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Circus spectacular **PAGE 11**

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Circus comes to town Over the past two weeks, Blackall and Tambo have been blessed with some of the best circus performers Australia has to offer. Here is local Red Ridge artist Kaite Russell ring-

Breaking the code of silence

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Dressed up for reading

Once a year, throughout the country, the power of literacy is celebrated during Book Week - at Longreach State School this year it was done through a costume parade, with a little story time.

Teacher Librarian Elizabeth Harwood said this was a chance to celebrate the best of Australian literature.

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Skills i demand

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The editor's desk

What a week!

As we all know August is one of the most hectic months in the central west as each town does its best to capture the influx of tourists.

The Yellowbelly Fishing Comp, as well as the Blackall-Tambo Circus Carnival, were both massive undertakings.

If we had two papers a week, I don't think we could have fit it all.

That's not to mention the Tower Hill races!

Over the past few weeks, we have also welcomed a new part-time journalist in Karen Simmons who will be doing a handful of hard stories—so if you get any strange calls it might not be a scam.

She has a deep background in journalism, and I am sure she will serve our publication well.

- Michael R Williams



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Drivers from this year's variety bash at Apex Park.

Variety Bash travels past

By Michael R Williams

After being restricted to shorter drives, this month's Variety Bash is travelling from Winton to Yeppoon through Birdsville in an event that

will span over a weel

The Winton to Yeppoon drive has been held in hiatus since the beginning of Covid, but current drivers say this is the biggest turnout they've seen

Littleproud claims Federal govt is 'grandstanding'

Nationals Party Leader and Federal Maranoa MP David Littleproud has lambasted the Federal Labor Government's for "taking credit" for the digital connectivity projects under the Regional Connectivity Program (RCP) which had been established by the Coalition in the 2021/22 budget.

Mr Littleproud expressed his support for investment by the Coalition government to inject \$12,874,838 into nine projects across Maranoa under the Australian Government's Regional Connectivity Program to improve telecommunications services when it was announced last year.

Mr Littleproud said Labor's attempt to take credit for the \$541,000 contribution to the Roma Datacentre and Regional Fixed Wireless Internet project was amusing.

"The fact Labor is keeping silent about whether they will commit to funding projects in Cunnamulla, Quilpie and Bollon which will improve mobile coverage and

broadband services under Round 2 of the Regional Connectivity Program, but are taking credit for approved projects under the Coalition, is a joke," he said.

"Labor need to be more transparent and stop leaving Maranoa communities in the dark."

Mr Littleproud has urged the Labor Government to commit to further digital connectivity upgrades and mobile coverage investments in Maranoa.

"Digital connectivity and mobile coverage are essential to how we work, learn, stay safe and remain in contact with our loved ones.

The Coalition invested substantially in critical infrastructure under the RCP and Mobile Black Spot Program as part of our plan for a strong economy and stronger future," Mr Littleproud said.

"Labor however has not funded a single mobile tower in regional Australia."

Millar backs road safety

Member for Gregory Lachlan Millar has commended his opposition in State Parliament for their recent handling of roads in regional Queensland.

"As the member for Gregory, I cover 460,000 square kilometres of this great state," he said.

"I have to travel along those roads, which I enjoy.

"I love getting out on the road and visiting the different communities.

"I get to see first-hand the state of those roads

"I will give credit where credit is due—thank you for completing the Blackall-Jericho Road.

"That will play a significant role in getting our organic beef out of the channel country into the abattoirs."

Mr Millar also mention the importance of the completions of Torrens Creek Road.

"That gives us another access point to get beef down from the Diamantina, through Longreach, up through Hughenden and into Townsville to an important market," he said.

"I continue to get complaints through my office from either graziers or processors that cattle have lost condition in the time from being loaded on the property to being unloaded at the abattoir.

"When I talk to companies like Blenners, a major refrigeration operation out of Tully, one of the major problems they have at the moment is the massive rub on avocados or mangoes such that when it gets to the Sydney Markets—

" I am saying that the condition of our roads is having an impact on not only road safety but also produce."

Mr Millar when on to start that equal focus should be placed on the importance of road safety.

"I believe that previous road safety action plans are failing," he said.

"In 2016 the road toll was 251 fatalities, in 2021 it was 275 fatalities, which is almost 10 per cent higher despite

improvements in vehicle safety.

So far, as we heard this morning, around 200 people have died on Queensland roads, which is 15 per cent higher than at the same time last year and 35 per cent higher than the five-year average.

"Just to bring it home, for my seat of Gregory and the seats of Keppel, Rockhampton and Callide, in the central Queensland police region we have seen an increase of 84 per cent.

"Tragically, in 2021, 22 people died in Central Queensland and so far in 2022—I have in front of me the fatality figures by police region—we are looking at 39 fatalities.

"That is devastating.

"We have to put more effort into education."

Welcome to journo Karen

By Karen Simmons

Greetings, Dear readers.

I am thrilled to have come on board as part of the Longreach Leader and Central West team this month.

I grew up on a sheep property in the Snowy Mountains of New South Wales and have many fond memories of raising potty lambs, watching my father sheer and working as a district wool classer and riding on horseback along the steep hill country. Can anyone picture the man from Snowy River? Yep - that's what I'm talking about. I started in newspapers in Dubbo, NSW for Rural Press in 2003 and made my way to Rockhampton, where I met my darling husband and have been raising our precious three hows

I love the heart of community in remote towns and the hospitality of country people.

And I'm especially looking forward to our journey of sharing stories and making history together.



Rains 'best seaso

By Michael R Williams

While the recent rain event was not as intense as some have been in Autumn, it did get local graziers like Mike Pratt from Ban Ban Station feeling confident going into the traditional wet

"It could not be better-this is the sort of year that you dream about," he said.

"I know an older grazier who told me it was the best season he's seen since 1951.

"I haven't been around long enough to verify

Mr Pratt said as long as the rain is consistent through the summer months, the central west will likely see good germination of Mitchell Grass in places that have been missing it over the nine-year drought.

"To get this sort of rain is unprecedented

through winter," he said.

"There may be some who need more rain than what we've had, we've been lucky at Ban Ban over recent years—those who missed out on summer rains last year and didn't get a cover of Mitchell Grass may be in need of more.

"But everywhere I go, people are relishing the amount of herbage they've got this year and it's been terribly productive.

"We're looking forward to a long, wet summer to get on with it."

Mr Pratt said the drought is certainly not over, but a good full wet season would likely see restrictions lifted.

"It's been a fantastic start to the season, but we're not wholly out of the woodworks yet," he

"Once the heat hits that herbage we're see-

ing, it's likely to fold over-that's when we need the Mitchell grass to set in.

"People with stock away may be reluctant to bring them home until we get that good summer rain '

Nonetheless, Mr Pratt and his family have been deeply pleased with the rain.

"Normally this time of year we'd be feeding our cattle licks," he said.

"This year we won't need to feed our cattle any supplements.

"And it just gives us so much more time for other jobs around the property.

"It ticks every box; I've seen too many dry years, so we're just relishing this."

Currently, weather reports indicate an additional La Nina event, meaning it is likely Queensland is in for another strong wet season.

RFDS invests in first aid

The Royal Flying Doctor Service (Queensland Section) has now taken ownership of Rescue Swag, an organisation that delivers an innovative range of portable, life-saving first aid kits and supplies.

RFDS (Queensland Section) Chief Executive Officer Meredith Staib said the RFDS has been supplying outback Queenslanders with medical chests for 80 years.

"Over this time, we've seen just how important having first aid supplies at hand can be," Ms Staib said.

"Purchasing a Rescue Swag not only might help save your life, but you'll also be helping support the RFDS to continue to deliver vital healthcare services to communities right across the state."

QLD produce on world stage

Minister for Agricultural Industry Development and Fisheries and Minister for Rural Communities Mark Furner recently spent three days in Vietnam to welcome the establishment of a Trade and Investment Queensland office in Ho Chi Minh City and to promote Queensland agriculture.

"Getting premium quality Queensland produce in front of this audience is an important step towards increasing our exports to Vietnam and helping to create good jobs at home,' Mr Furner said.

"I'm encouraged by the warm reception of our Vietnamese hosts and hopeful that the event would lead to more exports of Queensland produce to the sophisticated and growing Vietnamese market."

Other farm income

The Federal Government's national scheme which aims to incentivise farmers who improve biodiversity and protect remnant vegetation has been welcomed by Farmers for Climate Action.

CEO Fiona Davis said a scheme of this kind was one of FCA's key asks heading into the last election and noted that farmers and the environment both win from a biodiversity scheme

"Payments for biodiversity and carbon can provide farmers with vital income during drought, which can help them continue to employ workers during tough times—and these projects absorb carbon and provide habitat for native wildlife,' Dr Davis said. "Paying farmers for the biodiversity in their remnant forest has the potential to greatly reduce Australia's emissions by reducing land clearing."

Jobs summit urged to consider health staff

By Karen Simmons

Industry leaders are urgently calling on the Government for assistance ahead of the Jobs and Skills Summit scheduled this week to ensure health workforce shortages are high on the agenda.

Like many hospitals across Australia and the world, Longreach Hospital has faced challenges recruiting nurses.

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But while key leaders consider answers further afield this week, there are workforce solutions already in place in the Central West tackling these issues.

The Murtupuni Centre for Rural and Remote Health (MCRRH) plays a crucial role in filling rural healthcare vacancies for communities.

MCRRH's Longreach-based Central West Site Coordinator, Peter Coombes, helps deliver rural training for medical, nursing, midwifery, dental and allied health students.

For the past eight years, he has assisted a growing number of university students to discover the benefits of living and working in rural and remote communities while they complete



Longreach Students Noah Robinson and Sarah Challen, with Peter Coombes from the Murtupuni Picture: MICHAEL R WILLIAMS Centre for Rural and Remote Health (MCRRH).

clinical placements in hospitals, pharmacies, primary health clinics and schools.

Mr Coombes said like most places, we have to work with the challenges thrown up by the pandemic, which are often more evident in smaller populated areas.

This year there are more than 150 students in the Central West as part of the Australian

Government-funded Rural Health Multidisciplinary Training Program, supported by James Cook University.

This is significantly more that the COVIDimpacted years, where there was a reduction in placements of around 25 per cent. 'That's a significant increase since 2014

when MCRRH facilitated up to 60 student placements, and is a real indication that students are interested in experiencing both the work and lifestyle in rural and remote areas,' Mr Coombes said.

"We have to work with those challenges and I think being in a smaller population it seems more evident." Mr Coombes said from his experience there is a clear connection between the provision of student accommodation and students wanting to come to rural and remote

"Our fully-furnished student accommodation facilities are great for young, communityminded students, and not only provide a home away from home for the students but also enable them to meet students from other health disciplines," he said.

"When you provide good furnished and equipped accommodation there is a greater chance of increasing placement numbers in the regions.

"Our experience is that students experiencing a strong community spirit and meeting friendly locals influences their decisions to return to regions to live and work.

"Our overall mission is to improve health outcomes for the region and we can say we definitely have.'

Correction

In our 19 August edition, we published a story on the centenary of the Queensland Country Women's Association.

The title "Longreach QCWA is 100", was inaccurate, it was in fact the centenary of the association in the state.

Secondly, we published that Gwen Rogers was the Longreach Branch President when she is the Division president. The Longreach Branch president is Anthea Smith.

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Windorah road safety day

As part of Queensland Road Safety Week, Windorah police teamed up with Judy Lindsay from CARS (Citizens Against Road Slaughter) at the Windorah Service Station.

Windorah police conducted a driveway service by, fuelling up cars and cleaning windscreens for the tourists and motorists.

Two women and four men standing on a red dirt road while Windorah police were doing this, Judy Lindsay was engaging with the motorist and speaking of her personal experience in the loss of her daughter as a result of a drink driver.

Later on, Windorah police and Judy Lindsay went a round of golf with some of the local Windorah residents.

Prior to teeing off, Judy spoke to the locals in relation to the importance of road safety and the impact that drink driving can have on families and individuals.



Judy introduced the locals to Hayley's Story found on www.cars.asn.au/judys-story/.

The message was very well received and everybody enjoyed their round of golf, which also gave Judy some one-on-one time with individuals to tell her story.



Weaving for a cause: Tia's crafting a path to healing

By Michael R Williams

Barkindji woman and weaving workshop organiser Tia Whyman has been hosting a series of low-key events sharing her practice with local women.

Recently she has been bringing her practice to the Branch to share with a large group

Basket weaving became a big part of Ms Whyman's life shortly after escaping a relationship with a partner who had committed domestic violence.

Weaving had already been a big part of her cultural heritage; but, during that time, it would become an increasingly healing prac-

"It gave me an opportunity to heal, and now I'm glad I am able to share that with others," she said.

"I love that, through weaving, a) it's given me the opportunity to heal, and b) teaching others gives me an opportunity to share my culture with others.'

Ms Whyman said teaching others had helped her think more creatively about her

"It helps me think about weaving and the process of teaching," she said.

"I learnt in a one-hour online class that was very basic.

"But when I'm teaching, I've learnt people have different learning styles—it makes me think creatively.

The event at the Branch was the largest organised event for Ms Whyman who has been steadily growing a following.

"I did a few tiny workshops in Melbourne [her previous residence] where a few people were interested," Ms Whyman said.

"Since, I've had a few smaller classes—the last had eight attendees.

"Today there were about 16, and I've really enjoyed it."



Caitlin Duffie showing off her baskett.



Bethany Reardon has only just come into town, here she is with her sister, Felicity Reardon.

Ms Whyman admitted to being a little stressed at the beginning of the event, but once the nerves settled she found it enjoy-

"A lot of the attendees are keen to take their baskets home to work on it," she said.



Ali Mitchell with her new weaving skills.

"I'm always blown away by how quickly people pick it up.'

Ms Whyman said a number of Ladies had not been given the chance to get a ticket to the event, prompting her to organise a second.



Marie Coppo learning to weave as a visitor.



prepared earlier.

If you'd like to follow Ms Whyman's work or to keep up to date on her work her Instagram is @weavingasmedicine.

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SES opens the doors

By Michael R Williams

The Longreach SES will be hosting a public open day on 10 September at 10am as a part of SES week celebrations—and hopes you'd like to join them.

SES Local Controller for Longreach Diesel Stenholm said the event hopes to showcase the various skills learned in the SES.

"[Techniques] such as working at heights, chainsaw, and sandbagging techniques," he said

"In addition to that, we will have our flood boat and rescue equipment.

"We'll also have live music from Rhiannon Matthews, Two A' Float coffee vendor, face painting, and a visit by Paddy Platypus along with a free sausage sizzle."

The event will have free entry the SES Open Day is to help the Longreach region residents prepare for extreme weather events and to encourage more residents to volunteer with the SES.

"Council along with the Mayor and CEO will be in attendance to officially open the newly renovated training room," Mr Stenholm said.

"Council will be providing information on how to prepare for extreme weather, which is likely to continue going into storm season."

The Longreach SES are hoping, through the event, to attract new members to their Monday night meetings.

"We train twice a month, and what you get



Lincon Oates with Pladdy the SES Platypus.

out of it is various skills, like first aid and CPR,"

"We have a BBQ every now and then for socialising, and it's a chance to give something to the community"

Most of all Mr Stenholm said the event will be fun, and family friendly.

Mr Stenholm thanked the Longreach Regional Council are sponsoring the sausage sizzle and the volunteer auxiliary fire brigade

is assisting with the BBQ.

Longreach Regional Council disaster management staff will be on hand to provide information to residents about how to prepare for extreme weather events. They are also providing residents with handy items to help residents prepare their emergency plans and kit.

For more information about volunteering with the SES please contact Diesel on 0484 930 116 or come along to the open day.

Longreach Regional Council Mayor Tony Rayner, through self-funding, attended the Mt Isa Rodeo event with the purpose of building the relationship between the event and the township of Longreach, further cementing the branding of Road to Rodeo.

Discussions have been had between the Mayor and the Chief Executive Officer of Local Government Association of Queensland (LGAQ) on the topic of raising the downstream weirs in Longreach to increase local water security.

Deputy Mayor Leonie Nunn has commended the CWA on making the centenary and mentioned the importance of local groups like the QCWA in the make up of regional towns.

Council have endorsed an honorarium payment of \$5,000 to the SES Controller of the Longreach Unit. Mayor Tony Rayner has been in discussions with the local SES about the training and retaining of more volunteers for the SES.

Mayor Rayner stated that the current SES Local Controller, Diesel Stenholm was very active in recruiting new staff and an open day has been scheduled to entice community members to join.

The following community donations have been committed to:

- Longreach Flyers Ball \$5,000
- Ilfracombe Golf Open \$1,440.00
- Ilfracombe Community Gym \$5,000.00
- Longreach Cup- \$5,000.00
- Melbourne Cup Luncheon, Yaraka Financial \$1,600.00 In-Kind \$184.10 Total \$1,784.10

The Winton Shire Council is currently undertaking a report into the notion of heritage listing Willie Mar's Fruit Shop.

The Council will be proceeding with a Conservation Management Plan for the building.

The Outback Regional Gallery will be running a Community Exhibition in late 2024.

In the 2022/23 budget, The Winton Shire Council proposed to build units on the block of land behind the Winton Neighbourhood Centre, however, a report has been received stating the proposal would be too expensive. Council has resolved to instead look into the possibility of establishing "tiny houses".

The Winton Shire Council may be considering a Local Energy Strategic Implementation Plan after inquiring with Ergon Energy about the possibility of having a Winton Microgrid that harnessed solar power. Currently, Council is only looking into the price of having such a plan designed.

The Winton Shire Council will be looking to increase the visibility of its First Nations population as a part of responding to consultations over recent months.

Going forward, Council will seek to acknowledge important indigenous locations and cultural signifiers in future town planning.

Changing thinking on our mental health

By Karen Simmons

A recent Beyond Blue survey of workers reveals one in five respondents claimed they wouldn't tell anyone if they had depression and one in 20 thought it was a sign of personal weakness.

Those at greater risk of severe anxiety and depression in the Central West are people living in remote areas who delay seeking help, as well as primary producers.

Dr Tim Driscoll is the manager of the Central Western and Outback Mental Health program based in Longreach and sheds light on the topic.

Dr Driscoll said there have been many positives this year in the region where his team of 16 staff travels, with an increase in rainfall and an abundance of work for young people.

"If we take a look at mental health rates in metropolitan areas they are similar to out here," Dr Driscoll said.

"But the severity can appear worse here as people wait so much longer to go and seek help. Primary producers are another high-risk group as they won't often come forward."

Dr Driscoll said the fear and anxiety surrounding Covid has become less evident

now as tourism has re-opened and movement is no longer restricted.

Steel Blue and Beyond Blue released the results of a survey last month asking workers and employers in the agricultural, trades, construction, resource, and manufacturing sectors about the impact of mental health on them and their worksites.

Approximately half of all survey respondents reported experiencing feelings of hopelessness (54%), extreme sadness (51%) and worthlessness (48%).

At a digital event held last month, Steel Blue and Beyond Blue urged workers and employers to break the stigma around mental health with one in five respondents to the survey claiming they wouldn't tell anyone if they had depression.

Concerningly, while the majority believed depression is a real medical condition, one in twenty thought depression was a sign of personal weakness.

Lead researcher at the University of South Australia, Associate Professor Deirdre Tedmanson said in a new report released in Canberra last month, that mental illness and poverty can make it difficult for Aboriginal people to access housing.

"Western notions of 'home' and 'homelessness' don't necessarily resonate the same

way with Aboriginal Australians in regional and remote areas," Assoc Prof Tedmanson says.

"Although structural discrimination, mental illness and poverty can make it difficult for Aboriginal people to access and sustain housing, it is the lack of funding, affordable housing and limited crisis and transitional accommodation that are the real barriers.

"Some drivers of homelessness, such as overcrowding, are common issues for Aboriginal communities and can be linked in part to complex and important kinship obligations."

Aboriginal women fleeing family violence find it especially hard to manage living away from family support networks, the researchers say and need support to manage cultural obligations while being protected.

The RFDS Mental Health and Wellbeing Service is based in Longreach and visits the surrounding communities on a weekly and fortnightly basis to Alpha, Aramac, Barcaldine, Blackall, Isisford, Jericho, Muttaburra, Tambo and Winton

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Rhys Reeds and Jason Lindsay with their catch of the day.



Roo Barwick set up on the banks of the Thomson.



Jesse Turner giving his fish a big kiss.

Yellowbelly classic catches

By Michael R Williams

This year's Longreach Yellowbelly Fishing Comp saw a small dip in numbers but organisers were still pleased with the turnout.

President of the Yellowbelly Fishing Competition Brodie Widderick said the event went off with a hit.

"Last year, it was just after Covid so people were really excited to get out—considering this year was somewhat normal, I think we still had good numbers," he said.

"I think we had a lot more kids this year the kid's activities we organised like the scavenger hunt really boosted numbers.

"That's what we do it for—you do it to see a smile and kid's face when they bring up a fish." Mr Widderick said he was especially im-

pressed with the fishing shirts this year.

"We saw some really creative shirts—especially the mob from Charleville," he said.

He said it was great to see people coming in from all over the country for the event.

"Even if you're not a great fisherman, just sitting on the bank with a line in the water and sitting around laughing and talking, having a cold drink, nothing beats it," he said.

"It comes together through a lot of hard work.

"The committee work tirelessly, and the sponsors are greatly important—without them, this doesn't happen.

"It's a tight-knit community, and they keep the event going both sponsors and volunteers."

Due to rain, the Windorah leg of the Triple Crown Challenge has been postponed, and Mr Widderick said to those who enjoyed this event, that it would be a must to follow up down the western corridor.

"It's a great comp down there," he said.

"Everyone here I've spoken to has had a great time.

"As Dan [committee member] said, 'they're sister competitions' they're the same value.

"If you enjoyed this, definitely head down

there."

Going forward, Mr Widderick said he may look to make the competition photo-centric to conserve the quality and quantity of fish in the Thomson river, where participants send in a photo rather than bring in the live fish who often get injured or die in the process.

"I want to make sure my kids can come down to the Thomson and can catch fish all year," he said.



Ben Seeney, Cooper Mullen, and Xander Flanagan having a fish as friends.









Damper judges Georgia Benny and Dan Prosser with a stand-in for the winner, Samantha McCoy.



Anne Wills with two of her catches.



Committee member Tanya Smith measuring a Yellowbelly.



The Yellowbelly Fishing Comp committee at the end of the event.



Justin Kamerling with a small catfish.



Locals enjoying a yabby race.



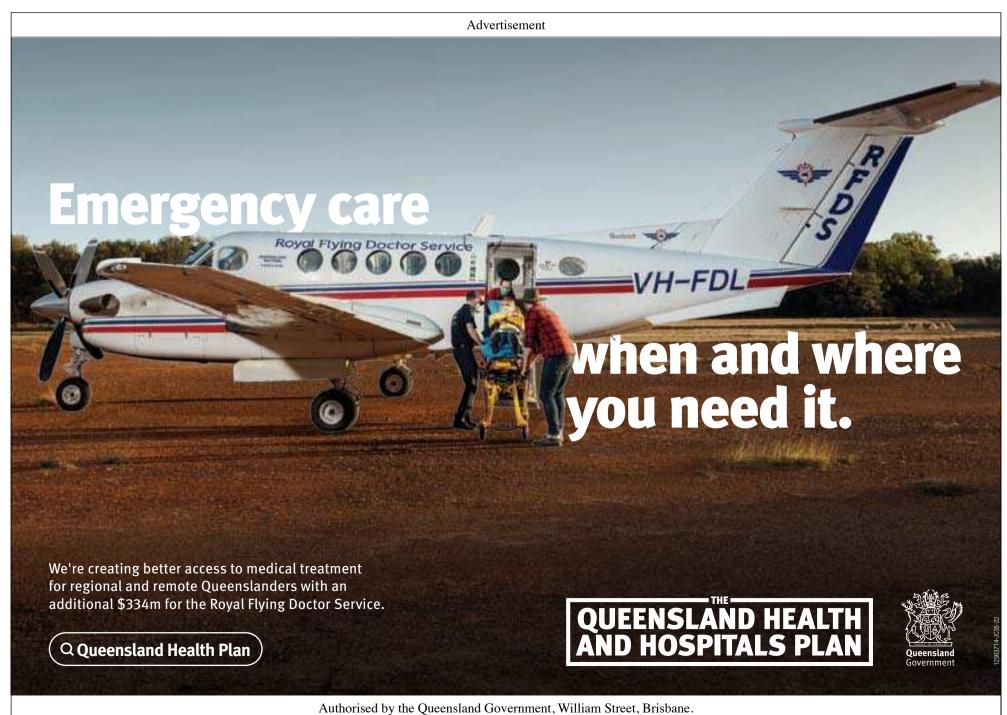
Thomson River Degenerates by the river of their namesake.



Pauline Otto with her second-placed fish damper and judge Georgia Benny.



Greg Whiting delivering his fish to the measuring station hosted by committee president Brodie Widderick.



What's on

Longreach and Central West Community Event Billboard

If you have a community event you would like to advertise, please email michael.williams@leadertoday.com.au

Friday 2 September

Longreach Brolga Girl Guides are taking on the Sudsy Challenge

The Longreach Brolga Girl Guides will be doing a service by having a sleep-over at the Girl Guide Hut.

Location: Girl Guide Hut

Time: All weekend

Star Cinema: "Thor: Love and Thunder" and "Top Gun: Maverick"

Star Cinema reopens on a monthly basis.

Location: Star Cinema

Time: All weekend

Croquet

Contact: Jean Williams on 07 4651 2354.

Location: Oak Street, Barcaldine

Time: 8am

Barcaldine Senior Cricket

Location: Barcaldine Showgrounds

Time: 6nm

Saturday 3 September

Fathers Day Photo Hunt

Location: Eric Lenton Memorial Park

Time: 3pm

Longreach Archival and Historical Research Group

Longreach Archival and Historical Research Group are the custodians of our Longreach Region family photos and stories.

Location: 12 Swan St

Time: 2pm

Longreach Tennis Club 2022 Men's & Ladies Doubles and Mixed Double Tournament

The Men's and Ladies Doubles and Mixed Doubles Tournament to be hosted September 3 and 4.

Location: Longreach Tennis Club

Time: 9am

Disability Royal Commission Information Session

Your Story Matters The Disability Royal Commission is investigating violence, abuse, neglect, and exploitation of people with a disability.

Location: Desert Channels Resource Centre

Time: 1pm

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: 7am

Morning Golf, Longreach

For more information email longreachgolf@gmail.com

Location: Longreach Golf Course

Time: Mornings.

Barcaldine Lawn Bowls

Contact: Jack Power on 0429 988 654.

Location: 72 Gidvea St

Time: 3pm

Wool Spinning

Come get artsy.

Location: Longreach Arts and Crafts Centre Time: Afternoons

Sunday 4 September

32nd Annual Meagan Walker Mini Marathon

Be part of the 32nd Annual Meagan Walker Mini Marathon - a fundraising event for Cystic Fibrosis Queensland.

Location: Longreach Railway Station

Time: 6.30am

Muttaburra Golf Club

Contact: Beau Gray on 0429 474 261.

Location: Muttaburra Golf Club

Time: 8.30am

Longreach Community Gardens

Come lend a hand.

Location: Longreach Youth Centre

Time: 8.30ar

Barcaldine Lawn Bowls

Contact: Jack Power on 0429 988 654.

Location: 72 Gidyea St

Time: 9am

Barcaldine Golf

Contact: Michael Hayward.

Social Bowls

For more information please visit Facebook, Longreach

Bowls Club

Longreach Bowls Club

Time: 1 pm

Location: Barcaldine Golf Course, Pine Road

Time: 3pr

Longreach Town Band Mixed Ensemble Rehearsals Location: Longreach State School.

Time: 4pm

Monday 5 September

Blackall Community Playgroup

Blackall Early Years Service, St Joseph's Catholic School and Blackall State School present Blackall Community Playgroup for Term 3 - 2022.

Location: Blackall State School

Time: 9am

Disability Royal Commission Information Session for Service Providers

The Disability Royal Commission is investigating violence, abuse, neglect, and exploitation of people with a disability.

Location: Selectability Time: 10am

Barcaldine Men's Shed

Contact: David Kerrigan on 0427 009 375.

Location: 103 Ash St

Time: 9am

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?

activating during events:

Location: Longreach SES Base, 14 Minor Road

Time: 7pm

Tuesday 6 September

First 5 Forever, Blackall

Families with Children 0-5 Years - Join us at the Blackall Library every Tuesday morning for the First Five Forever Program.

Location: Blackall Library

Time: 10am

Alpha District Tourism & Development Association General Meeting

Bring a friend. More members are very welcome.

Location: Tivoli Theatre Museum

Time: 5pm

Longreach Playgroup

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

Location: Lioness Park

Time: 9 am

Longreach Brolga Girl Guides Meeting

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

Location: Guides hut, 15 Stilt Street, Longreach.

Time: 5.30 pm.

Longreach Squash

Come along and have a bash.

Location: Longreach Squash Courts

Time: 5.30 pm

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

Thomson River Lions Club Meeting

For more information please contact Bobbie Willersdorf on

042758315

Location: Birdcage Hotel Time: 6 pm

Social Tennis LongreachFor more information please contact Anna-Marie Moffat on

0417 112 517 or visit the Longreach Tennis Facebook Page. Location: Longreach Tennis Club

Time: 6.15pm

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Circus means what?

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Gaye Crawford said she wanted to see the talent of "these wonderful people who have come here today.



Blackall-Tambo **Mayor Andrew Martin** said he was excited to celebrate the birthplace of Australian circus. **Gretchen and Georgia Hayman** said they're happy to see the circus home.



Kiara and Greg Tierney can't wait for the acrobatics... and the motorbikes.



Trish and Molly Hayes are from Rocky and former locals.



Rob and Irene Arnold from Alpha just love the



Jenny Hillier and Leane Roliffe said they are excited after not seeing it for a long time.



The Arthurs are excited to see the clowns!

BANG ON TARGET

Attention Ilfracombe Clay Target Club Members, your help is needed for the Elmsdale Shield & Services Shield.

Saturday 3 September: 9am Set up, 10am Elmsdale Shield start time with lunch in the middle, 3pm Services Shield begins, 5.30-6pm Dinner, 6.30-7pm CZ Deauville Doubles Night Event.

There are always things to do before a major shoot like this one, including: Setting up/packing away tables and chairs, set up/pack up and serving drinks at the bar, set up/ pack up traps, cleaning toilets/kitchen, mowing/whipper snip lawn and layouts, as always, if you can help at any time, even during the week, it will be appreciated. Please bring smoko to share.

Looking forward to hearing from you/seeing you on Saturday.

A REEL EFFORT

Longreach's Star Cinema has begun trading once a month after closing down mid-last year.

Owner Norm Salisbury said he believes the month-to-month screenings will not turn a profit, but the action will benefit the town.

The screenings will be Thor: Love and Thunder on Friday 2 September at 7pm and Sunday 4 September at 2pm; and Top Gun: Maverick on Saturday 3 September at 7pm and Sunday 4 September at 5pm.

STRIKE UP THE BAND

Join the Band of the 1st Battalion, The Royal Australian Regiment for a night of music at 7 pm Thursday 22 September at Edkins Park, Longreach. A wide variety of music is guaranteed to satisfy all. Come and enjoy this event brought to you by Lions.

READY FOR THE CHALLENGE

Longreach Tennis Club is proud to be hosting its second tournament for the year, with the mixed, men's and women's doubles competitions happening this weekend. With sponsorship from The Birdcage Hotel, 14 players will be bringing out their best tennis for a chance of taking home the win. The mixed tournament will kick off at 9am on Saturday, with six teams entered so far. The men's and women's doubles will be held on Sunday, with a late start after the Megan Walker mini-marathon.

ADVERTORIA

Staying ahead of the game with grazing management

Livestock producers are constantly looking for ways to improve production and manage the risks that come as part of working on the land. Increasingly, producers are looking for more regenerative approaches, that can reduce costs, and build healthier and more resilient landscapes and paddocks.

George Stacey is the third generation in a grazing family to have put RCS regenerative grazing principles into practice. George grew up in Richmond, northwest Queensland, where his family developed an 18,000 ha property, grazing cattle in a multi-paddock controlled rotation to improve paddock

utilisation and to extend the stage two growth phase of their pastures. Switching to regenerative practices improved ground cover, soil health, productivity, and profitability. They more than doubled their carrying capacity and improved profitability sevenfold.

After leaving the family farm, George gained extensive experience across several industries and locations, from working on large scale breeding blocks in the Gulf, to the channel country in the central-west and dryland and irrigated cropping.

These days George is facilitating grazing

workshops across Australia, with the next to be held in Longreach this October. Workshops like this help those working the land to increase observational skills of what is happening on country, and how to make strides toward confidently managing grass, and feed budgeting within rangeland ecology. Participants gain a sense of confidence and control, from measuring available feed, to building biodiversity and improving soil health – these workshops focus on implementation. For more info on George Stacey, RCS, or workshops in your region, please contact RCS.

Transform your land with Australia's leading educator and advisor in regenerative agriculture

Our Grazing Clinic is a workshop that covers the principles and practices of grazing management. It includes, infrastructure design, grazing charts, feed budgeting and how to sequester soil carbon as well as managing for short growing seasons, extended dry periods and seasonal variability.

Join us for a free Field Day at Jericho 28 September.

Enrolments open for our Longreach Grazing Clinic 11–13 October.

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Week filled with character

By Michael R Williams

Once a year, throughout the country, the power of literacy is celebrated during Book Week—at Longreach State School this year it was done through a costume parade, with a little story time.

Teacher Librarian Elizabeth Harwood said this was a chance to celebrate the best of Australian literature.

"We [at Longreach State School] always have a big celebration to try to encourage our students," she said.

"The theme for this year is 'dreaming with eyes open', so we're having a slumber party.

"Because that's what you actually do—you don't actually sleep at a slumber party, you dream with your eyes open."

Ms Harwood said the event also contained a costume parade and videos of teachers reading books shortlisted for the Book Week prize.

"Then we will announce the winner of the costume party... and then have cake!" she said.

"The students love dressing up as characters, and with Covid we haven't had a full Book Week celebration.

"It's been very exciting to come back through the rainbow and back to our slumber party land."



Grade 1 in their costumes.



Teacher Rachel Fox reading a book from the projector.



Erin and Marty McMaster passing through as farts.



Oscar Walker is the Lomax.



Spiderman and Mario on the catwalk.

Disability Royal Commission Information Session regarding People with Disability who have experienced Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation

Are you a person with a disability or family member? Are you a Provider for people with a disability?

Have you, or those you support, experienced or witnessed neglect, abuse, violence, or exploitation?

At the invitation of, Outback Independent Living, Lotus Support Services have been invited to facilitate an information session regarding submissions to the Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability.

This session will inform submissions to the Royal Commission including experiences of systems failures in relation to disability service provision, health, education, and accommodation. Support Services will also be discussed.

The Royal Commission is about systems change so if you believe that systems in Longreach are not meeting your needs or the needs of those you support, please attend this session.

People with a Disability and Family Members Saturday 3rd September 2022

Desert Channels Resource Centre, 92 Galah Street Longreach 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM Afternoon tea provided

RSVP preferred:

Leanne Kohler (Outback Independent Living) Email: darcysdiner@gmail.com or phone **0499 833 611**

Service Providers

Monday 5th September 2022 Selectability

106 Galah Street Longreach 10:00 AM – 12:30 PM Morning tea provided

RSVP preferred:

lotussupportservices@micahprojects.org.au or phone 07 3036 4490





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Prep students enjoying Book Week.



Beau Stewart as an astronaut.



Sarah Strong is a scary dragon.

Ringside at Blackall-Tambo

By Michael R Williams

The final leg of the Blackall-Tambo Circus Carnival has finally wrapped up and organisers could not be happier with how it has been welcomed by the community.

Red Ridge Coordinator Gretchen Hayman said the event has had great reception.

"We've been supported and sold lots of tickets," she said.

"It's been years since we've had a circus—well over a decade.

"We hope to have it as an annual or bi-an-

"Just because of the history it's worth celebrating."

The Blackall-Tambo region was home to the Perry Brothers, the providers of the circus event and among Australia's biggest names in circus













Looking back on founder

By Longreach Archival And Historical **Research Group**

It is fortunate for Longreach that a gentleman who had made his home in the town had the foresight and initiative to prevent a section of the Common from becoming a dust bowl.

This man worked tirelessly for many years to establish Iningai Park, a nature reserve.

That man was Noel McDarra and sadly he passed away very recently.

Noel recorded an interview with one of our members in 2008 and this is his account of how Iningai Park evolved.

"In around 1996 or 1997, while visiting my brother in New South Wales, I read in the Longreach Leader that the Golf Club was interested in acquiring a piece of land over the Gin Creek.

'I phoned Joan Moloney who was Mayor at the time and she confirmed there was to be a meeting to discuss the matter.

"I asked her not to make a decision until I had the chance to talk with Council.

"I explained that the area was already in a very bad state and if it became a golf course, most of the trees would have to be cut down and with people walking around with spiked shoes, the area would soon become a dust bowl.

"As time went by, I again approached the Council with a plan to turn the area into a na-

'With my urging, the Council approached the Federal Government for some funding and they contributed \$62,000.

'For the grant application, I had to get letters of support.

"A few people he approached thought, 'What's this bloke on about?'

"Fortunately some came back and said, gee, that's a great idea—you've got something

"That was the beginning.



Noel McDarra.

'The golf course idea was abandoned and work began on the nature park.

"The grant funds were to cover fencing and

"The fence was erected by eight girls from the Longreach Pastoral College.

'They had come to Longreach from Gatton College to learn skills such as how to pull mills and fencing, as part of their practical training.

"I was one of the College instructors.

"I was also a good fencer and with the eight girls, two tractors and a truck, we erected five kilometres of the fence in two weeks.

"It was constructed from Gidgee posts, strainers and steel droppers.

'The labour was free and all the materials had to be purchased using part of the grant money

"The Gidgee posts were acquired in Barcaldine.

"After the fencing, the next step was the walking tracks.

"The first task was to have archaeological experts come and go all over the area, as it was originally Aboriginal land.

"If they found things like a coolibah tree where a shield had been taken out to make a coolamon, the track had to go well around it.

'The archaeologists found seven Aboriginal

"They also found one or two items from white habitation—like corduroy crossings, which we were not allowed to touch.

"Three Indigenous people from Longreach took a couple of days to go all around and in the end, wrote a 100-page report for the Coun-

"I had identified about 130 species of birds and another chap pointed out another 10 species as well as bush tomatoes and bush pota-

"The fence line had to be graded to make sure there were no Aboriginal artefacts then the walking tracks were done.

"We got good reports on the walking tracks. "I put in an information board and signage for the walking tracks.

"They are called Wilga Track, Gidgee Track, and Coolibah Track.

"Desert Channels has been very helpful over the years - they put signage around Coolibah track which is the most used, being the shortest one – 4 to 5 km, which is a nice walk.

"The one up to the Hall of Fame and back is about 12 km and the other one is 9 km.

"The tracks follow the channels and are well shaded.

"When it came to naming the area, I thought we should give recognition to the people who lived here originally-maybe Iningai, Kunngkari or Malintji.

"It became known as Iningai Nature Park.

"We wanted to mark the entrance to the park and the Pastoral College was once again a great supporter and supplied and grouted the two big pieces of timber above the gateway and Ergon Energy put up the two main

"Job done."

One of Noel's daughters, Suzie, recently told us another snippet of information from one of her conversations with her dad.

One day in 2005, Noel discovered that the native Bauhinia seedlings he planted along the 300-metre walk from the carpark to the information board had been wiped out by a swarm

When Suzie asked Noel what happened next, he replied, "We nurture the survivors and start all over again".

That was Noel.

His work was often difficult in our harsh conditions.

Iningai Park is a wonderful asset to the town of Longreach.

Thank you Noel McDarra and all who helped you establish it.

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

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Iningai Park an achievement

By Suzie C McDarra

Iningai Park founder Noel McDarra passed away on 7 July, aged 94.5 years.

A resident of Longreach for 63 years, Mr McDarra, a retired wool lecturer, objected to a proposal in 1998 to turn the town common south of Longreach into a golf course.

He went on to spend seven years in a full time voluntary effort to plan, coordinate research and project manage the creation of a natural bushland area, enhanced with three walking tracks.

Mr McDarra described the space as "somewhere you can go to lose yourself for an hour or two in peace and quiet". 1999

• After verbal objection in 1988, Mr McDarra

spent much of 1999 gathering support before presenting a proposal for a Nature Park to the Longreach mayor Joan Moloney. 2000

- Approval granted by Council to preserve 500 acres of bushland incorporating the three creeks, agreeing to Mr McDarra's suggestion to name it "Iningai Native Flora & Fauna Park".
- Submissions for funding by Central West Area Consultative Committee (CWACC)

2001

■ Federal Government grant of \$52,000 awarded to erect fences, signs and walking tracks.

■ Fences, Signs and Carpark entrance erected

- Two hundred Red Gums seedlings propagated by grazier Elizabeth Clark.
- Red Gums, Fuchsias, and Emu Bushes seedlings replanted, watered, protected and nurtured by Mr McDarra.

- Cultural Heritage Survey finds evidence of seven indigenous areas of interest and white habitation like corduroy crossings.
- Controlled burn-off.
- Fencing and Interpretive Signage erected by Longreach Pastoral College (LPC).
- Town Common Group Clean up 12 x 10 ton loads of rubbish removed.
- Mr McDarra won an Individual Outstand-

ing Accomplishment Award in the Outback Queensland Regional Tidy Towns in 2004.

- Three walking tracks were established and seating erected with the support of the newly elected Longreach mayor Pat Tanks.
- Instigation of Guided Nature Walks on Saturday mornings by five local nature lovers with more than 20 tourists regularly participating during the tourist season.
- September 12 Official Opening by Maranoa MP Bruce Scott expressed value to the natural attraction's contribution to the local ecotourism infrastructure.

- Two hundred flowering Bauhinia seedlingsplanted on the entrance walk from the car park to the information board.
- April first brochures available at the Tourist Information Centre with a map giving confidence for nature lovers and bird watchers to walk at their own leisure

- The Town Common Group was formed and Mr McDarra contributed in developing the Trust Land Management Plan in conjunction
- Bringing Them Home Ceremony was held at Iningai Park to repatriate ancestral remains into a special "Keeping Place".

Mr McDarra's love of spending time "in his other backyard" continued well after the founding years, with projects like koala rehabilitation, breeding and releasing Gouldian finches, and lobbying, often without success, for funding projects like removing noxious weed from the

His perseverance was evident many times over the years, including the devastation of his native Bauhinia seedlings wiped out by a swarm of grasshoppers. When asked "what next?" he replied, "we nurture the survivors and start all over again".

Mr McDarra was passionate about educating school children about the importance of conservation and the history and cultural significance of the area.

His historic notes during the developmental years often mentioned "feeling encouraged by the amount of young people who turned out".

Todd Austin counts on luck

By Michael R Williams

Big bonuses and bragging rights are on the line for Barcaldine bush trainer Todd Austin at this weekend's 140th anniversary edition of the Birdsville Races.

Not only will Austin be aiming for a fourth Birdsville Cup win in nine years, but he will also be gunning for the biggest trainer bonus in TAB Birdsville Cup history.

Austin, a former jockey and 2021/22 Queensland Country Trainers Premiership winner, took out the April 2022 TAB Birdsville Cup with gelding Echo Point-and if he manages to train back-to-back Cup winners this September, he'll nab himself a hefty \$10,000 bonus on top of his regular race winnings.

Another Cup win will also elevate Austin's legacy as the most successful TAB Birdsville Cup trainer of the 21st century.

He previously won the legendary outback race with Primed in 2013, French Hussler in 2019 and Echo Point in April

"It would be amazing to win another Birdsville Cup," Mr Austin said. "It's crazy to hold the title of 'Most Suc-

cessful Birdsville Cup Trainer of the 21st "We've still got seventy-eight years to go

to decide that one—but hey, I'll take it while "Jokes aside, my Birdsville Cup record is definitely something I'm proud of, and I

Races, so it's pretty special." Unfortunately for Austin, he won't be able to field Echo Point in this weekend's Cup—quashing his chances of winning the

have such a long history with the Birdsville

Nevertheless, he said he's still intending to run a horse in the Cup, which will keep him in contention for a \$10,000 bonus.

full \$15,000 bonus.

Austin is planning to field additional gallopers over the two-day 13-race carnival and likes his odds of picking up some extra wins.





"At this stage, we will probably take around ten horses to Birdsville and I think we'll have at least one set to race the Cup,' Austin said.

Austin is quick to acknowledge the efforts of his team and family in his Birdsville

He works closely with his wife, Toni at their home stables in Barcaldine—training horses alongside her.

"We hope Toni can travel out with us again in September—if her work's too busy at the time we'll have to fly the flag for her,' he said.

The couple is part of several syndicates which co-own the horses they train, and they work with a stellar team of bush jockeys including fellow Barcaldine dweller Brooke Richardson, who rode Echo Point to victory in the April 2022 Birdsville Cup.

Richardson is planning to join Austin for another tilt at the Birdsville Cup.





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We want to know!

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Cover Story

Lincoln in his element

Currently starring in Nine's crime-comedy series *After* the Verdict, Lincoln Younes reflects on the biggest roles of his career and what he has learnt along the way from the legends of the industry, writes **Siobhan Duck**

HEN it comes to playing likeable bad boys, you'd be hard pressed to find anyone with as much experience and expertise as Lincoln Younes.

From the very first moment Younes took on his first major role – as the troubled teen Romeo in the 2009 Foxtel drama *Tangle* – it was clear he had the talent and charisma to make even the most obnoxious and flawed character appealing.

And even though he has played an array of characters over the years, Younes has become something of a go-to guy for TV bad guys; from Tangle's Romeo and Home and Away's brooding Casey Braxton and now After the Verdict's smarmy real estate agent Ollie.

He's also been tapped to star in the upcoming Last King of the Cross as real-life nightclub owner John Ibrahim. Due to the sensitive nature of the material, Younes has to remain tight-lipped on the Paramount+ miniseries, which is currently in production.

"It's been a really exciting kind of adventure because it is a fictional retelling and based on true events in real life," he says.

"It's been a journey but I'm very excited for when it comes out."

The thoughtful star hasn't actively sought to play bad boys. Instead, Younes says he looks for roles that he can disappear behind and which offer him exciting challenges as an actor.

"I've always loved the idea of not being recognisable, which is which is quite funny having done a show like *Home and Away* where you are recognised for something," he says, with a wry and self-aware laugh.

"But in any role, the biggest compliment would be someone not recognising me!

"Since [Home and Away] there has been a conscious decision to always choose fun, dynamic characters.

"The reality is, you are so exceptionally fortunate to be working as an actor because 99 per cent of actors can't live off their wage."

Younes' ease in front of the camera has ensured that he has worked steadily since his breakout role on *Tangle* where, despite being just 13 years of age, he more than held his own among a talented and experienced cast that included Ben Mendelsohn, Kat Stewart and Justine Clarke. He even netted an ASTRA Award for his performance.

"Tangle was ahead of its time," ne says.

"I think it was deeply human and it showed, in all [their] ugly glory, the flaws of humans. And that's really that's how you engage people





nowadays. I was just so fortunate because the older actors that I was exposed to early on gave me a great respect for [their] work ethic."

Then landing his role on *Home* and *Away* provided Younes with a different sort of learning curve; forcing him to adjust to the fast pace of a soap and the glare of the spotlight that comes with it.

"I learned a lot of consistent technical elements of what it is to make a show quickly," he explains.

"Where there isn't much time for the writers or creators behind the screen, and you learn to make the best of what you're given in the time you're allocated. I have a great respect for that. But in terms of the fame and the lack of anonymity that came from that, yeah, I wasn't I wasn't ready for it."

Younes put his travelling plans on hold when he won the role of Casey, one of the trio of much-hyped "River Boys", which included Darryl (Stephen Peacocke) and Heath (Dan Ewing).

"I think we hit a golden period with the dynamics in which we came into the show," Younes says. "I don't know what aligned, but it seems to have been quite a heightened situation where the audience really enjoyed the dynamic between these new characters, which was great."

On his latest series, After the Verdict, Younes has once again found himself in a situation where the chemistry of the ensemble is a large part of what makes the series so engaging.

In the dark comedy about four jurors who reinvestigate the accused murderer they found not guilty, Younes stars alongside Michelle Lim Davidson (*The Newsreader*), Sullivan Stapleton (*Blindspot*) and comedy legend Magda Szubanski.

Younes says he developed a particularly close bond with Szubanski during filming.

"I have always admired Magda, not just for her comedy, but for her Let there be light: Above, Lincoln Younes enjoys the lighter aspects of Nine's crime-comedy After the Verdict; left, the actor, far right, with castmates Michelle Lim Davidson, Sullivan Stapleton and Magda Szubanski.

intellect," he says.

"I think that she is one of the most articulate and intelligent people we have in Australia and that is why she's such an Australian icon.

"I admire her work ethic and pioneering of underdogs in every way. I really respect her as a human but to work with [her] as well was such a pleasure. I looked forward to every day."

Apart from the on-set camaraderie, another appeal of *After the Verdict* for Younes was the fact it is unlike a lot of the stereotypical Aussie crime dramas you'd see on TV.

Instead, After the Verdict follows the lead of shows like Only Murders in the Building (Disney+) and is a lighter take on the genre, with a clutch of quirky characters.

"I feel like we often deal with drama in quite a heavy-handed way [in Australia]," he reflects.

"And that is not terribly culturally accurate for us because I feel like we have this lighter side of us that is drawn to levity, especially in heavy situations.

"So, it's quite exciting to be part of a drama that reflects that kind of mindset."

■ After the Verdict, Wednesday, 8.45pm, Nine and streaming, 9Now

Movie Guide





THE LORD OF THE RINGS: THE RETURN OF THE KING 7Flix, Friday, 8.30pm, M (2003)

Peter Jackson's epic trilogy gave movie fans one of the most thoroughly engrossing spectacles ever to have graced a cinema. Picking up from *The Two Towers, The Return of the King* sees the original Fellowship still fractured, with Frodo (Elijah Wood), Sam (Sean Astin) and duplicitous Gollum (Andy Serkis) making their way to Mount Doom. Meanwhile, Aragorn (Viggo Mortensen, pictured) tries to raise an evil-smiting army. It's a magnificent conclusion to a cinematic saga. ***



FANTASTIC BEASTS: THE CRIMES OF GRINDELWALD 7mate, Sunday, 7pm, PG (2018)

The second instalment of this five-part *Harry Potter* prequel is another magical excursion into the wizarding world. When the wizard Gellert Grindelwald (Johnny Depp) plots to raise an army of magic users to rule over non-magical beings, professor Albus Dumbledore (Jude Law) seeks the help of his former student Newt Scamander (Eddie Redmayne, pictured with Katherine Waterston) to stop him. Those not yet converted to the charms of the franchise are unlikely to find a remedy here.



SCOOBY-DOO 9Go!, Friday, 6pm, PG (2002)

The meddling kids of Mystery Inc. switch from animated characters to real people in this fun-filled adaptation. After going their separate ways following a heated argument – much to the astonishment of Shaggy (Matthew Lillard) and his computergenerated buddy Scooby – an amusement park entrepreneur (Rowan Atkinson) with an evil plan gives them cause to reunite. Freddie Prinze Jr, Sarah Michelle Gellar and Linda Cardellini (pictured, right, with Gellar) round out the cast. ***



HOT FUZZ 9Go!, Monday, 8.30pm, MA15+ (2007)

From the warped minds behind hilarious horror spoof *Shaun of the Dead* comes this criminally funny cop-movie parody. London bobby Nicholas Angel (Simon Pegg, pictured, right, with frequent collaborator Nick Frost), a PC with an arrest record 400 per cent higher than any other, is sent by a chief inspector (Bill Nighy) off to a sleepy Somerset village because he's making the rest of the force look bad. It's supposed to be an easy gig, but he's soon up to his eyeballs in murder. ***



THE NINE LIVES OF OZZY OSBOURNE SBS VICELAND, Saturday, 8.30pm (2020)

Tracing the life of Ozzy Osbourne (pictured) is no mean feat. From the dizzying heights of stardom as the frontman of metal band Black Sabbath to his successful solo career and even a stint as a reality TV star on *The Osbournes*, the Birminghamborn rock star has come a long way since his humble beginnings. This insightful documentary from director R. Greg Johnston goes beyond the myths to uncover how the legendary star came to be the statesman of the industry he is today.



SPY GAME 9Go!, Tuesday, 7.30pm, M (2001)

On his final day on the job, an old-school CIA spook (Robert Redford) is called in by the agency's top brass to help explain why his maverick protégé (Brad Pitt, pictured) has been arrested in China on an unauthorised assignment. With the head honchos unwilling to jeopardise trade talks for one rogue agent, the veteran is forced to play a high-stakes game of office politics to save his friend's life. Director Tony Scott's stylish, taut thriller examines the changing face of post-Cold War espionage. **

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SAVAGE RIVER ABC TV, Sunday, 8.30pm

After kickstarting her career in the United States, Perth-born actor Katherine Langford (pictured, 13 Reasons Why, Knives Out) returns to Australian screens to headline this mystery. The Golden Globe nominee plays Miki Anderson, an ex-con who returns to her hometown after a decade in prison, only to find herself the suspect in a murder case. Determined to prove her innocence, Miki uncovers secrets that cast doubt on everything she thought she knew. Filmed around the Victorian towns of Bright and Myrtleford and directed by Jocelyn Moorhouse (The Dressmaker), this captivating six-part drama co-stars Jacqueline McKenzie and Nadine Garner.



BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS Seven, Friday, 7pm

This much-loved lifestyle show likes to have a finger in every pie: from beautiful house tours, to a bit of light DIY carpentry, tempting recipes, timely gardening tips and the occasional animal that is in desperate need of Dr Harry Cooper's expert help, there's always a variety of segments to feast on. Tonight, tummies will be rumbling. Besides a beach house tour and a class in making your own candle holders, the focus is on glorious food. Joh (pictured) meets a family that makes cheese, while Fast Ed reveals how to finesse two basics: fried rice and butter biscuits. Melissa also talks heirloom tomatoes and Karen shares an easy-but-fancy sausage bake.

THE AMAZING **RACE AUSTRALIA** 10, Monday, 7.30pm

It seems too good to be true, but yes those envious travel photos flooding our social media feeds once more are real, as intrepid travellers flock to international departure gates, keen to make up for lost time. If you've not booked a trip yet, let The Amazing Race Australia be your



SBS Viceland, Tuesday, 8.30pm

Fans of Survivor and Hunted will enjoy season eight of this high-stakes reality series in which 10 brave competitors try to navigate 100 days in the Canadian wilderness

for the chance to win \$500,000. Not only must the contestants try to live on limited resources - as is the case with the other popular programs but they also face the ever-present threat of the deadliest predator in North America - the

grizzly bear. Just when you thought reality TV producers couldn't up the ante any further! The beasts immediately make their presence known, but one participant quickly realises that grizzly bears aren't the only threat to their life.

Friday, September 2

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Q+A. (R) 11.05 Extraordinary Escapes. (PG, R) 11.50 Gardening Australia: My Garden Path. (R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 The School That Tried To End Racism. (PG, R) 2.00 Grantchester. (Final, May, R) 2.45 War Stories. (PG, R) 3.00 Escape From The City. (R) 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) 4.55 Anh's Brush With Fame. (R) 5.25 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories. 7.30 Gardening Australia: Spring Special. Costa

Georgiadis visits Taronga Zoo.

8.30 Baptiste. (MIV) Emma finds a lead on Alex's computer that takes her and Julien to a shocking and bloody discovery. 9.30 Doc Martin. (PG, R) Ruth is

concerned when Martin offers to perform a mini-mental health examination on her. 10.20 ABC Late News.

10.35 Shaun Micallef's MAD AS HELL. (M, R) **11.05 Summer Love.** (Ml, R) **11.40 Rage.** (MA15+adhlnsv)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **5.20pm** School Of Roars. **5.30** Tish Tash. **5.35** PJ Masks. **5.50** Peppa Pig. **5.55** Nella The Princess Knight. **6.05** The Adventures Of Paddington. 6.20 Bluey. 6.25 Peter Rabbit. 6.40 **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Hard Quiz. **8.30** MOVIE: Albert Nobbs. (2011, M) **10.20** Doctor Who. 11.10 Ql. 11.45 Red Dwarf. 12.15am Ross Noble: Stand Up Series. 12.45 Motherland. 1.15 ABC News Update. **1.20** Close. **5.00** Twirlywoos. **5.15** Hoot Hoot Go! **5.20** Pocoyo. **5.30** Guess How Much I Love You. **5.40** Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 Undiscovered Vistas. 10.50 Road Open. 11.00 Going Places. **Noon MOVIE:** Above The Rim. (1994) **1.40** Firekeepers Of Kakadu. **2.00** Shortland St. 2.30 Kriol Kitchen. 3.00 Bushwhacked! 3.25 The Magic Canoe. **3.50** Wolf Joe. **4.00** Aussie Bush Tales. **4.10** Grace Beside Me. **4.35** Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 NITV News: Nula. 6.00 Bamay. 6.40 Undiscovered Vistas. **7.30 MOVIE:** Selkie. (2000, PG) **9.05** First Nations Bedtime Stories. 9.15 Through The Wormhole With Morgan Freeman. 10.05 On The Road. 11.00 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.05 Inside The Modelling Agency. (PG) 10.00 Food Markets: In The Belly Of The City. 11.00 Ancient Invisible Cities. (R) **12.00** WorldWatch. **2.00** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) 2.10 Unknown Amazon. (PGan, R) 3.00 NITV News: Nula. 3.30 The Cook Up. (PG, R) 4.00 Jeopardy! 4.30 Letters And Numbers. (R) **5.00** Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 12. Highlights.

6.00 The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG) **6.30** SBS World News.

7.35 Lost Treasures Of Ancient Rome: Nero's Lost Palace. (PG) 8.30 Ross Kemp: Shipwreck Treasure Hunter: Trade Wars. (M) Part 4 of 4. 9.25 World's Most Scenic Railway Journeys: France.

(R) Narrated by Bill Nighy. 10.15 SBS World News Late. 10.50 Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 13. Ronda to Montilla. 168.4km flat stage. From Spain. 1.50 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 2.00 Das Boot. (Manv, R) **4.10** Food Safari. (R) **4.40** Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning. **5.30** ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. 9.30 Shortland St. 11.00 Cavendish. Noon How To Rob A Bank. **12.55** Huang's World. **1.50** Planet A. **2.20** Secrets Of Our Cities. **3.15** Feeding The Scrum. 3.45 ABC World News Tonight With David Muir. Painting With Bob Ross. 6.15 Forged In Fire. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown 8.30 Hoarders. 9.20 Adam Looking For Eve. 10.15 Love And Sex In China. 11.25 American Gods. 12.35am VICE News Tonight. 1.30 Hamilton's Pharmacopeia. **2.20** I Was A Teenage Felon. **3.15** NHK World English News. **5.00** Al Jazeera.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Watership Down. Continued. (1978, PG) **7.15** Me And Orson Welles. (2008, PG) **9.20** Between Worlds. (2016, PG, Hebrew) **10.55** Diva. (1981, M, French) 1.05pm Dancing At Lughnasa. (1998, PG) **2.50** Zindagi Milegi Na Dobara. (2011, PG, Hindi) **5.35** Asterix And Obelix: Mission Cleopatra. (2002, PG, French) **7.30** Man Of The Year. (2006, M) **9.35** The Ghost Writer. (2010. MA15+) 11.55 Near Dark. (1987, MA15+) **1.45am** Killer Joe. (2011, MA15+) 3.35 Higher Ground. (2011, M) 5.40 Mary Shelley.

SEVEN (7)

9.00 The Morning Show. (PG) 11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Jesse Stone: Thin Ice. (2009, M, R) Tom Selleck. 2.00 House Of Wellness. (PG) 3.00 The Chase. (R) 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.

Hosted by Larry Emdur.

6.00 Seven Local News. 6.30 Seven News. 7.00 Better Homes And Gardens. Pete checks out a beach house in Currumbin 8.30 MOVIE: 27 Dresses. (2008, PGls, R)

A woman is conflicted when she is invited to be in her sister's wedding party because she is in love with the groom However, she finds herself distracted by a reporter who is covering the event for the society pages. Katherine Heigl, James Marsden, Malin Akerman.

10.45 To Be Advised. 12.55 Instant Hotel. (PGIn, R) 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Million Dollar Minute. (R) 5.00 NBC Today.

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Travel Oz. 8.00 Harry's Practice. 8.30 Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Bargain Hunt. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 South Aussie With Cosi. 2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Emmerdale. 5.00 6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Better Homes And Gardens. 8.30 Escape To The Country. 11.30 My Impossible House. 12.30am Australia's Deadliest. **1.00** The Fine Art Auction. **4.00** Better Homes And Gardens. **5.30** Home Shopping.

7MATE (74) 6am ITM Fishing Show: Best Of The Best. **7.00** Merv Hughes Fishing. **7.30** Creek To Coast. **8.00** A Football Life. **9.00** America's Game: The Super Bowl Champions. 10.00 Pawn Stars. **11.00** American Pickers. **Noon** Hellfire Heroes. **1.00** Boy To Man. **2.00** Big Easy Motors. 3.00 Timbersports. 3.30 Pawn Stars UK. 4.00 Pawn Stars South Africa. **4.30** Storage Wars. **5.00** Football, AFL Women's, Round 2, Melbourne v North Melbourne. **7.00** AFL: Friday Night Countdown. **7.30** Football. AFL. Second qualifying final. Melbourne v Sydney. 10.30 AFL Post-Game Show. 11.00 Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

(pictured).

6.00 Today. **9.00** Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. **12.00 MOVIE: Sweet Autumn.** (2020, G) 1.45 9Honey: Queen Elizabeth. (PG, R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. (R) 5.30 WIN News.

Football Stadium.

6.00 Nine News. **7.00** A Current Affair. **7.30** Rugby League. NRL. Round 25. Sydney Roosters v South Sydney Rabbitohs. **9.55 Golden Point.** A wrap-up of the Sydney Roosters versus South Sydney Rabbitohs match, with NRL news and analysis. 10.35 Our Place: Sydney

12.05 Tipping Point. (PG, R) 1.00 Postcards. (PG, R)
1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.00** Take Two. (R) **4.30** Global Shop. (R) **5.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **5.30** Skippy The Bush Kangaroo. (R)

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day 4. Continued. 1pm My Favorite Martian. 1.30 Days Of Our Lives. **2.30** The Young And The Restless. **3.30** Murder, She Wrote. **4.30** Antiques Roadshow. **5.30** Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Dragons. 7.30 Country House Hunters Australia. 8.30 MOVIE: American Sniper. (2014, MA15+) 11.10 Dr Christian Jessen Will See You Now. 12.10am Antiques Roadshow 12.40 Customs 1.00 Tennis.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. **11.30** Yu-Gi-Oh! Sevens. **Noon** The Bionic Woman. **1.00** Buck Rogers. **2.00** Baywatch. **3.00** The Nanny. **3.30** 3rd Rock From The Sun. **4.00** That '70s Show. **4.30** Everybody Loves Raymond. **5.30** The Nanny **6.00 MOVIE:** Scooby-Doo. (2002, PG) **7.45** MOVIE: Ghost In The Shell. (2017, M) 9.45 MOVIE: Lucy. (2014, MA15+) 11.30 Up All Night. Midnight Camp Getaway. **12.55** Race Across The World. **2.10** License To Kill. **3.00** Bakugan: Armored Alliance. **3.30** Ninjago: Masters Of Spinjitzu. **4.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping. **5.00** Pokémon The Series: Sun & Moon. **5.30** Power Rangers Dino Charge.

TEN (5, 1) 6.00 Ent. Tonight. (R) **6.30** GCBC. (R) **7.00** Judge Judy. (PG, R) **7.30** Bold. (PG, R) **8.00** 10 News First: Breakfast. 8.30 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGa) 1.00 The Living Room. (PG, R) 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 Food Trail: South Africa. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 4.00 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (PG) 5.00 10 News First.

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

7.30 The Living Room. The team celebrates Father's Day weekend with the Annual Ultimate Living Room Dad Off. 8.40 To Be Advised.

10.40 Just For Laughs Australia. (Mls, R) Guests include comedians Rove McManus, Ivan Aristeguieta and Simon Taylor.

11.40 The Project. (R) A look at the day's news and events. 12.40 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) Late-night talk show.

1.30 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. **7.00** Friends. **7.30** Seinfeld. **9.00** Becker. **10.00** The Middle. **11.00** Friends. **11.30** The King Of Queens. **12.30pm** Frasier. **1.30** Seinfeld. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. Theory. **9.30** Mom. **10.30** Charmed. **11.30** Frasier. Midnight Home Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Home Shopping. 1.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 2.30 The Late Late Show With James Corden. 3.30 Becker. 4.30 Home Shopping. 5.30 Infomercials.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Infomercials. **8.00** The Doctors. **9.00** Escape Fishing With ET. **9.30** Reel Action. **10.00** MacGyver. Noon The Love Boat. 1.00 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 2.00 Diagnosis Murder. 3.00 Bondi Rescue 3.30 The Love Boat 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 5.30 MacGyver. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Blue Bloods. 10.20 Evil. 11.15 Star Trek: Discovery. **12.15am** Home Shopping. **1.15** Infomercials. **1.45** Home Shopping. **2.15** Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 14. Belgian Grand Prix. Replay. **3.10** Star Trek: The Next Generation. 4.05 MacGvver.

Saturday, September 3

ABC TV (2)

6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. **9.00** Rage. (PG) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. 12.30 Vera. (PG, R)

2.00 Midsomer Murders. (PG, R) 3.30 Great Southern Landscapes. (R) 4.00 Spicks And Specks. (PG, R) 4.50 Landline. (R)

5.20 David Attenborough's Conquest Of The Skies: Triumph. (R)

6.10 Extraordinary Escapes: Prue Leith. (PG, R) Part 4 of 4. 7.00 ABC News. Takes a look at today's top stories.

7.30 Death In Paradise. (Ma, R) After a passenger is stabbed on the express bus to Honoré, Jack and his team are baffled.

8.30 Miniseries: Marriage. (MI) Part 1 of 4. Follows the relationship of a couple in their fifties whose daughter has left home as they deal with the tensions, temptations, jealousies and the day-to-day drama of their lives.

9.30 Summer Love. (MI, R) Eight very different sets of people rent the same holiday house and encounter some incarnation of love.

10.05 Midsomer Murders. (Mv, R) A ballroom dancer is murdered. 11.35 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) Guest programmed by The HU.

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.10pm** Shaun The Sheep. **7.20** Bluey. **7.30** Spicks And Specks. **8.00** Ql. **8.30** Live From The BBC. (Final) 9.15 Sammy J. 9.20 Whose Line Is It Anyway? 9.45 Would I Lie To You? 10.15 Doctor Who. 11.00 Jayde Adams: Serious Black Jumper. 12.05am Friday Night Dinner. 12.30 Brassic. 1.15 David Attenborough's First Life. **2.10** ABC News Update. **2.15** Close. **5.00** Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. **12.25pm** Always Was Always Will Be. **1.00** Stand Up And Be Counted: A NAIDOC Concert Special. **2.50** Hockey. WA Men's Field Hockey. Premier Division 1.

4.20 Hockey. WA Women's Field Hockey. Premier Division 1. 5.50 Songs From The Inside. 6.20 Kriol Kitchen. 6.50 News. 7.00 The Casketeers. 7.30 First Australians. 8.30 The Wrestlers. 9.30 MOVIE: Above The Rim. (1994) 11.10 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.00 Love Your Home And Garden. 9.55 Our Coast. 11.00 Paul O'Grady: For The Love Of Dogs. (PG) 12.00 WorldWatch. **1.00** PBS NewsHour. **2.00** Gymnastics. FIG Rhythmic World Challenge Cup. Highlights. 4.00 Trail Towns. (PG, R) 4.30 Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 13. Highlights. 5.30 Hell On Earth: WWII.

6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 World's Most Scenic Railway Journeys: Sweden. (PG) Narrated by Bill Nighy. 8.30 Secrets Of The Tower

Of London. (MI, R) Takes a look at the Tower of London. 9.25 Devon & Cornwall With **Michael Portillo: Start Point** To Blackstone Point. (R) Michael Portillo continues his journey.

10.20 The Artist's View: Whitney Houston. 10.50 Cycling. UCI World Tour.

La Vuelta. Stage 14. 1.50 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 2.00 Unknown Amazon. (PGa, R) 3.40 Food Safari. (R) **4.40** Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK World English News Morning. 5.15 France 24 Feature. 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. **9.30** Shortland St. **10.00** Basketball. WNBA. Playoffs. **Noon** Fubar: The Age Of The Computer. 12.50 Speed With Guy Martin. 1.45 Noisey. 2.35 Over The Black Dot. **3.05** Yokayi Footy. **4.00** WorldWatch. **5.30** Gone Fishing With Mortimer & Whitehouse. **6.35** Domino Masters. **7.30** Impossible Engineering. **8.30 MOVIE:** The Nine Lives Of Ozzy Osbourne. (2020) **10.05** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Mary Shelley. Continued. (2017, PG) 7.55 Ex Files 3. (2017, PG, Mandarin) 10.05 About Last Night. (1986) **12.10pm** Skin. (2008, M) **2.10** Me And Orson Welles. (2008, PG) **4.15** Between Worlds. (2016, PG, Hebrew) **5.50** Thirteen Days. (2000, PG) **8.30** The Game. (1997, MA15+) **10.50** The Chambermaid Lynn. (2014, MA15+, German) **12.30am** Cordelia.

(2019) **2.10** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. 10.00 The Morning Show: Weekend.

(PG) Highlights from the past week 12.00 Horse Racing. Cox Plate Qualifier Day and Club Cup Day. 5.00 Seven News At 5. **5.30 Creek To Coast**. A look at

the latest in outdoor activities. 6.00 Seven News.

7.00 Border Security: Australia's Front Line. (PG, R) Two boxes are intercepted containing native shingleback lizards ready to be shipped out of the country. 7.30 MOVIE: Beauty And The Beast.

(2017, PGav, R) A young woman is imprisoned in a mysterious castle with a selfish, monstrous-looking prince. Emma Watson, Dan Stevens, Luke Evans.

10.10 MOVIE: X-Men: Apocalypse. (2016, Mlv, R) With the reemergence of the world's first mutant, the X-Men must unite to defeat his extinction-level plan. James McAvoy, Jennifer Lawrence.

12.40 Instant Hotel. (PGIs, R) The guests travel to Mikey and Shay's mansion. 2.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 It's Academic. (R)

Hosted by Simon Reeve. 5.00 House Of Wellness. (PG, R)

7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs. **11.00** The Zoo. **11.30** South Aussie With Cosi. **Noon** Weekender. 12.30 Creek To Coast. 1.00 Weekender. 1.30 Auction Squad. 2.30 Animal Rescue. 3.00 Escape To The Country. **4.00** Bargain Hunt. **5.00** Horse Racing. Cox Plate Qualifier Day and Club Cup Day. **5.30** The Amazing Homemakers. **6.30** The Yorkshire Vet. **8.30** Escape To The Country. **11.30** Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs. **11.30** Life Off Road. **Noon** Garage 41. **12.30** Timbersports. **1.00** Blokesworld. **1.30** Australia ReDiscovered. **2.00** Motor Racing. AMRS. Round 4. Highlights. **3.00** Pawn Stars. **3.30** AFL Pre-Game. 4.30 Football. AFL. First qualifying final. Geelong v Collingwood. **7.30** AFL Post-Game Show. **8.00** Football. AFL. First elimination final. Fremantle v Western Bulldogs. 11.00 Late Programs.

NINE (8.9)

6.00 Getaway. (PG, R) 6.30 A Current Affair. (R) 7.00 Weekend Today. 10.00 Today Extra: Saturday. (PG) **12.00** The Garden Gurus. 12.30 Rivals. (PGI) 1.00 Rugby League. NRL Women's Premiership. Round 3. Brisbane Broncos v Gold Coast Titans. **3.00** Rugby League. QRL. Hostplus Cup. Finals Week 1. 5.00 News: First At Five. 5.30 Getaway. (PG)

6.00 Nine News Saturday. **7.00 Riverfire.** Coverage of Riverfire 2022 from Brisbane. 7.35 Rugby League. NRL. Round 25. North

Queensland Cowboys v Penrith Panthers. 9.30 NRL Saturday Night Footy Post-Match. Post-match coverage of the NRL game between North Queer Cowboys and Penrith Panthers.

9.50 MOVIE: Dirty Harry. (1971, MA15+av, R) A police inspector reprimanded for his brutal treatment of criminals is assigned to track down a sniper. Clint Eastwood, Harry Guardino.

12.00 A+E After Dark. (Mlm, R) A 17-year-old breaks his ankle. **1.00 Tipping Point**. (PG, R) 2.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) **4.30** Global Shop. (R) **5.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping.** (R) 5.30 Skippy The Bush Kangaroo. (R)

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day 5. Continued. **1pm** My Favorite Martian. **1.30** Skippy The Bush Kangaroo. **2.00** World's Greatest Journeys. 3.00 Rugby Union. Hospital Cup. Finals. Week 1. 5.00 MOVIE: Pony Express. (1953, PG) 7.00 Rugby Union. Rugby Championship. Round 4. Australia v South Africa. 9.30 Wallabies V South Africa Post-Match. 10.00 To Be Advised. 1am Tennis. US Open. Day 6.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. **1.40pm** Raymond. **2.10** Motor Racing, Targa High Country. Replay. **2.40** Surfing Australia TV. **3.10** The Channel: The World's Busiest Waterway. **4.10**Mr Mayor. **4.40 MOVIE:** E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial. (1982, PG) **7.00** Rugby League. NRL. North Qld Cowboys v Penrith Panthers. **7.30 MOVIE:** The Hobbit: An Unexpected Journey. (2012, M) **11.10** Late Programs.

TEN (5.1)

6.00 Reel Action. (R) 6.30 Leading The Way. **7.00** Escape Fishing. (R) **7.30** Wildlife Rescue. (PGm, R) **8.30** What's Up Down Under. (R) 9.00 Australia By Design: Innovations. (PG, R) **9.30** St10. (PG) **12.00** Everyday Gourmet. (R) 12.20 Luxury Escapes. (R) 12.50 Living Room. (R) 2.00 Soccer. Women's International Friendly. Game 1. Australia v Canada. 5.00 10

6.00 Luxury Escapes. Cameron Daddo is joined by comedian Tanya Hennessy to visit Disneyland California.

6.30 Bondi Rescue. (PGal, R) The lifeguards must perform CPR after Jessie rescues an American tourist from relatively calm waters.

7.00 The Dog House. (PG, R) A Patterdale terrier puppy named Friday might be a bit too enthusiastic for its young potential owner.

8.00 Ambulance. (Return, Mal) A call to help a patient threatening to jump off a bridge requires an urgent response.

10.00 To Be Advised. **11.00 NCIS.** (Ma, R) A body is found at a drone-testing site. 1.00 Home Shopping. (R) 3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R) 5.00 Hour Of Power.

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** Friends. **Noon** The King Of Queens. **1.00** To Be Advised. **5.30** Friends. **6.00** The Big Bang Theory. **10.15** Friends. **12.15am** Home Shopping. **1.15** Infomercials. **1.45** The Big Bang Theory. **2.35** Nancy Drew. **3.30** Charmed. 4.30 Home Shopping.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Infomercials. **9.00** The Doctors. **10.00** Pat Callinan's 4x4 Adventures. 11.00 Australia By Design: Innovations. **11.30** Healthy Homes
Australia. **Noon** The Love Boat. **1.00** Star Trek: The Next Generation. **2.00** MacGyver. **4.00** Roads Less Travelled. **4.30** Waltzing Jimeoin. **5.00** Reel Action. **5.30** Scorpion. **7.30** NCIS. **8.30** NCIS: Los Angeles. **10.20** Blood And Treasure. **11.15** Late Programs.



Sunday, September 4

6.00 Rage. (PG) 7.00 Weekend Breakfast. 9.00 Insiders. 10.00 Offsiders. 10.30 World This Week. (R) 11.00 Compass. (PG, R) 11.30 Praise. **12.00** News. **12.30** Landline. **1.30** Gardening Australia: Spring Special. (R) 2.30 Old People's Home For Teenagers. (R) 3.30 Rick Stein's Road To Mexico. (Final, R) **4.30** Win The Week. (PG, R) **5.00** Art Works. (PG, R) 5.30 Antiques Roadshow. (R)

6.30 Compass: Rohingya Boy. (PG, R) The story of a refugee named Kabir. 7.00 ABC News Sunday. 7.40 Spicks And Specks. (PG)

Hosted by Adam Hills. **8.30 Savage River.** (Premiere, Malsv) An ex-con returns to her home town only

to find herself a suspect in a murder case. 9.30 MOVIE: The Girl On The Train. (2016, MA15+av, R) After witnessing an incident from her seat on a train, a divorced alcoholic becomes embroiled in an

investigation. Emily Blunt, Justin Theroux. 11.20 The Capture. (Mlv, R) **12.15 Vanity Fair.** (PG, R) 1.50 Glitch. (Malsv, R) **2.50 Rage.** (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.15 The Recording Studio. (PG, R) 5.00 Insiders. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. **7.10pm** Shaun The Sheep. **7.20** Bluey. 7.30 Compass. (Final) 8.00 You Can't Ask That (Final) 8.30 Louis Theroux: By Reason Of Insanity. 9.35 Old People's Home For Teenagers. 10.35 Civilisations. 11.35 MOVIE: Albert Nobbs. (2011, M) **1.25am** George Clarke's Amazing Spaces. **2.15** ABC News Update. **2.20** Close. **5.00** Clangers. **5.15** Hoot

Hoot Go! 5.20 Sarah & Duck. 5.30 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 12.30pm The Rising. 1.00 Rugby Union. Ella 7s. **1.30** VICE Sports. **2.00** The South Sydney Story. **3.00** Rugby League. NRL NT. **4.30** Rugby League. NRL. WA Womens First Grade Premiership League. **6.00** Amplify. **6.30** News. **6.40** Wild New Zealand. **7.40** Who Killed Malcolm X. **8.30** The Kings. **9.35** MOVIE: Rumble In The Bronx. (1995, M) 11.10 Late

6.00 WorldWatch. 9.00 Love Your Home And Garden With Alan Titchmarsh. (PG) 9.55 Our Coast. (PG) 11.00 Paul O'Grady: For The Love Of Dogs. (PG) 12.00 WorldWatch. 1.00 Speedweek. **3.00** AusMoto Show. **3.30** Countdown To Qatar 2022. 4.00 The Rising. 4.30 Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 14. Highlights. **5.30** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) 5.35 Hitler's Olympics. (PGa, R)

6.30 SBS World News. **7.30** What Killed The Roman Empire? (PG) Experts explore the collapse of the Roman Empire and the role played by

climate change and three pandemics. **9.00 America After 9/11.** (Mav, R) Filmmaker Michael Kirk and his team trace the legacy of the 9/11 terrorist attacks.

11.10 Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 15. 1.50 Destination Flavour

Down Under Bitesize. (R) **2.00 Pandemic 2020.** (Ma, R) 3.10 Food Safari. (R)

4.40 Destination Flavour: Japan Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK World English

News Morning. 5.15 France 24 Feature. 5.30 Al Jazeera News.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am Morning Programs. **12.55** Armed and Reasonable: Guns And Canada. 1.25 Reset. 1.55 The New York Times Presents: The Weekly. **2.25** Secrets Of Our Cities. **3.25** WorldWatch. **3.55** Underground Worlds. **5.45** Life After People. 6.40 How Not To Get Cancer. 7.35 Abandoned Engineering. **8.30** The UnXplained. **9.20** A Beginner's Guide To Grief. **10.45** Late

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Morning Programs. 6.05 Asterix And Obe Mission Cleopatra. (2002, PG, French) 8.00 The Odyssey. (2016, PG, French) 10.15 Higher Ground. (2011, M) 12.20pm Still Here. (2020, M) 2.05 Ex Files 3. (2017, PG, Mandarin) **4.15** Mary Shelley. (2017, PG) **6.30** The Chaperone. (2018, PG) **8.30** Boundaries. (2018, M) 10.25 Charlie And Boots. (2009, M) **12.20am** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 NBC Today. 7.00 Weekend Sunrise. **10.00** The Morning Show: Weekend. (PG) **12.00** House Of Wellness. (PG, R) 1.00 Surveillance Oz. (PG, R) 1.30 Highway Patrol. (PG, R) 2.00 MOVIE: Inside Out. (1975, PGav, R) 4.00 Better Homes And Gardens. (R) 5.00 Seven News At 5. 5.30 Weekender.

6.00 Seven News. 7.00 Farmer Wants A Wife. (Return, PGI)

Hosted by Natalie Gruzlewski. **8.40 7NEWS Spotlight.** Takes

a look at an investigation.

9.40 Homicide: With Ron Iddles: Erwin Kastenberger. (Mav, R) Ron Iddles takes a look at the investigation into the murder of Erwin Kastenberger.

10.40 Undercurrent: Real **Murder Investigation:** Witnesses. (Ma, R) A look into the disappearance of Bob Chappell.

11.45 Killer Tapes: The Murder Of Rhys Jones. (Mav, R) 12.45 Crash Investigation Unit. (PG, R) **2.00** Home Shopping. (R) **3.30** Million Dollar Minute. (R) **4.00** NBC Today. **5.00** Seven Early News. **5.30** Sunrise.

7TWO (72) 6am Morning Programs **1pm** The Great Australian Doorstep. **1.30** Discover With RAA Travel. **2.00** The Bowls Show. **3.00** South Aussie With Cosi. 3.30 My Italian Family. 4.00 Equestrian. FEI World C'ships. Team Dressage. H'lights. **5.15** To Be Advised. **6.00** Air Crash Investigation: Special Report. 7.00 Border Security. 8.30 Chris Tarrant's Extreme Railways. 9.30 Mighty Trains. 11.30 Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs. **11.30** Step Outside. **Noon** The Fishing Show By AFN. 1.00 Hook. Line And Sinker. 2.00 Fishing Addiction. 3.00 Football. AFL Women's. Round 2. GWS Giants v Brisbane Lions. 5.00 Football. AFL Women's. Round 2. Gold Coast Suns v West Coast. **7.00 MOVIE:** Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes Of Grindelwald. (2018, PG) 9.45 MOVIE: I, Robot. (2004, M) **12.05am** Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Fishing Australia. (R) 6.30 Rivals. (PGI, R) **7.00** Weekend Today. **10.00** Sports Sunday. (PG) 11.00 NRL Sunday Footy Show. (PG) 1.00 Bondi Lifeguard World

Adventures. (PGI, R) **1.30 Our Place: Sydney** Football Stadium. (R) 3.00 Rugby League. NRL. Round 25. Wests Tigers v Canberra Raiders

6.00 Nine News Sunday. 7.00 The Block. (PGI) Hosted by Scott Cam. 8.30 60 Minutes. Current affairs program, investigating, analysing and uncovering the issues affecting all Australians.

9.30 Nine News Late. Takes a look at the latest news and events from Australia and around the world. 10.00 The First 48: Chopper. (Malv)

A look at the murder of Deontavious Wright. 11.00 Killer Couples: Leslie & Mike **Mackool.** (MA15+av) A look at the case of Leslie and Mike Mackool. 11.50 First Responders. (Malm) **12.40 Tipping Point**. (PG, R) 1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) **4.30** Take Two. (R)

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day 6. Continued. 1pm The AFL Sunday Footy Show. 3.00 My Favorite Martian. 3.30 The Garden Gurus. 4.00 Getaway. 4.30 MOVIE: The 7th Dawn. (1964. PG) 7.00 To Be Advised. 11.00 Chicago Fire. Midnight The Baron. 1.00 Tennis. US Open. Day 7.

5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. 1.30pm Rivals. 2.00 America's Top Dog. 3.30 Top Chef. 4.30 Say Yes To The Dress: UK. 5.30 MOVIE: The Phantom. (1996, PG) 7.30 MOVIE: RED 2. 2013, M) **9.45 MOVIE:** Under Siege. (1992, M) **11.55** Rise. **12.50am** Below Deck. **2.35** Say Yes To The Dress: UK. 3.00 Power Rangers Dino Super.

3.30 Beyblade Burst: Quad Drive. 4.00 Yu-Gi-Oh!

Sevens. 4.30 Ricky Zoom. 4.50 Late Programs.

TEN (5, 1)

6.00 Mass. **6.30** Turning Point. (PGa) **7.00** Leading The Way. (PG, R) 7.30 Tomorrow's World. (PGa) **8.00** Farm To Fork. (PG, R) **8.20** Living Room. (R) 9.30 St10. (PG) 12.00 To Be Advised. **1.30** Everyday Gourmet. (R) **2.00** Pooches At Play. (R) **2.30** Luxury Escapes. (R) 3.00 My Market Kitchen. (R) 3.30 Food Trail: South Africa. (R) 4.00 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 4.30 Taste Of Aust. 5.00 News

6.30 The Sunday Project.

A look at the day's news.

7.30 The Amazing Race Australia. (PG) The racers arrive in Athens for a thrilling round of archery, and a visit

to the fabled Temple of Poseidon. **9.00 NCIS: Hawai'i.** (Mv) The NCIS team investigates a case involving US

Marines with damaged ear canals. **10.00 FBI.** (Mv, R) The team investigates two murders. 11.00 The Sunday Project. (R)

A look at the day's news. 12.00 Home Shopping. (R) **2.30** Infomercials. (PG, R) 4.00 Home Shopping. (R) 4.30 CBS Mornings

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Big Bang Theory. 8.30 Carol's Second Act. 10.30 Friends. 2.30pm The Middle. 3.00 Friends. 5.00 Shaun Micallef's Brain Eisteddfod. **6.00** The Big Bang Theory. 9.00 The Neighborhood. 10.00 Ghosts. **11.00** Friends. **Midnight** Home Shopping. **12.30** Infomercials. **1.00** Home Shopping. **1.30 MOVIE:** Bad Eggs. (2003, M) **3.30** The Big Bang Theory. 4.30 Home Shopping.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 Reel Action. 10.30 Driven Not Hidden: Father's Day Special. **11.00** Healthy Homes Aust. 11.30 Buy To Build. Noon Scorpion. 2.00 Demolition Down Under. 3.00 Stories Of Bikes. 3.30 What's Up Down Under. 4.00 Roads Less Travelled. 4.30 Waltzing Jimeoin. 5.00 I Fish. 5.30 Reel Action. 6.00 Bondi Rescue. 6.30 MacGyver. 7.30 NCIS. 10.20 48 Hours. 11.15 Late Programs.

Monday, September 5

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 Rosehaven. (PG, R) 1.30 Poh's Kitchen Lends A Hand. (PG, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.00 Escape From The City. (R) 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) 4.55 Anh's Brush With Fame. (PG, R) 5.25 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum.
7.00 ABC News.
7.30 7.30. Presented by Sarah Ferguson.
8.00 Australian Story. (Return)

Australians tell 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 China Tonight. A look at

current affairs from China.

10.05 ABC Late News. Detailed coverage of the day's events.

10.20 The Business. (R)

10.40 Q+A. (R)

11.45 Parliament Question Time. 12.45 Baptiste. (Mlv, R) **1.45** Glitch. (Mlv, R) **2.40** Rage. (MAI5+adhlnsv) **4.25** The Drum. (R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am
Children's Programs. 7.20pm Bluey. 7.30 David
Attenborough's Global Adventure. 8.25 George
Clarke's Amazing Spaces. 9.10 Restoration Australia.
10.10 Catalyst. 11.10 Adam Hills: The Last Leg.
11.50 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. 12.30am Beyond The
Towers. 1.30 Red Dwarf. 2.00 ABC News Update.
2.05 Close. 5.00 Clangers. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20
Sarah & Duck. 5.30 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.40pm
The Kamilaroi. 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 Kriol
Kitchen. 3.00 Jarjums. 4.35 Spartakus And The
Sun Beneath The Sea. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 APTN
National News. 6.00 Bamay. 6.40 News. 6.50
Undiscovered Vistas. 7.40 Through The Wormhole
With Morgan Freeman. 8.30 Karla Grant Presents.
9.25 Our Law. 9.55 Superstition. 10.45 Late
Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Cook Up With Adam Liaw Bitesize. (R) **9.05** Inside The Modelling Agency. (PG) **10.00** Food Markets: In The Belly Of The City. (PG) **11.00** Ancient Invisible Cities. (R) **12.10** WorldWatch. **2.10** Secrets Unearthed. (PG, R) **3.00** Going Places. (R) **3.35** The Cook Up. (PG, R) **4.05** Jeopardy! **4.30** Letters And Numbers. (R) **5.00** Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 15. Highlights.

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R)
Presented by Jennifer Byrne.
6.30 SBS World News.
7.30 Lighthouses: Building
The Impossible: The Wolf

Rock. (PG) Part 1 of 3.

8.30 DNA Family Secrets. (PG)
Stacey Dooley helps 38-year-old
Clare who wants to know more
about her father, a British soldier.

9.40 24 Hours In Emergency: Blink Of An Eye. (PGa, R) A 46-year-old is sent to St George's by her GP. 10.35 SBS World News Late. 11.05 Beforeigners. (MA15+alv) 12.00 Outlander. (MA15+av, R) 1.00 Miss S. (Mav, R)

3.45 Food Safari. (R) 4.45 Destination Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am World Watch.

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SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am
Ex Files 3. Continued. (2017, PG, Mandarin) 6.10
The Chaperone. (2018, PG) 8.10 The Forbidden
Kingdom. (2008, PG) 10.05 Ideal Home. (2018,
M) 11.45 Charlie And Boots. (2009, M) 1.40pm
Thirteen Days. (2000, PG) 4.20 Long Way North.
(2015, PG) 5.50 Vai. (2019, PG) 7.30 Bee Season.
(2005, M) 9.30 The Apartment. (1996, M, French)
11.40 Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: A Teacher's
Crime. (2008, Mav, R)
2.00 What The Killer Did Next:
Saima Khan. (Mav, R)
3.00 The Chase.
4.00 Seven News At 4.

6.00 Seven Local News.
6.30 Seven News.
7.00 Home And Away. (PGa)
7.30 Farmer Wants A Wife. (PGal)
Remaining farmers date their love matches, before choosing five to get to know better on their farms.

5.00 The Chase Australia.

9.00 9-1-1: Lone Star. (Mav) The 126 responds when a frantic mum tries to rescue her kids in a runaway car.

11.00 The Latest: Seven News.
11.30 Heartbreak Island Australia.
(Mls) Hosted by Clinton Randell.
12.35 Cannonball. (PG, R)
1.35 Harry's Practice. (R)
2.00 Home Shopping. (R)
4.00 NBC Today.
5.00 Seven Early News.
5.30 Sunrise.

7TWO (72) 6am Shopping. **6.30** Life Off Road. **7.00** The Bowls Show. **8.00** To Be Advised. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **10.30** To Be Advised. **Noon** Extreme Railways. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** Weekender. **2.30** Sons And Daughters. **4.30** Emmerdale. **5.00** Coronation Street. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Doc Martin. **8.30** A Touch Of Frost. **10.45** Late Programs.

7MATE (74) Gam Morning Programs.
10.15 MOVIE: Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes Of
Grindelwald. (2018, PG) 1pm Boy To Man. 2.00
Leepu And Pitbull. 3.00 Motor Racing. Extreme E.
Round 1. Desert X-Prix. 4.15 Motor Racing. Extreme E.
Round 2. Island X-Prix. 5.30 Storage Wars. 6.00
American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 Full
Custom Garage. 8.30 MOVIE: Die Hard 4.0. (2007, M) 11.10 Late Programs.

NINE (8.9)

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 The Block. (PGI, R) 1.30 Getaway. (PG, R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.

6.00 Nine News.
7.00 A Current Affair.
7.30 The Block. (PGI) Hosted by Scott Cam.
8.40 Emergency. (Mm) Michelle and Emma care for a mother-to-be who is paralysed from a suspected stroke.
9.40 100% Footy. (M) Features the latest rugby league news, with exclusive

10.40 Nine News Late. A look at the latest news and events.
11.10 Fortunate Son. (Madv)
12.00 Emergence. (Mhv, R)
12.50 Hello SA. (PG)
1.20 Explore. (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)

insights from an expert panel.

4.30 A Current Affair. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day 7. Continued. 1pm My Favorite Martian. 1.30 Days Of Our Lives. 2.30 The Young And The Restless. 3.30 Antiques Roadshow. 4.00 MOVIE: Law And

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9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs.
Noon The Bionic Woman. 1.00 Buck Rogers. 2.00
Baywatch. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 Raymond. 5.30
The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show.
7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 RBT. 8.30 MOVIE: Hot
Fuzz. (2007, MA15+) 11.00 Young Sheldon. 11.30
Up All Night. Midnight 90 Day Fiance: Happily Ever
After? 1.00 Say Yes To The Dress: UK. 2.00 License
To Kill. 2.50 Late Programs.

TEN (5, 1)

6.00 Entertainment Tonight. (R) 6.30 Good Chef Bad Chef. (R) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. (R) 8.00 10 News First: Breakfast. 8.30 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (Ma) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.30 Entertainment Tonight. 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 4.00 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.

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

7.30 The Amazing Race Australia.
(PG) Hosted by Beau Ryan.
8.30 Have You Been Paying Attention? (Malns) Celebrity panellists compete to see who can remember the most about events of the week.

9.30 Just For Laughs Australia. (MA15+s) Stand-up comedy performances from Geraldine Hickey, David Quirk, Alex Ward and Danielle Walker. **10.00** Nath Valvo: Show Pony Live.

(MA15+s, R) A performance by Nath Valvo. 11.00 The Project. (R) 12.00 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG) 1.00 Home Shopping. (R)

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10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Big Bang Theory. 7.00 Friends. 10.00 The Middle. Noon Nancy Drew. 1.00 Charmed. 2.00 The Big Bang Theory. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.00 Frasier. Middlight 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.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 The Doctors. 9.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 9.30 Reel Action. 10.00 Demolition Down Under. 11.00 MacGyver. Noon NCIS: New Orleans. 1.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00 To Be Advised. 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 5.30 MacGyver. 7.30 NCIS. 10.20 Blue Bloods. 11.15 Motor Racing. Formula 1. Race 15. Dutch Grand Prix. 12.15am Shopping. 1.15 Infomercials. 1.45 Shopping. 2.15 Late Programs.

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Tuesday, September 6

ABCTV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. 9.00 ABC News Mornings. 10.00 Foreign Correspondent. (R) 10.30 China Tonight. (R) 11.00 Our Brain. (PG, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Miniseries: Marriage. (MI, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.00 Escape From The City. (R) 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) 5.00 Anh's Brush With Fame. (PG, R) 5.25 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. **7.00** ABC News. **7.30** 7.30.

8.00 Great Southern Landscapes.(PG) Rachel Griffiths travels to WA.

8.30 Old People's Home For Teenagers. (PG) Part 2 of 5. 9.30 Science Of Drugs With Richard Roxburgh: New Epidemics. (Final, MA15+ad) Part 4 of 4.

10.30 ABC Late News. 10.45 The Business. (R) 11.00 Four Corners. (R) 11.45 Media Watch. (PG, R) 12.00 Parliament Question Time. 1.00 The Capture. (Mlv, R) 2.00 Glitch. (Malv, R) 3.50 Rage. (MAI5+adhlnsv) 4.25 The Drum. (R) 5.25 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.20pm Bluey. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.00 Would I Lie To You? 8.30 Adam Hills: The Last Leg. 9.15 Friday Night Dinner. 9.40 Rosehaven. 10.05 Summer Love. 10.35 Motherland. 11.05 Ghosts. 11.40 Whose Line Is It Anyway? Midnight Brassic. 12.45 Ross Noble: Stand Up Series. 1.15 Mock The Week. 1.50 ABC News Update. 1.55 Close. 5.00 Clangers. 5.15 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.35pm The Kamilaroi. 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 Kriol Kitchen. 3.00 Jarjums. 4.35 Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Indian Country Today News. 6.00 Bamay 6.30 News. 6.40 Undiscovered Vistas. 7.30 The Point. 8.00 Spirit Talker. 8.30 Over The Black Dot. 9.00 Feeding The Scrum. 9.30 Letterkenny. 10.00 The Crimson Rivers. 11.00 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Inside The Modelling Agency. (PG) **9.55** Food Markets: In The Belly Of The City. (PG) **10.55** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **2.10** Secrets Unearthed Great Wall of China. (PGav, R) **3.00** Going Places. (R) **3.30** Destination Flavour China Bitesize. (R) **3.40** The Cook Up. (PG, R) **4.10** London's Great Bridges. (R) **5.05** Jeopardy! **5.30** Letters And Numbers. (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.30 Great Coastal Railway Journeys: Cullen To Cawdor. (PG) 8.30 Insight. Presented by Kumi Taguchi

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9.30 Dateline: Mexico's Deadly
Coca-Cola Addiction. A look at
Mexico's Coca-Cola addiction.
10.00 SBS World News Late.

10.30 The Point. (R) 11.00 Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 16. 1.50 Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) 2.00 La Unidad. (MA15+av, R)

Bitesize. (R) 2.00 La Unidad. (MAI5+av, R) 3.55 Italian Food Safari. (R) 4.55 Destination Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK World English News Morning, 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch. **9.30** Shortland St. **11.00** Cavendish. **Noon** The Blueprint: Russian Election Meddling. **12.30** Hustle. **1.20** Chasing Famous. **2.15** Curse Of Oak Island. **3.45** WorldWatch. **5.15** Shortland St. **5.45** Joy Of Painting. **6.15** Forged In Fire. **7.05** Jeopardy! **7.35** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown. **8.30** Alone. (Return) **9.40** Dating's Dangerous Secrets. **10.35** Cavendish. **11.25** Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am Vai. Continued. (2019, PG) 7.20 Forever Enthralled. (2008, PG, Mandarin) 10.00 Bee Season. (2005, M) Noon The Apartment. (1996, M, French) 2.10 Long Way North. (2015, PG) 3.40 The Chaperone. (2018, PG) 5.40 Toast. (2010, PG) 7.30 Still Human. (2018, M, Cantonese) 9.35 Rumble In The Bronx. (1995, M, Cantonese) 11.15 Drunken Master II. (1994, M, Cantonese) 1.10am Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. **9.00** The Morning Show. (PG) **11.30 Seven Morning News. 12.00 MOVIE: Fatal Flatline.** (2020, Mav, R) **2.00 What The Killer Did Next:**

Geoff Seggie. (Mav, R) 3.00 The Chase. 4.00 Seven News At 4. 5.00 The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven Local News.
6.30 Seven News.
7.00 Home And Away. (PGa)
7.30 Farmer Wants A Wife. (PGI)
Hosted by Natalie Gruzlewski.
9.00 Extreme Weddings: Austral

9.00 Extreme Weddings: Australia. (Premiere, PG) Follows Aussie couples as they tackle the challenge of planning extreme and unconventional weddings.

10.00 10 Years Younger In 10 Days. (PGa) The experts help a lollipop lady. 11.00 The Latest: Seven News. 11.30 Chicago Fire. (Mav) 12.30 MOVIE: The Wrong Neighbor. (2017, Mv, R) Michael Madsen.

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

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30
Travel Oz. 8.00 To Be Advised. 8.30 Million Dollar
Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt.
1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 Creek To Coast.
2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Emmerdale. 5.00
Coronation Street. 5.30 Escape To The Country.
6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Rosemary & Thyme. 8.30
Judge John Deed. 12.30am Escape To The Country.
1.30 Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs.
10.00 Pawn Stars. 10.30 Storage Wars. 11.00
American Pickers. Noon Hellfire Heroes. 1.00 Boy
To Man. 2.00 Full Custom Garage. 3.00 Shipping
Wars. 3.30 Pawn Stars UK. 4.00 Pawn Stars Sth
Africa. 4.30 Aussie Lobster Men. 5.30 Storage
Wars. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars.
7.30 Highway Patrol. 8.30 Outback Opal Hunters.
10.30 Jade Fever. 11.30 Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG) 11.30 Morning News. 12.00 The Block. (PGI, R) 1.00 Emergency. (Mm, R) 2.00 Pointless. (PG) 3.00 Tipping Point. (PG) 4.00 Afternoon News. 4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat. 5.30 WIN News.

6.00 Nine News.
7.00 A Current Affair.
7.30 The Block. (PGI) Hosted by Scott Cam.
8.45 The Hundred With Andy Lee. Andy Lee is joined by a panel

of comedians and 100 Aussies to explore the fun behind the facts. **9.45 True Story With Hamish & Andy: Jeremy.** (PGa, R) Australians

recount hilarious true stories.

10.45 Nine News Late.

11.15 Law & Order: Organized
Crime. (Mv)

12.00 See No Evil. (MA15+a)

12.45 Tipping Point. (PG, R)

1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R) 4.00 Believer's Voice Of Victory. (PGa) 4.30 A Current Affair. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day

8. Continued. 1pm My Favorite Martian. 1.30 Days Of Our Lives. 2.30 The Young And The Restless. 3.30 Antiques Roadshow. 4.00 MOVIE: Miss Robin Hood. (1952) 5.30 Mew Tricks. 8.30 The Closer. 9.30 Rizzoli & Isles. 10.30 Chicago P.D. 11.30 Law & Order: SVU. 12.30am Antiques Roadshow. 1.00 New Tricks. 2.00 Tennis. US Open. Day 9.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Bionic Woman. 1.00 Baywatch. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock. 4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Raymond. 5.30 The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show. 7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 MOVIE: Spy Game. (2001, M) 10.00 MOVIE: The Mod Squad. (1999, M) Midnight 90 Day Fiance: Happily Ever After? 1.00 Say Yes To The Dress: UK. 2.00 License To Kill. 2.50 Late Programs.

TEN (5, 1)

6.00 Ent. Tonight. (R) 6.30 GCBC. (R) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 Bold. (R) 8.00 10 News First: Breakfast. 8.30 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGad, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 4.00 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.

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

7.30 The Amazing Race Australia.
(PG) Hosted by Beau Ryan.
8.30 The Cheap Seats. (Mal) Presenters

Melanie Bracewell and Tim McDonald take a look at the week that was.

9.30 NCIS. (May, R) The NCIS team discovers another person has been tracking.

discovers another person has been tracking the serial killer Gibbs was hunting.

10.30 NCIS: Los Angeles. (Mv, R) Military grade tech is stolen.

11.30 The Project. (R)
12.30 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. (PG)
1.30 Home Shopping. (R)
3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)
4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 The King Of Queens. 8.00 Seinfeld. 9.30 Becker. 10.30 The Middle. 11.00 Frasier. Noon This Is Us. 1.00 The Big Bang Theory. 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. 11.10 Frasier. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.30 Stephen Colbert. 2.30 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30 Infomercials. 8.00 The Doctors. 9.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 9.30 Reel Action. 10.00 MacGyver. Noon NCIS: New Orleans. 1.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00 Bondi Rescue. 3.30 To Be Advised. 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 5.30 MacGyver. 6.30 Bondi Rescue. 7.00 Soccer. Women's International Friendly. Game 2. Australia v Canada. 10.00 48 Hours. 11.00 Late Programs.

Wednesday, September 7

ABC TV (2)

6.00 News Breakfast. **9.00** ABC News Mornings. **10.00** Four Corners. (R) **11.00** David Attenborough's Conquest Of The Skies. (R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon. **12.30** National Press Club Address. **1.40** Media Watch. (PG, R) **2.00** Parliament Question Time. **3.05** Escape From The City. (R) **4.00** Think Tank. (PG, R) **5.00** Anh's Brush With Fame. (R) **5.30** Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum. 7.00 ABC News. 7.30 7.30. Presented by Sarah Ferguson. **8.00 Hard Quiz.** (PG, R)

Presented by Tom Gleeson.

8.30 Shaun Micallef's MAD AS
HELL. (M) Host Shaun Micallef presents
a round-up of the important news stories.

9.00 Summer Love. (MI) When a couple
care for a joey, they are forced to consider
what it would mean to be actual parents.

9.35 Win The Week. (PG)
Hosted by Alex Lee.
10.05 Adam Hills: The Last Leg. (R)
10.45 ABC Late News.
11.00 The Business. (R)
11.15 Spicks And Specks. (PG, R)
12.05 Parliament Question Time.
1.05 Unforgotten. (MI, R) 1.55 Glitch. (MIv, R)
3.45 Rage. (MA15+adhInsv) 4.25 The Drum.
(R) 5.25 7.30. (R)

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.20pm Bluey. 7.30 Anh's Brush With Fame. 8.00 Art Works. 8.30 Civilisations. 9.30 Great Southern Landscapes. 10.00 LSO: Gardiner Conducts Mendelssohn And Schumann. 11.35 Talking Heads. Midnight Louis Theroux. By Reason Of Insanity. 1.00 Ghosts. 1.30 Catalyst. 2.25 ABC News Update. 2.30 Close. 5.00 Clangers. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20 Sarah & Duck. 5.30 Late Programs.

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.30pm Artie: Our Tribute To A Legend. 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 Strait To The Plate. 3.00 Jarjums. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Grace Beside Me. 4.35 Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 Te Ao With Moana. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. 6.40 Land of Primates. 7.30 The Last Land: Gespe'gewagi. 8.30 Yokayi Footy. 9.25 Serena Vs The Umpire. 10.25 The Kings. 11.30 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Inside The Modelling Agency. (Final, PG) **9.55** Food Markets: In The Belly Of The City. (PG) **10.55** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **2.00** Dateline. (R) **2.30** Insight. (R) **3.30** The Cook Up With Adam Liaw. (PG, R) **4.00** Jeopardy! **4.30** Letters And Numbers. (R) **5.00** Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 16. Highlights.

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R) 6.30 SBS World News. 7.35 Tony Robinson's History Of Britain: Middle Ages. (PGav, R) Part 4 of 4.

8.30 Secret Scotland: Aberdeenshire And Angus. (PGa, R) Susan Calman
visits Glamis Castle, the childhood home
of Her Majesty the Queen Mother.

9.20 The Stranger. (MA15+) Ed has a visit from The Stranger. 10.20 SBS World News Late.

10.50 Cycling. UCI World
Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 17.
1.50 Destination Flavour Down Under
Bitesize. (R) 2.00 Before We Die. (Malv, R)
3.50 Italian Food Safari. (R) 4.50 Destination
Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK
World English News Morning. 5.30 ANC
Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am WorldWatch.
9.30 Shortland St. 11.00 The New Era Of Canadian
Sex Work. 11.30 Canadian Cannabis: Cash Crop.
Noon The Source. 12.55 Outsider: World's Weirdest
Films. 1.20 In My Own World. 2.15 Curse Of Oak
Island. 3.45 WorldWatch. 5.15 Shortland St. 5.45
Joy Of Painting. 6.15 Forged In Fire. 7.05 Jeopardy!
7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats. 8.30 Glastonbury: 50 Years
And Counting. 10.15 Late Programs.

SBS WORLD MOVIES (32) 6am The Forbidden Kingdom. Continued. (2008, PG) 7.25 Toast. (2010, PG) 9.15 Long Way North. (2015, PG) 10.45 As You Want Me. (1996, M, Italian) 12.35pm Rumble In The Bronx. (1995, M, Cantonese) 2.15 Vai. (2019, PG) 3.55 Howard Lovecraft. (2016, PG) 5.30 The Well-Digger's Daughter. (2011, PG, French) 7.30 A Little Chaos. (2014, M) 9.40 The Power Of One. (1992, PG) Midnight Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise.
9.00 The Morning Show. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: Chris Watts: Confessions Of A Killer. (2020, Mav)
2.00 World's Deadliest: Holidays. (MI)
3.00 The Chase. (R)
4.00 Seven News At 4.
5.00 The Chase Australia.

6.00 Seven Local News.
6.30 Seven News.
7.00 Home And Away. (PGa)
7.30 Armed And Dangerous:
Heists. (Premiere, Mav) A look at
Australia's greatest bank heists.

9.00 The Chernobyl Disaster:
Meltdown. (Ma) Part 1 of 3. Takes a
look inside the control room at Chernobyl
on the night of the ill-fated test.

10.00 Air Crash Investigation:
Deadly Delivery. (PG) A look
at the crash of a cargo plane.
11.00 The Latest: Seven News.
11.30 Chicago Fire. (Mav)
12.30 MOVIE: Big Driver.
(2014, MAIS+av, R) Maria Bello.
2.30 Home Shopping. (R)
4.00 NBC Today.
5.00 Seven Early News. 5.30 Sunrise.

7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. **6.30** Travel Oz. **8.00** To Be Advised. **8.30** Million Dollar Minute. **9.30** NBC Today. **Noon** Bargain Hunt. **1.00** Million Dollar Minute. **2.00** To Be Advised. **2.30** Sons And Daughters. **4.30** Emmerdale. **5.00** Coronation Street. **5.30** Escape To The Country. **6.30** Bargain Hunt. **7.30** Heartbeat. **8.30** Lewis. **10.30** Miniseries: Bancroft. **11.30** Autopsy USA. **12.30am** Cleaning Up. **1.30** Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs. 10.00 Pawn Stars. 10.30 Storage Wars. 11.00 American Pickers. Noon Hellfire Heroes. 1.00 SAS: UK. 2.00 Jade Fever. 3.00 Shipping Wars. 3.30 Pawn Stars UK. 4.00 Pawn Stars Sth Africa. 4.30 Aussie Lobster Men. 5.30 Storage Wars. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn Stars. 7.30 Family Guy. 8.00 American Dad! 8.30 MOVIE: Suicide Squad. (2016, M) 11.00 Late Programs. **NINE (8, 9)**

6.00 Today. 9.00 Today Extra. (PG)
11.30 Morning News.
12.00 The Block. (PGI, R)
1.00 The Hundred With Andy Lee. (R)
2.00 Pointless. (PG)
3.00 Tipping Point. (PG)
4.00 Afternoon News.
4.30 Millionaire Hot Seat.
5.30 WIN News.

6.00 Nine News.
7.00 A Current Affair.
7.30 The Block. (PGI) Hosted by Scott Cam.
8.45 After The Verdict. (MIv) Clara risks losing her children, as the jurors discover the motive behind Belinda's murder.
9.45 Family Law. (Mas) Abigail and Daniel represent Ira, who wants his wife Helen moved from a care home.
10.45 Nine News Late. A look

11.15 Chicago Med. (MA15+am, R)
12.05 Tipping Point. (PG, R)
12.55 Destination WA. (PG)
1.20 Talking Honey. (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

at the latest news and events.

Edition. 5.30 Today.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day 9. Continued. 1pm My Favorite Martian. 1.30 Days Of Our Lives. 2.30 The Young And The Restless. 3.30 Antiques Roadshow. 4.00 MOVIE: No Limit. (1935) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 As Time Goes By. 8.50 Midsomer Murders.

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7.30 As Time Goes By. 8.50 Midsomer Murders.
10.50 Chicago Fire. 11.50 Footy Classified. 12.50am The Avengers. 2.00 Tennis. US Open. Day 10.
9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs.

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Noon The Bionic Woman. 1.00 Baywatch. 3.00 The
Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock. 4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30
Raymond. 5.30 The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30
That '70s Show. 7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 MOVIE:
The Truman Show. (1998, PG) 9.30 MOVIE: Dinner
For Schmucks. (2010, M) 11.45 Young Sheldon.
12.10am 90 Day Fiance: Happily Ever After? 1.10
Say Yes To The Dress: UK. 2.10 Late Programs.

TEN (5, 1)

6.00 Ent. Tonight. (R) 6.30 GCBC. (R) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 Bold. (R) 8.00 10 News First: Breakfast. 8.30 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGa, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 4.00 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.

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

7.30 The Dog House Australia. (PGa, R) Narrated by Dr Chris Brown. **8.30** Ghosts. (PGds) When Sam and Jay have the ghosts bunk together to free up rooms for guests at the B&B, they learn that Thorfinn has been having night terrors, which inspires Sam to enlist a therapist to help him. **9.30** Bull. (PGa, R) Bull represents a client

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11.30 The Project. (R)

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12.30 The Late Show With
Stephen Colbert.
1.30 Home Shopping. (R)
3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)
4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am Carol's Second Act. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The King Of Queens. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Middle. 11.00 Frasier. Noon This Is Us. 1.00 Mom. 2.00 Becker. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.20 Two And A Half Men. 10.10 The Big Bang Theory. 11.00 Frasier. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.00 Shopping. 1.30 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 The Doctors. 9.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 9.30 Reel Action. 10.00 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 11.00 MacGyver. Noon NCIS: New Orleans. 1.00 Walker, Texas Ranger. 3.00 Bondi Rescue. 3.30 To Be Advised. 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 5.30 MacGyver. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Hawaii Five-0. 10.20 Blood And Treasure. 11.15 Evil. 12.15am Shopping. 1.15 Infomercials. 1.45 Late Programs.

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Thursday, September 8

ABCTV (2)

6.00 News. 9.00 News. 10.00 Australian Story. (R) 10.30 That Pacific Sports Show. (R) 11.00 Rick Stein's Road To Mexico. (Final, R) 12.00 ABC News At Noon. 1.00 Win The Week. (PG, R) 1.30 Shaun Micallef's MAD AS HELL. (M, R) 2.00 Parliament Question Time. 3.00 Escape From The City. (R) 4.00 Think Tank. (PG, R) 4.55 Anh's Brush With Fame. (PG, R) 5.30 Hard Quiz. (PG, R)

6.00 The Drum.
6.55 Sammy J. (PG)
7.00 ABC News.
7.30 7.30. Presented by Sarah Ferguson.
8.00 Foreign Correspondent.

International current affairs program.

8.30 Q+A. Public affairs program featuring Stan Grant and a panel of experts answering questions.

9.35 Kurt Fearnley's One Plus One.
(R) Kurt speaks with Madison de Rozario.
10.05 ABC Late News.
10.20 The Business. (R)
10.35 Old People's Home
For Teenagers. (PG, R)
11.35 Parliament Question Time.
12.40 Doc Martin. (PG, R) 1.25 Unforgotten.
(Mal, R) 3.00 Rage. (MA15+adhlnsv) 4.25 The

ABC TV PLUS (22) 6am Children's Programs. 7.20pm Bluey. 7.30 Spicks And Specks. 8.30 Would I Lie To You? 9.00 Shaun Micallef's MAD AS HELL. 9.30 Win The Week. 10.00 Penn & Teller: Fool Us. 10.40 Mosc LThe Week. 11.15 Doctor Who. Midnight Ghosts. 12.30 Live From The BBC. (Final) 1.15 Would I Lie To You? 1.45 ABC News Update. 1.50 Close. 5.00 Clangers. 5.15 Hoot Hoot Go! 5.20 Sarah & Duck. 5.30 Late Programs.

Drum. (R) **5.20** Sammy J. (PG, R) **5.25** 7.30. (R)

NITV (34) 6am Morning Programs. 1.55pm Bamay. 2.00 Shortland St. 2.30 Strait To The Plate. 3.00 Jarjums. 3.50 Wolf Joe. 4.00 Aussie Bush Tales. 4.10 Grace Beside Me. 4.35 Spartakus And The Sun Beneath The Sea. 5.00 Our Stories. 5.30 The 77 Percent. 6.00 Bamay. 6.30 News. 6.40 Land Of Primates. 7.30 Going Places With Ernie Dingo. 8.30 The Porter. 9.25 MOVIE: Any Given Sunday. (1999) 11.20 Late Programs.

SBS (3)

6.00 WorldWatch. **9.00** Peer To Peer. (Premiere, PG) **9.55** Food Markets: In The Belly Of The City. **10.55** Victorian House Of Arts And Crafts. (PG) **12.00** WorldWatch. **2.10** Secrets Unearthed. (R) **3.00** Going Places. (PGa, R) **3.35** The Cook Up. (PG, R) **4.05** Jeopardy! **4.30** Letters And Numbers. (R) **5.00** Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 17. Highlights.

6.00 Mastermind Australia. (R)
6.30 SBS World News.
7.30 World's Most Scenic River
Journeys: The St Lawrence.

(PG) Narrated by Bill Nighy.

8.30 Inside Aldi. (PG, R) Takes a look at how the German supermarket chain Aldi has succeeded in the UK.

9.20 Suspect. (MA15+a) Danny returns to the mortuary.10.20 SBS World News Late.

10.50 Cycling. UCI World Tour. La Vuelta. Stage 18. 1.50 Destination Flavour Down Under Bitesize. (R) 2.00 Tin Star. (MA15+v, R) 3.50 Italian Food Safari. (R) 4.50 Destination Flavour Scandinavia Bitesize. (R) 5.00 NHK World English News Morning. 5.30 ANC Philippines The World Tonight.

SBS VICELAND (31) 6am Morning Programs. 11.30 FEMEN: Sextremism In Canada. Noon Huang's World. 12.50 Jeffrey Epstein's Hidden Files. 1.40 One Star Reviews. 2.05 Munchies Guide To Basque Country. 2.55 Munchies Guide To Sweden. 3.45 WorldWatch. 5.15 Shortland St. 5.45 Joy Of Painting. 6.15 Forged In Fire. 7.05 Jeopardy! 7.30 News. 7.35 8 Out Of 10 Cats. 8.30 Curse Of Oak Island. 10.10 Late Programs.

The Well-Digger's Daughter. Continued. (2011, PG, French) **7.55** The Power Of One. (1992, PG) **10.15** Drunken Master II. (1994, M, Cantonese) **12.10pm** Still Human. (2018, M, Cantonese) **2.15** Toast. (2010, PG) **4.05** The Perfect Candidate. (2019, PG, Arabic) **6.00** The Lunchbox. (2013, PG, Hindi) **8.00** Beatriz At Dinner. (2017, M) **9.30** Philadelphia. (1993, PG) **11.50** Late Programs.

SEVEN (7)

6.00 Sunrise. 9.00 The Morning Show. (PG)
11.30 Seven Morning News.
12.00 MOVIE: Jodi Arias: Dirty
Little Secret. (2013, Msv, R)
2.00 Kochie's Business Builders.
2.30 Border Patrol. (PG, R)
3.00 The Chase. (R)
4.00 Seven News At 4.

5.00 The Chase Australia.
6.00 Seven Local News.
6.30 Seven News.
7.00 Home And Away. (PGas)
8.30 Ambulance: Code Red. (Ma)
Follows the work of an ambulance service, giving an insight into the life and death incidents they face.

9.30 The Latest: Seven News.
10.00 The Front Bar. (M) Takes a lighter look at all things AFL.
11.00 Autopsy USA: Carrie Fisher. (MAI5+ad, R) A look at the death of Carrie Fisher.
12.00 Instant Hotel. (PGs, R)

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7TWO (72) 6am Home Shopping. 6.30
Travel Oz. 8.00 To Be Advised. 8.30 Million Dollar
Minute. 9.30 NBC Today. Noon Bargain Hunt.
1.00 Million Dollar Minute. 2.00 My Italian Family.
2.30 Sons And Daughters. 4.30 Emmerdale. 5.00
Coronation Street. 5.30 Escape To The Country.
6.30 Bargain Hunt. 7.30 Father Brown. 8.30
Murdoch Mysteries. 12.30am The Fine Art Auction.
3.30 Late Programs.

7MATE (74) 6am Morning Programs.
Noon Hellfire Heroes. 1.00 SAS: UK. 2.00 Biker
Battleground Phoenix. 3.00 Shipping Wars. 3.30
Pawn Stars UK. 4.00 Pawn Stars Sth Africa. 4.30
Truck Night In America. (Premiere) 5.30 Desert
Collectors. 6.00 American Pickers. 7.00 Pawn
Stars. 7.30 Storage Wars. 8.30 Pawn Stars. 9.30
American Pickers. 10.30 American Restoration.
11.00 Late Programs.

NINE (8, 9)

6.00 Nine News.

5.30 Today.

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7.00 A Current Affair.
7.30 RBT. (Mdl) A look at police random breath-test patrols.
8.30 To Be Advised.
9.30 New Amsterdam. (MAI5+am) The New Amsterdam team must face consequences after a night of karaoke and drinking.

10.30 Nine News Late.
11.00 The Equalizer. (MAI5+av)
11.50 The Gulf. (Madls, R)
12.40 Tipping Point. (PG, R)
1.30 TV Shop: Home Shopping. (R)
2.30 Global Shop. (R)
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Current Affair. (R) 5.00 News Early Edition.

9GEM (81, 92) 6am Tennis. US Open. Day 10. Continued. 1pm My Favorite Martian. 1.30 Days of Our Lives. 2.30 The Young And The Restless. 3.30 Antiques Roadshow. 4.00 MOVIE: Laxdale Hall. (1953) 5.30 Murder, She Wrote. 6.30 Antiques Roadshow. 7.30 To Be Advised. 10.30 The Case Of Caylee Anthony. 11.30 Law & Order: SVU. 12.30am Antiques Roadshow. 1.00 TV Shop: Home Shopping. 4.30 Joyce Meyer. 5.00 TV Shop.

9GO! (82, 93) 6am Children's Programs. Noon The Bionic Woman. 1.00 Baywatch. 2.00 Motor Racing. IndyCar Series. Grand Prix of Portland. H'lights. 3.00 The Nanny. 3.30 3rd Rock. 4.00 That '70s Show. 4.30 Raymond. 5.30 The Nanny. 6.00 3rd Rock. 6.30 That '70s Show. 7.00 Young Sheldon. 7.30 MOVIE: Robin Hood. (2010, M) 10.10 MOVIE: The Last Witch Hunter. (2015, M) 12.10am Late Programs.

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6.00 Ent. Tonight. (R) 6.30 GCBC. (R) 7.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 7.30 Bold. (R) 8.00 10 News First: Breakfast. 8.30 Studio 10. (PG) 12.00 Dr Phil. (PGal, R) 1.00 To Be Advised. 2.00 Entertainment Tonight. 2.30 My Market Kitchen. (R) 3.00 Judge Judy. (PG, R) 3.30 Farm To Fork. (PG, R) 4.00 Everyday Gourmet With Justine Schofield. 4.30 The Bold And The Beautiful. 5.00 10 News First.

6.30 The Project. A look at the day's news and events.7.30 Shaun Micallef's Brain

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

9.30 To Be Advised.
10.30 Law & Order: SVU. (Mads, R)
A young Italian woman goes missing.
11.30 The Project. (R)
12.30 The Late Show With
Stephen Colbert.
1.30 Home Shopping. (R)
3.30 Infomercials. (PG, R)
4.30 CBS Mornings.

10 PEACH (52, 11) 6am The Late Show With Stephen Colbert. 7.00 Friends. 8.00 The King Of Queens. 9.00 Becker. 10.00 The Middle. 11.30 Friends. Noon The Living Room. 1.00 Frasier. 2.00 Becker. 3.00 The King Of Queens. 4.00 Becker. 5.00 Frasier. 6.00 Friends. 8.00 The Big Bang Theory. 9.30 Seinfeld. 11.00 Frasier. Midnight Shopping. 12.30 Infomercials. 1.30 Stephen Colbert. 2.30 Late Programs.

10 BOLD (53, 12) 6am Infomercials. 8.00 The Doctors. 9.00 Escape Fishing With ET. 9.30 Reel Action. 10.00 MacGyver. Noon The Code. 1.00 Hawaii Five-0. 3.00 Bondi Rescue. 3.30 The Love Boat. 4.30 Star Trek: The Next Generation. 5.30 MacGyver. 7.30 NCIS. 8.30 Bull. 10.30 Elementary. 11.30 48 Hours. 12.30am Home Shopping. 1.30 Infomercials. 2.00 Blood And Treasure. 3.00 ST: Next Gen. 4.00 MacGyver.

On Demand



THE LORD OF THE RINGS: THE RINGS OF POWER

Streaming, from Friday, Prime Video

Set in an era thousands of years before the events of *The Hobbit* or *The Lord of the Rings*, a new series based on the appendices written by J.R.R. Tolkien explores the Second Age of Middle-earth history and follows the brave heroes who stood up to the darkness.

The sprawling, cinematic epic - said to be the most expensive television show ever made - delves into the forging of the 20 Rings of Power, the rise of Sauron and the last alliance between the races of elves and men - all events which were relegated to a five-minute prologue in the original film trilogy.

prime video

Beginning in a time of peace, the series follows an enormous ensemble cast of characters –from elves and dwarves to harfoots and humans – as their worst fears come true: evil has re-emerged in Middle-earth.

Welsh actress Morfydd Clark steps into Cate Blanchett's shoes as Galadriel – the future Elven queen is here a fierce, relatively young warrior following in the steps of her late brothers on a search for the enemy, while English actor Robert Aramayo (*Game of Thrones*) is a young Elrond, the future leader of Rivendell.

Across eight visually spectacular episodes, filmed in magical New Zealand, *The Rings of Power* is an immersive, captivating and fulfilling experience for fans for Tolkien. Watch it on the largest screen you can find. **– Lauren Mitchell**



PANTHEON Streaming, AMC+

амс+

The very limits of human consciousness and the dangers of technology are at the heart of this expansive animation, based on the short stories by Ken Liu. It follows Maddie (pictured, voice of Katie Chang), a teen who discovers her late father (Daniel Dae Kim) lives on as an 'Uploaded Intelligence', a new kind of digital being created by tech giant Logorhythms.



WITNESS NUMBER 3
Streaming, Paramount+

Paramount+

Looking out the window at the exact wrong time, single mother and salon owner Jodie (Bodyguard's Nina Toussaint-White, pictured) witnesses the key moments before a murder. After answering a police appeal for information, Jodie becomes the target of a criminal gang's intimidation campaign – but how did they uncover her identity?



DC'S STARGIRL Streaming, Foxtel On Demand

FOXTEL

With the original Starman (Joel McHale) back from the dead, teen superhero Courtney Whitmore (Brec Bassinger, pictured) and her stepdad Pat (Luke Wilson) hope peace can return to Blue Valley in season three of this feisty drama. However, with reformed supervillains all around, it's not long before the town has a murder mystery on their hands.



THE PATIENT
Streaming, Star on Disney+



ST★R

The Office's Steve Carell (pictured) delivers a killer dramatic performance In this thrilling 10-part series as Alan, a psychiatrist being held prisoner by former patient Sam (Domhnall Gleeson), a serial killer keen on curbing In this homicidal urges. Alone in captivity when he's not 'in session', Alan throng to stop Sam's crime spree.

This critically acclaimed series goes behind the headlines of iconic sporting moments throughout history with four feature-length docos. The finale hones in on the 1983 America's Cup – a classic underdog story that saw a scrappy group of Australians (pictured) dethrone the New York Yacht Club and end a 132-year winning streak in spectacular style.



UNTOLD: THE RACE OF THE CENTURY

Streaming, from Tuesday, Netflix

Out and About

















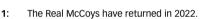












- 2: Lauren Allan and Maddy Millichamp having a girl's night out.
- 3: The Lip Rippers enjoying their Saturday night.
- 4: Cheyenne Martyr and the Ottos enjoying the fishing comp.
- Ninez Gochuicho and Susan Nyoka selling churros at the Longreach Yellowbelly Fishing Comp.
- **6:** Izzy and Riley Coppo are here for the Saturday night entertainment.
- **7:** Courtney Cripps and Kat Oliver having a great arvo by the river.
- 8: Sinkatinny Downs enjoying some beverages.
- **9:** Dean Pearce and Danny Sypher from Rockhampton and Ian Baker from Gladstone have travelled in for the comp.
- **10:** Kenny Booth, Dahbii and Frankii Jelfs, and Sharron Booth enjoying some chips.
- **11:** The Grant Elliott team.
- 12: At your service Keegan Smith and Jennaya Taylor.
- **13:** "What flies?" Rob Anderson and Graham Mortimer.
- **14:** Valerie and Lester Cain having weekend off down by the Thomson.



Gardening Neil Fisher







Acacia bancroftii

Happy golden wattle day

I thought it would be appropriate today to write about a significant piece of Australian

horticultural history.

Acacia podalyriifolia

Did you know that yesterday was National

Wattle Day had humble beginnings in Hobart, Tasmania, in 1838 and culminated 150 years later in Canberra.

In 1988 Acacia pycnantha was officially proclaimed the Australian floral emblem, and four years later the first of September was proclaimed as Wattle Day.

Not surprisingly it was sentiments of national pride, patriotism, environmental appreciation, and what it meant to be a 'Dinki Di' Australian that characterised the Wattle Day movement in its formative years around the beginning of the 20th century.

This was around the time that Australia attained nationhood through the federation of its six States, which occurred in 1901.

From September 1, 1910, Wattle Day was used to raise funds, then a few years later for the war effort and sprigs of wattle were sold on that day in Sydney, Melbourne and Adelaide.

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

But would you believe the name Acacia was almost lost to all Australian Wattles.

The International Botanical Congress has been debating the use of the name Acacia for Australian Wattles or for Acacia native to Africa, the Middle East, India and the Americas.

Most people would only believe that the nameless faceless people that make all the silly arguments are only found in government offices in Brisbane or Canberra.

Fortunately, the International Botanical Congress decided that Australia could keep the name Acacia for its Wattles.

The Wattle is ideally suited to withstand

Australia's droughts, winds and bushfires. It is this resilience of the Wattle that represents the spirit of the Australian people.

Wattles are part of a spectacular group of plants, which botanically are Acacias; boast more than 650 known species throughout the Australian continent. Wattles also occur in a number of other countries but to a more lim-

A drive around any part of central Queensland over the last month would show the beauty of one of the most Australian of flowering plants.

Some of my favourite natural Wattle groves are on the road between Blackall and Jericho Highway the Capricorn Highway between Alpha and Jericho and between Dingo and Char-



Acacia cretata

leville Creek near the Blackdown Tablelands

The beauty of these natural groves may not be able to be totally reproduced in the home garden but then just one or two planted in the garden can still provide a great display.

While there are hundreds of different species of Wattles in Queensland alone the following are some that are worth growing.

Acacia bancroftii or Bancrofts Wattle is spectacular small, silver-foliaged, greytrunked tree that is found along the western highway around Dingo.

During winter when it is in full bloom, the bright yellow balls of flowers contrast beautifully with the foliage.

Acacia cretata or Lambs Tail Wattle is a very hardy, drought and frost-resistant species suited to a wide range of soils and conditions.

It is a large shrub over 5m high, with yellow

lamb's tail like flowers in May and June.

This Wattle is found growing across most of Central Queensland.

Acacia decora or Showy Wattle is a blueleafed shrub 2-3m tall with bright yellow flow-

It is very hardy, drought resistant, and moderately frost tolerant.

Acacia Decora would make a worthwhile addition to any waterwise garden.

Acacia holosericea or Velvet Wattle is an attractive silvery-foliaged shrub growing up to 5m high.

Bright yellow lambs-tail flowers will cover the plant from early winter.

It will require a warm well-drained position and will respond to yearly pruning and shaping, unlike most wattles.

Acacia podalyriifolia or Mount Morgan Sil-



Acacia Decora



Acacia holosericea

ver Wattle is a delightful, fast-growing small tree growing to 3-4m x 2-3m.

With rounded silvery/grey foliage and clusters of gold ball-type flowers massed over the plant in winter.

In a home garden situation, this plant prefers a sunny well-drained position and a westerly aspect.

Acacia Spectabilis or Glory Wattle is a tall open shrub 3-5m x 2m with blue/green divided foliage bearing masses of golden ball-type flowers that cover the plant in winter.

It likes an open well-drained position and is also frost and drought-resistant.

These are just a few of the Wattles I have seen growing in Western Queensland gardens.

A visit to your local nursery will reveal many more great Wattles that you try in your home

Wool Market stable

By Australian Wool Network

The Australian wool market has recorded no overall movement for the second consecutive series. Due to a lack of quantity in the West at this time of year, the Fremantle region did not require a sale and as a result, the national offering fell by 7,355 bales to 37,431 bales.

The smaller offering attracted continued solid buyer support, and the prices on offer for merino fleece types were generally in line with those of the previous series.

The only real holes evident in the market were for 17.0-to-18.5-micron wools in the

The weakening in this section was reflected in the individual Micron Price Guides (MPGs) in Melbourne, which in this range fell by between 5 and 36 cents. These falls were the driving force behind the 3-cent loss in the Southern indicator for the week.

In the North, the movements in the merino fleece MPGs ranged between -8 and +9 cents.

The 3-cent lift in the Northern indicator completely offset the loss in the South.

The result was another unchanged AWEX Eastern Market Indicator (EMI) which again closed the week at 1,342 cents.

In a similar pattern to the previous series, due to a weakening Australian dollar (the AUD



dropped by a further 0.42 US cents since the last sale), the EMI lost ground when viewed in US dollar terms.

The EMI dropped by 6 US cents, closing the week at 926 US cents.

The oddment sector was the strongest performer for the week.

General rises in locks, stains, and crutch-

ings of between 5 and 20 cents, helped to push the two Merino Carding (MC) indicators up by an average of 12 cents.

Fremantle returns to the market next week, bolstering the national offering.

Currently, there is expected to be 39,192 bales on offer in Fremantle, Melbourne and Sydney (which is a designated Superfine Sale)

A top result

Pymble Ladies College has been awarded the prestigious Noel Williams Perpetual Trophy by Angus NSW for their success in the Sydney Royal Show carcase competition.

Dubbed "Squirt", the winning steer was bred by Knowla Angus, Gloucester, weighed 433kg liveweight and achieved a score of 83 points on the hook, winning the lightweight hoof class, third in the carcase and first in the virtual taste test. College Head of Agriculture Grant Jackson thanked Angus NSW for the award and noted it was highly competed for by those schools entering Angus cattle at the RAS show.

"We were delighted to win this for the first time and would like to acknowledge the producers, the Laurie family from Knowla Livestock, Moppy, via Gloucester," Mr Jackson said.

'Ted and Alison's daughter, Georgia, was a Pymble student a few years back and they continue to do a great job supporting the current girls in the cattle team at the school.'

Worth their salt

According to an article in the Guardian Australia, the National Farmers Federation has "argued for non-monetary benefits", from which, the Australian Workers' Union has immediately retaliated.

'The days of vulnerable workers being 'paid' with food instead of money should be long behind us," said AWU National Secretary Daniel Walton.

"Ms Simon must urgently acknowledge that these arrangements belong in the history

'Some jobs in remote locations require employers to provide accommodation and life essentials.

"At no point should this necessary provision of essentials be considered some kind of 'service' for which workers are expected to forgo

"If farmers want to run bed-and-breakfasts from their properties they are free to do so. But they should never be allowed to force vulnerable workers to purchase that kind of 'service' from them.'

Good story to tell

Meat & Livestock Australia are currently looking for passionate storytellers to become ambassadors for their Red Meat Industry Program through a series of workshops. MLA Industry Engagement Manager Lindsay Kasprowicz said the most recent round of workshops had been well-received by participants.

"More than 100 people from across the red meat value chain took part in the 2021-22 workshops, including producers and industry professionals as well as those from the processing, retail, feedlot, research, veterinarian, stock agency, technology and transport sec-

"Once participants had completed the workshop, they were invited to join the program alumni and were provided with updates on MLA's community engagement activities and given the opportunity to participate in those activities, including Virtual Classrooms and agricultural shows."

The 2022-23 Ambassadors workshops will be held in Queensland, 19-21 April 2023.

Two Beefup Forums will be held in the central west over the coming week in Blackall on Tuesday 6 September and Winton on Friday 9 September.

The former will be held at the Winton Shire Council Hall and the latter at the Blackall Saleyards.

The event will be hosted by Meat and Livestock Australia (MLA), West Queensland beef producers and other key industry stakeholders who will have the opportunity to take part in a tailored program of talks and panel discussions and meet like-minded

The Beefup Forum is set to be a captivating program, relevant to the issues and ongoing industry requirements of the region.

Beef up for local forums on what matters

This includes: a market update from MLA, an industry update on FMD, updates on carbon, animal performance and genomics, and producers sharing practical and commercial insights.

The Forum has a list of compelling speakers such as Prof John Rolfe from the FASSA School of Business & Law who will be discussing the practicalities of earning carbon credits, and Prof Ben Hayes from the QLD Alliance for Agriculture and Food Innovation who will be providing a Genomics research

The topics to be covered on the day include understanding carbon, improving

livestock performance, and market Insights

Alongside the formal discussions, attendees will have the opportunity to network with other producers and learn from exhibi-

There will be a networking dinner sponsored by Rabobank following the Forum.

Registrations are now open for the Winton Beefup Forum, and you can register now by visiting https://bit.ly/3JufIyY.

All enquiries and expressions of interest can be made by contacting Beefup Coordinator Rosie Peace on beefup@associatedadrertising.com.au or by calling 08 8942 3388.

PS Don't miss the Lambert Bull and Infusion Sale at the Saleyards on the 5 September.

Conditions bite global demand for beef

Global demand for cheaper cuts of beef is expected to increase in the year ahead as rampant inflation and slowing economic growth see consumers trade down, Rabobank says in a newly-released report.

And Australia - as one of the largest exporters of beef 'trimmings' (the cheaper meat cuts which remain after prime cuts are removed) - is expected to be among the best positioned countries to benefit from this increased international demand, particularly from the US, the agribusiness bank says in its Q3 Global

"Evidence of declining consumer confidence in the face of slowing economies and rising inflation is starting to build," the Rabobank report says.

"In general, beef markets are resilient to changes in economic conditions.

"However, we do see movement within supply channels and price points that tend to favour cheaper options such as mince/ground beef and quick-service restaurants over the more expensive cuts and consumption chan-

Growing demand

The bank forecasts the volume of trimmings consumed globally to remain strong and potentially increase in the second half of 2022 as consumers continue to trade down to lowervalue beef cuts and cheaper proteins. Trimmings are typically used in the production of ground or minced beef.

"Major importers of trimmings include the US, China, Japan and South Korea," the report

"With these countries facing slower economic conditions in the second half of 2022. we expect consumer-purchasing decisions to favour the consumption of trimmings.

"The US and South Korea face high inflation pressures, whilst China and Japan continue to struggle with slower economic growth off the back of Covid.'

In the US - with its high consumption of ground beef – this should support demand for trimmings both from domestic and imported sources, Rabobank says.

Adding to the changing consumption habits as a result of economic conditions is the potential for the US to dramatically increase its need for imported trimmings.

Currently, high domestic beef production in the US is reducing the need for imported trimming products, the report says.

But, if US production contracts - with a slowing of the current US cow liquidation – higher import volumes will be needed.

And Australia - along with New Zealand will be in the 'box seat' to help fill that demand, says Rabobank senior animal protein analyst Angus Gidley-Baird.

Australia's increased herd inventory will generate additional grass-fed and female slaughter numbers.

However, a caveat remains for the Australian market with our current limited processing capacity, Mr Gidley-Baird says. "Unless we can correct this, our ability to ramp up production and capitalise on any trimmings demand growth will be limited," he said.

Global outlook

The global beef market overall remains strong, Rabobank's Q3 Beef Quarterly says.

"Most beef retail prices (in domestic currencies) continued their upward trend in Q2 or remained steady," the report says.

Beef prices in most markets are sitting between five and 11 per cent higher than quarter two in 2021, with the UK a notable exception

recording a decline in prices as consumer demand for beef has softened due to high retail

Cattle markets around the world also remain favourable, the report says, supported by either seasonal conditions - in the case of Australia and Brazil – or strong demand, in the case of the US.

There was however some decline in cattle prices (in US dollar terms) from the previous quarter in countries including Australia, Brazil, Argentina and New Zealand.

Cattle prices continued to decline through July, Mr Gidley-Baird said, dropping below 'year-ago levels" for the first time in 2.5 years, although we have seen them lift through Au-

"Prices remain historically high," he said.

"Although at the end of July the Eastern Young Cattle Indicator for weaner age cattle had dropped 23 per cent since the beginning of the year, there is no need to panic.

"Since the beginning of August, we have seen prices rise again.

"We feel that the change in the seasons is prompting producers to hold cattle, reflected in lower saleyard numbers and with weaner cattle prices dropping the margin for backgrounders has improved which we believe has stimulated some additional demand.'

Mr Gidley-Baird said the bank expects cattle prices to contract through Q3, but the warmer spring months and pasture growth should see some stability return to the market with some possible upside in Q4.

Although Australia's cattle slaughter numbers are slowly creeping up, volumes remain historically low, and Mr Gidley-Baird expects overall production for the year to be similar to 2021 at 1.9 million metric tonnes.

At arm's length

AgForce has shirtfronted Warrego MP Ann Leahy after she claimed the organisation was in secret cahoots with the State Government.

Trouble began after AgForce signed an informal confidentiality agreement to be part of early consultation regarding proposed changes to the Environmental Protection Act—the one recently been touted as the "cattle cap".

AgForce CEO Michael Guerin said the allegations pushed by the opposition were absurd.

"It saddens me to see farmers being used as pawns in a game of political point scoring," he said.

"There is no secret deal between AgForce and Government, nor do we have any knowledge of any broad proposals to place more draconian laws across the industry.

"To suggest otherwise is disingenuous at

"AgForce remains engaged as strongly as possible with the Government of the day on the issues that matter to members.'

Mr Guerin said this was the first time Ag-Force had signed a confidentiality agreement of this nature.

"We signed it in order to have a seat at the table as early as possible, and out of good faith that the outcomes will benefit our members,' he said.

"Changes to the global conversation around climate, around landscapes, around the part that agriculture can play, are very important conversations and AgForce needs to

country kitchens recipes



Salmon Frittata

Serves: 4

Prep time: 15 minutes Cook time: 15 minutes

1 serve per portion

Ingredients:

- 6 eggs
- ¾ cup milk, reduced fat
- 200g can salmon chunks in spring water, drained
- 2 spring onions, finely sliced
- 1 cup peas, defrosted
- 1 cup canned corn, drained
- 120g tasty cheese, reduced fat,
- 1 tablespoon dill, chopped
- Cracked pepper, to taste

Method:

- PREHEAT oven to 190°C. Line a pie dish with baking paper.
- BEAT eggs and milk together in a bowl. Add remaining ingredients and mix to combine.
- POUR mixture into lined pie dish.
- BAKE for 20-25 minutes or until golden and set.
- SERVE warm or cold with a side salad.

*Recipe courtesy of Beverley Milligan, Milla Milla Branch

Moroccan Couscous Salad

Serves: 8

Prep time: 15 minutes Cook time: 10 minutes

1 ½ serves per portion

Ingredients:

- 2 cups quick-cooking couscous
- 2 cups boiling water
- 1 cup orange juice
- ½ cup raisins
- 2 teaspoons cumin seeds
- 6 tablespoons olive oil
- 4 tablespoons lemon juice
- 2 cloves garlic, minced • 1 teaspoon ground cumin
- 2 teaspoons ground coriander
- 1 teaspoon ground ginger
- 2 carrots, grated
- 1 red onion, finely diced
- 1 red capsicum, finely diced
- 2 x 400g can chickpeas, rinsed and drained
- 4 tablespoons flat leaf parsley, roughly chopped

Method:

- ADD the couscous and raisins to a medium bowl and pour over boiling
- STIR through the orange juice and cumin seeds and quickly cover bowl with a plate or lid. Set aside to
- PLACE the oil, lemon juice, garlic and spices in a small jar and shake well. Set dressing aside.
- FLUFF the couscous with a fork to separate the grains then stir through the carrot, capsicum, onion and chickpeas.
- POUR the dressing over top and toss to combine.



*Recipe courtesy of the Country Kitchens team







Empowering women through education and health is a priority for the Queensland Country Women's Association (QCWA). The QCWA Country Kitchens program, funded by the Queensland Government through Health and Wellbeing Queensland, supports Queenslanders to adopt healthier lifestyles. To find out more about the program visit https://qcwacountrykitchens.com.au/.

COMICS

Bottled Fruit



.... and contestant number 3 enjoys bushwalking, ballroom

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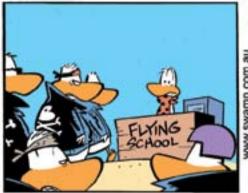
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Against the Grain



Ballard Street



Ted controls Nester through nonverbal communication.

Grin Bin



SUDOKU

No. 096

To solve a Sudoku puzzle, every number from 1 to 9 must appear in: each of the nine vertical columns, each of the nine horizontal rows and each of the nine 3 x 3 boxes. Remember, no number can occur more than once in any row, column or box.

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9-LETTER WORD

No colloquial or foreign words. No capitalised nouns,

apostrophes or plural

words ending in "s".

27 words: Very good

36 words: Excellent

Today's Aim:

18 words: Good

Using the nine letters in the grid, how many words of

be included and each letter may only be used once.

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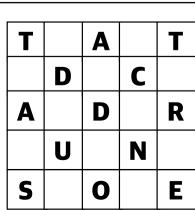
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QUICK QUIZ



In which year was Stonehenge (pictured) roped off from the public as a result of serious erosion?

2 Which four days each year, however, does English Heritage still permit access to the site?

TRUCK

UPEND

URINE

- Under Italian law, dry pasta can only be made from either of which two ingredients (and water)?
- The Ishihara colour test is used to test for what?
- What is the floral emblem of Queensland?
- How many teams play in the National Rugby League competition?
- What species originates from the lake underlying Mexico City and is sold as a pet under the name 'wooper looper' in Japan?
- Pteromechanophobia is a fear of what?
- What is the official currency of Nauru?
- 10 At 44 hectares and with a population of around 900, what is the smallest country in the world by both area and population?

ANSWERS: I. 1977 **2.** Summer and winter solatice, spring and autumn equinox **3.** Durum wheat flour or durum wheat semolins **4.** Red-green colour deficiencies (in sight) **5.** Cooktown orchid **6.** 16 **7.** Axoloti **8.** Flying **9.** Australian dollar **10.** Vatican City

FORECAST

Warnings

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Longreach:

Cloudy. High chance of showers, most likely in the morning and afternoon. Light winds becoming east to southeasterly 20 to 25 km/h during the morning then turning southerly 15 to 25 km/h during the day. Saturday. Partly cloudy.

Isisford:

Showers.

Saturday. Mostly sunny. **Barcaldine:**

Showers. Saturday. Partly cloudy.

Central West District:

Cloudy. High (80%) chance of showers, most likely in the morning and afternoon. Winds southeasterly 20 to 30 km/h turning southerly during the

afternoon.
Saturday. Mostly sunny. Winds south to southeasterly 25 to 35 km/h.

Northern Goldfields & Upper Flinders District:

Partly cloudy. Slight (20%) chance of a shower. Winds east to northeasterly 15 to 20 km/h turning south to southeasterly 20 to 30 km/h during the

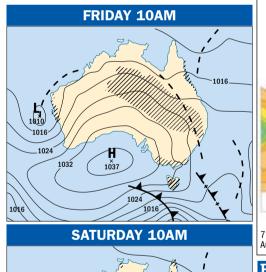
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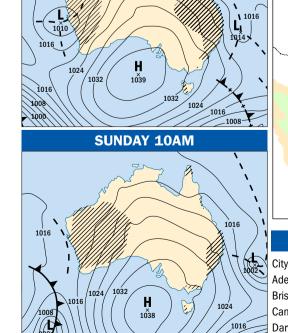
Cloudy. Very high (90%) chance of showers in the south, high (70%) chance elsewhere. Winds easterly 15 to 20 km/h becoming light during the day then becoming southerly 15 to 20 km/h during the evening.

Maranoa & Warrego District:

Cloudy. Very high (90%) chance of showers, most likely in the morning and afternoon. Winds southerly 20 to 30 km/h becoming light during the evening. Queensland:

Partly cloudy in the northwest and northern interior, isolated showers elsewhere. Scattered showers about the North Tropical Coast with a chance of a storm between about Cairns and Townsville. Showers tending scattered to widespread with areas of rain across southern and central Queensland, likely easing later in the southwest. A degree of uncertainty around timing and rainfall amounts. Minimum temperatures near average. Maximum temperatures near or below average, tending well below average in western, central and southern interior districts.





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Forecast Rain

24 hrs to 9am

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TODAY Showers.



TOMORROW Partly cloudy. 22



SUNDAY Sunny. 22



MONDAY Mostly sunny. 24







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LONGREACH FORECAST

Light rain



Rain

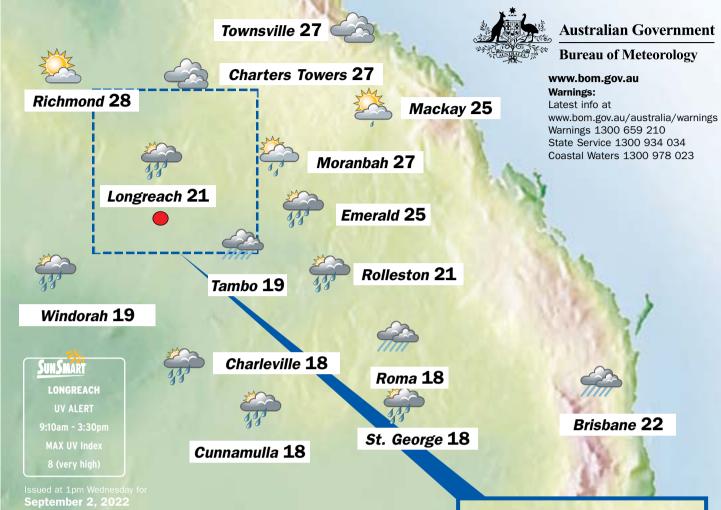
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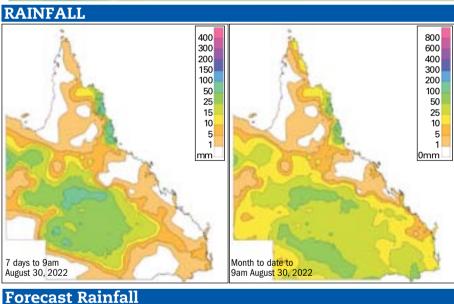


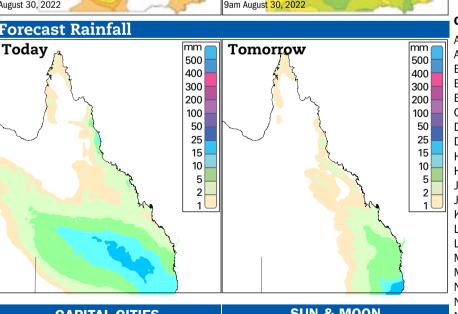
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Auckland	fine	16	7
Bangkok	storms	36	27
Beijing	fine	28	18
Berlin	fine	22	12
Christchurch	fine	20	7
Denpasar	cloudy	30	25
Dublin	sunny	18	11
Hong Kong	showers	33	27
Honolulu	showers	32	24
Jakarta	rain	32	23
Johannesburg	fine	19	5
Kuala Lumpur	storms	33	24
London	cloudy	//24	16
Los Angeles	sunny	35	22
Madrid	sunny	33	18
Moscow	fine	27	18
New Delhi	cloudy	35	26
New York	sunny	26	21
Noumea	fine	24	19
Paris	fine	27	17
Auckland	fine	16	7
Port Vila	fine	29	21
Seoul	fine	30	20
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Tokyo	cloudy	34	26
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Funeral Notice

The relatives and friends of the late

Noeleen Christina Burns

Formerly of Unit 6, 22 Booker Street, Aramac

are respectfully invited to attend her

service commencing at 10.30am on

Thursday 1 September 2022 at 26 Porter

Street, Aramac. Interment will be held

10.30am on Tuesday 6th September 2022

at the Aramac Cemetery

This announcement concerning the funeral

of the late Noeleen Christina Burns is

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∨ Deaths

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Deaths

At Iningai Nature Park

Ramage Pamela Joy

The relatives and friends of the late Pamela Joy Ramage, formerly of Crane Street Longreach and most recently of the Pioneers Nursing Home Longreach, wish to advise that she passed away peacefully on Tuesday 23rd August 2022 surrounded by her loving family and was laid to rest at the Longreach Lawn Cemetery on Wednesday 31st August 2022.

Funeral Directors of Longreach



Funeral Services



CULLINAN, John James 'Uncle Jack'

Late of Wynnum West, formerly Cabramatta, Sydney. Passed away 13th August.

Aged 95 Years Proudly Longreach born and bred.

Devoted Husband of Elizabeth (dec'd), Father to Peter (dec'd), brother to Paddy (dec'd) and Molly (dec'd), beloved Uncle

grandfather and caring neighbour to many. Family and Friends are respectively invited to celebrate John's honourable long life,

at 12 noon, on Monday oth September in Brisbane, at the Pinnaroo Cemetery Chapel, followed by refreshments. Burial to then follow at Redcliffe Cemetery.

Please contact Anton Brown Funerals for family details if you wish to make contact, or knew Jack and want to say hello.

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GAYLER Judith Ann

The relatives and friends of the late Judith Ann Gayler, formerly of Galah Street Longreach, are respectfully invited to attend her Graveside Funeral Service, commencing at 10.30am on Friday 2nd September 2022 at the Longreach Lawn Cemetery.

Longreach Regional Council Funeral Directors of Longreach



REST IN PEACE

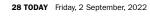
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Wall Street Tycoon taking the Open Handicap.

McMahon stars at Cup

By Rob Luck; Longreach Jockey Club

The annual Beetoota Cup race meeting kicked off the river circuit of racing on Saturday, with the annual two-day Birdsville meeting to follow this weekend and Bedourie to wrap up the three-venue carnival the following Saturday.

Leading central west jockey Ric McMahon stole the show on Saturday with only four rides on the program to make the perfect record of four wins, including an extremely impressive win on Labuk in the TAB Beetoota Cup Handicap over 1600 metres.

McMahon rode the winner as if he was the best horse in the race, positioning just off the pace; and coming into the long Beetoota straight of 450 metres, McMahon was travelling so well, that he allowed Labuk to go to the lead.

Even though he had gone into the lead early, Labuk proved way too strong for the remainder of the field and ran out a convincing two-length winner over Stradari for trainer Kym Healy and Saccharo for Philip Cole.

Labuk will now progress to the Birdsville Cup this Saturday, and it is unlikely the runners who finished behind him will turn the tables; so he is a likely favourite for this year's Birdsville Cup.

McMahon's winners came for two trainers: Todd Austin for two victories and Kym Healy for two victories.

In the other feature event, the Santos limited Handicap over 1000 metres, McMahon rode Wall Street Tycoon for trainer Todd Austin.

And even though he had to carry an extra 64 kilograms, he was able to park outside the early leader, Kronos, and then gain the lead early in the straight and fight off a determined challenge by Zilitor.

Wall Street Tycoon, under strong riding, was able to hold off Zilitor by three-quarters-of-alength, with Sons of Bourke coming from the back of the field into a third placing.

Wall Street Tycoon has now won three of his last four races, and he will progress to the



Tony's Reward winning the Benchmark Handicap over 1200 metres.

Pictures: ROXANNE WESTON; RLR PHOTOGRAPHY

Bedourie meeting in two weeks' time.

Kym Healy kicked off the program with Ric McMahon in successive races: in the Benchmark 50 Handicap over 1200 metres, Tony's Reward proved too strong for stablemate, Caitlin's Angel with an almost four-length margin, and Hammoon Sweetheart coming from the tail of the field into a strong finish in third.

Tony's Reward had come off a Darwin program in recent starts and was a dominant winner in the race.

In the following race, Healy and McMahon combined on Real Valentia which had also come off Darwin form, with a second placing two starts back; and it was a convincing of over three-lengths win over Blackadder who came from the back of the field, and early leader Faith And Love holding on for third.

Jockey Ric McMahon now seals his lead in the Central West Jockey Premiership, with the four wins, in what appears to be an unassailable lead even this far out from the finish line.

Ningan trainer Rodney Robb is a regular visitor to the river circuit, and he was rewarded with the QTIS Maiden Plate winner in Nannu ridden by Jake Pracey-Holmes.

Nannu, starting at an odds-on favourite, had only one previous run with the stable and was able to run to the lead and maintain the lead throughout.

Sticking to the rails in the straight, Nannu went away to win by over five lengths over Andaman with It's Pins in third place.

Nannu will now progress to the Birdsville carnival and is certainly one to watch, even though it has only had a maiden win.



Nannu taking the QTIS Maiden Plate.



Lubuk, ridden by Ric McMahon, took the Beetoota Cup.

The final race on the program is always the Class B 800 metres at Beetoota.

And again, an odds-on favourite - making it the fourth odds-on favourite on the day - Kooky Kangaroo for Gary Bignell at Cunnamulla and jockey Steven Galvin had a dominant win by over two-lengths.

Kooky Kangaroo shared the lead in the home straight, was able to fight off Triny Bee in second place, and Ghetto coming into third.

The galloper has now won two-from-three and is another one to progress to Birdsville.

The Beetoota Race Club, with their annual meeting, put on a great race day; and the committee ought to be commended for the smooth running of the event.

The day, again, belonged to Ric McMahon.

Lloydy's Serve Michael Lloyd



All sports owe debt of gratitude to army of volunteers

Volunteering is one of the underpinning parts of our sporting system and plays a massive role in small towns like ours

If you attended the Longreach Yellowbelly Competition on the weekend you might have assumed a few people through on a red shirt and put up some marquees, and another group pooped up a BBQ to serve a few burgers.

But until you have been part of the system, you will never really understand what goes into the planning and the actual operations of such a big event.

The monthly then weekly meetings, the messaging back and forth, then the on-the-ground operations to overcome problems, the

weather, customers' "misunderstandings", and just what it takes to register 500 plus fisherpeople, provide entertainment, and serve countless dagwood dogs, cups of chips, drinks and burgers is at time daunting and unbelievable, but to most on the other side of the "counter" happens with seamless fluency.

These people get little out of it in real terms.

A free shirt that says committee and a free lunch, but if you added up the time and stress you couldn't put a value on it.

They do it for the community, for the mateship, to continue a history of an event or because one of their mates asked them. It seems to be a dying art.

I was really invigorated by the new fishing committee, the next generation getting involved, the non-fishers committing their time to an event that has little interest to them, but how they came together, had some fun and pulled off such a great occasion.

But we always need more hands.

The service clubs like Lions and Rotary are always looking for help.

They are groups we rely on to feed us at events and sponsor our kids when they travel

Without them, we will struggle to hold such

big events and they won't be as fun if your tummy is grumbling away.

Of course, they do a lot more, but this is often what we see the most.

I say all this as we come to another important event, the Walk for Wegert run by Outback Mind Warriors on Sunday 11 September.

Outback Mind Warriors are a local group looking after mental health of locals and are a great cause and group.

If you are keen to help out, not only on the day but as an ongoing role, please get in touch with Paris through the Facebook group.





Wildcards shooting for goal.

Wildcards after their win.

Wildcard upset at the nets

By Michael R Williams

Wildcards, a team of mostly student-age players, who have just started playing in the adult's competition, have just made it into the B-grade grand final after upsetting Strainers.

Captain Makayla Bellwood said it was the best game they've played all season.

"It's the best game we've played as a team; everyone just played their part," she said.

"Everyone just put in one hundred per cent, I reckon.

"We just had faith in ourselves."

Coach Natalya Kajewski said she was extremely proud of the team.

"The team has a lot of junior players who have never played before," she said.

"A lot of the other teams have commented

on how well we have developed.

"We definitely did not expect to make the grand final, but it's going to be good."



Wildcards on the attack.



Strainers coming out of the backcourt.



Strainers shooting for goal.



Strainers at half-time.



Wildcards looking to attack.

Touch footy for round 5

By Longreach Touch Association

Results for Round 5:

- Rebels defeated Lights n Sirens: 10-1
- Best and Fairest: Mark Oates and Sam Tweedale
- Getaways defeated Phantoms: 7-6
- Best and Fairest: Jade Fuller and Jacob Ke-
- Panthers forfeited to Coops Trooplets





Stormbirds into grand final

By Michael R Williams

After a 21-20 nailbiter against Fury, the Longreach netball team Stormbirds have earned themselves a shot at knocking off multi-year premiers Tension.

Stormbirds captain Carien Peusschers said it was a tough game.

"We're quite lucky and thankful for the win," she said.

"It was definitely a tight game, and we were just discussing at half-time the penalty shot we had on the buzzer.

"We got that, and we said that could be the winning goal for us."

Ms Peusschers said she was impressed with her opposition ball-hungriness and passage down the middle.

"This year we have a pretty different team to last year, and we think Tension - who we will be taking on in the grand final - lost a few of their players to Fury," she said.

"So we will give it a red hot crack.

"We have nothing to lose."



Stormbirds defence.



Stormbirds on the attack.



Fury looking to shoot.



A Stormbird player shooting for goal.



Stormbirds with desperate defence.



Fury at halftime.



Stormbirds after their victory.



Fury shooting in response.



A Stormbird player shooting for goal.



Much of the game was won at half court.

CentralWestLeader



Wildcard upset **PAGE 30**



Historical racing resumes

By Michael R Williams

The historical significance of the Tower Hill Races has not been lost on locals despite the event being over 100 years old and a postponement from April—as attendance continues to hit over the 150 mark.

Tower Hill Picnic Amateur Race Club president Amy Owens said the event was unique in being one of the few grass-fed race meetingsmeaning the horses have to be exclusively fed grass within the three months prior to the race meet and jockeys are almost exclusively ama-

"Its flag starts instead of barrier starts, we just race for trophies and prizes, not money," she said.

"It's how racing would have started in Australia.

"And I'd like to hope the event can continue—it's a piece of history."

Ms Owens said the public and tourists enjoy the uniqueness of the event.

"It is out of town; we've had people from all over Australia—it's becoming more well known," she said.

"I do hope it does [become more seen on the tourist calendar].'

When the event is held, typically in April, Ms Owens said she believes numbers are around 200-250, however, due to rain, the event was postponed until August, meaning numbers were down-likely due to competition with other events.

She does believe the event will continue to grow into the future, however.

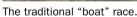
"Everyone still had a really good time," she said.

"It was still a lot of fun."



Arigold ridden by Mark Oates and Stone Warrior ridden by Meg Delahunty in the Tower Hill Bracelet 1400m.







Boy's Fashions of the Field winner.



Girl's fashions on the field winner.



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