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based Mamma Lena-Dino Gustin Foundation and told his 'friends' were going to be helped with a \$20,000 grant.

"I was gobsmacked," said John.

"Earlier this year we bought an 11-seater van to service the Chinderah/Kingscliff area – thanks to chocolate frog sales – and I thought it would be some time before we could afford to buy another to service villages like Uki, in the Tweed Valley," John said.

Addressing a 'friends' breakfast in Budd Park, Murwillumbah last weekend, Rosalba Gustin – the daughter of the foundation's founders – told diners and volunteers she was very

humbled by what she has seen during her first visit to the area.

"I was told by a friend of John's plight, and the hard work put in by his volunteers, plus the good work they do.

"After some enquiries I nagged my board for assistance.

"The amount of passion I see in action, and the good being done, is phenomenal.

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**ABOVE** John Lee gives Rosalba Gustin a giant hug at the cheque presentation in Budd Park on Sunday. **BELOW** Rosalba Gustin (centre) presents the giant cheque to John Lee (right) and volunteers and friends of the organisation.



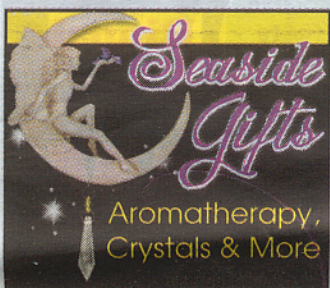
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calendar," says event organiser Colin Louwen. "We have had great support from many schools, businesses and service clubs in the region and we expect this year to be no different."

There are three events on the day – the Central Engineering



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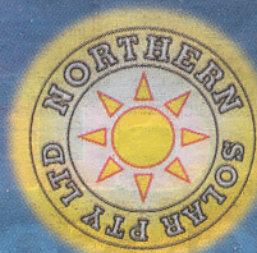


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