

RUDD'S PUB – NOBBY 2010

The third annual bush poetry gathering was held October at the historic Rudd's Pub, Nobby. Important for its connection to Steele Rudd of "Dad and Dave" fame, there's a great atmosphere in this small, rural township thirty kilometres south of Toowoomba, Queensland.

Publicans Sam and Robyn Little, hosted and sponsored the event which was organized by poet Ron Selby.

Recitals of Steele Rudd stories highlighted the Saturday competition as did the magnificent trophies crafted by Ron Selby.

Brenda Joy was the only female poet present, but the judges declared it 'Ladies' Day' as she took out 'Performer of the Meet' with first places in the Steele Rudd Storytelling and in Original Poetry and second places behind Kevin Dean in the Traditional and Modern sections. Kevin also got a third in Original. The other placegetters were Alex Carmichael, Ken Hood and Brian Weir.

The fun continued on the Saturday night with resident honky tonk pianist Greg Kruger on the keys and again on Sunday morning with a poet's brekky run by Dan Thompson.

Performer of the meet, Brenda Joy (Charters Towers Qld)

Steele Rudd Story Telling

Brenda Joy

Original Poetry

1st Brenda Joy,

Traditional

1st Kevin Dea

2nd Brenda Joy

Modern

1st Kevin Dean

2nd Brenda Joy.