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Cricket Sign-on

The 2009 Australia - England cricket series may be drawing towards the end but the Australian season is just about to begin.

Maleny and the surrounding area has had a long tradition of top cricketers playing for the local teams.

A local player not only played for Australia but was the reason that Sir Donald Bradman was dropped from the Australian team in to play England in 1928. He was Otto Ernest Nothling.

Who known when another player from thre Maleny area may play for Australia.

The Maleny Cricket Club's cricket sign-on dates for junior, senior and In2Cricket will now be held on Sat 29th August and Saturday 5th September between 10a.m. and 12m.d.

It will be held at the cricket: training nets, Maleny Showgrounds.

For further information contact details are;

Junior cricket:

Tim Selman,

bluebellcottage@iprimus.com.au

Senior cricket:

Greg Corkin, gcork2@eq.edu.au

This is the year for Maleny Redback Cricket Team.

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Porn filters now on library computers

Dr. Paul Sheldon said recently that it had been reported to him that some Maleny residents had seen people accessing pornography on computers at the Maleny Library.

It was also reported by local councillor Anna Grosskreutz that library staff had been forced to ask men to leave libraries after they were caught masturbating while watching online porn.

As a result a petition containing about 4000 signatures from Sunshine Coast residents has been compiled by Dr. Sheldon and will be handed to Sunshine Coast Council in an effort to have internet filters placed on all computers in public libraries.

Following a Sunshine Coast Council meeting in a closed forum with a library reference group, that includes information technology experts it was decided to have the filters installed through Telstra.

Whilst the information about this matter had been in the public arena for some months the Sunshine Coast Council had taken considerable time to make a decision on how to handle it.

It would be interesting to know all the facts and what action was taken about any alleged criminal offences.

One serious question that should be answered by the relevant person in the council is; "Were the police advised at the time and if

not - why not?" After all computer users have to supply personal details to be able to use library computers.

Council libraries are public places and the Sunshine Coast Regional Council has a duty of care towards those using them.

It is very problematical just how efficient internet filters are.

Today's high-tech porn-pushers make it almost impossible to protect families from unwanted pornography.

That is not to say that action should not be taken to protect people in public libraries from having to be subjected to unwanted pornography.

Actions such as ensuring that there is a policy regarding acceptable use of library computers is known to patrons and staff is essential.

Placing computers where the screen can be seen by other members of the public helps reduce unwanted behaviour.

A definite policy of library staff reporting criminal behaviour to police - no exceptions is vital.

Maintaining a log of offending people and not allowing them further use of library computers would assist in curtailing problems.

Filters alone will not solve the problem.

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Truthful Jones Tells... that the priest at his church wanted to raise money for his church and on being told that there was a fortune in horse racing, decided to purchase one and enter it in the races.



However at the local auction, the going price for horses was so high that he ended up buying a donkey instead. He figured that since he had it, he might as well go ahead and enter it in the races. To his surprise, the donkey came in third! The next day the local paper carried this headline:

“PREACHER’S ASS SHOWS!”

The preacher was so pleased with the donkey that he entered it in the race again, and this time it won. The paper read:

“PREACHER’S ASS OUT IN FRONT”

The Bishop was so upset with this kind of publicity that he ordered the preacher not to enter the donkey in another race. The paper headline read:

“BISHOP SCRATCHES PREACHER’S ASS”

This was too much for the Bishop, so he ordered the preacher to get rid of the donkey. The preacher decided to give it to a nun in a nearby convent. The paper headline the next day read:

“NUN HAS BEST ASS IN TOWN”

The Bishop fainted. He informed the nun that she would have to get rid of the donkey, so she sold it to a farmer for \$10.00. Next day the headline read:

“NUN SELLS ASS FOR \$10.00”

This was too much for the Bishop, so he ordered the nun to buy back the donkey, lead it to the plains where it could run wild and free. Next day, the headline in the paper read:

“NUN ANNOUNCES HER ASS IS WILD AND FREE”

The Bishop was buried the next day.

Morale: *You can't always tell what the subject of a newspaper story is about from the wording of the headline.....*

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Cheers Pres Dave



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Pig - Car - Hay trailer for sale...

This trailer has had little use & comes with removable swinging tail gate, 4 sides & front, removable front & rear body gates, 4 spreader bars across the top.

It also has tie down hooks on inside across the front & sides, winch, car ramps underneath, spare tyre, quick release jokey wheel, Led tail & side lights.



Dimensions are: Draw bar 1700 -Internal width: 1900 wide - Internal length: 4400 Gates 1400 high from trailer floor.

Tare wt : 750 - ATM: 2000

Trailer was Custom build in 2006 and only ever used for Private purposes & is in top condition and comes with QLD rego till 10/07/2010

Maleny - \$ 5500.00 - Ph: 0409 892 061



In AS NEW CONDITION - A great buy at this price

Mum's favourite Recipes

Chicken Cutlets

- chickens can be used in many ways...

Ingredients

- * 1 fowl's thigh * 1 egg * 1/2 pint stock * Fine, dry breadcrumbs
- * 1 dessertspoon flour * Frying fat * Pinch Pepper
- * 1 teaspoon finely chopped parsley * Pinch salt,

Method

Simmer thigh in stock or water till tender. Lift out and press between 2 plates till cold.

Dip in flour seasoned with pepper and salt then into egg, lastly into breadcrumbs. Fry till a golden brown colour. Drain well on kitchen paper.

Garnish with chopped parsley. The remaining stock may be coloured with caramel and thickened with a little arrowroot and served as gravy.

The "NUT" Award

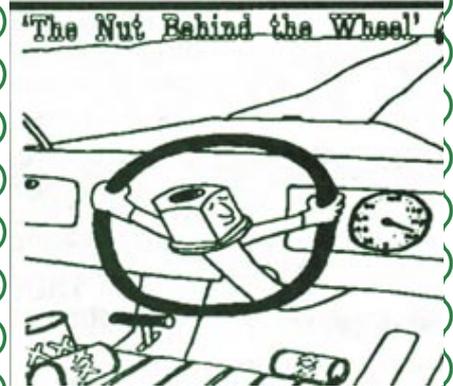
It matters little what the monetary penalty is or how much education is given there are some drivers who just will not take notice of the road rules.

They are not only a danger to themselves but they are a danger to other road users who have no control over the prevailing situation, not through their actions but the actions of the inconsiderate drivers.

Each week we will bring you the contender for the weekly "NUT" award - that is the weakest part of the car's safety - "The Nut behind the wheel"...

Let us see if we can do our little bit to improve road safety around our town.

If you know the person mentioned please have a quiet word to them.



This week's award goes to: - Those litterbuggers who continue to throw cigarette butts out the window of their vehicles onto the roadway.

With the warmer weather coming on this dirty habit will not only litter our roads but add to the bushfire risk to our area. Please act responsibly.

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Another paint hint
from Maleny Paint Place

Stopping wood-rot in its tracks NORSEAL is the answer

Examine a piece of petrified wood encapsulated in resin and you can see that the dimensional stability is exactly the same as it was when embedded.

This dispels the false notion that wood needs to "breathe". It only needs to breathe whilst still living. When dead it becomes susceptible to decay (rot).

It's versatility in use, shaping, bending, laminating, pulping and cultivating has made this medium the building block of the universe..... but it has an "Achillies Heel".

The very effect that allows trees to suck up water 30 metres or more in the air is the same mechanism that brings about its destruction, after it has been cut down.

Whilst it is still a living tree, it has a natural resistance to fungal attack, The hydrophilic nature of wood that acts as a capillary to suck up water (like a sponge) also carries "fungal passengers" with it.

These mould spore need a "trigger" environment of 25% (or more) of water saturation in the wood to start the propagation process.

Below that threshold the spores remain dormant. Beyond that point the spores become active and start to breakdown the lignin/cellulose cement that holds the fibre together. As this process continues, more water is sucked in and the structural integrity of the wood diminishes.

The answer is to completely seal the wood, so that

there are no opportunities for wa-

ter to start the deterioration. We call this treatment "NORSEAL"an epoxy wood preserver.

This 2 pack coating is designed as a water-thin product so that it has maximum penetration and wetting characteristics.

This is essential to the result. NORSEAL has to seek out and coat every available wood particle within its solutions reach.

As the solvent component evaporates out of the wood, the residual epoxy film, coats each fibre in a waterproof solution and effectively glues fibre to fibre. Because the entry points have all been sealed off below the ingress point, the wood is now permanently stable, on the outer surface and the internal few centimetres.

Beyond that the wood is still untreated and still potentially vulnerable unless a complete saturation process is possible.

Although the solvents in NORSEAL will kill the mould spores it comes in contact with, where others have not been reached, they will remain dormant forever, unless they are exposed to an excess of the 25% of water as previously stated.

NORSEAL is also resistant to white ant attack and they find it, totally unpalatable, however all surfaces have to be treated to prevent them gaining access.

Norseal can be found at Maleny Paint Place. For more detailed information visit the web site:

<http://www.norglass.com.au/how-to>
Then look for the brochure on Stopping Wood Rot .

This weeks

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This week with Peter Slipper M.P.



HMAS Brisbane

It is now more than 4 years since the HMAS Brisbane was sunk as a dive wreck off the Sunshine Coast.

Scuba World, at Mooloolaba, reports that the ship is now almost entirely covered with oysters and barnacles, which have provided a wonderful environment for the many fish and other marine life that is taking up residence in and around the vessel.

It has also become home to many soft corals and is now a thriving and colourful underwater environ-

ment.

Reports from dive companies are that the ship continues to be an extremely popular destination for scuba-tourists, including back packers.

I am pleased to have been involved for many years in the community effort to secure this wonderful asset for the Sunshine Coast region.

Family Violence inquiry

A Government inquiry has been launched to investigate the issue of family violence, particularly violence against women and their children.

The terms of reference focus on the relation between state laws and various Commonwealth laws as well as the affect of inconsistent interpretation of the laws in cases of sexual assault in family violence matters.

The report is due to be finalised by July 2010.

Those interested in making a submission to the inquiry can visit: www.alrc.gov.au/inquiries/current/family-violence/comment.htm

Indigenous Heritage

Submissions are now invited into Australian laws to protect Indigenous heritage.

A discussion paper has been released on the topic.

A copy of the discussion paper and details about the consultation process are available at www.heritage.gov.au/indigenous/lawreform

The Department of the Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts will be visiting some 30 regional destinations across Australia to explain the proposals and provide information on how to comment.



Blackall Range

Woodworker's Guild

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Maleny Print & Copy Centre -	5494 2888
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