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Community Garden Going Gangbusters

On Saturday 12th February, a group of seven ladies gathered together for a working bee at the Guyra Community Garden, located at The Hub. They weeded, staked, sprayed, cut back and did a general tidy up in the garden, which has seen enormous growth since its inception last year.

Tina Skipper, who helped design and create the garden said that the season has been one in a million as far as rainfall, so it was all hands on deck to get the garden back into shape.”

“It was a really fun morning of laughter, sharing of knowledge, cups of coffee and some hard work tossed in,” Tina said. “We’ll be getting together again in the next few weeks to mulch the garden beds with bark chips, in preparation for the Autumn/Winter and I would encourage anyone who enjoys being outdoors and getting their hands dirty to come along and help out.”

“You certainly don’t have to be an experienced gardener, it’s just a matter of more hands make light work,” Tina added. “It’s all about learning, contributing to your community and reaping the rewards of a beautiful and productive garden, and meeting new people.”



Working Bee in the Guyra Community Garden - they are on the look out for more volunteers to join them

Centre Manager of The Hub Sarah Hunt is keen for more people to become involved in the Community Garden.

“If you would like to be involved and volunteer an hour or two bi-monthly, we would love to hear from you,” Sarah said. “Just pop your name and number down at The Hub and we

will be in touch about our next gathering.”

“And thank-you to those ladies who helped out recently. By maintaining the garden now we hope to provide a quiet sanctuary, a community meeting space, and a place for children and adults to learn about food and how it grows, well in the fu-

ture,” she added.

A reminder too, that everyone is welcome to help themselves to the produce grown in the garden. It is a Community Garden and open to all, so please feel free to take a few greens, berries, and herbs, they are there for us to enjoy as a community.

Guyra Community Meeting

Are you interested in sharing your ideas on how Council and the community can build a better relationship and improve advocacy on what matters to the people of Guyra?

Mayor Sam Coupland is hosting a community meeting to share his vision for the region, outline some of the priorities Council has identified for the next 10 years and listen to the Guyra community’s ideas, challenges, concerns and vision for a better Guyra.

Councillors and senior executive will be in attendance to listen and learn through constructive and respectful dialogue. This is an opportunity to put the past behind us and work together to deliver a prosperous future for Guyra and the broader region.

If you are open-minded, have some great ideas to improve communications between the Guyra community and the Council, eager to put the past behind you and want a better future for family, friends and the Guyra community we encourage you to attend.

**Tuesday 29
March @**

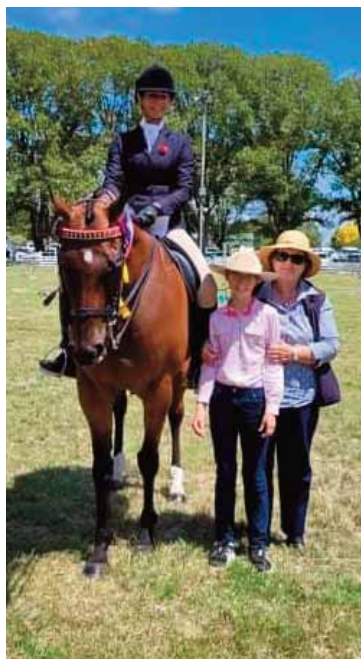
**The Guyra
Bowling Club**

**from 6pm to
7.30pm**

Guyra Show 2022 Horse Events



Top right:
Ross Kelly Memorial Champion and reserve champion working ASH was Karl Anderson on "Bonnie be Marnie" & "Mulga Bill" presented by Abbey & Austin Kelly



Top left:
Charlie Ward on "Pickles". Charlie won Champion local rider, Champion Local Hack, and was also Supreme Rider of Guyra Show 2022. Charlie has been selected to compete at Sydney Royal in Pony Club jumping team.

Bottom left:
Champion hack Sam Croft

Bottom Right:
Newberry Memorial shield for Supreme ridden horse of Guyra Show 2022 - Maddie Ball on "Chrysler Park Pixie" presented by life member Baden Williams and Sally Newberry.




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CHAT**

**Wednesday
March 16th,
11am to 12pm**
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New educational pathways program for local schools

Students at Guyra Central School will be among those from 13 schools across the region will have the opportunity to take part in an exciting program designed to improve their education and career outcomes, with the expansion of the State Government's Educational Pathways Program.

Member for Northern Tablelands Adam Marshall, made the announcement while visiting Guyra Central School last week, where he said that students in the program would explore a variety of exciting career opportunities before making the big decision of what to do after leaving school.

"The Educational Pathways Program is about giving students hands-on exposure to these opportunities, well ahead of them having to make commitments about their future.

"There will be specialist head teachers and teams to work with careers advisers, to create more engaging opportunities and pathways for students.

"Dedicated staff will pro-



Guyra Central School is among 13 schools across the Northern Tablelands included in the new Educational Pathways Program, Year 12 students, Michael Looker, Renae Van Der Wolf, Head Teacher Lee-Ann Best, Kelly Daly, Principal Michelle Nicholson and Careers Advisor Helen Doyle.

vide awareness of and engagement in school-based apprenticeships and traineeships, and offer tailored support and mentoring for young people exploring these pathways.

"Students will also be able to undertake fee-free apprenticeships and traineeships, allowing them to test-drive different

vocational education and training courses.

"From the pilot schools, the number of students enrolling in school-based apprenticeships and traineeships tripled.

"Expanding the program means more opportunities for students to develop the skills and experience that will help them make informed decisions

about their career and further education."

The program will also teach the skills needed to negotiate job applications and interviews.

120 additional schools in NSW will participate in the innovative program, following a successful pilot at 24 schools during 2020.

Rescue Helicopter Service puts call out to volunteers

The Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service has launched a recruitment program designed to reengage with volunteers impacted after a two-year COVID hiatus.

COVID restrictions have severely hampered volunteer activity and the Service's key fundraising events but as the Service's activities and fundraising initiatives slowly come back online, the recruitment program aims to both reengage with existing volunteers and attract new ones in areas right across the New England North West.

"During COVID we were very aware our volunteers missed their involvement with normal fundraising and event activities," Kim Newling, Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service Volunteers Coordinator for the New England North West said.



The Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service is looking for more volunteers to keep them flying

"We recognised it was vital for us to reengage with these passionate and dedicated groups as soon as possible, as we are acutely aware of the valuable contribution the volunteer support groups make to supporting our aeromedical

service in communities right across Northern NSW."

"Volunteers are the backbone of any not-for-profit organisation and our efforts to retain existing volunteers, as well as attract new ones are essential," she said.

The volunteer recruitment campaign will allow the Service to attract existing volunteers back, encourage new volunteers to join their local support group and also deliver a Volunteer Conference, aimed at developing and recognising volunteering excellence across the many support groups.

As events and fundraising activities return to communities across Northern NSW, it is anticipated the many volunteer support groups will once again be able to continue their valuable work and ensure the Westpac Rescue Helicopter remains ready to respond to those in need within their local community.

Anyone looking to find out more information on volunteering for the Service should visit www.rescuehelicopter.com.au/volunteer

What's HOT

ARC Community meeting
29th March

ROTARY'S RYLA for 19-27 year olds. Contact a Rotarian

NEW UGG boots.

LOCAL Rescue Helicopter groups needs new volunteers

LOCALS organising help for flood affected communities

CRICKETERS playing in the grand final this weekend

What's NOT

NO STUDENTS wanting to take up FREE courses!

PETROL PRICES going up

QUOTE of the week

Blessed are those who listen, for they shall learn

Anonymous

Bureau of Meteorology

Weather

WATCH

Guyra MPS

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
8	Tues	10.4	18.5	0
9	Wed	13.8	21.6	1.0
10	Thurs	11.0	18.6	0
11	Fri	10.1	16.1	7.8
12	Sat	8.4	20.4	3.6
13	Sun	8.4	20.0	0
14	Mon	6.9	20.1	0

Rain this week	12.4mm
March rainfall	82.0 mm
Rainfall YTD	329.4mm
Rainfall last YTD	253.0mm
Ave. rain to Mar.	294.9 mm

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

Regional finals for Youth of the Year

On Saturday March 12th, the Guyra Lions Club hosted the Region 4 Youth of the Year final. This year there were only two contestants with Ryan McAllister from Glen Innes High School joining Ellie Mitchell representing Guyra Central School to face the judges.

Youth of the Year organiser Jim Betts said it was unfortunate that more clubs in the region did not participate this year, however the candidates presented themselves well. Judging duties were undertaken by locals Leanne Sweeney, Alan StClair and Wal Chapman.

The interviews were performed prior to the dinner, followed by impromptu questions before the meal and the five minute prepared speeches by the candidates after the



Ellie Mitchell (GCS), Ryan McAllister (Glen Innes) and Jim Betts

dinner.

After due deliberation the judges gave their results, a close contest. The public speaking section went to Ryan McAllister, also was the over-

all winner. Ryan now progresses on to the District final to be held in Gunnedah on March 26th. Guyra Lions Club wishes him well at the next level of the competition.

Leadership Day Thalgarrah Environmental Centre



On Tuesday, 8th March 2022 the 3-6 students at Black Mountain Public School attended a Leadership Day at Thalgarrah Environmental Education Centre. The students gained valuable insights into the role of a leader. Thank you to Mr Matt MacKenzie and his team for a very informative and enjoyable day. I'm proud to say that all our 3-6 students represented our school with pride and demonstrated all school values – KUKRA!

*Mrs Justine Eddy
Relieving Principal*



Guyra Show - School Arts and Craft

Thank you to all the local schools and individuals' who participants in the School Arts and Craft section at the Guyra Show 2022. We had amazing display so thank you.

A big thank you to all the teachers or parents who helped the student / children get their entries ready for the show. Thank you to all my amazing helpers I can't do it without your help.

Champion Secondary craft Exhibit

Andrew Pearson GCS

Champion Primary craft exhibit Poppy Post

Champion Infants Craft Exhibit Elisa Post

Champion Craft Exhibit in the section

Andrew Pearson

Champion Secondary Art Exhibit

Gabrial Beard

Reserve Champion Secondary Art Exhibit

Jordan Banville GGC

Champion Senior Primary Art Exhibit

St Mary of the Angels Mural

Champion Junior Primary Art Exhibit

Rose Gordon

Champion Infants Art Exhibit Elisa Post

Years 12 Major Works Carter Atkin

Champion Exhibit in Section 15 Elisa Post

Reserve Champion Exhibit in section 15

Andrew Pearson

*Gwyneth Pearson
Head Steward
School Arts and Craft*

Greens candidate for New England

The former mayor of Glen Innes Severn Council Carol Sparks has been announced as the Greens' candidate for the seat of New England. Ms Sparks has been involved in politics since 2014 and was elected as Mayor in 2018. She has always had an interest in the environment, and says she is ready to take this fight to the federal level.

As a member of the Wyaliba community she witnessed the devastation caused by the bush fires, where lives, land, homes and the school were lost, along with 85% of the animals and habitat.

"Before this catastrophic event, I successfully put a motion to Council, to declare a "Climate Emergency" and for the General Manager to prepare a climate action plan," Ms Sparks said. "Now we are witnessing disastrous floods, further evidence that the Climate Emergency is here and that we must take action immediately, so let's get on with it.

"After experiencing the destruction brought about by the bushfires, I am even more driven to demand the government take action on Climate Change as there is no time to procrastinate".

"As your Greens' Candidate for New England, I will fight for emissions reductions of Net Zero by 2035, because 2050 is far too late."

"By putting the Greens in the balance of power, we can hold the next government to account and ensure that our voices are heard and all our communities represented and looked after."

Right:
Greens candidate
Carol Sparks will contest the
upcoming Federal election

Photo by Tony Grant



Chamber Chatter - Small Business Month

March is Small Business Month right across the state of NSW. As part of this focus on small business, the Guyra District Chamber of Commerce hosted an information day with four key speakers and lots of free food. Fifteen people attended the event on Sunday 6th March at Silent Hands Café. The venue was just the place to hold such an event on such a rainy day.

Diane Gray spoke about the various avenues of support and services available to businesses in this region and talked about how businesses have been able to tap into some of these and realise new opportunities. Diane also talked about how Aus Industries can advocate to Government and others for small business on issues such as supply chain disruption and freight issues etc as has been experienced during Covid. Also about how they can link B2B to find solutions etc.

Ed Campbell from Seek + Deploy presented on the foundations of a successful digital strategy for our businesses and what we need to do and why we need to give careful consideration/plan for our digital presence and how important it is to have at least a small but consistent investment of time to get our digital



Key speakers Steve Mepham, Diane Gray and Ed Campbell

presence working for us.

Rachel Fenn spoke about the financial things that need to be taken care of in business and the many things that she has seen go wrong, when we don't get it right or treat our financials as something we will do when we have some spare time which rarely happens then disaster strikes. Good bookkeeping software and automation Apps can make a huge difference to keeping on top of our bookkeeping along with some help from a good BAS Agent and Tax Agent.

Bronwyn Pearson from Pin-

nacle People Solutions spoke about the issues of not meeting our HR obligations and where that could end up. Bronwyn provided a number of insights into what is required to get it right from the start, which is important as fixing it can be very problematic and expensive.

It was great to see not only a few people in the throes of setting up their first small business venture who soaked up everything like a sponge, but also a number of seasoned business operators who found quite a few timely reminders

that they had not been paying all the attention they should have been.

The day was a resounding success and it would have been even better if more businesses had tapped into these sessions. The cost of this information to each business would have been around \$1,500 to get personally so was a great opportunity provided to our local business community by the local chamber and the small business month grant we received.

Steve Mepham
President

Community Noticeboard

Meals on Wheels

No Meals on Wheels for drivers to deliver until further notice

Street Stalls

March 17 Can Assist
 March 18, 19 Guyra Lodge
 March 25 Antique Machinery Group

Church Notices

St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church

Mass 6pm Saturday and 9am Sunday. Weekday Mass Monday – Friday 9am
 Contact: 6779 1036

St. James' Anglican Church

9am Sunday. Doors open from 8:30am. We have plenty of space, all welcome! Contact: Rev. Tim Stevens 6779 1111

St. Columba's Presbyterian Church

9am Sunday followed by morning tea. Contact: Rev. Andrew Campbell 0447 724 536

The Chapel,

66 Llangothin Street:
 Sunday Service: 10am
 Contact: 0460 448 864

Seventh-day Adventist Church:

Sabbath School 10.00am Saturday Divine Service 11.30am Saturday
 Contact: Church Clerk 6779 1587

Uniting Church, 57 Ollera Street:

Regular Sunday Service: 9.30am Contact: Nancy Davidson 6779 1366

Service Clubs

LIONS CLUB dinner meetings 1st & 3rd Wednesday 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 at Guyra Cafe Ph: Aileen MacDonald 0417 079 307

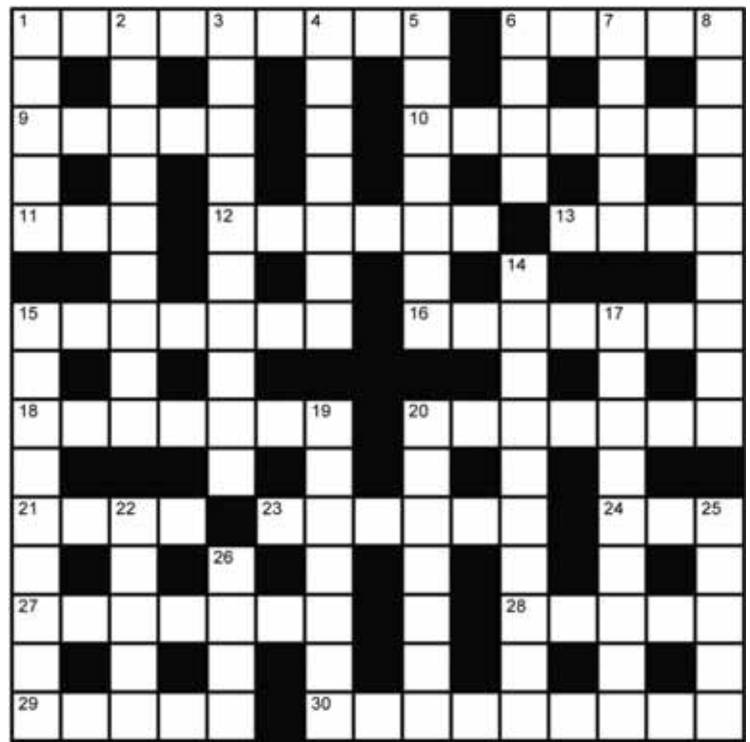
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Across:

1. Accepting
6. Ceases
9. Inexpensive
10. Real
11. Genetic blueprint for life (1,1,1)
12. Unexpressed
13. _____ upon a time
15. Begged
16. Hair washing liquid
18. Cricket batting spell
20. Bureau
21. Amiss
23. Floor covering
24. Sick
27. Creeping (toward)
28. Peaks
29. Spun threads
30. Inhabitants

Down:

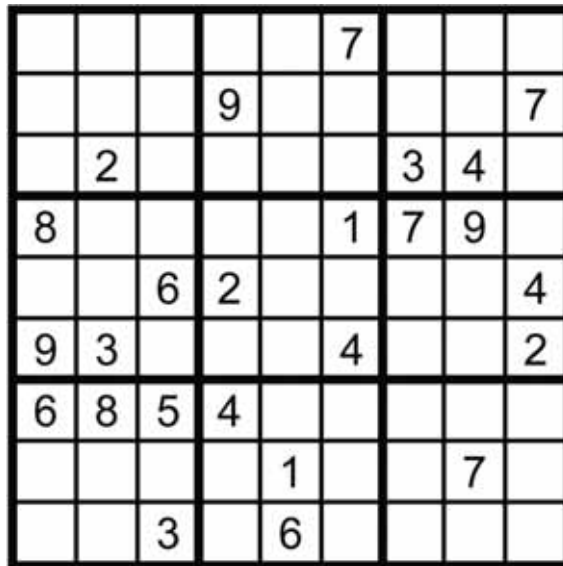
1. Sped
2. Surgical birth
3. Seizing
4. Asked
5. Protective eyewear
6. Beach grains
7. French _____ soup
8. Body frameworks
14. Unlikely (of story) (3,7)



15. Mainly
17. Bullying (7,2)
19. Strutting walk
20. Takes a stand against
22. Happen again
25. Holds out
26. Frees

Across: 1. Receiving 6. Stops 9. Cheap 10. Genuine 11. DNA 12. Untold 13. Once 15. Pleased 16. Shampoo 18. Imnings 20. Of-fices 21. Awry 23. Carpet 24. Ill 27. Inch-ing 28. Highs 29. Yarns 30. Residents
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Sudoku - Medium



Just for Fun

Did you hear about the mathematician who's afraid of negative numbers? He'll stop at nothing to avoid them.

Yesterday I saw a guy spill all his Scrabble letters on the road. I asked him, "What's the word on the street?"

Once my dog ate all the Scrabble tiles. For days he kept leaving little messages around the house.

What to Watch

Our armchair critic has new recommendations every week. Happy viewing!

Netflix - Movies

The Kindness of Strangers, The Combination, Searching, Concrete Cowboys, SWAT, Palm Beach, Rock Star, Escape & Evasion

Netflix - Series

Sinner, Pieces of Her

ABC Iview

Gods of Wheat Street

Beamafilm

Borg vs McEnroe



Fatal crash at Black Mountain

Police are investigating a two-vehicle fatal crash near Black Mountain. At about 5.35am Sunday March 13th, emergency services were called to the New England Highway, Black Mountain following reports that a hatch back and truck had

collided head on.

The driver and sole occupant of the hatch back – a 38-year-old Cranebrook woman – died at the scene. The truck driver – a 59-year-old West Tamworth man – was uninjured. He was taken to Armidale Hos-

pital for mandatory testing. There were no passengers in the truck.

Officers from New England Police District established a crime scene and commenced an investigation into the circumstances of the crash.

As inquiries continue, police are appealing for anyone who has information or dashcam footage to contact Armidale Police or Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.

A report will be prepared for the information of the Coroner.

From the Men's Shed

A short note for the Shed today with good news regarding membership numbers growing in response to our editorial in the Gazette. Numbers are running at eight paid up members to date.

Work is coming in slowly with projects for future income coming along.

Bee boxes are set up and sized for future orders, John has an obelisk underway for presentation to the Nursery for evaluation. This is designed for climbing plants.

We had a visit from Adam Marshall MP on Tuesday, 1st March to confirm the allocation of grant funds for further work on the Men's Shed and replacement of the toilet block in the Court House.

At the AGM John Jackson asked to be relieved of duties in the Men's Shed and Peter King was nominated for the position.

Owing to the increase in members and jobs, I would suggest that John resume his role to assist me with supervision of the Shed and organization of tool requirements covering the increase in attendance.

Peter King

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Rural Market Reports

Weekly Wool Market

March 11th - The national offering fell just short of 50,000 bales with the market managing some modest gains over the course of both selling days. 18.5 micron and finer types remain well sought after and gained 20 to 25 cents on average whilst the Merino carding indicator was the only part of the market that recorded a slight reduction in price.

44,462 bales were sold nationally for the week with a passed in rate of 10.1%. Major buyers included Techwool, PJ Morris and Tianyu. It was this week 2 years ago that a Global pandemic was declared. Using the broad based headline market indicator point of view, the wool market has basically recovered to pre COVID levels.

However the recovery has been led by the 18.5 micron and finer types. To put it in perspective the 18 micron indicator is around 300 cents higher than this week 2 years ago whilst the 21 micron indicator is 400 cents lower. The 10 year price premium average for the 18 micron indicator over the 21 micron indicator is 275 cents. This premium is currently sitting at a large 840 cents.

Next week's sales will again be held on the Wednesday/Thursday

Guyra Show - Junior Sheep & Wool Judging

We had a good number of students that came and had a go at doing both sheep and wool judging. Thank you to Guyra Central School, O'Connor Catholic College and all the independent students that came and supported us in both the senior and junior judging. Thank you to teacher that helped their students out

A big thank you to our sponsors Schute Bell Badgery Lumby, thank you effort for your support and to our Judges for the day Phil Evans and Adam Nordstorm (wool) and Samuel Sission (sheep). Also to Richard Post for the sheep, Steven McElroy for the wool, Peter Presnell for doing the microphone, and Jason Mowbray and Leigha McElroy for helping out. Special thanks to David Saunders for all your help on the day, and to Joy Saunders for your help behind the scenes. We welcomed Elisha and Peter Davis from COSTA who helped to present the trophies and provided sponsorship to the Guyra Show.

Senior sheep:

1st Ellie Mitchell GCS, 2nd Harrison Brazier GCS, 3rd Molly Brazier OCC, 4th Alex Baker OCC, 5th Matthew Connors GCS, 6th Patrick Wadley GCS

Senior Wool:

1st Ellie Mitchell GCS, 2nd Molly Brazier OCC, 3rd Alex Baker OCC, 4th Ethan Harris GCS, 5th Patrick Wadley GCS, 6th Cooper Brennan GCS

Junior Sheep:

1st Abigail van Eyk OCC,



Senior Sheep Judging:



Junior Sheep Judging

2nd Tom Lockyer OCC, 3rd Archie Jackson GCS, 4th Lucy Selby OCC, 5th Darcey Heagney GCS, 6th Shyan Dodd OCC

Junior Wool:

1st Abigail van Eyk OCC, 2nd Erica Menzies OCC, 3rd Shyan Dodd OCC, 4th Sebastian Yeates OCC, 5th Anna McClland OCC, 6th Lilly

Pearson OCC and Tahlia Bird OCC

We also were given a book to go to a young person who lives locally and does not live on a farm that book went to Harrison Brazier GCS. We also gave out lots of encouragement awards to students

Gwyneth Pearson

NRL Gazette Footy Tipping

Smooch	14	The Honey Pot	10
Red Devils	12	Old Timer	10
Hazel	12	Dip Stick	8
Shiba inu Soldier	12	Iggman	8
The Raider	12	Sharky	8
Up the Knights	12	The 3 Bunnies	8
The Shy One	10	Farmer Joe	6
Elva Brazier	10	From the Sideline	6
Bulldog	10	Mother	6
Nightwatchman	10	Angel	6
Garden Gurus	10		

Locals Entry Form - Round 3

Tips must be submitted by 4.00pm on **Wednesday 23rd March**

Name:

Phone:

Dragons	vs	Sharks
Tigers	vs	Warriors
Rabbits	vs	Roosters
Panthers	vs	Knights
Storm	vs	Eels
Raiders	vs	Titans
Broncos	vs	Cowboys
Sea Eagles	vs	Bulldogs



Gazette's Celebrity Footy Tipping



The first round is done and dusted. I say the Cowboys were robbed!

Scores ranged from 6 to 14 points. Vu and Sarah of the Celebrities showed early good form with the top score of 14 and the Locals Smooch also scored 14.

Quite a few Locals (The Raider, Shiba Inu Soldier, Hazel, Red Devils and Up The Knights) scored the next best 12 points but the Celebrities could only manage 10 points.

On the Locals Leaderboard there are a few scores of 8 points (Dip Stick, Iggman, Sharky and The 3 Bunnies), but bringing up the rear end of the field are From The Sideline, Mother, Angel and Farmer Joe on 6 points.

We have some new Locals this year, some mentioned above and also The Shy-One; others have decided upon new and creative names. A couple of Locals, including Eel-be-Right, are out to pasture for the year.

Sue's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Sea Eagles
Titans
Eels
Raiders
Knights
Broncos



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Score: 10

Soley's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Roosters
Titans
Eels
Raiders
Knights
Broncos



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m: 0418 650 059



Score: 6

B-&-L's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Roosters
Titans
Eels
Raiders
Knights
Bulldogs



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87-89 Bradley Street
6779 1284

Score: 8

HD's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Sea Eagles
Titans
Eels
Raiders
Tigers
Broncos



This week's Specials:

- Avocados **\$1.30/ea**
- Carlton Dry 24 Pack **\$49**
- Beef Porterhouse Steak **\$35/kg**



94 Bradley Street, Guyra
6779 1555

Score: 10

Cody's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Sea Eagles
Titans
Eels
Raiders
Tigers
Broncos



Opening Hours:

Monday to Thursday:
8.00am to 5.30pm
Friday: 7.30am to 5.30pm
Saturday: 7.30am to 12pm



105 Bradley Street
6779 1008

Score: 10

Vu's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Sea Eagles
Titans
Sharks
Raiders
Knights
Bulldogs



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Score: 14

Gazette's Tips

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Broncos



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Score: 10

Sarah's Tips

Storm
Panthers
Roosters
Titans
Eels
Raiders
Knights
Broncos



Cobber Working Dog on Special!

Buy a bag of
Cobber to go into
the draw to win a
"Cobber Combo"



See the team at Elders Guyra
for more details

173 Malpas Street

6770 7000



Score: 14



Classifieds Trades & Services

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GARAGE SALE

SAT & SUN 19-20 MARCH, 9am-12pm, 2 Wirruna Street. Household goods, car parts, collectables, kitchenware, books.

STORAGE WANTED

SHORT TERM STORAGE required for 2 sheds 6x3m. Contact Brian 0491 704 130

POULTRY FOR SALE

LAYER PULLETS, 20 weeks, all breeds, delivered to Guyra on Friday, 1st April. Call Jim 0428 194 105

MEN'S SHED

GUYRA MEN'S SHED is looking for new members. Visit our new shed, open Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 8.30am-12.30pm. \$20 joining fee. Call John 0448 992 547.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Favourite Shorts 2022 at Ben Lomond Hall

2nd April, 7pm.
Tickets \$30.

See: www.Ticketebo.com.au
A light supper will be served.
Places are strictly limited to bookings only.

FOOD PANTRY

Food Pantry at The Chapel **OPEN**

10am - 12pm and 1.00pm - 2.30pm.
1st, 3rd & 5th Friday of the month.
Contact: 0460 448 864

CLAIM THE DATE

SATURDAY, 26th MARCH 2022: Guyra Cup. 1400m. \$34,000 prize money.

CLAIM THE DATE
For your event
or function
Phone: 6779 2132

FOR SALE

FISHER & PAYKEL 164ltr chest freezer, clothes dryer, good condition, \$150 each. 2 seater recliner, as new, brown \$200. Ph: 0415 466 234

MIDWEEK GOLF

MIDWEEK GOLF CONCLUDES this Saturday at 5.30pm.

Guyra Bowling Club will host a season final BBQ at the club this Saturday at 5.30pm.

All midweek golfers are invited.

Thank you to everyone who has been involved in the competition and for your support.

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Cricket

Guyra Cricket Club's hopes for a grand final win this year will rest solely on their first grade side after both second and third grade went down in their preliminary finals on the weekend.

Expectations were high for the 2nd grade minor premiers, who dismissed Hillgrove for 96 runs in the 35th over. In a good display of bowling, Billy Youman took five wickets and conceded just nine runs, giving his side a good chance of a win.

Unfortunately, Guyra wasn't up to the task and capitulated for just 52 runs, putting an end to their hopes of a major premiership title.

In what proved to be a low scoring day the third grade side also struggled with the bat and managed to bat only half of their overs to be all out for just 74 runs. Only Simon Brown (32) and Jim Lenehan (12) made it to double figures. In reply, Hillgrove conceded just four wickets to pass this total in the 25th over.

In junior games, the under 15s ended their season with a loss to TAS White. Batting first Guyra were dismissed for 71 runs, with Rave Brazier (18) the best with the bat. In reply TAS lost just five wickets in the run chase. Wicket takers for Guyra were Lincoln Brown (1/8), Cooper Brennan 2/7 and



Billy Youman

Brendan Landsborough 2/11.

The under 13s (4/94) went down against CSC Easts Green (0/97). Aidan Brown (15 n.o.) and Hugo Brazier (42 n.o.) were best with the bat. The team finished second on the ladder and will play in the final this weekend against CSC Easts Gold. The under 11s (6/114) defeated Hillgrove Colts (4/95).

Men's Bowls

Two games were played last Saturday with Robert Moore taking on Dan Kennedy, Dan took control early and never let Robert into the game winning 31-8. The other game between Col Stanley and Anthony Bull was also a one sided affair with Col winning 31-11.

This Saturday three games of club pairs will be played with John McIlwain and Anthony Bull to play David Wilcox and Bob Goodchild, Roger Cox and Evan Sole to play Barry Presnell and Andrew Sparke, and the final game will be between John Jackson and Barry Campbell playing Col Stanley and Tim Ellis. All games starting at 1 pm.

Jack

Ladies' Golf

Last week 12 ladies travelled to Uralla for a game of golf. The winner of the day was Wendy George with 34 points. Runner up was Julie Walker on a countback from Kerry Bull and Debbie Hefernan with 32 points. Nearest the pin winners were Kerry Bull and Debbie Hefernan.

This week the ladies are playing in the NEDGA 3-day tournament down in Walcha. Next week is a Par Medal Round, Pip White is the starter.

Birdie

Midweek Golf

Club confirmed Monday morning that the front nine is open and to proceed with caution. The midweek will be finalised on SATURDAY at 5.30pm. This is our last week to play and the Club has offered to host a BBQ for everyone Saturday afternoon at 5.30pm. Please give Leonie Taylor numbers attending if possible.

Middy

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Vets Open Days

On February 28 and March 1st, the Guyra veteran golfers held their annual Open Days.

There were visitors from Sydney, Newcastle, Goondiwindi, Warialda, Nambour as well as representatives from all the New England clubs. Unfortunately, Brisbane players could not make it due to the floods.

The first day was a fourball with 40 players, which was won by locals Mick Shiner and Ian Taylor with a score of 42. The runners up were also locals Phil Devlin and Col Walls with 39.

Nearest the pins went to Phil Devlin on the 7th, Andrea Swemmer from Goondiwindi on the 9th and Robert Denniss from Walcha the 10th.

The second day we had 55 players compete in an Individual Stableford. The day was marred by a storm that hit the back nine but did not affect the front. Most players on the back nine pulled out a few holes short due to the torrential rain.

In the men's, A Grade was taken out by Ian Taylor with Michael Jackson runner up on 38 and 36 respectively. The B grade winner was Neil Paine on 36 followed by Col Walls with 32. C grade was again taken out by a local Phil Devlin with 33, but runner up was from Nambour Club, Ray Clegg 30.

In the ladies, Debbie Heffernan won on a countback from Wendy Jackson, both with a score of 31. Nearest the pins winners were Ray Clegg, Nambour on the 7th, Pip White the 9th and Michael Jackson the 10th. Longest drives for men was Ian Taylor and Pip White for the ladies.

The Vets would like to thank the sponsors for their assistance on the day: The Bowling and Recreation Club, New England Autos, Nutrien Ag, Kelso Services, Costas, Natalie Bower "Seet Box", Kimberlee Pascoe and Rachael, and of course the Sydney players who bring an item each year to be raffled. Thanks to everyone that made the days great.

A Vet



Above:
Day 1 winners
Michael Shiner and Ian Taylor

Right:
Day 2 ladies winners Debbie Heffernan winner with Wendy Jackson runner up

Left:
B Grade winner Neil Paine



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YAMAHA Viking buggy 800cc, KAWASAKI Workhorse 360cc quad bike, GEHL 2 tonne mixall/hammermill, EASTWIND 4wd 25hp tractor with 4in I bucket and 4ft slasher.

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& Cattle hay racks, Molasses tank (with quantity of molafos) with pump, Diesel Tank, Hay spears, Electric fencing sundries, 3 bay dog kennel, 8kva generator, diaphragm pump x 2, Drill press, Retractable hose reel, hose reel, Ruddweigh loadbars and indicators, Quantity of fox lights, Stihl MS381 Chainsaw plus Husqvarna 236 and 556, Solar fence energisers x 3, Fuel pump, Workshop lights, Alloy loading ramps, side feedout bin, Holden rims x 4, HAFCO 1.5HP drill press, 40t wood-splitter, MIG welder, welding helmets, Hydraulic grease gun, Assorted tools, tiedown straps, Cattle feeders (approx. 3t) x 2, Gal fencing, 12' x 7', Sundry steel & cement pipes, Dog & tool box (suit Landcruiser), C-DAX quad tank & boom, various wooden gates.

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