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Formal marks end of schooling



GCS Year 12 2018 - Ben Heagney, Hunter Davidson, Todd Handebo, Zak Cannon, Sarah Walls, Emily Knox, Alice Stanley, Lily Soraghan, Beth Burgess and Emily Looker **Absent** Zakiya Blair. *Photo courtesy Leigh Dorothy Photography*

The exams are over and the Class of 2018 at Guyra Central School let their hair down on Friday night, celebrating the end of thirteen years of education.

Year 12 students dressed

and suited up for the occasion with their partners, family, friends and staff.

The night was full of fun, laughter, speeches and good food for the students who have recently completed their

Higher School Certificate examinations and are now looking forward to new adventures, whether it is going to University, seeking paid employment, enrolling into TAFE or embarking on a journey of

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Kym, Sarah and Ron Walls



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CHARITY GOLF DAY

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Keep an eye on the garden

Staff from the Hub at Guyra arrived last week to discover that vandals been active in the Community Garden and are now calling on the community to assist with keeping an eye on this valuable asset.

The garden, which is managed by the Hub and maintained by volunteers, has been set back by the vandals who seem to have little regard for the many hours that have gone into creating this space which is available for the whole community.

Coordinator Chris Hietbrink has described the damage as pure vandalism.

"A mattress was dumped in the garden and plants were also pulled out which is extremely disappointing," Chris said. "To

make matters worse, they also turned on the taps, at the same time removing the tap handles to make turning them off difficult for our staff."

"This space has been created as a quiet place for people in this community to come and enjoy, it is not a place where people should feel uncomfortable or threatened by the actions of others."

Plans to upgrade the Hub will also include extra security and lighting, however in the mean time they will be keeping a closer eye on activities and liaising with police to ensure the garden remains open to the public.

They are also seeking assistance from the community to ensure that no further damage

occurs and that the garden can continue to be a safe and productive place for the community.

"The garden belongs to everyone and we urge people to join us in being vigilant and reporting any anti-social behaviour or unusual activity in the vicinity," Chris said. "If anybody sees activity that they think may be suspicious we urge them to contact staff at the Hub or report it to the police."

"This is a community asset, not a rubbish tip and it is there for everybody to enjoy. We want it to remain open so people can make use of both the space and its produce, so we will be making every effort to ensure it is used for its intended purpose and not as a place for bad behaviour."

Do it for Angie



A Guyra woman remains in a coma three weeks after she was injured in a four-car crash north of Armidale.

Angie Garrett was trapped in her car for 30 minutes before being released. After initially being treated at Armidale Hospital she was air-lifted to John Hunter Hospital.

After an outpouring of support from the community wanting to help Angie and her family there has been a bank account set up at the Regional Australia Bank to help support them through this heartbreaking time.

Account name - Doing it for Angie, BSB - 932000, Acc no. - 761645

For internal transfers from Regional Australia Bank please note S3 at the end of the account number.

Donations will go towards bills and expenses for the Garrett family.

Last drinks for Cookie

Local publican Ian 'Cookie' Cook has served his last drinks at the Guyra Hotel (aka the Bottom Pub).

Cookie has been at the pub for the past eight years and previously filled a similar role at both the Royal Hotel and the Guyra Golf Club, clocking up a total of 30 years in the hospitality business.

Not one for a lot of words, Cookie did say that he will take time to enjoy a rest and possibly do some travelling and spend more time with his wife Fiona. He will also enjoy having a beer on the other side of the bar for a change.

Providing sponsorship to sporting teams has been a



Ian Cook has handed over the reins to Michael Shiner

hallmark of his time at the pub and Cookie was always known for supporting teams

including both junior and senior rugby league, soccer and the fishing club.

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DOING IT FOR ANGIE - donations welcome to support the Garrett family at Regional Australia Bank

PEONIES beautiful and in bloom - grab a bunch and enjoy!

GOOD LUCK to Guyra nominees at Sports Award

What's **NOT**

MAXIMUM TEMP. in Guyra on Thursday less than the minimum on Wednesday!

Submit your Hots and Nots by phone 6779 2132 email news@gala.org.au or drop in to the GALA centre

QUOTE of the week

In war, there are no unwounded soldiers.

Weather WATCH

Guyra Hospital

Date	Day	Min	Max	Rain
6	Tues	17.0	31	0
7	Wed	16.8	27.8	3.2
8	Thurs	4.6	14.2	19.0
9	Fri	3.4	16.1	0
10	Sat	6.5	18.4	0
11	Sun	5.9	20.7	0
12	Mon	4.9	20.1	0

Rain this week	22.2mm
November rainfall	22.2mm
Rainfall YTD	462mm
Rainfall last YTD	933.6mm

A small crowd gathered outside the Guyra Soldiers' Memorial Hall on Sunday to mark the 100th anniversary of the signing of the armistice that ended the First World War.

Ron Vickress presided over the ceremony, marking a century since the guns of the Western Front fell silent after more than four years of continuous warfare.

Most of the men who enlisted from Guyra were part of the 33rd Battalion AIF which left Sydney, bound for the United Kingdom in May 1916. Arriving there in early July, the battalion spent the next four months training.

They crossed to France in late November, and moved into the trenches of the Western Front for the first time on 27 November 1916, just in time for the onset of one of the worst winters experienced in the Northern Hemisphere.

The battalion, joined with three others, became part of the 3rd Division. Their major



Ron Vickress led the service marking 100 years since the end of WWII

and worst battle was around Passchendaele in September and October 1917. The battlefield had been deluged with rain, and thick mud and clay tugged at the advancing troops and fouled their weapons.

The battle was disastrous but the 3rd Division, including our Guyra soldiers, captured the German blockhouses on the hill of Passchendaele on 4th October, 1917 with great loss of life.

Tee off for the Helicopter

The Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service Guyra volunteer support group Charity Golf day was such a success back in April, the Guyra Bowling & Recreation Club is staging another this weekend.

They have allocated Sunday November 18th as the second date for a two man ambrose, teeing off at 10.30am and open to men, women and juniors.

Eric Heagney has been a member of the local volunteer group since it started 18 years ago and was one of the instigators of the day. Eric is a former lawn bowler, retired from the greens, but very much active with the organising and running of the charity day. While he doesn't play, he still enjoys a social day out.

The charity event started off with a bowls day first back in 2008, then it became a golf and bowls day in 2011. Unfortunately lack of numbers forced the bowls part to be



Eric Heagney instigated the fundraiser 10 years ago

scrapped but the day has continued as a golf ambrose with upwards of 30 players teeing off in recent years.

"We decided to concentrate on the golf day and it's worked

A full strength Battalion generally numbers 1,000. The 33rd was left with 231 soldiers.

For the next five months the 33rd alternated between periods of rest, training, labouring, and service in the line. When the German Army launched its last great offensive in the spring of 1918, the Battalion was part of the force deployed to defend the approaches to Amiens around Villers-Bretonneux. It took part in a counter-attack at Hangard Wood on 30 March, and helped to defeat a major drive on Villers-Bretonneux on 4 April.

Later in 1918, the 33rd also played a role in the Allies' own offensive. It fought at the battle of Amiens on 8 August (known as "Black Friday"), during the rapid advance that followed, and in the operation that breached the Hindenburg Line at the end of September, thus sealing Germany's defeat. The 33rd Battalion disbanded in May 1919.

out pretty well," Eric said. "They are wonderful days and we had a big day in April and when the club found they had a vacant day in November they offered it to us."

"It's open to everyone - men, women and juniors and we will have a good day. We've got a good group up here, we have our ups and downs but it is great fun."

The ambrose is being held this Sunday November 18th and the volunteer group hope to build the numbers with plenty of prizes on offer. A BBQ lunch is included in the entry fee is just \$25 for adults and \$10 for juniors.

To join Eric and his fellow WRHS volunteer support group members to raise money for this vital and free service ring Eric 6779 1293 or the Guyra Bowling & Recreation Club on 6779 1499. The day is open to members and social players alike.

UNRESERVED CLEARING SALE

SUNDAY, 18th NOVEMBER 2018

PROPERTY SOLD

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Location: 1075 Tenterden Road, Guyra NSW 2365

Start Time: 10.00am AEDT

Machinery: New Holland TX 66 Header 5031hrs; Honey Bee Draper front, new draper belt, canola auger/ reel & trailer; Kuhn Feed Out wagon- Knight 5143, working scales system, hay retention ring; Heavy Duty Uni Bar 72 plate, Off-set disc Plough; Kelly Disc Chain- 50ft - GC; PJ Green ½ tonne air seeder for Kelly chains; Compost Turner- Oz Turner; Fiatagri Round Baler 5670; 2014 Foton Tunland ute, 2.8 TD,, Reg 20/4/19- CB.66. TA, 119,000kms; Amarok ute back & roll bar- New; Ute service body-; Yamaha TTR230 Bike, 4568kms; 2 Honda 4x4 Quad bikes; Suzuki King Quad 4x4, 9585kms; Honda Quad bike- parts only; Yamaha kids Quad- Raptor 50cc; 6 Quad bike tyres/rims; Quad bike nudge bar; Grain auger- 40ft x 8inch, B&S motor elec start - GC; Grain field Bin, with metal floor 12.6ft x7ft; Croplands Spray 14m boom, Hyd lift & fold; Vicon 8ft mower conditioner; Grouper- twin bin, dual augers; John Deere- Z Track, zero turn, 48inch; John Deer X320 Mower- 42inch; Forks to suit Cat 966 loader - GC; Semi Turn Table (not R/W); Qty Hay Spikes; Bobcat Trencher- GC; Rock rake; Tipping trailer; Pressure Cleaner; RHS Foam Marker & parts; Roller Mill- 3 phase & auger; Tyre- new Super single 425-65/22.5; Mining Equipment- Sieve, elev. bins, stands.

Livestock & Fencing equipment: Stevylon Minimatic Wool Press & scales - GC; Lister overhead gear & down tube; Heineger Acutecc shearing Grinder - near new; Cyclone Portable Sheep panels, race on trailer; Sheep handling panels; Qty cattle panels; Qty gate in frames; Assorted shearing items; Assorted animal health items; 2 Bale Trollies; Steel Wool table; Cooper overhead gear; Sheep/ Cattle feed troughs; Sheep/ Cattle feed trough stands; Sheep trough-PVC; PVC pipe- water trough with float, 6m; 5 mobile Self

feeders- 2t; 8 Self Feeders 4t; 1 Self Feeder 2t; Feed out bin- Hyd door; Feed out bin; 12 Round bales- pasture hay; Gallagher Elec Fence energy - mains; Gal Fence Posts; Qty Hinge Joint;

Work shop & Sundries: CIG 400 arc welder- 3phase; Uni Mig Welder, single phase- 20amp; Cement mixer-PTO; Brick Saw; Qty bolts; Quad bike spray tank- 80L; Tank Stand or silo ext; Qty Fer/ Grain tarp tyres; Concrete pipe end culverts; Concrete Pipes 2.4m x 450mm; Cattle Grid; Qty Farm gates 12' & 16'; 2 Small shed frames; Poly water tank- 750L; Qty polly pipe (New & Used); Trailer metal cover-8'x5'; Gal heating oil tank; Qty used batteries; Qty damaged 1000L shuttles; Qty Coil wire rope- 16mm; Heavy tow Cable- steel; Metal shed; Qty fire wood; 1T bag holder for Euro Hitch forks; Dog Kennels; Chook house- mobile.

Antiques, Artwork & Furniture: To be offered is a unique selection of Antique furniture & Collectibles retained from the original Tenterden Homestead. These items were purchased from the late Col GB McLean & Mrs H McLean. Many of these items are in show room condition and are of the late 18th & early 19th century. Such items include a Victorian mahogany dining table, Gustav Becker clock, Victorian Mahogany Davenport, 19th Cent. Cedar bookcase. A full list of items will be available on web site.

Building Materials: Large Qty of doors & windows, mantel pcs; Qty bricks & pavers; Qty Z purlins; Qty roofing Iron ; Qty PVC pipe; Qty form boards; Qty building timber; Qty sleepers; Insulation bats; Qty T&G flooring; Qty H/W decking timber; Qty lining boards; Assorted building timber; Picture theatre seats- 8 per row; Gal Down pipe: Some items are brand new.

For photos and further details go to: www.rwrguyraarmidale.com.au

Viewing/ Inspection: on sale day from 7:30am.

Directions:

From Guyra - travel 18km North-West, turn left onto Tenterden Rd for 11kms.
From Inverell - travel 74kms on Guyra Rd, turn right onto Tenterden Rd for 11kms.
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Full payment prior to taking possession of goods required on the day of sale.

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Meals on Wheels

November 15th Michael Austin
November 16th Ann Williams
November 19th Lions Club
November 20th Pamela Carter
November 21st Amanda Bishop

Street Stalls

November 15th
Lions Club
November 16th
Guyra CWA

Church Notices

St James Anglican

Sunday 9am Morning Service, 1st
Sunday of the month Backwater
2pm, 3rd Sunday of the month
Ben Lomond 11.30am

Rev Mark Evers 6779 1111

St Mary's Catholic

Saturday Mass 6pm in Guyra,
Sunday 9am, 1st Sunday of
month Ben Lomond, 3rd Sunday
Wards Mistake, otherwise Guyra

St Columba's Presbyterian

Guyra Sunday 9.00am, Ben
Lomond Service, first Sunday of
even-numbered months, 2.00pm
Rev Andrew Campbell,

Ph. 0447 724 536

Uniting Church

Regular Sunday Service 9.30am
Enq. Nancy Davidson 6779 1366

Seventh-day Adventist

Saturday from 10am Bible Study,
11am Divine Service.

Enquiries: 6779 1587

Northwest Church

66 Llangothlin St, Sunday
meeting 10am, Thursday 7pm
Food Pantry - Fridays 1-3pm
Tony Stace 0427956772.

Church of Freedom

10 Nincoola Street - Contact:
0421 847 973, Tuesday Prayer
6.30pm, Wed Bible Study 6.30pm
Sunday Service 10am

Service Clubs

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

ROTARY CLUB dinner meetings
2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month
at Rafter's Restaurant, 6pm for
6.30pm. Ph: Aileen MacDonald
0417 079 307

TroutFest thankyou

The TroutFest committee would like to thank everyone who contributed to the success of TroutFest.

Our Committee would especially like to thank the major sponsors without whose support we could not have run the festival: Armidale Regional Council, Regional Australia Bank, Guyra Recreation and Bowling Club, Guyra District Vet Services, Guyra Pharmacy, Hairy Tales, 2AD, Recreational Fishing Trust, Dot Vickery and Warren McCowen. In particular special thanks must go to June and Neil Paine of Juneil's Coffee Shop who not only sponsored the Art show but also gave much of their own time and their premises free of charge to ensure the Art Competition and Show were a success.

Other individuals also made significant contributions including our renowned gardeners Tony Duke and David Kanaley, community members who staffed the gates, Tegan Mendes for music at the art show, volunteers who sat on the art show desk, Bertha Reeves and Jenny Cantlon who knitted fish, Evan and Steven Sole for premises,



Glenda Sorgahan won the raffle held in conjunction with the Art Show

Lorna and Bernie Brazier, the members of the Antique Machinery Club and the train rides, the Lions Club for sponsorship and for gazebos, the businesses and galleries who were depots for art entries, the VRA and SES for traffic control, Betty Anne and David at the Club, our three trolley men Wal Chapman, John Cumming and John Reid, musicians Charlie Looker, Ron Vickress, Barb and Jim O'Neil who offered their services free of charge, Sean Plunkett, New Connection, Crooked Tree, and Steve

Mephham. And there are others. So many contribute to events such as this so thank you all. We appreciate your willingness to support a community event so wholeheartedly. The TroutFest committee was pleased to be able to support three local charities through donations Can Assist, Catholic Women's League and the Wig Library

Finally, a special salute to all members of the TroutFest Committee who put in so many hours over several months.

TroutFest Committee

Dancers ready for recital

Australian Dance Enterprises will hold their annual dance recital this Sunday. ADE's Guyra students have been busy practising their routines and took part in a full dress rehearsal on Saturday in preparation for the concert.

Thirty local Guyra students aged from 3 years through to 17 years of age will be performing in this year's recital.

The theme this year is 'The Greatest Show', inspired by the movie "The Greatest Showman".

The Recital will be held at Lazenby Hall UNE Armidale this Sunday November 18th commencing at 3pm. Tickets can be purchased at the door from 2:15pm.

Right: Guyra students at the dress rehearsal





Guyra Show Society

The 2019 Guyra Show will be held on
Friday & Saturday, 22nd & 23rd February

Why not become a member of the Show Society
and enjoy the benefits of being a member?

Family membership: \$30 (includes member's ticket, guest ticket, and children 16 & under)

Single membership: \$20 Youth membership: \$10

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- Show Schedule posted well prior to the Show



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 cakes, flowers, vegetables, fruit, horticulture,
 Special categories for junior entries

Are you interested? Volunteers are also most welcome!

Please come along to our next meeting on Wednesday, 5th December, 6.30pm at the Showground.

This will be a relaxed gathering with a light supper and drinks provided.

For more information please call: 6779 2132

or email: admin@guyrashow.guyra.net



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Lucky winner in Platinum Ticket promotion

Guyra sheep producer James Stewart was one of the first farmers in Australia to purchase Tridectin, the latest sheep drench from Virbac Australia that's being heralded as a huge break-thru in the fight against worms.

Tridectin is the world's only broad-spectrum combination drench with a registered claim to kill triple-resistant and monepantel-resistant worms. As a result, it provides a reliable, safe and effective worming solution that guarantees healthier, more productive sheep.

On opening his pack, James received an extra special surprise. To celebrate Tridectin's launch, Virbac has been running a special 'Platinum Ticket' promotion – and James was one of three lucky winners to find a platinum ticket, which were randomly placed inside the first ever batch of Tridectin.

James has won himself a pair of Samsung Gear VR Goggles (as featured in the Tridectin TV commercial) – and Virbac will also be donating \$500 to local charity Westpac Rescue Helicopter Service,

as nominated by James.

Virbac Australia Sheep Product Manager Terrance Laughlin had this to say on James's win. "This has been a really fun and engaging way to mark the launch of Tridectin. A big well done to James. We hope he'll get just as much pleasure from using his VR Goggles as he will from seeing the benefits of Tridectin on his animals' health."

Right:

James Stewart was one of three lucky winners in to find a platinum ticket inside his sheep drench



Lady golfers return from annual trip

We have just returned from the twenty first Guyra Lady Golfers' trip to the coast. We were pleased to be able to fit three games into the programme, as we dodged the storms which hit the region late Wednesday afternoon and early Thursday morning.

Joyce Betts and Jenny Rogers won the 4BBB Stableford competition at Nambucca Heads Island Golf Course with 38 points. Wendy George and Kerry Bull were runners up on 37 points. At South West Rocks Golf Course, Shona Mulligan won the Stroke competition on 79 net with Belinda Lenehan the runner up. On Friday the picturesque Kempsey course was in excellent condition and the 4BBB Aggregate was won by Kerry Bull and Pam Youman on 67 points with runners up Jenni Jackson and



Back l to r: Donna White, Jenni Jackson, Kerry Bull, Wendy George, Pam Youman, Debbie Burey, Anita Murray, Julie Walker. **Middle:** Belinda Lenehan, Wendy Jackson, Meg Simpson, Pip White, Karen Oehlers, Kath Varley, Joyce Betts **Front:** Jenny Rogers, Vicki Reeves, Tracy Norberg, Shona Mulligan

Julie Walker on 61 points.

On the programme for the

21st November is a Stableford

competition on Joyce Betts' Tro-

phy Day.

The Phantom

CHOIR PRACTICE

St Mary of the Angels Catholic Church will host the Combined Churches Christmas Carols for 2018 on Sunday December 16th. The choir will also perform at the Ben Lomond Memorial Hall on Monday December 17th.

In preparation for these performance, the Combined Churches Choir will start practising Carols for Christmas next Monday, November 19th, followed by Monday, November 26th and then the 3rd and 10th of December.

Practice will take place in the St Mary's Parish Hall commencing at 7.30pm.

New members for are welcome, especially men. Come along and have fun singing and enjoy the community spirit in the lead up to Christmas. For more information contact Nancy Prisk 0438 791 057 or Sue Adams 6779 1004.

PROBUS NOTES

Our monthly meeting was held on Monday. Our guest speakers this week were Robyn Jackson and Caroline Fitzroy with help on the projector by Liz St Clair. They gave us a look at their trip to Spain and Morocco and the lovely buildings and gardens which they saw there. This was enjoyed by all our members

Our Christmas dinner will be held at our next meeting on December 10th. The cost will be \$25 and those members who will be attending are asked to contact Judy Jackson as soon as possible.

We have a visit planned to the fish farm next Monday November 19th and we will meet at the Bowling Club at 9.30am.

Judy Jackson

Mayor's Message

Sunday's Remembrance Day ceremonies evoked many emotions.

Ceremonies held throughout our region were underpinned by the solemn reflection that must come with remembering the destruction and loss of life during World War I.

It was a great privilege to be involved in the Tingha service, to play a part in remembering the sacrifices made by so many people to protect our nation's sovereignty and way of life.

I was also very conscious of being part of a national event that is so important in teaching and reminding us about the horrors of war and the vital need for tolerance, understanding and compassion for all people.

A number of my fellow councillors participated in various ceremonies in the region. Councillor Diane Gray represented Council at the Armidale ceremony and Councillor Brad Widders was part of the Guyra event, and both shared that sense of honour and responsibility.

This year's Remembrance Day activities also had an added feeling of nostalgia, as they marked 100 years since the signing of the Armistice that ended WWI at the 11th hour, of the 11th day on the 11th month of 1918. While acknowledging the gravity of that event and the terrible conflict it brought to an end, the centenary also triggered contemplation about just how different Australia and our region were back then – but also how little some things have changed.

Corresponding Armistice Day events around the world, including the landmark ceremony in France bringing together many key heads of state,

signalled a heartening move towards unity and a shared journey.

However, world history starkly demonstrates that WWI was not the 'war to end all wars', as humanity had once hoped, and recent trends around the world suggest it has never been more important to respect one of the underlying messages of Remembrance Day – the need to respect and embrace people of all race and religion.

Amid all these sombre emotions, there was also an element of local pride about the important roles played by Armidale region residents in WWI, in subsequent conflicts and in ongoing Australian military service.

The Armidale region has an extraordinary prominence in Australia's wartime history that is deeply etched into our region's identity.

That prominence is illustrated by the collection at Armidale Folk Museum. On Sunday, coinciding with Armidale's Remembrance Day ceremony, the museum opened a new exhibition capturing the region's involvement and experiences of WWI. Until 3 February, visitors to the museum and the Sorrow, Celebration and Social Change exhibition will be able to gain a greater understanding and appreciation of how the region contributed to the cause and then celebrated the Armistice.



Simon Murray

Stallholders invited for Christmas celebrations

Guyra's community Christmas tree will burst into life when the town celebrates its annual Christmas Party on Friday 7 December.

The Rotary Club of Guyra is teaming with Council to host this year's Guyra Christmas Party in Bradley Street from 5.30pm.

Applications are invited from people interested in having a stall at the event. Visit www.armidaleregional.nsw.gov.au/council/council-events/christmas-celebrations for an application form or contact Hans Hietbrink at hans@mcalistehouse.com.au for details.

Business workshops

Council is holding a series of workshops to help businesses in the region understand local government procurement, so they are better placed to bid for contracts.

The workshops, being held by Council's Business and Economic Development team, begin with a session on Tuesday 20 November at 5.30pm at the New England Regional Art Museum. Topics addressed at the first workshop will include tendering, quotations,

purchasing and supplier requirements.

Providing business owners in the region with the necessary skills and knowledge to do business with Council, through a large contract like the Local Government Procurement Contract, exposes those businesses to a much larger potential market. It also helps to improve Council's local spend.

To register to attend the workshop go to www.eventbrite.com.au and search for Armidale and procurement.

Road naming

Racecourse Road

Notice is hereby given that Armidale Regional Council, in pursuance of section 162 of the Roads Act 1993, has officially named the following road:

Location: Lot 78 DP 753654. Heading towards the Tingha Racecourse off Kempton Road, Tingha. Name: Racecourse Road

Name to officially take effect from 1 November 2018 Authorised by resolution of Council on November 2008

Council Ref: ARC16/0043

Armidale Regional Council Chief Executive Officer Susan Law.



CHRISTMAS

Guyra

Christmas Party

Save the date

Friday, 7 December

Bradley St, From 5.30pm

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COUNCIL MEETING

An extraordinary meeting of Council will be held on Wednesday 21 November 2018 for the presentation of financial statements. The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday 28 November 2018 at the Tingha Sports & Recreation Club, New Valley Rd, Tingha from 1pm. Public welcome to attend.

PUBLIC NOTICE - Wednesday 14 November 2018

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Men's bowls

Sunday November 11th saw a game of Club Triples played. Cameron Peardon, Barry Presnell and Wayne Reeves played Steven Sole, Scott Campbell and Barry Campbell. This game seemed all lost for Cameron's team as they seemed to have no answer to Steven's team as they went on to a victory, but in saying that the game was played in good spirit.

There was also a game of Open Club Singles played between David Wilcox and Michael Shiner. David bolted to an early lead leading 11 shots to 1 shot by end 7, it was at this point that Michael found the green and set about closing the gap this he achieved end 19. After this the scores remained static with first one bowler taking the lead then the other it was during this period that the scores were level on 4 occasions. By end 34 the scores were 27 shots all, with both only within 4 shots off victory, Michael won the next two ends leaving him only wanting one shot to win but David had other ideas and he put his head down and by end 39 he had managed to get the 4 shots he required to take victory 31 shots to 30 shots over 39 ends.

There will be no Club Championships this weekend owing to

the Maitland Bowling Club visit Saturday November 17th. Speaking of the visit there is a sheet on the notice board for any Bowlers or Social Men Bowlers wishing to take part to place their names on it, we need as many Men Bowlers as possible.

Well readers it is that time again when the Guyra Bowling and Recreation Club show off their Club to visiting Bowlers. The Annual Schweppes and Regional Bank Bowls Carnival will be played commencing with the Open Women's Triples to be played Tuesday November 27th, and yes Lady Bowlers there is still time to get your team together and enter this competition.

The Mixed Triples will take place Wednesday November 28th and there also is still time to enter your team in this competition.

To enter either competition the contact No. is (02) 6779 1499 and speak to Betty Ann or Email: admin@guyrabowling-club.com

Entries close Tuesday November 20th 2018.

On Thursday November 29th and Friday November 30th the Schweppes Pairs will be played, entries to this event are full. (32 teams). As of previous years the entries come from far and wide and the teams are of a high

quality.

On Saturday December 1st and Sunday December 2nd will see the Regional Bank Triples played, this also has a full field of 32 teams. Again the teams entered are of a high quality. Many Teams have contested this event before so the faces will be familiar to many, as will the Schweppes Pairs teams.

For further inquiries on either the Pairs or the Triples please contact the Club on the above phone number during working hours.

There is a sheet on the notice board advising Bowlers interested in playing in the Top of The Range Fours that it will be played over the weekend January Saturday 19th and Sunday 20th 2019.

I will keep all readers updated as the Top of The Range Fours draws nearer.

Club Championships set down for Saturday November 24th:

Open Singles: Start: 1.00pm. Starter: Robert Walls. Umpire: David Wilcox.

Roger Cox to play Robert Moore marker Geoff Reeves

Scott Swain to play Ken Jones marker Mark Swain

David Wilcox to play Andrew Sparke marker John Jackson

Cameron Peardon to play Ian Jacobs marker Michael Shiner

Robert Walls to play Wayne

Reeves marker Mallie Walls

As these games are boarded they are play or forfeit.

The Bowls Bandit

Junior League

Guyra Junior Rugby league held their annual general meeting last week. The executive remains unchanged with Gina Presnell taking on another term as President, supported by secretary Anna Heagney, treasurer Louise Dowden and publicity officer Kasey Norford.

Preparations for the 2019 season are already underway and the club is calling for coaches, first aid and leaguesafe positions to be filled for all age divisions. The club is keen to see all age divisions running in Guyra next year and anyone who is interested in filling these roles for under 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16 boys and junior, intermediate and senior leaguetag teams are asked to put their names forwards. Applications should be submitted by email to ginaguyrajrl@gmail.com and they need to be in by December 31st

Guyra Junior league are also seeking volunteers to help out with catering at this weekend's Tenterden Station Clearing Sale. The sale will be held on site at Tenterden on Sunday November 18th.

Junior League will be running the canteen and helpers are needed with the serving, cooking, baking and clean up. If you or a family member are available please contact Gina Lockyer or Kasey Norford either by phone or through the facebook page. Remember many hands make light work and this promises to be a great fundraiser for the club.

Men's golf

Last Sunday the Regional Australia Bank 4 Ball was played with the winners being Ian Taylor and Warren McCowen with Adam and Taylor Brennan runners up. Nearest to the pins were T Brennan on the 7th and 18th, and A Brennan on the 10th. Next Sunday will be the Westpac rescue helicopter 2 person ambrose.

The midweek team of the week was the Sultans of Swing with 62 points with Jamie Williamson the individual winner with 19 points.

The Albatross

CRICKET SCOREBOARD November 10th

1st Grade

Two day game (in progress)

Guyra v Ex Services

Guyra 1st Innings

Troy Martin.....	2
Shane Wolfenden.....	36
BJ Cameron.....	73
Matt Finlay.....	80
D Landsborough.....	26
Jason Campbell.....	15
Ben Jackson.....	27
Charlie White.....	5
Keiran Wicks.....	4
Tyson Burey.....not out	21
Jake Ellis.....	DNB
Extras.....	13
Total.....	8/301 dec

Overs.....46.0

Ex Services 1st innings

1/62 off 11/3 overs
(still in progress)

Guyra Bowling:

Tyson Burey 0 for 5, Jake Ellis 2 for 5, Charlie White 2 for 3, Keiran Wicks 2 for 3, Matt Finlay 0 for 4

2nd Grade

Guyra def Ex Services Ex Services Innings

60 off 14.0

Guyra Bowling:

Peter Presnell 2 for 4, Justin McKay 2 for 28, Dan Stace 3 for 24, Maurie Blair 1 for 4

Guyra Innings

Tim Stace.....not out.....	14
Heath Dowsett.....	22
Graham Cameron.....	7
Matt Simpson.....	DNB
Corey Torrens.....	DNB
Taylor Brennan.....	DNB
Peter Presnell.....	DNB
Jake Brazier.....	DNB
Justin Mcay.....	DNB
Dan Stace.....	DNB
Maurie Blair.....	DNB
Extras.....	11
Total.....	1/62
Overs.....	11.3

3rd Grade

Guyra def Easts (Anytime) Guyra Innings

Les Perrett.....	12
Tim Brazier.....	1
Andrew Frost.....	29
Michael Frost.....	4
DJ Patterson.....	2
Simon Brown.....	33
Steve McElroy.....	13
Peter Ahoy.....	0
Billy Youman.....	22
Alistair Connors.....	0
Craig Connors.....not out.....	2
Extras.....	12
Total.....	130

Overs.....29.1

East Innings

9/75 off 38.1 overs

Guyra Bowling:

Michael Frost 1 for 11, Billy Youman 2 for 4, DJ Patterson 2 for 16, Les Perrett 1 for 24, Alistair Connors 3 for 17
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Orders over 40 bunches
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FIRST AID COURSE HLT AID 003 on Tuesday, 27th November at GALA, 8.30am start, \$160. Book in now and collect your workbook. Call NECC 6779 2132

PUBLIC NOTICES

VINNIES will be open Saturday November 17th from 9am til 12pm.
PRE-CHRISTMAS TOY SALE now on. at Vinnies Opening hours Tuesday 10-2, Wednesday 1-4, Friday 10-2

I would like to thank my staff and patrons for your loyalty and support over my many years as a licensee and publican. I value the strong relationships that I have formed with friends, staff and customers.
Ian ('Cookie') Cook
formerly of the Guyra Hotel

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FUNERAL NOTICE

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9th November 2018

Beloved husband of Gloria (dec'd). Loving father and father-in-law of Joe & Wendy.

Cherished grandfather "Shidee" to Jeremy & Donna, Dominic & Monique, Brittany & Brad.

Loving great-grandfather of Ari & Frank.

Aged 98 years

Funeral Mass to be held at St Mary of the Angels, Guyra tomorrow Thursday, 15th November 2018 commencing at 11:00am, followed by interment at the Guyra Lawn Cemetery.



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RETURN THANKS

Kerry & Nolene Dawson would like to thank everyone for their flowers, cards, phone calls and support following the passing of her father, **Gordon Williamson**.

Thanks also to the doctors and staff at Guyra MPS for your care.

Please accept this as our personal thanks.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Guyra Junior Rugby League

are calling for expressions of interest for coaches, first aid, and league safe positions for the 2019 season.

Age division are:

6s, 8s, 10s, 12s, 14s and 16s boys; Junior, Intermediate and Senior leaguetag.

Email applications to:

ginaguyrajrl@gmail.com

Closing date:

31st December, 2018

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Reverse Advent 2018
The Hub at Guyra

Please donate to The Hub's

Reverse Advent Box

Toys (new or clean used), toiletries, grocery items, gift items

Note: please do not wrap your gifts

The Hub at Guyra is open 10am to 2pm on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays



160 Bradley Street

Phone:

6779 1635

CLAIM THE DATE

SATURDAY, 17th NOVEMBER:

Wards Mistake Progress Association Christmas Party at the tennis courts from 2pm, BYO. Santa at 5pm, Holy Smoke Fireworks after dark. Kids novelty games & jumping castle. Raffle & Auction. Ph. 6779 7616

FRIDAY, 23RD NOVEMBER: Ladies Night Out with "Women Like Us"

comedy duo, \$25 ticket at Guyra Community Hall, 6.00pm for 6.30pm. 3 course dinner with fun, food and laughs with a healthy focus co-ordinated by Healthwise. Contact Christine 0429 046 691 or Letecia 0458 669 462

SATURDAY 1ST DECEMBER:

Wandsworth Progress Association CHRISTMAS PARTY from 5pm at The Old School House. Special guest Santa Claus. All residents, past and present, are invited. Bring a plate to share, seasonal ham provided. 6779 4226

FRIDAY 7th DECEMBER: Guyra Christmas Party in Bradley Street from 5.30pm. Market stalls, entertainment, lighting of the Christmas tree.

NEW SATURDAY 8TH DECEMBER Ben Lomond Christmas Party at the Ben Lomond War Memorial Hall from 6pm. Special Guest Santa Claus, BYO meat. Salad or a dessert to share, BBQ provided. Ph 6733 2037

TUESDAY 11TH DECEMBER: Hospital Auxiliary CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT in the grounds of Guyra MPS

NEW SUNDAY 16TH DECEMBER Combined Churches Choir St Mary's Church. **MONDAY 17TH DECEMBER,** Ben Lomond Memorial Hall.

Mixed results for junior cricketers

It was a very tight and exciting match on Saturday when Guyra under 12s played CSC Green in Armidale. Match captain, Cameron Frost, led the team out to field after CSC won the toss. CSC were defending well and it soon became clear that Guyra had to lift their fielding and bowling. This resulted in Brendon Landsborough getting a catch and both George Bradford and Lincoln Brown being successful in getting a run out. Wickets were shared amongst the bowlers with Tom Lockyer 2/8; Cameron Frost, Lincoln Brown and Jason Mowbray were also able to secure one wicket each. At the end of the first innings CSC was 7/83.

Guyra were well aware it would be a tough chase. Straight away opening batsmen, Angus Dullaway and George Bradford, faced some skilled bowling. CSC bowlers were fast and straight, Guyra's batters had a real test to make what runs they could.

Guyra was soon down to their remaining two batters in Brendon Landsborough and Tom Lockyer. The score was close and with only a few overs remaining, the side line had never been so tense. With team mates cheer-



Angus Dullaway and George Bradford helped the 12s to a win

ing them on and counting down the runs required, both Brendon and Tom defended well, ran fast and kept up their communication. With just six balls left in the match Guyra made a total of 7/84. At first the boys in the middle weren't sure who had won or lost.

Congratulations to the team on a tough win that could have gone either way. Thank you to Craig Lockyer for scoring. This Saturday will see Guyra at home taking on the current ladder leaders, CSC Gold.

The under 14s were up against TAS and after winning

the toss set out to put some runs on the board. They struggled against the TAS bowling line-up and the openers fell cheaply, setting the tone for the rest of the innings. Only two batsmen made it to double figures with Josh Bell (12) and Kyeisha Landsborough (11) the best for Guyra. The Guyra total was boosted with 24 extras and they finished their innings on 67 at the end of the 19th over.

The Guyra bowlers got off to a promising start dismissing the first half of the TAS team in quick order. However, with only a small total to defend, Guyra's hopes were dashed by just one TAS batsmen who managed 23 runs and extras adding to the total which saw TAS overtake Guyra in the 18th over for the win.

Brendan Williams (3 for 4) once again performed well with the ball and was well supported by Brodi Campbell (2 for 2), with Malekai Landsborough and Cooper Brennan taking one wicket each. The under 14s will be hoping to turn the tables next weekend when they take on Ex Services at home on the Sporting Complex in Guyra.

NE Sports Awards

International hockey player Georgina Morgan will feature as guest speaker at this year's New England Sports Awards ceremony, being held at Armidale City Bowling Club on Thursday November 15th.

The awards are held annually by the Armidale Regional Sports Council to encourage and recognise competitors and administrators based in the Armidale region.

The Guyra sporting community will be well represented with a number of individuals and teams nominated.

BJ Cameron is nominated for the Newcastle Permanent Contribution to Sport Award for his work over the past three years as the Milo in2Cricket organiser for Guyra. BJ was also one of 39 nominees for the FM 100.3, New England Toyota Junior Sports Star of the Year for his

selection in the squad that toured West Indies.

Jake Ellis is nominated in the 2AD New England Trophies Senior Best Local Achievement for his 10 wicket haul earlier this year for Guyra Cricket and Corey Torrens is also nominated for the senior award for his efforts in the Group 19 second division grand final. Abbey Finlayson, who represented Australia in Polocrosse is nominated in the Junior Individual award.

In the team nominations, the Guyra under 12 junior rugby league team who took out the Group 19 premiership have been nominated for the best Regional Team Achievement. The Guyra Super Spuds are also nominated in this category for their efforts in taking out the Group 19 second division title.

Spuds plan for 2019

The Super Spuds are already planning their premiership defence and need a coach to lead the charge.

After last Thursday's annual general meeting locked in a committee for 2019, the club is now opening applications for a men's coach, women's leaguetag coach and major sponsors for next season.

Mick Wilson will continue as president of the club, Jamie Youman and Jason Campbell are the vice-presidents and Randy Mulligan will fill the treasurer's role again.

Dan Vidler led the men's team to a grand final win with the assistance of Anthony Dittman and Mal Gaukroger this year.

Now the coaching job is being thrown open.

All written nominations for the men's and women's jobs and the position of major sponsors should be directed to the club by close of business on December 31st.

The club is also asking for volunteers and anyone who would like to act as a team manager, first aid officer, trainer, strapper or ground manager next season.

Training and accreditation will be provided.

Meanwhile the Super Spuds have also been nominated for the senior team of the year at the New England Sports Awards this Thursday and Britt Youman and Taneika Landsborough have been selected in the Group 19 women's rugby league squad after playing for the Spudettes in the recent Group 19 Nines in Inverell.