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"The President's Notes"

Rachel Nicholas

Hi everyone,

This months activities included: Organising of: Greyhound bus travel, Qld Train travel, Ticket link concerts for the young and the young at heart. We dealt with a myriad of Centrelink enquiries, services and agent training has been updated. Photocopying, laminating, faxing, printing, internet/computer hiring as well as some assisting with internet use. Lease and venue hire negotiations.

Annual General Meeting: Thursday 18 September @ 9.30am. Anyone thinking of taking on an executive position are more than welcome to attend our August committee meeting to find out more or call in and have a chat with me or any other member.

Please Note: Financial members only may nominate other financial members and/or vote.

2014 Babinda District Telephone Books There were a few printing errors in the latest phone book check to see if you have 2 page 31's in your book, if so, return it to the Taskforce and we will replace it with a reprinted version. We apologise for this inconvenience.

2014/2015 Memberships are now due. We thank you for your ongoing support.

51st Babinda Harvest Festival: Saturday 11th October. **Harvest Ball** Saturday 4th October.

Christmas Stocking Raffle: *Is it ever too early?* Tickets \$2 each available Taskforce.

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New Volunteers Required: If you have a spare day during the week contact Rachel for further details.

New Business Hours: Monday to Thursday, 9am - 4pm.

Closed Fridays until further notice.

Please note: Next general meeting: Thursday 28 August 9.30am at the Taskforce Office.

We currently have 70 members.

Be good, Rachel

RAINFALL – JULY 2014

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Year to date: 3816.5 mm

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Top Station - 303 mm

Year to date: 7293.4 mm

Bottom Station - 89.6 mm

Year to date: 3976 mm

Contribution

Closing Dates:

Thursday 4 Sept

(Distributed 16 Sept)

Thursday 2 Oct

(Distributed 14 October)

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POLICE NEWS

On the 1st of August, Babinda celebrated 100 years of police service to the Babinda community by holding a commemorative morning tea. Past and present staff and police officers attended along with members of the community and other government departments.

To commemorate this event a beautifully engraved wooden plaque, was created and donated by Baxter O'Brien. This plaque named all the officers and staff who have served at Babinda over the last 100 years. From Constable Murray back 1914 to Constable COOK who has just arrived from Brisbane a few weeks ago and took the last spot on the list.

The morning tea was well attended, with speeches from Inspector Rhys Newton, who detailed a general history of police in Babinda, the Honourable member Curtis Pitt, who relayed some funny stories from our police past, including a story where an elephant escaped from the circus and damaged the police buildings before being caught nearby.

Thank you's and acknowledgements were made by Police liaison office Stacey Kneubuhler, OIC, QAS Babinda Justin Cairns and Doctor Renee Cremen on behalf of Queensland Health.

I would like to thank all who attended, and to the Babinda community in general for their continued support in our endeavours to ensure Babinda remains the fantastic town it is. I must acknowledge the work carried out by all 142 officers who have served here. The great community relationship that we enjoy today is their legacy that the current officers will continue to build on.

A special public thank you to Holly from the library. Holly got local kids together to paint banners for both the QPS and QAS Babinda, who both turned 100 this year. Holly also made a collage of interesting items and stories, and allowed us to display our history in the library. Holly also facilitated a chat between the police and the community. Holly's efforts are much appreciated.

Baxter O'Brien worked tirelessly for weeks to perfect the plaque displaying the names of past and present staff and police who have served this community. We will proudly display Baxter's work in the front counter of the station. To Baxter I say, thank you.

Errol and Margret Wiles found some old pieces of the Babinda Police watch house which was demolished back in the early 90's to make room for the other buildings to be moved when the highway came through. These panels show some graffiti scratched by the "visitors" to the watch house, and are a marvellous part of our policing history. These pieces have now been donated back to the Babinda police and will be kept for their historical significance.

We were only able to hold this great event with the help of The Babinda task force, Abbey Field, Babinda bowls club and FJ café who catered the event. FJ also created and donated a 100 year commemorative cake which was cut by our oldest surviving member, Kevin Raddatz and our newest member, Constable Martin COOK.

Although this newsletter has been about our 100 years, rest assured we are still focussed on ridding Babinda of the criminal elements that plague every town. We need your help to identify those who would bring this town down, either through unsafe driving, anti-social behaviour, domestic violence or illicit drug use. Call us on the station number 40671120, police link 131444 or Crimestoppers 180033300.

Babinda police would also like to welcome our newest member Constable Martin Cook who joins us from Brisbane. Martin, like us, is dedicated to small town policing and I know he is looking forward to working with you all to keep Babinda safe.



Babinda Police Officers and Staff Past and Present

Left to Right:
Sergeant Godden,
Sue Accatino,
Senior Constable Milner,
Shane Wiles,
Sergeant Sweetten,
Sue Newton,
Constable GIBB,
Charlie Marks, Errol
Grieves, Max Luxton,
Barry Perrett,
Kevin Raddatz,
Constable COOK

I just wanted to give you all a heads up with this years financial position for Council. The 2014-2015 Budget is a product of a strong focus on improving the organisation's financial sustainability while delivering critical new infrastructure and meeting the community's expectations in managing and improving existing assets. CRC finished last FY with a \$6.5 million surplus in the operating position - a significant turnaround from a \$6.6 million deficit two years ago. This was archived with some 'deep dive' analysis of how we do business. Like all work places it could be better but I am happy we are on the right path.

CRC are now looking to reinvest that \$7m into the region and operate this coming financial year as a balanced budget, with total operating expenditure and total operating revenue of \$276.8m. Rates in the dollar have risen by 1.6%. This is less than CPI. This means Council has used some of the surplus to keep rate increases below inflation rates. This is the lowest increase in 6 years. This keeps our rates at the fourth lowest in the State! (Ahead of Gold and Sunshine Coasts, Townsville, Rockhampton and Bundaberg (Ref: Richard Bruinsma: Sunshine Coast Daily News)).

A few major works Council will do in our area this FY will be improvements to the Eubenangee Bridge, Stager Rd bridge, upgrades to complete Evans rd, Bramston Beach, increased toilet facilities at the Rotary park RV park and toilets at the Deeral boat ramp to name a few.

I have recently been informed the Babinda State School has had 23 new enrolments this year. Couple this with the Mill land area being completed in the next few months, things are looking up for the Babinda region. Hopefully next month Ill have some positive news about the planned upgrades to the Boulders.

Take care and enjoy the cooler months while they last.

Steven Brain | Elected Member - Div 1

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by Dani



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Member for Mulgrave

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August 2014

Ride for Isabel stops at Abbeyfield

The fifth annual Ride for Isabel is expected to raise over \$10,000 for Stillbirth and Neonatal Death Support (SANDS) once donations are finalised.

This even was supported at Abbeyfield by Christine Norman, Estelle Withers, Gail Rawnsley, Beryl Ball, Wanda Edmonds, Vicki Dewis, Gail Withers, Brenda Robert, Frances Travis, Vivian Young and Robyn Waugh who provided a wonderful morning tea for the cyclists on the last day of the ride.

I would also like to thank the six Harvest Festival Queen entrants who greeted the riders as they arrived in Babinda and helped prepare the tea – thank you Madeline Calcagno, Alannah Dewis, Claudia Ghidella, Annaleise Jago, Sharna Persson and Rachel Ugarte. Thanks also to reigning Queen Claudia Galea for her support.



The three day ride departed Gordonvale and took the Gillies Highway to Malanda where riders stayed overnight. They then took the Kennedy Highway to the Mt Hypipamee Crater, the East Evelyn Road to Millaa Millaa and then the Palmerston to Innisfail for an overnight stop. The final day was from Innisfail to Gordonvale stopping along the way at Babinda.

The Ride for Isabel was instigated by my wife Kerry and I in 2010 to honour the memory of our baby daughter Isabel who was stillborn at 41 weeks in 2008 and since its inception has raised more than \$35,000 for SANDS Queensland to support counselling and bereavement services, as well as events like the 'Walk to Remember' October 12 at Sugarworld.

Curtis Pitt MP
State Member for Mulgrave

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Lines From The Library

Recently the Babinda Ambulance held its' centenary celebrations. For those of you who may have missed their event, the Babinda Library, in partnership with the Babinda Ambulance, is presenting a display of historical documents and photographs in the library during the month of August. Come in and see how your local Ambulance had it's beginnings and how it has changed over the years. There are also lots of fun photos of their many events, (including the simulated rope rescue from the roof of the ambulance station). So please do drop in to the library and have a look at this piece of Babinda history.

And now to other library news. As you may have heard, the free Wifi service has been rolled out to all of the Cairns Libraries branches. It has been renamed Cairns Libraries Wifi and can be accessed during library hours. Library members can access a daily limit of 200mb, and non-members can access a limit of 100mb per device. If you haven't used this service yet why not give it a try? And while you are on the internet do have a look at the Cairns Libraries website at www.cairnslibrary.com.au and see all the services that your library membership gives you access to.

Just a reminder about the storytime and craft sessions held in the library on the third Tuesday of every month and don't forget Catalogue Quest on the same day. Just contact the Babinda library for further details.

See you in the library sometime soon.

Cheers,

Holly

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ST RITA'S SCHOOL

We have had a very busy start to Term 3 at St Rita's School. During the school holidays, the students and staff finished painting 'Bunna Bindu', a beautifully painted life-sized horse that we entered into the Cairns Show Paint-a-Filly competition. Designed by Ms Sandra Remedio, one of our Indigenous Liaison Officers, our horse became a visual representation of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander farming history.

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people are represented on either side of the horse, and the Australian flag was placed in the centre of the horse's chest. Banana, cava and taro, constellations, fish and eel farms, and rock formations were intricately painted on its body.

We especially thank Ms Remedio and Mrs Destiny Naawi for successfully organising our entry this year. Although we didn't win, St Rita's was very proud to represent the Babinda community at the Cairns Show. We are looking forward to having 'Bunna Bindu' return to school!

Judy Billiau

Principal





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Hi Everyone! Yes, the rumour is 'Bramstons lost their Chef' ... but I would like to rephrase it by saying 'Bramstons have replaced their Chef, SUCCESSFULLY'. The transition has been smooth, resulting in a more positive outcome within all areas of the Kitchen. Please welcome Chef Karen and her husband Royce, our fantastic 'all rounder'. Thankyou all for your support thru this changeover...**the old favourites are on our lunch/dinner menu with a few new dishes, as with our brekky menu too**, as below! And a yummy new 'all day' Menu for those visiting us outside our lunch & dinner hours – our Sunday Night Specials will change every month and are \$15pp - Pls phone for bookings to avoid disappointment ... *Debra*

some of our dishes:-

- Bruschetta of Smoked Salmon, Horseradish Crème Fraiche'
- Local King Prawns cooked in Garlic Cream with Jasmine Rice
- Salt and Pepper Squid served with a fresh Asian Salad and Lime Aioli
 - Mezze Stack, Pesto, Italian Tomato,Balsamic Reduction
- Crab Croute Sandwich Pea Soup, Cos, Crème Fraiche, Crustacean Oil
- Beer Battered Barramundi with Chips & Garden Salad, Tartare Sauce and Lemon Wedge
- Pepper Crusted Spanish Mackerel with Roast Fennel & Grapefruit Salad, Spinach, Red Onion,Rocket Pesto
- Braised Lamb Shoulder, Puff Pastry,Roast Field Mushroom, Chat Potato, Broad Beans,Coriander, Jus
- Grilled Breast of Chicken filled with Roast Eggplant & Peppers, Chat Potato, House Salad,Avocado Cream Sauce
- House Pizza with Capsicum, Eggplant, Olives and 3 different Cheeses on a Napolitana Sauce, Pesto & Rocket Salad
- Scotch Fillet Steak, Beer Battered Chips, Salad, Roast Tomatoes, Mushroom or Pepper sauce. Surf n Turf Sauce available
- Freshly Crumbed Seafood Basket with calamari, scallops, prawns and barramundi and beer battered chips, tartare sauce

some brekky dishes:-

- House Made Banana Bread with cinnamon butter
- Bramstons Big Brekky – bacon,eggs,tomato,sausage,mushroom,avocado,hash brown,toast
 - Eggs Benedict
- Freshly Baked Jam Crumpets with vanilla mascarpone and drizzle honey
- Toasty – Ham,Cheese and Green Tomato Relish with Rocket Salad

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Tanya receiving finalist certificate

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Tanya was recognised for the Smart phone Apps she had developed to showcase the communities of Babinda and Gordonvale.

AROMATHERAPY – BATHING

Hi again to all my followers of aromatherapy. Baths are something I personally love. Centuries ago, long before bathing was popular as a means to relax or to come clean, herbal baths were used as cures for many types of skin problems and ailments. Baths are a wonderful way to restore body energy, soothe muscles, refresh the skin the same way a good night's sleep can. Natural fragrance gives pure pleasure to the brain. This cooler weather is perfect to really enjoy a bath so if you have one try out some suggestions below or email me. **Caution:-**Not too hot for those suffering with high blood pressure.

Salts: - A generous handful of **sea salt** - great for broken or sore skin or scars that need to be healed. **Epsom Salts:** - 1 cup is great for over exercised body's being Magnesium Sulfate.

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Info Centre Illuminations

It is always lovely to have visitors revisit our Centre to inform us of their impressions of our region. We recently had a group of 6 who had been camping in the area, return to say they had scaled Mt Bartle Frere and stayed overnight. They loved it, especially as they had two perfect days for climbing. They had also visited Eubenangee Park and also thoroughly enjoyed that, especially because they also observed a fairly large crocodile in the water. It is the first they have seen in the wild, so were quite chuffed. Actually several people have confirmed seeing crocs at Eubenangee.

The Centre and its visitors have been privileged to be witnessing the emergence of numerous beautiful Cairns Birdwing butterflies, on one occasion three simultaneously. Two Canadian visitors witnessed this; it was their first day in Australia, one they won't forget. It is amazing the power of word of mouth, with many, many people arriving to ask "Where are the butterflies?" We do know that literally hundreds of photos have been taken from professional SLR cameras to tablets, all with much delight. Ah, it's the simple things in life.

Visitor numbers are up, with all of the caravan areas, both free & commercial, either full or nearly full, so we strongly recommend booking ahead. Here at the Centre we're scratching our heads trying to dream up ideas for the Harvest Fest in October, not long to go.

Several closures are planned for both Skyrail & Kuranda Rail. You can check when these are on www.ksr.com.au/TourOptions/Pages/PlannedMaintenanceclosures.aspx

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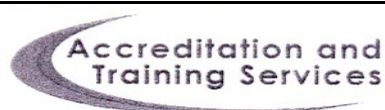
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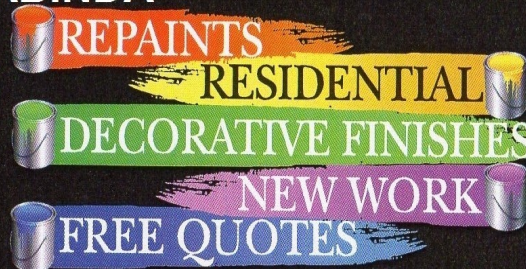
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BABINDA HOSPITAL MPHS NEWS



Our outing to Bramston Beach last month was enjoyed by everyone who participated. The enthusiasm started the day before the outing with a big cook up by the residents for our morning tea which was enjoyed by all on arrival at Bramston.

The 2 hospital buses were our means of transport, not a lot of room was left once everyone and all our equipment was packed.

We amused ourselves by engaging in some well known games and also just sitting and taking in the beautiful scenery.

As can be seen by the happy smiles, this long awaited outing for the residents was such a beautiful day that needs to be repeated in the not too distant future.



Just a reminder that our walking group designed for people over 55 is still happening on Mon, Wed. and Fri. mornings at 7 o'clock. Anyone wishing to join in are very welcome. Everyone meets out the front of the hospital and then we all set off, the walk is at your own pace so do not feel that you will be left behind as each one of us do our own comfortable speed. Afterwards, wind down with a few exercises, which we have found to be not too difficult.

As the weather is cool at the moment, now is the time to start, remembering how good walking is for us for our fitness and health. Any further information required, please phone Hayley or Ann on 40678280/206.

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Be sure to look out for our 2014 Entrants and show your support whilst they fundraise!



COMMUNITY SPIRIT

All six entrants are enthusiastic to participate in community minded activities and are fundraising to benefit the local community.

On Sunday the 27th of July the six Harvest Festival Entrants attended the Abbeyfield Home. Entrants assisted in the setting and packing up for the day and met with the 50 riders while they stopped for morning tea.

Member for Mulgrave Curtis Pitt organises the inaugural 'Ride for Isabel' cycling event to raise awareness and funds for Stillbirth and Neonatal Death Support (SANDS) Queensland.

Mr Pitt said the 85 kilometre ride is to honour the memory of his daughter Isabel and will also coincide with the launch of Bike Week 2014.



2014 Entrants and 2013 Queen with bike riders who participated in 'Ride for Isabel'

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What are the priorities for the RLCG?

Where do you think we should be directing our energies? Do we need to remain an incorporated body? What does this mean?

What role could you play?

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Saturday 13th September, 2014

Festivities 3pm - 8:30pm

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What's Happening In Babinda

BABINDA TASKFORCE - Next meeting Thursday 28 August 9.30am at the Taskforce. Phone 4067 2900 for further info.

BABINDA TASKFORCE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING: Thursday 18 September 9.30am

ABBNEYFIELD HOUSE - HOY / Mini Cent Sale 3rd Monday of the month 4067 1197

BABINDA ARTS & CRAFTS - Open 9am-4pm daily. Meetings 2nd Wed of month @ 6pm bring a chair

BABINDA BARGAIN CENTRE (COOTHARINGA NQ) - HOY 2nd Mon of the month. Ph 4067 1533

BABINDA BOXING CLUB Tuesday & Thursday 5.30—6.30pm, Warren Jensen Hall - Bill Wakeham Park . See advert.

BABINDA BOWLS CLUB - Phone 4067 1148. Barbecue Buffet Meals start 7th February 2014.

BABINDA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING - 5.30pm - 1st Tuesday of the month at Roddo's News

BABINDA CHOI KWANG DO - CWA Hall Mon & Thu 5.30 - 6.30pm. All ages welcome. Enquiries to 0413 386 942

BABINDA DISTRICT FISHING CLUB first Tuesday of the month 7.30pm Club House

BABINDA GOLF CLUB-Social days Wed and Fri 3pm Saturday 12.30 in winter and 1pm in summer. Ph 4067 1510

BABINDA LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Monday of the month at 7pm at the RSL Hall, School St

BABINDA MONTHLY MARKET DAY- 2nd Saturday of each month. Contact Roger Castlehouse 4067 1363

BABINDA PUBLIC SPEAKING GROUP - 2nd Mon of month 7pm SOB Hall. 4067 1438 Loretta or 40674110 Rod

BABINDA RAINY DAYS BOOKCLUB - Meets every last Tuesday @ 10am @ Stag Tavern—Call Sue 4067 2640

BABINDA RSL - 1st Sunday of the month, 9:30 am at RSL. Contact 4067 6162

BARTLE FRERE STATE SCHOOL - Family Day Group Tuesday 9am—11am 4067 6240

BUMBLEBEES PLAYGROUP - Tuesdays 9-11am, Community Hall, Church St, ph Honorei 0408 205 053 for details

CARER'S SUPPORT NETWORK - Last Friday of month, Innisfail Hospital, Transport available ph: 40678200

CHILD HEALTH CLINIC - 2nd Wednesday of the month 10am Hospital. Ph 4061 5388

DANCING CLASSES - Learn New Vogue and Rock and Roll. Wed 7.30 - 9pm. RSL Hall. Cost \$5. Amabile 0407 753 519

DATE CLAIMER: Babinda State School Centenary, 13th September, 2014 from 3pm till late.

HARVEST FESTIVAL: Saturday 11th October, **HARVEST BALL:** Saturday 4th October. *See further info this issue.*

INFO CENTRE - Open 9 - 4 daily, 40671 008, www.babindainfocentre.com.au

KIDS CLUB - Grade 1 to Grade 7 - Wednesday 5pm to 7.30pm CWA Hall, Babinda

MENSHED'S - Wed & Fri's 9am-2pm @ Babinda's Showground contact Merv for further info: 40618494

QCWA BABINDA- 2nd Sat of the month meeting 9.30am .4th Mon of the month - Hoy/Mini Cent Sale 1.30pm

QCWA DEERAL-2nd Wednesday of the month— Meeting 9.30am Craft follows meeting. Deeral Hall

RELAXABOUT MASSAGE RETREAT - Phone Judi Van Dycke on 0400 726 245

SOCIAL TOUCH FOOTBALL - Every Thursday night 7pm Bill Wakeham Park

SUNDAY SCHOOL - Presbyterian Church Hall @ 8:45am. Contact Miss Shirley for further details on 4067 2261

SNAKE REMOVALIST - Brian James mobile 0400 752 977 or home phone 4067 1581

STORYTIME - Babinda Library 3rd Tuesday each month, 10.30-11.30am, 4067 1112

TAI CHI - Wednesdays 9.30am -10.30am Spirit Of Babinda Hall, behind Taskforce, 51 Munro St, Babinda

WILDLIFE CARERS (FNQ) 4067-6054 (after 4pm & W/ends) 0428 699 246 (7.30am to 4.00pm Mon to Fri)

WOMEN'S FREE CLINIC Babinda Hospital, Tuesday 16 September, 4067 8200

YOGA - Wednesdays 5.30am - 7.00pm, Spirit of Babinda Hall, behind Taskforce, 51 Munro St, Babinda, Ingrid: 4056 6909

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