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## 30th Bowls Carnival underway

It is that time of the year again when the Guyra Bowling Club Showcases its Club and facilities with the running of the annual Bowls Carnival. Play commenced on Tuesday December 3rd with the Open Women's Triples and the action will continue until Sunday.

On Wednesday December 4th the Mixed Triples are being played and the Carnival proper gets underway on Thursday December 5th with the Schweppes Three Bowl Pairs being played.

A full field of 32 teams have entered the Pairs with teams coming from, Armidale City, Inverell Sports, Mona Vale, Glen Innes, Kootingal, Kew, Gunnedah, Guyra along with a number of composite teams. Total prize money \$3800 with a first prize of \$2000.

Saturday December 7th and Sunday December 8th will see the Regional Australia Bank Triples played with a full field of 32 teams entered with teams coming from Mona Vale, Inverell Sports, Armidale Ex Services, Kootingal, Armidale



The Bowls Carnival kicked off on Tuesday with 48 lady bowlers taking to the greens in the Open Women's Triples including Guyra bowlers Bertha Reeves, Dot Jackson, Laurel Betts, Colleen Wright, Jill McEwen, Cheryl O'Neil and Jenny O'Neil

City, Kew, Glen Innes, Nambucca, Gunnedah, Guyra and a number of Composite teams.

Total prize money is \$3810 with a first prize of \$1200. Any bowlers wishing to fill a vacancy or for any further enquiries please contact the

Bowling Club on 6779 1499 during working hours.

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# Naming honour for former civic leader

The Guyra Community Hall will be renamed the 'Gilbert White Memorial Hall' recognising the contribution of the town's longest serving Shire President, D.R. Gilbert White OAM. The move follows an approach to Armidale Regional Council by his family who noted his extensive civic record, including service on Guyra Shire Council from 1960 to 1987 with 25 years as Shire President.

Some of the achievements noted during his time with council were the development of one of the best road systems in the in the State, the construction of water treatment and sewerage treatment works, the Truck Stop, new council chambers and council works depot. Mr White's time on council also saw the development of recreational and sporting facilities including playing fields and the swimming pool.

The opening of the Community Hall in October 1975 is considered a highlight of his years on council and it was requested that the hall be renamed in his honour. The hall is widely used by the Guyra community for sporting and social functions as well as being the centre of the annual Guyra Show.

Feedback on this proposal was sought from the public with just two emailed submissions being received



during the public exhibition period. These submissions supported recognition of Mr White, but expressed a preference for utilising other facilities or Council infrastructure.

A recommendation to last week's council meeting was that in view of the unique and extensive service of Mr White to the Guyra and New England community, and the low volume of response submissions, that Council support the request. A motion went before council and the proposal was carried unanimously.



The Guyra Community Hall will be renamed the Gilbert White Memorial Hall

# Choir prepares for Carol services

The Combined Churches Choir are hard at work getting ready for two performances in the lead up to Christmas.

The first performance will take place on Sunday December 15th at St. Columba's Presbyterian Church commencing at 7.30 pm. The second performance will be at the Ben Lomond Carols which takes place in the Ben Lomond hall commencing at 7.30 pm on Monday December 16th.

Conductors for the Choir are Nancy Prisk and Margaret Jones with accompaniment by Julie Stride on the organ and Sue Vanderwolf on piano.

Everyone is welcome to come along for the performances and join in the spirit of the season.



The Combined Churches Choir practising for their performances on December 15th & 16th



# Test drilling brings positive signs

Initial drilling in the Guyra district has identified seven sites with strong potential to provide adequate quantity and quality of water to supplement the region's water supply.

The seven test bores - at the Guyra water treatment plant, next to the Guyra sports fields, Izzard Park, at the intersection of Sole Street and Guyra Road and three on Llangothlin Road - appear likely to meet the benchmark of providing five litres of water per second per bore.

Council will liaise with landholders near each of those sites, with contractors set to return in coming weeks to undertake further drilling and potentially begin the installation of bore equipment.

Armidale Regional Council Mayor Simon Murray said that public liaison may include monitoring existing bores nearby to reaffirm the ground

water reserves being targeting are not linked to aquifers already being accessed by landholders.

"As planned, the test bores drilled so far have been substantially deeper than any existing bores in the area," Cr Murray said.

"We're looking at reserves much more than 100m underground, while the bores already in place are typically 30 to 40 metres deep."

If drilling for the town supply bores does encounter more shallow water reserves, capping sleeves will be used to seal off that shallower supply.

Council will keep landholders informed about those measures, enabling them to ask questions and assist with monitoring of adjacent bores.

Test drilling will continue with a site at the Guyra Showgrounds this week.

A second crew will this week

begin test drilling at 16 sites in the Armidale town area, with work expected to take about three weeks.

Testing has been undertaken at 10 sites in rural areas surrounding Armidale, with five showing potential.

All 36 test sites in and around Guyra and Armidale are located close to existing infrastructure, so it may be relatively quick and cost effective to connect them to the water distribution network.

Cr Murray said there was some urgency to get ground water supplies on line in Guyra, before levels in Malpas Dam drop below 30%.

"Once they reach that level, different equipment will have to be used to pump water into the Malpas Dam to Guyra pipeline and flow rates will be affected," he said.

"The dam level is now around 36%. There were in-

significant increases in levels at the Malpas and Guyra dams as a result a last weekend's rain - just a fraction of a percentage - but at least it was the first week for quite some time that the level hasn't fallen."

He said while the successful bores that go into production will help extend the lives of the Malpas and Guyra dams, the most effective way to safeguard the town supplies is reducing water consumption.

"We all still need to continue the great work being done to maximise water savings," he said.

"We remain on Level 5 restrictions and with forecasts of a hot and dry summer, every effort is needed to save water and prolong remaining supplies until more substantial, drought-breaking rain hopefully arrives.



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## What's HOT

**CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT** at the MPS Tuesday December 10th

**COMBINED CHURCHES CHOIR** performing on December 15th & 16th

**HEARING** lawn mowers and whipper snippers

**21 DAYS** until Christmas - are you excited?

## What's NOT

**CHRISTMAS** is just three weeks away - are you ready?

**WINDY DAYS** dust storms and smoke in the air

## QUOTE of the week

He who thinks too much about every step he takes will always stay on one leg  
Chinese Proverb

Bureau of Meteorology

## Weather

### WATCH

Guyra MPS

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
26	Tues	12.0	26.6	0
27	Wed	7.1	26.8	2.2
28	Thurs	7.0	26.9	0
29	Fri	12.9	27.5	0
30	Sat	15.5	25.1	0
1	Sun	14.0	18.9	3.8
2	Mon	10.4	18.1	1.0

Rain this week	7mm
Nov rainfall	36.2mm
Rainfall YTD	276.6mm
Rainfall last YTD	512.6mm
Ave. rain to Dec.	914.5mm

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

# Swim School underway

This week is an important week for students at Black Mountain Public School as they develop their swimming skills with Mrs Lorraine Brazier, Mrs Sue Reeves and Miss Bronte Stanley. Whilst Monday's weather proved to be quite challenging, all students enjoyed the morning, learning new skills and catching up with their friends from Ben Lomond Public School.

Next week the school community celebrates outstanding student achievement and great learning with their annual Presentation Night and BBQ which will be held on Thursday, December 12th. We look forward to seeing all our students, their families and community members at 5.30 pm.

*Justine Eddy*  
Relieving Principal



Black Mountain student Seth Patterson taking part in swimming lessons at the Guyra pool this week

## Car Club clearing the cobwebs



If you enjoy old cars such as this Charger, you can check them out this Sunday at the NAB car park

The Guyra and District Automotive Club will be having a Cobweb Run on Sunday December 8th.

Cars will be leaving from the NAB carpark at 9 am for a short run before returning to the carpark for coffee and a catch up.

Everyone is welcome to come along to join in or just to look at the cars. Coffee will be available from Chris the coffee man in his jeep - hope to see you all there.



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# Cameras targeting illegal phone use

Mobile phone detection cameras are now targeting illegal phone use across NSW. From December 1st fixed and transportable trailer-mounted cameras will target illegal mobile phone use anywhere, anytime.

The detection system operates both day and night and in all weather conditions, using high-definition cameras to capture images of the front-row cabin space of all vehicles to detect illegal mobile phone use.

The system uses artificial intelligence to automatically review images and detect offending drivers, and to exclude images of non-offending drivers from further action. Images that the automated system considers likely to contain a driver illegally using a mobile phone are verified by authorised personnel.

As with other road safety camera programs in NSW, strict controls are in place to ensure images captured by the system are securely stored and managed.

Warning letters will be issued for the first three months. Following this period, the penalty for offending drivers is five demerit points and a \$344 fine (\$457 in a school zone). The penalty increases to 10 demerit points during double-demerit periods.

While mobile phone detection cameras will be switched on and issuing warning letters 1 December 1st, NSW Police continue to enforce illegal mobile phone use and issue infringements as part of regular operations.

# Quicker payments to assist business

Armidale Regional Council will pay local suppliers more quickly to help ease the financial strain being experienced by business during the current drought.


At last week's Council meeting it was resolved to pay suppliers in the Armidale Regional Council area within five business days of receiving invoices, to assist the region's small to medium-sized businesses. The resolution recognised the impact the prolonged drought was having on businesses in the region.


Armidale Regional Council Mayor Simon Murray said that trimming payment times will help to get money back into the pockets of business operators and circulating in the local economy.




The move coincides with a number of Council-led initiatives to boost business activity in the Armidale region.

Earlier this month, Council held the second in a series of business symposium to identify opportunities for local commerce and encourage great cooperation between business operators and supporting agencies. A business hub to help drive new ventures and enable existing operators to flourish and grow is among the initiatives to originate from the symposiums.

Council has also established a new Regional Growth & Place Activation Peak Advisory Committee, with Expressions of Interest recently closing for community delegates on the group.



 **Adam Marshall** MP  
MEMBER FOR NORTHERN TABLELANDS

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## A happy and safe Christmas

I don't think I will be alone in saying how much I'm looking forward to drawing a line under 2019.

I want to take this opportunity to thank all the various local community organisations, charities and individuals who have volunteered their time over the past couple of months to support the NSW Rural Fire Service and those families who have been impacted by fires.

There is still assistance available for those whose properties have been damaged by fire and I urge landholders and business owners to stay in contact with the Rural Assistance Authority 1800 814 647.

I really hope over the next few weeks we all are able to take some time to spend with our loved ones, relaxing and recharging ahead of what will no doubt be a big year in 2020.

My thoughts and well wishes are with everyone in Guyra this festive season.

## Common sense on track in Guyra

I'm pleased to be able to say after a lot of hard work by the *Guyra Gazette's* Martha Weiderman train rides will again be operating during the 2020 Guyra Lamb and Potato Festival.

Martha has been working incredibly hard behind the scenes with my office to secure a lease and licence to run the train during the festival and I'm happy confirmation has come through that both will be approved.

This is an important part of the festival which I know brings endless hours of fun and joy to the many families who drop into Guyra during the event and also acts as an important fundraiser for the festival committee.

The Lamb and Potato Festival is on between the 15th and 26th of January and I can't wait to call in for a lamb and gravy roll.

## 2020 diaries for older people now available

Seniors living in Guyra can now claim their free Legal Topics for Older People

diary that alerts them of the latest scams, elder abuse, funeral information and pensions.

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## Meals on Wheels

Dec. 5th Heather Marchant  
 Dec. 6th Lyn & Richard Skinner  
 Dec. 9th Ann Hulbert  
 Dec. 10th Jan Jordan  
 Dec. 11th John Mitchell

## Street Stalls

Dec. 5th, 6th 7th  
 Lions Club  
 Dec. 12th Masonic Lodge  
 Dec. 13th & 14th Rotary

## Church Notices

### St James Anglican

Sunday 9am Morning Service, 1st Sunday of the month Backwater 2pm, 3rd Sunday of the month Ben Lomond 11.30am

### St Mary's Catholic

Saturday Mass 6pm in Guyra, Sunday 9am, 1st Sunday of month Ben Lomond, 3rd Sunday Wards Mistake, otherwise Guyra 7am Wards Mistake, 9am Guyra

Father Stephen O'Shea

### St Columba's Presbyterian

Guyra Sunday 9.00am, Ben Lomond Service, first Sunday of even-numbered months, 2.00pm  
 Rev Andrew Campbell,  
 Ph. 0447 724 536

### Uniting Church

Regular Sunday Service 9.30am  
 Enq. Nancy Davidson 6779 1366

### Seventh-day Adventist

Saturday from 10am Bible Study, 11am Divine Service.  
 Enquiries: 6779 1587

### Northwest Church

66 Llangothlin St, Sunday meeting 10am, Thursday 7pm  
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 Tony Stace 0427956772.

### Church of Freedom

10 Nincoola Street - Contact: 0421 847 973, Tuesday Prayer 6.30pm, Wed Bible Study 6.30pm  
 Sunday Service 10am

## Service Clubs

**LIONS CLUB** dinner meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month at Guyra Bowling Club, 7pm. Ph: Geoff Reeves 6779 1257

**ROTARY CLUB** dinner meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month 6pm for 6.30pm. Ph: Aileen MacDonald 0417 079 307



Santa was the centre of festivities at the Ben Lomond Christmas party

Who would have thought that Nathan and Joe would get wet cooking snags on the barbie for the Ben Lomond Christmas Party at this point, with fires and such a far reaching drought!

We are thankful for clouds and acknowledge the "wet stuff" that fell from them. The committee also offer up a serious thank you to the Glen Innes Red Cross and GLEN-RAC (and their sources) for supplying the sausages and supporting this community event which was able to be run at no cost to participants.

Given the weight of drought

strategies and day to day management, it is too easy to forget the excitement and the simple pleasure of anticipation around Christmas until you witness the faces of the children and hear their voices.

"He's coming you know"

"Who's coming?"

"Santa's coming! He Is!"

At the sound of the fire siren excitement bubbled over and their greeting 'He's Here! He's Here!' Rang around the room, as they watched for the grand entrance of the man with a white flowing beard, all dressed in red. Santa had arrived and he is such a cheery

fellow. His kindly eyes do not miss anyone and he has gifts for each child with a gentle word for each one. They sing 'Jingle Bell's as he leaves for his next assignment.

It is time to rip the paper. See the surprise inside.

The adults to share the moment of joy, and continue to yarn with folk only seen once in a while or with a wave as they go by on the road. It is good to have taken the time for the Christmas catch up.

Thanks to the committee for making an effort hosting the annual event.

*Beth White*



Coversations and time to catch up for residents following fire and drought



# Schools Spectacular comes to television

Saturday night is a big night for the tens of thousands of family and friends of the 5500 stars of this year's Schools Spectacular as they watch their performance debut on national television.

Guyra Central School student Savannah Roberts was a featured dancer in the show and this will be a chance to see her performance.

Schools Spectacular Creative Director, Sonja Sjolander said that will also be a great night for anyone who wants to watch joyous, uplifting television.

"The infectious enthusiasm and amazing talent of our Schools Spectacular will warm everyone's hearts," Ms Sjolander said. "We've been thrilled by the accolades that

have followed this year's show.

"They have praised the richness, colour, vitality and creativity – and, of course, this makes for great television."

Each year the Schools Spectacular has a theme and this year it was STARS.

"Everyone truly lived up to their star billing," Ms Sjolander said.

"They really shone and together our galaxy of stars made the 2019 Schools Spectacular a show to remember."

The Schools Spectacular will be broadcast Australia-wide on the Seven Network, including Prime7 across regional NSW, at 7:00pm this Saturday night December 7th.



**Right:** Savannah Roberts performing in the Schools Spectacular which will be broadcast on television this Saturday

## Last chance to support #ItsInTheBag

The "It's in the bag" campaign is off and running for its 5th year and volunteers are ready to visit the 300 Bunnings stores across Australia to collect, count and check the bags kindly donated by wonderful people like YOU.

The campaign is still running till December 7th and you can donate your bag to your local BUNNINGS in Armidale or drop it off at CT Electric with Anne Thrift in Guyra.

Please check you have all the essential items:

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from we try to keep the donation in that area to help your local girls and women like the Guyra Neighbourhood Centre or Back Track Youth Works in Armidale.

You can put together one of 3 different types of bags.

**WOMENS** bag – no ribbon required.

**TEEN** bag – yellow ribbon on the bag

**NAPPY** bag – purple ribbon on the bag

All information's about what can go in the different bags and some ideas can be found on [www.sharethedignity.com.au](http://www.sharethedignity.com.au)

Any questions regards the #itsinthebag campaign feel free to contact local volunteer Anne Lane email [anne.lane@gmx.com](mailto:anne.lane@gmx.com)

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GUESS WHO: Guyra Central School Kindergarten 1958 - Teacher Miss Graham?

## Guyra Sheep & Lamb Sale

**November 27th** - There was an increased penning at last week's Guyra sale with 1970 lambs and 3390 sheep yarded. The quality and condition was only fair through both the sheep and the lambs. With the continuing drought conditions there were limited supplies of well finished

stock to suit processors.

Merino lambs were well supplied. The usual processors were in attendance and there was good restocker activity. Market trends were dearer for the limited supplies of well finished lambs. There was a great deal of variation in the condition of the Merino lambs

with the plainest condition light weights selling to cheaper trends. The better quality lambs remained firm. Light weight

Merino sheep made up the bulk of the offering. That included a flock reduction. Restockers were active. Market trends varied with sheep to processors selling on a

firm to dearer market trend, with some improvement in weight. Restockers were active to a price level with the market trend firm to cheaper. The better quality lines holding their value, while the plainest condition sheep were cheaper.

## Armidale Cattle Sale

**November 28th** - There was a reduction in numbers with yearlings and cows making up the bulk of the offering. There was a fair supply of grown heifers and bulls, while calf numbers declined. The quality and condition of the offering was on the plainer side.

There were odd pens of well bred young cattle showing the effects of the drought. There were limited supplies of well finished cattle apart from cows and bulls to suit processors. There was reduced export processor competition.

Restockers were active and there was some feedlot competition. The best of the calves remained firm with the plainer calves much cheaper. There were increased supplies of vealers with the best of them selling strongly to restockers.

Quality and breed were major driv-

ers in price change through the yearlings. The better quality lots saw a firm to slightly dearer market trend. The secondary and very plain quality and condition light weight yearlings attracted weaker demand and competition to show cheaper trends. The plainer condition grown heifers to feedlotters sold to cheaper trends of around 7c/kg.

Restocker and feedlot competitor underpinned the plain condition cow market somewhat. The plainest of the cows were much cheaper however. The more suitable cows only slightly cheaper. The reduced processor competition resulted in the well finished cows selling to a cheaper trend of as much as 15c/kg. Heavy bulls were also impacted by the reduced competitor, with the best as much as 8c/kg cheaper.

## Weekly Wool Sales

**November 29th** - The wool market gave up more ground this week with losses recorded over both selling days. An 18 cent fall on the first day of sales in Sydney was followed up with a further 11 cent reduction on the final day.

Price premiums for the finer microns continue to contract as the relative lack of supply in the medium and broader types is helping to underpin prices. The individual indicators for 19.5 to 22 micron types have converged and are all worth a similar amount in the current environment.

32,464 bales were sold nationally for the week with a passed in rate of 14.2%. Major

buyers included Fox & Lillie, Techwool and Kathaytex. The last fortnight is the first time since August that we have seen consecutive down weeks in the market.

Demand remains rather subdued with data indicating retail spending in some of the major wool consuming countries is well back on last year. Supply being at historical lows is certainly helping to underpin prices and even a small increase in demand could potentially turn prices around rapidly. In the meantime the forward market is predicting little change over the next four months with prices available in line with this week's close.



## Ladies' Golf

Last week the course was closed so no golf to report.

This week subject to conditions we are playing the Guyra Par Medal Playoff for Karen Oehlers Trophy.

Next week is a Stableford Event we are playing for Anita Murray's trophy with Anita as the starter.

The ladies Presentation Night is also on next Wednesday evening 6.30pm for 7.00pm start.

*Birdie*

## Men's Golf

Last Sunday 16 golfers travelled to Glen Innes for the 2019 Pennants. After six holes the rain got the better of the field and the tournament postponed. A proposed date for a replay is the 19th January with the green fees already paid carrying over to then, this date is up for discussion.

This Saturday will be the ladies verse men's matchplay so any players looking for a challenge please turn up. Sunday will be an 18 hole stableford for a club trophy. Don't forget Bruce's Bash on the 14th.

*The Albatross*

## Men's Bowls

The results of the Club Championships played over the weekend. Sunday De-

cember 1st saw two games of Open Singles played,

Dan Kennedy played Robert Moore. It looked as though Dan has peaked at the right time with the Annual Carnival just around the corner. Dan took control from the first end and never at any stage let Robert into the contest. Dan continued his form to the end and took

a victory 31 shots to 10 shots over 20 ends.

The other game was also an Open Singles contest between Ian Jacobs and John Hamel. This game was over by the 6th end as Ian skipped away to handy lead 14 shots to nil. John was unable to chase down this lead. Ian was able to continually extend his lead and went on

to a victory 31 shots to 12 shots over 26 ends.

Bowlers there is a date to remember and that is December 15th, on this day the Brian Vickery Ham Day will take place so if you would like to play and try and win a Ham then put your name on the sheet provided on the notice board. More on this event in next weeks report.

## CRICKET SCOREBOARD Saturday, November 30th, 2019

3rd Grade Guyra defeated Ex Services	Under 14s Guyra def. by CSC Green	Under 12s Guyra defeated Hillgrove Brumbies
<b>Guyra Innings</b> Tim Brazier.....8 Cody Patterson.....85 Jim Lenehan.....22 Andrew Pearson.....11 Allan Boney.....7 Simon Brown.....25 Peter Ahoy.....5 Tim Foster.....10 DJ Patterson.....4 Brock Laybutt.....not out.....2 Orron Surawski.....0 Extras.....31 <b>Total.....217</b> Overs.....36.0	<b>Guyra Innings</b> Brendan Landsborough.....8 Tahmani Landsborough...ret...50 Ben Rienke.....1 Jack Lockyer.....11 Brodi Campbell.....25 Lincoln Brown.....not out.....2 Tom Lockyer.....dnb Harrison Brazier.....dnb Malekai Landsborough.....dnb Rave Brazier.....dnb Extras.....25 <b>Total.....3/114 (CC)</b> Overs.....25.0	<b>Guyra Innings</b> Thomas Brazier.....1 Hugo Brazier.....22 Jason Mowbray.....27 Tynan Bull.....7 Angus Dullaway.....22 Aidan Brown.....0 Emory Levy.....18 Sam Surawski.....1 George McKenzie.....0 Ethan Wilson.....ret....no.....25 Extras.....36 <b>Total.....7/162(CC)</b> Overs.....25.0
<b>Ex Services Innings</b> 10/41 off 14 overs <b>Guyra Bowling:</b> Cody Patterson 7 for 14, DJ Patterson 0 for 19, Andrew Pearson 3 for 6	<b>CSC Green Innings</b> 6/116 off 24.2 overs <b>Guyra Bowling:</b> Harrison Brazier 1/6. Brendan Landsborough 3/3	<b>Hillgrove Brumbies Innings</b> 3/113 off 25 overs <b>Guyra Bowling:</b> Tynan Bull 1/13 Sam Surawski 1/3 Hugo Brazier 1/2

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# Under 12s get first win for the year

Guyra's Under 12 cricket team have tasted victory for the first time this year with a comfortable win against Hillgrove Brumbies.

Guyra made 7/162 (cc) and in reply Hillgrove Brumbies finished their innings 3/113 (c). The team are improving with each game and they will be hoping to continue with their form next week.

In other junior games Guyra Under 14s (3/114) lost to CSC

Green (6/116) in a close game and in the Under 10 competition Guyra Black 6/167 (cc) defeated Hillgrove Brumbies 5/87 and Guyra Red 3/128 (CC) defeated Hillgrove Colts 7/97 (CC).

In senior cricket, the First and Second grade games which were being played in Armidale were abandoned due to rain.

The Third grade game which was played at the Guyra

Sporting Complex went ahead and Guyra had a good win against Ex Services.

Cody Patterson had a good day scoring 85 runs and then backing up with some good bowling to take 7 for 14.

This weekend Guyra 1st grade will be at home against Ex Services at Ted Mulligan Oval, 2nds are set to take on Hillgrove at the Sporting Complex and 3rds will take on City/Une at Elizabeth Park in

Armidale.

Juniors will be playing their last game before the Christmas break this weekend. The under 10s will see the two Guyra teams up against each other at Guyra Central School. The under 12s will be playing at the Guyra Sporting Complex against Hillgrove Colts and the under 14s will take on Uralla/Walcha at John Oxley Sports Centre.



**Guyra Under 12s**

**Back l to r:** Thomas Brazier, Ethan Wilson, George Mackenzie, Hugo Brazier, Emory Levy, Angus Dullaway **Middle:** Sam Surawski, Toby Handebo, Aidan Brown, Henry Youman **Front:** Tynan Bull, Jason Mowbray



**Above:**

Jason Mowbray best with the bat 27 not out

**Below left:**

Angus Dullaway on Strike with Tynan Bull

**Below right :**

Henry Youman bowling

*Photos Jo Dullaway*







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**CHEMICAL COURSE**, Full and Refresher at Guyra on Thursday, 12th December, 8.30am. New England Community College. Bookings 6779 2132

## MEETINGS

**GUYRA SHOW SOCIETY** meeting tonight, Wednesday 4th December, 7pm at Guyra Showground to finalise plans for the 2020 Guyra Show. New Members welcome.

## PUBLIC NOTICES

**GUYRA HISTORICAL MUSEUM** OPEN on Sundays 11am to 3pm. Enquiries or GROUP BOOKINGS: 6779 2132.

## Combined Churches Carols Guyra

St. Columba's  
Presbyterian Church



7.30pm  
Sunday, 15th December

## RETURN THANKS

**HAROLD ARTHUR CHARLTON STANLEY**  
(also known as "Uncle")  
31.08.1933 - 18.09.2019

On behalf of Poppy Stanley and family, we would like to thank each and every one of you for your kind words, thoughts and support that was offered on the passing of Harold.

Thanks to Dr. Jey and all the staff at the Guyra Hospital for your care.

Please accept this as our personal thank you.  
*Poppy, Malcolm, Boyd, Colin,  
Nadine and families*

## CLAIM THE DATE

**TUESDAY 10th DECEMBER** Hospital Auxiliary Carols by Candlelight at Guyra MPS. Sausage sizzle from 6.00pm, Carols start at 7.00pm. Bring your own chair and rug. All welcome.

**SUNDAY 15th DECEMBER** at 7.30pm Combined Churches Carols at St. Columba's Presbyterian Church.

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Sharon Wittig on (02) 6779 1661  
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Applications close 12.00pm on Thursday 11 December 2019

Preferred applicants are subject to employment screening.

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(at Northwest Church)

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6th December  
20th December

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# Super Spuds stride towards 2020

The Super Spuds are taking giant strides towards the 2020 rugby league season.

Not only are the players already turning up in good numbers to begin their preparations for next year, but the club has signed up two major sponsors.

The first player event was held last Thursday evening with members of the men's, under 18s and women's leaguetag teams meeting for a game of touch.

That night was so successful the coaches have decided to start training regularly.

Tomorrow (Thursday) night the first official session will commence at 6.30pm with players from all three teams encouraged to attend.

After an early reshuffle, Peter Presnell will now join Britt Youman as co-coach of the women's team.

Meanwhile, Perth-based security company Blueforce, owned by former Guyra local Dale Lofts, has signed up to be a major sponsor for 2020.



Beau Orchard (with the ball) as the Spuds and Spudettes enjoyed a game of touch last Thursday

The Royal Hotel has also committed to support the club and will host gameday functions and other events throughout the year.

The club is now looking for other businesses to comple-

ment the major sponsors with positions still available on team uniforms.

Volunteers, trainers, strappers and other support staff are also needed.?

Anyone interested can send

an email to [guyrarugbyleague@gmail.com](mailto:guyrarugbyleague@gmail.com), contact us via the Facebook page or attend training at the sports complex.



**CHRISTMAS**

The Rotary Club of Guyra presents

**Guyra Christmas Party**

Bradley Street

Friday 6 December  
From 5.30pm

Lighting of the Christmas Tree  
Market stalls  
Meet Santa  
School parade

