Oh No! Poor Yowie got injured while crossing one of the local Kyogle LGA bridges as some are badly in need of repair and funding is slow coming by the Government. Kyogle Mayor Danielle Mulholland had to come to comfort Woodenbong's local genus of Yowie and wrap his wounds. Although usually rather infatuated the truth came out when Mrs Yowie was seen with her injured partner.

Aside this, a fun event heralded the Woodenbong 'Yowie Country' Market's 7<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebrations. The party theme excited the children and smiles all round with the little face-painted faces smiling back. The workshops had to fight the windy conditions, most affected was Dallas Franklin's Air-brushing, and due to this, he has promised to return soon.

Lots of new stalls brightened the market and many visitors gained the chance to win many gifts and stall cash vouchers. The winners were: Raffles: "Dinner for 2" at the Woodenbong Hotel Florence Maloney. The "Timber Plant Stand" donated by Max Melville WAG was Archie Clark. \$20 market voucher: Charlotte Ramplings, \$10 vouchers: Marcus Lavelle and Archie Clark. Gifts from Woodenbong Pharmacy and stallholders: Ivy Reid, John Abnett, Gloria George, Archie Clark, Narelle Anderson, Jackie Walker, Lindy Kay, Jemima Clark, Caroline Jones, Sandra Savill, Alan Walker, Denise Collins, Janelle Lambert, Marcus Lavelle and Travis Musicka.

The Woodenbong Yowie Country Market Community Committee would like to thank Kyogle LGA, Woodenbong Public Hall Trust, all visitors and the stallholders who have supported the market events over this period and hope to see you return soon. A special thanks to the Mayor for being a great sport and giving support to our local event.

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