GANNAWARRANEWS



EMPLOYMENT VACANCIES

- Accounts Receivable Finance Office Full-time
- Move It Project Officer Contract (long term)
- Pool Supervisor, Kerang Exercise Pool -Permanent part-time
- Early Childhood Educators Casual

For more information, visit www.gsc.vic.gov.au/jobs

IMMUNISATION SESSIONS

Maternal & Child Health Centre **COHUNA**

Wednesday, 18 March 2020

10.30am - 12noon

KERANG Gannawarra Children's Centre Wednesday, 18 March 2020

4.00pm - 5.30pm

Please arrive at least 15 minutes prior to session closing time For more details, visit www.gsc.vic.gov.au/immunisation

COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary meeting of Council will be held on Wednesday, 18 March 2020 at 6.30pm in the Council Chambers, Kerang. Interested members of the public are welcome to attend.

The agenda will be available two days prior to the meeting at www.gsc.vic.gov.au/meetings



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SURVEY

Thank you to the close to 300 people who have completed Council's Community Engagement Survey. The 10-minute survey asks people how they receive information from Council, how people communicate with Council and what information people would like to receive from Council.

Residents can complete the survey before Friday, 13 March by visiting www.gsc.vic.gov.au, where there is a link on the home page, or by collecting a copy from one of Council's Customer Service Centres or Gannawarra Library Service branches.

Residents can also complete the survey at listening post sessions occurring on Thursday, 12 March at Koondrook (8.30am-9.30am outside the Koondrook Post Office) and Kerang (12 noon-1pm outside the Council Chambers).

All feedback received will assist with the development of the Community Engagement Strategy 2020-2025.

TEMPORARY LAKE CLOSURE

Notice is hereby given that Lake Charm will be closed to the public from 7am to 6.30pm on Saturday, 21 March and 7am to 12 noon on Sunday, 22 March.

The purpose of the lake closure is for Ski Racing Victoria 2019/20 Point Score 4 event.

Information about the exemptions made under Section 203 of the Marine Safety Act 2010 is available at www.gsc.vic.gov.au

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

I would like to extend a warm welcome to fellow Yarran Ward representative, Cr Andrew Gibbs. Cr Gibbs will be sworn in to the role on Tuesday, 10 March, and attend his first official Council meeting on 18 March. This now means Council is back to its full quota of seven Councillors.

I recently had the pleasure of visiting the recently completed female sporting facilities at the Macorna Recreation Reserve and Riverside Park, Kerang. These facilities will provide a boost to our female sports participants this football and netball season.

I encourage those involved in the farming sector to take part in the AgriSafe program by booking an appointment through Northern District Community Health. Farmer health is an important issue, especially during these uncertain times.

Finally, if you have not completed a Community Engagement Survey, please do so by Friday, 13 March. This is your chance to have your say on how Council interacts with you. Details are on the left-hand side of this edition of Gannawarra News.

Kind regards, Mayor Lorraine Learmonth

MAYOR LORRAINE LEARMONTH



Australia's Shipwrecks, Kerang

Social Meal – Lake Charm

Social Meal – Murrabit

Barapa Making Steps for Climate Change, First Reedy

Social Meal – Koondrook

Detox Your Home, Kerang

Social Meal – Quambatook

Cohuna Farmers & Makers

Social Meal - Leitchville

Cohuna A.P. & H. Show,

Social Meal - Cohuna

Social Meal – Kerang

HOW DOES YOUR CHILD SEE YOU?

Council is proud to be hosting I See You Like This on Wednesday, April 1 at Kerang's Sir John Gorton Library. I See You Like This is a fun bonding experience between parents and children aged 5-12 years that allows children to turn the camera back on their parents, seeing them through the lens of their own imaginations.

This special event will be held between 10am and 3pm, with each session running for 45 minutes.

Admission is \$20 for one adult and up to two children. For bookings, visit www.trybooking.com/BHFVL or call into

PUBLIC NOTICE: KOONDROOK RESERVE, **SWIMMING POOL NAME CHANGES**

Council is inviting residents to provide their feedback regarding proposed name changes to the Koondrook Environmental Reserve and Koondrook Swimming Pool. Council is proposing to rename the Koondrook Environmental Reserve - bordered by Koondrook-Murrabit Road, Penglase Street and View Street - to the Sidney Reid Reserve.

Council is also seeking to change the name of the Koondrook Swimming Pool to Willow Park Reserve. Any person wishing to submit feedback can do so by providing their feedback in writing via email to council@gannawarra.vic.gov.au, deliver in person at Gannawarra Shire Council offices located at 47 Victoria Street, Kerang or 23-25 King Edward Street, Cohuna or by post to PO Box 287, Kerang VIC 3579.

Submissions close at 5pm on Monday, 30 March 2020. TOM O'REILLY

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

WHAT'S ON...

CURRENT TO BreastScreen Victoria van visit, 13 MARCH Kerang Submerged: Stories of

CURRENT TO 24 MARCH

10 MARCH

11 MARCH

12 MARCH

13-14 MARCH

13 MARCH

14 MARCH 17 MARCH

19 MARCH

21 MARCH

22 MARCH

20-21 MARCH

Council's Customer Service Centres at Cohuna and Kerang.

Market 24 MARCH Social Meal – Lalbert

Lake

Cohuna

24 MARCH Social Meal – Macorna

27 MARCH **Disability & Carer Expo** 28 MARCH **Kerang Community Market** 28 MARCH **Black Swan Creek Marathon,**

Gunbower to Cohuna

Event details can be found on Council's Website **SUBMIT YOUR EVENT**

Want to see your event featured here? Submit your event details to Council's website www.gsc.vic.gov.au

PUBLIC NOTICE: COMMUNITY HALLS COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

An Ordinary Meeting of the Gannawarra Shire Council's Community Halls Committee will be held at the Koroop Hall, Koroop Road, Koroop on Monday, 16 March 2020 at 7:30 pm. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

TOM O'REILLY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER





Looking for disability or carer support services available in our local area? Come along to the Gannawarra Disability & Carers Expo on Friday, 27 March, 11am-2pm, Kerang Memorial Hall.