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DAILY HIGHLIGHTS

- * 9.00am - 5.00pm: Farriers and Blacksmiths
- * 9.00am - 11.00am: Dairy Cattle Judging
- * 9.00am - 12.00pm: Bush Bands
- * 9.00am - 5.00pm: Dairy Goat Judging
- * 12.00pm - 5.00pm: Small Breeds Stud Beef Judging
- * 8.00pm - 9.30pm: The Rising Suns - Australian Army Band.

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LIFEFLIGHT LIFESAVERS

By Brandt and Kalil



The new LifeFlight helicopter is on display in the Channel 7 Pavilion.

The RACQ LifeFlight Rescue Service is asking Ekka goers to suggest a name for the new helicopter, an AS 350 Squirrel, which will be used to save the lives of people who find themselves in an emergency situation.

Mr Allen Brown had been a pilot but was diagnosed with an irregular heartbeat when he was 35. On 25 June 2017 he was at home on the Sunshine Coast when his heart stopped.

He was transported to hospital by LifeFlight and received treatment which saved his life.

"I don't know what happened because I was out through it all, but I know I went into the Cardiac Ward. When I woke up I was there," he said.

Allen has been a volunteer for LifeFlight for over two years since his experience.

