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# Classic dose of culture

The Queensland Chamber Orchestra, Camerata, will be visiting the Central West as a part of its 2022 regional tour which will feature a sublime program of music intertwining a new Australian work with timeless masterpieces

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Inspired by his recent trip exploring the Emerald region, Voltz's piece will conjure evocative soundscapes in an exciting new work for string orchestra.

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### The editor's desk

With events like Easter, locals are given a chance to relax and unwind - maybe even visited another town or family over the weekend.

Some of us may not have even celebrated Easter, many other events occurred, including the Myanmar New

No matter your beliefs holidays like Easter are important for us to have a well-deserved rest.

And whether you're religious or not, I think now is a good time to reflect on the important impact our churches have on the community, and the hard work our local religious leaders put in. Many travelling large distances to fulfil the spiritual needs of neighbouring

No matter what you believe, say thanks to a church member this



- Michael R Williams

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Mikaela Bettridge.



Photos of the recipients of the scholarships: Britney Hannay.



# Financial help for blooming learners

### By Michael R Williams

\$4000 scholarships have been handed to five deserving local students who are looking to further their education.

Barcaldine Regional Council, GBA Consulting Engineers, and Westech Field Days banded together to offer the scholarships to help locals entering a tertiary education course, traineeship, apprenticeship, or post-graduate course.

The applicants were enrolled in a wide range of study fields which shows the many career paths available.

Barcaldine Regional Council Mayor, Sean Dillon, said council was proud to provide these five scholarships to our residents.

"I want to congratulate and commend all of the applicants who sought to be part of the program this year," he said.

The following recipients were awarded a scholarship: Mikaela Bettridge, Britney Hannay, Jazzmin Rose, Kate Magoffin, and Angus

Council said they received a strong number of high-quality applications that demonstrated a sound academic record and contribution to the school and community.

Rick Rolfe, Partner, GBA Consulting Engineers, said "GBA Consulting Engineers are proud to continue our support of the scholarship program and are very happy to help support the further education of our young people."

And Westech Field Days Committee Member Kait Dare said it was a pleasure to support this combined initiative furthering education and training opportunities for people in our

"I was pleased to receive such high calibre applications and wish all applicants success in

their future endeavours on behalf of the Westech committee," she said.

"On behalf of Barcaldine Regional Council, GBA Consulting Engineers, and Westech Field Days, congratulations to the five scholarship recipients." Cr Dillon said.

Thanks to the funding, Muttaburra resident Kate Magoffin is now studying Justice and Psychology at QUT.

"My mum was always interested in politics and had a beautiful way of speaking," Ms Magoffin said about deciding her degree.

"She was really inspirational in the governance side of the degree - but legal studies was really interesting in understanding the application of law - this was really fascinat-

"And, I picked up the Psychology part because I just wanted an extra challenge.'

Ms Magoffin said she was in her fourth and final year of Univeristy and is considering applying for honours programs.

She said this year had been tough for her as her toughest subjects had piled on for the year, meaning the funding would be crucial for easing the task ahead for her.

Meanwhile, Barcaldine resident Angus Stewart is using the scholarship to help with his school-based apprenticeship in carpentry.

"I applied so I could have help with affording the materials I need for my apprenticeship," he said.

"All my TAFE is online, and I will be needing a laptop in order to complete my apprenticeship.

"The funding will be going towards that."

Mr Stewart has like building stuff since he was a kid and the funding will help him



Jazzmin Rose.



Kate Magoffin.

# Honouring their service

By Michael R Williams

Next Monday, Anzac Day will be held across the west, and Longreach RSL Sub Branch President Joshua Adams said there will be minor changes that allow for increased community

"It has been 107 years since the ANZAC's landed at Gallipoli and Longreach has seen many people serve as part of the Australian and allied forces during this time both at war and at peace," he said.

"The Longreach RSL Sub-Branch marks its 104th anniversary this year and we, as an organisation, continue to honour our objects to support the welfare of veterans and in the conduct of our days of importance such as Anzac

"This year has seen some small changes

to the Sub-Branch Board, with the new board consisting of me, Joshua Adams as President, Peter Coombes as Vice President, Tim Grace as Secretary and David Wilson as Treasurer.

"The board would like to thank Chris Hamilton for his service to the community as President in 2021, and as the Anzac Day Sub-Committee Chair in both 2021 and 2022.

Mr Adams said this the Sub-Branch will look to continue in its mission to meet its ob-

"[We have] work planned to redevelop our RSL Units thanks to the Queensland Remembers Grant Program and to finalise our ongoing memorabilia display in the Club thanks to the Commonwealth Saluting their Service Grant Program," he said.

"Anzac Day has its foundations in the First

World War, where it marked our first major engagement as a nation.

"Since this time, this day has grown as a day of remembrance for all who have done in service of Australia."

Mr Adams said the Longreach community has had many people enlist in the military forces and serve all over the world.

"In the First World War alone some 700 men enlisted in Longreach and we have 90 names on our cenotaph recording those who died during their service," he said.

"This sacrifice can be seen across many places in town, with our pool containing an honour list from the Second World War.'

"In addition to generational service, we have a significant number of veterans and ex-service men and women in the Longreach community, and we continue to see people leaving our town to serve our nation in uncertain times, unsure of what that service will lead

Mr Adams said Longreach has an enduring service history that continues to this day.

"Our enduring support from across the community, from groups such as Scouts and the Longreach Town Band over many generations, is but one testament to the importance placed in commemorating Anzac Day," he

"The other indicator of how the community seeks to commemorate can be seen in the ever-increasing crowds we continue to see in all of our days of commemoration, be it in memory of an ancestor, or another person they know who has served or is currently serving."

# Violent hooligan arrested after chaos across regions

out rural and regional Queensland, including Longreach and Alpha, a 24-year-old Brisbane man has been finally caught and changed for the alleged violent theft of a vehicle.

Initial investigations indicate, at 2am, a 19-vear-old woman was in a grey Toyota Landcruiser in a Moggill Road carpark at Ta-

She was approached by a man who asked her for directions, who then, allegedly, assaulted the woman, grabbing her by the neck and strangling her several times, pulling her out of the vehicle.

The woman was able to fight and run away, but it is alleged the man then stole the Toyota Landcruiser.

It is now alleged the vehicle is linked to a string of offences across South West and Central West Queensland between Sunday April 10 and April 12.

This includes fuel drive-offs in Alpha and Longreach, and across the Central Highlands.

The vehicle was recorded on Monday April 11 at approximately 6pm driving at police officers at a static Roadside Breath Testing site on the Landsborough Highway at Longreach.

On Tuesday, April 12, at approximately 2.40pm police were called into reports of a man in a Toyota Landcruiser driving dangerously in Dulacca.

It is alleged the vehicle was driving erratically, leaving the roadway and swerving into oncoming traffic causing other motorists to take evasive action.

It is further alleged the driver of the vehicle pointed what appeared to be a firearm at a passing vehicle.

Police successfully deployed a tyre deflation device at Miles, however, the Landcruiser continued to drive on deflated tyres.

Officers pursued the vehicle until Chinchilla where the pursuit was abandoned due to safety concerns.



A second tyre deflation device was successfully deployed at Warra and police attempted to intercept the Landcruiser, where it is alleged it collided with a police vehicle before continuing along the Warrego High-

The vehicle was intercepted on Oakey Connection Road at Oakey, and a 25-year-old Stafford Heights man taken into custody.

He has been charged with the unlawful entry of a vehicle for committing an indictable offence at night (using violence), disabling in order to commit an indictable offence (Taringa), armed robbery (using personal violence) and unlawful use of a motor vehicle.

He is expected to appear before Toowoomba Magistrates Court today, Wednesday April

Investigations into other alleged offences

Anyone with information or relevant dashcam footage is urged to contact the po-

# WQLX back in business next month

Selling will recommence at WQLX Longreach next month - after a nine-year closure.

Monthly sales are due to be held starting Wednesday 11 May.

The break in the years-long drought has led to increased interest and demand in markets across Queensland.

The Longreach facility has been extensively refurbished, and is expected to draw vendors from across the north-east of Australia.

> See Mayor Tony Raynor's column on page 6 for more

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# Our Easter celebrations

### By Michael R Williams

Easter in the west is a magical time, and many people shared Easter eggs and enjoyed the weekend off.

Many also, visited local churches to share their faith.

Congregation of Central West Uniting Churches Reverend Jenny Coombes said the Easter Sunday service went well.

"Easter Sunday at the church is a celebration day, and I think we achieved that," she said.

"But we also keep in mind the narrative of Good Friday.

"They're two very different services."

There was a strong turnout at the Uniting Church with many driving in from properties.

Ms Coombes said it was good to see some numbers back after Covid over the past two years.

"I think when they closed the churches down at the beginning of Covid, they didn't realise how much people need to draw on their own spiritual," she said.

"Spirituality can help people fight challenges, so I was glad when they reopened the

"It allows the support to come back for the people who need it."

The Uniting Church and the Anglican Church had been working in tandem to cover the entirety of the Central West over the Easter break - work that is undoubtedly arduous but meaningful.

Anglican Church Reverend Anne Nixon said Easter is the big deal in the year, for her, even more so than Christmas.

"On Good Friday Jesus defeated our sins and on Sunday he rose from the dead," she

Ms Nixon performed a number of baptisms over the weekend as a part of the ceremonies.

"Baptisms are wonderful because we welcome new people into the family; the church," she said.

"Having the people come to come together and support the family of the baptised people.

"And having people come together to worship is the big deal, and then of course send them out into the community.

"Because Jesus did it for us."

Both Ms Coombes and Ms Nixon are hoping for more locals to come to church.











# A heart for community

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"If you want to keep the organisation running, you've got to get in and do what you can.

"I do it because I want to do it and to keep these organisations going."

Mr Stephens is a life member of the Winton Golf Club, a 15-year member of the Winton Auxiliary Fire Brigade, and is Vice President of the Winton Outback Festival committee.

"It's vital the town doesn't lose these organisations of interest like sport," he said.

"I've been president of the Golf Club because nobody else wants to take the job, so I mow the lawns to make sure everyone has a good surface to play on.

'You don't do it because you want to get paid; you do it because it's important for the community.'

Mr Stephens has been a part of the golf club for over 40 years.

As a part of the fire brigade, Mr Stephens

has fought fires including when the old catholic church burnt down and when a primary wing of the state school burnt down.

He was a part of the force when an Ansett/ANA crashed west of Winton, it is considered one of the worst crashes in western Oueensland history.

As things became "too professional" for the fire brigade, Mr Stephens moved on stating he was too old to learn new things.

"When you're older, you don't run as fast as you used to," he said.

Another major part of Winton's culture is its festivals, and Mr Stephens would later join a part of the Outback Festival's committee.

"The festival is a big operation, and it was at one point, a ten-day operation," he said.

"For that festival, you'd have a big committee and lots of workers.

"Now, the festival is down to five days, but it's difficult to get local volunteers.

"The challenge with that is, you've got volunteers who don't know where to find stuff or what they're meant to be doing.'

This year will be a 50-year celebration of the Outback Festival.

Finally, Mr Stephens is also the President of the Diamantina Heritage Truck and Machinery Museum.

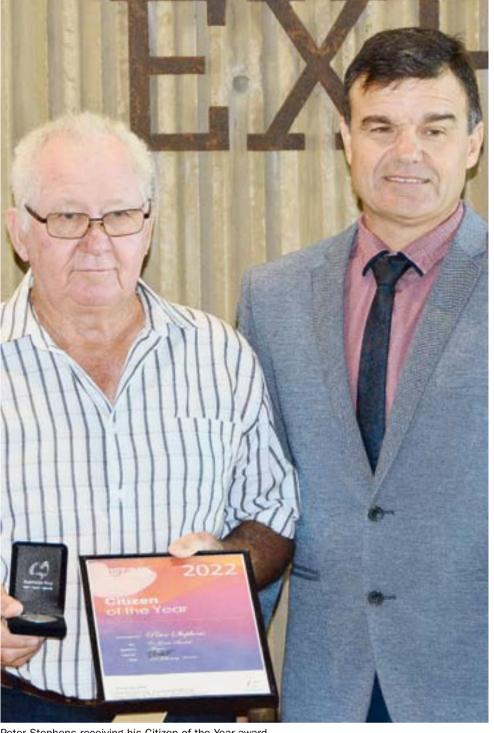
"It was conceived in 2004, and at the time it got organised and put up it would be opened in 2007," he said.

"I wasn't president at the time, but I've been president for about seven years now."

The museum is now a major part of the Winton tourism circuit, and a lot of work goes into maintaining the working and tidiness of the vehicles

Mr Stephens said nobody goes out to volunteer for the accolades.

"But it's nice that someone recongises that you are doing something for the community,'



Peter Stephens receiving his Citizen of the Year award.

# Optioning dentists in Winton: Closing a crucial gap

### By Michael R Williams

For some time, the Winton council has been looking into different ways to handle a lack of dental options in the Shire.

One idea the council has been optioning is to look at different outside organisations and proposing they visit the region on a more regular basis.

We've had discussions with various interests for a potential mobile dental unit more regularly," Mayor Gavin Baskett said.

"One that could come here every 4-6 weeks, for a couple of weeks would be ideal.

"We have had a proposal from [an unnamed organisation] for a significant amount of money yearly - but, we declined that offer

Since Council was given that offer, the search for new dental options has not progressed.

"There's just not enough dentists out there at the moment," Cr Baskett said.

"For even doctors, councils are struggling the Flinders Shire is struggling to secure one.

"We moved our focus from a dentist in Winton to a dental van, which I think is very

important for the schools particularly the Prep and Year ones to get a regular check-up.

"This is so they can get a regular clean, and to perhaps identify any issues they may have with their teeth from an early age.

Currently, Winton residents have to travel either to Longreach or Townsville to go to the

In Longreach, there is a three-month or longer wait for an appointment.

"The travel time would be an issue as well for people who may be socio-economically challenged," Cr Baskett said.

"Let's say someone isn't able to travel, or has a few kids - it's a full day to go to Long-

"It's such an impediment; people don't go because of those reasons.

"Many more issues can stem from not having good teeth."

Cr Baskett said the ideal situation would be to have a full-time dentist in Winton who could then service Boulia, but said another good idea would be to have a mobile dentist service that would spend two weeks in three to four communities.

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# Longreach is busy

Good to be back with you, and I hope everyone had a relaxing Easter break.

It was nice to see some visitors out and about in our region for Easter too.

With school going back, we can expect to see even more caravans come out of the wood-

Councillors held an afternoon tea last week to acknowledge the achievements of our Visitor Services team at the Australian Tourism

As Councillors we feel strongly about recognising the efforts of staff in the organisation

Well done again, to Leigh and her team.

Last week the Councillors and I took a tour around town to look in on several key developments that are a sign of the confidence being shown in our region. We inspected a number of private investments, as well as some of our own projects.

We visited Longreach Tourist Park where the operators are undertaking extensive renovations to enhance the property; we also visited the new 'Muddy Duck' Caravan Park development on the Thomson River and received a briefing on their progress towards an opening.

We stopped by the Longreach Airport to meet with the lease-holder, Queensland Airports Limited, and receive an update on passenger numbers and utilisation.

The new selling ring at WQLX was a particular highlight and will be a real game-changer when sales recommence in May.



The new selling ring combines with the new full-deck weighing and seven-way draft facility to add real value to the Saleyards.

The redevelopments there over the past few years are a great example of a public-private partnership working to re-invigorate a com-

We also inspected a number of Council projects, including the recently repaired weir on the Thomson River, improvements to the Longreach Cemetery, and the improvements to Apex Park - conceived as early works toward the Thomson River Masterplan.

Apex Park is looking great and we've been coordinating, through state and federal funding, a series of small jobs that together we think will make for an improvement to the area.

There's a concrete slab, plus raised benchtops and seating to be installed under the existing shade structure.

There's also a new barbeque area coming

We've removed some damaged street furniture and installed new sun lounges in their

We've cleared some smartweed at the water's edge to open up the riverfront, plus we're running irrigation and planting some trees along the western boundary of the main camping area.

We've also repaired bollards and repainted the old bridge, and we'll be installing custom seating there too.

This has all been made possible by a combination of state Works for Queensland funding, and federal Local Roads and Community Infrastructure funding - and just in time for peak tourist season.

In other news, this Thursday we're having a Community Workshop in Longreach to discuss the proposed amendments to our Town Planning Scheme.

This follows the public survey we had open last month, so thank you to everyone who took part. Join us this Thursday 5:30pm at the Civic Centre to learn more about the next steps and have your say.

Like many of you, I'll be commemorating ANZAC Day on Monday.

You can find details for all the services in our region on our website at longrerach.qld. gov.au/events.

I'll be back with another column in two weeks. Until then, you can find direct emails and phone numbers for me and each of my fellow Councillors at longreach.qld.gov.au/elected-members. If you want to know anything at all, reach out to one of us - or contact Council directly on (07) 4658 4111 (24hrs), or via email to assist@longreach.qld.gov.au.

# **Union blasts Easter chaos**

The Transport Workers Union have hit out against the Morrison government after chaos ensued at Australia's airports over Easter; saying as airports struggle to return to peak service, a national aviation recovery plan is necessary to fix the sector's overwhelmed and underpaid anaemic workforce.

The aviation industry suffered a mass exodus of skilled workers after the Morrison government, according to the TWU, failed to provide JobKeeper to workers.

"Australians can thank Scott Morrison and his absent government for being stuck at airports rather than doing Easter egg hunts with kids," said Michael Kaine, TWU national secretary.

"For more than two years, the Morrison government gave away billions of taxpayer dollars to airlines with no string attached, while failing to prevent the forced exodus of workers from the aviation sector.

"Staffing shortages were entirely predictable – the sector was hit hard by the pandemic but failures by the Morrison government to insulate the workforce have exacerbated the challenges.

Mr Kaine said the government had failed to secure the aviation workforce by denying workers employed by international companies JobKeeper.

"They've left the sector and don't want to return to casual low paid work with poor conditions," he said.

"Under the Morrison Government Aviation has become a highly outsourced sector, which means casual workers are paid less for doing the same job as directly employed workers.

"Many of these international companies that are outsourced to, such as Dnata and SNP Security, didn't get JobKeeper. Unsupported workers left the sector entirely and now don't want to come back to casual, low-paid jobs with bad conditions.'

Mr Kaine said workers deserve a national plan which puts them at the centre of rebuilding aviation.

"To do that, workers need a Commission with powers to lift standards throughout aviation and protect secure jobs," he said.

'Complimenting a Commission must be funded programs to support workers retrain and reconnect to the jobs they lost during the pandemic, and targeted spending to reduce COVID risks and maintain public confidence

In July 2021, the Federal Court found Qantas illegally outsourced its ground crew to prevent them bargaining and taking industrial

There are 2000 workers who are waiting to be reinstated by Qantas after being illegally sacked, but the airline refuses.

"Qantas pocketed \$865 million in JobKeeper and at the same time illegally outsourced its entire ground operations. Now the airline doesn't have enough customer service workers, baggage handlers or ground staff to respond to surging demand.

# Said no grazier or cattleman ever...

Someone posted a meme on a farming page on social media asking people to write something they would never say as a farmer or hear about farmers.

The comments gave a glimpse into the lives of those on the land and their sense of humour, always the best way to get through each day and crisis.

The biggest issues were weather, time and livestock management, money, repairs, and

There was so much truth, I thought I'd adapt it for graziers and cattlemen:

'Love the weather we are having...' said no

Of course, rain or lack of it is the biggest issue out here and there were comments aplenty about that.

Have you ever heard a grazier say, 'We've had enough rain' or 'I wish it would quit raining?

Me, either.

Okay, maybe a couple of times for the latter, but not in the last decade or so.

How about a cattleman saying, 'Couldn't have had a better season' or 'Wish it would

That last one was contributed by an old



mate and put a smile on my face.

'I have nothing to do today, I think I'll take the day off,' said no cattleman ever.

Nor have I heard a grazier say, 'Thank goodness it's Friday, I can't wait for the week-And I doubt vou'll ever hear them say,

'The jobs are all done; I've got nothing on tomorrow, think I'll go play golf." And a few classics: 'Well that was easy,

followed closely by 'Well... that went to plan' or 'I don't think anything could possibly go wrong today'.

When it comes to stock, I doubt you'll ever hear the words, 'I've got enough cattle or sheep' or 'This livestock caper is easy'.

And you'll never hear anyone say, 'I love crutching wet sheep' or 'Huh, shearing went through with no breakdowns' or 'Wish cattle prices would drop again!'

A couple of my favourites were 'My shed is big enough' and 'I don't think I need any more machinery', which definitely won't be heard around our place.

Nor will you hear, 'I love how everyone puts all the tools back where they belong' or 'I'll throw that away'.

Then there's, 'That can't be fixed' or 'You know, I don't think baling twine will fix it' or 'A bit of wire's not gonna hold; we'll have

to take that gate off'. I'd say someone has definitely been

eavesdropping around our place. And here are a few miscellaneous titbits

you won't hear around the ridges: 'Yeah, go ahead, leave that gate open; the sheep won't notice it' or 'Aren't wild dogs adorable?' or 'Not beef again'.

And, finally, you'll never hear a grazier or cattleman say, 'I get paid way too much for

It seems life on the land is pretty similar, wherever you are.

I was laughing the whole way through that post, and I hope I've given a smile or two with this summary.

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# **Katter backs** doctor ties

KAP's Member for Kennedy, Bob Katter has put a line in the sand, stating medical students in the bonded medical place scheme, where taxpayers foot \$100,000 for their degrees if they pledge to work in the bush after they graduate, should be required to complete their rural service in the immediate three years after they graduate.

Currently, doctors in the scheme have 18 years to complete their rural service and reporting by the Courier Mail shows only four percent of the 13,000 participants in the scheme have completed their rural service and five percent have withdrawn from the scheme.

Dr Hamish Meldrum from Ochre Health said some students told him, 'They only promised to do the rural service to get into their degree and had no intention of going bush.'

Bob Katter, has written to Health Minister Greg Hunt and urged him to act immediately by reducing the time given to complete rural

"The Government and Health Department did excellent work in establishing this scheme but having 18 years to complete the requirement to go rural is just unrealistic and is resulting in undesirable outcomes," Mr Katter said.

'No Doctor after living in Brisbane on a much higher wage for a few years, is going to cart their family back to the boondocks. It's never going to happen, and the stats show that.

"They should go out in the first three years, or they'll receive no incentive at all.

"Young doctors need confidence and rural training gives them that confidence. They must make the decisions themselves. There's no superintendent for them to run off to for advice in the bush. There is a downside to having very young graduates in the bush, but what they lack in experience they make up for in energy and determination.

'This is the system that has worked in Qld for 60 years, but the free-marketer governments (ALP & LNP) have bludgeoned the public hospital system to death and now people in the regions and rural areas are paying for it.

"There are chronic shortages of GPs through North Queensland, which is curious because we've trained 2,000 doctors through James Cook University (JCU), but we've still got no doctors in country areas and no GPs. If the Health Minister cuts down the time given to complete rural service under a bonded medical place scheme from 18 years to the first three years, then I think we'll see a noticeable change."

KAP Leader and Member for Traeger Robbie Katter MP said the Federal Government had a responsibility to ensure its policies were effective and fit-for-purpose, and that the current scheme requiring doctors completed rural service (over a period of a ludicrous 18 yeas) was failing abysmally.

He said State Governments across Australia satisfactorily ensure regional workforce for other critical professions, such as teachers and police offices, and that medical professionals should be no different.

"Towns, no matter how rural and remote, cannot survive without access to doctors - the KAP will simply not accept those who live outside of metropolitan areas being treated like 'poor cousins' like this time and time ago," the Traeger MP said.

# Case numbers return to omicron outbreak levels

By Central West Hospital and **Health Service chief executive Christopher** 

Allowing for cases discharged after completing isolation, the total number of active cases currently in the region is 53.

All are receiving care in the Virtual Ward. There are currently no cases in the hospital.

We are also aware of some cases across the region who have opted out of receiving healthcare as they are COVID-well or selfmanaging their symptoms.

To date, accounting for those who have been discharged from quarantine, the Central West HHS has recorded 551 cases of CO-VID-19 since the first case on 22 December.

People planning to travel in the Central West region need to take appropriate pre-

You must ensure you are fully prepared for a potential positive COVID-19 result in your group before you leave, including having enough provisions and knowing where your destination's health facilities are.

### If you have any symptoms, no matter how

- do not continue travelling get tested and wait for the result
- contact the nearest health facility to your current location to arrange a free test or phone 134 COVID for advice on what you
- if you are positive, adhere to health advice. It is essential that you immediately isolate for seven full days. Do not keep travelling and risk increased community transmis-
- if you test positive with a RAT, you must (1) register your positive result at https://

www.qld.gov.au/rat-positive/rapid-antigen-test-registrationit, and (2) go through the symptoms checker https://www.qld. gov.au/health/conditions/healthalerts/ coronavirus-covid-19/stay-informed/covid-care-self-checker

you may be able complete your isolation at your home if it is within safe travelling distance, but you must apply for an exemption.

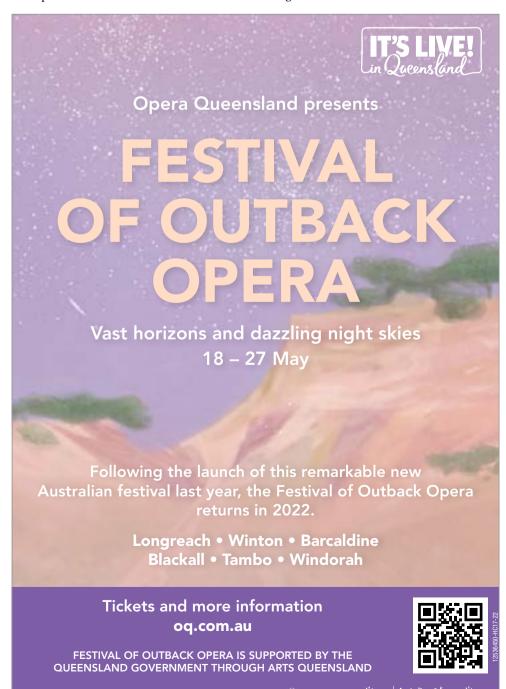
### Everyone aged 5 years and over can get vaccinated at:

- Longreach Civic & Cultural Centre 19 April
- Barcaldine Town Hall 20 April
- Longreach State School 21 April
- Longreach (at the Iningai Health Arcade) -
- Aramac Primary Health Centre 26 April
- Tambo Primary Health Centre 27 April
- Barcaldine P-12 State School 28 April
- Both the Blackall and the Winton general practices are also providing COVID-19 vaccinations.
- Phone the Blackall General Practice on 4657 8200 during business hours to discuss your nurse-led vaccination appoint-
- Phone the Winton Medical Practice on 4657 2755 during business hours to book.

For other clinics, bookings are essential, please phone 1800 953 703, or email: CW COVAX@health.qld.gov.au

Flu vaccinations are not available at Central West Hospital and Health Service COV-ID-19 vaccinations clinics at shire halls and Primary Health Centres.

Please contact your local GP or pharmacy for information about the flu vaccination, and available appointments.



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# What's on

# Anzac services: Where to be

### **By Michael R Williams**

### **Anzac Day Services:** Longreach

Dawn Service at Edkins Memorial Park. Following the Dawn Service will be a Gunfire Community Breakfast at the Longreach RSL Memorial Services Club, donations to Legacy are welcome. At 8.20am an assembly for the Main Parade will then be held at the Longreach RSL Memorial Services Club. Finally, at 9am, a commemorative service at Edkins Memorial Park.

- Location: Edkins Memorial Park.
- Time: 5.45am

### Ilfracombe

Marchers for Dawn Service to assemble at Railway Station. The parade proceeded to the windmill opposite the Wellshot Hotel for the service, followed by breakfast at the Wellshot Hotel. Then an 11.30am march assembly at the school gates followed by an 11.30 parade along Main Avenue through the Federation Gateway into Memorial Park for the ceremony. A light lunch will be provided after.

- Location: Railways Station
- Time: 5.45am

Dawn Service at the Memorial Bridge then an assembly at the Eastern Town Entrance for a march to the War Memorial. Ceremony at 11am followed by lunch

- Location: Memorial Bridge
- Time: 5.30am

### Yaraka

Dawn Service at Mount Slowcombe. Assembly at town entrance at 10am with a march to the War Memorial, a cermony, and an Anzac Day address.

### Alpha

The Anzac Day March will commence at 9.00am from corner of Shakespeare and Ten-

This will be followed by the service at AN-ZAC Park in Tennyson Street. Morning tea will be held in the Alpha Town

Hall and will be provided by the C & K Jellybeans Community Kindergarten.

- Location: Corner of Shakespeare and Tennyson Streets
- Time: 9am

The Anzac Day March will commence at

10.30am from the corner of Darwin and Bessemer Streets. This will be followed by a service at ANZAC Memorial in Darwin Street. Morning tea will be held in the Jericho Town Hall.

- Location: Corner of Darwin and Bessemer
- Time: 10.30am

### **Barcaldine**

The Dawn Service ceremony will commence at 5.50am - Parade will fall in by creating a halfcircle and face an easterly direction.

Gunfire breakfast concluding the Dawn Service, all are invited to attend the gunfire breakfast in the Town Hall Supper Room. The march will start at 10.30am on Willow St to Ash

- Location: Cenotaph, Ash Street
- Time: 5.50am. 10.30am march

The Anzac Day March will commence at 8.30am from the Aramac Fire Brigade in Gordon Street and proceed to the Aramac War Memorial, corner of Lodge and Gordon Street. This will be followed by a commemoration service. A light morning tea will be served in the Aramac Town Hall Supper Room.

- Location: Aramac Fire Brigade, Gordon St.
- Time: 8.30am

### Muttaburra

A dawn service will start at 5.15am at the Muttaburra Memorial Hall by assembling in front of the Cenotaph. Ceremony will commence at 5.30am and will be followed by breakfast.

Cemetery and school wreath laying will be conducted after breakfast.

- Location: Muttaburra Memorial Hall.
- Time: 5.15am

### Blackall

Commemorations for ANZAC Day will be held in Blackall at Memorial Park. Main march at 9am in front of Blackall Hardware.

- Location: Memorial Park
- Time: 5:30am

### **Tambo**

Commemorations for ANZAC Day will be held in Tambo at the Tambo Shire Hall. Main march will assemble in front of Tambo Foodworks at 9am, morning service will follow the conclusion of the march.

- Location: Tambo Shire Hall.
- Time: 8.45am

# Longreach and Central West Community Event Billboard

If you have an event you'd like to see on the Community Event Billboard, please email michael.williams@ leadertoday.com.au with the title of the event, a description, the location, and the time.

Covid case numbers are returning so be mindful of social distancing.

### Friday, 22 April

### **Mayor's Morning Tea**

Location: Memorial Park, Winton

Time: 10am

### Trivia Quiz Night

Location: Winton Club

Time: 6am

### Croquet

Contact: Jean Williams on 07 4651 2354.

Location: Oak Street, Barcaldine

Time: 8am

### First Five Forever

An interactive educational experience for children learning

Location: Longreach Library

Time: 9.30am

### **Scavenger Hunt**

This March, Council is hosting the region's biggest-ever scavenger hunt! For more information or to gain access to the smart phone app please visit longreach.gld.gov.au/ events or give us a call on (07) 4658 4111.

Location: Across the region

### **Isisford Skin Clinic**

Please call 4658 to book an appointment for: - skin biopsies - excisions - skin checks

Location: Isisford Primary Health Centre 2 St Helena St, Isisford QLD 4731

Time: 9am - 6pm

### Saturday, 23 April

### Longreach/Ilfracombe Tigers vs Winton Devils

Come on down to the Ilfracombe Rec Centre to watch the Tigers take on the mighty Winton Diamantina Devils.

Location: Ilfracombe Rec Centre

Time: 6pm

### Alpha home game

Location: Alpha Showgrounds

Time: 5pm

### Trivia Night

Combined event by Central West Aboriginal Corporation and

Barcaldine Bowls Club; Australia Day theme Location: Barcaldine Bowls Club

Time: 5.45nm

Uniting Church secondhand book sales. Every second Saturday

### Cash only

Location: 105 Galah St.,

Time: 9am to 11am

### **Barcaldine Lawn Bowls**

Contact: Jack Power on 0429 988 654.

Location: 72 Gidyea St

Time: 3pm

### **Wool Spinning**

Come get artsy

Location: Longreach Arts and Crafts Centre

Time: Afternoons

### Park Run, Longreach

A free, weekly, timed 5k event every Saturday morning. Everyone is welcome to walk, jog, run or volunteer!

Location: Meet at Beersheba Place

Time: 7 am

### Morning Golf, Longreach

For more information email longreachgolf@gmail.com

### **Goose Club and RSL members Draw**

For more information call (07) 4658 1092 Location: Longreach RSL

Time: 1 pm

### Sunday, 24 April

### Bluey Bingo and the Great Aussie Bite

Location: Winton Shire Hall

Time: 9am

### **Longreach Board Game Bash**

The Barcoo Board Game Society presents our inaugural Board Game Bash.

Location: Birdcage Hotel Time: 3pm

### Men's Shed Markets

For more information please call 0400 719 837.

Location: Ilfracombe Main Street

Time: 7am

### **Muttaburra Golf Club**

Contact: Beau Gray on 0429 474 261. Location: Muttaburra Golf Club

Time: 8.30am

### **Barcaldine Lawn Bowls** Contact: Jack Power on 0429 988 654.

Location: 72 Gidyea St

Time: 9am

### **Barcaldine Golf**

Contact: Michael Hayward.

Time: 3pm

Location: Barcaldine Golf Course, Pine Road

### **Longreach Town Band Mixed Ensemble Rehearsals**

Location: Longreach State School.

### **Social Bowls**

For more information please visit Facebook, Longreach

Location: Longreach Bowls Club

### Time: 1 pm

### Monday, 25 April **Barcaldine Ukulele Group**

No experience required and all welcome.

Location: The Willows Centre

Time: 5pm

### **Children's Health Clinic**

The Central West Health Child Health Clinic is open and available to take bookings

Location: Isisford Primary Health Clinic

### **Longreach Town Band Brass Ensemble Rehearsals**

Location: Longreach State School

Time: 6pm

### **Longreach SES Group Training**

Are you committed to attending regular training and activating during events?

Location: Longreach SES Base, 14 Minor Road Time: 7pm

### **Barcaldine Men's Shed**

Contact: David Kerrigan on 0427 009 375.

Location: 103 Ash St Time: 9am

### **Tuesday, 26 April**

**Longreach Senior Rugby League Club** Longreach Senior Rugby League training.

Location: Longreach Showgrounds

Time: 6pm

### **Barcaldine Lawn Tennis**

Contact: Tony Walsh on 0410 522 041, Brett Walsh on 0407 981 776 or email barcaldinetennis@gmail.com.

Location: Cnr Willow and Fir St

Time: 6pm

Time: 9 am

### **Longreach Playgroup**

Ages 0-5 yrs. \$2.00/visit.

Location: Lioness Park

**Social Tennis Longreach** For more information please contact Anna-Marie Moffat on 0417 112 517 or visit the Longreach Tennis Facebook

### **Location: Longreach Tennis Club**

Time: 6.15pm

### **Longreach Brolga Girl Guides Meeting**

Looking for fun, friendship and adventure? If you are a girl 5 - 17 years old then Girl Guides is for you!

Location: Guides hut, 15 Stilt Street, Longreach.

**Thomson River Lions Club Meeting** For more information please contact Bobbie Willersdorf on

042758315 Location: Birdcage Hotel

Time: 5.30 pm.

### Time: 6 pm **Longreach Squash**

Come along and have a bash.

Time: 5.30 pm

### Wednesday, 27 April

Regenerative Rangelands - Forum

Location: Longreach Civic Centre Time: 8am.

### Regenerative Rangelands - Dinner Under the Stars

Join us in Longreach for a unique, rangelands-focused

Dinner under the Stars. Please note, admission to the daytime activities on both the 20th & 21st is free (and includes morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea) but the evening event, which includes dinner, will cost \$81 per person, as an extra ticket option.

Location: Smithy's

Time: 6pm

# McDonald ready to stand

Nathan McDonald is running as the United Australia Party candidate for Maranoa in the federal election on 21 May.

McDonald has spent most of his life in Maranoa.

Goondiwindi born and bred, he grew up on his family's beef and grain properties in the Billa Billa district north of his hometown.

After leaving school, McDonald studied education and after several years working as a teacher, he moved into school leadership.

For ten years McDonald has led two school communities as Principal, most recently at Chinchilla Christian College which grew from 171 to 468 students under his leadership.

McDonald was an LNP member until November last year when he became disillusioned with the party and gravely concerned about the direction that the country was heading in.

As McDonald said, "Under the LNP, our national debt has increased to around 1 trillion dollars, a massive figure which will place our country under considerable strain for many years to come."

McDonald was shocked when the LNP committed to net zero emissions by 2050 in October of last year.

He said that he never thought this would happen, especially given earlier in February Nationals' leader Barnaby Joyce declared, "If The Nationals supported net-zero emissions we would cease to be a party that could credibly represent farmers."

Of net-zero, McDonald said, "I fear it will threaten Australia's world-class industries, including our agricultural industry, and affect our standard of living".

"I am also concerned about what net-zero will mean for the provision of reliable, affordable electricity in the future.

"With the UAP team, I want to see manufacturing return to Australia, but this won't hap-



pen with rising energy costs.

"We need to review energy policy in this country."

McDonald said he was also disappointed with the government's management of the pandemic.

He asserted, "I've seen first-hand, as I'm sure most have, the toll taken by confusing, inconsistent, and unfair policy the last two years".

"The division in families and communities, the struggles of local businesses, increased mental health issues and people losing their jobs because of a personal health choice are all impacts felt by those in Maranoa.

"People are hurting, who I know and love, along with people right across the electorate; and rather than strong leadership bringing us together, our leaders have driven that division, fear and loss."

McDonald believes our country is in bad shape and that at this election, it's time to get it back on the right path.

He says, "We need a strong government that will genuinely serve the interests of the Australian people".

"The United Australia Party, a genuine alternative to the failing major parties, is committed to restoring our freedoms and putting Australia first.

"If we keep voting the same old way, we are going to get the same old results.

"It's time for change."

He went on to say, "UAP's policies, with their strong focus on rural Australia, key infrastructure spending in the regions, investment, and targeted tax cuts, align with my vision for my electorate." In particular, McDonald believes that UAP's zonal taxation policy that provides for a 20 per cent tax concession for individuals and businesses located more than 200 kms from a capital city would help encourage growth and investment in the regional communities of Maranoa.

He said, "The electorate of Maranoa generates considerable revenue for the government.

I believe it's only fair that taxpayers in my electorate would receive this tax concession and end up with more money in their pockets."

He is also excited about UAP's plans to save Australian homes by freezing home loan interest rates below 3 per cent for the next five years and to pay down our national debt within 20 years by introducing a 15 per cent export license on iron ore.

McDonald stated, "By getting our national debt under control, we can introduce targeted tax cuts, increase the age pension and have free higher education in Australia once again."

McDonald describes himself as someone who has lived a life true to his values, who stands up for freedom, truth, accountability, transparency and integrity.

He believes that having been a leader of a school community and as someone who has deep ties to the agricultural lifeblood of our electorate, he is in a unique position to understand the needs of Maranoa families, communities, and producers.

McDonald said, "I am ready to listen to and work hard for the people of my electorate".

"I will get the job done and deliver a truly thriving Maranoa.

"If you want someone with these values and with this commitment and vision representing you, vote 1 McDonald for Maranoa."

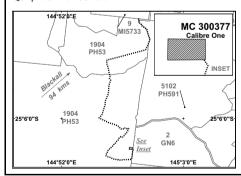
Nathan McDonald, the UAP candidate for Maranoa, can be contacted by emailing maranoa@unitedaustraliaparty.org.au or by phoning 0407 221 308.

### **NOTICE OF PROPOSED GRANT OF MINING CLAIMS**

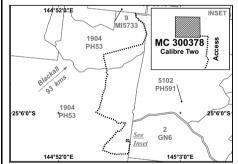
### **NATIVE TITLE ACT 1993 (CTH) SECTION 29**

The Queensland Minister for Resources, PO Box 15216, City East, Queensland, 4002, hereby gives notice in accordance with section 29 of the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth) of the proposed grant of Mining Claims (MCs) 300377, 300378, 300390, 300394 and 300395, shown below under the *Mineral Resources Act 1989* (Qld).

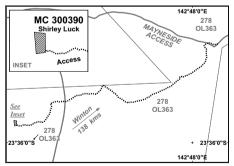
Mining Claim 300377 sought by Gavin Rodney Marshall (50%) and Susan Jane Marshall (50%), over an area of 19.6 ha, centred approximately 94 km southwest of Blackall, in the locality of the Ouilbie Shire Council.



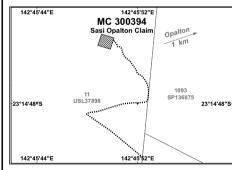
Mining Claim 300378 sought by Gavin Rodney Marshall (50%) and Susan Jane Marshall (50%), over an area of 18.14 ha, centred approximately 93 km southwest of Blackall, in the locality of the Ouilpie Shire Council



Mining Claim 300390 sought by Rae Shirley Jackson, over an area of 13.24 ha, centred approximately 138 km south-southwest of Winton, in the locality of the Winton Shire Council.



Mining Claim 300394 sought by Michael John Hubbard, over an area of 0.087 ha, located at Opalton, in the locality of the Winton Shire Council.



**Nature of Act(s):** The grant of Mining Claims under the *Mineral Resources Act 1989* (Qld), authorises the holder to mine and carry out associated activities subject to the *Mineral Resources Act 1989* (Qld), for a term not exceeding ten (10) years, with the possibility of renewal for a term not exceeding ten (10) years.

**Name and Address of person doing Act(s):** It is proposed that the Mining Claims be granted subject to the provisions of the *Mineral Resources Act 1989* (Qld) by the Queensland Minister for Resources. PO Box 15216. City East, Queensland, 4002.

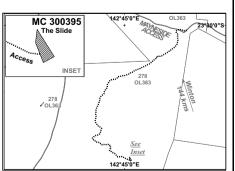
**Native Title Parties:** Under the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth) any person who is a "native title party" is entitled to certain rights in relation to the proposed grant of Mining Claims. Under section 30 of the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth), persons have until three (3) months after the Notification Day to take certain steps to become native title parties in relation to this notice. Enquiries in relation to filing a native title determination application may be

directed to the Federal Court, Brisbane Registry, Level 6, Harry Gibbs Commonwealth Law Courts Building, 119 North Quay, Brisbane, Queensland 4000. Telephone: (07) 3248 1100 or Email: qldreg@fedcourt.gov.au. Enquiries in relation to the registration of a native title determination application may be directed to the National Native Title Tribunal, Brisbane Registry, Level 5, Harry Gibbs Commonwealth Law Courts Building, 119 North Quay, Brisbane, Queensland, 4000. Telephone: (07) 3307 5000 or 1800 640 501.

**Further Information:** Further information about the proposed grant of Mining Claims, including extract of plans showing the boundaries of the Mining Claim Applications may be obtained from the Department of Resources, Mining Registrar, Mineral Assessment Hub, Level 9, Verde Tower, 445 Flinders Street, Townsville, Queensland, 4810. Telephone: (07) 4447 9230 or Email: MineralHub@resources.qld.gov.au.

Notification Day: 11 May 2022

Mining Claim 300395 sought by Kerry John Ashley Jackson, over an area of 6.793 ha, centred approximately 144 km south of Winton, in the locality of the Winton Shire Council.



Queensland Government



John, Anna, Florrie, Grandma & Mary with Jacky Lock at his garden approx 1947

# The Cassimatis family

### Muttaburra Museums

The story of Andrew Andrew Cassimatis and his family is typical of that of many Greek families living in Australia today.

The Cassimatis family came from the Greek island of Kythera.

Andrew and his son George (15 years old) left Kythera for Australia in 1911, leaving his wife Anna and two younger children behind.

On landing in Sydney, both Andrew and George found work.

In Sydney, there was talk of plentiful work, and good money, in the cane fields around Bundaberg.

Before long, Andrew and George gathered a group of friends together and moved north, where they cut cane and loaded the trains.

From here they moved west for their own business opportunity.

In 1914, Andrew and his son George, having first inspected a business in Isisford, finally arrived in Muttaburra.

They first rented a small cafe owned by Mrs Devlin (Fanny Little), after this lease expired, they rented another cafe from a Mr John Ahern.

In 1918, Andrew and George, having relinquished the lease of the cafe, decided to build their own general store.

The land and mud hut, further west on Bruford St, were purchased from the Eddie Beach family, and Jack Reisene constructed the building - it still stands today as a Museum.

The business initially traded groceries, drapery, hardware, mercury, and motor spirits.

They became one of the oldest agents in Australia for 'Mobil Oil – Australia - previously known as The Vacuum Oil Company of Australia.

They bottled their own methylated spirits and kerosene, using their own label.

As a sideline, they also hired out a Talbot vehicle, and in the early l920s, George drove Hudson Fysh around on some of his forays for QANTAS.

In 1930 in Sydney, George married Stavroola Capsanis and they established their first home just on the western side of the shop.



Florrie, Andrew, Anna & John, George, Mary & Stravoola.

Stavroola missed her beautiful island and family immensely.

She only spoke Greek, although she did learn some English whilst working in the shop, she never really mastered it fully.

In 1931, their first child Anna was born, in 1932 Florrie,1934 Andrew, 1935 John, and 1939 Mary.

In the early years, an ice works was incorporated into the business, the ice was made, sawed into blocks, and then delivered to the hospital, other businesses and those townspeople who had ice chests.

When refrigeration came of age, during the Second World War, the ice works were closed down.

First came the kerosene refrigerator – "The Mighty Electrolux", and George became a subagent for this company.

Andrew and George purchased and ran a soft drinks factory from the Lakes family, it was situated opposite the Post Office.

Another business enterprise was the "Four Mile Gardens" south of the town, an orchard

and market garden near the banks of the Landsborough River.

They built a windmill and operated a pump engine.

Oranges, lemons, mandarins, grapes, and mulberries proved fruitful, as were melons and a variety of vegetables, including asparagus. An attempt to cultivate olives was frustrating, as the trees grew well, but did not bear fruit.

A small crop of cotton was also successful.

Eddie Childerley, who worked at the gardens for many years using irrigation, would sell the produce around town from a horse-drawn cort

Of the other employees at the gardens, a number were Chinese, including Louie Sung, known as Jacky Lock.

In the late 50s the Cassimatis store became a Bank of New South Wales Savings Agency.

Andrew Andrew died in 1942, and Stavroola took over the management of the store's merchandise, with their daughters later, as shop assistants.

George continued to look after "the books",

and "outside work" including mechanical repairs, the ice works, and soft drinks.

He managed the engine and lighting for the R.S.L. Memorial Hall, the Gas lights and later batteries, for the Hospital, and would check the Muttaburra airstrip before any commercial planes landed.

He was a "Jack of all Trades" and very handy at making things.

If there was a crisis at the Hospital and Dr. Arratta didn't have the necessary instrument on hand to deal with a medical problem, he would call on George to improvise.

The town's first tennis courts (ant bed) were behind the Royal Mail Hotel.

As these fell into disrepair and the towns topography changed, George along with Neil Hall and others worked very hard to develop new bitumen courts, opposite the Cassimatis shop.

George's two sons-in-law, Reg Manning and Johnnie Walters, both tank sinkers, contributed greatly to the construction of these courts, with the use of Reg's plant and equipment.

George was a great supporter of the Tennis Club and was its President for some years.

During the Second World War, following a bombing scare, many children from the coast were evacuated and billeted away.

Some of them came to Muttaburra.

At the same time, in case the war should escalate to Central Queensland, three air raid shelters were built in the school grounds. George, with the help of others, dug these shelters which were cut in alphabetical shapes, with his Allis Chalmers tractor.

George Cassimatis was also a J.P and Councillor representing Muttaburra on the Aramac Shire Council.

He sat on various committees and played a significant role in the development and history of Muttaburra.

The shop finally closed its doors in 1978.

Stavroola passed away in 1977, George in 1996 aged 100.

George and Stavroola are survived by 11 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, and two great great grandchildren.

# Unique music to hit town

The Queensland Chamber Orchestra, Camerata, will be visiting the Central West as a part of its 2022 regional tour which will feature a sublime program of music intertwining a new Australian work with timeless masterpieces

Classical Reimagined will feature classical masterpieces by Mozart and Tchaikovsky in stunning new interpretations, along with a brand-new composition by Camerata's Emerging Composer-in Residence, Alexander Voltz.

Inspired by his recent trip exploring the Emerald region, Voltz's piece will conjure evocative soundscapes in an exciting new

work for string orchestra.

The work will premiere in regional Queensland, and will following a long tradition of Camerata bring new music to local audiences.

Camerata thanks the Tim Fairfax Family Foundation for making this commission possible.

Each year, Camerata's talented musicians perform for the local community and run strings workshops with schools and local musicians Camerata will also present a concert program for aged care and respite care residents as well as deliver their education program to kindergarten children.

Camerata delights in their annual regional tour, a highlight of Camerata's program, and enriching communities across Queensland through music.

This tour is made possible with the generous support of the Tim Fairfax Family Foundation and the Queensland Government through Arts Queensland.

Tickets on sale now.

### BARCALDINE

Presented by Barcaldine Regional Council

- Sat 14 May 2022, 6:30pm
- Barcaldine Town Hall
- Tickets: camerata.net.au | eventbrite.com.au LONGREACH
- Sun 15 May 2022, 4:30pm
- Edkins Park, Longreach
- Tickets: camerata.net.au

All proceeds from this performance will be donated to charity

# VOX POP

WE TAKE IT TO THE STREETS

# What kind of chocolate do you have at Easter?



Both Riley and Izzy Coppo said their enjoy Lindt milk chocolate easter bunnies.

# Grants open to landholders for research

Funding applications are now open for cattle, sheep and goat producers throughout Australia who are interested in running local projects to demonstrate on-farm benefits of research and development findings.

Meat & Livestock Australia (MLA) is calling for applications for its 2022-23 Producer Demonstration Sites (PDS) program, with applications opening on 1 April and closing on 13 May

This includes Levy and Co-Contributor funding options for projects ranging from two to six years.

MLA General Manager - Research, Development and Adoption, Michael Crowley, said the PDS program aims to increase the rate of

adoption of key management practices and technologies that improve business profitability, productivity and sustainability.

"Adoption of research outcomes is absolutely critical to getting the best return on the research investments we make on behalf of levy payers," he said.

"By addressing specific productivity priorities, producers are able to implement solutions that deliver direct benefits to their business. Producers who then connect with the demonstration sites then also make changes delivering productivity improvements at scale."

In an independent evaluation, MLA's PDS program has delivered \$168.8 million in total net benefits to participating producers as a re-

sult of completed projects between 2015-2021. In 2021-22 this was \$10.8 million in net benefits to participating producers.

"On average, this means producers returned an additional net benefit of \$6/ha annually as a result of their participation in the program," Mr Crowley said.

There are two funding options available to producer groups wishing to participate in the PDS program, Levy and Co Contributor.

Producer groups wishing to engage in a Levy PDS project can apply for up to \$25,000 per year, for the length of the project.

While groups wishing to engage in a Cocontributor PDS project can apply for up to \$50,000 per year, for the length of the project.



# Q&A with Longreach's Taya Miller

**How did you end up in Longreach?** I was born in Longreach in 2012.

Four generations of my Mum's family live in Longreach.

They were all born at Longreach Hospital. My great-great Grandma is still alive (fifth generation) and until recent years moved from the Longreach area.

### What is the best advice you've ever received?

Have courage and be kind.

### What is something you do in your spare time?

I like to do all the sports that are available in the Central West particularly athletics, swimming, and netball.

They are all great clubs with dedicated people

### What is your favourite place in the Central West?

I love my school Our Lady's Catholic Primary School, I love visiting the RSL, the pool, netball courts, and athletics track.

### What would you consider your greatest achievement?

Making the Central West team for swimming this year.

### **TEXT TO EDITOR**

### Annoyed tourist

**Kevin Moloney:** We came three days drive from south-west Victoria, on the busiest holiday time of the year. And your two major tourist attractions were closed. Disappointed.

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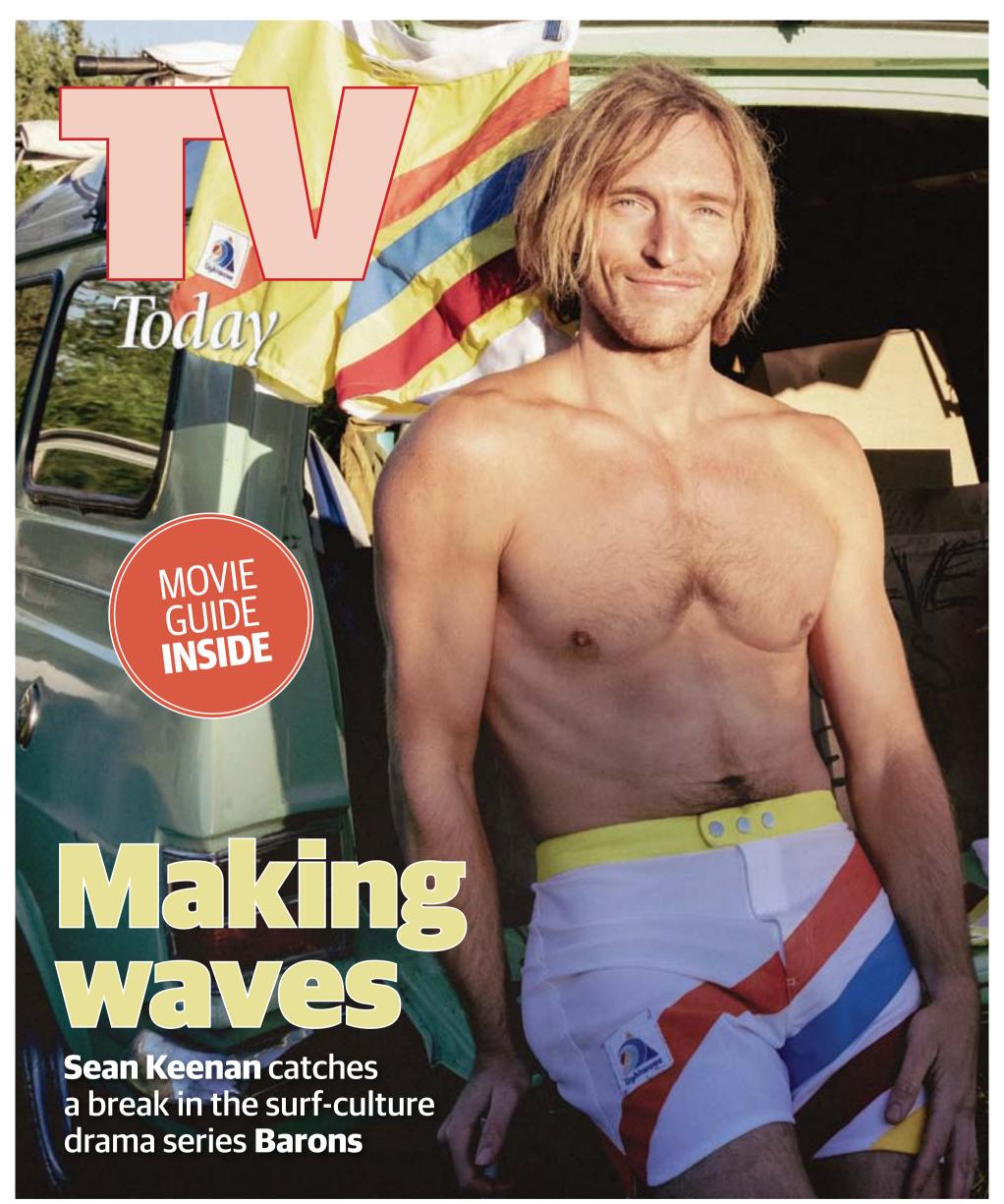




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entrepreneur Bill "Trotter" Dwyer, explains to Siobhan Duck why his work always takes him back to the beach

ou could be forgiven for thinking that Sean Keenan has it written into his contract that there must be at least one surfing scene in every movie or TV series that he does.

In fact, that couldn't be further from the truth for the one-time Puberty Blues star - despite what his resumé might imply.

"Playing a surfer, I have actually started to approach with a bit of reticence because I've played surfers before," he laughs.

That's no understatement. Keenan's very first role, which he secured while still in school, was playing a "surf rat" in the kids' TV series Lockie Leonard. On the big screen, he was hanging 10 in the 2013 Sam Worthington-led Drift and in last year's acclaimed movie Nitram.

And then, of course, there was the show he really made a big splash in - Puberty Blues where he played the emotionally conflicted son of Rodger Corser.

Despite his hesitations to return to the water again onscreen, Keenan says new ABC drama, *Barons*, was too good to refuse. The series, which (like Puberty Blues) is set in the 1970s, is a fictional account of the rise of Aussie surf labels such as Billabong and Quiksilver.

Keenan plays Bill "Trotter" Dwyer, an entrepreneur hoping to turn his passion for chasing waves into big bucks with his own boardshorts line. "I read the script, really early on,

before COVID hit." he explains. "And I just loved the world. I loved the fun. And I loved the kind of exploration of this story that I felt hadn't been told.

"You know, I had a basic idea of the surf brands and how it started in Australia, but it's just a story that hadn't been brought to the screen. I loved that it had such a footing in reality and what happened to these real characters, but that it was fictional as well, so it had freedom to go in different places."

Although he was born in the 1990s, working on both *Puberty* Blues and now Barons has given Keenan a unique understanding and appreciation for 1970s culture and its challenges.

Barons, he says, isn't a whitewashed account of the era but a series that offers some insight into varying perspectives and experiences of those from different genders, races and sexual orientation.

"It's an interesting era," he says. "It was a time of such social change and also big steps in social awareness

"And, also in looking back now, we see this beautiful naivety. Even with the exploration of a surf brand starting up, it's kind of [a] wild idea that you can make billions of dollars from surfing, because money and consumerism is, like, the antithesis of that sort of [surfing] ideology

"So, it was this time of great change, excitement, and freedom and experimentation. And I think that's why I'm fascinated by that time."

While he can take or leave some of the '70s fashion, Keenan has a particular passion for the era's music because, for almost every character he plays, Keenan develops a playlist to listen to before filming, to help get into his character's headspace.

While Keenan says there are plans already afoot at the ABC for a second season of Barons, he is quick to shoot down any suggestion Puberty Blues is making a comeback.

based on Kathy Lette's iconic novel, would return after actor Ed Oxenbould teased on TikTok that season three was coming.

"Look, Ed Oxenbould is a lovely man and also a really great internet troll," Keenan laughs.

"He just wanted to stir some s--- up! It just so happened we were shooting [Barons] at the same time and we're driving '70s cars. It was a completely different story with completely different themes [but people assumed we were filming Puberty Blues].

Keenan had a ball on the relaxed Barons set. Between scenes, he and his castmates would head out into the ocean to surf before racing back to the beach for the next take, dripping wet, their hair still tousled with sand and surf.

There just happened to be really good surf the whole time we shot, so we were taking it in turns to go out and surf and then come in, towel off, and shoot," he says

"I think that [spontaneity] was the nature of how we were shooting as well. There was a lot of handheld [camera work]. A lot of it was done on the fly. That was kind of the energy o the show."

Another drawcard of |the project for Keenan was the cast, which features an impressive line-up of up-and-coming and established actors such as Lincoln Younes, Vivienne Awosoga, Hunter Page-Lochard and Kick Gurry.

The cast became so tight-knit that there were plans afoot for a "pub-hopping, surfing" road trip together, until COVID scuppered their holiday. Keenan had hoped to introduce his castmates to some authentic surfie experiences.

"It would've been fun," he says.

because everyone was locked up at home and we were able to go to set and hang out," Keenan says. "Just to be in a group of people was a privilege." ■ Barons, premieres Sunday, 8.30pm, ABC TV and streaming, ABC iview **Shorts story: New ABC series** Barons, starring Sean Keenan, dramatises the rise of Aussie surf labels in the '70s.

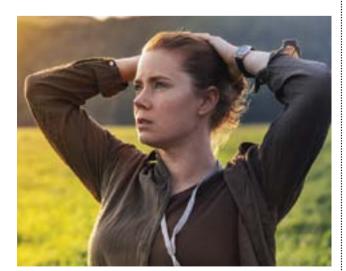
# **Movie Guide**





### INSIDE OUT 7Flix, Friday, 6.40pm, PG (2015)

Like the best films animation studio Pixar has delivered, *Inside Out* appeals to kids and grown-ups alike. The film is set inside the mind of young girl Riley (voiced by Kaitlyn Dias), whose emotions – Joy (pictured), Anger, Fear, Sadness and Disgust – are struggling to adjust after the family moves across the country. Amy Poehler is the voice of Joy, who tries to keep the mood positive while things spiral into a bad place as Riley struggles to adjust to her new life. \*\*\*



**ARRIVAL** 9Go!, Sunday, 7.30pm, M (2016)

This thoughtful sci-fi film casts Amy Adams (pictured) as linguist Louise Banks, who is tasked with figuring out how to communicate with the aliens who have just landed on Earth in a dozen giant egg-shaped pods. As humankind holds its breath, she works to uncover the visitors' answer to the question, "What do you want?". Written communication holds the key to the two species understanding each other. It's refreshing to see a first-contact film where violence isn't the answer. \*\*\*



THE HANGOVER Seven, Saturday, 9.30pm, MA15+ (2009)

It's a few days before Doug (Justin Bartha) is getting married, so he heads to Sin City for one last debaucherous night out with his best mates, Phil (Bradley Cooper) and Stu (Ed Helms). Also along for the ride is socially awkward brother-of-the-bride Alan (Zach Galifianakis, pictured, left with Cooper and Helms). The audience isn't privy to what happens overnight, instead, the gang wakes up the next day with bizarre injuries, a baby, a tiger in their room and several things missing, including the groom. \*\*\*\*



THE WATER DIVINER
7mate, Monday, 8.30pm, M (2014)

Four years after the deadly battle at Gallipoli and wounds have not healed. In the Australian Outback, a father (Russell Crowe, pictured) searches the barren landscape for water. His wife (Jacqueline Mackenzie) begs him to search instead for their three sons, missing in action, presumed dead, in Turkey. So begins a quest across the seas for his boys, or their remains. This directorial debut from Crowe is heart-wrenching and confronting in equal measure.



THE BIG SHORT SBS World Movies, Saturday, 8.30pm, M (2015)

Bold, ambitious, bursting with talent and wit, Adam McKay's (*Don't Look Up*) epic, fast and intelligent review of the 2008 Wall Street meltdown will leave you exhilarated by its panache and fuming at the greediness of banks. McKay makes the complications of the credit crunch easy to understand as we follow parallel tales, beginning with hedge fund manager Michael (Christian Bale, pictured) recognising that the US housing market is in a bubble, and betting on its demise.



SHERLOCK HOLMES: A GAME OF SHADOWS 9Go!, Tuesday, 8.30pm, M (2011)

Director Guy Ritchie yanks Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's famous literary detective out of 221B Baker Street for a second action-packed adventure. This time around, Dr Watson (Jude Law) is preparing to wed fiancée Mary (Kelly Reilly), and Holmes (Robert Downey Jr, pictured) is despondent over the impending break-up of their detecting partnership. However, there is no time to dwell, as Holmes suspects Professor Moriarty (Jared Harris) has masterminded a spate of crimes around Europe. \*\*\*

# The Guide

### PICK OF THE WEEK **LEGO MASTERS** Nine, Monday, 7.30pm The playful banter between host Hamish Blake, judge Ryan "Brickman" McNaught (pictured, right, with Blake) and the contestants is as colourful as the LEGO creations themselves. Viewers love the family-friendly nature of this LEGO-building competition, but producers have upped the ante for this fourth season by sending the competitors outside the studio. Thankfully, LEGO is waterproof and (almost) indestructible. Tonight, it's what's inside that counts as the teams, including best friends Gene and Nick, face an intricate cut-away challenge. As inspiration, Brickman reveals his ship - cut in half to reveal its insides on one side - which took 200 hours and 35,000 bricks to create. It's certainly not child's play.

### WORLD'S MOST LUXURIOUS HOLIDAYS SBS, Friday, 8.30pm

While the eye-wateringly expensive options presented in this three-part series might be pipe dreams for most of us, it's fun to take a peek inside the gilded keyhole. In this series premiere,



cameras glide through the penthouse suite of The Mark in New York City. At roughly \$95,000 a night, the five-bedroom apartment – which hosted Meghan Markle's star-studded baby shower in 2019 – boasts a grand piano, a Fendi rug and a rooftop terrace large enough for an ice-skating rink.

### FATHER BROWN ABC TV, Saturday, 7.30pm

This week, Father Brown turns into Dan Brown, with everyone's favourite crime-solving priest (Mark Williams) on a mission to recover a lost relic. A visit from the new Cardinal sets the plot in motion, having discovered that



a priceless Papal tiara missing for half a millennium is likely hidden in nearby Brintley Castle. A sly ruse sees Lady Felicia (Nancy Carroll) and charismatic charlatan Hercule Flambeau (John Light, pictured with Carroll) pretend to be a couple scouting for wedding venues in order to infiltrate the castle.

### TRAVEL MAN SBS Viceland, Tuesday, 8.30pm

Travel Man without the unique humour of Richard Ayoade? That's the new reality. But don't fret: it's a great success. This week, comedian Joe Lycett takes over as the new host, with uproarious results. Where



Ayoade mastered a cool, dry persona – able to withhold his giggles within a vacant stare – Lycett is like a playful puppy on the job, in the most charming way. Kicking off season 10 with a double episode, the 33-year-old is joined by *Hypothetical*'s James Acaster (pictured, left, with Lycett) in Basque Country.

### Friday, April 22

### ABCTV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Q+A. (R) 11.10 Grand Designs. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces Northern Lights Adventure. (R) 1.45 Father Brown. (Mav, R) 3.00 Grand Designs Australia. (R) 4.00 Escape From The City. (R) 5.00 Movin' To The Country. (R) 5.30 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

### 6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 Gardening Australia. Josh

Byrne meets a young beekeeper.

8.30 Smother. (Mal) The Aherns struggle to maintain a semblance of normality as the campaign of terror escalates.

9.25 Doctor Who. (PGh, R) The Doctor, Yaz and Dan encounter one of her oldest adversaries - the Sea Devils.

10.15 ABC Late News.
10.30 Invictus Games: The Hague.
Coverage of the 2020 Invictus Games.
11.00 Shaun Micallef's MAD

**AS HELL.** (Final, M, R) **11.30 Tomorrow Tonight.** (PG, R) **12.00 Rage.** (MA15+adhlnsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 5.20pm PJ Masks. 5.35 Hey Duggee. 5.45 Frankie And Frank. 5.50 Peppa Pig. 5.55 School Of Roars. 6.05 Ben And Holly. 6.20 Bluey. 6.25 Shaun The Sheep. 6.40 Andy's Prehistoric Adv. 7.00 Dino Dana. 7.10 Catie's Amazing Machines. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Hard Quiz. 8.30 MOVIE: Bright Young Things. (2003, M) 10.15 Black Mirror. 11.15 MOVIE: Angel. (2007, M) 1.10am Ql. 1.45 Parks And Recreation. 2.25 Green Wing. 3.20 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Guess How Much I Love You. 5.25 Rita And Crocodile. 5.30 Clangers. 5.45 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 9.10
Bushwhacked! 9.35 The Magic Canoe. 10.00
Undiscovered Vistas. 10.50 Road Open. 11.00
Going Places. Noon Jupurrurla: Man Of Media.
12.30 The Whole Table. 1.30 Carry The Flag. 2.00
Shortland St. 2.30 On Country Kitchen. 3.00
Bushwhacked! 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf
Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Grace Beside
Me. 4.35 Molly Of Denali. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30
NITV News: Nula. 6.00 Bamay. 6.40 Undiscovered
Vistas. 7.30 MOVIE: Beasts Of The Southern Wild.
(2012, M) 9.30 Bedtime Stories. 9.40 NITV On The
Road: Saltwater Freshwater. 11.10 Late Programs.

### **SBS** (3)

**6.00** WorldWatch. **9.30** Greek News. **10.30** German News. **11.00** Spanish News. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24 First Edition. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Youth On Strike! (M) **3.00** NITV News: Nula. **3.30** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) **3.35** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG) **4.05** Feast To Save The Planet. (PG, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

**6.00** Mastermind Australia. (PG) **6.30** SBS World News. **7.35** Britain's Secret Islands.

(PG) Part 4 of 4.

8.30 World's Most Luxurious
Holidays. Part 1 of 3.

9.30 Secrets Of The Royal Palaces.

(PG) Kate Williams looks at Windsor Castle.

10.20 SBS World News Late.

10.55 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does

Countdown. (Mals, R)
11.50 La Unidad. (MA15+v) 2.00 The Killing.
(Mv, R) 4.15 VICE Guide To Film. (Malv,
R) 4.40 Destination Flavour Scandinavia
Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK
World English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche
Welle English News Morning.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch.
Noon Huang's World. 12.50 VICE. 1.25 Basketball.
EuroLeague. C'ship Game. Barcelona v Anadolu
Efes. Replay. 3.45 WorldWatch. 5.10 Shortland St.
5.40 Joy Of Painting. 6.10 Abandoned Engineering.
7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does
Countdown. 8.30 Hoarders. 9.20 Atlanta. 9.50
Sexplora. 10.20 Day Of The Dead. (Final) 11.10
Instinctive Desires. Midnight News. 12.55 Fear The
Walking Dead. 1.45 How Sex Changed The World.
2.35 NHK World English News. 3.00 Thai News.
3.30 Bangla News. 4.00 Punjabi News. 4.30 Sri
Lankan Sinhalese News. 5.00 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am
The Eagle Has Landed. Continued. (1976, PG) 8.00
Without A Clue. (1988, PG) 10.00 The Host. (2006, M, Korean) 12.10pm Paradise War. (2019, M) 2.45
Finding Your Feet. (2017, PG) 4.50 A Monster Calls. (2016, PG) 6.50 The Old Man And The Gun. (2018, PG) 8.30 Apocalypse Now Redux. (1979, MA15+) 12.15am Canopy. (2013, M) 1.45 La Femme Nikita. (1990, MA15+, French) 3.55 Police Story. (1985, M, Cantonese) 5.50 A Monster Calls. (2016, PG)

### SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise.
9.00 The Morning Show. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: Romeo Killer: The
Chris Porco Story. (2013, Mv, R)
2.00 House Of Wellness. (PG)
3.00 The Chase. (R)
4.00 Seven News At 4.
5.00 The Chase Australia.
Hosted by Larry Emdur.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News.

**7.00** Better Homes And Gardens. Joh, Charlie and Adam make over the home of one of the last surviving diggers of the Kokoda Trail campaign. Karen prepares a slow-cooked pork shoulder. Graham travels to Gory'u Japanese Gardens.

**8.30** To Be Advised. **1.10** The Goldbergs. (PGI, R)
Geoff starts a food delivery service named Food in a Geoffy. Adam gets

more attention from Beverly.

2.00 Home Shopping. (R)

4.00 Million Dollar Minute.

(R) Hosted by Simon Reeve. **5.00 NBC Today.** News and current affairs.

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30
Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million
Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon House Of
Wellness. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 All The
Things. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 ICU. 5.00
Coastwatch Oz. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30
Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Railroad Australia. 8.30 Escape
To The Perfect Town. 9.30 Penelope Keith's Hidden
Villages. 10.40 Cliveden: A Very British Country
House. 11.55 The Great Outdoors: Greatest Escapes.
12.55am The Fine Art Auction. 4.00 Better Homes
And Gardens. 5.30 Home Shopping.

7MATE (74) 6am The Fishing Show. 7.00
Step Outside With Paul Burt. 7.30 Creek To Coast.
8.00 American Pickers. 9.00 Storage Wars: Texas.
9.30 Pawn Stars. 10.00 NFL 100 Greatest. 11.00
America's Game: The Super Bowl Champions. Noon
Pawn Stars UK. 12.30 Shipping Wars. 1.00 Picked
Off. 2.00 No Man's Land. 3.00 Showjumping.
Equestrian In The Park. 4.00 Timbersports. 4.30
Pawn Stars UK. 5.00 Shipping Wars. 5.30 Storage
Wars: Texas. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 AFL:
Friday Night Countdown. 7.30 Football. AFL. Round
6. GWS Giants v St Kilda. 10.30 AFL Post-Game
Show. 11.00 Late Programs.

### **NINE** (8, 9)

6.00 Today.
9.00 Today Extra. (PG)
11.30 Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: Romance
Retreat. (2019, PGa, R)
1.45 Garden Gurus Moments. (R)
2.00 Pointless. (PG)
3.00 Tipping Point. (PG)
4.00 Afternoon News.
5.00 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R)

### **6.00** Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair.

7.30 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7. Brisbane Broncos v Canterbury Bulldogs. 9.55 Golden Point. A wrap-up of the Brisbane Broncos versus Canterbury Bulldogs match, with news and analysis.

10.35 MOVIE: Once Upon A Time In Mexico. (2003, MA15+lv, R) A Mexican vigilante is recruited by a CIA agent. Antonio Banderas, Johnny Depp.
12.35 Tipping Point. (PG, R)
1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)
4.00 Take Two. (R)

4.30 Global Shop. (R) 5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 5.30 A Current Affair. (R)

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop: Home Shopping. 7.00 Creflo Dollar Ministries. 7.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Days Of Our Lives. 12.55 The Young And The Restless. 1.50 Bondi Vet: Coast To Coast. 2.50 Garden Gurus Moments. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 MoVIE: The Colditz Story. (1955) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 Escape To The Chateau. 8.30 MOVIE: Wonder. (2017, PG) 10.50 MOVIE: Going In Style. (2017, M) 12.45am Explore. 1.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping.

**9GO!** (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. **Noon** The Incredible Hulk. 1.00 The A-Team. 2.00
SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock.
4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Raymond. 5.30 The
Nanny. 6.00 MOVIE: Wonder Park. (2019, PG)
7.35 MOVIE: Mr Magorium's Wonder Emporium.
(2007) 9.30 MOVIE: Mortal Engines. (2018, M) **Midnight** Young, Dumb And Banged Up In The Sun.
1.00 Keeping Up With The Kardashians. 2.50 Mike
Tyson Mysteries. 3.00 Bakugan: Armored Alliance.
3.30 Ninjago. 4.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 5.00
Pokémon Master Journeys: The Series. 5.30 Teen
Titans Go!

### **TEN** (5, 1)

6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGal, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.15 The Living Room. (R) 3.30 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 4.00 Good Chef Bad Chef. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.

**6.30** The Project. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. **7.30** The Living Room. Love is

7.30 The Living Room. Love is in the air as Miguel Maestre helps bring a surprise proposal to life.
8.30 To Be Advised.

**9.40 First Dates Australia.** (R) Singles in search of love are brought together at a restaurant for a blind first date.

10.40 To Be Advised. 11.40 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events.

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12.40 The Late Show With Stephen
Colbert. (PG) Late-night talk show.

1.30 Home Shopping. (R)

4.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 NBL Slam. 7.30 Frasier. 8.00 Seinfeld. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Middle. 11.00 Frasier. Noon The Dog House Australia. 1.00 The Middle. 1.30 Seinfeld. 2.30 Becker. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Mom. 11.00 Nancy Drew. Midnight Home Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Home Shopping. 1.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 2.30 The Late Late Show With James Corden. 3.30 Becker. 4.30 Home Shopping. 5.30 Infomercials.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping.
6.30 Infomercials. 8.00 Escape Fishing With
ET. 8.30 Reel Action. 9.00 Star Trek: The Next
Generation. 11.00 The Love Boat. Noon NCIS. 1.00
Law & Order: SVU. 2.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00
Bondi Rescue. 3.30 The Love Boat. 4.30 Star Trek:
The Next Generation. 6.30 Bondi Rescue. 7.30
NCIS. 8.30 Law & Order: SVU. 10.30 CSI: Crime
Scene Investigation. 12.30am Home Shopping.
1.00 Infomercials. 1.30 Home Shopping. 2.00 48
Hours. 3.00 The Love Boat. 4.00 Star Trek: The
Next Generation

### **Saturday, April 23**

### ABCTV(2)

6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 9.00 Rage. (PG) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 Midsomer Murders. (Mv, R) 2.05 Father Brown. (Mav, R) 2.45 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces Snow And Ice Special. (R) 3.35 Grand Designs. (PG, R) 4.35 Landline. (R) 5.05 Tiny Oz: Sydney. (PG, R)

6.05 Judi Dench's Wild Borneo Adventure. (R) Part 2 of 2. 7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories. 7.30 Father Brown (PGay) Father Brown

**7.30 Father Brown.** (PGav) Father Brown joins forces with Flambeau to search for a lost treasure in a 15th-century castle.

**8.20 Unforgotten.** (Final, Malv) Despite a tragic turn of events, Sunny and the team narrow down the suspects.

9.05 Troppo. (Final, Malv, R) Uncovering the truth about Park's death brings little comfort for Ted and Amanda.

**10.00 Call The Midwife.**(Final, Ma, R) Nonnatus House looks forward to celebrations.

**11.30 Invictus Games: The Hague.** Coverage of the 2020 Invictus Games. **12.00 Victoria.** (PG, R) **12.50 Rage.** (MA15+adhlnsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7:10pm Shaun The Sheep. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Ql. 8.30 Melbourne Comedy Festival: Allstars Supershow. (Final) 9.30 Sammy J. 9.35 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 10.20 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. 11.05 Gavin & Stacey. 11.35 Schitt's Creek. 11.55 Archer. 12.20am The Young Offenders. 12.55 Doctor Who. 1.40 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2.30pm Hockey. WA Women's Premier League. 4.00 Soccer. Scottish Women's Premier League. 5.50 Merchants Of The Wild. 6.20 First People's Kitchen. 6.50 News. 7.00 The South Sydney Story. 7.30 Beaver Whisperer. 8.30 MOVIE: Teddy Pendergrass - If You Don't Know Me. (2018, M) 10.20 MOVIE: Apocalypto. (2006, MA15+) 12.40am Late Programs.

### **SBS** (3)

**6.00** WorldWatch. **11.00** Spanish News. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24 First Edition. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Figure Skating. ISU World Championships. **3.30** Countdown To Qatar. **4.00** The Rising. **4.30** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) **4.35** Battle Of Crete. (PGa, R) **5.35** Cheating Hitler: Surviving The Holocaust. (PGavw, R)

**6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Celebrity Letters And Numbers.** (M) Hosted by Michael Hing.

**8.30** Miniseries: The Boleyns: A Scandalous Family. Part 1 of 3. Charts the rise and fall of the Boleyn family, based on original 16th century sources.

9.40 Delphine: The Secret Princess.
Part 1 of 3. Takes a look at the story of
Princess Delphine de Saya-Coburg

Princess Delphine de Saxe-Coburg. **10.40 Greatest Hits Of The 70s.**(Premiere) Part 1 of 2.

**11.30 MOVIE: Detroit.** (2017, MA15+av, R) John Boyega. **2.05 MOVIE: Elle.** 

(2016, MA15+alnsv, R, French) **4.25 VICE Guide To Film.** (MA15+adls, R)

4.55 Destination Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News Morning.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch.
Noon Hunting Hitler. 1.40 One Burning Question.
1.50 If You Are The One. 2.50 Over The Black
Dot. 3.20 Yokayi Footy. 4.15 WorldWatch. 5.45
Insight. 6.45 Extreme Food Phobics. (Final) 7.35
Underground Worlds. (Return) 8.30 Secrets Of
America's Shadow Government. (Final) 9.20
Devoured. 10.15 Escorts. 11.05 Sorry For Your Loss.
11.40 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am
A Monster Calls. Continued. (2016, PG) 7.50 The
Old Man And The Gun. (2018, PG) 9.30 Loving.
(2016, PG) 11.45 Chinese Zodiac. (2012, M) 1.50pm
Without A Clue. (1988, PG) 3.50 The Eagle Has
Landed. (1976, PG) 6.20 Blinded By The Light.
(2019, PG) 8.30 The Big Short. (2015, M) 10.50
Interlude In Prague. (2017, M) 12.45am Django.
(2017, M, French) 2.55 Late Programs.

### SEVEN (7)

**6.00** NBC Today. **7.00** Weekend Sunrise. **10.00** The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG)

12.00 Horse Racing. Royal Randwick Race Day. Victorian Owners and Breeders Race Day. RN Irwin Stakes Day.

**5.00 Seven News At 5. 5.30 Creek To Coast.** A look at the latest in outdoor activities.

**6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Border Security: Australia's Front Line.** (PG, R) A man from Amsterdam raises suspicions.

**7.30 MOVIE: Goosebumps 2: Haunted Halloween.** (2018, PGh) Two young friends find a magic book that brings a ventriloquist's dummy to life. Wendi McLendon-Covey, Madison Iseman.

9.30 MOVIE: The Hangover. (2009, MA15+Ins, R) Three friends wake up after a buck's night and realise the groom is missing. Bradley Cooper, Ed Helms, Zach Galifianakis.

11.40 Motorway Patrol. (PG, R) Follows the work of a police unit. 12.10 MOVIE: Bad Manners. (1997, Mns, R) Saul Rubinek.

2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 It's Academic. (R) 5.00 House Of Wellness. (PG, R)

7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs.
11.00 Bargain Hunt. Noon Weekender. 12.30
Creek To Coast. 1.00 House Of Wellness. 2.00
Weekender. 2.30 Coastal Railways With Julie
Walters. 3.30 Dog Patrol. 4.30 Inside The Crown:
Secrets Of The Royals. 5.30 Dr Harry's Animal
Encounters. 6.30 The Yorkshire Vet. 8.30 I Escaped
To The Country. 9.30 Escape To The Country. 11.30
Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs.
1pm Blokesworld. 1.30 Portland Charter Boat Wars.
2.00 Motor Racing. Austn Top Fuel C'ship. H'lights.
3.00 Rides Down Under: Workshop Wars. 4.00
Wheelburn. 4.30 Pawn Stars UK. 5.00 Shipping
Wars. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 American
Pickers. 7.00 AFL Pre-Game. 7.30 Football. AFL.
Round 6. Fremantle v Carlton. 10.30 AFL PostGame. 11.00 Late Programs.

**NINE (8, 9)** 

6.00 Easy Eats. (R) 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Today Extra: Saturday. (PG) 12.00 Destination WA. (PG, R) 12.30 The Rebound. 1.00 Great Australian Detour. 1.30 Outback & Under. (PG) 2.00 The Pet Rescuers. (PG, R) 2.30 MOVIE: Grumpier Old Men. (1995, PGIs, R) Jack Lemmon, Walter Matthau, Sophia Loren. 4.30 The Garden Gurus. 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 Getaway. (PG)

**6.00** Nine News Saturday. **7.00** The Nine Telethon. (PG) A concert to raise money for the Queensland Children's Hospital Foundation. Featuring Missy Higgins, Eskimo Joe and Jarryd James. From Fortitude Music Hall.

James. From Fortitude Music Hall.

10.30 MOVIE: Downton Abbey.

(2019, PGa, R) The Crawley family deals with all the drama of a visit by King George V and Queen Mary. Michelle Dockery, Maggie Smith, Hugh Bonneville.

1.00 Destination WA. (PG, R)

The team head out to Esperance.

1.30 The Rebound. (R)
Fast-paced business show.

2.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)

4.30 Global Shop. (R) Home shopping.

5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)

**5.30 Wesley Impact With Stu Cameron.** (PG) Hosted by Stu Cameron.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs.
11.30 Speedseries. 1.30pm Rugby Union. Super
W. Grand Final. 4.15 World's Greatest Engineering
Icons. 5.15 MOVIE: Johnny Guitar. (1954, PG)
7.30 Rugby Union. Super Rugby Pacific. Round
10. Hurricanes v Queensland Reds. 9.45 Super
Rugby Pacific Post-Match. 10.00 MOVIE: The Man
With The Iron Heart. (2017, MAI5+) 12.25am Late
Programs

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs.
1.30pm Motor Racing. Formula E World C'ship.
2.30 Motor Racing. Formula E World C'ship. 3.30
Al: Highway Patrol. 4.30 Ultimate Rush. 5.00 To Be Advised. 7.00 MOVIE: Stargate. (1994, PG) 9.30
MOVIE: Stargate: The Ark Of Truth. (2008, M) 11.30
MOVIE: Stargate: Continuum. (2008, M) 1.20am
Kardashians. 3.00 Power Rangers Dino Charge.
3.30 Thunderbirds. 4.30 Late Programs.

**TEN (5, 1)** 

6.00 GCBC. (R) 6.30 Leading The Way. 7.00 Escape Fishing. (R) 7.30 MasterChef Aust. (R) 9.30 Studio 10: Saturday. (PG) 12.00 Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. (R) 1.00 The Offroad Adventure Show. 2.00 Roads Less Travelled. (R) 2.30 Taste Of Australia With Hayden Quinn. (R) 3.00 What's Up Down Under. 3.30 All 4 Adventure. (PGI, R) 4.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 5.00 10 News First.

**6.00 Bondi Rescue**. (PGI, R) With Christmas in full swing and hordes of revellers threatening to overwhelm lifeguards, Jackson must run through crowds to rescue a drunk woman in a rip. Jake racks up hundreds of rescues on his jet ski.

**7.00 Soccer.** A-League Men. Round 25. Newcastle Jets v Central Coast Mariners. From McDonald Jones Stadium, NSW.

**10.00** Ambulance Australia. (Mal, R) Follows NSW Ambulance's Sydney operations as they deal with cases involving a volatile man, a hit and run, unconscious inebriated youths, and a 102-year-old man and young woman in cardiac arrest.

12.00 Home Shopping. (R)
3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)
5.00 Hour Of Power. Religious program.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 8.00 Frasier. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Big Bang Theory. 11.00 The King Of Queens. Noon To Be Advised. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 10.15 Friends. 12.15am Home Shopping. 1.15 Infomercials. 1.45 Mom. 3.05 The Big Bang Theory. 3.30 Nancy Drew. 4.30 Home Shopping.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping.
6.30 Infomercials. 9.00 The Doctors. 10.00 Bondi
Rescue. 11.00 The Love Boat. Noon Star Trek: The
Next Generation. 2.00 Pooches At Play. 2.30 Pat
Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. 3.30 Buy To Build. 4.00
Bondi Rescue. 4.30 Truck Hunters. 5.00 Escape
Fishing With ET. 5.30 Scorpion. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30
NCIS: New Orleans. 10.20 FBI. 11.20 Blue Bloods.
12.15am CSI. 1.10 48 Hours. 2.10 Late Programs.



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### **Sunday, April 24**

### **ABC TV (2)**

6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast.
9.00 Insiders. 10.30 Offsiders. (R) 11.00
Compass. (R) 11.30 Songs Of Praise. (R) 12.00
ABC News At Noon. 12.30 Landline. 1.30
Gardening Australia. (R) 2.30 Golden Guitar
Awards. 4.00 The Art Of Remembrance. (PG,
R) 4.30 Tomorrow Tonight. (PG, R)
5.00 Art Works. (R)
5.30 The Many Days Of Anzac.

6.30 Compass: The Nun In The Cage. (la, R) 7.00 ABC News Sunday. 7.40 Grand Designs. (MI)

Presented by Kevin McCloud.

8.30 Barons. (Premiere, Madl) In '70s
Australia, two best mates become rivals
when they create competing surfing brands.

9.25 Life. (Premiere, Mal) In Manchester, England, the lives of the residents of a large suburban house intersect. 10.25 Harrow. (Mav, R)

11.20 Top Of The Lake: China Girl. (Final, Malnsv, R) 12.15 Victoria. (PG, R) 1.05 State Of The Union. (Ml, R) 1.25 Rage. (MAI5+adhlnsv) 2.55 Insiders. (R) 4.25 Anzac Dawn Service From Sydney. 5.30

Anzac Dawn Service From Canberra.

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.10pm Shaun The Sheep. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Compass. 8.00 You Can't Ask That. 8.30 Louis Theroux: Mothers On The Edge. 9.35 Tiny Oz. 10.35 MOVIE: Romeo & Juliet. (2021, M) 12.10am George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 1.00 MOVIE: Bright Young Things. (2003, M) 2.40 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Peg + Cat. 5.25

Rita And Crocodile. 5.30 Pablo. 5.45 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 11.00 Football. CAFL. 12.30pm W Series: Driven. 1.00 Soccer. Serie A Femminile. 2.45 Rugby League. NRL NT. First Grade Men's Premiership League. 4.15 Football. Big Rivers AFL. Grand Final. 5.45 Power To The People. 6.15 News. 6.25 Wild New Zealand. 7.35 Ice Cowboys. 8.25 The One And Only Dick Gregory. 10.25 MOVIE: Pluto Nash. (2002, M) Midnight Late Programs.

### **SBS** (3)

**6.00** WorldWatch. **9.30** Greek News. **10.30** German News. **11.00** Spanish News. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24 First Edition. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** Motorcycle Racing. Australian Superbike Championship. Round 3. **4.00** Cycling. UCI World Tour. Paris-Roubaix. Highlights. **5.35** Cheating Hitler: Surviving The Holocaust. (PGavw, R)

6.30 SBS World News.
7.30 Secrets To Civilisation: Bronze
Age Catastrophe. (PG) Part 1 of 3.
8.30 Chernobyl: The New

Evidence: Situation Critical. (PGa) Part 1 of 2. Explores the catalogue of errors in the build-up to Chernobyl's devastating explosion. 10.25 The Hunt For Shackleton's

Ice Ship. (PGal, R) A look at the search for the *Endurance*.

12.00 D-Day: 75 Years. (Mal, R)

1.45 Planet Expedition. (PG, R)

4.45 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R)
4.55 Destination Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize.
(R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche Welle

**English News Morning.** 

SBS VICELAND (31) 6.30am
WorldWatch. Noon Forged In Fire. 1.30 If You Are
The One. 3.30 WorldWatch. 4.00 Insight. 5.00 The
Presidential Endorsement. 5.55 Speed With Guy
Martin. 6.55 Lost Gold of World War II. 7.35 Cycling.
UCI World Tour. Liege-Bastogne-Liege. Women's
Race. 9.00 Sportswoman 2022. 9.30 Cycling. UCI
World Tour. Liege-Bastogne-Liege. Men's Race.
1.30am Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Blinded By The Light. Continued. (2019, PG) 7.40 Belle And Sebastian 3. (2017, PG, French) 9.20 Orlando. (1992, PG) 11.00 Canopy. (2013, M) 12.30pm A Monster Calls. (2016, PG) 2.30 The Old Man And The Gun. (2018, PG) 4.15 Princess Caraboo. (1994, PG) 6.00 Race. (2016, PG) 8.30 Predestination. (2014, MA15+) 10.20 True Grit. (2010, M) 12.25am Late Programs.

### SEVEN (7)

6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise.
10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG)
12.00 House Of Wellness. (PG, R) 1.00
Jabba's School Holiday Movie Special. (PGhv, R) 1.30 MOVIE: Police Academy 7: Mission To Moscow. (1994, PGl, R) 3.00 Highway Cops. (PGl, R) 3.30 Border Security: International. (PG) 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.00 Seven News At 5. 5.30 Weekender.

**6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Hey Hey It's 100 Years.** (PGasv) Hosted by Daryl Somers.

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8.50 MOVIE: 1917. (2019, MA15+av)
During World War I, two British
soldiers are assigned the critical task
of delivering a life-saving message to
another unit that is preparing to launch a
potentially disastrous assault on prepared
enemy positions. George MacKay,

Dean-Charles Chapman, Colin Firth.

11.30 The Blacklist. (Mav) Dembe's position causes complications.

12.30 Cleaning Up. (Ma, R)

1.30 Harry's Practice. (R)

2.00 Home Shopping. (R)

3.30 Million Dollar Minute. (R)

4.00 NBC Today.

4.50 Anzac Day Dawn Service.

7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs.
10.00 House Of Wellness. 11.00 NBC Today. Noon
The Yorkshire Vet. 2.00 All The Things. 2.30 The
Great Australian Doorstep. 3.00 I Escaped To
The Country. 4.00 Escape To The Country. 6.00
Motorway Patrol. 7.00 Border Security. 8.30
Railroad Australia. 9.30 Hornby: A Model Empire.
10.30 Great Scenic Railway Journeys. 11.10 Late
Programs

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs. 9.30 Blokesworld. 10.00 Hook, Line And Sinker. 11.00 Fish Of The Day. 11.30 Step Outside. Noon The Fishing Show By AFN. 1.00 Big Angry Fish. 2.00 Hook Me Up! 3.00 The ITM Fishing Show. 4.00 Football. AFL. Round 6. Gold Coast Suns v Brisbane Lions. 7.00 Football. AFL. Round 6. Richmond v Melbourne. 10.30 AFL Post-Game. 11.00 Late Programs.

### **NINE** (8, 9)

6.00 Easy Eats. (R) 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Sports Sunday. (PG) 11.00 NRL Sunday Footy Show. (PG) 1.00 Ultimate Rush: A Door In The Sky. (PGI, R) 1.30 Explore: Medieval Mile. (R) 1.40 LEGO Masters. (PG, R)

Penrith Panthers v Canberra Raiders.

6.00 Nine News Sunday.

7.00 LEGO Masters. (PG) The teams build a car of the future

3.00 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7.

7.00 LEGO Masters. (PG) The teams build a car of the future.8.45 60 Minutes. Current affairs program, investigating, analysing and uncovering the issues affecting all Australians.

9.45 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events.
10.15 Australian Crime Stories: Mr Cruel. (Ma, R) A look at the serial predator Mr Cruel.
11.20 Manhunt: The Wests. (MA15+)

12.10 Forensics: The Real CSI: The Harvest. (Ma, R) 1.20 Garden Gurus Moments. (R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30 Take Two. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs.
7.30 In Touch. 8.00 Beyond Today. 8.30 The Incredible Journey. 9.00 TV Shop. 10.00 The AFL Sunday Footy Show. Noon The Rebound. 12.30 Garden Gurus. 1.00 Getaway. 1.30 The Baron.
2.40 MOVIE: The Thousand Plane Raid. (1969, PG) 4.40 MOVIE: Midway. (1976, PG) 7.30 David Attenborough's Seven Worlds, One Planet. 8.40 MOVIE: Unbroken. (2014, M) 11.25 Late Programs.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs.
1.30pm Speedseries. 3.30 The Break Boys. 4.00
MOVIE: The Brady Bunch Movie. (1995, PG) 5.40
MOVIE: Bridge To Terabithia. (2007, PG) 7.30
MOVIE: Arrival. (2016, M) 9.50 MOVIE: Pritch
Black. (2000, M) Midnight Allegiance. 1.00
Kardashians. 2.50 Mike Tyson Mysteries. 3.00
Power Rangers Dino Charge. 3.30 Thunderbirds.
4.30 Teen Titans Go! 4.50 Late Programs.

### **TEN** (5, 1)

**6.00** Mass For You At Home. **6.30** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **7.00** Leading The Way. (PGa, R) **7.30** Tomorrow's World. (PGa) **8.00** The Living Room. (R) **9.00** Luca's Key Ingredient. **9.30** Studio 10: Sunday. (PG) **12.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **12.30** To Be Advised.

4.30 Taste Of Australia With Hayden Quinn. 5.00 10 News First.

**6.30** The Sunday Project. Panellists dissect, digest and reconstitute the daily news, events and hottest topics.

**7.30 MasterChef Australia.** Amateur cooks and popular past contestants compete to impress the judges.

9.00 FBI. FBI Special Agent Ōmar Adom "OA" Zidan is forced to confront one of his biggest fears when the team discovers that sarin gas, a deadly chemical weapon, may have been sold to terrorists. 11.00 The Sunday Project. (R) Panellists

11.00 The Sunday Project. (R) Panellist dissect, digest and reconstitute the daily news, events and hottest topics.

**12.00 Home Shopping.** (R) **2.30 Infomercials.** (PG, R) **4.30 CBS Mornings.** Morning news and talk show.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am NBL Slam. 6.30 The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Neighbours. 10.30 The Middle. Noon The Dog House Australia. 1.00 Basketball. NBL. Round 21. New Zealand Breakers v Adelaide 36ers. 3.00 Basketball. NBL. Round 21. Sydney Kings v Illawarra Hawks. 5.00 Friends. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Friends. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Shopping. 1.30 MOVIE: Catwoman. (2004, M) 3.35 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Morning Programs.
7.30 Key Of David. 8.00 The Doctors. 9.00 Healthy Homes Aust. 9.30 Hotels By Design. 10.00 Bondi Rescue. 10.30 Reel Action. 11.00 Escape Fishing.
11.30 4x4 Adventures. 12.30pm Buy To Build. 1.00 Pooches At Play. 1.30 Scripton. 3.30 Demolition Down Under. 4.30 What's Up Down Under. 5.00 I Fish. 5.30 Beyond The Fire. 6.00 Bondi Rescue.
7.30 NCIS. 10.20 NCIS: LA. 11.15 Late Programs.

### **Monday, April 25**

### ABCTV(2)

6.00 News Breakfast On Anzac Day. 9.00 Air Force 100 Highlights. (R) 10.00 Anzac Day March Brisbane. 12.00 ABC News On Anzac Day. 12.30 Gallipoli Dawn Service. 1.30 Villers-Bretonneux Dawn Service. **2.30** The Many Days Of Anzac. (R) 3.45 Grand Designs Australia. (PG, R) 4.35 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. (R) 5.25 Hard Quiz. (PG, R) **5.55** The Drum.

6.55 Governor-General's Anzac Day Message. 7.00 ABC News. **7.30 7.30.** Presented by Leigh Sales. **8.00 Australian Story.** Australians share their personal stories.

8.30 Four Corners. Investigative journalism program that leads national debate and confronts issues that matter.

9.20 Media Watch. (PG) Hosted by Paul Barry. 9.35 China Tonight. A look at current affairs from China. 10.05 ABC Late News. Detailed

coverage of the day's events. **10.20** The Business. (R) 10.40 Q+A. (R) 11.40 Smother. (Mal, R) 12.35 Keeping Faith. (Ma, R) 1.35 State Of The Union. (Ml, R) 2.10 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.10pm** Catie's Amazing Machines. **7.30** Australia Remastered. **8.30** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 9.20 Restoration Australia. 10.20 Employable Me Australia. 11.15 State Of The Union. 11.40 QI. 12.10am Whose Line Is It Anyway? 12.30 Parks And Recreation. 1.15 Green Wing. 2.05 ABC News Update. **2.10** Close. **5.00** Hoot Hoot Go! **5.05** Sarah & Duck. **5.15** Peg + Cat. **5.25** Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2pm Shortland St. 2.30 On Country Kitchen. 3.00 Jarjums. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales **4.10** Grace Beside Me. **4.35** Molly Of Denali. **5.00** Our Stories. **5.30** APTN National News. **6.00** Bamay. 6.40 News. 6.50 Undiscovered Vistas. 7.40 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman.

8.30 Living Black. 9.00 MOVIE: The Skin Of Others. (2020, M) 10.40 Late Programs.

### **SBS**(3)

**6.00** WorldWatch. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24 First Edition. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 1.00 Al Jazeera Newshour Second Edition. 2.00 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw Bitesize. (R) **2.10** Citizen Soldiers: Defenders Of Australia. (PGal, R) 3.15 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (R) 4.15 Trains That Changed The World. (PGv, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG) Presented by Marc Fennell. 6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 Britain By Beach. (PG) Part 3 of 4. 8.30 Secrets Of The Tower Of London. (PG) A yeoman warder is preparing to get married to his

sweetheart at the Tower of London. 9.25 24 Hours In Emergency: Live And Learn. (M, R) A 23-year-old is rushed to emergency after colliding with a lamp-post while riding his motorbike.

10.20 SBS World News Late. 10.50 Beneath The Surface. (MA15+ads) Life on the island is completely shattered. 12.00 Shadowplay. (MA15+v, R) 4.20 VICE Guide To Film. (Madls, R) **4.50** Destination Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** Deutsche

Welle English News Morning.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon My Extreme Life. 12.50 Forged In Fire. 3.20 Dead Set On Life. 3.50 WorldWatch. 5.10 Shortland St. 5.40 Joy Of Painting. 6.10 Abandoned Engineering. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Question Team. **9.25** Taskmaster. **10.20** Devilsdorp. **11.30** How Sex Changed The World. **1.10am** Fear The Walking Dead. **3.00** Late Programs.

**SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am** Orlando. Continued. (1992, PG) **6.20** Race. (2016, PG) 8.50 Princess Caraboo. (1994, PG) 10.40 Django. (2017, M, French) **12.50pm** Tracks. (2013, M) **2.55** Blinded By The Light. (2019, PG) **5.05** Belle And Sebastian 3. (2017, PG, French) **6.45** The Silver Brumby. (1993, PG) **8.30** Beneath Hill 60. (2010, M) **10.45** Blade Of The Immortal. (2017, MA15+, Japanese) **1.20am** Late Programs.

### **SEVEN (7)**

6.00 Sunrise. **10.00** The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 To Be Advised. 3.00 The Chase. (R) Hosted by Bradley Walsh.

4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia. Hosted by Larry Emdur.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away.

7.30 The Voice. (PG) As the blind auditions continue, contestants set out to prove they have what it takes to be a singing sensation.

9.00 Code 1: Minute By Minute: Death In The Tunnel. (Ma) Takes a look at the 2007 Burnley Tunnel fire that killed three people and injured another two.

10.00 Nurses. (Ma) A roofer has fallen from a ladder.

11.00 The Latest: Seven News. 11.30 The Resident. (Ma) Conrad takes Trevor under his wing. 12.30 MOVIE: Ablaze. (2019, Mal, R)

Hannah Marshall. 2.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

**7TWO (72) 6am** Home Shopping. **6.30** Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **10.30** Better Homes And Gardens. **Noon** Coastal Railways With Julie Walters 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Weekender. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Hornby: A Model Empire. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Doc Martin. **8.30** A Touch Of Frost. 10.50 Cold Case. 11.50 Late Programs.

**7MATE (74) 6am** Morning Programs. **8.30** Aussie Dreamlivers Alaska. **9.00** Freesurfer. **7MATE (74)** 9.30 Jabba's School Holiday Movies. 10.00 NFL 100 Greatest. **11.00** America's Game. **Noon** Picked Off. **1.00** Down East Dickering. **2.00** AFL Pre-Game. **3.00** Football. AFL. Round 6. Essendon v Collingwood. **6.00** American Pickers. **7.00** Pawn Stars. **7.30** American Pickers: Best Of. **8.30** MOVIE: The Water Diviner. (2014, M) 10.45 Late Programs.

**NINE (8, 9)** 

**6.00** Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 LEGO Masters. (PG, R) 1.45 Explore: Well Bread. (R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) Presented by Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman. 3.00 Rugby League. NRL. Round 7. St George Illawarra Dragons v Sydney Roosters.

6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 LEGO Masters. (PG) Hosted by Hamish Blake. 8.50 To Be Advised. 9.50 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. **10.20 100% Footy.** (M) Features the latest rugby league news. 11.20 New Amsterdam. (MA15+amv, R) A burst pipe plunges the ED into chaos. 12.10 Tipping Point. (PG) **1.05 Hello SA**. (PG) **1.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30 A Current Affair. (R)

**9GEM (81, 92) 6am** TV Shop. **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries. **7.30** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **9.30** Newstyle Direct. **10.00** Danoz Direct. **10.30** Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Explore. 12.15 MOVIE: Ice Cold In Alex. (1958, PG) 2.55 MOVIE: The Dam Busters. (1955) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** Agatha Christie's Partners In Crime. **8.40** Poirot. **10.40** Law & Order. 11.40 Late Programs.

5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

**9GO! (82, 93) 6am** Children's Programs. **Noon** The Incredible Hulk. **1.00** The A-Team. **2.00** SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 Raymond. **5.30** The Nanny. **6.00** 3rd Rock. **6.30** That '70s Show. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** RBT. **8.00** Kalgoorlie Cops. **8.30 MOVIE**: Saving Private Ryan. (1998, MA15+) **11.50** Young Sheldon. **12.15am** Top Chef. **1.15** Kardashians. **3.00** Bakugan: Armored Alliance. 3.30 Ninjago. 4.00 Late Programs.

**TEN (5.1)** 

**6.00** The Talk. (PGa) **7.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) **12.00** Dr Phil. (PGal, R) **1.00** To Be Advised. **2.30** Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 My Market Kitchen. (Return) 4.00 Good Chef Bad Chef. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

**6.30 The Project.** The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. 7.30 MasterChef Australia. Amateur cooks and popular past contestants

compete to impress the judges. 8.40 FBI: Most Wanted. The team's new leader, Special Agent Remy Scott, takes charge as they investigate a series of homicides linked to a case of forbidden love between a young teen and her older boyfriend.

11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events.

12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Late-night talk show 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)

3.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am Basketball. NBL. Round 21. New Zealand Breakers v Adelaide 36ers. Replay. **8.00** Friends. **10.00** The Middle. **11.30** The Big Bang Theory. **Noon** Friends. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker. **5.00** Frasier. **6.00** Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.00 Mom. Midnight Shopping. **12.30** Infomercials. **1.30** Stephen Colbert. **2.30** Late Programs.

**10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am** Infomercials. **8.00** Soccer, A-League Men, Round 25, Newcastle Jets v Central Coast Mariners. Replay. 10.30 Bondi Rescue. **Noon** Star Trek. **1.00** Jake And The Fatman. **2.00** JAG. **3.00** Bondi Rescue. **3.30** The Love Boat. **4.30** Star Trek: The Next Generation. **6.30** Bondi Rescue. **7.30** NCIS. **10.20** A-League Highlights Show. **11.20** Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 4. Emilia Romagna Grand Prix. 12.15am Late Programs.

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### **Tuesday, April 26**

**6.00** News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Foreign Correspondent. (R) **10.30** Stan Grant's One Plus One. (I, R) **11.10** Grand Designs. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Unforgotten. (Final, Malv, R) 2.00 Keeping Faith. (Ma, R) **3.00** Grand Designs Australia. (R) 4.05 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. (R) 4.55 Movin' To The Country. (R) **5.25** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

**6.00** The Drum. **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** 7.30. 8.00 People's Republic Of Mallacoota: A Very Nervous **Guinea Pig.** (MI) The residents

face the anniversary of the fires. **8.30 Tiny Oz: Broome.** (PG) Part 2 of 3. **9.30** Dinosaurs Of The Frozen Continent. (Final) Part 2 of 2. 10.20 ABC Late News. 10.35 The Business. (R)

10.55 Four Corners. (R) **11.40** Media Watch. (PG, R) **11.55** Keeping Faith. (Mv, R) **12.55** State Of The Union. (PG, R) **1.50** Meet The Mavericks. (Ml, R) **2.20** ge. (MA15+adhlnsv) **4.25** The Drum. (R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

**ABC TV PLUS (22)** 6am Children's Programs. **7.10pm** Catie's Amazing Machines. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Would I Lie To You? **8.30** Whose Line Is It Anyway? **8.55** State Of The Union. **9.20** Gavin & Stacey. **9.50** Schitt's Creek. **10.10** The Office. 10.45 Black Books. 11.10 Defending The Guilty. **11.40** Whose Line Is It Anyway? **12.25am** Parks And Recreation. **1.05** Green Wing. **2.00** ABC News Update. 2.05 Close. 5.00 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2pm Shortland St. 2.30 On Country Kitchen. 3.00 Jarjums. 4.35 Molly Of Denali. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Indian Country Today. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. 6.40 Undiscovered Vistas. 7.30 The Point 8 00 Wellington Paranormal 8 30 Over The Black Dot. **9.00** Feeding the Scrum 2022. 9.30 Letterkenny. 10.00 Gomorrah. 10.55 Late

### **SBS**(3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 11.00 Spanish News. 11.30 Turkish News. 12.00 Arabic News F24 First Edition. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 A World Of Calm. (R) 2.25 How The Victorians Built Britain. (R) 3.15 Living Black. (R) 3.45 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.15 Trains That Changed The World. (PGa, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG)
6.30 SBS World News.
7.30 Great British Railway Journeys:
Newmarket To Walsingham.
(PG) Presented by Michael Portillo.

8.30 Insight. Takes a look at how far can you go to lawfully protect yourself in the case of a home invasion.

9.30 Dateline. A look at

the survivors of 22/7. 10.00 The Feed. Takes a look at cryptocurrency. 10.30 SBS World News Late. **11.00 The Point**. (R) **11.30 Thin Blue Line**. (MA15+als) **1.45** Blood. (Malv, R) **4.30** VICE Guide To Film. (MA15+anv, R) **5.00** France 24 Feature. **5.15** NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** 

Deutsche Welle English News Morning.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Forged In Fire. 2.25 Game Of Bros. 2.55 Video Game Show. **3.45** WorldWatch. **5.10** Shortland St. **5.40** Joy Of Painting. **6.10** Abandoned Engineering. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Travel Man. 9.30 Back To Chernobyl. 10.35 Life After The Oasis. Midnight Dead Set. 1.00 Fear The Walking Dead. 2.40 Deutsche Welle. 3.00 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Belle And Sebastian 3. Continued. (2017, PG, French) 7.05 The Silver Brumby. (1993, PG) 8.50 Playtime. (1967, PG. French) 11.10 Gundala. (2019. M. Indonesian) 1.20pm Race. (2016, PG) 3.50 The Boy And The Beast. (2015, PG) 6.00 Kundun. (1997, PG) 8.30 The Eight Hundred. (2020, MA15+, Mandarin) **11.15** Liberation. (2019, MA15+, Mandarin) **1.10am** Late

### **SEVEN (7)**

**6.00** Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Paint By **Murder.** (2018, Mav)

2.00 Highway Cops. (PG, R) 2.30 Border Patrol. (PG, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4.

5.00 The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. **7.00 Home And Away. 7.30 The Voice.** (PG) Hosted

by Sonia Kruger 9.00 The Good Doctor. (Ma) The team races to save a baby, however the mother's status as a felon complicates the situation.

10.00 The Rookie. (Madv) John and Lucy must fulfil three quests. 11.00 The Latest: Seven News. 11.30 The Resident. (Ma)

12.30 MOVIE: Loss Of Faith. (1998, Mlv, R) John Ritter. 2.30 Home Shopping. (R)

4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise

**7TWO** (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Coastal Railways With Julie Walters. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Creek To Coast. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Queen Of The World. **5.30** Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Pie In The Sky. 8.30 Foyle's War. **10.40** Cold Case. **12.45am** Liar. **3.00** Late

**7MATE (74)** 6am Morning Programs. Noon American Pickers: Best Of. 1.00 Million Dollar Catch. **2.00** No Man's Land. **3.00** Big Easy Motors. 3.30 Motorway Patrol. 4.00 Fish'n Mates. 4.30 Pawn Stars UK. **5.00** Wheelburn. **5.30** Storage Wars: TX. **6.00** American Pickers. **7.00** Pawn Stars. 7.30 Highway Patrol. 8.30 Outback Truckers: Best Of. 9.30 Outback Truckers. 10.30 Train Truckers. **11.30** Late Programs.

### **NINE (8, 9)**

**6.00** Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) **11.30** Morning News. 12.00 LEGO Masters. (PG, R) **1.20 Talking Honey.** (PG) **1.30 Getaway.** (PG, R) **2.00 Pointless.** (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.

6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. **7.30 LEGO Masters.** (PG) Hosted by Hamish Blake. 8.50 To Be Advised. 9.50 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. 10.20 Law & Order: Organized **Crime.** (Return) Detective Stabler

infiltrates a crime family.

11.20 Murdered By Morning: Acting On Evil. (Ma, R) Takes a look at murder cases. 12.10 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.05 The Rebound. (R)
1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30 A Current Affair. (R) **5.00** News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

**9GEM (81, 92) 6am** TV Shop. **7.00** Creflo. **7.30** TV Shop. **9.30** Newstyle Direct. **10.00** Danoz. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Days Of Our Lives. **12.55** The Young And The Restless. **1.50** The Bill. **2.50** Explore. **2.55** Antiques Roadshow. **3.25 MOVIE:** Danger Within. (1959) **5.30** Murder, She Wrote. **6.30** Antiques Roadshow. **7.30** New Tricks. **8.40** The Closer. **9.40** Rizzoli & Isles. 10.40 Law & Order. 11.40 Late Programs.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Incredible Hulk. 1.00 The A-Team.

2.00 SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock. 4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Raymond. 5.30 The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show. **7.00** Young Sheldon. **7.30** RBT. **8.00** Kalgoorlie Cops. **8.30** MOVIE: Sherlock Holmes: A Game Of Shadows. (2011, M) **11.05** Young Sheldon. **11.35** Late

6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) **7.30** The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGa, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.10 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) **3.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **3.30** My Market Kitchen. **4.00** Good Chef Bad Chef. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) **5.00** 10 News First

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events. 7.30 MasterChef Australia.

Amateur cooks compete. **8.30 The Cheap Seats.** (Return) Presenters Melanie Bracewell and Tim

McDonald take a look at the week that was. **9.30 NCIS: Los Angeles.** The NCIS team investigates the kidnapping of Master Sergeant Boomer, a military working dog.

**10.30 NCIS.** (Mv, R) Sloane has a secret admirer. 11.30 The Project. (R) 12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.

**10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** The King Of Queens. **8.00** Seinfeld. **9.00** Becker. **10.00** The Middle. **11.00** Frasier. **Noon** The Big Bang Theory. **1.30** Seinfeld. **3.00** The King Of Queens. **4.00** Becker 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. **8.00** The Big Bang Theory. **9.30** Mom. **Midnight** Shopping. **12.30** Infomercials. **1.30** Stephen Colbert. **2.30** Late Programs.

**10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am** Home Shopping. **6.30** Infomercials. **8.00** A-League Highlights Show. 9.00 The Love Boat. 10.00 Star Trek: The Next Generation. Noon NCIS. 1.00 Law & Order: SVU. 2.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00 Bondi Rescue. **3.30** The Love Boat. **4.30** Star Trek: The Next Generation. **6.30** Bondi Rescue. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** Bull. 10.25 Expect The Unexpected: Inside NBL 21. **1am** Late Programs.

### Wednesday, April 27

### ABCTV(2)

**6.00** News. **9.00** News. **10.00** Four Corners. (R) **11.00** Scottish Vets Down Under. (PG, R) **11.30** People's Republic Of Mallacoota. (PGI, R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **12.30** National Press Club Address. **1.40** Media Watch. (PG, R) **2.00** Keeping Faith. (Mv, R) **3.00** Grand Designs Australia. (R) **4.05** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. (R) **5.00** Movin' To The Country. (R) **5.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

**6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30.** Presented by Leigh Sales. **8.00 Hard Quiz.** (PG) Presented

by Tom Gleeson.

8.30 The Weekly With Charlie
Pickering. (Return) A satirical news
program exposing the humorous,

absurd and downright hypocritical.

9.00 Tomorrow Tonight.
Hosted by Annabel Crabb.

9.30 QI. (PGs) Hosted by Sandi Toksvig.
10.05 Would I Lie To You? (PG, R)
10.35 ABC Late News.
10.50 The Business. (R)
11.05 Life. (Mal, R)

12.05 Keeping Faith. (Ml, R) 1.05 Meet The Mavericks. (Ml, R) 1.35 Ql. (PGs, R) 2.05 Would I Lie To You? (PG, R) 2.35 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.10pm Catie's Amazing Machines. 7.30 Anh's Brush With Fame. 8.00 Art Works. 8.30 MOVIE: Palazzo Di Cozzo. (2021, PG) 9.30 Golden Guitar Awards. 11.00 Ballet Now. Midnight Louis Theroux: Mothers On The Edge. 1.00 The Set. 1.40 Parks And Recreation. 2.20 Green Wing. 3.15 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Peg + Cat. 5.25 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Songs From The Inside. 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 On Country Kitchen. 3.00 Bushwhacked! 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Grace Beside Me. 4.35 Molly Of Denali. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Te Ao With Moana. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. 6.40 Undiscovered Vistas. 7.35 High Arctic Haulers. 8.30 Yokayi Footy. 9.25 The One And Only Dick Gregory. 11.25 Late Programs.

### **SBS** (3)

**6.00** WorldWatch. **11.00** Spanish News. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24 First Edition. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Dateline. (R) **2.30** Insight. (R) **3.30** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) **3.45** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **4.15** Trains That Changed The World. (PG, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG)
6.30 SBS World News.
7.35 Tony Robinson: Britain's Greatest River: Southend. (PG) A look at The Thames as a source of inspiration.

**8.30 MH370: The Lost Flight.** (Premiere, M) Part 1 of 3. Tells the story of the 2014 disappearance of Malaysia Airlines Flight 370.

9.25 Michael Mosley: Truth About Sleep. (R) Takes a look at the nature of sleep.

10.30 SBS World News Late.
11.00 Red Light. (MA15+d)
12.55 The Handmaid's Tale. (MA15+alv, R) 2.00 The Good Fight. (Malsv, R) 3.00
The Crimson Rivers. (MA15+ad, R) 4.50
Destination Flavour: Singapore Bitesize. (R)
5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World
English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche Welle
English News Morning.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Forged In Fire Latin America. 1.40 Noisey. 2.30 One Burning Question. (Final) 2.40 Child Genius. 3.40 WorldWatch. 5.10 Shortland St. 5.40 Joy Of Painting. 6.10 Abandoned Engineering. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Celebrity Letters And Numbers. 9.30 MOVIE: Destroyer. (2018, MA15+) 11.45 MOVIE: Superfly. (2018, MA15+) 1.50am Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am
The Boy And The Beast. Continued. (2015, PG)
7.10 Kundun. (1997, PG) 9.40 Little Men. (2016, PG) 11.15 2 Autumns, 3 Winters. (2013, M, French)
12.55pm Short Term 12. (2013, M) 2.45 The Silver Brumby. (1993, PG) 4.30 Max Richter's Sleep. (2019, PG) 6.25 Denial. (2016, PG) 8.30 All Quiet On The Western Front. (1979, PG) 11.20 Late Programs.

**SEVEN (7)** 

6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: The Wrong
Crush. (2017, Mdv, R)
2.00 Highway Cops. (PGadl, R)
2.30 Border Patrol. (R)
3.00 The Chase.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away.

4.00 Seven News At 4.

5.00 The Chase Australia.

**7.30 The Voice.** (PG) As the blind auditions continue, contestants set out to prove they have what it takes to be a singing sensation.

**9.00 Britain's Got Talent.** (PG) Auditions continue as weird, wacky and wonderful acts compete in front of the celebrity judges.

10.20 The Latest: Seven News. 10.50 Outrageous Weddings. (Premiere, PGa) A look at funny wedding

moments caught on camera.

11.50 Absentia. (MA15+asv) Emily serves out her FBI suspension.

12.50 Splitting Up Together. (PGal, R)

2.00 Home Shopping. (R)

4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

**7TWO (72) 6am** Home Shopping. **6.30**Travel Oz. **8.00** Harry's Practice. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Coastal Railways With Julie Walters. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Sydney Weekender. **2.30** Sons And Daughters. **4.30** Heathrow. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** The Coroner. **8.30** Ms Fisher's Modern Murder Mysteries. **9.30** Frankie Drake Mysteries. **11.30** Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs.
9.00 Storage Wars: TX. 9.30 Pawn Stars. 10.00
NFL 100 Greatest. 11.00 America's Game. Noon
Train Truckers. 1.00 Graveyard Carz. 2.00 No
Man's Land. 3.00 Big Easy Motors. 3.30 Motorway
Patrol. 4.00 Fish'n Mates. 4.30 Pawn Stars UK.
5.00 Shipping Wars. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00
American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 8.30 MOVIE:
Alien. (1979, M) 11.00 Late Programs.

**NINE (8, 9)** 

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 LEGO Masters. (PG, R) 1.20 Explore. (R) 1.30 Great Australian Detour. (R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.

6.00 Nine News.7.00 A Current Affair.7.30 Travel Guides. (Return, PGI) Ordinary Australians become travel critics.

**8.30 The Thing About Pam.** (Ma) Pam gets her 15 minutes of fame when District Attorney Askey calls her to the stand as a witness for the prosecution.

9.30 Botched. (Malmn, R) Dr Paul Nassif has a tough case ahead of him when a dog-bite victim needs some care. 10.30 Nine News Late.

11.00 Damian Lewis: Spy Wars: Bombs In The Sky. (Mv, R) 11.50 Grand Hotel. (Ma, R) 12.40 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Global Shop. (R) 3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30 A Current Affair. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop. 7.00 Creflo. 7.30 TV Shop. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Days Of Our Lives. 12.55 The Young And The Restless. 1.50 The Bill. 2.50 Explore. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 MOVIE: Against The Wind. (1948, PG) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 As Time Goes By. 8.50 Midsomer Murders. 10.50 The Real Murders Of Orange County. 11.50 Late Programs.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs.
Noon The Incredible Hulk. 1.00 The A-Team.
2.00 SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd
Rock. 4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Raymond. 5.30
The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show.
7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 RBT. 8.00 Kalgoorlie
Cops. 8.30 MOVIE: Lock, Stock And Two Smoking
Barrels. (1998, MA15+) 10.40 Young Sheldon. 11.05
Raymond. 11.35 Late Programs.

**TEN (5, 1)** 

6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGa, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 My Market Kitchen. 4.00 Good Chef Bad Chef. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

**6.30 The Project**. The hosts and guest panellists take a look at the day's news, events and hot topics.

**7.30 MasterChef Australia.** Amateur cooks and popular past contestants compete to impress the judges.

9.30 First Dates Australia. Singles in search of love are brought together at a restaurant for a blind first date.
10.30 This Is Us. (PGa) Randall and

10.30 This Is Us. (PGa) Randall and Rebecca embark on a road trip to Boston, along the way reflecting on their past.
11.30 The Project. (R) A look at

the day's news and events.

12.30 The Late Show With Stephen
Colbert. (PG) Late-night talk show.

1.30 Home Shopping. (R)

3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)

4.30 CBS Mornings. Morning

news and talk show.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Frasier. 8.00 The King Of Queens. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Middle. 11.00 Frasier. Noon First Dates Australia. 1.00 The Big Bang Theory. 1.30 Friends. 2.30 NBL Slam. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 10.10 Mom. 11.05 Late

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 4. Emilia Romagna Grand Prix. Replay. 9.00 The Love Boat. 10.00 Star Trek: The Next Generation. Noon NCIS. 1.00 Law & Order: SVU. 2.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00 Bondi Rescue. 3.30 The Love Boat. 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 6.30 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. 10.20 FBI. 11.15 Late Programs.

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### **Thursday, April 28**

### ABCTV (2)

**6.00** News. **9.00** News. **10.00** Australian Story. (R) **10.30** Weird Australia. (PG, R) **11.05** Dinosaurs Of The Frozen Continent. (R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **1.00** Hard Quiz. (PG, R) **1.30** The Weekly With Charlie Pickering. (R) **2.00** Keeping Faith. (MI, R) **3.00** Grand Designs Australia. (PG, R) **4.05** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. (R) **5.00** Movin' To The Country. (R) **5.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

**6.00** The Drum. **6.55** Sammy J. (PG) **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** 7.30.

8.00 Foreign Correspondent. International current affairs program. 8.30 Q+A. Public affairs program. 9.35 Stan Grant's One Plus One. (R)

Stan Grant chats with Poh Ling Yeow.

10.05 ABC Late News.

10.20 The Business. (R)

10.40 Tiny Oz. (PG, R)

11.35 Scottish Vets Down Under. (PG, R) 12.05

Top Of The Lake: China Girl. (Final, Malnsv, R) 1.05 Meet The Mavericks. (MI, R) 2.00 My

Mother's Lost Children. (MI, R) 2.55 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.20

Sammy J. (PG, R) 5.25 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7:10pm Catie's Amazing Machines. 7:30 Spicks And Specks. 8:30 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. 9.10 Hard Quiz. 9.40 The Weekly With Charlie Pickering. 10.10 Ql. 10.40 Tomorrow Tonight. 11.15 Gruen. 11.50 Would I Lie To You? 12.25am Parks And Recreation. 1.05 Green Wing. 1.55 ABC News Update. 2.00 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Peg + Cat. 5.25 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2pm Shortland St. 2.30 On Country Kitchen. 3.00 Bushwhacked! 3.25 The Magic Canoe. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Grace Beside Me. 4.35 Molly of Denali. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 The 77 Percent. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. 6.40 Undiscovered Vistas. 7.35 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. 8.35 Tribal. 9.25 MOVIE: Race. (2016, PG) 11.50 Late Programs.

### **SBS** (3)

**6.00** WorldWatch. **11.30** Turkish News. **12.00** Arabic News F24 First Edition. **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** A World Of Calm. (R) **2.25** How The Victorians Built Britain. (R) **3.15** Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (R) **3.45** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **4.15** Trains That Changed The World. (R) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 World's Most Scenic River Journeys: Ireland. (PG) Narrated by Bill Nighy.

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8.30 Ancient Invisible Cities:
Istanbul. (R) Part 3 of 3. Professor
Michael Scott uses 3D scanning technology
to reveal the secrets of Istanbul.

9.30 Miniseries: Four Lives. (M) Part 3 of 3. 10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Gomorrah. (MA15+v) 12.40 The Last Wave. (MA15+s, R) 3.35 Policing The Police. (Mav, R) 4.35 VICE Guide To Film. (MA15+a, R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News Morning.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch.
Noon Fake Believe. 12.30 Balaraba: Escaping Boko
Haram. 1.00 Most Expensivest. 2.00 Unknown
Amazon. 2.50 Cyberwar. 3.40 WorldWatch. 5.10
Shortland St. 5.40 Joy Of Painting. 6.10 Abandoned
Engineering. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats.
8.30 Roswell: The First Witness. 9.20 Behind
Bars: World's Toughest Prisons. (Final) 10.15 Late
Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am All Quiet On The Western Front. Continued. (1979, PG) 7.00 Denial. (2016, PG) 9.05 The Boy And The Beast. (2015, PG) 11.15 The King's Choice. (2016, M) 1.45pm Kundun. (1997, PG) 4.15 The Red Shoes. (1948, PG) 6.45 Dancing At Lughnasa. (1998, PG) 8.30 Where Hands Touch. (2018, M) 10.45 Suspiria. (2018, MA15+) 1.30am Mammoth. (2009, M) 3.50 Late Programs.

### SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: Am I A Serial
Killer? (2019, My, R)
2.00 Kochie's Business Builders.
2.30 Border Patrol. (PG, R)
3.00 The Chase. (R)
4.00 Seven News At 4.
5.00 The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven Local News.
6.30 Seven News.
7.00 Home And Away.
8.30 Ramsay's 24 Hours To Hell And Back. (M) Gordon Ramsay helps Blend on Main, a restaurant in Manasquan, New Jersey.

9.30 Police Code Zero: Officer Under Attack. (MA15+I) Explores dangerous situations faced by authorities, including how a criminal in handcuffs stole a police car.
10.30 The Latest: Seven News.
11.00 The Front Bar. (M)
12.00 Crazy On A Plane. (Mal, R)
1.00 Harry's Practice. (R)
2.00 Home Shopping. (R)
4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News.

**5.30** Sunrise.

TTWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30
Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar
Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Coastal Railways
With Julie Walters. 1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00
The Great Australian Doorstep. 2.30 Sons And
Daughters. 4.30 ICU. 5.00 Coastwatch Oz. 5.30
Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30
Father Brown. 8.30 Murdoch Mysteries. 10.30
Without A Trace. 11.30 Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs.
10.00 NFL 100 Greatest. 11.00 America's Game.
Noon Pawn Stars. 1.00 Billy The Exterminator.
2.00 No Man's Land. 3.00 Big Easy Motors. 3.30
Motorway Patrol. 4.00 Fish'n Mates. 4.30 Pawn
Stars UK. 5.00 Shipping Wars. 5.30 Storage Wars:
TX. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30
MOVIE: Elysium. (2013, M) 9.45 MOVIE: Hitman:
Agent 47. (2015, MA15+) 11.45 Late Programs.

### **NINE** (8, 9)

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG)
11.30 Morning News.
12.00 Space Invaders. (PG, R)
1.00 Travel Guides. (PGI, R)
2.00 Pointless. (PG)
3.00 Tipping Point. (PG)
4.00 Afternoon News.
4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat.
5.30 WIN News.

6.00 Nine News.
7.00 A Current Affair.
7.30 Rugby League. NRL. Round 8.
Brisbane Broncos v Cronulla Sharks.
9.50 Thursday Night Knock Off.
Post-match NRL news and analysis.
10.35 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events.
11.05 New Amsterdam. (Mamv, R)
Sharpe offers help to a reluctant Mina.

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11.55 Urbex: Enter At Your Own
Risk: Unloved. (Mal, R)
12.45 Tipping Point. (PG, R)
1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)
2.30 Global Shop. (R)
3.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)
4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa)
4.30 A Current Affair. (R)

9GEM (81, 92) 6am TV Shop. 7.00 Creflo. 7.30 TV Shop. 10.30 Pointless. 11.30 My Favorite Martian. Noon Days Of Our Lives. 12.55 The Young And The Restless. 1.50 The Bill. 2.50 Explore. 3.00 Antiques Roadshow. 3.30 MOVIE: Laughter In Paradise. (1951) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 RBT. 8.30 Emergency. 9.30 Casualty 24/7. 10.30 Law & Order. 11.30 Late Programs.

**5.00** News Early Edition. **5.30** Today.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs.
Noon The Incredible Hulk. 1.00 The A-Team. 2.00
SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock.
4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Raymond. 5.30 The
Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show. 7.00
Young Sheldon. 7.30 Survivor 42. 8.30 MOVIE:
2 Fast 2 Furious. (2003, M) 10.35 Young Sheldon.
11.00 Raymond. 11.30 Weird Science. Midnight
Top Chef. 1.00 Late Programs.

### TEN (E 1)

TEN (5, 1)
6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R)
7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG, R) 8.00
Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGals)
1.00 To Be Advised.
3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R)
3.30 My Market Kitchen.
4.00 Good Chef Bad Chef.
4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful.
5.00 10 News First.

**6.30 The Project**. A look at the day's news and events. **7.30 MasterChef Australia**.

Amateur cooks compete.

8.30 Gogglebox Australia. A diverse range of people open their living rooms to reveal their reactions to popular and topical TV shows, with the help of special, locked-off cameras which capture every unpredictable moment.

9.30 To Be Advised.
10.30 Blue Bloods. (Mav, R) Eddie has a gut feeling about a murder.
11.30 The Project. (R)
12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG)
1.30 Home Shopping. (R)
3.30 Infomercials. (PG)
4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Frasier. 8.00 The King Of Queens. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Middle. 11.00 Frasier. Noon This Is Us. 1.00 The Big Bang Theory. 1.30 Friends. 2.00 The Middle. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 6.30 Neighbours. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.00 Mom. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.30 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 What's Up Down Under. 8.30 NBL Slam. 9.00 The Love Boat. 10.00 Star Trek: The Next Generation. Noon NCIS. 1.00 Law & Order: SVU. 2.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00 Bondi Rescue. 3.30 The Love Boat. 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 6.30 Bondi Rescue. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Bull. 10.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. 11.30 FBI. 12.30am Infomercials. 1.00 Shopping. 2.00 Late Programs.

# **On Demand**







First and foremost: The stars of The First Lady, from left: Gillian Anderson; Dakota Fanning and Michelle Pfeiffer; Viola Davis and O-T Fagbenle.

### IN THE SPOTLIGHT

THE FIRST LAD' Streaming, Paramount+ Paramount+

Only 43 women in history have officially held the title of First Lady of the United States. This eye-opening series goes inside their world, delving deep into the personal lives and political legacies of Eleanor Roosevelt (Gillian Anderson), Betty Ford (Michelle Pfeiffer) and Michelle Obama (Viola Davis). From the toll of presidential campaigns and entering the White House to state dinners and negotiations with West Wing powerbrokers, *The First Lady* weaves its way through history as all three women navigate the very public role that was thrust upon them.

The non-linear narrative spans the past century, starting with Franklin D. Roosevelt taking the top office amid the Depression of the 1930s, while the formidable and progressive Eleanor presses him for a formal position in his administration and crafts his iconic inaugural address behind the scenes.

In the '70s, Betty Ford unexpectedly becomes Second Lady, then First Lady. Her unconventional candour is cause for concern among White House aides, but her refreshing honesty delights the American public.

Lastly, Michelle Obama wrestles with her personal reservations about Barack's ambitions, but is determined for her family to forge their own way throughout his historic presidency.

The star-studded and painstakingly detailed affair works hard to bring the stories of its three subjects together in a meaningful way as they fight expectations and make the role their own.



RUSSIAN DOLL Streaming, Netflix



Four years after escaping an inexplicable mortality time loop, Nadia and Alan (Natasha Lyonne, pictured, and Charlie Barnett) discover a fate worse than death in season two of this inventive sci-fi comedy. A time portal in Manhattan allows the pair to delve deeper into their pasts on an existential adventure that offers much more than they've bargained for.



DOCTOR WHO: LEGEND OF THE SEA DEVILS Streaming, ABC iview



Resurfacing for the first time since the '80s, classic *Who* monsters the Sea Devils wreak havoc in 19th-century China in this special. After pirate queen Madame Ching (Crystal Yu) awakens the creatures on a hunt for treasure, The Doctor (Jodie Whittaker, pictured) and the gang turn up to battle the watery baddies.



MAYANS M.C. Streaming, Foxtel On Demand

prime video

**FOXTEL** 

Left with a gunshot cliffhanger, fans of this *Sons of Anarchy* spin-off will be desperate to catch up with the latest on EZ (JD Pardo, pictured) when season four of the California-Mexico motorcycle gang saga picks up this week. After a failed attempt to align under one 'King', the Santo Padre club face retaliation.



ROAR Streaming, Apple TV+



From a woman who's literally kept on a shelf to a mother covered in bite marks, this surreal anthology series delivers eight stories about what it means to be a woman today. Nicole Kidman (pictured) takes the lead in episode two as a woman with strange eating habits. Other scenarios star Cynthia Erivo, Issa Rae, Merritt Wever, Alison Brie and Betty Gilpin.



OUTER RANGE Streaming, Prime Video

A neo-Western family saga with an outstanding cast led by Josh Brolin (pictured), this supernatural mystery series is one of a kind. It centres on Royal Abbott (Brolin), a family-driven rancher fighting off the expansion of his profit-focused neighbours the Tillersons. When Royal discovers an unfathomable mystery in his west pasture, all hell breaks loose.



# country kitchens recipes

### **Assam Chicken Curry**

Serves: 4

Prep time: 15 minutes Cook time: 20 minutes

### 2 1/2 serves per portion

### Ingredients:

- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 stalk of lemongrass, mashed
- 500 g chicken thigh, sliced into 2cm strips
- 50 g of tamarind paste
- 2 chicken stock cubes, reduced salt
- 2 cups water
- ½ cup pineapple, diced, fresh or tinned
- 4 tomatoes, quartered
- 1 carrot, sliced
- 1 cup green beans, halved

### Spice paste:

- 3 red chillies, deseeded
- 10 shallots, peeled and sliced
- 4 cloves of garlic
- 2cm knob of turmeric, sliced

\* Recipe courtesy of the Country Kitchens team

- ½ teaspoon dried shrimp paste (belacan)
- 1 tablespoon ground coriander

### **Method:**

- MAKE a spice paste by grinding all the spice mix ingredients in a mortar and pestle or a high-speed blender. Set aside.
- HEAT oil in a large saucepan. Fry lemongrass for 10-20 seconds then add the spice paste. Fry over medium-low heat until fragrant (1-2 minutes).
- ADD chicken slices to the saucepan and cook to seal.
- MEANWHILE mix the tamarind paste and stock cube with the water.
- POUR the tamarind mixture over the sealed chicken and bring to the boil.
- ADD pineapple, tomato, carrot and green beans and cook until chicken is cooked through and the green beans are tender (5-6 minutes).
- SERVE with brown rice.

Everyday
Food



### **Barb's Vegetable Slice**

Serves: 8

**Prep time:** 15 minutes **Cook time:** 30-35 minutes

### 1 serves per portion

### Ingredients:

- 4 eggs, lightly beaten
- 3 spring onions, chopped
- ½ cup carrot, grated
- ½ cup zucchini, grated
- 310g can corn kernels, drained
- 3 button mushrooms, diced
- ½ cup cheddar cheese, reduced fat, grated
- ½ cup self-raising flour
- ½ cup wholemeal self-raising flour
- 2 medium tomatoes sliced, or cherry tomatoes halved
- ¼ cup cheddar cheese, reduced fat, grated

### **Method:**

- PREHEAT oven to 180°C and line a slice pan with baking paper.
- BEAT the eggs in a large bowl then stir in the spring onions, carrot, zucchini, corn, mushrooms and cheese.
- FOLD through the sifted flours.
- SPREAD the mixture evenly into the prepared pan. Sprinkle with extra cheese then top with the sliced tomato.
- BAKE in the oven for 30-35 minutes or until lightly browned and cooked through.
- COOL before slicing.

\* Recipe courtesy of Barb McMillan, Dirranbandi Branch







# Out and About



- 1: Drove in for Easter Ann and John Phillis.
- **2:** The four generations of the Beard and Andreas family at the Longreach Anglican Church.
- **3:** Perusing some golf Sandy Williams, Buckles Peacey, and Jim King.
- 4: The boys in Ilfracombe Will Ringrose, Tom McIellan, Ben Emmott, and Charlie Williams.
- **5:** Elaine Britton, Gwen Rogers, and Irene Harvey having tea after Easter services.
- Delphine Delaney and Graham Iles after the Easter service.











# Out and About







- Caroline Brown and Hamish Tato enjoying Easter Saturday.
- 8: Enjoying a relaxing Saturday, Libby Braden, Sarah Kennedy, Isabelle Brown, Jules White, Rosemary Ringrose and Harriet Ringrose.
- 9: Locals at the Longreach Uniting Church.
- 10: Peter Coombes having a cuppa at Easter.
- **11:** Ann Pacey, Lou King, and Liz Emmott enjoying a day at the golf course.
- **12:** Ilfracombe golf club committee.
- **13:** Alan and Lyndall Harriman having a bikie at tea time for Easter.









# Gardening

# Roma's avenue of heroes

### By Neil Fisher

Around Australia, the use of gardens and trees play a very important part in the memorial of honouring our Anzac servicemen and women.

In fact, if an Avenue were planted with a tree for every person lost in service to our country.

At a spacing of 25-30m on each side of the

At a spacing of 25-30m on each side of the road, the Avenues would stretch unbroken for

There is one town in Queensland where a living Anzac tribute attracts people from all over the world.

That town is Roma known to many as the original birthplace of Australia's Oil and Gas industry. This rural town was established as an administrative centre for the Maranoa district in 1862

Roma took its name from the wife of Queensland's first Governor, the Countess Diamantina Roma.

Last year I had the opportunity to spend a couple of days in Roma.

And it was the town's "Avenue of Heroes" that I found memorable.

The beautiful "Avenue of Heroes" is heritage listed and features 93 Bottle Trees or Brachychiton rupestis as a tribute to the fallen soldiers from the Roma District who lost their lives in the First World War.

The Bottle Trees were selected because the species was so commonly associated with the Roma district.

The planting began in 1918 with each tree displaying its own remembrance plaque.

Sadly only one of these plaques survives and is now on a cairn located outside the Roma Post Office.

The cairn also provides information regarding the rows of bottle trees and lists the 93 names originally displayed on the trees.

The Roma War Memorial was completed in two stages the first was the avenues of trees and the Cenotaph followed.

The first Bottle Tree planted in the "Avenue of Heroes" was in honour of local soldier Lt Cpl Norman Saunders who was killed in France in

This is the tree that the cairn is located beside and outside the Roma Post Office and is known locally as the Tree of Knowledge.

The many native plant enthusiasts, the Bottle Trees or Brachychiton rupestis are regarded as the king of the Brachychiton family.

This spectacular looking tree with a bottleshaped trunk can grow to 12 metres in height when mature with juvenile growth up to two metres in the first two years.

When flowering during summer the Bottletree is almost deciduous.

The white bell-shaped flowers are very unique and have mauve markings in the centre

It is frost hardy once established and will flourish in most climates throughout the world

Unfortunately, some of the original trees in Roma have been replaced and some have been removed to allow for increases in traffic movement

### ANZAC DID YOU KNOW

Did you know that the Wattle or Acacia has played a role in honouring our Anzacs?

Boxes of Wattle sprigs were also sent to soldiers in hospitals overseas and it became a custom to enclose a sprig of wattle with each letter to remind our soldiers of home.

### AFTER EASTER INDOOR CARE

- Indoor plants may need to be moved around the house now.
- So that they get better light, especially those which are in rooms facing south or southeast, where they are getting good light all through summer.
- It would also be the perfect time to look out for Ants. As Ants can spread other pests like Mealy Bug.
- Apply Ant Dust to problem areas around plants that Ants have taken up residents.
- Or try making an Ant Paste to combat an Ant infestation. Mix 60g of borax, 180g of sugar and a generous cup of breadcrumbs together.

Mix well and place it in a shallow container in problem areas.



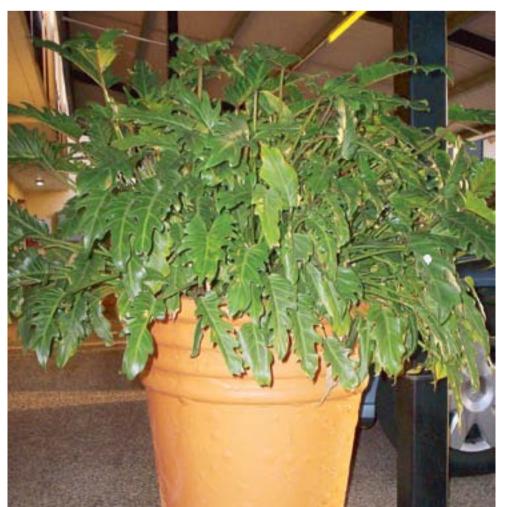
Roma's Adventures.







Heroes' Avenue.



Potted Philodendron.

# AgForce urges action now

AgForce is urging Queensland landholders not to delay if they want to object to new land valuations – or risk being lumped with higher council rates and rent.

The Valuer General released new valuations today in the following 30 local government areas: Boulia, Brisbane, Bundaberg, Burke, Cairns, Carpentaria, Cassowary Coast, Croydon, Douglas, Etheridge, Fraser Coast, Gold Coast, Goondiwindi, Gympie, Ipswich, Livingstone, Lockyer Valley, Logan, Mareeba, Moreton Bay, Noosa, North Burnett, Redland, Rockhampton, Scenic Rim, Somerset, South Burnett, Sunshine Coast, Toowoomba, and Townsville.

Some of the highest rises are in Boulia (350

per cent), Burke (328 per cent), Carpentaria (335 per cent), Croydon (222 per cent), and Etheridge (192 per cent).

AgForce CEO Michael Guerin said the time for landholders to speak up was now, with objections needing to be lodged with the Valuer-General by 30 May.

"Unimproved values determine what council rates rural landholders pay and are also used to calculate leasehold rents, so it's important the figures are right," Mr Guerin said

"In recent years, AgForce has assisted many members secure significant reductions in valuations, resulting in large savings, and once again we are ready to assist with our free workshops to help people assess their valuations and find out more about the objection

"AgForce has also prepared a property map for each member property potentially affected by this year's valuations."

AgForce's valuer John Moore said responsibility for ensuring values were correct lay with landowners, not local governments.

"Unimproved values are done by mass appraisal, meaning your property isn't individually valued so errors can occur," Mr Moore said.

"It's important you object to your new valuation if you believe the unimproved value is too high, because it could result in large savings in rates or rent.

"But you only have until the end of May to do so, so I urge landowners to begin the process today."

Landowners who disagree with their valuation and are able to provide supporting information can lodge their objection online or at the address shown at the top of their valuation notice by 30 May.

If you don't have internet access, call 1300 664 217 to request an objection kit.

Specific information on market movements in the 30 local government areas revalued in 2022 can be found on the land valuations website.

# Iconic country captured: Photo comp seeking entries

The Rural Aid Spirit of the Bush photography competition has returned in 2022 and is an exciting opportunity for local photographers.

Already the competition pool is rife with 250 entries in the first week of the competition.

Rural Aid CEO, John Warlters said it's encouraging to see how eager Australians are to tell the stories of the bush through photography.

"Now in its third year, our Spirit of the Bush competition just keeps growing," Mr Warlters said.

"The competition's popularity is a testament to how much our nation supports our primary producers.

"We're so excited to again choose a set of 12

ripper photographs for use in Rural Aid's 2023 calendar." Entries close May, so get in quick.

"We saw some breathtaking entries last year," Mr Warlters said.

"Incredible photographs of mustering, fencing, kids playing and rural landscapes were just some of the images that made this year's calendar.

"Looking at country life through a camera lens is one of the best ways to give the wider public a glimpse into life on the land.

"I encourage anyone with a camera and a love for the bush to send their entries in,"

Entries are encouraged via social media and through Rural Aid's website. In addition to having their photos used in Rural Aid's annual calendar, winners will also receive a \$250 pre-paid visa card

Entries can be made here: ruralaid.org.au/spirit-of-the-bush or by tagging #SOTB2022 in your Instagram or Facebook caption.

2022 entries can also be viewed via the web-



2021 winner Anne-Maree Lloyd, Yaraka QLD.

# Farm accident reiterates NFF's call to better connect all Australians

### **By National Farmers Federation**

If there's anyone who knows how vital telecommunications are in the bush, it's Will Picker – a farmer who crawled 1 kilometre with a broken back to get enough phone service to call for help.

This is just one example of why this Federal Election, National Farmers' Federation (NFF) President Fiona Simson is calling for a \$5 billion commitment to make meaningful, future-focused improvements to communications in the bush.

Mobile phone coverage and internet connectivity is a perennial issue for the peak body, which wants the funding to be directed into an independent Regional, Rural and Remote Telecommunications Fund.

"Through the advocacy of the NFF and the Regional, Rural and Remote Communications Coalition, recent commitments by both major parties have certainly been welcomed, making inroads into improving rural Australians connectivity," Ms Simson said.

"However, there remains a significant inequity between the services available to regional Australians and their urban counterparts. An ongoing need to expand mobile phone coverage across a greater area of our regions continues to put the safety of rural

Australians at risk, like that of Will Picker."

A sheep farmer from Bigga, northwest of Goulburn, Will crawled for 1 kilometre with a broken back after a motorbike accident in an area with zero mobile phone reception. He was also unable to make an SOS call.

"I was mustering sheep when the bike hit a wombat hole and I was thrown off. It all happened pretty quickly," he said.

Alert to the risk of spinal injury and knowing he had no choice but to move to get help, Will made the judgement call to crawl in case he was suffering from internal bleeding or a punctured organ.

Will made it to a roadside where there was just enough reception to call his partner Hannah Sparks, who luckily had some idea of where he was.

Will was airlifted to Orange Hospital where a team of 20 doctors were waiting. An examination found Will had floating vertebrae.

"The doctors said had the vertebrae moved a millimetre or so more, there was a real chance of permanent damage," he said.

More than one year later, Will is back working on farm but has ongoing back pain.

He also still doesn't have mobile phone coverage where the accident occurred.

"I'm not saying every square kilometre of

Australia should have mobile coverage, but we have to work together to find smarter ways to extend our coverage further," he said.

"We also can't just rely on mobile coverage to keep us safe on the farm, but increasingly these days our mobile is the device we have with us. It is one of the most effective and accessible tools to keep us connected to help when we need it, especially considering many farmers work alone.

"Not only would greater coverage have helped my situation with the bike accident, but it would also open the door to making productivity improvements through incorporating more ag-tech onto the farm."

Ms Simson said stories like Will's unfortunately were all too common, which was why the NFF is seeking a clear commitment this election for telecommunications.

"The \$5b we are seeking would help contribute to reducing black spots, like the one on Will's property, but this funding will also make inroads into broader connectivity requirements for regional businesses, education, health services and lifestyle," she said.

"These requests form part of the NFF's election manifesto #TimetoThrive, helping our regions grow and agriculture to reach its goal to be Australia's next \$100b industry by 2030."

# Wool report

By Australian Wool Innovation

A confusing week at the Australian wool auctions, with vastly differing results being achieved between Melbourne and the other two selling centres.

Melbourne pushed higher on all Merino types by 10 to 60ac for the week whilst prices fell 10 to 25ac at the other venues.

In fact, some of the Southern regions individual micron price guides closed at levels 70 to 100ac higher, rather significant as over 50 per cent of all wool sold was in Melbourne at the better prices.

Cardings and crossbreds behaved similarly through all centres and traded within 10ac above or below current quotations. The Eastern Market Indicator (EMI) was surprisingly 2ac lower for the week despite the Melbourne dominance in both price rises and volume sold and finished at 1367 ac/clean kg.

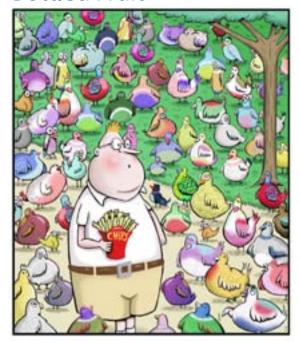
With the Australian dollar depreciating against all major trading currencies, the EMI when expressed in USD weakened by 1.7 per cent or 18usc to close at 1037 usc/clean kg.

The Western Market Indicator (WMI) fell 4ac to 1417 ac/clean kg.

Nationally there was 88.7 per cent clearance rate which was the highest for a few weeks.

### **COMICS**

### **Bottled Fruit**



"Put the chips down and back away. Slowly. We don't want any heroes here."

### **Insert Brain Here**



### **Bushy Tales**









Swamp









**Insanity Streak** 



**Doodley Squat** 







**Ballard Street** 



Ginger has about decided carrots aren't for

### Grin Bin



WuMo



Against the Grain



### **SUDOKU**

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: each of the nine vertical columns, each of the nine horizontal rows and each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember, no. number can occur more than once in any row, column or box.

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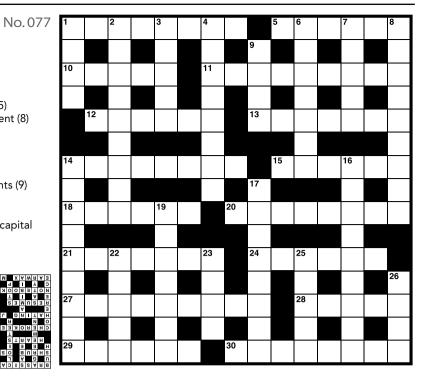
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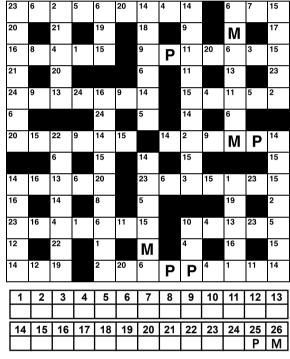
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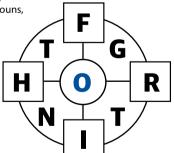


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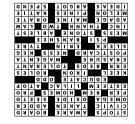
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### **OUICK OUIZ**



- What is the name of Radiohead's fourth album, released in 2000?
- What are stratus clouds called when they contact the ground?
- Which organisation sent a letter to the band Pet Shop Boys requesting that they change their name to 'Rescue Shelter Boys'?
- Raspeball, vareniki and khinkali are all types of what?
- Philip Seymour Hoffman's (pictured) first professional acting role was in a 1991 episode of which TV series?
- In which Australian state is the Moore River located?

- On May 6 of which year did the German rigid airship Hindenburg catch fire, killing 36 people?
- Palaeography is the study of what?
- In which year was Helvetica, the sans-serif typeface, developed by Max Miedinger: a) 1932 b) 1945 or c) 1957?
- 10 What was the only movie to be screened at the very first Cannes Film Festival?

ANSWERS: 1. Kid A Z. Fog 3. People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA)
4. Dumplings 5. Law & Order 6. Western Autralia 7. 1937 8. Handwriting 9. c) 1957
10. The Hunchback of Notre Dame

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### **FORECAST**

### Warnings

See www.bom.gov.au/australia/warnings

### Longreach:

Partly cloudy. Slight chance of a shower. Light winds becoming easterly 20 to 30 km/h during the morning.

Saturday. Partly cloudy.

### Isisford:

Partly cloudy.

Saturday. Partly cloudy.

### **Barcaldine:**

Partly cloudy.

Saturday. Partly cloudy.

### **Central West District:**

Partly cloudy. Medium (40%) chance of showers in the northeast, slight (20%) chance elsewhere. Winds easterly 20 to 30 km/h.

Saturday. Partly cloudy. Slight (30%) chance of a shower north of Longreach. Winds easterly 15 to 25 km/h increasing to 25 to 35 km/h during the

### Northern Goldfields & Upper Flinders District:

Partly cloudy. Medium (60%) chance of showers in the southeast, slight (30%) chance elsewhere. Winds east to southeasterly 25 to 35 km/h.

Saturday. Cloudy. Slight (30%) chance of a shower. Winds easterly 25 to 35 km/h.

### **Central Highlands & Coalfields District:**

Cloudy. Medium (50%) chance of showers, most likely in the afternoon and evening. Winds easterly 15 to 25 km/h.

Saturday. Partly cloudy. Slight (30%) chance of a shower in the north. Winds east to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h increasing to 20 to 30 km/h during

### Maranoa & Warrego District:

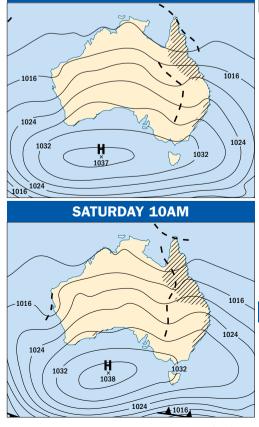
Sunny morning. The chance of a storm in the afternoon and evening. Winds southeasterly 15 to 25 km/h turning east to northeasterly during the morning then tending east to southeasterly during the afternoon.

Saturday. Mostly sunny. Winds easterly 25 to 40 km/h decreasing to 20 to 30 km/h during the RAINFALL afternoon.

### Queensland:

A strong high south of the Great Australian Bight will extend a ridge over southern Queensland. A trough and possible tropical low may linger near the Cairns or Townsville coasts. A weak inland trough will drift slowly west across central Queensland. A slight to medium chance of showers east of about Longreach to Thargomindah. A medium to high chance of showers in the east, increasing to a high to very high chance north of about Mackay to Cooktown. A chance of a storm across far north Queensland. Possible heavy falls about the east coast between Cooktown and Townsville. Mostly sunny in the west. Temperatures near or below average.

**FRIDAY 10AM** 



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### LONGREACH FORECAST





**TOMORROW** Partly cloudy. 32



**SUNDAY** Partly cloudy. 31



**MONDAY** Possible shower. 29















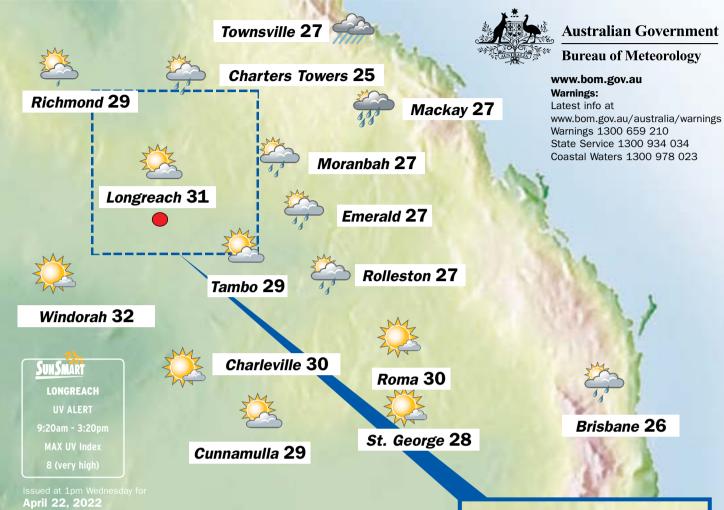
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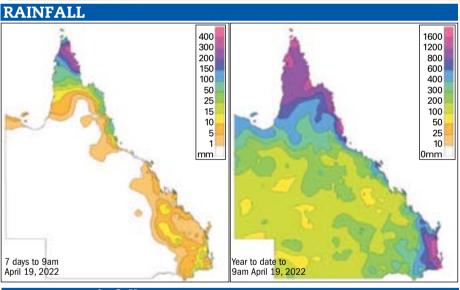


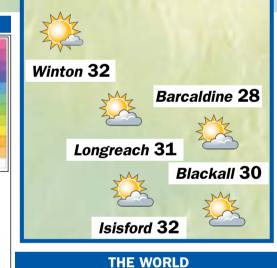
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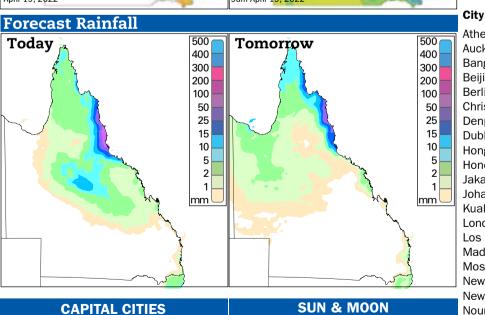


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# In photos: **Golf meet**

### By Ilfracombe Golf Club

A successful day with 10 teams competing for the Wellshot Hotel Voucher.

The Winners were Charlie Williams, Libby Braden, Hamish Cato, and Will Ringrose.

Second place was Ben Emmott, Sarah Ken-

nedy, Rosie Emmott, and Issie Brown.

After golf there was a chipping competition with Charlie Williams rapping up a good day with a win there as well.

Second place was Alex Graham and third **Duncan Emmott** 

A good day was had by all.





## Casual games all-in-all fun

We had a break from competition games and carnivals last Sunday when the club held a trophy day sponsored by the club itself.

A total of 24 players played two games with a few novelty events thrown in.

The big winner of the day was Justin Hunt who took home all but one prize. The winning team on the day was the

team of Bluey Beard, Leigh Reeve with skip Justin Hunt.

That team started on fire having a massive win in the first game where just everything they tried worked.

They continued that form in their second game with another good win.

They finished the day on 23 points which meant they each won a meat tray.

Two teams drew in second place on 21 points which is just two less ends won overall

The club held a fun 'driving competition'



in between the two games.

The prize was a pair of donated scratch-its and Justin Hunt went first and wouldn't you believe it, he hit the kitty into the ditch which none of the other 23 bowlers could match... so he won that comp too!

We had a raffle after both games were finished which was another beautiful meat tray from Jed and Erin Marks at Savages Butchery.

Guess who won that... yep Justin Hunt.

Congrats to Russell Schofield who took out the second driving competition.



Kim (Cisco) Llewelyn, Justin Hunt, Leigh Reeve, and Bluey Beard.

All in all, it was a fun day before the club starts getting back into the championship games this weekend with a lot of our comps into the semi-final or final stage

Please check the board to see the upcoming games.

Edit: I've iust found out those scratch-its Justin won were winners as well.

# Lloydy's Serve Micheal Lloyd



# Change of seasons means a fresh line-up of sports

This week marks the traditional start of many winter sports.

While our National competitions seem to start earlier or finish later as the years go on, the grassroots sport tends to stick to the change of seasons.

Out here in the West, cricket and swimming wrap up, with league, touch, tennis, soccer, netball, athletics, equestrian, AFL, squash, and hockey (yes HOCKEY) starting up.

Anyone feeling tired already?

While we might need to occasionally travel great distances to attend competitions, the chance to do multiple sports on the same afternoon, just a couple of kilometres (sometimes metres) apart is one of the bonuses of living out here.

My friends with kids in Brisbane often only do one sport, which can involve driving 30 minutes each way to training once or twice a week, plus up to an hour or more each way on the weekend for competition.

How great is Western Queensland!

Now if you are interested in one of the above sports, have a search on Facebook first for the Club's contact details, or you can find me, or contact the Leader for more information.

And if you are outside of Longreach and

some of those sports don't have a Club, drop me a line, because I'm looking to bring tennis, AFL, and hockey to more of Western Queensland on my travels.

Now Monday sees us commemorating AN-ZAC Dav.

A day when we pause to remember and give thanks for those who have and continue to defend our country and freedoms.

Sport seems to have always been in the culture of Australians as a way to relax, celebrate friendships and show our competitive spirit.

I noted some pictures on the internet today of Diggers playing cricket not too far from the battle lines at Gallipoli.

Locally, this weekend will see us continuing that culture with the traditional Longreach Jockey Club races on Saturday afternoon, the first inter-town Rugby League match Saturday night, and then the most iconic of Anzac Day sports, two-up, on Monday

Monday will be a day full of activities from the dawn service to the march around the main street of Longreach.

Now I don't often give a shout out to our local Town Band in my sports column, but take note on Monday, that to march and play a wind instrument over the kilometre or so the path is no mean feat.











# Birdsville trip pays off

By Rob Luck; Longreach Jockey Club

The Barcaldine race club held a strong fiveman program on Saturday, but it was the win in the final event for Warwick-trained Boult for trainer Kellie Monckton that brought the most joy to a large group of owners on track for the meeting.

Kellie and her team of owners had travelled to the Birdsville two-day meeting the previous Sunday/ Monday, and Boult was successful in a benchmark of 55 over 1600 metres.

Boult lined up in the final event on the program at Barcaldine on Saturday, the benchmark 60 handicap over 1600 metres; and although it was only a field of four, the bookmakers saw it as a race between three horses - Boult, Portobelle, and Surprise Selection, all vying for favouritism.

Boult had the most proven record at the 1600 metres and was expected to put in a strong performance, with Tim Brummell able to settle right on the pace behind Surprise Selection after going 400 metres.

The pace really clubbed on 600 metres from home, where Brummell put Boult in a strong position to challenge Surprise Selection with Portobelle moving three-wide at the home turn, and the outsider Sizzlesun was tracking up behind the leading trio.

Well into the straight and Boult continued to fight out the finish with Surprise Selection and Portobelle starting to weaken over the final 500 metres, and outsider Sizzlesun kept searching for runs both outside and inside.

Finally gaining a narrow gap in the final 50 metres - charging to the line - and to most people on course, it appeared Sizzlesun had got the verdict over Boult.

But, a huge cheer went up for the Kellie Munckton group of owners when Boult was declared the winner in a photo finish by a nose over Sizzlesun and Portobelle.

It capped off a successful trip round trip from Warwick to Birdsville to Barcaldine and back to Warwick for Boult who has only been in the Kelli Munckton stable for three runs having previously started in Ipswich after the trainer bought the horse from Coonamble and had the purpose of going to Birdsville - a plan that had paid off.

It was great to see the winning group enjoying celebrations well after the race and snapping many a photo with Boult.

That race provided Timmy Brummell with the last of three winners.

Tim won the final three races on the program and it commenced with the Henry Forster trained Zukaz - a top-class sprinter that has regularly made the Battle of the Bush and Country Stampede Finals in Brisbane.

It's great to see that he's back in his best form, and Tim Brummell was confident from the top of the straight, looking over his shoulder several times has he booted clear from Heaven's High, a last start winner from Blackall - and the promising Strike Point resuming from a spell battling on from third some four lengths away.

Zukaz appears to have come back in careerbest form, and the strength of that win suggested there are more sprint wins in hand.



Timmy Brummel then combined with Henry Forster with Won Capilano to take the following event, the Benchmark 45 over 1300 metres.

When from the 600 metres, he was able to wind up Won Capilano and approach the leader Missy Em as they came to the home turn and gain a narrow advantage and maintaining that pace to the line, Won Capilano was able to hold off Shemademedoit that charged home late by Ric McMahon to fail by a quarter of a length with My Fixation - a promising run into third

Won Capilano had been promising wins in previous runs, and it appears the combination of Forster and Brummell have found the secret to the galloper by winding him up 600 metres from home and getting a constant pace going, which allows Won Capilano to remain strong through the line.

So Boult provided Timmy Brummell the three wins in a row, and Henry Forster featured heavily as the most successful jockey.

Other races on the program:

The opening race, the 1000 metres Benchmark 55 saw the David Rewald trained and ridden No Refund prove a strong winner over the Rodney Little trained Purple Trumpet, with Music Award in third.

No Refund had been able to sit wider on the track as they approach the home turn, and Rewald shot it clear as they entered the straight and it was unable to be run down, with Purple Trumpet coming home strongly with a much improved effort.

Odds-on favourite Grand Palazzo gave its backers a bit of a headache in the Maiden Plate over 1000 metres.





Starting \$1.30 favourite, most expected Grand Palazzo to be too dominant, but the Toni Schofield trained, Jason Missen ridden mare took most of the straight to get its head in front.

It won by a neck in the end over Really Really Good which challenged strongly in the straight and Prized Artist by Henry Foster and Tim Brummell - a much-improved run after leading early - holding on to third by the closest of margins.





Grand Palazzo was very strong in the last thirty metres and knew where the finishing line was to prove too strong in the end, after what seemed a long time to get to the front in the straight.

The mare will be much better suited over longer journeys and will continue to improve over that particular run.

Racing returns to Longreach this Saturday for the Diggers Cup followed by the Tree of Knowledge TAB meeting at Barcaldine.

# CentralWestLeader ContralWestLeader



Teams take to the tees PAGE 30



# Rodeo's best of the best

By Road to Rodeo

Meet the Moreton Sisters, two young Longreach girls set to star in the rodeo arena, along with eight-year-old Byron Kirk and 91-yearold Bob Holder.

With two weeks to go until Road to Rodeo takes over Longreach in the heart of Outback Queensland, some of the best riders in the business have signed up to battle for the titles.

The event will also welcome emerging stars, like Jacy (13) and Tyler (12) Moreton, two local Longreach girls who are just as comfortable on a horse, as they are on the ground, as well as one of the youngest and oldest competitors in the country.

Tyler Morton is 12 years old and dreams of competing in the American Rodeo circuit as a barrel racer.

She loves the speed, the turns, and the accuracy of the sport, and in two weeks at Longreach she will compete in the Junior and Open Ladies Barrel.

Her sister Jacy (13) will compete against her in the Junior Barrel, and then swap saddles for the mini-bull ride.

The girls have been riding since they were babies, you could say it's in their DNA with their dad Scott a former bull rider who did two professional rodeo tours in New Zealand and competed nationally, and their mum Meg a country girl and horse lover.

In what will prove a moment in Australian rodeo history, Longreach will welcome one of the youngest competitors in eight-year-old Byron Kirk from Mount Isa who in 2021 shared the poddy calf ride title at the Mount Isa Mines Rodeo, and 91-year-old rodeo legend, Bob Holder, who may possibly be the oldest rodeo rider in the world. Between them, there are 83 years.

That's a lot of rodeo stories to tell.

The legend that is Bob Holder hails from Cootamundra in New South Wales.

At 91 years, Bob is the oldest rodeo competitor in Australia.

He's competed for 76 years and proudly has a place in the sport's Hall of Fame.

He's inspired generations of riders, including his daughter Kerrie, who is well known in the APRA circuit and is the current Mount Isa Mines Rodeo Open Barrel Champion.

All eyes will be on this father-daughter-duo at Longreach.

Eighty-three years Bob's junior is Byron Kirk, who is making the 700km journey from Mount Isa.

His Melissa mum remembers him seeing his first PBR belt when he was two years old,



Jacy (13) and Tyler (12) Morton from Longreach ready to compete in Road to Rodeo.

and saying, "I want to get that belt."

Also confirmed to ride at Longreach is reigning Mount Isa Mines Rodeo Open Bareback Bronc Rider Fred Osman.

He stepped out of retirement to compete last year, having won the title last in 2013.

But that wasn't all, the Cameron's Corner rodeo star also took out the second division Bareback Bronc title.

He's one to watch.

Rounding out the trio of champions from the Mount Isa Mines Rodeo set to compete at Longreach is Sam Weston, who scored 140 points in the Second Division Saddle Bronc competition last year to take the coveted buckle. Proof that rodeo is a family affair, APRA chair, and superstar, Shane Iker will compete at Longreach and said he can't hang up his boots because he loves practicing and competing with his son, Jordan, saying "If you're going to be beaten, why not get beaten by your son?"

Other famed rodeo names headed to Longreach include Clancy and Tenielle Middleton from Hughenden, the Ferguson family from Cloncurry, and Leanne Caban from Emerald ensuring the rodeo action will be fast, furious, and fantastic.

Road to Rodeo Longreach features a full rodeo program and a knockout country music line-up starring national music makers Picture: AARON SKINN; SATISFACTION.PHOTO

and multi-award winners The Wolfe Brothers, Bella Mackenzie, Luke Geiger & Bareback, and James Johnston as well as locals Corinne Ballard and John Hawkes.

Between the rodeo action, the country music lineup, the low & slow BBQ on offer, and the iconic big outback skies under which it all will happen, Longreach is set to host a party for the ages!

The Road to Rodeo series aims to create four new annual rodeo events across Queensland by 2024, representing a long-term economic injection to the state of over \$4 million.

So... Pack your boots, buckles, widebrimmed hats, and sense of adventure and see you in Longreach – BOOK NOW!

