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State championship success for Central North reps

Two Walcha Junior Rugby players, Hugo Ussher and Nash Goodwin played at the NSW State Rugby Championships in Tuggerah over the weekend and had the most amazing experience in the Central

Central North fielded two teams at the Carnival, Central North White and Central North Red in the Under 11 representative squad. Hugo and Nash played together in the White team.

They were selected in the representative team following their performances in the Sunday Gala competitions held around the region.

Half back, Hugo and prop, Nash played six games over the weekend against teams from all over NSW. And they certainly can't wipe the smiles off their faces, with the team winning five of their six

Hugo returned with the Players Player award and the Central North team were presented with the 'Spirit of Rugby' shield for the team that epitomises the best rugby values throughout the carnival.

Both players extremely enjoyed the experience with amazing coaching and being in camp with 36 team mates. "Central North made sure the experience was exciting and professional for the players," Sonia Ussher said. "They had a team dinner on Friday night with a special jersey presentation, it was such an amazing experience for the boys," she said. They were also able to meet and talk with Waratah Charlie Gamble over the weekend.

Both Hugo and Nash expressed their thanks to the Walcha Junior Rugby Club for their coaching and financial assistance in helping them play representative rugby.



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around the traps



By BRUCE RUTHERFORD

At this time of year, I think every day we get without a huge frost is a bonus, but the sunshine that follows a big frost is just too good. We have had some milder nights recently without the frost, but they are usually followed up by colder daytime temperatures, often with windy cold days and very little sunshine. I think livestock do appreciate a day in the sun at this time of year, and for them the frosts are bearable knowing they will be able to rest in a sunny place without a blustery day. Officially we have about 5 weeks of winter remaining, but we all know that winter takes much longer than that to move on and it will be mid September before we are feeling we are through the cold months. A few more loads of fire

With a wet LaNina event over the last couple of years, low lying paddocks have a lot of water sitting on them and it is amazing how little rainfall it takes to make those paddocks very wet again. Following the rain over the weekend, I can't believe how wet some paddocks have become again. Livestock in those paddocks are not enjoying the experience unless they can find higher ground. Thankfully we are getting closer to the end of winter and the prospect of some longer days may help, but until then livestock are going to find the going a bit tough. A lot of people have been telling me their cattle have not been thriving in the conditions and I do agree, but hopefully we are being set up for a big spring.

We are rapidly getting to that time of year when local stud breeders conduct their annual on farm bull sales. In fact, this Friday the Martin family have their Southcote Shorthorn bull sale at "Rambrah" east of Walcha. The bulls look a picture and are well worth having a look at. You can be on farm or in your lounge room to bid in an online Helmsman auction being conducted on the AuctionsPlus platform. For more information contact Simon Newton on this one. Next Tuesday Chris Lisle is trying something new with the Tummel Hereford bull sale being conducted on farm with an AuctionsPlus option for purchasers wanting to bid from afar. I think AuctionsPlus is a tool in the box for stud breeders that not long ago was never considered as an option or would have the influence it has today on the industry as a whole. Buyers are totally accepting of the Auctions Plus platform and it will be interesting to see what it may add to the Tummel exposure. The other sales considered by many as local sales are the Gloucester breeders, and the Higgins family at Curracabark have their annual sale for Herefords and Angus bulls on Monday 25th with the Laurie family conducting their Knowla Angus sale on Friday week, the 29th.

We are at the business end of the season and it is time to take a look at the bulls in the paddock and make sure they are up for the task ahead. If you need to buy bulls, think how the local stud breeders may be able to help you if you can. There are plenty of bulls coming up in the local area and breeders need local support. Local buyers are the real base behind any stud sale.

I have to say I think store cattle are getting very buyable at a time when many thought the combination of a strong outlook and an amazing season would hold the job together. Part of this is undoubtedly that there are more numbers about for processing than there were, but they don't appear to be sufficient to be causing this sudden slowing of interest in store cattle. I think it is much more likely recent threats to our biosecurity and what they may mean to the industry is driving this sudden lack of enthusiasm for cattle. The recent incursion on our shores of the Veroa Destructor Mite in bees is not only a disaster for the honey industry, but so many other commodities. Just about every industry is affected as bees have such a far reaching influence on many crops for pollination. From this breach of security you can see that there are a lot of nerves out there as far as Foot and Mouth disease is concerned. Authorities are suggesting the current risk to Australia posed by this outbreak in Indonesia is extreme. Maybe there is a lot more going on behind the scenes than we know, but the sense that I get is that the grass roots of the industry generally is very disappointed in the lack of government urgency and response to this outbreak. If I am right, you can see that if you are prepared to take on more exposure than you already have, store cattle have become much more affordable in the last month. Just looking through the A+ results last week and this is evident, and with another wet spring forecast, opportunities are presenting themselves.

Walcha residents encouraged to sign Foot and Mouth petition

Following the Labor Government's failure to adequately respond to the increased Foot and mouth disease outbreak in Indonesia Federal Member for New England, Barnaby Joyce is calling on those in New England to make sure their voices are heard.

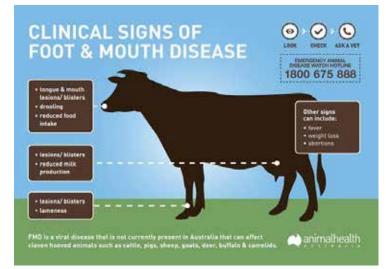
You can do this by signing a petition started by a farmer based in regional New South Wales, calling on Minister for Agriculture Murray Watt to increase biosecurity measures to at least these four key points.

- Biosecurity detector dogs to be rolled out at all international airports across Australia.
- Screening and spraying of all check-in and carry-on luggage coming from Indonesia with a non-toxic disinfectant spray.
- All shoes being brought in from Indonesia via carry-on and checkin luggage and being worn by travellers are to be confiscated and disposed of by incineration.
- All shoes are to be removed, cleaned of any dry matter, and disinfected by biosecurity staff with virkon prior to entry to Australia.

Member for New England Barnaby Joyce said these are simple, common-sense steps that could be implemented almost instantly.

"If Murray Watt had any sense, he and the Labor government would be acting now to protect farms and livestock in the regions," Mr Joyce said.

"The ABARES has predicted \$80 billion could be wiped from the Australian economy if this disease breaks out on our shore, and all the Minister can do is run a social media message from his office on the Gold Coast.



"This is an early test of competency for the new Labor government and what we hear thus far is they are more interested in legislation to change the weather than actions to stop what could be one of the greatest economic hits to our economy in a generation," Mr Joyce said.

You can sign the petition at https://chng.it/TGzHtmCp65



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Walcha & Uralla Rugby League

Saturday 23 July at the **Walcha Bowling Club**

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Kick-off times:

Ladies League Tag 1.00pm Mens 2.00pm

See you there!

Proceeds to the Starlight Children's Foundation and Walcha Support Group.











letters to the editor

Farewell from Marta

Now that the aprons are washed and folded, ovens and utensils packed away, Marta's Kitchen would like to say THANK YOU to all our consumers, local and beyond. What an absolute pleasure being able to feed you all during the last eight years.

You have constantly supported us in good times, amalgamation threats, drought, wind storms, bushfires, floods, COVID, road closures, tragedy and just getting older.

Thank you to those who have supplied our eggs, fresh herbs and surplus garden produce, you have been most generous.

Thank you to Cross Bros. Butchery, Foodworks, IGA, The Fruit Shop, Think Naturally and Walcha Prime Meats (both retired), Steve and Lee for opportunity, encouragement and training; Stephanie and Trish for your specially baked treats.

Last, but most importantly, THANK YOU to Ralf, Robert, David and Rebecca. Nothing would have been possible with their loving, unstinting support.

Oh dear! no more leftovers......Marta and Adam

P.S. Remember.....eat responsibly.

thumbs

- Many thanks to Steve from Linmac...great work at short notice.
- How lucky are we to have the young brigade coming up in the trades. Thank you Adam Dark and Drew Bird, much appreciated.
- To Dr Allen and staff, thank you for your wonderful caring service.
- To our awesome little pharmacy who take special, personal care of our locals.
- To Matisse Pascoe for coming to our rescue and delivering the Advocates to businesses last week.
- To the state of the Old Walcha Hospital site. A very sad sight.

Eds note: Mayor Eric Noakes wrote to Member for Tamworth Kevin Anderson about this matter again in June 2022. Kevin Anderson has written to the NSW Health Minister Brad Hazzard for an update on the Local Aboriginal Land Claim under the Native Title Act for this 'Old Hospital' site which has been ongoing for 11 years.

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With rental houses in extremely short supply, for many years now the Health Service has had trouble finding accommodation for workers willing to come to our hospital to fill workforce gaps in order to ensure our community continues to receive quality health care.

Each unit is worth up to \$350,000 depending on site works required, and they have been situated at the rear of the Hospital grounds near the Community Care Centre. Each unit only took around 15 minutes to be moved onto its footings, with truck and crane operators making the job look very easy.

Walcha was one of the first centres to receive the modular units, as well as Gunnedah, Quirindi, Armidale, Glen Innes, Inverell and Scone.

The landscaping will be completed over the coming weeks, before the furniture arrives. The two units will be commissioned and in use by the end of August.









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"With Foot and Mouth and Lumpy Skin Disease recently detected in some of our closest neighbouring countries, your stock return information has never been more important," said Mr Kelly.

"If an Emergency Animal Disease outbreak occurs, our expert vet teams rely on your Annual Land and Stock Return information to map livestock numbers, plan control programs and support landholders.

"Stock returns play a crucial role in safeguarding NSW's agriculture industry and protecting our market access for producers."

We understand many landholders don't have any livestock and utilise their property for horticulture and cropping or enjoy their land for its biodiversity and lifestyle value.

"We still need you to complete your return to ensure you do not occur additional livestock charges on your rates and to make certain our records are up to date in case of emergencies," said Mr Kelly.

"By ticking 'no stock' and submitting your return, we can build a stronger picture of land use across NSW and tailor our biodiversity and agriculture programs to assist you."



The information also determines whether the animal health rate and meat industry levies are charged on your rates notice the following year.

The Annual Land and Stock Return is easy to complete, via our secure online customer portal or by filling out and posting back the paper form that has recently been mailed to customers. Your Annual Return and Stock Returns is due by 31 August 2022.

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On Saturday 16 July the Walcha Rams took on the Inverell Highlanders in both grades at Peter Fenwicke Oval. Results as follows:

First Grade ... Inverell 41 def Walcha 27 ReservesWalcha 19 def Inverell 10

Game photos by Polly Locke

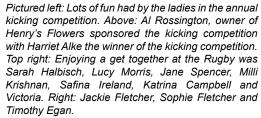


















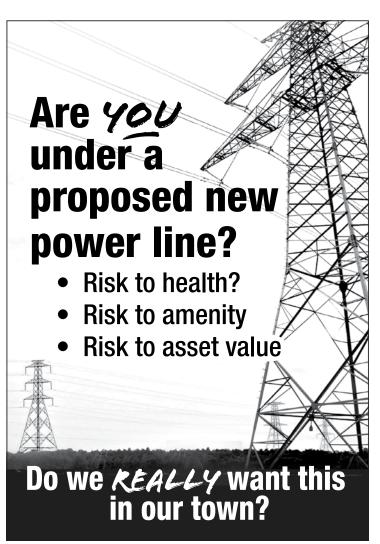








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With A.J. CROSS

Local lawn bowler Sariann Andrews represented Zone 3 at Dubbo last week playing in the fours team which finished a credible 6th out of 17 teams. Although the opposition was tough Sari gained valuable experience and now waits patiently to see if she is picked in the Zone 3 squad to compete in Queensland later in the year. Well done Sari and good luck with your selection.

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Golf Club champion Andrew 'Buddha' Bowden teamed up with Kyle Goodwin to win the NSW two person ambrose qualifier here on our course last Sunday after carding a four under par 66. 'Buddha' did mention the only reason he asked Kyle to play with him was for his handicap. Kyle plays off 5 and Andrew off 1 which under the format they played last Sunday meant they could deduct a 'sizeable' 1^{1/2} shots off their total. Golfers will get it - most others won't.

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A couple of weeks ago there was a mention of long term Walcha Central School athletics records being broken and this time it's the swimmers turn. Earlier in the year Jasmine Lynch lowered the 15 years girls 200 metre individual medley time previously held by Kristy Lawrence since 2008 to 3 minutes 25 seconds. In the 12 years boys 100metre Freestyle Jakob Wellings bettered the record held by Bevan Wood since 2008 when he stopped the clock in 1 minute 43-37 seconds. Way to go guys.

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The Walcha/Uralla Rugby League Club will be conducting a charity auction this Saturday at the Bowling Club following the Group 19 games against Inverell. The main items on the agenda are the Jillaroos guernseys with all proceeds going to the Starlight Children's Foundation and Walcha Support Group. Nutrien Boultons auctioneer Mat Larkings has kindly agreed to handle the main duties on the night.

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Last Saturday evening the boys Rugby League jumpers were auctioned off at the Uralla Golf Club where \$10,000 raised will go towards Ovarian Cancer Research. Co-Captain Duncan Elks' guernsey drew the most spirited bidding before going for \$1,500. There are a couple of boys' jumpers left and they will be added to this Saturdays auction with proceeds also going to Ovarian Cancer. Two loads of wood will also be on offer one by way of auction and the other by raffle.

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It has been 35 years since Walcha won the Group 19 under 18 competition when they defeated YCW 32-8 at Woodville Oval in Uralla after scores were tied up 8 all at halftime. Blockbusting centre Andrew Burnett scored a hat trick of tries, winger Robert Morris crossed for a couple of his own while goal kicker Michael Drew raised the flags on six occasions. Nippy half back Ronnie Haines stood head and shoulders above all players on the ground as 'Player of the Match'.

This Saturday is Old Boys' Day here at Peter Fenwicke Oval where a number of these players have indicated they will be returning to celebrate.

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Talk about a 'monstrous' pack of forwards Walcha/Uralla Rugby League team formed last Saturday at Rugby League Park in Armidale. Walcha players Drew Bird and Jock Abraham were the front rowers while Steve Eveleigh and Harley Cox packed down in the second row. Weren't those blokes running around in the backs not long back? What they lack in size is made up in ticker. Good on ya boys.

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Last Sunday Dizzy, Jock and Harley were winding down with a lunchtime recovery session at the Bowling Club about the same time the weekly raffles were on. At one stage Steven said 'And I suppose we will read about that this week' with reference to A J Cross winning two meat trays and a fruit tray just beforehand. Couldn't let you down 'Diz'.

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Footy Tipping Big Wigs of the Week - Bowling Club, Tony 'Backhanded Larry' Asmus and Mick Steep picked the card. Apsley Arms, Kyle Goodwin 14 pts, Newie, Red Hoy, Digger Lordanic, Tony Martin, Filbert Green, Barry Kliendienst, Peter Steep, Mick Steep 14 pts.

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At the Nineteenth

Club Champion Andrew Bowden combined forces with Kyle Goodwin to qualify for the next round of the NSW Keno competition after they carded a four under par 66 which equated to a 64^{1/2} nett last Sunday. The two person Ambrose was played in conjunction with an event where Max Holstein and Bill Heazlett provided the trophies.

Runners-up were Junior Club Champion Nixon Bird and his father Dion, who are first reserves for the Keno competition after they finished less than a shot behind the winners on 65^{1/4}.

The remaining sweepstakes went to Jamie Bowden and Michael Stackman 66, Lee Fletcher and Bruce Rutherford 66^{1/2}, Deon Lawrence and Drew Bird 67^{1/2}, Willy Brennan and Allan Green 68. Sharpest Shooters at the pins were Ross King (9) and Andrew Robertson (18).

Last Saturday Drew Bird accumulated 21 stableford points to win the weekly 9 Hole Competition, just one point clear of runner-up John McCormack on 20.

In the Ladies Division Margaret Parsons compiled 16 points to win from Lorraine Rennie on 13 points while NTP on 3 went to Max Holstein.

This Sunday is a stableford round for a prize supplied by Kyle Goodwin whereas the following Sunday a NSW Keno Mixed Ambrose qualifier is scheduled.

A Ladies NSW Qualifier also has to be played in the future before all three Keno qualifiers are to be played at the Longyard course in Tamworth on the same day later in the year according to club 'Head Honcho' Allan Green.

Wednesday Golf

After missing golf the previous Wednesday due to the bad weather thirteen of us braved the elements to play a Graham Betts Stableford Qualifier for Ruth Fletcher's trophy.

The bitter weather didn't deter Sue Partridge in any way, she came in with a ripping score of 41 points. Sweepstakes went to Pauline Carter with 34 and Penny King on 33. NTP on Hole 3 was the birthday girl, Katie Smith and Sue

Partridge took out the second shot on Hole 18.

On Sunday we hosted a few Armidale players to play their away game for the Graham Betts Stableford qualifier. Great to see an Armidale player in Judi Hansen the winner on 33 points, with the sweepstakes going to Sally McCormack and Mel Clark both on 33. Mel Clark also winning NTP on Hole 3.

Today we are playing stroke, putting and monthly mug for Marg Parsons trophy. It is also the fourth Medal Round.

Ladies Bowls

There has been no Ladies Bowls played the last couple of weeks due to the inclement weather. Last Thursday the ladies enjoyed at cuppa and cake to celebrate Marg Morris' birthday, this week we hope we will be able to have a game of bowls.

Don't forget we have our monthly meeting this Thursday at 1pm.

Dates to remember are our AGM in August with nominations closing on the 4th August for the all executive positions. The Westpac Rescue Helicopter Bowls Day is on Sunday 21st August. Sheet on board for names.

District sheets are also on board for those interested in playing in the District Games.

Gun Club

Davidson Wins High Gun

Eleven keen shooters fronted up to a cold breeze blowing into their faces for the Glen Collin Pastoral Co July shoot. Showing everyone how it was done was Junior, Archie Davidson, with a fine display of controlled shooting. Archie finish the day with his first overall event win and overall high gun win.

The Walcha club is proud to have one of our young shooters in the winning circle; Archie also helps out behind the scenes.

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A 1st Kevin Bourke 2nd Robert Reeves
B 1st Archie Davidson 2nd Craig Rogers
C 1st James Abell 2nd Hans Model

Event 2: 50 Target Double Barrel Continental

AA 1st Geoff Lancaster 2nd John Lisle
A 1st James Poole 2nd Bill Fletcher
B 1st Archie Davidson 2nd Craig Rogers
C 1st James Abell 2nd Hans Model
Event 3: 50 Target Double Barrel Continental

Event 3: 50 Target Double Barrel Cont Points Score

AA 1st Geoff Lancaster 2nd John Lisle
A 1st Bill Fletcher 2nd Kevin Bourke
B 1st Archie Davidson 2nd Craig Rogers
C 1st James Abell 2nd Hans Model
Overall High Gun: Archie Davidson – 241/250

Next Shoot 13 August 2022, all welcome.

Ladies League Tag

The Walcha/Uralla Jillaroos were defeated 46-4 by Armidale last Saturday after trailing 26-0 at half-time. Armidale scored their first try after six minutes and then proceeded to run in a further four tries before the break.

Two more converted tries to the home side gave them a 38-0 advantage before Karen Warnaminde Green scored the visitors only points when she touched down midway through the second half.

Armidale finalised the scoring with another two unconverted tries and currently sit in the second position on the point score ladder on 16 points behind Tingha on 22. Warialda are in third on 14 while Walcha/Uralla and Inverell are in equal fourth on 10 points followed by the Boomerangs and Narwan both on 2 points.

Last Saturday Players Player was shared by Caitlin Hollis and Annabelle Green while the Club B&F points went to Annabelle Green 3 Caitlin Hollis 2 and Caitlin Harris 1. Club captain Nicola Hoy received a group point from the referee.

This Saturday the Jillaroos do battle with Inverell in a game that will go a long way towards determining what direction the girls head for the rest of the season.

Don't forget our Auction this Saturday night for the Ladies Jerseys, as well as a couple of the Mens Jerseys (*like those pictured right*), plus a tipper trailer of wood.

Rugby League

Walcha/Uralla travelled to Armidale last Saturday, only to return from Rugby League Park with their tails between their legs after going down to the hosts in both Group 19 fixtures.

The visitors opened the scoring when fullback Shuaib Rhodes-Swain touched down next to the posts leaving Harley Carlon an easy shot at goal which he landed.

Scoring wise that was all she wrote while the Armidale Rams scored a couple of tries, one which was converted, to take a 10-6 lead into 'oranges' which they increased to

22-6 with two more converted tries.

By all accounts Armidale fielded a much bigger team than Walcha/Uralla which took its toll throughout the game, but coach Scott Swain was still happy with the enthusiasm and effort shown by his players.

One down side though, was the diminutive Rhodes-Swain recieved knees in the back, after he was tackled on the end of a 60 metre attacking run resulting in injured ribs, which put paid to the rest of his season.

With three rounds remaining Walcha/Uralla host Inverell here at Peter Fenwicke Oval this Saturday before travelling to Moree the following weekend to take on the Boomerangs on Sunday.

Walcha/Uralla receive the bye in the final round of the competition. Current ladder – Narwan and Inverell 17, Boomerangs 13, Tingha 12, Armidale 10, Warialda 9, Walcha/Uralla 8.

Pictured below: Running out ready to take on the Armidale Rams are Walcha/Uralla's Teraia Masters and Harley Cox. Jamie Robertson and Cooper Boyd were busy in defence for Walcha/Uralla. Photos by Leanne Presnell.







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