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## Electricity network upgrade for CBD

Essential Energy will soon commence work on the upgrade of the electricity network in Guyra's main street.

Operations Manager Ranges, Paul McWilliam, said the works would ensure the electricity network remains safe and reliable for the Guyra community into the future by replacing electricity network assets which are no longer viable.

"These works will see old steel streetlight columns replaced with new composite power poles and streamlined powerlines, ensuring we continue to provide a safe, secure and reliable power supply to the area," Paul said.

Existing under awning electricity mains will also be removed as part of the project.

As part of the project, crews and heavy equipment will need to work along Bradley Street to the Ollera Street intersection and at times, it will be necessary for Bradley Street to be reduced to one lane.

"To ensure the safety of the public, their property and Essential Energy crews while this work takes place, traffic control measures will be in place and we ask motorists to



The old steel streetlight columns will be replaced with new composite power poles and streamlined powerlines

take care and follow traffic control directions when travelling in the area," Paul said.

So that work to be completed safely, a series of planned power outages will be necessary. Customers impacted by planned outages will receive Essential Energy's standard outage notification closer to the outage dates.

"Significant planning has been undertaken to minimise the inconvenience of these

outages, including most outages being carried out on a weekend," Paul said.

Discussions about the upgrade have been ongoing for a number of years and Armidale Regional Council say they are pleased to see work commence in the near future.

Council's General Manager, James Roncon, said due consideration was given to installation of upgraded power underground, however it was determined that overhead

power supply was the most feasible solution to achieve a safe, secure and reliable power supply to the CBD.

"When this project was initially conceived there was a desire for underground power but unfortunately, it just wasn't feasible," said Mr Roncon.

The Guyra and District Chamber of Commerce were consulted on the overhead power supply option and provided their endorsement.

On behalf of Essential Energy, Armidale Regional Council will be completing minor concrete cutting to the existing footpath and temporary removal of some street furniture to facilitate Essential Energy's installation of new poles.

"We appreciate that the works and associated planned outages may cause inconvenience for some homes and businesses and Essential Energy thanks the community for their patience as we work to upgrade and secure the power network for their community," Paul said.

Work is scheduled to commence this weekend and will be carried out between April and July, weather permitting.

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# Anne Starr lands judging spot at Sydney

The eyes of the beef industry will be on Guyra's Anne Starr and her fellow judges at this year's Sydney Royal Easter Show. Anne will join MLA CEO Jason Strong and David Smith to decide the winner of one of the most sought after trophies.

The trio have been selected as judges for the prestigious Urquhart Trophy, which is awarded for interbreed champion of champions at the Show.

It is the second time Anne has been called up to judge this event, and her third time judging at Sydney. In 2012 she judged the Hereford section and in 2016 was invited by the RAS cattle committee to choose the winner of the interbreed champion for the first time.

Awards such as the Urquhart and Hordern Trophies for cattle are the ultimate accolade in the cattle industry. As well as the sense



Anne Starr with fellow Guyra based livestock Judge Michael Jackson

of pride and achievement that accompanies a prize winning entry, winners also have a valuable opportunity to brand their product as an RAS prize

winner.

"This is a very prestigious award and it is a huge honour to be selected to judge," Anne said.

"The cattle competition in Sydney is one of the biggest in Australia, with over 900 entries which is huge."

"This award is a very prestigious one and something that cattle breeders aim for. The winner gets a huge boost in terms of marketing and lifting the profile of their herd."

Anne will fly down to Sydney for the judging, which takes place on Monday April 11th. When she is not judging cattle manages 'Foxforth' Hereford stud and a commercial flock of black baldy and Hereford cattle alongside her father Fred.

She also works casually at Newberry te Velde stock and station agency in Glen Innes and sometimes pops up behind the counter at Brisk Trading in Guyra.

She is also active member of CWA evening branch and volunteers as a mentor for the Herefords Northern NSW youth committee.

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## What's HOT

**COMMUNITY** meeting last week - a good turnout and some positive ideas

**EASTER, SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND ANZAC DAY** coming up over the next couple of weeks

**WINTER SPORT** is back

**ENTERTAINMENT** offerings around town -check out what is happening at local venues

## What's NOT

**DOGS** left to roam the streets

## QUOTE of the week

Experience is the hardest kind of teacher. It gives you the test first and the lesson afterward

Oscar Wilde

## Bureau of Meteorology

# Weather

## WATCH

### Guyra MPS

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
29	Tues	12.8	13.8	4.8
30	Wed	12.0	17.4	20.6
31	Thurs	12.2	17.5	1.6
1	Fri	7.4	17.1	1.4
2	Sat	6.3	17.9	0
3	Sun	6.5	20.3	0
4	Mon	10.4	17.9	13.4

Rain this week	41.8mm
March rainfall	155.0mm
Rainfall YTD	416.8mm
Rainfall last YTD	373.8mm
Ave. rain to Apr.	344.5mm

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

# SES Volunteers rewarded

State Emergency Service (SES) volunteers and members have been rewarded for their service at a special ceremony held in Tamworth, where 68 long service medals, and 12 national medals were handed out.

Guyra Unit Commander David Godlonton was among those who attended the ceremony where he was presented with his 20 year Service Medal. The recipients between them have notched up more than 1445 years of service, and SES NSW was more than happy to give something back.

Superintendent Mitch Parker said it was an emotional occasion, and it was obvious to see how much it meant to the award recipients.

"It's really rewarding to give back to those who provide so much to the community," he said. "The members are out at these jobs in adverse weather, for very long hours, helping the community and it's least that the government and we can do as organisation to recognise their long and valued service."

Being an SES member in the New England can be a really difficult job, Supt Parker said, given the range of dangers and incidents they can face.

The Guyra Unit is on call to help the community in time of storm events or disasters. They operate from a new facility in town, which is used as the base in the Local Command Area for emergencies.

They currently have ten active members, but are always



David Godlonton receiving his 20 year service medal

interested in seeing new members join them. Over recent months they have attended land search rescues in our area, helped clear fallen trees on roads, and repaired leaking roofs in storms.

If you are interested in joining you can contact the local unit by phone 132500 or 0428251829 or apply online. New recruits undertake an induction, and complete first aid training.

## Have your say.....

### Council's community meeting

High praise to the Mayor and councillors attending this meeting with senior staff. Everyone was given a fair chance to voice ideas

and opinions, with the Mayor chairing the meeting in a professional and friendly manner.

David Bearup

### Have your say

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# Council seeks one-off Additional Special Variation

Armidale Regional Council (ARC) has endorsed the preparation of the one-off Additional Special Variation (ASV) application for the 2022-2023 financial year to the maximum level of 2.5% permissible and on a permanent basis.

In March this year the Office of Local Government announced guidelines for an ASV process for the 2022-2023 financial year. This process was in response to a significant backlash from councils across the state after the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART) ruled that councils could not increase rate revenue (Rate peg) more than 0.7% in the 2022-2023 fi-

ancial year.

ARC General Manager James Roncon said the 0.7% was the equivalent of only \$130K towards maintaining essential community infrastructure with a value of \$806 million.

"To say it was a shock when we received the news last year that the annual rate peg determined was

0.7% was an understatement," said James Roncon. "Like many councils across the state we are juggling the increasing cost of maintaining services to the community with limited capacity to generate more income.

"By applying for the maxi-

mum 2.5% one-off Additional Special Variation our revenue from rates will be on target with council's long term financial modelling, not a reduction."

The only way councils across NSW can generate additional rate revenue is through the annual rate peg or by applying for a Special Rate Variation. If council did not apply for the maximum one-off ASV, funding levels would be reduced from rate revenue forecast increases of 2.5% annually, recommended by IPART, and consulted on with the community in the adopted 2021-22 long term financial plan. Council's financial outlook

would worsen.

The ASV application will be simpler and not intended to address a variation to general income above an amount greater than the annual rate peg. The Office of Local Government and IPART recognise that, due to the delayed council elections and the determination of the 2022-23 rate peg at a lower rate than councils had forecast, councils may not have had sufficient time to prepare a special variation application within the normal timeframe. Council's application to IPART is due by the 29 April.

## Planning reforms

Armidale Regional Council resolved unanimously to make changes to local planning laws that make it easier for farmers to use their land in new and innovative ways. This includes tourism activities such as farm experiences, cellar doors and farm stay accommodation.

The reforms allow farmers wishing to renovate and operate old workers cottages and shearers quarters for overnight stays or let small groups camp on the property for a few days at a time obtain fast-tracked Council approval.

Councillor Paul Packham said that agri-tourism is on the rise and these reforms provide opportunities for generating another source of income and will assist the farming community to become more resilient to seasonal highs and lows.

Recognising that approval processes are often a disincentive to take up such opportunities, Cr Packham said that promoting the opportunities and guiding the hand of farmers through the process is a win-win outcome for our farmers and our region.

Council will now refer the proposed reforms to the NSW Government to seek their endorsement prior to them coming into effect.

## How TAFE NSW helped Joseph

A local 18-year-old with hopes of working in the public sector has fast-tracked his career by studying a TAFE NSW business course while still in high school. Joseph Stanley completed a Certificate II in Business through TAFE Digital as a TVET course and secured a scholarship to study a Bachelor of Arts at UNSW, as a pathway to studying Law.

Joseph's move to university has been assisted by securing the two scholarships through UNSW. An accommodation scholarship, to the value of \$25,000 per year, will help cover on campus accommodation costs for the duration of his three-year degree, while a UNSW Gateway Equity Scholarship to the value of \$5000 will help with educational materials, such as a laptop computer and textbooks.

The TAFE NSW student was also recently awarded a Trailblazer Award by Art of Smart for his community service and academic accomplishments, along with TAFE NSW Technology and Business Services Student of the Year last year.

"In Year 9, I learnt through my career advisor that I could gain a TAFE NSW qualification as part of my HSC. Since then, I've gained a real passion for giving career advice and have helped lots of my friends decide on their career path," Joseph said.



Joseph Stanley

"While the default option for students is often university, I've found studying a TVET course gives you a huge head start on your career. Being able to study something you're passionate about, which not only counts towards your HSC but gives you an industry-recognised qualification, is a no-brainer.

"I've since progressed to a Certificate IV in Business Ad-

ministration and have been accepted into university while working full-time in the industry. I'm looking forward to one day working in HR or employment, and helping others find their passion and succeed in their careers."

TAFE NSW Business Administration Head Teacher Monica O'Neill said Joseph is a prime example of how TVET courses can help students gain job-ready skills during high school.

"Our nationally accredited business courses equip students with the hands-on administration, communication, and organisational skills they need to join the workforce, and provides a strong pathway to further study," Ms O'Neill said.

"TVET courses are unique in that they help students build practical skills and industry-specific knowledge in an area they're genuinely interested in, while counting towards their HSC.

"Best of all, studying online through TAFE NSW provides flexibility and freedom so students can work around their other work and study commitments, and progress their career goals at their own pace."

To find out more about the range of business courses available through TAFE NSW, visit their website [www.tafensw.edu.au](http://www.tafensw.edu.au) or call 131 601.



**Meals on Wheels**

No Meals on Wheels for drivers to deliver until further notice

**Street Stalls**

April 8	Guyra CWA
April 14	Wig Library
April 21, 22, 23	Lions

**Church Notices**

**St. Mary of the Angels  
Catholic Church**

Mass 6pm Saturday and  
9am Sunday. Weekday  
Mass Monday – Friday 9am  
Contact: 6779 1036

**St. James' Anglican Church**

9am Sunday. Doors open  
from 8:30am. We have  
plenty of space, all wel-  
come! 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  
Service: 9.30am Contact:  
Nancy Davidson 6779 1366

**Service Clubs**

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

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

# 'Sign up' to support climate action

People in the New England area are joining with the Together We Can movement and 'signing up' with others all over Australia to call for much stronger action on reducing Australia's emissions – and they have the signs to show it.

Yellow signs calling for 'Climate Action now!' are already starting to appear all over New England on homes and fences to demonstrate that New Englanders want bold action on climate.

'The recent floods and tornado, and the drought and fires not long ago, are devastating indicators of the increasing volatility of our climate in response to the heating caused by greenhouse emissions,' said Annette Kilarr from Climate Action Armidale (CAA).

'The actions proposed by the Federal Government, including net zero by 2050, are far less than what is needed to secure a safe and viable future for our children. Australia must get to net zero emissions by 2035, starting this decade, and accelerate efforts to shift away from coal and gas to a fully renewable-powered economy to prevent catastrophe. The recently proposed Federal



The sign you'll see everywhere: pictured are Rob Nabben, Garry Slocombe, Nikki Rochford, Jodi Jardine, Annette Kilarr and Bea Bleile.

Budget did nothing to address the Coalition government's longstanding failure on climate.

'So from now on, our State and Federal MPs are going to see Climate Action Now signs wherever they go in New England – and they can have no doubt prior to the election that this is an issue they have to act on much more strongly and

that the community will hold them responsible for.

'Putting up a sign is a clear message to our leaders in politics, business and the community that we need decisive action now to bring climate change under control.'

To get a sign visit the CAA stall at the Armidale Farmers' Market on Sunday April 10th or visit the SLA website.

## Small schools cross country



Congratulation to Black Mountain students who participated in the Small Schools Cross Country at Bald Blair last week.



Pictured above are Dustin Turnham, Latai Ale and Steven Edlington.

The students had a great day



and enjoyed a lovely lunch provided by the Bald Blair P&C.

**Mrs Justine Eddy  
Relieving Principal**

## School holiday activities



### School holiday program at the Armidale & Guyra Libraries

Date	Venue	Activity	Booking
EVERYDAY	Armidale & Guyra Libraries	Come into the libraries to get your free home craft pack	Call or visit the libraries
EVERYDAY except 20 April	Armidale Library 10.30-11.30am	Holiday Story time & craft. Baby to Preschool ages.	No booking required
11 & 14 April	Armidale & Guyra Libraries	Lego Free play – all day	No booking required
11 April	Armidale 10-1pm Guyra 2.30-5pm	In conjunction with NSW Youth Week Henna artists from Manav Henna Art Studio will be in the libraries offering the opportunity to receive a Henna Tattoo.	Bookings essential
12 & 19 April	Armidale Library 1.30-2.30pm	Craft afternoons. School aged kids only.	Bookings essential
12 April	Guyra Library 10.30am	Easter Storytime and Easter Egg Hunt . Ages 0-10	Bookings essential
20 April	ONLINE 10.45-11.30 (the session will start at 11am sharp)	Cultural Infusion Hip Hop online session	Call libraries to book your place

Armidale Library - 1/182 Rusden Street, Armidale  
Guyra Library - 158 Bradley Street, Guyra

#### COUNCIL MEETINGS

The next Ordinary Meeting will be held on Thursday 28 April in Armidale from 4pm. The public are welcome to watch the live streaming over YouTube, Council's website or Facebook page.



#### Want to know what's on?

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# Rural Market Reports

## Guyra Sheep & Lamb Sale

**March 30th** – Yarding 4085. The numbers in both the sheep and lamb offerings were well down. The weather conditions having a large influence, while the influx for the show sale obviously also gone. The quality of the lamb offering was fair to good with restockers and processors well catered for. The market for very light weight young lambs to restockers was dearer. The better quality lines carrying more condition and weight saw little change. The well finished medium weight trade lambs up to 24kg dressed sold to cheaper trends. The heavier weights attracted keen competition from processors. Quality variations were a major factor in the cheaper trends through the heavy and extra heavy weight old lambs. Condition was very mixed through the sheep offering. Skin values in the Merino sheep also varied greatly. There was more competition on the plainer condition sheep than on the well finished lines with restockers and processors active. Market trends saw the plainer condition sheep firm to cheaper while the well finished medium and heavy weights were cheaper.

## Armidale Cattle Sale

**March 31st** - Yarding 280. Good rainfall over the past week reduced the penning substantially. There were limited supplies in each category, however grown cattle made up a good percentage. The quality of the offering was very mixed, while the majority of the well finished cattle were in the older categories. There was restricted processor and feedlot attendance with restockers active throughout. There was high restocker demand for all weight classes of vealer and yearling steers. This resulted in dearer trends throughout.

Light and medium weight yearling heifers also sold to dearer trends. Heavy weights to restock and feed saw cheaper trends with quality impacting some price change. Well finished heavy weight grown steers sold to a much cheaper trend under restricted processor competition. This trend flowed into the well finished grown heifers to process. A small number to restockers were dearer in places. The cow market was also cheaper as a result of the limited processor competition. Restockers were active. The bull market was also cheaper with restricted competition.

## Weekly Wool Market

**April 1st** - This week's national offering fell around 3,500 bales short of what was expected, mainly due to 6% being withdrawn prior to sale. Small losses were recorded on the first day of sales with the Northern region indicator finishing the day 9 cents were stabilising. This flowed through to the second day of sales with some minor increases in all the Merino types helping the indicator gain 1 cent. Sales continued in the Southern region on Thursday with further small gains reported particularly for the 18 micron and finer types. 38,862 bales were sold nationally for the week with a passed in rate of 13.1%. Major buyers included Techwool, PJ Morris and Aust Merino Exporters. Exchange rates continue to play a part in weekly market movements. The Eastern market indicator is 74 cents cheaper than its recent peak in the first week of February, however when viewed in US dollars there has been no change to the market at all. Forward market prices responded to the physical market appearing to find a base and traded in line with auction closing quotes for the near months.

## Soccer

In the opening round of the Sport UNE Football League Guyra took on competition favourites, South Armidale at the Guyra Recreation Ground on the weekend.

New comers to Division 1 Guyra went down seven goals to nil against the Scorpions. In Division 2 Guyra managed just the one goal to the Scorpions five in the opening round.

## Men's Bowls

Three games were played last Saturday - a game of triples was played between Wayne Reeves, Geoff Reeves and John Jackson versus Graham Starr, Greg Mitchell and Dan Kennedy. After an even start John, Geoff and Wayne ran away with a 27-10 win. Another triples game was played with Tim Ellis, Mallie Walls and Robert Walls playing Evan Sole, Roger Cox and John McIlwain. After 21 ends John, Roger and Evan won the game 19-14.

A game of open singles was played between Col Stanley and Steven Sole. After 13 ends there was only two shots separating the pair, Steven winning the game 31-10.

No games are set down for this weekend but the greens are for all members and anyone can have a roll anytime.

*Jack.*

## Ladies' Golf

Last week there was no golf played because of the wet conditions.

This week is an Individual Stableford sponsored by Black Mountain Nursery.

Next week is a Stableford with Julie Walker as the starter.

*Birdie*



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## NRL Gazette Footy Tipping

Smooch	48	Angel	38
Shiba inu Soldier	44	Iggman	38
Red Devils	44	The 3 Bunnies	36
Garden Gurus	42	From the Sideline	36
Sharky	42	Up the Knights	34
Mother	42	Elva Brazier	34
Bulldog	40	The Shy One	34
Hazel	40	The Honey Pot	32
Old Timer	38	Farmer Joe	24
Nightwatchman	38	Dip Stick	22
The Raider	38		

## Locals Entry Form - Round 6

Tips must be submitted by 4.00pm on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April**

Name: .....

Phone: .....

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





# Gazette's Celebrity Footy Tipping



A much better week for scores, except for the Gazette, Dip Stick and Farmer Joe! Top scorers with 14 points were the Celebrity lads at Fourways and Smooch, Red Devils and Mother of the Locals.

Smooch is still in top spot on the Locals Leaderboard on 48 points, followed by Shiba Inu Soldier and the Red Devils on 44.

In 3rd place we have Garden Gurus, Sharky and Mother on 42 points. Mother

trounced Old Timer who only managed 8 points this week and slipped to 5th place.

B&L's fabulous tipping has brought them into equal 1st place on 44 points with Sarah of Elders on the Celebrities Leaderboard.

Cody is in 2nd place on 40 points, followed by Sue and HD on 38. Next we have Vu and the Gazette on 36 and Soley on 34. Quite a close contest.

## Sue's Tips

- Sea Eagles
- Warriors
- Broncos
- Storm
- Rabbits
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



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## Soley's Tips

- Sea Eagles
- Warriors
- Roosters
- Storm
- Rabbits
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



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## B-&-L's Tips

- Sea Eagles
- Warriors
- Roosters
- Raiders
- Rabbits
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



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## HD's Tips

- Knights
- Cowboys
- Roosters
- Storm
- Rabbits
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



### This week's Specials:

Huge display of  
Easter eggs  
on sale this week  
including Cadbury bags  
just \$2.50



94 Bradley Street, Guyra  
6779 1555

**Score: 38**

## Cody's Tips

- Sea Eagles
- Warriors
- Broncos
- Storm
- Rabbits
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



### Opening Hours:

**Monday to Thursday:**  
8.00am to 5.30pm  
**Friday:** 7.30am to 5.30pm  
**Saturday:** 7.30am to 12pm



105 Bradley Street  
6779 1008

**Score: 40**

## Vu's Tips

- Sea Eagles
- Warriors
- Roosters
- Storm
- Rabbitohs
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



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**Score: 36**

## Gazette's Tips

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**Score: 36**

## Sarah's Tips

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- Warriors
- Roosters
- Storm
- Rabbitohs
- Eels
- Sharks
- Panthers



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and Drench Gun



173 Malpas Street  
6770 7000

**Score: 44**



# Classifieds Trades & Services

## MEETINGS

**GUYRA & DISTRICT TENNIS Club**  
AGM 6.30pm Tuesday, 12th April at  
17 Nielsen Street, Guyra. Contact  
Robert Jackson 0401 656 058

## FOR RENT

**COMMERCIAL OFFICES** main street.  
Kitchen, toilet and rear parking. Short or  
long term. D. Bearup 0412 856 679

## FOOD PANTRY

### Food Pantry at The Chapel

**OPEN**

10am - 12pm and 1.00pm - 2.30pm.

**8th & 29th April**

Contact: 0460 448 864

## COURSES

### FIRST AID

HLTAID011

Thursday, 21st April

**Bookings essential at**

### New England Community College

(RTO#90145)

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tended till 11th April. Venue and Event at  
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## DEATH & FUNERAL NOTICES

### ROHRSCHEIM; MAURICE VIVIAN

**1st April 2022**

**At Hospital and formerly of  
White Street, Guyra.**

Dearly loved husband of Marylyn  
(dec'd). Loving father & father-in-law  
of Debby (dec'd) & Stewart Cowdery,  
Jenni & James Jackson and loved grand-  
father & great-grandfather of their  
families.

**Aged 92 years**

For funeral details, please refer to  
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Phone: 6772 2288

## PROBUS NOTES

Our next meeting is on Monday, 11th  
April at 10am at the Bowling Club.

Yearly subs of \$30 are due to be paid.

Any new members would be welcome to  
attend the meeting.

We were very sorry to lose one of our  
special members, Maurice Rohrsheim at  
the weekend. Our deepest sympathy to his  
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*Judy Jackson*

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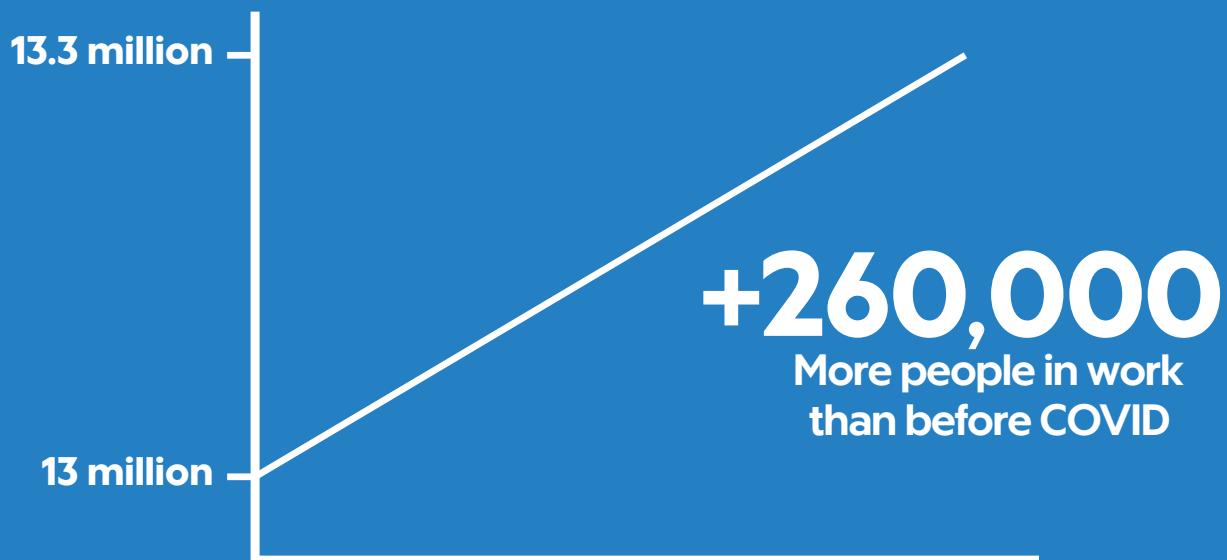
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# First hit out for junior league

Guyra Junior Rugby League had their first outing for the year, with eight teams travelling to Glen Innes for the Gordon Creighton Cup.

Teams from Armidale, Inverell, Moree, Warialda, Guyra and Glen Innes participated in the GALA Day, held in honour of a Glen Innes club stalwart Gordon Creighton.

Guyra was represented in under 8s, 10s, 12s, 14s, 16s divisions and junior, intermediate, and senior league tag.

All teams performed well on the day, with Glen Innes Minor League named the winners of the 2022 Gordon Creighton Cup.

Training continues this week in preparation for Round 1 of the Group 19 Junior League Competition commencing Saturday 30th April.



Under 8s with coach Braidie Vidler



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