

National

- Queensland will have their lock down end at 6pm tonight, with wearing masks still mandatory for another 10 days.
- Northern Territory has removed "hot spot" status from Greater Brisbane.
- ACT will also lift quarantine requirements for people from Greater Brisbane, and those in quarantine will be allowed out from 2 pm.
- Victoria will reopen its boarder to regional NSW from 6pm tonight, but not to Sydney or Greater Brisbane.
- It has been confirmed that the fourth 5-day test of the international test series between Australia and India will go ahead at the GABA this weekend.
- There were concerns that it would have to be held elsewhere if the latest outbreak in Brisbane was not brought under control.

Victoria

- There have been no new cases of COVID-19 from community transmission for the 5th day in a row.
 - There is one new case from overseas, that is in quarantine.
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- At 1.40 am on Sunday firefighters were called to a house in Glen Waverly, Melbourne.
- When they arrived, they found the garage and ground floor of the two-story house completely on fire, and the house filled with smoke.
- One man was found and taken to the Alfred Hospital with serious but not life-threatening injuries.
- Unfortunately, a woman named Kaoru Okano and her 3 children were found dead, huddled in the en suit of the house.
- The cause of the fire is still unknown, police are investigating.
- The man's relationship to the family is also unknown, but it is believed he is related to them.
- Doctors had to insert a breathing tube down his throat, so he has been unable to speak to police.

Tasmania

- Last week Friday the private information of all Tasmanians who have called an ambulance since November 2020 has been posted on the internet.
- The website is still updating posting new calls and caller information as they happen.
- It appears this is being done through a breach in the Ambulance Tasmania paging system.
- The pages coming through the system contain caller personal information, condition, and call address.
- The website is over 26 000 pages long and includes mental health call outs and information of patients who are HIV positive.
- Authorities want to remind Tasmanians that it is still safe to call 000 and that you should if there is an emergency.

International

- On Saturday an Indonesian jet with 62 passengers crashed into the Java Sea shortly after take-off.
 - It is still unknown why the Boeing 737-500 crashed.
 - This is Indonesia's 3rd major plane crash in just over 6 years.
 - Indonesia's aviation market is considered the deadliest in the world.
 - Because Indonesia is made up of a group of small islands, it relies heavily in air travel for tourism.
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- A new piece of impeachment legislation will be given to the American House of Representatives Monday 11 January (their time).
- More than 200 politicians have signed their support to the articles, which charge President Trump with "inciting violence against the Government of the United States".
- If these articles are passed by the House, then it will be passed up to the Senate, with Senators acting as a jury, deciding whether to convict or acquit Trump of the charges.
- If convicted, Trump would be removed from office, and Vice President Mike Pence would take over until the end of his term which is set as the 20th of January 2021.
- A poll done last week found that 57% of Americans want President Trump removed from office immediately after what happened in the Capital Building.