

Palm Island Voice



ABORIGINAL SHIRE COUNCIL

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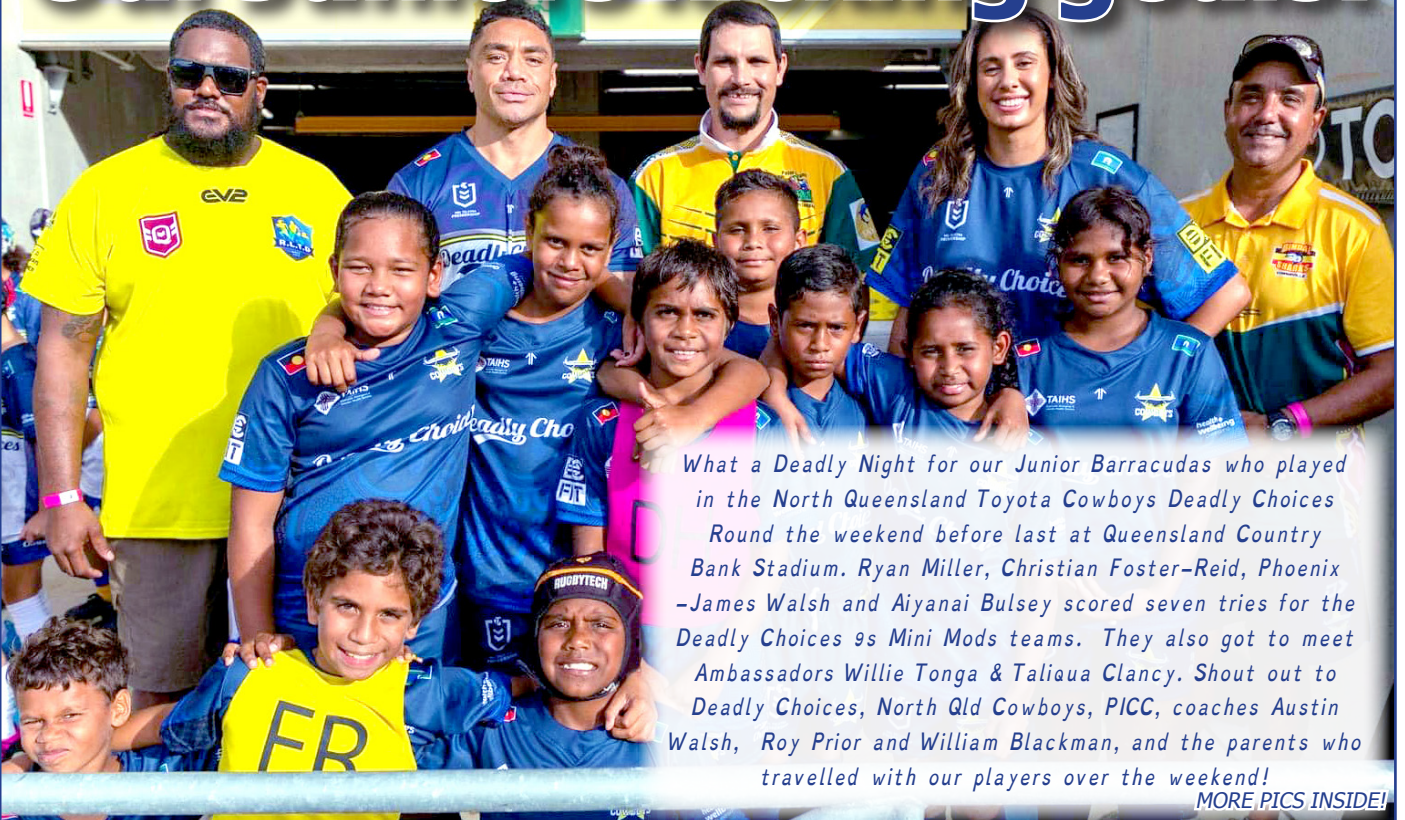


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Our Juniors kicking goals!



What a Deadly Night for our Junior Barracudas who played in the North Queensland Toyota Cowboys Deadly Choices Round the weekend before last at Queensland Country Bank Stadium. Ryan Miller, Christian Foster-Reid, Phoenix-James Walsh and Aiyana Bulsey scored seven tries for the Deadly Choices 9s Mini Mods teams. They also got to meet Ambassadors Willie Tonga & Taliua Clancy. Shout out to Deadly Choices, North Qld Cowboys, PICC, coaches Austin Walsh, Roy Prior and William Blackman, and the parents who travelled with our players over the weekend!

MORE PICS INSIDE!

"We knew we were off to a good start with 27,000 containers after two weeks, and thought it might slow down a little, but six weeks later we've just gone past 110,000 containers – that's \$11,000 into the hands of Palm Islanders for their wonderful recycling efforts - well done Palm Island!"
CEO Michael Bissell

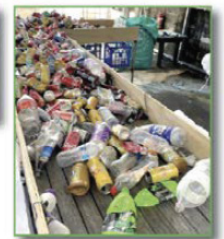
Containers for Change open now!

Manbarra Road Depot (turn off at Council Yellow Shed)

8am-1pm Monday to Thursday

What you need to know:

- There is **NO CASH**
- You need a **Container Scheme ID number**
 - o For registration and bag drop please have ID
 - o Help is available for those not yet signed up
 - o You need your bank account details
 - o All transactions will be directly deposited into your bank account
- Please make sure you **only bring containers eligible for refund**
 - o cans, plastic bottles and fruit poppers are ok
 - o no milk, spirit, cordial or orange juice bottles



- There is a **LOT** of plastic and aluminium on the Island, please be **patient** with staff as we work through each bag drop!



- To find out more see the Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council's Facebook page or <http://www.containersforchange.com.au/qld/>



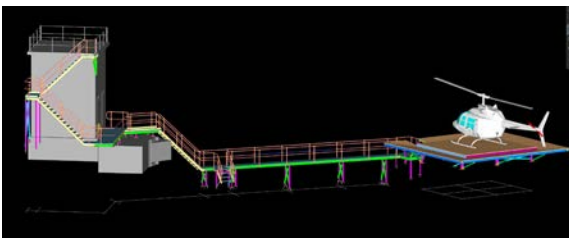
Our 2023 Junior Rugby League



Our newest carpenter - well done Rakem!



Rakem Lind has completed his Tafe certification in Carpentry under the supervision of his manager Leon Coutes – well done Rakem!

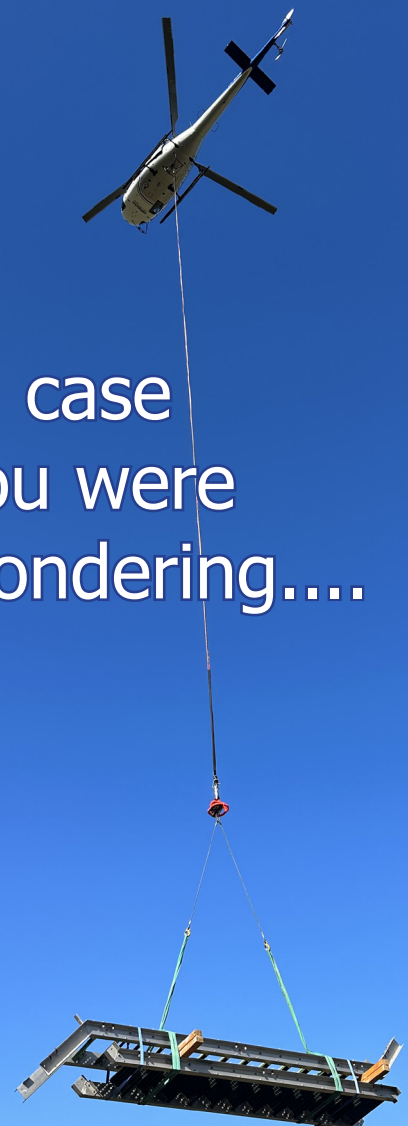


The Albino Rock AtoN lies within the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park (GBRMP). It is located off the coast of Ingham, near Palm Island, North Queensland, has an elevation of 26m and is only accessible by helicopter.

AMSA holds a lease/agreement and has contracted CivilPlus to install a new stainless steel /fibreglass helipad including perimeter safety catch nets and incorporate a new stainless steel/ fiberglass/concrete walkway to the existing AtoN concrete blockhouse.

The work is being carried out with the assistance of the Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council, who have agreed to the use of a small area at the air strip to store materials to aerial lift to the project.

<https://www.civilplus.com.au/projects/previous-projects/item/albino-rock-helipad-walkway>



In case
you were
wondering....

SECURITY TRAINING

THERE WILL BE A SECURITY TRAINING COURSE ON PALM ISLAND FOR THE FOLLOWING:
CERTIFICATE II in Security Operations

- Training requirements for your Queensland Class 1 License
- Security (Unarmed)
- Crowd Control
- Security (Monitoring)

This will be held from Tuesday 6th – Monday 12th June 2023.
Starting at 8.30am – 5.00pm
At the Palm Island PCYC.
Lunch will be provided for these days.

Anyone interested in attending the Training, please contact Doreen Prior on 0407090068, the closing date is.
C.O.B, Monday 22nd May 2023

You will need to provide your:

- Name
- Date of Birth
- Home address
- Contact Number



KATHY TARPAULIN NETBALL CHALLENGE

Friday 26th May 2023

Starting 10.00 am with teams from

- Bwgcolman State School
- St Michael's Catholic Schools
- Cathedral Catholic School
- Vincent State School
- St Joseph's North Ward
- Good Shepard Catholic School



Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council: Request for Tenders

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| Request for Tender (RFT) | Lease of the "Old" Palm Island Post Office |
| RFT Number | 202303 |
| Tender Closing Time | 4pm, Friday 16 June 2023. |

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| Request for Tender (RFT) | Lease of the Palm Island Service Station |
| RFT Number | 202302 |
| Tender Closing Time | 4pm, Friday 16 June 2023. |
| Contact for Tender Documents | Greg Constantine - Manager Finance, Governance and Administration, Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council Greg.Constantine@palmcouncil.qld.gov.au |

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| Request for Tender (RFT) | Barge Landing Services and Lease of the Palm Island Barge Depot and Compound |
| RFT Number | PIASCO4 |
| Tender Closing Time | 4pm, Monday 12 June 2023 |
| Contact for Tender Documents | Greg Constantine - Manager Finance, Governance and Administration, Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council Greg.Constantine@palmcouncil.qld.gov.au |

Please call into the office for Tender Documents. Please forward to your relevant contacts who may be interested in applying. Reception number: 4770 0200.

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If you have any questions please contact Reception on 4770 1177 or 4770 0200
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