

## **COUNCIL COLUMN**

### **COUNCIL MEETING**

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held, Wednesday, 8 July, at Council's Chambers, commencing at 5.30 pm.

Following the lifting of the COVID-19 Restrictions, Council has resumed meeting in the Chambers with a maximum of four (4) members of the public in attendance. The meetings will no longer be live streamed, however an audio recording will be uploaded the following day.

### **GYM AND PARK EQUIPMENT ASSET SALE**

Council is disposing of a range of gym and park equipment due to upgrades and renovations. **Submissions close at 17:00 on Wednesday 8 July 2020.** Offers will be assessed and successful bidders notified by Friday 10 July 2020. For more information on the sale visit [www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/expressions-of-interest](http://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/expressions-of-interest)

### **INTRODUCTION OF ANNUAL PERMITS FOR NON-DESEXED CATS AND DANGEROUS/RESTRICTED DOGS**

The NSW Government is introducing annual permits for non-desexed cats and restricted and dangerous dogs as part of its commitment to promoting responsible pet ownership and improving animal welfare standards. From 1 July 2020 owners of cats not desexed by four months of age will be required to pay an \$80 annual permit in addition to their one-off lifetime pet registration fee.

It's simple to avoid them – just register your cat before 1 July and choose a non-restricted dog breed. Find out more:

[www.olg.nsw.gov.au/.../respo.../nsw-pet-registry/annual-permits/](http://www.olg.nsw.gov.au/.../respo.../nsw-pet-registry/annual-permits/)

### **PESTICIDE USE NOTIFICATION - PRIORITY WEED CONTROL**

In accordance with Part 5 of the Pesticide Regulation 2017, Narromine Shire Council wishes to inform the community of the following pesticide are used by staff on Council property.

(Please note the time periods indicate the planned duration, but activities may occasionally occur outside each period). Council will be performing weed control from **1 July 2020 to 30**

**December 2020** in the following locations.

- Urban and rural road & laneway verges
- Drains & other easements
- Macquarie & Bogan River foreshores
- Sporting Ovals
- Council Parks and gardens
- Cemeteries
- Reserves
- Council assets (land)

**Council are controlling the following weeds;** African Boxthorn, Bathurst & Noogoora Burr, Galvanised Burr, Johnson Grass, Tiger Pear, Coolatai Grass, Green Cestrum, St Johns Wort, Bridal Creeper, Silverleaf Nightshade, Spiny Burr Grass, Blue Heliotrope. All broad leaf pests relating to Parks and Garden activities

**The follow products are being used;**

- **Grazon Extra ( 300 g/L Triclopyr, 100 g/L Picloram, 8 g/L Aminopyralid )**

- Safari 600EC ( 600 g/L Triclopyr )
- Pulse ( 1020 g/L Polyether modified polysiloxane )
- Enviro Dye ( Diazo Dyestuff )
- Wipe-out Accelerate ( 540 g/L Glyphosate )
- Brushoff ( 600g/kg Metsulfuron-methyl )
- 2-4D Amine 625 ( 625g/L 2-4D Present as Dimethylamine and DiethanolamineSalts )

**Note:** Signage will be displayed whilst application is taking place and will remain there until the re-entry period has expired (if applicable) in accordance with the Narromine Shire Councils Pesticide Use Notification Plan.

For further information contact Narromine Shire Councils Biosecurity Officer – Weeds on (02) 6889 9999

### **SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES**

Looking for something to do these School Holidays? Both the Narromine Aviation Museum and Wungunja Cultural Centre in Trangie are OPEN! For more information on things to see and do in the Narromine Region visit <https://narromineregion.com.au/things-to-see-and-do>

### **ADD YOUR EVENT TO NARROMINEREGION.COM.AU**

The Narromine region plays host to a variety of fun and exciting events throughout the year including market days, aviation spectaculars, agricultural show, country races, community fundraisers and much more. Did you know you can list your event on [narromineregion.com.au](https://narromineregion.com.au) for FREE? Visit <https://narromineregion.com.au/add-my-event> to add your event.

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