

JOB VACANCIES

- Supported Playgroup Facilitator - Temporary part time (20 hours per week)

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COUNCIL MEETING

Please note that the Ordinary Council Meeting will be held Wednesday 27 June 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

KERANG Gannawarra Children's Centre
Wednesday 6 June 2018
10.30am - 12 noon

Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to session closing time

GANNAWARRA SHIRE COUNCIL

PLAN 2017 – 2021

Proposed Councillor Adjustments

The Gannawarra Shire Council Plan 2017-2021 outlines the way Council will work towards achieving its Vision for the future - "Building upon our strengths of people, place and pride to inspire a positive future together". In accordance with section 125 of the Local Government Act 1989 (the Act), at least once in each financial year Council considers whether its current Council Plan requires any adjustment in respect of the remaining period of the Plan. At its meeting on 16 May 2018, Council resolved to endorse the 'Council Plan 2017 – 2021 – Proposed Councillor Adjustments' and invite people to make submissions. Written submissions about the 'Council Plan 2017 - 2021 – Proposed Councillor Adjustments' will be considered in accordance with section 223 of the Act and should be addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, Gannawarra Shire Council, PO Box 287, Kerang Vic 3579. Written submissions must be received at the Council Offices no later than 5:00 pm on Wednesday 13 June 2018. Any person who makes a written submission can ask to be heard by the Council in support of their submission or may be represented by a person (who is specified in their submission) to speak on their behalf. The 'Council Plan 2017 – 2021 – Proposed Councillor Adjustments' is available from Council's website, www.gsc.vic.gov.au or Kerang and Cohuna Customer Service Centres.

Tom O'Reilly

Chief Executive Officer

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 Cohuna Community Meeting Room
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.

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Last week we celebrated National Volunteers Week. I would like to thank all of our volunteers for their generous contribution to programs, services, activities and events across the Shire.

This week we celebrate National Reconciliation Week, which is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories and cultures and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. I invite you to attend our community event in Kerang this Wednesday to show your support.

We have recently received some exciting news that Gannawarra Shire Council has won the *Arts Animates – excellence in building vibrant and resilient communities* category in the 2018 National Awards for Local Government. It is a great honour for Council to win the national award which acknowledges Council's innovative approach to delivering a performing arts program in partnership with the community. I would like to acknowledge Council's Arts and Culture Officer, Kirsty Orr who works closely with the community to host and deliver high quality events and performances within Gannawarra. Winning this award is also recognition for our communities that have participated in the program!

Council and Regional Arts Victoria will host an Arts Salon at Leitchville this Wednesday evening which will decide on community direction for the 2019 and 2020 performance program. I encourage all those interested in arts, culture and events to attend.

Thursday we will host the Mallee Regional Assembly. This is a wonderful opportunity to showcase the local area and discuss innovative ideas. I look forward to hearing ideas and feedback from the community.

MAYOR Brian Gibson

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PUBLIC HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Council Services will be closed Monday 11 June 2018 for the Queen's Birthday public holiday. For after-hours animal/livestock emergencies please call the Local Laws Officer on duty 0428 500 212



RECONCILIATION WEEK EVENT

Wednesday 30 May 2018, Kerang

10.00am Flag Raising and Reconciliation Walk from Council Chambers past NDCH and MDAS to the Sir John Gorton Library.

10.30am Community Event at Sir John Gorton Library featuring Welcome to Country, Smoking Ceremony, didgeridoo, storytelling and Typen Kwe dance performance.

FREE barbeque. All welcome!

MURRAY FARM TO PLATE PROGRAM

Gannawarra Shire Council is encouraging our local producers, café and restaurant owners, hospitality businesses and those connected to the food service industry to attend one of the below Murray Farm to Plate Program workshops.

ECHUCA Radcliffe's
2.00pm - 5.00pm Wednesday 6 June 2018
SWAN HILL Murray Downs Golf & Country Club
2.00pm - 5.00pm Wednesday 13 June 2018

For more information on the FREE Murray Farm to Plate Program workshop please call Council's Tourism Officer on 03 5450 9333 or see Council's Facebook post.



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WHAT'S ON...

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
MAY 31	Leitchville Social Meal
JUNE 02	Murrabit Country Market
JUNE 08	Barook Social Meal
JUNE 11	Kerang Poultry Auction
JUNE 12	Carers Support Group - Kerang
JUNE 12	Lake Charm Social Meal
JUNE 12	Quambatook Social Meal
JUNE 13	Murrabit Social Meal
JUNE 14	Kerang Social Meal
JUNE 14	Leitchville Social Meal
JUNE 15	Cohuna Social Meal
JUNE 19	NDIS Info Session - Plan Management
JUNE 19	Lalbert Social Meal
JUNE 22	Leitchville Kinder Night Market - Cohuna
JUNE 22	Kerang Dance Club June Dance
JUNE 24	Cohuna Farmers and Makers Market

ALL EVENT DETAILS ARE ON COUNCIL'S WEBSITE

SUBMIT YOUR EVENT

Event organisers across the Gannawarra Shire are encouraged to submit their arts, culture and tourism events for consideration to be featured in the next Gannawarra Tourism and Events brochure. The Spring 2018/Summer 2019 edition will cover events taking place from the first of September 2018 through to the end of February 2019. Submit your event details to www.gsc.vic.gov.au by 5pm June 29, 2018.

Become a Gannawarra ACE Club member



Gannawarra
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



GANNAWARRA DELIVERED MEALS PROGRAM - MEALS ON WHEELS

Gannawarra Shire Council offers shire residents the choice of affordable hot/cold daily meals or frozen meals delivered to your door, Monday - Friday in Kerang and Cohuna. We also deliver frozen meals to residents in surrounding towns within the shire. Meals on Wheels is so much more than just a meal, it offers three services in one; a meal delivered to your door, a safety and wellbeing check and our friendly service brings people together by increasing social connectivity. Call 5450 9333 for further information.