



# Stallholders' Newsletter

## Queensland Country Credit Union Strand Night Markets

6 November 2009

### Markets Management Transition

Tonight is the first Strand Night Markets organised by Rotary. It is all very exciting

Hopefully stallholders won't see too much change, and we won't make too many mistakes. If you see something we can do better, let us know. We are all in this together.

Tonight the markets are fully booked.

The Strand Night Markets is an institution that will only go on from success to success.

### Queensland Country Credit Union Sponsorship

The first change you will see is in the heading of this newsletter. Rotary and Townsville City Council are delighted to have Queensland Country Credit Union as the major sponsor of the Cotters Markets and the Strand Night Markets. The Strand Night Markets will henceforth be known as the Queensland Country Credit Union Strand Night Markets. We look forward to a long and mutually beneficial partnership in delivering these wonderful community events.

### Booking Procedure for the December Night Markets

Another change you will see is how you book for the December Strand Night Markets. In response to stallholder feedback in the recent survey, a Rotarian will visit your stall during the evening to take bookings and payments for the December Strand Night Markets.

If you are on our database already, you will not need to fill out another application form. You will have an opportunity to request a particular site. Once you have booked and paid, you can assume you will be allocated the requested site unless we call you with a

change. We won't be sending out confirmation letters for the December Strand Night Markets.

New stallholders can get an application form by ringing the Rotary Markets line on 0417721822. Payments for the December Night Markets are due by the close of business on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November. If you haven't paid by then, your booking will lapse, and the site will be reallocated to another applicant.

Payments can be made at the November Night Markets by stallholders booked in to that markets. Otherwise, payments, and applications from new stallholders will be accepted at Jobtrain offices, 2/22 Hervey Range Rd, Kirwan QLD 4817, between 9 am and 3 pm during business hours. Or mail a cheque to Rotary Club of Thuringowa Central, PO Box 1370, Thuringowa Central 4812.

### Safety

All of us have the responsibility for ensuring the Markets is a safe workplace for us and our customers. If you see something that that you consider dangerous, you must immediately notify the Rotarians on duty so we can address it.

### XMAS Markets in December

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The QCCU Strand Night Markets in December will be promoted as a Christmas Markets. Rotary has an events planning team putting all the pieces in place, so we can promote the 4 December Markets as the place to be to buy XMAS presents, and have a good time. There will be all the usual Christmassy things, and we would like stallholders to get involved by decorating their stalls and dressing in a XMAS theme.