

# The Ekka Courier

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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.*

*The Brisbane Show Camp is a joint program of the Department of Education Queensland and the Royal National Agricultural and Industrial Association of Queensland.*

*Conducted by the Brisbane Urban Environmental Education Centre.*

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## KEEPING HISTORY ALIVE

By Will R



**The Queensland Steam and Vintage Machinery Society (QSAVMS) has a number of old farm and industrial machines on display along Gregory Terrace near the Old Museum Building.**

The large steam tractors, steam rollers and other steam farm machinery are operating each day.

“It’s important to show people how things were done back in the olden days because if we can’t show people how important history is then

history will be forgotten forever,” John Matthews, a member of the QSAVMS, said.

“I love to educate people about how steam engines work, and I like telling them all about the details of machines that we don’t make now.

“I really hope people will walk away with more knowledge than what they came with, so if I can teach everyone one thing about history that will be a great outcome,” he said.