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Something to celebrate



CUTTING THE RIBBON ON THE NEW LAMB AND POTATO PAVILLION: Deborah Little, Cr Todd Redwood, Vicki Bell, Geoff Reeves, Bertha Reeves, Adam Marsahll MP, L & P Secretary Julie Gittoes, L & P President Cr Steve Mephram, Ian Russell and Betty Sheelah (story inside)

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Council sets ambitious target

A bold and ambitious aspirational target of 4000 new jobs by 2040 has been supported at the Council Meeting held in Armidale last week. Mayor Sam Coupland presented a Mayoral – Minute outlining his vision for the Armidale region and the plan to make that vision a reality.

The mayor's vision, and now the vision of the Council, is for the region and the city of Armidale to become a city of significance in the decades ahead.

"We have made a commitment to set an aspirational target to grow jobs in our region by 4000 by 2040 and generate at least 1000 new jobs over the next five years," said Mayor Coupland.

"This won't be an easy task and is an incredibly ambitious target but I am buoyed by the enthusiasm of my fellow councillors and am confident we will work hard as a team and bring the community along

with us to make this a reality.

"If we create jobs for our children then we can retain our future generations and attract new residents to our region. We can then start to reach the critical mass that generates infrastructure investment from all levels of government."

Central to the mayor's plan is to develop a jobs growth strategy based on catalyst projects including the renewal of the CBDs in Armidale and Guyra, attracting sustainable industries drawing on our future role as Australia's largest renewable energy community, and expanding opportunities for intensive horticultural enterprises.

As a priority the Council will now identify the region building infrastructure and catalyst job growth projects that provide a platform for future success and advocate for support through the state and federal governments.

"To grow, we need to do so

sustainably," said Mayor Coupland. "We need to use our resources more wisely, to protect our natural environment and prime agricultural land. We will need affordable and available housing, health and cultural infrastructure to ensure that we can offer a lifestyle proposition that is second to none.

"There is considerable work to do if we are to realise a brighter future. Water security and economic resilience will be key challenges. This journey will require a sense of unity and a common purpose both as a council and a community if we are to succeed."

Councillors will now come together to hold an elected members Strategic Planning and Jobs Growth Summit in February to determine council's vision for the Armidale region and inform the necessary next steps required to realise that vision.

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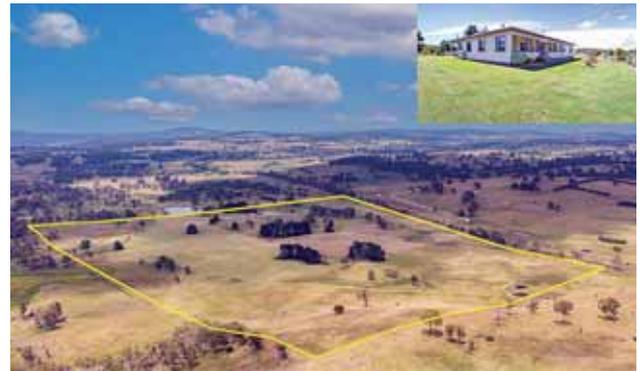
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New festival pavilion officially opened

Despite the cancellation of the iconic Guyra Lamb and Potato Festival for a second year, the event's committee has still had something to celebrate in 2022, with Northern Tablelands MP Adam Marshall last week joining President Steve Mepham to officially open the new \$130,000 all-weather pavilion.

The Guyra Lamb and Potato Festival committee received a State Government Community Building Partnership grant for the building in 2019. Located behind the Big Lamb on the New England Highway, the committee has successfully delivered a diverse dining and performance space in the shape of an impressive 10 metre by 18 metre shed with lockable roller doors.

There is room for a stage and seating for 60 ensuring visitors to the festival are able to take in all the sights and sounds of the event, even in inclement weather.

Mr Marshall said while it's disappointing this year's festival was cancelled, the passion of the committee and the new building



Guyra Lamb and Potato Festival Committee President Steve Mepham with Northern Tablelands MP Adam Marshall at the official opening of the new \$130,000 all-weather 'Guyra Spud Shed' pavilion.

would ensure it was back bigger and better in 2023.

"With this building complete, literally the only thing that can stop the Lamb and Potato Festival now is a pandemic," Mr Mar-

shall said.

"Despite a number of planning set-backs and COVID-19 hold-ups, Steve and his committee have persevered in getting this project delivered – I congratu-

late them for that.

Committee President Steve Mepham said now more than ever the building was important in ensuring the financial viability of future festivals.

"With two consecutive cancellations due to COVID-19 the committee is conscious of making every dollar count as we look towards 2023," Mr Mepham said.

"We are incredibly proud of this facility which offers patrons a comfortable space to enjoy entertainment out of the sun or rain and will also slash \$6,000 in marquee hire costs off our bill each year.

"Instead we will be able to put that money towards other improvements to our facilities, with planning underway on upgrading our old kitchen. This all-weather shed is a really important community asset.

"I want to thank Adam for his ongoing support of the festival and we look forward to it resuming next year and attracting people to our great little town."



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What's HOT

Men's shed - bigger, better and looking for new members

Real Estate sales booming

Long Lunch at the Guyra Show - tickets selling fast

Back to school - time to catch up with friends and hopefully not catch COVID

What's NOT

Showground - unmown and unkempt

Gardens that need weeding and roads that need grading

Thieves are about – lock up and watch out

QUOTE of the week

Someone is sitting in the shade today because someone planted a tree a long time ago

Bureau of Meteorology Weather

WATCH

Guyra MPS

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
25	Tues	12.5	24.7	0
26	Wed	15.0	21.5	0
27	Thurs	12.5	20.2	24.6
28	Fri	12.5	22.8	0
29	Sat	10.8	23.4	0
30	Sun	12.6	23.4	0
31	Mon	12.6		0

Rain this week	24.6mm
Jan. rainfall	129.0mm
Rainfall YTD	129.0mm
Rainfall last YTD	42.8mm
Ave. rain to Jan.	118.1 mm

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

\$3 million project to regenerate Ebor Falls from the ashes

Two years after viewing platforms, pathways and pedestrian barriers at Ebor Falls were destroyed in devastating bushfires, the facilities which make Guy Fawkes River National Park one of the region's most popular visitor destinations will return from the ashes.

Northern Tablelands MP Adam Marshall recently announced \$3 million for the major redevelopment to develop an accessible tourist experience which will act as the 'eastern welcome mat' to the region.

Visitors will be drawn to the three new viewing platforms over the spectacular Guy Fawkes River gorge, incorporating raised viewing areas to give breathtaking views of the 120-metre drop twin waterfalls.

A dedicated seating area will bring visitors closer to the mist of the falls and builds capacity for cultural and nature tours in future.

NPWS and Public Works Authority will be coordinating the construction work scheduled to start in May 2022, with completion expected by June 2023.

Mr Marshall added one of the more exciting aspects of the project will be the opportunities to promote the renewed



Artists impression – Lower Falls platform

Artists impressions of the new viewing platforms at Ebor Falls



Artists impression - Upper Falls platform

pedestrian connection to Ebor village.

"Ebor village has been connected to the falls by a pathway running alongside Guy Fawkes River for several years," he said.

"Pathways, partnered with expanded parking infrastructure and promotional signage

will encourage a greater portion of the 140,000 visitors to the falls each year to base their day trip out of Ebor.

"This will be of huge benefit to the local hotel, café and petrol station with the potential for hundreds of thousands of dollars in additional income each year.

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Men's Shed looking for new members



Peter Brazier working on a roadside mailbox for a rural property. The Guyra Men's Shed is able to make and repair all sorts of interesting items

The Guyra Men's Shed is looking for new members. They are on the verge of moving into their new premises, making room for increased activities such as metalwork.

The opening hours of the shed are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 8.30am to 12.30pm. Outside of these hours, appointments can be made by ringing John Jackson on 0448 992 547.

Prospective members are invited to visit the shed and

have a look that awaits their involvement and participation. Membership involves a \$20 joining fee and supervision will be available on all machines.

They will be holding a BBQ and interest day once a month with the date to be advised. The Men's Shed is located behind the old Courthouse building (formerly occupied by the Guyra SES). Access to is via Sandon Street, behind Guyra Welding Works.

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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

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Contact: Church Clerk 6779 1587

Uniting Church, 57 Ollera Street:

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

Service Clubs

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

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

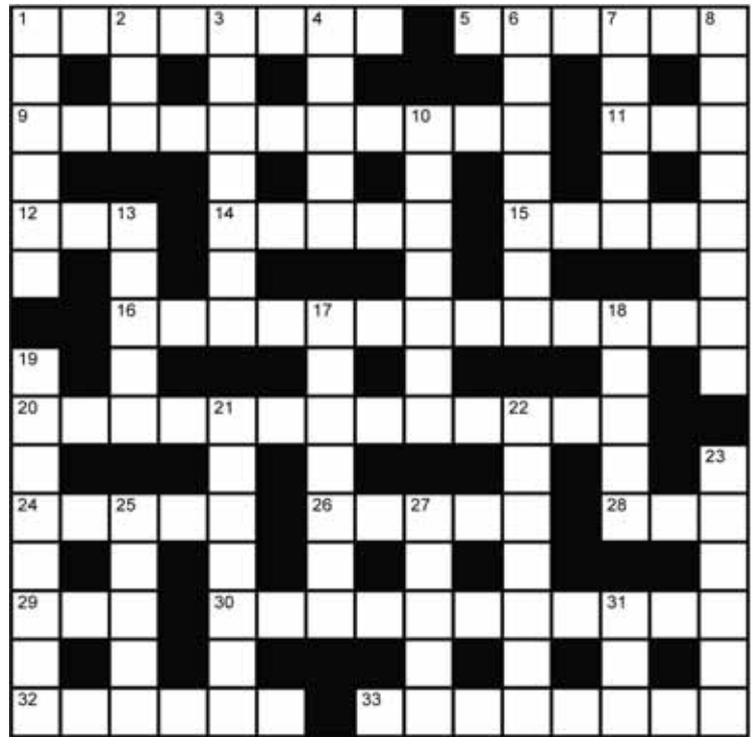
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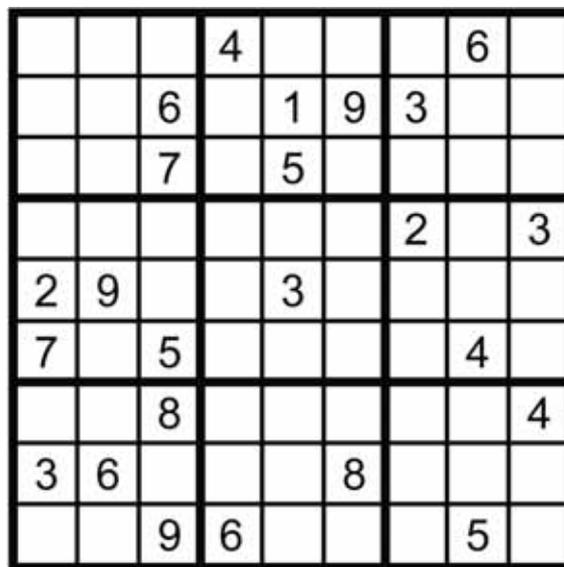
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Sudoku - Easy



What to Watch

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

Netflix - Movies

Unforgivable, Shimmer Lake
Murder by Number,
Love and Monsters,
Runner Runner,
Queen of the Desert,
Miss you Already

Netflix - Series

The Girl from Oslo,
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Great support for fishing day



Guyra Anglers Club's Gone Fishing Day, held on Sunday January 30th was a highly successful, entertaining, and engaging day with close to 200 attendees showing and growing their love of fishing. We thank everyone for coming and enjoying the day. OzFish Unlimited Northern Tablelands Chapter supported the day, delivering a fishing clinic and providing information and support to the anglers present.

NSW DPI provided the fishing rod set ups, and hooks, jig heads which workshop participants got to use and take home. CWP renewables provided sponsorship that helped the winners of the fishing chal-

lenges receive some fantastic prizes including rod and reel packages, encouragement awards, which bought some great smiles to the recipients faces.

The eradication of Redfin from Malpas took a great step forward with over 3800 fish landed, with these going to become fertiliser at Deano's trout farm.

We wish to say thankyou to the following people for helping make the day so amazingly fulfilling: Greenlands Pastoral Company, Dasha's Hardware, Campbell's Butchery, OzFish Unlimited Northern Tablelands Chapter, NSW DPI Gone Fishing Day, CWP Renew-

ables, BCF Armidale, Guyra Bakery, Khammo, Guyra Hotel, Deano's Springwater Smoked Trout, and the best Committee of volunteers that any club could have.

We would also like to let our members know that our next two meetings are on Tuesday February 15th at Guyra Hotel 6pm, and our AGM and presentation day on Sunday March 6th at 11am. We welcome members to join us at any of our meetings. Keep an eye on our Facebook page – Guyra Anglers Club and if you have any questions, please call our President Grant on 0429856769.

Guyra Anglers Club

Above:

Fishing Clinic participants with their NSW DPI rods and fishing bags

Below left:

BCF Gift Card Encouragement award winners

Below right:

Amarlie Deaves with her redfin



Weekly Wool Sales

January 29th - It was another good week for the wool market. After a relatively unchanged quote on Tuesday reports of increasing Chinese interest filtered through. This proved to be a catalyst with Thursday's sales producing some handy gains.

Exchange rates also played their part with the Aussie dollar falling 1.5 cents against the US compared to the previous week's sale. The 21 micron indicator closed the week at a seasonal high point, whilst most of the other indicators closed within striking distance of achieving the same feat.

The Northern region indicator has now gained 4.5% since returning from the Christmas recess. 39,058 bales were sold nationally for the week with a passed in rate of 8.7%.

Major buyers included Techwool, PJ Morris and Endeavour Wool with the top 2 buyers accounting for one third of the national Merino fleece offering.

120,000 additional bales have now been offered compared to the same period last season. Forward market prices moved with the physical with 19 micron trading at Thursdays auction close as far out as April.

2nd Grade Guyra defeated by Hillgrove

Guyra Innings

Pete Collins	2
B Landsborough	1
Ossie Kinnear	30
Jake Ellis	11
DJ Patterson	5
Jason Campbell	0
Les Perrett	6
Kyle Mongta	2
Andrew Pearson	not out 3
Pete Ahoy	2
Cooper Collins	0
Extras	14
Total	76

Overs: 22.3

3rd Grade Guyra defeated Ex Services

Guyra Innings

Craig Lockyer	12
Jack Lockyer	4
Adrian Cameron	15
Tim Foster	4
Jim Lenehan	53
Al Boney	28
Braydon Wadley	20
Cody Campbell	1
Cooper Brennan	21
Steve McElroy	not out 36
Simon Brown	3
Extras	20
Total	217

Overs: 35.4

Hillgrove Innings 9/78 off 28.4 overs

Guyra Bowling:
Jake Ellis 3/16 Cooper Collins 1/13
Kyle Mongta 2/8 Pete Ahoy 1/7
Brandon Landsborough 2/14

Ex Services Innings 9/205 off 40 overs

Guyra Bowling:
Tim Foster 2/27 Cooper Brennan 1/29 Al Boney 2/37
Simon Brown 1/19 Braydon Wadley 1/26 Steve McElroy 2/11

Guyra's Church of Freedom

Soup Kitchen

Free Meal for Everyone

WE ARE BACK

Dates for 2022

11 th Feb	6 th May
25 th Feb	20 th May
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25 th Mar	17 th June
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Say g'day to local land services at your local show

Northern Tablelands Local Land Services is hitting the road on a tour of local shows, with displays, advice and information to be exhibited at Glen Innes, Guyra, Ashford, Inverell and Walcha shows.

Landholders and the local community are invited to call in to the Local Land Services stand and check out what the organisation has to offer, or just drop by to say g'day and let us know how we can work with you to support profitable and sustainable land management.

The experienced and knowledgeable team from Northern Tablelands Local Land Services would love to catch up with you about livestock health and nutrition,

pest animal control programs, water quality, threatened species, pasture and soil management and lots more.

We currently have a number of funding programs available for on-farm natural resource management programs and can discuss these with landholders at the shows.

Show-goers can tap into the wealth of agricultural and land management expertise available through Northern Tablelands Local Land Services by visiting the 2022 show displays and talking to the team at the Guyra Show on Friday the 18th and Saturday the 19th of February.

Spuds celebrate 2021 season as they prepare for Centenary Year



Above l to r: Bryce Johnson, Anthony Dittman, Corey Torrens, Tremane Patterson, Cody Clarke, Tommy Cleaver, Jayden Field, Corby Kliendienst, Liam Whitehill, Logan Beechey, Lachie Williamson.

The Super Spuds celebrated the 2021 season on Saturday, just in time to kick-start 2022.

The club presentations day saw awards handed out to some outstanding players and volunteers.

Beau Orchard won the major men's prize - the Bill Williams Memorial Shield as best and fairest - as well the players' player and leading point-scorer trophies.

Corey Torrens was leading try-scorer with 13, Cody Clarke was presented with the Peter Little Memorial Shield, Corby Kliendienst was named 'Top Gun', Lachie Williamson was chosen as most improved, Bryce Johnson was chosen as the coach's award and Jack Armatage was named rookie of the year.

Sharnie Cullen took out the major women's trophy - the Beryl Copeland Memorial Shield as leaguetag best and fairest.

She also shared the players' player vote with Ash Richardson, who was also picked as most improved.

Captain Taylor Waters took home the coach's award and shared the leading try and point-scoring trophies with Ellen Dunger. Rhylee Adams was named rookie of the year.

Coaches Anthony Dittman and Mick Shiner were honoured for their service, Robbie Cruickshank was named club person of the year for his game day work and a special presentation was



Back l to r: Mick Shiner (coach), Kia Blair, Rachel Coles, Ash Richardson, Sally Ehsman, Pheobie Kennedy, Macie Clarke, Britt Youman, Amber Ogilvie
Front: Millie Roberts, Sharnie Cullen, Rhylee Adams, Taylor Waters

made to Rhonda Youman and Anne Thrift for their hard work in the canteen. Players present also received their jerseys.

The club is now ready to launch into the centenary season. Training will start next Tuesday, February 8 from

6pm at the ground.

Any local business who would like to appear on the special 100-year team uniforms should contact the club ASAP via guyrarugbyleague@gmail.com or through the committee.



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GUYRA SHOW ENTRIES

PHOTOGRAPHY: photographs must be submitted to The GALA Centre by 4.30pm on **Wednesday, 9th February.**

WOOL: all fleeces to be at the Pavilion by 3pm, **Wednesday 16th February.** No late entries will be accepted. Judging from 8am Thursday 17th February.

SCHOOL ARTS & CRAFTS: must be delivered to the Pavilion by 5.30pm **Tuesday 15th February.** No late entries. Judging Wednesday 16th February.

NEEDLEWORK: entries to be delivered to the Pavilion by 11am **Thursday 17th February.** No late entries.

CRAFTS: all entries to be delivered to the Pavilion by 9am **Thursday 17th February.** No late entries.

COOKING, JAMS & PRESERVES: entries to be delivered to the Pavilion by 9am **Friday, 18th February.**

VEGETABLES & FRUITS: entries to be delivered to the Pavilion by 9am **Friday, 18th February.**

FINE ARTS & FLOWERS: entries to be delivered to the Pavilion by 9am **Friday, 18th February.**

All entries can be left at the Show Secretary's office at Guyra Showground from Monday, 14th February
Show Schedules are available from The GALA Centre
136 Bradley Street, Guyra
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Ladies' Golf

Last week the Ladies held a 2 Ball Ambrose Australia Day Bring a Friend Competition. The rain came in later in the day but did not dampen the spirits of some keen golfers who finished playing their rounds.

We had several new players which was encouraging to see. The Ladies winners were Karen Oehlers and Pip White. Ladies and Friends winners were Lisa Ellis and Emily Simson. Mixed winners were Jake Ellis and Claire Davidson. Men Winners were Mal Gaukroger and Bob Constance. Junior winners were Harry Purvis and Rave Brazier.

Nearest the Pin winners were Braith Kliendienst on the 7th hole, Sheree Clarke on the 9th hole, Joey Ryan on

the 10th hole and Andrew Youman on the 18th hole. Longest drive winner was Tyson Burey.

This week the ladies are playing a Par Medal round. Next week is the First Round of the Ladies Championships along with 2nd Golf NSW Medal Round. Wendy George is the starter.

The Second Round of the Ladies Championships will be played on the Saturday 12th Feb.

Birdie

Men's Golf

Last Sunday an 18 hole stableford was played with Steven Sole emerging as the winner with 37 points, Richard Burey was runner up,

All three nearest to the pins went to Chris Newberry.

This weekend will see the 1st and 2nd round of the club championships get under way sponsored by Guyra's Country Fresh Bakery and the Fourways service centre.

The Albatross

Men's Bowls

No matches were played last weekend. Games set down for this weekend are as follows:

Saturday 5th February 1pm start in the final of the handicap singles Barry Campbell will play Dan Kennedy with Scott Campbell to mark

In open singles John Jackson will play Anthony Bull with Wayne Reeves to mark, David Wilcox will play Ian Jacobs with Barry Pressnell to mark and Cameron Pearson will take on reigning

champion John McIlwain with Robert Walls marking.

Jack.

Midweek Golf

Back again with the midweek golf after what seems like a really big break. Highest individual score this week went to Debbie Burey and Taylor Brennan with 24 points, followed closely by Logan Beechey, Mal Gaukroger, Deb Heffernan and Jon Cumming with 21 points.

Best team score for the week went to Pitch Purrfects with 84 points and a close second was Bean Golfin on 83 points.

Looking for fine weather to get some golf in and practice for the upcoming championships. Good luck.

Middy



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Third grade T20 champions



Guyra third grade won the final of the T20 competition with a dominant performance by their batting line up. They took on Hillgrove in the game played at the Armidale Sportsground on Australia Day. Batting first Hillgrove made 104 for the loss of 6 wickets. Tim Foster, Lucas Tait, Simon Brown and Lincoln Brown all took a wicket each with Cody Clarke taking the other two. Guyra made short work of the run chase with openers Jack Lockyer (21) and Graham Cameron (80) doing all the work. Graham's innings included five 4s and five 6s.

Back l to r: Cooper Brennan, Jim Lenehan, Cody Clarke, Adrian Cameron, Tim Foster, Simon Brown,
Front: Lincoln Brown, Jack Lockyer, Graham Cameron, Craig Lockyer, Tom Lockyer, Lucas Tait

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'GLEN PARK' Ben Lomond, NSW | 383 HA / 925* AC



Offering one of New England's finest grazing properties – an absolute gem!

- Located halfway between Sydney and Brisbane
- Sealed road frontage, 20 minutes to major services
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- 4 bedroom homestead + 3 bedroom cottage
- Magnificent garden with park like surrounds.

'Glen Park' is being proudly offered for sale by the Kane family which have held it for over 70 years. It is gently undulating up to 1,470m and boasts spectacular views in many directions. It is heavy carrying country and has produced livestock that have regularly topped the market.

Auction

Date Tuesday 15th February, 11am

Venue Guyra Bowling Club

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- Family owned for 120 years
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- Hay shed, cattle yards with crush, holding paddocks.

Owners comments: In normal seasons 'Killarney' runs 260 breeders plus progeny and replacements, no Chilean Needle Grass or Nodding Thistles.

Agent comments: 'Killarney' is a highly productive property with very little work to do, this property will satisfy the most fastidious purchaser.

Auction

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