

# **Palm Island Voice UPDATE!**

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## **Why an Update?**

The Palm Island Voice is about doing the best we can for Palm Island so we want to be as 'on top' of what's happening on the Island as much as we can be.

If that means putting out an extra page as an update between issues, that's exactly what we're prepared to do to make sure you're informed about what's going on in your community.

Note also that from now on our publication day will be Tuesdays, not Mondays - who needs to rush out a newsletter over a weekend?! The deadline day, however, has not changed - sorry about that but we're still feeling our way into a routine!

We want you to be involved so please do send us your best news, views and photographs and we'll do our best to make sure the rest of the island - and lots of others as well! - know about it through our pages.

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## **Widespread support for Lex & family**

**Protesters in Brisbane bowed their heads in prayers of support for Lex Wotton and his family over the weekend.**

More than 300 people marched across the city from Queens Park to Parliament House to present a staff member for Speaker Mike Reynolds with a petition calling for Mr Wotton's release.

Mr Wotton is due to be sentenced in Townsville on Friday after being tried and found guilty of one count of rioting with destruction on November 26, 2004.

Brisbane elders Reverend Alex Gater (*pictured right*) and Auntie Jean Phillips (*below right*), along with organiser Sam Watson, led the crowd in prayer.

"Let us bow our heads for a moment of silence and prayer. Pray that justice will come to our brothers, who have died in custody.

Pray that justice will come for our brother Lex," Mr Watson said.

Rallies of a similar nature were held in most capital cities as well as in Wellington (New Zealand) and London (UK).

*Pics courtesy  
Ted Riethmuller*



## **PALM ISLAND INDIGENOUS RODEO**

**15-16 November 2008**

**WEEKEND TICKETS ON SALE NOW!**

**\$40 Family – two adults, three children**

**\$20 Single**

**\$15 Pensioners & children**

**\$10 Children 3-5-years-old**

**COMPETITORS PLEASE NOTE: REGISTRATION FOR EVENTS CLOSSES 12PM SATURDAY!!!**

**Tickets available from Pauline Shortjoe  
or Jenny Prior (outside the store)**

# LIQUOR ACT 1992

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A LIQUOR LICENCE

**Applicant's Name:** Coolgaree Bay Sports Bar and Bistro Pty Ltd, **Nominee:** Zacchias Sam  
**Premises:** Coolgaree Bay Sports Bar and Bistro, Beach Road, Palm Island.  
**Primary Purpose:** General Licence – The sale of liquor for consumption on the premises, or on and off the premises.  
**Trading Hours:** 4:00pm to 10:00pm Monday to Thursday  
4:00pm to 12 Midnight – Friday and Saturday, and;  
12 Midday to 6:00pm – Sunday.

**OBJECTIONS TO THIS APPLICATION MAY BE FILED BY A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC OVER THE AGE OF 18 WHO HAS A PROPER INTEREST IN THE LOCALITY CONCERNED AND IS LIKELY TO BE AFFECTED BY THE GRANT OF THE APPLICATION.**

### Grounds for Objection

1. Undue offence, annoyance, disturbance or inconvenience to persons who reside or work or do business in the locality concerned, or to persons in or travelling to or from an existing or proposed place of public worship, hospital or school is likely to happen; or
2. The amenity, quiet or good order of the locality concerned would be lessened in some way.

### Format of Objections

Objections must be lodged in writing individually or in petition form and must state the grounds for objection. **An objection in the form of a petition must be in a format stipulated in the Act and the principal contact person should discuss the proposed petition with the Licensing Officer listed below.**

**A MEMBER OF THE PUBLIC MAY MAKE A WRITTEN SUBMISSION TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE REGARDING** whether the granting of this application is in the public interest particularly relating to matters which the Chief Executive must have regard under Section 116 of the *Liquor Act 1992*.

For further information on what is being proposed by the applicant, please contact **Miss Kelly Jameison, Darveniza Barron Wood & Assoc., on (07) 5574-0144 or email [kelly@dbw.com.au](mailto:kelly@dbw.com.au)**

**Closing Date for Objections or Submissions:** 1 December 2008

### Lodging Objections or Submissions:

Objections and/or Submissions should be lodged with: Licensing Officer  
Office of Liquor, Gaming & Racing  
PO Box 1885,  
TOWNSVILLE QLD 4810  
Phone: (07) 4760 7625

### Objections Conference

All objectors, other than those objecting on a petition, will be advised individually of the details of the objections conference. The principal contact for a petition will be responsible for advising all signatories of the conference.

Copies of any objections or submissions will be forwarded to the applicant.

**Executive Director  
Office of Liquor, Gaming & Racing**

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