway, TARANGANBA **Description:** 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 3 garage **Price:** Offers over \$675,000 considered **Inspect:** By appointment
Contact: Esme Coren, 0423 877 414 or Claudia Coren, 0438 336 861, YEPPOON REAL ESTATE, 4938 3777



New home in Hidden Valley Estate

4 | 2 | 2

- Single-level home, fully fenced 1198m² yard
- 4 bed, 2 bath w/ BIR & air-con throughout
- Modern kitchen w/ island breakfast bar
- Tiled Bathroom & ensuite, stylish fixtures
- Open plan living area w/ separate media room
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- Space for a pool or shed
- Short drive to Yeppoon

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- 100mtr walk to Bangalee Beach Access BB3
- 3 bed, 2 bath, 1 car garage, 2 bay shed
- Ocean glimpse from air-con living area & kitchen
- East facing 6mx4m deck area
- Covered downstairs patio
- Renovated bathrooms, galley style kitchen
- Great space for storage
- Live in it, rent it, Air BnB potential is outstanding

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Panoramic ocean view apartment

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- Set amongst the esplanade precinct in Yeppoon
- Located on level 4 of Bayview Tower
- One bedroom w/ separate kitchen & living area
- Short walk to Yeppoon beach & CBD
- Fully furnished, air-con'd & low maintenance
- Complex includes lift, roof top pool & parking
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HIGH SET HOME

FRONT entry steps take you to the second level welcoming balcony where you are greeted with a feature wooden and glass door plus security screen.

The lounge is an open plan layout and adjacent to the dining and the well-equipped kitchen. This kitchen is modern and features a glass cooktop and large stainless steel rangehood and quality cabinetry.

There is a large split system air conditioner, ceiling fans and polished timber flooring, all to keep you cool and refreshed.

Three good sized bedrooms with ceiling fans, built in robes and quality carpet. The master bedroom boasts split system air-conditioning.

The bathroom is tiled and has a corner shower plus bath tub, modern vanity and a large wall mirror making it super practical.



Outside is a wooden picket fence to the front with colour bond to the sides and back. A three-bay powered shed with awning and side access, with double roller door access. Under house where there is a large open rumpus room with window covers and a split system air conditioning. The laundry is also here.

Call Dee to arrange an inspection. ●

HOME ESSENTIALS

Address: 58 Bauman Way, BLACKWATER **Price:** \$339,000
Description: 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 garage **Inspect:** By appointment
Contact: Dee 0428 770 557, REAL ESTATE VISION GROUP

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Melicope rubra.



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Artanema Fimbriatum.

Shady characters

One of the biggest problems encountered by owners of established gardens is finding plants that will tolerate shade from the canopy of the established taller trees and shrubs. In many cases, gardeners are left in a quandary as to what they could plant in this position.

Recently I visited the Mackay Botanic Gardens and one of the Garden's features is the Tropical Shade Garden.

This is a helpful feature for Mackay Regional gardeners especially those gardeners looking for inspiration for the own garden projects.

It can be very helpful to view a plant species in actual shade location. So many times these same plants will very different in plant books. Another feature of the Mackay Botanic Gardens is the labelling of all the plant species growing within the gardens.

So if you are that position and need some very attractive shade tolerant plant? There are a number of very hardy shade tolerant plants that can be grown with a minimum of effort, and will give either attractive flower or foliage colour at some time during the year. The following are some plant varieties that are worth a try.

Artanema Fimbriatum or Koala Bells is an herbaceous perennial with a much-branched habit with bright blue flowers over a long period, from Spring to Autumn. It is quick growing plant has a semi-weeping habit in shade, but tends to be more upright in sun and grows to about 20 to 40cm in height.

This hardy Australian native thrives in humid to sub-humid conditions and is able to withstand water shortages either in the ground or in pots. It is suitable as a pot plant or in a hanging basket and is also recommended as a bedding, rockery or patio plant.

Austromyrtus dulcis or The Midgen Berry is a low spreading shrub with beautiful dark green evergreen leaves and striking copper



Syzygium wilsonii has deep crimson pom-pom type flowers.

coloured new growth. It hardy in most soils in sun or shade positions and is suitable for semi-exposed seaside plantings. White tea tree like flowers are usually produced in clusters of two to five flowers. The Midgen Berry is bush tucker plant produces sweet edible berries that look like tiny speckled eggs in late Summer and Autumn.

Melicope rubra or Little Euodia is not well known by local gardeners but those how have one growing always boast about the attractive flowers. It is a small shrub growing to around 2m high and prefers moist, well-drained sunny



Phaleria clerodendron.



Plumbago zeylanica at Mackay Botanic Gardens.

situations. Melicope rubra produces clusters of pink and white flowers along the branches in spring followed by large green capsules.

Melastoma malabathricum or Native Lasiandra is a medium shrub 2m x 2m with large, fleshy rough textured green leaves. Large purplish mauve open petalled flowers appear during summer and autumn. Melastoma malabathricum is a bushy shrub and is suited to loam or clay soils, growing in full sun to part shade for ideal growth.

Pavetta australiensis or Butterfly Bush is a

glossy foliated understory shrub. Clusters of perfumed white flowers will give a spectacular show from July to November followed by rounded black fruit. The flowers will attract Butterflies and Honey eating birds. Pavetta australiensis is a useful screen plant growing to 3m and drought tolerant but frost tender.

Phaleria clerodendron or Scented Daphne is a bushy tall shrub to small tree. The feature of this tree is the flowers and large red fruit are born along the branches and stems. During the warm months of the year Phaleria lights up with masses of fragrant white flowers the scent of which permeates through the garden. The large red fruit will attract a variety of birds to the garden including Cassowary's if you lived in far north Queensland. The flesh of the fruit is stringy and reputed to be poisonous to humans.

Plumbago zeylanica or Native Plumbago is a hardy evergreen, scrambling shade loving plant that will grow up to 1m high. Small white to pale mauve very slightly scented, phlox-like flowers will occur almost all year round. Plumbago zeylanica prefers a well-drained position and is suitable for shaded coastal positions but in frost tender. Prune lightly after flowering to promote strong new growth, otherwise it may become woody.

Syzygium wilsonii is an attractive spreading shrub 1.5 - 2m x 1.5m with broad leaves and deep pink new growth. Beautiful deep crimson 10cm pom-pom type flowers are borne during spring, followed by white fruit. It grows well in light or heavy shade in a well-watered position and is very attractive to honeyeaters.

The Mackay Botanic Gardens was designed by Laurie Smith one of the country's best Landscape Architects. Laurie has designed a number of Botanic Gardens across the country including the Gladstone's Tondoon Botanic Gardens, Longreach Botanic Gardens and the Roma Street Parklands.

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Rural Matters



AgForce CEO Michael Guerin says optics not ethics are driving banking's social conscience.

Optics not ethics

By Michael Guerin, AgForce CEO

It might seem ironic to some that banks these days have a set of principles they hold potential customers to when deciding whether or not to lend to them – or even to keep them as a customer.

These 'Environment, Social, and Governance' (ESG) standards cover areas that include environmental sustainability, affordable housing, and financial well-being.

Recently, ANZ published their ESG Supplement for 2021, which includes a set of

animal welfare principles.

ANZ formed these principles with almost no engagement with the livestock industry or any of Australia's state farming bodies, including AgForce, instead choosing to seek input from Animals Australia (AA) and RSPCA.

AgForce has previously publicly supported a position of "zero tolerance for animal cruelty in Australian agriculture."

In fact, this country's animal welfare standards are one of the main reasons we produce food and fibre often considered the envy of the world.

There are regulations at a Federal and State level, and AgForce has its own animal welfare policy, aligned to these and to the National Farmers' Federation's policy, which we helped develop.

What ANZ's ESG Supplement seeks to do, however, is not only see that these welfare standards are adhered to, but that customers "exceed" them – without any further explanation as to where exceed starts and ends.

The ESG also states that ANZ "received over 2,000 emails in 2020 and 2021 support-

ing AA's position, all of which we responded to explaining our work to consider the issues and offering discussion with the complainants."

Which seems to indicate that ANZ is prepared to appoint themselves judge, jury, and even executioner on nothing more than hearsay from animal activists when it comes to deciding whether or not to financially support a farmer's business.

Surely though, if there is an animal welfare issue, then it is government's place to investigate and take action – not a bank's.

Rainfall brings reduced yarding

With the much-needed and well-received rainfalls in the local and central regions, CQLX Gracemere agents saw a reduced yarding of 2029 head on Wednesday, 10 November.

Cattle were drawn from Collinsville in the north through to Alpha in the west and the normal local areas.

Quality was mixed, however, the condition was quite good and there were some lines of very well-bred cattle presented.

The normal processor and feeder buyers were present, as well as a number of local and traveling restockers. Values improved for most descriptions.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DAY

CJ and DE Huntly, Ridgeland Sold Droughtmaster Cross Steers for 568c/kg weighing 368kg to return \$2091/hd

Bruce Olive, Mt Larcom Sold Brahman Steers for 610c/kg weighing 277kg to return \$1690/hd

Willbrook D7 PTY LTD, Bajool Sold Brangus Steers for 752c/kg weighing 182kg to return \$1371/hd

Retreat grazing, Wycarbah Sold Droughtmaster Steers to average 522c/kg weighing 392kg to return \$2047/hd

LE & CD Stewart, Comet Sold EU Acc. No.0 Brangus Cross Steers for 508c/kg weighing 540kg to return \$2747/hd

LE & CD Stewart, Comet Sold EU Acc. Brangus Weaner Steers to top at 748c/kg to average 205kg to return \$1508/hd



Bullrush Pastoral P/L, Nebo Sold Brangus Cross Steers for 500c/kg weighing 483kg to return \$2418/hd

JM Tait Rossmoya Sold Droughtmaster Steers for 782c/kg weighing 187kg to return \$1469/hd

Riverside Pastoral Nebo Sold a run of 335 No.0 Brahman and Brahman Cross Steers to top at 550c/kg to average 371kg to return \$1924/hd

Flohr Pastoral Nebo Sold Droughtmaster Cross Steers for 504c/kg weighing 517kg to return \$2607/hd

Degulla Pastoral Co Alpha Sold Brahman Bullocks to 457c/kg weighing 568kg to return \$2596/hd

Degulla Pastoral Co Alpha Sold Brahman Cows to top at 417c/kg weighing 557kg to return \$2323/hd

G&I Sloan Collinsville Sold Charbray Cows for 413c/kg weighing 636kg to return \$2628/hd

Tralee Cattle Co, Middlemount Sold Brangus Cross Heifers for 570c/kg weighing 363kg to return \$2072/hd

EM and JA Howard, Nebo Sold a run of Brahman Cross Heifers for 590c/kg weighing 248kg to return \$1463/hd

Bullrush Pastoral P/L, Nebo Sold Brangus Heifers for 584c/kg weighing 348kg to return \$2,033/hd

Beeblee Pastoral P/L, Nebo Sold Brangus Heifers for 560c/kg weighing 324kg to return \$1815/hd

Red Ridge Grazing Stanage Sold Brangus Heifers for 598c/kg weighing 237kg to return \$1419/hd

G&I Sloan Collinsville sold Charbray cross Cows and Calves for \$3550/unit

WEATHER

FORECAST

Warnings

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Gladstone:

Partly cloudy. Slight (30%) chance of a shower. Winds east to southeasterly 20 to 30 km/h.

Friday. Sunny.

Rockhampton:

Partly cloudy. Slight (20%) chance of a shower. Light winds becoming southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h early in the morning then tending easterly 15 to 25 km/h in the morning.

Friday. Sunny.

Capricornia:

Partly cloudy. Slight (20%) chance of a shower. The chance of a storm in the southwest in the afternoon and evening. Winds easterly 20 to 30 km/h.

Friday. Sunny. Winds east to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h tending east to northeasterly 15 to 25 km/h during the day.

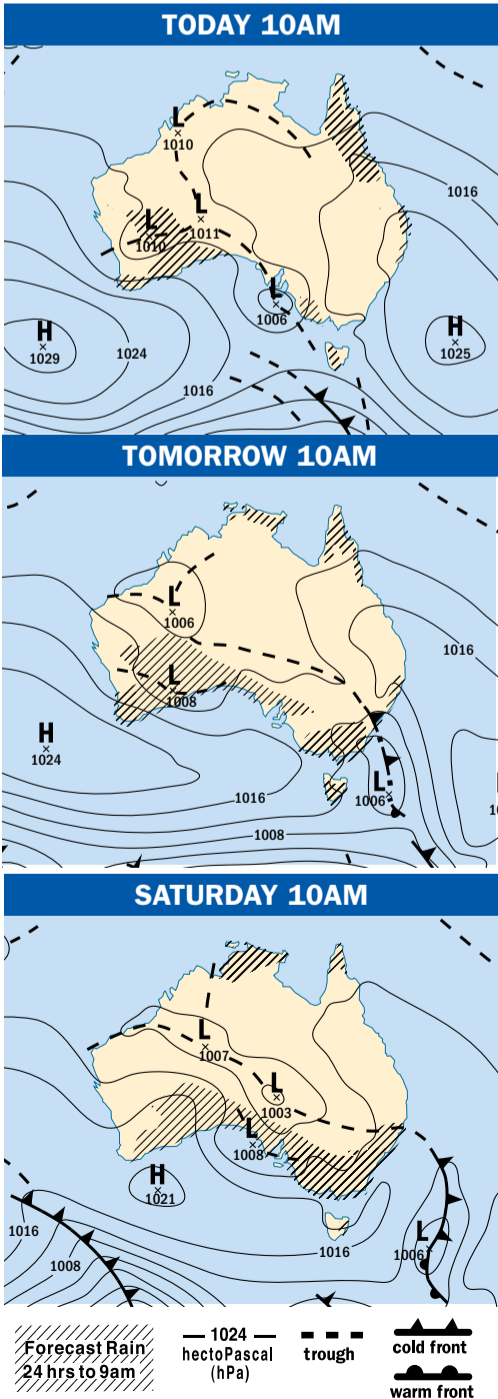
Central Highlands and Coalfields:

Mostly sunny. Slight (30%) chance of a shower about the Carnarvon Ranges, most likely in the late morning and afternoon. The chance of a storm in the south in the afternoon and evening. Winds east to northeasterly 15 to 20 km/h becoming light before dawn then becoming east to northeasterly 20 to 30 km/h in the morning.

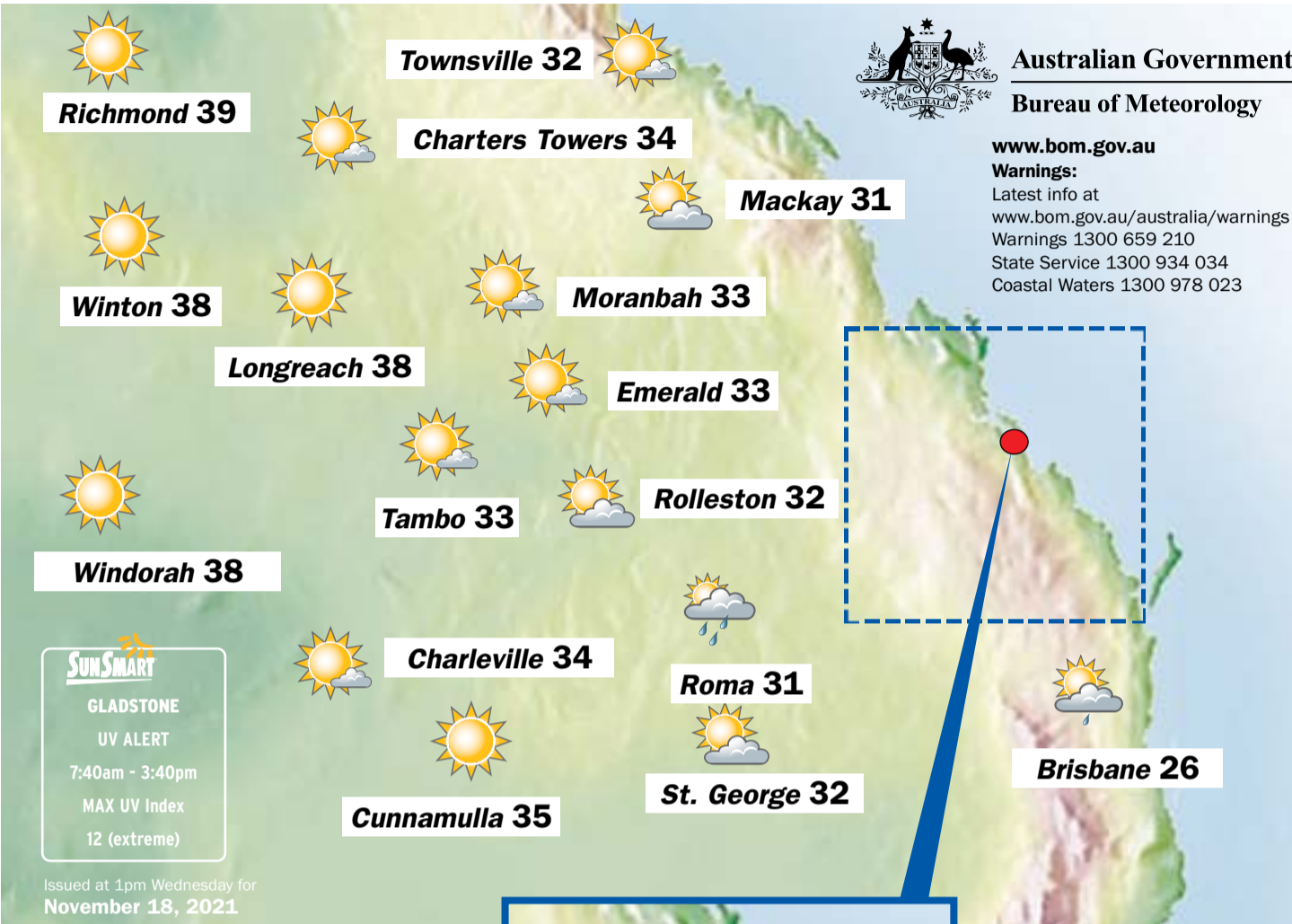
Queensland:

A high in the Tasman Sea will extend a firm ridge over most of the state. A slight to medium chance of showers in eastern, central, and northern districts, increasing to a high chance about parts of the North Tropical Coast. A chance of a storm in parts of the southeast, central, north, and northwest of the state. Mostly sunny elsewhere. Temperatures near or above average, tending near or below average in the southeast.

Friday. A high near New Zealand will extend a ridge over most of the state. A weak trough will approach the far south of the state, associated with a low over southeast Australia. A slight chance of showers near the southern border and in the far north, increasing to a medium to high chance about eastern Cape York and Torres Strait. A chance of a storm in the far north and northwest. Mostly sunny elsewhere. Temperatures near average, tending above average in the south.



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St. Lawrence to Burnett Heads:

Winds: East to southeasterly 15 to 20 knots. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres. Swell: Easterly below 1 metre inshore, increasing to 1 to 1.5 metres offshore. Weather: Partly cloudy.

Friday. Winds: East to southeasterly 10 to 15 knots. Winds tending east to northeasterly inshore during the afternoon. Seas: Around 1 metre. Swell: Easterly below 1 metre inshore, increasing to 1 to 1.5 metres offshore. Weather: Sunny.

Bowen to St. Lawrence:

Winds: East to southeasterly 20 to 25 knots. Winds reaching up to 30 knots offshore north of Hamilton Island in the evening. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres, increasing to 1.5 to 2 metres offshore north of Hamilton Island during the morning. Swell: Easterly around 1 metre offshore. Weather: Partly cloudy. Possible shower offshore north of Mackay.

Friday. Winds: East to southeasterly 15 to 20 knots, reaching up to 25 knots offshore north of Hamilton Island during the early morning. Seas: Around 1 metre, increasing to 1 to 1.5 metres offshore. Swell: Easterly around 1 metre offshore. Weather: Sunny.

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Winds: East to southeasterly 15 to 20 knots. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres, decreasing to 1 metre around midday. 1st Swell: Southerly below 1 metre inshore, increasing to around 1 metre offshore. 2nd Swell: Easterly around 1 metre. Weather: Partly cloudy. Possible early showers.

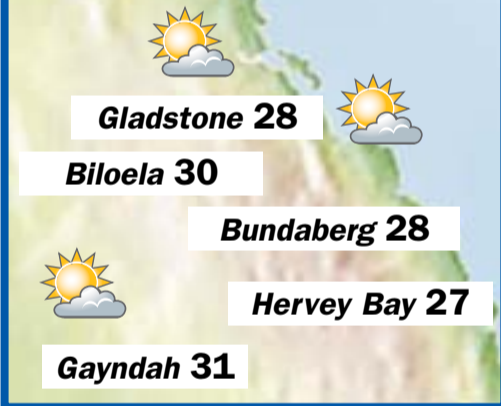
CAPITAL CITIES

City	Condition	Max
Adelaide	Partly cloudy.	28
Brisbane	Possible shower.	26
Canberra	Partly cloudy.	23
Darwin	Mostly sunny.	36
Hobart	Showers developing.	16
Melbourne	Showers increasing.	25
Perth	Possible shower.	26
Sydney	Mostly sunny.	26

SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
Thursday	5:01am	6:20pm	5:22pm	4:10am
Friday	5:01am	6:20pm	6:15pm	4:44am
Saturday	5:00am	6:21pm	7:08pm	5:21am
Sunday	5:00am	6:22pm	8:02pm	6:02am
Monday	5:00am	6:22pm	8:55pm	6:46am
Tuesday	5:00am	6:23pm	9:46pm	7:35am

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THE WORLD

World conditions today

City	Weather	Max	Min
Athens	cloudy	18	7
Auckland	fine	20	14
Bangkok	fine	32	26
Beijing	fine	14	1
Berlin	rain	10	6
Christchurch	showers	17	9
Denpasar	fog	30	24
Dublin	sunny	16	11
Hong Kong	sunny	26	21
Honolulu	showers	29	22
Jakarta	rain	29	25
Johannesburg	storms	27	15
Kuala Lumpur	storms	33	24
London	cloudy	13	7
Los Angeles	sunny	19	13
Madrid	cloudy	13	5
Moscow	fine	0	-2
New Delhi	fog	26	10
New York	sunny	18	14
Noumea	showers	28	22
Paris	fog	11	3
Auckland	fine	20	14
Port Vila	showers	31	23
Seoul	rain	15	7
Singapore	storms	33	24
Suva	showers	31	23
Tel Aviv	fine	25	18
Tokyo	cloudy	16	9
Vancouver	showers	7	3
Wellington	fine	18	11

TIDES

Gladstone

Today:

L:	2:15am	0.7m
H:	8:30am	4.1m
L:	2:42pm	1.0m
H:	8:43pm	3.6m

Tomorrow:

L:	2:42am	0.7m
H:	9:02am	4.1m
L:	3:15pm	1.0m
H:	9:15pm	3.5m

Saturday:

L:	3:07am	0.8m
H:	9:32am	4.1m
L:	3:47pm	1.0m
H:	9:45pm	3.3m

Sunday:

L:	3:30am	0.9m
H:	10:03am	4.0m
L:	4:20pm	1.1m
H:	10:14pm	3.2m

Monday:

L:	3:53am	1.0m
H:	10:35am	3.9m
L:	4:53pm	1.2m
H:	10:44pm	3.0m

Tuesday:

L:	4:17am	1.2m
H:	11:11am	3.8m
L:	5:30pm	1.4m
H:	11:16pm	2.9m

Port Alma

Today:

L:	2:29am	0.8m
H:	8:33am	5.0m
L:	2:52pm	1.3m
H:	8:39pm	4.5m

Tomorrow:

L:	2:55am	0.9m
H:	9:04am	5.1m
L:	3:21pm	1.3m
H:	9:08pm	4.4m

Saturday:

L:	3:19am	1.0m
H:	9:32am	5.0m
L:	3:49pm	1.4m
H:	9:36pm	4.2m

Sunday:

L:	3:44am	1.1m
H:	10:00am	4.9m
L:	4:17pm	1.4m
H:	10:04pm	4.0m

Monday:

L:	4:10am	1.2m
H:	10:30am	4.8m
L:	4:48pm	1.6m
H:	10:33pm	3.8m

Tuesday:

L:	4:37am	1.5m
H:	11:03am	4.6m
L:	5:24pm	1.7m
H:	11:06pm	3.6m



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HANSEN, Neville Henry

Late of Edenvale Nursing Home and
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November 2021, aged 94 years.

Much loved Husband of Beryl (dec'd).
Dearly loved Father of Peter, Roslyn,
Judy and Sue. Loving Grandfather and
Great Grandfather to their families.

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McPHERSON, Beryl Fay (Fay)

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Wednesday 10th November, 2021,
aged 92 years.

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Sister to Joan (dec'd), Gleneth Maryon,
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Relatives and Friends are respectfully
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The Glen came within four balls of winning last season's big dance.



Todd Harmsworth celebrating after hitting the winning runs in the Capricorn Challenge grand final last season.

Big guns get ready to fire

By **Liam Emerton**

After a much-needed 164-millimetres of rain across last week, it was no surprise that the third round of the Capricorn Challenge was called off.

While it's been a stagnant start to the season there's been plenty of hope that our premier cricket competition will run smoothly for the remainder of the year.

And the best way to restart the competition is with a grand final rematch between the Gracemere Bulls and Gladstone's The Glen.

The last time those two teams faced in a 40-over contest it was the Bulls who secured a monumental win when they secured the Cap Challenge with just four balls remaining.

The key man for the encounter was Todd

Harmsworth who scored a match-high 77 runs to help his side to grand final glory.

There's also a huge hole left in The Glen's squad, when captain Sam Lowry relocated, but David Heymer is arguably the most in-form batsman currently in Central Queensland and has happily filled the gap.

The Bulls and The Glen both won their opening matches however it's been Gracemere which has had the longest break of the two teams.

The Bulls haven't played a match since 16 October which is over a month from when they'll shape up against The Glen.

The Gladstone side isn't much different, having not played since 30 October, when they defeated the Rockhampton Brothers in sizzling fashion.

Gracemere and The Glen will meet in Gladstone on Saturday, weather permitting, leaving the winner nearing the top of the table.

The second match of the weekend will be held at Yeppoon Showgrounds when Capricorn Parkana and Rockhampton Brothers clash.

Neither side have had a strong start to the season, losing all of their combined four matches.

This has been most disappointing for the Brothers who had such an incredible run throughout the T20 competition.

Despite winning the shorter format, a pummeling at the hands of The Glen could help refocus the Fish ahead of a big match.

Cap Coast will also be looking to get off the mark this weekend and have the perfect opportunity

against a Brothers' side lacking confidence.

In other local cricket news, the Gladstone Cricket Incorporated Senior competition kicks off its 40-over competition on Sunday with four great games.

At Liz Cunningham Park, the Calliope Roosters will host the BITS Colts in the opening round.

BITS Gold will be looking to continue their momentum after their T20 grand final win on Sunday when they come up against the Yaralla Red side at the Yaralla Sports Club.

The Glen will be looking to bounce back after the aforementioned grand final as they take on the Yaralla White squad at Sun Valley Park.

And in the final match BITS Gold will battle Calliope Blue at BITS Oval.

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Ky Hull bowled out, but the decision was reversed after a no-ball was bowled.



Jamie Cunningham nicks the ball towards backward point.



Alex Jaynes with a great cut shot.

Saints in seven heaven

From page 56

With a total of 87 runs to defend the BITS didn't seem confident but some really sharp opening bowling by Ky Hull and Freddie Mills helped build some early pressure.

Mills was able to get the early breakthrough with The Glen's captain Justin Brown caught in the outfield by Leigh Irvin, making the score 1/3.

That brought out Alex Jaynes who looked to be the go-to man for The Glen.

Jaynes ran extremely hard between the wickets alongside Carsen Jones with the pair combining for 21 runs.

When Jones was dismissed by Mills, who picked up his second wicket, Jaynes was joined by Jason Seng with the score reading 2/24.

Those two produced a solid partnership of 29 runs however the strong bowling of BITS only allowed their opposition short singles meaning that by the 13th over the chasing side only had made 51 runs.

With pressure building BITS hit the jackpot, finally securing the scalp of Jaynes who was caught in the deep by Irvin from the bowling of Steven Pugh.

That started a demolition job as BITS captain Mat Fawdrey took three wickets from his next over.

Fawdrey expert bowling made the score 6/58 at the end of the 15th over.

Running out of time and wickets The Glen needed 30 runs from five overs, which still seemed doable.

From the 15th over to the 19th the bat-

ting side scored 19 runs and lost two wickets, meaning the score coming into the final over read 8/77.

Keirsnowski and Howard were left with the task of making 10 runs to force a super over or 11 runs to become the T20 champions.

Irvin was the BITS' closer and he certainly did that, conceding just two runs in the final over and helping force a run out.

That meant the BITS Saints were crowned champions of the competition, winning by eight runs.

Captain Fawdrey was fantastic in his final over and told Gladstone Today that it was an amazing feeling to finally lift some silverware but he was mostly thankful for those who were able to get the pitch in playable condition.

"To get the wicket up and ready for the weekend was the most important thing there," he said.

"100ml of rain during the week. The boys got in and got the wicket up so we had a game today.

"Defending 87 was a little bit hairy but we got the job done which was good.

"This particular side, it's our first piece of silverware in a good six or seven years. The boys are happy.

"We dropped four or five catches and you don't normally win close games when you drop catches and there were times when we thought it was over.

"Realistically it was a really good bowling effort from the boys. Under the pump defending 87, a good fielding effort and everyone bowled well."



Alex Jaynes whips the ball off his pads. Jaynes finished with a game-high 34 runs.



Cameron Howard celebrates after bowling Steven Pugh.



Umpire Paul Thompson delivers his verdict.



Jacob Mills looks to launch one over the top.



Brendan Huth produces a solid block.



Carsen Jones watches the ball carefully.



Freddie Mills celebrates with his teams after almost tearing the stumps out of the ground with a fiery delivery.



Ky Hull was very economic in his opening bowling display.



Jason Seng lashes the ball towards the boundary.



Leigh Irvin takes the opening catch of The Glen's chase.



BITS' Ky Hull was his side's top scorer with 27 runs.



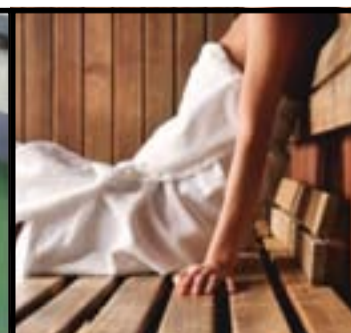
Caden Keirsnowski charges in from the northern end.



Jason Seng bowling prior to getting his second wicket in a row. Seng finished with a team high 4 for 9.



BITS' captain Mat Fawdrey gets underneath one.



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Frenchville State School's Parker reaches for a shot as partner Alec looks on.



Jaxon Schravemade returns fire.



Nathaniel gets ready to serve as Eamon watches on.

School stars battle it out

Central Queensland's play-offs for the Queensland Schools Table Tennis Championships were staged on Saturday at the Leichhardt Park playing centre on Campbell Street.

The schools were competing for a place in the state final in Brisbane later in the year. Competitions were played in the Open Section for students under 18, the Junior Division for players under 15 years and the Hopes Division catering for students under 12 years of age.

Inter-school matches were played between schools in both boys and girls fixtures depending on the entries.

The Open Division for males saw the strong teaming of Rex Salutan and Isaac Marshall of the Faith Baptist Christian School of Gladstone win the gold medal in an excellent match against Brock Knobel and Brodie Heintze of Rockhampton's Heights College whilst Corey Walker and Dean Robson from Faith Baptist being awarded the bronze medal.

Faith Baptist's Bree Tankard and Hope Perchard were awarded the gold medal in the female section.

Heights College excelled against the very impressive entry in the Junior Division for boys to win both the gold and silver medals when Jaxon Schravemade and Kobe Legros collected the gold and Hayden Richards and Andrew Ramm the silver in a hotly contested competition.

Kane Marshall and Caleb Bulow from Faith Baptist earned the bronze medal after a fairly gruelling fixture.

The girls section saw Faith Baptist whitewash the competition when Ryza Salutan and Emily Sauvageot picked up the gold, Anica Vogel and Alice Falls the silver and Kate Alcorn and Lilly Noonan the bronze medal.

Heights College performed very well in the boy's section of the Hopes Division with the impressive Judd Carr and Kade Legros combining to win the gold medal over school-mates Jan Romualdo and Brodie McKenzie who were presented with the silver while Frenchville State School players Nathaniel Harrison and Eamon Mandal won the bronze.



Faith Baptist's Felicia Salvador and Kylie Pajonk were presented with the gold medal in the girl's section.

The Rockhampton Table Tennis Association's annual closed championships wound up last week with completion of the singles competitions as well as playing the open doubles event to conclusion.

The club's junior coaching program again came to the fore with current state-representative juniors winning both the singles events staged.

The plate event for the open singles, which combines the players who didn't make the semi-final stages of the men's and women's open singles was won improved youngster Nick Green when he overpowered the strong game of the very handy Kerrod Coughlan in straight sets.

The division two singles event was won by Emily Steffen, who has won the state under-15 girl's singles championship for the past two years, when she withstood a strong challenge provided by seasoned campaigner Linda O'Sullivan over four excellent games.

An impressive field graced the courts in the open doubles event where the club's leading lights are prevented from combining with one-another.

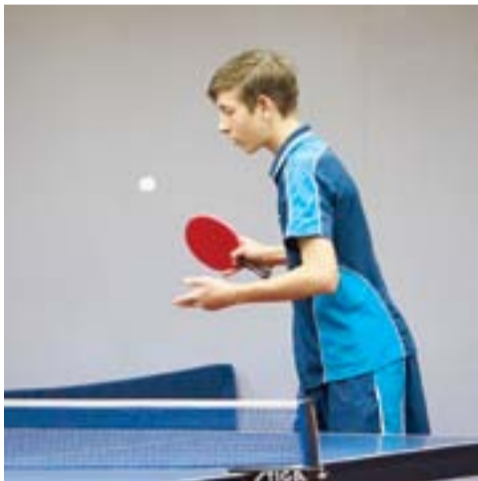
In a good final, where the first two games could easily have gone the other way, Matthew Pettett and Kelsey Le Maistre prevailed over the usually reliable combination of Matthew Steffen and Nick Green, the city's two leading junior boys. The final score was 15-13, 12-10, 11-5.



Faith Baptist Christian School's Eli Noonan and Levi Galea return serve against their Heights College opponents.



Faith Baptist Christian School's Anica Vogel plays her shot on Saturday.



Sebastian Hardiman lines up his serve.



Hayden Richards plays a shot back over the net.



Nathaniel and Eamon from Frenchville State School featuring in the doubles.

Bushies breaking barriers

By Liam Emerton

For the first time in Central Queensland history our CQ Bushrangers sent a women's 7's side to the State Championship.

Despite having very minimal training together our ladies didn't disappoint, winning three of their five games and impressing spectators across Queensland.

The team won their second and third games before facing off against a strong Sunshine Coast squad in a battle for fifth place.

The pressure didn't get to our ladies as the youngest women's Bushranger, Alenna Whipp, crossed for a double to bring home a fifth-place finish.

Overall it was a terrific tournament for Central Queensland which was composed of players from Gladstone, Biloela, Central Highlands, Rockhampton, Capricorn Coast and Mackay.

And it was Biloela mother Elly May who was our greatest standout, being awarded the CQ player of the tournament after an outstanding carnival built on both attack and defence.

The team even had the chance to shape up against some of Australia's best with Olympic 7's players joining in the fray.

Vani Pelite and Shannon Parry OAM both won gold at the Rio Olympics and joined the team for a group photo after playing against them as part of Easts in the final group game.

The team was coached by Onè Mata'uiau with Chloe Butler as the assistant coach and trainer.

Central Queensland Bushrangers manager Vickie Hirsimaki was so proud of the ladies' effort and said in the bigger picture this was a huge step for local women's rugby.

"Trevor Robinson, who runs CQ Rugby Cap-



The CQ women's team with co-coach Chloe Butler QRU CQ region (absent Coach Onèhunga of Rugby Skills Academy). Back: Sydney Corcoran; Chay Nikora (C); Meaghan Ricketts; Hayley Smith; Alenna Whipp; Tay Steere (C); Ebony Thorne; Elly May. Front: Chloe Butler; Nikki Clarke; Lara Burnett; Tylah Phillips; Katie Craig (vc); Tash Van Der Breggan. 258534 Picture: SUPPLIED

ricornia, couldn't be there but whether those who have worked for many years for women's rugby could be there or not, everyone was getting around the girls," she said.

"There was a sense of value for every player in that team, there wasn't just one superstar,

everyone was valued.

"These girls all come back to their clubs now with those stories and experiences which builds it all up and it just has a roll-on effect.

"Now the girls are saying to the coaches, what's the next step? They're hoping to take the



Lara Burnett crashes over the try line.

girls, as the Bushrangers squad of 20 or so, to a couple of 7's carnivals in between.

"They never felt like there were any pathways before that were genuine to be able to stay in CQ and be part of something. Now they can look and see that every year they have a pathway in 7's and 15's where they can end up a Queensland Country Player and play at a high level.

"Several of the girls were spoken to by Brisbane clubs and they said anytime they want to come down or move down, give us a ring we have pathways for you.

"It has put them on the map and a lot of what I heard was, wow they have a strong contingent of women in CQ."

The Bushies will now look towards the 15's carnival in early 2022 with our ladies ready to take on a bigger challenge.

In the men's competition, our Bushrangers had a rough weekend playing against international standard players, losing all of their matches.

Power surge past Bulls but brought down by Rockets

By Liam Emerton

The Under-18 Central Queensland Junior Basketball Competition (CQJBC) bounced into its second round of action and it was much tighter than the first.

In division one Rockhampton boys dominated the first round of the CQJBC but it was much harder to pick up wins this time out.

The round was played in Kev Broome Stadium in Gladstone and the hosts, the Port City Power, which had been heavily defeated by Rocky in the first round, was ready for a big weekend.

Those two squads opened proceedings in Gladly with a great contest.

Rockhampton won the match 99-74 but that was a much-improved Power side who came to court.

The Rockets doubled their win tally by knocking over the Bundaberg Bulls 121-55 for a huge blowout.

The last game of day one saw Gladstone back up Rocky's performance by demolishing Bundy 121-66.

Port City's boys' next match came at the start of Sunday when they walked through Bundy again with a 104-54 victory.

The Bulls put up a bigger fight in their second game of the day when they were defeated 125-77 against the Rockhampton squad.

The league leaders' last match came against the Power and the Rocky team were able to continue their winning ways with a 108-90 win.

Across Rocky's winning streak, Ben Tweedy scored 107 points with his opening 41-point spree his best of the competition.

Tweedy's teammate Mitch Kuhl also produced some solid scores, finishing with a combined 90 points, including a 30 piece.

For Gladstone, Rahul Captain's 79 was handy, while Cooper Rhodes' 94 was the sides' best in round two.

In the under-18 girls, it was a tough couple of days for the hosts as the Port City squad were heavily defeated in each of their games.

Rockhampton had a much happier time,

winning 148-19 and 100-44 over Gladstone and 77-62 and 80-71 against the Bundy squad.

While Rocky's div-one boys squad had a few standouts, Rockhampton's girls were all strong with most players contributing heavily to their big wins.

In the boys' division two matches, hosted at Clinton State School, Emerald dominated by winning all of their matches.

The competition is certainly the tightest in the CQJBC format and that was seen by the Emerald squad winning by margins of two, four, five and nine throughout the weekend.

That was a quite considerable turnaround for the Chargers who lost all four of their round-one matches.

Those four wins took the side up to second place, just behind the Rockhampton Jets who won every match except for their close contest against Emerald.

The Jets are three wins ahead of the Chargers but will be looking over their shoulder as Emerald begins to shine.



Cyclones' Maddison Barclay puts her shot up against Gladstone.

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World cup, hoops and jabs

In this weekend's edition of Let's Talk Sport, 4RO's **AARON STEVENS** and Gladstone and CQ Today's **LIAM EMERTON** talk about Australia's huge T20 win, CQ's future in basketball and all things making headlines in the National Rugby League.

T20 WORLD CUP

Let's start off with Australia's magnificent win, and out of all people, it was Mitch Marsh who won it for us, what a crazy scenario!

Aaron: Do you know it was just incredible, I don't know where that came from with Mitch Marsh.

I did feel a little bit sorry for the Kiwis, I tipped them a couple of weeks ago and I told you that I thought they were the form team of the competition.

But they just couldn't get going, could they. That fifth over to the tenth over they just got stuck in a hole and couldn't get runs on and that's where they lost it.

Then for Mitch Marsh to come out and perform better than he has all series and better than he probably ever has in the green in gold was amazing.

I don't know what it is about Mitch Marsh, I'm not a big fan of Mitch Marsh but I don't know what it is about him, I don't even know why I am not a big fan of him.

And then to come out and do that was just an amazing performance. But like I said I feel a bit sorry for the Kiwis, they played so well the entire series and got to the final with an amazing effort in the semi then went missing.

Maybe they played their grand final in that game against England and Australia just came good at the right time didn't they.

Liam: Yeah they sure did. It's so interesting to look at the players who stood up for us in this tournament.

Obviously, Warner has always been good for us but after everything that's happened over the past couple of years, along with Smudge, it's just great to see him perform and win the player of the tournament.

There were a lot of people saying he was out of touch coming into the tournament and he's just completely proved them wrong.

And then you get someone like Mitch Marsh who's never done anything huge for Australia and seems to keep getting back up.

I think the strongest part of his game is his mentality because a lot of people would have folded by now, thrown in the towel and he stood up and just continued to do what he does.

He's finally got something to look back on in the green and gold and be so proud of and I feel so happy for him and I'm glad it was him.

Like you said I think the Kiwis just started to fall off and they had played their grand final against England, Australia just peaked at the right time and we came in and took away a huge world cup win.

Aaron: Isn't it funny someone always stands up for Australia.

It doesn't matter what position we're in. We could be six down and someone would score a century.

There's always just that person who takes the game and the bulls by the horns and leads Australia out of some pretty difficult situation and surprise, surprise this time it was Mitch Marsh.

UNDER 18 BASKETBALL

How good is it to have these types of competitions to show how strong CQ is across the board in basketball?

Aaron: It's terrific, we love our basketball here. We've got two stadiums that are iconic and they love going to watch our teams play.

They love watching all levels of basketball and I'm just glad that those kids are coming through because basketball is one of those sports which has been devastated by Covid-19.

It's been so hard to get basketball on the



Our World Cup champions. 258573

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court because most of our basketball squads travel across the state.

It's just terrific to see that basketball, which I won't say has been on the back-burner, but has struggled, that there is the next generation of our basketballers coming through.

The next generation is coming and they'll lead the way in Rockhampton and in Central Queensland.

The sport is alive and well and for a sport to stand up and survive the tough times that basketball has faced in the last couple of years that's terrific to hear.

Liam: That's exactly right. I tell you there were two teams that impressed me out there this weekend.

One was Gladstone and their under 18's boys side. They were absolutely pummeled by Rocky in the first round and they came into the second round and they fought their hardest and came away with two wins away from Bundy and they took some close losses to Rocky.

And another team that is seriously baffling Aaron, in the division two under 18's boys, Emerald lost four from four games in round one.

They won four from four in round two. What a turnaround. For a team like Emerald, which doesn't have the players to pick from like Gladstone and Rocky, is a fantastic effort.

To go from zero and four to four in eight in a few weeks is quite staggering.

NRL

There's been a lot of talk about Covid mandatory vaccinations, it seems like Peter V'Landys has come out in support of a few people not wanting to be vaccinated, this is a wild situation.

Aaron: No, no, no, no I do not agree with this at all. I think V'Landys has been talking without thinking.

The fact is, I am in a workplace where it's been suggested that I have the vaccine and I am fully vaccinated, if they made all of us get vaccinated and one of our coworkers wasn't and they said you don't need to worry about it because the rest of us are, I'd be dirty.

I think that we need to respect the fact that if we're in a workplace that requires it, requests it, or asks for it, then we go along with it and there are others not towing the line that's not right.

We're talking about one in all in, which is usually the case with a team sport like rugby league, these people like John Asiata reckons he's going to quit rugby league to dig ditches.

I got news for you, you won't be allowed to dig ditches, you're going to have to be fully vaccinated to dig ditches.

At the end of the day, whatever workplace



NRL star Nelson Asofa-Solomona has refused to be vaccinated ahead of the 2022 season. 258573

you go into you're going to have to be fully vaccinated.

Keep your \$800,000 contract, get a couple of jabs in your arm. You might get fluey for a couple of days or have some sort of reaction but whatever the reason there's plenty of people who don't want to get the vaccination but you do it because it's the responsible thing to do because they want to keep their jobs.

It just needs to be done, unfortunately.

Liam: That's the thing, it is a very controversial topic but if they don't get it and want a different job everyone is going to have to be vaccinated by the time it comes to Christmas.

New South Wales has hit 90 per cent, we've hit over 70 per cent, this is the way of the future.

I understand that people have medical exemptions and that's fine but they should be the only people who are allowed to say that they cannot get it.

If you're a rugby league football player and of NRL standard, on a massive contract, it should be in that contract that you have to.

It's protecting our game, it's protecting our sport and you set a good example for the kids growing up who are coming through.

What if they don't want to be vaccinated because their favourite player isn't?

It's just a vaccination, it shouldn't even collide, sport and politics, but it always does.

Aaron: I was rather shocked to hear those comments from V'Landys. If 90 per cent of the game is vaccinated then maybe there could be some exemptions for some.

At the end of the day, V'Landys isn't going to

make the decision, it's got nothing to do with him.

They could make the mandate rule that everyone has to be vaccinated but the fact is if the Melbourne Storm for example is playing in Brisbane, we know how strict the Brisbane Government has been with rules around Covid.

If the Melbourne Storm is coming to Brisbane to play the Broncos and Nelson-Asofa Solomona isn't vaccinated it won't matter what V'Landys says.

Queensland will put a big stripe through his name and that'll be it.

Liam: Exactly right, are you going to allow a player that's in a club to not go anywhere and travel?

I mean they can't have that and if he doesn't want to get the vaccination that should be an automatic termination of his contract and he can go do something else.

I completely understand it is a choice but for NRL players it has to be different.

They are in the public eye and you should be a role model to encourage people to get vaccinated.

We saw it in the NFL with Aaron Rodgers and everything going on there and how big of a fuss has been made about it.

And so it should be. It has already made a bigger problem over there because he caught Covid and wasn't vaccinated.

So imagine if that happens in the NRL. There will be absolute shambles and we don't need that.

We need it to move smoothly.

Fishing with Allstars Insalt's Joe McGuire



Corey Bruton with another stunning 86cm Red Emperor caught off Gladly.



Red Emperor, 78cm, caught by Allan Pope off Gladstone.

This **ALLSTARS** fishing column we talk about arguably the most sort after reef species to be found on the East coast of Queensland... the mighty Red Emperor.

Red Fever fishing frenzy

A red-hot bite on the Reds can see grown men sweat profusely, shake at the knees, and giggle like a young schoolgirl.

It is a well-known condition called Red Fever. After all we are talking about the pinnacle of reef species due to their incredible fighting capabilities and their amazing eating quality.

These fish have an unmistakable fighting pattern that sees them shaking their head profusely at the same time as they are pulling like a freight train.

The Red lets an experienced angler know right from hookup they've hooked a Red. In addition, these fish don't give up easily, because they will give it to the angler all the way to the surface.

This is probably part due to the fact they don't suffer too badly from barotrauma. If you watch a Red coming up, you see a trail of bubbles as they vent the built-up gas. So, this means that catch and release is okay with this species.

However, the one fish shark love to prey on is Red Emperor. Many a tear has been shed over a shark's favourite snack. On the ALLSTARS social media we recently posted a few photos of sharked Reds that entrants had sent in prior. These posts caught the attention of our followers and it made a few of them cry in sympathy.

A couple of lads quick enough to beat the sharks and get their catch onto an ALLSTARS brag mat have been Richie O'Brien and Corey Bruton. Richie took out the 1st quarter with an 81cm (10.5kg) fish and Corey took out the second and third quarter with both fish 86cm (12.5kg) in length. Both Richie and Corey fish off Gladstone.

The best part for us as an online fishing competition is the quality of the promotional #fishbragwin photos these guys submit.

They have taken the time to take the photos while the fish is still kicking, used quality cam-



Anthony Goulding's great 77cm Red Emperor off Yeppoon.



A whopping 86cm Red Emperor caught by Corey Bruton off Gladstone.



An 82cm Red Emperor reeled in by Steven Horvat off Gladstone.



Richie O'Brien's 81cm Red Emperor caught off Gladstone.

eras, got the sunlight, and got the fish angles perfect.

Photos last a lifetime and it's great to have proof of your fishy tales, because in today's

world if you haven't got a photo it didn't happen. And for some other people if it's not on social media it doesn't count.

In accordance with Queensland Fisheries

rules, bag limits of 5 per person apply to Red Emperor with a minimum size of 55cm. Even though there is not a huge recovery rate on Reds due to their big head, this is a generous limit as a fish over 55 still has enough flesh to feed a small family.

So, if you're a novice and keen to catch a Red, pick your weather and head out to the reef areas into the 30 to 50-meter mark and look for gutters with steep faces, pinnacles and structure with red fern and weed. Find the bait balls associated to these areas and the Reds will show up on a quality sounder, often off the bottom.

It's just a matter of positioning your boat so your line hits the mark. An outfit with 50lb line or bigger is advisable. Dead cut baits like pilchards, squid, yakkas, and mackerel are just a few to name.

But, like anything, you need to basically experiment and don't be afraid to cut up bycatch like hussar and strip bait them as well. Fresh is best for Red Emperor, which is just how we like them on our dinner table.

Allow your bait to drift around the fish holding depth by having a decent leader length between your sinker and the bait and hopefully that elusive Red Emperor of a lifetime is there and ready to be attracted to your offering. From here it's all up to the angler and his or her ability to beat the sharks and deal with the dreaded Red Fever.

ALLSTARS has months of competition still to occur and stories to share. I have decades of fishing tips and will interview many successful commercial and recreational anglers to share their suggestions too.

As much as I like to write about fishing, I'd also like to hear from you. So please email me at info@allstarsinsalt.com.au to share your fishing trips, fishing tips, fishing stories and photos.

A day on the water is better than a day at work.



The BITS Saints walked away with their first grand final win in seven years.

BITS break a big drought

By Liam Emerton

After a seven-year title drought, the BITS Saints saw the heavens open up and deliver them the first silverware of the 2020/21 cricket season.

The Gladstone Cricket Incorporated grand final went ahead in warm conditions despite the pitch seeing over 100ml of rain across the previous four days.

The pitch played fantastically well considering the constant rain of the previous week, allowing the BITS Saints and The Glen to battle it out for the T20 grand final.

The Glen finished on top of the table by just one competition point after the final round, which was scheduled earlier that same day, was washed out.

BITS Saints secured their spot by finishing on 69 points and in second place behind the

revered Glen side.

The Glen won the toss and elected to field, sending their big dance opposition into bat.

And the top side's choice proved perfect when Damian Levitt knocked over Tim Boston in the first over, making the score 1/2.

That brought in Ky 'Spider' Hull who combined with Hayden Murphy to form a steady partnership.

But as they were getting a roll on the 23-run combination came to an end at the hands of Rick Brodie who collected Murphy's stumps, dismissed for nine runs.

That left the score at 2/25 but Brodie thought he had made it three when he scattered the wicket but a front-foot no-ball saved Hull's scalp.

That proved to be costly for The Glen who

saw incoming batsmen Brendan Huth and Hull forge BITS' best partnership.

Eventually, the number three batsman was taken down by Glen youngster Caden Keirnowski, dismissing Hull for a team-high 27 to bring the score to 3/60.

That then became 4/63 when Jason Seng produced a sensational caught-and-bowled to collect his first wicket of the day.

The incoming batsman was Freddie Mills but he was immediately trapped in front by Seng for a golden duck setting up a hatrick ball.

Seng's LBW took the score to 5/63 and led to a nervous walk for Steven Pugh who had to face the bowler's potential trifecta ball.

Pugh showed the straight bat of respect as he blocked the hatrick ball, leading to a sizable sigh around BITS Oval.

However, seven runs later Seng got his third wicket when Jacob Mills got caught swinging with Levitt taking the catch despite slipping in the process.

The score read 6/70 which brought Mat Fawdrey to the crease but he could only manage a five-run partnership with Pugh before the latter was dismissed by Cameron Howard who tore through the gate and bowled Pugh.

The next wicket came at the hands of Seng who picked up his fourth by another incredible caught-and-bowled to dismiss Fawdrey with the score 8/82.

Howard then demolished the tail taking both Tony and Jamie Cunningham in quick succession, leaving the BITS with a total of 87 runs to defend.

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