



Shannyn Smith, Selena Magill and Leesa Brandt. (Solana Photography: 572103_11)



chief information officer and sustainability executive at Bundaberg Brewed Drinks, Steve Caville, Scott Williamson and Roland Atherton. (Solana Photography: 572103_06)



Connie Rixon, Kirsty Wade and Lisa Hriljac from Just 4 Fun Entertainment. (Solana Photography: 572103_05)



Councillor Deb Keslake, Indigo Autumn from Gin Gin Community Radio and Jenelle Stolberg from Gin Gin. (Solana Photography: 572103_04)



Joey Caruana from the Windmill Group, Vicki Matthews from Lady Elliot Island and Hayley Peacock from Splitters Farm. (Solana Photography: 572103_03)



Incoming Bundaberg Tourism CEO Duncan Littler, Jeanette O'Brien from Moore Park and outgoing Bundaberg Tourism CEO Katherine Reid. (Solana Photography: 572103_09)



Kalki Moon's Emma Johnston, Councillor Tracey McPhee and Water Street Kitchen's Jen and Alex Cameron. (Solana Photography: 572103_12)

Warm welcome for new CEO

By Angela Norval

The Bundaberg Tourism August networking event was a wonderful opportunity to welcome new chief executive officer Duncan Littler to his role, introducing him to members and industry partners.

Duncan Littler shared in his speech on the evening, that “our role at Bundaberg Tourism is to help our tourism industry succeed by telling the region’s story, creating demand, supporting industry, advocating for our community and bringing people together.

“Because when tourism succeeds, local businesses success, communities become more vibrant and more people choose to invest, live and build their future here.

“Our opportunity isn’t simply about attracting more visitors.

“It’s about creating more value and by that, I mean encouraging people to stay longer, experience more, explore more of our region and then they leave, saying to their family and friends; you have to go to Bundaberg.”

Solana Photography was on hand to capture these images of the night.



Hinkler Aviation Museum’s Emily Duff with Kym-Maree Murphy. (Solana Photography: 572103_10)



Emma Ellul from Wild Hearted Wellbeing, Maugan Petersen from Raptair and Trish Clowes. (Solana Photography: 572103_07)



Outgoing Bundaberg Tourism CEO Katherine Reid welcomes new CEO Duncan Littler to the role. (Solana Photography: 572103_08)



Bundaberg Tourism CEO Duncan Littler shares his story with the crowd. (Solana Photography: 572103_01)



Katherine Reid addresses the crowd at the Bundaberg Tourism event. (Solana Photography: 572103_02)



Kirsty Wade from Bundaberg Tourism and Lisa Hriljac from Just 4 Fun Entertainment enjoy a catch up before the trivia begins. (Solana Photography: 572103_17)

Night was a barrel of laughs

It was a motivating afternoon on Thursday 13 August for members of the local community as they came together for Bundaberg Tourism's August networking event. Held at the Bundaberg Brewed Drinks Barrel, it was an evening of connection, conversa-

tion and friendly competition with Just 4 Fun Entertainment bringing the trivia and Little Farmhouse Bundaberg keeping everyone well fed. Solana Photography shares some of the fun of the evening.



Councillor Carmen McEneaney, Vicki Mullins from Lady Elliot Island. (Solana Photography: 572103_15)



Councillor Deb Keslake, Jeanette O'Brien from the Moore Park Beach Association and Gin Gin Tourism's Jenelle Stolberg. (Solana Photography: 572103_16)



North Burnett Regional Council, councillors Renee McGillivray and Melinda Jones. (Solana Photography: 572103_14)



Spliters Farm's Hayley Peacock, Joey Caruana from the Windmill Group and Loni Hammond. (Solana Photography: 572103_13)