

watching,
cooking

Tourism will fill any gap

onders at the popularity of
chef until one comes to the
on that a large number of
appear fascinated by some-
nique to them - that is,
a meal.

we will sit and watch a show
king rather than doing it.
esity epidemic in Australia
d reflection of this. The
ent that the show has
ed people's interest in
g does not mean they are
y doing it. They probably
ting in front of the TV
ing on a fat-laced take-
They would be better off
from their posteriors to
the kitchen and cook a
y meal.

Grahame Feltis, Carindale

IT is unreasonable to argue that
the economy of North Stradbroke
Island will break down if mining
stops now rather than by 2027.

Services will be sustained by
tourism growth to offset the
mining cutback, and it is unlikely
that ferry services will be much
disadvantaged. The Big Red Cat
barge is not dependent on mining
for survival since it transports
mainly tourists.

The overseas sand mining com-
pany falsely claimed that elec-
tricity charges would be increased,
a claim it had to withdraw after
Energex said it would make no
difference.

All sand mining on North
Stradbroke Island must stop now.

Angela McLeod, St Lucia

a complaint by Jennifer
Nash about references to
her in reports by *The
Courier-Mail* on March 17,
2010, about a "Your Right
to Feel Safe" Forum. The full
text of the council's decision
can be read on Page 26.

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