

# **Councillor Report**

## **7<sup>th</sup> September 2010**

### **1.0 Gail Sellers**

#### **1.1 DCTC – AGM**

Councillor Butler and I attended the AGM at the new surf club at 1770. All positions were filled except for the position of President. The mood for the evening was very positive and there were some questions about the GRC work being done in the area and also a positive comment about the work already completed in the townships.

#### **1.2 Gladstone Red Cross – AGM**

These volunteers are a wonderful group of people who supply a much needed service to the region. Most people are unaware of the breadth of the service provided. There are: the Blood Service; Hospital visits; Emergency Medical Accommodation Centre maintained close to our hospital; Emergency Response; Hands On Care; Out and About; Trauma Teddies; Medical Equipment Hire; Driver Reviver; and numerous services for the elderly.

#### **1.3 Healthy Active Gladstone - Traverse Climbing Wall**

The Traverse Climbing Wall was opened on Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> August, unfortunately the weather was not kind and it was cold and wet. A small group attended the opening and it is looking as though the wall will be well used and will provide an additional attraction to the area. The wall was installed with the last of the funds from the Healthy Queensland Funding.

#### **1.4 GWSS – On-line chat**

On Monday the 30<sup>th</sup> August I engaged in an on-line chat with the Year 4 children at Gladstone West State School. This was a first; usually I attend the school and talk to the students about Local Government. I found it a little slow but the children were engaged and had interesting questions about our services and how we fund the facilities we provide.