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**This years
Kuranda Fest,
Great Parade etc.
Next year could be
even better,
More good Pics inside**



COMMUNITY LETTERS PO BOX 66 KURANDA 4872

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Dear Kuranda Paper Kurandafest - Give it a rest!

When the town's only public park is turned into a 8ft walled detention centre that the locals are expected to pay \$6 to get into and revel in the ugliness, I think its time to rethink the whole situation. Where were the local's stalls down the main street? Where was the atmosphere? The day of celebration of our beautiful town has been turned into another shopkeepers selling day. Bring back the fun and flow of the Spring Fair that really reflected the heart of Kuranda. I am totally disgusted with this year's organizers who obviously do not understand our community.

P.S. Thank goodness for the locals who made the procession colourful and fun for the locals and the locals who organized the ampitheatre recovery day for the locals. *S.E. Anderson Box 626 Kuranda*

Dear Kuranda Paper

Quite unwittingly, the Rotary Club managed to give some Kuranda residents the full 'hippy' experience during the Kurandafest. The Parade fostered feeling of good will and harmony - the 'happy hippy'. The entertainment in the park - with the fence and cover charge in place - gave us a lot of 'unhappy, protesting hippies'. Did you enjoy that energy of banding together once again in your righteous anger, to rip someone/something apart?

It's sad that thirty or so years on, we are still so quick to jump in with the pack when an 'us and them' situation is perceived. While protest was relevant and justified in the late 1960's when reacting to the Vietnam War etc., on August 30th, 2003, did any of you bother to inform yourselves as to who the 'they' were, and why 'they' did what they did?

The fence was put up in order to comply with licensing laws [there was alcohol available] and also to comply with the Rotary Clubs' Public Liability requirements. It wasn't pretty - it certainly wasn't popular - but it wasn't there to antagonize you. The cover charge was in place to cover costs - Rotary lost about \$1500 staging last year's Kurandafest - yes they could have put up prices on alcohol or food - in the end it's much of a muchness really.

There is a misconception around town that Rotary equals business interests. Actually, there are six people in Kuranda Rotary that I know of - one of whom owns a business in Kuranda, one of whom owns a business in Cairns, two are retirees, and two are employees. They all work for Rotary in their 'spare' time, for free, with no kick backs professionally. Money raised goes straight back into the community.

In the planning stages, Rotary asked for volunteers to help stage Kurandafest. Not one of you who staged the 'protest' offered to help or give your expertise in order to make this a community event that would be enjoyed by all. If you had offered to help, and been told your help wasn't needed, you would have been justified in the stance you took. Since you didn't - you have the right to offer **positive** criticism only. If you really embraced the 'hippy' peace and love concept - you would say thank you to the Rotary for trying to do something for you.

By the way - I am not a member of Rotary - just a Kuranda resident very embarrassed by my fellow residents' behaviour.

Anja Bakker

Dear Kuranda Paper/ Community

As a passionate local I volunteered to be part of the Kurandafest Committee for the second year around because I get a kick out of seeing people enjoy themselves at community events. When I rocked up I was once again a little disappointed to see the committee was all of about 9 people to put on an entire week-end of activities. None-the-less all those good hearted people decided to go ahead anyway and give Kuranda it's special annual week-end of fun and activity. And some great activities and fun there was! I would like to respond however to all the people who have so thoughtlessly condemned our efforts. We are the people with the Kuranda Spirit - we stepped up putting in our time and busting our butts to organise activities for you - and if the activities weren't there last month or if they cost money or if they weren't to your satisfaction then you should have been on the committee or you should have been offering your talents, creativity or efforts in an event that could fill up this week-end. If people won't freely offer some community spirit and their talents then of course things cost money, have to be done differently etc etc. etc. Having said all that, many people (including myself) enjoyed Kurandafest 2003. I know I'll be back again if there's Kurandafest 2004 (?). Hopefully certain members of our community might put action where their mouths are and join us too. Cheers from Natalie Geering.

Dear Kuranda Paper,

A time to appreciate and realise the work of our local Bush Fire Brigades and those members who put so much effort into preventing greater losses from widespread fires such as we recently experienced.

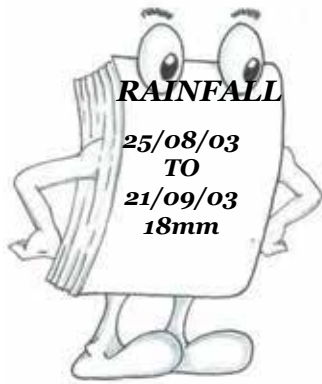
Also, with the prolonged dry season it would be beneficial if we all could put out fresh water daily for our native animals. With numerous containers put out over a large area, from ground to deck height, we find they are all being used. *Bill and Judy Lovett*



August finished with the Kurandafest Recovery Day. It was a great day out in Kuranda, and despite

the dreary conditions, the picturesque grounds of the Amphitheatre were swamped by hoards of locals and travelers who didn't quite get the hit they were looking for in the previous night's festivities. There was a varied assortment of amusement including the Busking Competition, a Giant Jumping Castle, Circus Skills Workshops, and travelers alike kicked back, sucking in the relaxed atmosphere, and trying their hardest to *recover* from the night before.

September got happening on Sunday 21st with the **Kuranda Reggae Festival** featuring Hot Rubber Glove, Promiscuous, Ali Lu Jah, Willy and the Poor Boys, and the Koah All Stars, and was enjoyed by all. There is also a group forming to return Community Theatre to the Amphitheatre, with a performance date set in November. Anyone interested



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Dear Kuranda Paper

Does anyone else know what its like to read the Urantia Book Revelations and be rejected by everyone in society. To be rejected by your family and friends that have closed minds and are too vain and prejudiced to want to know anything else. To be rejected by the very church that the book is here to resurrect and be told by the clergy that all that people need to know is in the Bible. To be confronted wherever I go with depressing apathy from people who have given up looking for answers to their most important questions. To be made to feel like a stranger in a strange land and not be able to share my enlightenment with anybody except my angels. It is hard to take. No wonder I live alone on this confused and grief stricken world they call Urantia.

Cheers. *T.D.Hughes*

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Editorial	Wed	22	OCT
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in getting involved in any way should contact Jim Gosden on 0429938250 or 4092 1088.

On the 26th the Tibetan Lama **Choedak Rimpoché** will be giving a talk *Healing Relationships – a Conscious Choice* at the Amphitheatre at 7:30 pm, all welcome.

The Waifs are going to be doing their thing on the 11th October, and **Fun Jungle** are planning their reunion sometime later in the month. There is a **KAS General Meeting** on the 18th of October at 3pm.

We are always looking for any volunteers to help with the myriad of asks necessary to keep this wonderful venue running, so if you have any spare time to donate to your community arts space, please contact 4093 9778.

The Kuranda Amphitheatre Society 2003

Coming events:

- **Lama Choedak Rimpoché** talks on the 26th Sept – 7:30 pm
- **The Waifs** on the 11th October
- **Fun Jungle** [Oct]
- **General Meeting** 18th Oct – 3 pm [Understage]



Kuranda District State School and National Literacy and Numeracy Week

Member for Barron River Dr Lesley

Clark today praised Kuranda District State School for opening its doors to the public as part of National Literacy and Numeracy Week celebrations, held from 1-7 September 2003. The school is among 60 Celebration Schools throughout Queensland to receive a \$500 grant under the National Literacy and Numeracy Week program.

Dr Clark said Kuranda District State School received the celebration grant to plan activities that highlighted the school's achievements in literacy and numeracy to the community. "The school had invited all parents and carers to attend an Expo Open Day of activities by every class. There will be PowerPoint displays of the school's success with guided reading, book boxes, phonemic awareness, Maths Toolkits and static displays.

In addition, the school will launch the resource book the Talking Sounds and Letters Book Binyi: Wuku by Gill Tynan, a teacher at the school, a Big Buddy Book Feast and BBQ will end the week of celebration. Dr Clark said it is essential that young people develop strong literacy and numeracy skills. "Literacy and numeracy are the foundations the Smart State will be built upon." She said.

"It is widely recognized that young people's level of ability in literacy and numeracy significantly influence their participation in education, the workplace and society." "National Literacy and Numeracy Week provides a perfect opportunity to celebrate the progress of schools across Queensland in our quest to raise the literacy and numeracy levels of all our students.

Keeping kids safe in the car

An updated guide on child restraints

An updated guide on child restraints in cars should be compulsory reading for parents and adult drivers to ensure their young passengers are buckled up safely and correctly, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Transport and Regional Services, Senator Ron Boswell, said today.

Launching the Simple Guide to Child Restraints, Senator Boswell said using the appropriate restraint could save a child's life. "With school holidays just around the corner, and more vehicles on the road, it's timely to remind of the dangers that exist for these young passengers if they're not restrained securely," he said. "Children aged 16 and under made up 19 per cent of passenger fatalities last year.

Senator Boswell said it is the responsibility of adult drivers or passengers to ensure children are correctly restrained before starting every trip. "It is essential that child restraints are used when driving with children even when you are driving slowly, carefully, or on a short trip," Senator Boswell said.

The Simple Guide to Child Restraint is a practical and useful guide to the types of restraints for children, toddlers, babies, and pregnant women, and also explains how to fit child seats and infant restraints. The brochure also outlines the mandatory standards applicable to child restraints. "When purchasing and fitting child restraints, drivers must ensure that the restraint is suitable for the age and weight of the child," Senator Boswell said.

"This important safety brochure details how you should use seat belts for older children, booster seats and harnesses for young children, child seats for very young children, and infant restraints for babies. "I urge all drivers and adult passengers to pay close attention to the child restraint messages and information in this important brochure to ensure their precious cargo is safely restrained during road travel."



Hands Off WTMA: Entsch

Member for Leichhardt Warren Entsch today called on Queensland Premier Peter Beattie to guarantee the Wet Tropics Management Authority (WTMA) will not be gutted and relocated to Brisbane. Mr Entsch said he'd been approached by a number of Wet Tropics stakeholders who were very concerned that a current State Government review of World Heritage Legislation and Management Structures will advocate a change in the structure of WTMA and the relocation of the new group to the state's capital.

"Far North Queensland is the heart and soul of the Wet Tropics and it needs to be managed from here at the coalface, not from an air-conditioned office in downtown Brisbane," Mr Entsch said. "I make no secret of the fact that from time to time I am critical of WTMA's position on certain issues, but I'll be the first to challenge any attempt to relocate the management of the Wet Tropics to Brisbane. "Maintaining WTMA in Cairns carries significant social and economic benefits for the Far North Queensland community, not to mention the huge environmental benefits of keeping management of the Wet Tropics as close to the source as possible."

Mr Entsch said it appeared contact between the State Government and key Wet Tropics stakeholders had exposed the State's push for a proposal to abolish WTMA and the Wet Tropics World Heritage (WTWH) Act, to create a new body with a purely advisory role that answers to the Queensland Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and to funnel all funding for the Wet Tropics through the EPA. He said WTMA stakeholders - including local councils, Indigenous representatives, conservation groups and the tourism industry - had expressed concern that the State Government has failed to engage them in any meaningful consultation about proposed changes and that only one of the sectors had even been briefed on the matter.

"It appears, from what little information the State Government has provided to stakeholders, that it is considering gutting WTMA because it wants to save money by managing all the state's world heritage areas, most of which are not protected to the same extent as the Wet Tropics, under the same umbrella," Mr Entsch said. "However, centralising management from Brisbane and abolishing the existing WTWH legislation will only serve to dilute the protection we have fought so hard for in our Wet Tropics and increase the potential for decisions made from Brisbane having even greater negative impacts on local communities. "I won't - I can't - let this happen"..... "The people of Far North Queensland deserve that commitment from Beattie now, before the state election process begins."

KURANDA HOTEL/MOTEL BOTTOM PUB

THAI COOK: FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY

1st WEEK	CHICKEN HONEY; CHILLI EGG
2nd WEEK	CURRY FISH; BEER & BLACKBEAN SAUCE
3rd WEEK	SWEET & SOUR PORK; TOM KHA CHICKEN
4th WEEK	GANG MUSS OMUN BEEF: RANDNAA
5th WEEK	PAD THAI: GREEN SEAFOOD CURRY

PLUS REGULAR DISHES

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PHONE 4093 7206

ROTARY CLUB OF KURANDA THANKS YOU!

The Rotary Club of Kuranda send their thanks to all volunteers and professionals who assisted us in our endeavours to raise funds for Kuranda Charities, at the Kurandafest "Party in the Park".

The volunteers are as follows: "Split Infinity" a Band of our very talented youth who have an excellent blues repertoire, and a wonderful future ahead. Susan Company of Belly Dancers, a delight to behold. Mareeba Hire who gave us the use of vehicles, cold room, equipment, and personal efforts free of charge. Mareeba High School for lending us the main stage. The Kuranda Primary School, the Principal and Staff who supplied soft drinks. The Kuranda Primary School for lending us their stage as well.

Stanwell Corporation for the tent cover of the stage.

Natalie and Adam Geering who cooked superb Dutch Donuts and supplied Tea and Coffee. Cairns North Rotary Club for their members, equipment and hot food. Ross Wilson for his talented and technical support.

Peter McCabe for being an excellent "Master of Ceremonies".

Last but by no means least the nine (9) members of the Rotary Club of Kuranda for their physical, mental and spiritual efforts to bring to "Kurandafest" one of the best nights entertainment seen in the village.

The professionals are as follows:

Maryanne Rex who enthralled the crowd with her vocal and instrumental talent. Suzy Leigh delighted the audience with her International Act and sense of humour.

"Temple" the well known Band who lived up to all expectations as one of the best talents in Australia. Well done chaps!

Thank you to the citizens of Kuranda who supported this fund raising venture for Kuranda Charities by opening up their hearts and with good spirits attended our "Concert Party in the Park" and the enthusiasm with which they enjoyed it.

The very next weekend the Rotary Club of Kuranda joined forces with Rotary Club of North Cairns, Lions Club of Kuranda and the CWA of Kuranda to host "The Great Train Ride". This event takes place every year for the Senior Citizens who have no families and the underprivileged children and their Carers. Entertainment is provided on the train by bands and clowns as well as entertainment in the park, where a huge B-B-Que is made available by Rotary, the Kuranda Lions Club supplies free Merry-Go-Round rides for the children and the CWA ladies delight with their cakes, scones, tea and coffee.

V.J. Birchall,

Proud to be Secretary of such a gallant group.

CHOOSING A REAL STATE AGENT

Are Multiple Agents Better Than one?

The old adage ‘two hands are better than one’ doesn’t really apply when it comes to selling real estate. ‘Too many cooks spoil the broth’ seems more appropriate.

By appointing a number of agents everyone is having a say but no one person is fully dedicated or directly responsible for the marketing of your property.

It is interesting to note that statistics indicate that approximately only 20% of properties sold sell by the open listing method where as approximately 75% sell by the sole/exclusive agency method. Sole Agency is the REIQ referred selling method.

Selling a home can be a very stressful time. By choosing an agent that has a proven track record in Kuranda and one you feel comfortable with will eliminate unwanted stress knowing your home is being efficiently marketed by the agent of your choice.

Louise Cox Kuranda Real Estate 40 93 7577 or 0421 023 605

Louise Joins the Kuranda Real Estate Team

Kuranda Real Estate principal, Steve Dominikovic, welcomes Louise Cox to their professional sales team.

Louise is a popular long time resident of Kuranda and has a successful career background in Human Resource Management, which has proven to be an asset in her real estate sales achievements over the past three years.

Steve is aware that women have an extremely strong track record in the real estate industry and Louise is no exception. During her first year as a trainee Louise successfully attained Certificate IV in Property Services and was highly regarded by the REIQ for her extremely high



achievement in gaining record sales during her twelve-month traineeship. Louise has continued to be a star real estate sales person in Kuranda for the past three years. Her sales history has not gone unnoticed with four job offers from Cairns Agents. However, Louse has chosen to continue working in Kuranda where she can keep her finger on the pulse and looks forward to a fresh new start with Kuranda Real Estate, which has twenty-seven years real estate experience in Kuranda.

Louise’s cheerful nature, love of people and enthusiastic communication style are wonderful assets in the real estate profession.

Louise can be contacted for a free market appraisal at Kuranda Real Estate on 4093 7577 or 0421 023 605 where she promises genuine commitment and continuity of Kuranda Real Estate’s successful sales record and customer service.

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MAN’S ETERNAL QUEST

And other talks

By Paramahansa Yogananda

This is a book about God: about God’s place in man’s life; in his hopes, will, aspirations, accomplishments. Paramahansaji explains why and how man was created by God, and how he is immutably a part of God, and what this means to each one personally. Realization of the oneness of man and his Creator is the whole essence of Yoga. An understanding of man’s inescapable need for God, in every aspect of living, removes the otherworldliness from religion and makes knowing God the basis of a scientific and practical approach to life.

For some readers, this volume will present a new and irresistible challenge to life; for others it will provide a renewed stimulus and inspiration to their particular endeavor. Many will close these pages with a soul-satisfying sense of having partaken of a spiritual feast of divine love and wisdom. Whatever the individual effects, one thing is certain: no one can touch truth and come away unchanged.

About the Author

“If we had a man like Paramahansa Yogananda in the United Nations today, probably the world would be a better place than it is.” - Binay R.

Sen, former ambassador of India.

Paramahansa Yogananda was the first great master of India to live in the West for a long period [over thirty years]. He entered this world in India in 1893, and left it in America in 1952. He had initiated 1000,000 students in Yoga, scientific techniques for awakening the divine consciousness in man. Today, more than ever, Paramahansa Yogananda is recognized as a world teacher, an enlightened exponent of the universal science of Yoga, a great son and spiritual ambassador of India, a benefactor of mankind, a God-realized master. His nature was universal, his life a blend of the spiritual wisdom of his motherland and the practical efficiency of his adopted country.

Many farsighted Westerners found Paramahansa Yogananda teaching ideally suited to their way of life. Douglas Grant Duff Ainslie, former attaché to the British legation at Paris, Athens, and the Hague, and delegate to the international Congress of Philosophy at Harvard University: “The essential point to be remarked about Paramahansa Yogananda’s teachings, in contradistinction to that of European philosophers, such as Bergson, Hegel, and others, is that it is not speculative, but practical, even when dealing with the utmost reaches of metaphysics.” Alvin Hunsicker, prominent

textile industrialist: “Your lessons on meditation and concentration are a revelation to the average person living in the hustle and bustle of Western Civilization. I have gained immeasurably...” Madame Amelita Galli-curci, renowned soprano and ardent advocate of Yoga said: “The teaching of Yogananda gives to life a purpose, joy, happiness, and bliss. It is the science of living, and it is applicable to all our daily activities.” The gifted horticulturist Luther Burbank praised Yogananda’s teachings as “ideal for training and harmonizing man’s physical, mental, and spiritual natures. By simple and scientific methods of concentration and meditation, most of the complex problems of life may be solved.”

In 1925 Paramahansa Yogananda established in Los Angeles the international headquarters of his Society: Self-Realization Fellowship [Yogoda Satsanga Society of India]. Its purpose is to make the wisdom of Paramahansa Yogananda available to seekers of Truth in all parts of the word, through publication and distribution of the *Self-Realization lessons* and other writings of Paramahansa Yogananda, and the administration of Self-Realization temples, meditation centers, and monastic training centers. President of the Society is Sri Daya Mata, spiritual successor of Paramahansa Yogananda.



PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED PLANNING SCHEME FOR MAREEBA SHIRE

Mareeba Shire Council has prepared a new Planning Scheme for the Shire in accordance with the provisions of the Integrated Planning Act 1997.

During the consultation period [from 1 September 2003 until the close of business on 26 November 2003] the proposed Planning Scheme will be on display at the Council chambers, 65 Rankin Street, Mareeba, and the Mareeba Shire Library in Byrnes Street, Mareeba and the Kuranda Library in Thoorree Street, Kuranda.

Copies of the proposed Planning Scheme are available for purchase from the Council chambers, 65 Rankin Street, Mareeba in the following formats:-

CD Rom copy of Planning Scheme	\$20.00
Hard copy of written material only	\$110.00
Hard copy of maps	\$420.00

Information on the proposed planning scheme can also be obtained by telephoning the Shire Planner on [07] 4030 3931 during normal office hours.

Any person may, on or before the **26 November 2003**, make a written submission to the Chief Executive Officer, Mareeba Shire council, PO Box 154 MAREEBA QLD 4880, about any aspect of the proposed Planning Scheme.

The requirements of a properly made submission are as follows:-

- 1 It is in writing and is signed by each person who made the submission.
- 2 It is received on or before 26 November 2003.
- 3 It states the name and address of each person who made the submission.
- 4 States the grounds of the submission and the facts and circumstances relied on in support of the grounds
- 5 Is made to the Mareeba Shire Council.

Mareeba Shire council
PO Box 154
MAREEBA QLD 4880

NP Briggs
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
29 August 2003



**MAREEBA SHIRE COUNCIL
RADF APPLICATIONS**

Individuals and groups within Mareeba Shire are invited to lodge applications for the next round of funding under the Regional Arts Development Fund, which is a partnership programme Between Queensland Government through Arts Queensland and Local Government, to support arts and cultural development in the community.

The fund supports professional and community arts activities and projects and categories of funding available include Individual professional development, concept development, skill development and projects.

Applicants must reside within Mareeba Shire and funded projects must commence after approval date. Please note that funds are limited.

Application forms are available from the Council Offices at 65 Rankin Street, the Mareeba Library in Byrnes Street and the Kuranda Library/Branch Office at Thoree Street, Kuranda and must be lodged no later than **5.00 pm on Wednesday 15 October 2003.**

Mareeba Shire Council
PO Box 154
MAREEBA QLD 4880

signed: N.P.Briggs
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
18 September 2003

St Christopher's Catholic Church Barang St

Our Sunday Mass will be held at 6 pm

1st Wednesday of each month
Mass 7.30 pm

If someone in your family has
a drinking problem, you can see
what it is doing to them. But can
you see what it is doing to you ?

AL-ANON can help you

Meetings :

Kuranda 10.30 a.m. Sunday
Neighbourhood Centre
Cnr. Coondoo & Barang Sts.
Ph 4093 0462

A Thought for October

This month we open our Bible at the
Gospel of Mark and read Chapter 9 verses
30-37.

Jesus and his disciples were passing through
Galilee. They were so familiar with this area
that they probably took it totally for granted.
Why not ask ourselves what the equivalent is
in our own lives? When do we pass through
our Galilees? In what areas of life are we
totally familiar with everything around us?
The drive between home and work? The roads
where we do our walking? The town we live in?
The place we worship? The various circles of
people we often meet and plan and work with?
"He was teaching his disciples." That phrase
can be a reminder that as we pass through
familiar places, Jesus may be trying to speak
within us. Such familiar places can provide
opportunities for reflection, times for being
in the presence of Our Lord.

"The Son of man will be delivered ... killed
... will rise." That is what Jesus wanted his disciples to
see on that long-ago day. What may Jesus be saying
to us sometimes in our own busy driven lives? What
might being delivered, being killed, and rising mean
for us? Is it possible that Jesus wants us to understand
that life is about death and resurrection? That does
not mean only our actual death

It means also the many little deaths we must die
in life - failures, anxieties, disappointments, hurts,
mistakes, betrayals, sufferings which every life
experiences. Life
is about possessing a source of grace by which you and
I can rise from such little deaths. As we practise the
presence of Jesus while moving through the familiar
places of our lives, we may realize what he wishes us to
know above all else.

It is that he can be the source of such grace for us, if

THE ANGLICAN CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA (CHURCH OF ENGLAND) ST SAVIOUR'S KURANDA Invites you to Worship

Sundays

8.00 am Holy Communion
9.30 am Sung Eucharist
9.30 am Sunday school
5.00 pm Afternoon Worship
Holy Communion (Oct 5th)
Informal Praise Service (Oct 26th)
all other Evening Prayer

Thursday

10.00 am Holy Communion

Harvest Festival Services

Sunday 19th October

8.00am Holy Communion
9.30am Sung Eucharist
5.00pm Harvest Evensong

Activities

Home Groups Alpha
A life Worth Living Sunday School

Clothing Sale

Friday 3rd October 9.00am till 2.00pm

Garage Sale

Saturday 4th October 8.30am till 12.30pm

**Enq Fr Chris Wright -Tel 4093 8735
Email wrightc@iig.com.au**

we choose to admit him into our lives.

"What were you discussing on the way?" asked Jesus
when they were at their journey's end. They were silent.
They had been discussing what we spend a lot of time
thinking about, whether or not we talk about it. The
disciples, as do modern disciples, were considering
their own positions - their advancement, their
ambitions, their self-interest. Jesus understands. It is
an eternal human preoccupation. Once again he says
something he has said to them many times, something
we ourselves never quite understand. If we wish to
be first in the eyes of Jesus, we earn that position by
being what the world often sees as last. We serve. It is
what Jesus himself did. If we are prepared to use the
familiar circumstances of our daily lives as encounters
with Jesus, we learn the insights which are at the heart
of Christian faith.

**Kuranda
Seventh-day Adventist
Church**

Wirramoo St.
Sabbath School (all ages) - 9.30 am
Divine Service - 11 am

Services held every Saturday.
ALL WELCOME !!!

UNITING CHURCH IN AUSTRALIA

ALL WELCOME
Informal style of
family service

1st sunday of the month.
St. Christopher's church,
Barang St. Kuranda. **9 am 5 October**

NEXT SERVICE:
Enquiries to Pr. Russell Clark
Phone 4092 1175
& Krishna Buhler 4093 7348

We wish our Jewish friends all the very
best in the New Year.

Shana Tova Umetuka

...meaning "May your Year be good and
sweet".

Tibetan Meditation Master Lama Choedak Rinpoche

Public Talk on Friday Night 26th September at

The Kuranda Amphitheatre 7.30pm

Cost \$10 Donation- (Conc \$8)
Bring own cushion or chair.

Ever had problems with a relationship and not been able to resolve it? Most of us at some time
in our lives have experienced difficulties in our relationships be it with our parents, partners, children
work colleagues, friends or relatives. Unresolved conflict can lead to anger, resentment and blame, all
causes for suffering and
stress not only for ourselves but for everyone involved. In this public talk Rinpoche will draw on his
universal wisdom and experience on how to resolve these conflicts.

Letting go of the hurt, anger resentment and blame is a choice we can make to help the
healing process when things go sour, so make a conscious choice and come along and listen to a genuine
meditation master, he may just change your perception and give you a new outlook on life!

Lama Choedak Rinpoche is one of the few Tibetan Buddhist Meditation Masters living in
Australia today and we are very privileged to have him here to teach. He is the founder and Spiritual
Director of Sakya Losal Choe Dzong in Canberra. Born in Tibet, Rinpoche was a Sakya Tibetan
Buddhist monk for twelve years, during this time, he completed a strict, three and a half year solitary
meditation retreat. The retreat was sponsored by His Holiness the Dalai Lama, under the guidance of
His Eminence Chogyi Trichen Rinpoche. Rinpoche has been teaching in the West for over 17 years and
has an excellent understanding of the western mind, his teachings are clear and full of interest and
humour.

All money raised goes towards hosting visiting teachers to the Far North.
For more information contact Rinchen on 4059 2226

Entsch Welcomes E10 to Mareeba

Member for Leichhardt Warren
Entsch has welcomed today's launch of
E10 Unleaded fuel in Mareeba.

He said the expansion of the
E10 trial to include the Caltex in Byrne

Street Mareeba won't just provide Far North Queensland
residents with better access to ethanol fuel products, it
illustrates Caltex's ongoing commitment to the success of
the current trial.

"If the trial wasn't going well in Cairns, Caltex
wouldn't bother even considering expanding it to
Mareeba, so in that regard launching E10 in Mareeba is a
great sign of this region's strong support for ethanol," Mr
Entsch said.

"Since the trial began in Cairns, my office has
fielded many calls from Tableland residents and cane
farmers seeking access to the product for their personal
and farm vehicles.

"Caltex has listened to those requests and has
delivered but it is now up to Tableland and southern Cape
York residents to prove that demand for E10 is as strong
in Mareeba as it is in Cairns."

"While the fuel you put in your car is your choice
to make, I encourage everyone in the Tablelands, as well
as Cape York residents fuelling up in Mareeba before
heading home, to give E10 a try at the Byrne Street
Caltex in Mareeba and, if they like it, to continue using
E10 for the duration of the trial.

"The future of ethanol in Australia really is in our
hands and if we make the E10 trial a success, all petrol
companies will have the opportunity of selling ethanol
blended fuels to the Australian public."





So many photoes it is impossible to include more than a few, this is certainly the year the digital camera came to the festival.



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THANK YOU KATH RAWARD

Kath was instrumental in setting up the library as we see it. She had a wonderful sense of humour and a great knowledge of library functions and books. Nothing was too much trouble and the quest for the elusive title was a challenge well met. Thank you Kath. The readers, the talkers and the children will miss you.

Good luck in your new position from all the Kuranda Community.

DISCOURSE OF 'ABDU'L-BAHA AT

St. JOHN'S WESTMINSTER

September 17th. 1911

O NOBLE Friends! O Seekers for the Kingdom of God! Man all over the world is seeking for God. All that exists is God; but the Reality of Divinity is holy above all understanding. The pictures of Divinity that come to our mind are the products of our fancy; they exist in the realm of our imagination. They are not adequate to the Truth; truth in its essence cannot be put into words. Divinity cannot be comprehended because it is comprehending.

Man, who has also a real existence, is comprehended by God; therefore, the Divinity which man can understand is partial; it is not complete.

Divinity is actual Truth and real existence, and not any representation of it. Divinity itself contains All, and is not contained. Although the mineral, vegetable, animal and man all have actual being, yet the mineral has no knowledge of the vegetable. It cannot apprehend it. It cannot imagine nor understand it. It is the same with the vegetable. Any progress it may make, however highly it may become developed, it will never apprehend the animal, nor understand it. It is, so to speak, without news of it. It has no ears, no sight, no understanding.

It is the same with the animal. However much it may progress in its own kingdom, however refined its feelings may become, it will have no real notion of the world of man or of his special intellectual faculties. The animal cannot understand the roundness of the earth, nor its motion in space, nor the central position of the sun, nor can it imagine such a thing as the all-pervading ether.

Although the mineral, vegetable, animal and man himself are actual beings, the difference between their kingdoms prevents members of

the lower degree from comprehending the essence and nature of those of the superior degree. This being so, how can the temporal and phenomenal comprehend the Lord of Hosts? It is clear that this is impossible!

But the Essence of Divinity, the Sun of Truth, shines forth upon all horizons and is spreading its rays upon all things. Each creature is the recipient of some portion of that power, and man, who contains the perfection of the mineral, the vegetable and animal, as well as his own distinctive qualities, has become the noblest of created beings. It stands written that he is made in the Image of God. Mysteries that were hidden he discovers; and secrets that were concealed he brings into the light. By Science and by Art he brings hidden powers into the region of the visible world. Man perceives the hidden law in created things and co-operates with it.

Lastly the perfect man, the Prophet, is one who is transfigured, one who has the purity and clearness of a perfect mirror -- one who reflects the Sun of Truth. Of such a one -- of such a Prophet and Messenger -- we can say that the Light of Divinity with the heavenly Perfections dwells in him. If we claim that the sun is seen in the mirror, we do not mean that the sun itself has descended from the holy heights of his heaven and entered into the mirror! This is impossible. The Divine Nature is seen in the Manifestations and its Light and Splendor are visible in extreme glory. Therefore, men have always been taught and led by the Prophets of God. The Prophets of God are the Mediators of God. All the Prophets and Messengers have come from One Holy Spirit and bear the Message of God, fitted to the age in which they appear. The One Light is in them and they are One with each other. But the Eternal does not become phenomenal;

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Saint Paul, the great Apostle, said: "We all, with open face beholding as in a mirror the glory of God, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, as by the Spirit of the Lord"

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Tales from the Visitor Information Centre

Many people in North Queensland are opening their properties and homes as accommodation as well as helping to promote their local unique areas, to the interest and delight of both local, Australian and overseas tourist. Gary and Carolyn Bondeson of CHILLAGOE CABINS in Chillagoe are two of these people.

Although they have only been in the area for five years and their accommodation/tour business has been going a short three years, Gary with his huge love and enthusiasm for the area, is an energetic, committed ambassador. He will tell you with great pride that 'we can show people around here for a full three days, and never repeat a single thing'.

Carolyn and Gary's have three self-contained, ensuite cabins, all fully insulated for comfort against either the heat or cold, one is wheelchair or frail, senior citizen friendly. You can cook for yourself in your cabin, or eat at their little restaurant, which has a liquor licence or you can BYO. And if the hamburgers they served us for lunch are any indication of Carolyn's cooking, you are in for very satisfying, delicious meals.

Try to be near the cottage at about 3.30 pm, you can sit in the swimming pool and watch the birds with their beautiful feathers fly in for their daily handout of seed. Or get to know the injured wildlife that Carolyn, as a wildlife carer continually nurtures.

The township of Chillagoe and its surrounds have received a \$2 million Government Grant, to improve their area. What a hard choice they must have had deciding on just how to spend this precious

money.

Gary, in his role as guide took us to see some of the local attractions [with limited time we couldn't see them all]. Marble was one of the main industries in the past and everywhere you look there are samples of its beauty, but nothing to compares with visiting the pits, where huge blocks of beautiful, but reject marble stand on duty, with all the grandeur of the Sphinx.

Part of the old smelter where the copper with its minute traces of gold, and lead with traces of silver were crushed and processed is still standing. Witness the still standing tall chimneys, built with bricks fired to last forever especially brought out from England, and read about the men who lived a life full of unbelievable heat, dust and danger with the likelihood of early, unpleasant death as they struggled to extract the precious minerals from the ore.

A visit to 'The Hub' especially built and used as The Visitor Centre will fill you in on more history, of the land and its people, both Aboriginal and white.

One of the main draws to the area is the natural splendour of the caves. Brett guided us through the Trezkinn cave, [named after the two men who discovered it]. This is the newest one of three opened to the public. I hadn't expected either the temperature warmth, nor its magnificent interior beauty of limestone sculptures with its subtle range of colour, from a delicate cream to dark rust. It has taken four years for the steps leading up to the cave and inside infrastructure of ladders, lights and signs to be completed. You may be panting when you reach the top of the steps and still a little nervous after going up and down the narrow, steep ladders inside the caves but the joy and aura you will experience in the presence of such ancient grandeur will blot out the struggle.

Even if you aren't usually interested in cemeteries, the story of the restoration of Chillagoe's cemetery by Colin Coleman is a tale of a man's passion and commitment. The graves were so overgrown and the information plaques above the graves so damaged that it was only Colin's dedicated search that made it possible to actually find where the graves were situated. Many hours of research has gone into the comprehensive written information now available in the tiny hut for all to read.

Tommy is one of Chillagoe's local characters, another man with a passion — but this time for collecting old Ford trucks I'm not one of those women who are interested in cars either new or old, but for some of our volunteers both women and men the gleam of an equal enthusiast was obvious, and it was hard to drag them away. And even I, for all my lack of car sense, could understand that people would travel for miles to see this amazing collection.

Michael's CHILLAGOE CAVES LODGE is another of the accommodation places available. His place has thirteen rooms from budget, self-contained to family or camping. All rooms are air-conditioned with free in-house movies. You can eat in his licence restaurant or cook on the outside BBQ.

There are many, many other old, important, interesting places to visit in and around Chillagoe, so don't leave yourself short of time, and have to rush from one fascinating place to another without the satisfaction of spending enough time to fully appreciate what Chillagoe has to offer, as we did. As Gary says, 'we can keep you interested and occupied for days' so let him fulfil this challenge for you.

By Marié Boswarva

KURANDA COMMUNITY PLAYGROUP

Children are the hope and salvation of the future of our planet Earth. Their imagination and creative abilities can bring our world to new, enlightened heights we have yet to envision. In this busy life we get caught up in it is all too easy to lose sight of the most important things such as spending quality time with our children.

Kuranda Community Playgroup is about providing a special environment for young children to play and to interact with other children. Imaginative and creative play is encouraged and there is an attempt to stimulate an awareness of the earth and rhythms of nature. Lots of songs, games, craft, painting, story telling, free play, and a shared fruit meal.



Story time at Playgroup

Donations are very much appreciated. If anyone has some old clothes, hats, bags etc. suitable for children's "dress-up" we would be glad to have them. Also we are always on the look out for feathers, seedpods, nuts, shells wool, string etc.

Kuranda Community Playgroup meets every Monday from 10 am to 12 noon at St. Christopher's Catholic Church hall on Barang Street. Cost is \$1 per child. Please bring a piece of fruit to share.

**If you would like more information please contact
Faith on 40 938172 or Julie on 40 938433**

VILLAGE GREEN

Submitted by the Mc Bowl Family

The Kuranda Bowls Club had a successful stall at the Rotary Speewah Bazaar on 7th September. The profits raised will greatly help with the upkeep of the green, which continues to improve. The paving around the green is nearing completion, thanks to the efforts of the Work-For-The-Dole team. One of the next projects will be the refurbishment of the garden benches around the green.

Another enjoyable Charity Night was held on Thursday 4th September. Attending teams included K.N.C., Q.C.W.A., and another two teams comprising both visitors and regular player; one of whom, young Thomas, showed exceptional skill for his age and also won the 'spider' prize of \$15.00. Well done Thomas!

All locals are welcome to come along to the Charity Nights to support the various worthwhile village projects. Bowls are provided, and all you need are flat smooth-soled shoes [bare feet are OK]. The Charity Night will be on Thursday 2nd October, and the fund-raising will be for the K.N.C. game cost is \$7.00, including 'spider' and the evening will also feature a Treasure Trove lucky dip, with an amazing array of items to be drawn at just \$2.00 per dip! A BBQ will be available from 5.30 pm onwards, to allow registration to be completed by 6.30 pm.

Social lawn bowls is held on every other Thursday evening [registration by 6.30 pm], and on Sunday at 1.30 pm [registration by 1.00 pm]. For further information please contact the president on 4093 8057, or the Secretary on 4093 7117 [evenings].

Happy bowling,

The McBowls

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Dear Editor,

Kuranda again misses out! After a decade of the Kuranda Community negotiating in good faith the Mareeba Shire Council at its General Meeting held on 19 August 2003 "resolved that no funds are available at this stage" for a pool" however if the State Government is willing to fund a swimming pool in Kuranda, Council will review the matter". Nice of them to inform us that our rates won't be spent in Kuranda for something that over a 1000 people petitioned the Council for. Where to next? The Kuranda Aquatic Centre Committee meets once a month to discuss strategy. Any suggestions? A study published in the British Medical Journal reported that salt water swimming pools dramatically reduced skin and ear infections among 162 children in 2 remote communities in WA. The findings were so significant that the authors recommended swimming pools should rank alongside better housing, sanitation, nutrition and education in improving the health and living conditions of indigenous Australians. (Cairns Post, 25/8/03) There is a Federal & State Election soon & Kuranda Kids Deserve a Pool!

We swim & we vote! What about it Peter Beattie and John Howard?

Andrew Ryan

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Hi Everyone,

I am very happy to be back at KNC for the next 3 Mondays, filling in for Cherry while she is on holidays. In the July paper, Cherry listed some of the recommendations which came out of the survey I conducted earlier this year, into the needs of the community. Overall the message I heard was that people need 'somewhere to go and someone to talk to'. Below I have listed some of the questions in the survey, with some of the responses underneath.

Do you consider (and why) there is a need in the community for this type of welfare/resource centre?

The community is overwhelmed by tourism and local needs are neglected. There is high unemployment, lack of facilities and services, a spread out population, lack of transport, multicultural needs and hidden needs.

What sort of services would you like KNC to provide?

A women's shelter, a youth shelter, youth services, a gymnasium, drug and alcohol abuse prevention, suicide prevention, domestic violence prevention and single parents support.

- a men's place to go and talk to someone when they fear they may become violent
- education for parents about youth issues and someone they can talk to about it.

What type of programs, courses would you like KNC to run?

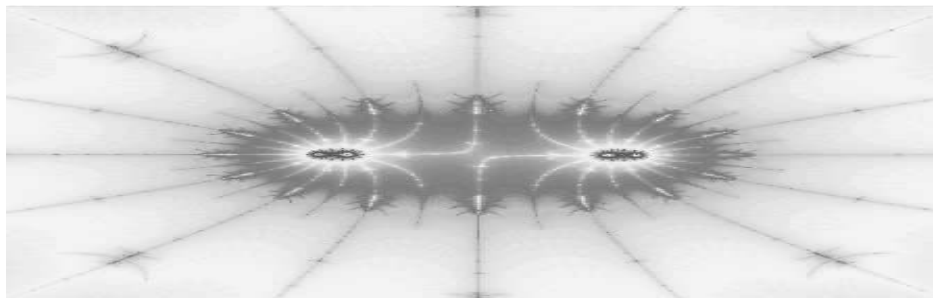
Stress management, gambling help, personal development for youth, anti-racist education, literacy and numeracy, cooking for young people, conflict resolution, utilising leisure time and retirement, mental health awareness, life skills.

- abuse prevention (protective behaviours)
- involvement in the Lighthouse Project (mentoring for boys)
- input into regional planning documents
- working with indigenous organisations to help break down the barriers

Suggestions given for topics to be covered in the Kuranda Paper

- invite retirees to offer their skills, talent and experience to KNC and also be mentors address the needs of the aged and their carers- respite and housing, the need for granny flats because when old people are sent away to a home, they deteriorate rapidly
- encourage local businesses to employ Aboriginal people, and give opportunities for our young people;- start a skills register- drug and alcohol abuse- emergency housing.

Bye for now, Tricia Innes



QCWA KURANDA

Last month, QCWA - at least the Kuranda branch - lived up to the generally perceived role of scone makers. Our members spent quite some time at the stove making over 500 scones, 40 dozen biscuits and slices, approximately 20 cakes, heaps of marshmallow squares and muffins - which were handed out along with cups of tea and coffee at the Rotary Dream Train event in Centenary Park. What with Rotary members slapping steaks and sausages on the bbq plates and Lions busy operating their Merry-go-round, the morning was a huge success with lots of happy, well-fed seniors, juniors and in-betweeners seen wandering back to the Kuranda Railway Station. We would like to give a round of applause to Qld. Rail and all the service clubs involved.

SEPTEMBER CRAFT Mornings were taken over putting together a Friendship Quilt for Kay and Querida Loftes who now reside in Townsville. We were sorry to see them leave our group. Judy Davies, a very talented craft lady, also leaves us - heading to the Gold Coast. Our craft mornings will not be the same without them.

Charity Bowls Night: proceeding as usual - no news is good news they say. Coming events: Members of Kuranda branch, along with quite a few other branches, are off to Cooktown early in October and looking forward to seeing the ladies of Cooktown branch again. Then at the end of October, our delegates will attend the Annual State Conference in Brisbane. Christmas recess is getting closer - thank goodness!

Community projects are still being attended to each month. Our 66th Birthday to be held on Saturday 22nd November will feature a combined Rum-mage Sale, Mannequin Parade and Mini Cent Sale along with a special Afternoon Tea. We would ask the local community to put this date in their diaries and support our fund raising efforts.

For Hall Bookings, please contact C. Jeanes on 40937187. For other queries, contact the Branch Secretary on 40937016.

WORTHY WORKSHOP



Last Monday night at the Sports and Social Club, a workshop on KURANDA'S PLACE IN FAR NORTH QUEENSLAND'S TOURISM MARKET was convened by the Mareeba Shire Council's Tourism Development Program. Five councillors, including the Mayor attended.

Mark and Judy Evans, the proprietors of Paronella Park were invited as Guest Speakers.

Mark opened his speech by declaring that he wasn't there to tell the Kuranda businesses how to run *their* business, and admitted that in his enterprise he certainly had a huge advantage in the fact that as the owner he could make and implement any idea when, and if he chose, as against the difficulties that Kuranda faced with many diverse businesses run by owners of hugely different ideas and ideology.

That was the first and last words of neutral input that he spoke the whole evening.

He went on to tell the history of the small beginnings of the park, when he and his wife, Judy, were the only employees, through the difficult steps and hard work they had endured to their present success, where they are now receiving 150,000 visitors a year and employing 28 people.

It all sounds dry and boring doesn't it? But it wasn't Mark's ability to tell his story that had prompted the Mayor to invite him to speak at this meeting. It was his PASSION. His passion and belief for his own business, for the businesses in his part of Queensland, in fact for all businesses in North Queensland. He was a speaker of strong motivation and inspiration, and those of you who didn't have the opportunity to hear him speak missed out on a truly wonderful experience. Not only did Mark share the ideas that had worked so successfully in his own enterprise, but he indicated that Kuranda could also use the story of our own town as a tool to interest visitors to the area, after all since long before the event of computers and print, everyone has been mesmerised by stories of their own and other's past.

After nibbles, it was the Kuranda business owners opportunity to express their concerns and ideas. This was a chance to share their experiences of ideas that had been tried before, some of which had abandoned as unsuccessful, others that had been successful and may be used again, as well innovated and new ideas that certainly could be tried in the future.

During this time I heard for the first time many unknown story of our little village's past, from people who had a long history of living and working in our area, and if I as a local could be enthralled by these stories, imagine how interested tourist would be!

The meeting had not been designed for, nor expected to solve problems on the spot, but as a medium to evoke positive ideas in a atmosphere already charged with enthusiasm and excitement from our charismatic speaker, Mark.

Speaking to the Mayor later, he felt that the workshop *had* been a success, and all that is needed now, is for the people who attended the meeting to 'Action the Ideas'.

Marie' Boswarva

Fact or Fiction ..

What is the current medical thinking on Tonsillectomy?

20-30 years ago tonsillectomy was almost a rite of passage endured, for better or worse, by many children. Luckily I escaped intact but I expect there are many reading this article who remember a couple of very uncomfortable days in hospital skulling ice cream.

Fortunately medicine (or fashion) has moved on since then & the number of children having tonsillectomy is significantly reduced.

The procedure is still done but for very specific indications:

- Obstructive Sleep Apnoea. Gross enlargement of tonsillar & adenoid tissue causing the child to stop breathing for excess of 10 seconds on a frequent basis during a night's sleep. Typically parents describe loud snoring, restlessness & sweating while asleep, waking a lot during the night, morning lethargy & sometimes bed wetting. School performance can also deteriorate.
- Recurrent acute tonsillitis
 - *Seven episodes in one year
 - *Five episodes a year for two years
 - *Three episodes a year for three consecutive years
 Children who do not meet these criterion will often outgrow their tonsillitis & not require surgery.
- Recurrent quinsy .. name given to large abscess formation in the tonsillar tissue.

Post operatively tonsillectomy carries a risk of complications. 10% of children will bleed from the operation site & some will need to be returned to the operating theatre for further treatment. The operation carries a 1:20,000 risk of death! Low-grade fever & bad breath are a temporary but common post operative finding.

In the past ice cream & jelly were the main post-op diet. However research suggests foods that require chewing will relax the jaw muscles & provide additional pain relief.

So I hope your child never needs a tonsillectomy but if they do you are now aware of the main indications for surgery.

Dr Dave Cuming Kuranda Medical Service

Grand Parade Report & Winners 2003

Well done and thank you again Kuranda on a great Grand Parade.

The energy and the creativity that went into entries was just awesome. This year saw 29 entries/floats and 20 decorated bike/scooter entries!!! This is what true Kuranda Community Spirit is all about!! Thanks also to our sponsors of prize money and trophies that went to our winners: Kuranda Village Promotion Program, Rainforestation, Liberty Resort, Kuranda Lions Club, QiTE- Quality Industry Training and Employment, Kuranda Paper, Bendigo Bank, Stanwell Corporation and Kuranda Rotary Club.

As Co-ordinators of the parade we are pleased to say that we felt this year's Parade organization was better than last year's. We have also, again, seen several aspects that we can still improve on. Every year is a learning curve and (as volunteers) we are content to strive for further improvements when Kurandafest rolls around again in 2004. One comment on the side however: with only 2 passionate locals pulling this event together we were absolutely exhausted by the time Sat 30th rolled around - lucky the adrenalin was kicking in - so please, if you get a kick out of special events like Kurandafest, consider offering your energy and assistance next year. We would love you to join us!

GrandParade Winners for 2003:

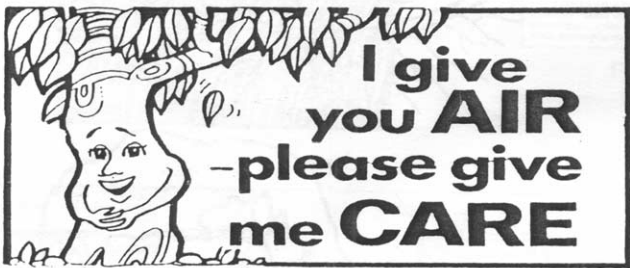
- Best Overall Winner:** Kuranda Foodstore
Encouragement Award: Becky Harth & Meggie Voogt (Stilt Walkers)
Best Theme Entry ("Happy Hippy"): Carl Neale
Best Community Group Entry: Kuranda Horse & Pony Club
Best Trade/Business Entry: Kuranda Koala Gardens
Best Dressed Raft Crew
(Battle of the Barron Event): Funky Chickens (Kuranda Foodstore)
"Keeper of the Mountain" Competition
(Best parade entry): Meggie Voogt
Best Decorated Bike/Scooter Entry: Zoe Sommer

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We've gone full circle with the debate about courtesy coaches transporting visitors around the town. In the end, it seems that the matter should be left in the hands of private enterprise as the notion of a Chamber run shuttle service runs into trouble when it is perceived that one business is advantaged at the expense of another. While any business can choose to run its own courtesy coach, there is unlikely to be a continuous stream of small buses because only one bus at a time can access the train/Skyrail pick up/set down apron, besides which it is a pretty expensive exercise.

MUSIC IN THE STREETS

Our town been treated to a number of musical groups recently. A Papua New Guinean church choir lifted our spirits midweek, followed by two school bands and string ensembles, one from Townsville and the other from Ayr. So many people have commented that we should encourage this very pleasant form of entertainment. This would be a very proactive and appropriate role for the Kuranda Chamber of Commerce & Tourism, don't you think?!

Many thanks for the Kuranda businesses who offered to feed these delightful visitors (with a little support from the Kuranda Chamber) especially Banjo's, Bazza's Place and Frog's for the much appreciated ice-creams.

THE KURANDAFEST

It would have been nice if more of the Village businesses had remained open on the Saturday night of the Kurandafest. However, on the whole, the 3-day event went well. We'll know better next time what to do more of and what not to do at all. It was clear that the community sees the event as theirs so next year, whether we combine it with the Winter Solstice or not, we need to be even better at ensuring that its for the people, by the people.

WE'RE TO GET A TOUCH

SCREEN (like it or not!)

Council is installing a touch screen device in the Kuranda Information Centre.

Although we know nothing of this machine and the information it will provide,

David Rivett will put it through its paces for us at the next Chamber meeting.

OUR NEXT MEETING will be at **5pm** at Billy's (Fitzpatrick's Tavern) on **TUESDAY 7th OCTOBER.**

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Hello Friends & Neighbours!

The past month has certainly been an eventful one at Liberty Resort!.

THANK YOU for your overwhelming support of the Liberty Drag Charity Challenge and Cabaret Dinner. What a day ! What a night ! and what a wonderful result. Through the fabulous efforts of our resident performers and with your support, Liberty raised \$1455 with these proceeds going to The Cystic Fibrosis Association of Qld, St John's Boys Crisis Shelter in Cairns and our own Kuranda Neighbourhood Centre.

We trust these proceeds will greatly assist while we look forward to staging more beneficial fund raising events in the near future.

Locals at TRIBE Restaurant & Cocktail Bar –

Our restaurant continues to receive praises and accolades from locals and visitors alike, with a new fresh menu now available. Don't forget we offer **25% discount** off your food bill when you dine at Tribe...especially for locals. Tribe is also available for special functions and parties – bookings are essential.

Breakfast is served from 7am until 11am with All Day dining available from 11am until 630pm before our fabulous dinner menu, served from 630pm until 10pm each evening. Reservations are highly recommended.

I would also like to thank and wish Michael Ruff, the previous General Manager, all the very best while I do sincerely look forward to meeting with you soon.

Until next month

Best Wishes from the Liberty Resort team.

Paul

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At this meeting, we will decide whether we have the will to overcome our current crisis of inactivity and enthusiasm, and continue to be creative, vibrant and enthusiastic about pots. ***Please come along.***

Ian Whittaker, 4093 9652.



September 2003

Old Self Defence & Taekwondo Academy Activities Report

The early part of September proved a busy time for QSDTA Kuranda students. Many of our students participated in the Kurandafest parade, which once again was well supported.

The weekend of 6th & 7th September brought the Kuranda and Mareeba clubs together at Lake Tinaroo for an intensive training seminar and grading examination conducted by Sabum Graham Moulden from Brisbane. Ten other visiting blackbelt instructors from Brisbane, Bundaberg, and the Tablelands assisted him.

The seminar was named 'Camp Jung Do', which translated means 'the right way'. This was the theme for the weekend's activities. Instructor Graham stated at the opening of the camp, 'We should strive to do everything in life the right way, not just our training, but the way we conduct ourselves in all activities' That is to say our interactions at home, work, school or recreation. Instructor Graham went on to say that 'the right way' is often not the easiest way, but the rewards for putting in the extra effort will pay dividends as time goes on.

The Grading was first up after the official welcome and team registrations. All students applying for promotion were successful on the day, a highlight being the promotion of Salena Dieben to 1st Dan black belt. Salena performed a number of patterns, demonstrated self defence against attackers (some with weapons), free sparring several black belt instructors and executed board breaks to earn her promotion. A theory test was undertaken prior to the grading to measure

Salena's understanding of the 'art'.

Saturday's training went on into the night with an evening session of strengthening and stretching, including a session of yoga, presented by Brisbane Instructor Ann Browne. 10pm was lights out and it didn't take long before all were sound asleep.

5.30 am and we were all down by the Lake for a wake up class with Instructor Kris before brekkie.

Team demonstrations and a class on flying and jumping techniques brought the camp to a close mid Sunday afternoon. By all accounts, every student went away richer (if not wearier) for the experience. Thank you to all who participated.

Senior Instructor Jeff Dieben

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LEADERS IN SELF DEFENCE TRAINING

Tom Riches and Van Burnheim
[runners up]

Division 4 – Parent Child under 12

Pete and Jack Billam [winners]

Rick and Gabe Ephrams [runners up]

Division 5 – Parent Child 12 – 18

Matt Bromley and Jay Summer [winners]

Glenda and Charalee Hoelzl [runners up]

Obviously I want to congratulate all players. We promise we will hold more tournaments next year.

It was great to have such a fun day at the Sport and Social club during and after the event. What a great venue. The kids were playing lawn bowls with the bowls club members between games. It was great to see. Enquires regarding KSSC membership or KTC membership can always be made at the club house.

Barbara Houston KTC President

Kuranda Tennis Club News

Our AGM was scheduled

for Sept 1st. Unfortunately we were unable to hold the meeting due to poor attendance. Unfortunately the club has had to make some hard decisions. All members have been made aware. We only hope that by December the 6th [our Christmas Party] some changes will have occurred.

On a great note, our Fun doubles tournament held on 13th and 14th September went very well. Thanks to all who made it possible.

- Mareeba hire for the shelter and tables
- Kuranda Primary School for shelter and drink containers
- Ambulance for PA system
- Kuranda Trading Post, Kuranda Bottom Pub and Foodstore for raffle donations
- Ladies and gents from the Kuranda Bowls club
- Kuranda Sports and Social Club members

- Mums and dads

And of course our hard committed committee.

A great day was had by all. Some great matches were witnessed by all who attended. I think there may have also been a few very proud parents. I think also a few sore muscles may have been experienced. I want to congratulate our winners.

Division 1 – Open

Rick Ephrams and Mick Richards [winners]
 Tristan Cartledge and Max Homberger [runners up]

Division 2 – 11 to 15

Jack Billam and Bill Wooley [winners]
 Pearl Billam and Kara Ross [runners up]

Division 3 – under 11

Daniel Wettenhal and Oliver Mabbutt [winners]

KURANDA SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB

After a disruptive end to the year, the club is slowly rebuilding. Last weekend [13-14 Sept] saw the successful annual Tennis Club competition with a large number of players. The hot weather highlighted the need for a shady pavilion and facilities in the court area such as water, power and storage.

The Tennis Club has started the planning for these. On the Sunday, local families came down to club after the Naidoc march and enjoyed a sausage sizzle, bowls, 8 Ball and darts.

A big Fun Day is not far off.

The next day the Mareeba Shire Council sponsored a well attended tourist workshop run by Mark and Judy Evans of Paronella Park. Everyone was well pleased with the Club's

facilities and of course with the friendly volunteer staff!

Other groups such as the Kuranda Lions Club and Weightwatchers regularly meet at the Club, so please contact us for any of your temporary or permanent meetings. Catering and the Bar facilities are also available. A strategic plan is being developed to allow the Club to reach its full potential. We obviously need a much larger building and the sports areas need development.

We would be very happy to receive constructive suggestions from the community to help in the planning. At the moment our fairly small membership and budget have tempered ambitions, but the support is growing.

The restaurant has been opening from time to time lately and of course you will be informed immediately of any 'permanent' opening.

We would like to publicly thank Keith and Ellie Ralston and their family for their tremendous, voluntary and unpaid work in keeping the Club going under difficult conditions. They have also had to endure malicious and unwarranted gossip, which we hope will soon stop so that we can all get on with enjoying life.

Meanwhile, bowls are rolling, tennis served and 8 balls sunk! For any information ring the club on 4093 7143 or the Sec on 4093 7117 [after yesterday's AGM, some of this information might have changed!!] Dave Howe – Chairman.

PARTNERSHIPS FOR SUSTAINABLE FUTURE

Dr Lesley Clark urged State Outdoor and Environmental Educators to enter into partnerships and government, business and community, at their conference in Cairns today.

Dr Clark opened the weeklong conference whose theme is 'Developing Sustainable Partnerships'.

Schools and Environmental Education Centres like the ones we have at Holloways Beach, Daradgee and Lake Tinaroo, foster a love of the environment and teach our children about threats to the environment. But if students are to become part of the solution to these environmental problems, then our schools and Environmental Education Centres need to partner with community, government, universities and the corporate sector to engage in real life research and environmental projects that can create a sustainable future.

Dr Clark used the opportunity to urge local businesses, individuals, community groups and schools to partner with Greenfleet, a national not-for-profit organization that plants trees to offset greenhouse gas emissions from cars.

Greenfleet is currently considering a proposal from the Barron River Integrated Catchment Management Association [BRICMA] for a major project on the Barron River.

The Queensland Government is the biggest car fleet supporter of Greenfleet in Australia with 12,600 cars. Some 214,000 trees will be planted over the next 12 months and we hope that Greenfleet will carry a project here in Far North Queensland', Dr Clark said.

Dr Clark said the BRICMA first proposed its 'Green Corridor' proposal to revegetate the banks of the Barron River in the early '90's.

There is 140 km of degraded river bank that needs revegetation and priority areas have been identified, but to date only a small area near the junction of the Barron River and Freshwater Creek has been planted due to lack of funding and community support.

A \$30 annual subscription to Greenfleet equates into 17 trees which will absorb 4.3 tons CO₂ a year, the average green house gas emissions from a car. Greenfleet source the trees from local nurseries but community support is needed to provide land, prepare the site and mulch the trees once planted.

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KURANDA LIONS CLUB

Report by Carol Jeanes

Well as usual the month has flown by again. I'm sure everyone had a great time at the Kurandafest Parade. Our Lions Members

had fun getting their float 'Lions of the Jungle' ready for the parade on Saturday evening. Sunday morning found us on the river bank providing a sausage sizzle and cold drinks for people who watched the Raft Race and entertainment. While the merry-go-round was at the amphitheatre.



On Saturday 6th September the Lions Club helped the Rotary Club and Kuranda Q.C.W.A ladies, with their donation of the Lions Merry-go-round for rides for the kids off the Dream Train. This event was a great success with about 450 people off the train being fed and entertained in the park.

The boys have been very busy on Saturday 13th putting up a bus shelter at Koah Road, which was donated by the Mareeba Shire Council with the help of Ray Webb.

A big thank you must also go to Sam Musumeci who picked up the shelter from Mareeba and helped to set it in place. Thanks also to Chris Plasto, Ronnie Longworth, Dave Bailey and Renee Rusch who helped and are going to have some of the children who will use this, to help Renee to paint and pave the bus shelter.

Thank you also to President Bruce Vander Weyde, Bob Hammond and Jim Mealing who helped with this project.

Bob and Bruce attended the Mayor's lunch and meeting on the 16th. Col still has some numbers on 100 club board so please support this as usual, thank you.

Yours in Lionism Carol Jeanes



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But you don't have to be a newcomer to find the information useful. If you would like a copy, please give us a call (4093 8834). While there is no charge for this booklet, for which we received funding to put together, we are not past accepting a small donation.

SATURDAY MORNING WORKING BEES

No-one wants to give up on these enjoyable sessions, but we're into a maintenance phase now rather than planting where water is not on hand.

We are now free to undertake new projects and the list is growing longer by the week. Check out our website: www.envirocare.org.au or phone 4093 8834 to find out where we'll be next Saturday, 8am—9am, followed by the all important billy tea and chatter.

KURANDAFEST

Thanks to Talei, Pam and Sakyo, we had a float in the Kurandafest grand parade and won a certificate in recognition. Tenille and Andrew also were there to hand out trees to the appreciative audience and to promote KURANDA *EnviroCare*.

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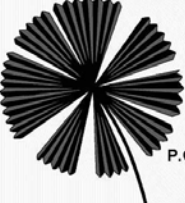



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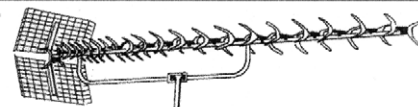
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T V Antenna installation and repairs - Contact a local bloke to solve your TV reception problems. Call Bob Madden at Speewah on 4093 0169.

ABSOLUTE DOMESTICS Quality Affordable Service. Carefully selected cleaners 4045 3895

THERAPEUTIC MASSAGE - Student Clinical Massage treatments now available at the Heath Sciences Centre, Barang St. [next to surgery]. Every Wednesday, until end of November. Special rate \$30 p.hr. For appointment Ph. 4093 9344

UPHOLSTERY - Tired of looking at that old and tattered seat? Domestic and automotive work. Reasonable rates. Phone Colleen 4093 0176.

SOYMAKERS also make rice, oat, nut milks, coconut cream and delicious pure Tofu. Fantastic, fully automated, quick and no mess. At the Green House, Main Street. Ph 4093 8917

GOT CHOOKS/DUCKS/BIRDS TO FEED? Seconds hydro lettuce available Weds/Sun @ \$4 a big bag, or barter. Call Elaine 4093 7450

EDEN SEEDS Plant your salads now! At The Green House.

GOATS for sale - ring 4093 7105

GARAGE SALE -Microwave oven, expandable table, shop fittings, plants, pre loved bits and pieces. Kuranda Envirocare, Pademelon Lane [Cnr Kennedy Hwy and Fallon Road] Saturday/Sunday 27//28 Sept.

FOR COOL SUMMER FASHIONS - and accessories check out the latest new arrivals at New To You - the boutique with something for everyone.

FOR OVERSEAS RELATIVES, money-managers and Virgos - Christmas cards [nature inspired] and calendars now in for surface mailings. Amnesty cards [several designs] and their usual stunning photographic calendars arriving soon. At The Green House.

CAR TRAILER HIRE: 6x4 box trailers for hire. \$10 half day. \$20 full day. Kuranda EnviroCare 4093 8834

MULCHING HAY (round bales - equal to 8 square bales). Weed-free. \$18 to members, \$20 to non-members. Kuranda EnviroCare 4093 883

NATIVE TREES available at Kuranda EnviroCare's nursery, Pademelon Lane (corner Kennedy Hwy and Fallon Road)

FOR SALE - solarjack pump suit 12/24V complete with 30m pipe, cable and safety line [stainless]. Plus - complete rebuild kit [unopened] worth \$475. A real bargain at \$800 the lot. Also bosh water wizard h.w.s. \$100 and plasmatronics batt charge controller 24V 12A \$80 Phone 4093 0454

COMING SOON - Moon charts, Moon diaries and Astro planning calendars. All at The Green House. Open every day 9.30 am to 5 pm.

COLLECTOR'S PIECE -1936 Singer Treadle Machine, walnut veneer cabinet, excellent condition, fully serviced, one previous owner. \$350.00 ono. Phone 4093 9494

OPEN FIREPLACE for sale. Morgan-Selkin. Polished brass hood and flue, \$300.00 ono. Ph 4093 8682

FURNITURE FOR SALE -Shabby Chic Bedroom Dream - 2 matching vintage wardrobes with oval bevelled mirrors, 3 drawer lowboy and antique bedside book stand - all good condition, painted pale green - will not separate \$600 the set. Cane lounge, two chairs and glass top table \$250. Freedom dining table, seat 6-8, excellent condition cost \$900. Sell \$600. Ph: 4093 8885 Mob 0421 652 096.

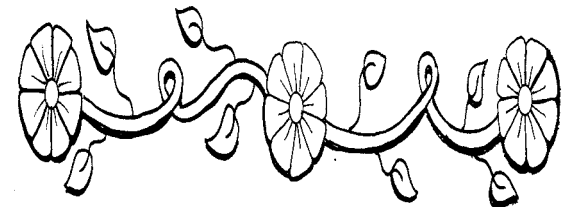
FOR SALE - Toyota Camry Executive Wagon 92 model. Clean and mechanically sound. Air Conditioned and C.D/Am/Fm sound system. \$7,500 negotiable. Ph: 4093 8885 Mob 0421 650 907

NEW TO YOU - feminine fashion for fuller figures now available at 'New To You' open 7 days till 5.00

LAND for WILDLIFE This great program is being revived with Kuranda EnviroCare officers trained to do assessments. If you want your property to be recognised for its wildlife habitat value, have it registered as Land for Wildlife. Kuranda EnviroCare 4093 8834

Wanted:- Land to Lease. Power & Water Cleared for Vegi Garden Ph Bert 0407 925 613

HOUSE CLEANER wanted 3 hours every fortnight. Phone Fiona 4093 8104



Kuranda Branch Library Council Office

4-12 Thooree Street

Phone 4093 9185

OPENING HOURS

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	11 am - 6 pm
Wednesday	11 am - 5 pm
Thursday	11 am - 5 pm
Friday	9 am -12 noon
Saturday	9 am -12 noon

No Council Services available Saturday
Council Cashier Closes at 4 pm

Tuesday,
Wednesday and Thursday.

Bus Drivers

School Bus Drivers are required for the transport of Kuranda High Students from the Koah and Speewah Areas. A H.R. License is required, as is a Drivers Authorisation, or the ability to obtain one.

Phone Gary on
0408 962354 or 40937422

Dear Tricia Green, Unfortunately the size of the font on your adv was so small we could not scan it, without making it impossible to read. We could not duplicate the boarder you supplied, as we do not have it in the paper's computer. Although you adv was proof read by two people, I must apologise that the mistakes you mentioned were not picked up and changes. Editorial staff

DEADLINES

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Editorial	Wed	22	OCT
Advertising	Wed	22	OCT
Classifieds	Fri	24	OCT
Paper out	Thur	30	OCT

In Case of Fire or Other Emergency Please Phone 000

KURANDA TRANSFER STATION OPENING TIMES

Monday	7.00 am	to 10.00 am
Wednesday	3.00 pm	to 6.00 pm
Friday	7.00 am	to 10.00 am
Saturday	8.00 am	to 12.00 pm
Sunday	1.00 pm	to 5.00 pm



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ATHERTON TABLELANDS To CAIRNS

Departs -	Monday to Friday (not Public Holidays)				
#Ravenshoe	#Herberton	Atherton	Mareeba	Kuranda	Cairns
7.45am	8.15am	6.30am	7.00am	7.30am	8.15am arr
		8.45arr / 9.15dep	*9.45am	10.20am	11.15am arr
				12.45pm	1.30pm arr
				2.10pm	2.50pm arr
2.00pm	2.30pm	2.50arr / 3.30dep	4.00pm	4.30pm	5.15pm arr

Departs -	Saturday (not Public Holidays)				
Herberton	Atherton	Mareeba	Kuranda	Cairns	
* 8.30am	9.15am	9.45am	10.20am	11.15am arr	

Departs -	Sunday and Public Holidays				
Herberton	Atherton	Mareeba	Kuranda	Cairns	
* 8.30am	9.15am	9.45am	10.20am	11.15am arr	

CAIRNS To ATHERTON TABLELANDS

Departs- Cairns	Monday to Friday (not Public Holidays)				
Kuranda	Mareeba	Atherton	#Herberton	#Ravenshoe	
*8.30am	9.05am	9.40am	10.15arr/11.00dep	11.15am	12.00n arr
9.30am	10.10am				
1.30pm	2.10pm				
			3.00pm	3.30pm	4.00pm arr
3.15pm	3.55pm	4.30pm	5.00pm	5.30pm	6.00pm arr
5.30pm	6.05pm	6.40pm	7.15pm arr		

Departs - Cairns	Saturday (not Public Holidays)			
Kuranda	Mareeba	Atherton	Herberton	
9.30am	10.05am	10.40am	11.15am arr	
1.00pm	1.40pm	2.15pm	2.45pm arr	* 3.15pm

Departs - Cairns	Sunday and Public Holidays			
Kuranda	Mareeba	Atherton	Herberton	
1.00pm	1.40pm	2.15pm	2.45pm arr	* 3.15pm

(Subject to change without notice) * Connects with Chillagoe Bus Service (Mon/Wed/Fri)

These towns serviced to/from Atherton by Kerry's Bus Service

*Must Book & Pay for ahead.

*If Required

AIRPORT/TRINITY WHARF DROP-OFF AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST (Surcharge Applies)

HOSPITAL & DOCTORS SURGERIES DROP-OFF (Eastern Side of Sheridan St. only) (Surcharge Applies)

NO SERVICES OPERATING CHRISTMAS DAY OR GOOD FRIDAY LOCAL SHOW HOLIDAY IS NORMAL TIMETABLE

ATHERTON	HEAD OFFICE	6 McConaghie St	4091 1855
ATHERTON	PHILLIPS NEWS,	48c Main St	4091 1105
CAIRNS	46 Spence St	(Pay driver)	4091 1855
HERBERTON	FORNIER R/ESTATE,	52 Grace St	4096 2777
KURANDA	15 Therwine St	(Pay driver)	4091 1855
MAREEBA	MAREEBA NEWS,	125 Byrnes St	4092 1030 (Bus stop is at old Railway Station - behind KFC)

Community Calendar
Regular Meetings in Kuranda.

Every Sunday	Soft Ball, Hunter Park, Fallon Road 2.30 pm Ph 4093 7113 Al-Anon 10.30 am. Neighbourhood Centre Cnr. Coondoo & Barang Sts. Ph 4093 0462 Alcoholics Anonymous 10.30 am. at CWA Hall Ph 4093 0462 Kuranda Bowls Club every Sunday social games 1.30 pm (reg. 1 pm)
1st Sunday	R.S.L. 5pm, Sports and Social Club Family Service, Uniting Church St. Christophers.
2nd Sunday	Kuranda Bowls Club Monthly Meeting 2 pm
3rd Sunday	“Potters do your own thing Day” Mud Slingers 10.30 am. 284 Myola Road next to High School Ph Ian 4093 9652
Every Monday	Life Span exercise QCWA Hall 9.30 am.
Every Monday	Kuranda Playgroup, 10 am. - 12 noon at Catholic Church hall, Barang St. Ph: Faith 4093 8172 or Julie 4093 8433
1st Monday	Kuranda Horse and Pony Club 7.30 pm Mantaka Tennis Club 7.30 pm Ambulance Fallon Road Koah Sports & Social Club 7.30 pm Barbara La Baysse 4093 7026 Kuranda Inter-Agency Network Meeting, 2.30-4.00pm Kuranda Neighbourhood Centre, 7 Rob Veivers Drive Ph 4093 8933 Kuranda State Primary P & C Assoc 7.00 pm in school staff room, all parents welcome
2nd Monday	KNC (was KISC) 7.30 pm Management & 8.00 pm General QCWA 12.30 pm Ph 4093 8933 High School P & C 5.00 pm
2nd & 4th Mon	Kuranda Lions 7.30 pm S & S Club Fallon Road Ph 4093 7187
3rd Monday	KNC Management Committee Meeting 7.00 pm Rob Veivers Dve. Ph 4093 8933
Every Tuesday	Taekwondo & Self Defence adults 7.00 pm CWA hall Ph 4093 8682 8 Ball 7.15 pm at Speewah Tavern, Fitzies Tavern and Sports & Social Club
First Tuesday	Chamber of Commerce 5.00 pm Billy’s Bar Ph 4093 8834
3rd Tuesday	Rangers Soccer Club 6.30 pm Ph 4093 8803 Norman Guy
Every Wed	Craft classes at QCWA hall 9.30 am. Cub Scouts 5.00-6.30 pm Contact Clare Hennesy Ph 4093 9038 Dog Training 7.00 pm Kuranda Pony Club Ph 4093 8970
First Wed	Kuranda Envirocare, Primary School 7.00 pm Ph 4093 8834
2nd Wed	QCWA meeting 12.30 pm at hall Ph 4093 7617
Last Wed	Sports & Social Club meeting 7.30 pm
Every Thurs	Joey Scouts meeting 5.00 to 6.00 pm Rotary 6.00 pm Kuranda Hotel/Motel Ph: 4093 7206 Kuranda Bowls Club Night Bowls - Casual 7.00 pm Taekwondo & Self Defence 7.00 pm CWA Hall Ph 4093 8682
1st Thurs	Charity Bowls 7 pm (reg. 6.45 pm) other Thurs Social Bowls 7 pm (reg. 6.45 pm)
2nd Thurs	Ambulance 7.30 pm Ambulance Centre Fallon Road Respite Care QCWA Hall 9.00 am. - 3.00 pm
3rd Thurs	8 Ball Competition S & S Club 7.15 pm
1st Saturday	Pottery Workshop MUD SLINGERS 10.30 am. next to High School 284 Myola Road Ian 4093 9652
2nd Saturday	Garden Group 2 pm Phone David Hulme 4039 0762
3rd Saturday	Ambulance Committee Stall outside St Saviours Church (bi monthly)
Every Sat	EnviroCare 8-9 am. tree planting bees Ph 4093 8834

PLEASE CHECK IF THE DAY'TIME AND PHONE NUMBERS ARE CORRECT

JOHN’S KURANDA BUS

“THE LOCAL BUS “

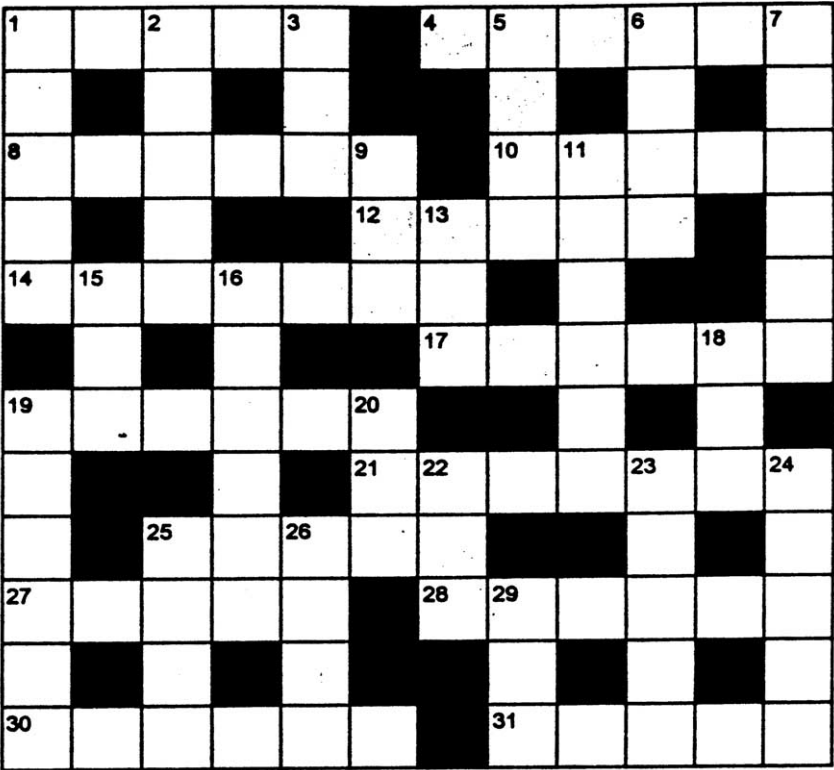
MON/TUES WEDtoFRI SAT&SUN

DEP KURANDA	0730	0730	0830
	1230	0930	1500
	1400	1230	
		1400	
		1600	

DEP CAIRNS	0830	0830	0930
	1325	1015	1600
	1515	1325	
		1515	
		1700	

PH JOHN. 0418 772953. A/HRS 40939278

12/02



Kuranda Kryptic Crossword No. 47

COMPILED by John Brooksbank

Across

- 1. Nothing rode after Mareebas’ annual event.
- 4. Freshwater also a source of this seafood.
- 8. Worries over clutches of bird eggs.
- 10. Hires out Mareeba’s sphere of influence.
- 12. Eva is in a rush to be a doorkeeper.
- 14. Rather English game not played on the village green.
- 17. Put one under the bat in 14 across.
- 19. Get your teeth into these records.
- 21. Serious - its important to be this on the Kuranda stage.
- 25. PRB Engineering ensure your engine is, a few at Fitzies gets you in this state as well!
- 27. Local sparkle sounds like a laundry detergent.
- 28. Djabugay arts require chores to be worked.
- 30. Sweet lace and air at Annabels.
- 31. A ship contains garden pest.

Down

- 1. This cube is not taught at Kuranda High.
- 2. Need a hot ID to wear this loincloth.
- 3. Strangely not even.
- 5. Local stinging plant will leave you with this.
- 6. Wire obstruction across the Barron.
- 7. Carnival is over for this one, from Harry Potter?
- 9. Take Arch McArthurs’ better half to court?
- 11. Pre-marriage chicken race in. the yard.
- 13. Ferals’ urban cousins’ home?
- 15. Common man’s caviar from Fitzies perhaps.
- 16. Planted by Ms Spear to keep ferals away?
- 18. Measures used by the Kuranda Paper.
- 19. Dale sleeps in until it is really bright.
- 20. Bottom Pub finds this in wine on the side.
- 22. Much of this about nothing at the Ampitheatre.
- 23. 28 across often consist of this.
- 24. Set short saint for Kuranda High examinations.
- 25. No friend needed to buy this at village stores.
- 26. Fancy looking coil found in many places.
- 29. Indian tea from the Kuranda Caffi.

Answers To No 46

