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Refurbished Men's Shed officially open



Above l to r: Cr Steve Mepham, President John Jackson, Northern Tablelands MP Adam Marshall, Peter Brazier, Richard Navin, Campbell Wolfenden, and Peter King

GUYRA'S refurbished Men's Shed is officially open for business, following two State Government grants.

The Guyra's Men's Shed were successful in two grant applications over the past few years which helped immensely with the refurbishment.

\$17,765 was secured under the Community Building Partnership program for solar panels on the

roof and they also received \$234,500 for a refurbishment and expansion under the COVID-19 stimulus program.

With this support, they have been able to construct an additional shed for tools and machinery, accessible amenities and pathways and a rooftop solar system on their new shed.

Member for Northern Tablelands Adam Marshall attended the

opening on the weekend with President John Jackson and other dedicated members.

Mr Marshall said that the Men's Shed plays a vital role in the mental health and general wellbeing of the Guyra community.

"It is a place where men can connect with friends and their community, feel good about themselves, be productive and maintain an active body and mind," he said.

"The funding has allowed the Men's Shed to grow into the future and attract new members."

"The new facilities are outstanding and will support the health and wellbeing of Guyra's retired blokes and tinkerers.

"This is a fantastic outcome for Guyra – a huge congratulations to President John Jackson for overseeing the project.

BRIDGEWATER ANGUS

SIXTH ON-PROPERTY BULL SALE

📅 3 AUGUST 2023 📍 "MYOLA" BLACK MOUNTAIN
45+ BULLS ON OFFER

278 Toms Gully Road, Black Mountain, NSW, 2365



SALE DAY - THURSDAY, 3rd AUGUST - 1pm



Enhanced entrances to Guyra now complete



New entrance signs have been constructed at the eastern and western entrances to Guyra by local stonemasons Paul & Ben Kirk

The Guyra and Community Progress Association's (G&CPA) latest project has been completed, with all four of the town's entrances now proudly welcoming visitors with enhanced signage.

New stone entrance signs have been constructed on the eastern and western entrances to Guyra, while existing signs north and

south of Guyra now have a new stone base.

Donna Davidson from the G&CPA said that they are proud of the new gateways to our town, especially those to the east and west.

"The entrances have been constructed using natural resources, with work carried out by Guyra

craftsmen Paul and Ben Kirk Stonemasonry," she said.

"Over the coming weeks new solar lighting will be installed on all four signs by locals Hoffman Electrical."

"These beautiful entrances have now been brought to fruition and we look forward to more projects over the next few weeks and

months."

The work, and further projects in the planning, are being funded by a \$157,765 from the NSW Governments Stronger Community Fund. With the goal of "Building a Vibrant Guyra" the grant was secured by the G&CPA with support from Ladybug Projects.



POSITIONS VACANT

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POSITION VACANT

PART-TIME SCHOOL LEARNING SUPPORT OFFICER (TEACHER'S AIDE) BALD BLAIR PUBLIC SCHOOL

Bald Blair Public School is a small rural school located in the picturesque New England area, approximately 10km east of Guyra. The school has a current enrolment of 36 students spread across three classes and provides a high level of educational opportunities for all students.

The School Learning Support Officer (SLSO) will provide support for students in a mainstream class, under the direction and supervision of a teacher, to support the achievement of educational outcomes.

The successful candidate will be working in the Kindergarten to Year Two class alongside a highly experienced teacher. This is an outstanding opportunity to gain experience and develop practical skills in a supportive setting.

The working hours for the position will be 9am – 1pm, Monday to Thursday.

The salary range for this position is \$33.40 - \$38.81 per hour.

Expressions of interest are invited from suitable candidates who are interested in a part-time position. Consideration will be given to filling the role on a job-share basis.

The position will commence as soon as possible and continue until the end of 2023.

Essential Requirements:

- Working with Children Check Clearance.
- Completion of mandatory training required by the Department of Education (this can be completed upon commencement).

How to apply:

Interested candidates are invited to phone the principal, Ros Edwards, on 6779 1578 or 0432 777 649.

Alternatively, email: roslyn.edwards9@det.nsw.edu.au

Funds boosted ahead of Drover's Run adventure

Tony and Liz Looker have wrapped up their fundraising in preparation for the Drover's Run Event.

A well attended auction at the Royal Hotel on Friday night added \$7242.80 to their total.

It is the 8th time that the Drover's Run 4WD Outback Adventure has been held. Participants get to explore some of the most iconic destinations in outback Australia while raising funds for the Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service.

Combined with a sheep drive that raised more than \$5000, the Guyra couple will add around \$13,500 in funds to this vital service.

At the Royal Hotel on Friday night they were once again supported by the local community with an auction raising \$4605. They also drew their wood raffle which raised a total of \$2137.80 and meat raffles topped up the total with a further \$500.

Tony and Liz would like to thank everyone who helped along the way. Special thanks to the Royal Hotel for providing the venue and Jacko's Jukebox for donating his services. Also thanks to Wayne Jenkyn and Myles Williams from Elders for donating their time to do



Liz and Tony Looker with auctioneers Wayne Jenkyn and Myles Williams

the auctioneering as well as assisting with the sheep drive.

They will set off from Tilpa on the banks of the Darling River on Friday August 4th and over the next 9 days will cover more than

3,000kms across western NSW with overnight stops at Packsaddle, Cameron Corner, Silverton, Mildura, Mungo National Park, Cobarr and Dunedoo, before the final stop in Newcastle on Sunday the 13th of

August.

Drover's Run is not a race. It's about having fun, getting to experience the Outback, and meeting and supporting the wonderful people of rural Australia.

Charity Jersey framed



John Jackson from the Men's Shed presenting the mounted product to Guyra VRA Rescue NSW members Nikki Mendes & Adam Brennan.

The Guyra Men's Shed handed over a mounted Super Spuds football jersey to the Guyra VRA on the weekend.

The jersey was from the charity auction held by the Guyra Rugby

League fundraiser earlier in the year in support of the VRA.

The proceeds from the auction have been used on Operational and Training equipment to support the Guyra community.



Join our amazing local team!

You really do feel as if you are a part of something special, part of something that can do good in the lives of those less fortunate. John - St Vincent de Paul Society volunteer

Are you compassionate, caring and love being part of a team?

Do you have any specific skills to share?

Can you spare 2 to 3 hours a week to help those in need?

St Vincent de Paul Society (Vinnies) volunteers are passionate about helping those in need throughout the community. Our folk come from diverse backgrounds, experiences and beliefs, and bring a great depth of understanding, expertise and compassion to their service and involvement. Whatever your skill, passion or experience, we can put it to good use for the good of others!



You're warmly invited to a meet the locals at an obligation-free information session:

10:00am – 11:00 am Sunday 6th August

Neighbourhood Centre
160 Bradley St Guyra

Sue Adams 0490 670 605
guyraconf@vinnies.org.au

What's HOT

Bulbs and blossoms starting to appear promising warmer times ahead

Bull sale season getting underway

Poetry Slam coming to Guyra in August

New entrance sign looking mighty fine

Christmas in July happening around town

What's NOT

Why is there always that one 'Negative Nancy' who spoils things?

QUOTE of the week

“Those who can make people believe absurdities, can make people commit atrocities.”

Voltaire

Bureau of Meteorology

Weather

WATCH

Guyra MPS

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
18	Tues	3.3	11.7	0
19	Wed	2.3	14.9	0
20	Thurs	-1.5	13.3	0
21	Fri	0.6	12.0	0
22	Sat	-2.7	11.9	1.6
23	Sun	-2.5	11.8	0
24	Mon	3.1	10.6	0

Rain this week	1.6mm
July rainfall	15.4mm
Rainfall YTD	527.4mm
Rainfall last YTD	635.0mm
Ave. rain YTD	508.6mm

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

Men's Health Van returns to Guyra



The Men's Health Education Rural Van (mherv) will make a return visit to Guyra on August 8th and local men are being encouraged to call for a free health check.

'mherv' is a custom built caravan which travels the state offering free health screenings to regional and rural men, who are notorious for being completely in the dark about the state of their health.

Registered nurse Leanne Garvey is happy to take your blood pressure, cholesterol levels, and

blood sugar levels; and have a general quick chat about your health.

“Don't hesitate to give 10 minutes of your busy day to get free basic health screening undertaken today,” Leanne said. “It literally could save your life”.

The 'mherv' project is organized by Rotary and over the past five years it is estimated that over 450 lives have been saved because of these free basic health checks.

'mherv' sees around 3,500 patients each year and it is no sur-

prise how many males have undetected symptoms. Around 40% require following up with a GP.

Project leader Graeme Hooper said that while men are the key target, ladies are also welcome. A visit to the van is free and it will be in Guyra on Tuesday August 8th between 10am and 3.30pm in the NAB carpark.

Rotary kindly acknowledges the support of the Royal Freemasons Benevolent Institution (RFBI) and Electrodry in making this free service possible.

Enormous effort at Cross Country

On Friday the 21st July Flynn McFarlane travelled to Sydney to Represent St Mary of the Angels and the Armidale Diocese in the NSW PSSA Cross Country championships. Competing amongst the best of the State's runners, Flynn put forward his best athletic ability, courage and determination to become the 56th fastest 10yr old boy over 2000m in NSW and assisting the Polding 10 year old boy team to win best region.

Receiving a medal for his outstanding efforts Flynn came home feeling very proud of his accomplishment and thrilled to have made it so far in cross country running at such a high sporting level.

An enormous effort from Flynn, Congratulations on a well-deserved achievement.



Want to know what's on?

Subscribe to our weekly What's On mailing list to keep up to date with all of the exciting events happening across the region

Visit www.armidaleregional.nsw.gov.au to subscribe or to submit your community event.

Have you considered signing up to receive your rates notices via email?

Make sure you have both your rates and water notice reference numbers ready which are located on your rates assessment and look for the E-NOTICES symbol for the online link. You will then begin receiving your notices straight to your inbox, and you'll be saving the environment in the process.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

The next Ordinary Meeting will be held in Armidale from 4pm on Wednesday 26 July 2023.

The public are welcome to attend a live streaming of the meeting at the Guyra Civic Administration Building for any residents wishing to watch.

Free tours of Council facilities

Guyra

Monday 31 July -
Saturday 5 August



This is your opportunity to gain some valuable insight behind the scenes at Armidale Regional Council, and see all the hard work that goes into making our community thrive!

Bookings are essential. Book now at www.eventbrite.com.au and search Local Government Tours or call customer service on 1300 136 833.

Guyra Community Meeting

Armidale Regional Council will be holding the second community meeting of 2023 to engage with the Guyra community and find out what is important to you.

If you are open-minded and have some great ideas to share please send through your thoughts or topics of interest to council@armidale.nsw.gov.au so we can set the agenda.

Mayor Sam Coupland will chair the meeting and be accompanied by councillors and senior executive.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Thursday 10
August @
The Guyra
Bowling Club
from 6pm to
7.30pm



1300 136 833

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ARMIDALE
Regional Council

26 July 2023

Community Noticeboard

Meals on Wheels

July 27 Sue Adams
 July 28 Steve Adams
 July 31 Debbie Schmidt
 Aug. 1 Stuart Broad
 Aug. 2 Wendy Lockyer

Street Stalls

July 29 Antique Machinery
 August 3 Hosp. Auxiliary
 August 4, 5 Guyra Lodge

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, followed by morning tea. Doors open from 8:30am. 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: Pastors Linden & Kerrie Pollard 0455 232 073.

Seventh-day Adventist Church: Aboomala Street. Sabbath School 10.00am Saturday Divine Service 11.30am Saturday. **Contact:** Minister Luke Reeves 0410 761 320 Church Clerk 6779 1587

Uniting Church: 57 Ollera Street: Regular Sunday Service: 9.30am
Contact: Di Burey 0428 791 742

Church of Freedom (Cnr. Boorolong & Nincoola Sts.) Sunday worship: 10am Prayer meeting: Tuesday 6.30pm Bible discussion: Wednesday 6.30pm Pastors: Jeff & Sharon Ritchie 0421 847 973 Chaplaincy services: Dave Brown 0419 539 372, Dan McGinty 0409 399 270

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: Hans Hietbrink 0402 044 891

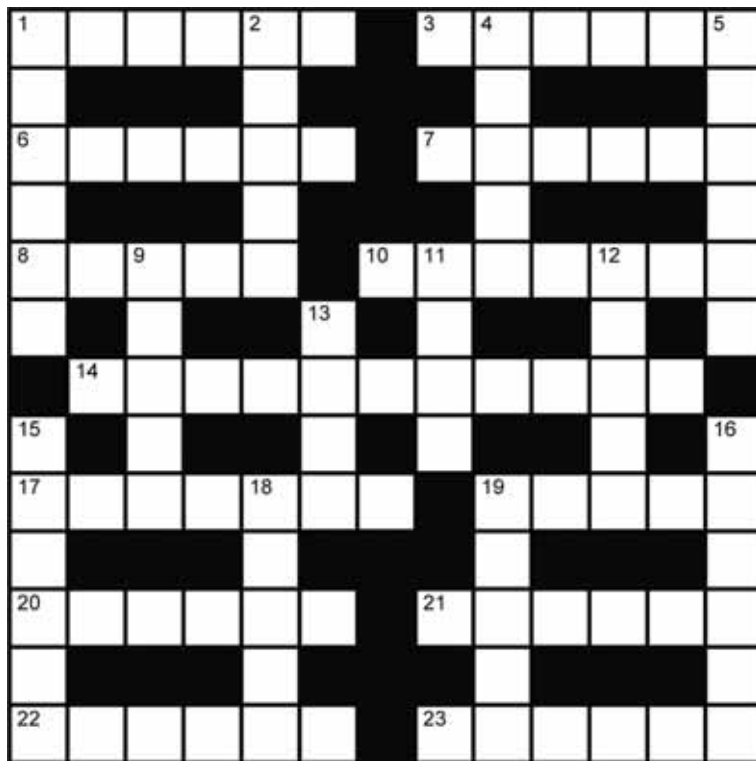
ACROSS

- Injure (6)
- American TV comedy series (6)
- Settlement (6)
- Bumpy (6)
- Common weeds (5)
- Elephant's cry (7)
- At a disadvantage (11)
- Scruffy (7)
- Chop finely (5)
- Little Women author _____ M. Alcott (6)
- Debilitated (6)
- Rough (6)
- Strangest (6)

DOWN

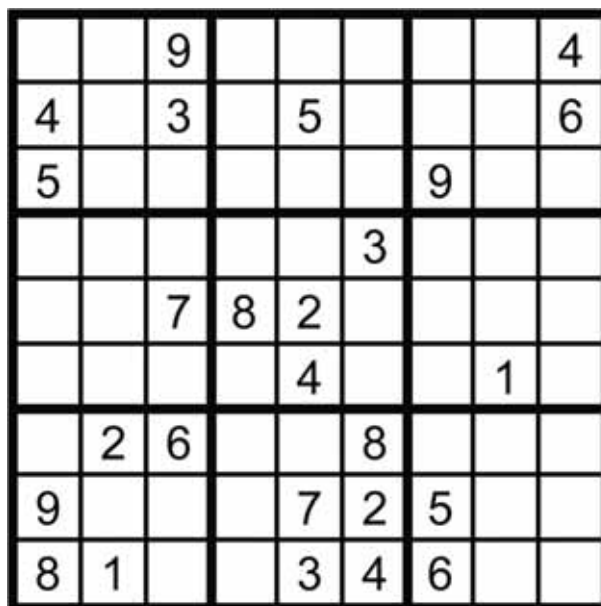
- Ten years (6)
- Units of DNA (5)
- Asian mountains _____ Kush (5)
- Roman governing body (6)
- Fissure (5)
- Wander (4)

QUICK CROSSWORD

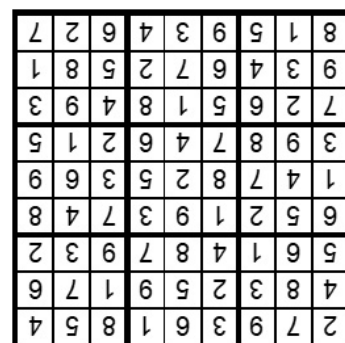


- Clean the feathers (5)
- Speech impediment (4)
- Not private (6)
- Person living in solitude (6)
- Biblical character (5)
- Tunnelled (5)

SUDOKU - Easy



ACROSS: 1. Damage 3. Cheers 6. Colony 7. Uneven 8. Docks 10. Trumpet 14. Handicapped 17. Unkempt 19. Mince 20. Louisa 21. Infirm 22. Course
DOWN: 1. Decade 2. Genes 4. Hindu 5. Senate 9. Crack 11. Room 12. Preen 13. Lisp 15. Public 16. Hermit 18. Moses 19. Mined



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Sale O! - Bulls season arrives for local studs

Attending a local bull sale is one of the best events in the livestock calendar and buyers will have plenty of opportunities over the next few weeks to purchase some of the best as bull sale season kicks off.

Bald Blair, Eastern Plains, Bridgewater and Glenavon genetics will go under the hammer in early August with Glenmorgan and Figtree Park sales still a few weeks away.

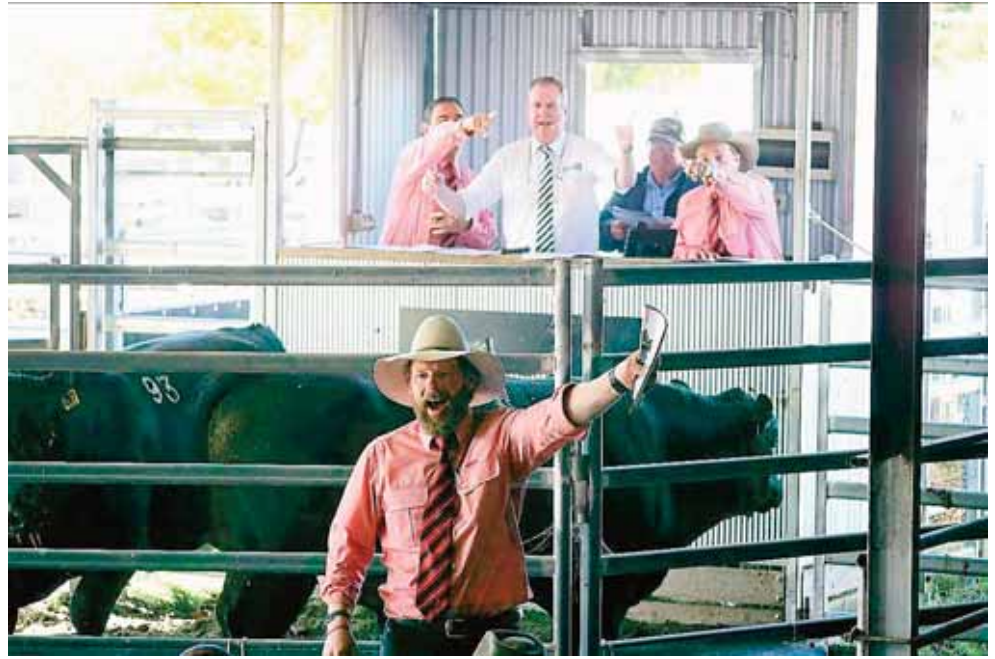
Sam White from Bald Blair Angus said that the atmosphere of attending an on property bull sale is unique, with cars, utes and trucks parked in all directions.

“Local cattlemen and women, school and university students, bull buyers from far and wide, bankers and livestock agents all attending with their felt hats and boots, plus a beanie in the pocket and extra coats if needed,” he said.

This year will be the 51st on property bull sale at Bald Blair and there will be 115 Bulls in the line-up.

“We will have on offer bulls rising 2 years of age, bulls rising 18 months of age and a great lineup of yearling bulls rising 12 months of age at sale time,” Sam said.

“We will have numerous bloodlines on offer,



including some new international bloodlines.”

Catering will be provided by the Bald Blair Public School P & C and Peter and Sharon Dundon from the MLA and Emily Brett from Quadrant Australia.

They will be serving up steak sandwiches with meat from Bald Blair Angus steers – a real paddock to plate experience for those attending in person at the bull sale.

Rural Market Reports

Guyra Sheep & Lamb Sale

July 19th – There was a total yarding 7009 with a top price of \$160 and average per head \$91.56. The numbers returned to a normal level in the knowledge that all the regular processors would be attending.

There were 5070 mostly good quality lambs and 2690 sheep drawn for. It was a very good quality penning of lambs for the most part with a good supply of heavy and extra heavy weights. Restockers were also well catered for. Restocker activity was high with some orders operating on well finished medium and heavy weights.

Following last sales low numbers and a vast improvement in quality most categories showed price improvements. The exception being the medium weight trade lambs that saw a slightly cheaper trend. Light and medium weight sheep made up the bulk of the offering with the majority being Spring shorn Merino ewes. No market comparisons with just 150 head penned at the last sale.

Processors purchased the majority outbidding the restockers on

most pens. The quality and length of the Merino skins a contributing factor for those processors harvesting the wool.

**Next sale Wednesday
2nd August 2023.**

Armidale Cattle Sale

July 20th - A total of 755 head yarded, averaging \$1040.18 per head and 234.7 c/kg. There was an increase in numbers with the offering consisting mainly of yearlings and cows. There were some very well finished heavy grown steers also. The quality of the penning was very mixed while condition showed great variation. The same group of buyers from the previous sale were in attendance.

Market trends varied through the young cattle with a noticeable preference from feedlotters for those carrying a bit of extra weight. A small number of vealer steers to restockers sold to a dearer trend while the heifer portion were cheaper. Light and medium weight yearling steers sold on a firm to 10c/kg cheaper trend with quality also contributing.

Heavy weight feeder steers over 400kg sold to dearer trends with increases of as much as 30c/kg for breed and quality. Light weight yearling heifers sold to cheaper trends while the medium and heavy weights saw trends dearer.

The increased supply of heavy grown steers to processors sold on a firm to slightly cheaper market trend. The well finished grown heifers went the other way and sold to a much dearer trend. The cow market also sold on a firm to dearer trend with most improvement in the medium weights. The bull market was also a shade dearer.

**Next sale Thursday
3rd August 2023.**

Weekly Wool Sales

July 21st - The improved buyer sentiment over the last two sales continued this week as exporters pushed to secure quantity prior to the upcoming 3 week recess. Competition in the saleroom was widespread with all segments in the market active. Gains were seen across all micron categories on Tuesday with Merino lots carrying more

beneficial test results improving by up to 50 cents clean. Lower spec lots showed gains of up to 10-20 cents. Crossbred types strengthened by 10-15 cents on more even well prepared types. A stronger A\$ on Wednesday impacted prices slightly with levels easing back, albeit not enough to lose all of their earlier gains.

As mentioned in last week's report, the number of bales offered for sale in these first two July sales has been far less than anticipated. This week's offering of 44,697 bales meant that 23% less bales have been offered in the last fortnight compared to the same two sales last season. This has definitely helped stabilize the market.

The mid-year sale recess is traditionally a time where exporters travel to see their clients around the world. We hope the more optimistic feeling in the market over the last few weeks will provide a platform for them to fill their order books. Quantities in the first few sales are expected to be large so the success of these meetings will go a long way to a positive market on its return.

Glenrac welcomes new project officer

The Glen Innes Natural Resources Advisory Committee (GLENRAC) has welcomed a new Project Officer for Sustainable Agriculture to their team, with Katie Barnett stepping into the role.

Originally from Kempsey, Katie completed a Bachelor of Agriculture and Bachelor of Business with an Agribusiness major at the University of New England (UNE) before embarking on a role as an Assistant Manager on a superfine merino and agroforestry operation in the New England region.

Katie's profound enthusiasm for rural life shines through as she actively engages in various learning opportunities. These include attending and organizing working dog schools and Low-Stress Stock Handling courses, all aimed at enriching her farm and livestock management expertise and deepening her connection with the broader agriculture community.



GLENRAC Chief Executive Officer Kylie Falconer welcomed Katie's appointment as Project Officer and says her enthusiasm and willingness to get involved in her local community will be an asset to the organisation and the district.

"Katie will be working closely with landholders throughout the re-

gion and the University of New England to improve farmers' capability to manage productive pastures."

"The project focuses on supporting farmers to be better equipped for when the next dry hits".

"Katie's role is supported by funding from the Future Drought

Fund, a project that involves partnerships with the University of New England and the Southern Queensland & Northern NSW Drought Resilience Adoption & Innovation Hub (SQNNSW)".

As a UNE graduate, Katie will be working with many of the same university lecturers she met as a student and will also lead GLENRAC's projects such as drought-resilient pasture landscapes, stock water management, and utilising drones for weed monitoring and control.

"I've previously attended GLENRAC events and heard about their good work in the region, so I'm excited to be joining the team".

Farmers interested in finding out more about the Future Drought Fund project can contact GLENRAC on 02 6732 3443, or drop into the GLENRAC office at 68 Church St, Glen Innes NSW 2370.

Black Mountain Public School After School Activities Program



Our after-school activities program is once again running this term and is being well supported. The students are enjoying tennis on Mondays, hockey on Tuesdays, and on Wednesdays PCYC offer bootcamp and boxing sessions.

All these sessions are being delivered by qualified coaches. Homework Centre is available for students who like to complete their homework at school. The second bus goes back into Guyra in the afternoon.

*Mrs Justine Eddy
Relieving Principal*



Gazette Footy Tipping

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Locals Entry Form - Round 23

Tips must be submitted by 4.00pm on **Wednesday 2nd August**

Name:

Phone:

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

Bye:
Bulldogs



Gazette's Celebrity Footy Tipping

Round 21 of NRL Thursday night footy kicked off with a clash of the wooden spoon contenders Dragon and Tigers, where the Dragons got the upper hand late, going on to win 18-14.

Friday night footy had the Warriors at home to the Raiders, where the much improved Raiders produced a late charge to send the game into golden point extra time, only to go down by a Shaun Johnson field goal 21-20.

The Broncos then took on the Rabbits, where they asserted their dominance with a 36-20 win over the Rabbitohs.

Super Saturday kicked off with the Titans and Roosters, where the Roosters put up a good performance and went onto win 36-18. Then the Knights produced the upset of the round, with a great 26-18 win over the Storm.

The Cowboys then took on the Eels in one of the matches of the round, where the Cowboys were too strong and went onto win 24-16.

Sunday footy had the Panthers as very strong favourites to win over the wooden spoon contenders, the Bulldogs and the Panthers did not disappoint, going on to win 44-18. The Manly Sea Eagles then took on the Sharks at home and came away to win by a narrow margin of 30-26.

Round 22 looks to be pretty straight forward, but we did see what happened this week between the Knights and Storm, so good luck tipsters and happy tipping!

The Green Blooded Reporter

Sue's Tips

- Broncos
- Rabbits
- Storm
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Panthers
- Dolphins
- Cowboys



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Soley's Tips

- Broncos
- Rabbits
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Score: 197

BLS' Tips

- Broncos
- Rabbits
- Eels
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Panthers
- Dolphins
- Cowboys



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Rego inspections



87-89 Bradley Street
6779 1284

Score: 193

Oscar's Tips

- Broncos
- Rabbitohs
- Storm
- Raiders
- Sea eagles
- Panthers
- Dolphins
- Cowboys



This week's Specials:

Lasagne 2kg **\$9.99 ea.**
Coca Cola selected varieties
24 pack - **\$22 ea.**
Arnott's choc. biscuits or tee-
vee snacks 160-250g **\$2.25**



94 Bradley Street, Guyra
6779 1555

Score: 197

Cody's Tips

- Broncos
- Rabbits
- Storm
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Panthers
- Dolphins
- Cowboys



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: 187

Vu's Tips

- Broncos
- Rabbits
- Storm
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Panthers
- Dolphins
- Cowboys



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are available
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Sarah's Tips

- Broncos
- West Tigers
- Storm
- Raiders
- Sea Eagles
- Panthers
- Dolphins
- Cowboys



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GUYRA SHOW SOCIETY AGM will be held on Saturday 29th July, 9.30am at Guyra Bowling Club followed by a general meeting. New Members welcome.

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SATURDAY, 5th AUGUST:

Guyra **SNOW BALL** hosted by Guyra & Community Progress Assoc. Tickets \$85pp includes 3 course meal. More information Donna Davidson 0427 792 748.

OCTOBER LONG WEEKEND:

Rotary Club of Guyra will hold a **BOOK FAIR** at the Soldiers Memorial Hall from 29th September to 2nd October.

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Ladies' Golf

Last week the Ladies took advantage of some lovely sunny weather to play a Par Medal Round. The winner was Jenny Rogers on a countback from Wendy Jackson. Nearest the pin winners were, Julie Walker on the 7th hole. Jenny Rogers on the 9th hole. Karen Oehlers on the 18th hole chipping in for a birdie.

This week is a Stroke and Putting Competition. Next week is a Stableford with Suzanne Towells as the starter.

Birdie

Vets Golf

Last Tuesday the 18th we played a stableford event and putting comp. Herb Wilson was in top form, scoring a brilliant 36 points to come in the winner and with just 25 putts and also won in the putting comp. Ian Taylor was once again in the winning circle coming in with the runner up prize. Terry Varley got nearest the pin on the 7th, with Chris Newberry getting it on the 18th. Next Tuesday the 1st August is the Reg Taylor stroke.

Drake

Men's Bowls

Four games of open singles were played on the weekend with Anthony Bull defeating Randy Mulligan 31-18, Dan Kennedy defeated Robert Walls 31-19, Scott Campbell defeated John Jackson 31-20 and Tim Ellis was too good for Roger Cox winning 31-28.

Games this weekend are on Saturday 29th July at 12 o'clock. In club pairs David Wilcox and Randy Mulligan will play Dan Kennedy and Barry Walls, Mallie Walls and Logan Beechey will play Steven Sole and Robert Walls and John Jackson and Barry Campbell will play Robert Moore and Paul Johnson.

On Sunday at 12 o'clock in open singles, Colin Stanley will play Barry Presnell with Shane Brennan to mark and Scott Campbell will play Anthony Bull with Roger Cox marking.

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Mark Atkin - 0455 310 657 | Craig Waters - 0448 387 025
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Tough outing at Glen Innes

Guyra's trip to Glen Innes on Sunday bore little fruit with only the A grade side winning, and only just.

After building a 16-4 lead after tries to Jayden French, Wes Kelly and Corey Torrens, Glen hit back with two tries and Guyra led by two at halftime.

Despite missing eight regular starting players the Spuds looked to be on top after further tries to Jordan Moran and Billy Youman after the break.

As fatigue hit the Magpies fired back to trail by two again, before man of the match Billy Youman scored his second of the day to create a buffer at 34-26.

Glen scored again and then had penalty after penalty, only for the Guyra defence to hold firm in the last few minutes and keep the score at 34-32.

Youman (3), Beau Orchard (2) and Ben Mann (1) scored club points, while Corey Torrens, Brock Laybutt, Garth Walls and Dylan Sutton all put in big performances.

The Spudettes desperately needed a win to stay in the finals race but it all went wrong in the second half.

After trailing 10-8 at the break following tries to Kiarna Landsborough and Kayla Kim-Moran, Glen got on top and never looked back.

Kim-Moran scored her second,



Garth Walls hits the deck on his return for the Spuds

but the home side ran out 30-12 winners.

Ashleigh Richardson (3), Kim-Moran (2) and Sharnae Smith (1) took the club points.

The under 18s also needed to win to take the minor premiership, but copped a caning in the penalties and had Robert Sisson sin binned to cruel their chances.

After tackling for the entire first

half the Spuds were only down 6-nil thanks to some stoic defence, including holding Glen up over the line twice.

Archie Dowden and Rave Brazier then scored back to back tries after halftime once Guyra gained some ball, but the sin binning turned the contest Glen's way.

It scored two tries in that time and then added one more at the

end to win it 20-10.

Sisson (3), Brazier (2) and Brodi Campbell (1) earned club points.

All three teams travel to Tingha next Sunday for the final round of the regular season before the club begins preparations for hosting the major semi finals on August 13.



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