



Vanessa Aspinall, Tricia Dougan, Kerri-Ann Toner, Sonya Barraud and Elizabeth Cooper enjoying cup day.



Shannah Thomson keeps the sweep boards updated at the Town and Country.



Coral Hughes placing a bet on the cup.



Brett Murphy, Lex Oliver and Lynne Schmidt enjoy cup day at the Town and Country. Lynne and Lex won best dressed couple.



Fashions winners at the Workers Club luncheon, Brooke Grocock - best dressed lady, Tessie Illguth - best hat, and Bruce Logan - best dressed gent.



Lorraine McCarthy, Liz Malone, Rosie Buchanan and Marion Buchanan enjoying the cup day atmosphere.

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Sonoma Coal Mine, proud sponsor of the Bowen River Broncos would like to congratulate the players on a job well done at the All Black Rugby League Carnival 2010! The Bowen River Broncos team consisting of 26 males placed 3rd overall and its team of 8 female players placed 2nd overall.



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LOCAL venues hosting Melbourne Cup luncheons saw big attendances as hundreds of regular and one-time punters enjoyed the race that stops the nation.

At the Workers Club a pre-loved gowns parade and fashions in the field were highlights.

The Town and Country offered live music with Shades of Grey, fashions in the field and complementary glasses of champagne.

Both venues reported a great time had by all.

Of course there were winners and losers with one punter picking up more than \$1200 on a fixed price bet placed some time ago.

As the afternoon passed focus moved to the showgrounds for the Lions Club fair.

The younger ones enjoyed sideshow alley while mums and dads tried their luck at the Lions ham wheel.

Many also browsed the pavilion showcasing local talent.

Again there was no reports of any incidents.