

Guyra Milling changes hands

Mort & Co, Australia's largest privately owned lot feeder, is set to acquire Guyra Milling following a comprehensive due diligence process. Guyra Milling was established in 2007 by the Vivers family. The mill has a maximum capacity of 20,000 tonnes per annum, and currently supplies pellets in bulk, bulka and 20kg bags.

The agreement will see Mort & Co purchase the site and its physical assets, including the mill, three delivery trucks and some additional equipment. Importantly, the core Guyra Milling team members will continue with Mort & Co, ensuring the mill can remain open for business and provide a smooth transition for customers.

Guyra Milling Operations Manager, David McCathie, said the acquisition was a positive outcome for everyone.

"It's fantastic news for our team and our customers that the mill remains operational. It's also massive for the local area. There is only an upside from this agreement for all parties involved".

Owner Belinda Vivers also touched on her interactions with the Toowoomba based feedlotter.

"To be involved in negotiations with a business such as Mort & Co gives you confidence. They are a strong company who are growing, but more importantly, they have great values, which has been evident in all our dealings with them. They run a highly professional organisation and their team, in conjunction with ours, have been exceptional throughout the process in getting us to this point".



Guyra Milling Operations Manager, David McCathie

While Guyra Milling customers will be required to open a new trading account with Mort & Co in order to continue trading, there is expected to be little disruption to the business.

"For our existing customers, it's fantastic to know that they will still be able to access all the products currently on offer, whilst Mort & Co explore innovative products and services to continue to support our customer base," Mrs Vivers said.

When discussing the acquisition, Mort & Co CEO, Stephen O'Brien, was excited

about the company's future.

"It's an exciting time ahead for Mort & Co Stockfeeds and we look forward to welcoming David and the Guyra Milling team into the business on the 1st of July. We'd like to thank the Vivers family for working proactively with us throughout this transaction and are grateful to them for entrusting the future of the business (that herself and Jack built over 14 years) to Mort & Co".

The acquisition is due to be finalised on 1st July, 2021.

Berets Bags Toys Jams & Relishes Women's clothing New baby gifts & more, local-made goods!



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Multicultural Public Speaking competition

On Monday the 7th of June, Guyra Central School hosted the Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition New England Local Final. The competition is run by the Arts Unit and open to all NSW public primary schools.

Students from Sir Henry Parkes Memorial Public School, Armidale City Public School, Ross Hill Public School, Ben Venue Public School and Guyra Central School presented their speeches in the School Library.

The adjudicator was Mrs Leanne Vaughan came from Armidale Secondary College. Each student who participated was given one-to-one feedback about their speech and public speaking skills.

Guyra Central School representatives were Dean Rumbel and William Vidler in the Years 3 and 4 section and Summer Tibbs and Rose Kliendienst in the Years 5 and 6 section

The overall winners were Hamish Eastment from Armidale City Public School and



Multicultural Perspectives Public Speaking Competition New England Local Finals

Resandi Wijesekara from Sir Henry Parkes Memorial Public School. They will represent New England at the Regional Final in Tamworth.

During the prelimary stages of the competition, all Stage 2 and 3 students from Guyra Central School had the opportunity to write speeches and presented them to their classes, with three students from each class selected to participate in the school final.

The following students participated in the school final:

Stage 2 Rose⁻ Dean Rumbel, Tom Ward, Rose Gordon

Stage 2 Crimson- Billy Ryan, Will Vidler and Zac Raper

Stage 3 Navy- Summer Tibbs, Rose Kliendienst and Hayley Williams

Stage 3 Platinum- Zander

Lloyd, Anja McIlwain and Brooke Clark

The competition was an excellent opportunity to develop student public speaking skills. Miss Fletcher and Eunice Blair were the adjudicators for this school final and chose the representatives for the local final.

Royal Hotel wins energy saving grant

Small and medium hotels and motels across the New England are receiving support from the Coalition Government's \$10.2 million Hotel Energy Uplift Program to cut energy costs so they can invest in their business, employ more Australians and get ahead.

Member for New England Barnaby Joyce said funding included \$22,433 for the Royal Hotel at Guyra to replace and upgrade nine windows.

"Like many hotels in the New England, the Royal has a proud history of keeping travellers and locals happy in Guyra with cold beer and warm meals," Mr Joyce said.

"This grant will help drive down energy costs down through better insulation at the premises to ensure that



Member for New England Barnaby Joyce announced the grant this week

patronage continues long into the future."

The Royal Hotel was one of a dozen premises to share in more than \$268,0000 in funding for projects across the New England which included upgrades to more energy efficient air-conditioning, lighting and interior modifications.

"These grants will help local operators to save on energy costs, putting more money back in their pockets and supporting the creation of new jobs, including for local electricians, carpenters, engineers, and plumbers," Mr Joyce added.

The Hotel Energy Uplift Program was announced in the 2020-21 Budget and is part of the Government's \$1.9 billion investment in new energy technologies which will create new jobs now and into the future, reduce emissions and ensure all Australians have access to reliable and affordable energy.



Winter is always a good time to spend more time inside and if you are looking for some entertainment our armchair critic has new recommendations every week. All movies have ratings of M and over.

Netflix - Movies Gifted, Fatherhood, Budapest, The 2nd, Otherhood, Spenser Confidential Run (Horror)

> Netflix - Series The Bletchley circle

> > **ABC lview** Hinterland

Beamafilm (free access with library card) Fly Me To The Moon

What's HOT

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - a welcome break for the kids and teachers

RUGBY LEAGUE action back in Guyra this Saturday

DRIVING the full length of Bradley St - it's been a while

WINTER SOLSTICE longer days ahead from now

RENOVATIONS and renewal for local shopfronts

Kolora supporting a great cause

McLean Care Kolora has supported the fundraising efforts of Team Guyra in the 20th Annual Ride for the Chopper. This year the theme is "Alive and Well on Farms". Team Guyra will ride 500 km taking them from Dubbo to Tamworth over 10-17 September 2021.

If you would like to support the Westpac Rescue Helicopter and help Team Guyra here is the link: https://events.rescuehelicopter.com.au/fundraisers/Team Guyra/ride-chopper



Above I to r: Jeni Hinkley (Team Guyra), Maurice Rohrshiem, Lakhwinder Kaur (Kolora's RN) and Jenni Jackson (Team Guyra).

After School Activities

QUOTE of the week

Life's tragedy is that we get old too soon and wise too late Benjamin Franklin

Bureau of Meteorology Weather



WATCH

Guyra MPS						
Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain		
15	Tues	2.0	14.4	0		
16	Wed	3.0	16.1	0		
17	Thurs	3.0	9.0	12.8		
18	Fri	1.2	8.7	0		
19	Sat	0.6	6.7	7.0		
20	Sun	2.8	9.9	1.0		
21	Mon	3.3	9.6	0		
Rain	this we	20.8mm				
June	rainfal	76.8mm				
Rainf	all YTD	514.6mm				
Rainf	all last	516.0mm				
Ave.	rain to	445.7mm				

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology



Black Mountain Public School's After School Activities Program was once again extremely successful this term! We ran coaching sessions in Tennis, Netball and Cricket. This program runs Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday after school and the students may catch the second bus back into town or stay for Homework Centre and then be collected at 4.40pm.

Thank you to all the parents and students who support these

sessions. I am sure by the sounds of laughter from the playground that a lot of fun was had. Next term we will be running Tennis, Netball and Soccer. *Mrs Justine Eddy Relieving Principal*

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Council News

2021 Council Election

Are you passionate about making positive change in our community? Why not run as a candidate in the upcoming September 4 Local Government elections?

Council is hosting two candidate briefing sessions on 1 and 2 July in Guyra and Armidale for anyone interested in becoming a councillor.

These sessions will be conducted by a Local Government NSW elected member facilitator and will address any questions you may have. Registration is essential, and can be done via our website

Please note, if you are planning on running as a candidate, before accepting political donations or

Draft Budget & **Operational Plan**

On public exhibition until Thursday 24 June 2021

Time is running out to have your say on the 21/22Draft Operational Plan and Budget.

If you want to have input on the proposed changes to fees and charges, make sure you visit Council's Your Say website before Thursday 24 June. There is also information about the Special Rate Variation and the four year rates harmonisation implementation framwork and what these will mean for you.

making payments for electoral expenditure, you must be registered for the election. To register, visit the NSW Electoral Commission website.

For more information on the 2021 Local Government election or the candidate information sessions, visit the 2021 Council Elections page on our website.

Evening session: Thursday 1 July at Armidale Council Chambers, 5.30pm.

Day session: Friday 2 July at Guyra Council Chambers, 10am.

Did you attend the Big Chill **Beer and BBQ Festival?**

Visit Your Say Armidale before 30 June 2021 to let us know what can be improved next year.



School holidays at the libraries

Children of all ages are invitied to the region's libraries these school holidays to enjoy an exciting range of fun activities including:

- Virtual reality activities
- **LEGO challenges**
- Movie viewings •
- Weaving and craft

Everyone is also welcome to come and hang out, get cosy and read a book, use the free Wi-Fi, or play a game of chess!

Visit our website and Facebook page for the full school holiday program.



For bookings, call the Armidale Library on 6770 3636 or the Guyra Library on 6770 7123.

Stay connected

Armidale Regional Council is on Facebook - the page is named 'Armidale Regional Council







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Extraordinary Council Meeting 29 June 2021

An Extraordinary Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday 29 June in Armidale to adopt the 2021/2022 Operational Plan and Budget. The meeting will begin at 5.30pm at the Armidale Council Chambers.

The Have Your Say Public Forum will be held prior to the meeting at 5pm.

Want to know what's on?

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

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

Do you have a pet?

All companion animals must be:

- Registered from six months of age
- Microchipped and identified

Council Rangers are gualified identifiers and can microchip your animals by appointment. Call the Rangers on 1300 136 833.

You can register your pet at any Council office within NSW by simply taking your identification paperwork in. There are reduced fees for de-sexed animals, you will need to show the de-sexed certificate from your vet for the exemption



COUNCIL MEETINGS

The next Ordinary Meeting will be held on Wednesday 23 June in Armidale from 4pm. An Extraordinary Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday 29 June in Armidale from 5.30pm.

PUBLIC NOTICE - Wednesday 23 June 2021

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Community Noticeboard

Meals on Wheels

June 24	Sue Adams
June 25	Steve Adams
June 28	NEM Staff
June 29	Pam Hart
June 30	Noreen Williams

Street Stalls

July 2 & 3 Masonic Lodge July 8, 9 & 10 Lions July 15, 16 & 17 Rotary

Church Notices

St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church

Mass 6pm Saturday and Sunday. Weekday 9am Mass Monday - Friday 9am Contact: 6779 1667

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

St. Columba's Presbyterian Church 9am Sunday followed by morning tea. Contact: Rev. Andrew Campbell 0447 724 536

The Chapel,

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

Seventh-day **Adventist** Church: Sabbath School 10.00am Saturday Divine Service 11.30am Saturday Contact: Church Clerk 6779 1587

Uniting Church, 57 Ollera Street: Regular Sunday Serv ice: 9.30am Contact: Nancy Davidson 6779 1366

Service Clubs

LIONS CLUB dinner meetings 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month at Guyra Bowling Club, 7pm. Ph: Geoff Reeves 6779 1257

ROTARY CLUB dinner meetings 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month 6pm for 6.30pm at Ph: Aileen Guyra Cafe MacDonald 0417 079 307

One-stop-shop to finding grant funding

Accessing grant funding in the Armidale region is now a one-stop-shop for local community groups and businesses with the launch of Grant Finder. Armidale Regional Council has joined forces with one of Australia's most powerful grant search engines, Grant Guru, to deliver a free website for business and community grants.

Community members can simply use the search engine to find available grants and filter grants by specifying location, industry and type of project. The website also assists with advice and top tips for finding and applying for grants to maximise your chances of receiving the funding you need.

Users can also register to re-

ceive alerts about funding programs relevant to them as they become available, allowing businesses and community groups an opportunity to stay in the loop when funding opportunities are available to them.

\$12 million boost for mums and bubs

New parents will soon have access to increased specialised support with funding announced for a Regional Family Care Centre in Armidale.

NSW Treasurer Dominic Perrottet has announced \$12.2 million in funding to enable Tresillian and Gidget Foundation Australia to collaborate and expand their services into the region.

Mr Perrottet said the support package was included in the NSW 2021- 22 Budget in recognition of the challenges that can arise during the early years.

Minister for Mental Health Bronnie Taylor said the funding will go towards six new Regional Family Care Centres (FCC) (including one in Armidale), five Tresillian mobile vans (including one in Inverell) and continued funding for staff at the Macksville Residential Unit.

"We know that up to 50 per cent of mums whose babies have sleeping or feeding issues, suffer from post-natal anxiety and depression. These centres have Tresillian nurses and a Gidget Foundation mental health clinician working together to help the baby and parents," Mrs Taylor said.

"I know how difficult it can be adjusting to life with a newborn and having services like this close to home really will be life changing for regional families."

Crossword Clues

Across:

- 1. Stands for painting
- 8. Three-pronged spear
- 9. Sacred word repeated in prayer
- 10. Erroneous
- 11. Patch up or renovate
- 12. Disorder of the central
- nervous system characterised by convulsions
- 16. Decorative item
- 18. Stamp a design on a surface, stands out
- 21. Imperil

23. Attractive or striking because out of the ordinary 24. Big charity that collects funds for disaster relief 25. Bicycle for two riders

Down:

- 2. Become less intense
- 3. Crowd actor
- 4. Sudden panicked rush of a number of animals
- 5. Points on a gun
- 6. Periods of ten years
- 7. Emphasis
- 11. Make new
- 13. Concern



14. Root vegetables similar to potatoes

15. Caribbean nation with **Capital Kingston**

17. Encircled

- 19. Colour of wood or earth 20. Take hold of
- 22. Decent

20. Seize 22. Good maica 17. Ringed 19. Brown Redo 13. Interest 14. Yams 15. Ja-Aims 6. Decades 7. Stress 11. 2. Abate 3. Extra 4. Stampede 5. :uwoQ

Cross 25. Tandem

21. Endanger 23. Exotic 24. Red Epilepsy 16. Ornament 18. Emboss 10. Mistaken 11. Revamp 12. 1. Easels 8. Trident 9. Mantra :ssoicA

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Street names honour airport champions

Two prominent roads in the new Armidale Airside Business Park called Cameron Drive and Waller Avenue commemorate the tireless work of two local champions that have been instrumental in the development of the airport and aviation in the region.

Donald Cameron was President of Dumaresq Shire from 1957 – 1974. He was a champion of economic development in the region and encouraged business growth opportunities for many years. Dumaresq Shire managed the airport and he was instrumental in the main runway you see today being redeveloped from a grass runway to tarmac.

Clive Edmund Gordon Murray Waller was an engineer that came to Armidale in 1949/50 to manage the Government owned Aerodrome in Armidale. He held the position for a further 10 years. It was a 24 hour a day job, Clive would often have to put flares out in the middle of the night to allow flights to land.

During his time at the aerodrome Clive recorded a wonderful history in a photograph album that has survived to this day. Although in poor condition it is hoped that it can be restored and put on display. In 1937 Clive invented the



Angus Cameron, (son of Donald Cameron) and Diana Bibb (daughter of Clive Waller) with Cr Andrew Murat and ARC Mayor Cr Ian Tiley

C.M.W stall warning indicator, the modern versions of which are still used in aircraft today and saved many lives.

Armidale Regional Councillor Andrew Murat said the contribution by Donald Cameron and Clive Waller and many others has left a lasting legacy on aviation in our region.

"It is fitting that we recog-

nise these individuals at the Airside Business Park for their contribution to the Armidale Regional Airport and to our community," said Cr Murat

"The airport precinct has undergone significant change over many years, often from ideas and initiatives championed by community members with a passion for aviation, economic development and just a love of our wonderful region. The state-of-the-art airport we see today is testament to their hard work and passion."

The remaining roads within the Airside Business Park will also recognise community contribution to the airport and an existing mural in the terminal showcases the airports history.

Armidale Cattle Sale

Rural Market Report*s*

stocking and feedlot purposes. The grown cattle were well finished in the main lines with some cows carrying an excess. There was a similar gallery of processors in attendance along with good sup-

June 17th - There was a re-

duced penning of 600 cattle

at the Armidale cattle sale,

with the quality fair to good.

There was variation in condi-

tion, with the majority of

young cattle suited to re-

feedlot buyers. Strong restocker demand resulted in substantially dearer market trends for vealer steers. Lighter weight

port from restocker and

heifer vealers to restockers also sold to a much dearer trend. The few heavier weights were cheaper with quality contributing.

Yearling steers to restock and feed also sold to dearer trends, however there was a large price range with breed and quality a factor. Yearling heifers also sold to dearer trends with the increased demand. Well finished heavy grown steers to process sold on a firm to slightly dearer market trend. There was little change in the cow market with some classes showing an improvement in quality. Restocker demand was high for a small number of PTIC cows.

Weekly Wool Sales

June 18th - Last week's rise in the market was almost replicated this week. All types were dearer from the outset with similar gains made over both selling days. With two selling weeks to go for the current season the Northern region indicator closed at a seasonal high point and a staggering 68% increase above the early September 2020 low. 40,527 bales were sold nationally for the week with a low passed in rate of just 4.6%.

Major buyers included Techwool, Tianyu and Fox & Lillie with the top 4 accounting for almost 50% of the national Merino fleece offering. AWEX report that the 16.5 micron indicator that was first quoted in 2006 closed at an all time high this week.

Whilst the run up originated with the finer microns and continues, the past fortnight has seen a flow on effect to the medium Merino types with the 21 and 22 micron indicators gaining 106 and 70 cents respectively. The forward market witnessed very little activity this week with the pace of the fortnightly increases causing both buyers and sellers to pause for a rethink on the future direction of the market. With no sales in Fremantle next week the national offering reduces to an expected 34,600 bales.

McIlwain 2021 Club Champion

Sunday June 20th saw the Final of the Open Singles played where John McIlwain played Colin Stanley. I didn't get to see the Final but from the score card it would have been a game worth watching. Colin got away to a flyer and led 8 shots to nil after 3 ends and this trend continued and by end 8 the score was Colin 12 shots John 3 shots.

John staged a comeback only to see Colin continue to keep that elusive 8 shot advantage, by end 25 the game had taken a turn as John continued to apply pressure finally drawing level by end 30. John continued his run and by end 36 took victory 31 shots to 22 shots thus becoming Club Champion for 2021 season. Congratulations to both players for putting on a great Final.

The other game was a Club Pairs game between the team of David Wilcox and Robert Goodchild who played Scott Campbell and Boyd Stanley. This game was a fairly even game from the first bowl played. David and Robert were well ahead by end 12 holding a 7 shot lead but at this point the wheel fell off. Scott and Boyd rallied and scored 16 shots in the next 5 ends opening an 8 shot lead of their own, David

Bulldog

Smooch

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2021 Club Champion John McIlwain and runner up Col Stanley

and Robert again rallied but fell just short. Scott and Boyd took out the game 26 shots to 22 shots over 21 ends.

Club Championships set down for this weekend, Start: 12.00pm. Starter and Umpire: John Jackson

Major Singles: Dan Kennedy to play Colin Stanley marker Andrew Sparke

Handicap Singles: Barry

Campbell to play Mallie Walls marker John Jackson.

If the standard of Bowls in the Open Singles is anything to go by then the Major Singles game should be another spectacle. So if you would like to witness great bowls then come on down to the Club have a beverage and enjoy the atmosphere.

The Bowls Bandit

Ladies' Golf

Last week several ladies played in the Graham Betts round in Armidale. Wendy George was the winner of the Guyra girls. This week is a Canadian Foursomes sponsored by Juneils.

Next week is an American Foursomes. Kerry Bull is the starter and sponsor.

Birdie

Vets Golf

Last week we managed to get enough players to have a game following from the very cold preceding week with no play. Even though the course is very wet, we were able to play the first nine twice.

Nine players had a fun day playing a Three Person Ambrose. The winning team of Neil Paine, Jon Cumming and Wal Chapman scored a 74 with a nett of 64.5. They were closely followed by Ray Sweeney, Don Campbell and Len Stanley who shot a 78 with a nett of 64.9.

Also last week two of our players travelled to Warialda to play in their Open Day. They evidently handled the course well and had a great time.

A Vet

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Old Chook

The Intern

The Swimmer

Farmer Joe

Locals Entry Form - Round 16 Tips must be submitted by 4.00pm on Wednesday 30th June

Name:						
Phone:						
Roosters	VS	Storm				
Warriors	VS	Dragons				
Panthers	VS	Eels				
Bulldogs	VS	Sea Eagles				
Raiders	VS	Titans				
Knights	VS	Cowboys				
Broncos	VS	Sharks				
Tigers	VS	Rabbits				

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Classifieds Tradies & Services

NEW GUYRA COUNCIL

A New LGA Petition

Information and drop-off soon at Save and Grow Guyra Group Pop Up Shopfront next to the Pharmacy (formerly Brisk Trading)

> Watch us on facebook or Phone: 0468 987 057

MOBILE HAIRDRESSER

Barber on Bridge has a new owner Jaimee is here to take care of all your hair cutting needs.

> And is now going mobile Mondays and Tuesdays in Guyra Phone 0456 540 349

to make your appointment today Barber On Bridge is a family oriented business and strives on perfection with attention to detail for every client big and small.

FOR SALE

Wardrobe with mirror \$100; Chest of drawers \$80; Cedar shaving mirror \$80. Phone 6779 1529

FOOD PANTRY

Food Pantry at The Chapel **OPEN** 10am - 12pm and 1.00pm - 2.30pm. 1st, 3rd & 5th Friday of the month. Contact: 0460 448 864

MEETING ROOM FOR HIRE

Conference/Meeting Room available for hire

Reasonable rates Smart Board or Data Projector Catering arranged on request Air Conditioned Great for Functions and Meetings Zoom meetings can be arranged Covid-Safe set-up ✓ Computer/IT Room also available **Contact: The GALA Centre** 136 Bradley Street, Guyra Ph: 6779 2132

E: admin@gala.org.au

RETURN THANKS

The family of the late Ted Mulligan wish to thank the community for their expressions of sympathy in the loss of our much loved father.

I could not stay another day To love, to laugh, to work or play; Tasks left undone must stay that way And if my parting has left a void Then fill it with remembered joy.

POSITIONS VACANT

Bookkeeper/Secretary Immediate start. **Contact Guyra Welding Works** 0400 322 642 or 6779 1810

PUBLIC NOTICES

SCISSORS & COMBS have a new phone number: 0490 339 819

COURSES

WHS White Card Wednesday 7th July Cost: \$160

Food Safety Supervisor Thursday 8th July Cost: \$185

> **Prepare & Serve** Expresso Coffee Friday 9th July Cost: \$140

Bookings essential at:

New England **Community College**

(RTO#90145)

136 Bradley Street, Guyra Phone: 6779 2132

CLAIM THE DATE

SATURDAY, 30TH OCTOBER, 2021: Bald Blair Public School Centenary Celebrations. Family Fun Day and Gala Dinner. SATURDAY 20 NOVEMBER, 2021:

Peony & Producers Festival. **CLAIM THE DATE**

For your event or function Phone: 6779 2132

POSITIONS VACANT

Casual/Sessional Trainers

Two trainers required to deliver LLN courses and General Education for Adults.

Includes working with our Ezidi community in Armidale.

You must be willing to work in the Armidale area, including Uralla and Walcha.

OR be able to work in Guyra, Glen Innes, Emmaville and Tenterfield.

Both positions have the potential to be 3 to 4 days per week.

Qualifications:

· Certificate IV in Training and Assessment, or above

 Other Certificated courses including IT, Workplace Skills, Leadership, Business Streams, Management and Hospitality.

Essential Critera & Further information at:

https://www.gala.org.au/positionsvacant.php

Applications to:

New England Community College

E: admin@gala.org.au or drop into our office at The GALA Centre 136 Bradley St. Guyra Enguiries: 6779 2132

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OUR ECONOMY IS ON TRACK TO COME BACK

Australia's economy is on track to come back. In fact, our economy outperformed all major advanced economies in 2020. In the second half of 2020, it grew at the fastest pace on record and there are now more people in work than before the pandemic.

CONTINUING OUR COMEBACK

To build upon the progress we've made, the next steps in the plan provide more support for individuals, families and businesses to help secure the economy and create more jobs.

JOB CREATION IS ON TRACK

Over the next 10 years, many more local jobs will be created and secured through investment in roads, rail and community infrastructure.

More homes will be built in more communities thanks to HomeBuilder and the New Home Guarantee.

More training will be available through JobTrainer. There'll be new apprenticeships, traineeships and more places in higher education. And there'll be more opportunities for families to access work with more affordable childcare.

SMALL BUSINESSES ARE ON TRACK

We're supporting hard hit industries such as aviation, tourism and international education.

And continuing tax incentives, such as the Instant Asset Write-off, to encourage businesses to invest, to grow and to create more jobs.

We're improving employment services so that employers and job seekers are more easily matched.

And our \$1.2 billion investment in digital infrastructure, skills, and incentives means that more businesses in communities right across Australia can be part of the thriving digital economy.

LOWER TAXES & GREATER SUPPORT FOR MORE AUSTRALIANS

Tax cuts for 10 million low and middle income earners will put more money in their pockets to spend at local businesses, creating more economic activity and more jobs.

It's a plan that will not only help Australia come back, but come back better than ever.

TO FIND OUT HOW IT CAN BENEFIT YOU VISIT OURCOMEBACK.GOV.AU



Last minute try for the draw

The Super Spuds scored an extraordinary draw against one of the big guns of Group 19 last Saturday and have another big town team in their sights this week.

The Spuds host Glen Innes at the New Red Hill this Saturday and will be full of beans after a dramatic last-minute try levelled the clash 34-all at Inverell last week.

With only seconds on the clock the Spuds trailed 34-28 but Corey Torrens burrowed over for his third try of the day and then booted the conversion to steal a point for Guyra.

The Spuds were the better side for most of the clash but started badly when Inverell led 12-nil.

Jayden Field's try started the Guyra fightback, Torrens scored his first to continue it and then a pair of four-pointers to hooker Bryce Johnson pushed Guyra out to a 20-12 lead at halftime.

A shell-shocked home side regrouped at the break and scored the next two tries to go in front 22-20 but the Spuds pounced on a loose ball to score again through Liam Whitehill and then sent Torrens into space for his second and it was 28-22.

Once again the game turned



The Spuds celebrate after Corey Torrens' last-minute try.

and the Hawks swooped with two tries from penalties to push six in front with time ticking away.

Torrens' third came with barely enough time for one more play in the game but it was enough to cause the near-upset of the season. He was named players' player and scooped the bulk of the individual points.

In a huge team effort there were many standouts, including James Williamson, Cody Clarke, Jack Armatage, Taylor Brennan, Beau Orchard and Bryce Johnson. Earlier the Spudettes surprised the unbeaten Hawks in the leaguetag by keeping the home side scoreless for most of the first half.

Once the Hawks did score they let loose. It was 14-nil at haltime and 20-nil soon after.

Another period of solid effort from the Spudettes finally led to a try to Taylor Waters and Sophie Gaukroger converted.

In the last 12 minutes Inverell ran away with it and it ended 40-6.

Ash Richardson was players' player while Waters, Gaukroger,

Rachel Coles, Mille Roberts and Sharnie Cullen were also strong.

Saturday's clash with Glen Innes is 'Jersey Day' at Guyra with anyone attending in a rugby league jersey of any kind getting a free drink from the canteen or bar.

Kickoff is 1pm. The club is also selling State of Origin doubles for \$5 to win \$250.

These can be purchased at the Royal Hotel on Thursday night, at the game on Saturday and prior to the Origin game on Sunday.

