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ELECTION PROMISES HEATING UP ONE MONTH OUT



With Queensland set to go to the polls on October 31, the promises and commitments from both of the major parties are taking shape with Member for Ninderry Dan Purdie stating this week that an elected LNP government will commit \$350,000 to fast-track the development of detailed plans for a new multi-purpose sports facility at Coolum State High School. Mr Purdie said a new \$8 million facility located at Coolum High, currently in design phase, would feature two senior AFL ovals, a senior cricket oval, 12 netball hard courts, a multi-use clubhouse, 150 car parks and an access road. On hand for the recent announcement was (from left), Shadow Minister for Sport and Racing John-Paul Langbroek, Coolum Breakers President Dean Blackburn, Coolum Cricket Club President Marty Bristow, and Dan Purdie MP, with juniors from the local clubs set to benefit from the new multi-million dollar, multi-purpose facility, located at Coolum State High School. Story continued 2. Photo: Contributed

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Council asking election candidates to deliver for Coast

WITH the 2020 State election just five weeks away, the Australian economy officially in recession and communities staring down the barrel of a long and challenging road to recovery, candidates need to be

putting forward a clear, coherent and deliverable plan for a new future.

That's the message from Sunshine Coast Council Mayor Mark Jamieson as he released Council's priorities for the re-

gion - which he is calling on all parties and candidates to commit to prior to October 31.

"Never before has a State election been more critical for the future of Queensland and for the future of our Sunshine

Coast," Mayor Jamieson said.

"Seeking a clear plan for the future should not be a hard ask - but unfortunately for our Sunshine Coast, it is something that has so far been lacking from the political parties and

candidates contesting the State election.

"Not only is our region needing to recover from the economic fallout from the COVID-19 pandemic, but it is

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FUNDS COMMITTED FOR NEW MULTI-SPORTS FACILITY

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AN LNP Government will commit \$350,000 to fast-track the development of detailed plans for a new multi-purpose sports facility at Coolum State High School it was announced earlier this week.

Ninderry MP Dan Purdie said a new \$8 million facility located at Coolum High, currently in design phase, would feature two senior AFL ovals, a senior cricket oval, 12 netball hard courts, a multi-use clubhouse, 150 car parks and an access road.

"For the past three years, I

have been working with Council, Coolum State High and our local AFL and cricket clubs to progress plans for new sports fields to help take the pressure off our existing facilities," Mr Purdie said.

"With the Coolum Sports Complex at capacity, we are in desperate need for additional facilities to not only accommodate our growing population, but also the demand in these codes," Mr Purdie said.

"This funding will help fast-track the detailed designs so that work can start sooner," Mr Pur-

die said.

Shadow Minister for Sport and Racing, John-Paul Langbroek said the LNP was committed to delivering healthy, active communities, and partnering with government and community agencies to achieve cost-efficiencies and other benefits.

"This is a great example of government and community working together to achieve positive, cost effective outcomes," Mr Langbroek said.

"Through this partnership with Council, the Department of Education and the school community we will be able to deliver a first class sports facility that will benefit not only the students of Coolum High, but also the wider community."

Coolum Beach Breakers President Dean Blackborough said the club's growth was being restricted and players were being turned away due to the capacity of the existing field at Coolum High.

"We are extremely grateful that we have been offered a seat at the table in these negotiations which will be a win-win for our club and the wider community," Mr Blackborough said.

Coolum Cricket Club President Martin Bristow welcomed the news also.

"The addition of another cricket oval in Coolum Beach is a wonderful initiative. Our club has grown substantially over recent years, at both a junior and senior cricket level, and the proposed new facility will allow the club to continue this growth," Mr Bristow said.



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ALP NINDERRY CANDIDATE WELCOMES NEW EUMUNDI BRIDGE



ALP candidate for Ninderry Melinda Dodds with the state Minister for Transport Mark Bailey at the announcement of a new bridge at Seib Rd in Eumundi. Photo: Contributed

LABOR'S candidate for Ninderry, Melinda Dodds, hosted the Minister for Transport, Mark Bailey recently, with the highlight of the visit, the announcement of a new bridge at Seib Rd, Eumundi.

"The residents of Seib Rd have been crying out for this critical infrastructure for decades and it has taken the Palaszczuk Government to answer the call," Ms Dodds said. "Children will now be able to get home safely from school and I thank Minister Bailey and the Sunshine Coast Regional Council for this fantastic initiative."

The Queensland Government and Sunshine Coast Regional Council will be teaming up to build the new \$1 million bike path in Eumundi.

The 290-metre path will run from the Eumundi-Noosa Road rail bridge to Seib Road and include a new bridge over the North Maroochy River.

Transport and Main Roads

Minister Mark Bailey said the project would mean jobs in construction, jobs in tourism and new opportunities for local businesses.

"We know building separated bike paths encourage more people to ride, which is a healthier and more environmentally-friendly way to travel," Mr Bailey said.

"This project has been prioritised for Eumundi in the latest round of the Palaszczuk Government's \$15 million cycle network local government grants program.

"We've successfully delivered more than \$90 million in projects with councils across Queensland as part of the grants program, supporting 253 projects and hundreds of jobs for local communities."

Sunshine Coast Regional Council Mayor Mark Jamieson said he was delighted that this funding commitment from the Queensland Government will help to deliver this long over-

due pedestrian and cycle link.

"The need for a safe link over the North Maroochy River into Eumundi has long been identified by Council and by the Department of Transport and Main Roads and now it will become a reality," Mayor Jamieson said.

"The existing bridge on Eumundi-Noosa Road has limited provision for cyclists and pedestrians to safely cross the North Maroochy River, so a new solution is clearly required.

"The Seib Road location is in close proximity to the existing bridge and our Council confirmed its contribution to this project as part of its 2020-2021 Budget.

"Many local residents will also be pleased to know that the proposed pedestrian/cycle bridge also has capacity to cater for recreational trail use, such as horse riding, which is popular in the local area."

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COAST'S FIRST CLIMATEWATCH TRAIL OPENS TO PUBLIC



Member for Fairfax Ted O'Brien with Sunshine Coast Regional Council Division 9 Councillor Maria Suarez at the official opening of the ClimateWatch trail at the Maroochy Wetlands in Bli Bli. Photo: Contributed

ENCOURAGING local families to get outdoors and become 'citizen scientists' is a key goal for the Sunshine Coast's first 'ClimateWatch Trail', which was unveiled just in time for the school holidays.

Federal Member for Fairfax Ted O'Brien officially opened the ClimateWatch walking trail at the Maroochy Wetlands Sanctuary, Bli Bli in late September.

"As part of the Federal Government's Communities Environment Program I was delighted to support this project and secure \$5,750 for its delivery," Mr O'Brien said.

"Our local communities know their local environments better than most, and they have the knowledge and the passion to take care of our beautiful places and the unique wildlife within them and this is another wonderful example of that occurring right here on the Sunshine Coast," Mr O'Brien said.

"This project will provide an interactive activity for visitors to the Maroochy Wetland Sanctuary and will encourage people to enjoy the outdoors while participating in a national citizen science project."

Maroochy Wetlands Sanctuary Support Group President John Tucker explained that seventeen indicator species of both flora and fauna in the Sanctuary have been selected for monitoring over time as part of the program.

"As the first continental phenology project in the Southern Hemisphere, ClimateWatch enables every Australian to be involved in collecting and recording data that will help shape the country's scientific response to climate change," Mr Tucker said.

"Visitors can download the free ClimateWatch app to their smart phone and can upload photos or observations about those items whilst they are walking in the Sanctuary.

"The collected information goes into a National database providing a basis for detecting trend changes and this data is essential for understanding and managing, at a national level, the impacts of climate change particularly on local and regional biodiversity."

Locally, the Maroochy Wetlands Sanctuary Support Group together with Sunshine Coast Council will also use the data to inform management plans and climate adaption strategies.

Sunshine Coast Division 9 Councillor Maria Suarez welcomed the Australian Government Communities Environment Program funding and thanked the Maroochy Wetlands Sanctuary Support Group for their ongoing dedication to the wetlands.

"For the past 30 years the Maroochy Wetlands Sanctuary Support Group has volunteered valuable hours conducting regu-

lar fauna surveys, bird outings, newsletter reports and guided tours," Cr Suarez said.

"Their local observations on how different wetland species are responding to climate change – such as a migratory bird returning earlier than usual or a tree flowering before it normally does – will now be officially recorded via the ClimateWatch app.

"This will help us to understand how changes in temperature and rainfall are affecting the seasonal behaviour of Australia's plants and animals – building council's knowledge enabling evidence-based decisions for a healthy environment and liveable Sunshine Coast.

"We also have two new trails coming soon, around Currumbundi Lake and in Kawana Forest," Cr Suarez said.

The Maroochy Wetlands project will complement the 86 already established ClimateWatch trails across Australia and data collected will contribute to the Atlas of Living Australia database.

ClimateWatch was developed by Earthwatch, the Bureau of Meteorology and The University of Melbourne, to understand how changes in temperature and rainfall are affecting the seasonal behaviour of Australia's plants and animals.

The Maroochy Wetlands Sanctuary is located at Sports Rd, Bli Bli.



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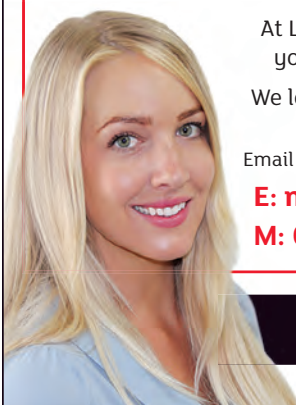
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Noosa's independent MP to stand again in October



Current state member for Noosa, Sandy Bolton will again be running for the seat as an Independent and hoping for a second term in office representing the community in Noosa. Photo: Contributed

QUEENSLAND'S only truly independent State MP has announced her intention to run for a second term of State Parliament at the October 31 election.

Sandy Bolton, who has called Noosa home for 30 years, said she has achieved many of her stated goals since her election in 2017, under what have been very unusual conditions with the Parliament losing nearly one-fifth of its three-year term in order to tackle the Covid-19 pandemic crisis.

"When I initially ran for Noosa, I set out with six commitments to the electorate to address long-standing issues for our community - some up to two decades old and I have delivered on nearly all of them," Ms Bolton said.

"These are the Beckmans upgrade with more than \$10m received for Stage 1 which is the detailed design and build of the Beckmans/Cooroy Noosa Rd roundabout; \$19 million to replace the notorious Six Mile Bridge number 7; a 10-year

agreement for public services at Noosa Hospital; better management of the Noosa River including a permanent Maritime Services presence; and a plan to re-establish a public institution at the decommissioned TAFE site.

"I am down the track on affordable housing however there are some very big challenges and I can't say it's a win yet - so it will be a priority in my next term," Ms Bolton said.

Ms Bolton takes pride in having achieved her goals without having to form major alliances with either of the major parties, which may not have been in line with community expectations.

Ms Bolton believes she has proven by example that an independent MP, without the need to align to any ideology or party, can achieve a great deal through persistence, objectivity and ethics.

"One of the bigger disappointments for Queenslanders is the amount of wasted time taken up in political point-scoring be-

tween the major parties," Ms Bolton said.

"We can - and must - do better."

At the start of her tenure the public were quick to state that she would not wield much influence, as the election result didn't leave her in a balance-of-power position.

"Ultimately that has made no difference in what I set out to do on behalf of Noosa, and what has been achieved - the results, I believe, speak for themselves," Ms Bolton said.

"Many voters have turned to independents at all levels of government as part of seeking a change to what they see as an outdated mode of politics."

Ms Bolton said she believed the coming election would see perhaps only 20 per cent of people actually vote on election day, the rest using postal votes or pre-polling.

The member for Noosa will outline five priority commitments in coming weeks that she aims to take to the next Parliament, with all targeted to be completed in the post-Covid period by 2024.

"Our community has worked hard through Covid, including striving through the recovery period to ensure we have the future we seek," Ms Bolton said.

"We are now focusing on what is required to thrive - this brings challenges as well opportunities, and we are well placed and prepared for both."

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COUNCIL ASKING ELECTION CANDIDATES TO DELIVER FOR COAST

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also dealing with the implications of a long legacy of under investment by successive State Governments of both major parties, in the core infrastructure needs of our Sunshine Coast," Mayor Jamieson said.

The Mayor further went on to state that maintaining the liveability of the region was a high priority for the 340,000 residents.

"However, our liveability and the productivity of our region's economy are under threat, given the lack of firm, funded commitments to deliver on the State's infrastructure responsibilities in our region.

"Our council has done a lot of the heavy lifting to strengthen our region's economy by delivering major region-shaping infrastructure and providing a platform for wider scale industry investment and associated jobs growth.

"What is long overdue however, is a corresponding commitment to address those

matters which are the State's infrastructure responsibilities on the Sunshine Coast – no matter who is in government."

The Mayor is asking whoever forms government to commit to delivering an enduring plan of economic recovery that is sustainable and responsive to the lifestyle values of coast residents.

"That plan needs to be supported by clear investment commitments relating to the State's responsibilities."

Mayor Jamieson said council was not advocating a long shopping list of unreasonable or unjustified funding and policy commitments, but was seeking:

1. A clear plan for economic recovery that builds and shapes the future resilience and prosperity of our Sunshine Coast

2. A commitment that the next government will step up and take responsibility for delivering the State's critical infrastructure responsibilities in the region – particularly in the areas of road and public

transport – within the next five years and

3. A modest range of policy commitments – some of which won't cost the State anything - but will go a long way to helping to preserve the liveability of the Sunshine Coast as it grows to over 518,000 people in the next 20 years.

"Our council will work with whomever forms government after October 31 to achieve these objectives," Mayor Jamieson said.

"From our perspective this is not about politics.

"In fact, if anything, the COVID-19 pandemic has demonstrated that the time for political rhetoric and one-upmanship is well and truly over.

"For our council, the commitments we are seeking at this State Election are about the future of our residents, our communities and our region – and enhancing our Sunshine Coast's already significant contribution to the Queensland economy."

Funding commitment to secure fauna habitats



If elected to form government on October 31, the LNP will commit to \$20K in funding for Coolum and North Shore Coast Care to help with their environmental fauna activities. The funding commitment announcement was made last week with (from left) Shadow Environment Minister David Crisafulli, Edwin Hammet from Coast Care, AJ from Hollow Log Homes, and Ninderry MP Dan Purdie at the announcement. Photo: Contributed

AN LNP State Government will fund the repair and replacement of at least a dozen new nesting boxes and provide additional resources to allow Coolum and North Shore Coast Care to continue their popular community education program.

Ninderry MP Dan Purdie made the \$20,000 funding commitment with Shadow Environment Minister David Crisafulli in Coolum last week.

Mr Purdie said the research and practical work being undertaken by Coolum and North Shore Coast Care (CNSCC) was critical in helping protect and preserve the region's unique biological diversity.

"These funds will allow Coolum and North Shore Coast Care to continue their research

into fauna habitats and allow their ground-breaking work with Hollow Log Homes, another Sunshine Coast environmental success story, to continue," Mr Purdie said.

Mr Purdie said Coast Care had begun the process of replacing wildlife habitats with the help of Hollow Log Homes, who install nesting boxes that target specific species.

The recent announcement will allow CNSCC to conduct an audit on existing nesting boxes, and install up to 12 new Hollow Log homes that are specific for the local fauna of each location, Mr Purdie said.

Remaining funds will be used by the group to continue their important community education program.

Shadow Environment Minister David Crisafulli said the

collaboration between Coast Care and Hollow Log Homes was setting a new benchmark in fauna preservation, and it was important to see this work continue.

"The LNP has a long and proud history of protecting our state's pristine environment, and it is through local success stories like the partnership between Coolum and North Shore Coast Care and Hollow Log Homes that we can continue this important legacy," Mr Crisafulli said.

"We have a responsibility to manage and preserve our local environment for future generations, and that is best achieved when we invest in targeted initiatives like this, which deliver positive and measurable outcomes."

Letters to the editor

RIDDLE OF EMISSIONS

Dear editor,
"We'll meet it in a canter"? On this old nag?

Flogging a dead horse, Pegasus, can Gussie, Scottie and Joshie capture and store the rear-end emissions from this knackered old nag? Can it clippity-clop its way towards the slaughterhouse by 2050?

Margaret Wilkie,
Peregian Beach..

YAROOMBA RESPONSE

Dear editor,
We agree one hundred per cent with the feelings expressed with the writer under the heading, 'Yaroomba Development'. Who do these people think they are?

Certainly not the majority. Versing ones opinion in any local paper is attacked and verbally abused. We have a right to our opinions in a free speech society. If it does not agree with yours, accept it in a mature manner. We need Sekisui to boost our tourism and to cater for all tastes.

Name supplied,
Marcoola.

PRO SEKISUI

Dear editor,
Finally someone has the courage to write in support of the Sekisui development and yes I use the word courage. I am also afraid the minority and very vocal group has perhaps lost sight of the fact they are a minority in the bigger picture.

Sekisui has a better reputation than many other developers and an environmentally sensitive design is assured. They must be also very happy to see the Palmer Resort fall into such disrepair. We have just returned from a trip to Port Douglas and the resorts there are part of the overall beauty of the town. So much better than row upon row of little boxes that seems to be the preference of residential developers that will no doubt end up with the Yaroomba site... why would anyone else be interested. I mentioned courage initially as whenever I have spoken up in support of a well-appointed resort being good for Coolum I have seen fear and distancing. They are apparently quite the nasty group as often lynch mobs are.

Name supplied,
Coolum Beach.

It's laughable of Evan to call FOY misleading when in the past he has mislead locals at every opportunity - delusive development for the Yaroomba community. Or worse a high density residential eye sore, a five star resort. Now he says a congested David low way isn't going to be impacted by his white elephant.

More spin than my washing machine

Chris Kelly,
Yaroomba.

TRUMP REPLY

Dear editor,
In addressing Mr Greg Black on Trump, (CA Sept 17) take off your rose-coloured specs! Trump's slogan is: "Make American great again!" Great for whom? For his family's business benefit? He is even more deluded, dangerous, desperate and deranged, with the real threat of an impending election loss.

The peril of your perspective in support of Trump, reiterates the old adage: You can fool some of the people all of the time and all the people some of the time.

People with strong morals and ethics, with a sense of equity and social justice, have no tolerance for Trump's modus operandi. He reiterates his conspiracy theories on the severity of the pandemic

killing 200 thousand Americans, the wearing of masks, sabotaging the guaranteed success of postal votes, denying global warming, denigrating protestors as "anarchists" and "domestic terrorists", while making promises of a Covid-19 vaccine before November for all. What is alarming, he believes he is right, nominating himself for a "peace" award.

He has divided the nation: "A house divided against itself cannot stand"! It is unconscionable to regard this misogynistic narcissist, known for unsavoury and uncouth regard for women and opponents, using his family to promote his political cause. He is dangerous and desperate to win again. "The measure of the character of a man is not by the journey, but the choices he makes along the way."

E. Rowe
Marcoola.

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Council Ordinary Meeting, 15 October.

Slow fashion

Now is a great time to take a fresh look at how we live and the *fabric* – Slow Fashion, Artful Living program could be the perfect place to start. Immerse yourself in workshops including shoe making, mending, sewing and repurposing, plus exhibitions, talks and more. Explore the program at www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/fabric.

B-Well and Prosper

Did you know Council has a range of Wellbeing and Mental Health tools, resources, programs and information to support small business owners and employees? Head to bwell.mindstar.com.au and access these great tools today.

Exhibition opens

The 2020 Sunshine Coast Art Prize exhibition opens October 16. On display are 40 exceptional finalist artworks, by established and emerging artists. Wander through the gallery to see the exhibition and vote for your favourite work in the People's Choice Award. Visit gallery.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au.

Our region

Through the Environment and Liveability Strategy (ELS), Council continues to invest in important programs and initiatives, so our region remains a great place to live, work and raise a family. To learn more about ELS projects happening in your area, visit els.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au.

Flying foxes

It's birthing season for flying foxes. This means their numbers in parks and reserves near the coastline may grow, and it'll get nosier as the young get older and call for their mums. This won't last forever. Flying-foxes are seasonal animals that come and go. Visit www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au/flyingfoxes for tips for living near flying foxes.

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Ted O'Brien MP

MEMBER FOF FAIRFAX



ROAD TRIP & JOBS FORUM

IT WAS great to be out and about last week with Member for Ninderry Dan Purdie and meeting so many people during my recent Spring Road trip. Again, concern about the post-COVID economic recovery was a key topic of conversation. It was also a focus at our co-hosted Jobs Forum.

More than 13,800 businesses and organisations across the Sunshine Coast are receiving JobKeeper payments, and we received positive feedback about how JobKeeper has been helping keep businesses afloat

and people in jobs. Many also shared concerns that it's likely unemployment figures will continue to rise and so better training options for young people and more investment in infrastructure was also discussed.

MEN'S & WOMEN'S SHEDS

There's some good news for Men's and Women's Sheds. Last year the Morrison Government committed to providing Sheds with Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR) status and that legislation has now

come into effect. I'd encourage both the Coolool Men's Shed and Coolool Women's Shed to take advantage of this great opportunity by registering DGR status with the ATO. It means people can claim an income tax deduction when donating \$2 or more to their local Shed, incentivising more people to donate.

TELEHEALTH EXTENSION

It is great news that universal telehealth services under Medicare have been extended an additional six months to March 31, 2021. The \$2 billion investment covers Medicare-subsidised telehealth and pathology services, GP-led respiratory clinics, home medicines delivery, extends

public and private hospital services, as well as further investments in PPE.

By providing telehealth and home delivery medicine services the Government is reducing the risk of exposure to COVID-19 in the community while also supporting people in isolation to get the care they need.

INTERNATIONAL ARRIVALS

There's also some great news for Coolool and North Shore families who have loved ones stranded overseas, with the cap on international passenger arrivals increasing from 4,000 to 6,000 per week. This includes capacity for an extra 500 arrivals into Brisbane from October 4.

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If you want to know more about Daisy please call 0400251396 or 0411144689 or apply online at www.4pawsanimalrescue.org.au.

In other news, I would like to remind you about the dangers of snakes with pets. Snakes are on the move with the warmer and dry weather. We are getting many calls from people saying they are finding snakes on their property. Please make sure all lawns are mown and your garden area and shrubs are kept clear and get rid of any garden refuse.

If you are walking your dog close to bushland, especially near water during the summer months, please keep your dog on a lead and avoid long grassy areas. There are snakes along our beach pathways as well so please be observant.

The two things that will

attract snakes to your property are food and water. While they will not be attracted to food scraps left in a compost heap they will be attracted to the rodents that the scraps attract – this is also applicable to the rodents that are attracted to Chicken coops. A long standing puddle of water may attract snakes especially in an out of the way corner of the yard. Eliminate any temptations like these and snakes will not be attracted to your property.

Spring is here so it is a good time to get into the yard and tidy up and make it safe for our pets. If your pet is bitten by a snake do not hesitate and immediately get to your vet. Make sure you have your local snake catcher's number handy, it is not safe to relocate them yourself.



Daisy the gorgeous nine year old yellow Labrador is looking for her new forever home. Photo: Contributed

Observations

TONY GIBSON

A MARCOOLA RESIDENT WHO IS ACTIVE IN COMMUNITY, BUSINESS, POLITICS AND THE ENVIRONMENT



The Art of Happiness

THE JOBKEEPER payment continues for a further six months until March 28, 2021 and this payment will continue to support those businesses and not-for-profits who have been significantly impacted by the Corona virus.

Unfortunately, many people have not been able to get JobKeeper and jobs have disappeared in areas like tourism and hospitality. These payments will gradually be trimmed back and businesses will fail and jobs will be harder to find. Youth unemployment is already a particular concern at 25 per cent on the Sunshine Coast - we need our governments to continue the support with a 'Guaranteed Living Income'.

Recently, I was talking to a person who was to receive a reduced payment for JobKeeper, however is keenly looking forward to do some retraining and

getting into a field more in line with her values. This person is looking towards a career in aged care or palliative care and as one of the kindest and most giving people I have come across - what a great match for this career choice.

Coming out of the virus restrictions it will be important to support each other and help people connect again. As the Dalai Lama says in the 'Art of Happiness' – "Our need for other people is paradoxical. At the same time that our culture is caught up in the celebration of fierce independence, we also yearn for intimacy and connection". His holiness recommends "maintaining closeness with as many people as possible".

So for some they will see the challenges of the virus as an opportunity to have more meaningful and purposeful careers long term as they retrain. For



At a loose end as a result of no work from COVID-19? Tony Gibson suggests volunteering could be a solution in the interim. Volunteering outdoors is a worthy pursuit and enjoyed by many including these "happy community conservation volunteers at Marcoola some years back". Photo: Tony Gibson.

others there will not be a job for a considerable amount of time and we need a good financial safety net for all such as a Universal Guaranteed Living Income.

I believe our community will step up and help those who need

that support. Intimacy and connection needs to be rebuilt in our community and generous giving in volunteer roles could be part of the solution. We each have an important role in achieving a happy, healthy and harmonious community.

Principal's Post

TROY ASCOTT
COOLUM STATE HIGH SCHOOL



WITH school on holidays, like many people I have had the opportunity to engage in a good, old-fashioned road trip with borders to pretty much anywhere else closed except our great state of Queensland. And what a state it is!

From the rugged west to the brilliant coastline, from the mountain ranges to gorges carved in sandstone, Queensland is a geographical marvel.

One striking thing, too,

about our state is the power of education in communities. The smaller a community gets, the more the school BECOMES the community. It's the place that brings everyone together, somewhere attended by generations.

At Arcadia Valley State School, there was nothing else. No pubs, no houses, no shops – just a school. And then you think of the children brought together to a school like this,

where there is nothing else that would bring about a sense of community. Some of the greatest Queenslanders of all time went to schools like these. You would never forget a school like that – perched in the middle of nowhere, surrounded by nothing but grey dust and open skies – the world as far as you can see as your playground!

Spare a thought, though, for the Principal of schools like these. There they are in the middle of nowhere, supported by no-one (at least no-one close by), with a staff you can count on one hand. I feel blessed and spoilt at Coolool High to have a staff of more

than 100 of the hardest working people you care to meet. There, it's all on them, every task from answering to the bureaucracy and teaching the whole curriculum, to cleaning blocked drains! And they always do it with a smile. As a great holiday moves to its inevitable end, I would like to give a giant shout out to the small school Principals of Queensland who make our great state greater. Where would we be without them? If you went to a one, two or even three teacher school, send a letter to the paper – I'm sure people would love to hear from you!

Inspiring Exhibition showcases courageous female strength

THE NORTH Shore Community Centre are inviting the local community to visit their centre and witness their new exhibition - 'Women of Courage' featuring artworks by local Cooroy artist Lorissa Manners.

Centre Manager Shannon Embery said the works featured in the exhibition tell the inspiring stories of women from within the community who have overcome the odds of adversity.

"These women have

turned their experience into a platform for social justice, community development, and empowerment for other women - becoming peace ambassadors, writers and story tellers, artists, poets and songwriters, healers, athletes, politicians and lawyers.

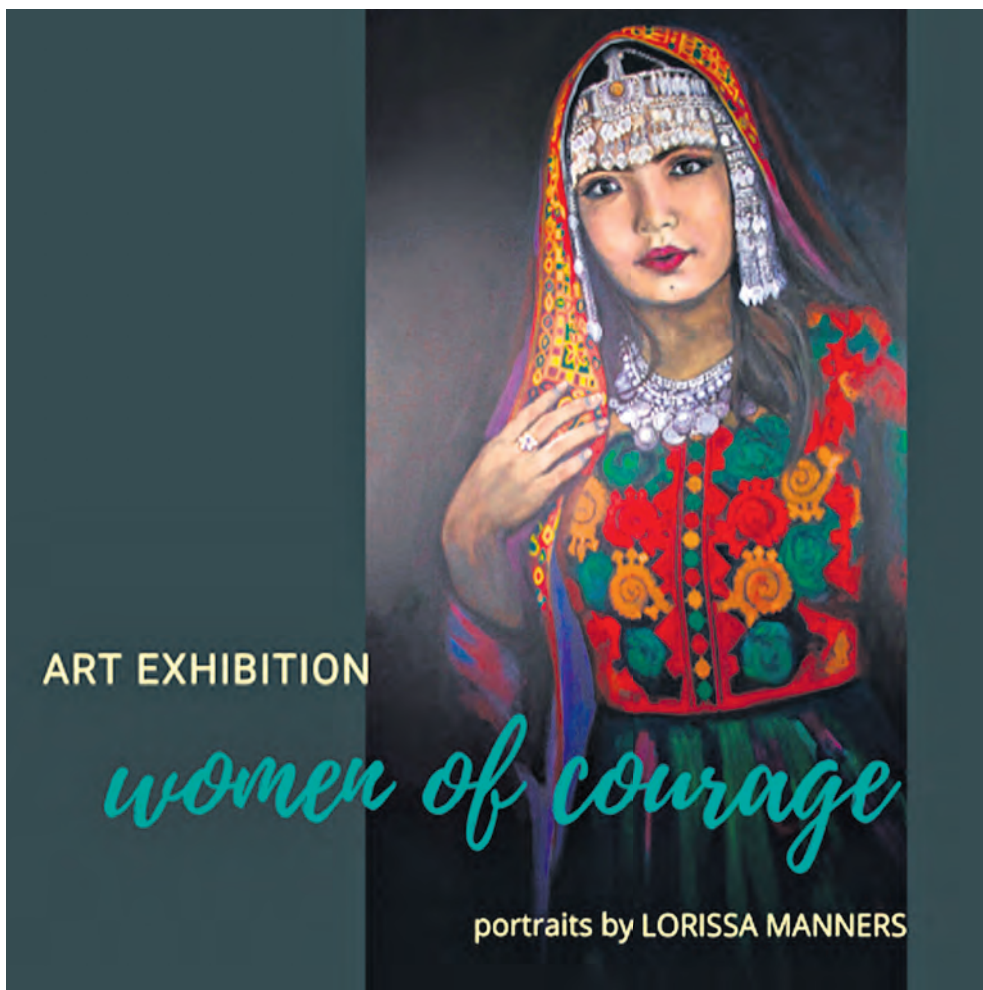
"They leave a legacy of dignity and courage for all," Shannon said.

The young artist from Cooroy has been involved with lots of humanitarian work with

asylum seekers and refugees - women in particular who have experienced hardship.

The women's stories have been retold through stunning and very moving portraits as interpreted by Lorissa, which are now available to be viewed in the foyer area of the North Shore Community Centre.

The exhibition will run until the end of October, is free to attend and the community centre foyer open Monday to Friday from 9-3pm.



A selection of the works from local artist Lorissa Manners which are being shown as part of her exhibition 'Women of Courage' at the North Shore Community Centre. Photos: Contributed



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Matt Webster

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TRAFFIC PROTEST DISPLAYS PLIGHT OF SAVE YAROOMBA

LOCAL community group Save Yaroomba held a traffic protest over the past weekend with some 250 cars attending the rally in an effort to display the community group's anticipated traffic flows as a result of the approved Yaroomba development by Sekisui House.

Cars completed a loop on David Low Way, which ran past the controversial development site for one hour on Sunday afternoon.

Save Yaroomba spokesperson, Kathryn Hyman, said the

afternoon's traffic event showed the level of passion in the community.

"This was a great way for people to let off steam about their frustration at being pushed into a local population explosion."

"This car convoy was an exercise in demonstrating the disconnect between tick and flick computer exercises and the actual impacts in real time."

Ms Hyman further went on to say that people were invited to come and see for themselves what the traffic impact of 80 per

cent more cars on the road could look like.

"This was a way to bring the whole situation to life.

"Imagine how much worse things will be with the installation of yet another two new sets of traffic lights on David Low Way to pave the way for Sekisui - it will feel more like Nicklin Way for peak hour drivers."

The community group is calling on donations to fund their supreme court appeal and can be made at - www.gofundme.com and searching for 'Yaroomba'.



Cars of all types, including luxury convertibles took part in the convoy.



Even fancy little hot rods took part in the traffic display. All photos: Save Yaroomba



People lined the streets with their signs in support of the Save Yaroomba traffic protest.



Some 250 cars took part in the protest - completing a loop on David Low Way past the development site.



Protestors voiced their opinions by way of colourful signs.

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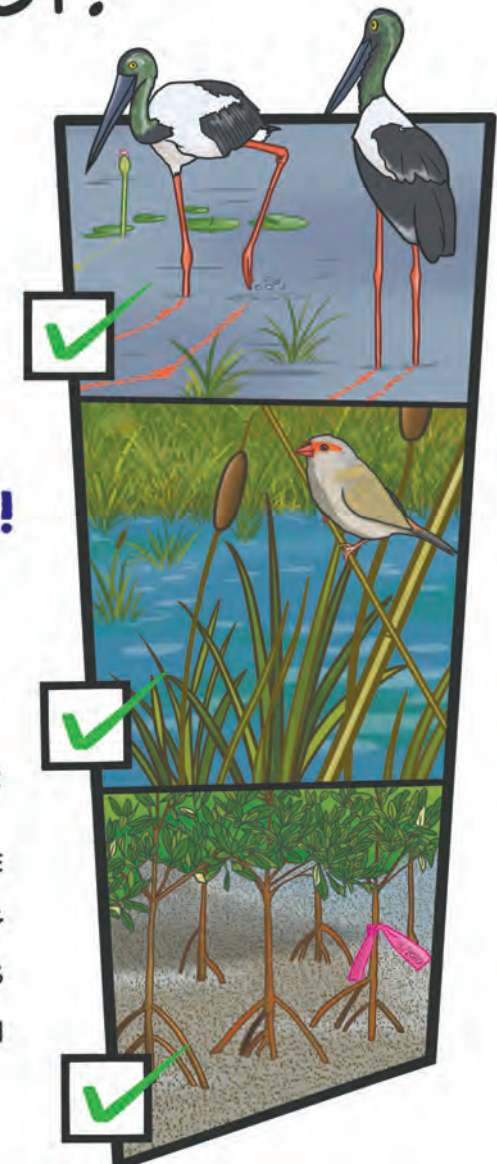
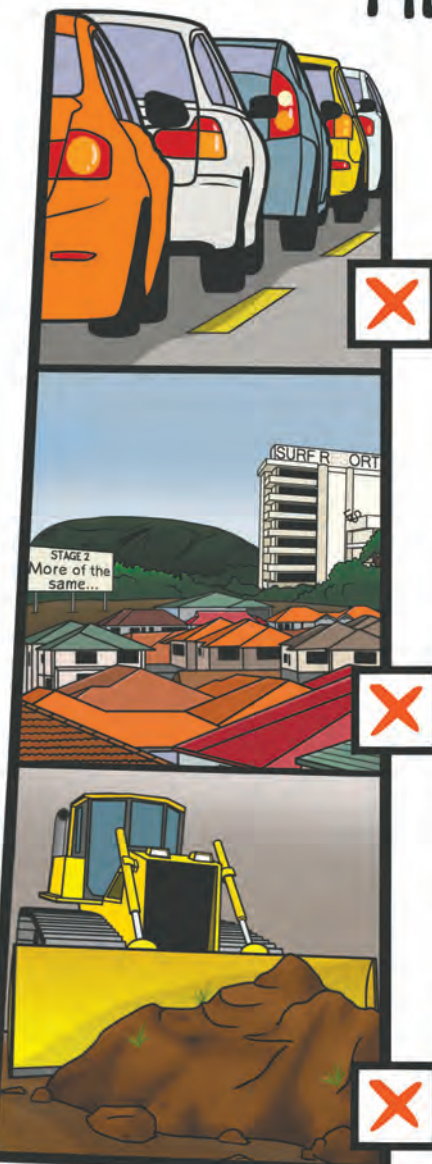
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Artwork by Matthew Lynn



A look back in time

FRANCES WINDOLF
A LONG TIME COOLUM RESIDENT
WITH A PASSION FOR LOCAL HISTORY



What's in a name?



Birt Hewitt, wearing a waistcoat and a short tartan tie, can be seen in this photo taken in the Memorial Hall after the opening - the local Coolum man had two streets named after him. Photo: Windolf Collection

ALTHOUGH the Sunshine Coast Council does not commemorate people who are still living, many streets in Coolum have been named for former residents, and it is interesting to know the background behind these names. One Coolum man has actually left a legacy of two streets bearing his name - his surname for one street and his first name as half of a combined name for another street. Whilst many people use those streets every day, very few know anything about the people commemorated by these names.

Both Birtwill Street and Hewitt Street commemorate the same person, Birt Frederick Hewitt, who came to Coolum in 1917 with his wife Ella. The Hewitts had left their dairy farm at Brooloo, near Imbil - where they had lived since they married in 1909 - in the care of a share farmer so that they could move to the coast. Once

settled in Coolum, they ran a dairy farm and grew sugar cane in the area between First and Second Avenues, known as Portion 325 and in 1923 they took over Portion 463 from Carl Stumer. Here they had two daughters, Ella Rose and Joan Heather, both of whom attended Coolum State School, although the Provisional School was too distant from their home in their younger years. Birt Hewitt was always a popular man, and was involved in many community affairs, including the building of the Coolum Beach Memorial School of Arts Hall, which was officially opened on June 10, 1950. The building later became known as the Coolum Cinema, and is now the Coolum Men's Shed. Because electricity did not reach Coolum until December 1956, the hall was then lit by a petrol-fuelled motorcar engine!

In 1952/53 most of the Hewitt's two Portions were subdivided - the first modern

subdivision in Coolum. Around this time, Birt Hewitt, then in his late sixties, built a new house in the Hewitt Street area, where he lived until his death in 1961. Later, Wally Fergus - a contractor and builder in the early 1960s - apparently bought the house and moved it to Birtwill Street, coincidentally almost next door to the 1950s home of Birt's good friend, Bill [William] Thompson, on the site where the ANZ bank was later built. When the street which divided these two buildings from today's Coolum Hotel [home of the Clansman Motel, built in 1967 by Jock McLean and later known as the Allamanda Motel] became a well-used thoroughfare, the street name was formed by combining the first names of the two friends, Birt and Bill [William], thus forming the name Birtwill Street. More than fifty years later, Birtwill Street and Hewitt Street continue to commemorate these two men.

Coast to capital with direct Coast flights to Canberra

SUNSHINE Coast Airport has joined forces with the Queensland Government, Alliance Airlines and Canberra Airport to launch a new service to Australia's capital for the first time ever.

From October 23, Alliance Airlines will provide two services a week between the Sunshine Coast and Canberra.

Tourism Minister Kate Jones said the deal - secured through the government's \$15 million Aviation Recovery Fund - would pump hundreds of thousands of dollars into local businesses.

"Tourism will be vital to the economic recovery of the Sunshine Coast and flights pump cash back into local businesses and support local jobs," Ms Jones said.

"We know there is a growing population in Canberra and to have direct flights between Australia's capital and one of the state's most important tourism destinations is a real coup.

"From this month, not only will this service provide direct connectivity between Canberra and the Sunshine Coast for the first time ever, but it will also connect Canberrans with Alliance's new service from the Sunshine Coast to Cairns.

"That's two brand new services Sunshine Coast Airport has been able to attract thanks to support from the Queensland Government's \$15 million aviation recovery fund," The minister said.

To date, the aviation recovery fund has supported nine services, which are estimated to deliver more than \$35 million for the economy and support more than 300 jobs.

Sunshine Coast Airport Chief Executive Officer Andrew Brodie said the new destination meant the airport would now service the national capital for the first time ever, delivering up to 1600 seats a month.

"This exciting new route will drive tourism in both directions, with southerners seeking to escape the Canberra chill and flock north to our beautiful beaches, magnificent hinterland and vibrant beach towns," Mr Brodie said.

"And of course it offers Sunshine Coast locals the chance to explore the cultural gems Canberra has to offer."

"The Sunshine Coast is one of Australia's largest regional economies, and this service will position us for continued economic growth and diversification by providing business travel connections for key industries including health, agriculture, education and government."

Alliance Airlines Chief Executive Officer Lee Schofield said the airline was proud to launch a new direct service from the Sunshine Coast, thanks to the great relationship with Sunshine Coast Airport, Visit Sunshine Coast, Tourism Noosa and the Queensland Government.

"We are also extremely grateful to the team at Canberra Airport who have strongly supported this new service," Mr Schofield said.

"Aside from providing a new direct flight for sun-starved Canberrans to travel to the Sunshine state, we expect this new service will be popular with the corporate and Government sectors, as well as with Queenslanders looking to head south to the

snow next winter.

"This new flight also provides a same-plane service from Canberra to Cairns via the Sunshine Coast and vice versa, meaning this new service offers Canberra and region residents direct access to not one but two iconic Queensland destinations for the first time."

Visit Sunshine Coast Interim Chief Executive Officer Craig Davidson and Tourism Noosa Chief Executive Officer Melanie Anderson said the flights were a welcome addition and expected they would attract a new market of visitors to the Sunshine Coast and Noosa regions.

"Canberra has traditionally been a strong market for the Sunshine Coast and because of our reputation for nature-based holidays, we think we can grow that market substantially," Mr Davidson said.

"In the longer-term, having a direct flight from Canberra will also help grow the conference and business markets, as the Sunshine Coast expands its commercial, agricultural, IT and services sectors."

"This is fantastic news for our region and will provide a much-needed boost to our economy. Noosa has long been a popular destination for Canberrans and we look forward to welcoming more visitors to Noosa," Ms Anderson said.

Alliance Airlines launch fares between the Sunshine Coast and Canberra are on sale now until October 2 and start at \$129 one-way including taxes. Regular fares will commence at \$169 one-way including taxes.

COOLUM HEARTS

Changes for TERM FOUR:

Due to COVID, we will be running our groups a little differently when we reopen our doors on the 6th of October.....

GROUPS WE ARE OFFERING TERM FOUR:

- ART
- SINGING FOR FUN
- MEDITATION
- MOSAICS
- MENS RESILIENCE
- WOMENS RESILIENCE

(Refer to timetable for times and venues)

Registration is now necessary for each group, with advanced bookings and payment for the whole term upfront before the term resumes.

Cost of all groups to be pre-paid upfront. This is due to the limited number of people we can have to abide by the social distancing regulations.

A COVID PLAN will be in place, your temperature will be taken at the door, and hand sanitiser available.

You will be required to sign a COVID form plus an ATTENDANCE form at the door before entering.

FOR FURTHER INQUIRIES OR TO BOOK- CONTACT JACKIE
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Payment will be direct debit into Coolum HEARTS bank. (Discuss this with Jackie when booking)

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Community news

MEALS ON WHEELS ROSTER Monday, October 5

Kitchen: L Ellis, S Foote, L Humphries, D Gunderson and G Hatten
 Run 1: T and J Martin
 Run 2: T Bishop and K Wines
 Run 3: K and J Pontin
 Run 4: L Jones and T Moore
 Run 5: L Farrah and Russ Burnie
Wednesday, October 7
 Kitchen: G Watt, D Watkins, T Shorter and Y Webster
 Run 1: R and D Dawson
 Run 2: B Stevens and E Hammet
 Run 3: D Boneham and F Beutel
 Run 4: J Winters and B Jelfs
 Run 5: P Pashley and K Hodge
Thursday, October 8

Kitchen G Cocks, D Stokes, M Rohweder and J Ivankovic
 Run 2: D Ayshford and M Gilligan
 Run 3: L Farrah and C Rapkin
 Run 4: T Moore and A Gillard
Friday, October 9
 Kitchen: TBA, S Allen, W Crook, and J Markham
 Run 1: M and M Robinson
 Run 2: D Stone and L Farrah
 Run 3: R Burnie and T Reid
 Run 4: J Bott and J Dinon
 If you are unavailable on your rostered day – please phone MOW. kitchen on 5446 1000 or Anne on 0408 183 517

COOLUM LIONESS' CLUB
 The Coolum Lioness Club has been very quiet of late. We had to cancel our usual Cent

Auction because of the Covid, but we are looking forward to having the Twilight Markets (fingers crossed). We are still collecting used postage stamps and spectacles, both of which can be left in our box at the Coolum Post Office. We hope everyone is looking after themselves and keeping well. We are certainly in the lucky state, especially in our local area!

COOLUM HEARTS
 Crafty Coffee Group Fridays 9.30 – 11.30am. \$2 donation and bookings are essential – contact Jackie 0423 002 498. BRING YOUR OWN craft and enjoy a social chat and tea/coffee with like-minded people. Covid plan and protocols are in place.

QUOTA COOLUM BEACH
 Quota Club of Coolum

Beach meet on the third Tuesday of the month at 2pm at the Lion's Den, Russell St (next to the Fire Station), Coolum Beach. We enjoy monthly book club, monthly coffee mornings and weekly craft mornings. We are looking forward to fundraising in the future when it is safe to resume. Thank you to the Coolum Beach Holiday Park for allowing us to sell our jams and chutneys at the park. If anyone is interested in joining Quota Coolum Beach we can be contacted at secretary@quotacoolum.com.au or Sandra 0427 889 750.

NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY CENTRE
 The North Shore Community Centre in Mudjimba have free loan devices available for Seniors. Connect with friends and family. Support is available

through the Be Connected Program if required. Contact the office to apply PH: 5450 9700 or E: info@northshorecommunitycentre.org. W: www.northshorecommunitycentre.org

NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY CENTRE
 New Mandala Art Therapy Group at the North Shore Community Centre in Mudjimba on Mondays Weekly class for all levels and ages. 10.00am – 11.30am. PH: 5450 9700 E: info@northshorecommunitycentre.org W: www.northshorecommunitycentre.org

NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY CENTRE
 September/October Art Exhibition "Women of Courage" presented by local Cooroy artist Lorissa Manners is now on in

the foyer at our centre anytime between 9 - 3:00pm Mon – Fri. "Women of Courage" is the telling of inspiring stories of women from within our community who have overcome the odds of adversity and have turned their experience into a platform for social justice, community development, and empowerment for other women, becoming peace ambassadors, writers & story tellers, artists, athletes, politicians & lawyers. They leave a legacy of dignity and courage for all. Lorissa has told their stories through stunning and very moving portraits and paintings which are now hanging in our foyer.

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What's on at Coolum HeARTs

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Coolum HeARTs single membership costs \$35 per year, Agencies \$75.

Our Groups this term are all held at the Coolum HeARTs Shed: Cnr Elizabeth Street and Sunrise Avenue, Coolum.

For more information, contact
Coolum HeARTs on 0478646330
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Follow us



- ART:

Monday morning, 9:30am-11:30am at The Coolum HeARTs Shed.
- SINGING FOR FUN:

Monday afternoon, 1pm-2:30 at the Coolum HeARTs Shed.
- MEDITATION:

Wednesday morning, 10am-11am at the Coolum HeARTs Shed.
- MEN'S RESILIENCE GROUP:

Peer support group for men living with depression/anxiety on Wednesday. Contact John for meeting place and time on 0417721133
- MOSAICS:

At the Coolum HeARTs Shed. Two sessions on Thursdays: 10am-12pm & 1pm-3pm.
- WOMEN'S RESILIENCE GROUP:

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When I say progressions, I

mean the building blocks of putting a good sound stroke together. For example, in our most common stroke of freestyle. You need a consistent kicking action with the right body position. If your swimmer has running legs, stop them immediately and change to kicking legs out the back and start recruiting the right muscles to be engaged to improve the kick action.

Another critical part is getting your swimmer to blow bubbles. Why? As I say to all my swimmers, you need to blow bubbles out, so you know when to take a breath. It becomes part of the timing of the stroke, but

we will progress to this next time.....

- **Term 4 swimming starts at Swim1 Tuesday the 6th Oct**
- **Magna Therapy every Tuesday @10:30 - 11:30am**
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Be sure your swimming pool is summer ready by visiting council's website or the Queensland Building and Construction Commission website for more information about pool safety compliance.


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wickets had fallen leaving the Sharks on 5-87, Stephan Scheepers upped the tempo, finishing unbeaten on 55. His innings included 9 boundaries. Earlier in the day, the Sharks just failed to beat Caboolture

despite a comprehensive performance from Tim Hynes, top scorer on 22 and best bowler with figures of 3-18.

The Sharks are back in action against Tewantin-Noosa on October 1.



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Queensland solar through the roof

MORE than 600,000 Queensland homes and small businesses now have rooftop solar panels helping drive down their power bills.

Energy Minister Dr Anthony Lynham said one in three Queensland homes was now equipped with rooftop solar.

"The 'Sunshine State' is fast becoming the 'Solar State'," Dr Lynham said.

"Queensland has one of the highest penetrations of solar in the world.

"Four of Australia's top-five solar postcodes are in Queensland, with Bundaberg number one and Hervey Bay,

Mackay and Toowoomba at three, four and five

"Caloundra comes in at ninth and then Beenleigh at number 10."

"This is good news for the environment, good news for household power bills and good news for jobs and business in the renewables industry.

"Queensland has an economic strategy for recovery, and it includes jobs in emerging sectors like renewables.

"This milestone demonstrates Queenslanders are serious about turning to renewable energy to reduce their power bills and emissions."

Dr Lynham said renewables now had become the cheapest form of energy generation, which helped to put downward pressure on energy prices.

Queensland's renewable energy revolution is also underway in large scale renewable projects. Over the past five years under Labor, 40 large-scale renewable energy projects have commenced operations, are under construction or are financially committed, representing around \$7.5 billion in investment and more than 6000 jobs in construction.

Solar success stats:
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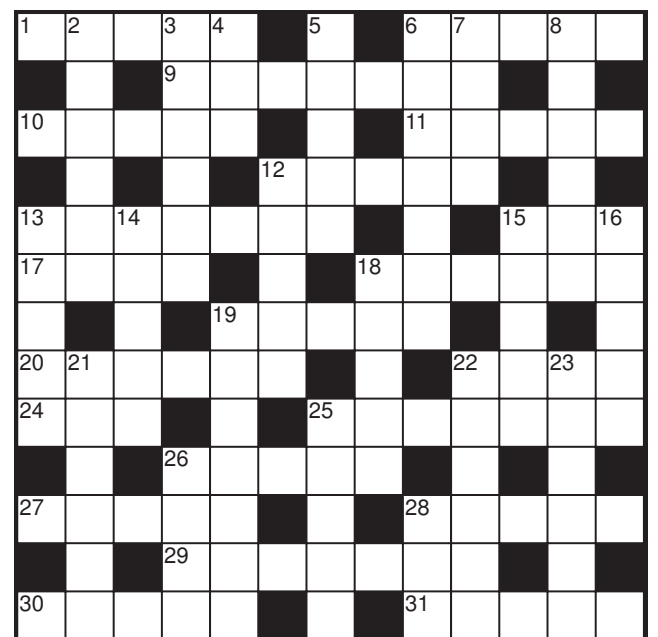
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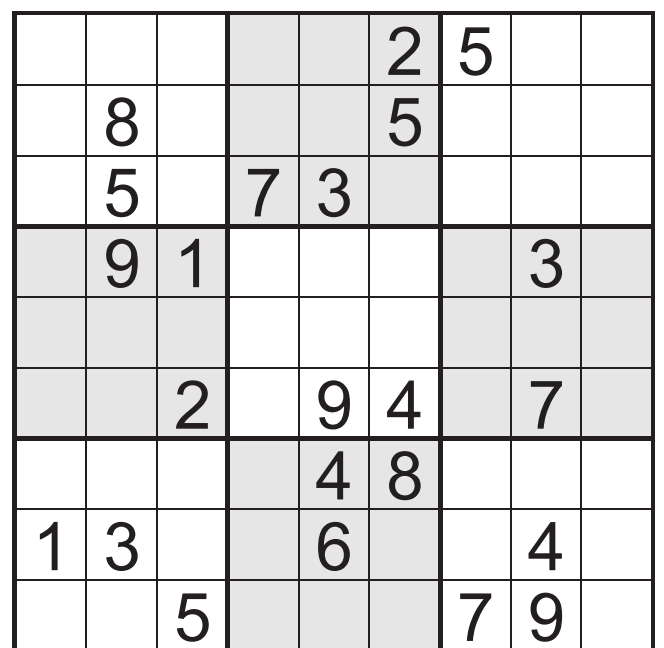
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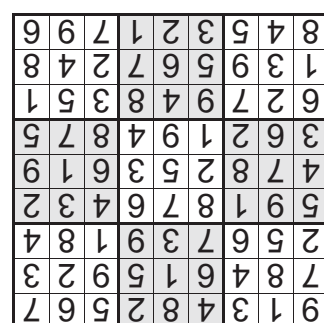


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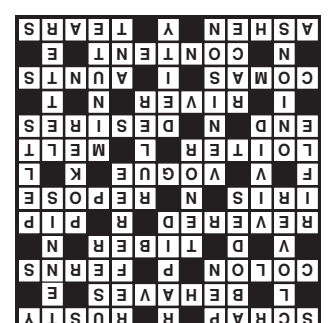


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The players played out of their skins throughout the tournament and were also awarded off field accolades as being respectful and pleasant players on and off the field. Most of the Colts boys

stepped up and played for other teams – the Benderoo Bulls and Miles Devils who were short of players. This in turn created mateship and comradery between the coast and bush teams over the 3-day competition.

From all the Coolum Colts

players, coaching staff, and families, we would like to send out a big thank you to the Wandoan Rugby League club for such a warm welcoming into their event. They put on a great weekend and our boys will definitely be back for more country footy.



The Under 10 Coolum Colts side which ventured to the little country town of Wandoan for a weekend of bush footy and mateship.



A young colt playing for the Kirk Reynoldson Cup.



Colts in action. Photos: Contributed

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	Maroochy River	4:35am	9:48am	4:41pm	9:59pm
SAT 3rd Oct	Coolum	2:35am	8:45am	2:48pm	8:52pm
	Maroochy River	5:02am	10:20am	5:15pm	10:27pm
SUN 4th Oct	Coolum	3:02am	9:19am	3:22pm	9:21pm
	Maroochy River	5:29am	10:54am	5:49pm	10:56pm

Day	Time	0.26m	1.60m	0.46m	1.37m
MON 5th Oct	Coolum	3:29am	9:53am	3:58pm	9:50pm
	Maroochy River	5:56am	11:28am	6:25pm	11:25pm
TUE 6th Oct	Coolum	3:58am	10:30am	4:37pm	10:21pm
	Maroochy River	6:25am	12:05pm	7:04pm	11:56pm
WED 7th Oct	Coolum	4:29am	11:11am	5:22pm	10:56pm
	Maroochy River	6:56am	12:46pm	7:49pm	
THU 8th Oct	Coolum	5:06am	12:00pm	6:22pm	11:44pm
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