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## Lotus Grand Tour brings classic thrills to town



Lotus Cars pulled up in Bradley Street on Saturday morning delighting locals

Guyra was transported back in time over the weekend as the Lotus Club Queensland (LCQ) Grand Tour rolled into town on Saturday, July 5th.

Not since the Guyra Grand Parade was held back in the 1990s has the community seen such an impressive display of vintage and exotic race cars gracing its streets.

Starting their journey in Queensland, the convoy of Lotus

vehicles made an early stop at the Tenterfield Railway Museum for breakfast, before continuing on through the scenic New England Highway to Guyra.

By 10:30am, the first sleek machines had begun arriving on Bradley Street, drawing car enthusiasts and locals eager to view the vehicles.

There was much conjecture among locals as to the correct term for a group of Lotus cars –

a garden, a bunch, a lagoon and even a plague were some of the suggestions.

The vibrant display outside the Burgess Garage Car Museum, with the overflow in the car park next door, became the focal point of the morning with friendly faces, waves, and smiles.

The Guyra Evening Branch of the Country Women's Association (CWA) provided a delicious

morning tea spread for the drivers.

Following their Guyra visit, the convoy headed down the Waterfall Way through Bellingen, before making their way to Grafton for the next leg of the tour.

Locals who witnessed the spectacle agreed it was a memorable day and many took the opportunity to be photographed with the cars and drivers.

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# Winter school holiday program offers fun and learning across the region

Children across the Armidale region are set for a winter break filled with creativity, curiosity, and community, thanks to a fun school holiday program led by Armidale Regional Libraries.

Starting Monday Jul 7th, both Armidale and Guyra Libraries will begin a diverse lineup of activities designed to engage children of all ages. From arts and crafts to LEGO building, science experiments to songwriting, and even computer programming and virtual reality experiences — there's something for every young mind.

“Our region's libraries are well-known for their diverse and interesting programs,” said Armidale Regional Council Mayor Sam Coupland.



A diverse range of activities are being held at the Guyra Library over the school holiday period

“We love our books, but the libraries are so much more than books alone!”

In addition to the in-library

activities, a cross-community treasure hunt will add an extra layer of adventure. Children can embark on a morse code quest,

discovering clues at the Armidale Folk Museum, Armidale Library, and the Visitor Information Centre.

This initiative by Armidale Folk Museum builds on the success of last holiday's morse code activity, which received an enthusiastic response from local families.

“The school holiday programs are intended to be inclusive, educational, and—most importantly—fun!” Mayor Coupland said.

Families are encouraged to check the council's website and social media channels for full program details. Contact Armidale Regional Libraries for more information and to register!

## Afternoon basketball program a great success

Guyra Central School (GCS) has hosted the ‘Our Mob, Our Game Come N Try’ basketball program throughout Term 2, thanks to the generous support of the NSW Basketball Association.

The initiative has brought energy and enthusiasm to Monday afternoons, with up to 27 primary students participating each week.

The sessions have offered more than just basketball training—they've fostered teamwork, skill-building, and community spirit. Each session concludes with a friendly game, after students enjoy a well-earned afternoon tea provided by the Association.

GCS Relieving Principal Mr Tim Lloyd said the program has been a resounding success and a valuable addition to the school's extracurricular offerings.

“This program has been a fantastic opportunity for our students to engage in sport, learn new skills, and build confidence,” said Lloyd.

“It's been wonderful to see staff and students working together to make this happen.

“Mr Jesse Bennett, Mr Tre-



Mr Tim Lloyd and Tyler Beard teaching spinning skills

mane Patterson, and Miss Eunice Blair have been instrumental, and our secondary students Jake Beard, Tyler Beard, and Seth Bennett have shown real leadership in helping to coach and mentor the younger students.

The NSW Basketball Association's contributions extended beyond weekly coaching, with the organisation also providing basketballs, two sets of team shirts, and coaching accreditation opportunities for staff.

“We're extremely grateful for the support from NSW Basketball,” Lloyd added. “We hope that everyone involved has thoroughly enjoyed the program.”

Don't forget the meeting at the Train Shed this Saturday July 13th, 10.30am - helpers needed

Snow Ball sounds like a great night out - book your tickets!

Joke of the week - send them in to news@gala.org.au

Lotus Grand Tour - what a great line of of cars!!



GCS Relieving Principal Tim Lloyd, Haylee Campbell, Janelle Stewart, Kelso Looker, Kelsey McLeod, GCS Careers Advisor Kylile Adams and Zander Lloyd

## JOKE of the week

The police are closing in on the notorious knitting needle killer. They say he is following a pattern

## Bureau of Meteorology Weather WATCH

Guyra MPS				
Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
1	Tues	3.3	6.8	10
2	Wed	0.4	6.1	2.2
3	Thurs		5.6	5.0
4	Fri	1.6	11.0	0
5	Sat	0.8	16.9	0
6	Sun	3.3	15.0	0
7	Mon	1.8	10.2	1.8
Rain this week			19.0mm	
July. rainfall			19.0mm	
Rainfall YTD			589.6mm	
Rainfall last YTD			453.6mm	
Ave. rain YTD			510.8mm	

Information supplied by Jeff Martin, Observer for Bureau of Meteorology

The Guyra Gazette has recently had the pleasure of welcoming Zander Lloyd as part of his Learning through Internship (LTI) placement. A Year 9 Big Picture student from Guyra Central School, Zander worked alongside editor Janelle Stewart, immersing himself in all aspects of newspaper production. From page layout to sports editing and headline writing, Zander took on each task with enthusiasm and a genuine passion for learning.

He also took part in interviews, photography, and contributed his own written stories to the paper. His experience reflects the core goals of the Big Picture program—learning through real-world projects tailored to students’ interests. Haylee Campbell and Kelsey McLeod have been exploring the inner workings of the o Guyra Adult Learning Association (GALA),community organisation through their own work experience placements. The initiative, delivered in

partnership with Guyra Central School, gave the students a chance to develop essential workplace and life skills through hands-on learning in a supportive local setting. The success of both programs highlights the strength of the partnership between Guyra Central School, GALA, and the broader community. Special thanks go to Kylie Adams and Tim Lloyd for their ongoing support of these valuable learning opportunities.

## Snow Ball returns for 2025

The Guyra & Community Progress Association is thrilled to announce the return of the Guyra Snow Ball on Saturday, 2nd August 2025. Following the resounding success of the inaugural Snow Ball in 2022, this glamorous Black Tie event is set to become a cherished tradition, with plans to hold it every second year. Though a grant was not secured for this year’s event, the unwavering support of generous local sponsors has enabled the Association to keep ticket prices to a minimum. Tickets are just \$125 per person, which includes a delicious three-course meal catered by

Little Cocos Gourmet & Catering. Live entertainment will be provided by the fabulous Terrafirma, and a fully stocked bar will be manned by the Guyra Show Society. Tickets are available now at <https://www.123tix.com.au/> – you will find the links on their Facebook page or by scanning the QR code on the poster (page 2). This special evening promises great food, live music, and a chance to dress up and celebrate with the community. We can’t wait to see you there for another magical night in Guyra! The Guyra & Community

Progress Association would like to sincerely thank the following sponsors for their generous contributions toward making the 2025 Snow Ball possible:

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- Donna Davidson



# Council News

## Council Meetings

**Our next scheduled council meeting is 23 July 2025.** All meetings will be held at 4pm in the Armidale Council Chambers unless stated otherwise. The public is welcome to watch live streaming over YouTube, via the link included below, or attend in person.

## Current Vacancies


**Finance Officer** - Closes 13 July. We are seeking a Finance Officer to support the Council's finance operations. In this role, you will assist with financial reporting, budgeting, forecasting, and general accounting tasks.

**Training Systems Project Officer** - Closes 13 July. As our Training Systems Project Officer, you'll be the go-to expert for managing and optimising our Learning Management System (LMS). You'll ensure training data is accurate, troubleshoot system issues, and support the rollout of new training initiatives.

**For more jobs and to apply | Search: Careers at Armidale Regional Council**

## Team Nicholii powers Guyra's seniors - volunteers welcome

Every Wednesday, Team Nicholii brings care and connection to Guyra's seniors. Steve prepares and serves morning tea, helps with clean-up during monthly hot lunches, and delivers Meals on Wheels. Bea, "a ray of sunshine," supports clients on the bus and helps with transport and meal deliveries. Kim drives the Wednesday and Friday shopping buses, keeping seniors mobile and independent. "These volunteers help our seniors stay social and live independently," says Bec Broughton, Home Support Services Coordinator.



## School Holiday Program

### School Holiday Program July 2025

#### Guyra Library

Date	Activity	Booking
10 July	Sphero Fun- race your Sphero around our maze or create your own art-work. 10.30-12pm & 2.30 -4pm	Booking required
11 July	Sandcastles – too cold to head to the beach, come on into the library and make a sandcastle with our kinetic sand   10.30-11.30 and 2.30 to 3.30 - All Ages	Booking required
15 July	Lego – Snow man Building Challenge   10.30-12 OR 2.30 - 4 – All Ages	Booking required
16 July	Virtual Reality – 10.15am to 4.30pm - Ages 10 & up	Booking required
18 July	Wooden insect hanging decorations - Decorate your animal and take it more to hang and decorate your room - 10.30-11.30 or 2.30-3.30	Booking required

Activities held at Guyra LT Starr Memorial Library  
- 158 Bradley St, Guyra Ph: 6770 7123



Want to make a difference? Join Team Nicholii and help brighten someone's week. **Volunteers always welcome!**

## NEREZ and the Armidale Region: Opportunity meets urgency

The New England Renewable Energy Zone (NEREZ) is set to transform the Armidale Region into a renewable energy powerhouse, with 8 gigawatts of generation capacity and \$24 billion in private investment. But while the economic opportunity is immense, the most urgent challenge is clear: water. Armidale is expected to become a central hub within NEREZ, supporting

over 1,100 new jobs and welcoming around 2,300 new residents.<sup>1</sup> This growth will place unprecedented pressure on local infrastructure — and water is already in short supply. The region faces a current water deficit, with an estimated additional demand of 700+ megalitres in dry years. Armidale's existing infrastructure — particularly Malpas Dam — can only meet about 60% of daily demand. To address this, Armidale Regional Council (ARC) is implementing a two-stage water security strategy! Find out more, scan the QR code below!



# Community Noticeboard

## Meals on Wheels

July 10	James Parker
July 11	Golf Ladies
July 14	Toni Kirkman
July 15	Heather Marchant
July 16	Bea Velthuis

## Street Stalls

July 10, 11, 12	Rotary
July 7, 8, 9	Lions
July 15	Can Assist

## Church Notices

**St. Mary of the Angels Catholic Church** Vigil Mass 5pm (during winter) Saturday 9am Sunday. Weekday Mass Monday – Friday 9am. **Contact:** 6779 1036

**St. James' Anglican Church** 9am Sunday, followed by morning tea. Doors open from 8:30am. All welcome! **Contact:** Rev. Tim Stevens 6779 1111 **Anglicare Chaplain:** Rev. Daniel Hayes (0428 828 852)

**St. Columba's Presbyterian Church** 9am Sunday followed by morning tea. Ben Lomond, 2pm October 5th **Contact:** Rev. Andrew Campbell 0447 724 536

**The Chapel:** 66 Llangothin Street: Sunday Service: 10am

**Contact:** Pastors Linden & Kerrie Pollard 0455 232 073.

**Seventh-day Adventist Church:** Aboomala Street, Sabbath School 10.00am Saturday Divine Service 11.30am Saturday. **Contact:** Minister Luke Reeves 0410 761 320 Church Clerk 6779 1587

**Uniting Church:** 57 Ollera Street: Regular Sunday Service: 9.30am **Contact:** Di Burey 0428 791 742

**Church of Freedom** (Cnr. Boorolong & Nincoola Sts.) Sunday worship: 10am Prayer meeting: Tuesday 6.30pm Bible discussion: Wednesday 6.30pm **Pastors:** Jeff & Sharon Ritchie 0421 847 973 Chaplaincy services: Dan McGinty 0409 399 270

## Service Clubs

**LIONS CLUB** 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month at Guyra Bowling Club, 7pm. Ph: Geoff Reeves 6779 1257 **ROTARY CLUB** 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month 6.00pm at Rafter's. Ph: Hans Hietbrink 0402 044 891

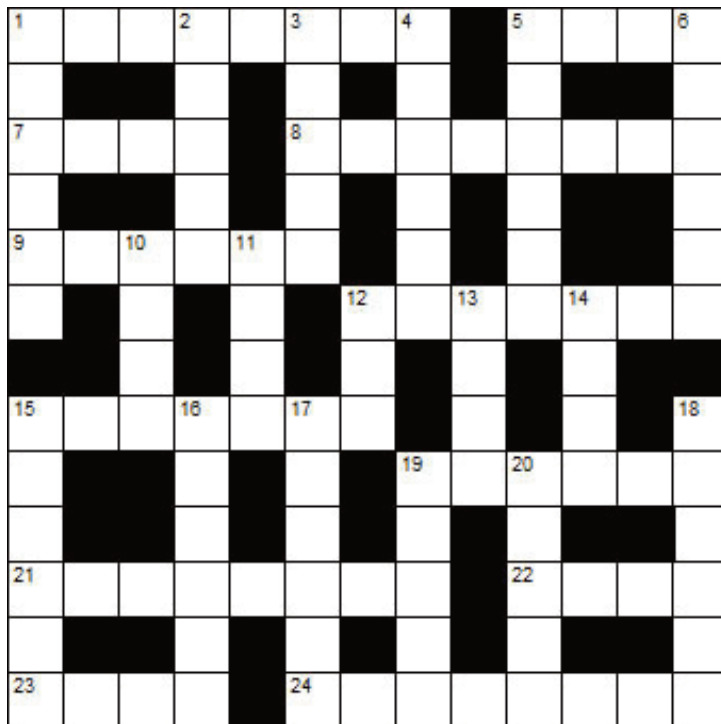
## ACROSS:

- Urgent (8)
- Amphibious creature (4)
- Mature (4)
- Big-hearted (8)
- Pick (6)
- Easily broken (7)
- Sapper character, \_\_\_\_\_ Drummond (7)
- Continue (6)
- Place (8)
- Slender (4)
- Comedienne, \_\_\_\_\_ Wax (4)
- Vision (8)

## DOWN:

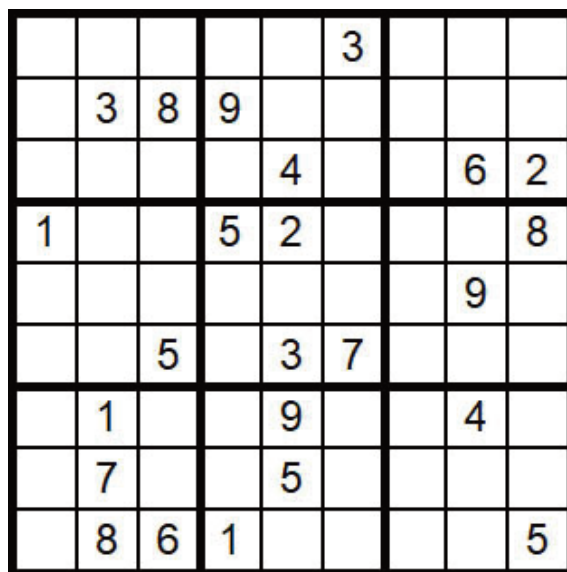
- Read (6)
- Sift (5)
- Metal block (5)
- Spice (6)
- Front of the neck (6)
- Longing (6)
- Respite (4)
- Ice \_\_\_\_\_ in Alex, film (4)

## QUICK CROSSWORD

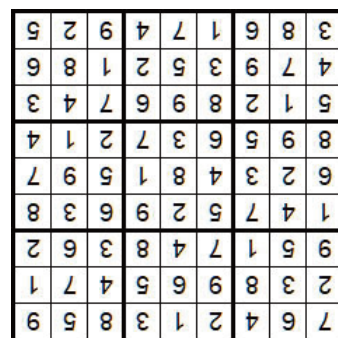


- Pouch (3)
- Capri, Skye, e.g. (4)
- Short ballet skirt (4)
- Head servant (6)
- Madness (6)
- Workplace (6)
- Famous Muppets frog (6)
- Shooting area (5)
- Japanese fish dish (5)

## Sudoku - Medium



**Across:** 1. Pressing, 5. Toad, 7. Ripe, 8. dog, 19. Resume, 21. Location, 22. Slim, 23. Ruby, Eysieght.  
**Down:** 1. Peruse, 2. Sieve, 3. Ingot, 4. Gin-ger, 5. Throat, 6. Desire, 10. Lull, 11. Cold, 12. Bag, 13. Isle, 14. Tutu, 15. Butler, 16. Lunacy, 17. Office, 18. Kermil, 19. Range, 20. Sushi.



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# Black Mountain Public School Final Assembly Term 2

On Friday, 27th June 2025, we held our final assembly for Term 2, 2025 at Black Mountain Public School. Students received Principal's Awards and Class Awards. Congratulations to our awardees.

It was lovely to see our parents/carers who attended our assembly celebrating our students' achievements.

**K-2 Awards** Aniya Patterson, Elijah Sampson Solomone 'Ale & Rivah Kennedy

**3-6 Awards** Arwyn Sampson, Mikyla Patterson Tremane Patterson & Clayton Peltonen

**Principals Award** Lucas Alexander & Layarna Patterson

*Mrs Justine Eddy  
Relieving Principal*



## The first year of the full SRV increase enables significant improvement in asset renewal

The 2025-26 financial year will be the first year Armidale Regional Council levies the full Special rate Variation (SRV) increase. Additional revenue through the SRV totalling \$9,255,000 will be levied for 2025-2026 financial year.

The Budget, Operational Plan, and associated Integrated Planning and Reporting documents were all endorsed at the Council meeting held on Monday, June 30th.

A 58.8 percent SRV was approved by the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART) in

2023. Revenue through rates

has been incrementally increased over the past two years, with the 2025-26 financial year being the first full year of implementation. This has already significantly reduced Council's operating deficit and increased its capacity to improve and maintain infrastructure—particularly roads.

Armidale Mayor Sam Coupland said the reason that SRV was needed is that traditionally the rate peg did not kept pace with inflation.

"IPART has recently changed its method of calculating the rate peg to align more closely to changes in costs. Rates increases will now return to the incremental

increases governed by the rate peg set by IPART", said Mayor Coupland.

Since the introduction of the SRV, Council has been scaling its resources to deliver the additional asset renewal and maintenance.

"It was a courageous move by the Council of the time—to seek and apply for the SRV. We've been able to deliver additional asset renewal and preventative maintenance to key infrastructure such as roads and buildings," said Mayor Coupland

A detailed breakdown of the projects completed through the additional SRV expenditure dur-

ing the first two years of implementation is now available on Council's website. The 2025-26 SRV expenditure plan is currently being finalised, but notable projects include the continued road widening and sealing of Rockvale Road and refurbishments to some of our local museums, to name a few.

"The community can be assured that improvements to roads and building infrastructure will continue over time. Projects that were previously delayed due to limited Council funding—often reliant on grant criteria—are now on track for completion," concluded Mayor Coupland.

## Senior Soccer

In the best game the Guyra 4th grade side has played all year, the team went down to the always solid DK dads team. Guyra had the run of the game for most of the first half with an unlucky "tripping" penalty in the box for DK to open the scoring. The score at the break being 2 to 0 for DK, but the Guyra side was right in the game.

The second half seen several chances go just wide of the posts or ball pinball around in the goals and still miss. The game ended up 4 to 0 for DK with the points going to Brett (3) for playing all over the field and a big effort this weekend. Robert (2) for consistency in the game against a much younger and faster strikers. Finally Noah Brennan (1) who gave it his all and would go on to play big minutes over three games for this particular day.

The 3rd Grade side also faced DK and started the game with an own goal from DK within the first two minutes for an early Guyra lead. The score was levelled in the 15th minute. The game was even then until the start of the second half when Adam Litherland found the net from out wide to take a 2 to 1 lead. This was levelled up by DK soon after.

Time beat the side in the end with the ending in a 2 all draw. The 3 points this week went to Tom Lockyer who backed up and played all 180 minutes across both the 4th and 3rd grade games, 2 points to Sujit who worked hard in the middle and 1 point to Charlie. This weekend the play continues with Guyra at home against Inverell and Westside at home from 1pm.

*The Friendly Ghost*

## Junior Soccer

The **Under 6 Phantoms** travelled to Armidale this weekend to play Easts Green for the third time

and showed just how much they've improved this season. All the Phantoms had a great game and are really starting to play well as a team. Lani Vidler had a game to remember, scoring her first goal! Then she scored her second. Then her third, and also her fourth! True story. Well done Lani!!

**Under 6 Caspers** had a tough game against TAS but their teamwork shone through and they scored some great goals! Great game Caspers!

**The Under 7 spooks** travelled to Armidale to take on Armidale City Westside Blue Whales. Due to school holidays and sickness, our team was down two players. Thanks to Edmond from the Under 6 team who stepped up to help out our team, joined briefly by Haidee who was called to help another team. They joined Roy, Frazer and Fletcher for the game. Our team is working on passing and position on the field. They are demonstrating great sportsmanship. They are improving every week.

**Under 8 Goosebumps** played in Armidale this week against Armidale City Goannas. With Guyra two players short the game was 5 on 5 and it helped both teams with a lot of good passing. Guyra played well in defence especially in the second half allowing the Armidale city only one shot at goal. Elinor and Haidee had great games and Vinnie, Sterling and Orlando had good games in attack and defence and were the team's goal scorers.

**Under 10s Phoenix** hosted Armidale Norths in Guyra on Saturday. Guyra began the game strong with some quality play and the game going a goal for goal. Unfortunately, the play was then a little rushed and crowded on a slightly smaller field compared to previous weeks. This resulted in a little bunching up and not marking up, which Norths then took the advantage and the upper hand with a

few quick goals. Players are still playing very well.

**Under 12s** travelled to Armidale this week to play the DK team. Things started slow for the Guyra side and unfortunately were caught napping with an off side run by the DK team to open their account. Guyra tried hard to get back into the game but were a little flat. DK managed to find the back of the net with an unmarked player on the back post to go into half time 2-0.

The second half sore the kids hop into gear and go about their normal game. Lots of backwards and forwards play in an attack and then defence saw the game close out as a 2-0 win to DK.

Standouts this week were Matthew in defence. Harry up front, and best on field this week was Charles with a hard thought game.

**Under 14s** played in Guyra this past weekend against the top of the table Westside team. It was a close game first half with some younger kids stepping up again in a team that lost players for the school holidays. Guyra opened the scoring halfway thought the half to take a 1 nil lead almost into the half time break. Unfortunately Westside was able to level up in the closing couple of minutes for 1 all at half time. The second half was close in the first 15 minutes, then Westside hit the lead and didn't look back with a couple of quick goals to win the game. Great games from Kayne Brennan in keeper and Taharn in the field kept Guyra in the game.

## Ladies' Golf

Last week there was no golf played because of the wild weather.

This week is supposed to be a Graham Betts Round but our course is very wet so we are unsure if we will be playing.

Next week is a Par Medal.

*Birdie*

## Men's Bowls

Matches for Saturday July 12th starting at 12pm:

**Handicap singles** - L Beechey versus D Kennedy marker M Simpson, T Ellis versus R Walls marker A Bull

**Open singles** - C Stanley versus D Wilcox marker R Cox

**Results** from the weekend - S Campbell and G Starr 24 defeated D Wilcox and R Mulligan 19, R Cox defeated M Simpson 31 to 24, R Walls defeated B Walls 31 to 16

*D Wilcox*

## Sunday Golf

The 1st round of the Shire Cup was played on Sunday in Armidale with the home side getting off to a flying start taking the lead 5-1 after the 4ball matchplay event.

The only point picked up was from Peter and Matt Jackson.

Ian Taylor and Neil Paine got off to a flying start in their match but got reeled in late in the game.

Darrin Towells and Steve Klien-dienst chased for the whole match but lost the game on the final hole.


Steven Wilson and Tyson Burey drew two young boys who played out of their skin and won the day.

Dom and Don Hill combined well but were unlucky to go down in their match as were Dick Burey and Brett Bishop in their challenge.

A great day was had by all and the Guyra Men are keen to get some points back when the Armidale team travel to our home course in a Canadian Foursome alternate shot event at the beginning of August.

This weekend will be a Monthly Mug Flag event with the following weekend being a junior/senior ambrose events so if any under 18s available call in and see Steve at Fourways and let him know your availability.

**HAPPY GOLFING S.K.**

 <b>Gazette Footy Tipping</b>			
Winter Wombat	175	Farmer Joe	145
KingGJBW	169	Crazy Cat Lady	145
Dip Stick	165	Birdie	145
The Panther	163	Bulldog	145
BigRus	163	Flip	143
Iggman	153	Scary Bear	143
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Wayno	151	Luigi	139
The King	149	Unbetables	139
Mocak	149	Bundles	131
The Third Player	149	Happy Gilmore	131

## Locals Entry Form - Round 20

**Tips must be submitted by 4.00pm on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July**

**Name:** .....

**Phone:** .....

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

**Byes:**  
Broncos





# Gazette's Celebrity Footy Tipping

It was one of our Local Tipsters, again, who scored a perfect round of 10 points. Congratulations to The Third Player.

The most common score was 6 points with a sprinkling of 8 points.

Bundles definitely had a bad week, scoring just 2 points to join Happy Gilmore in the Wooden Spoon position on 131 points.

Way out in front, on 175 points — 10 better than our Celebrity top scorer — is our Winter Wombat on top of the Locals Leaderboard.

The top positions are unchanged: King GJBW is in 2nd place on 169 points, Dip Stick in 3rd on 165 and The Panther sitting quietly in 4th place on 163.

Sue was the top scorer of our Celebrities with 8 points, keepint her in equal 4th place with the lovely lads at Four Ways on 151 points.

Mal is still in the lead on 165 points with Kim not far behind on 159 points.

Good luck with your tips this week and please don't forget to get your tips in on time!

## Sue's Tips

QLD  
Dolphins  
Storm  
Roosters  
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Our next meeting is on Monday, 14th July at the Bowling Club at 10 o'clock. Any visitors would be welcome.

We won't be able to have our dinner this month until our August meeting.

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# Spuds cling to fourth place with scrappy win

The Super Spuds took an important step towards a semi final berth with a scrappy win over the Moree Boomerangs at the New Red Hill on Sunday.

In their last home game of the year, the Spuds were never behind on the scoreboard, but had to stave off a dangerous Moree side late in the day.

Robert Sisson opened the scoring for Guyra with an intercept and an easy run to the line for a 6-nil lead.

Corey Torrens then ran it himself and crashed over for Guyra's second and it was 10-nil.

The Rangs showed they were not going to lie down with their first try coming against the run of play.

When Dylan Sutton latched on to an offload from Rave Brazier and spun out of a tackle to score it was 14-4 to the home side, until the Rangs posted another try just before the break to go to the sheds at 14-8.

In the second half Brazier scored one of his own when he ran onto an inside pass from Cormack Hume to make it 20-8.

However, every time the Spuds kicked clear a mistake would let the Rangs back in it and this allowed the lead to narrow to 20-18.

Matt Sisson scored what looked like the try of the day for the Spuds but it was called back and it took a Riley Campbell four-pointer to extend the lead to 24-18.

Moree levelled the scores and threatened to go ahead, but with 10 minutes to play Torrens found



Double try-scorer Rave Brazier beats a Moree tackler on Sunday

Tahmani Landsborough unmarked out wide and the winger put Guyra up 28-24.

A couple of key defensive stops allowed the Spuds to keep that lead and in the last five minutes they managed to seal the win with a second great try to Rave Brazier and an unusual one on the stroke of fulltime to Angus Brazier after a missed field goal attempt.

The final score was 38-24 and flattered the Spuds, but ensures they stay in fourth spot.

Club points went to Robert Sisson (3), Archie Dowden (2) and Angus Brazier (1), while Rave Brazier was voted players' player.

The Spudettes didn't get the result in the earlier game, going down 28-4.

The only try-scorer for Guyra was Lorissa Wilson, who split the

Moree line right on halftime to keep Guyra in it at 12-4.

Moree was too good in the second half with three more tries, but the Spudettes also remain in fourth place.

Kiarna Landsborough was play-

ers' player and earned two club points, while Danielle Sutton picked up three points and Katie Ahoy one.

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