# GANNAWARRANEWS



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**MAYOR** 

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• Casual Customer Service Officers For more information visit www.gsc.vic.gov.au

### **COUNCIL MEETING**

Please note that the Ordinary Council Meeting will be held Wednesday 16 May 2018 commencing at 6.30pm in the Kerang Council Chambers. Interested members of the public are welcome to attend. Agenda available 2 days prior to meeting via www.gsc.vic.gov.au

### **IMMUNISATION SESSIONS**

Maternal Child and Health Centre **COHUNA** 

Wednesday 16 May 2018

10.30am - Midday **KERANG** Gannawarra Children's Centre

> Wednesday 16 May 2018 4.00pm - 5.30pm

Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to session closing time

### PLANNING SCHEME REVIEW

Gannawarra Shire Council is undertaking a review of the Gannawarra Planning Scheme and is seeking feedback from the local community to help inform the review.

Feedback forms are available from Kerang and Cohuna Council Offices and via www.gsc.vic.gov.au

Two 'drop in' sessions will be held for community to speak to Council staff about the current and emerging issues facing the Shire.

Cohuna Community Meeting Room **COHUNA** 

> Monday 4 June 2018 10.30am - 12.30pm

**KERANG** Sir John Gorton Library Meeting Room

> Wednesday 6 June 2018 10.30am - 12.30pm

Out of hours bookings also available.

The consultation period closes 8 June 2018.

### LITTLE STREET LIBRARY

'Give a book, take a book, share a book' Gannawarra Library Service has installed a Little Street Library at the Kerang Railway Station.

The Little Street Library which was built by Brian Moore and the Kerang Men's Shed will provide a range of free books and magazines for travellers. The Gannawarra Library Service will ensure that the Little Street Library is regularly stocked and encourages the public to donate books to the street library as well.

The Street Library concept has taken off all over the world and it is estimated that there are 40,000 street libraries in more than 80 countries.

Street libraries are a brilliant place to donate, browse, borrow and share books.



### Become a Gannawarra ACE Club member



Arts Culture & Entertainment Club

and join in the fun and support all the amazing shows and events that we have within our region. We organise tickets and

transport if needed JOIN TODAY \$10 per year

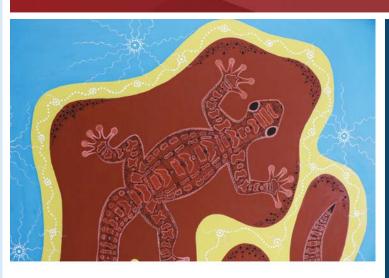
Phone Cohuna Neighbourhood House: 03 5456 4666

### **MAYOR'S MESSAGE**

Make sure you check out our new Little Street Library at the Kerang Train Station next time you are travelling. The street library is stocked full with books and magazines that you can take for free on your journey. This is such a wonderful concept that promotes reading, sharing and recycling. If you have any old books at home you can donate them directly into the little street library or take them to the Kerang Sir John Gorton Library. The Kerang Men's Shed has done a fantastic job of building the library! Coming up on May 25 we have the funny, provocative and sensitive show Lovely Lady Lump performed by comedian Lana Schwarcz. Lana was diagnosed with Breast Cancer in 2014. I encourage both men and women to go see the show. Lake Charm Hall is a small intimate venue so make sure you book quick. Tickets for this must see show are selling fast!

Today is the first of the FREE NDIS information sessions scheduled over the next month. Council have partnered with Carers Victoria to deliver these sessions which will help carers to understand what the NDIS is, who is eligible and how to prepare. The sessions are available for people living with a disability or for those caring for a child, family member or friend with a disability who may qualify for the scheme. Bookings and further information is available via Council's Community Care Department.

**MAYOR Brian Gibson** 



# **RECONCILIATION WEEK**

### Wednesday 30 May 2018

10am Flag raising and Reconciliation Walk from Kerang Council Chambers via MDAS to Atkinson Park

10.30am Atkinson Park, Kerang Community Event Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony Presentation by our Elders Tyipen Kwe Dance Performance BBQ lunch. All welcome!













### WHAT'S ON...

**MAY 15 Quambatook Social Meal MAY 15 NDIS Information Session - Intro, Kerang** 

**MAY 15** Carers Victoria 'About Us' Info Session

**MAY 16 Murrabit Social Meal MAY 16 Council Meeting, Kerang MAY 17** Leitchville Social Meal

**MAY 18 Cohuna Social Meal MAY 22 NDIS Information Session - Preparation** 

**MAY 22 Lalbert Social Meal** 

**MAY 22** Become a Volunteer BBQ - Kerang **MAY 23 National Simultaneous Storytime** 

**MAY 24** Become a Volunteer BBQ - Cohuna **MAY 25 Lovely Lady Lump - Lake Charm** 

**MAY 25 Kerang Dance Club May Dance MAY 26 Kerang Community Market** 

**MAY 26 Resin Art Masterclass** 

**MAY 27 Cohuna Farmers & Makers Market MAY 29 NDIS Information Session - Planning** 

**MAY 29 Quambatook Social Meal MAY 30 Reconciliation Week Event - Kerang** 

**MAY 30 Arts Salon - Leitchville MAY 31 Mallee Regional Assembly** 

ALL EVENT DETAILS ARE ON COUNCIL'S WEBSITE

## SUBMIT YOUR EVENT

Submit your event details to www.gsc.vic.gov.au

### **WORLD WAR ONE PHOTOS NEEDED**

Gannawarra Shire Council is calling for local residents to submit their family's World War One photos to the **Beyond** the Battle Project.

The project will result in a documentary style film and digital honour roll which will show at the Kerang Memorial Hall on Remembrance Day 2018.

There are many service men and women we still need photos for and we encourage Gannawarra Shire residents to submit photos of their relatives during the war.

All research data collected for the project, including images and documents, will become permanent record and publicly accessible through the Gannawarra Library Service. Further information on the Beyond the Battle Project

including a full missing photo list can be found on Council's

website www.gsc.vic.gov.au Photos can be emailed to kristie.dean@gannawarra.vic.gov.au or dropped into the Kerang Library for scanning.

### LEITCHVILLE ARTS SALON

Leitchville Library - 2 King Albert Avenue, Leitchville 6.00pm Wednesday 30 May, 2018 Glass of wine and nibbles provided. All welcome.

Catch up with a bunch of like-minded creatives and share your ideas with us!

This Arts Salon will focus on selecting the performing arts program for 2019 and 2020. There will also be plenty of time to meet new people and tell us about the exciting things you are doing.

This inspiring community forum is hosted by Gannawarra Shire Council and Regional Arts Victoria.

RSVP by 28 May to <a href="mailto:arts@gannawarra.vic.gov.au">arts@gannawarra.vic.gov.au</a> or phone Council on 03 5450 9333.



### **HELP US CELEBRATE VOLUNTEERS WEEK IN GANNAWARRA!**

Join us in celebrating National Volunteers Week between 21 May - 27 May. Do you want to "Give a Little. Change a Lot" in your community? We invite you to come along to our "Become a Volunteer" FREE BBQ, Kerang at Atkinson Park, 12-2pm on 22 May or Cohuna at Gateway to Gannawarra Visitor Centre, 12-2pm on 24 May to find out more about each of our volunteer programs and register! For further details, please contact Community Care on 5450 9333 | communitycare@gannawarra.vic.gov.au

