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what's on

FROM 6TH JUNE

THURSDAY (EACH WEEK)

THURSDAY ARVIE BARBIE – Drop into the PCYC for a free sausage sizzle and pizza with music, board games, art, pool tables and ping pong, PlayStations and big screen TV. 3:30pm – 6:00pm.

7 JUNE

BILLIONAIRE BOY - CDP Kids Presents...Billionaire Boy. David Walliam's best-selling book comes to life on stage for 6-12 year olds – and their adults! Don't Miss Out – Free pre-show activities in the GECC foyer 1 hour before each show. Tickets from www.gladstoneentertainment.com or from the GECC box office.

9 JUNE

PCYC MARKETS – 8:00am to 12:00pm. Come down to the family market and get a gift for that special someone, have a delicious lunch and get some fresh fruit and vegetables.

14 JUNE

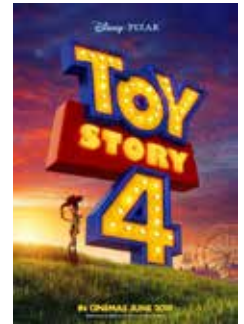
PCYC ROLLER DISCO - 6:30pm to 9:00pm. Dress up in your best outfit for the Awesome 80's Roller Disco. Join in the fun and games, skate with your friends and get some yummy goodies. Tickets available at PCYC, Skaters: \$10, non-skaters: Free.

15 JUNE

OUTDOOR MOVIE MARATHON - from 4:30pm @ Liz Cunningham Park, Calliope. A fun family night watching three movies! Popcorn, slushies and choc tops + more! Fundraising for Calliope State School P&C and the Calliope Football Club. Tickets: trybooking.com or from Coffee Ink Calliope.

20 JUNE

TOY STORY 4 @ Gladstone Cinemas. When a new toy called "Forky" joins Woody and the gang, a road trip alongside old and new friends reveals how big the world can be for a toy. Visit www.gladstonecinemas.com.au for session times.



27
JUNE

TONI CHILDS RETROSPECTIVE

JOIN THE LEGENDARY TONI CHILDS FOR A SPECIAL TWO HOUR PERFORMANCE AS SHE CELEBRATES HER 30 YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF UNION. TONI WILL BE PERFORMING HITS AND FAN FAVOURITES FROM UNION, HOUSE OF HOPE, THE WOMAN'S BOAT AND KEEP THE FAITH. THE SECOND HOUR WILL BE YOUR INTRODUCTION TO TONI'S NEW MUSIC FROM TWO VERY SPECIAL ALBUMS IT'S ALL A BEAUTIFUL NOISE AND CITIZENS OF THE PLANET.

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Mt Larcom SHOW

22ND - 23RD JUNE 2019



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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

At 80 years old, you could be excused for slowing down – but that isn't the case with the Mount Larcom Show, continuing to invigorate the community year after year.

Since launching in 1919, the Mount Larcom Show has become a major event and a highlight of the year for the Gladstone Region and surrounds, drawing in over 10,000 people.

Not only a fantastic opportunity to gather as a community, the Show provides a welcome economic boost, with many urban and rural industries and businesses, artists, craft workers, food merchants and stall holders gathering to showcase and sell their goods.

This year we welcome back many crowd favourites, such as the animal shed, free face painting, woodchopping and many more. A fresh face on the block, the Australian National Chainsaw Titles are being held over the course of the Show, an event sure to thrill both the young and old.

Driven by the hard-working and dedicated Mount Larcom and District Show Society team, the Show's continued success and longevity is a testament to all of you.

I am proud to see Council funding go towards supporting this fantastic community event and providing the "Gladstone Regional Council's Entertainment and Food Court."

Mayor Matt Burnett, Gladstone Regional Council

PATRON'S MESSAGE

As the Society prepares for the 2019 show, we remember the men and women of the Mount Larcom area who had the foresight in 1919 to start an Agricultural Show.

This year is 100 years since that historic event. The years in between have not been easy, and for several years a show was not held owing to WWI and the Depression of the '30s. In 2019 the Show Society will celebrate 80 years of presenting the annual agricultural Show, 100 years since the first Show.

We commend those early pioneers for the work they put in to establish this Show. I know it would not have been easy and it does not seem to be getting any easier, so I congratulate the present committee for their efforts in staging the 2019 Show.

Jean Peters and Mrs Kym Hannant

Patron and Life Members of The Mt Larcom & District Show Society



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2019 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAINSAW RACING TITLES

Sponsored by Santos GLNG & Husqvarna the Mt Larcom Show is proud to host the 2019 Australian National Chainsaw Racing Titles. Beginning on Friday 21st of June and continuing over the show weekend this is a chance to see Australia's most talented chainsaw cutters in action. Competitors from all over Australia along with their supporters will gather at the show to compete in one of the biggest title events in Australia.

To view the full program and heat/event times visit www.mtlarcomshow.com.au



CRACK UP SISTERS

Entertaining audiences around Australia, the Crack Up Sisters have a performance pedigree as long as your arm! These country born sisters from Winton in Outback Queensland will bring their unique style of comedy to the audiences at the Mt Larcom Show!

The Crackup Sisters will entertain the crowd with ridiculous behaviour, larrikin banter, whip cracking, slapstick pranks & pumping music. Their show is proudly sponsored by Australia Pacific LNG!

See the full program at www.mtlarcomshow.com.au for performance times.

GLADSTONE REGIONAL COUNCIL'S KIDS ENTERTAINMENT & FOOD COURT AREA

This year the Mt Larcom show will feature a special kid's area! Set up around the food court this special children's entertainment precinct will feature stage shows, workshops and special children's activities. Featuring Mt Toot's Circus Variety Show and balloon workshops, face painting and The Kangagang 'Exploring Australia' Children's Show and Kangagang workshop.

For the full program of shows and workshops visit www.mtlarcomshow.com.au

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Gladstone Tondoon Botanic Gardens

Winter Event Guide

Tondoon Tiny Tots - Free

9am-noon, 5 June, 17 July, 7 August
Bookings not required | Below café

Bring your baby or toddlers for a free morning at Tondoon Tiny Tots. There'll be swings, slides and playhouses, you can enjoy a coffee while meeting other parents.

Microgreens Workshop - \$30

9am-11am, 15 June | Bookings required
Administration Building

This workshop will take you through the process of how to grow and maintain microgreens in your kitchen. Hydroponic planter, seeds, and information booklet supplied to all attendees.

Fun Activity Morning - Free

8.30am-12.30pm, 16 June
Bookings not required | Arboretum Area

There will be kids' rides, giant slides, jumping castles and much more! Food vendors on site for morning tea and lunch.

Cooking in the Gardens - Free

10am-11.30am, 19 June
Bookings required | Arboretum Area

Learn to cook homemade soup and fresh bread for your next winter family gathering. Savour the Flavour will teach how to whip up the ultimate dish.

Sustainable Gardens Series - Free

6pm-7pm, 6, 13, 20 & 27 August
Bookings required | Administration Building

The Sustainable Gardens Series will bring out your green thumb and provide hands-on information on designing a sustainable garden, gardening and growing Port Curtis plants and general turf care.

Fundamentals Bonsai Class - \$60

10am-3pm, 10 August | Bookings required
Administration Building

You will learn the theory behind bonsai in the morning and be given your very own tree to work on in the afternoon. Lunch is provided.

Bonsai Exhibition and Plant Fair

8am-6pm, 31 August & 8am-noon,
1 September | Bookings not required
Administration Building

There will be exhibits by Friends of Bonsai Volunteers and demonstrations by visiting artists. Sale of native plants also available for purchase.

Seniors Week Activities

Bonsai for Seniors - Free

9am-11am, 19 August | Bookings required
Administration Building

This is an introductory workshop in the ancient artform of bonsai constructed specifically for seniors of the Gladstone Region.

Orchid Growing Workshop for Seniors - Free

9am-11am, 20 August | Bookings required
Administration Building

A workshop to show you how to make your orchids grow and flower.

Cooking for Seniors - Free

10am-11.30am, 21 August | Bookings required
Arboretum Shelter

Learn to cook simple tasty meals to impress at your next event. Savour the Flavour will teach you tips and tricks to whip up the ultimate dish.

Seniors Games in the Gardens - Free

10am-11.30am, 23 August | Bookings required
Administration Building

Join us for a game or two in the Gardens. Test your knowledge at our various trivia games.

School Holiday Activities

Kids Craft - Free

10am-11am, 2 July | Bookings required
Arboretum Shelter

Seeds and pods from the gardens make great materials for children to be creative. Join us for a morning of craft situated in the heart of the Gardens.

Kids Cooking - Free

10am-11.30am, 3 July | Bookings required
Arboretum Shelter

Learn to be the next Kids MasterChef! Cook up a storm with Savour the Flavour café.

Kids Art in the Park - Free

10am-11am, 5 July | Bookings required
Arboretum Shelter

Create nature inspired masterpieces in the heart of the Gardens.

Fun with Chalk - Free

10am-11am, 9 July | Bookings required
Arboretum Shelter

Create a masterpiece and transform the pathways around the Gardens with just stencils and chalk.

Kids Bonsai Masterclass - \$30

10am-11.30am, 10 July | Bookings required
Administration Building

Learn the secrets of bonsai, from the basics of snipping, sculpting and shaping your very own bonsai tree. Plant and pot supplied is supplied to all attendees.

Orchid Growing Workshop FOR SENIORS

A workshop to show you how to make your orchids grow and flower.

9am-11am, 20 August | Free | Bookings required
Administration Building



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GLADSTONE NEWS IS A BIG BELIEVER IN INDUSTRY AND COMMUNITY WORKING TOGETHER TO CREATE A HAPPY AND THRIVING REGION.

For anyone who would like to be a part of the connection process, Boyne Smelters Limited (BSL) will be hosting a Community Forum on Thursday 13 June.

The team at BSL hold these Community Forums periodically, with the aim of creating a long-term, open and honest two-way communication between BSL and the local Boyne Island and Tannum Sands Community.

WHAT HAPPENS AT THE FORUM?

BSL management share information on business performance, priorities and sustainability activities so that community members feel informed on how the Boyne/Tannum region's largest employer operates. Community members are encouraged to provide feedback, ask questions or raise issues directly with BSL management. Together, they also identify opportunities and issues in the wider community and BSL assists in providing solutions where possible.

If this sounds like something you'd be interested in attending,



we would encourage you to get involved on Thursday June 13, 6pm, at Kalori Conference Centre, Hampton Drive, Tannum Sands.

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BSL Community Forum

Thursday 13th June, 6:00pm

Kalori Conference Centre, Hampton Drive, Tannum Sands

Community members are encouraged to provide feedback, ask questions or raise issues directly with BSL Management.

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\$1 Million delivered to fund new tourist drawcard for 1770



FEDERAL MEMBER FOR FLYNN, KEN O'DOWD HAS CONFIRMED THAT THE RE-ELECTED LIBERAL NATIONAL GOVERNMENT WILL DELIVER \$1 MILLION IN FUNDING TO HELP BUILD AN INTERPRETIVE CENTRE AT TOWN OF 1770. THIS SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT SUPPORTS THE GOVERNMENT'S COMMITMENT TO INVEST IN LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS.

Mr O'Dowd pursued and will deliver the funding to ensure the local community has a significant, long-term centrepiece to mark the birthplace of Queensland, to commemorate the milestone of the 250th anniversary of Lt James Cook's landing, and to bolster the region's tourism industry.

The \$1 million in funding will be used to help build a planned Legacy Project, which will incorporate an interpretive centre with three core exhibits - Exploration surrounding the historic landing of the HMB Endeavour in the

Town of 1770, Nature and Landscape, and Indigenous Culture.

"Town of 1770 was the first place Lt James Cook landed in Queensland, and was his second landing spot in Australia, making it an incredibly important location in our nation's history," Mr O'Dowd said. "Just as important as his landing is the history and culture of the First Nations people who lived in the area at that time."

The interpretive centre will showcase the story of those First Nations people and feature indigenous culture and an art gallery, as well as a yarning circle nearby. "It will be an iconic place where people from all over the world can come and learn about one of the most significant places and times in our nation's history and get an understanding of the area's importance," Mr O'Dowd added.

Mr O'Dowd explained that while next year's three-week festival will be a huge and immediate tourist drawcard for the region, the interpretive centre will be a long-term asset to the community and a

point of interest for visitors for years to come. "It will also act as a high-quality focal point for community events and celebrations for years to come," Mr O'Dowd said.

Discovery Coast Tourism & Commerce Inc President, Amber Rodgers said the concept plan to create the interpretive centre was developed in February 2018 and the organisation was so pleased that Mr O'Dowd has provided the funding to bring this project to fruition hopefully. "We are so grateful that the federal government has provided funding for our destination," Ms Rodgers said.



Another WIN for FLYNN ✓

Ken O'Dowd MP

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1770 Festival **BENEFITS FROM COMMUNITY FUND**

PERFORMANCES AT THIS YEAR'S GLADSTONE REGION 1770 FESTIVAL WERE ABLE TO BENEFIT FROM A NEW EXTENSION TO THE STAGE AT THE FESTIVAL'S HOME, THE SES GROUNDS.

Shell QGC Communities Fund provided \$40,000 to Discovery Coast Tourism and Commerce (DCTC) to construct an 8x4 metre extension to the existing 1770 Community Stage.

The project was designed to improve the safety, security and functionality of the facility, with the added benefit of offering cost savings in running events such as Captain Cook 1770 Festival and Agnes Blues, Roots and Rock Festival.

Discovery Coast Tourism and Commerce Inc (DCTC) President Amber Rodgers, said the improvement to the community asset would benefit the whole community. "Accessing grants like the

Shell QGC Communities fund allows us to host more events for the community," Ms Rodgers said.

"A lot of people have come together to make sure we could get the maximum out of this build. We have a roller door on one side of the building for loading purposes, and the extension adds space for a green room and storage between events," Ms Rodgers continued.

Ms Rodgers said many local businesses and individuals also generously provided in-kind support and donations which helped make the extension a reality.

A spokesperson from Shell's QGC business said, "Shell's QGC business was thrilled to be able to assist the DCTC with the funding which saw the extension completed in time for this year's Captain Cook 1770 Festival where it was utilised for the first time."



DCTC was among ten local organisations who received over \$200,000 from Shell's QGC business to execute grassroots community projects through the most recent round of its Communities Fund.

The next Communities Fund round, for projects to be executed in 2020, is due to open in July.



THE SMITH FAMILY celebrates one year in Gladstone



THE SMITH FAMILY CELEBRATED ONE YEAR OF PROVIDING ITS EDUCATION SUPPORT PROGRAM TO LOCAL CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES IN GLADSTONE ON MAY 23RD. THE SMITH FAMILY WORKS IN PARTNERSHIP WITH LOCAL FAMILIES, SCHOOLS AND OTHER COMMUNITY SERVICE ORGANISATIONS TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS RECEIVE THE EXTRA SUPPORT THEY NEED TO OVERCOME THE BARRIERS THAT CHALLENGE THEIR SUCCESSFUL PARTICIPATION AT SCHOOL.

The Learning for Life program offers a range of targeted support for students from disadvantaged backgrounds and has been proven to improve their educational outcomes. Over the past year, 300 Learning for Life sponsorships have been handed out to disadvantaged children and young people in the area, thanks to The Smith Family's strategic partner Orica. Orica committed \$500,000 over three years to help these students in the Gladstone community.

Orica Yarwun Site Manager, Viney Kumar said, "We are so pleased to see the progress The Smith Family has made in Gladstone over the last year and are very proud of how our long-term partnership is helping to brighten futures for young people throughout Australia and beyond."

Due to the success of the program in Gladstone, The Smith Family have announced an additional 300 Gladstone students will be brought on to the program by 2020.

The Smith Family Queensland General Manager, Alan Le May explained that The Smith Family had made a significant difference to children and families of Gladstone. "We are proud to expand our program to Gladstone thanks to our long-standing partner Orica, and because of them are helping improve the educational outcomes of more disadvantaged children and young people," Mr Le May said.



WE ARE DELIGHTED TO BE THE FOUNDATION PARTNER WITH THE SMITH FAMILY, SUPPORTING THEIR LEARNING FOR LIFE PROGRAM IN GLADSTONE.

Over the past year, the partnership has delivered vital support to more than 300 local students by providing financial assistance and access to education programs to help children get the most out of their school years.

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INGREDIENTS STEW

- 4 large portions of Oso Bucco
- 2 litres water
- 2 onions, thinly sliced
- 4 cloves garlic, finely chopped
- 800g tomato passata or fresh tomatoes if you prefer
- 4 large carrots, cut into thick slices
- 2 medium eggplants, cut into 2cm cubes or 2 zucchinis, cubed
- 200g green beans, trimmed and halved
- 2 generous tbsp fat of your choice
- 1-2 tsp dried mixed herbs
- 1 tsp honey
- 2 tsp apple cider vinegar
- 3 tsp sea salt (or to taste)
- Freshly cracked pepper

INGREDIENTS GREMOLATA

- 1 small bunch flat leaf parsley, stalks trimmed, washed and dried
- 1-2 cloves garlic
- zest of two lemons, washed and dried

OSSO BUCCO STEW

1. Place meat into a 6 litre, heavy based pot & cover with water and add onions and garlic. Bring to the boil then reduce heat to a simmer. Cook covered over med-low heat for 2-3 hours, or until meat is soft.
2. Add tomatoes, carrot, eggplant, beans, fat, herbs, honey, vinegar, salt and pepper. Continue to simmer on medium heat with lid partially off for a further 30 minutes, or until vegetables are soft, meat is falling off the bone, and liquid is beginning to reduce.
3. Serve hot, sprinkled with gremolata.

GREMOLATA

1. Finely chop parsley; grate the garlic and zest the lemons with a micro plane; chop them all together with sharp knife so they're very fine and mixed well.

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Beneficiaries receive generous Santos GLNG Mayor's Charity Ball funds

With the final tally in, the fourth biennial Santos GLNG Mayor's Charity Ball surpassed its fundraising target, raising \$91,801.81 to share between four local charities.

Gladstone Region Mayor Matt Burnett thanked the community and the event sponsors for their overwhelming support. "The night was a fantastic success, and it was great to see so many people from our community putting the fun in fundraising," Councillor Burnett said. "Our region lived up to its reputation for digging deep in support of charities and Gladstone Regional Council is proud to support this event."

Councillor Burnett said the ball committee's enthusiasm and hard work helped surpass their fundraising goal, whisking guests away for a night of Monte Carlo-esque fun, while raising an incredible amount.

The funds have been distributed to the charity ball beneficiaries, who were

selected in recognition of their selfless contributions to the community. The 2019 recipients include Port Curtis District Scouts, Gladstone Community Linking Agency, Zonta Club of Gladstone and Creative Recycling Gladstone.

Councillor Burnett said attendees showed their generosity to assist this year's charity recipients by not only purchasing ball tickets but by participating in auctions and raffles on the night.

"In addition, contributions and donations by major partners and sponsors and the assistance of volunteers behind-the-scenes provided invaluable support," Councillor Burnett added.

The Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre hosted the sell-out event with more than 400 guests enjoying food, drink and entertainment. To date, the Mayor's Ball charity evenings have collectively raised approximately \$391,801.81 for local charities.



NAIDOC 2018 exhibition, works from Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum collection. Photo by Tracey Elwell.

New exhibitions & music performance

NAIDOC 2019 | June - 3 August

The Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum's NAIDOC 2019 exhibition displays art from the First Australians, and heritage works from the collection. Works by local and nationally-known First Australian artists will be on display, including Tony Albert's photographic series *50perCENT*, on loan from the Sunshine Coast Art Collection, managed by Caloundra Regional Gallery.

Maps 22 June - 4 August

This exhibition includes detailed copies of Admiralty maps, and drawings, depicting the coast line of the East Coast of Australia and Port Curtis (Gladstone) from 1799. Also included are Surveyors' street and locality maps from 1853 of Calliope and Gladstone.

Maps & Music 5:30pm - 6:30pm, Thursday, 27 June 2019

This is a free public program, everyone is welcome

Light refreshments provided - RSVP by 5pm, 21 June 2019

Camerata - Queensland's Chamber Orchestra will present a performance in response to *Maps*. This performance is made possible with the generous support of the Tim Fairfax Family Foundation and the Queensland Government through Arts Queensland.

Djamga - Messenger 22 June - 17 August

An exhibition of new works, as well as a selection of early lino prints and paintings by Jarrod Beezley (Kabi/Bundjalang). Artworks will be accompanied by their stories, and in recognition of the importance of language to First Australian Communities, will be shown in both the artist's Language and in English.

On the wall 22 June - 17 August

An eclectic assortment of memorabilia from the Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum's archives, featuring objects that have adorned the walls of homes and businesses in the Gladstone Region.

From 3 June until 8 June 2019, due to building maintenance, entrance to the Gallery & Museum will be via the lower level door on Goondoon St. During this time, the only accessible spaces will be O'Connell Gallery displaying NAIDOC 2019, and the atrium space.



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FOR LOCAL TEACHERS

TEACHERS THROUGHOUT THE GLADSTONE REGION WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO STEP OUT OF THE CLASSROOM TO ENGAGE WITH THE LOCAL ENVIRONMENT ON JULY 23RD THANKS TO A COLLABORATION BETWEEN GLADSTONE HEALTHY HARBOUR PARTNERSHIP AND CQ UNIVERSITY.

Educators are being invited to register for an upcoming workshop and Think Tank session about how they can best use the educational resource kit developed by The Gladstone Healthy Harbour Partnership in their classrooms.

The GHHP Education Resource Kit has been developed to provide a useful tool for teachers to educate students about how the health of the harbour is being monitored. Utilising the GHHP resources such as the annual Report Card and

children's storybook the comprehensive package is aimed at building not only the student's knowledge of harbour health testing but also the scientific processes involved. The GHHP Education Resource Kit provides an opportunity within the education system, for the community to gain an understanding of what is happening locally in the Gladstone region.

Linda Pfeiffer, CQ University Senior Lecturer & Australia Pacific LNG STEM Project Lead said the upcoming workshops and Think Tank sessions to be held on Quoin Island, were a fantastic opportunity for local primary school and pre-service teachers to experience STEM hands-on and be immersed in the experiences so they can take their knowledge back into their classroom.

"GHHP have produced an education resource kit, mapped to the Australian

curriculum for Primary School teachers. The project we are undertaking together is to enhance the resource kit by bringing to life the activities that are in the kit on Quoin Island with a visit to the Turtle Rehabilitation Centre," Dr Pfeiffer explained.

This will provide the teachers with a real-world experience within the marine and harbour environment, which Dr Pfeiffer says is critical in science and STEM teaching. "In Gladstone, we are fortunate enough to have an industrial harbour as well as the Great Barrier Reef. Professional learning experiences like this can be limited in a regional location. Experiences such as this and projects like this - that are mapped to the curriculum, provide real-world experiences and local, regional context are crucial to bringing STEM into the classroom," Dr Pfeiffer added.

BRINGING GHHP EDUCATION RESOURCES TO LIFE IN THE CLASSROOM

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING FOR EDUCATORS



SPONSORED TRAINING SESSION
Schools will be renumerated half of the costs of Teacher Relief Support Days

WHEN Tuesday 23rd July 2019
WHERE Quoin Island
TIME 8am departure 3pm return

Teachers/educators will get the opportunity to immerse themselves in hands-on real world experiences bringing to life the GHHP educational resource package. Visit the turtles and learn about Quoin Island Turtle Rehabilitation Centre and practical ways to engage students in STEM education in the classroom.

Register your interest by 9th July to **Linda Pfeiffer** at CQUniversity l.pfeiffer@cqu.edu.au

Include your name & school when registering | Places are limited.



Gladstone Healthy
Harbour Partnership

For information on Gladstone Healthy Harbour Partnership visit: www.ghhp.org.au

LOCAL BUSINESS PROFILE



James & Erin Roberston - Bill Robertson Toyota

What is your business?

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How long have you been in business for?

47 years

What products and or services does your business supply?

We sell and service Toyota vehicles.

What is the best thing about being in business in Gladstone?

We get to know a lot of people in our community and help out when we can.

What would you say to someone considering launching their own business?

I always think you should work in a similar business before starting your own. The day to day reality is often very different than what you imagine. Unless your business is just you, employing and managing

people takes a huge amount of energy. You have to write down your expectations and patiently talk through problems. And sometimes you have to clean the toilets because you haven't had time to find someone else to do it or you need to save the money.

What is the highlight of your time as a business owner?

This year we cashed in our long service leave and took our daughters to Disneyland.

Tell us one thing people don't know about you or your business?

People often don't realise we've got 48 staff. Service is our biggest department. We always try to promote from within and it's great to see someone step up into a new role. We've got quite a few staff who have been with us for 10 and 20 years and we're very grateful for that.

Local industry supports DV AWARENESS DAY

Employees from some of Gladstone's largest industrial employers participated in the annual Gladstone Industry Leadership Group (GILG) Domestic Violence Awareness Day Volleyball Challenge recently. The event saw teams from QAL, Rio Tinto Yarwun, Orica Yarwun, Gladstone Ports Corporation & Boyne Island Smelter battle on the volleyball courts at Tannum Sands State High. The overall winner of the tournament was the QAL team.

Patrick Hastings, GILG CEO, said that as the membership-based organisation for heavy industry in Gladstone said the group recognises the massive challenges surrounding Domestic Violence in the region. Mr Hastings said that the rate of Domestic Violence in Central Queensland is 20% higher than the Queensland average, in fact, one in four people in our region will be affected by Domestic Violence during their lifetime. "With this in mind we organised a Domestic Violence Awareness Day, which brought together heavy industry to play a game of volleyball and to also recognise and pledge to end Domestic Violence in this region," Mr Hastings explained.

Mr Hastings said that special thanks go to Welcoming Intercultural Neighbours, Co-ordinated Community Response to Domestic and Family Violence, Gladstone Volleyball Association and EQIP Gladstone for their support and help in organising the event. "The day was a massive success, not only in raising awareness but also bringing colleagues together to talk about this important issue," Mr Hastings said.



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MATE BYSTANDER PROGRAMME LAUNCHED LOCALLY

"Allison's Gift aims to educate every individual in the dynamic of power and control and how this manifests in many ways to create abuse."

Rio Tinto has reinforced its commitment to promoting safe, healthy and respectful relationships in the communities where it operates with local employees taking part in the launch of 'Allison's Gift' domestic and family violence awareness training last week.

Founded by the Allison Baden-Clay Foundation and Griffith University, Allison's Gift, by The MATE (Motivating Action Through Empowerment) Bystander Programme, aims to teach participants how to identify warning signs of abuse, especially non-physical abuse, and how to intervene safely in domestic and family violence situations. Allison Baden-Clay was murdered by her husband in Brisbane in 2012, and her story is woven throughout the programme.

Vanessa Fowler, Allison's sister, along with Griffith University Director of The

MATE Bystander Programme Shaan Ross-Smith delivered the first of three training sessions to employees of Rio Tinto's Yarwun Alumina Refinery, Boyne Smelters Limited (BSL) and Queensland Alumina Limited (QAL) at the Kalori Training and Conference Centre in Tannum Sands.

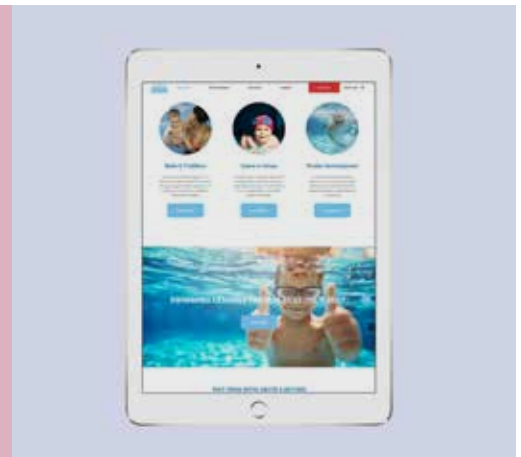
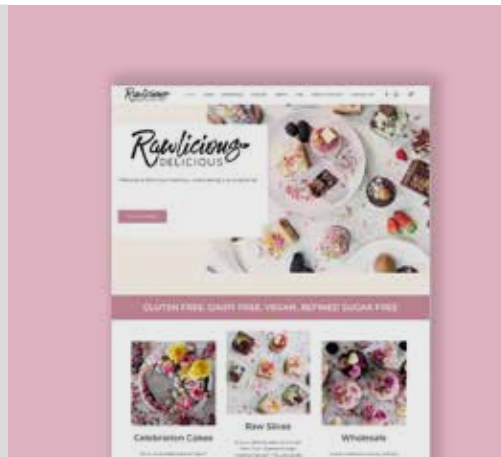
"Allison's Gift aims to educate every individual in the dynamic of power and control and how this manifests in many ways to create abuse," Vanessa said. "I urge others to learn how to become an effective bystander to domestic and family violence by learning to identify the signs of someone experiencing abuse in their relationship and how to intervene to stop it."

Boyne Smelters Limited general manager Joe Rea explained that Rio Tinto's support of Allison's Gift Programme continues the company's commitment to



calling out disrespectful behaviour and reinforcing healthy, equal relationships free from violence in the communities where it operates.

Gladstone was chosen as the location for the launch due to its partnership with Male Champions of Change (MCC) which recognised the opportunity to pilot a collective response from a large regional community with its "Gladstone Free from Domestic and Family Violence" project. The programme launch coincides with the Queensland Government's Not Now, Not Ever campaign to raise awareness and encourage community participation during Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Month.



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