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Wet, wild and wonderful

January's heavy rains resulted in spectacular scenes at the BARRON FALLS, where it was all 'turned on' for the tourists, with roaring water, rising mists, and a rush for the best position to photograph the sight. These photos were taken at Barron Falls Railway Station on January 31st by Jean Anderson.



Hard to say what was the best show in town this month. Certainly nature blessed us in the form of a wonderful wet January with the Falls thundering and foaming.

There was also plenty of thundering and foaming at the public meeting of the consultative group on the 17th, with Mareeba councillors meeting a flood of criticism on a range of issues from the proposed investment of \$1.4 million in Shire funds to construct a Leagues Club in Mareeba to the possible construction of a regional dump on the Lamb Range at Koah.

With all the sometimes-breathtaking, sometimes-subtle change going on around us, it can all seem a bit overwhelming.

The famous anthropologist Margaret Mead said: "Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world: indeed it's the only thing that ever has". Cast your vote on election day (March 13th), write a letter to council or local papers, attend public meetings, pick up rubbish on Clean Up Australia Day (March 7th) - just remember the power to act is always in your hands.

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Koah resident Bill Nicholls pleaded for help from all Kuranda residents on behalf of the Barron River Catchment Dump Watch Network at the February 17th meeting of the Consultative Group at the Sports and Social Club. News from the Network appears on page 3. **And** don't forget to show your support for these hard working environmental watchdogs by attending the Dump Dance on Saturday 27th February at Sam's Barn.



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LETTERS, P.O. Box 66 KURANDA. 4872.

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Dear Kuranda Paper,

Reference meeting of Consultative Group (Ratepayers and Residents) at Kuranda RSL and Bowls Sports and Social Centre, Fallon Road, Kuranda, Wednesday, 17/2/93.

I congratulate Cr June Rees on her composure during the repeated demands by a belligerent Chairman Cr Chris Lewis and an embarrassed Cr Wally Gray that she "Shut Up".

If the attitude displayed by these two councillors is indicative of the treatment Cr Rees receives at Council meetings she deserves a medal for hanging in there for the people of Kuranda.

Cr Rees is our legally elected representative and she speaks for us. Whether she has idiosyncratic ways which irritate councillors is irrelevant. Are they so perfect? I felt personally affronted when I observed the cavalier way our elected spokeswoman was treated.

When will we Kurandians ever receive an equitable hearing? Are we forever to bear the burden of the intractable prejudice of the Mareeba Shire Council because 18 years ago we were known as a "Mob of Hippie Bush Wackers"?

The vehement statement by the former member of Federal Parliament, Mr Bill Wentworth, was treated with contempt and yet he, of all those present, knows that councillors elected to serve the shire are not permitted to spend public money irresponsibly on commercial enterprises. It is public money which they are elected to administer with due care and consideration. If the Council lacks the expertise to manage the funds at their disposal now, how do they expect to manage a commercial enterprise?

If the Council is hell bent on pursuing grandiose schemes they could apply for grants to build a swimming pool and sports oval in Kuranda where it is desperately needed by the young (future voters) in Kuranda. Mareeba is already serviced by excessive facilities.

Keep fighting Cr Rees. Your efforts are appreciated.

Yours faithfully, Thelma Marcovitch

Dear Kuranda Paper,

This is an open letter to Chris Lewis, Chairman MSC re comments made by him at the February 17th meeting of the Consultative Group.

Dear Sir,

If, as you say, we are "misguided and misinformed", then we invite you to rectify this by fully informing us with the correct information. Further, if we have "had our minds made up" then we invite you to debate and confer with us to correct this problem also. It is this very same intransigence and refusal to confer with us that has brought our wrath upon you.

Russ Larkin, Greenhills.

Dear Kuranda Paper,

At a residents meeting I attended, I was very surprised to hear from local Councillor June Rees, that the Strategic Plan presented by the Mareeba Shire Council for public viewing and comments was never intended to be The Strategic Plan to be presented to government! So why did Mareeba Shire Council present this Strategic Plan?

A week or so later I decided to attend The Kuranda Consultative Committee meeting to hear Councillor Lewis speak on this matter. His answer was "Council would look silly" to specify Rural Residential Zoning (in the New Strategic Plan) when we have already zoned, - passed the areas as Park Residential.

I don't call that being silly, I say it is deceitful! Despite Development Control Plans and Strategic Plans for this area of Kuranda, Mareeba Shire Council give me the impression that they feel they can do what they like regardless.

Is this what we want?

J. Gordon.

Dear Kuranda Paper,

The Consultative Group meeting at the Sports Club on Feb 17th made me optimistic. For years most Kuranda residents have taken little interest in our local government affairs. Over 60 people attended on the 17th to know more of how badly the Shire Council is treating Kuranda ratepayers. We are never consulted, and seven of the eight councillors live far from us.

Local government policy says Councils should work with ratepayers not against them. In today's news the Cairns City Council is in the headlines as three councillors have spoken out against the disregard of people's wants.

On the 17th we were told how the strategic plan was altered at Council's dictates (not our wishes). All hush hush till now.

Council's decision to invest Grant money in a Mareeba Sporting complex is a shocker. This money is Kuranda's allocation for roads, etc. You will read more about this elsewhere in the paper and about decisions taken at the meeting.

I hope ratepayers enthusiasm for our environment will bring them often to C.G. meetings, on the 3rd Wed of each month. Let's make our voice heard. You can ask questions and make comments but no long speeches. All residents can attend. Ring me on 937205 if you need more info. We must fight against Council's desires to ruin our environment by allowing thousands of trees to be cut down and hundreds of homes built and re-zoning into small blocks. The Strategic Plan is our safeguard.

For 25 years I have taken a keen interest in our Mareeba Council. I was chairman of the first Ratepayers and Residents Association in the mid-seventies. The Kuranda Consultative Group includes the role of a ratepayers association.

Marjorie Spear, Black Mountain Rd.

Dear Kuranda Paper,

It does seem to be a pitiable state of affairs when a meeting of ratepayers and council representatives shows up such an appalling lack of communication. For many years the Kuranda community has been asking for a shire office to be set up in the township to enable people to talk to their councillor while viewing plans, maps, minutes and reports relative to Division 4. It is impossible to peruse material during the restricted hours in our very inadequate library room. A substantial amount of money, now accruing interest, was set aside some time ago for a new library building which would incorporate a shire office. Plenty of space is available adjacent to the Scout den on recreation land with car parking already in place. Kuranda has excellent architects right here in the town. Why then has the library and office not been built? Could it be that this money will also be re-routed to Mareeba luxuries on the off chance of a jackpot? Council has only itself to blame if every action and inaction is viewed with suspicion by the ratepayers.

Joan Dods, Kuranda

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BY COUNCILLOR JUNE REES

Every year each division in the Shire has set down a three year road works programme in accord with funding available (separate to maintenance and reseals). Basically in Div.4 the practice has been for Councillor Gray, myself and the deputy engineer together to inspect as many of the roads (Kuranda to Carbine) as possible, to jointly deliberate priorities for future works inclusive to current listings. We need advice from foremen, overseers and the engineer and try to fairly distribute funding available (40%/60%). The priorities can change with various circumstances.

It has been estimated to cost approx. \$60,000 to seal 1/4 km of an average rural road. Cuttings and drainage problems in steep or floodprone areas naturally increase the cost. Mason Road was on the 1992/3 priority list.

After heated discussions with Mason Road representatives, a developer and the public in general at the People's Meeting last Wednesday night, without any consultation with me at the Council's general meeting the following day Councillor Gray advised the deputy engineer to cancel the existing road works programme. I have not been advised further. Reactions such as this cannot be seen to be helpful toward road problems in the Kuranda area.

Apology: On behalf of the Mareeba Shire Council, my deepest regrets to Mr Wentworth for the manner in which he was treated and spoken to at the public meeting Wed night. I have received many phone calls regarding the lack of respect and decorum delivered publicly to you. Please accept this apology.

CONSENT / SUB DIV./ TOWN PLANNING APPLICATIONS. Answers to concerns.

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 - The Town Planning Scheme for the Shire.
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- Your letters of objection cannot at a later date be used by an applicant to sue you. (Threaten nor harrass - see other laws.)
- An applicant is not privy to objections until after they have been tabled at the Council meeting on the date the application is decided upon. Recently an application was made to Council stating a certain proposed use, one week before Council considered this application the applicant informed me in detail that the proposed use was quite different and not truly set out in the application. It is my duty to make these facts known to Council. I could not make a consideration in Council knowing this. Threatened litigation did not sway me. I put it to the electorate - if your neighbour was setting up a prohibited use in your zoning - would you expect me to carry out my duty as your councillor?
- The local authority will file your objection and have no further use for it after the application referred to has completed its course through the system.
- The above documents can be purchased from the M.S.C. government Printer Brisbane or borrowed for perusal from me. (maps at Council counter - Engineering section.)
- Applications on display for public perusal are in a box on the counter rates section.

LEAGUES CLUB COMPLEX.

The Shire Chairman, Councillor Lewis has had equal opportunity in all published articles plus a half front page of a local paper with no adverse comments plus three radio broadcasts to put across to the Shire the facts and figures of this public investment of \$1,400,000 on behalf of the M.S.C. A fair deal for impressionable publicity and opportunity to negate omissions or reasonable usual errors throughout all articles.

At a public meeting in Kuranda both Cr. Lewis and Cr. Gray were given the opportunity to give it their best- all this prior to the vote taken - 100% against. I believe the Mareeba residents are following suit. I made public my concerns regardless of the consequences.

CAIRNS, MULGRAVE AND MAREEBA SHIRE DUMP

PROPOSED



Kuranda resident should be aware of plans to establish a regional land fill dump to cater for Cairns and Mulgrave Shires' rubbish. These Shire Councils in conjunction with Mareeba Council have identified an area of State Forest land in the Lamb Range adjacent to Kennedy Highway as the preferred site to the dump.

The site is situated between two major tributaries of the Barron River, the Clohesy River and Davies Creek and the future risk of pollution to these streams and underground water supplies is a real threat. Residents of Speewah, Koah, and the Kuranda reticulated supply draw water from these sources.

It is understood that it is intended to truck the waste up the range and approximately 20 truck loads a day would be involved. How many could this lead to in the future.

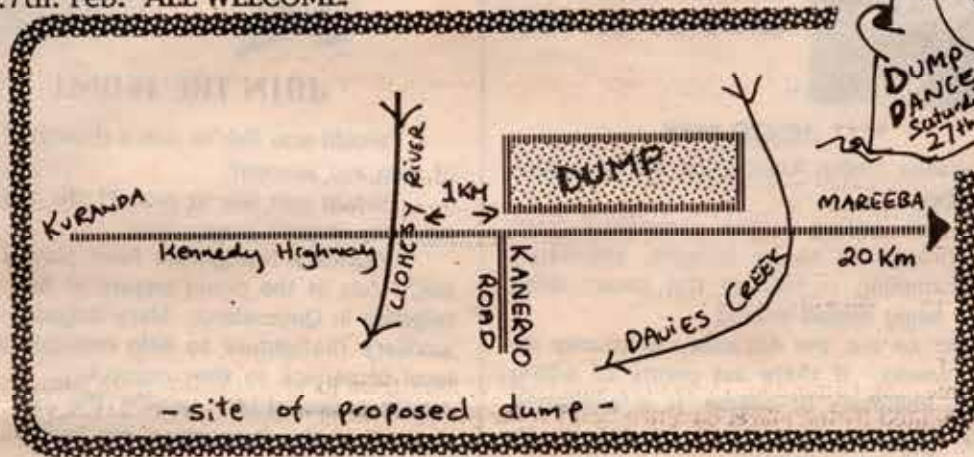
A public meeting of concerned residents of the Koah/Speewah areas held in September resulted in the formation of a volunteer group, The Barron River Catchment Dump Watch Network, whose main objectives are a. to stop any land fill dump from being established in the catchment area of the Barron and b. to encourage our elected Council to look at alternative systems of waste disposal eg. recycling/ composting. A Geotechnical survey and Risk Assessment of the site is reported to begin in the near future.

There is no provision for public participation in this process despite Council advice that community consultation would be involved in the process.

It is intended to extend participation in the Dump Watch Network efforts to concerned residents of the Kuranda area. Interested persons can phone Sue on 937037, Julie 937979, Bill 937070, Ken 937951.

A dance to raise fighting funds will be held at Sam's Barn Koah Sat. 27th. Feb. ALL WELCOME.

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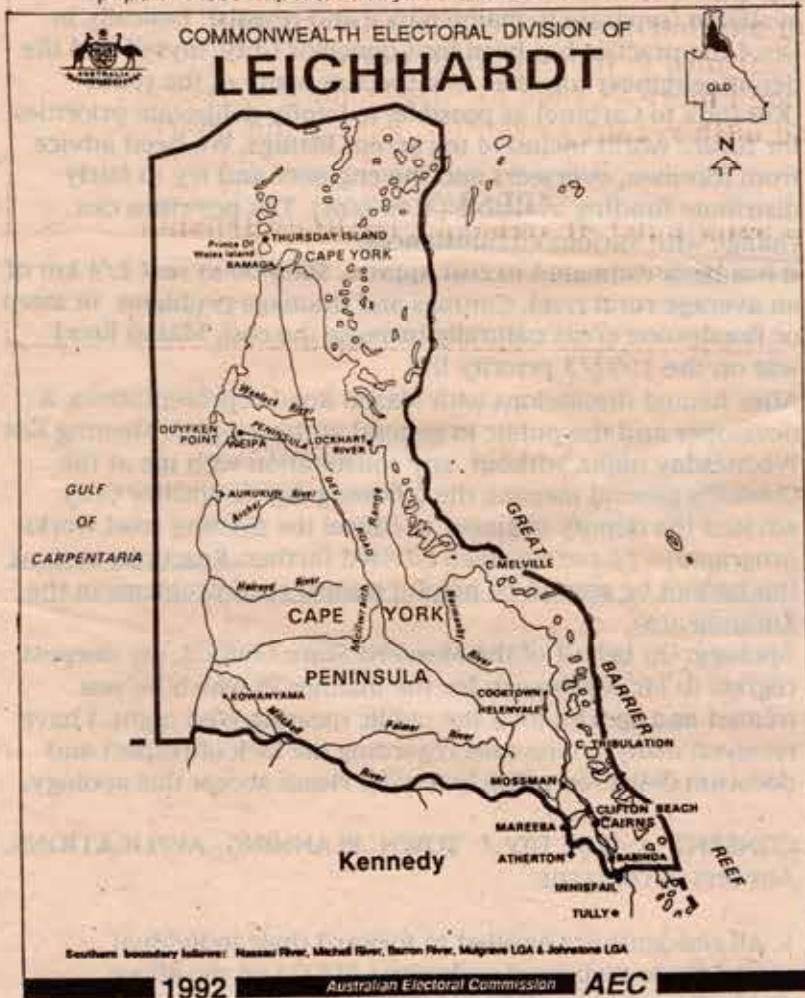
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THE SPEEWAH DISTRICT RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION INC:

Held it's second annual general meeting on Sunday 7th February. Outgoing chairman John Beasley spoke of the work done in the previous year, with increasing involvement of the Association and it's members with broader Community issues including the Cairns Mulgrave Traffic Study and the Barron River Catchment workshop. Concern over inappropriate approvals by Council of park residential development had lead to a deputation meeting with a representative of the Department of Local Government in Cairns, communication with the Minister on the issue and co-operation with other groups in the area concerned with this issue.

The meeting was outraged to learn that Mareeba Shire Council had made major changes to the proposed Strategic Plan of the Kuranda area and that the amended plan would be sent to the Minister for approval without further consultation with the community. The Association has written to Council expressing it's concern, and is calling for the retention of existing Development Control Plan for Kuranda environs, which offers some protection to the area. There is doubt whether the Strategic Plan actually offers any security, even in it's modified form, as it appears Council may ignore it at it's discretion.

The office bearers for 1993/94 are: President:-Bob Madden (phone 930169), Vice President:-John Beasley, Secretary:- Joy Gordon, Treasurer:-Yvonne Thomson. Committee Members:-Brian Edwards, Ron Veivers and Janice Coulter. **New members are welcomed from the Speewah, Hidden Valley and Freedom County areas.**



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KURANDA CONSULTATIVE GROUP

As you may have read in the Cairns Post or heard on the street, this months meeting was a very interesting meeting with approx. 70 people attending. Council came in for some stiff criticism and a number of motions were passed.

***Terry Pates** requested details re: \$1.3 million labour intensive program with Commonwealth funding for projects. Some work has already commenced and will include sewerage, footpaths, footbridge in jungle walk. June will furnish breakdown for next meeting.

***Marjorie Spear** questioned whether the 1985 DCP Plan needs to be retained along with the Strategic Plan, as written about in a letter to the Kuranda Paper by Jax Bergerson. Chris Lewis said the town planner feels the Strategic Plan overrides the DCP. June Rees explained that the DCP (1985) is in 2 parts- covering 1 the village and 2 the environs. The overall view for the whole Shire is covered very broadly by the Strategic Plan, whilst the DCP involves more localised, detailed controls. June tabled the minutes of a recent council meeting where the Strategic Plan was amended before being sent to the Minister.

June felt it was absolutely essential to retain DCP until a new DCP comes in. She said that residents have complained about the amendments. Brian Edwards representing the Speewah District said the complaints from the Speewah District Residents Assoc bear witness to this. The Strategic plan with amendments will now go to the Minister.

*** A landowner has cut down trees right to the riverbank at Black Mountain.** June said that Water Resources was investigating, there is terrible erosion and it posed a worrying precedent. The area along the river should be declared a recreation reserve. Photographs detailing the damage were circulated. Motion moved by Paul Fisk.

"That the Consultative Group write on behalf of Kuranda residents and encourage the Dept of Forestry, Water Resources Commission and Dept of Lands to investigate and prosecute the individual/s responsible for the illegal clearing of public land next to the Barron River at Black Mountain Rd, Kuranda and that the area be revegetated to its original condition at the expense of the individual/s. M.Spear seconded. Passed. Motion by Jim Mealing:

"That we ask the Mareeba Shire Council to investigate the range and extent of infestation of the noxious climber *Thunbergia Grandiflora* in the Mareeba Shire and set in place a program to eliminate it ASAP." Seconded Terry Pates. Carried.

Ms Jax Bergerson, Greenhills- tabled minutes of MSC meeting re amendments to Strategic Plan and a copy of her presentation re same. which she then read. She moved that: "those electors here present this evening representing the public voice of this community CENSURE Councillor Wally Gray for his action taken on the 4th of February, in overriding the wishes of the residents of Kuranda, and in moving the amendment to the draft

Strategic Plan as mentioned .. and .. that Council move to REVOKE THE MOTION carried at its meeting on the 4th of February to amend the draft Strategic Plan" seconded by June Croke, Mason Road.

Chris Lewis complained at what he considered a personal attack on Wally Gray. Bob Colefax, Mason Rd then addressed the meeting, introducing himself as a long term resident involved in the Park Residential developments proposed for Mason Rd. Chris Lewis said the example of testing being inadequate at Top Of The Range development related to not testing every block. This would be rectified and no block which did not pass test would be sold.

John Beasley, Speewah, said he feels conned by the amendments and changes. Marjorie Spear asked Chris Lewis- why can't people be directed to move into land beyond Kuranda, towards Mareeba. Chris said the Kuranda area was one of the fastest growing in North Queensland and residents would have to face up to the real world and accept the changes coming. Gayle Hannah said that taking that to its logical (illogical) conclusion if we are to attempt to house the overflow from the coast in Kuranda we will have houseboats on the Barron to cope with influx and what are needed are guidelines for appropriate land use. June Croke, Mason Rd asked why development was not being directed to the massive proposal at Southedge? John Beasley said this discussion did not address the key issue which was that Kuranda was fortunate to have such great natural beauty and that it was Council's responsibility to set guidelines for the preservation of its natural resources and assets and to make sure that all development was carefully undertaken and in consultation with residents. Better areas should be protected by such guidelines as in the original DCP and preserved as scenic areas not carved up for intensive residential developments which could go elsewhere.

The motion was passed 21 to 9. More discussion at next meeting.

Mason Road roadworks- Barry Wright, Mason Rd said that the road was in terrible condition with the corner of Mason Rd and Fallon Rd was an "accident waiting to happen". On a lighter note he asked if it was true that council was going to donate potatoes for planting in deep trenches and ruts caused by traffic and rain. June Rees said that in her opinion Mason Rd is number one priority road but she is also beset by residents from other areas.

Barry Wright then moved " We the residents urge council to upgrade Mason Road immediately to a standard comparable with other roads in the Kuranda area and not languish whilst council waits for the developer to take action." This was seconded by Wally Gray, who added however that the residents of Mason Road would have to bear the wrath of residents from other areas whose road maintenance would be severely affected by the decision if accepted by council. Carried.

Mareeba Shire Council proposal to build a LEAGUES CLUB in Mareeba:

Chris Lewis said the funds were mostly from the Commonwealth grants commission-to use as councils see fit- as well as partly funded by sale of land and other sources. He said that Council was going into the profit-making scheme because every year there were so many requests for sporting facilities. The assessment of the possible returns of the scheme suggested that in 3-5 years there would be enough money to put back into the community. Gayle Hannah asked what was the amount that Division 4 would contribute and what were the



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Councillor Wally Gray



Greenhills resident Jax Bergersen

benefits to the people of Kuranda? Chris could not be specific saying the sources of funding were complex. Greg Wallace slammed the council for creating more facilities in Mareeba while Kuranda had none. He said youth was feeling the pain with 'break and enter' the new game for young people with no sporting or recreational facilities. Krishna Buhler said that since council recognised that Kuranda was such a fast growing area, perhaps council could recognise that it has special needs. Jim Mealing moved the motion: "that this meeting advise MSC that we insist that no money available for projects in Division 4 be invested in the Davies Park extension project" seconded by Barry Wright, Mason Rd.

Carried unanimously. Bill Nichols- spoke on the Koah Road Landfill Dump. He said council could not guarantee nothing will go wrong and that the Dept Local Gov asks them to "state what machinery you have to fix mistakes". He asked that we all object to a dump anywhere on the Barron river (Catchment System). Chris Lewis suggested Koah area nominate ONE person as a contact to liase with the council ASAP and send name to council.

Next meeting Wednesday 17th March at Sports & Social at 7.30pm. This will be a very important meeting and will include election of a new committee and proposed changes to the structure of the Consultative Group - with the aim of creating a more effective community representative group. There will be an election and discussion re incorporation, change of name, membership etc. THIS WILL BE A VERY IMPORTANT MEETING - DON'T MISS IT

THE BLUE NURSES' RAPPORT

The Blue Nursing Service, Mareeba, would like to extend a warm welcome to Sister Sue McGregor, a Freedom County resident. Sister Sue has taken the big step to join us on top of the range and will be working both in Mareeba and in Kuranda.

Sister Joanne Smith will then usually only be working in Mareeba, and we'll all miss her caring support around here. Sister Joanne has been working in Kuranda for about one and a half years and I'm sure her patients wish to express with me our thanks and many good wishes to her...

We had a very enjoyable Morning Tea on February 16th, where about 20 people welcomed Sister Sue and farewelled Sister Joanne. Rumour has it that Frith is going on holidays???

I'll be seeing you around,
Sister Helen.



PHYSIO

Have you ever wondered what that infamous "disc" in your back is? The discs in the back are known as intervertebral discs because they form the joints between all the vertebral bodies along the length of the spine. The discs are made of concentric rings of fibro-cartilage surrounding a central mass of pulpy tissues called the nucleus pulposus.

I find it a useful analogy to view the nucleus as a small water-filled balloon as it is compressed evenly between the vertebral bodies the "balloon" will tend to bulge evenly outwards. If it is compressed on one side only, as in bending forwards, backwards or sideways, it will tend to bulge away from the pressure. If there is a tear in the concentric rings of the disc the nucleus will bulge into the tear. In a "slipped disc" the tear in the rings is extensive enough that the nucleus spreading into the tear either causes the fibrous part of the disc to bulge out and hit surrounding structures or the disc tears completely allowing the nucleus to spill out and hit the surrounding tissues and this is what causes pain.

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Coral Stratford who has served the community well for over ten years is taking the opportunity to accept early retirement. Meryl Cranston will continue to sort the mail, and will also take on the delivery run from Mark Freeman who will replace Coral on the counter.

Coral and the Post Office staff will be having a few drinks in the lounge of Fitzpatrick's Tavern after work on the 26th February, and anyone who would care to join them is most welcome. On behalf of all your grateful customers and appreciative friends farewell Coral .. we will miss you.

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SWIMMING

MALANDA OL'55 MASTERS

On Saturday, 30th January, three intrepid Kuranda swimmers, Gerda Williams, Pam and Ron Elgar, set off to compete in the Masters swimming at Malanda. A good crowd and a pleasantly warm pool, but during the day approximately 6 inches of rain fell.

We all froze waiting for our various events; some competitors went quite blue! No medals this time, but an esky donated by the sponsors, Malanda Milk, containing various dairy product goodies was given to the winner of each age group. Gerda Williams was the star of the carnival, winning two National and five State records. She was the outright winner of her new age group 50-54. Gerda broke the previous Australian best in the 100m breaststroke with a time of 1.37.3, slashing more than one second off the old mark of 1.38.4. But her win in the 100m individual medley was even more convincing: her time of 1.28.34 sliced four seconds off the old mark of 1.32.45.

The State records for a short course pool which fell in her wake were the 50m backstroke, 50m breaststroke and 25m breaststroke. She is expected to re-write the record books in her new age group from now on.

Ronnie Elgar came second in his age group (65-69) winning his three breaststroke events and claimed a State record for the 100m breaststroke, (1.52.13 from 2.58.44). He and Pam also enjoyed trying the 100m individual medley - a new event for them both. Pam Elgar came second in her 60-64 age group and was pleased to knock many seconds off her previous best times in the 25m and 50m freestyle events.

After long hot showers, the Malanda swimmers gave us a great evening at the

Holland's house outside Malanda with a delicious barbecue and barn dance which went on until the small hours. A fun (but wet) week-end. We'd love to hear from prospective members to join us in a splash!



THANK YOU

We wish to express a sincere thank you to the many people who have supported us over these past six months. It was a difficult time for all, but we felt the warmth and caring of the community as a whole. Our loss is great, but we have indeed been blessed with many new and lasting friendships.

A special thank you to Helen Burton of the Blue Nurses - to KCKA for lightening our work load -

And to all those who generously donated to the SSPE Research Foundation.

In memory of Nathan, let us embrace each precious day - **With love and gratitude from Jeff & Margie Warrington and Family**

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GrEeeen News

Newspaper Recycling - you may be aware that newspapers are not being recycled at the moment - alternatives are to use them and cardboard as garden mulch to keep those weeds and grasses down OR a local Cairns company Starr Insulations are manufacturing insulation from newspaper - can be dropped off at the company - 2 Donaldson St, Manunda or at NQ Recycling Agents, Federation St, Portsmith.

Clean-Up Australia Day - is on March 7th - Kuranda State School will be involved in the project, co-ordinating a clean-up area with assistance from the Lion's Club who are providing a couple of cars and trailers. Anyone willing to help in this project or co-ordinating their own clean-up area can contact Terry at the Greenhouse Shop or the school.

Voluntary Work - CAFNEC are currently involved in a project assisting Mulgrave Shire Nursery - anyone able to help with potting/weeding would be appreciated. -CAFNEC also needs regular helpers in its Cominos House office and Green Possum Shop in Cairns and we still need a couple more volunteers for our Kuranda Shop. -This voluntary work not only assists CAFNEC but also benefits school leavers and those out of the work force for long periods by giving confidence, work experience and references.

BOOK REVIEWS

Books available at Greenhouse

Songlines - Bruce Chatwin - \$14.95
Songlines are invisible pathways connecting areas all over Australia. They trace the traditional Aboriginal paths of creation and it is part of Aboriginal spiritual duty to ritually travel these paths each one responsible for their own country and own part of the song, to sing up the country and renew its existence. This is the story of Bruce Chatwin's own pathway into Central Australia, a nomad in his own way he comes from a lifetime of studying nomadic lifestyles all over the world. The information and observations that he brings together give a fascinating insight into traditional aboriginal law and spirituality. Presented in a novel style, it makes absorbing wet season reading.

Away to the Reef and the Rainforest

(An Explorers Travelogue - for children) by Maree McDonald - \$19.95
A delightful story with plenty of colourful illustrations describing the journeys of NEASTROH, a spirit embodying the imagination of a child. NEASTROH explores the rainforest and the reef, becoming the various animals, birds and fish with vivid descriptions of the sights and sounds and smells of the forest and sea. A great book for children to learn about this environment in an imaginative way. A good gift to send away.



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In my Feb article about delicious yellow passion fruits I was quoted as saying they have harder skins than the purple passion. An unfortunate printing error. --- Yellow passions have thinner skins than the purple -- that is why they have a shorter shelf life.

Tropical fruits are at their best in the wet summer months but it important to pick them for their best flavour at the peak time. Too soon, little taste -- too late, too soft, or the birds etc have got there first.

As many tropical fruits remain green in colour when ripe, the following hints may help new growers. On April 7th the Cairns Rare Fruits have Mike Fabian, expert horticulturalist, as guest speaker, and he will answer all queries on What When and How to grow. Time 7.30pm at the Cairns Library Hall, phone me 937205.

Q. When are these fruits at the correct maturity for picking?

1. **BLACK SAPOTE** (Chocolate pudding fruit) Like many fruits the size varies, but usually the fruits on any one tree are about the same size. The main crop ripens in the cooler months but with plenty of moisture two crops a year can be expected. This is a green fruit but the green turns to a pale green towards maturity. At the apex of the fruit (where attached to the tree) is a circular frilled calyx. Pick the fruit when the calyx curves upwards and the colour is pale green. Store carefully and check daily for softness. This fruit can soften completely overnight. When soft put in fridge to delay ripening but not for a long period.

2. **SOURSOP**. A truly delicious fruit, it is also a green fruit which lightens to pale green on maturity. The fruit skin is covered with raised soft short spines. These subside on maturity. The fruit when picked will not be soft but it will soften ready for eating in a day or so after picking depending on the warmth of the weather. If picked too soon the flavour is bitter. Soursops usually fruit in early spring in Kuranda but with a dry winter mine fruited Jan/Feb as we had lots of rain and I do not irrigate. If you rub the pulp through a metal colander the extracted juice is delicious for drinks or ice cream.

3. **CARAMBOLAS...** (Five-cornered fruit) When to pick depends on the variety. All must be well filled out which happens quickly in the summer when they ripen. Fruit fly love them, so pick as soon as possible (unless you have them netted). Some varieties always remain green but turn a light green. Some turn yellow. Best to pick before fully mature and let them ripen for a few days under cover. If your tree has a big crop pick off all small immature fruit for compost. It is like thinning grapes. It is important to pick up all fruit that drops and obviously contains fruit flies. Thinning the fruit makes less dropped fruit.

LEAFY VEGETABLES can be a problem in the wet, but travellers to the Pacific know that many so-called weeds are eaten by the indigenous people. We have many in our gardens, eg the leaves of the black-fruited nightshade. The berries are delicious and make a super jam. NEVER eat the red-berried nightshade; it is poisonous. All chilli bush leaves are edible.

There are many tropical fruit trees that produce edible leaves eg your mulberry and soursop leaves. Some people like the Durian and Jak fruit leaves. I like the very young leaves and tendrils of the choko vine and also of wing beans. Pumpkin tips are favoured by some, and are a good way of controlling the plant.

There are many other, all very hardy and never eaten by insects. My favourite remains the sweet leaf bush Sauropus. Just strip off the young leaves and they grow again in two days. Eat them raw or lightly cooked. Sauropus grows from a cutting and is perennial.

During this wet season my Heliconias and ginger flowers are spreading. Anyone wanting some roots can have some for free, dug by you with your own spade. Phone me 937205. It is good weather for striking cuttings. I can give hardy and pretty striking material.



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'LISTEN' Up

By June T
The Roadshow 4CCR FM



About three weeks ago I heard a song on community radio on the one ear band AM. I thought to myself how great this certain tune would sound on stereo ie; music in both ears FM. Music has always been put through the box format ie; "wireless"; even to this day the music industry still uses the air waves to promote product. The tune in Question is *You Don't Treat Me No Good* and this could maybe be pointed to the whole radio thing here in Oz. If by chance a local community access radio station doesn't pull members. . . they could say "You don't treat me no good". From our local point of view, the Kuranda Amphitheatre is just on 12 years old and I'm sure that the question could be asked of certain areas of the community "You don't treat me no good!"

At the moment I'm off the track but the tune *You Don't* must bring a feeling out in the listener.

Sonia Dada DO NOT gloss over the real things of life. On their self titled album they have produced 12 songs that happen to be full of emotion and message stuff. *DELIVER ME, YOU AIN'T THINKING, I LIVE ALONE* and *NEVER SEE ME AGAIN* just some of the *Sonia Dada* message to you their listening public. Most of the song titles sound as if they are full on down here and this is a good thing.

Any music in the 90's that has come out of Chicago is full on re: Guys making music that somehow give a feel of soul, R/B and grass roots live voice harmony. At this point in time the tune *You Don't Treat Me No Good* is number two and the L/P has a huge future. The CD has given me the tune *You Ain't Thinking (About Me)*. I like this stuff heaps.

Chicago is the windy city cause the wind blows this and that way when it can. Music that blows a new fresh sound must be listened to. I know that my ears never let me down. The sounds and songs that these ears hear from *Sonia Dada* hit the top shelf - thank you! To me *Sonia Dada* is like a good scotch with no ice. 10+.



JUNCTION JARGON
NEWS FROM
JUNCTION THEATRE COMPANY INC.

A big welcome to new members, Ron Brown, Gayle Shanahan, Daphne Allgood, Ali Ramzan, Bob Standen, Steve Hollsbury and Jaqui and Phillip Lyneton. Also welcome back to Eve Stafford and Anne Marie Tleanon.

Unfortunately our President, George McFarlane has resigned. Many thanks to George for all the hard work and dedication he put into the position.

Ric Ephraims as Vice President has temporarily moved into the Presidents job, and Janet Bowron has been opted as Vice President until an **Extraordinary General Meeting** is held on **Friday 12th March, 7pm** at Kuranda Amphitheatre. Nominations for the position of president should contact Rowena on 937105.

Script readings are planned by Anne-Marie Tleanon as a regular activity, all the fun without the pressure of performing.

Junction Theatre and Mona Mona are presently involved in discussion with ATSIC and DEET to determine whether funding is available for *The Multi Coloured Dreamboat* project. This project will be a community theatre training program resulting in a full-scale theatre production to celebrate the International Year of the World's Indigenous People in May 1993 at the Kuranda Amphitheatre.

The whole production will consist of a multi-cultural cabaret show and a one act play, *The Foreman*.

Auditions for *The Foreman* were well attended and not only do we have the cast, but understudies as well!

Congratulations to the actors who are Rosetta Brim, Carole Riley, Ali Ramzan, Wilton Hobbler, Tammy Grey, Stephen Hollsbury, Phillip Lyneton and Delena Riley.

Grant applications have been sent to the Australia Council for video training and full documentation of the project. Considerable thanks to Pete McCabe, Mandy Dewey and Rowena Hughes for the bulk hours they have invested so far with a cheerful smile.

Mandy Dewey will be Production Manager for the overall project, her assistant will be Sheila Brim. **Ring Mandy on 937005 if you are interested in the following theatre workshops.** People of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent are particularly invited to get involved.

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I will be directing *The Multi Coloured Dreamboat* and I am very pleased to have as Assistant to the Director, Marella (Dolly) Brim. Lots of suggestions are coming forward for the Cabaret section. If you have an idea for an act that reflects another culture, please ring me on 937697. **DON'T FORGET the GENERAL MEETING on FRIDAY 12th MARCH 7pm** at the Amphitheatre.

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Treasurer: Sue McArthur
Bookings: Helmut Katterl
Publicity: Ashley Peake
Stage: James T.
Kitchen: Not Appointed

Work has started on the design of the stage renovation details will be circulated soon. Materials for the toilet block have been made ready with Council assistance. We now need a small volunteer workforce to get the thing up and flushing before the season commences. Community assistance please. Ring 937697 and offer your services as soon as possible.

There will be a members night in early March. Watch the Foodstore board for this date. The first General Meeting will be in April look at your paper for the dates.

Migloo's MOMENTS

Over the last month MM has been exploring the possibility of *The Kuranda Media Association* expanding into the air waves. Migloo has explored the Kuranda paper format re: a radio magazine format. If your *Kuranda Media Association* takes on board the media air wave role ie: the Radio FM access available about four other (or new) *Kuranda Media Association* members will have to get serious and/or involved.

But some questions must first be asked. This is meant to be your reaction only paid up members of the *Kuranda Media Association* will have input. That means if you want a say please get paid up!! Send your bucks by way of the President of *The Kuranda Paper*. . . . Now. . . .!!

On Feb 19th the Roadshow produced a Migloo Access Programme which included Tony Martins and Barry Cedric. . . .two Murries that have heaps to contribute to the year of the IN PEOPLE from the music point of ears. Barry and Migloo have written a tune that could be huge in '93 re The YEAR OF THE IN PEOPLE. The new music that I have listened to from Archie Roach, Kev Carmody and our local talent person Barry Cedric. . . all of this new music points to a good time for the music that delivers a message. Here is hoping that Barry Cedric and his new music by way of access 4CCR FM will put the best local music in your ear hole.

In early February we had a green person as an inhouse to air person; he made us feel that he had good access to real people. This same human being said "Let me work with you." I thought, we've got this guy, go for it. It can mean that the network that the Roadshow over the years has created is full on. RE: the *Kuranda Media Association* our newspaper is produced by our local people without money in return. On that note this same association could expand into the air wave by way of the local access radio station here in F.N.Q.

Lots of on the line and the ear hole news - coming up *The Black Flash*.

Kenny Baker to our personal delite has become heavily involved with the Kuntaz thing here in Cairns. This same Kenny Baker is also involved with the BASK COURT in the hot venue ie: THE NO STOP SPOT. For the print recod this Migloo respects Barry Cedric and Kenny Baker for the guts and feeling that they bring to the cause of building relations between blacks and whites.

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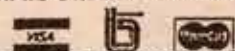
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The first meeting for 1993 was held at Frogs on Tuesday 9th February and we were pleased to welcome Peter and Beverley from Monkeys. Especially as Beverley has offered to be our new minutes and newsletter secretary. Gayle will continue to deal with correspondence (why are artists SO prolific!) while we await a new secretary. It's a fascinating job and as rewarding as it is challenging! xt meeting on March 9th will be a brain storming session: Frogs at 7pm. We would like to see all our members come along- easiest way to renew as well. Membership forms are also at the P.O. with fees being \$15 family and \$10 single. It's great value as you virtually recoup your fee when you buy your first tickets.

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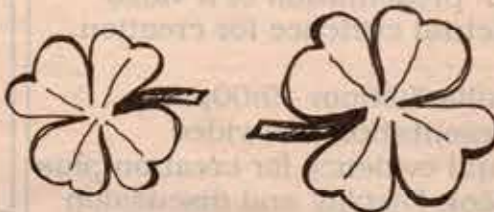
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THE CRAZY HORSE SALOON

by Dick Burge - A Short Story

With a year's wages in their pockets, they had set off south for whatever came up next. Bluey and Tim had been mates for years, travelling around Australia in their four wheel drive, picking up any seasonal work that was available. They had just finished a stint of ringing on one of the big cattle runs in the Territory.

It was a hot afternoon, forty degrees in the shade, when Tim broke the silence.

"Jeez, Blue, I could do with a drink."

"Help yourself."

Bluey took one hand off the steering wheel and handed him a plastic bottle full of water.

"No, not water, I mean a proper drink, you know, a pub drink."

"Pubs are scarcer than hen's teeth out here. Be patient and we'll see what turns up."

Further down the road they noticed a finger sign pointing to a bush track, it read, "Tumbalina Township 20 miles".

"Gee, Blue, let's give it a go. If it's a township it's gotta have a pub."

"I dunno, the sign says twenty miles and we haven't used miles for donkey's years. Could be the town's disappeared by now."

"Aw, cripes Blue, take a chance. I'm dying for a drink."

"Yer haven't got a patent to that, mate."

With that, he pulled the landrover off the bitumen onto the dusty side-track and zoomed off, leaving a trail of white dust behind them.

Later, the township of Tumbalina exposed itself, a few scattered places - you couldn't call them houses - dotted here and there. They came to a jumble of buildings each side of the track. The largest had a big sign out front, reading, "THE CRAZY HORSE SALOON".

"Look Blue, what an ignorant mob they must be here, see how they spell horse, H-O-A-R-S-E! There ain't no "A" in horse."

"I thought that's what they feed them on."

"Didja eat some corn this morning? Let's get inside and get a drink."

Entering the pub, they made for the bar where a barman was anticipating them.

"Give us a couple of beers please mate," said Bluey. "We're as dry as a wowsers' picnic."

"Got no beer," said the barman, "we only serve the local brew. It's brewed on the premises."

"Well, if it's brewed, it must be a kind of beer, mustn't it?" queried Tim.

"No," said the barman, "It's a kind of spirit, brewed by a Scotsman specially brought out from Scotland by the owners. They had tasted his brew while visiting Scotland and they were so impressed, they brought him back to brew it here."

As this conversation was going on, two men approached the bar.

"I'll have a mug, Bert," one of them croaked.

"Make mine a bowl," the other said in a cracked voice.

"Mugs and bowls? What's happened to glasses and pots?" Bluey whispered to Tim.

"Get onto that!" said Tim, as the barman pulled on a pair of asbestos gloves. He took an earthenware mug and bowl to the big earthenware barrel on the counter.

Turning a porcelain spigot, he filled the mug and bowl and returned them to the customers, who took them over to one of the tables.

The barman returned to Bluey and Tim.

"What's it going to be gents, mug, bowl or basin?"

"We'll try a mug thanks," said Bluey.

The barman filled two mugs with the brew and placed them on the bar in front of them. Another customer came in and rasped out, "Give me a basin please Bert."

"What's wrong with their voices Blue? None of them can talk proper," said Tim in a low voice.

"I dunno, something funny is going on in this mad place. That's it! The Crazy Hoarse Saloon! It's certainly crazy, and everyone except the barman is hoarse. That explains why they put the "A" in the sign outside."

.....TO BE CONTINUED.....

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A choral presentation of the story of the Crucifixion and Resurrection of Jesus Christ will be performed in the CWA Hall, Kuranda, on Sunday 28th March at 7.30pm by a choir which has members from Kuranda, Biboorha, Mareeba, Yungaburra, Atherton, Malanda and Mutchillba. The forty-voice choir, accompanied by Mrs Glen Gummow, is being trained by Mrs Ruth Beasley and Mrs Pat Duffy, and the programme, interspersed with readings, will include soprano, contralto, tenor and bass soloists.

If you are unable to attend on March 28th, the programme will be presented a second time in the Catholic Church, Mareeba on Wednesday 31st March.

A similar performance last year proved very popular with those who attended. There is no admission fee but a retiring offering will be taken to help defray expenses.

Ruth Beasley.

ST PATRICK

March is the month of the Celtic Saints. St David of Wales is honoured on March 1st and probably the best known of them all is St Patrick on March 17th.

Today we celebrate the day with great gusto. Green beer, leprechauns and shamrocks, but I wonder if the good saint would approve. Patrick was of course not born on the Emerald Isle. he was born most probably on the western shores of Wales, Cornwall or even Brittany in France.

It is known that his parents were Christians. His father might have been a deacon and civil official. In his youth Patrick was carried off by Irish raiders and spent six years as a slave, devoting himself in prayer and meditation to God. He then escaped, returned to his family and later travelled to Gaul for training and ordination to the priesthood.

Young Patrick though had a calling. It kept saying "Return to Ireland". So Patrick set sail back to Ireland. Tradition tells us it was the year 432.

There were some Christians in Ireland. They had a Bishop "Palladius" yet they had made no impression among the common folk.

When Patrick arrived he preached and taught with zeal, far and wide, north and south.

He confronted the High King Laohaire. He silenced the Druids. Legend has it he also expelled the snakes. In 444 he established the Episcopal See of Armagh.

He was also a great encourager of the monastic life. Towards this life he spent 40 days in retreat at Crachan in Mayo. Even to this day Croagh-Patrick pilgrimages are still made.

The best known story of Patrick was told to me one Trinity Sunday. Patrick was trying to teach the Irish about the Trinity.

Three Gods in One God
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

He had been getting nowhere. He hung his head in exasperation with eyes closed. As he opened them he saw the shamrock, three leaves in one. A trinity of creation. His pupils quickly understood.

What stands out is Patrick's sense of being called by God and his answering of the call with vigor, determination and modesty.

**THE KURANDA
CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH**

We wish to invite you to share with us as we join together for encouragement and Fellowship, on Sunday morning and midweek in our homecare programme.

Enquiries regarding venues and service times can be directed to Ken or Zana on 938952. Please call us if we can be of assistance in any way at all.

"In Jesus is life and that life is the light of men" 1 John 1:1

Allow Jesus to light your life



THE CREATION BUS

Where: Gr. 6 Classroom
Kuranda State School
When: Wednesday, March 17

Times:

Gr 1-3 1:55 - 2:55

Gr 4 - 7 2:30 - 2:55

An R.E. presentation of a video
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Adults 7:30pm - 9:00pm
Presentation of a video
on the factual evidence for creation plus
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Friday, March 5th 1993

Theme:

**GOD'S PEOPLE: INSTRUMENTS OF HEALING
WOMEN OF GUATEMALA SPEAK TO US:**

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

ALL WELCOME

You are invited to join in !!!!
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in Kuranda.
10am. C.W.A. Hall Fri. 5th.March.
Morning Tea provided.



BIBLE READING

O come, let us sing to the Lord
let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!
Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving:
let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise.
For the Lord is a great God,
and a great King above all Gods. (Psalm 95: 1-3)

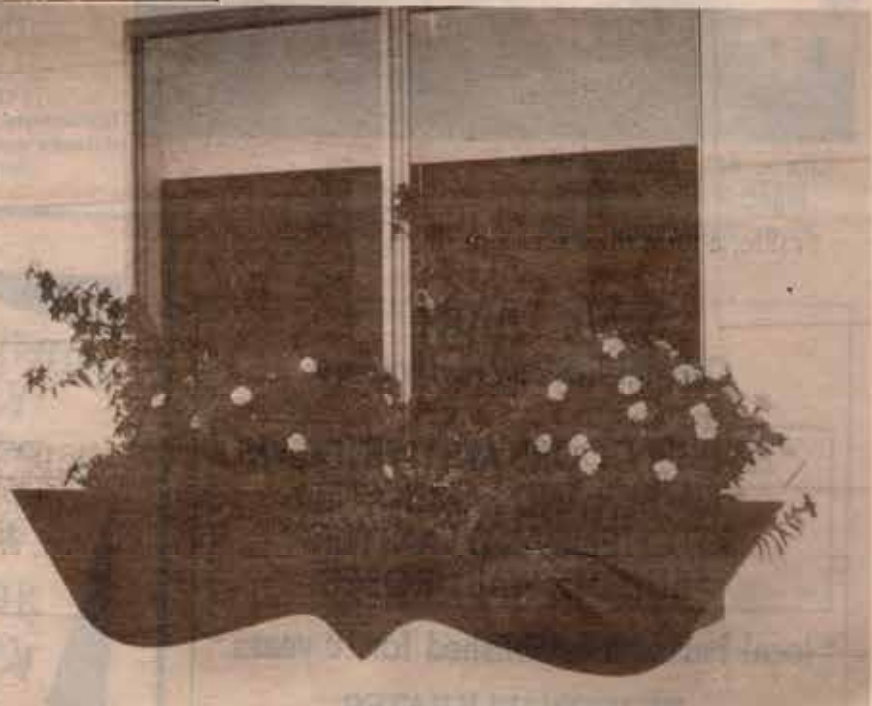
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We salute a man whose community was the world. If you would like to make a contribution in his memory please send this to: Fred Hollows Foundation, Locked Bag 800 RANDWICK 2031 New South Wales.



BENNETT'S TREE-KANGAROO
(Dendrolagus Bennettianus)

Artwork by Jo Baldwin



What a little imagination can do to a plain wall and window! One of the units in Barang Street has had attractive window boxes and shutters added, and the garden landscaped, creating the individual touch that makes the difference.

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More Community Letters.....

Dear Kuranda Paper,

I would like to express a not so commonly held view as to why the general fabric of our society has become so de-stabilised over the past 30 years. Eg. high divorce rate, increased juvenile crime, substance abuse, increased violent crime, increase in sexual promiscuity, leading to high abortion rates and high incidence of sexually transmitted disease. There is also a general feeling of disregard for parental and governmental authority, which are pivotal points of a safe and stable society.

The human behaviour of any society is a result of foundational philosophies within that society. Eg. a Buddhist behaves according to his Buddhist philosophies. The same can be said for an Islamic, Animist, Christian, Atheistic or Humanist societies. Human behaviour is always controlled by religious philosophy.

Our Australian culture had its basis in Christian ethic, however a massive shift has now occurred and to the greater extent Australian behavioural patterns are now controlled by Atheistic and Humanistic philosophies. This result has been achieved primarily by the non-Christian view of the origins of life, the THEORY OF EVOLUTION. This theory permeates the entire education system of our nation, being taught as scientific fact, and not rightly perceived as the religious philosophy that it is.

By its very nature this THEORY denies the existence of a creator God. It exalts man as the sovereign over his own affairs. Man no longer is accountable to the perfect lawmaker, but has usurped divine authority and as a result, anarchy and lawlessness have flourished and will become more gross.

On the other hand I am pleased that I can say, that it is the Lord God that created me. This religious statement gives me selfworth and self esteem. It places on me a responsibility to walk according to a high moral and ethical code of behaviour. One that is going to be concerned for my neighbour's wellbeing, not plot his downfall. In conclusion the attack on the literal interpretation of the Book of Genesis has resulted in the flourishing of the religious philosophy that has licenced men, women and children, to determine for themselves how they will act toward their neighbour whether that will be good or bad. The THEORY of evolution removes all restraint and accountability to the supreme being. The results can be seen in a generation that have removed God from their knowledge.

Let us return to the Christian ethic.

Pastor Ken Wright, Kuranda Community Church.

NEIGHBOURLINESS

There are many people within our community who are in need of friends and neighbours. They may simply need a little human contact, a friendly face to share a cup of tea with, or their needs may be more extensive. The young mother at home with young children may be desperate for an hour's respite; the elderly may need a variety of help, some shopping, a lawn mowed, transport to the doctor.

The needs are many and varied, the talents and services within our community are many and varied. With unemployment on the increase, early retirement a common occurrence, there are more people with time to fill. Here is an opportunity to fulfil a much-needed service.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday March 2nd, at 7pm in St Saviour's Crypt. PHONE VAL 930131 EVENINGS FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO OFFER HELP.

KURANDA PROFILES



Inge Lisse Narup proudly displays her Australian Citizenship certificate.
photo: Jean Anderson.

INGE-LISE NARUP has been living in Kuranda since September, 1987. She arrived in Rockhampton from Denmark in June of that year, bought a car, and drove alone up the coast looking at houses and towns, until she "fell in love with Kuranda" and here she stayed.


Born in Malaya of Danish parents where her father managed a coconut and rubber plantation for a Danish company. Her mother wanted her to have a Danish education, so they returned in 1939, leaving her father in Malaya. One month later war started, and they were cut off from him for the whole war, only hearing a few words once a year through the Red Cross. Inge-Lise remembers the hardship and food shortages of the years of German occupation; most of the food for the German Army and the German people was extracted from Denmark. Her brother was a member of the Danish resistance, and was captured and sent to a German camp.

After the war Inge-Lise was a secretary, and met her husband, an officer in the Danish Merchant Navy. Later he and his brother bought a fishing boat, and with Inge-Lise doing the cooking, the three sailed on a six-day voyage to Greenland where they stayed for a year. The idea had been to use the boat for fishing, but fish were scarce, so they carted sand and gravel for road-making.


During this time they lived in a town called Nuuk, on the western coast of Greenland, and when the wife of a Faroe Island fisherman was taken to hospital with gall problems, and her twelve children fostered out to anyone who could take them, Inge-Lise took the youngest, a 9-month-old girl. Water was extremely scarce, as rain was infrequent, and the only supply was deliveries by bucket twice a week - eighty buckets for three adults and a baby. The need for clean nappies took precedence over many other requirements! The alternative was to chip ice from the glacier, and melt it.

When they returned to Denmark her husband joined an expedition ship going around the world via Australia, and he was away for twenty months. Then he became a sea-pilot - one of the most sought-after jobs for seamen. For the next eighteen years they were based in Denmark, until his death from a heart attack.

Her two boys were educated by now and independent, so Inge-Lise remembering the warm climate of her early childhood days, set off for northern Australia. Kuranda is now her home, and she spends a lot of her time helping with charities, such as Amnesty International, Meals on Wheels, Blue Nurses functions, and the like. This year on Australia Day, she became a naturalised Australian.



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COMING HOME
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How I've pined for you each day
Now I see your soggy earth
And your misty sheets of grey.

Swollen bursting banks of water
All your love is pouring out
To welcome back a daughter
And to comfort her about.

I love to travel on this train
Leaning on this window pane
The joy of all this heavy rain
The Far North's my home I claim.

© Sue Haseldon, Feb 1993

TOP PUB RAFFLE FOR MOLLIE DALZIEL

The Raffle at the Top Pub on Friday the 4th. February for Mollie Dalziel was a great success. Mollie, a long time resident of Kuranda (17 years) has recently moved to The Garden Settlement, behind the Mareeba Hospital. She would probably like visits from folk she knows in Kuranda. Someone else we all know, as her birth place is Kuranda, is Queen Maggie of the Djabugay Tribe. She is also at the Garden Settlement being unable to care for herself due to her great age. Maggie would love to share her reminiscences with any who are interested in recalling the past. If you are in Mareeba and you feel inclined to visit these two older members of our community you would be welcomed.



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NEWS FROM THE KINDY

The Kindy year has begun successfully in our new building. Children and staff have settled in well and are enjoying the space of our new premises. Trees were recently planted by the Wet tropics Team.

Thankyou for a job well done!

The Kindy is a credit to all those who have been involved throughout the years since the first committee was formed.

If you haven't yet seen the Kindy please feel welcome to pop in and have a look on any week day.

There still are vacancies in the sessions and at \$7.50 per day it is certainly affordable Kindergarten education. Ph. 938087 for enquiries.

On Saturday February 20th. the A.G.M. was held and a new committee was elected.

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| President | Jeff Warrington |
| Vice President | Esme Pratt |
| Secretary | Rachael Jalilehvand |
| Treasurer | Colleen Wiggins |
| Assistant Treas. | Margie Warrington |

The meeting was chaired by Chris Lewis, Chairman of the Mareeba Shire Council who addressed the meeting and praised all past committees on a job well done.

Special guests were Dannie Duplex (Creche and Kindergarten Advisor) and Dr. Leslie Clark (Member for Barron River)



EDUCATION NEWS & VIEWS

by Gayle Hill

About 30,000 teachers went back to State schools this month, committed to the basics: Numeracy (Maths) and Literacy (Reading and Writing).

One hundred schools in Queensland will be trialling new Performance Standards, and Kuranda is one of about a dozen in the Peninsular Region chosen.

An extra 475 new teacher positions have been created, including 88 for L.O.T.E. (Languages Other Than English).

Almost 14,000 children with disabilities will be celebrating the Centenary of Special Educational (Special Ed.) Services in Queensland. More next month.

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HEAD LICE

An infestation of HEAD LICE is not a sign of being unclean -- anyone can catch lice. There has always been a stigma associated with head lice, "Only dirty people get head lice!" **NONSENSE!** Even you can contract them. Children are more likely to bring these parasites home. They exchange hats, combs, and clothing, and are often seen with their heads close together. LICE do not jump as in the case of fleas.

RECOGNISING SYMPTOMS: Lice, being animal parasites, live by piercing the skin, then sucking the blood for survival. This accounts for the itchiness, which is often the first sign that lice are present. The female louse lays up to 60 eggs at one time, along the hair shaft. These adhere to the hair by a sticky substance. These eggs are called nits,

and are found close to the scalp, where warmth needed for incubation is found. The nape area, and around the ears are where most nits are found. Incubation period is one week, then the nit becomes a louse, or lice, in the plural, and they begin sucking blood for survival.

TREATMENT: These days treatment is very simple, with commercial shampoos especially designed to kill the nit and the lice. One application is not sufficient, you must repeat the treatment 7 days after the first application. All the nits must be removed, if not, a re-infestation would not be noticed until the itching became apparent. The cycle must be broken! All the bed linen, hats, clothing, etc. must be washed in the commercial shampoo at the same time. **DISINFECTANT WILL NOT KILL THE PARASITE.** If you do contract Head Lice, see your Hairdresser or Chemist for advice.

Louise Thorpe, Hairdresser.

Louise is Back!!
Looking forward to your call.

louise thorpe

Reflections



on hair

HAIR DESIGN FOR MEN & WOMEN

KURANDA

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This is what has been happening in Rob Veivers Drive behind all that tall grass! We have been seeing rows of parked cars, large machines going in and out, and men with Stop and Go signs, all through the wet. New paving on the walking track is the result.

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Applications are invited for the position of relief aide at Kuranda School for the period, 8 March 1993 to 16 December 1993. The successful applicant will be replacing Carole Mansfield during her leave, and will work almost totally with Years 4 - 7 for 21 hours per week to provide teachers with a high level of assistance and support with non-professional classroom activities to ensure that they are able to provide a quality educational service to all students.

The aide will be expected to perform a wide range of activities. They may have contact with a number of teachers and other personnel including the Principal and Administrative Officer.

Applicant packages, including a fully detailed position description, application form and associated materials will be available from the school office from Friday, 12 February. Completed applications should be submitted to the Administrative Officer, Mrs Robinson, before 1.00pm on Friday, 26 February. The Department of Education is an Equal Opportunity Employer.



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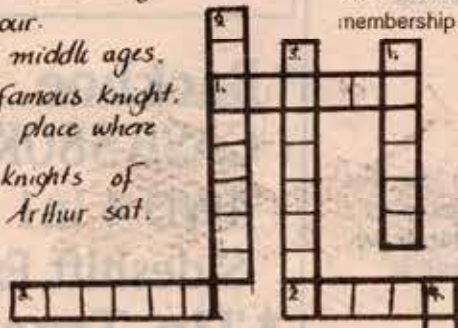
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Kuranda State School



Down
1. A man in shining

2. The middle ages.
3. A famous knight.
4. The place where the knights of King Arthur sat.



Across

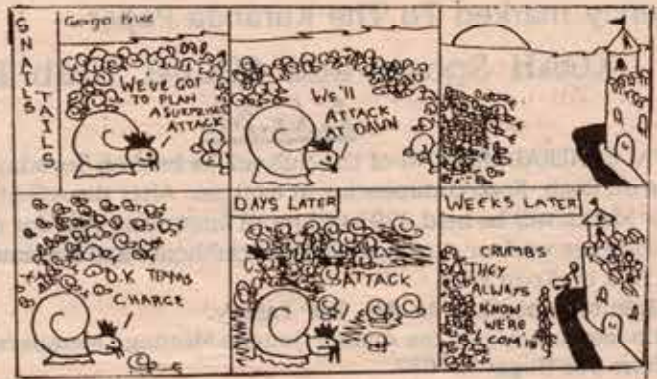
1. A make believe fire-breathing animal.
2. A place where maidens are kept.
3. A sharp blade used to wound people.
4. A medieval name for women.



Back to School

P & C MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORMS

Membership of the P & C Association is not automatic. Parents or others interested in being involved in the school have to complete an application form for approval at P & C Association meetings. These forms are available from Gayle at the tuckshop. Membership gives the right to vote at meetings and the benefit of insurance cover whilst working at the school. It is recommended that any person doing voluntary work at the school complete this membership form.



AFTER SCHOOL CARE/VACATION CARE PROGRAM

Funding is available to commence an After School Hours Care Service and a Vacation Care Service in Kuranda. The After School Hours Care Service would be able to operate for up to 3 hours per day after school, for primary school age children, and the Vacation Care Service for up to 50 hours per week during school vacations.

The funding would take two forms - one off grants for the purchase of toys and equipment, and to assist with establishment expenses such as insurance, incorporation and publicity; and a recurrent subsidy to assist with general running costs.

Persons interested in using such a service, staffing it, or managing it are asked to contact Bob Hammond, Kuranda State School Ph 937201



SCHOOL COMMUNITY COMMITTEES

To guide the school's development, the following committees have been established.

- LITERACY - E.L.A.
- NUMERACY
- LOTE
- SUPPORTIVE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENTS
- LEARNING TECHNOLOGY
- ACTIVE AND INFORMED CITIZENSHIP - SOCIAL EDUCATION
- EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
- SCIENCE
- ARTS
- LEARNING SUPPORT
- FACILITIES, DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE
- HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

We would value parent input in these committees.

Parental involvement will also be essential in our trial of Maths Performance Standards and during the Collaborative School Review.



Here we are back at school again. Apart from the inevitable "why me?", it also leads us to the question so often asked by Great Aunties and other relatively unknown adults, "How was school today?" So with a pad and pen in hand, this 'raving' reporter set off to find some willing and unsuspecting victims among my junior fellow sufferers. At the Kindergarten, we asked some questions to a girl called Amber and a younger boy called Christopher. We didn't get too much out of them but Amber said she likes painting and playing with the dolls. She also enjoys dressing up. Christopher likes the cooking activities. Later on we visited the pre-school and we spoke to Courtney and Shelley. We asked how their first day of school was. They agreed that it was FUN!!! We asked them what they enjoyed doing the most. Painting and puzzles seemed to win the vote. Next on our journey was the year ones. We visited Miss Campbell's and Mrs Wall's rooms. The children in here agreed that they thought school was a little weird and scary but generally they were excited about all the fun they were going to have. Most of the children knew some of the children at school but were also looking forward to making new friends. Well that's all from this end of the school, till next time keep reading!!!

by Lena Taylor, Sarah Watkinson and Jasmine Ward.



FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

- Kuranda State School resource person or place:
 - People to talk about interests or hobbies;
 - Teach students a skill;
 - Places a classes can visit for educational purposes.
- There are quite a number of photos taken on the day of the CENTENARY available for sale. Please contact Mrs Henderson. Also a VIDEO will be available for sale at the school.
- There are still quite a number of Kuranda State School CENTENARY souvenirs, Centenary books and Centenary Workshop Celebrations booklets. Please contact Kuranda State School Office. Thanks Mandy Dewey.
- Parent Development literacy- helping your child to learn.- July - contact Gayle 937652



A MEDIEVAL POEM

My teacher said I had to put something in here
And that it had to be about swords and Cavaliers.
I'm trying to think of a poem that rhymes,
But I don't know anything about Medieval times.
Maybe you could give me something to write,
About Sir Lancelot, the famous Knight,
Or the knights that sit at the big round table.
Or, you could tell me a bedtime fable.
Tell me anything you please,
Except for the Princess and the Peas.
My mouth isn't open, only my ear,
Because you are going to give me an idea.

by Josh Billam.



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KOAH Sports and SOCIAL Club Inc. A.G.M.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the club will be held on Tuesday 2nd March at Sam's Barn on Koah Road commencing at 8.00 pm. After the A.G.M. our monthly meeting for March will be held. 1993 will be an interesting year for our Club as we hope to commence work on our much needed clubhouse and community hall at Musumeci Park on Koah Road.

Annual Club Membership is \$15 Per Family.

Membership fees are due at the Annual General Meeting. Membership forms are available from Sue Hoger 937037

Court Hire Charges - daytime (members) \$3 hour
daytime (non-members) \$6 hour
night time (members) \$5 hour
night time (non-members) \$8 hour

COURT BOOKINGS CAN BE MADE WITH JANELLE PARKS 937997

Monthly social B.B.Q. Social barbecues and tennis evenings are held on the last Saturday of each month commencing at 6.00pm. Steakburgers, hot dogs, chips and soft drinks are on sale. B.Y.O alcoholic refreshment. New members of our community are most welcome.

THERE WILL BE NO SOCIAL B.,B.Q. IN BARN DANCE MONTHS.

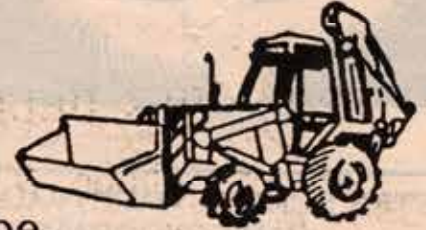
SPORTS- Unfortunately Aerobics is no longer held at Sam's Barn. If any of our community members have any ideas as to other sports which could be organized, your views could be expressed at our monthly meetings.

The keen young horsemen and women in our local area have expressed interest in staging a Horse Sports after the wet season. If this type of event interests you, please contact Jan Aland 937951

COMMITTEE MEMBERS - KAREN VIDLER - 937811
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KURANDA WALKING CLUB by Leanne Plasto

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With a different venue every week -- Warril Drive and Hilltop Close, Black Mountain Road, Saddle Mountain Road, or Kuranda and environs; one can enjoy different sights while exercising not only your body but your jaws as well. With 3 or 4 experienced aerobic participants who can confidently instruct you in correct stretching and cool down exercises, and continually check one's heart rate as you go along, you're in good hands and know you're not overdoing it but getting the most from your walk.

It's also a social outing - not only our weekly walk, but at least four outings during the year at different venues, eg theatre, dinner, etc. So get motivated and come along to a great friendly walking club! Aim to improve your fitness in 1993. Starts every Thursday at 5pm till 6.30pm. For starting point contact :

SANDY HAMMOND 937333
LINDA JODNER 938727 or
CORAL STRATFORD 937264

No cost involved, just come along dressed sensibly for a brisk walk - shorts, bike shorts, joggers, hat, etc. Transport may be arranged if necessary!

photo: Stretching before a 2.5km walk around Pam and Ron Elgar's property "Boonooloo", Stoney Creek Road.

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PENSIONERS

The Kuranda Branch of the Australian Pensioners' and Superannuants' League held their first meeting for 1993 on Monday February 1st. Events to be held during the coming year were discussed, and suggestions made.

Bookings have been made for "Morning Melodies" on April 6th at the Civic Centre, when Simon Gallagher is the main artist. Members are asked to bring their money for tickets, to the next meeting, on March 1st at 2pm at the CWA Hall. Cost of tickets will be \$8 each, and there may also be a charge for transport. New members are welcome at the meetings, for further details phone 937370.

SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB

Designs and drawings of the sports oval are to go to Council to enable work to start immediately. The bowling green grass is showing some good growth - without doubt this will be the Year of the Bowl.



**BE SAFE BE SURE
ALWAYS
USE A CONDOM**



KURANDA DOG OBEDIENCE

A ten-week course in Dog Obedience has just concluded, participants meeting at the Mantaka Sports Ground each Wednesday night. A further course may be conducted if interest is shown, at a date to be decided after Easter. Phone 938817.

Pictured above are some of the graduates from the last course. WOOF!

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FEBRUARY 1993

27th SAT KOAH BARN DANCE. Barron River Catchment Dump Watch Network Fundraiser. 7.30pm Sam's Barn.
ANGLICAN CHURCH Garage Sale 8.30am - 12.

MARCH 1993

1st MON PENSIONERS Meeting CWA Hall 2pm. Ph 937370
1st MON CUBS Every Monday, Ph 937187
2nd TUE "NEIGHBOURS" Meeting 7pm St Saviours Crypt Ph Val 930131 Evenings
2nd TUE KOAH SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB INC. A.G.M Sam's Barn 8pm.
5th FRI CWA Meeting 1.30pm CWA Hall Ph 937187
5th FRI SCOUTS, Every Friday.
5th FRI WORLD DAY OF PRAYER. C.W.A. Hall 10am.
7th SUN UNITING CHURCH FAMILY SERVICE 9am CWA Hall
7th SUN CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY
9th TUE QAC. Meeting. 7pm. Frogs.
12th FRI JUNCTION THEATRE Extraordinary General Meeting
13th SAT ELECTION... DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!!!
16th TUE BLUE NURSES MORNING TEA CWA Hall 10am
17th WED ST PATRICK'S DAY - Wear the Green!
17th WED KURANDA CONSULTATIVE GROUP, The Club, Fallon Road, 7.30pm
19th FRI CWA Social Meeting 1.30pm CWA Hall 937187
20th SAT AMP. Afternoon Country Music Concert.
21st SUN MOTHERING SUNDAY
28th SUN THE EASTER STORY, A Choral Presentation CWA Hall, 7.30pm
28th SUN WALK AGAINST WANT. Ph 008 034 034.

DATE CLAIMER:

APRIL....

10th SAT Proposed Kuranda BUSH PICNIC

RECYCLING AT KURANDA STATE SCHOOL

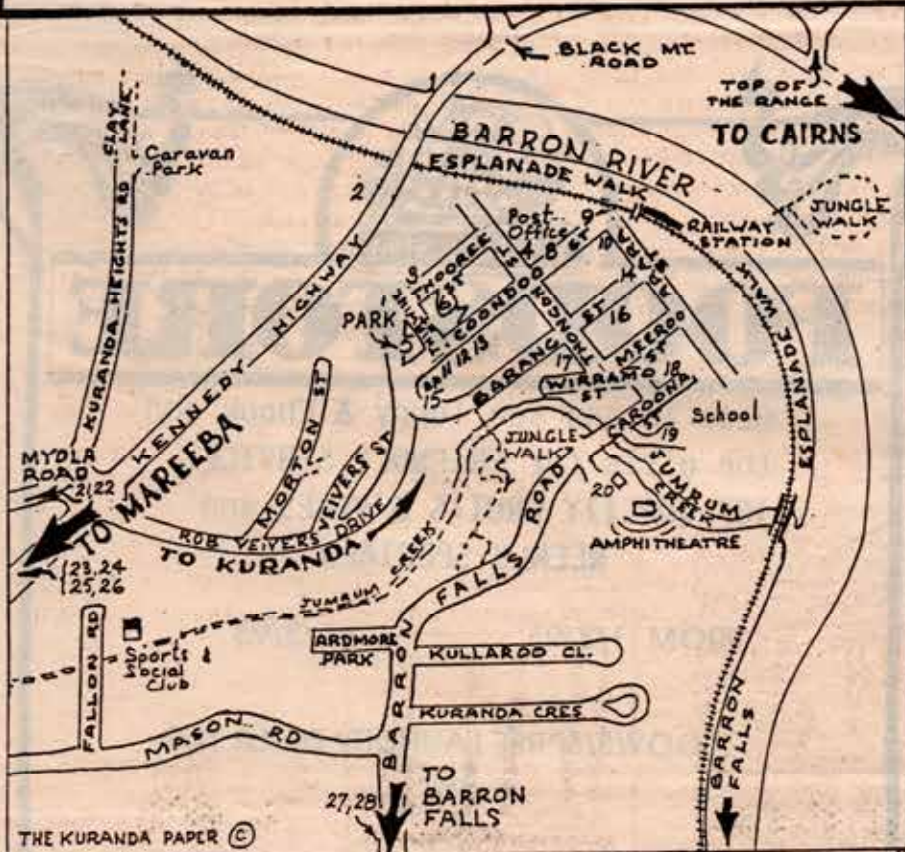
Kuranda State School wishes to inform the public that the school's recycling bins are to be used for only glass, aluminium and old batteries. All other materials should be recycled at home. Kuranda State school will be holding a competition for grades 1-7 to create a sign informing the public of the materials that we are capable of recycling not those that people wish us to recycle, such as food scraps and plastic waste. Thank you Mr Poljanec.

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Mon-Friday 8.30am 9.30am 1.30pm 3.15pm 5.30pm*
Saturday 9.30am 1pm
Sat & Sun 9.30am 1pm
Sundays & Public Holidays 1pm 2.50pm
*please book ahead!

KURANDA TO CAIRNS
Mon-Friday 7.45am 10.20am 12.45pm 2.10pm 4.30pm
Saturday 7.45am 10.20am
Sunday 8.30am 10.20am 2.10pm
Public Holidays 8.30am 10.20am 2.10pm
BOOKINGS: Cairns 519533
or KURANDA 937 166 (Trading Post)
Christmas Day & Good Friday - NO BUSES



COMMUNITY MAP OF KURANDA

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| 1. ? | 15. B.P. Service Station (fuel) |
| 2. Cemetery | 16. Catholic Church |
| 3. Laundry (Coin Op) | 17. CWA and branch library. |
| 4. Telephones | 18. Recycling Depot |
| 5. Toilets | 19. Kindergarden |
| 6. Car Park | 20. Scouts |
| 7. St. Saviours | 21. To Russett Park |
| 8. NP Building Sty (Auto Teller) | 22. To Pony Club |
| 9. Police | 23. To Rainforest Resort |
| 10. Hotel/Motel | 24. To Speewah |
| 11. Vet | 25. To Koah |
| 12. Fire Station | 26. To Clohesy |
| 13. Surgery | 27. To Wrights Lookout |
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LOST: Cockatiel, tame, lost from Punch Close Kuranda 19th Jan. Please phone 938034 if you have any information. Reward.

FOUND: Black female kitten Sunday 21st. February Kuranda Markets. Phone 930220

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