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Were you a child of the '50's

Can you remember the songs; "Crazy, Man, Crazy" and "Rock around the Clock" by Bill Haley and the movie, Black Board Jungle starring Glen Ford and Vic Morrow. If you can remember then you are most likely was from that era.



The Maleny R.S.L. auxiliary are holding a Rock'n Roll Dance at Maleny RSL on Saturday October 31st starting at 7p.m. and will continue until late.

So why not dust off those cobwebs and shake things up. Get out kick up your heels and jive the night away with Maleny D.J. extraordinary, Ray Oldfield.

He will be playing the Rock'n Roll sounds of the 1950s, guaranteed to get the muscles twitching and the feet tapping. Who could forget that gravel voice of Johnny O'Keefe and the Dee Jays.

Get in the spirit of the night and come dressed for the 50' and the best dressed couple will be rewarded with a prize. Here is an opportunity to re-live your youth for just one night.

The club is fully licensed with drinks at club prices and light snacks will be available.

Funds raised by the Maleny RSL Sub Branch are used for veterans welfare support, to support community activities and upkeep of the Maleny RSL building.

Break into Maleny Police residence

Conondale man, Joshua Lionel Burnett, aged 21 appeared in the Magistrates Court, Maroochydore on October 18th charged with four charges of serious assault of police and also charged with the wilful damage to a police vehicle on May 31st 2009.

He was remanded to again front the court in December 2009 for committal proceedings to the District Court to face these and other charges relating to incidents at Maroochydore in 2003.

He was also charged with making threats towards police and their families, and the burglary of the Maleny police residence along with stealing, or alternatively receiving, on November 18th 2008.

Mr Burnett, who had been in custody since his arrest in May, was granted bail in court

yesterday after his parents offered to pay \$5000 surety for their son's freedom, which also became a bail condition.

As part of his bail conditions Bennett is is not allowed within the Sunshine Coast council boundaries, except for court appearances or to meet legal representatives.

Also, he is not allowed to have any direct or indirect contact with anyone from the Maleny police station or their immediate families and must live in Brisbane and

Bennett was represented by solicitor, Neil Tobin.



Maleny Police station & residence

Lucky to escape jail time....

Callum Abraham Roy, 37, of Maleny was sentenced to 12 months jail, fully suspended for his part in an assault that occurred at the Maleny hotel on the 21st October, 2008. Facing the Maroochydore District Court in October 2009, Roy admitted to committing the assault but offered extenuating circumstances surrounding the incident. Judge John Robertson said the victim suffered significant impacts by this assault.

Roy, the father of two said that he thought that the man, who had just finished urinating, asked him to perform a sexual act on him. The victim denied saying anything. There had been no evidence of animosity during the night between the pair prior to this incident.

The victim's suffered a fractured nasal arch and eye socket as a result of this incident.

The offender was represented by Solicitor David Crews who said that his client suffered from anxiety, insomnia and depression.

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Truthful Jones Tells...



that a few nights ago he was going to bed when his wife told him that he'd left the light on in the shed. Truthful opened the door to go turn off the light but saw there were people in the shed in the process of stealing things.

He immediately phoned the police, who asked "Is someone in your house?" and Truthful said no and explained the situation. Then they explained that all patrols were busy, and that he should simply lock his door and an officer would be there when available.

Truthful said, "Okay," hung up, counted to 30, and phoned the police again.

"Hello, I just called you a few seconds ago because there were people in my shed. Well, you don't have to worry about them now because I've just shot them all."

Then he hung up. Within five minutes three squad cars, an Armed Response unit, and an ambulance showed up. Of course, the police caught the burglars red-handed.

One of the policemen said to Truthful: "I thought you said that you'd shot them!"

Truthful said, "I thought you said there was nobody available!"

Morale: Sometimes it takes some drastic action to get the attention that you think that you should get.

"Weightwatchers"

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Maleny library book club

Are you interested in reading? Have you ever wondered what goes on behind the doors of a book club?

Well, here is your opportunity to join in a new book club being formed in Maleny. The Sunshine Coast Regional Council library at Maleny is hosting an evening for anyone interested in joining a book club. The library provides the book sets so all the hard work is done for you.

All you need to do is to go along on Wednesday October 28th at 7p.m. to meet like-minded people and start a new club.

If you want to know more about the Maleny library book club just give Sue McCleary or Patricia Stahl a ring at the Maleny Library on 5429 6222.

You are sure to meet interesting people and at the same time have a stimulating discussion on books that are now available.

Maleny R.F.B. volunteers walk for cancer

Maleny Rural Fire Brigade volunteers walked in the Maleny "Relay for Life" fundraiser on September 26th at the Maleny Showgrounds.

'Relay for Life' is an inspiring event that celebrates cancer survivors, remembers lost loved ones, and fights back against this devastating disease.

Photo right shows R.F.B. volunteers, Dean Gamble, Rod Skerman and Donna Lewis preparing for an overnight stay at the showgrounds.



This is just another way that R.F.B. volunteers help out in the Maleny community.

Why not join this community organisation that is helping to keep us all safe, especially now with the present weather conditions creating dangerous fire conditions.

Not everybody has to be at the firefront. There are many less physically demanding tasks that just have to be done and somebody has to do them.

For further information about the Maleny Rural Fire Brigade Volunteer group can be obtained by Norm or Donna Lewis on 5499 9112.



*Who remembers the old days
Making a canoe from galvanised roof
sheets oofing with black bitumen...*

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Federal Shadow Minister to visit Sunshine Coast

The Shadow Minister who scrutinises the government's pensions and Medicare policies, will speak at a free discussion forum in Caloundra later this month.



Senator Nigel Scullion, the Liberal National spokesperson for Human Services, is visiting the Sunshine Coast and the hinterland as special guest of local Member for Fisher Peter Slipper.

"Changes to aged pensions have been confusing, in particular the removal of some payments and the introduction of others, since the Budget, so it's important to know where our pensioners stand," Mr Slipper said.

"Senator Scullion is working hard on behalf of the Liberal National team to ensure that pensioners and those with health needs are not being short changed through the social security system and Medi-

care, and his visit is an opportunity for locals to hear him speak and have their say on their specific concerns."

Senator Scullion will be guest speaker at the free discussion forum on Saturday, October 31 at the CCSA Hall, Nutley Street, Caloundra, from 10am to 12noon.

Please RSVP to the Office of Peter Slipper on 5443 3555 or 1300 301 981 (toll free in Fisher) to reserve your place as seating is limited.



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Mum's favourite Recipes

CORN FRITTERS

- GREAT FINGER FOOD ALSO

Ingredients

- * 4 oz. flour * 1 teaspoon baking powder * 4 tablespoons milk
- * 1 egg * 1 tin corn * Paprika * Sugar * Grated cheese

Method

Sift flour and baking powder, stir in milk and egg yolk, fold in stiffly beaten egg white and lastly corn and paprika. Deep fry spoonfuls of this mixture 3 to 5 minutes till a golden brown colour.

Drain, sprinkle with sugar, grated cheese, and paprika, and serve on a paper d'oyley.

The "NUT" Award

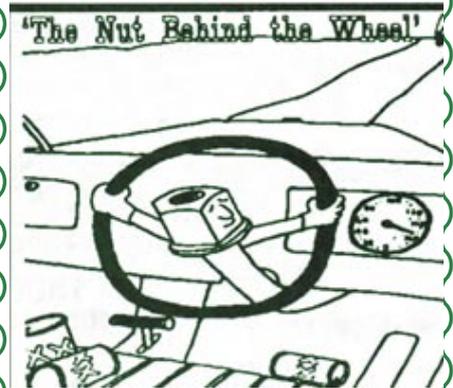
It matters little what the monetary penalty is or how much education is given there are some drivers who just will not take notice of the road rules.

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: - the driver of the prominent white courier van who was travelling down the Landsborough Range from Maleny on Wednesday 14th at about 11.40a.m. and threw what appeared to be a cigarette butt out the window. Bad at any time but worse in this dangerous fire period.

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You would know you had a bad day if you got a parking ticket as described below

Daylight Robbery

It started off just like any other day for Fred Holt when he went to his local bank. But the ordinary day turned extraordinary when two masked men burst into the bank brandishing an axe and a machete. In the terrifying raid, the robbers held a young cashier hostage with an axe to her throat. Customers were forced to lie on the floor as staff were made to hand over cash.

If being a victim of this horrifying event wasn't bad enough, 77 year old Mr Holt had parked his car nearby, and by the time he had given a statement to police officers, his car had been there for 20 minutes longer than allowed.

Mr. Holt was not worried because the police officers who interviewed him said that traffic wardens had been told about the raid and asked not to issue tickets. But when Mr Holt got back to his car he was astounded to find a £30 parking ticket pinned to his windscreen – the reason: overstaying his allowed time in the street.



Maleny Bowls Club supports The McGrath Foundation.

Help The Maleny Bowls Club raise money to fund McGrath Breast

support and education.

The Maleny Bowls Club is proud to join in the ongoing fundraising by sponsoring a "Pink Bowls Day" this coming Sunday 25th October – all monies raised from the bowls and raffles will go directly to the McGrath Foundation

Sausage sizzle at 11.30-12.30

Bowls 1.00 - 3.30

Cost \$10.00, half price for kids.

So why not get friends and family together and come along and have some bowling fun this Sunday whilst supporting this worthwhile cause?

Businesses might like to form a corporate team of bowlers!

And any businesses who would like to help further might consider providing small prizes to help sell more raffles. Please drop any items into the Bowls Club.

Please contact Peter Hulton, Bowls Club manager 5494 2335 hultonpm@ozemail.com.au if you'd like to help or for further info.

Care Nurses.

The McGrath Foundation raises money to fund breast care nurses primarily in rural Australia. The McGrath Foundation was co-founded by Jane McGrath and her cricketing husband Glenn after Jane's diagnosis and initial recovery from breast cancer.

Sadly, Jane passed away in June 2008, touching the heart of every Australian, but Jane's memory lives on.

She has undoubtedly left a lasting legacy through both her family and the ongoing work of the McGrath Foundation, providing thousands of Australian women and their families with hope and support during their experience with breast cancer.

Without the support of people and organisations raising funds within our communities, the Foundation could not continue to provide this

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Blackall Range

Woodworker's Guild

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Cheers Pres Dave

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This weeks Special

Wattyl Trademax
W.T.B. - Int/Ext - L/S

4 lts - \$44.00

(Must mention this add to
get special price
- Normally \$49.00)

Another paint hint from Maleny Paint Place

Carpeting a new concrete floor! seal it first will save problems later

With so many new homes being built in town at the present time there certainly be a need to put down some floor coverings.

Mostly, carpet and vinyl flooring is used. From time to time water will rise through the concrete and cause you problems with the floor covering. Why not seal the concrete before you put down the covering.

It is easy with a water-proofing product called "Sealit" by Shalex.

DIRECTIONS

1. Apply one coat of neat Sealit Multipurpose or one liberal coat of 'Soak in Mix', (50% Sealit Multipurpose, 50% water), before laying carpet or vinyl to restrict rising damp.
2. Allow to dry.

APPLICATION

Best method - Low pressure air-less spray, pump up garden spray or roller. When applying neat Sealit Multipurpose coverage

should be approximately 10m² per litre.

'Soak in Mix', (50% Sealit Multipurpose, 50% water) - Approximately 5m² per litre.

i.e. flat masonry surface - approx 100sqm / 20L pail - two coat application.

WARNING / NOTES

Sealit Multipurpose is not recommended as a final coating for traffic areas, tables, seats etc., or non porous surfaces; i.e. ceramic tiles, glazed bricks, glass etc.

During the curing period, (4-12 months), clear

Sealit Multipurpose may show up slightly cloudy when wet. This will disappear when the surface dries out.

To clean up simply wash all equipment immediately in water.

If product has dried on equipment, clean with a petrol or mineral turpentine dampened cloth (Taking normal safety precautions).



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This week with Peter Slipper M.P.



Local Heroes

It's been great over the past 10 years to be able to host the Fisher Community Australia Day Awards.

These annual awards were established in 2000, to recognise those in the Electorate of Fisher who give considerable amounts of their own time to make their community a better place to live.

Now is the time to nominate someone in your community who deserves recognition for the efforts they do for their fellow citizens.

These dedicated and hard-working residents don't seek recognition for what they do, but Australia Day gives us an opportunity to say thanks publicly and to let them know that we do recognise their contributions and it is very much appreciated.

Recipients are recognised for their contributions in the areas of community service, industry and commerce, the arts, sport and recreation, and for their work with seniors' groups, sporting clubs, youth organisations, and welfare and community support organisations.

Community groups are eligible for the Des Scanlan Memorial Shield and awards are also presented for the Fisher Citizen of the Year, Young Citizen of the Year and the Wortley Youth Encouragement Award.

Nomination forms for the 2010 ceremony are available from my electorate office or by phoning 5443 3555 or 1300 301 981 (toll free within Fisher).

Go ahead. Nominate a local hero!

Inquiry into Violence

An inquiry is being held into the impact of violence on young Australians.

While youth are often portrayed as the perpetrators of crime such as violence, they are also often the victims, and this is among the issues that will be canvassed by the inquiry committee.

The inquiry is being held by the House of Representatives Standing Committee on Family, Community, Housing and Youth.

For details, including how to lodge a submission, visit: www.ahp.gov.au/fchy or contact the secretariat

on 02 – 6277 4566

Carers Week

Carers have been recognised during Carers Week from 18-24 October.

Carers make a significant impact on the lives of those for whom they care. There are some 2.6 million unpaid carers across Australia today, each of them giving their time and energy to provide support and love for someone who would otherwise find life a struggle.

I congratulate carers and say well done for the contribution you make to the community and the lives of those who need help.

For more information about Carers Week, visit: www.Carersweek.com.au/09/

We can supply the names and phone numbers of the following "RELIABLE" tradespeople.

⇒ **Landscapers**

⇒ **House Painters**

⇒ **Electricians**

⇒ **Plumbers**

More will be added to our list as time goes on and we are satisfied that we can recommend their services with confidence.

Support your local Businesses

Humphries & Fisk Real Estate - 5499 9850

Impact Painters - 0429 640 732

Maleny Cheese Factory - 5494 2207

Maleny Print & Copy Centre - 5494 2888

Maleny Paint Place - 5494 2002

Local Businesses offer support and services to you and your business. They also provide local employment. Why not support them.

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