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Quick twists and turns on the track Gladstone Today photographer Mike Richards snapped some photos at the Fast Karts thrill event on Tuesday, 11 January, hosted by the Gladstone Regional Council as part of the Festival of Summer. Pictured are: Sami, 13 in 10, Will, 13 in 65, Ally, 11 in 98,

Rescuers in hardship

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Signage is switched off

Gladstone resident Sharie Kendrick has voiced her disappointment over the lack of signage at Tondoon Botanic Gardens as council endeavours to complete major electrical upgrades.

The initial stage of the Electrical Upgrade Project commenced in December 2020 and was completed prior to 30 June 2021. The upgrades have caused some residents difficulty navigating the gardens due to a lack of signage and information at the construction site.

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A sweet revival

By Eilish Massie

A 100-year-old cordial factory in Gladstone's CBD has been given new life, with the facility soon to be transformed into a brewery.

Gladstone businessman Michael Comley has paid homage to the city's past by reopening Ward's Brewery on Auckland Street.

Originally known as Ward's Cordial, the factory was originally owned by the Ward family who developed it into a cordial and brewery factory in 1922.

Lachlan 13, in 96, Billy, 14, in 38, Lachlan 13, in 24 and Daniel, 16 in 13.

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The editor's desk

Walking around the supermarket this week almost felt like we are living in a post-apocalyptic society.

It was a repeat of what we saw in 2020 when the initial panic of covid hit the streets and shelves were bare although panic buying wasn't entirely to blame this time.

The empty shelves were a result of the flooding in Gympie and the surge in Covid-19 cases resulting in supermarket workers to isolate, is what staff told me when I was doing my weekly shop.

Supply trucks were stuck on the Bruce Highway as they couldn't get past the floods.

I think we'll begin to see shelves filling up again later in the week... hopefully.

I know I'm prayer as I don't think I could eat another vegetable Bolognese with ingredients found in the pantry.

On the bright side it was the cheapest grocery shop ever.

- Eilish Massie



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The concept for Ward's Brewery.

New brewery to open in city's CBD

By Eilish Massie

Gladstone will soon have its very own brewery, thanks to a creative dream from Gladstone businessman Michael Comley.

Mr Comley has paid homage to the city's past by reopening Ward's Brewery on Auckland

Originally known as Ward's Cordial, the factory was originally owned by the Ward family who developed it into a cordial and brewery factory in 1922.

Flash forward to the 1980s, the property was occupied by Budget Rent A Car, who Mr Comley's sister, Michelle, runs.

With Budget now operating in Callemondah, Mr Comley said he was working with his sister to bring his vision of a brewery in the latter half of 2022.

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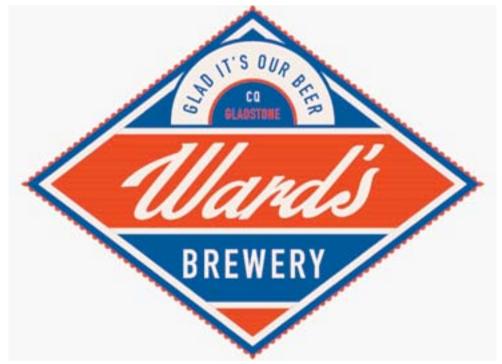
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Mr Comley said transforming Ward's Cordial to Ward's Brewery was an obvious choice.

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"I really want Gladstone to own it. I want people to feel it's their brewery," he said.

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Ward's Brewery logo.

"It's fun and captures with a slight USA craft beer influence and celebrates memories of yesteryears."

Mr Comley said the brewery would have a 'BrewPub' concept, with freshly brewed brew and served food that complemented its beverages.

"Developing the concept, brand and sort-

ing the buildings has been great fun," he said.

"We are very keen to make Ward's Brewery something Gladstone locals can be proud of and show to their friends and family when visiting.

"It's fun, it's communicative, it's community, it's food, it's drink and it will be very cool in Gladstone"



Flashback: A.Ward & Sons Cordial Factory in Gladstone





Water project roles

Gladstone Area Water Board (GAWB) has appointed Tell Advisory and SMEC into advisory roles to support the delivery of Fitzroy to Gladstone Pipeline project pre-construction activities

Tell Advisory has successfully been appointed as the Transaction Advisor and SMEC as the Owner's Engineer following competitive tender processes between late-September and late-October 2021.

GAWB Chief Executive Officer Darren Barlow said forming a strong project team was key to delivering on project objectives outlined by the Department of Regional Development, Manufacturing and Water.

"As the delivery authority for Fitzroy to Gladstone Pipeline pre-construction activities, we're focused on the goal of getting this important project in a position to immediately start major on-site works as soon as construction of the pipeline is approved by the Queensland Government," Mr Barlow said.

"A critical part of this is having the right people on the job and working collaboratively to support a seamless transition to potential construction.

"While the Department is finalising investigations to determine the full scope of the pipeline, we're committed to engaging with Tell Advisory, SMEC and our entire project team to strongly position the Department to quickly respond to the region's water security risks if drought conditions continue in 2022."

The Department appointed GAWB as the delivery management proponent for pre-construction activities for the Fitzroy to Gladstone Pipeline project, which is an option under consideration to enable long-term water security for urban and industrial customers of GAWB

It has the potential to provide water security and, importantly, provide water for the emerging hydrogen industry in the Gladstone region. A decision will be made by the Queensland Government on whether to proceed to construction of the pipeline during 2022.



Teah Daley and Alex Pedwell with dogs Pumba, Zenobia, Ellie, Mia, Pippa and Lucy.

Animal shelter desperate for support

By Eilish Massie

A series of misfortunate events has led to one Gladstone animal rescue group not taking on any more animals.

CQ Animal Army Inc. is in desperate need for financial support after several rescue call outs led to a momentous vet bill, resulting in the shelter refusing additional animals.

Cat coordinator Sam Featherstone said it was the first time the shelter has run into financial trouble.

The shelter, which has run for the past two years, relies on small donations from the public

"Every animal gets a chance," she said.

"In the past six months we had cats coming in with cat flu that spread around with

the other cats in care, we had some come in with ringworm, and then we took on a cat who was bitten by a brown snake and was pregnant at the time.

"One dog alone has cost us over \$4000 alone in training and rehabilitation to make him rehomable.

"It's draining us. We're a tiny rescue with maybe 15 people involved."

Currently more than 30 animals are in foster care.

The group hopes to raise more than \$4000 to help get them back on their feet.

"At the moment we aren't taking on anymore just because we have to get on top of our vet bills and look after the animals we have got." Ms Featherstone said Betty White's recent passing inspired the group to ask for help from the community.

"Unfortunately with her passing, it just was a reminder to help out our local animal shelter," she said.

"We're hoping the community could come together on Betty White's 100th birth-

"Please consider honoring Betty White with a donation to us and help save countless lives. We once again pledge to you, our community, to continue to work tirelessly and save as many lives as we can."

If you would like to donate, you can directly donate to CQ Animal Army via Boyne Vets or through to the shelter itself.

Millions for GPC wharf upgrade

A Central Queensland business has been awarded a multi-million dollar contract, to complete a fender upgrade at Gladstone Ports Corporation's (GPC) oldest wharf.

The project, which will be completed by local marine contractor Joseph Engineering Pty Ltd, will support job growth in the region, while future-proofing the Auckland Point Wharf 1.

The six-million dollar upgrade, which is set to begin this month, aims to future-proof one of Gladstone's oldest wharves and improve berthing for vessels, by modernising the existing timber fender system.

The works will include new marine pylons, buffer and securing equipment to replace the old structure and extend the life of the Auckland Point wharves.

Once complete the wharf will be able to handle larger cruise vessels to visit Gladstone in the future, along with potential Roll on, Roll Off cargo vessels for the import of vehicles.

Chief Operating Officer Craig Walker said the upgrade was vital for economic growth in the region and will sustain GPC's operations.

"Joseph Engineering has worked with GPC over many years delivering some fantastic outcomes. It shows the capability we have here in this internationally recognised port," Mr Walker said.

"We will soon be able to welcome larger vessels to our Auckland Point facility to import and export commodities such as, general cargo, roll on roll off equipment, agriculture, containers and bulk liquids well into the future," he said.

"The facility has been operating since the 1920's when horses and cattle were exported even before coal,"

"It's an exciting development for the port and it is humbling to see the facility's history will live on with the new upgrades."

Member for Gladstone and the Minister for Regional Development and Manufacturing, Minister for Water, Glenn Butcher, said the multi-million dollar project is more evidence of the Palaszczuk Government investing in Queensland's future.

"The project will support local jobs including up to 20 jobs through Joseph Engineering and dozens more with local suppliers making the piles, fender frames and fenders," he said.

"This wharf is one of the many jewels in Gladstone's crown, so it's great to see the upgrade underway."

Works scheduled to be complete mid-2022.

The Gladstone suburbs with the most infections

By Eilish Massie

According to weekly Queensland Government statistics, New Auckland and Clinton have recorded the most cases of Covid-19 infections in the region.

The suburbs recorded 25 for their SA2, a statistical division which represents small groups of suburbs.

Since January 1, Boyne Island and Tannum Sands have recorded 17 cases, Gladstone five cases, Telina and Toolooa recorded eight cases, West Gladstone recorded four, Agnes Water and Miriam Vale at five cases, Gladstone Hinterland recorded two cases and Kin Kora and Sun Valley recorded two cases.

Contrast this to an SA4 which represents entire regions, such as Central Queensland,

Wide Bay and Mackay Isaac Whitsunday.

Four cases are contacts of a confirmed case or a known cluster.

One is locally acquired but the contact isn't identified.

All other cases since New Year's Day are under investigation.

To avoid the spread of Covid-19 it is important to follow the latest health advice which is available on the Queensland Government Health website

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Note: Data is updated weekly and may not include cases from Wednesday.

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Outgoing Federal Flynn MP Ken O'Dowd joined Deputy Prime Minister Barnaby Joyce, Senator Matt Canavan and LNP candidate for Flynn Colin Boyce for a tour of Auckland Hill in Gladstone on Monday.

Libs eye Gladstone

By Eilish Massie

Outgoing Federal Flynn MP Ken O'Dowd has thrown his support behind the Liberal Party ahead of the upcoming election.

Mr O'Dowd joined Deputy Prime Minister Barnaby Joyce, Senator Matt Canavan and LNP candidate for Flynn Colin Boyce for a tour of Auckland Hill in Gladstone on Monday.

Addressing the media, Mr Joyce accused Labor leader Anthony Albanese of "sinking his slipper into Flynn" by creating a new policy which increased taxes of 18 businesses.

"There's one in Sydney and there's 18 here, he's got 18 reasons to stick the slipper into Flynn and that is how much Anthony Albanese really loves Flynn," he said.

"He says he's on your side, but he's not on your side at all."

Senator Canavan said the upcoming election would highlight jobs and the future of Central Queensland.

"I would encourage everyone in Gladstone at some point before the election and look around. Look around because it doesn't matter if you look South, East, North or West you will find a major employing business Anthony Albanese wants to tax under their climate change policy," he said.

"At Auckland point lookout you cannot really see a place which is not going to be taxed under Labor's climate change policy, if you go to Centre Point Tower in Sydney there is hardly



Deputy Prime Minister Barnaby Joyce and Outgoing Federal Flynn MP Ken O'Dowd.

anything which will be taxed under Labor," he said.

LNP candidate for Flynn Colin Boyce said he would bat for the jobs of the people in Central Queensland if he was elected.

"We want to see the port of Gladstone expand, we want to see industry expand, we want to see jobs expand," he said.

"It is all about connecting Gladstone with the inland rail which will open up vast opportunities for future industries.





"I am here to make sure the people in Central Queensland have a job."

Meanwhile Mr O'Dowd, who announced he would step down from his seat last year, said the Liberal Party "would win" the upcoming election

"We are looking forward to 2022, there are lots of projects in the pipeline, which will be great for the Gladstone community," Mr O'Dowd.

"We are looking forward to an election year, an election which we will win."

Residents to be mindful of water consumption

Gladstone Area Water Board (GAWB) is urging local residents to remain mindful of their water consumption despite recent rainfall, which has seen Awoonga Dam's water levels increase since November 22.

Long term water security in the region is GAWB's number one priority and they want to work with the community, industrial customers and the Queensland Government to respond to water supply challenges brought on by drought, climate change and customer demand.

While the Bureau of Meteorology is predicting a wetter than average summer, their message remains the same; we all need to play our part and make every drop count.

Learn more about our Drought Management Plan here: gawb.qld.gov.au/drought-management-plan

Surf school coming to Tannum Sands

A new surf school is coming to Tannum Sands. Lazy Lizard Surf School 1770 is now offering lessons at Tannum Sands.

The surf school has beginner lessons for those looking to pick up a new hobby this year.

To secure your spot in their new program, go to lazylizardsurfschool.com.au/tannumsands - and select your preferred date/time. They have classes running Monday-Friday at 9am, 11am and 1pm.

SUP are also for hire.

Queensland Ambulance Service update

West Gladstone - two-vehicle crash

Paramedics assessed three patients following a two-vehicle crash on Dawson Road and Breslin Street at 10.44pm however no patients required treatment or transport to hospital on Tuesday, 11 January.

Rockhampton City – spider bite

A male in his 30s was transported to Rockhampton Hospital in a stable condition after a suspected spider bite to the foot at a private address at 10.18pm on Tuesday, 11 January.

Bouldercombe - two-vehicle crash

A male in his 20s was transported to Mount Morgan Hospital in a stable condition with a hand injury following a two-vehicle crash on the Burnett Highway at 3.08am on Saturday, 8 January.

Mount Chalmers – snake bite

A male in his teens was transported to Rock-hampton Hospital in a stable condition following a suspected snake-bite to the foot at a private residence at 9.20pm on Friday, 7 January.

Queensland Police Service

Fatal motorcycle crash, Longreach

A man has died following a motorcycle crash in Longreach on Sunday, 9 January.

Early investigations indicate the man was riding along Tonkoro Road when he lost control after striking a ditch around 7.00am.

The 61-year-old Longreach man died at the scene.

The Forensic Crash Unit will investigate. **Suspicious fire investigation, Maryborough**

Police are investigating a suspicious fire at an auto-wreckers in Maryborough on Tuesday night. At 7.15pm, emergency services attended the abandoned Kent Street address to find the business well alight.

A 46-year-old woman located at the scene is currently assisting police with inquiries.

Officers would also like to speak to anyone who may have noticed any suspicious activity in the area at the time to please come forward.

Investigations into the cause of the fire is ongoing.

Sudden death, Tiaro

Police are investigating the death of a man in flood waters at Tiaro on Tuesday morning.

Around 5.30am, police were called to a rural property on Darcys Road following reports a man had fallen from a boat into flood waters the previous evening.

A 43-year-old woman and an 8-year-old girl, who had also been in the boat, managed to cling to foliage after it capsized and call for help.

Following an extensive response involving police and Fire and Rescue Service swift water rescue crews, the 52-year-old man was located deceased around 11.00am approximately 200 metres from where he went missing.

A report will be prepared for the Coroner.

Tanya Wieden stands as UAP candidate

By Eilish Massie

With an election looming, a new candidate has put her hand up for the seat of Flynn.

Tanya Wieden, who has been a familiar face at local Covid freedom rallies, is running for the seat of Flynn under the United Australia Party.

Ms Wieden was recently the MC at a pro choice rally regarding the Covid vaccine in Gladstone's Lions Park last November.

Ms Wieden joins LNP candidate Colin Boyce and Labor candidate Matt Burnett who are also running for the seat as the incumbent MP Ken O'Dowd retires.

The seat of Flynn has been held by Mr O'Dowd since 2010 and encompasses Gladstone, Central Highlands, Banana and North Burnett council areas.

The division also includes part of the Rockhampton, Bundaberg and South Burnett regions.

While the UAP is yet to formally announce its Federal Election candidates, Ms Wieden announced she would be running on Facebook.

"I am extremely concerned about our country," she said.

"My force have led me to this point."

"My fears have led me to this point, where I feel it's time to step up.

"We are rapidly losing our most basic human rights and the larger parties no longer

stand for the values of everyday Australians.

"Our forefathers spilt blood for our freedom, which is why I'm putting myself forward - for the future of my family and our wonderful country."

Ms Wieden grew up on a small farm out-

side of Thangool, with her two brothers and sister.

After finishing Year 12 at Biloela High School, she completed a hairdressing ap-

prenticeship and 'Trends by Tanya' was her

first business, which she opened at 19.

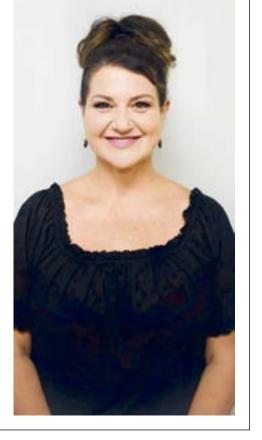
The mother-of-two moved to Gladstone after the breakdown of her marriage for a fresh start where she began running a successful business for more than a decade.

After selling her business, Tanya ventured into training and assessment for Designer Life Training.

While it was challenging, it was rewarding, supporting long-term unemployed and multicultural groups, teaching employability skills and a range of Cert III qualifications.

In 2018 Tanya commenced a traineeship with Rio Tinto, hoping that this would widen her career and provide job security into the future.

Ms Wieden is still employed by the company but like many Australians, is now facing the uncertainty of vaccination mandates.







Funds for high-tech sector

A \$636,972 Queensland Government Manufacturing Hub grant has enabled Gladstone business, Upton Engineering and Manufacturing, to invest in its future, through the purchase of a 5-axis machining centre. The equipment, which includes specialist tooling and software, will help Upton staff increase capacity and capability, as well as create job opportunities for more than a dozen people.

The new equipment and staff skills will mean the business is well positioned to continue their growth in traditional and emerging industries, targeting customers across Central Queensland, as well as further throughout the state

On a visit to the Gladstone-based business, Minister for Regional Development, Manufacturing and Water Glenn Butcher said Upton Engineering was just one of the latest recipients to be awarded funding, through the Palaszczuk government's \$13.5 million Manufacturing Hub Grant Program.

"The Queensland Government believes in local businesses and has invested more than \$600,000 in Upton Engineering, through this grant program, enabling the business to grow and create 14 new jobs, thanks to this increased capability.

"The grant was delivered through the Queensland Government's Gladstone Manufacturing Hub.

The hub provides a place for local manufacturing businesses to receive expert advice and support, with the aim to help industry professionals become more productive and drive job creation into the future."

"As a mechanical fitter and turner myself, I also congratulate the Upton team for investing in their people through training and upskilling, which contributes to staff retention and

also helps keep skilled workers in our local manufacturing sector," Minister Butcher said.

Managing Director, Mitch Upton, said the grant had given the company the opportunity to accelerate their growth opportunities into existing and emerging markets, in ways not previously thought possible.

"This state-of-the-art 5-axis machining centre, with specialist tooling and software, expands our capabilities not only for the heavy industrial and engineering sectors in Gladstone and across

Central Queensland, but also supports our expansion into the defence sector and in the future, the aerospace industries.

"It will enhance our current capabilities and allow us to deliver an internationally competitive advanced sovereign manufacturing capability from Gladstone."

Mr Butcher said the \$13.5 million Manufacturing Hubs Grant Program supports the regional manufacturing sector to implement and deliver world leading technologies, processes, and practices.

"Gladstone's Manufacturing Hub is supporting manufacturers to become more productive through technology adoption, skills and training, strategic business development and advanced robotic manufacturing services.

"Our local manufacturing industry is a vital contributor to our state's economy and the Gladstone Hub specialises in delivering more jobs and innovation in industries such as biofuels, hydrogen and renewable energy," he said.

"Financial assistance, up to \$1 million, is available to eligible businesses, to help build their manufacturing capabilities."

For more information, visit qld.gov.au/manufacturinghubs



Upton Engineering managing director Mitch Upton and Minister for Regional Development, Manufacturing and Water Glenn Butcher.

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Thomas and Charlie.

Olive and Gemma.

Students look to the stars

By Brittney Manning

Gladstone students learnt the benefits of a career in STEM earlier this week at the Young Engineers Summer holiday camp.

The event was hosted at the CQU Gladstone Marina campus and aimed to ignite students' passions for science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM).

Event organiser Pavle Jeric said the workshops were designed to accommodate a space theme in line with Australia's growing space

"The space industry is actually massive and there are many employment opportunities in the future," Mr Jeric said.

"Australia is one of those ideal places for space launches due to our proximity to the equator, compared to other locations.

On Monday and Tuesday, participants in grades one to six from primary schools around the region used LEGO and programmable motors in a series of group challenges.

The program comes as Queensland looks to expand its space exploration efforts and young students are being encouraged to explore study pathways in STEM fields.

Mr Jeric said it was important to bring educational programs, such as Young Engineers, to regional Queensland students to familiarise them with academic careers.

"We need to start them young because kids will form massive pre-conceptions about a job or a career at a very young age," Mr Jeric said.

Tutor Sue Carningham and third-year CQU education student Bec showed students how to construct and program LEGO models including mineral and water mining machinery.

Many students said they hoped to become engineers and lawyers when they leave school.

The Young Engineers program will return next term at Tannum Sands State High School.



For more pictures turn to page 12 Anouk and Eloise formed a great team with some help from Pangy.



Brooklyn and April.



Heath and Alex.



The upgrades have caused some residents difficulty navigating the



Tondoon Botanical Gardens is a favourite place to visit for Gladstone locals.

Gardens on growth path

By Brittney Manning

Ongoing construction work on the Tondoon Botanic Gardens is underway as the council endeavours to replace existing structures and complete major electrical upgrades.

The initial stage of the Electrical Upgrade Project commenced in December 2020 and was completed prior to 30 June 2021.

Gladstone Region Acting Mayor Kahn Goodluck said Stage 2 is expected to be completed prior to 30 June 2022, with the \$1 million cost funded by Council.

"The new lighting infrastructure will provide improved electrical abilities for the Gardens with added benefits for community events held within the grounds," Cr Goodluck said in a statement.

The light poles will have the capacity to add on CCTV, audio speakers, Wi-Fi and hold event banners while blending into the aesthetics of the gardens.

"The second stage involves earthworks with trenches dug in certain areas of the Gardens in order to lay conduit and pull cable through.

'Fencing and signage remains in place in certain areas of the Gardens and will be removed when Stage 2 is complete or when safe to do so," Cr Goodluck said.

The upgrades have caused some residents difficulty navigating the gardens due to a lack of signage and information at the construction

Gladstone resident Sharie Kendrick has lived in the region for 53 years and said she and her friends regularly use the garden walking paths and scenery to socialise.

Ms Kendrick was upset to find a lack of signage at the construction site regarding upgrades to the cafe deck and walkways.

"I just want to know what they are doing and when they are going to give us back our gardens," Ms Kendrick said.

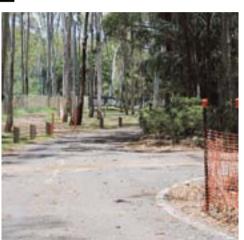
Gladstone Regional Council provides information regarding Tondoon Botanic Gardens construction work, upgrades and workshop activities on its website and social medias.

But Ms Kendrick said pensioners, such as herself, are unable to access online resources and that the Council should consider all residents when distributing public notifications.

"Unless you have got a computer or go on Facebook, you're not allowed to know," Ms Kendrick said.

Replacement of the existing timber deck and boardwalk have been completed.

The information centre and walking paths, including the Mount Biondello track, currently remain open to the public.



The Stage 2 upgrades is set to be completed by the end of June.

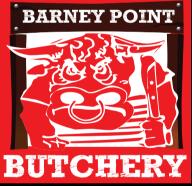
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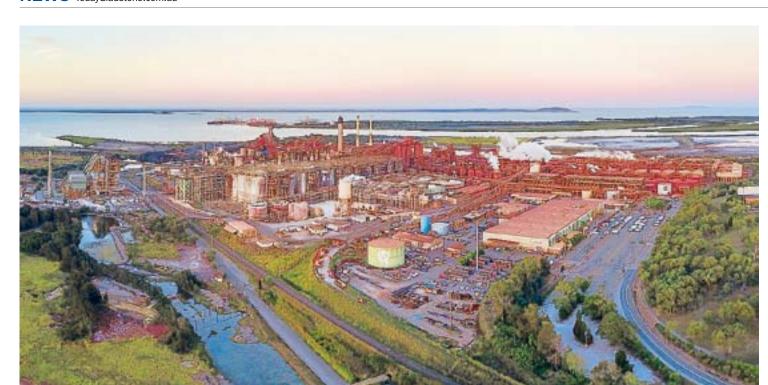
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Gladstone's top industry giants have revealed how they would handle the influx of covid cases if workers are affected.

Industry's plan to tackle Covid cases

By Eilish Massie

Gladstone's top industry giants have revealed how they would handle the influx of covid cases if workers are affected.

Boyne Smelter Limited, Queensland Alumina Limited, Rio Tinto Yarwun and Gladstone Ports Corporation have enforced strict Covid-19 controls and protocols at their sites to ensure the safety of the community.

A Rio Tinto spokesperson said Rio Tinto was closely monitoring and reacting to developments around escalating Covid-19 case numbers in and around Gladstone.

"Our first priority remains the health and safety of our employees, contractors and the local community," they said.

"At our Gladstone operations (BSL, QAL and Yarwun), strict Rio Tinto and Queensland Government Covid-19 controls and protocols that have ensured we have been able to safely operate throughout the pandemic continue to be enforced."

According to Rio Tinto, these include rapid antigen testing for all work-related travel to

site from outside the region and in other specific circumstances, as well as other onsite measures including good hygiene, social distancing and mask wearing when social distancing is not practical.

"In addition, we have enforced a number of controls across our operations including alternate teams or working from home arrangements, changes to vehicle and room occupancies, regular cleaning and disinfecting work areas and social distancing measures," they said.

"BSL, QAL and Rio Tinto Yarwun all have detailed Covid-19 response plans in place designed to keep our people and the community safe, as well as ensure business continuity."

Meanwhile a GPC spokesperson said GPC had several measures in place.

These included n effective program of communication and education, strict guidelines for cleaning, mandatory mask-wearing, hygiene, physical distancing, access control, screening questionnaires and Rapid Antigen Testing.

"(These measures) have contributed to

maintaining the health and safety of all persons who access our facilities," the spokesperson said.

"The health and safety of workers and the wider community remains a priority at Gladstone Ports Corporation (GPC) while the port maintains critical supply chains in the midst of the ever evolving pandemic.

"GPC continues to operate under the direction of the Australian and Queensland Governments and continues to work closely with Maritime Safety Queensland."

The spokesperson said GPC had been successful in balancing the welfare of essential port workers, seafarers, tenants and service providers with the current economic and operational imperatives and remains proactive with its Crisis Management Team regularly assessing and actioning updates.

"GPC's Covid Response Management Committee remains activated and meets regularly to conduct ongoing Covid monitoring, assessment and treatment recommendations for GPC's business activities."

Data shows Covid trend

Covid cases have reached an all-time high, with Queensland reporting 22,069 new cases on Wednesday, 12 January.

In Central Queensland there are 184 confirmed cases over the past 24 hours:

- 66 in Rockhampton Regional Council area
- 47 in Gladstone Regional Council area
- 37 in Livingstone Shire Council area
- 24 in Central Highlands Regional Council area
- 5 in Banana Shire Council area
- 5 people with a CQ address who are elsewhere

At the time of printing, 30 people are in the Intensive Care Unit, eight of whom are on ventilation.

Queensland's Chief Health Officer, Dr John Gerrad, advised that there are 525 cases in hospital requiring treatment for

"We now have enough data to see some trends in who is ending up in Queensland Hospitals," he said.

"The importance of booster vaccinations is very clear.

"If you are unvaccinated, you are nine times more likely to end up in Queensland hospitals than if you have received three doses of the vaccination.

Health Minister Yvette D'Ath is urging people to come forward to get their booster once they are eligible.

"If it has been four months, come for-

ward and get your booster.
"748,053 people have received their

booster across Queensland.

"Of our eligible population aged 16 and over, 91.2 per cent have had their first dose whilst 88 per cent are fully vaccinated.

"We are so close to having 90 per cent of the population fully vaccinated."

On Monday, 10 January, children were eligible to receive their first Covid-19 vaccinations.

Over 39 thousand children aged between five to 11 years old are booked to get their first dose over the next coming days.

This information is being updated daily to view the latest health advice or to make a booking visit qld.gov.au/health/conditions/health-alerts/coronavirus-covid-19/protect-yourself-others/covid-19-vaccine/book

First time's a real breeze: Local act on Agnes stage

Local Agnes Water rockers Ride the Breeze will light up main stage for the first time at the Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival.

Ride the Breeze is a local Agnes Water act, performing together since early 2021. The band members have a combined experience of some 90 years in the music industry and their passion and musicianship shines through in every live performance. They really know how to get the place jumping, rocking genres such as country, swing, rockabilly and old school R&B.

All band members hail originally from Sydney and each has toured the country throughout lengthy music industry careers

The line-up includes Bryan Williams on electric guitar, David Brereton on bass guitar/vocals and Jason Smith on drums/vocals. They've already wowed crowds at venues such as the Agnes Water Tavern.

Ride The Breeze will perform on the #Agnes-BluesFest Marquee Stage from 10-10.30am on Sunday, 20 February.

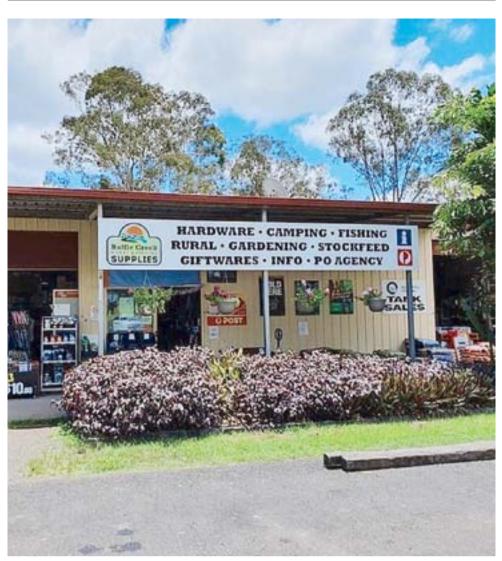
Now in its 15th year, the Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival is a three-day annual event.

The 2022 festival will be required to operate in line with current Queensland Government health directives, including proof of double vaccination from all attendees, staff, volunteers, stallholders, vendors and performers.

The Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival is supported by the Queensland Government through Tourism and Events Queensland and features on the It's Live! in Queensland events calendar.



Ride the Breeze is performing at the Agnes Blues, Roots & Rock Festival.



Baffle Creek Rural & Fishing Supplies is up for sale.

Baffle Creek store to sell

By Brittney Manning

An established Baffle Creek convenience store is ready for sale after 20 years of community support.

Baffle Creek Rural & Fishing Supplies provides locals and travellers with groceries, fuels, oils, batteries, bait and tackle, ice and gas.

The store also services locals as the postal agency, local delivery service and produces the local monthly newspaper. The store has been described as "a local icon and the beating heart of this coastal hidden paradise".

The business is located in the area's only shopping precinct at 2/244 Coast Road, Baffle Creek, Queensland.

The existing owners are looking to slow down and pass their business's success to someone who is willing to keep a great working relationship and continue to fulfill the needs of the community.

Please visit commercialrealestate.com.au to contact the owners for more details.

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The store provides locals and travellers with groceries, fuels, oils, batteries, bait and tackle, ice and gas and also acts as the postal agency and local delivery service.



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Rodeo event cancelled

By Eilish Massie

Calliope Rodeo and Specialty Events organisers have expressed their disappointment after the decision was made to cancel an upcoming

CRSE's Australia Day Rodeo, set for 22 January, was postponed due to the current Queensland Government Covid-19 legislations.

While no new date has been set, CRSE publicity officer Debbie Parr said organisers were 'disappointed' in having to cancel.

"The reason we postponed it is because with regulations changing all the time we really didn't want to risk getting a fine for something potentially that we didn't know was wrong," Ms Parr said.

"We read the legislation almost daily to try and keep up with what's going on and we just figured that we don't want to get a fine and they have their own limitations.

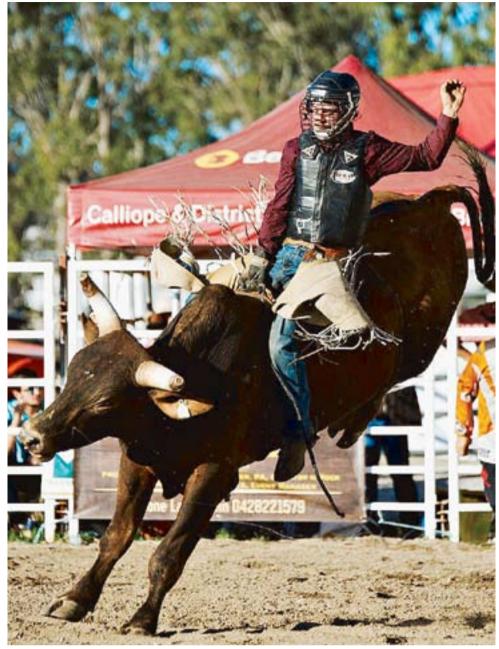
Ms Parr said the event was almost 90 per cent organised at the time the CRSE chose to postpone it.

"It is disheartening, in a time where we kind of are all looking forward to something good,"

We're still hoping to run something early in the year if we can but it fully depends on what restrictions are...we 're taking it day by day at

Ms Parr said she looked forward to seeing rodeo goers once restrictions eased.





Pictures: JOHN TODD

Zac forges a new career path thanks to joint effort

The cogs of Zac Phillips' future are turning fast. with the fourth-year Engineering student already securing employment with local firm, Xtreme Engineering in his hometown of Gladstone.

The 29-year-old started work at Xtreme Engineering in December last year, after he was referred by Lecturer Dr Ashfaque Chow-

"Dr Chowdhury contacted me out of the blue to say that Xtreme were looking for someone and I jumped at the chance," Zac

"I was with Bellis Insulation at the time, but this is more centred around mechanical engineering. I've only been with Xtreme a few weeks but it's pretty good so far, even though I am still learning the ropes.'

Zac said his role at Xtreme was a project engineering type role and he had been busy doing estimating for various projects. He said he was very interested to see where the role took him.

Zac's success is even more significant, given the fact that Engineering wasn't his first choice of study with CQU.

"I started in psychology and was studying that on the Gold Coast when I decided it wasn't for me," he said.

"Eventually I came back to Gladstone and got some work as a trades assistant in a hydraulics shutdown on Curtis Island and I really liked the technical aspects of that job."

It wasn't long after that Zac enrolled in Engineering, and he hasn't looked back.

"I'm in my fourth year now and employed

as an undergraduate. I've really enjoyed the degree - it's been great for problem solving and learning how to design things. It definitely gives you the structure to set you up for a job," he said.

"Part of me wants to be designing things in the future, but I'm still only just experienc-

Xtreme Engineering General Manager Scott Harrington said the firm was happy to have Zac on board.

"Zac has been a tremendous pickup for us as he has been able to immediately apply some of his Engineering training that he has gained from attending CQUniversity and apply that learning into our own work environment here at Xtreme Engineering," Mr Harrington said.

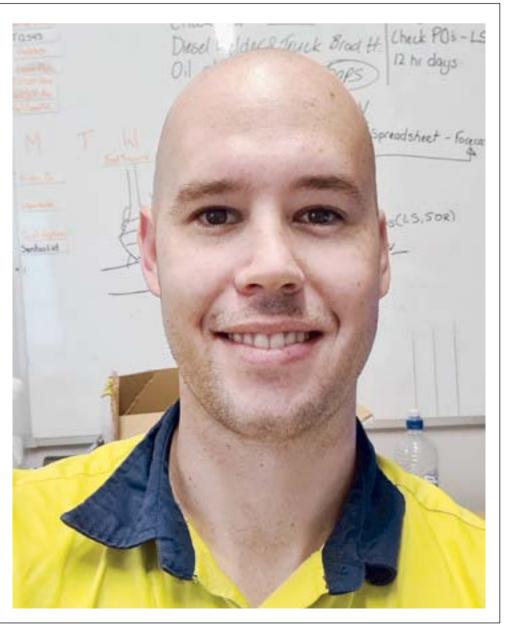
Zac advised anyone considering studying at Engineering CQU to follow through.

"If you like to know how things work in a deep, problem-solving manner then you should definitely do it," he said.

"I have found the degree really interesting solving problems is very rewarding and it's not all just theory.

"If you're a problem solver the degree is good to sink your teeth into and challenging at the same time."

Zac Phillips is looking forward to a future in



CONNECT



Parking options increased in city centre

Gladstone Regional Council will increase parking options in Goondoon Street with the addition of two designated disabled parking spaces for public

The car parks are located towards the rear of Council's 101 Goondoon Street office and can be accessed via Goondoon Street.

Signage is in place to direct motorists to these new parking spaces. The remaining car parks in this area are reserved for Council.

The addition of two disabled car parks came in response to feedback associated with the recent Goondoon Street CBD Civic Precinct Footpath Renewal Project.

Emerging community leader and disability advocate, Kate Dufty, was thrilled to see the new car parks and is now determined to make more people aware of them.

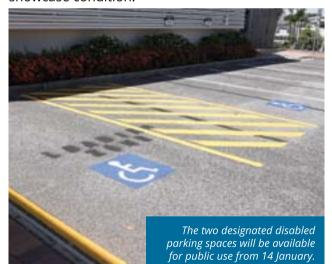
"It's a matter of getting the word out and word of mouth is great and because I've got some networks too that's a really good thing," Kate said.

"A lot of people probably wonder when they've got to come here where they can get a park without knowing there's two beautiful parks here, so the more we can publicise it the better."

In addition to the disabled car parks, extra rubbish bins were also requested and have now been provided throughout the CBD.

A single, general purpose bin has been installed adjacent to the Rydges Gladstone and Wilhelmsen driveways, with double waste and recycle bins also installed near Council's 109 Goondoon Street office.

It is hoped these rubbish bins will assist in keeping the newly revamped CBD streetscaping in showcase condition.



Exhibitions aplenty ready for display

history are in for a treat over the coming months with a plethora of exhibitions just waiting to be discovered.

The always intriguing *Our Priceless Past* more people a chance to take a glimpse into times gone by.

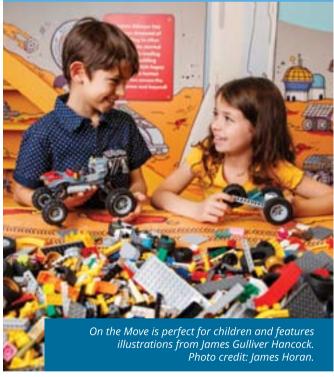
This exhibition launched at Gladstone Regional

autism and ADHD.

Celebrating Sports in the Gladstone Region will exhibition features photographs, stories sporting history from the 1900s until today.

by Sydney Living Museums that explores

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Sven, Archer and Aidens with a Mars lever crane.

Xander and Tyle

Bright futures in STEM

By Brittney Manning

Gladstone students participated in a two-day STEM holiday camp.

Hosted at the CQU Gladstone Marina campus the students used LEGO and programmable motors in a series of group challenges.

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Olivia and Fenna modify their mineral miner with all-terrain wheels.



Wesley and Lennix.



Tutor Sue Carningham guided the children to produce space-ready machinery.



Charlie and Lucas



Kaiden and Oliver build a water miner to operate on Saturn's moons.

OPINION Matt Canavan



Kids' vax should be choice

This week Pfizer's Covid-19 vaccine was made available in Australia to children aged five to 11 years old. It should remain a parent's choice whether their children are vaccinated.

Our medical system is based on informed consent for the good reason that all medical treatments involve risks. Each individual (or in the case of children the parents or guardian) deserves the right to weigh up these risks and make their own decision.

There can be reasonable disagreements about the balance between the benefits and risks especially given there is so much we still do not know about Covid or the vaccines.

What is not in dispute is that coronavirus is not a major risk for young children. Not a single child aged between five to 11 had died from coronavirus in the data the Australian regulator - the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) - relied on to approve the vaccine for young children. According to data compiled by the New York Times, the flu is a greater risk to young children than Covid - although both are low risks. Young children are not normally given the flu vaccine.

Some, however, are arguing that all children should be given the vaccine because it would protect adults from coronavirus spread.

A Pfizer representative said that the 'societal benefits' have to be factored in. The Australian Advisory Committee on Vaccines (which advise the TGA) stated that "there are likely to be both direct and indirect benefits to this age group and the broader community associated with vaccination of this age group."

Professor Michael Hawkes, from the University of Alberta, said that "childhood vaccination generates an 'altruistic' reduction in the number of adult cases, hospitalisation, and mortality particularly among the unvaccinated, who have a high risk of adverse outcomes".

Is it really altruistic to impose risks on children to protect adults? One hundred years ago when the Titanic was sinking it was women and children first. That should still be our standard because there is a moral obligation to protect the young and, by doing so, protect our future. Some of the arguments put in favour



A dose of a Pfizer Covid-19 vaccine is prepared.

of vaccinating children are putting a reverse equation forward.

These 'immunity' arguments, which treat children as part of the 'herd', fail on their own standards. The broad idea here is that vaccinating children will limit the spread of coronavirus by achieving 'herd immunity'.

We can all see that the vaccines do not do a good job at stopping people getting Covid and hence there is no real 'societal benefit' from getting all children vaccinated. As the TGA said in their approval "Vaccine efficacy against asymptomatic infection and viral transmission are not known for the proposed age group."

The decision then returns to what is best

for the child.

In the United States approval, their drug regulator (the FDA) ran a number of scenarios that compared the risk of myocarditis (a rare, heart related side effect of the vaccines) to the benefits of preventing severe Covid in children. Of the six scenarios, all but one showed a net benefit in children receiving the vaccine.

However, the one scenario that showed greater risks than benefits was the one in which the vaccine did not prevent many children getting COVID. Given the emergence of the Omicron variant, and the clear evidence that vaccines are not doing a good job at stopping people getting COVID, this scenario is rel-

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evant for our current situation.

The TGA noted in their approval that "No cases of myocarditis or pericarditis were observed, but the participants' numbers and duration of follow-up was relatively small and post-marketing surveillance will be of critical importance." Pfizer is still conducting studies and is currently evaluating troponin 1 levels (a marker for myocarditis) in children post vaccine.

All of this reveals why we should let parents decide what is best for their children. We should resist any mandates that would force children to get a vaccine for a virus that is of little risk to them.

Burnout, torment and tension, but hate is not the path

"You cannot reap what you have not sown. How are we going to reap love in our community if we only sow hate?" – St. Oscar Romero.

There is so much anger, torment, tension, unpredictability, and burnout right now in our community and around the world as we continue our quest forward out of this insidious pandemic.

No one has lived through these particular conditions before but it will never excuse bullying or abuse.

The pandemic has done a devastating amount of damage to what we used to class as a 'normal' life and it continues to leave us with more questions than it does answers. Every step we take now comes with a considerable amount of second guessing and for this natural born overthinker, it's becoming way too much.

As we continue to try to adapt to new measures and restrictions that are introduced on a regular basis, the hardest most heartbreaking thing for me is seeing our beloved small hardworking businesses suffering yet another hideous blow and having to ride a traumatizing rollercoaster of emotions with each passing day.

Mental health is more important than ever before and while the changing ways of the world are aiming to protect everyone's health, it is making it so much harder to truly be there for others when they need the support most.

I understand we have been enduring un-

THIS WEEK WITH JORDIE



precedented times, a crisis that will go down in the history books for sure, and I understand it is hard preserving the patience to continue to do all that we can to get through safely, but the cost is becoming greater by the day as we are jeopardizing the human spirit.

This is a moment in time that shows just how important our values and priorities are. A moment that can be whatever we make it so we have to learn how to step forward with the right amount of sensitivity and strategy.

While we may all have our differences and varying views, it's crucial that we take better care of ourselves and the people around us. We need each other now more than ever. Congregation is going to be much more beneficial than segregation. If we can move through this mayhem with mindfulness and push on with positivity instead of the pessimism in these extremely trying times, I genuinely believe we can do anything.

There's no room for hate or abuse over situations beyond our control but there's plenty of opportunities for learning, loving, and getting back to living our best lives yet. Hate is



Jordie Lynch says the pandemic has done a "devastating amount of damage to what we used to class as a 'normal' life".

never the path to follow if we want a harmonious and prosperous outcome.

I truly hope we can continue to support our small local businesses, assist those around us, keep the random acts of kindness going, and stay consistent with our incredible efforts to reap the benefits of (hopefully soon) a world away from this constant stress, angst, and unpredictability. We're all in this together.

No one should ever have to feel like they are going through these times alone. Below are some marvellous mental health sources to provide that bit of extra support if needed:

• everymind.org.au/resources/mental-

health-resources

• blackdoginstitute.org.au

■ beyondblue.org.au

■ headspace.org.au

Q&A

What is the best advice you've ever received? If you think you can or if you think you can't, you are correct!

What is something you do in your spare time?

I enjoy playing golf when I get the chance and going to the movies with the kids. We are all big fans or Marvel movies!

What is something most people don't know about you?

My claim to fame is that I beat the World Snooker Champion at pool two weeks before he won the title.

What's your favourite spot in the Gladstone region?

Heron Island – I think we have been 14 or 15 times now. It's a slice of paradise in our region.

What would be your last meal if you could choose?

It would have to be a chicken tikka masala with naan bread and a nice pale ale to wash it down.

Which celebrity guests (dead or alive) would you invite to a dinner party?

Henrik Larsson – my favourite Celtic player of all time.

George Lucas and Stan Lee – I'm a bit of a Star Wars and Marvel fan.

Who is your favourite movie star and what do you admire about him or her?

Tom Cruise – he has been in some of my favourite movies from Top Gun and Jerry Maguire through to the Mission Impossible collection. He knows how to make action movies and does lots of his own stunts.

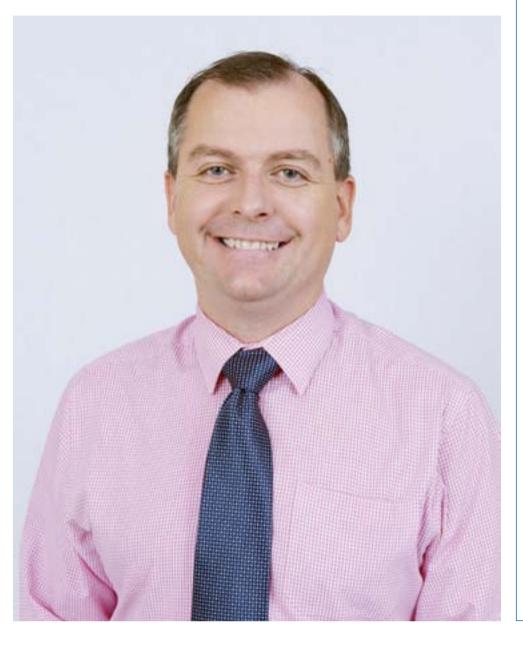
What is one of your greatest achievements?

Having a great life in Australia with my family and business after moving from Scotland almost 15 years ago with 2 suitcases and 2 cats!

If you had to choose three items to take with you on a trip to a deserted island, which would they be?

Food, water and beer.

with UHY Haines Norton Gladstone director Joe Smith



THREE ... books by Gladstone authors

This week we advantage of works published by Gladstone authors about our region. Copies can be purchased or loaned at the Gladstone City Library.

What's in a Name? by Paulette Flint

This book affords a glimpse into the stories behind the street names of the city of Gladstone. These stories open up a window to the past and give the reader an insight into what Gladstone was like in the early days.

Curtis Island's South End: Going to the Island by Jan Hart

Jan Hart's migratory life, from island seascapes to outback landscapes, has taught her, "It's only when we leave a place that we come to fully appreciate it." Born in Mt Isa and after many years in Victoria Jan Hart moved to the Gladstone region, "where she discovered the island and its rich, endearing history."

Kookaburra Shells: Port Curtis Literature by Robyn Sheahan-Bright

This collection of writing from Port Curtis in Queensland by new and acclaimed writers shows how the region's literature can be descriptive of its spirit and unearth its past. It 'lifts the lid' on a history which has been kept all too secret.

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WE TAKE IT TO THE STREETS

Are you willing to pay more for ethically-branded products in the supermarket?



Yes. I've learnt to use less so in the long run, it's less expensive. • **Kathleen, 53**



Yes, it's part of being a responsible human being.



It's too expensive when you have a family, but we would if they were cheaper.

- Geoff, Craig, Andy and Daz

- Ruth, 60



LYNCHY'S JOKE OF THE WEEK

1. Just letting you know I am not a very good traveler.

A drive to my hometown would take seven hours so we now tend to fly which I still find the hour + flight boring.

I was on a flight to Brissy this day and there was a young fella two seats in front of me making a hell of a ruckus. Then I will guarantee you as soon as the seatbelt light went off the young'un was running up and down the aisle of the plane.

Mum was just sitting there oblivious of what he was doing.

He actually bumped into one of the flight attendants and made her spill the coffee she had prepaid.

Next thing you know the other flight attendant spoke on the intercom, "Can the mother or father of the disruptive little boy making a hell of a racket running around bumping into people take the child back to his seat and restrain him or we are going to instruct him to go and play outside."

2. I used to live in the suburb of Harristown in Toowoomba and our Saturday afternoon entertainment was watching my dog chase people on a bike.

My brother and I thought it was hilarious until it got to the stage Mum and Dad were getting so many complaints, they told us that if he continues this we are going to make you take his bike off him.



Jessie, 12, races to the finish line.

Johnny Grother from FastKarts fits a helmet to Bryson, 11.

Trackside ready, set, go!

Gladstone Today photographer Mike Richards attended the Fast Karts thrill event.

Hosted by the Gladstone Regional Council as part of the Festival of Summer kids tore up the track and had lots of fun.



Daniel, 16, flies past in Kart 13.



Lachlan, 13, ahead of the pack in Kart 96.



Will, 13, in Kart 65.



Ally, 11, in Kart 98.



Billy, 14, pushing ahead in Kart 38.

Gladstone Today community events billboard

JANUARY

Thursday 13 January

Be prepared to get messy at slime time! Experiment with different kinds of slime and make your own slime to take home. For ages 7 years and over. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Bookings are required.

Time: 9.30am to 10.30am

Location: Calliope Library and Transaction Centre. 3 Don Cameron Drive, Calliope

For more information call 07 4975 8105.

Friday 14 January

School Holiday Movie: The Croods - a new age (PG)

Come along to your local library to watch a movie in airconditioned comfort. BYO snacks, pillows and whatever else you require for movie-watching enjoyment. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Bookings are essential.

Location: Miriam Vale Library, 41 Blomfield Street, Miriam

For more information call 07 4974 6241.

School Holiday Movie: Shaun the Sheep -Farmageddon (G)

Come along to your local library to watch a movie in airconditioned comfort, BYO snacks, pillows and whatever else you require for movie-watching enjoyment. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Bookings are essential.

Gladstone.

Time: 2pm Location: Gladstone Library, 39 Goondoon Street,

For more information call 07 4976 6400.

Family Musical Bingo Night

Musical bingo is just like regular bingo but with music and dancing, plus pizza! Compete with other families to win prizes.

Bookings are required.

Time: 5.30pm to 7.30pm

Location: Gladstone Library, 39 Goondoon Street,

For more information call 07 4976 6400.

Saturday 15 January

Festival of Summer Sounds

Bringing a stellar lineup of unearthed performers along with headliner Thandi Phoenix, the Festival of Summer Sounds 18+ indoor concert is where you'll get your festival fix this January.

Time: 6pm to 12am

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

For more information or to book tickets see the Gladstone Entertainment website

Sunday 16 January

Discovery Coast Markets

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

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

For more information email dcrmarkets@gmail.com

Tuesday 18 January

Bonsai for Kids

Learn the basics of this ancient tree art. Tree and pot supplied. Ages over 8 years.

Time: 9am to 11.30am.

Location: Toondoon Botanic Gardens Courtyard.

For more information and bookings call 07 4971 4444.

School Holiday Movie: Scooby-Doo- Sword and the

Come along to your local library to watch a movie in airconditioned comfort. BYO snacks, pillows and whatever else you require for movie-watching enjoyment. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Bookings are essential.

Time: 2pm

Location: Agnes Water Libary, 71 Springs Road, Agnes Water.

For more information call 07 4902 1501.

Wednesday 19 January

School Holiday Movie: Dragon Rider (PG)

Come along to your local library to watch a movie in air-

conditioned comfort. BYO snacks, pillows and whatever else you require for movie-watching enjoyment. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Location: Boyne Island Library, Cnr Hayes and Wyndham Avenue, Boyne Island.

For more information call 07 4971 9700.

COUni TAFE Careers Expo

Explore your TAFE training options and drop into the CQUni TAFE Careers Expo. Suitable for anyone interested in TAFE, from school students, career starters of people upskilling.

Time: 2pm to 5:30pm

Location: COUni Gladstone Campus, Leo Zussino Building 3 For more information see the CQUniversity website.

Thursday 20 January

School Holiday Movie: Manou the Swift (G)

Come along to your local library to watch a movie in airconditioned comfort. BYO snacks, pillows and whatever else you require for movie-watching enjoyment. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Bookings are essential.

Location: Calliope Library and Transaction Centre, 3 Don Cameron Drive, Calliope

For more information call 07 4975 8105.

Friday 21 January

School Holiday Movie: The Kid Who Would Be King (PG)

Come along to your local library to watch a movie in airconditioned comfort. BYO snacks, pillows and whatever else you require for movie-watching enjoyment. Children under 12 years must be supervised by an adult.

Bookings are essential.

Location: Gladstone Library, 39 Goondoon Street, Gladstone. For more information call 07 4976 6400.

Sunday 23 January

Discovery Coast Markets

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

Time: 8am

Location: 1770 SES Grounds on Captain Cook Drive, Agnes

For more information email dcrmarkets@gmail.com

Tuesday 25 January

Thy Art is Murder

Thy Art Is Murder exorcise the pangs of mortality and the pains of socio-political trauma to a soundtrack of authentic crushing death metal with blackened fury and flashes of knuckle-dragging stomp.

Time: 7pm

Location: Harvey Road Tavern, Gladstone.

For more information and tickets see https://www.oztix.

Wednesday 26 January

Australia Day Awards

The Gladstone Regional Council Australia Day Awards acknowledge and celebrate the contributions and success of individuals and groups within the Gladstone Region. The awards provide Council with an opportunity to publicly recognise and celebrate those in our community who have made significant contributions and achievements.

Details for the Australia Day celebrations on 26 January 2022 will be announced soon.

Australia Day Family Fun Day

Celebrate contemporary Australia, acknowledge our history and honour the diverse culture in our region at the 2022 Australia Day Family Fun Day

Time: 2pm to 6pm

Location: Millenium Esplanade, Tannum Sands

For more information see the Gladstone Regional Council

Builyan Many Peaks Community Development

Australia day Brekkie - BBQ breakfast, poetry, trivia quizzes and cake cutting.

Time: 8am to 11am

Location: Builyan Hall, Pine Street.

For more information see their Facebook page.

Boyne Valley Community Discovery Centre Inc.

Australia Day Backyard - This is an afternoon event that begins with some water play, a treasure hunt and other organised games for the kids while adults relax and catch up. A backyard cricket match involving all ages follows in the cool of the afternoon. The event ends with a BBQ and cutting of the Australia Day cake and Cricket Match.

Time: 4pm to 7pm

Location: Boyne Valley Community Discovery Centre, McDonald Street, Boyne Valley

For more information see their Facebook page.

South End Progress Association Inc.

Australia Day Celebrations - BBQ food, lamingtons, soft drinks, water, tea and coffee are provided. Sporting activities for adults and children include tug-o-war, crab pot throwing, volleyball and cricket. Music entertainment is provided throughout the day.

Location: Golding Park, South End, Curtis Island.

For more information see their Facebook page.

Turkey Beach Progress Association

Australia Day Breakfast - BBQ breakfast, costume judging. Thong throwing, cow pat, colouring competitions, cricket match and much more.

Time: 7am to 10am

Location: Turkey Beach Community Hall, Worthington Road, Turkey Beach.

For more information see their Facebook page.

February

Friday 4 February

Celtic Illusion

Immerse yourself in one of the most unique productions touring the world. A breathtaking array of experiences, fusing Irish Dance, Magic and influential flavours of Fosse Michael Jackson, with a Broadway style.

Time: 7:30pm to 10:30pm

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

For more information and tickets see https:// gladstoneentertainment.com/

Tuesday 15 February

General Meeting of Council

This meeting will also be live-streamed on Council's Facebook and a recording of the meeting will be posted on social media.

Location: Council Chambers - Civic Centre, 101 Goondoon Street, Gladstone.

For more information contact Council on 07 4970 0700.

Friday 19 February

Kevin Bloody Wilson

The Kevin Bloody Wilson Show is not just a concert performance, for most, it's a full on event and an opportunity to tick from your bucket-list a chance to see Australia's most unique International comedy legend. Kevin has become a national institution - a must see for any person wanting to see absolute original Australian comedy.

Time: 7:30pm

Location: Harvey Road Tavern, Gladstone. For more information and tickets see https://liveatyourlocal.

Sunday 20 February

Rotary Charity Markets

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

Time: 7am to 12pm

Location: Tondoon Botanic Gardens, 672 Glenlyon Road,

For more information, see the Gladstone Regional Council

Sunday 27 February

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

KNOW OF AN EVENT HAPPENING IN OUR REGION?*

To add it to our Community Events Billboard, contact

editorial@todaygladstone.com.au

*Event information correct at time of print. Event details are subject to change at the discretion of the event organisation. While we endeavour to include as many events as we can, Gladstone Today cannot guarantee the inclusion of every event.

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Novel ideas boost tourism

A new tourism innovation fund, 'Turtle Tank' has been designed to support the Gladstone Region through the challenges of the Covid-19 pandemic and assist with the recovery of the tourism industry.

The purpose of Turtle Tank is to fund innovative ideas, campaigns and initiatives in the tourism space that benefit the region now and into the future.

A total of \$100,000 will be available, made up of \$50,000 from Gladstone Regional Council and \$50,000 from the Together Gladstone Fund.

Financial contributors of the Together Gladstone Fund include Boyne Smelters Limited, ConocoPhillips as downstream operator of Australia Pacific LNG, Queensland Alumina Limited, Rio Tinto Yarwun, Santos GLNG, Shell's QGC Business and other local industries.

Gladstone Regional Council Acting Mayor Kahn Goodluck said the Turtle Tank fund is loosely based on the hit Network Ten show Shark Tank and involves a three-step application process.

"The final step in the process will see applicants invited to attend the 'Turtle Tank' to pitch their initiative to a panel of 'expert investors' made up Gladstone Regional Council, Together Gladstone and GAPDL representatives," Councillor Goodluck said.

"Prior to sinking their teeth in – or in this case, sliding into the Turtle Tank – applicants must attend the upcoming Tourism Innovation Fund information session.

"From there, they must submit a written application outlining the basics of their initiative to the panel for assessment.

"This is an exciting concept and one we hope will stimulate the tourism industry, while also increasing liveability and visitation in our region by growing tourism offerings."

Applications open from today (Monday 10 January) with the Tourism Innovation Fund information session to be held at Gladstone



The Turtle Tank fund is loosely based on the hit Network Ten show Shark Tank and involves a three-step application process.

Entertainment Convention Centre on Thursday 20 January.

The Turtle Tank fund is an initiative of Gladstone Regional Council, Together Gladstone and GAPDL.

Please visit gladstoneregion.info for more information about the Turtle Tank fund.

Visit www.gladstone.qld.gov.au/tourism to access a copy of the Gladstone Region Visitor Economy Strategy 2025.

Information for applicants

Applicants can be a not-for-profit organisa-

tion, a business/commercial operator based in the Gladstone Region local government area or partnerships/consortiums.

Applicants must be incorporated (not applicable for businesses), have an Australian Business Number (ABN), be financially solvent and have an operational bank account for the funds to be paid in to.

Applicants must not be a religious or political organisation, a sporting club, an educational institution or a local, state or federal government agency.



Acting Mayor Kahn Goodluck said applications are to pitch their ideas as the final step.

Initiatives should be:

- Innovative
- Sustainable
- Environmentally conscious
- Aligned to the Gladstone Regional Council Visitor Economy Strategy and substrategies
- Aligned to the GAPDL Destination Tourism
- Projects that leverage off current events and/ or existing infrastructure in the Gladstone Region may receive preference.



INDUSTRY EVENT

Fitznoy to Gladstone Pipeline INDUSTRY BRIEFING

19 JANUARY 2022

Gladstone Area Water Board invites local suppliers to attend a Fitzroy to Gladstone Pipeline local supplier briefing

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Keep our region safe and beautiful

Our Summer Biosecurity Surveillance Program runs from **30 November – 30 April** and involves our officers conducting property inspections to monitor compliance with the requirements of the *Biosecurity Act 2014*.

For more information call 4970 0700.

www.gladstone.qld.gov.au



Your year ahead

The old saying about "being in the right place at the right time" rings true, and your time is this year. Commitments won't completely disappear. Indeed, they look to increase but can be handled in a more confident way. The answer lies in staying flexible, even when under pressure. Keep faith with the spirit that drives you. This is a time for learning and growth. And even if you do have to accept the occasional trade-off, remember it's still you who's paving the way. In matters of love, a chance encounter brings its temptations.



ARIES

(Mar 21 - Apr 20)

You're about to set yet a new course, but this change in direction may bring some tough decisions. If at odds with a spouse or business associate, the main source of conflict is likely to be money. While one wants to save, the other is more interested in spending. A sensible compromise may be to spend only what you have - put all credit on hold. Best Day: Sunday 16th



(Apr 21 - May 20)

Sometimes Taurean trust leads you to put your trust in situations that aren't reliable. You did not ask to be hurt, but hurt you were. At some point, you must forgive those who have caused you pain. If the time's not yet right, don't force anything. Be gentle with yourself. A meditative solo walk-in nature could be just what you need. Best Day: Monday 17th



Job satisfaction can be elusive, especially when you're worried about what next week will bring. It's not a time for drastic changes, Gemini. There will always be bills to meet and payments to be made. You can, however, plan for the future. Why not consider retraining, perhaps on-line study? Current hardships eventually will become future triumphs. Best Day: Thursday 20th



CANCER

(Jun 22 - Jul 22)

That old self-doubt is back again, but you'll just have to scrape up your self esteem and paste on your best smile. Most of the trouble is at home, so you're in for some candid chat if there's any hope of restoring the peace. Sometimes it's best to just forgive and forget. That means forgiving yourself, too. Best Day: Sunday 16th



(Jul 23 - Aug 23)

Money remains a niggling need, but there's nothing like feeling the pinch to prompt ingenuity. Chances are you've been putting off the inevitable and not feeling good about it. Result: the week throws you some lessons in prudence and financial planning. The downside? Excessive focus on finances could rob relationships of their enchantment.

Best Day: Friday 21st



LIBRA

(Sep 23 - Oct 23)

Excitement is in the air, and you sense it. The time's right to turn dreams into reality. Start a new business - find a new job. Let loved ones spoil you. What's to lose? Nothing. But there's plenty to suggest fun and perhaps even a fistful of cash. Finances look particularly promising, with a possible merger of love and business interests.

Best Day: Saturday 22nd

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VIRGO (Aug 24 - Sep 22)

Every now and then, you question whether or not you're truly content. Sometimes this concerns relationships, but the focus this week falls more on work. Remember, you can find a resolution to most problems. Either sort it or change direction - the choice is yours. This week it's directness that will win you favours.

Best Day: Monday 17th



SCORPIO

(Oct 24 - Nov 22)

You're primed for change, Scorpio. Work offers new challenges; so your mission, should you choose to accept it, is to wield your professional strengths with focus and integrity. At home, you get a sense of where you need to cut ties and move forward. There's a strong need to clearly define your identity and personal boundaries.

Best Day: Tuesday 18th



SAGITTARIUS

(Nov 23 - Dec 21)

Spurred on by a fiery ambition, your desire for independence and success is even greater than usual. Stop talking about what you would like to do instead, get busy, and do it. Money and status are easier to achieve if you take the lead, rather than follow. Prepare well and be honest in all your dealings.

Best Day: Wednesday 19th



CAPRICORN

(Dec 22 - Jan 20)

This week, keep an ear to the ground and your lips sealed. There's some gossip happening, and it could be about you - so don't be in a hurry to disclose your thoughts or secrets. Let others reveal their intentions first. Keep yourself at a safe distance from troublemakers and don't expect others to live up to their promises. **Best Day: Friday 21st**



AQUARIUS

(Jan 21 - Feb 18)

It's difficult to please everyone, and sometimes you just can't please anyone. Tensions may make you tetchy, and right now you need to keep a cool head. If you're feeling crowded, break away for a while - a supportive cosmos encourages a few days of rest or solitude. Soon enough, you should emerge revitalised, and knowing your own worth.

Best Day: Wednesday 19th



PISCES

(Feb 19 - Mar 20)

Communication is your sword and shield this week, but there comes a point when words aren't enough, and your splendid ideas must be put to the test. The urge for independence also prompts change in relationships. For singles: someone older may become a serious suitor. Established couples should hold on tight to what's worthy. **Best Day: Tuesday 18th**

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The Guide



PICK OF THE WEEK

TRIP HAZARD: MY GREAT **BRITISH ADVENTURE** SBS Viceland, Monday, 8.30pm

Comedian Rosie Jones fronts this travel caper with an infectious grin. The refreshing series sees her take a celebrity pal with her in each episode exploring Britain, in her own words: "going to sh** places and making the most of it". It's a cheeky and uplifting journey, which is narrated by Olivia Colman. and sees Jones not only check out some rather beautiful locations, but parody the travel show genre with pretend "behind the scenes" scenes. In this doubleepisode premiere, the shenanigans kick off with Jones whisking presenter Scarlett Moffatt to the former home of William Wordsworth.

SEX & MUSIC: BLURRED GENDERS SBS Viceland, Friday, 9.20pm

You could say that sex and music go hand in hand - but that wasn't always the case. Back in the '50s, around 3% of pop songs mentioned sex. Fast-forward to 2009 and 92% of



songs were about the birds and the bees. This insightful series explores how pop music has influenced our sex lives and vice versa. Take a look at how performers such as David Bowie (pictured) and Mick Jagger, and their unique representations of gender, have influenced our appearances and attitudes.

WHY WOMEN KILL SBS Viceland, Saturday, 8.30pm

Don't mistake this campy series as another true-crime documentary lifting the lid on murderous women. The cheekily titled Why Women Kill is a gaudy and fun creation from Marc Cherry, the man behind the smash hit



drama of the early 2000s, Desperate Housewives. Season two of the black comedy introduces a new cast and a striking 1940s setting, along with more swoon-worthy costumes. We meet Alma (Allison Tolman, Fargo, pictured) who dreams of filling a recently vacated seat in her local garden club.

Nine, Sunday, 7pm

After the silly season of parties and junk food, many of us are craving some investigative journalism to bring us back to reality and, after more than 40 years of serving just that, 60 Minutes is a winner. In this week's



instalment, Sarah Abo (pictured) takes a look at the medical mystery of foreign accent syndrome. Tara Brown revisits the incredible story of Pasquale Buzzelli, the miracle man of 9/11, who survived after falling 18 floors as the towers collapsed.

Friday, January 14

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Kevin McCloud's Top 10. (PG, R) 11.00 The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Kurt Fearnley's One Plus One. (R) 1.30 Van Der Valk. (Mav, R) 3.00 ABC News Afternoons. 4.00 Think Tank. (R) 5.00 Restoration Australia. (PG, R)

6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **6.30 Summer Drum.** Analysis of the day's news.

7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories. **7.30 Midsomer Murders.** (PG, R) Barnaby relives his sporting glory days. **9.00 Miniseries: The War Of The**

Worlds. (Mav) Part 2 of 3. Amy and George search desperately for each other as the Martian invasion spreads. **10.00 Mum.** (Ml, R) Cathy and

Michael have plans. 10.35 ABC Late News. **11.00 Van Der Valk.** (Mdsv, R) **12.35 Rage.** (MA15+adhlnsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **5.10pm** The Wonder Gang. **5.20** Kangaroo Beach. 5.35 Milo. 5.50 Peppa Pig. 5.55 Hev Duggee. 6.05 Octonauts. 6.20 Bluev. 6.25 Peter Rabbit. **6.40** Andy's Dinosaur Adventures. Specks. 8.00 Hard Quiz. 8.30 MOVIE: Adaptation. (2002, MA15+) 10.25 Doctor Who. 11.10 Brassic. 11.55 QI. 12.25am Community. 12.50 Parks And Recreation 1.10 Last Woman On The Planet 2.05 ABC News Update. **2.10** Close. **5.05** Little Princess. **5.15** Hoot Hoot Go! **5.20** Pingu In The City. **5.30** Wallykazam!

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 8.05 Wolf Joe. 8.15 Pom Pom. 8.20 Wapos Bay. 8.45 Waahiny Time 9.10 Rushwhacked! 9.35 The Magic Canoe. **10.00** Extreme Africa. **11.00** Going Places. Noon MOVIE: Pluto Nash. (2002) 2.00 Shortland Street. **2.30** Chefs' Line. **3.00** Wapos Bay. **3.25** The Magic Canoe. **3.50** Wolf Joe. **4.00** Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Project Planet. 4.35 Mustangs FC. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Living Black. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. **6.35** Extreme Africa. **7.30** Little J And Big Cuz. 7.45 MOVIE: Martian Child. (2007, PG) 9.40 Bedtime Stories. 9.45 Yothu Yindi Tribute Concert. 11.10 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 Soccer. Supercopa de España. Second semi-final. Atlético Madrid v Athletic Club. Continued. 6.50 WorldWatch. 2.00 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw Bitesize. (PG) 2.05 Gourmet Farmer. (PGaw, R) 2.35 Hunting Egypt's Lost Treasures. (PGa, R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Jeopardy! (PG) **4.30** Letters And Numbers. (R) 5.00 Motor Racing. Dakar Rally. Stage 11.

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) **6.30** SBS World News. **7.35** Good With Wood.

Hosted by Mel Giedroyc.

8.30 Walking Britain's Roman Roads: Ermine Street. (PGav, R) Dan follows the route of Ermine Street.

9.25 Ancient Superstructures: Machu Picchu. (R) Part 2 of 4. 10.25 SBS World News Late. 11.00 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does

Countdown. (Mls, R) 11.50 Agatha Christie's Criminal Games. (Mav, R) **1.45** North To South: NZ's Wildest Journey. (R) **5.00** France 24 Feature. **5.15** NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. **11.00** SBS Courtside. **11.30** Basketball. NBA. Brooklyn Nets v Oklahoma City Thunder. **2pm** WorldWatch. **2.30** Last Chance High. **3.00** VICE. 3.35 Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. 3.45 WorldWatch. Alone. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Hoarders. **9.20** Sex & Music: Blurred Genders. 10.25 Sexplora. 11.20 Narcos 12.15am News 1.10 Sex Sells: Beate Uhse. 2.00 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 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Gagarin. Continued. (2013, PG, Russian) 7.55 The Red Balloon. (1956, French) 8.35 Boychoir. (2014, PG) **10.30** Hacker. (2019, PG, Danish) 12.15pm Before We Vanish. (2017, M, Japanese) Victoria. (2009, PG) **6.50** Rabbit-Proof Fence.

2.40 Playtime. (1967. PG, French) **4.55** The Young (2002, PG) **8.30** Honey Boy. (2019, MA15+) **10.15** Arthur Newman. (2012, MA15+) **11.55** 2 Autumns, 3 Winters. (2013, M, French) **1.35am** Before We Vanish. (2017, M, Japanese) 3.55 Monk Comes Down The Mountain. (2015, M, Cantonese)

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. (PGa, R) 1.00 The Ashes: Pre-Game Show. 2.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 1. Afternoon session. **4.00** The Ashes: Tea Break. **4.40** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 1. Late afternoon session.

6.00 Seven Local News. **6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket.** The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia

v England. Day 1. Evening session. **9.30 MOVIE: Horrible Bosses 2.** (2014, Mls, R) Three men decide to become their own bosses by launching their own business. Jason Bateman,

Jason Sudeikis, Charlie Day.

11.45 MOVIE: Night Shift. (1982, Mlnsv, R) Two employees try to strike it rich. Henry Winkler.

2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. (R) 5.00 NBC Today.

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Bargain Hunt. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.15** Sons And Daughters. **3.45** M*A*S*H. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Pleasure, 8.45 The Amazing Homemakers, 9.45 Australia's Big Backyards. 10.50 The Mentalist. 12.50am The Fine Art Auction. 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens, 5.30 Home Shopping

7MATE (73) 6am ITM Fishing Show. 6.30 Big Angry Fish. 7.30 Creek To Coast. 8.00 American Pickers. **9.00** Down East Dickering. **10.00** NFL 100 Greatest. **11.00** America's Game. **Noon** Sound FX: Best Of. **12.30** Pawnography. **1.30** Shipping Wars. **2.00** Heavy Lifting. **3.00** Pawn Stars. **3.30** Bull Riding. PBR Australia. Monster Energy Tour. 4.00 Timbersports. **4.30** Down East Dickering. **5.30** Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 1. Late afternoon session. **6.40** The Ashes: Dinner Break. **7.00** Pawn Stars. 8.30 MOVIE: Rise Of The Planet Of The Apes. (2011. M) 10.40 Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra Summer. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: A Summer To Remember. (2018, PGa, R) **1.45 Explore**. (PG, R) **2.00 Pointless.** (PG, R) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 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: The Devil You Know. (PG) The zoo welcomes Tasmanian devil joeys. **8.30 MOVIE: Clear And Present**

Danger. (1994, Mv, R) A CIA agent investigating the drug trade uncovers corruption at the highest level of US government. Harrison Ford, Willem Dafoe, Anne Archer. 11.20 MOVIE: John Grisham's

The Gingerbread Man. (1998, Mlnv, R) Kenneth Branagh. 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Take Two. (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 My Favorite Martian, 11.00 Tennis, Adelaide International, Day Session. Sydney Tennis Classic. Day 5. Day Session. International. Night Session. Sydney Tennis Classic. Day 5. Night Session. **10.00** House. **11.00** The Equalizer. Midnight Destination WA: Discovering The East Kimberley. **12.30** My Favorite Martian. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. **Noon** Surf Lifesaving. Nutri-Grain Ironman and Ironwoman Series. **2.00** The A-Team. **3.00** The Nanny. **3.30** 3rd Rock From The Sun. **4.00** That 70s Show. **4.30** Malcolm. **5.30** The Nanny. **6.00** 3rd Rock From The Sun. 6.30 The Oueen Family Singalong. **7.30 MOVIE:** Ghostbusters. (2016, PG) 9.55 MOVIE: R.I.P.D. (2013, M) 11.45 3rd Rock From The Sun. **12.15am** Lipstick Jungle. **1.15** Vanderpump Rules. **2.10** Love Island USA. **3.00** Bakugan: Geogan Rising. **3.30** Ninjago. **4.00** Pokémon Journeys. **4.30** Beyblade Burst Rise. **4.50** Tom And Jerry. **5.10** Care Bears: Unlock The Magic. 5.30 Gumball.

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. (PGal, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.30 Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Left Off The Map. **4.00** Farm To Fork. (PG) **4.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. **7.30 The Graham Norton Show. Guests include Martin Freeman** and Denzel Washington.

9.30 Just For Laughs. (Mls, R) Comedians include Steph Tisdell, Tom Ballard, Two Hearts, Brodi Snook,

Harley Breen and Alice Fraser. 10.30 Drunk History Australia. (MA15+I, R) **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 NBL Slam. 7.30 Seinfeld. **8.00** Man With A Plan. **8.30** Becker. **9.00** The Middle. **10.00** Frasier. **11.00** The King Of Queens. Noon Becker. 1.00 Man With A Plan. 1.30 Seinfeld. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.30** Mom. **10.30** Nancy Drew. (Return) 11.30 Friends. 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 Crazy Ex-Girlfriend. 4.30 Home Shopping. 5.30 Infomercials.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 7.00 Infomercials. 8.00 Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. **9.00** iFish Summer Series. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. 10.30 Diagnosis Murder. 11.30 JAG. **1.30pm** Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.30 Star Trek. 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** Law & Order: SVU. **10.30** Matildas: Countdown To India 2022. 11.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. Midnight Home Shopping. 1.00 Infomercials. 1.30 Home Shopping. 2.00 SEAL Team. 3.00 NCIS: New Orleans. 5.00 Diagnosis Murder.

Saturday, January 15

ABC TV (2)

6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. **10.00** Rage. (PG) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 MOVIE: Becoming Jane. (2007, PG, R) Anne Hathaway.

2.25 Midsomer Murders. (PG, R) 4.00 Basketball. WNBL. Round 7. Melbourne Boomers v Southside Flyers.

6.00 Escape From The City: Orange NSW - The Hatchs. (R) Dean Ipaviz finds four homes for a Brisbane duo. 7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories and events as they unfold, with comprehensive analysis and reporting **7.30 The Larkins.** (Final, PG) As the

Larkins prepare for Christmas, the village faces a rash of burglaries. 8.40 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) Sister

Julienne is drawn into a family rift between an estranged mother and daughter who are both pregnant. Nurse Crane realises she has an admirer. Sister Frances' shyness starts to concern Sister Julienne.

10.35 Father Brown. (Mv, R) A wealthy socialite is murdered 11.20 Finding Alice. (Ml, R) Charlotte decides to return to school. 12.10 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) Guest programmed by Archie Roach.

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.05pm** The Deep. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Ql. **8.30** Melbourne International Comedy Festival 2021: Opening Night. 9.30 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 10.15 Insert Name Here. 10.45 Schitt's Creek. 11.10 The Trip To Greece. 11.40 Red Dwarf. (Final) **12.10am** David Attenborough: Kingdom Of Plants. 1.00 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.15 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. **12.10pm** Extreme Africa. **1.10** First School At Middle Beach. **1.40** Rugby Union. Ella 7s. **2.00** Ice Hockey. National Hockey Super League. 4.00 Soccer. Scottish Women's Premier League. 5.50 Away From Country. **6.50** News. **7.00** Chuck And The First People's Kitchen. **7.30 MOVIE:** Bitchin:The Sound And Fury Of Rick James. (2021) **9.25 MOVIE:** Cape Fear. (1991, MA15+) **11.35** Late Programs.

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. (R) 2.00 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw Bitesize. (PG) **2.05** FIFA World Cup 2022 Magazine. **2.35** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (R) 3.05 London's Great Bridges. (R) 4.55 Motor Racing. Dakar Rally. Final stage. Highlights. **5.55** Grand Tours Of Scotland's Lochs. (PG)

6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 Great Escapes With Morgan Freeman: North Country Breakout.

(M) A look at an escape from Dannemora. 8.30 The World's Greatest Hotels: Atlantis, Dubai. (PG) Takes a look at the luxury hotel resort Atlantis The Palm, Dubai, located atop a palm tree shaped island.

9.25 World's Most Beautiful Railway. (R) A look at the "homecoming" of the world's most iconic steam locomotive, The Flying Scotsman.

10.20 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (M, R) 11.10 Dublin Murders. (Malsv, R) 12.15 MOVIE: Midnight In **Paris.** (2011, PGs, R)

1.55 The Kimberley Cruise: The Full Journey. (R) **4.40** Bamay. (R) **5.00** France 24 Feature. **5.15** NHK World English News. **5.30** Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Basketball. NBA. Brooklyn Nets v Oklahoma City Thunder. Replay. 2.00 What Would Diplo Do? 2.30 Unknown Amazon. 3.20 WorldWatch. 4.45 It's Suppertime! **5.45** Delivering The World: Inside DHL. **6.35** The Story Of The Songs. **7.30** Brooklyn Nine-Nine. **8.30** Why Women Kill. (Return) **10.20** The X-Files. 2.30am France 24. 3.00 Thai News 3.30 Bangla News. 4.00 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Hacker. (2019, PG, Danish) **7.45** Swallows And Amazons. (2016, PG) 9.35 Playtime. (1967, PG, French) **11.50** Monk Comes Down The Mountain. (2015, M, Cantonese) **1.55pm** Binti. (2019, PG, Dutch) 3.35 The Triplets Of Belleville. (2003, PG, French) **5.05** Alone In Space. (2018, PG, Swedish) **6.35** Lassie. (2005, PG) **8.30** If Beale Street Could Talk. (2018, MA15+) **10.40** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 NBC Today. **7.00** Weekend Sunrise. **10.00** The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG) 12.00 World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. (PGa, R) 1.00 The Ashes: Pre-Game Show. **2.00** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 2. Afternoon session. 4.00 The Ashes: Tea Break. 4.40 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 2. Late afternoon session.

6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test.

Australia v England. Day 2. Evening session. From Blundstone Arena, Hobart. 9.00 MOVIE: Batman Begins.

(2005, Mav, R) Following his parents' murder at the hands of a mugger, a young man travels the world, eventually returning to his home in Gotham City where he uses the skills he has learned to battle organised crime. Christian Bale, Michael Caine, Liam Neeson.

12.00 MOVIE: Doomsday Man. (2000, Mav, R) A professor tracks down a virus thief. James Marshall, Esai Morales.

2.00 Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Get Clever. (R) Educational kids' program.

5.00 My Greek Odyssey:

Chalki And Karpathos. (PG, R) Hosted by Peter Maneas.

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. **8.30** Travel Oz. **9.00** Winners. **10.00** Travel Oz. 11.00 Weekender. 11.30 Creek To Coast. Noon Horse Racing. Magic Millions Raceday. **5.30** Ed And Karen's Recipes For Success. 6.30 The Hotel Inspector. **7.30** The Yorkshire Vet. **8.30** Escape To The Country. **10.30** The Mentalist. **12.30am** The Fine Art Auction. **3.30** The Great Australian Doorstep. **4.00** Weekender. **4.30** Late Programs.

7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. **1pm** Blokesworld. **1.30** Australia ReDiscovered. **2.00** The Food Dude. **2.30** Pawn Stars. **3.00** American Pickers. 4.00 Football. AFL Women's. Brisbane Lions v Carlton. **6.00** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Aust v England. Late afternoon session. **6.40** The Ashes: Dinner Break. **7.00** American Pickers, 8.00 Football, AFL Women's, West Coast v Gold Coast Suns. **10.00** Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Easy Eats. (R) 7.00 Weekend Today. **10.00** Today Extra Summer. (PG) **12.00** Surfing Australia TV. 12.30 Bondi Lifeguard World Adventures. (PG) 1.00 Making Of Ghostbusters: Afterlife. (PG, R) 1.10 MOVIE: Mr Holland's Opus. (1995, PGI, R) Richard Dreyfuss. 4.00 Taronga: Who's Who In The Zoo. (PG, R) 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 Country House Hunters Australia. (R)

6.00 Nine News Saturday. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 MOVIE: Jack Ryan: Shadow Recruit. (2014, Mlv, R) A young, covert CIA analyst uncovers a sinister plot to crash the US economy. Chris

Pine, Kevin Costner, Keira Knightley. 9.35 MOVIE: The Hunt For Red October. (1990, PGIv, R) After the captain of a Russian submarine heads towards the US, authorities are left guessing his intentions. Sean Connery, Alec Baldwin, Sam Neill

12.15 MOVIE: The Beguiled. (2017, Mas, R) A boarding school for girls takes in an injured soldier. Nicole Kidman.

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, R)

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs. **8.30** TV Shop. **10.00** My Favorite Martian. **10.30** MOVIE: Law And Disorder. (1958) Noon Tennis. Adelaide International. Day Session. Finals. Sydney Tennis Classic, Day 6, Day Session, Finals, 5.00 Tennis. Adelaide International. Night Session. Finals. Sydney Tennis Classic. Day 6. Night Session. Finals. 8.30 MOVIE: The Last Of The Mohicans. (1992, M) 10.45 Late Programs.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. **Noon** Surf Lifesaving. Nutri-Grain Ironman and Ironwoman Series. **2.00** Surfing Australia TV. **2.30 MOVIE:** Big Fat Liar. (2002) **4.15 MOVIE:** Puss In Boots. (2011, PG) **6.00 MOVIE:** Shark Tale. (2004) 7.45 MOVIE: Rango. (2011, PG) 9.55 MOVIE: In Time. (2011, M) 12.05am Lipstick Jungle. **1.00** Vanderpump Rules. **2.00** Below Deck Mediterranean. **2.50** Late Programs. **TEN (5, 1)**

6am Morning Programs. 8.00 My Market Kitchen. (R) **8.30** Pooches At Play. (R) **9.00** Freshly Picked. (R) 9.30 St10. (PG) 12.00 4x4 Adventures. (R) 1.00 All 4 Adventure. (PGI, R) 2.00 Destination Dessert. (R) 2.30 Three Blue Ducks. (PGIs, R) **3.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 3.30 Taste Of Australia. (R) 4.00 Waltzing Jimeoin. (PGI, R) 4.30 Roads Less Travelled. (PGa, R) 5.00 News.

6.00 Soccer. A-League Men. Round 10. Sydney FC v Brisbane Roar. From Netstrata Jubilee Stadium, Sydney.

9.00 Ambulance. (Ma, R) A crew attends to a woman who has contracted COVID-19 while pregnant, but they must join a queue of 56 ambulances waiting to transfer patients into the local hospital.

11.00 Bull. (v, R) Bull helps a grieving mother sue the developers of a computer program that misidentified her son as a criminal, leading him to be fatally shot by the police.

12.00 Home Shopping. (R) 1.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 2.30 Home Shopping. (R) **5.00 Hour Of Power.** Religious program.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** The King Of Queens. **8.00** Man With A Plan. **8.30** Frasier. **9.30** To Be Advised. **2pm** Man With A Plan. **3.00** Friends. **6.00** The Big Bang Theory. **10.15** Friends. **12.10am** Home Shopping. **1.10** Infomercials. **1.40** Mom. **2.05** Seatbelt Psychic. **2.35** Crazy Ex-Girlfriend. **3.30** Nancy Drew. 4.30 Home Shopping.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Infomercials. **8.00** Home Shopping. **9.00** The Doctors. **10.00** Star Trek: The Next Generation. **11.00** Jake And The Fatman. **Noon** JAG. **2.00** All 4 Adventure. **3.00** Diagnosis Murder. **4.00** Bondi Rescue. 4.30 iFish Summer Series. 5.00 Waltzing Jimeoin. 5.30 Scorpion. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Law & Order: SVU. 10.20 MacGyver. (Final) 11.20 NCIS: New Orleans. 1.10am 48 Hours. 2.10 Late Programs.

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Sunday, January 16

6am Morning Programs. 10.30 Rulla's Cooking On Country. (R) 11.00 Compass. (PG, R) **11.30** Praise. (R) **12.00** News. **12.30** Landline Summer. (R) 1.00 Finding Alice. (MI, R) 1.45 Mum. (MI, R) 2.15 Doc Martin. (PG, R) 3.05 Aussie Inventions That Changed The World. (PG, R) 4.05 Nigel Slater's Middle East. (R) **5.00** Dream Gardens. (R) **5.30** Nigella's Cook, Eat, Repeat. (R)

6.00 Australia Remastered: Coast. (R) Presented by Aaron Pedersen 7.00 ABC News Sunday.

7.40 Quoll Farm. (R) Wildlife expert Simon Plowright spends a year living with a colony of eastern quolls in Tasmania. 8.40 Vera. (Ma, R) Part 3 of 4. Suburbia takes a dark turn when a woman is

discovered lying dead in her backyard. **10.10 Doc Martin.** (Ma, R)

James is teething. **10.55 Harrow.** (Malnv, R) Harrow investigates a car crash. 11.50 McKellen: Playing

The Part. (Mls, R) 1.20 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) 2.20 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) **3.55 Catalyst.** (R) **5.00** Gardening Australia. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.05pm** The Deep. **7.30** Compass. **8.00** You Can't Ask That. **8.30** Louis Theroux: Louis And The Brothel. **9.30** Barrenjoey Road. (Final) **10.30** Devolution. **11.30** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 12.20am MOVIE: Adaptation. (2002, MA15+) 2.10 ABC News Update. **2.15** Close. **5.05** Little Princess. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20 Pingu In The City. 5.30 Wallykazam! 5.55 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 11.15 Football. WKFL. From Western Australia. **12.45pm** W Series: Driven. 1.15 Soccer. African Cup NSW. 3.00 Rughy Union, Monsoon Rughy Union, 4.30 oftball. SA Premier League. **6.00** Going Native. **6.30** News. **6.40** Extreme Africa. **7.30** Coast New Zealand. **8.30** The Sit-In: Harry Belafonte Hosts The Tonight Show. 9.55 MOVIE: Edge Of The Knife. (2018) **11.45** Late Programs.

SBS(3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 6.30 Al Jazeera News. 7.30 Italian News. 8.10 Filipino News. 8.40 French News. **9.00** Cycling. Road National Championships. Women's race. 11.00 Road National Championships Studio Show. 12.00 Cycling. Road National Championships. Men's race. 4.30 Arabic News F24. 5.00 ABC America: World News Tonight. **5.30** Tony Robinson's Forgotten War Stories. (Premiere)

6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Treasures Of Istanbul.

Bettany Hughes visits Istanbul. **8.30 Pompeii: Sin City.** An exploration of Pompeii, focusing on the lives of its citizens, much of which can be seen through the frescoes, ruins and artefacts that survived the eruption of 79 AD. Narrated by Isabella Rossellini.

10.00 Searching For Cleopatra. (Ma, R) Takes a look at Cleopatra.

11.30 The Great Plague: Outbreak. (PGa, R) 12.25 24 Hours In Emergency: Call Of Duty. (Ma, R) 1.20 Going Places With

Ernie Dingo. (R) **3.20 Soccer.** Supercopa de España. Final.

MA15+) 1.05am Late Programs.

5.45 Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Black Market: Dispatches. 1.00 Speedweek. 3.00 Tattoo Age. 3.25 WorldWatch. 3.55 Insight. **4.55** Look Me In The Eye. **6.00** Speed With Guy Martin. **6.55** Deadly Destruction. **7.50** When Big Things Go Wrong. 8.35 Patriot Brains. 9.30 Dark Side Of The Ring. **10.20** Border To Border. **11.15 MOVIE:** Bros: After The Screaming Stops. (2018,

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Morning Programs. **9.10** Binti. (2019, PG, Dutch) **10.50** Alone In Space. (2018, PG, Swedish) **12.20pm** The ABCs Of Love. (2020, M, French) **1.55** Rabbit-Proof Fence. (2002, PG) 3.35 Swallows And Amazons. (2016. PG) **5.25** Monsieur Hulot's Holiday. (1953, French) **7.00** Jetsons: The Movie. (1990) **8.30** The Leisure Seeker. (2017, M) **10.35** The Lobster. (2015, MA15+) 12.45am Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. **10.00** The Morning Show Summer Series. (PG) **12.00** World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. (PGa, R) 1.00 The Ashes: Pre-Game Show. 2.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 3. Afternoon session. **4.00** The Ashes: Tea Break. **4.40** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 3. Late afternoon session.

6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 3. Evening session. **9.30 World's Most Extreme Airports.**

(PG, R) Uncovers design problems with some of the world's airports, which are making them potentially dangerous.

11.00 Criminal Confessions: Cold Justice Confessions. (Mav) A look at the case of Laverne Mackey. 12.00 The Proposal. (PGs, R) Hosted by Luke Jacobz.

2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Million Dollar Minute. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs 11.30 Football. AFL Women's. Round 2. West Coast v Gold Coast Suns. **1.30pm** Jabba's School Holiday Movies. **2.00** Escape To The Country. **4.00 MOVIE:** Twilight Zone: The Movie. (1983, PG) **6.00** Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 51. Melbourne Stars v Brisbane Heat. **7.00** Border Security. **8.30** Chris Tarrant's Extreme Railways. 9.30 Mighty Trains. 10.30 Heathrow. 11.00 Late Programs.

7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs 2pm On The Fly. 2.30 Million Dollar Catch. 3.00 Fishing Addiction. 4.00 Ultimate Fishing. 5.00 Pawn Stars. **5.30** Storage Wars: TX. **6.00** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 3. Evening session. 7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 51. Melbourne Stars v Brisbane Heat. **8.00** Pawn Stars. 8.30 MOVIE: Suicide Squad. (2016, M) 11.00 Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Easy Eats. (R) 7.00 Weekend Today. **10.00** Drive TV. **10.30** Golf. Jack Newton Celebrity Classic. 11.30 The Xtreme CollXtion. (PG, R) **12.00** Ultimate Rush. (PG, R) **12.30** Great Barrier Reef: A Living Treasure. (PG, R) **1.30** Driving Test. (PGI, R) **2.00 MOVIE:** Rocky IV. (1985, PGv, R) Sylvester Stallone, Talia Shire, Burt Young. **4.00** Bondi Vet. (PG) 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 RBT. (PGdl)

6.00 Nine News. 7.00 60 Minutes. A look at

Foreign Accent Syndrome. 8.00 David Attenborough's A Perfect Planet: Making Of A Perfect Planet. (Final, PG) Hosted

by Sir David Attenborough 9.10 MOVIE: High Crimes. (2002, Msv, R) A lawyer fights to clear her husband's name after he is accused of murdering innocent civilians. Ashley Judd, Morgan Freeman. 11.30 Chicago Med. (MA15+amv, R)

12.20 Miniseries: The Bad Seed. (Mdlv, R) 1.10 The Xtreme CollXtion. (PG, R) **1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping.** (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30

Take Two. (R) **5.00** News Early Edition.

5.30 Today.

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 Avengers. 11.05 Edgar Wallace Mysteries. 12.25pm MOVIE: San Demetrio, London. (1943, PG) **2.25 MOVIE**: Geronimo. (1962, PG) **4.35 MOVIE:** Comes A Horseman. (1978. PG) 7.00 MOVIE: El Dorado (1966, PG) 9.35 MOVIE: A Fistful Of Dollars. (1964, MA15+) 11.40 Late Programs.

9GO! (82, 93) **6am** Children's Programs. Noon Surf Lifesaving. Nutri-Grain Ironman and Ironwoman Series. 2.00 Surfing Australia TV. 2.30 Malcolm. 3.00 MOVIE: Inkheart. (2008, PG) 5.05 MOVIE: Rise Of The Guardians. (2012, PG) 7.00 **MOVIE:** Sing. (2016) **9.10 MOVIE:** Spider-Man: Homecoming. (2017, M) **11.50** Malcolm. **12.20am** Lipstick Jungle. **1.15** Vanderpump Rules. **2.10** Below Deck Mediterranean. 3.00 Late Programs.

6.00 Mass. 6.30 Hillsong. 7.00 Leading The Way. (PGa, R) 7.30 Tomorrow's World. (PGa) **8.00** Toddlers Behaving (Very) Badly. (R) **9.00** GCBC. (R) **9.30** St10. (PG) **12.00** To Be Advised. 1.30 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 2.00 My Market Kitchen. (R) 2.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **3.00** Taste Of Australia. (R) **3.30** Roads Less Travelled. (R) **4.00** All 4 Adventure. **5.00** 10

6.30 The Sunday Project. Panellists dissect, digest and reconstitute the daily news, events and hottest topics.

7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! Aussie celebrities continue their test of survival in the Australian outback. **9.15 FBI.** As the team searches for an abducted university co-ed, Jubal

becomes intent on obtaining a lead from the father of the abductor's previous victim. Jubal continues to grapple with the aftermath of Rina's condition

11.00 The Sunday Project. (R) Panellists dissect, digest and reconstitute the daily news, events and hottest topics. 12.00 Home Shopping. (R)

1.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 3.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am Crazy Ex-Girlfriend. **7.00** Brides Of Beverly Hills. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Neighbours. 10.30 To Be Advised. Noon Basketball, NBL, Round 7, Illawarra Hawks v Adelaide 36ers. 2.00 Basketball. NBL. Round 7. Sydney Kings v New Zealand Breakers. **4.00** Carol's Second Act. **5.00** Friends. **6.00** The Big Bang Theory. **8.30** Friends. **Midnight** Shopping. **12.30** Infomercials. 1.00 Shopping. 1.30 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Morning Programs. **11.00** Stories Of Bikes. **11.30** Australia By Design: Interiors. **Noon** Australia By Design: Architecture. 12.30 Scorpion. 2.30 Soccer. A-League Women. Round 7. Western Sydney Wanderers v Melbourne Victory. **5.00** Snap Happy. **5.30** What's Up Down Under. **6.00** Bondi Rescue. **6.30** JAG. **7.30** NCIS. 9.25 NCIS: Los Angeles. 10.20 48 Hours. 11.20 Late

Monday, January 17

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Australia Remastered. (R) **11.00** The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 The Cook And The Chef. (R) **1.25 Vera.** (Ma, R) 3.00 ABC News Afternoons. 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) 5.00 Restoration Australia. (R)

6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Karl Kruszelnicki. (PG, R) **6.30** Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. Presented by Laura Tingle. 8.00 Back Roads: Cradle

Mountain, Tasmania. (PG) Guest presented by Joe O'Brien. 8.30 The China Century: Unify

The Motherland. (Malv) Part 3 of 5. Takes a look at China's return to power after a century of humiliation. 9.30 The Rise Of The Murdoch Dynasty: Kingmaker. (Ml, R) Part 1 of 3.

10.25 Strong Women. (PGI, R) 10.55 ABC Late News. 11.25 Old People's Home For 4 Year Olds. (R) 12.25 Call The Midwife. (PG, R) **3.25** Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) **4.55** Summer Drum. (R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.15pm** Odd Squad. **7.30** David Attenborough: Kingdom Of Plants. 8.25 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 9.15 Last Woman On The Planet. (Final) 10.15 Doctor Who. 11.00 Ql. 11.30 MOVIE: Red Dwarf: The Promised Land. (2020, PG) 1am Community. 1.20 Parks And Recreation. 1.45 ABC News Update. 1.50 Close. 5.05 Little Princess 5.15 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. **1.30pm** Going Native. **2.00** Shortland Street. **2.30** Chefs' Line. 3.00 Jarjums. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Jarjums. **4.35** Mustangs FC. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** APTN National News. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** News. 6.40 Extreme Africa. 7.30 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman. **8.30** Karla Grant Presents. **9.00** Wawu Divine Hope. **9.30** The X-Files. **11.05** Late Programs.

SBS(3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.30 Greek News. 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 Al Jazeera News. **2.00** Gourmet Farmer. (R) 2.30 Scanning The Nile. (R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Great Alaskan Railroad Journeys. (PG, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) **6.30** SBS World News. 7.30 Britain's Scenic Railways. (PG) Part 3 of 4. 8.30 Secret Scotland: Stirling. (PGa, R) Part 2 of 5. Susan Calman continues her journey in Stirling,

Scotland's historical heartland. 9.20 The Best Of 24 Hours In Emergency: Guardian Angels. (Final, M) A compilation of stories from King's College.

10.15 SBS World News Late. 10.45 The Crimson Rivers. (MA15+av) 11.45 Wisting. (Malsv, R) **12.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does

Countdown. (Mls, R) 1.30 The Kimberley Cruise: The Full Journey. (R) 4.00 Bamay. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. **10.30** SBS Courtside. **11.00** Basketball. NBA. Denver Nuggets v Utah Jazz. **1.30pm** WorldWatch. **2.00** Last Chance High. **2.30** Nirvanna. **2.55** The Ice Cream Show. **3.55** WorldWatch. **5.15** Shortland Street. 6.15 Alone. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (Final) **8.30** Trip Hazard: My Great British Adventure. (Premiere) 9.30 Hypothetical. 10.20 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Morning Programs. 8.10 Jetsons: The Movie. (1990) 9.40 The Triplets Of Belleville. (2003, PG, French) **11.10** Monsieur Hulot's Holiday. (1953, French) **12.45pm** Then Came You. (2018, M) **2.35** Lassie. (2005, PG) **4.30** Little Nicolas. (2009, PG, French) **6.10** Sometimes Always Never. (2018, PG) **7.50** White Lion. (2010, PG) **9.30** The Spy. (2019, M, Swedish) 11.35 Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6am Morning Programs. 12.00 World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. (PGa, R) **1.00** The Ashes: Pre-Game Show. **2.00** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Aust v England. Afternoon session. (Please note: alternative schedule may be shown due to changes to cricket coverage). 4.00 The Ashes: Tea Break. 4.40 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Aust v England. Late afternoon session

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News.

7.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 4. Evening session.

9.30 Fantasy Island. (Ma) A businesswoman's fantasy of a perfect Christmas and to meet Mr Right tests Roarke in unexpected ways

10.30 Motorway Patrol. (PGI) An unconscious motorist requires saving. **11.00 Highway Cops.** (PGI) Follows people who help keep motorists safe.

11.30 Border Security: Australia's Front Line. (PG, R) Authorities investigate a nervous man. 12.00 Hooked On The Look. (Ma, R)

1.00 Harry's Practice. (R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. **5.30** Sunrise.

7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs. **10.30** Better Homes. **Noon** Mighty Trains. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Weekender. **2.30** Sons And Daughters. **4.30** Animal Rescue. **5.00** Escape To The Country. **6.00** Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 52. Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Renegades. **7.00** Border Security: Int. **7.30** Doc Martin. **8.30** The Inspector Lynley Mysteries. **10.30** Cold Case. **11.30** Late Programs.

7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. **2pm** Armchair Experts: NFL Edition. **2.30** Sound **7MATE** (73) FX: Best Of. 3.30 Shipping Wars. 4.30 Down East Dickering. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket, The Ashes, Fifth Test, Australia v England Day 4. Evening session. **7.00** Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 52. Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Renegades. **8.00** Pawn Stars. **8.30 MOVIE:** U.S. Marshals. (1998, M) **11.10** Late Programs.

NINE (8.9)

6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs.

9.00 Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. Reviews, previews, interviews, highlights and opinions from the Australian Open at Melbourne Park. 10.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Day 1.

6.00 Nine News.

7.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Night 1. From Melbourne Park. Hosted by James Bracey. 11.00 New Amsterdam. (Mam, R) Iggy and Kapoor discover a patient might be suffering from lead poisoning. 12.00 Reverie. (Mav, R) A woman is hired

to save people lost in a virtual reality. 1.00 Bondi Lifeguard World **Adventures: Road Boss** Rally Pt 1. (PG, R) The Bondi

boys compete in a rally race. 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) Home shopping. 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory.

(PGa) Religious program. **4.30 Customs**. (PG, R) Follows customs officers at work 5.00 News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **9.00** Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. **10.00** Tennis. Australian Open Day 1. **5pm** Tennis. Australian Open. Night 1. **10.00** House. **11.00** The Equalizer. **Midnight** My Favorite Martian. 12.30 Adventures In Rainbow Country. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **4.30** Joyce Meyer **5.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. **Noon** The Incredible Hulk. **1.00** Airwolf. **2.00** The A-Team. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 Malcolm. **5.30** News. **6.00** Tennis. Austn Open. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** Everybody Loves Raymond. **8.30** MOVIE: Beverly Hills Cop. (1984, M) **10.40** To Be Advised. **12.40am** Lipstick Jungle. **1.35** Vanderpump Rules. **2.30** Love Island USA. **3.30** Ninjago. 4.00 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. (PGa, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.45 Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Left Off The Map. 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG)

6.30 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics

5.0010 News First.

7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! Aussie celebrities continue their test of survival in the Australian outback.

9.00 FBI: Most Wanted. (MA15+v) Missteps along the way lead to more death as the team investigates the high-profile murder of a professional basketball player's wife, who was a famous supermodel-turned-lifestyle guru.

11.00 The Project. (R) The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.

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.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am Man With A Plan. 6.30 The Big Bang Theory. 8.00 Friends. 10.00 The Middle. 11.30 Seinfeld. Noon Carol's Second Act. **1.00** Man With A Plan. **1.30** The Big Bang Theory. **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** Mom. **Midnight** Shopping. **12.30** Infomercials. **1.30** Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. **7.30** Home Shopping. **8.00** Soccer. A-League Men. Round 10. Sydney FC v Brisbane Roar. Replay. **10.30** Jake And The Fatman. 11.30 JAG. 1.30pm Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.30 Star Trek. 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. 5.30 JAG. 7.30 NCIS. **10.20** A-League Highlights Show. **11.20** Blue Bloods. **12.15am** Infomercials. **12.45** Shopping. **2.15** 48 Hours. **3.15** Hawaii Five-O. **5.05** The Doctors.

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6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Nigel Slater's Middle East. (R) **11.00** The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. **1.00** The Big Blue. (R) 1.50 The Larkins. (Final, PG, R) 3.00 ABC News Afternoons. 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) **5.00 Restoration Australia.** (R)

6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home **Delivery.** (PG, R) 6.30 Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. **7.30** 7.30. 8.00 Anh's Brush With Fame: Michelle Payne. (R) 8.30 Old People's Home For 4

Year Olds. (R) Part 4 of 5 9.30 Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip: **Gold Coast To The Outback**. (PG, R) Griff Rhys Jones explores Queensland.

10.20 QI. (PG, R) 10.50 ABC Late News. 11.20 Hawke: The Larrikin And The Leader. (PG, R) **12.20** MOVIE: Goldstone. (2016, Malv, R) Aaron Pedersen, David Wenham. 2.10 Rage (MA15+adhlnsv) **4.00** Catalyst. (PG, R) **4.55** Summer Drum. (R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7pm Dino Dana. 7.15 Odd Squad. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Aftertaste. **9.30** Brassic. **10.15** Schitt's Creek. **10.35** Doctor Who. **11.25** The Trip To Greece. **11.50** Whose Line Is It Anyway? 12.35am Community. 12.55 Parks And Recreation. 1.15 ABC News Update. 1.20 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20 Pingu In The City. **5.30** Wallykazam! **5.55** Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. **12.30pm** Wawu Divine Hope. **1.00** My Life As I Live It 2.00 Shortland Street 2.30 Chefs' Line 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Project Planet. 4.35 Mustangs FC. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** Indian Country Today. **6.00** Bamay. **6.40** News. **6.50** Extreme Africa. 7.40 Who Killed Malcolm X. 8.30 I, Sniper.

9.30 The X-Files. 11.05 Late Programs.

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.30 Greek News. 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. (R) 2.00 Gourmet Farmer. (PG, R) 2.30 Scanning The Nile. (R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Great Alaskan Railroad Journeys. (R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great Continental Railway

Journeys: Berlin To Stuttgart. (PGas, R) Hosted by Michael Portillo.

8.40 Robson Green: Walking Hadrian's Wall. (PG, R) Part 3 of 3. Robson Green embarks on the remaining 74km of his journey along Hadrian's Wall.

9.35 Australia In Colour: Crime And Punishment. (Md, R) Part 3 of 4. 10.35 SBS World News Late. 11.10 Man In Room 301. (Final, Malsv) **12.05 The Looming Tower.** (Mlsv, R) **2.50** The Kimberley Cruise: The Full Journey. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. **5.30** Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. **Noon** Basketball. NBA. Denver Nuggets v Utah Jazz. Replay. 2.00 Funny How? 3.00 The Ice Cream Show. **3.30** Bamay. **3.50** WorldWatch. **5.15** Joy Of Painting. **5.45** Shortland Street. **6.15** Alone. **7.05** Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.20 Roger Waters: Us And Them. 10.30 Cults And Extreme Belief. 11.20 UFOs. 12.35am One Star Reviews. **1.00** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Sometimes Always Never. Continued. (2018, PG) **6.40** Monsieur Hulot's Holiday. (1953, French) **8.15** White Lion. (2010, PG) **9.55** Little Nicolas. (2009, PG, French) 11.35 Fame. (2009, PG) 1.50pm Mission Mangal. (2019, PG, Hindi) **4.10** Jetsons: The Movie. (1990) **5.40** Mary Shelley. (2017, PG) **7.55** Boy. (2010, M) **9.30** Black Book. (2006, MA15+, Dutch) 12.10am Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6am Morning Programs. 12.00 World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. (PGa, R) **1.00** The Ashes: Pre-Game Show. **2.00** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Aust v England. Afternoon session. (Please note: alternative schedule may be shown due to changes to cricket coverage). 4.00 The Ashes: Tea Break. **4.40** Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Aust v England. Late afternoon session

6.00 Seven Local News.

6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 5. Evening session. **9.30 Born To Kill? Richard Chase.**

(MA15+asv) Takes a look at American serial killer Richard Chase, also known as the Vampire of Sacramento.

10.30 Beat The Chasers UK. Presented by Bradley Walsh. 11.30 Border Security: Australia's Front Line. (PG, R) A box reveals

something frightening 12.00 Absentia. (MA15+av, R) Emily is asked to turn herself in. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R)

4.00 NBC Today 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

7TWO (72) 6am Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Creek To Coast. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Animal Rescue. 5.00 Escape To The Country. **6.00** Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 53. Adelaide Strikers v Sydney Sixers 7.00 Border Security: Int. 7.30 Pie In The Sky. 8.30 Foyle's War. 10.40 Late Programs.

7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. **2pm** Sound FX: Best Of. **3.00** Shipping Wars. **3.30** Road Hauks. **4.30** Down East Dickering. **5.30** Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 Cricket. The Ashes. Fifth Test. Australia v England. Day 5. Evening session. **7.00** Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 53. Adelaide Strikers v Sydney Sixers. 8.00 Highway Patrol. 8.30 Secrets Of The Supercars. 9.30 Counting Cars. 10.30 Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs.

9.00 Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. Reviews, previews, interviews, highlights and opinions from the Australian Open at Melbourne Park. 10.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Day 2.

6.00 Nine News. 7.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Night 2. 11.00 New Amsterdam. (Ma, R) When Sharpe has a case that hits close to home, she and Max team up to make things right for the patient.

12.00 Reverie. (Mav, R) Mara deals with side effects of Reverie 1.00 Bondi Lifeguard World Adventures: Road Boss Rally Pt 2. (PG, R) The Bondi boys compete in a rally race. 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory.

(PGa) Religious program. 4.30 Customs. (PG, R) Follows customs officers at work 5.00 News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **9.00** Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. 10.00 Tennis, Australian Open Day 2. **5pm** Tennis. Australian Open. Night 2. **10.00** House. 11.00 The Equalizer. Midnight My Favorite Martian. 12.30 Adventures In Rainbow Country. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **4.30** Joyce Meyer. 5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Incredible Hulk. 1.00 Airwolf. 2.00 The A-Team. **3.00** The Nanny. **3.30** Raymond. **4.30** Malcolm. **5.30** News. **6.00** Tennis. Austn Open. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** Everybody Loves Raymond. 8.30 MOVIE: Beverly Hills Cop II. (1987, M) **10.35** To Be Advised. **12.35am** Lipstick Jungle. **1.30** Summer House. (Premiere) **2.30** Love Island USA. 3.30 Ninjago. 4.00 Late Programs.

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. (PGa, R) **1.00** To Be Advised. **2.30** Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Left Off The Map. 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG)

4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First. 6.30 The Project. A look at the

day's news and events. 7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! Aussie celebrities continue their test of survival in the Australian outback.

9.00 NCIS. (Mv) The NCIS team investigates the death of a man on a cruise ship whose body was discovered in the ship's sauna by none other than McGee's mother-in-law.

10.00 NCIS: Los Angeles. Kensi is kidnapped by a militia group. 11.00 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events.

12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.00 Infomercials. (PG, R) **3.30** Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** The King Of Queens. 7.30 Seinfeld. 8.00 Man With A Plan. 8.30 Becker. **9.00** The Middle. **10.00** Frasier. **11.00** The King Of Queens. **Noon** Becker. **1.00** Man With A Plan. (Final) **1.30** Friends. **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. 11.10 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 7.00 Infomercials. 8.00 Roads Less Travelled. **8.30** A-League Highlights Show. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. **10.30** Diagnosis Murder. **11.30** JAG. 1.30pm Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.30 Star Trek 3.30 Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** Blue Bloods. 10.25 NCIS: New Orleans. 12.15am Shopping. 12.45 Infomercials. 1.15 Shopping. 2.15 Late Programs.

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Wednesday, January 19

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Griff's Great Australian Rail Trip. (PG, R) 11.00 The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. **1.00** The Cook And The Chef. (R) 1.30 MOVIE: Maigret In Montmartre. (2017, Madnsv, R) Rowan Atkinson, Sebastian De Souza, Nicola Sloane. 3.00 ABC News Afternoons. 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) 5.00 Restoration Australia. (PG, R)

6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Jacqui Lambie. (PG, R) **6.30** Summer Drum. 7.00 ABC News. **7.30 7.30.** Presented by Laura Tingle. **8.00 Hard Quiz.** (PG, R)

Presented by Tom Gleeson. 8.30 Spicks And Specks: AusMusic Special. (PG, R) Music game show, with guests Missy Higgins, Brian Mannix, Rove and Nina Oyama.

9.35 Fisk. (MI, R) The office's favourite temp returns. 10.00 Miniseries: A Very English Scandal. (Malsv, R) Part 3 of 3. 11.00 ABC Late News.

11.30 The China Century. (Malv, R) 12.30 Silent Witness. (Masv, R) 2.30 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.55 Summer Drum. (R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.15pm Odd Squad. 7.30 Anh's Brush With Fame. **8.00** Making Child Prodigies. **8.30** David Bowie: Finding Fame. 10.00 Tate Britain's Great British Walks. **10.50** Doctor Who. **11.40** Louis Theroux: Louis And The Brothel. **12.40am** Community. 1.00 Parks And Recreation. 1.25 ABC News Update. 1.30 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.20 Pingu In The City. **5.30** Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. **1.10pm** Who Killed Malcolm X. **2.00** Shortland Street. 2.30 Chefs' Line. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. **3.50** Wolf Joe. **4.00** Aussie Bush Tales. **4.10** Project Planet. **4.35** Mustangs FC. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** Te Ao With Moana. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** News. **6.40** Extreme Africa. **7.30** Who Do You Think You Are? **8.30** History Bites Back. **9.30** MOVIE: Ten Canoes. (2006, M) **11.05** Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.30** Greek News. **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. (R) **2.00** Gourmet Farmer. (R) 2.30 Scanning The Nile. (PGa, R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Great Canadian Railway Journeys. (PGasw, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG, R) Presented by Marc Fennell. 6.30 SBS World News.

7.30 Great Australian Railway Journeys: Canberra To Melbourne. (PGa, R) Hosted by Michael Portillo. **8.40** The Royal House Of Windsor:

Shadow Of A King. (PG, R) Documents Prince Charles' efforts to avoid replicating the romantic mistakes of Edward VIII.

9.35 Departure. (Final, Mv) As the case begins to wind down, Kendra feels that she is still missing a piece of the puzzle.

10.25 SBS World News Late.

10.55 In Therapy. (Mls) 11.55 Witch Hunt. (Mals, R) 1.35 The Kimberley Cruise:

The Full Journey. (w, R) 4.45 Bamay. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. **Noon** Channel Surfing. **12.30** North To South: The Full Journey. **3.50** WorldWatch. **5.15** Joy Of Painting. 5.45 Shortland Street. 6.15 Alone. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 MOVIE: Shock Wave. (2017) 10.40 MOVIE: My Left Foot. (1989, M) **12.35am** VICE Guide To Film. **1.00** Venom Superman. **1.30** The Wrestlers. **2.25** France 24. **3.00** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Little Nicolas. (2009, PG, French) **7.40** Mission Mangal. (2019, PG, Hindi) 10.00 Sometimes Always Never. (2018, PG) **11.40** The Spy. (2019, M, Swedish) **1.45pm** White Lion. (2010, PG) **3.25** Heidi. (2015, PG, German) 5.30 About Elly. (2009, PG, Persian) **7.40** The Parting Glass. (2018, M) **9.30** Red Joan. (2018, M) **11.25** Beautiful Boy. (2018, MA15+) 1.40am Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: What A Girl Wants.

(2003, G, R) Amanda Bynes 2.15 Surveillance Oz Dashcam. (PGI, R) **2.30** The Chase. (R)

3.30 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 55. Sydney Thunder v Melbourne Renegades.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News.

7.00 Cricket. Big Bash League. Game 56. Melbourne Stars v Hobart Hurricanes. From the MCG.

10.30 Ambulance: Code Red. (Ma, R) After a motorcyclist is thrown from his bike, Midlands Air Ambulance is dispatched to give lifesaving treatment.

11.30 Autopsy USA: Chris Cornell. (MA15+ad) Forensic pathologist Dr Michael Hunter takes a look at the 2017 death of singer-songwriter Chris Cornell.

12.30 Mean Mums. (PGd, R) Rival committees go to war. 1.30 Harry's Practice. (R)

5.30 Sunrise.

Information about pet care. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. News and current affairs. 5.00 Seven Early News.

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Last Chance Learners. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 RSPCA Animal Rescue. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. **7.30** The Vicar Of Dibley. **8.40** Mrs Brown's Boys. **10.00** Miranda. **11.20** What A Carry On! Midnight Late Programs.

7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. **1.30pm** Shipping Wars. **2.30** The Grade Cricketer. 3.00 Counting Cars. 4.00 Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. **4.30** Down East Dickering. **5.30** Storage Wars: TX. **6.00** Cricket. BBL. Thunder v Renegades. **6.45** Cricket. BBL. Stars v Hurricanes. **7.00** Pawn Stars. **8.30** Storage Wars. **9.30** Extreme Unboxing. **10.00** Desert Collectors. **11.00** Late **NINE (8.9)**

6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs.

9.00 Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. Reviews, previews, interviews, highlights and opinions from the Australian Open at Melbourne Park. 10.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Day 3.

6.00 Nine News.

7.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Night 3. From Melbourne Park. Hosted by James Bracey. 11.00 New Amsterdam. (Mam, R) Sharpe and Kapoor work together to mend fences between two feuding sisters. 12.00 Reverie. (Mav, R) Mara's

de-realisations put her life in danger. 1.00 Bondi Lifeguard World **Adventures: Red Centre Adventure**

Pt 1. (PG, R) The boys head to Alice Springs. **1.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) Home shopping. 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory.

(PGa) Religious program 4.30 Customs. (PG, R) Follows customs officers at work 5.00 News Early Edition.

5.30 Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV

Shop: Home Shopping. **9.00** Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. **10.00** Tennis. Australian Open Day 3. **5pm** Tennis. Australian Open. Night 3. **10.00** House. **11.00** The Equalizer. **Midnight** My Favorite Martian. 12.30 Adventures In Rainbow Country. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **4.30** Joyce Meyer **5.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping.

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TEN (5.1)

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4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.0010 News First.

6.30 The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics

7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! Aussie celebrities continue their test of survival in the Australian outback for the chance to claim the title of King or Queen Of The Jungle and a cash prize for charity. Hosted by Julia Morris and Dr Chris Brown.

9.00 Bull. 11.00 The Project. (R) The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.

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. Morning news and talk show.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** The King Of Queens. 8.00 Man With A Plan. 8.30 Becker. 9.00 The Middle. 10.00 Frasier. 11.00 The King Of Queens. Noon Becker. 1.00 The Big Bang Theory. 1.30
Friends. 2.30 NBL Slam Highlights Show. 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. 10.10 Mom. 11.05 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. **8.00** Unknown Road Adventures. **8.30** Star Trek: The Next Generation. 9.30 Jake And The Fatman. 10.30 Diagnosis Murder. **11.30** JAG. **1.30pm** Star Trek: The Next Generation. **2.30** Star Trek. **3.30** Jake And The Fatman. 4.30 Diagnosis Murder. 5.30 JAG. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** NCIS: Los Angeles. **11.15** MacGyver (Final) **12.10am** Shopping. **1.40** Infomercials. **2.10** Late Programs.



Do you have an event coming up? We want to know!

Send the details to editorial@todaygladstone.com.au and we'll publish it in our weekly Events Calendar.

Thursday, January 20

ABCTV(2)

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Back Roads. (PG, R) 10.30 Nigella's Cook, Eat, Repeat. (R) 11.00 The Heights. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. **1.00** Miniseries: The War Of The Worlds. (Mav, R) 2.00 Miniseries: A Very English Scandal. (PG, R) **3.00** ABC News Afternoons. **4.00** Think Tank. (PG, R) **5.00** Restoration

6.00 Julia Zemiro's Home Delivery: Craig Reucassel. (PG, R) 6.30 Summer Drum.

7.00 ABC News. **7.30 7.30.** Presented by Laura Tingle. **8.00 Kurt Fearnley's One Plus One.**

Kurt Fearnley speaks with Ellie Cole. 8.30 Miriam & Alan: Lost In Scotland. (MI) Part 1 of 3. Actors Miriam Margolyes and Alan Cumming explore their Scottish roots. 9.15 Our Dementia Choir. (PG, R)

People with dementia form a choir. 10.35 ABC Late News. 11.05 Aussie Inventions That **Changed The World.** (PG, R) 11.55 The Rise Of The Murdoch Dynasty. (Ml, R) 12.45 Silent Witness. (MA15+av. R) 2.45 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) **4.55** Summer Drum.

(R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.15pm** Odd Squad. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.30** Ql. **9.00** Hard Quiz. **9.30** Insert Name Here 10.00 Doctor Who 10.50 Melbourne International Comedy Festival 2021: Opening Night. 11.45 Would I Lie To You? 12.20am Community. 12 40 Parks And Recreation 1.00 ABC News Update. 1.05 Close. 5.05 Little Princess. 5.15 Late

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.35pm The Kamilaroi. 2.00 Shortland Street. 2.30 Chef Line. 3.00 Wapos Bay. 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Project Planet. **4.35** Mustangs FC. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** The 77 Percent. **6.00** Bamay. **6.30** News. **6.40** Great Blue Wild. 7.30 Who Do You Think You Are? 8.30 Occupation: Native. 9.30 MOVIE: Tudawali. (1987, M) **11.00** Late Programs.

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.30 Greek News. 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. (R) **2.00** Gourmet Farmer. (R) 2.30 Scanning The Nile. (R) 3.30 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.00 Great Canadian Railway Journeys. (R) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) **6.30** SBS World News. 7.35 Britain's Most Luxurious

Hotels. Part 3 of 3. 8.30 Extra Life: A Short History Of Living Longer: Medical Drugs. Part 3 of 4. Takes a look at the invention of medicine that combats illness directly, such as antibiotics.

9.35 La Fortuna. (Ml) Wild undertakes a publicity campaign. **10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Gomorrah**. (MA15+v) 12.00 We Are Who We Are. (MA15+a, R) **1.25** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (Mals, R) 2.20 The Kimberley Cruise: The Full Journey. (R) **4.40** Bamay. (R) **5.00** France 24 Feature. **5.15** NHK World English News. **5.30** Deutsche Welle English News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Leah Remini: Scientology And The Aftermath. **1.40** Most Expensivest. **2.40** Lee Lin Chin's Fashionista. 2.50 The Ice Cream Show. 3.50 WorldWatch. 5.15 Joy Of Painting. 5.45 Shortland Street. **6.15** Alone. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown, 8.30 The Curse Of Oak Island. 10.10 The Source. (Final) 11.00 Vikings.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Heidi. Continued. (2015, PG, German) 6.25 About Elly. (2009, PG, Persian) 8.35 Mary Shelley. (2017, PG) **10.50** The Wave. (2015, M. Norwegian) 12.50pm Accidentally Dad. (2020, M, Vietnamese) 2.50 Richard The Stork. (2017) 4.25 Selkie. (2000. PG) **6.05** Bill. (2015, PG) **7.50** Our Idiot Brother. (2011, M) **9.30** The Catcher Was A Spy. (2018, M) **11.20** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Pan. (2015, PGav, R) 2.15 Surveillance Oz Dashcam. (PGI, R) **2.30** Border Security: International. (PGad, R) **3.00** The Chase. (R) 4.00 Seven News At 4.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Border Security: Australia's

5.00 The Chase Australia. (R)

Front Line. (PG, R) A container exposes a criminal syndicate. 7.30 Mates On A Mission. (PGal)

The four mates head to the US. **9.00 MOVIE: Blood Diamond.** (2006, MA15+av, R) A smuggler offers to help a fisherman free his family from a ruthless African rebel group. Leonardo DiCaprio, Djimon

Hounsou, Jennifer Connelly. **12.00 Scandal.** (Ma, R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. **5.00** Seven Early News. **5.30** Sunrise

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shonning 630 Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Jabba's School Holiday Movie Special. **2.30** Sons And Daughters. **4.30** RSPCA Animal Rescue. 5.30 Escape To The Country **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Father Brown. **8.30** Inspector George Gently. 10.30 Murdoch Mysteries. 12.30am The Fine Art Auction. 3.30 Late Programs.

7MATE (73) 6am Morning Programs. Noon Billy The Exterminator. 12.30 Pawnography. 1.30 Shipping Wars. 2.00 Irish Pickers. 3.00 Extreme Unboxing. **3.30** Storage Wars. **4.00** Al McGlashan's Fish'n With Mates. 4.30 Down East Dickering. **5.30** Storage Wars: TX. **6.00** American Pickers. **7.00** Pawn Stars. **7.30 MOVIE:** Kong: Skull Island. (2017, M) **9.55 MOVIE:** Universal Soldier. (1992, MA15+) 12.05am Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Today. The latest in news and current affairs.

9.00 Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. Reviews, previews,

interviews, highlights and opinions from the Australian Open at Melbourne Park. 10.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Day 4.

6.00 Nine News. 7.00 Tennis. Australian Open. Night 4. 11.00 New Amsterdam. (Mm, R) Kapoor introduces a patient to Iggy's post-traumatic stress disorder group. 12.00 Reverie. (Mav, R) Alexis'

former partner contacts Mara. **1.00 Bondi Lifeguard World Adventures: Red Centre** Adventure Pt 2. (PG, R) The boys continue their adventure.

1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)

2.30 Global Shop. (R) Home shopping.

3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) Religious program.

4.30 Customs. (PG, R 5.00 News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **9.00** Australian Open Tennis Pre-Show. 10.00 Tennis, Australian Open Day 4. 5pm Tennis. Australian Open. Night 4. 10.00 House. 11.00 The Equalizer. Midnight My Favorite Martian. 12.30 Adventures In Rainbow Country. **1.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **4.30** Joyce Meyer. 5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Incredible Hulk. 1.00 Airwolf. 2.00 The A-Team. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 Raymond. **4.30** Malcolm. **5.30** News. **6.00** Tennis. Austn Open. 7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 Everybody Loves Raymond 8 30 MOVIE: The Hearthreak Kid (2007, MA15+) **10.45** To Be Advised. **12.35am** Lipstick Jungle. 1.30 Summer House. 2.30 Love Island USA. **3.30** Ninjago. **4.00** Late Programs.

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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. (PGal, R) **1.00** To Be Advised. **2.30** Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Left Off The Map. 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG) 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events.

7.30 I'm A Celebrity... Get Me Out Of Here! Aussie celebrities continue their test of survival in the Australian outback.

9.15 Law & Order: SVU. (Mav) Carisi asks the SVU for their help when a woman involved in a murder investigation shows signs of abuse.

10.15 Blue Bloods. Danny pursues a con artist. 11.05 The Project. (R) A look at

the day's news and events.

12.05 The Late Show With Stephen **Colbert.** (PG) Late night talk show. 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.00 Infomercials. (PG) 3.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Frasier. 8.00 Man With A Plan. **8.30** Becker. **9.00** The Middle. **10.00** Frasier. **11.00** The King Of Queens. **Noon** Becker. **1.00** The Big Bang Theory. **1.30** Friends. **2.00** Carol's Second Act. **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 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Infomercials. **8.00** What's Up Down Und **8.30** NBL Slam. **9.00** Escape Fishing With ET. **9.30** Jake And The Fatman. **10.30** Diagnosis Murder. 11.30 JAG. 1.30pm Star Trek: The Next Generation. **3.30** Jake And The Fatman. **4.30** Diagnosis Murder. **5.30** JAG. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** Hawaii Five-0. **10.30** MOVIE: Every Secret Thing. (2014, M) 12.30am Infomercials. **1.00** Shopping. **2.00** Late Programs.

SUDOKU

No.063

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: each of the nine vertical columns, each of the nine horizontal rows and each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember, no number can occur more than once in any row, column or box.

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- another (7)
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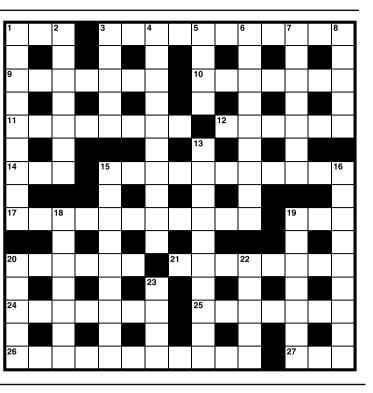
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- 7 Of, or relating to, Israel (7)
- 8 Arab state (5)
- 13 Aid (10)
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- Compass direction (9) 16
- Quack medicine (7) 18
- 19 Absorb, immerse (7)
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- 22 Kick out (tenants) (5)
- 23 Therefore (4)





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32 words: Excellent

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16 words: Good

words. No capitalised nouns,

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be included and each letter may only be used once.

four letters or more can you list? The centre letter must

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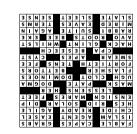
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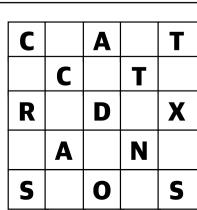
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Insert the missing letters to make 10 words - five reading across the grid and five reading down.

NOTE: more than one solution may be possible

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OUICK OUIZ



- Which band performed the 1990s hit I'm Too Sexv?
- What inspired the colour reference in the codename for the powerful herbicide and defoliant Agent Orange?
- Does Kakadu National Park include about one quarter, one third or one 10th of Australia's bird species?
- Which TV personality fought his local council for the right to have a large glass mural of Pamela Anderson (pictured) on the front of his house?
- Does the Murray-Darling Basin cover approximately 7 per cent, 14 per cent or 21 per cent of the total area of Australia?
- 6 What is unique about the group of mammals known as monotremes?
 - In which country did golf originate?
- Beginning with 's', what word means "the act of talking to oneself"? In what year was the video game
- Pac-man released in Japan? 10 Is the book Memoirs of a Geisha fiction or non-fiction?

 $\pmb{\lambda}$ Scotland $\pmb{8}.$ Soliloquy $\pmb{9}.$ 1980 $\pmb{10}.$ Fiction was shipped in had orange stripes 3. One third 4. Sam Newman 5. 14 per cent 6. They lay eggs ANSWERS: 1. Right Said Fred 2. The barrels it

COMICS

Bottled Fruit



"It's a great film Pauline, I nearly milked myself laughing."

Insert Brain Here



Bushy Tales







Swamp



Insanity Streak



Doodley Squat







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Against the Grain



Ballard Street



"Heads up, Andrew. You know how much Bob loves trapping."

Grin Bin









Aiming to have a gel blast

Gladstone region kids aged 11 to 17 had a blast with gel blasters on Tuesday, 11 January, as part of the Festival of Summer's Days of Summer Activities. Gladstone Today photographer **MIKE RICHARDS** dropped into 179 Chamberlain Rd, Burua to capture some photos of the action.







 $\label{eq:Gelblasters} \mbox{ Gel blasters were part of the Festival of Summer's Days of Summer Activities this week.}$

















Green goddess fresh avo

By Tania Phillips

The simplest things are often the best.

This fresh-as salad sandwich amps up the flavour stakes with a flavour-packed green goddess made even better by using creamy

Hass avocado as the base, instead of the more common mayo.

Pile on your favourite crisp and crunchy salad ingredients, and of course, more avocado. You'll be glad you did.

GREEN-IS-GOOD AVOCADO SALAD

Prep time: 15 mins
Makes: 4 sandwiches

Ingredients

- 8 slices seeded sandwich or sourdough bread
- 2 ripe Hass avocados, halved, stones removed, flesh scooped out and sliced
- ½ cup crumbled feta (about 80g)
- 1 Lebanese cucumber, thinly sliced
- \blacksquare ½ baby cos lettuce, leaves separated and coarsely torn
- ½ cup baby spinach leaves

- ¼ cup mint leaves
- Lemon juice, to taste

Avocado green goddess dressing

- 2 ripe Hass avocados, halved, stones removed, flesh scooped out and coarsely chopped
- ½ cup each basil leaves and flat-leaf parsley leaves
- Juice of 1 lemon
- 1 tbsp apple cider vinegar
- 1 spring onion, coarsely chopped
- 1 garlic clove

Method

- 1. To make the green goddess dressing, blend ingredients in a food processor or blender until silky smooth, season to taste and set aside. Green goddess dressing will keep refrigerated in an airtight container for 2-3 days.
- $\ensuremath{\mathbf{2}}.$ Spread half the bread slices thickly with green

goddess dressing, then top with sliced Hass avocado, feta, lettuce, baby spinach and mint leaves. Squeeze over lemon juice, season to taste and sandwich with remaining bread slices and serve for the freshest lunch.

Created by Australian Avocados



Green is good sandwhiches.



Burnett Today journalist Jessica McGrath's take on 'whipped coffee'.

ICED WHIPPED COFFEE

Whipped coffee is a unique twist on your iced coffee if you're looking for something new to cool down with in the New Year.

The drink became a craze on social media during 2020 when people experimented in the kitchen during Queensland's main

Ingredients

- 2 tbsp instant coffee (instant coffee works best)
- 2 tbsp sugar
- 2 tbsp water

covid-19 lockdowns. The sweet treat is also called Dalgona Coffee and originated in South Korea.

Burnett Today journalist Jessica tried out this recipe courtesy of hobby baker @sos. bringcake.

- Milk
- Ice cubes
- chocolate shavings (if desired)

Method

- $\begin{tabular}{ll} {\bf 1.} & {\bf Blend} & {\bf the instant coffee}, sugar and water up with either a hand mixer or a blender. \end{tabular}$
- 2. Blend until it reaches medium peaks.
- 3. Prepare a glass with ice and milk and pour/ $\mbox{spoon the whipped coffee}$ over the top. Mix in as

much as you want.

- 4. Sprinkle chocolate shavings on top if desired.
- *Whipped coffee can also be served hot just put the whipped coffee on top of hot milk.

(Generous single serve)



Whipped coffee is a unique twist on the iced coffee summer favourite.



Banana Shire's Aus Day

The 2022 Banana Shire Australia Day Celebrations will be held at Biloela's Queensland Heritage Park on Wednesday, 26 January.

The celebrations will start at 7am with a free Poets Breakfast, followed by the official awards ceremony and a day of Aussie themed enter-

The Banana Shire Council's Australia Day awards acknowledge and celebrate the contribution and success of individuals and groups within the Banana Shire who have made significant contributions and achievements.

These awards provide the council with the opportunity to publicly acknowledge the local individuals and organisations who have made a significant contribution to the community.

Recipients of the awards will be announced by Mayor Nev Ferrier at 9am, 26 January, at the celebrations. Entertainment includes Freestyle Motocross demos, food stalls, live music, water activities for kids and lots of fun for the whole family.

Banana Shire Council received 22* nominations across nine categories for the 2022 Banana Shire Australia Day Awards.

The categories include:

- Volunteer of the Year
- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Sports Coach Official and/or Administrator
- Cultural
- Junior Cultural
- Community Group or Team

- Community Event of the Year
- Junior Sportsperson

No nominations were received for Senior Sportsperson.

Nominees include:

- Aileen Trace
- Anne Goodland
- Jen Gourley
- Ann Hobson
- Robert Price
- Caitlin Boothby
- Nick Ein
- Paul Quarmby
- Sheree Adcock
- Susan Cook

- Lucy Johnston
- Rotary Club of Biloela
- Taroom Theatre Restaurant
- Twin Valleys Motorcycle Club ■ Wowan Sports Club
- Walking Together with the Star of Taroom
- The Star of Taroom
- Corey Mellor
- Kobi Symes
- Mitchell Hay
- Tyler Seagrott

Multiple nominations have been received for some nominees.

Further information can be found on Bana Shire Council's website, www.banana.qld.gov. au/community/australia-day

Gladstone on its way to change gas for good

In line with the Queensland Government's goal to generate 50% of its energy needs from renewable sources by 2030, Gladstone households connected to gas will receive up to 10% blended renewable gas from September 2022, supplied by the proposed Hydrogen Park Gladstone (HyP Gladstone) facility (subject to necessary approvals).

Under the proposal from Australian Gas Networks (AGN), which is currently with Gladstone Regional Council for Development Assessment, HyP Gladstone would use water and renewable electricity to produce renewable hydrogen for blending into the existing AGN distribution network.

Craig de Laine, Chief Executive Officer at the Australian Gas Infrastructure Group, said the small demonstration facility would be a similar size to around four tennis courts and was planned for a 30mx37m site on Derby Street, South Gladstone.

"Hydrogen Park Gladstone will play a significant role in starting to decarbonise the city's gas supply and help develop the region's emerging renewable hydrogen industry which will create new economic development opportunities," Mr de Laine said.

"As a longstanding owner of gas infrastructure in Gladstone and throughout Central Queensland, we are proud to contribute to

a low carbon economy and meet our customers' expectations to support decarbonisation. HyP Gladstone would save approximately 57 tonnes in carbon dioxide emissions each year, the equivalent to removing around 19 petrol passenger vehicles from the road."

"Through our extensive community consultation program we have received many positive responses to the project. Ongoing discussions with stakeholders have provided valuable insight into the community's view of HyP Gladstone, including some matters requiring clarification. We've addressed these in our recently submitted response to Council,

further detailing the extensive safety assessment undertaken and providing more details on how the site was selected. There are no plans to expand the facility or export."

"We would encourage anyone with further questions to contact our project team directly on 1300 001 001 (option 8) or communityengagement@agig.com.au," he said.

Hydrogen Park Gladstone is supported by the Queensland Government, with grant funding of up to \$1.78 million from the Hydrogen Industry **Development Fund.**

In the spirit of reconciliation AGN acknowledge the Byellee, Gooreng Gooreng, Gurang and Taribelang Bunda people who are the traditional custodians of the land in Gladstone and its surrounds. AGN would also like to pay respect to Elders past, present and emerging, and extends that respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples today.





New year of new wines

Happy New Year!

There is nothing quite like the Australian wine market in terms of the choice we have. We are blessed with the range available and the diversity of wines on offer.

Name any wine producing country anywhere in the world and we will have an importer, a retailer or a restaurant, somewhere in Australia selling it.

As we head into another year of uncertainty in our daily lives. One thing is for sure: the wine will continue to flow. Grapes will be picked, wine will be produced and we the Australian customer, will have before us, choice beyond our capacity to understand all on display.

So how does a person with limited knowledge navigate through the endless bottles of choice before them? And the answer is, exactly the same way a person with knowledge of wine does! And that is to purchase a different wine each time you go into your chosen wine shop.

Or join a Wine Tasting Group. And discuss in forum style the wines on offer. I've been told many times, 'Oh its OK for you, as you know about wine'. So lets debunk the idea that if you don't know anything about wine, in some way your view within your chosen tasting group, is not valid

I don't know much about art or music.

But that doesn't stop me having an opinion about paintings I own or view or the music I listen to. I can put an argument together to support my personal choice: It is purely sub-



jective based on experience and appeal to my

Learning about wine is the same, especially as we use three of our senses; sight, smell and of course taste.

On my wine courses many attendees have that lightbulb moment.

All of a sudden, they can pick up a wine, they have tasted for the first time and with a new found confidence in front of the group. Openly explain, the aromas they are smelling and what they are tasting. Once this Hooray moment arrives. Then they seek to taste new and different wines.

And quickly book on the next course which will discuss how the one grape varietal such as Sauvignon Blanc, smells different and tastes different when sourced from different areas of production.

And then once that is understood. The next exciting step in their world of wine journey is matching wine and food and that deserves to be called a Masterclass.

I look forward to discussing the above, with you throughout this year.



WineBill attending his first wine tasting in 2022.

What are you going to sell?: Part Two, the on-sell

YOUR BUSINESS
QUESTIONS
ANSWERED QUEENSLAND

WITH JAMES HARRIS james@qsb-consulting.com

Last time we talked about costing products you designed yourself. This week we are going to look at selecting and buying products wholesale that you can then resell. If you are intending to buy and resell a product, the first question is, do you already know what that product is? If you do, things are relatively straight forward.

Before you do anything else you need to know how many other people are selling the same product and more importantly, how much they are selling it for? You can't expect to be selling your product for more than most of your competitors. A quick Google search here can give you an idea.

Once you have estimated what you can sell your chosen product for, you need to identify possible suppliers. You need to know how much each of these suppliers will sell units to you for. You also need to be aware of minimum orders. If you must order many units, you are increasing your risk significantly because you may end up with a lot of money tied up in products that are untested, at least by you. As a rule, the smaller number of units you can order the better.

It is also important to be aware of shipping costs per unit. This will be as simple as dividing the total shipping cost by the number of units and then adding that number onto each unit, just like we talked about last time.

At this point it is also worth asking potential suppliers if they will ship individual units to your customers directly with your logo on the packaging and sales documents. Failing this, a supplier who will post products directly to your customers without any of their own branding can also work.

If you don't know what you are going to sell, things get a little more complicated. You need to identify a product that you are interested in selling and that customers are



interested in buying.

One of the simplest ways of doing this is to start watching what the bestselling products on sites like Amazon are. Most marketplace sites will provide this information somewhere, but you might have to dig for it a little bit.

Once you have decided on a product, you can move on to identifying possible suppliers. Again, you need to know how much each supplier will sell units to you for. As covered above, you need to be aware of minimum orders, shipping costs and whether a potential supplier will ship individual units directly to your customers with your logo on the pack-

aging and included sales documents.

Similarly, you still need to know how many other people are selling the same product and more importantly, how much they are selling it for, because once again, you can't expect to be selling the same product for more than your competitors.

We touched on Google above and you should not underestimate how much free information you can get by Googling the product. It will be very easy to build up a repository of data including who is selling it, how much they are selling it for and how they are advertising/describing it. When comparing

pricing, be mindful that prices can appear to vary more than they actually do because some sellers will include free postage while others will price low and only disclose postage costs at the checkout.

Next time we'll take the information you have gathered and use it to figure out if the product you have selected is financially viable, but in the meantime if you have a question about starting a business or running your existing business, we'd love to hear from you because we'll regularly select new questions to answer here every two weeks. You can submit your question to james@qsbconsulting.com using the subject 'CQToday'.



THIS great family has much more on offer than the standard house and it has sea views, pool, shed, side access with concrete driveway, and room for the children to run and play. It's in a very popular street and surrounded by friendly families.

- Full length front verandah that's enclosed and overlooking the sea views
- Lowset rendered double brick house with tiled floors and high ceilings
- Four generous bedrooms are air-conditioned with built-in robes and fans
- There's two bathrooms in the house, laundry and 5th bedroom or office
- Spacious timber kitchen, benches, and lots of cupboards
- Covered entertaining area with 5.5m x 3m plunge pool and barbecue kitchen ■ 9m x 6m shed with bathroom and air-con-
- ditioned plus 4 car parking spaces ■ 3KW solar system, concrete driveway to
- the shed, 1012m2 block Quite street, school bus close by, fully
- fenced and room to run and play Close to Farnborough beach, town, shops,
- schools, main street and lagoon







HOME ESSENTIALS

Address: 46 Stevenson Street, BARLOWS HILL Description: 4 bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, 4 garage Price: Offers over \$699,000 considered Inspect: Saturday, 11am-11.30am

Contact: Andrew Dowie, 0429 391 379, YEPPOON REAL ESTATE, 4938 3777







Massive family home metres to beach $_6 \bowtie |_4 \biguplus |_7 \bowtie$

- 3 storey family home w/ 5 bed, office & 3 baths
- 2 kitchen in main house, living on each level
- Plantation shutters & security screens
- Workshop w/ 3.6m ceiling, 3 phase power
- Separate granny flat w/ kitchen, bath & laundry • Perfect for family home or Air BnB
- 5 garages, wide driveway & beach access
- 4 mins to Farnborough State School

19 Mirraweena Avenue Bangalee \$1,240,000

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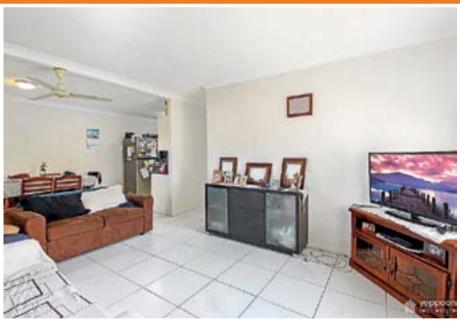
Queenslander, ¼ Acre, In Town

- 1012m2 block w/ side access • 4 bedrooms plus study & 2 living areas
- Family bathroom w/ separate toilet
- Cavernous master bedroom w/ WIR
- High clearance caravan or boat carport
- 9ff ceilings & polished timber floor boards Generous kitchen overlooking deck & gardens
- Walk to beach, shops, restaurants, clubs & CBD

6 Hutton Street Yeppoon Offers over \$650,000 considered

Lisa Wilson 0418 247 020









Sea views, walk to the shops & beach $_2
ightharpoons 1$

- Located in a small & quiet complex, 1 of 4 units
- 2 sizeable bedrooms w/ fans & built in cupboards
- Spacious kitchen w/ ample bench space
- Open plan living area, fully tiled w/ air con • End unit w/ outdoor patio to enjoy view & breeze
- Currently renting for \$280 p/w until 2/02/2022
- Low body corporate fees, \$1130.55 per quarter Inspect now to avoid disappointment.

4/18 Marina Avenue Taranganba

\$225,000

Esme & Claudia Core 0423877414 0438336861









EXCELLENT INVESTMENT

THIS lovely family home is on the market for

Enter into the large open plan living/ lounge area which adjoins the modern kitchen with good cabinetry and storage

All four bedrooms are a good size and have built-in robes. The master boasts a modern ensuite while the main bathroom has a walk in shower and a separate bath tub. Throughout the home is air-conditioning and polished timber floorboards.

There is a covered timber deck, a double carport, garden shed and a nice size yard to complete the home.



This property is currently rented for \$450 per week.

This could be an excellent home or investment you choose.

Call today to arrange an inspection.

HOME **ESSENTIALS**

Address: 8 Oak Street, BLACKWATER Price: \$252,000

Description: 4 bedrooms, 4 bathrooms, 2 garage Inspect: By appointment

Contact: Dee 0428 770 557, REAL ESTATE VISION GROUP

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\$140,000 12 Acacia Street, Blackwater 3 bed 1 bath 2 car



\$224,500 U6/41 Rufus Street, Blackwater 3 bed 3 bath 2 car



\$269,000 103 Bauman Way, Blackwater 3 bed 2 bath 1 car



\$150,000 15 Evans Street, Blackwater 3 bed 1 bath 1 car



\$150,000 12 Quandong Street, Blackwater 3 bed 1 bath 1 car



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Petunia Songbird



Dalchampia aristolochiaefolia.



Rose and Things at Barcaldine.

Bright hot weather roses

As we start the New Year, most rose gardens are still a mass of colour and most vases inside the homes will still be overflowing with flowers.

But here are some important notes to get the very best for this summer. With the dry conditions we are having, more frequent watering will be required.

Water should be applied to your roses if the soil is dry for more than a depth of 40mm and it is still the best to water only every two or three days.

It is important also not to use overhead watering if possible, and do not water in the evening, as the dampness will promote fungus disease like Black Spot.

BOW TIE VINE

Different in just about every way the Dalchampia aristolochiaefolia or commonly known as the Bow Tie Vine or Silk Crepe Flower would make a conversation piece in most gardens.

This is a very hardy evergreen climber with green heart-shaped leaves that is even frost hardy. Dalchampia will grow in full sun or partial sun and once established is semi drought tolerant. Dalchampia aristolochiaefolia is a native of Peru but Dalchampia can be found growing naturally in most tropical countries.

The Dalchampia's bright mauve-pink bracts are very unusual in shape and texture. These bracts look like a Bow Tie and feel like silk hence the common names. Similar to most members of the Poinsettia family the flowers are small, heart shaped and red in colour. Flowering mainly in summer and autumn the Dalchampia can also flowers at other times during the year.

Dalchampia can be grown as an individual creeper on a fence or trellis or it can be used intertwined with other climbing plants. It can reach a height of 5m in perfect conditions with the best plant I have seen was growing in a Benaraby garden.

POT PLANTS FOR FEBRUARY

It's not just the garden that can look good for February, but it is also an opportunity to create colour displays on a balcony, patio or other sunny living areas.

This can be achieved by planting beautiful flowering annuals in containers. Whether they be simple pots, decorative urns, or window planter boxes, containers are perfect for growing flowering annuals at any time of the year.

They are also good for providing a low maintenance solution to brightening up a courtyard or patio area. Growing plants in containers can also provide a much-needed activity for children, providing both the thrill of watching the plant grow and the responsibility of maintaining the plant.

There are many varieties of annuals available at your local nursery suitable for container planting. Petunias are a regular favourite, offering a wide range of colours either in fashionable or bright mixes or in separate colours. Snapdragons, marigolds, pansies and violas all provide excellent displays in pots.

Plants can be purchased as seedlings and in a few short weeks they will be flowering. Once potted, these plants should be kept out of windy spots, as moisture will evaporate more quickly.

Avoid very shady spots as well, as most summer annuals need plenty of sun. A handy hint to remember when planting your seedling - a good potting mix is important. I would recommend one that is well-balanced, light and easy draining and that includes slow release fertilisers and water retention granules.

Remember though, a feed of a soluble fertiliser every couple of weeks will be needed to keep the flowers coming.

PLANT NOW FOR FEBRUARY

Annuals - Marigolds, Salvia, Petunia, Alyssum, Candytuft, Cineraria, Clarkia, Cornflower, Delphinium, Dianthus Gypsophila, Larkspur, Linaria, Lobelia, Pansy, Phlox, Poppy, Primula, Snapdragon, Statice, Stock, Sweet Pea, Verbena and Viola

Vegetables and Herbs - Beans, Beetroot, Broccoli, Cabbage, Cauliflower, Carrot, Celery, Lettuce, Mint, Mustard, Parsley, Radish, Squash, Silverbeet, Tomato and Zucchini and all herbs



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Viola Raspberries and Cream.

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Rural Matters

Filling in the info gaps

By Michael Guerin, AgForce CEO

The past few weeks have highlighted what a land of extremes Australia is.

While the end of 2021 saw AgForce welcoming the State Government's long-awaited launch of its new drought programs for producers affected by decade-long drought, catastrophic flooding throughout the State, most recently in the Wide Bay and Somerset regions, has put lives, property, and livestock at risk.

It's why AgForce has stood up its crisis management response team, engaging strongly with Government to ensure we get the right services to the right people in the right places.

While monitoring sites from the Bureau of Meteorology (BOM) can record rainfall information – like the extreme total of more than 650mm at Marodian last Friday night – along water systems, they can't provide flood information between systems.

That's where people power, our producers –



AgForce CEO Michael Guerin says producers fill in 'black holes of information' that would otherwise go uncaptured.

literally hundreds of families who live in properties in flood-affected areas – and AgForce come in, filling in black holes of information that would otherwise go uncaptured.

To assist further, AgForce has prepared an online map that anyone (AgForce member or

not) can use to locate their property and complete a set of 'flood-impact' questions.

We want to know about your welfare, where you're located, and the extent of any damage sustained to your property – including losses to crops, infrastructure, and livestock.

One response received so far from a producer north of Kilkivan indicated 946mm of rain had fallen on their property – startling evidence of what is currently being missed.

The emotional and financial toll from these floods will be, as it always is, extreme, which is why we're encouraging anyone affected to complete the questions in the online map, and upload photos.

This open-source, real-time information from people at the coalface is – even during this time of unprecedented levels of technology – still the best way to guarantee we respond quickly and accurately, and make sure no flooded areas are overlooked.

AgForce will continue supporting Government, providing your confidential, deidentified responses to not only push for increased systems to enhance our State's disaster response – but to ensure the people affected receive the support, care, and financial assistance they need.



Kookaburra at Canoe Point



The Blue-Winged Kookaburra is a large species of kingfisher native to northern Australia and southern New Guinea.

Measuring around 40cm, it is slightly smaller than the more familiar Laughing Kookaburra.

They are known for their seemingly crazy cackling or barking calls! They are also quite colourful with the males having a blue tail while the female's tail is brown.

A very alert female is seen here in this shot taken at Canoe Point.

A female Blue-Winged Kookaburra, photographed by Bob Trask.



FORECAST

Warnings

See www.bom.gov.au/australia/warnings Gladstone:

Mostly sunny. Winds southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h becoming light before dawn then becoming east to southeasterly 20 to 30 km/h in the

Friday. Mostly sunny.

Rockhampton:

Mostly sunny. Light winds becoming southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h in the morning then tending easterly 15 to 25 km/h in the middle of the day. Friday. Mostly sunny.

Capricornia:

Mostly sunny. Winds southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h turning easterly 15 to 25 km/h in the late morning. Friday. Mostly sunny. Winds east to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h tending east to northeasterly 15 to 25 km/h during the day.

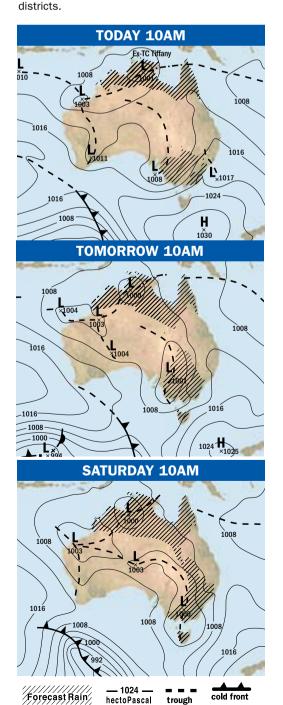
Central Highlands and Coalfields:

Sunny. Winds northeast to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h tending northeasterly in the late evening.

Oueensland:

A high in the southern Tasman Sea will maintain a ridge along the east coast south of Cairns. A weak trough will extend over western Queensland. A second trough may extend over northern Queensland. Mostly sunny in the central and southeastern interior, with a slight to medium chance of showers about the east coast south of Cairns. A slight to medium chance of showers and storms elsewhere, increasing to a medium to high chance in the far north. Temperatures near or above average, tending near or below average in eastern districts.

Friday. A high near New Zealand will maintain a ridge along the east coast. A trough in western Queensland will deepen and move slowly east. A second trough may extend over northern Queensland. Mostly sunny in the central and southeastern interior, with a slight chance of showers about the east coast south of Townsville. A slight to medium chance of showers and storms elsewhere, increasing to a medium to high chance in the far north. Temperatures near or above average, tending near or below average in eastern



trough

(hPa)

24 hrs to 9am

GLADSTONE FORECAST



TODAY Mostly sunny. 31



TOMORROW Mostly sunny. 30



SATURDAY Mostly sunny. 31



SUNDAY Partly cloudy.



















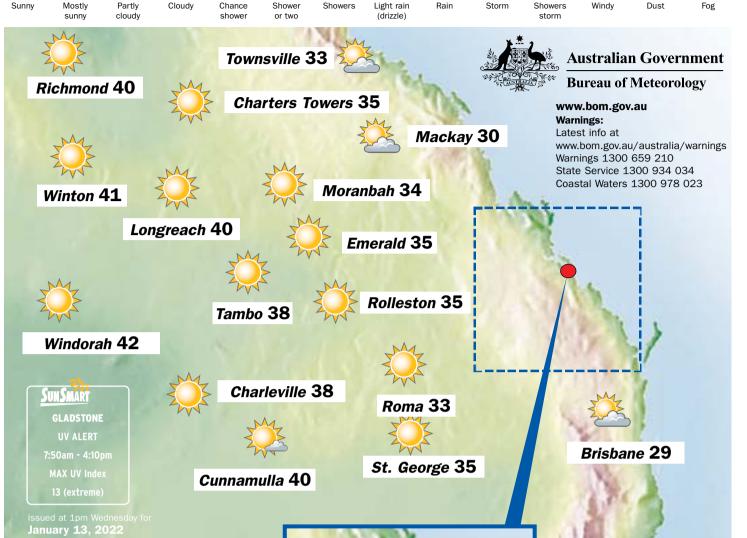












COASTAL WATERS

St. Lawrence to Burnett Heads:

Winds: East to southeasterly 15 to 20 knots increasing to 15 to 25 knots offshore. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres, increasing to 1 to 2 metres offshore south of Cape Capricorn. Swell: East to southeasterly around 1 metre inshore, increasing to 1.5 to 2.5 metres offshore. Weather: Mostly sunny.

Friday. Winds: East to southeasterly 10 to 15 knots, reaching up to 20 knots offshore during the early morning. Inshore winds reaching up to 20 knots at times during the afternoon and early evening. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres. Swell: East to southeasterly around 1 metre inshore, increasing to 1 to 2 metres offshore. Weather: Mostly sunny.

Bowen to St. Lawrence:

Winds: East to southeasterly 15 to 20 knots. Inshore winds south of Sarina turning east to northeasterly during the afternoon. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres. Swell: East to southeasterly 1 to 1.5 metres offshore south of Mackay. Weather: Partly

Friday. Winds: East to southeasterly 10 to 15 knots. Inshore winds south of Sarina turning east to northeasterly in the afternoon. Seas: Around 1 metre. Swell: East to southeasterly 1 to 1.5 metres offshore south of Mackay. Weather: Mostly sunny.

Hervey Bay:

Winds: Southeasterly 10 to 15 knots, increasing to 15 to 25 knots in the morning. Seas: 1 to 1.5 metres, increasing to 1 to 2 metres around midday. Swell: Northeasterly around 1 metre in the northern bay. Weather: Partly cloudy.

Friday. Winds: East to southeasterly 10 to 15 knots, reaching up to 20 knots at times during the afternoon. Seas: Around 1 metre. Swell: Northeasterly around 1 metre in the northern bay. Weather: Mostly sunny.

	CAPITAL CITIES	
City	Condition	Max
Adelaide	Partly cloudy.	26
Brisbane	Partly cloudy.	29
Canberra	Partly cloudy.	26
Darwin	Showers. Possible storm.	31
Hobart	Cloudy.	23
Melbourne	Humid. Possible storm.	31
Perth	Partly cloudy.	28
Sydney	Shower or two.	28
	SUN & MOON	

Sunset

Moonrise Moonset

7:14pm 5:11am

1:20am

1:58am

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4:17am

Wellington

2:57pm

3:51pm

4:44pm

5:37pm

6:27pm

Sunrise

5:19am 6:48pm

5:20am 6:48pm

5:21am 6:48pm

5:22am 6:48pm

5:22am 6:47pm

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fine	33	25
fine	3	-7
cloudy	6	1
showers	18	11
rain	33	24
sunny	6	2
sunny	21	16
showers	27	21
rain	30	24
storms	25	16
fine	34	24
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TIDES

Gladstone

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APPROVED INSPECTION PROGRAM -ANIMAL MANAGEMENT

Under Section 114 of the Animal Management (Cats and Dogs) Act 2008, all residents within all parishes of Gladstone Regional Council are hereby notified of Council's intention to conduct its Animal Inspection Program throughout the whole of the Region for a period of six calendar months, commencing on 01 February 2022 and concluding on 30 July 2022.

The program will be conducted in accordance with Section 113 of the Act. The purpose of the program is to ensure full compliance with the registration and microchipping requirements of the Act. The penalty for failing to ensure an animal is implanted with a prescribed permanent identification device PPID (microchip) and the microchip details updated with Council and/or keeping an unregistered animal is \$275.00 per offence and further failure to microchip/register after this is \$689.00 (fees are subject to change each financial year). A copy of the program can be viewed or obtained without charge from Council's Civic Centre in Gladstone or Council's website at www.gladstone.qld.gov.au. For more information about animal management phone Council on (07) 4970 0700.

General Notices



Funeral Services

Livestock Agistment on Gladstone Area Water Board Land **QTender RF00LAND1** Closing: 5pm AEST 28 January 2022

Tenders are invited for the agistment of Gladstone Area Water Board (GAWB) land for the purpose of grazing livestock. The eight (8) parcels of land are located around the Lake Awoonga Catchment, in the Gladstone Regional Council Local Government Area.

The Request for Tender is structured into eight (8) separable portions. Respondents can submit for one or more separable portions. GAWB may, at its sole discretion, elect to award one or more separable portions to one or more respondents. The QTenders reference is: RF00LAND1 - Livestock Agistment on Gladstone Area Water Board Land.

Further information on each parcel of land is listed in Schedule 5 of the Request for Tender.

The agistment over each parcel of land will be established for a period of two (2) years.

Respondents are to complete and sign Schedule 6 - Tender Response Form and lodge the document electronically on the QTenders website for this tender. Hardcopy or email offers will be non-conforming and

For further information please lodge an enquiry on the QTenders Forum or email contracts@gawb.gld.gov.au

CLASSIFIEDS

EARLY DEADLINES

Australia Day 26th January

Classified deadlines for

Thursday 27th January issue of the

Gladstone Today as follows:

TUESDAY 25th JANUARY at 10am

DINGLE. **Desmond Roy (Des)**

Late of 'Alarm Creek', Mt Alma. Passed away peacefully, Sunday 9th January, 2022, aged 81 years.

Beloved Husband of Joyce. Much loved Father and Father-in-law to Roslyn (dec'd), Ian and Nueng, Wayne, David and Joan, Robyn and Angela. Adored Grandfather to Steph and Dale, Lvn and Pat, Ervn and B.J, Nicola and Zac, Daniel and Brooke, Scott and Mackenzie, Luke and Jordana, Cameron, Blake and Mathew. Cherished Great Grandfather of Riley, Liana, Elliot, Kenedi, Madison, Bailey, Scarlet, Remi, Ashton and Ollie.

Relatives and Friends are respectfully invited to attend Des' Funeral Service, to be held at the Bovne Tannum Memorial Parklands Chapel, Pioneer Drive, Boyne Island, **Friday 21st** January, commencing 1.00p.m.

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Girls learn cricket skills

By Matthew Pearce

Cricket-loving girls from around the region had a great time learning new skills on Tuesday, 11 January at the annual Brisbane Heat Summer Bash Program.

Speaking at the Rockhampton Cricket Ground, Central Queensland cricket manager Nathan Spencer said the girls aged from five to 14 took part in a variety of activities.

"Today is basically about all the girls across Rockhampton coming in and experiencing what crickets like in comfortable setting for them to enjoy, and they're certainly having a very good time," he said.

"We started off the day with a bunch of skills activities, focusing on some catching, some teamwork and running around skills, then we got stuck into some inflatable nets and a slip and slide. The day will end with a Colour Fun Run."

Spencer said 36 girls attended the event, up from 32 last year, showing the growth in interest in women's cricket in the region.

"To have grown in numbers by four is awesome and at the same time we've also incorporated our new That's My Game ambassador

"Ten girls from across the region act as role models for our girls, and we have six here to-day helping out - they're the idols for the girls based here in CQ.

"In terms of the ratio of males and females playing cricket in Central Queensland, we have almost 33 per cent girls playing now, which is awesome from where we were just four years ago."

Some rain on the day posed no problem for the girls, especially the slip and slide on hand.

Look for more photos from the Brisbane Heat Summer Bash Program in Saturday's weekend edition of CQ Today.



Casual community coordinators Mim Grice and Jourdan Novak with some of the participants in the annual Brisbane Heat Summer Bash Program.

Regional Fishing

Fishing: Good start to 2022

By Shane Anderson

Another year is done and dusted, so Happy New Year to you all and may your beer be cold and your rods be bent!

BUNDABERG OFFSHORE

We've had good reports of red emperor, coral trout, grass sweet lip and parrot being landed. Light winds are predicted for the coming weekend. As always, check your current weather report before heading out.

BUNDABERG INSHORE

The inshore reefs in the local area such as the Cochrane Artificial, the 2 Mile and the 4 Mile have all been fishing well. We have had good reports of snapper, and large size grunter being caught as well. Also, in these areas pelagics such as queenfish, trevally and spanish mackeral have been caught too.

BURNETT RIVER

With the bigger tides from the previous week pushing the cleaner water through the system, the Burnett River is starting to pick up. Reports of good sized bream, flathead and grunter are being a regular catch. Before heading out for a fish, put the crab pots in. Nice sized bucks have definitely been on the move.

KOLAN AND BAFFLE CREEK

With both these systems starting to clean up after previous rains, reports of whiting, flathead, grunter and mangrove jack have all been caught. Also, as a great sport fish the queenies have been showing up at the mouth of the Baffle. Both these systems have been crabbing well also, so put the pots in before heading out for a fish.

LAKE MONDURAN

Monduran is a lake that can change from week to week, from a change in wind direction, water level and water temperature. From a combination of both rain and a south-easterly wind can drop water temperatures, making fishing tough. As water levels have risen over the previous month, weed that's in the shallow starts to rot and takes the oxygen out of the water in that area. Areas that fished well previous to rain may not be as productive in the coming weeks. Starting over and finding new ground where fish can be holding can be crucial to catch rates in the future. Follow the wind and find that water temperature that's a degree or two above anywhere else. Fishing off points or backs of bays may give you the edge.

Terry Morton with a Lake Monduran barramundi



November 26 catch of the week, 10 year old Owen Taylor with a shovel nose shark he caught at Baffle Creek.



December 3 catch of the week, Darcy Lutz with a good haul of locally caught mud crabs.



Nigel Cowan with a Spanish Mackeral.



December 10 catch of the week, Sara
Danielsson with a 100cm barra caught on
her first trip to Lake Monduran using a Jackall
Squirrel lure. Pictures: CONTRIBUTED





FISHING with Allstars Insalt's Joe McGuire





The best catches of 2021

These anglers have fished against the best longest fish in each of the 18 species. across Queensland.

In our first year of operating the online fishing competition format, we had a lot of support from Hervey Bay North, and that can be seen each month with weigh-ins from multiple competitors as far north as Thursday Island, Karumba, Weipa, Cooktown.

This is why I set up the competition in the first place...the southern corner of our state has a sponsored fishing competition every second weekend giving away overseas made tackle, and the online fishing competition I previously entered from cockroach country gave away prizes that I didn't need or want.

So instead of complaining, I thought I'd give my own comp a crack by setting up ALLSTARS during a pandemic and via an internet based format that allows people to fish anytime and weigh-in 24/7 via the website www.allstarsinsalt.com.au.

I also wanted to create it as a family-owned business, with no foreign involvement so that we could give away cash prizes to the entrants to use how they wish.

Basically, the entrant's membership fee funds their fishing competition cash prizes, so fishos are building their own online fishing competition themselves.

It is that simple.

So here are the 17 anglers that caught the work.

Acknowledgement goes to Phil Myers who is the only entrant to have won two species as he caught the longest Barramundi and Queenfish during the 2021 competition.

Just out of interest, across the 18 categories, nine of the longest fish were caught from the closest Port of Gladstone and five of the longest fish were caught during the month of June.

So, if you're planning a Queensland holiday then get to Central Queensland in June to go fishing and increase your odds of actually catching a fish!

The ALLSTARS online fishing competition is running for 2022 and registrations are open to anyone to try their luck, so get in early to win your share of the cash prizes.

Have you got what it takes to beat any of these ALLSTARS anglers?

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, tips, stories and photos.

A day on the water is better than a day at



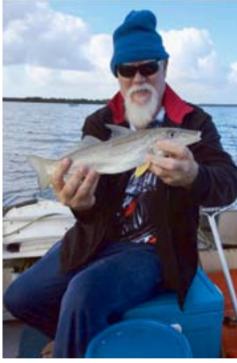
Flathead - Mal Hancock 97cm Gold Coast.



Redthroat Emperor - Clint Doherty 59cm Gladstone.



Coral Trout - Dale Butterworth 90cm Townsville.



Whiting - Paul Kenderick 44cm Sunshine Coast.





Trevally - Sean lbbs 126cm Gladstone.



Mackerel - Joe McGuire



Mackerel - Craig Dean 171 Gladstone.



Red Emperor - Corey Bruton 86cm Gladstone.



Barramundi - Phil Myers 128cm Gladstone.



Nannygai - Anthony Goulding 93cm Gladstone.



Tuna - Peter Stevens 129cm Bundaberg.



Fingermark - Jack Mitchell 87cm Mackay.



Grunter - Braith Young 71cm Bundaberg



Bream - Dylan Kreis 46cm Hervey Bay.



Salmon - Ryan Paterson 139cm Gladstone.



Queenfish Phil Myers 123cm Gladstone.



Mangrove Jack - Mac Foster 67cm Townsville.



Snapper - Bryan Sait 80cm Sunshine Coast.

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The BITS Saints will have to make their mark early this year after leaving it too late in 2021.

Saints want swift start

By Liam Emerton

If there's one team that wants to get back to its previous success in 2022 it's the Boyne Island Tannum Sands Saints.

The BITS squad finished in the grand final in 2020 but failed to do so in 2021, being knocked out in the semi finals.

After being by far the second best team in the AFL Capricornia competition in 2020 a slow start in 2021 hurt the Saints, but that's something they refuse to repeat.

But adding to the season ahead, the Gladstone Suns have done some very strong recruiting which could lead to a very competitive local derby down the line.

For BITS Saints head coach Rick Bean he believes the comp is going to be fantastic this year with his side ready for a huge year.

"I'm looking forward to the season ahead, I think it's going to be an exciting year," he said.

"All clubs are out there trying to improve. Especially our neighbours which has added the the excitement around the area for AFL and that can only be a good thing.

"We had 14 under 17s make their debut last year which will only put us in good stead moving forward.

"It's exciting times for the young kids. We've got players returning from unavailability and injuries so they're all coming back."

Speaking on their slow start Bean said it was crucial to start the season with strong performances to really set the BITS up for a big season

"Any win is important. We're in a three-round competition so it's not a sprint, it is a

marathon," he said.

"But to get some wins early on takes the pressure off and reinforces what we're trying to do.

"Last year we had a really hard year. We probably finished where we deserved to last year, that was third.

"We were hit with a lot of injuries and unavailability at the beginning of the year but the character of the club and the players actually shone through in the end."

Looking towards the Saints' squad, Bean looked towards a couple of experienced players before recognising those who could have a breakout year in the Capricornia competition this season.

"I'm very excited with a couple of really good players," he said.

"One that I would urge people to look out for is Ryan Shanks.

"He's a young player who has come through the ranks and he's on the verge of taking it to the next level.

"Another one is Tyler Walker. He came across from rugby league a couple of seasons ago and he's really established himself as a quality player.

"The other player, who I didn't see a lot of during his first few years because of injuries, but he looks fit and keen, that's Trent Miller who I think could be a bit of a story this year as well."

Of course the team couldn't be put together without sponsorships with Bean thanking those who have supported the club through the years and have come on board this year to sponsor the BITS AFL club.

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