



The class of 2024 have officially left their formal schooling years behind and are now enjoying their schoolies week - celebrating the end of 13 years of school. For many of the local students the celebrations started during their final week at school with formals, graduations and other celebrations unique to each school. Students from St Andrew's Anglican College at Peregian Springs who are involved in school surfing made a dash for the beach, complete in their uniforms for one final surf as a team. We wish the Class of 2024 all the best for the future and no doubt many will be riding the waves of success for years to come! More photos pages 12-13. Photo: St Andrew's Anglican College.

POLICE CRACK
DOWN ON
E-SCOOTERS WITH
USE OF DRONE
TECHNOLOGY IN
COOLUM

VANESSA HALL
EDITOR

FOR THOSE not using e-scooters and other electric mobility devices correctly, Queensland Police want you to know that you can be fined, have your electric device seized and that they are actively policing the use of these devices.

This comes after Sunshine Coast police used drone technology as part of a weekend blitz, targeting offenders on electric bicycles, e-scooters, and motorcycles within the Coolum Beach area.

The two-day operation on November 2 and 3, led by officers from Coolum Beach with support from the State Road Policing Taskforce saw more than 10 e-motorcycles, e-scooters, and e-bicycles seized.

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Community Update

LIONS CLUB OF COOLUM BEACH

COOLUM Lions donated funds to Cittamani Hospice Service who are a community-based organisation that provides professional and compassionate in-home palliative care on the Sunshine Coast. We are thankful to be able to support groups like these that provide such important care within in our community.

If you have thought about helping your community, then consider joining Lions. For more details please call Lion Doug Alford on mobile 0413 019078. Pictured at the cheque presentation are Lion Doug, Clinical Nurse Lead Collette and Clinical Nurse Coordinator Tiffany. Photo: Contributed



POLICE CRACK DOWN ON E-SCOOTERS WITH USE OF DRONE TECHNOLOGY IN COOLUM

FROM PAGE 1

Sergeant Joel Bryant said police were disappointed with the lack of compliance by electric bicycle, e-scooter, e-skateboard and motorcycle riders, with a high number of young offenders flouting the law.

"Not knowing the road rules of a vehicle or device you are operating, is not a defence.

"If you want to ride an e-bicycle, an e-scooter, an e-skateboard or an e-motorbike, know the rules," Sergeant Bryant said.

"Not wearing a helmet, or riding unlicensed, unregistered, and uninsured are the

most common offences, however there are also concerning instances of users operating their e-motorcycle, e-scooter, or e-bicycle dangerously and endangering lives."

Riders are risking very serious and life-changing injuries, or worse.

"Many of the e-motorcycle, e-scooter and e-bicycle fatalities in Queensland, have occurred when the riders have been travelling less than 20km per hour."

Road rules are in place for the safety of riders, pedestrians, and other road and path users.

"We know the community supports police conducting these operations as most drivers and pedestrians have witnessed or experienced e-motorcycle, e-scooter and e-bicycle users endangering themselves and others by riding dangerously and not even following basic rules like stopping at intersections."

In a first for Sunshine Coast police, drone technology was used as part of the operation to assist officers in gathering evidence and tracking offenders.

"We are always looking to technology to provide better safety outcomes for the com-

munity," Sergeant Bryant said.

"This has been a thoroughly researched project and included consultation with key stakeholders to develop procedures and policies for the effective and safe deployment of the drone technology during this operation."

Sergeant Bryant said Coolum residents can expect to see more road trauma reduction operations in the future. The community is also encouraged to come along to the Coolum e-scooter and e-bike safety day to be held on November 30 at Coolum State High School. More details on page 6.



E-bike riders are approached by police over the two-day policing blitz.



Drones were used by police to locate users not complying with the correct use of an electric device. Photos: QPS

New path makes journey up to Lows Lookout safer

IN A WIN for keen walkers and those who just enjoy a spectacular view, the walk up to Lows Lookout is now a lot safer with a dedicated path leading up to the lookout.

Walking up to Lows Lookout has always been great exercise, however the narrow road leading up to the lookout made the walk quite dangerous.

Sunshine Coast Division 9 Councillor Maria Suarez thanked the Coolum Residents Association for bringing the idea to Council.

"The Coolum Residents Association identified the opportunity to make the walk to the lookout safer by moving part of the path into the road reserve," Cr Suarez said.

"The newly constructed section is 74m long and extends from the pathway at the top of Scrub Road through steep terrain to the first Grandview Drive residence.

"It offers an alternative off-road access, providing a safe and scenic route to and from Lows Lookout.

"The trail includes numerous steps, adding a bit of adventure to your journey and at the top of the lookout,

you'll also learn that the hill was once called Toboggan Hill as it was used for tobogganing down in the 1920s.

"And about some local indigenous history regarding The Belly Stone – which was used for healing stomach aches"

John Fuller, resident and member of the Coolum Residents Association, praised Council for delivering the new pedestrian walkway and stairs at Grandview Drive.

"The work, which is part one of the Lows Lookout Trail, sits well in this rare piece of urban but natural landscape," Mr Fuller said.

"There is an amazing stranger fig wrapped around a Brushbox tree that I never knew existed until I walked along the path.

"It's added to the list of natural tunnels that are around Coolum, evident at the Enviro Park, the Third Bay path and the tunnel that used to exist down the stairs at Second Bay.

"Walking the path almost makes you think you may come across a small artist's cabin or the like!"



Sunshine Coast Council along with Coolum Residents Association are happy to let the community know that the new trail up to Lows Lookout is now ready to be trekked. Pictured are Coolum Resident's Association members John Fuller, Tony Philbrick and Ray Barber with Division 9 Councillor Maria Suarez. Photo: Contributed

How to get to Lows Lookout

Walk to the starting point at Scrub Road directly opposite Point Perry and Wilkinson Park and take the right-hand side pathway up the hill towards Grandview Drive. Once on Grandview Drive,

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You'll need to walk the last section along the road to the lookout at the top. Be mindful of traffic in this section.

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Letters to the editor

DV STATS

Dear editor,

Australia, we have a problem! Two weeks ago, I wrote about the number of women murdered, mostly violently by a partner, spouse or someone they knew. The tally then was 74, today as I write, it now stands at 83.

It is a national tragedy, a disgrace, that nine women have lost their lives in such a short time.

How come a relatively wealthy and peaceful nation such as ours has such a devastating and tragic record?

My previous letter mentioned the Red Heart Campaign which will put the spotlight on gender-based violence. The campaign runs from Saturday 23rd November to 10th December and will emphasise that women have the right to live in a safe environment.

83 lives lost so far this year, as a country, we need to be better than this.

Robyn Deane,
Nambour.

COOLUM TERRACE PATH

Dear editor,

The western side of Coolum Terrace, one of Coolum's two original streets, is un-walkable

in places that are impacted by vegetation obstructions and severe side slope. At these places, people have to walk onto the roadway between parked cars and passing traffic.

This situation combined with the increasing traffic presents an unacceptable risk. The western side verge of the terrace needs to be made walkable.

While the eastern side of Coolum Terrace has a concrete footpath, this footpath is not accessible to pedestrians for 300m on the western side of the Terrace where it is split level.

Coolum is promoted by various stakeholders as a holiday place attracting large numbers of families and tourists generally. Residents deserve to see a reasonable share of council revenue directed towards improving pedestrian safety.

As a property owner on Coolum Terrace, who is affected, I would welcome consultation from council on options to improve the walkability of the verge to a width of say 1.5 metres.

I feel that the Sunshine Coast Regional Council has not recognised the increasing safety risk and a willingness to address the issue. Residents and holiday makers deserve the basic amenity of a safe walkable verge.

Michael Caffery,
Coolum Beach.

LEADERSHIP

Dear editor,

Leading up to the federal election we will see a gaggle of politicians purporting to be statesmen. Fortunately, a true statesman, Sir Winston Churchill, has left a legacy of barbed quotes to sort out the pretenders.

On foreign policy he says, "A lie gets halfway around the world before the truth has a chance to get its pants on, and diplomacy is the art of telling people to go to hell in such a way that they ask for directions."

Tax policy is likely to grab our attention, and it is here where Churchill reminds us of an essential truth, "There is nothing government can give you that it hasn't taken in the first place."

Churchill was a highly focused statesman in desperate times who readily admitted to mistakes and setbacks along the way. He said, "Success consists of going from failure to failure without loss of enthusiasm."

During the darkest hours, Churchill was forthright in believing as a statesman that, "Fear is a reaction. Courage is a decision."

He was zealous in leading his people out of the tough times despite sniping critics, stating, "You will never reach your destination if you stop and throw stones at every dog that barks."

Now we're over the American sideshow, let's see how

our own breed of politicians stand up to Churchill's tests of statesmanship.

Garry Reynolds,
Peregian Springs.

FEDERAL POLITICS

Dear editor,

With our 2025 federal election imminent, our current politicians should be taking note of the surprising results of the recent U.S. election. It has lessons to be learnt for our own Canberra public servants, who live in a bubble of their own sense of importance and their own self-interests, flying on public money, with generous remuneration for life.

Without listening to the heartbeat of the Australian public, without sensing the public's disaffection and discontent with the federal status quo, even though Australia has compulsory voting, unlike the U.S, they will suffer the same fate as the Democratic Party in the U.S, should they remain stoic about their success and their own agendas for our future.

Regardless of what Federal Labor insists should be the focus going forward in 2025, the public has a different perspective on priorities, based on present pain and personal experiences. Those on the ground know the question to be asked is: "Are you better off today

than you were 4 years ago?" This was Republican President Reagan's motto which put him in power in the 80's. This is the same motto put forward, putting Trump in a winning position for 2025.

So U.S voters got to answer the question at the ballot box. Be careful what you wish for. Ignorance is not bliss in this case. Learn the lesson from the Harris campaign. Politicians should seriously sense the vibes of their communities, with open communication with their constituents. Good listening skills and genuine regard for the general public concerns should be an active part of representation. That's a winning formula.

E. Rowe,
Marcoola.

NDIS AWARENESS

Dear editor,

To all users of NDIS please be warned! Make sure you receive, and check copies of invoices claimed from NDIS by your service provider.

Our son's NDIS package for Supported Independent Living (SIL) from a local Sunshine Coast SIL provider ran out two months early in 2023, it was rolled over, but the funds continued running down quickly.

After several demands for copies of invoices we finally received some of those requested and found, on checking, that our

provider had been adding "non face to face" charges fraudulently. These charges are illegal without proper consultation and agreement with the participant and/or their nominees and have amounted to tens of thousands of dollars in our case. We also found the provider had been charging for empty shifts and overcharging for other items.

This is the kind of behaviour that is putting NDIS at risk and upsetting users and taxpayers alike. Report to NDIS or ACCC as soon as possible if you notice anything suspicious.

Name supplied,
Mount Coolum.

SLOGANS

Dear editor,

Is a slogan a policy? Did it only take one slogan to change to..... an Oligarchy or a Kakocracy? Just asking for more details.

Margaret Wilkie,
Peregian Beach.

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Tough on crime laws set to be introduced by Christmas

IT WAS a key election topic and the LNP Government is set to deliver on their big ticket election item with the 'Making Queensland Safer Laws' to be introduced to Parliament in November and passed by Parliament in December.

Queensland Premier David Crisafulli confirmed recently that the Government's tough new crime laws will be introduced into Queensland Parliament and passed before Christmas, with two sitting weeks confirmed in November and December.

The Making Queensland Safer Laws will be the first laws introduced to the new Parliament and will be legislated before the end of 2024.

The Making Queensland Safer Laws Bill will be introduced in the first sitting in November, and considered by a Parliamentary Committee before it is debated in the second sitting of Parliament in December.

Premier David Crisafulli said restoring safety to Queensland was the Government's number one priority.

"I promised we would get straight to work and that's what we are going to do to deliver these tougher laws before the end of the year," Mr Crisafulli said.

"We've always been upfront the priority is to pass these laws by Christmas and we've been speaking with Queenslanders about 'Adult Crime, Adult time' for months. Queenslanders have been clear this is what they want, now we'll act on this and deliver as promised.

"We will bring Adult Crime, Adult Time into law, remove detention as a last resort for young offenders and put the rights of victims first, just as we promised to do.

"Our tougher laws will complement our plans for gold standard early intervention and crime prevention to ensure there are fewer victims under an LNP Government."

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SPIRIT OF GIVING

I AM IMPRESSED by people who just continue to give, are selfless in their devotion, and lead us in wonderful ways like now 80-year-old Uniting Church minister the Rev Bill Crews in Ashfield, Sydney. Bill's Foundation purpose is to, "advance education opportunities for young people and to strive to relieve the poverty, homelessness, distress and disadvantage of individuals and families."

Bill gives examples of people who are living in tough circumstances that his foundation supports like Gillian. "Gillian came to the Foundation on Christmas Day last year with her young children. They were living alone in crisis housing without Christmas decorations, let alone festive cheer or gifts".

As we know with the cost-of-living crisis and poverty affecting people in Sydney, the Sunshine Coast or Seattle (USA) many will not have the basics for a happy Christmas unless we help them.

Our churches and charities in Coolum and on the North Shore continue to provide meals and seek out accommodation for people living in cars or in the parks with no shelter. The Catholic Church's -St Vincent De Paul, the Uniting Church, Anglican Church, Salvos and

more groups are supporting needy people.

The Urban Angels Community Kitchen in Maroochydore runs a food relief program where staff and volunteers create and distribute nutritious frozen meals for people in need. The service provides 15,000 meals a month. This service has just received a \$20,000 grant just in time. The demand for services had far outstripped the capacity of the service with so many needy people.

Ancient wisdom tells us in the Dao Te Ching, Service, Chapter 7, "Self-cultivation results in benevolence. The wise person is content because they understand the importance of giving and action that is free from attachment. A paradox by giving one receives, by being selfless the Self is enhanced."

While many of us will delight in giving for our families we have a needy local community to provide services to plus extending generosity and goodwill across the globe to communities. Please help feed the hungry and support a better Christmas for all. Thank you and enjoy the spirit of giving.

Principal's Post

TROY ASCOTT

COOLUM STATE HIGH SCHOOL



LAST WEEK, Coolum State High School held its annual graduation ceremony, this year at the Coolum State School Hall. This was then followed up at school with the 'guard of honour' ceremony in which our graduating seniors walk through a guard of all students who have gathered to 'clap-out' the students for their final exit from the school.

It was an emotional, yet exuberant, time as 195 young men and women contemplated what 13 years of education, six of which were at high school, truly meant to them. The most tearful ones though, of course, were the parents!

During the evening ceremony, school captains Chilli Lloyd and Bronte Strahan, and valedictorian, Savannah Mahony, made wonderful speeches thanking school staff, celebrating shared friendship and making sense of the meaning of leaving the major institutions that have shaped their life. Students, Owen Troy and Starlee Cattanach, gave truly wonderful musical performances that perfectly captured the emotional and reflective mood of the evening. Subject awards were given to a group of extraordinarily talented students, many of whom had not lost a single grade prior to undertaking external exams. The school's friends at Diggerman provided a scholarship equating to training that will shape one young

man's life forever. Wandama Award winner, Noah-Jay McArdle, won the subject prize for every subject he studies – a truly remarkable feat!

The 'guard of honour' ceremony is a little more relaxed than the evening graduation. At it, students are paid their last farewell by the students and staff who will need to front up again in 2025 – the ones who haven't yet left school. We honour our graduating students' legacy, acknowledge their achievements and remind them that they are forever part of the Coolum High family.

For those of us who have finished school, some of us a long time ago, it's a reminder of the powerful role that our school played in shaping our lives. It reminds us of simpler times, of friendships and shared experiences, of things we learned that we've never forgotten, and of the fun things we did in-between. It's a truly emotional experience and one of the greatest transitions in our lives. I certainly hope that the graduates of Coolum State High School take the friendships, the learning and the experiences of their school years with them forever.

Legal News

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RETAINING WALLS

THIS EDITION we will be looking at retaining walls. *The Neighbourhood Disputes (Dividing Fences and Trees) Act 2011* states very clearly that 'a fence is not a retaining wall', but that's far from the end of the story. Dividing fences and retaining walls tend to co-exist on the boundaries of sloping properties and you almost can't have one without the other. That's why the Queensland Civil and Administrative Tribunal (QCAT), when it is considering a fencing dispute, can include orders for 'any other work to be carried out that is necessary to carry out the fencing work ordered under this section, including work for a retaining wall'.

Faced with a dividing fence which is no longer doing its job, because the retaining wall below it is falling down the hill, a neighbour is best advised to get quotes from competent tradespeople who can handle both the fencing and retaining wall components. Then they

must serve a Notice to Contribute to Fencing Work, attaching the quote, just as they would for a fence alone. If the other party signs in agreement, its happy days. Otherwise, it's wait a month then off to QCAT.

Retaining walls often need proper engineering and council approval and can be seriously expensive. Neighbours should be wary of the assumption that costs will be split 50/50 however, as retaining wall contributions rely on a variety of factors. In most cases, the responsibility to maintain a retaining wall falls to the property owner whose land benefitted from the retaining wall when it was built. This could be the higher property owner if they or a previous owner built the wall and filled behind it to flatten their block, or the lower property owner if they or a previous owner cut into the slope and retained it to flatten theirs. Of course, the benefit could be a shared one, and after 50 or 80 years it can be pretty hard to tell!

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A look back in time

FRANCES WINDOLF

A LONG TIME COOLUM RESIDENT WITH A PASSION FOR LOCAL HISTORY



TALES FROM DOWN THE ROAD ... PART ONE

MANY readers of the Coolum Advertiser have recently contributed to active local discussions concerning one particular road in Coolum - the 1.75 kilometres of bitumen stretching from the beach to the State School, which is the heart of our town.

My favourite tale concerns a South African migrant, Martin Oosthuizen, who came to Coolum from Gunnedah,

New South Wales in July 1923, with the Nowland family who had purchased some early blocks of Coolum land at the recent land sales. After an uncomfortable and dusty journey of more than 1,000 kilometres inland, Mr Nowland stopped at the brow of the hill near today's Anglican Church, and Martin, viewing the expanse of ocean before him, declared, "I'm never going to leave this place!" ... and he never did ... he lived in Coolum for the next 35 years, until he died. Martin's original view encompassed today's Beach

Road.

If only that road could talk! Many, many tales could be told of the Perry-Keene and White families, who built a guesthouse on the site where today's BP service station is today.

William Harold Addison Perry-Keene [known as Harold Perry-Keene] was an Englishman who had come to New South Wales, enlisted in the Boer War, married in Australia [where he married Piercy Maud White in 1902] and worked in the Sudan, before coming to the "complete wilderness" of Coolum. He did not buy Portion 169 [the area bound by today's Banksia Avenue, School and South Coolum Roads and Jenyor Street, and the coastline from First Bay northwards ... that area

- 225 hectares was bought by his wife and her mother, Magdalene White in 1906.

Their younger son, John, told my husband and I that "the country [was] a complete wilderness" and ... "would have done credit to a Burke and Wills expedition ... They apparently lived in tents for at least the first 9 months and built the first house of timber from local trees, sawn up by a pit-saw".

It is interesting to note that only two weeks after the purchase of their property and before the timber for the house was delivered on 18 July 1906, John Low recorded the delivery of "Piano, Goods etc." ... Maud Perry-Keene [as she was known] was an accomplished pianist and must have been looking forward to being able to play

in one of the tents which preceded the large house which they named "Green Hills".

In later years, Mrs Perry-Keene would take her 'piano' [which was possibly

a portable organ, to many Coolum get-togethers! What a journey that would have been.

There are many other stories "down the road" ... look for more next edition!



The Perry Keene family in 1909. Photo: Windolf Collection

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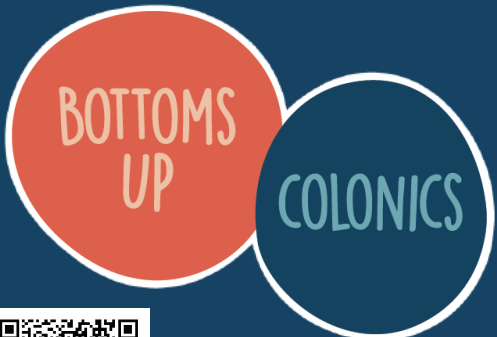
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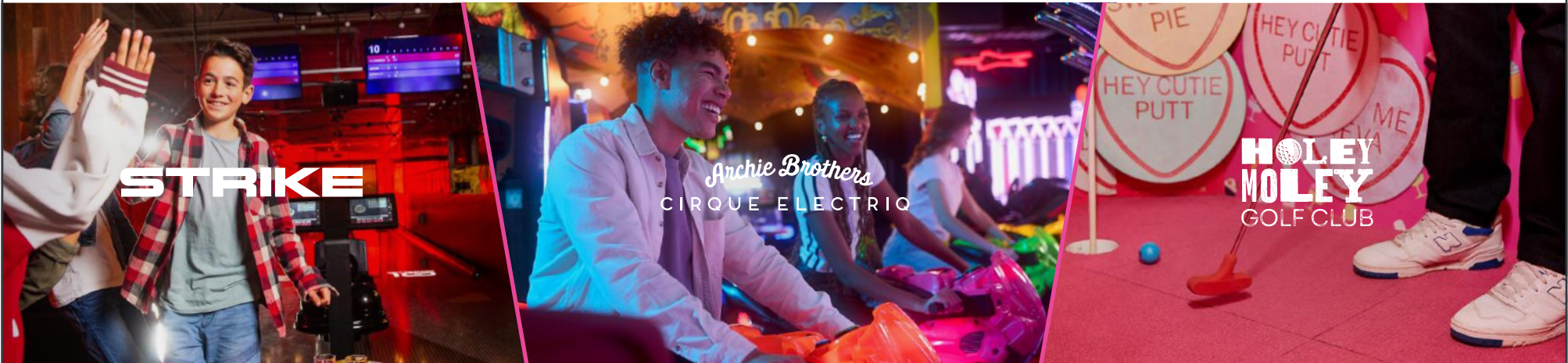
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1 Noosa Botanic Gardens Free music in the gardens 9am - noon	2 Coolum District Senior Citizens Club Coolum Civic Centre 11:30am - 3:30pm	3 Coolum Women's Shed 26 Research St, Quanda Park Mahjong 1pm - 3pm	4 Marcoola Surf Club Member's Draw, Raffles 5:30pm	5 Bowerbird Collective 21 Link Cres. Thrifting Thursday 4:30pm - 8pm	6 The Rock Stellar Project Coolum Bowls Club 7pm - 11pm	7 Cars & Coffee 54 Junction Dve, Coolum 7am - 10am Coolum Women's Shed 26 Research St, Quanda Park Conversational French 9am - 10:30am
8 Marcoola Surf Club Blues with a View Free 3pm - 6pm	9 Coolum District Senior Citizens Club Coolum Civic Centre 11:30am - 3:30pm	10 Coolum Women's Shed 26 Research St, Quanda Park Sewing Group 10:30am - 2:30pm	11 Marcoola Surf Club Member's Draw, Raffles 5:30pm	12 Coolum Women's Shed 26 Research St, Quanda Park Gentle Yoga 9:30am - 10:30am	13 Wildkatz Coolum Bowls Club 7pm - 11pm	14 Salty Saturdays Jack Morgan Park 3pm Coolum Women's Shed 26 Research St, Quanda Park Brainiacs/Cards 1pm - 4pm
15 Alexis Coolum Bowls Club Christmas Party Living in the 80s Coolum Beach Hotel 3pm	16 Coolum District Senior Citizens Club Coolum Civic Centre 11:30am - 3:30pm	17 APL Poker Coolum Bowls Club 6:30pm	18 Locals Christmas Party Coolum Beach Hotel 3pm Peregian Christmas Carols Peregian Park. \$15/family 3pm - 11pm events.humanitix.com/peregian-beach-carols-24	19 Bowerbird Collective 21 Link Cres. Thrifting Thursday 4:30pm - 8pm	20 The Agentz Coolum Bowls Club 7pm - 11pm Colin Dodds Coolum Surf Club 8:30pm	21 Barely Worn Clothing Market Coolum Civic Centre 8am
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ST ANDREW'S NOOSA BEACH RUN

The students from St Andrew's Anglican College at Peregian Springs celebrated their final day of school on Friday November 15 with the traditional Noosa Beach Run in front of family, teachers and peers. The weather was perfect and Noosa Main Beach provided the perfect backdrop to mark the end of formal education. Farewell to the Class of 2024! Photos: St Andrew's Anglican College.



Lots of smiles for the last day.



Families cheered on the graduates.



Celebrating the end of formal school days at Noosa Main Beach.



One last dash as a group, this time to the waves!



Proud parents watch on.



Proud parents were on hand to celebrate.



Friends for life.

COOLUM HIGH GRADUATION & GUARD OF HONOUR

Coolum State High School held their annual formal graduation on Tuesday November 12 with the students wearing full academic gowns and mortar boards for the evening.

The evening was filled with heartfelt speeches, wonderful performances, and 'the walk across the stage' where the students received their High School Graduation Certificates from Principal Mr Ascott.

Then on Friday November 15 the Year 12 cohort officially left Coolum High via the traditional 'Guard of Honour' ceremony. Photos: Coolum High.



Full academic gowns were worn for the Graduation Ceremony held on Tuesday November 12.



The moving ceremony featured performances and speeches.



There were lots of smiles for the final day.



The Coolum State High School Class of 2024.



The long journey of formal education comes to a close.



On Friday November 15 the Class of 2024 officially left their school via the 'Guard of Honour'.



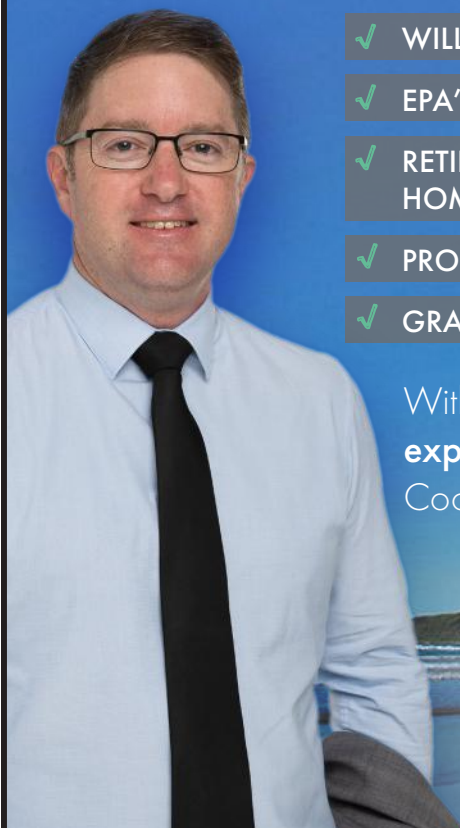
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GOOD SAMARITAN BLI BLI FIRST GRADUATION

It was certainly a night to celebrate on Wednesday November 13 as Good Samaritan Catholic College Bli Bli recognised their first graduat-

ing class. The history making cohort celebrated at the Maroochydore RSL. Photos: Good Samaritan Catholic College.



Good Samaritan Catholic College Bli Bli's Class of 2024.



Stylish young gentlemen.



A night to celebrate as formal education comes to a close for these Good Samaritan students.

SCHOOL'S OUT & SURF'S UP

Students from St Andrew's Sport capped off their formal schooling with a final surf during their last week at school. The year 12 surfers were given a guard of honour and had family cheering them on. Photos: St Andrew's Sport



A salty end to school life.



Family were on hand to watch the surfing fun.



Yeeew! School is OUT!



A guard of honour for the Class of 2024 surfing students.



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Event Showcase PEREGIAN BEACH CAROLS

IT WOULDN'T be Christmas without carols and the longest running carols event on the Sunshine Coast will be celebrating their 60th birthday this year! The Peregian Beach Carols will be taking place on Wednesday December 18 and all eyes will be to the sky as Santa parachutes into the event.

A committed group of local community groups, including Peregian Family & Friends Inc, Peregian Beach Business Association and Peregian Beach Surf Life Saving Club, and events professionals are meeting regularly to prepare what should be the best carols yet.

Graham Reid, President of Peregian Family & Friends said that the community was getting very excited.

"This is such an iconic event within the community.

"We are collaborating with the Peregian Beach Business Association and the Peregian Beach Surf Life Saving Club to bring the event back to the Peregian Park and we'd love the whole community to attend."

This year's event will be a mix of traditional and modern songs and at 6pm a very special guest will arrive.

"We have all the old favourites like carol singers and musicians singing traditional and modern songs, and weather permitting our 'sky-diving' guest will be there for the kids with help from the awesome

lifesavers from the PBSLSC."

Graham said that the carols would also be a place to grab last minute gifts and would feature lots of great activities.

"We're also continuing some of the new features we added in 2023, such as a food court, local artisan market, a jumping castle and a spectacular surprise to conclude the evening - an amazing finale laser show at 8pm!

"All of this will be lots of fun for little and big kids alike."

The organisers would like to see the entire community at

the carols and to help cover the costs of putting on such a large event, are requesting that where people can, donate towards the event.

"We are requesting a small donation per family to cover the costs of attending the carols, with a \$15 per family contribution which covers all music, entertainment and kid's activities."

Tickets are on sale now at www.humanitix.com.au and searching 'Peregian Carols'.

What: Peregian Beach Carols

Where: Peregian Beach Park

When: Wednesday December 18

Time: From 3pm

Info: Peregian Family & Friends Facebook page

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- 15 Dwelt
- 17 Period of time
- 18 Cover
- 19 Joke
- 21 Male sheep
- 23 Acknowledges rank
- 26 Components
- 27 Fashion
- 29 Expelled by legal process
- 30 Abnormally fat
- 31 Weapon
- 32 Superintend

DOWN

- 1 Metal
- 2 Sounds
- 3 Direction
- 4 Thrown
- 5 Army rank
- 6 Combined
- 7 Formal agreement
- 11 Corruptly mercenary
- 12 No score
- 13 Colour
- 14 Nominated
- 16 Guided with advice
- 19 Fuel
- 20 Adhesive
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Dan Purdie MP

MEMBER FOR NINDERRY

PRINCIPAL ROUND TABLE

OUR Local schools are inciteful barometers of the health and safety of our community and I am meeting with local Principals from Coolum State High School, Peregrine Beach and Coolum State Schools to discuss a range of issues including youth crime. As the Member for Ninderry and the Minister for Police and Emergency Services I am focused on making laws to introduce consequences for actions.

E-SCOOTER AND E-BIKE SAFETY DAYS

Queensland Police Service together with TMR, Queensland Ambulance Service and QHEALTH Trauma Service are running a number of practical 45 minutes training and demonstration sessions to highlight the dangers of misuse and associated penalties. The sessions are for parents and e-riders and will be held at Coolum State High School on November 30

and Good Shepherd Lutheran College, Noosa on December 7. Sessions at both locations are between 10am and 2pm. Call my office for more information.

ROAD UPGRADES

The new traffic lights engineered by TMR at Coolum State School continue to be monitored for improvement to traffic flow and pedestrian safety. I was able to work with TMR and the school community to secure the extension of crossing supervisors until the end of term to help in the transition.

Talks are underway to kick start the next step to ease traffic congestion on our local roads. I am meeting with Sunshine Coast Councilors to speed up the construction of the South Coolum Road Link to the new interchange at Mount Coolum, for which the state government has funded \$40 million to connect to the Sunshine Motorway. Once completed this will significantly ease congestion on our local road network.

**Maria Suarez** CRDIVISION 9
SUNSHINE COAST COUNCIL**FINAL TOUCHES FOR SECOND BAY STAIRS**

THE NEW beach access stairs at Second Bay are 99 per cent complete. At the time of writing, council is progressing our plan to clad the bottom concrete step in sandstone or a material that visually blends into the beautiful coastal environment. Thank-you for your patience while the new stairs were constructed.

TURTLE NESTING SEASON BEGINS

It's turtle nesting season from November to May. Thank-you to the Coolum and North Shore Coast Care volunteers to the time they dedicate to walking the beaches each day to look for turtle tracks, new nests and hatchlings.

If you see signs of turtles on our beaches, please watch your step and contact the Turtle Conservation volunteers via council's website. You can help the turtles, by switching off your outside lights from 8pm to reduce light pollution - which is a major threat to turtles nesting successfully.

TRY THE COUNCIL APP

I've noticed a few fallen trees and minor repairs required around the Coolum after recent storms and it's now easier for people to lodge these requests with the relaunched council app. Council appreciates that

the community are often the eyes and ears on the ground identifying issues in their neighbourhood. As a bonus, the free app allows you to have personalised information for bin days, access real-time information about road conditions, explore features of our region, access Disaster Hub and so much more.

You can download it now by searching "Sunshine Coast App" in the App Store and Google Play store.

NEW SPOT FOR THE TICKLE PARK BEACH SHOWER

Work is soon to begin on the beach shower relocation at Tickle Park. The current location is right in the middle of the open grass area and there are problems with drainage. The shower will be moved closer to the beach access, so you'll be able to use it as soon as you step off the beach. Work should only take a few weeks. Thank you for your patience while work takes place.

GET IN TOUCH

As always, please contact council direct for any service requests such as road hazards, graffiti, dumped rubbish, parking, parks, potholes, roads, trees and waste collections. Contact details or service request forms are available at www.sunshine-coast.qld.gov.au or call 5475 7272.

**Ted O'Brien** MP

MEMBER FOR FAIRFAX

SUPPORTING YOUNG MOTHERS

THERE are two races that stop the nation in November, and now the Melbourne Cup is over the biggest hip and happening race is about to hop on - the Nambour Cup. Curious to know more? Nambour Cup is the biggest cane toad race in the southern hemisphere, and it has become an annual fundraiser to help teenage mums stay in school through the STEMM Program.

Every Australian, no matter their circumstance, has the right to an education. The STEMM program enables this by supporting teenagers through their education while providing important mothering and mentoring skills. This first of a kind program in Queensland provides a unique stand-alone curriculum which enables pregnant girls and young mothers to be supported with their education goals.

Nambour Cup will be held at the Nambour Tramfest on Saturday, 30th November from 4-7pm at the Nambour Tram Terminus.

AUSSIE HOME OWNERSHIP

With rental prices soaring by 27 per cent in the last year locally, it's clear that the Sunshine Coast is not immune to the impacts of the housing crisis that has engulfed the nation.

The Coalition is focused on

getting Australia back on track and restoring the dream of home ownership.

That's why we've announced that a re-elected Coalition government will commit \$5 billion to get housing projects moving, unlocking up to 500,000 homes to be delivered more quickly through a mixture of grants and concessional loans.

Our approach is focussed on investing in enabling infrastructure to unlock the supply of shovel-ready new housing developments.

This funding will be offered on a 'use it or lose it' basis. It means if there is no progress on successful projects within 12 months of contracting, then the funding will be terminated.

This announcement sits alongside the Coalition's already-announced commitments to bring down demand and free up supply by reducing migration, our two-year ban on foreign investors and temporary residents purchasing existing homes in Australia and capping the number of overseas students. These changes will free up over 100,000 homes for Australians over five years.

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Community news

COOLUM RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION (CRA)

The Coolum Residents Association will be holding a general meeting of members at 5pm **Thursday 5th December** in the small conference room upstairs at the Coolum Beach surf club. Please note the changed date and venue for the meeting. CRA is a local community organisation that aims to identify and promote sustainable opportunities to preserve and enhance the amenity and facilities in the Coolum Beach and surrounding areas. See the CRA website www.coolumresidents.org for more information about current activities. All current and prospective new members are welcome, and will have an opportunity to socialise after the meeting.

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Workshops: Sat 23rd Nov. Roots Magic 9:30-12pm and Familysearch 1-3:30pm
Cost: Members \$8/half day or \$15/full day. Non-members \$15/half day and \$25/full day
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Coolum HeARTs offers low-cost access to a range of activities to all in the community. We have great facilitators and volunteers ready to welcome you to art, djembe drumming, choir, ukulele, mosaics, meditation and gentle yoga. Our women's hub and men's resilience groups meet regularly. When you join as a member you will pay only \$5 to \$10 per session. Follow us on Facebook, on-line at www.coolum-hearts.com.au or phone 0478 646 330.

ANGLICAN CHURCH COFFEE MORNING

Free coffee and delicious toasties along with a friendly chat are available every Thursday from 10am to noon on the back lawn of the Anglican church, 25 Beach Road, Coolum Beach. Everyone is welcome to join us in caring for each other and connecting with others in the community.

PARKINSON'S SUPPORT GROUP

Meetings are at the Coolum Surf Club on the third Monday of the month. Members share experiences, hear from guest speakers and researchers on videos about how to live better with Parkinson's Disease and to slow its progress. For more information phone Peter Wylie on 0429361301.

COOL CONNECTIONS WOMEN'S GROUP

Inviting all ladies to our group where we bring together women from all

walks of life to enjoy each other's company and form friendships. Meeting from 9.30am to 11.30am each Friday (during school term) at Yaroomba Meeting Place, 1443 David Low Way, Yaroomba. Entry fee includes morning tea, guest speakers or activities. Esme 0408 077 882.

NINDERRY BRANCH ALP MONTHLY MEETING

The Ninderry branch of the ALP holds its monthly meeting on the 3rd Sunday of each month at the Coolum Beach Hotel starting at 10.30 AM. Visitors are welcome and you are also invited to join us afterwards for lunch. You can also log into our Facebook page for up-to-date details of other events. <https://www.facebook.com/ALPNinderry>. For more information and to book, please contact Melinda Dodds Ph. 0409 890 186.

COOLUM BEACH DISTRICT SENIORS CLUB

Mondays 11.30 - 3.30pm at the Coolum Civic Centre. Come along and join us.

COOLUM BEACH QUILTERS

Meet every Thursday morning 9am-11.30 at the Baptist Church, David Low Way, Coolum Beach. All welcome.

COOLUM CONNECTIONS

Join us for Relaxed Mid-Week Worship every first Thursday of the Month at 9.30 am. Coolum Salvos meets at Coolum Lions Community Centre, 15 Russell Street Coolum Beach. Enquires 5335-8500. All welcome!

COOLUM CROQUET CLUB

Croquet for fun and fitness. New members and visitors are very welcome. Try it with 3 free games and lessons. Mallets and free coaching are available. Social Golf Croquet

Monday and Friday starting 1.15pm. For more information contact: Barb 0423 277 951 Sea Cove Lane, Coolum.

MARCOOLA COMMUNITY GROUP

We would like to invite new members and visitors to our meetings where we discuss concerns and development of Marcoola area and beaches. Meetings are held on the 1st Thursday, every second month at 7pm. Phone April 0413 137 182 marcoolacommunity@gmail.com

COOLUM AMIGOS

Coolum Amigos is a social club for the over 50s. We meet at 10am every Tuesday at the Coolum Surf Club for coffee and a chat and to arrange outings. All welcome. For more information call Carol on 0419 423 367 or just come along!

COOLUM CRAFT GROUP

If you enjoy craft and good company join the Coolum Craft Group. We meet every Tuesday, in the Coolum Lions Community Centre, 15 Russell Street Coolum Beach. 2pm - 4pm. A variety of crafts are on offer and our friendly participants are always ready to lend a hand or maybe you have a craft you could teach the rest of the group. New members welcome and for \$3 you will receive tea/coffee and cake/biscuit as well as a fun few hours. For more information, please contact Patricia: 0403 017 247.

TRY TOASTMASTERS

Practice your public speaking, gain confidence, improve your leadership and communication skills. Coolum Communicators supports members

to practice speaking to an audience while having fun.

We meet on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month, 7pm at North Shore Community Centre, Mudjimba. Guests welcome! Email coolumtoastmasters@gmail.com

HOME LEAGUE COOLUM BEACH

Are you looking to make new meaningful friendships? This women's group meets every Thursday 9.30-11 at the Coolum Lions Community Centre, 15 Russell Street Coolum Beach. (We take a break during School Holidays). Come and check us out. Morning tea is a highlight. We'd love to meet you. Ask for Chris: 0478 584573.

COOLUM BEACH SENIOR CITIZENS CLUB

Welcomes all citizens 50 and over. Activities include Mahjong, Bingo, Carpet Bowls, Card and Board games. Meet every Monday from 11.30am-3.30pm at the Coolum Civic Centre. Entry fee includes afternoon tea and a ticket in the door prize. For further information please phone Bernie 5448 8693.

COOLUM BRIDGE CLUB - YAROOMBIA MEETING PLACE

Enquiries info@coolumbridgeclub.com
Sessions as follows:
MON - 9am for Start 9.15 - 12.40
TUES - 12.45 for 1 pm start Supervised Play
(Contact Ali 0422791748 for more info).
THURS - 12.45 for Start 1pm - 4.30
SAT - 12.45 for Start 1pm - 4.30
Partnership Contact: Trish Gatt on 0412 546 575

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COOLUM BEACH BOWLS RESULTS

Thursday, 7th November

Social Bowls
1st L Cattanach, B Houlson +33
2nd G & R Cooper +32
3rd J & K Wilson +18
4th P Bartlett, G Roulston +17

Friday, 8th November

Social Bowls
1st G Roulston, G Brown +34
2nd R Klim, B Burkitt +26
3rd N Iopera, D Wright +11

Thursday, 14th November

Social Bowls
1st M Schreiber, G Kennedy +20
2nd B Rutch, P Tresidder +18
3rd M & K Emerton +14

Friday, 15th November

Social Bowls
1st A Hill, P Carmody +23
2nd R Wallish, C McDonald +15
3rd S Clarke, T Saravanos +12

2025 Club Championships
Championship Fours – Ladies’
Final
Ursula Ford, Marilyn Emerton,
Sharon Weatherby 27 def Liz
Hitchcock, Kerry Mackenzie,
Gina Bullingham, Tilly Coyne 10

Championship Fours – Men’s
Semi-final
J Rixon 21 def C Hawthorn 14

2024 Club Championships

Club Drawn Pairs
Round 1
K Mackenzie, V Smith 17 def H
Brown, B Trewin 15
E Smith, P Bartlett 25 def Brad
Smith, B Peperkamp 9
J Membrey, G Roulston 26 def D
Hickey P Bamforth 15
M Bartley, C Belsham 27 def L
Hitchcock, D Lavery 19
T Spencer, R Tunj 24 def F Mil-
lard, S Lubowicz 11
J Beattie, P Lawler 27 def B
Cowie, D Layden 7
D Aymes, C Grassick 22 def P
Spencer, P Crozer 17

Round 2
J Membrey, G Roulston 29 def M
Bartley, C Belsham 12
J Beattie, P Lawler 18 def D
Aymes, C Grassick 10
Brian Smith, J Rixon 19 def S
Moss, P Judge 18
J Shipstone, M Newlan 17 def N
Mellett, L Cattanach 12
L Cowie, Sandy Wilson 22 def P
Raynes, K Wilson 12
Scott Wilson, C Johnston 36 def T
Nunn, C Orr 10

Club Championship results avail-
able on club website at:
[https://coolumbeachbowls.com.au/
club-championships/](https://coolumbeachbowls.com.au/club-championships/).

Club Honour Roll available on
club website at:
[https://coolumbeachbowls.com.au/
championship-honour-roll/](https://coolumbeachbowls.com.au/championship-honour-roll/).

Upcoming Major Events
Richardson & Wrench Coolum
\$8,000 Mixed Medley – 23 & 24
November 2024

For all details and online entry
go to: [https://coolumbeach-
bowls.com.au/events-calendar/
rw-medley-24-october/](https://coolumbeach-bowls.com.au/events-calendar/rw-medley-24-october/)

2025 Great 8 Bowls Challenge
The 2025 Great 8 Bowls Challenge
will commence on Saturday, 1st
February 2025. Players available
for the competition should place
their names on the club website at
[https://coolumbeachbowls.com.
au/2025-great8/](https://coolumbeachbowls.com.au/2025-great8/)

Weekly Bowls Program
• Social bowls every Tuesday Open
Pairs 1pm, Thursday Open Pairs
1pm, Friday Open Pairs 1pm, Sun-
day Scroungers 10am.
• Register at: [https://coolumbeach-
bowls.com.au/social-bowls/](https://coolumbeach-bowls.com.au/social-bowls/).
• For all social bowls enquiries
contact the Social Bowls Coordina-
tor on 0499 167922.
• Barefoot bowls every Friday
night from 4.30-7pm and Sun-
day afternoon from 1-5pm. For all
barefoot bowls enquiries, including
social functions, contact the Club
Manager on 5446 1153.
• Coaching is provided free of
charge every Wednesday morn-
ing commencing at 10am. For all
coaching enquiries, contact the
Coaching Coordinator on 0493
216779.



Bowls action from Friday November 15. The greens are looking great! Photos: Contributed

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TIDE TIMES 2024

NOVEMBER 20, 2024 - DECEMBER 3, 2024

Tide heights taken from Coolum Beach				
WED 20 NOV	0.33m	1.81m	0.55m	1.07m
Coolum	4:17 am	11:18 am	6:17 pm	11:26 pm
Maroochy River	7:27 am	1:33 pm	9:27 pm	12:45 am
THU 21 NOV	0.46m	1.7m	0.59m	1.07m
Coolum	5:09 am	12:12 pm	7:18 pm	
Maroochy River	8:19 am	2:27 pm	10:28 pm	1:41 am
FRI 22 NOV	1.04m	0.57m	1.59m	0.6m
Coolum	12:35 am	6:12 am	1:10 pm	8:18 pm
Maroochy River	2:50 am	9:22 am	3:25 pm	11:28 pm
SAT 23 NOV	1.07m	0.65m	1.52m	0.57m
Coolum	2:01 am	7:26 am	2:09 pm	9:12 pm
Maroochy River	4:16 am	10:36 am	4:24 pm	
SUN 24 NOV	1.14m	0.68m	1.47m	0.52m
Coolum	3:16 am	8:42 am	3:04 pm	9:58 pm
Maroochy River	5:31 am	11:52 am	5:19 pm	12:22 am
MON 25 NOV	1.26m	0.69m	1.44m	0.45m
Coolum	4:15 am	9:51 am	3:55 pm	10:37 pm
Maroochy River	6:30 am	1:01 pm	6:10 pm	1:08 am
TUE 26 NOV	1.38m	0.66m	1.42m	0.39m
Coolum	5:02 am	10:51 am	4:40 pm	11:12 pm
Maroochy River	7:17 am	2:01 pm	6:55 pm	1:47 am

Coolum & Maroochy River. For other areas visit www.qld.gov.au				
WED 27 NOV	1.5m	0.62m	1.4m	0.33m
Coolum	5:42 am	11:43 am	5:21 pm	11:43 pm
Maroochy River	7:57 am	2:53 pm	7:36 pm	2:22 am
THU 28 NOV	0.33m	1.61m	0.58m	1.38m
Coolum		6:19 am	12:28 pm	6:00 pm
Maroochy River	2:53 am	8:34 am	3:38 pm	8:15 pm
FRI 29 NOV	0.28m	1.71m	0.54m	1.35m
Coolum	12:13 am	6:53 am	1:10 pm	6:38 pm
Maroochy River	3:23 am	9:08 am	4:20 pm	8:53 pm
SAT 30 NOV	0.24m	1.78m	0.5m	1.32m
Coolum	12:43 am	7:27 am	1:50 pm	7:14 pm
Maroochy River	3:53 am	9:42 am	5:00 pm	9:29 pm
SUN 1 DEC	0.22m	1.83m	0.48m	1.28m
Coolum	1:13 am	8:01 am	2:28 pm	7:52 pm
Maroochy River	4:23 am	10:16 am	5:38 pm	10:07 pm
MON 2 DEC	0.22m	1.86m	0.48m	1.25m
Coolum	1:46 am	8:38 am	3:09 pm	8:29 pm
Maroochy River	4:56 am	10:53 am	6:19 pm	10:44 pm
TUE 3 DEC	0.23m	1.86m	0.49m	1.23m
Coolum	2:21 am	9:16 am	3:51 pm	9:11 pm
Maroochy River	5:31 am	11:31 am	7:01 pm	11:26 pm

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TUESDAY

5:30PM - 6PM

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Purchase a drink from 4pm and receive a ticket into the draw for a chance to win cold hard cash.

5:30PM

APL POKER

5:30pm registration. 6:30pm start. \$16 buy in. One rebuy \$10 if needed. \$10 add on. New players welcome.

5:45PM

500 CARD CLUB

WEDNESDAY

9AM - 12PM

TABLE TENNIS

Under cover area next to green #3. New players welcome.

2PM - 5PM

HI VIS PROMO

Tradies welcome. Prize draw end of month.

4PM - 7PM

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Swipe your card to win.

7PM

TRIVIA NIGHT - Last Wednesday of the month. 7pm Register for a 7:15pm start- Free to enter!

THURSDAY

5:30PM - 6PM

JAG THE JOKER

Enter from 4pm. Jackpot increases by \$100 each week.

5:30PM - 6PM

MAX'S HOOPS

Register by 5pm.

6:30PM

DARTS

\$2 entry. You must be a Social member to play.

FRIDAY

5PM

TGIF RAFFLE

Tickets on sale from 5pm prizes are \$100 meat tray, carton of beer, breakfast tray then a 6 pack of beer. Drawn around 6:45pm.

SATURDAY

10AM - 2:15PM

THE BOWLO BIG SPIN

4 lucky gaming members will be drawn for a chance at \$200.

11:30AM - 1:10PM

LIONS CLUB SATURDAY RAFFLES

Mega Meat Raffle.

1:30PM

APL POKER

1:30pm registration. 2pm start. \$16 buy in. One rebuy \$10 if needed. \$10 add on. New players welcome.

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