

## OCTOBER 2008 Market News

### Upcoming Market Dates

2008: 22<sup>nd</sup> November (Toy Run & Stallholder's Christmas Party), **Sunday** 21<sup>st</sup> December.  
2009: 24<sup>th</sup> January, 28<sup>th</sup> February, 28<sup>th</sup> March, **Sunday** 26<sup>th</sup> April,  
23<sup>rd</sup> May, including Yungaburra State School **Centenary** Celebrations, 27<sup>th</sup> June

### Permanent Stallholder Up date

This month we say farewell to Michael Koren (Timber) from K18, Hannah (Mandalas) from D4 and Kathy (Kids Clothes) from R3&4. We also say Welcome to Toni Northage at D 9 & 10, with her baby gear and quilts.

### From the Coordinator

Firstly I must say a huge thankyou to our fantastic local Lions Club for the services they provide to our Community and Markets. My misunderstanding with raffle tickets sold on the Market grounds has been cleared up and I'm sorry if it caused any problems. Keep up the great work guys! Last month we mentioned a review with the site markers at top of D & E rows and will follow this up in New Year, given how busy things will be over the next few months.

Well, I have survived my first year as your 'Coordinator' and am still learning each month. I am really enjoying the job and am amazed at how popular our market is – we have had over 100 casual applications this month and probably only half that number of cancellations. We must be doing something right!! See you Next Month and Have a great Folk Festival Market, Jane

### From the Committee

Just a reminder that November's Market will include the Tablelands Toy Run (don't forget to bring your donation), as well as our Stallholders 'Christmas get together'. More details next month. Last month again saw several Complaints regarding vehicles on site during the morning set up. Speeding and lack of attention seem to be main causes for concern, as well as driving around after the 7.30 am cut off period. **PLEASE** be aware of fellow stallholders when you are setting up and **DRIVE CAREFULLY** when on site. We remind you that **NO VEHICLES** can be moving between the hours of **7.30 am and 12.30 pm** – regardless of whether you have sold out or not. These problems seem to be worse at the Highway end of the market grounds, which are more congested and we ask you all to be patient and considerate when arriving and leaving. Best wishes to you all today for an exceptional Folk Festival Yungaburra Market.

### In the Pink

Keep an eye out for Lee Dean and her doggy companion George today, who are famous around the Tablelands for their efforts during Breast Cancer Awareness Month and fundraising for Pink Ribbon Day. They will be hard to miss in all their pink finery – surely they deserve some of your change towards the cause. Good on you Lee & George!

### Sausage Sizzle Today

Many of you will know local Grandmother and Legend Colleen McIvor, who is with us today fundraising with a sausage sizzle, to help her four month old Granddaughter. Malanda baby, Stephanie Corbyn, suffers from a genetic disorder with her heart and lungs and is currently in Mater Hospital in Brisbane awaiting surgery. Please lend your support to Stephanie and Colleen and we wish them the best of luck with their efforts. Her spot is A3, up behind the servo.

### Christmas Market

We are sure you all know by now that the Christmas Market falls on Sunday the 21<sup>st</sup> December this year and remind you that we will again be judging the Best Dressed Christmas Stall on the day. So get into the spirit and decorate your stall and yourselves in the theme of the season and you might end of with a bottle of Christmas spirit to enjoy also! Santa will come to visit us also.

### Folk Festival TOILETS

Hopefully there will be two extra portable toilets on the lower grounds to help with the expected crowds today. We also remind stallholders that Frogs Fuel and Food (Yungaburra servo) are also happy for stallholders to use their facilities.