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Award for little motel that could

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Candidates' final say before poll

Candidates for the Federal seat of Maranoa have their final say in the attempt to sway votes before this Saturday's poll.

The question remains whether independents and 'minor party' candidates have done enough to affect the balance of power in the next parliament.

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Kicking goals

The 2022 Arthur Beetson Foundation Junior Outback Challenge was held over the weekend.

Here are some girls from the South West Crows enjoying the day.

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Still in drought

Despite much of the Queensland outback losing its drought status, the central west is still drought declared after the Local Drought Committee, consisting of local graziers and members with specific knowledge of local conditions, recommended it be maintained.

According to the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries, the confidential Local Drought

Committee process ensures that decisions are made based on rainfall, pasture conditions and other local factors.

"To make a revocation recommendation, the LDC must be confident there is enough pasture and water to get livestock through to the next wet season," a spokesperson said.

"The LDCs met before the late April and

May rainfall events, and being very late in the season, it remains to be seen what difference those rainfall events will make to pastures.

"The Queensland Government has committed to continuing current drought assistance measures, such as fodder freight subsidies under the Drought Relief Assistance Scheme while this drought lasts."

Freight subsidies that require a drought declaration will eventually be replaced by the new drought assistance program.

Under the new drought assistance package, producers do not need to be in a drought declared area to access assistance such as grants and low-interest loans for drought preparedness."

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The editor's desk

As someone who is deeply passionate about the craft of writing, I am extremely excited for the coming months.

We both have the Outback Writers' Festival occurring in Winton next month, but the Storyfest Out West in Longreach in July—and launching this week.

For me, this is bigger than Christmas.

While, as a writer, I compare myself to musicians in the same way a Kiwi bird compares itself to an Osprey - I am fond of the archaic beauty of writing.

I commend the organisers of events like these as I think it is difficult to convey what makes writing special unlike music.

I think this is why young people typically gravitate to pop music - you can immediately tell whether a song sits with you, while with writing it could take months, sometimes years.

For instance, I remember reading George Saunders' Lincoln in the Bardo and not "getting it", but now it haunts me every day.

Bring on the future of outback writing!

-Michael R Williams



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Portraits come to the Diamantina

By Karen Stephens; Waltzing Matilda Centre

How do artists capture a subject's personality in a portrait?

What is the nature of the relationship?

How does it feel to be a sitter for an artwork in the national collection?

Before hand: The Private Life of a Portrait opening this Saturday evening at the Outback Regional Gallery Winton is a new exhibition revealing the creative and social processes of making a portrait through the backstories of iconic works from the National Portrait Gallery collection.

"Reflecting the truth of a person's presence in a portrait can rest on an artist's ability to cultivate openness, and to capture their sitters' distinctive personality, bearing, approach to life, or the energy that defines their sense of self," says curator Penny Grist.

"Before hand explores these essential elements, offering a behind-the-scenes exploration of this most public yet private of moments: sitting for a portrait."

"It's not every day that an exhibition of this calibre travels outback and we are grateful to the National Portrait Gallery and support by the Glendonbrook Foundation, that make this opportunity possible for remote people and visitors to our region. This exhibition is showcasing some of the nation's most valuable and prized portraits and also rarely seen drawings, scrapbooks, and sketches – it is not to be missed" said Outback Regional Gallery's Exhibition Supervisor, Karen Stephens.

Visiting exhibition Beforehand: The Private



Jessica Mauboy, 2018 David Rosetzky. Commissioned with funds provided by Sony Music Entertainment Australia 2018. © David Rosetzky.

Life of a Portrait opens this Saturday evening and will continue until 21 June.

Visitors will have an opportunity to meet, Penny Grist, Curator, Exhibitions from the National Portrait Gallery, at a free Exhibition Floor Talk on Saturday morning between 10am – 11am at the Outback Regional Gallery. For

more details contact: karens@matildacentre.com.au

This exhibition is supported by The Lord Glendonbrook CBE through the Lord Glendonbrook Foundation, assisting the National Portrait Gallery in providing access to the national portrait collection to ever more Australians.

Enjoy the Outback but remember health

By Central West Health and Hospital Service

With borders open and thousands of people hitting outback roads and heading for remote Western Queensland communities, visitors are being reminded to carry adequate stocks of their usual prescription medications.

Central West Hospital and Health Service General Manager Primary Health Anthony West said visitors to the far western regions should remember no pharmacies were available in remote areas of the state and regular medications may be difficult to obtain.

"As a rule, when you are travelling anywhere, you need to carry adequate stock of your prescription medications for your entire trip," he said.

"So, plan and be prepared ahead of time, with adequate medications, and prescriptions and have a letter with your medical history from your doctor in case you require medical services.

"When you require a script to be filled in these remote areas it can be problematic as the closest pharmacy to, for instance, Birdsville is either Charleville or Mount Isa.

"There may be a significant delay in obtaining your medication from these areas as they also only carry a limited supply.

"The delay in getting medication to you may be as long as a week.

"Depending on how important regular daily intake of your medication is, this could easily turn into a medical emergency if you have to go some days without it.

"Although our primary health centres, like Birdsville, don't have pharmacies, we can respond to emergencies and non-life-threatening conditions where you may require medications such as a course of antibiotics."

Mr West said visitors also should remember to carry documentation such as Medicare and concession cards.

"Being well prepared prior to travel limits the need to access non-emergency services," he said.

"With the heavy rains late last year and

early this year, Lake Eyre and the Channel Country have become tourist magnets, so we are expecting higher than average numbers to travel through in the coming months."

Mr West said all emergencies should be placed through the triple zero (000) system 24-hours a day, seven days a week, so care could be provided safely, quickly, and efficiently for the best possible outcome.

He said travellers should prepare a display folder to keep all their documents safe in the event they are unable to communicate with health staff or unable to remember specific details.

Before leaving home, go through the following list and check off each point.

When completed, print it all out and bring it with you.

- Health summary – make an appointment with your regular general practitioner and request a current health summary.
- Medication list – ensure a current medication list is attached to your health summary – with the medication name, dose, and frequency listed on it.
- Prescriptions – request your doctor provide you with enough scripts to see you through your whole trip. (unless a medication review is required).
- Medications – bring sufficient supply to last your trip and a few weeks longer. Please remember that most of the small towns you visit do not have chemist shops and the primary health centre is not a dispensing pharmacy. Additionally, new and specialised medication may not be easily accessible in remote areas.

Keep in mind it only takes a couple of rain days, 1 kangaroo or a flat tyre to delay your departure home.

- Advance Health Directive – If you have an advance health directive or any specific plans please include them.
- Health providers' contact list – this could be a handwritten list or better still include your specialists' business cards in your health folder.
- Dressings – If you require ongoing wound care and are using a specific dressing –

please bring a supply with you as we may not stock the type your specialist has prescribed.

Remember transport of supplies to some of our towns can take a while.

- Implants – please include details and any manufacturers' information sheets in your folder.

Spare batteries would also be a useful item to bring on your trip.

Mr West said people in remote areas calling in an emergency also could help themselves and any first responders by ensuring their location could be quickly and easily identified.

"In many cases, people aren't aware of their location, especially if they are in open space areas like beaches, parks, long stretches of roads or simply unfamiliar with their surroundings," he said.

"But these days, more than 75 per cent of incoming calls to Triple Zero nationally are made from mobile phones and nearly all mobile phones now have built-in location features that can be turned on or off.

"Since August 2021, the Australian Government has rolled out Advanced Mobile Location technology across Australia that activates the location feature in a mobile phone when a Triple Zero call is made and allows emergency services to pinpoint a caller's location.

"But in addition, I also encourage all rural residents, or people travelling in country areas, to download the Emergency+ (plus) app," he said.

"The Emergency Plus app also allows the GPS functionality of smartphones to provide emergency services with a person's location information as determined by their smartphone, even if the phone is out of range of mobile service.

"Latitude and longitude details can be relayed to an emergency operator as well as an address and location details.

"This application definitely has the capacity to save lives, and everyone should have it on their smartphones, no matter where they live."

Minister’s road safety plea

Transport and Main Roads Minister Mark Bailey has renewed calls for safe driving after a tragic start to the month on Queensland roads.

Mr Bailey said nine lives were sadly lost on three days this month.

“I cannot stress the importance of doing the right thing when you are behind the wheel because the consequences can be deadly,” he said.

“Instead of celebrating Mother’s Day last weekend, nine families were missing loved ones from around the dinner table.

“My thoughts go out to every person impacted by these tragedies.

“We’re only nine days into May and already 13 people have lost their lives.

“We’ve also seen a number of serious injuries from crashes over the weekend and the impact of those shouldn’t be underestimated – the effects can be traumatic and life-long.

“My message to people is to think about how your loved one would feel if you didn’t make it home today.”

Mr Bailey said the fatal five were factors in far too many of the fatal crashes record.

“I get reports through from every fatal crash, and all too often I am seeing the fatal five factoring in,” he said.

“That’s speeding, drink and drug driving, fatigue, mobile phone use and seatbelts.

“So far this year we’ve seen over 100 people lose their lives, which is more than this time last year.

“We cannot remain on this trajectory.

“Sadly, most of the lives lost are entirely preventable and I urge people to think about that every time they get behind the wheel.

“Think about your family, your friends, your colleagues, and make sure you are getting home safely.”

Mr Bailey said the government was investing heavily in road safety.

“We have \$1.7 billion invested in road safety this budget, which is being rolled out through different programs state-wide to make our roads safer,” he said.

“We’re investing in education campaigns, road upgrades or new technologies.

“Now it’s your turn to play a part and do the right thing every time you’re on the road.”

Mr Bailey also reminded motorists that much of the state would experience wet weather this week leading to difficult driving conditions.

“People need to drive to the conditions and remember, if it’s flooded, forget it,” he said.

The big picture on ideas: Storyfest Out West launches

By Michael R Williams

Storyfest Out West has officially launched; it is a program that seeks to celebrate and help cultivate writing in both children and adults from the outback.

The program with a speaking event held at the Longreach School of Distance Education has occurred, but much more exciting events are set to take place during the event’s main-run 28-29 July, including a speaking event with Peter FitzSimons.

Local “Lights, Camera, Action” multi-genre author Louise Seccombe said she was excited to be a part of the event and present at the launch.

“It’s [Storyfest and events like it] so important; one thing I have learned over the years is, that connecting with people is vital to furthering your writing career,” she said.

“You need to network, reach-out, and find mentors in this industry.

“That can be very hard to do from Longreach—last year I did a few online writer’s workshops and they were very good, but you don’t have that face-to-face contact.”

Ms Seccombe said she relishes the opportunities created “in-between” at festivals like Storyfest Out West.

“That’s when you have those casual conversations and moments you don’t get at online conferences,” she said.

“I really enjoy writing poetry, so I’m looking forward to Joel McKerrow’s session and meeting him and learning about what he does.”

Ms Seccombe would like children who attend to know that writing comes in all shapes and forms.

“Writing can happen anywhere, and Longreach is not a limitation on your ability to grow in the industry,” she said.

“It’s important for the kids to know there are local authors in their own backyard, and also opportunities.”

Storyfest Out West is an event held for all members of the community that celebrates Australian and outback writing.

You can find the guide to their program and more information at storyfest.com.au/outwest



Ameila Seccombe at the Storyfest launch.



Teacher Peta Bates speaking.

Large pre-polling turnout

By Michael R Williams

Pre-polling in Longreach reached some of the biggest numbers in recent memory.

Officer in Charge at the Longreach pre-polling centre Ray Owens said he believed there was a variety of reasons why there was a large number pre-pollers.

“Covid, tourists not able to be home on Saturday, there’s a few reasons,” he said.

“I would say 70-80 per cent are not from Maranoa but from down south.”



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Winton Motel wins big

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Outback Motel stood out, according to Trip Advisor, by consistently delivering positive experiences to their Guests.

"What a great surprise for us all at the Winton Outback Motel," said Owner/ Operator, Steve Collins, when notified of the Award.

"Our three core principles of Comfort, Service and Value were repeatedly mentioned throughout our Tripadvisor reviews by Guests

who've travelled from all over the world to stay with us.

"We can't thank them enough for their fantastic reviews".

"Congratulations to the 2022 Tripadvisor Travellers' Choice Winners," said Kanika Soni, Chief Commercial Officer at Tripadvisor.

"The Travellers' Choice Awards recognize the best in tourism and hospitality, according

to those who matter most: your guests.

"Ranking among the Travellers' Choice winners is always tough — but never more so than this year as we emerge from the pandemic.

"Whether it's using new technology, implementing safety measures, or hiring outstanding staff, I'm impressed by the steps you've taken to meet travellers' new demands. You've adapted brilliantly in the face of adversity."

Farmland growth in 2021 a top performer

Tracking every farmland sale annually for almost three decades, the Rural Bank Australian Farmland Values report has again seen growth in Australian farmland values accelerate throughout 2021 with new record prices set thanks to a near perfect mix of ingredients combining to drive the surge in demand.

Rural Bank general manager sales partnerships and marketing, Simon Dundon said: "Stronger agricultural commodity prices coupled with a second consecutive year of favourable seasonal conditions in most areas improved cashflows and strengthened balance sheets, with support from record low interest rates and confidence in the long-term outlook for the agricultural sector all combining to see a surge in the buying power of Australian farmers.

"This is the eight consecutive year that the national median price per hectare of Australian farmland has increased, in which time it has risen by 123 per cent - driving the median price per hectare to \$7,087, an increase of 20 per cent in 2021 alone and lifting the 20-year compound annual growth rate (CAGR) to 8.4 per cent. Tasmania recorded the highest median price per hectare at \$14,730."

Andrew Smith from Rural Bank, Eastern Australia, said Queensland farmland values recorded strong growth, accelerating in 2021 as the median price per hectare increased 31.3 per cent to a record high for the second consecutive year.

"Queensland's strong growth in 2020 accelerated in 2021, increasing in both transaction volume and value. Increased median prices were driven by strong demand for smaller, higher valued lots in prime farming land close to population centres, aided by strong commodity prices, favourable seasonal conditions and renewed interest in the rural lifestyle," he said.

"Improved pasture growth and appreciating stock value saw cattle operations looking to expand in grazing regions. While growth is expected to continue, it may slow down in some districts in the coming year with the rising cost of inputs and equipment, particularly if interest rates rise and commodity prices ease."

The median price of \$6,827/ha is a 47 per cent increase on 2019 median value, and almost double the median price in 2011.

The median value of farmland in all Queensland regions increased year-on-year. The last time this occurred was in 2008.

Strength in growth of price per hectare was coupled with a surge in transaction numbers



Queensland Premier Annastacia Palaszczuk inspects cattle at the WQLX Longreach saleyards last year.
Picture: AAP IMAGE/DARREN ENGLAND

as Queensland recorded the largest year-on-year increase by both percentage (35.7 per cent) and number (679 transactions). This jump occurred across all regions in the state and saw transaction volume reach a 13-year high of 2,583

The report found that farmland transactions in 2021 equated to a total of 10.8 million hectares of land traded at a record high combined value of \$15.6 billion. Strong demand for farmland and record high prices has encouraged some landholders to capitalise on market conditions which saw transaction volumes increase by 22.5 per cent in 2021, the largest annual increase seen in 27 years.

To put this market activity into perspective, the total number of hectares of Australian farmland sold in 2021 equates to an area larger than a country the size of Portugal.

Mr Dundon said strong demand had made the market for farmland incredibly competitive.

"We have seen many farmers looking to acquire neighbouring blocks to expand the scale of operations or looking to regions further afield to diversify their landholdings, meaning that many properties are fiercely sought after by multiple cashed up and competing buyers," he said.

"Median prices increased to new record highs in every state, except the Northern Territory, with the supply of land on the market also increasing. Overall, the strength of demand exceeded the rise in supply to drive prices higher, with some regional exceptions.

"Corporates, family farmers, life-stylers and tree-changers are all fuelling competition across the various property market segments which has seen the national median price record the largest year-on-year increase in dollar terms per hectare in the past 27 years - and the largest rise in percentage terms since 2005, however, signs of buyer caution are beginning to emerge", Mr Dundon said.

"The prospect of higher interest rates and margin challenges from higher input costs could dampen demand and slow the rate of growth in property values. The strong rise in values in recent years will make some properties unaffordable for a number of farmers - and unviable as stand-alone operations, which should not be ignored, as it acts as a barrier to new entrants to the industry.

"As it stands, 2022 is shaping up to be another strong year for Australian agriculture and the longer-term fundamentals remain strong. This should continue to fuel interest from buyers with enough demand still in the market to push prices higher again in 2022.

"Overall, growth in farmland values has exceeded residential property prices in Australian capital cities, which have had a lower compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 5.4 per cent over the past 18 years.

"Farmland value growth also outperformed the ASX 200 over the past 20 years, which has CAGR of 4.0 per cent, making a strong case for farmland to be seen as an asset class in its own right."



She Kills Monsters will be performed this Saturday at the Longreach Civic Centre at 7.15pm.

Meet the cast of She Kills show

By Longreach State High School

What is your name?

My name is Georgia Ballard.

Who do you play as?

I play as Lilith.

Who is your favourite actor?

I don't really have a favourite actor?

What do you like about the character you play?

One of the things I enjoy about my character is her confidence and attitude.

What have you learned from being in a play?

From being in this play, I have really learned how passionate I am about storytelling and performance and just drama in general; it is just so fun and creative.

What is your name?

Kady Steedman

Who do you play as?

Agnes Evans

What do you like about the character you play?

The character development Agnes experiences after the death of her younger sister.

She starts off very closed-minded towards her sister but eventually, a strong connection grows between the sisters as a result of Agnes's grieving.

What have you learned from being in a play?

The production of 'She Kills Monsters' has taught me that so much effort goes into putting a play on.

Every costume, prop, and especially every sound/lighting cue wouldn't have been possible without Mrs Landles devoting so much of her free time to the senior drama class.

All of her efforts definitely pay off and everyone will witness it on 21 May.

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- ✓ Pensioners in Maranoa will receive a **\$250** cost of living payment.
- ✓ Further tax relief of **\$420** for 55,000 taxpayers in Maranoa.
- ✓ Child Care Subsidy changes will help 740 Maranoa families to be around, **\$2,260** a year better off.
- ✓ **24,800** businesses in Maranoa can access the instant asset write-off.

Real relief from cost of living pressures

David LITTLEPROUD

For Maranoa

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Mike Kelly’s final words

On Nett Zero

Without a doubt, the biggest threat to Maranoa is the Nett Zero 2050 agenda being accelerated by the Nationals.

On camera, the Nationals say they are against it.

In February 2022, our current member (as the Nationals Deputy Leader) introduced legislation (the Biodiversity Stewardship Market Bill) accelerating the Nett Zero 2050 agenda further.

Additionally, the Nationals are attempting to give the government control of the land if the landowner fails to meet the international climate change compliance requirements (set by the UN) which change constantly without consultation.

Voluntary to get in, maybe impossible to get out—with fines of up to \$276,000—the Leader could not substantiate this claim.

Nett Zero 2050 wants to reduce meat consumption to 14 grams (a mouthful) per day.

The KPMG Ireland study determined livestock numbers need to be reduced by 86 per cent (i.e. kill 5 out of every 6 animals) to meet the Nett Zero 2050 targets. A 30 per cent reduction would decimate our cattle, sheep, and goat industries.

The Nationals are signing up for this agenda and legislating it.

It will destroy primary producers, grain growers supplying feed, butchers, transport & packaging companies, vets... (the list is endless).

Without these industries, there are no customers for the local rural community retail shops.

Basically no farms and no jobs.

One Maranoa (a non-political group of Maranoa generational farmers) is self-funding billboards throughout the electorate to spread the word about the threat of this massive global agenda.

As life-long Nationals voters themselves (no longer), their failed attempts to get clear answers from the Nationals alerted them to how serious this agenda is.

I’ve already held meetings with current One Nation Senators and we will be blocking the proposed legislation that is clearly working against the best interests of the rural sectors.

On Representation

The next biggest threat to Maranoa is continuing to have no genuine representation in the Parliament.

There are only 105,000 voters in Maranoa.

It’s not enough to “force the hand” of the LNP’s Liberal masters who buckle to the millions of city voters at our expense.

While our current Member remains a Minister, he is bound to vote with the city-focused government.

If he wants to vote against the government and vote in favor of the rural electorate, he is required to resign as Minister and



forego his larger salary and lose the social status of being a Minister. It simply won’t happen.

Because these are the rules of the party, it explains why the current member focuses on advancing his political career up the totem pole as opposed to focusing on the legitimate electorate issues. It’s not good enough.

Mainstream media (who receive a lot of advertising revenue from the major parties) drive a fear campaign that voting for integrity parties like One Nation will cause a hung parliament.

Interestingly, during the last hung parliament, \$2 billion dollars was invested in rural communities because of the “horse-trading” that was required to negotiate supporting legislation.

Because Maranoa is such a safe LNP seat, they won’t invest here because they think they don’t need to buy the votes. They are pledging their election funding promises into marginal seats trying to buy those votes; at our expense.

That also explains why David Littleproud has been campaigning in Victoria and New South Wales trying to win other seats and totally neglecting Maranoa.

Interestingly, the LNP have nominated One Nation as their second preference.

This validates our conservative values and confirms they consider our party stable enough to lead if allowed.

It’s time to give us a go.

David Littleproud final words

1. Tackling cost of living pressures

The Liberal National Government has an economic plan to help families with cost of living pressures when they need it most—cuts to the fuel excise, saving 22 cents per litre; tax cuts are helping more than 53,300 people in Maranoa to save \$2,745; apprentices and trainees in priority occupations will receive \$5,000 to offset training costs; changes to the child care subsidy so that families with two or more children aged under five, will save on average \$2,260 a year; and more older Australians will have access to more affordable health care and medications to help ease cost of living pressures under changes to the Commonwealth Seniors Health Card.

We’ll be increasing the income test thresholds from July 1 - \$57,761 to \$90,000 singles and \$92,416 to \$144,000 couples.

2. Protecting the agriculture industry

The agriculture industry is worth a record \$81 billion this financial year with exports to peak at \$64 billion.

Over the last year alone, the Liberal-National Government has invested a record \$590 million in stopping exotic pests and diseases. A re-elected Liberal National Government will invest \$61.6 million in our northern biosecurity frontline; deliver an extra \$10 million for surveillance and control of the Japanese encephalitis virus, taking our total investment to \$69 million; invest \$8.2 million to establish a genebank for livestock, and help build producers on-farm biosecurity and traceability capability - through a \$20 million program.

I’ve implemented the biggest-ever structural reform of this workforce with the introduction of the Australian Agriculture Visa, to provide farmers with medium and long-term certainty about their workforce.

I’m proud as Agriculture Minister to have created a world-first Biodiversity Stewardship program that will pay farmers not just for carbon abatement, but biodiversity.

The budget introduced tax incentives for farmers to participate worth nearly \$100m that will go back to farmers and regional communities.

The government has also introduced protections within this program so that productive agricultural land is not locked up to protect regional communities.

The \$5 billion Future Drought Fund (FDF) I created provides secure, continuous funding for drought resilience initiatives.

Money is rolling out the door now to ensure we’re ready for the next drought, with programs in place to help farmers achieve better risk management, access more useful climate and planning information, trial new land management practices, and drive the adoption of new drought resilience technologies. Only the Liberal-National Government has a plan to help our primary industries achieve their goal of reaching \$100 billion output by 2030.

3. Greater investment in regional infrastructure that will create long-term opportunities and growth to underpin regional prosperity

Our record \$120 billion, 10-year infrastructure investment program is helping Australia



lians get home sooner and safer.

This includes more than \$33 billion over the next four years to make our roads safer.

Regional and rural communities benefit from upgrades in infrastructure across transport, digital connectivity, and water security. A re-elected Liberal-National Government will invest \$7.4 billion to build and expand dams.

Freight supply chains will better connect agricultural regions to ports, airports, and other transport hubs through an extra \$880 million on Roads of Strategic Importance, including an additional \$678 million to seal another 1,000 kilometres of the Outback Way, \$385.4 million through the Northern Australia Roads Program extension for major freight corridor upgrades, \$150 million for the Inland Rail Interface Improvement project, and \$400 million to seal more than 450 kilometres of Queensland roads and contribute to upgrading heavy vehicle corridors critical to the transport of produce.

4. Better and more equitable telecommunications

I fight for better and more equitable telecommunications to save lives, grow small businesses, and support education.

I’ve already secured 59 new mobile phone blackspot towers across Maranoa including towers at Yaraka and on the Landsborough Highway, between Winton and Cloncurry.

A Liberal National Government will invest \$1.3 billion to increase regional mobile coverage for NBN Co to upgrade the entire fixed wireless network benefitting over 40,000 premises across Maranoa.

Major Amendments - Planning Scheme

Community Workshop Part 2- Thursday 02 June 2022

Thursday 02 June 2022
Council Chambers
Longreach Civic Centre
5.30pm – 7.30pm

Longreach Regional Council is inviting all community members to join our discussion about the future planning scheme amendments following our recent survey.

Light refreshments will be provided.

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Dave Kerrigan final words

Maranoa has been taken for granted for far too long by Scott Morrison and his Government.

For almost a decade of LNP Governments, we have seen cost-of-living skyrocket, access to GPs in regional Queensland has become harder and wages have flat-lined, and in some cases wages have gone backward.

Families in Maranoa are doing it tough because Scott Morrison has neglected the regions.

I put my hand up so I can deliver a better future for the people of Maranoa by making healthcare more accessible and fixing aged care, creating secure jobs for locals, and investing in fee-free TAFE placements in areas hit by skills shortages.

Only Labor knows how important investment in the manufacturing industry is to keeping jobs local.

This weekend, Anthony Albanese announced that Labor will invest \$1 billion in advanced manufacturing, create skilled, well-paid jobs and build a future made in Australia.

The dedicated Advanced Manufacturing Fund will be part of Labor's National Reconstruction Fund, which aims to ensure that Australia will again become a country that makes things.

Labor will also fix the aged care crisis that has crippled our nation because of neglect and inaction by the Morrison Government.

Our older Australians built this country and they deserve the respect and dignity in their care.



That's why Labor will put nurses back into nursing homes and ensure staff that provided the much-needed care to our most vulnerable are paid properly.

And only Labor will strengthen Medicare and make it easier for you to see a GP in regional Queensland.

We will do this by delivering Labor's Strengthening Medicare GP Grants program that will \$220 million invested in our local GP practices after a decade of Liberal cuts and neglect.

This added investment will provide a badly needed boost to practices so GPs can provide better care and see more patients.

And only Labor has a plan to deliver a better future for Maranoa by easing the cost of living pressures.

We will do this by making childcare cheaper, cutting your power bills, and delivering better local jobs that are well-paid and secure.

Ellisa Parker final words

I want our region to stay as beautiful as it is today, and I want us all to have access to the services and opportunities we need to live a good life. But rural areas like ours have been neglected by the government.

We need representatives who will work to guarantee clean air and water, healthy soil, and vibrant, resilient communities for generations to come.

The last time the Greens held the balance of power, we got free dental for kids and world-leading climate legislation.

This election is our chance to win the balance of power in the lower house and the senate, where we will focus on protecting our communities from climate change and reducing the cost of living for everyone.

To tackle the housing crisis, we'll push to build one million new affordable homes across Australia over 20 years, including 5,776 in Maranoa.

This includes thousands of sustainable, accessible public and community homes, as well as the Greens' innovative shared equity ownership scheme which will make it easier for people to own their first home where they want to live for just \$300,000.

As your elected representative, I will champion this housing plan across Maranoa to ensure homes for all.

The Greens also have a plan to fix our health services in rural Queensland and make care available for all who need it, not just those who can afford it.

We'll make dental and mental health care part of Medicare and reinvest the private health rebate back into the public system so we can slash wait times and remove out-of-pocket costs.

We'll also introduce birthing on country hubs to assist in closing the gap with First Nations health. We'll also push to wipe existing student debt and ensure everyone can access a free, world-class education from early childhood education and child-



care, through school to TAFE and uni.

This is especially important in our rural communities to encourage young people to build a career and family here, plug skills shortages, and create new opportunities for the next generation.

Most importantly, the Greens in the balance of power will push the next government to address the climate crisis and spearhead caring for Country.

Working hand in hand with First Nations people, land managers, and Australian agriculture, the Greens' plan will protect where we live, the water we drink, and our wildlife.

We'll support workers to get out of coal and gas by 2030 and create hundreds of thousands of jobs in habitat restoration, sustainable agriculture, and clean energy.

We'll fund all of this by making billionaires pay more tax and scrapping handouts to property developers, billionaires, and coal and gas corporations.

This election, vote for change. Vote for climate action and dental into Medicare.

Vote Greens for Maranoa and in the Senate, where we only need a small swing to send a regional Queensland teacher, Penny Allman-Payne, to Canberra to fight for us alongside Larissa Waters.

Nathan McDonald final words

I have lived in Maranoa most of my life and have had the opportunity to travel across this amazing part of Australia many times since I was young, particularly over the past few months.

Maranoa is blessed with excellent resources and resilient people, and its future is bright.

Government just needs to support Maranoa in a few key ways and then get out of the road to let it flourish.

The first thing government can do better to support people in Maranoa is to not take it for granted.

Given it is not a marginal seat (well not until now), Maranoa misses out on its fair share of funding.

Much of the wealth generated in industries such as agriculture, mining, gas, and tourism ends up funding government projects along the coast.

It's time the government focussed on delivering more important projects in the bush.

We need better telecommunication services, water security, roads, and health services.

Under my representation, I would want to have 25 per cent of the wealth generated by Maranoa reinvested in the electorate, which is United Australia Party policy.

This would be a game-changer for the people of Maranoa.

If this were to happen, no longer would the electorate be the poor cousin to those in the more suburban, coastal areas of our great nation.

Protecting our freedoms is another thing government can do to ensure the people of Maranoa flourish.

We need an Australian Bill of Rights to protect freedom of speech, freedom of religion, and freedom of choice with our health.

People in Maranoa, and right across Australia for that matter, need protection to say what's on their mind without censorship from Big Tech or being silenced by the noising minority.

We also need religious freedom protected so our faith-based organisations such as schools can continue to have the ability to



only employ staff who adhere to the beliefs, values, and lifestyle requirements inherent within the tenets and teachings of their particular faith.

Lastly, we need to protect freedom of choice so a 'no jab, no job' policy never again sees nurses, ambulance officers, teachers, and police officers lose their ability to earn and living and assist others through their profession.

Finally, I would like to see zonal taxation introduced so those living west of the Great Divide pay less tax.

Not only would this put more money into the pockets of those living in electorates such as Maranoa, but it would also help decentralise Australia.

The United Australia Party has a policy whereby every individual and business 200 kms or more from a capital city is provided with a 20 per cent tax concession. This would encourage growth and revitalisation in our regions.

Towns in Maranoa that are currently shrinking could see an injection of life.

With greater investment and opportunities in our regional communities, young people would be able to remain in their home town to live and work if they so desired, and more professionals could move into the regions to bolster important areas such as our health services.

Zonal taxation isn't new – it existed under Liberal governments in the 1960s and is constitutional under Commonwealth laws.

We need to see zonal taxation brought back to benefit the people of Maranoa.

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Longreach and Central West Community Event Billboard

Friday, 20 April

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Contact: Jean Williams on 07 4651 2354.

Location: Oak Street, Barcaldine

Time: 8am

First Five Forever

An interactive educational experience for children learning to read.

Location: Longreach Library

Time: 9.30am

Saturday, 21 April

Longreach QCWA Meeting

We are an active community of women who, together, improve the lives of people living in regional, rural and remote Queensland.

Location: Qantas Park

Time: 9am

Drama Production: She Kills Monsters

Ready for adventure? Then prepare yourselves for an epic quest featuring 90's music nostalgia, sword fighting and all manner of nerdy Dungeons & Dragons creatures...

Location: Civic Centre

Time: 7.15pm

Madbag Colour Fun Run

A colourful family event for all.

Location: Barcaldine Rec Park

Time: 3pm

Alpha Rugby League home game

Location: Alpha Showgrounds

Time: 5pm

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, 22 May

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.

Location: Barcaldine Golf Course, Pine Road

Time: 3pm

Longreach Town Band Mixed Ensemble Rehearsals

Location: Longreach State School.

Time: 4pm

Social Bowls

For details visit Facebook, Longreach Bowls Club

Location: Longreach Bowls Club

Time: 1 pm

Today Show in Muttaburra

Come along and meet Tim Davies.

Location: Muttaburrasaurus Interpretation Centre

Time: 5.40am

Monday, 23 May

Opera Queensland Sopranos Regional Tour

Opera Queensland's regional tour of The Sopranos takes the celebration of the bold and rebellious roles women have played throughout the history of opera on the road.

Adapted from the new main stage production (QPAC, Concert Hall, March 29 – April 2) The Sopranos Regional Tour visits 12 communities across Queensland.

Shining a light on some of the greatest dramatic moments in the repertoire, feel the power of women's voices as The Sopranos Regional Tour invites us to experience these unforgettable characters anew.

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Tickets at <https://sopranos-barcaldine.eventbrite.com.au/>

Location: Barcaldine Rec Park

Time: 6pm

Barcaldine Ukulele Group

No experience required and all welcome.

Location: The Willows Centre

Time: 5pm

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, 24 May

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



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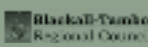
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Cheryl Keleher with Longreach Home and Community Care Inc Chair John Palmer.

Nurses' work celebrated

Queensland and the world will today celebrate the invaluable contributions of midwives everywhere.

Queensland Nurses and Midwives' Union (QNMU) Secretary Beth Mohle said International Day of the Midwife (IDM) acknowledges the important role midwives play in communities throughout Queensland and around the world.

Ms Mohle said the theme of today's celebrations was 100 Years of Progress—and would mark 100 years of the International Confederation on Midwives (ICM).

The ICM supports, represents, and works to strengthen professional associations of midwives throughout the world.

The ICM will hold online parties for midwives around the globe to celebrate the milestone.

QNMU members will hold events in workplaces and the community to acknowledge the important contributions of midwives both during the pandemic and every day.

"The pandemic has really shone a spotlight on the importance of midwives," Ms Mohle said.

"During COVID-19, midwives have played an integral role in ensuring expectant mothers, mothers and new-borns were safe and supported.

"We ask Queenslanders to remember and celebrate the extraordinary contributions midwives have made to their family, friends and community.

"Today is an opportunity to say thank you to Queensland midwives for the invaluable role they play in our communities, both dur-

ing the pandemic and every day."

Ms Mohle said midwives were passionate about protecting women and their families.

She asked Queenslanders to please take the time to recognise the valuable contributions midwives make.

"Midwives are part of the glue that binds our communities," Ms Mohle said.

"Having a known midwife has been proven by extensive research to decrease preterm birth, early pregnancy loss and low birth rates, increase normal birth and long-term positive health and wellbeing of women and babies.

"They provide care and support during pregnancy, birth and the postnatal period. Today we acknowledge the importance of their role both here and around the world."



Coral Williamson with John Palmer celebrating International Nurses and Midwives Day.

'Our champions': Volunteers in the election spotlight

Volunteers across Australia will be in the spotlight right up until Election Day, serving as a timely reminder to the new government of the need for the ongoing support of community organisations.

As part of National Volunteer Week (May 16- May 22), Meals on Wheels Australia is highlighting the impact its more than 45,000 volunteers have on the lives of vulnerable, older Australians.

President of Meals on Wheels Australia, Sharyn Broer said this year's National Volunteer Week theme - 'Better Together' - could

not resonate more with the iconic organisation.

"We champion our volunteers every day, however with National Volunteer Week we can celebrate the contribution of Meals on Wheels volunteers on a broader, national scale," she said.

"In the last days of this Federal election campaign, Australia will be recognising the incredible feats of volunteers and their enormous community contributions.

"Volunteers have gone above and beyond, particularly during the past years when faced

with the Covid-19 pandemic, fires and floods.

"They will continue to have a critical role to play in the years ahead supporting the country's most vulnerable people. The importance of this should not be lost on whichever party forms Government."

Ms Broer said the incoming Federal Government must acknowledge the value of meaningful volunteering for rural, regional and metropolitan communities.

"Our volunteer network is irreplaceable and additional support is required for volunteering organisations to remain sustainable

into the future," she said.

"We urge the incoming government to implement Recommendation 44 of the Aged Care Royal Commission by valuing the contribution of and investing in volunteers and volunteer-engaging aged care providers.

"This includes avoiding the detrimental impact of burdensome regulation and marketisation of services providing a public good and ensuring that pricing mechanisms meet the full cost of engaging and supporting a voluntary workforce," Mrs Broer said.

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Powerhouse Museum - Engines.



Powerhouse Museum Inside Nogo Cottage.

Guardians of our history

By Longreach Archival And Historical Research Group

The Longreach Powerhouse and Historical Museum occupies a large area of land on the corners of Swan and Ibis Streets.

The museum is an outstanding social history museum – a home to local history, stories and artefacts.

It is unique in that it is the only preserved, intact example of a working powerhouse anywhere in Australia.

The Powerhouse has an electrical industry collection second to none and serves as evidence that the generation of electricity was formerly a local undertaking by the shire council as one of a number of services to the town and district.

The Longreach Powerhouse was constructed by the Longreach Shire Council in 1921, generating power for most parts of the town.

In 1966, the Central Western Rural Electricity Board (CWREB) took over.

In 1977, the electricity supply for the whole of Queensland underwent regionalisation resulting in the powerhouse's operation being taken over by CREB (Capricornia Regional Electricity Board).

The Longreach power station continued to generate power until 1985 when it was decommissioned due to the town and district becoming part of the state grid.

From its closure in 1985 until 1991, the power station remained a Regional Electricity Board line depot.

During this time some demolition work was commenced.

Fortunately, it was never completed.

Certain items had been earmarked for a future State Electricity Board Museum and the complex was put up for auction.

In due course, the successful purchaser commenced cutting up one of the power station's huge engines for scrap metal.

It was only when the purchaser asked to hire a crane from the Longreach Shire Council that the quick-thinking CEO at the time, Vince Corbin, realised what was about to happen, stopped the process, and the purchaser was bought out by the Council.

The complex had gone full circle and was once again owned by the Council.

In February 1994, a well-attended public meeting was held to discuss the advantages of setting up the complex as a museum.

This idea was enthusiastically embraced and the Powerhouse Museum was born.

A competition was held to design a logo.

Gary Deakin gave many hours of his own time collecting artefacts and preserving history and eventually became the curator and administration officer.

As the building had not been occupied for quite some time, imagine the collection of dust, dirt, cobwebs and redback spiders (which had a distinct liking for the place) that had accumulated.

The Apex Club which was very active at the time was the first to 'adopt an engine' and the Lions Club assisted greatly with general cleaning. The Zonta ladies also adopted an



Powerhouse Museum - Nogo Cottage.

engine. Items were transferred from storage at the Shire Hall. These items had previously been on display at the School of Arts building which was destroyed by a severe windstorm in the 1970s.

The museum was officially opened in September 1994.

Since that time many and varied donations have been received.

There are displays of early Longreach history, a display of agricultural and road maintenance machinery, a collection of office equipment circa 1908-1950 from local business houses, and household items and photographs from times gone by.

One display of great interest is the Boundary Rider's Cottage situated at the western extremity of the block.

It was donated by the Avery family, then owners of 'Nogo' station.

It was a huge undertaking moving this building from its site on the riverfront at 'Nogo' and it took three years to raise sufficient funds to effect this task.

It is truly an authentic display of how people lived in the 1940s.

The Longreach Historical and Archival Group was formed in 1999 and has given many voluntary hours to try to keep the displays as authentic as possible.

The Powerhouse Museum is a fascinating and worthwhile place to visit, even for locals.

It's a terrific place to get nostalgic and take in the lived experience of our past.

The opening times are 10.30am to 12.30pm and 1.30pm to 3.30pm, Monday to Friday, from April to October.

(The volunteers of the Longreach Archival And Historical Research Group Inc. have used all reasonable endeavours to ensure this information is as accurate as possible.

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Powerhouse Museum Front.



Powerhouse Museum - The School Room.

Show shock

It was sad news for us all to hear the Longreach Show would be cancelled last week.

Everyone has been very supportive of the decision taken by the show committee, and I think most people understand why the committee made its decision. The show is a big undertaking, and it takes almost as much effort to cancel the show as it does to run it.

So I want to thank everyone involved in supporting the committee, and the many exhibitors and vendors through that process. Like many in our community, I look forward to the show returning again next year.

It was a busy time for many of us last week as we prepared for what at one point was forecast to be major flooding. While we didn't get the flooding that was forecast, I would still like to acknowledge the diligent preparations and cooperation of everyone on our Local Disaster Management Group, which I chair. We are very fortunate to have a highly organised and competent emergency management community in our region. They are a pleasure to work with and they serve our community with distinction. One of my many duties is serving on the Lake Eyre Basin Stakeholder Advisory Group and I attended a meeting of the group in Longreach recently. The advisory group provides information and advice to help inform the development of a consultation Regulatory Impact Statement.

This will assess options for the better protection of the Lake Eyre Basin rivers and floodplains, and consider how this can be achieved alongside sustainable economic development across the Basin. There's a host of cultural events happening in our region this week, which started with the Babushka Book Club cabaret performance in Longreach on Thursday night. It's always great to see touring cabaret visit our region, we're very fortunate to have access to these productions—best of all it was free for everyone, thanks to our Regional Arts Development Fund. Babushka joined us having performed to acclaim at the Queensland Cabaret Festival, Melbourne Cabaret Festival,

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TONY RAYNER
LONGREACH MAYOR



and Adelaide Fringe Festival. Our region is also playing host to the second annual Festival of Outback Opera this weekend.

There's a free panel discussion on art in the regions, starting at 12:30pm Saturday in Edkins Park. Tickets are still available for the 'Singing in the Night' gala concert at Camden Park on Saturday night.

There's a free 'Sing Sing Sing' event at the Branch Cafe in Longreach on Sunday at 2pm, and there's also a free performance of the touring production 'The Sopranos' at the Longreach Showgrounds starting 6:30pm. Again, we're very proud to be supporting these cultural events in our region with help from our Regional Arts Development Fund. Add to all this Council's annual Health & Wellbeing Month, which is being well received in our communities, and May offers quite the smorgasbord of events. You can find all the different activities on offer by visiting longreach.qld.gov.au/events to find out more.

Lastly, Council met for its May ordinary meeting in Isisford yesterday.

As usual, our meeting was open to the public but you can catch up by finding the agenda on our website, and the minutes will be added next week. I'll be back with another column in two weeks. Until then, you can find direct emails and phone numbers for me and for 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 at (07) 4658 4111 (24hrs), or via email at assist@longreach.qld.gov.au.

A welcome change from gardening to photography

With the coming of good rain, I've been back in the garden, trying again. The best chance I have of turning a brown thumb green is now. So I picked up some more seeds, gathered my tools, and started replanting the garden beds turned over by the better half.

On the off chance a good photo opportunity might present itself, I kept my camera close by while I worked. And discovered that, while I don't dislike gardening, I prefer photography as a hobby. It took little temptation for me to turn from the shovel to the camera.

A few birds beckoned, and off I went.

The thing about photography is, in this age of digital processing, I experience nearly instant gratification for my efforts.

As soon as I pop the SD card into the slot on my computer, the images appear.

Happily, I always find at least one that was worth the effort.

Gardening?

Not so much.

As yet, no more pigweed has popped up to give me some solace that there will be fruit from my labours, though I believe a couple of beetroot leaves are making a tentative push up out of the ground.

Still, that's a long way from eating beetroot.

The problem with gardening is that it takes time - far more time than snapping a decent photo - though it did take a couple of days to capture what has become one of my favourite bird photos, a mob of galahs in wing over green grass.

It's all about having a good eye and patience.

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No thumbs involved whatsoever.

Gardening takes patience as well, but it requires a green thumb rather than a good eye, so I'm never as certain my patience will be rewarded.

Not that things can't - and do - go wrong in photography.

Many are the time I've got the 'card full' sign or the battery runs out in the middle of a great sunset or eventful muster.

But those are eventualities I can generally anticipate and avoid. Hard as I've tried, avoiding garden pests is nearly impossible, no matter how anticipated their unwellcome arrival is. One thing I didn't anticipate was a canine penchant for plants.

I caught two in the garden with their jaws clamped around my sprouting celery.

At least I could chase them away, unlike ants, grubs, or grasshoppers, which invade my garden beds with impunity.

As for the weather, I have zero control in that department other than performing a rain dance and that doesn't generally produce the desired result.

Still, with a much-reduced chance of a searing heatwave and having had a good fall of rain, I'm in with a chance of success.

If only I can resist the siren call of my camera.

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Q&A

with Daniella Mudu

As the women's rugby league comp is warming up, we caught up with the star and impervious fullback, Daniella Mudu.

What is your name? When did you first come to Longreach?

Hi, my name is Daniella Mudu, and I've lived in Longreach for eight years now.

When did you get into Rugby League? What is your favourite thing about the sport?

I have played rugby league for two years however, I've always had a love for the sport; since early in primary school, watching all my older siblings/ cousins and hearing the joy over a footy game - now I understand. My favourite thing about the rugby league, just like every other sport, is learning and gaining confidence within yourself that, and meeting new people who have different stories to tell about rugby league.

Who is your favourite sportsperson and why?

I'd say my favourite sportsperson has to be Tamika Upton [Broncos women's fullback]

because she is at the playing ability where I dream to be. She sets a great example for the young 'ones', and I love her technique in every game she plays.

What is the best advice you've ever received?

The best advice I've ever received would have to be, "live today like it's your last", or "always give 100 per cent".

What is something you do in your spare time?

In my spare time, I like to train, eat (a lot), sleep, or clean.

What is your favourite place in the central West?

My favourite place in the central West would have to be Barcaldine because they have a really good bakery.

What would you consider your greatest achievement?

I believe my greatest achievement would be having a job.



Trivia: How many do you know

By Georgie Meekin & Marlena Maier

1. An epiphyte is an organism that grows on the surface of what?
2. How many native species of venomous snakes are found in the UK?
3. Which Australian swimmer won 4 gold medals at the 2020 Tokyo Olympics?
4. In what city would you find the world's tallest building?
5. What kind of blood type is known as the universal donor?
6. In what year did Queen Elizabeth II open Australian Stockman's Hall of Fame?

7. What does the ship prefix H.M.S. stand for?
8. What's the name of the anthemic dance song near the beginning of The Rocky Horror Picture Show?
9. In what year was Let It Be by The Beatles released?
10. How many squares are there, of any size, on a chessboard?

Answers
1. Plant 2. One 3. Emma McKeon 4. Dubai
5. O negative 6. 1988 7. His/Her Majesty's Ship
8. Time Warp 9. 1970 10. 204

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Great care from a great community

I am contacting you to acknowledge the wonderful care we received while staying in Longreach on our way to Birdsville.

My husband became very ill and was admitted to your local hospital. The care provided by the staff was outstanding, especially by Doctor Emma Morton.

The consideration given to us by staff at the Longreach Tourist Park, as our booking

needed to be extended, was very much appreciated. The service provided by the RFDS was amazing, with my husband being transferred to Brisbane for further treatment.

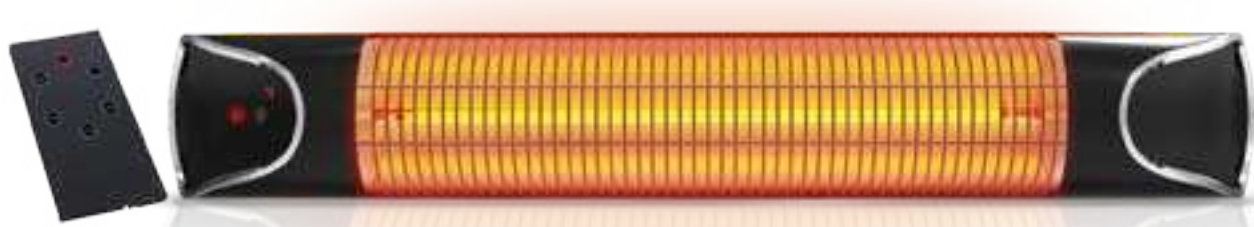
We often hear negative stories relating to our public health system, so I thought it was important to recognise the hard-working, dedicated and professional people who provided exceptional care in our time of need within your community.

A very big thank you to all involved.

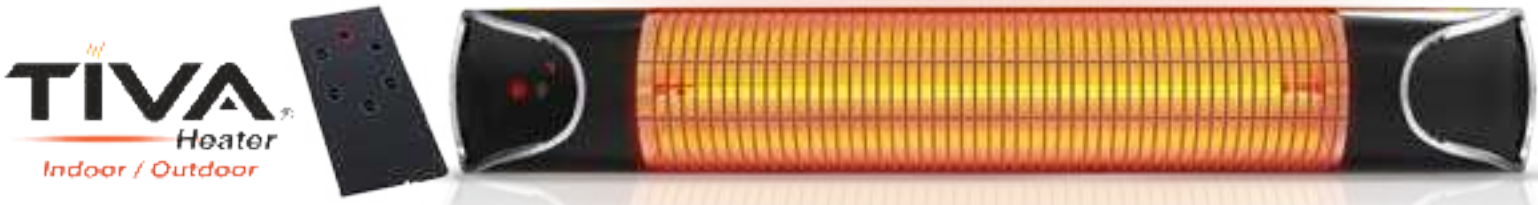
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Docuseries *Space 22* follows seven Aussies as they take part in an experiment that tests the impact of art and creativity on mental health. **Siobhan Duck** speaks with host Natalie Bassingthwaighte about the groundbreaking program and the importance of reaching out for help

She's been nominated for a Gold Logie. Had numerous hit singles as both a solo artist and frontwoman of Rogue Traders. And strutted her stuff on stage in musicals such as *Rent*, *Grease* and *Chicago*.

But it is only this year that Natalie Bassingthwaighte felt as though she truly found her purpose – as host of *Space 22*.

The new six-part ABC documentary charts the effects of creativity on health and wellbeing; following a group of adults who have experienced mental health issues as they undertake a variety of art and music programs.

For Bassingthwaighte, who has been open about her own mental health struggles, *Space 22* struck a very powerful chord from the moment she first heard the concept.

"I just knew that I needed to be in the show," she reflects.

"I had an interview with [the producers] and I was pitching so hard [for the job]. It was hilarious. I said to them, and I never do this, but: 'I think this is my role'.

"Partly because I loved that they were scientifically trying to prove art can play a role in healing or helping with our mental health. And also, I felt like what I'd been through in the past 20 years [with both her career in the creative arts space and her own health issues] that I could definitely use some of my knowledge in that area.

"It ended up becoming something that was honestly probably one of the best things I've ever done."

While Bassingthwaighte used to burn the candle at both ends – juggling her children's clothing line Chi Khi, performing live with her band, or on stage and filming TV series such as *So You Think You Can Dance*, *Neighbours*, *The Wrong Girl* and *Brock* – more recently, she's become very selective about what jobs she takes on.

That's because, a little over two years ago, Bassingthwaighte made the decision to shift from Melbourne to Byron Bay and to take a step back from her career for the sake of her mental health.

The move came after the actress suffered a debilitating breakdown, which she now believes was triggered by the unresolved grief of losing both her manager and a close friend in quick succession.

"When my manager passed, I didn't feel good enough," she says.

"I was like: 'Can I sing? Can I



Watch this space:
Performer Natalie Bassingthwaighte is proud of *Space 22*, which destigmatises mental health struggles.

dance? Can I act? I don't think I can do any of these things'. I just lost all confidence in my ability. Even though I'd done it for 20 years."

At her lowest point, Bassingthwaighte felt so consumed by self-doubt that she almost couldn't breathe or speak for six long weeks.

"I was like I was just nervous that I couldn't face anyone ever again," she explains.

"I didn't leave my bed because I didn't want to leave the house because what if people would look at me? And I didn't feel like myself.

"I felt like I was a completely different person. And it had happened to me a couple of times throughout my last 25 years, but it has been a while since it was that intense. It was terrifying."

Medication, meditation and finding a better work-life balance have helped Bassingthwaighte get back on an even keel. Looking back now, she can see that she had been

struggling under the demands of her career for a long time before she hit breaking point.

Today, she believes that those dark days ultimately proved to be a positive turning point in her life.

"One of my friends said: 'You have to break down to break through'. I love that," she says.

"Because I could feel it for like six months before in my body. I was having panic attacks. I was so anxious. But I was like: 'No, I'm just going to keep going.'"

While Bassingthwaighte has struggled with her mental health – on and off – for most of her adult life, it's only in recent years that she has been comfortable talking about it.

"I was worried that people would judge me," she says.

"I was worried that I would be unemployed. I was worried that people would think I was crazy. So, there was a lot of fear around it."

While there is still a long way to go towards destigmatising mental

health, Bassingthwaighte believes attitudes are improving. And that's thanks, in part, to shows like *Space 22* that shine a light on real people's experiences, and which are an antidote to unobtainable standards of perfection being peddled on Instagram.

"I don't actually feel scared about talking about it at all anymore," she says of her own challenges.

"And I'm proud of that. To be honest, I think I started getting over the social media 'I'm perfect' and 'everything's perfect' and 'nothing's wrong with me' mentality.

"I was like: 'What the hell is this? This is not good for anyone'. I think that allowed me to flick the switch and go, 'We really need to start talking about what life is really about'. We need to start sharing our experiences and allowing ourselves to be vulnerable so people know that it's OK to be vulnerable and it's OK for people to know that if you're not OK, you can reach out and you can

find someone that you're not alone."

And that is certainly what *Space 22* does. Bassingthwaighte says spending time with the participants – watching them benefit not just from the arts programs offered but from sharing their stories with each other – was enriching and inspiring. And she believes viewers will also gain from watching what unfolds over the experiment.

"It's not like it was all roses and it wasn't all happy or whatever, there were struggles throughout the experiment," she says.

"But I could personally see – from the beginning when they walked in, to the end of it – that behind their eyes had changed. It was like a light had lifted. It was just so incredibly beautiful to watch."

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■ *Space 22*, Tuesday, 8pm, ABC TV and streaming ABC iview

Movie Guide

PICK OF THE WEEK



Saturday
HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON:
THE HIDDEN WORLD
9Go!, Saturday, 7pm, PG (2018)

One of the finest animated feature franchises in recent memory comes to a memorable conclusion in the third and final instalment of DreamWorks' How To Train Your Dragon series. After an

evil warlord sets out to destroy all the dragons, a young Viking (Jay Baruchel) who shares a strong bond with his own draconic companion sets out to find a legendary place where he and his kind will be safe. Once again directed by Canadian Dean DeBlois, and with superb animation and an emotionally engaging storyline, this is a satisfying closure to a much-loved trilogy. ★★★★★



STRICTLY BALLROOM
ABC TV Plus, Friday, 8.30pm, PG (1992)

Moulin Rouge director Baz Luhrmann first gave notice of his knockout talent with his iconic backstage musical cliché comedy romp through the rumba that follows the trials of Scott (Paul Mercurio) and Fran (Tara Morice, pictured, left, with Mercurio) as they dream of winning a state championship. The characters are so colourful and lovable that you have to adore it, something the movie world agreed on, with a string of imitators. Yes, that's Sonia Kruger as one of their rivals. ★★★★★



BEIRUT
Nine, Friday, 10.35pm, MA15+ (2018)

This smart political thriller helmed by Brad Anderson (*The Machinist*) is a gripping tale full of intrigue. In 1980s Beirut, an American diplomat (Jon Hamm, pictured) is called back into service to save a kidnapped colleague (Mark Pellegrino) from the group that is possibly responsible for his wife's death. The script from Tony Gilroy (the *Bourne* franchise) is both tight and nuanced, and the film also benefits from outstanding performances from Hamm and co-star Rosamund Pike. ★★★★★



IN THE HEART OF THE SEA
9Gem, Saturday, 10pm, M (2015)

Hunky Aussie Chris Hemsworth (pictured) stars alongside Tom Holland, Cillian Murphy and Benjamin Walker in Ron Howard's depiction of the true story that inspired *Moby Dick*. Hemsworth plays a Owen Chase, a seasoned and highly skilled whaler who heads off in pursuit of a great white whale – which as it turns out is pretty vengeful, destroying their ship and leaving the crew adrift hundreds of miles offshore. What follows is an endurance tale that fails to live up to Herman Melville's masterpiece. ★★★



GHOSTBUSTERS
7mate, Sunday, 6.30pm, PG (1984)

For many of the *Star Wars* generation, *Ghostbusters* was just the tonic: an offbeat ride into supernatural peril with the sardonic Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd and Harold Ramis (pictured, from left) playing parapsychologists operating as the eponymous combatants of terror and "slime" in New York City. A subplot holds romance for Murray and the alternately coy and seductive Sigourney Weaver, whose nerdy neighbour Rick Moranis makes a priceless contribution to the chaos. ★★★★★



THE DIRTY DOZEN
7mate, Monday, 8.30pm, M (1967)

Lee Marvin. Ernest Borgnine. Telly Savalas. Charles Bronson. John Cassavetes. George Kennedy. With names like these, how can you go wrong? Some of the US Army's toughest mercenaries are dumped behind Nazi lines near D-Day, and told to find their own way home. Robert Aldrich's anti-war action flick takes you on a tough-guy ride full of sensational action sequences and uber-masculine soldier banter that doesn't let up. A classic. ★★★★★



ONLY THE ANIMALS
SBS World Movies, Tuesday, 9.35pm, M (2019)

Acclaimed French filmmaker Dominik Moll's rambling mystery takes place largely in a remote mountain village, where a missing Parisian socialite (Valeria Bruni-Tedeschi) was last seen. When her car is found by the side of the road, the snow-covered town becomes the centre of a national obsession. While local cop Cedric (Bastien Bouillon) interviews locals, insurance agent Alice (*Call My Agent's* Laure Calamy, pictured) insists no one in the area could possibly be involved. ★★★★★

The Guide



KEEPING FAITH ABC TV, Friday, 9pm

On paper, *Keeping Faith* revolves around a mother and lawyer in the Welsh countryside. It sounds run of the mill, until you watch it. Beginning with a thrilling first season as Faith (Eve Myles, pictured) tried to find out where her missing husband had gone, it quickly became apparent that this was a series unafraid to go full throttle. Packed with ambivalence, secrets, moody landscapes and a histrionic soundtrack, it's back with its third and final season. Eighteen months have passed and Faith is busy juggling motherhood and the biggest case of her career, only to have her idyll threatened by the return of someone from her past – her estranged mother, Rose (Celia Imrie).



AUSTRALIA VOTES: ELECTION NIGHT LIVE ABC TV, Saturday, 6pm

As the nation either sits back with gritted teeth or hearts brimming with optimism, the votes are feverishly being counted and analysed. While we all wait to see who is going to guide Australia for the next four years or more, there's something therapeutic about hearing the results come in live across the country – especially when it's with a team of political analysis experts. Tune in to the developments and results with ABC chief election analyst Antony Green; seasoned journalists including Leigh Sales, David Speers (pictured), Annabel Crabb, Andrew Probyn and Laura Tingle; along with Labor's Tanya Plibersek and Liberal Senator Simon Birmingham.



9-1-1 Seven, Monday, 9pm

You're kidding if you think this excessive American confection, starring Peter Krause (pictured) and Jennifer Love Hewitt, following the nine-to-five of emergency first responders isn't really a show about superheroes; they are dressed in ordinary paramedic and fire services gear, but don't let that fool you. These folks can take on anything, from a newborn stuck inside a plumbing pipe, a boa constrictor choking a woman, an airbus plane crashing in water, and a roller-coaster packed with people stuck upside down. You name it, they've been there – and lived to tell the tale. This double episode kicks off with the team rescuing a diver who panicked in a shark cage.

PICK OF THE WEEK

COOK LIKE AN ITALIAN WITH SILVIA COLLOCA SBS Food, Tuesday, 8pm

If there's anyone who makes cooking look like a cinch, it's Silvia Colloca (pictured) – if only we could all look as fetching and joyous while we kneaded mouth-watering bread and simmered a rich ragu. The former opera singer and actress is not a trained chef, but the Italian expat is arguably more at home in the kitchen than Gordon Ramsay and Heston Blumenthal combined – she's effortless. This week, Colloca gets into the spirit of Ferragosto, a mid-summer holiday ritual across Italy where families gather to eat delicious food. Featuring a sumptuous three-course feast with seafood and affogato, it's the sort of public holiday we all need.



Friday, May 20

ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Q+A. (R) 11.05 Grand Designs. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Barons. (Madlsr, R) 1.55 Father Brown. (PG, R) 3.00 Grand Designs Australia. (R) 3.55 Long Lost Family UK. (PG) 4.40 Tenable. (PG) 5.30 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)	SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 7.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 12. Highlights. 8.00 WorldWatch. 12.00 Arabic News. 12.30 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 1.00 PBS NewsHour. 2.00 Country Music. (PG, R) 3.00 NITV News: Nula. 3.30 Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) 3.35 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) 4.05 Jeopardy! 4.30 Letters And Numbers. (R) 5.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 12. Highlights.	SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE : Sundays At Tiffany's. (2010, Ms, R) Alyssa Milano. 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.	NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE : The Wrong Nanny. (2017, Mav) 1.45 Garden Gurus Moments. (R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) 5.30 WIN News.	TEN (5, 1) 6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (Ma) 1.00 The Living Room. (R) 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. 5.00 10 News First.
6.00 The Drum. Analysis of the day's news. 7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories. 7.30 Australia Votes. 8.00 Gardening Australia. Jane Edmanson visits Zan Rowe. 9.00 Keeping Faith. (Return, Mal) Faith tries to be positive as she juggles being a mother and taking on a new case. 10.00 Agatha Raisin. (PG, R) Sir Charles's friend receives a death threat. 10.50 ABC Late News. 11.05 The Weekly With Charlie Pickering. (R) 11.35 Tomorrow Tonight. (Final, PG, R) 12.05 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv)	6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great Asian Railway Journeys: Ho Chi Minh To Hoi An. (PG, R) 8.40 Ancient Superstructures: The Louvre. Part 1 of 3. 9.40 Secrets Of The Royal Palaces. (PG) Kate Williams takes a look at Kensington Palace. 10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 13. 1.30 The Killing. (Mlv, R) 3.45 Hunters. (PGal, R) 4.30 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PG, R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News.	6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Better Homes And Gardens. Adam makes a creative curved shelf for toilet paper. Juliet shows how to make eco-friendly cleaning products. 8.30 Her Majesty The Queen's Platinum Jubilee. (PG) A celebration of the platinum jubilee of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. 10.30 To Be Advised. 12.15 The Goldbergs. (PGa, R) Pops tries to make Adam cool. 1.15 Harry's Practice. (R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. (R) 5.00 NBC Today.	6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Rugby League. NRL. Round 11. Parramatta Eels v Manly Sea Eagles. 9.55 Golden Point. A wrap-up of the Parramatta Eels versus Manly Sea Eagles match, with news and analysis. 10.35 MOVIE : Beirut. (2018, MA15+alv, R) A former US diplomat is called back into service. Jon Hamm, Rosamund Pike. 12.40 Tipping Point. (PG, R) Hosted by Ben Shephard. 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)	6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news. 7.30 The Living Room. Samuel Johnson and his sister Hilde stop by to share stories of love and kindness over the dinner table with team. 8.30 To Be Advised. 9.30 First Dates Australia. (R) Sweet-natured Nicole is worried her eyebrows and tattooed sleeves might put off men. 10.30 To Be Advised. 11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news. 12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Hosted by Stephen Colbert. 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)
ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 5.35pm Kangaroo Beach. 5.50 Peppa Pig. 5.55 Alva's World. 6.05 Ben And Holly. 6.20 Bluey. 6.25 Octonauts. 6.40 Andy's Dinosaur Adventures. 7.00 Dino Dana. 7.10 Grace's Amazing Machines. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Hard Quiz. 8.30 MOVIE : Strictly Ballroom. (1992, PG) 10.05 Black Mirror. 10.55 MOVIE : The Wrestler. (2008, MA15+) 12.40am QI. 1.15 Parks And Recreation. 1.55 Defending The Guilty. 2.25 ABC News Update. 2.30 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Guess How Much I Love You. 5.25 Kiri And Lou. 5.30 Clangers. 5.45 Late Programs.	SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 11.35 Hindi News. Noon American Song Contest. 3.05 Planet A. 3.40 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. 4.10 PBS News. 5.10 Shortland St. 5.40 The Joy Of Painting With Bob Ross. 6.10 Abandoned Engineering. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. 8.30 Hoarders. 9.20 Atlanta. 9.50 Sex Actually With Alice Levine. 10.45 Porn Laid Bare. 11.35 VICE News Tonight. 12.30am Cults And Extreme Belief. 2.45 NHK World English News. 3.00 Thai News. 3.30 Bangla News. 4.00 Punjabi News. 4.30 Sri Lankan Sinhalese News. 5.00 Korean News. 5.30 Indonesian News.	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 Sydney Weekender. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Dog Patrol. 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 World's Most Secret Homes. 11.45 Coastal Railways With Julie Walters. 12.45am The Fine Art Auction. 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. 5.30 Home Shopping.	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 The Bill. 2.50 Antiques Roadshow. 3.20 MOVIE : The Magic Box. (1951) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 Take Me Home. 8.30 MOVIE : Marley & Me. (2008, PG) 10.50 MOVIE : Along Came Polly. (2004, M) 12.40am Antiques Roadshow. 1.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 5.00 Newstyle Direct. 5.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping.	10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 NBL Slam. 7.30 Seinfeld. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Middle. 11.00 Frasier. Noon The King Of Queens. 1.00 The Middle. 1.30 Seinfeld. 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 Charmed. (Return) 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.
NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 9.10 Bushwhacked! 9.35 The Magic Canoe. 10.00 Arctic Secrets. 10.50 Going Places. 11.50 Road Open. Noon MOVIE : Supremacy. (2014) 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 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 Arctic Secrets. 7.30 Sesame Street: 50 Years Of Sunny Days. 9.00 Bedtime Stories. 9.10 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman. 10.00 NITV On The Road: Saltwater Freshwater. 11.00 Late Programs.	SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Playtime. (1967, PG, French) 8.15 Bill. (2015, PG) 10.00 Goodbye Mother. (2019, M, Vietnamese) 12.05pm Two Days, One Night. (2014, M, French) 1.55 The Band's Visit. (2007, M, Arabic) 3.30 Kundun. (1997, PG) 6.00 Buggy Malone. (1976, PG) 7.40 Brief Encounter. (1974, M) 9.30 A Star Is Born. (1976, M) 12.05am The Untamed. (2016, MA15+, Spanish) 1.55 Our Struggles. (2018, M, French) 3.45 The Special Relationship. (2010, M) 5.25 Kundun. (1997, PG)	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 America's Game: The Super Bowl Champions. 11.00 A Football Life. Noon Pawnography. 1.00 Crazy On A Plane. 2.00 Billy The Exterminator. 3.00 Pawn Stars. 3.30 Shipping Wars. 4.00 Timbersports. 4.30 Leepu And Pitbull. 5.30 Storage Wars: Texas. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 AFL: Friday Night Countdown. 7.30 Football. AFL. Round 10. Carlton v Sydney. 10.30 AFL Post-Game Show. 11.00 Armchair Experts. 11.30 Hardcore Pawn. Midnight Late Programs.	9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Six Million Dollar Man. 1.00 The A-Team. 2.00 SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock From The Sun. 4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Everybody Loves Raymond. 5.30 MOVIE : Happy Feet. (2006) 7.40 MOVIE : Nanny McPhee Returns. (2010) 9.50 MOVIE : How To Lose A Guy In 10 Days. (2003, PG) 12.10am Supergirl. 1.10 Made In Chelsea. 2.10 Summer House. 3.00 Bakugan: Armored Alliance. 3.30 Lego Jurassic World: Legend Of Isla Nublar. 4.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 5.00 Pokémon Master Journeys: The Series. 5.30 The Tom And Jerry Show.	10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Infomercials. 8.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 8.30 Reel Action. 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 Law & Order: SVU. 10.30 Evil. 11.30 48 Hours. 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.

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<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 11.00 Landline. (R) 11.30 Back Roads. (PGs, R) 12.00 Australia Votes: Election Day. 12.45 Midsomer Murders. (Msv, R) 2.15 Father Brown. (Mav, R) 3.00 Grand Designs. (R) 4.00 Australia Votes: Election Day. 5.00 ABC News: Australia Votes.</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 7.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 13. Highlights. 8.00 WorldWatch. 2.00 The Untold Story Of Australian Wrestling. (R) 2.10 Dr Russell's Imaginarium. (PG, R) 2.50 The Lost Season. (PGL, R) 4.00 The Rising. 4.30 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 13. Highlights. 5.30 Governor Macquarie's Silent Witness. (PG, R) 5.40 Nazi Megastructures: Russian War. (PGa, R)</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG) 12.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 1.00 Motorway Patrol. (PG, R) 1.30 Football. AFL. Round 10. Western Bulldogs v Gold Coast Suns. 4.30 Australia Decides: 2022 Federal Election. 5.30 Creek To Coast.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Easy Eats. 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Today Extra: Saturday. (PG) 12.00 Our State On A Plate. (PG) 12.30 The Rebound. (PG) 1.00 Great Australian Detour. 1.30 Outback & Under. (PGL) 2.00 The Pet Rescuers. (PG, R) 2.30 Taronga: Who's Who In The Zoo. (PG, R) 3.30 The Garden Gurus. 4.00 Nine's Afternoon News: Election Special. 5.00 Election 2022: Australia Decides - Polls Close.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6.00 GCBC. (R) 6.30 Leading The Way. 7.00 Escape Fishing. (R) 7.30 Offroad Adv. (R) 8.30 My Market Kitchen. (PG, R) 9.00 Australia By Design: Innovations. (PG, R) 9.30 St10. (PG) 12.00 4x4 Adventures. (R) 1.00 Offroad Adv. 2.00 Roads Less Travelled. (R) 2.30 Taste Of Aust. (R) 3.00 What's Up Down Under. 3.30 All 4 Adventure. (PGL, R) 4.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 Australia Votes: Election Night Live - Polls Close. A look at the latest election news. 7.00 Australia Votes: Election Night Live. Leigh Sales, Antony Green and David Speers provide coverage of the 2022 federal election. 9.30 Australia Votes: Election Results Live. Leigh Sales joins David Speers, Annabel Crabb, Andrew Probyn, Laura Tingle and Bridget Brennan, as well as ABC chief election analyst Antony Green, provide coverage of the latest election news. 12.00 Barons. (Madlsv, R) Tracy learns a difficult lesson at work. 12.55 The Good Karma Hospital. (Ma, R) AJ returns to the hospital keen to impress. 1.45 Victoria. (Final, PG, R) The Great Exhibition is opened. 2.30 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv)</p>	<p>6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Celebrity Letters And Numbers. (M) Hosted by Michael Hing. 8.30 Big Fat Quiz Of Everything. (M) Question master Jimmy Carr is joined by a panel of guests including Rob Beckett, Richard Ayoade, Rosie Jones, Roisin Conaty, Mawaan Rizwan and Joanne McNally, to see who knows the most about everything. 10.15 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 14. 1.30 MOVIE: The Young Victoria. (2009, PGsv, R) 3.25 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PG, R) 4.55 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 5.00 France 24 Feature. 5.15 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 Deutsche Welle English News Morning.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Australia Decides: 2022 Federal Election. Coverage of the 2022 federal election, featuring the latest news and political analysis. 11.00 MOVIE: The Taking Of Pelham 123. (2009, MA15+lv, R) After subway train passengers are taken hostage, a dispatcher matches wits with the criminal mastermind. Denzel Washington, John Travolta, Luis Guzmán. 1.10 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 5. Winton SuperSprint. Day 1. Highlights. 2.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 It's Academic. (R) Students compete against other schools to win cash and prizes. Hosted by Simon Reeve. 5.00 House Of Wellness. (PG, R) A look at locations that highlight living well.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News Saturday. 7.00 Election 2022: Australia Decides - Vote Count. An analysis of the results as counting begins. 8.00 Election 2022: Australia Decides - Election Night Live. The news team and the Election 2022 panel for up to the minute results. 10.00 Election 2022: Australia Decides - Analysis. The news team and the expert Election 2022 panel provide a full analysis of the election night results. 11.00 MOVIE: Truth. (2015, M) Journalists get incriminating documents on George W. Bush. Cate Blanchett, Robert Redford. 1.30 The Rebound. (PG, R) 2.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 Global Shop. (R) 5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 5.30 Wesley Impact With Stu Cameron. (PG)</p>	<p>6.00 10 News First: Your Decision. The 10 News team provides rolling coverage of the 2022 federal election as the results of the polls unfold. 11.00 To Be Advised. 12.00 Ambulance Australia. (Mad, R) It is the day of Sydney's popular City to Surf and paramedics Gina and Biffie are assigned to Bondi for the day to attend to the entrants who require medical treatment for running injuries and exhaustion. 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 5.00 Hour Of Power. Religious program.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.10pm Shaun The Sheep. 7.20 Bluey. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Australian Women In Music Awards. An awards ceremony celebrating women in music. 9.30 Sammy J. 9.35 The Stand Up Sketch Show. 10.20 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 10.45 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. (Final) 11.25 Gavin & Stacey. 11.55 Schitt's Creek. 12.20am Archer. 12.40 The Young Offenders. 1.15 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Forged In Fire. 2.15 Letters And Numbers. 2.45 Over The Black Dot. 3.15 Yokayi Footy. 4.10 WorldWatch. 5.40 Insight. 6.40 Dog Tales. 7.40 Underground Worlds. 8.35 Video Killed The Radio Star. 9.35 Devoured. (Final) 10.25 Escorts. 11.20 Sorry For Your Loss. 12.30am The Looming Tower. 1.25 South Park. 1.55 Stacey Dooley Sleeps Over. 2.45 France 24 English News. 3.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 8.30 Travel Oz. 10.00 Three Wide No Cover. 11.00 House Of Wellness. Noon Horse Racing. From Morphettville, Flemington and Rosehill. 5.00 Motorway Patrol. 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 Coastal Railways With Julie Walters. 12.30am The Fine Art Auction. 3.30 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs. 8.30 TV Shop. 10.00 My Favorite Martian. 10.30 The Baron. 11.40 Seaway. 12.45pm MOVIE: The Oracle. (1953) 2.30 MOVIE: The Amorous Prawn. (1962) 4.20 MOVIE: Paint Your Wagon. (1969, PG) 7.30 Rugby Union. Super Rugby Pacific. Round 14. ACT Brumbies v Blues. 9.45 Super Rugby Pacific Post-Match. 10.00 MOVIE: In The Heart Of The Sea. (2015, M) 12.25am Late Programs.</p>	<p>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 The Big Bang Theory. 1.00 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 Charmed. 4.30 Home Shopping.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1pm Hockey. WA Men's Premier Division. 2.30 Hockey. WA Women's Premier Division. 4.00</p>				

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ABC TV (22) 6.00 Weekend Breakfast. 9.00 Insiders. 10.30 Offsiders. 11.00 Compass. (PG, R) 11.30 Songs Of Praise. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 12.30 Landline. 1.30 Gardening Australia. (R) 2.30 The Great Acceleration. (PG, R) 3.30 Further Back In Time For Dinner. (Final, PG, R) 4.30 Tomorrow Tonight. (Final, PG, R) 5.00 Art Works. (R) 5.30 Antiques Roadshow.	SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 7.00 Giro d'Italia. Stage 14. H'lights. 8.00 WorldWatch. 10.30 Deutsche Welle German News. 11.00 WorldWatch. 12.00 Arabic News France 24. 12.30 WorldWatch. 1.00 Speedweek. 3.00 Countdown To Qatar 2022. 3.30 UCI Europe Tour. Tour of Hungary. H'lights. 4.30 Giro d'Italia. Stage 14. H'lights. 5.30 The Untold Story Of Australian Wrestling. (R) 5.40 Nazi Megastructures: Russian War. (PGa, R)	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 Motorbike Cops. (PG, R) 1.15 Highway Cops. (PGI, R) 1.45 MOVIE: Divine Secrets Of The Ya-Ya Sisterhood. (2002, PGal, R) Sandra Bullock, Ashley Judd, Ellen Burstyn. 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.00 Seven News At 5. 5.30 Weekender.	NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Easy Eats. 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Sports Sunday. (PG) 11.00 NRL Sunday Footy Show. (PG) 1.00 Drive TV. Hosted by James Ward. 1.30 LEGO Masters. (PG, R) Presented by Hamish Blake. 3.00 Rugby League. NRL. Round 11. Gold Coast Titans v Cronulla Sharks.	TEN (5, 1) 6.00 Mass. 6.30 Turning Point With David Jeremiah. (PGa) 7.00 Leading The Way. (PGa, R) 7.30 Tomorrow's World. (PGa) 8.00 Freshly Picked. (R) 8.30 Living Room. (R) 9.30 St!O. (PG) 12.00 My Market Kitchen. (R) 12.30 Everyday Gourmet. (R) 1.00 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 1.30 Soccer. A-League Men. Semi-final. Second leg. 4.30 Taste Of Australia With Hayden Quinn. (R) 5.00 10 News First.
6.30 Compass: A Friend In Death. (PG, R) 7.00 ABC News Sunday. 7.40 Grand Designs: South Lakeland. (PG) A young Cumbrian couple tackle a building project. 8.30 Barons. (Mdlsv) Dani struggles to get a loan to open her own surf shop and is confronted when a secret lover shows up in town. 9.25 Life. (Mdl) Gail returns with a new stance on life. 10.25 Harrow. (Mav, R) 11.20 Agatha Raisin. (PG, R) 12.10 Miniseries: Dark Money. (Final, Malv, R) 1.10 Poldark. (PG, R) 2.10 Rage. (MA15+adhlsv) 3.40 Tenable. 4.30 Insiders. (R)	6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Viking Empires. (Premiere, PG) Through new discoveries in science and archaeology, historians chart the origins of the Vikings. 9.30 Blitz Spirit With Lucy Worsley. (PGav, R) Lucy Worsley explores the lives of six real people who lived, worked and volunteered during the Blitz, in the process shining a light on the important role of frontline workers and volunteers. 11.10 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 15. 1.30 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. (Mls, R) 2.25 Gourmet Farmer. (R) 4.55 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 5.00 WorldWatch.	6.00 Seven News. 7.00 The Voice. (PG) The semi-finalists fight for a spot in the Grand Final. 9.00 7NEWS Spotlight. (M) Takes a look at an investigation. 10.00 Granny Killer: The Unsolved Murders. (Mav, R) Takes a look at John Wayne Glover. 11.45 The Blacklist. (Madv) The task force pursues a doctor. 12.45 Motor Racing. Supercars Championship. Round 5. Winton SuperSprint. Day 2. Highlights. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Million Dollar Minute. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.	6.00 Nine News Sunday. 7.00 Celebrity Apprentice Australia. (Return, PGI) 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 The First 48: In A Lonely Place. (M) 11.10 5 Mistakes That Caught A Killer: Roy Whiting. (MA15+, R) 12.00 Unspeakable Crime: The Killing Of Jessica Chambers. (Mav) 1.00 Drive TV. (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.	6.30 The Sunday Project. Joins panellists for a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. 7.30 MasterChef Australia. A group of 12 amateur cooks and 12 popular past contestants compete to impress judges Andy Allen, Melissa Leong and Jock Zonfrillo to claim the title of Australia's next MasterChef. 9.00 FBI. (Mv) 11.00 The Sunday Project. (R) Joins panellists for a look at the day's news, events and hot topics. 12.00 Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 4.30 CBS Mornings. Morning news and talk show, covering breaking news, politics, health, money, lifestyle and pop culture with Gayle King, Tony Dokoupil and Nate Burleson.
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: Louis And The Nazis. 9.35 The Family Court Murders. 10.35 Days Like These With Diesel. 11.30 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 12.20am MOVIE: Strictly Ballroom. (1992, PG) 1.50 ABC News Update. 1.55 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Peg + Cat. 5.25 Late Programs.	SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. Noon Forged In Fire. 1.30 Letters And Numbers. 2.00 North To South: The Full Journey. 4.20 WorldWatch. 4.50 Insight. 5.50 India With Guy Martin. 6.45 In Search Of... 7.30 Loot - Blood Treasure. 9.10 Fear The Walking Dead. 10.50 My Secret Sexual Fantasy. 11.40 Vogue Williams: Wild Girls. 12.40am MOVIE: Custody. (2017, M) 2.20 France 24 English News. 3.00 Late Programs.	7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 House Of Wellness. 11.00 NBC Today. Noon The Yorkshire Vet. 2.00 The Bowls Show. 3.00 South Aussie With Cosi. 3.30 The Great Australian Doorstep. 4.00 Escape To The Country. 6.00 Border Patrol. 7.30 Border Security. 8.30 Railroad Australia. 9.30 Chris Tarrant's Extreme Railway Journeys. 10.30 Inside Kings Cross: The Railway. 11.30 Late Programs.	9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs. 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 My Favorite Martian. 1.30 World's Greatest Islands. 2.35 MOVIE: Whiskey Galore! (1949) 4.20 MOVIE: Barefoot In The Park. (1967, PG) 6.30 French Open Tennis Pre-Show. 7.00 Tennis. French Open. Day 1. Midnight Late Programs.	10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am NBL Slam. 6.30 The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Neighbours. 10.30 The Middle. Noon The Unicorn. 2.00 MasterChef Australia. 4.00 Friends. 6.00 The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Friends. Midnight Home Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Home Shopping. 1.30 MOVIE: Hairspray. (2007, PG) 3.40 Mom. 4.30 Home Shopping.
NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 2.15pm Motor Racing. W Series. H'lights. 2.45 Rugby League. NRL NT. First Grade Men's Premiership League. 4.15 Rugby League. NRL. WA Womens Premiership League. 5.45 Gaelic Football. Ladies Association. H'lights. 5.55 Power To The People. 6.25 News. 6.35 Yellowstone. 7.40 Ice Cowboys. 8.30 Australia Uncovered: Incarceration Nation. 10.00 Late Programs.	SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am The Crossing. Continued. (2020, PG, Norwegian) 6.50 The Hollars. (2016, M) 8.25 Song For Marion. (2012, PG) 10.10 Kundun. (1997, PG) 12.35pm Promise At Dawn. (2017, M, French) 3.00 Bugsy Malone. (1976, PG) 4.40 Growing Up Smith. (2015, PG) 6.35 Woman At War. (2018, M, Icelandic) 8.30 Freeheld. (2015, M) 10.25 Little White Lies. (2010, MA15+, French) 1.10am Late Programs.	7MATE (74) 6am Morning		

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<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Landline. (R) 11.00 Antiques Roadshow. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Victoria. (Final, PG, R) 1.45 Poldark. (PG, R) 3.00 Grand Designs Australia. (R) 3.50 Long Lost Family UK. (PG) 4.40 Tenable. 5.25 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 7.00 Giro d'Italia.. H'lights. 8.00 Doordarshan India Prime Time News English. 8.30 RTE News 9 O'Clock. 9.00 Make Me A Dealer. (PG) 9.55 Paddington Station 24/7. (PG) 10.50 Legacy List. (PG) 12.00 BBC Weekend News. 12.30 WorldWatch. 2.00 Country Music. (PG, R) 3.00 Going Places. (R) 3.35 The Cook Up. (PG) 4.05 Jeopardy! 4.30 Letters And Numbers. (R) 5.00 Giro d'Italia. H'lights.</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Nowhere To Be Found. (2019, Mav) 2.00 Criminal Confessions: Waterloo. (Mlv, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 Celebrity Apprentice Australia. (PGI, R) 1.45 Explore. (R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.</p>	<p>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) 1.00 MasterChef Australia. (R) 2.30 Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 My Market Kitchen. 4.00 Good Chef Bad Chef. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PGa) 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 The Drum. 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) Paul Barry takes a look at the latest issues affecting media consumers. 9.35 Language And Me. (R) Explores Indigenous languages. 10.05 ABC Late News. Detailed coverage of the day's events. 10.20 The Business. (R) 10.35 Q+A. (R) 11.40 Keeping Faith. (Mal, R) 12.40 Poldark. (Ma, R) 1.40 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 3.40 Tenable. 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p>	<p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG) Presented by Marc Fennell. 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Saving Lives At Sea. (PG) Part 3 of 4. 8.35 24 Hours In Emergency: A Love Without End. (M) A 75-year-old is suffers a stroke. An 80-year-old arrives in A&E with a head injury after falling off a bike. 9.30 The Assassination Of JFK: Ten Mistakes. (Mav, R) Takes a look at the errors that led to the assassination of President John F Kennedy. 10.25 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Medici: The Magnificent Part II. (Return, MA15+v) Lorenzo is consumed by thoughts of revenge. 3.00 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (R) 5.00 NHK Newsroom Tokyo. 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away. (PG) 7.30 Big Brother. (PG) Big Brother royalty, including former contestants, winners and runner-ups, join some fresh new faces. 9.00 9-1-1. (M) Athena investigates a robbery at a petrol station. Bobby and the 126 race to rescue a novice diver who panicked while in a shark cage. Eddie reaches his breaking point. 11.00 The Latest: Seven News. 11.30 The Resident. (Ma) Bell confronts the medical board. 12.30 A Confession. (Madl, R) The police identify a potential suspect. 1.30 Harry's Practice. (R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Celebrity Apprentice Australia. (PGI) A group of 16 celebrities battles it out. 9.00 Million Dollar Murders: Amanda's Fight. (Premiere, Ma) In the 1990s, St Kilda was a dangerous place, and sex workers, including Amanda Byrnes, were brutally murdered. 10.10 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. 10.40 100% Footy. (M) Features the latest rugby league news. 11.40 Manifest. (Mav) 12.30 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.</p>	<p>6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news. 7.30 MasterChef Australia. A group of 12 amateur cooks and 12 popular past contestants compete to impress the judges. 8.30 Have You Been Paying Attention? (Malns) Sam Pang and Ed Kavalee are joined by Aaron Chen, Kitty Flanagan and Ann Edmonds to compete to see who can remember the most about events of the week. Hosted by Tom Gleisner. 9.30 FBI: Most Wanted. (Mv) The team searches for a murderer who is recreating the killings of a notorious 1980s mobster. 11.30 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news. 12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Hosted by Stephen Colbert. 1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 2.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 3.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.10pm Grace's Amazing Machines. 7.30 Earth's Tropical Islands. 8.30 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 9.20 Restoration Australia. 10.20 Employable Me Australia. 11.20 QI. 11.50 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 12.15am Parks And Recreation. 1.00 Defending The Guilty. 1.25 Long Lost Family. 2.20 ABC News Update. 2.25 Close. 5.00 Hoot Hot Go! 5.05 Sarah & Duck. 5.15 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 9.30 Shortland St. 11.00 Difficult People. Noon My Extreme Life. 12.50 Forged In Fire. 3.15 Dead Set On Life. 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 Question Team. 9.25 Taskmaster. 10.20 In My Own World. 11.10 Naked. Midnight Fear The Walking Dead. 2.40 Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Life Off Road. 7.00 The Bowls Show. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. 10.30 Better Homes And Gardens. Noon Gold Digger. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. 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.</p>	<p>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 Antiques Roadshow. 3.20 MOVIE: Piccadilly Incident. (1946) 5.30 Antiques Roadshow. 6.30 French Open Tennis Pre-Show. 7.00 Tennis. French Open. Day 2. Midnight Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Unicorn. 8.00 Friends. 10.00 The Middle. 11.30 Friends. 1pm Charmed. 2.00 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 Home Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 2.30 James Corden. 3.30 King Of Queens. 4.30 Shopping.</p>
<p>NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Power To The People. 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 Cooking Hawaiian Style. 3.00 Jarjums. 4.35 Molly Of Denali. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 APTN National News. 6.00 Bamay. 6.40 News. 6.50 Arctic Secrets. 7.40 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman. 8.30 Living Black. 9.00 African American: Many Rivers To Cross. 10.00 Mr Mercedes. 11.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Max Richter's Sleep. Continued. (2019, PG) 6.55 Woman At War. (2018, M, Icelandic) 8.50 The Crossing. (2020, PG, Norwegian) 10.35 Song Lang. (2018, M, Vietnamese) 12.30pm The Good Girls. (2018, M, Spanish) 2.25 The Hollars. (2016, M) 4.05 Song For Marion. (2012, PG) 5.50 Delfin. (2019, PG, Spanish) 7.30 The Girl In The Fog. (2017, M, Italian) 9.50 The Realm. (2018, M, Spanish) 12.15am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs. 1pm Harbour Cops. 2.00 Down East Dicking. 3.00 Austrn Off Road C'ship. Pooncarie Desert Dash. 3.30 Supercars C'ship. Winton SuperSprint. H'lights. 4.30 Supercars C'ship. Winton SuperSprint. H'lights. 5.30 Storage Wars: TX. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 American Pickers. 8.30 MOVIE: The Dirty Dozen. (1967, M) 11.50 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Six Million Dollar Man. 1.00 The A-Team. 2.00 SeaQuest DSV. 3.00 Social Fabric. 3.30 Raymond. 5.30 The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show. 7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 RBT. 8.30 MOVIE: Fast & Furious 6. (2013, M) 11.05 Young Sheldon. 11.30 Raymond. Midnight 90 Day Fiance. 1.00 Made In Chelsea. 2.00 Summer House. 2.50 Late Programs.</p>	<p>10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 Soccer. A-League Men. Semi-final. Second leg. Replay. 10.30 Bondi Rescue. 11.00 Cheers. 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. 10.20 A-League Highlights Show. 11.20 Late Programs.</p>



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<p>ABC TV (2) 6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Foreign Correspondent. (R) 10.30 Courtney Act's One Plus One. (R) 11.00 Grand Designs. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 The Upside. (PG, R) 2.00 Poldark. (Ma, R) 3.00 Grand Designs Australia. (R) 3.55 Long Lost Family UK. (PG) 4.40 Tenable. 5.30 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)</p>	<p>SBS (3) 6.00 WorldWatch. 8.00 Doordarshan India Prime Time News English. 8.30 RTE News 9 O'Clock. 9.00 Make Me A Dealer. (PG) 9.55 Paddington Station 24/7. (PG) 10.50 Legacy List. (PG) 12.00 BBC News At Ten. 12.30 WorldWatch. 2.00 Country Music. (PG, R) 3.00 Living Black. (R) 3.35 The Cook Up. (PG) 4.05 Who Do You Think You Are? (PGa, R) 5.05 Jeopardy! 5.30 Letters And Numbers. (R)</p>	<p>SEVEN (7) 6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: The Wrong Woman. (2013, Mv, R) 2.00 Police: Hour Of Duty. (Malv, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.</p>	<p>NINE (8, 9) 6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 Celebrity Apprentice Australia. (PGI, R) 1.30 Outback & Under. (PGI, R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.</p>	<p>TEN (5, 1) 6.00 The Talk. (PGa) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PGa, R) 8.00 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (Mad) 1.00 MasterChef Australia. (R) 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. (PGa) 5.00 10 News First.</p>
<p>6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. 8.00 Space 22. (PGa) Hosted by Natalie Bassingthwaight. 8.30 The Family Court Murders: Outwitted. (Ma) Part 3 of 4. 9.30 Louis Theroux's Forbidden America: Porn's MeToo. (Final, MA15+as, R) Louis Theroux explores #MeToo in the porn industry. 10.30 ABC Late News. 10.45 The Business. (R) 11.05 Four Corners. (R) 11.50 Media Watch. (PG, R) 12.05 Poldark. (PGa, R) 1.05 Classic Countdown. (R) 2.05 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 3.40 Tenable. 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)</p>	<p>6.00 Mastermind Australia. (PG) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great British Railway Journeys: Rye To Dungeness. (PG) Presented by Michael Portillo. 8.30 Insight. Kumi Taguchi is joined by a panel to take a look at what effect an inheritance has on family relationships. 9.30 Dateline. A look at survivors of wartime sexual slavery. 10.00 The Feed. 10.30 SBS World News Late. 11.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. Giro d'Italia. Stage 16. 1.30 Miniseries: Deadwater Fell. (Madlsv, R) 3.20 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. (PGaw, R) 4.50 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK Newsroom Tokyo. 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.</p>	<p>6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Home And Away. (PG) 7.30 Big Brother. (PG) Hosted by Sonia Kruger. 9.00 The Good Doctor. (Ma) Dr Murphy and Dr Park grapple with a life-and-death choice, deciding between saving one patient over another. 10.00 The Rookie. (Mav) A distraught man holds a hospital hostage. 11.00 The Latest: Seven News. 11.30 The Resident. (Ma) 12.30 Black-ish. (PG, R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 NBC Today. 5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.</p>	<p>6.00 Nine News. 7.00 A Current Affair. 7.30 Celebrity Apprentice Australia. (PGI) A group of 16 celebrities battles it out. 9.10 Matt Wright's Wild Territory: Trouble In Paradise. (M) A sightseeing boat is stalked by an aggressive monster crocodile. An emergency phone call turns Matt's day upside-down. 10.10 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events. 10.40 Law & Order: Organized Crime. (Madv) 11.35 Murdered By Morning. (Mav, R) 12.25 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.15 Explore. (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.</p>	<p>6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news. 7.30 MasterChef Australia. Amateur cooks return to compete once more. 8.30 The Cheap Seats. (Mal) Presenters Melanie Bracewell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was. 9.30 NCIS. (Final, Mv) When Agent Parker is framed for murder, the team puts their jobs and lives on the line to buy time to uncover the truth. 10.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. (Mv) Two men are blown up by their own explosives. 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.</p>
<p>ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.10pm Grace's Amazing Machines. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Would I Lie To You? 8.30 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 8.55 QI. 9.25 Gavin & Stacey. 9.55 Schitt's Creek. 10.20 The Office. 10.50 Black Books. 11.15 Bounty Hunters. 11.40 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 12.05am Parks And Recreation. 12.45 Defending The Guilty. 1.15 Long Lost Family. 2.10 Late Programs.</p>	<p>SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 9.30 Shortland St. 11.00 Difficult People. Noon Forged In Fire. 2.30 Hear Me Out. 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 Big Fat Quiz Of Everything. 10.20 Stacey Dooley: Whale Wars. 11.10 See What You Made Me Do. 12.05am Late Programs.</p>	<p>7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Honour. 2.00 Creek To Coast. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Inside The Crown: Secrets Of The Royals. 5.30 Escape To The Country. 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Rosemary & Thyme. 8.30 Foyle's War. 10.40 Cold Case. 12.45am World's Deadliest Weather: Caught On Camera. 2.00 Late Programs.</p>	<p>9GEM (81, 92) 6am Morning Programs. 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 Garden Gurus Moments. 2.55 Antiques Roadshow. 3.25 MOVIE: The Playboy Of The Western World. (1963, PG) 5.30 Antiques Roadshow. 6.30 French Open Tennis Pre-Show. 7.00 Tennis. French Open. Day 3. Midnight Late Programs.</p>	<p>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.</p>
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Thursday, May 26

Friday, 20 May, 2022 **TODAY 19**

On Demand

PERFECT MATCH



It's a date:
David and Abbey
in *Love on the Spectrum US*.

LOVE ON THE SPECTRUM US
Streaming, Netflix

NETFLIX

A breakout hit during the pandemic in the US, endearing Australian reality series *Love on the Spectrum* struck a chord with viewers who have had enough of scantily clad contestants, sex and scandal in their dating shows. Now, the surprise success has a localised version, which follows a group of young Americans living on the autism spectrum, on the lookout for love, and the unique challenges they face.

Warm-hearted, wholesome and insightful, the docuseries lets its subjects speak for themselves. The participants make it clear: no matter whether you're on the spectrum or not, everyone is different, and dating and relationships can be difficult at the best of times.

As with any reality program, casting is key. Original series creator Cian O'Clery also helms this iteration and clearly understands the importance of a charming, colourful and diverse group taking part. The cleverly cast crew includes Subodh, who exclaims he "hasn't

dated in 33 years", 26-year-old animation expert Dani, animal lover Abbey, 23, anxiety-prone James, 34, and blogger Kaelynn, 24.

There's also a new aspect to this adaptation – the group includes Steve, a 63-year-old man who has only recently been diagnosed as being on the autism spectrum. His search for a "lovely lady" to share his life with is a touching addition.

And so, with the help of autism expert Jennifer Cook, the cast embark on an exciting new chapter of their lives – seeing them make connections and find new facets of themselves along the way is an absolute joy.



THE ESSEX SERPENT
Streaming, Apple TV+

Apple TV+

A surprising bond forms between scientifically minded widow Cora Seaborne (Claire Danes, pictured) and a pastor Will (Tom Hiddleston) in this Victorian-era series based on Sarah Perry's 2016 bestseller. When Cora moves to Essex to investigate reports of a mythical serpent terrorising locals, her presence inspires ideological debate, fear and collective paranoia.



THE TIME TRAVELER'S WIFE
Streaming, Bing

BINGE

Former *Doctor Who* showrunner Steven Moffat turns his time-travel expertise to this 10-episode adaptation of Audrey Niffenegger's romance novel, starring Theo James and Rose Leslie (both pictured). As time-traveller Henry, and Clare, the woman who's known him all her life, they're about to embark on a marriage with complications unlike any other.



HACKS
Streaming, Stan

Stan

With three Emmy Awards, a Golden Globe and no shortage of accolades after its outstanding first season, it's no surprise that legendary stand-up Deborah Vance (Jean Smart) and writer Ava (Hannah Einbinder, pictured, right, with Smart) are back for an encore. In the hit comedy's second instalment, they're taking the show on the road for a national tour.



AUSTRALIAN SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIPS
Streaming, Prime Video

prime video

After a history-making performance in Tokyo, the nation's elite swimmers dive back into the pool in Adelaide. The action is live each day until Sunday, with heats from 9.30am (AEST) and finals from 7pm (AEST). Annabelle Williams, Grant Hackett, Giaan Rooney, Nicole Livingstone and Matt White (pictured, from left) lead the commentary team.



LEGENDARY
Streaming, from Friday,
Foxtel On Demand

FOXTEL

An explosion of colour, dance, fashion and art, the third season of this voguing competition kicks off with a triple-episode premiere when Keke Palmer (pictured) joins the judging panel. With a \$100,000 prize on the line, 10 new houses showcase the best of ballroom to come out on top.



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A buoyant market

By Australian Wool Network

The Australian wool market has recorded another overall increase this series, again driven by strong demand for good/best style, low vegetable matter (less than 1.5 per cent vm) merino fleece types.

There were 40,153 bales offered nationally, 8,599 fewer bales than last week.

Auction numbers continue to climb well above the previous season.

There have been 1,556,460 bales offered so far this

year, 151,128 more than the 2020/21 season, an increase of 10.8 per cent.

Despite reporting ongoing concerns about shipment difficulties,

buyer sentiment was very positive from the outset, continuing unabated until a final lot of the series.

As mentioned earlier it was strong demand for good style, low vm merino fleece types that were the driving factor in the increases in the individual Micron Price

Guides (MPGs).

Across the country, the merino fleece MPGs rose by between 7 and 57 cents.

These increases combined with rises in the skirting, crossbred and oddment sectors pushed the AWEX Eastern Market Indicator (EMI) up by 24 cents for the series, the EMI closed the week at 1,401 cents.

This 24 cent lift was the largest weekly rise in the EMI since the beginning of February

when the EMI gained 42 cents for the week.

The EMI is 82 cents higher than the same time last year, this represents an increase of 6.2 per cent over this period.

As the EMI has consistently tracked above the levels of last year, combined with the increased auction throughput, the total dollar amount sold at auction for this season is well above the corresponding sale of last year.

Year to date there has been \$2,1723.23 million worth of wool sold at auction, compared to \$1,765.90 million in the 2020/21 season, an increase of \$406.33 million.

Next week the national offering increases, 42,779 bales are currently expected to be offered in Sydney, Melbourne and Fremantle.

Security tick

By National Farmers' Federation

National Farmers' Federation President Fiona Simson has welcomed positive additional commitments by Labor in its Agriculture and Regional Communities Statement released today.

"The NFF is particularly pleased by a commitment to 'deliver long-term, sustainable funding' to strengthen Australia's biosecurity system.

"It comes at a time when cattle producers are staring down outbreaks of foot and mouth disease and lumpy skin disease in Indonesia and their potential to infiltrate our borders.

"Biosecurity underpins the ongoing success of Australian agriculture.

"It's crucial to safeguarding our natural environment; protecting livestock and crop health, and maintaining and growing market access.

"The NFF has long called for funding in perpetuity for biosecurity and while we welcome Labor's statement today, we are yet to see the detail on how this will be implemented.

"Biosecurity is a national task. It needs the support, knowledge, and action from community, industry, science, and all levels of government; we simply cannot afford anything less than a comprehensive model." Ms Simson also cautiously commended Labor's commitment to considering the NFF's Regional Development Precincts proposal: a real plan for a more vibrant and more equitable regional Australia. "Our regions are being left in the dust when it comes to infrastructure and development and as a result, rural Australians face many inequities in their access to fundamentals such as health, education, telecommunications, and housing.

"The NFF's Regional Development Precincts proposal lays down a clear plan to support: industry and job creation, improved essential services and amenities, and the development of key infrastructure.

"The plan requires an industry and all of Government effort and we're delighted that an Albanese Government would work with the NFF to progress this vision." Ms Simson acknowledged Labor's new concept of an Agri Tech Hub to explore peri-urban agriculture and a commitment to improving existing regulations in pursuit of more accurate food labelling.

"We acknowledge Labor has publicly recognised the need for supporting the demonstration of sustainable agriculture, especially to export markets, but we remain concerned this has yet to appear in policy documents."

Ms Simson said the NFF continued to be dismayed at Labor's tin ear on agriculture's workforce crisis and its failure to support a genuine Ag Visa.

"Labor's snubbing of the Ag Visa is effectively putting the handbrake on agriculture's growth and that of regional Australia.

"We also remain concerned at Labor's notion to end live sheep exports. It is the NFF's strong hope, that if elected, a Labor Federal Government would see for itself the industry's transformational changes and its consequential bright future."



Bellyache Bush Flower Fruit.



Bellyache Bush.



Rubber vine plant.

Bellyache bush, rubber vine pest plants

By Anna-Marie Moffat; Central West Pest Management Group

Bellyache bush was imported into Australia from tropical America in the late 1800s and was naturalised in Queensland in 1912.

The fruit found on this plant is both poisonous to humans and animals, there have been stock deaths reported because of this plant.

The fruit is spread by birds, water, livestock, machinery, and when taken to grow as an ornamental plant.

Rubber vine is found in the jungles of Madagascar.

Rubber vine made its way into Australia as early as 1875 to be used as an ornamental plant.

Because of Queensland's North Temperate Zone, rubber vine quickly spreads and invades waterways, forests, and grazing areas.

Even though it is rarely eaten by stock, it is still poisonous to stock; mostly eaten when stock is stressed or feed is scarce.

Control of these invasive plants, like prickly acacia, parkinsonia, and mesquite, includes but is not limited to mechanical, herbicide, biological and physical control.



Rubber vine flower.

Analysis enhancements and revised database for flocks

By Meat and Livestock Australia

Meat & Livestock Australia's (MLA) Sheep Genetics program continually strives to provide world leading genetic evaluations for Australia's sheep and goat producers.

Every year, Sheep Genetics make updates to the genetic evaluation to ensure that the service remains world-leading and results in the greatest possible genetic progress for producers.

Sheep Genetics has implemented its analysis enhancements for 2022.

These enhancements include a range of technical updates to the analysis centred around two key themes:

More accurate decisions through improved analysis and calculation of Australian Sheep

Breeding Values (ASBVs) and updated selection indexes

Ensuring the long-term efficiencies of genetic evaluations

As part of this year's analysis enhancements, MLA has launched the redeveloped Sheep Genetics database.

The database contains valuable information on pedigree, on-farm, and research data that is used to generate ASBVs from the LAMBPLAN, MERINOSELECT, KIDPLAN, and DOHNE evaluations.

According to Michael Crowley, General Manager of Research, Development, and Adoption at MLA, the analysis enhancements and revised Sheep Genetic databases are an integral part of delivering breeding values to the industry.

"Following increased rates of genotyping and more flocks submitting data to Sheep Genetics than ever before, the need to update one of the industry's key databases was important.

"There are over 1000 flocks submitting data and interacting directly with the Sheep Genetics database systems. There has also been a dramatic increase in the number of genotypes with the MERINOSELECT evaluation alone including 200,000 genotypes in every fortnightly evaluation," Mr Crowley said.

This year's enhancements and in particular the database redevelopment have been ranked as a high priority by the Sheep Genetics Advisory and Technical Committees.

The goal is to ensure that these developments will meet the needs of the industry in the future.

"The evolution of database technology, the growing number of animals with ASBVs, and the growth of genomic information were key reasons for undertaking these analysis enhancements.

"These factors along with creating a system that is more serviceable with increased flexibility are essential in the delivery of these genetic tools to the industry," Mr Crowley said.

"The new database and enhancements will allow us to develop new genetic products for commercial breeders, as well as provide easier access to the latest ASBVs.

"It also allows for integration with other industry and commercial data which benefits industry, and the utilisation and flexibility of data capture means that there are more datasets available for a greater variety of needs."

Out and About



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- 14: The Barbelers date night.
- 15: Justin and Kylie Washington having a day out of the house.
- 16: Lyle Major, Cassis Gallagher, Angus Stewart, and Kadee O'Dell rooting for the South Outback team.
- 17: Dinner for Gail and Tony Wills going away party. They have been in Longreach since 1972 and are retiring for Rockhampton.
- 18: Girl's night out, Chloe Marter and Shae King.
- 19: The Creevey's at the Barcaldine Showgrounds.
- 20: The Ferrels enjoying a night out.
- 21: The Llewelyn's having a family dinner.
- 22: Players' player Ella Hanson and referee Mick Hanson.

Gardening



Bougainvillea Limberlost Beauty.



Bougainvillea Raspberry Ice growing in Blackall.



Bougainvillea Klong Fire growing in Barcaldine.



Bougainvillea Snow Cap.

Bougainvillea beauty

By Neil Fisher

No matter if you drive north, south, or east of Longreach at the moment, you will no doubt notice one of the best-loved, longest flowering plants that are best suited to our region, that flowers from late Winter /early Spring through Summer to Autumn.

The bougainvillea grows in the Amazon rainforest in South America, in countries like Brazil, Bolivia, Peru, Ecuador, Colombia, and Venezuela.

These South American shrubs, often climbers, have gaudy large bracts that almost hide the tiny white flowers.

The colourful displays produced by Bougainvilleas are not by the flowers, but by the bracts that surround the flowers, which are small or non-existent in most flowers.

These colourful bracts, developed over thousands of years, attract bees and butterflies to the tiny flowers, after which pollination results.

Over the last few months with my own travels, I could not help but notice the beautiful floral displays in some of our neighbouring towns—like the entrance of Alpha and many roadside displays in other towns like Barcaldine and Winton.

That are just a mass of Bougainvillea colour at the moment; the colour displays must also help in town's tourist attraction.

This is particularly obvious when you see the large numbers of tourists that visit South Bank Gardens in Brisbane, and the award-winning Arbour which is made up of over 400 shaped steel columns, each covered with a train of vibrant magenta Bougainvillea plants.

So this week I would like to highlight some of the spectacular and super tough Bougainvilleas that could be grown in Western Queensland.

All of the following I have used with success.

No list of super-tough Bougainvilleas would be complete without Bougainvillea Mrs Butt.

Bougainvillea Mrs Butt was the world's very first hybrid Bougainvillea.

This deep crimson Bougainvillea first occurred in the Mediterranean garden of Mrs. R.V. Butt.

Originally Bougainvillea Mrs Butt was thought to be a distinct species and was named Bougainvillea buttiana though it is now believed to have been a natural hybrid of Bougainvillea glabra and Bougainvillea peruviana.

Bougainvillea California Gold is one of the best-performing yellow-flowering bougainvillea varieties.

It begins blooming at an early age and produces warm yellow bracts on and off through the year.

Prune after flowering to promote fresh new growth and continuous blooms.

Bougainvillea glabra is an evergreen vigorous climbing shrub with thorny stems.

This Bougainvillea has been grown in central Queensland for almost a century.

Bougainvillea glabra produces clusters surrounded by colourful papery bracts of purple or magenta during the warmer months of the year.

Bougainvillea glabra will also make a very hardy hedge.



Bougainvillea Southbank Arbour.



Bougainvillea Mrs Butt Taroom



Bougainvillea California Gold.



Bougainvillea Thai Gold growing in Longreach.



Bougainvillea Tango Winton



Bougainvillea glabra growing in Tambo.



Bougainvillea Pogoda Pink, Blackall.

Bougainvillea Raspberry Ice has a profusion of magenta-red blooms that contrast strikingly with variegated green and white foliage.

The flowers remain colourful for weeks and bloom almost all year long.

Though not a great climber, the Raspberry Ice is perfect for a garden feature, pot, or a hanging basket.

Bougainvillea Snowcap is a vigorous evergreen climber with large deep green leaves.

That produces a mass display of showy clusters of single, bi-coloured white and pink papery bracts over a long period each year.

Bougainvillea Snowcap thrives in a warm and sunny position with well-drained soil.

Bougainvillea Tango is a vigorous, cascading, and dense plant that produces young bracts that are orange, opening to clear orange and fading to light pink, giving a multi-coloured look.

It has a recurring flowering habit and has medium to strong thorns.

Bougainvillea Double Flowering Hybrids are one of the most popular and desirable of

the Bougainvilleas cultivators.

They produce large heads of double bracts in recurring flushes and can be kept small.

These include Limberlost Beauty, Klong Fire, Pagoda Pink, and Thai Gold.

Did you know

The colourful displays produced by Bougainvilleas are not by the flowers, but by the bracts that surround the flowers, which are small or non-existent in most flowers.

These colourful bracts, developed over thousands of years, attract bees and butterflies to the tiny flowers, after which pollination results.

Important note

The bougainvillea root system is extremely fragile.

The plant doesn't like to be moved. Take extra caution when removing the plant from the pot before placing it in the ground.

Growing the best

One of the most common problems with Bougainvilleas is many gardeners kill Bougainvilleas with kindness.

Plants were grown in rich soil that is over-watered and over-fertilised.

Bougainvilleas grown in these positions tend to produce many leaves but very few colourful bracts.

I remember once being told by one of the early champion gardeners that his secret to prize-winning gardens, of which Bougainvilleas were a feature, was not to water his Bougainvilleas until their leaves had drooped for at least a day.

He was well known for wanting to know the exact day the judges would visit his garden so that he could time his watering to extract the best flowering display. Bougainvilleas are virtually pest and disease-free, and I would suggest removing the long water shoots to keep the shrub or climber to the densest possible shape.

Did you know

Bougainvillea was named after the French navigator, Louis de Bougainvillea, who discovered the vine that now bears his name, it was a botanical highlight of the voyage to Brazil in 1768.



Discretionary Food

Healthy Sausage Rolls

Serves: 12

Prep time: 15 minutes

Cook time: 20-30 minutes

½ serve per portion

Ingredients:

- 1 small carrot, grated
- ¼ butternut pumpkin, peeled and grated
- 1 small zucchini, grated
- ½ small brown onion, finely diced
- 3 cloves garlic, crushed
- ½ cup walnuts, finely chopped
- 500g lean beef mince
- Cracked pepper, to taste
- 2 tablespoons Italian herbs
- 3 sheets puff pastry, reduced fat
- Milk, to brush
- Sesame seeds

Note: *These work well as meatballs too! Simply add an egg to the mixture then roll into balls. Either bake in the oven until golden and cooked through, or fry with some olive oil in a pan.*

Method:

- PREHEAT oven to 180°C.
- SQUEEZE excess liquid out of carrot, pumpkin and zucchini and add to a large bowl.
- ADD onion, garlic, walnuts, lean mince, pepper and herbs to the vegetable mix and combine well.
- CUT the three sheets of pastry down the centre to make 6 pieces.
- PLACE a lengthwise sausage shape of mixture in the centre of each piece of pastry. Roll the pastry over meat and use the milk to stick edges together.
- BRUSH milk over the pastry and sprinkle with sesame seeds on top.
- CUT each sausage roll into bite sized portions and place on a baking tray, lined with baking paper.
- BAKE for 20-30 minutes, until golden brown and mince is cooked through.

** Recipe courtesy of the Country Kitchens team*

Lemon Myrtle and Macadamia Dukkah

Makes: 5 small jars

Prep time: 10 minutes

Cook time: 5 minutes

Ingredients

- ½ cup macadamias, roughly chopped
- ¼ cup sunflower seeds
- 1/3 cup sesame seeds
- ¼ cup cumin seeds
- 2 tablespoons ground coriander
- 2 teaspoons ground lemon myrtle
- ½ teaspoon vegetable stock powder

Method:

- PREHEAT frypan over medium heat.
- TOAST macadamias, sunflower seeds and sesame seeds for approximately 5 minutes or until lightly toasted.
- TRANSFER to a plate to cool.
- COMBINE all ingredients in large bowl and mix well.
- STORE in an airtight container.

** Recipe courtesy of Meg O'Donnell, Country Kitchens team*



Everyday Food

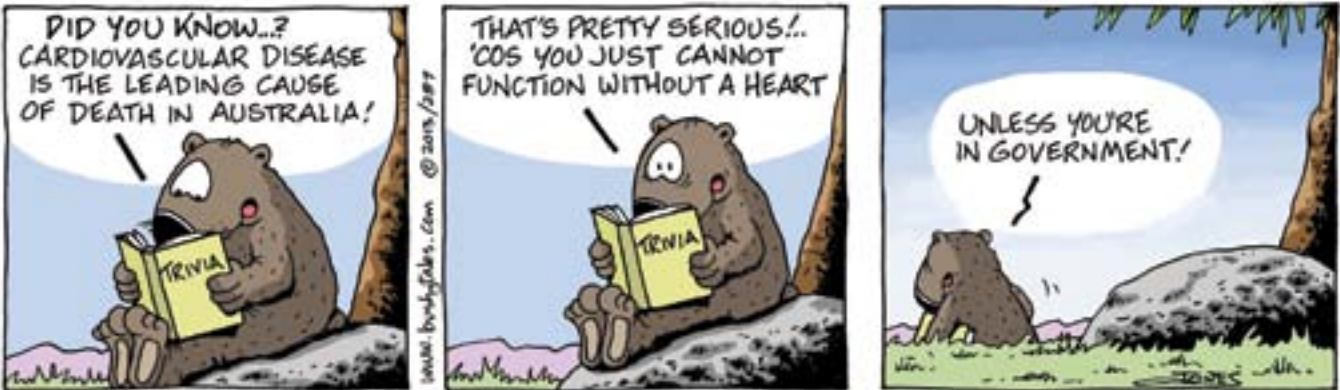
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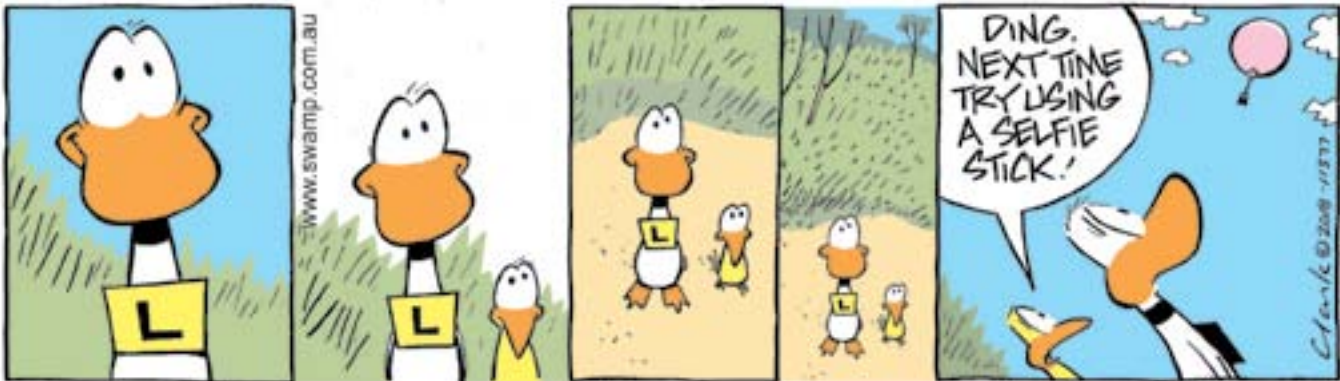


Bill & Ben encounter trouble on their way out of Amsterdam

Bushy Tales



Swamp



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Insanity Streak



Doodley Squat



WuMo



Against the Grain



Ballard Street



Stephen decides a strategy of stealth is the best way to approach the day.

Grin Bin



WEATHER

FORECAST

Warnings

See www.bom.gov.au/australia/warnings

Longreach:

Partly cloudy. High chance of showers, most likely in the afternoon and evening. Light winds becoming east to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h during the morning.

Saturday. Shower or two.

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Barcaldine:

Showers increasing.

Saturday. Shower or two.

Central West District:

High (70%) chance of showers east of Longreach, medium (40%) chance elsewhere. Winds east to southeasterly 15 to 25 km/h.

Saturday. Cloudy. Medium (50%) chance of showers, most likely in morning. Winds easterly 20 to 30 km/h.

Northern Goldfields & Upper Flinders District:

Partly cloudy. Slight (30%) chance of a shower in the south. The chance of a storm in the southeast. Winds east to southeasterly 15 to 25 km/h.

Central Highlands & Coalfields District:

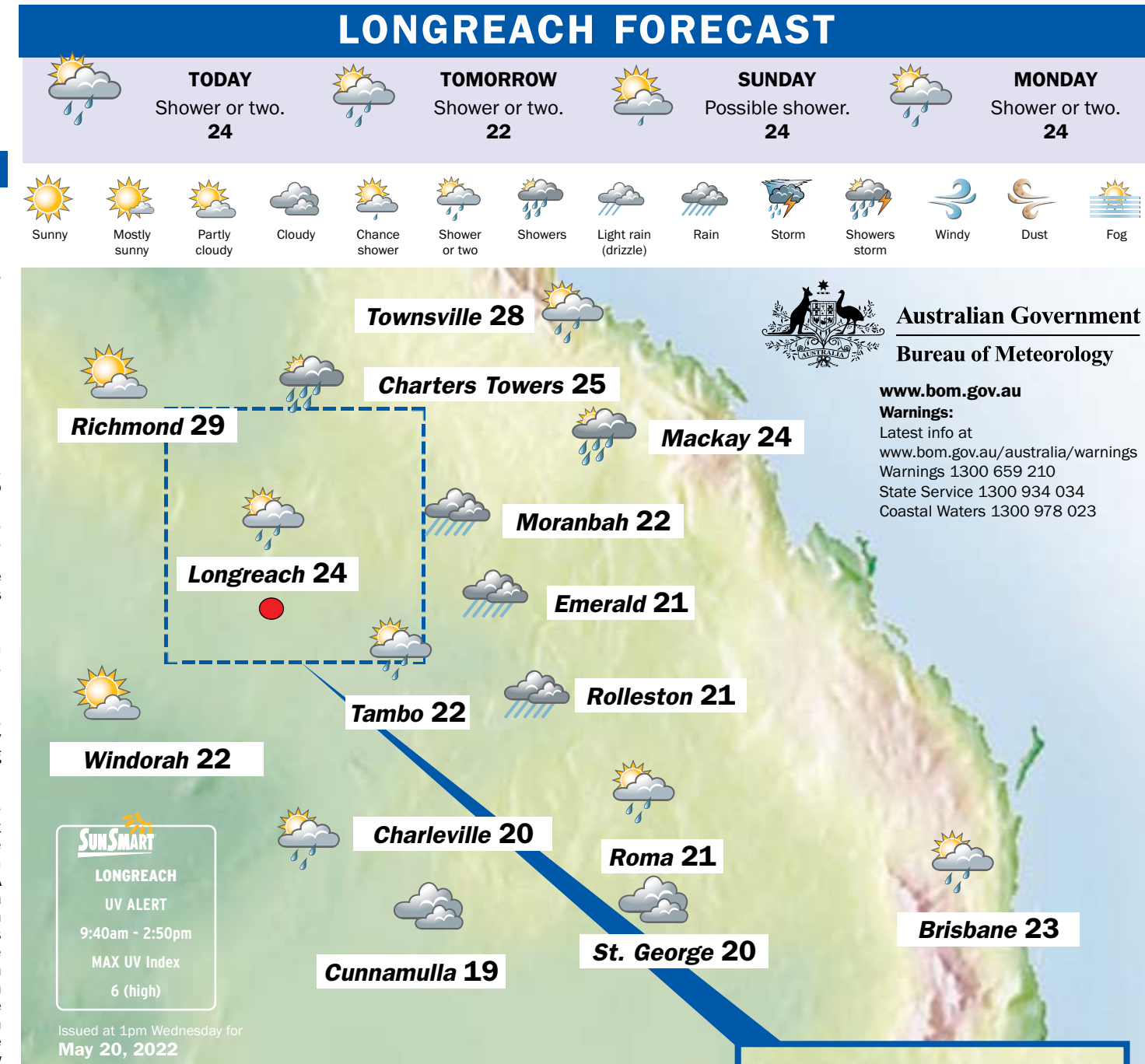
Cloudy. Very high (90%) chance of rain, most likely in the afternoon and evening. The chance of a storm. Winds southeasterly 15 to 25 km/h.

Maranoa & Warrego District:

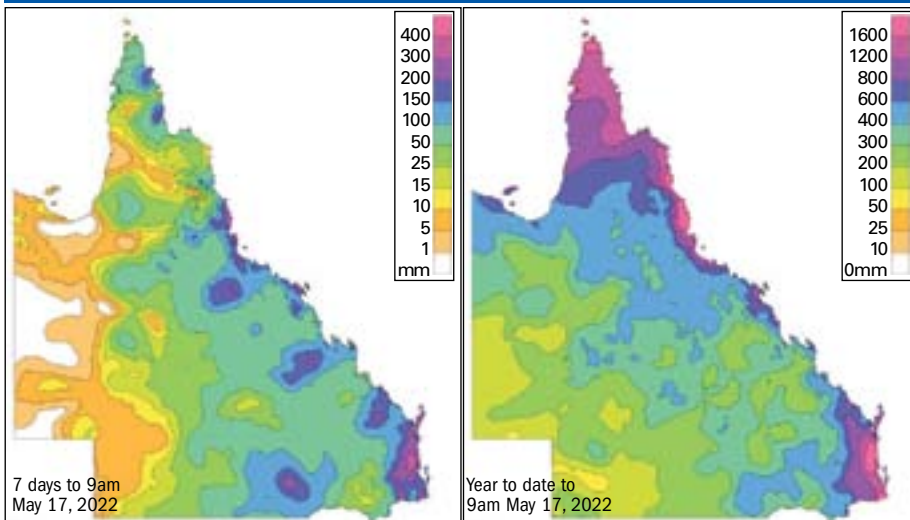
Cloudy. High (70%) chance of showers in the north, slight (30%) chance elsewhere. Winds southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h turning easterly 15 to 25 km/h during the morning.

Queensland:

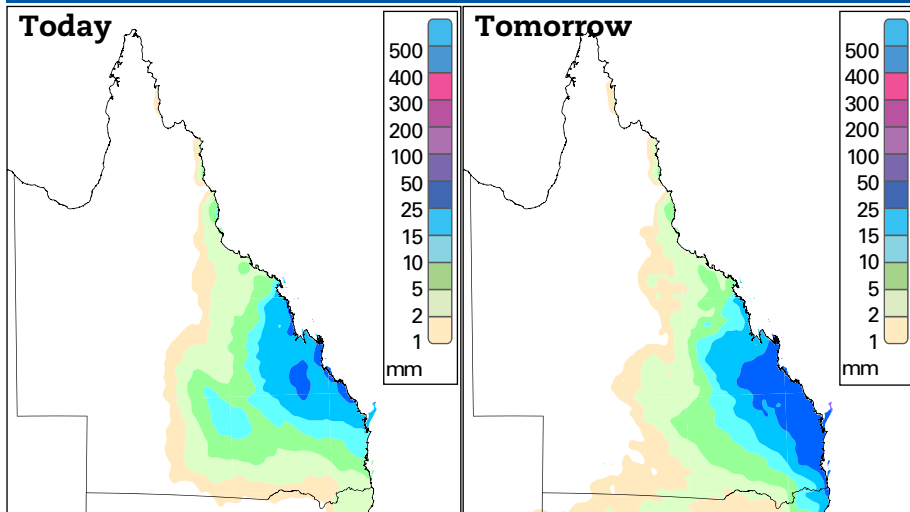
A strong high near Tasmania will maintain a firm ridge over most of the state, enhancing onshore flow about the east coast. An upper trough will move over the west and interior of the state, combining with the high to draw moisture into the interior of the state. A coastal trough may also form near the Capricornia and Central coasts. Most sunny in northwestern Queensland. A slight to medium chance of showers elsewhere, increasing to a high to very high chance across central, and eastern districts between Cooktown and the Sunshine Coast, tending to rain areas about central districts later in the day. The chance of a storm about central districts with moderate to heavy falls possible. Day time temperatures near average in the north tending below average across central and southern districts under cloud cover.



RAINFALL



Forecast Rainfall

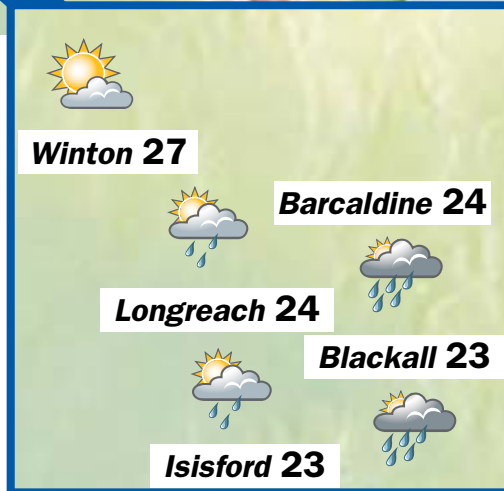


CAPITAL CITIES

City	Condition	Max
Adelaide	Partly cloudy.	17
Brisbane	Shower or two.	23
Canberra	Mostly sunny.	15
Darwin	Sunny.	35
Hobart	Cloudy.	14
Melbourne	Partly cloudy.	16
Perth	Shower or two.	22
Sydney	Showers.	19

SUN & MOON

	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonsset
Friday	6:52am	5:47pm	9:56pm	11:02am
Saturday	6:52am	5:47pm	11:02pm	11:57am
Sunday	6:53am	5:47pm	Nil	12:44pm
Monday	6:53am	5:46pm	12:05am	1:25pm
Tuesday	6:54am	5:46pm	1:05am	2:02pm
Wednesday	6:54am	5:46pm	2:01am	2:35pm



THE WORLD

World conditions yesterday

City	Weather	Max	Min
Athens	showers	20	13
Auckland	showers	20	16
Bangkok	storms	34	25
Beijing	cloudy	30	16
Berlin	fine	30	11
Christchurch	showers	19	10
Denpasar	cloudy	33	25
Dublin	sunny	16	9
Hong Kong	rain	26	22
Honolulu	showers	28	22
Jakarta	cloudy	33	25
Johannesburg	fine	19	7
Kuala Lumpur	rain	33	24
London	cloudy	22	15
Los Angeles	fog	26	15
Madrid	fine	35	17
Moscow	rain	11	7
New Delhi	fine	44	29
New York	showers	21	14
Noumea	sunny	28	22
Paris	showers	28	17
Auckland	showers	20	16
Port Vila	showers	27	20
Seoul	fine	26	15
Singapore	storms	34	25
Suva	storms	30	22
Tel Aviv	fine	24	17
Tokyo	fine	26	14
Vancouver	sunny	14	6
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Public Notices and Event

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

LRE Phoenix Fitness Inc, Longreach
Sunday 29 th May 2022 Time: 3.00pm
Venue: Lre Phoenix Fitness Gym 160 Eagle Street.
Election of Management Committee
All members Welcome
Email for Nomination form

Employment

Positions Vacant



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Primary Health Care Team - Longreach.

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Duties/Abilities: Under s25 of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1991, there is a genuine occupational requirement for the incumbent to be Indigenous to the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Community.

This position requires a high level of administrative support services to visiting healthcare specialists to enable delivery of comprehensive care.

The Administration Officer – Specialist Outpatients will provide excellent customer service and communicate clearly and confidently with patients, members of the public and departmental staff.

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Application Kit:

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Job Ad Reference: CW2E419786

Closing Date: Sunday, 29 May 2022.

You can apply online at www.smartjobs.qld.gov.au

A criminal history check may be conducted on the recommended person for the job. A non-smoking policy applies to Queensland Government buildings, offices and motor vehicles.



Employment

Positions Vacant

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- 1x Tyre Fitter (truck)
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- 1x Mechanic
- 1x Admin Position

For further information
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General Notices

Public Notices and Event

Notice of a non-claimant application for determination of native title in Queensland

Notification day: 1 June 2022



National
Native Title
Tribunal

A 'non-claimant' application has been made to the Federal Court of Australia (Federal Court) seeking a determination that native title does not exist in the area described below. The Applicant has a non-native title interest in the area, which is set out in their application and summarised below.

Under the *Native Title Act 1993* (Cth), there can be only one determination of native title for an area. Unless there is a relevant native title claim, as defined in section 24FE, over the area described below on or before **31 August 2022**, the area may be subject to protection under section 24FA and acts may be done which extinguish or otherwise affect native title.

A person who claims to hold native title rights and interests in this area may wish to file a native title claimant application or become a party to this non-claimant application. These may be the only opportunities to have those rights and interests taken into account in the Federal Court's determination. Any other person may also wish to become a party.

If you want to become a party to this application, you must file a Form 5 (Notice of Intention to become a Party) with the Federal Court, **on or before 31 August 2022**. Further information regarding how to file a Form 5 is available from www.fedcourt.gov.au. After **31 August 2022**, you will need to seek leave from the Federal Court to become a party.



Applicant's name: Gilbert Dean Arnaboldi
Federal Court File No: QUD88/2022

Non-native title interest: The applicant is the registered lessee of the application area

Order sought by Applicant: The applicant seeks a determination that native title does not exist

Description: The application area covers Lot 26 on Crown Plan MX3, Lots 17, 18 and 19 on Crown Plan EV19 and Lot 2 on Crown Plan CNA21, being an area of about 187 sq km, located about 15 km west of Jericho and north of the Capricorn Highway

Relevant LGA: Barcaldine Regional Council

For assistance and further information about this application, call Sylvia Jagtman 07 3052 4248 or visit www.nntt.gov.au.

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Intense champion bowls

More championship games were played last Sunday with a Men's singles game and we also saw the ladies take to the green again in their Pairs competition.

We had defending champions Coral Williamson and Gail Butt up against Paula Brun and Selena Hayward.

Coral and Gail skipped out to an early lead and had six shots on the board before Paula and Selena scored.

They stretched it to an eight-shot lead before Paula and Selena got themselves back into it narrowing the gap to just five shots after 15 ends.

Pairs games are played over 21 ends so every end can really impact the game.

With a five-shot lead after 17 ends Coral and Gail scored four shots on the next end to

BOWLS BY BONES

TONY EMSLIE



take what was to prove a winning gap.

Paula and Selena scored seven shots on the remaining three ends to go down narrowly by 20-18.

The other game saw Michelle McKewen and Cerise Woodfield up against Dorrie Delaney and Baileigh.

The wealth of experience of Michelle and Cerise stood out early as they flew out to a 20-3

lead after some high-scoring ends.

But to their credit, Dorrie and Baileigh didn't quit and with the score at 4-25, they started to claw their way back.

They scored 14 shots in the next eight ends to be within seven shots of their more experienced opponents.

Michelle and Cerise regained their form and took out the game by 32-19.

This means the final of the Championship Ladies Pairs will be between Michelle and Cerise versus Coral and Gail.

That'll be a great game to watch.

We also had a Men's B Grade Singles comp game between Russell Brooke and John Hawkes.

The lead in this game changed nine times and was tied five times in the first 21 ends and

at 17 all the players decided to have a hydration break.

I don't know what Hawkesy had in his water but after the mini-break he scored 11 shots in four ends to get the score to 28-17 in the race to 31.

Russ stopped the run of shots on the next end, but Hawkesy then scored the remaining shots needed to take the win by 31-19.

In social bowls, the team of Tony, Cisco, and Bernie Gayler beat Rodney, Bluey, and Justin Hunt by 22-16.

It must be said that Bernie outplayed Justin again which makes it two in a row now.

Another game saw Wayne, Bub and Cain beat Tony, Pat, and Brodie by 29-11, and then Peter and Amanda were beaten by Patrick and Terry by 25-13.

Lloydy's Serve

Michael Lloyd



Vale 'Roy': Symonds a memorable part of the big game

It's been another sad week for cricket followers with the sudden death of Andrew "Roy" Symonds. Symonds was a true entertainer on and off the field.

I was at the Boxing Day Test in 2006 when he tore the England attack apart for his first test century.

The sound of the ball coming off the bat was exhilarating and the speed at which it hit, and passed over the boundary—amazing.

He wasn't the player you would rely on to save a match, but he would provide a large chunk of the highlights package.

His fielding is probably what most impressed me. Hands that seemed to be like baseball gloves, reading the play, and a throw like a tracer bullet.

And that smile at the end, like he was playing a backyard game of cricket and he had just run out Uncle Bob on 99.

Several years later, I was the Queensland team liaison in Alice Springs for a One Day game verse Victoria.

There was an Australian game on, and both teams didn't have many "name" players, but there was one Andrew Symonds.

The Trager Park change rooms in Alice were pretty open to the public at the time, and several Queensland players were sitting outside on a bench outside when a large group of kids

came up and were milling around excitedly.

Roy asked me to move them on because they were annoying his teammates, I said "they are only here to see you mate", to which he responded by walking away from the change room and gesturing to the kids to come to him.

Autographs were signed, pictures were taken, and the kids moved on.

He came back and said thanks, with a big smile on his face.

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At the Arthur Beetson Cup

By Central West Rugby League

The Arthur Beetson Cup is a carnival that is one of the highlights of the outback rugby league calendar.

A big thank you to Barcaldine for the time and effort they put in to host the event.

The Queensland Outback Junior teams have now been selected and will head to Coolool on the end of June.

We now follow the Juniors with a Senior Carnival in Ilfracombe to select the Mens and Womens Queensland Outback Teams on 11 June.

Scores:

U14 girls

- Game 1: North 0 - South 8
- Game 2: North 12 - South 8

U14 boys

- Game1: North 20 - South 16
- Game 2: 28 - South 28

U17 girls

- Game 1: North 8 - South 12
- Game 2: North 8 - South 25

U16 boys

- Game 1: North 28 - South 20
- Game 2: North 32 - South 20



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Emerald-bound for Capras

By Liam Emerton

The Rockhampton Leagues Club Central Queensland Capras Hostplus Cup side will need to refocus as they head west this weekend on a trip to the country.

The side took a close loss at the hands of the Norths Devils on the weekend, suffering a 75th-minute winner at Bishop Park.

The Capras allowed a soft try in when Broncos' forward Rhys Kennedy spun away from a tackle and barreled his way over in the 16th minute.

The slippery conditions then played havoc for the Central Queenslanders when a stab-kick from Kierran Moseley was fumbled and Connor Broadhurst was deemed to be the first to jump on it, despite Blake Moore seemingly planting the ball down simultaneously.

That try and the subsequent successful conversion gave the Devils a 10-0 lead before the Capras finally cracked Norths' defence.

With a quarter-of-an-hour left in the first half Bailey Butler, who has been one of the shining lights for the Capras in 2022, produced an incredible run, taking on three Devils' defenders before diving over the line.

That was the last big play of the first half, giving Norths the 10-6 lead at the break.

It was the Capras who had the first joy in the second half when a sharp Brandon Clarke run caught the Devils back-peddling giving Radean Robinson the opportunity to deliver a short ball to Ethan O'Neill whose offload found Jesse Jennings, allowing him to cross.

A missed conversion meant the score remained locked at 10-10 before Blake Moore slotted home a penalty goal on the hour mark to give the Capras a 12-10 lead.

Fifteen gruelling minutes passed before a short ball put Leivaha Pulu through a gap and slid into the Capras' in-goal to give the Devils a 14-12 lead.

The conversion attempt was spot on and, despite the Capras trying hard to reclaim the lead, a field goal on the hooter sealed their fate as Norths snuck home 17-12 winners.

Despite the loss, the Capras remain in fourth place, but thanks to the luck of the draw, the side will have to take on the table-topping Burleigh Bears this week.

Back-to-back top-four clashes is rough for the Capras but they will certainly be uplifted by the tremendous support Emerald provides.

The crowd at McIndoe Park will also witness history as our BMD Premiership women's side collide with the Bears.

The Capras ladies have already wrapped up the minor premiership and with a final loom-



Ryan James tackles Capras' Lachlan Hubner.

Picture: ZAIN MOHAMMED / QRL

ing, there's no doubt this is a massive game.

The Bears currently sit second on the ladder, two wins behind the undefeated Capras.

It could even be a sign of things to come with the Capras and Bears set for the finals series.

Burleigh has all to play for with a win securing their position in second and giving them

the right to host the semi-final.

A loss could see them technically fall to as low as fourth but would likely see them finish in third place.

If the Capras are to lose they will remain at the top of the table with a home final hopefully on the horizon.

In the Hasting Deering Colts competition,

the CQ Capras have continued their grip on top of the table by defeating Norths Devils 42-10.

Matthew Hill and Peyton Jenkins both scored doubles for our young guns as they walked away from Bishop Park with a huge win.

The Capras' Colts take on Burleigh Bears, who currently sit in 11th place, with our side looking to keep their undefeated start alive.

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