

SHIRE COUNCIL

COUNCIL COLUMN - WEDNESDAY 23 AUGUST 2023

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held **Wednesday**, **13 September 2023** at Council's Chambers, commencing at 5.30 pm.

CELEBRATING VOLUNTEERS IN THE NARROMINE REGION

Council would like to thank all of the volunteer-driven organisations in the Narromine Region. Please join us for a delicious morning tea from 10.00 am on Friday 25 August 2023 at Council's Chambers, where we can say thank you on behalf of the entire community, all volunteers are welcome. Please RSVP by calling Council on 6889 9999 or email your RSVP to mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au

MOBILE ORAL HEALTH SERVICE - TRANGIE

Western NSW Local Health District Mobile Oral Health Van will be visiting Trangie every **Tuesday and Thursday commencing from 9:30 am – 3:00 pm**. The Oral Health Van will be located adjacent to Trangie Memorial Hall in Dandaloo Street. To make an appointment call 1800 552 626 or call in when the service is in town.

BEWARE OF SWOOPING MAGPIES

All residents are reminded that it is **magpie breeding season** and magpies are actively protecting their nests. There are many reports of magpies on the swoop, please be cautious when out walking and riding bikes. You can read more information about magpies at https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/magpie-advice

NARROMINE TOWN FLOODPLAIN RISK MANAGEMENT STUDY & PLAN

Council is progressing with the next stage of its Narromine Town Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan. Engineering consultant Stantec has been engaged by Council to undertake this work which involves a detailed feasibility and design. Currently the consultant is undertaking survey and geotechnical investigations of the existing levee and proposed footprint of an extended levee. Adjacent residents and landholders that may be impacted have been notified of the work underway. To find out more about the process please visit: <u>https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/review-NFRMSP</u>

APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE/DONATIONS - NOW OPEN

Council is currently calling for any requests for donations, sponsorship and the waiver of Council fees and charges from community groups and organisations based in the Narromine Local Government Area. The eligibility criteria and application form is found within Donations, Sponsorships & Waiver of Fees & Charges Policy available on Council's website at www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/community/grants Applications can either emailed to mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au or posted to the General Manager, Narromine Shire Council, PO Box 115, Narromine NSW 2821. For any queries, please contact Council's Customer Service & Payments Centre on 6889 9999.

TOMINGLEY GOLD COMMUNITY FUND

Alkane's Tomingley Gold Project Community Fund provides financial support for projects that contribute to community life within the Narromine Shire. Applications will close 4 September 2023 for further information, or to download an application form please visit: www.alkane.com.au/TGOFund or contact Dave Pritchard Community Manager at Tomingley Gold Operations, on 02 6867 9780 or at info@tomingleygold.com.au.

PUBLIC NOTICE - BURRAWAY STREET FOOTPATH CONSTRUCTION

Narromine Shire Council advises residents that construction to improve the footpath along Burraway Street is underway. Construction work includes a new concrete footpath. Minor pedestrian disruption may be experienced during this period.

AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS EVERY MONDAY AFTERNOON

After school sports every Monday at **3:15 pm**, Narromine Sports and Fitness Centre. All school aged children are welcome - activities include: laser tag, roll-a- ball, basketball, hockey, soccer, league tag, frisbee, mini golf and athletics. Please note all children must be signed in and out by parent and/or guardian at drop off and collection. More information via social media or contact Council's Sport & Recreation Coordinator, Kaitlin 6889 9999 or via email <u>kbutcher@narromine.nsw.gov.au</u>

ROAD CLOSURES and ROAD SAFETY

Up to date road closures and information is available on Council's website, by phoning council or via social media channels. Motorists are reminded to proceed with caution on all roads. For information about Narromine Shire Council's roads go to <u>www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions</u> All live updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for all Council and NSW roads are now available via **LiveTraffic.** Download the app today or visit <u>www.livetraffic.com/</u> In life threatening situations call 000 (Triple Zero) for emergency help in floods call the NSW SES on 132 500.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES WITH COUNCIL – JOIN OUR TEAM

Narromine Shire Council is currently offering a variety of opportunities to grow, develop and progress your career, please visit Council's website for more information <u>www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/employment</u>

WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE NARROMINE REGION

Narromine Show 1 & 2 September 2023 for more information visit: www.narromineshow.com/ NSWVGA Sand Green Fourball Championships, 16-17 October 2023, for more information https://www.nswvga.com.au/cms/ The Narromine Dolly Parton Festival, 30 September 2023, for more information and ticketing visit: www.dollyfestivalnarromine.com/ Mungery Picnic Races, 1 October 2023 National Aerobatic Championships, 4-7 October 2023 World Gliding Championships, 2-16 December 2023 More events can be found by visiting www.narromineregion.com.au/calendar

TRANGIE TRUCK WASH IS CLOSED FOR UPGRADE

Trangie Truck Wash is currently closed as Council modifies the facility for a safer work environment at the site. The Narromine Truck Wash facility on Gainsborough Road is available and open for use.

NSW AMBULANCE CLINICAL VOLUNTEERS

Clinical Volunteers are needed to join NSW Ambulance Trangie, to find out more please call the NSW Ambulance Clinical Volunteer Coordination Centre on 0427 165 681 or email AMBULANCE-ClinicalVolunteers@health.nsw.gov.au

NARROMINE'S COMMUNITY RECYCLING STATION

Narromine's Recycling Cabinet is available in Council's Customer Service and Payments Centre, here residents are able to dispose of used smoke detectors, household batteries, ink cartridges and mobile phones. t's all part of a nationwide recycling scheme, turning old products into new.

Jane Redden General Manager