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Barcoo Shire Community Newsletter

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Windorah weekend action - Photos courtesy of Helen Kidd

2019 Windorah Gymkhana, Bronco Branding & Stockman's Challenge

Windorah Rodeo Club Inc held its annual Horse and Motorbike Gymkhana, Bronco Branding and Stockman's Challenge on the weekend of July 13th and 14th.

There were good competitor numbers in all events, with the bullock ride under lights on Saturday night being very popular. A good crowd enjoyed the action over the weekend, with the new and upgraded facilities making the venue more user friendly and easier for

everyone to watch the events.

Results from the weekend were:

Horse Gymkhana Overall

Boy – Jack Pitman Girl – Saraha Pitman – Casey Lasker Ladies – Megan Thomson Mens – Lawrence Monizie

Bike Gymkhana Overall

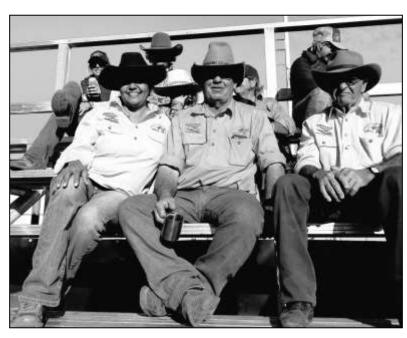
Girl – Maggie Geiger Boy – Rusty Gielis Ladies – Kailah Rogers Mens – Aron Rayner

Bullock Ride

Sally Molay



Spinny and Maude Monaghan enjoy the show.



Karen Monaghan, Donnie Rayment and Spinny Monaghan.

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Challenge Overall

Junior

1st Louise O'Neil 2nd Matilda Nietschte 3rd Casey Lasker

Juvenile

1st Olivia McCamley 2nd Chloe Richardson 3rd Olivia McCamley

Encouragement

1st Olivia McCamley 2nd Olivia McCamley 3rd Jack Carrington

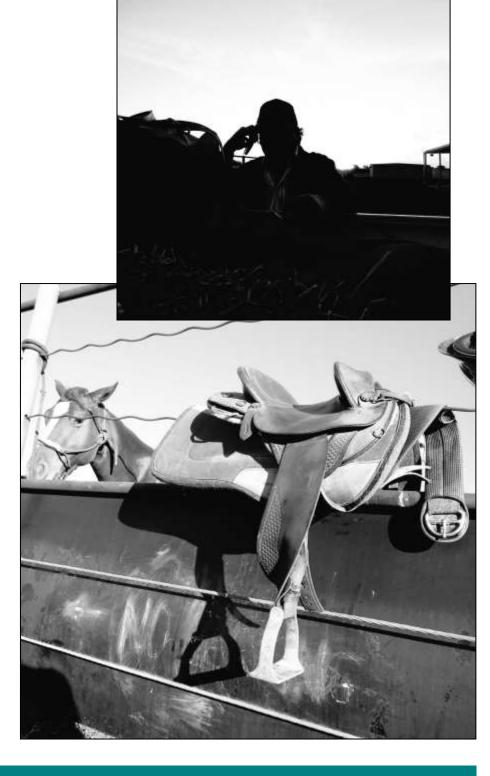
<u>Open</u>

1st Laura Axsentieff 2nd Jess Twyford 3rd Olivia McCamley

Bronco Branding

Singles

1st Boy's Team 2nd Nifto's Team 3rd Dan's Team Familiar silhouette of the face of Smileys Transport.



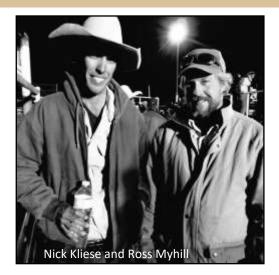
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Doubles

1st Benny's Team

Novice

1st Curto's Team



The Windorah Rodeo Club would like to thank everyone for their support, all also thank all of the volunteers who helped over the weekend, great effort from all.

Next event being held by the Windorah Rodeo Club will be the campdraft and rodeo on the weekend of the 10th and 11th August 2019.



Community

Are you on Facebook or Instagram?

Make sure you share your photos & posts from our beautiful shire to the Visit Barcoo pages on both Facebook and Instagram. Use the hashtags of:

#visitbarcoo; #Windorah; #Jundah; #Stonehenge; #barcooway and any other tag that you think will attract likes, shares and views to our pages.

Also using the @visitbarcoo on Facebook and Instagram will let us and your followers know you have mentioned us and we will get more hits that way also.

If you have an event, an interesting fact or a great photo that you would like the world to see, send them through to your relevant Visitor Information Centre at

windorahinfo@barcoo.qld.gov.au jundahinfo@barcoo.qld.gov.au stonehengeinfo@barcoo.qld.gov.au and we will put them up on our facebook page and Instagram and get your event a much wider audience.

Newsletter Contributions

Please ensure all contributions for the August newsletter are sent to stonehengeinfo@barcoo.qld.gov.au by Monday 26th August.

Contributions to the Barcoo Shire Community Newsletter should be received at the Stonehenge Community Centre no later than the second last Friday of each month.

An Update from the Jundah Post Office

Exciting Jack Hammer products will soon be arriving at the Jundah Post Office. Also Moki products—charges, headphones, speakers, all you need to be up with the latest trend.

Of course, don't forget those tempting goodies when you crave that something sweet.

It's all at the Jundah Post Office—Don't miss out!

Andy Patterson, Tree Lopper is coming to Barcoo Shire in end Sept-early Oct. Council, clinic, school, private etc can share the costs of travel. He has stump grinder and mulcher also.

Please email <u>mj.bell@barcoo.qld.gov.au</u> or phone 0400379041 to book your jobs





Stonehenge Recreational & Sports Reserve

Friday 16th August 2019

CHAMPION CONTRACTING

Start. 6.30pm - contact Peter Pidgeon - 4658 5921 Prizernoney \$1.200 Norn: \$30 team

Saturday 17th August 2018

LONGREACH FOODWORKS

Start 8.00cm - contact David & Clare Patterson - 0427 585 339 Norn: Adults \$2.00 Children \$1.00 pius insurance Bending, Flag Race, Barrels + novelty events

NAPCO

STOCKMAN'S CHALLENGE

start 8.00am - contact Peter Pidgeon - 4658 5921

Open \$1000 Norn \$30, Novice \$750 Norn \$25, Duvenile \$250 Norn \$10

\$150 Junior Norn \$5

WOLK Whipcrack Obstacle Course \$300 Norn \$10

BARCOO SHIRE COUNCIL RODEO
start: 3.30pm - CRCA Affliated
Ringrose Bulton Ladies Barrel Race \$1000 - \$50AB Nom: \$114.50
Novice Horse Barrel Race - \$20AB Norn: \$30
Gurn Creek Grazing Juvenile Barrel Race \$350 - \$17.50AB Norn: \$42.50
Pee Wee Barrel Race \$250 - \$12.50AB Norn: \$17
WLN Open Bull Ride \$1500 - \$50AB Norn: \$114.50
TopX Novice Bull Ride \$1000 - \$50AB Norn: \$114.50
Batt Fower Juvenile Bullride \$400 - \$20AB Norn: \$47.50 Batt Power Juvenile Builide \$400 - \$20A8 Norn; \$47.50 Birnes Rural Saddle Bronc Ride \$1500 - \$50A8 Norn; \$114.50 Cloncurry Helicopters Bullock Ride \$1000 - \$20A8 Norn; \$00 Puma Energy Station Buckjump \$800 - \$10A8 Norn; \$30 Nominations: 5h - 9h August 2019, Prepaid noms essential CRCA Central Entries: Phone: 4927 1916

Sunday 18th August 2018

LONGREACH FOODWORKS

BRONCO BRANDING
Start 9.00am - contact Jim Nunn - 4058 91 55
Stonehenge Hotel Singles \$1,280 Norn \$60 Team
Climate Friendly Doubles \$1,000 Norn \$75 Team
Bull Batt Fencing Jackpot Novice \$500 Norn \$40

SAMILEY'S TRANSPORT

MOTORBIKE GYMKHANA
Start. 8.30am - contact ingrid & Jason Miller - 0467 566 728
Norns: \$20 per rider + \$10 insurance includes entry in
all events per age group. No 4 wheelers permitted.
Events: Barrels, Flag, Bending, Figure & Keyhole.
Morton's Mechanical Wheelstand Obstacle & Open Double Barrels.

HYGAIN WINTER BARREL Start 8.30am - prepaid nominations essential.

Noms close 10th August 2019. Contact Salena - 0417 430 640

Bar & Canteen

operating all weekend

Free Camping

no powered sites but plenty of space

Entertainment

Live Band - Whiskey Mountain Boys

\$15,000+

total prizemoney on offer

Admission

Adults \$10 - 17 & under FREE

For More Info

Donna Batt Phone: 4658 5942

📝 @Stonehenge Rodeo

Thank you to our other Sponsors:

Connernara, C & G Ferguson,
Outback Aqua & D & S Oates.
Supported by the Rotary Club of Longreach



Rodeo, Gymkhana, Bronco Branding and Team Penning

FRIDAY 27

leams - 2 adults & 1 child

SATURDAY 28

Events

Age Groups

- Bending
- 8 & Under Lead
- Flags
- 8 & Under
- Floure 8
- 9 12 Years
- Barrel Race
 - 13 16 Years
- Novelty events Opens

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Feature Events

Shane Rayment Memorial Double Barrel Race

RODEO 6:300m

- Poddy
- Station Bucklump
- Bronc
- Bullock
- Bull

Sunday 29

BRONCO BRANDING - 7:00AM

- Tim Pitman Memorial Novice
- Open singles
- Doubles

Team Penning nominations

- Open Wednesday 04.09.2019
- Close Saturday 28 .09.2019

Gymkhana nominations

Open - 7:00am Saturday 28:09:2019

Rodeo nominations

- Open 5:30pm Friday 27.09.2019
- Close 6:00pm Saturday 28.09.2019 **Bronco Branding nominations**
- Open 5:30pm Friday 27.09.2019
- Close 8:00am Sunday 29:09:2019

Available All Weekend

- Shuttle Bus
- Bar
- Food
- Entertainment

Admission

\$5.00 - 18 years plus

inquiries

All inquiries can be made through the Jundah Community Bronco Branding and Team Penning Association Facebook page or at jundahrodeoclub@gmail.com

Disclaimer / Conditions

All riders compete at their own risk, they must wear helmets (properly done up or disqualified) and sign a waiver form. Committees decision is final and not subject to any appeal or protest. The committee reserves the right to change or alter the programme at any time















Jundah Police Station

Buckle up! No excuses...



The simple fact is seatbelts save many lives. Coupled with good driving behaviour, extra safety features and safer roads, your much more likely to survive if involved in a road crash.

A driver will be **penalised** with a **fine** and **demerit points** if they are caught driving without a seat belt. The driver will also be penalised if he carries passengers below 16 years of age who are not wearing seat belts or approved child restraints. A passenger may also be penalised for not wearing a seat belt but the penalty for a passenger is only a fine and not demerit points.

Myth busters

"If it's a short trip, I don't need to wear a seatbelt"

It doesn't matter if you're only travelling around the corner, all drivers and passengers must wear a seatbelt or an approved child restraint. Most road crashes happen close to home. Even at low speeds, not wearing a seatbelt can result in serious injury or death.

"Truckies don't need to wear seatbelts so they'll be 'thrown clear' from the truck in the event of a crash"

Seatbelts are mandatory in all heavy vehicles and design regulations have been improved to make seatbelts more comfortable in trucks.

Heavy vehicle drivers involved in a crash are 6 times more likely to die if not wearing a seatbelt.

Wear it or Wear the Fine.

Jundah State School News

Semester 2 started with the introduction of the new units. The harp workshop on Wednesday was an amazing experience and kept the students involved for a two hour session. The instrument makes a beautiful sound and the students enjoyed listening to and playing the harp. Christine showed the students some different types of harps and how they can be used, especially for therapy.

Friday visits to Stonehenge continue. We visited Stonehenge State School and started the technology session with the students exploring the language of coding and completing beginning activities using the basics of coding. Students worked in pairs to use their body to follow a code.

Mrs Volker attended the meetings in Muttaburra and Jericho with the Outback Advantage principals and the C2C team from Brisbane. The work on the small schools curriculum continues with changes being made to the Maths and HASS after our nine schools have trialled the units and using the feedback that has been given. The English units continue to be reviewed. An overview of the units for all the subjects has been developed and we will continue to work with the team on this to ensure all aspects of the Australian Curriculum are covered.

Ideas were shared with the other principals and observations of different schools and how they are able to set up their schools and classrooms were made. Moderation of the units was also discussed.

We welcomed a new student and his family to our school. We are also saying farewell to a family and wish them all well.

Yours in education

Chris Volker



Boc

Gas for SALE

Big bottles of L Gas \$166.00 Swap and go \$40.00

D Plan (incl. GST)

Oxygen \$ 79.00

Acetylene \$108.00

Universal & Light \$108.00

Argon \$108.00

Nitrogen \$ 79.00

Carbon Dioxide \$ 79.00

G Plan (incl. GST)

Oxygen \$179.00

Acetylene \$249.00

Universal & Light \$219.00

Argon \$219.00

Nitrogen \$179.00

Carbon Dioxide \$179.00

If you need GAS please

Call Ray :- 0436016215

Have a nice day

Davis Family Revisits Haddon Corner

In July 1985 the Davis family crossed the Simpson Desert and to commemorate this journey they set up the Visitors Book at Haddon Corner.

Since then they have supplied visitor's books to be signed and read by travellers to the corner.

Completed visitors books from Haddon Corner are displayed at the Windorah Visitor Information Centre.

This year the family revisited Haddon Corner. On the way there, they called into the Windorah Visitor Information Centre to have a look at the old visitor books and enjoy the museum.

The Davis family intend to keep the tradition of supplying the visitor books at Haddon Corner for the enjoyment of travellers to the area.



The Davis family en route to Haddon Corner with the original visitors book left there by their family in 1985.

A First For Windorah...

Keith and Lesley Wein from Melbourne created a bit of history when they decided to drive their electric car from Melbourne to Birdsville.

The car a Telsa Model S and seen below with Keith and Lesley, spent the night charging on 3 phase power in Windorah before heading on to Birdsville.

The vehicle can be charged with a normal 240v household power point, but it takes about 2 days to fully charge. With the 3 phase connection it only took overnight, allowing them to continue their journey more quickly.

Keith explained the vehicle has a suspension system that could lift the car to allow it to handle the gravel roads.

Definitely a first for Windorah.



Seeking Agistment



Cattle in Barcoo area seeking agistment from 1st October to 30th November (or longer if available).

117 quiet Hereford and Angus cows currently calving and 3 bulls. Prepayment available and good rates paid.

Please phone Jon on mobile 0458 215 335.

3 Ingredient Pizza Dough

Ingredients

- 3 cups flour
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 12 ounces beer

Directions

- 1. Preheat oven to 450 degrees Fahrenheit.
- 2. Mix all ingredients in a large bowl. Knead dough on a floured surface for a few minutes until smooth and elastic.
- 3. Roll out dough into a large circle for one pizza or divide into six pieces for individual pizzas (at this point, you can freeze dough in double freezer bags for future use.)
- 4. Add toppings to dough and bake for 10 14 minutes (depending how big pizza is).

