

**MESSAGE FROM THE PREMIER OF QUEENSLAND**

The Ramblers Post Equinox Skydiving Festival at Toogoolawah is a visual smorgasbord of action and colour in the sky.

The biennial skydiving event encompasses many disciplines of the sport and attracts over 300 Australian and international skydivers and hundreds of spectators to the Club House and Drop Zone in Toogoolawah.

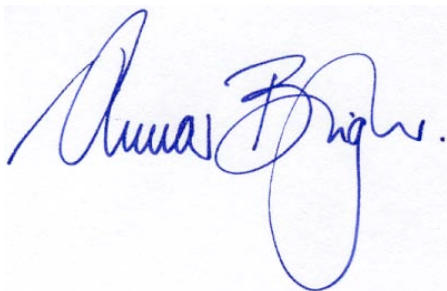
The 9-day festival will see all forms of skydiving and parachuting take place as well as night sky diving and organised evening entertainment.

The Ramblers Post Equinox Skydiving Festival is proudly supported by my Government through the Queensland Events Regional Development Program.

Regional events deliver an enormous boost to local economies – bringing in business, creating jobs, attracting tourists and fuelling growth, prosperity and a tremendous sense of pride for the host communities.

Already, the funding program has provided more than \$10 million to over 500 regional events since it started as a world-first initiative in 2001. Across the State, thousands of individuals, community groups, local councils and in some cases entire towns, put countless hours into ensuring their events are a success.

The Queensland Government is proud to share the passion and the achievements of the State's regions through this program. Enjoy the Festival and I hope you will have an opportunity to discover more of Queensland's great events in the coming year.



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