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Showgirls inspire and learn

The 2020 Guyra Showgirl April Heagney is upholding a family tradition. Her mother Naree was Showgirl in 1991 and her father's cousin was the very first Guyra Showgirl. However, for April it was more than upholding a tradition, it was a journey for herself and to inspire others to do the same.

April completed her HSC in 2019 at Armidale Secondary College where she was Sports Captain and recognised for Citizenship. She is currently working on the family property and hopes to complete a Bachelor of Veterinary Science and eventually join the army or police force.

April's interests include horse riding, barrel racing, swimming, weight lifting and collecting arachnids and coins. Her community involvement includes working at the Lamb and Potato Fes-



Guyra Showgirl 2020
April Heagney

tival, assisting in the delivery yards at the Guyra Campdraft and the 2019 Relay for Life.

April said she didn't enter Miss Showgirl for herself, she did it to inspire others around her.

"I want to inspire those who don't see themselves en-



Junior Showgirl 2020
Lauren Irvine

tering these type of competitions, but secretly want to," she said.

"To inspire them to hop out of their box like I did and explore the world of opportunities and create new experiences and show these girls that you can do anything you put your mind to,

no matter what others think of you."

The 2020 Junior Showgirl is Lauren Irvine. Lauren is a Year 12 student at Guyra Central School and works part time at a chemist and also hairdressing. Her future ambition is to become a qualified hairdresser or a vet nurse.

Lauren enjoys being outdoors, working with animals and horse riding. Her sporting interests include netball and soccer. She also sews scrunchies for her own personal business Wildflower Co.

Lauren entered the competition to gain a new experience, be more involved in the community and meet new people along the way.

The 2020 Guyra Show kicks off on Friday and both April and Lauren will be out and about as representatives of the Guyra Show Society.

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The Yellow Jeep has become a familiar sight around town

Who am I?

Chris. Owner and operator of Bean Travelin is who I am. Who was I and what I did I do before I came to this lovely little town of Guyra? Well, let me introduce myself.

I was born in London to military parents. At three months old we were shipped to Germany for my dad's first posting. I near enough grew up in Germany finally leaving for good aged 17. It was an interesting time with the cold war and the IRA causing mayhem but that's another story. The plus side was being able to see most of Europe during school holidays. Europe was a much smaller place back then and was just stunning.

After that my first job was in the aerospace industry working on jet engines from mainly Boeing 747's, various helicopter engines and so on. As awesome as that was I needed something else. Sadly, my father would not let me join the military so I decided to become a vehicle technician and became a fully qualified master technician for Jeep. I did this for 15 years and is how I came to Australia. I was sponsored by a Jeep dealership here in Australia and became a master technician for Jeep Australia. I did this for four years and loved it. In that time, I became a qualified scuba instructor, got my commercial boat license here and in the UK and between then and now I also managed a café in the UK for two years, skipped high

speed adrenaline power boats in Cardiff, Wales, building maintenance manager in Brisbane and then became a mobile coffee barista with a converted Jeep.

All this was done after arriving in Australia in 2000. The little yellow Jeep coffee truck has been going for nearly three years now with one year here in Guyra and it's been bloody awesome. So how did I end up here? I followed a born and bred Guyra girl, Fiona Looker and I love it up here. The welcome from nearly all locals has been amazing. Talking to farmers young and old has opened my eyes to a whole new world and during these tough times it has been a privilege to listen and support everyone who comes to me for coffee and a chat.

I have experienced a whole new world with bull sales, movies under the stars, festivals big and small, clearance sales, swimming carnivals and of course, my little spot at Fourways Service Centre. I love supporting the locals in anyway I can and am looking forward to sponsoring the local football club, (sorry soccer club, hahaha), again this year.

So that's me in a nut shell. I'm hear to stay and to spread the love of coffee throughout the town and surrounds with great coffee, banter and to support the town of Guyra in every way I can.

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High speed chase ends in Guyra

A man has been charged following several pursuits from the Queensland Border to Guyra. About 5pm Sunday February 16th, officers from New England Highway Patrol noticed a suspected stolen Holden Vectra on the New England Highway, north of Deepwater.

Police attempted to stop the vehicle, however, the Queensland registered vehicle allegedly failed to stop, and a pursuit was initiated. The pursuit was terminated shortly after for safety reasons.

The driver stopped at a petrol station on Tenterfield street, Deepwater, where he fuelled the car, driving off and failing to pay. Officers again activated warning devices in an attempt to stop then vehicle, south of the New England Highway, where a pursuit was initiated. The pursuit was terminated shortly after for



The end of the road after a car chase that began near the Queensland border safety reasons.

About 5.40pm, the vehicle was sighted again on the New England Highway, Guyra, where officers engaged in a

pursuit. Road spikes were successfully deployed by Police on the New England Highway approximately 1km from Guyra, however the vehicle continued

into the 70km area, where it crashed over a median strip and mounted the footpath at the intersection of New England Highway and Ollera Street, near the railway line.

The vehicle came to a stop and the man fled on foot towards the main street of Guyra, where he was apprehended a short time later. The 19-year-old man was arrested and taken to Armidale Hospital for mandatory testing.

He was then taken to Armidale Police Station where he was charged with three counts of police pursuit - not stop - drive at speed, learner not accompanied by driver, exceed speed > 45 km/h, dishonestly obtain property by deception, receive property stolen outside NSW.

The man was refused bail to appear at Armidale Local Court on Wednesday February 19th.



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What's HOT

LAST DAY to use the Guyra Showground laundry facilities will be Wednesday February 19th

GUYRA RESIDENTS who have worked hard to save water and are continuing to adhere to water restrictions

SHOW WEEKEND - lots happening. Come along and celebrate the rain

What's NOT

MEDIA REPORTS that throw a bad light on the majority of residents who are still saving water

QUOTE of the week

It's what you learn after you know it all that counts.

Bureau of Meteorology

Weather

WATCH

Guyra MPS

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
11	Tues	12.9	23.2	5.0
12	Wed	14.8	22.4	6.0
13	Thurs	16.1	18.1	32.4
14	Fri	14.5	24.8	34.6
15	Sat	13.4	25.9	0
16	Sun	15.1	25.6	0.2
17	Mon	15.6	25.6	1.2

Rain this week	79.4 mm
Feb. rainfall	57.0 mm
Rainfall YTD	282.0 mm
Rainfall last YTD	106.4 mm
Ave. rain to Feb.	225.2 mm

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

Guyra Show entries



Black Mountain students have been enjoying making wonderful art works to enter into the Guyra Show this weekend. They are very proud of their efforts.

Our senior class created a hanging garden using recycled materials.

Justine Eddy
Relieving Principal

A job for life

Ramblings by the Guyra Ghost.

We all know people who have worked at the same job from leaving school until retirement. This is not generally the case now days, not that there's anything wrong with the concept. Not only do people not stay with the same employer, they often change careers. So a nurse may start out in the accepted role at a hospital but may change to a preschool teacher/coordinator, sports physio or wellness coordinator. My children tell me in big towns and cities you now apply for positions on a contract basis. You might take on a role for 6, 12 or more months. This means you only satisfy a definite role, get paid a set salary and have limited access to overtime and unfair dismissal. As an employer, you have a period of time to decide if someone fits into your workplace and is a viable employee. As an employee you can enjoy

a challenge and use your brain in different roles. Then move on. So there are pluses and minuses for both sides.

It has become more acceptable to "work your way around Australia". When we were younger you had to be very alternative, (or very brave) to drop out and do a Mike and Mal Leyland grand tour with your kids. The accepted role as an adult was to work hard, save and provide a home and inheritance for the rug rats. Today's 20 to 40 year olds may not exactly be waiting for us to die before they buy a home, but the challenging real estate market means they are more into experiencing things, eating out and travelling early instead of later.

I really, really, wish I had been brave enough to do the things my kids are doing when I was much younger. Times have changed.

Community Noticeboard

Meals on Wheels

Feb 20th Lesley Credland
Feb 21st Ann Williams
Feb 24th NEM Staff
Feb 25th Pam Hart
Feb 26th Guyra CWA

Street Stalls

Feb 21st Hospital Auxiliary
March 5th Hospital Auxiliary
March 6th & 7th
Masonic Lodge

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 Linden & Kerrie Pollard Ph.0412 531 883.

Food Pantry - 1st, 3rd & 5th Friday of month 10am-12pm, then 1pm-2.30pm

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

Seniors Week

There will be added glitz and glamour in Guyra when the biennial Seniors Extravaganza is held on Monday 9 March.

All seniors are invited to dress with a little sparkle and flair and attend the free event, to enjoy a morning tea, lunch and live entertainment at Guyra Community Hall.

The Guyra celebration is part of Seniors Festival events throughout NSW, which this year have adopted the theme Glitz and Glamour.

Council and the NSW Seniors Festival are sponsors of the Guyra event, which will be held from 10am to 2.30pm.

Bookings are essential by 26 February by contacting Guyra Home Support Services at GuyraHSS@armidale.nsw.gov.au or



Access Advisory Working Group

Are you passionate about removing barriers to a more inclusive community?

We're looking for locals with a passion and knowledge about inclusion, to join a new working group and maximise accessibility in the Armidale region.

Expressions of interest for the 10-member group are open until 4 March and we're looking for representation from several sections of the community that might experience barriers to inclusion.

The group will also include business operators and service providers.

Visit the Community Support page on Council's website for the nomination form and further information.



Virtual Reality at libraries

Guyra and Armidale libraries are now portals to the rest of the world and beyond, thanks to virtual reality (VR) units recently purchased by Armidale Regional Libraries.

Libraries have always been a gateway to the universe and now users can enjoy a full-sensory experience of visiting anywhere on Earth – or even imaginary worlds.

Armidale Regional Libraries has used part of its Local Priority Grant, an annual grant provided by the State Library of NSW, to buy five VR units and supporting software that enables users to play VR games, experience virtual simulations or voyage with virtual tours.



112 Annual Guyra Show

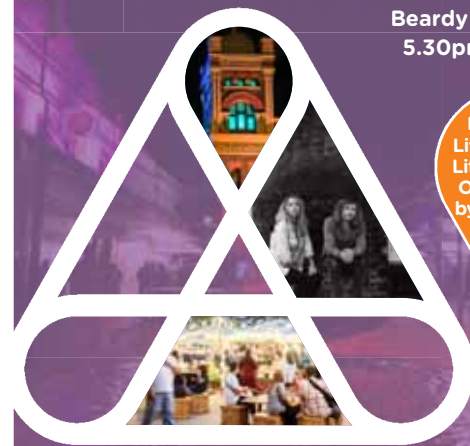
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Friday 28 February

Beardy Street Mall
5.30pm - 8.30pm



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COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday 26 February 2020 at the Armidale Council Chambers, 135 Rusden St, from 4pm.

Members of the public are welcome to attend meetings.

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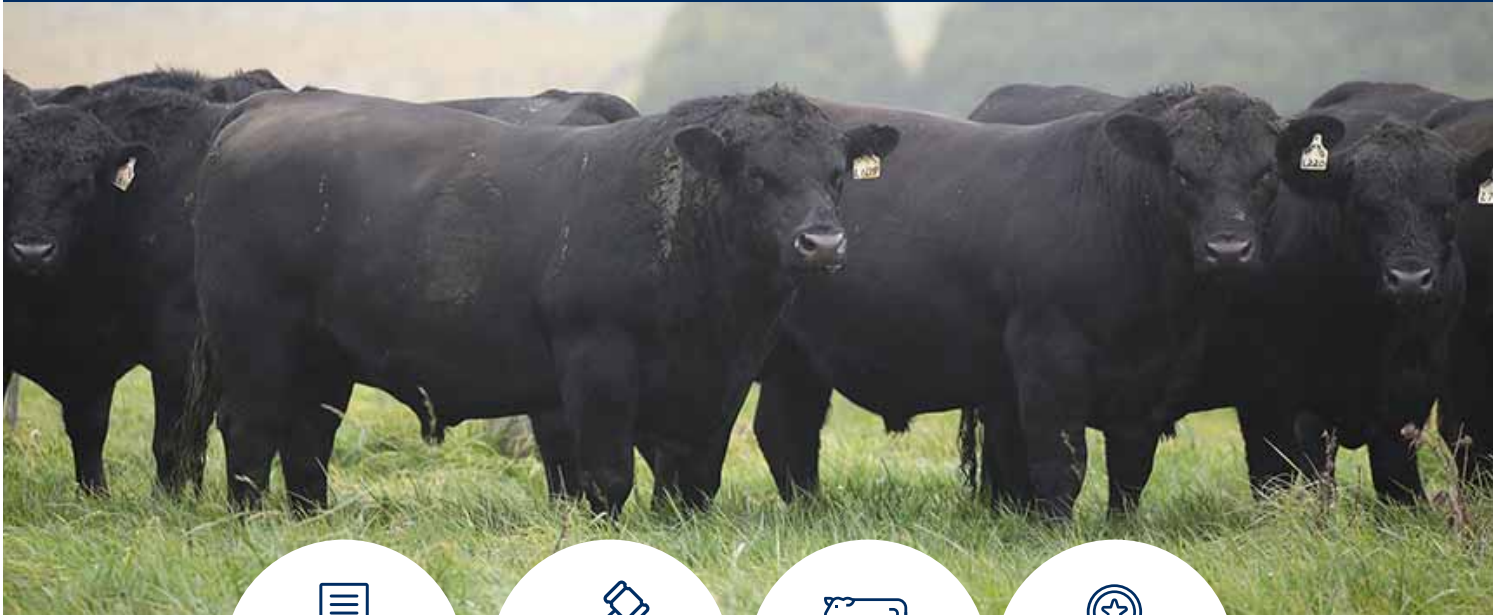
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Recently, we also added Angus MacTavish to our livestock team. Angus is a Tamworth boy, who has worked as an agent for nearly four years in the Walcha district, Queensland and the Central Tablelands.

Supported by the extended Davidson Cameron team of Luke Scicluna (General Manager) and Scott Newberry (Tamworth Livestock Manager), we will be spending more time in the district to deliver the same standards of quality service you have come to expect.

Now that we are seeing a turn-around in the season, our agents will be helping clients re-stock. This means getting on the road and the phone to source quality stock at affordable prices. Davidson Cameron is also conscious that producers will need access to seasonal finance, and we have a full time Finance Manager - Jamie Kemp based at our Tamworth branch to meet your requirements.

For all your real estate needs across residential and rural sales, be sure to have a chat with our highly experienced Guyra team including Residential Sales Agent and Property Manager Fiona Smith, Rural Sales Agent John Pearson and Real Estate Support Narelle for the best advice and local knowledge.

Davidson Cameron are committed to servicing our clients in New England and the Guyra district. We look forward to a long and supportive relationship with our customers and thank you for trusting your business with us.



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Funding boost for Ben Lomond and Guyra projects

Projects in Ben Lomond and Guyra are among the latest to be funded under Round 5 of the Australian Government's Stronger Communities Programme (SCP).

Ben Lomond War Memorial Hall Land Management will receive \$7,500 to paint and restore the floor of the hall, as well as upgrade electrical wiring and lighting to enhance the display of about 80 photos of service personnel.

The Hub Guyra will receive \$4,000 to acquire office furniture, whitegoods and kitchen appliances for the Hub following building renovations.

Member for New England, Barnaby Joyce said that this funding will make a real difference in the lives of locals, especially during this time of drought when people are still doing tough despite recent rain.

"It is important we fund not only the big infrastructure projects but less prominent ones too because not-for-profit organisations like these are vital to the fabric of our local communities here in the New England."

The SCP provides grants of between \$2,500 and \$20,000 to community organisations and local governments for small capital projects that deliver social benefits for local communities.

Funding brings greater water security

Armidale Regional Council officials have signed an agreement that formalises funding for an \$11.5 million upgrade of the pump station and pipeline linking Puddledock Dam to the region's town water network.

The NSW Government has committed \$5.77 million to the project, following support from the Member for Northern Tablelands, Adam Marshall.

Armidale Regional Council Mayor Simon Murray said that a more robust connection to Puddledock Dam will help to supplement supplies during any future droughts and if there are interruptions to supply from Malpas Dam.

Puddledock Dam, constructed in 1928, is Armidale's secondary source of raw water, with a capacity of 700 megalitres. However, its pipeline has a top flow of 5.5 megalitres per day, while Armidale's average demand is 14 megalitres per day in summer and can peak at 20 megalitres per day.

Cr Murray said that the current capacity is barely sufficient to meet Armidale's demand in winter, if the



Gathered at Puddledock Dam for a signing to formalise NSW Government funding for the pump station and pipeline upgrade (from front) Council's General Manager - Businesses, Scot MacDonald, Deputy Mayor Lib Martin (left), Council Chief Executive Officer Susan Law, Member for Northern Tablelands Adam Marshall and Mayor Simon Murray.

Malpas Dam supply was temporarily shut down because of equipment failure or algal blooms.

Council has also welcomed funding of \$500,000 from the NSW Government to assist with cost of exploratory groundwater drilling.

The testing of bores is to provide emergency water to supplement existing water supplies if and when it was ever required. A total of 29 test bores have been drilled across Armidale and Guyra

with limited success particularly in the Armidale area. Two sites in Guyra have yielded excellent supply and are considered appropriate to connect subject to health tests and meeting approval for a Water Access licence.

Armidale Regional Council Mayor Cr Simon Murray said further analysis is required to determine whether the lower yielding test bores in Armidale can be funded by Council at this time.

Men's Bowls

There were four Club Championship games contested over the weekend.

In Open Singles David Wilcox played Col Stanley. This was a great game to mark as David and Col could not be separated for the first nine ends, at this stage the scores were 6 shots all. Col surged ahead after this but David soon found his game and closed the lead but Col only wanting one shot and this he achieved on end 34 taking the win 31 shots to 18 shots.

Also in Open Singles, Andrew Sparke played Steven Sole. In this game Andrew opened a handy only to see it disappear by end 10 when the scores were even on 10 shots

all. Andrew then set about opening a lead again and by end 26 he held an 11 shot advantage. Steven fought back and managed to overtake the lead by 1 shot, but in true fashion Andrew stuck to his ability to draw shots and with this managed to take a victory 31 shots to 30 shots over 37 ends.

A game of Minor Singles was also played and that was between Geoff Reeves and Ken Jones. This was a very closely contested game, firstly one would get a lead and then the lead would change with the other player taking the lead. Ken Jones was the eventual winner 23 shots to 23 shots over 30 ends after Geoff retired injured.

The other game played was

a Handicap Singles played between Robert Walls (+1) and Ian Jones (+0). Robert started well but Ian soon made his intentions clear by drawing even by end 7. This was as close as he might get as Robert slowly drew away and went on to take the win 31 shots to 20 shots over 31 ends.

Bowlers that have been selected to play Pennants are reminded that there will be a Roll Up on Thursday February 20th at 6.30pm and also Thursday February 27th at 6.30pm. All players involved are asked to please attend both Roll Ups. Pennant players are reminded to check the notice board for any changes to the previously announced teams.

The Bowls Bandit

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St Marys swimming carnival

Last Friday St Mary of the Angels held their annual School Swimming Carnival. Our students had a great day, swimming competitively, cheering on their fellow students and enjoying the company of our wider school community.

Thanks to all of our helpers whose assistance is crucial to the success of our carnival. Congratulations to our Age Champions and Runner Up's on your achievement. From this carnival we have a small squad of swimmers who will represent our school at the Diocesan Carnival on Friday 28th February in Moree.

Senior Boy

Champion Lachlan Clark,
Runner Up Daniel Grills

11 Year Girl

Champion Tessa Jackson,
Runner Up Lily McFarlane

11 Year Boy

Champion Nayte Foster,
Runner Up Mavric Foster

Junior Girl

Champion Camilla Grills,



St Mary's Swim Champions 2020

Back l to r: Daniel Grills, Archie Foster, Noah Brennan, Camilla Grills, Olive McFarlane, Lachlan Clark

Middle: Darcie Campbell, Flynn McFarlane, Hugo Sisson, Charlie Bavea

Front: Nayte Foster, Mavric Foster, Tessa Jackson, Lily McFarlane

Runner Up Olive McFarlane

Junior Boy

Champion Archie Foster,
Runner Up Noah Brennan

Minor Girl

Champion Darcie Campbell,
Runner Up Charlie Bavea

Minor Boy

Champion Flynn McFarlane,
Runner Up Hugo Sisson

Vets Golf

Tuesday February 11th saw the second attempt at running our Pennants. The back nine was open this time and a lot of work had been put in to get the course to a playable state. Although rain was threatening, the play was completed without anyone getting wet.

77 players came from Glen Innes, Armidale, Uralla, Walcha and of course Guyra to compete in an Individual Stableford as well as for the best team of 7.

The overall result was that Guyra won the day and is leading Armidale by 15 points towards the year's competition. The scores were Guyra 238, followed by Armidale 223, Walcha 209, Glen Innes 198 and finally Uralla 162.

The Ladies winner was from Glen Innes, Julie Dunn with a score of 32 followed by Cheryl McDonald on 29.

A Grade men's winner was Owen Presnell from Walcha with 38 and runner up

Guyra's Richard Burey 37.

B Grade was taken out by R. Lewers from Armidale with 36 closely followed by Kim Shaw from Guyra on 33 on a count back from Walcha's Col Berry.

C Grade was also closely contested with Peter Mulligan, Guyra coming out on top on a count back from Armidale's John Maher who also was on a count back beating Len Stanley from Guyra. All shot a score of 30.

The next round in our Pennants will be at Armidale on Tuesday February 25th. It is a busy time for Vets Golf with the Glen Innes open on yesterday and the Guyra Open Days the 2nd and 3rd March.

A Vet

Ladies' Golf

Last Wednesday we had a field of 11 ladies play for the Black Mountain Nursery Trophy.

The winner was Karen Oehlers with a score of 35 Stableford points. Karen won

on a countback from Donna White.

Nearest the Pin Winners were Julie Walker on the 9th and Karen Oehlers on the 18th hole.

This week is a Stroke and Putting Comp along with the first round of the Golf NSW Medal.

Next week is a Stableford Event with Belinda Lenehan as the starter.

Also next week some ladies will be travelling to play in the Glen Innes Open 4BBB.

Good luck ladies.

Birdie

Midweek golf

Another week with minimal golf played due to the rain. We have almost got enough players to record the scores that have come in, just need a few more this week. Hopefully this week everyone else will be able to play.

Don't forget there is a great prize for the individual winner.

Middy

Weekly Wool Sales

The wool market gave back a little of last week's gains falling a handful of cents over both selling days in the Northern region. The 8 cent drop in the indicator is rather modest compared to the wild fluctuations we have seen in recent times.

Larger movements were recorded in some of the individual micron indicators ranging from 40 cent losses to 30 cent gains at both ends of the spectrum. Better style Merino types with favourable strength and low mid breaks were reported as relatively unchanged for the week whilst less stylish high mid break types continued to come under pressure with some large discounts being applied. 31,326 bales were sold nationally for the week with the passed in rate rising again to 22%.

Major buyers included Techwool, Fox & Lillie and Modiano. In a possible pre-cursor to next week, Fremantle selling after the Eastern seaboard on Thursday closed with a softer tone especially for the mid micron Merino types. ABS data for the first six months of the 2019-20 season is showing a large drop in the volume of exports to nearly all of the major destinations.

Cricketers sit it out due to wet weather

After a dry first half of the year, wet weather has caused the cancellation of the last two weeks of games for senior cricketers.

The third grade T20 final which was set down for February 9th was called off due to rain, as was the full round of cricket last weekend. The T20 final will now be played this Sunday February 23rd (weather permitting).

Junior games went ahead on February 8th with the under 14s getting a win, the under 12s a loss and the under 10s a draw and a win. The under 14s are having a good season, winning seven out of nine games played so far. They continued with their winning form with an easy win over CSC Gold in

their most recent outing.

Guyra batted first and made 6/141 with Tahmani Landsborough (17), Jack Lockyer (44 not out) and Brodi Campbell (42 not out) the best for Guyra. In reply CSC Gold were dismissed for just 52 runs. Wicket takers were Tom Lockyer (2 for 4), Brendan Landsborough (3 for 3) and Cooper Brennan (1 for 2).

In the under 12 game Guyra struggled against Ex Services who batted first for the loss of just two wickets for a total of 120. Thomas Brazier and Tynan Bull captured the only wickets on the day. In reply the Guyra side put up a good chase, falling short in the 22nd to finish the day on 8 for 91. Best with the bat were Emory Levy (15), Hugo Brazier (31) and Tynan Bull (18 ret).

In the under 10s Guyra Red were looking like a win, before the match had to be

abandoned. They restricted Hillgrove Brumbies to 3/56 and were 1/40 when the game was abandoned. Guyra Black had better luck against Ex Services who batted first to finish their innings on 9/78 (CC). In reply Guyra hit out and managed a good total of 8/143 and a win.

All cricket was called off on the weekend after the grounds were closed due to the rain. If the weather holds out this weekend Guyra will take on Easts at home in first grade, second grade will sit out another week with the draw and thirds will take on Hillgrove at Newling Oval.

Junior games set down are Under 14s v Hillgrove at Newling 2, Under 12s v Hillgrove Brumbies at the Truckstop, Under 10 Guyra Red v Uralla at John Oxley Oval 2 and Under 10 Guyra Black v Hillgrove/CSC at Guyra Central School

Sporting codes join forces for season launch

Three of Guyra's biggest sporting clubs are joining forces to launch the upcoming winter season.

Guyra rugby league, soccer and hockey clubs will host a fun night at the community hall on Saturday, March 14 – and the whole town is invited.

There will be dinner, a bar, live music by 'Fugarwie', raffles and other prizes.

All three clubs plan on fielding multiple teams in local competitions in 2020 and funds raised on the night will help kick-start what will hopefully be a successful season.

Tickets are \$25 each or \$250 for a table of 10 and are available at The Guyra Café, Guyra Fourways and The Royal Hotel, as well as online at www.trybooking.com/BIIHU

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RAM SALES



PRELIMINARY NOTICE

WYCOMBE ANNUAL ON PROPERTY RAM SALE

36th Annual Ram & 1st X Ewe Sale

TUESDAY, 10 March 2020

50 Poll Dorset Rams
10 Border Leicester Rams
320 1st X Ewes - 2018 drop

Contact the selling Agents:

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Ahoy Matey! My name is Pirate. I am a very cheeky and cuddly 8 week old male kitten.

I would love to find a home of my own. Will you be my new mate?

I am fully litter trained and very well behaved.

My adoption fee of

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SHOW SCHEDULES

GUYRA SHOW SCHEDULES are available at The GALA Centre, 136 Bradley Street. Phone 6779 2132.

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Guyra Junior Rugby League

is calling for expressions of interest for Coaches, First Aid, and League Safe positions for the 2019 season.

Age division are:

6s, 8s, 10s, 12s, 14s and 16s (Boys);
Junior, Intermediate and
Senior leaguetag.

Email applications to:

Gina Lockyer (President)
ginaguyrajrl@gmail.com

Applications close 28th February, 2020

CLAIM THE DATE

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, 21st & 22nd

FEBRUARY: GUYRA SHOW

SUNDAY, 1st MARCH: Armidale Cup

NEW SATURDAY, 4th APRIL: at

Wandsworth "Celebration of Resilience" for recovery from drought and bushfires.

Entertainment, Terra Firma, BBQ, Dept. of Primary Industry, Centacare, mental health. Also will be held on 16th May at Bald Blair, 13th June at Guyra and 11th July at Ben Lomond.

SUNDAY, 19th APRIL: Guyra Cup

TABLELANDS DOHNE STUD



Tuesday, 3rd March 2020
Sale commences at 1.00pm
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RAFFLE RESULTS

CAN ASSIST Valentine's Day Basket won by Geoff Reeves. 100 Club: 1st Tony Looker, 2nd Hugo Brazier, 3rd Bella Masters. Thanks to all for your support.

PUBLIC NOTICES

An ECUMENICAL SERVICE will be held at St. Mary of the Angels Church on Sunday, 1st March at 5.00pm. Join in an evening of song and prayer with the Combined Churches Choir. Light refreshments will be served in the Parochial Hall. Everyone is welcome.

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Brooke off to State

Two Guyra athletes competed at the Regional Little Athletics carnival held in Tamworth last weekend. Sisters Brooke and Scarlett Newberry competed on the new track, with some good results.

Brooke Newberry won gold in the under 131500m walk in a time of 8.26 and is off to State Little Athletics championships which will be held in March. She also came 3rd in 800m, 5th in 100m and 6th in Javelin. Younger sister Scarlett competed at her first regional carnival placing 3rd in under 8 long jump, 5th in the 70m, 5th in 60m hurdles and 5th in 400m.

Brooke has been race walking since she was nine and this was her first gold medal at the regional championships. They both do athletics in Armidale on Wednesday afternoon, alternating weekly training sessions between skill development and competition.

Brooke also does a training session for walking during the week and will step up her training until the State titles on March 14th and 15th. Athletes need to place in the top two in the region to go to State and this will be the 5th time Brooke has made it this level.



112th Guyra Show

Program & Entertainment

Friday


- 7.30am Pavilion open to receive entries
- 8.30am Show Jumping
- 9.00am Horse Events start
- 10.00am Junior Sheep Judging
- 10.00am Junior Fleece Judging
- 10.30am New England Medieval Art Society Display
- 2.00pm Junior Cattle Judging
- 3.00pm Junior Cattle Paraders
- 4.00pm Tent Pegging
- 5.00pm All Breeds Heifer Show
- 6.00pm Mechanical Bull
- 6.30pm OFFICIAL OPENING & SASHING SHOWGIRLS
- 7.00pm Australian Army Band
- 7.40pm Get Up Dance exhibition
- 7.50pm Men's Cake Champion presentation
- 8.00pm Australian Army Band
- 8.30pm Get Up Dance competition
- 9.00pm Bar & BBQ open until late - both nights

Friday & Saturday 21 & 22 February, 2020

Saturday

- 8.00am Yard Dog Trials start (continuing on Sunday)
- 8.00am Horse Events start; Show Jumping
- 8.30am Beef Cattle Judging
- 9.00am Pavilion opens (until 5.00pm);
- 9.00am Shearing events commence
- 9.00am Caged Birds
- 10.00am Wood Chopping
- 10.00am Poultry Show & Judging
- 10.00am Vintage Car display; Antique Machinery display
- 10.30am New England Medieval Art Society Display
- 10.30am Troppo Bob Magician Balloon artist
- 11.00am Tent Pegging
- 11.30am Troppo Bob Magician Balloon artist (12.30, 3.30pm)
- 1.00pm Tent Pegging
- 4.00pm Grand Parade
- 4.30pm The Great Lamb Muster (for the kids)
- 5.00pm Young Farmers Challenge
- 6.00pm Mechanical Bull
- 7.00pm ROOFTOP EXPRESS
- 8.30pm Fireworks
- 9.00pm Demolition Derby

Show Schedules

now available at  Guyra Show Society
The GALA Centre, 136 Bradley Street, Guyra
& at the Secretary's Office at the Showground



For information about the Guyra Show:

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