

OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS GROWTH

Council will facilitate an economic growth forum in Gundagai on Tuesday, 9 October, 2018 at the Council Chambers and in Cootamundra on Wednesday, 10 October, 2018 at the Alby Schultz Meeting Centre, at 6pm in both venues. Council is extending an invitation to members of the community who have an interest in the economic growth of the area to attend and offer suggestions as to how Council can assist in achieving such an objective. The purpose of this forum is to bring together real estate agents, builders commercial property owners and investors along with those interested in promoting economic growth in the council region particularly in our towns. Through exchanging ideas and information investment, business and economic opportunities may be identified. CGRC Councillor Cr Charlie Sheahan has initiated the forums providing a great opportunity for professionals and entrepreneurs to create stronger and better working relationships with Council, Councillors and staff. Business owners, developers, builders, tradespersons and real estate representatives are particularly encouraged to attend. To register contact Linda Wiles or Marianne McInerney by 5 October, 2018 on 1300 459 689.

LONE PINE REMEMBERED

The planting of an Aleppo Pine in the War Memorial Teardrop section of Cootamundra's Albert Park was held recently. Members of the Cootamundra RSL Sub Branch, and staff from Council planted the tree to commemorate all who have fallen in the First World War and marking the end of the



four year commemoration period – 1914-1918. CGRC applied to the Australian War Memorial for two trees, one which has been planted in another section of Albert Park and is part of Councils commitment to succession planting of significant trees within the council area.



Small Business Month

ECONOMIC GROWTH FORUMS

Gundagai - 9th October 2018, 6pm-8pm
 Council Chambers, Gundagai

Cootamundra - 10 October 2018, 6pm-8pm
 Alby Schultz Centre, Cootamundra

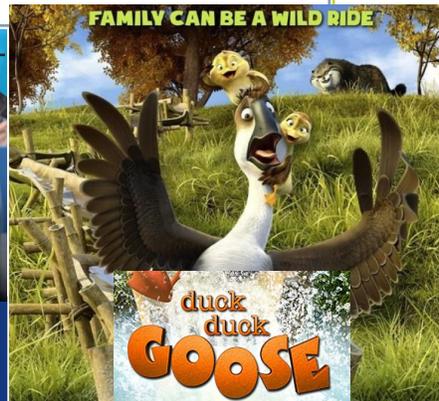
JUST FOR TRADIES! DIGITAL MARKETING AND GETTING PAID ON TIME! FREE WORKSHOP

Cootamundra - 11 October 2018, 7am-8.30am,
 Sutton Street Store, Cootamundra
Gundagai - 11 October 2018 6pm-7.30pm Family
 Hotel, 213 Sheridan Street, Gundagai

10 STEPS TO STARTING A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS FREE WORKSHOP

Presenter David Yeates, Business Advisor, BEC
Gundagai - 17 October 2018, 7am-8.30am
 Hope's Place, 224 Sheridan Street, Gundagai
Cootamundra - 17 October 2018 5.30pm-7pm
 Planted, 29 Wallendoon Street, Cootamundra

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FAMILY CAN BE A WILD RIDE

duck duck GOOSE

COOTAMUNDRA ARTS CENTRE
 FRIDAY 5 OCTOBER 2018 10.30AM
 TUESDAY 9 OCTOBER 2018 2PM
 THURSDAY 11 OCTOBER 2018 10.30AM
 TICKETS \$10
 PLEASE BE SEATED 5 MINS PRIOR TO START



AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL BUSKING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sat October 27th

10 A.M. - 4.00 P.M.

FINALS CONCERT
 GUNDAGAI SERVICES CLUB
 5-6PM
 LIVE MUSIC FROM 7PM
 TILL LATE
 THE STRING FAMILY BAND

Presented by Gundagai Regional Enhancement Group, our Sponsors & Supporters




RURAL (aid) Buy a Bale donation barrels are available at Council offices, libraries and VIC's.



BATTLE ON THE BIDGEE

12th, 13th & 14th October 2018
GUNDAGAI SHOWGROUNDS

3-DAY STOCKMAN'S CHALLENGE

- BAREBACK • STOCK HANDLING • SHOEING • WHIPCRACK • CROSS COUNTRY & PACK SADDLE • STRIPLING STOCKMAN'S CHALLENGE EVENT •

Exhibition of Centenary of Australian Light Horse Campdraft - Quick Shear

FINALS SUNDAY WILD HORSE CATCH - NEW FINAL FORMAT with Working Cow Program for Ladies & Novices category

Weekend Entertainment: KBHCC BRUMBY CHALLENGE

Weekend Events: QUICK SHOE, KIDS GYMKHANA, POLY BUCKJUMP, STEER RIDE, LIVE ENTERTAINMENT/DJ, CALF RIDE, TRADE STALLS



COOTAMUNDRA WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT

Work has commenced on the replacement of Cootamundra's aging water main network. The project funding has been sourced from the Stronger Communities Fund, an initiative of the NSW Government and administered by Council and is part of Councils SCF major projects program. The project commenced in Florence Street with Killard Infrastructure using a non-destructive digging (NDD) method to locate services. The NDD method significantly reduces the chance of damaging underground utilities.

Residents are invited to view concept plans for the **proposed playground to be constructed in Jubilee Park Cootamundra**. The playground is being constructed under CGRC Stronger Communities Fund Major Project Program, administered by Council and an initiative of the NSW State Government. Concept plans are on public display at Council Administration Offices and website. Council will receive written submissions until 5pm Tuesday 2 October 2018.

COUNCIL MEETING - the next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Tuesday 30 October 2018 in the Alby Schultz Centre, Cooper Street, Cootamundra.



Crocodile Encounters

Thursday
 11 October
 Gundagai Library 9.30am
 Cootamundra Library 12.30pm

OPERATIONS REPORT

Construction work continues on the Cootamundra Saleyards Truck Wash upgrade. The base of the new concrete holding basins has been poured with work now focused on construction of the walls. Funding for this project is from the 'Fixing Country Truck Washes Program'. While these works are underway the truck wash facilities will be closed. Works crews in Cootamundra have been in Yass Road adjacent to the new fuel depot. The new kerb along Yass Road up to Rodeo Drive has been constructed. Pavement works are underway to replace the pavement along the road shoulder which will form the turning lanes into the fuel depot. Sealing of the road pavement is due the first week of October. Maintenance grading is now underway in the Wallendbeen and Brawlin areas. Crews have been working on Cooininee, Yammatree, Hines, and Haynes Roads. As conditions



permit works are expected to move to the Jindalee area. Some drainage works have been completed on Redford's Road. Bitumen shire road maintenance continues around the shire area as required. Weed spraying and roadside slashing is underway along various bitumen shire roads. Maintenance works have been undertaken on Millvale Road on the abutments to the Felix Fallon Bridge. Installation of decking timbers on the new Morley's Creek fishing jetting is progressing. Works will be commencing on drainage works in Cooper Street adjacent to the Public School over the school holidays. Additional road works have been undertaken at the Gundagai Sewerage Treatment Plant with the

placement of erosion protection along the pond banks continuing. Parks Staff have completed maintenance works on the irrigation at Stockinbingal Recreation Ground. Irrigation systems were inspected and tested with 7 sprinklers requiring replacement. All stations are now working and ready for summer. A burst pipe was repaired in the Albert Park irrigation system. Staff also assisted the RSL sub branch with the planting of a new Lone Pine at the Albert Park cenotaph. Staff are currently conducting playground audits around Gundagai parks. Cootamundra CBD gardens have been receiving extra attention due to the warmer spring weather. Newly planted street trees around Cootamundra, Wallendbeen and Stockinbingal were watered. Nicholson Park was line marked for the NRL junior league school event, as well as Anzac Park line marking completed for school Under 10's rugby league match. The wickets at Clarke Oval and Barry Grace Oval have been uncovered in preparation for the upcoming cricket season. Cootamundra airport was again a hive of activity for the Jet Multimedia car event, staff assisted with preparation of the area and the delivery of extra event bins. Extra preparation works were carried out at the Ellwood Hall at Stockinbingal. Mowing, extra event bins, delivery of new cabinets and topping up the sand pit for the market day was carried out. Barry Grace Oval buildings have been freshened up with some external painting around the timber work and the roof at Wallendbeen Tennis Club was repaired to prevent any further water leaks. Work has commenced on the concrete slabs for the new fitness equipment and rage cage to be installed in Wallendbeen. In addition to the usual parks and property maintenance undertaken, parks staff also responded to a large bee swarm that required removal for the safety of school children.



ARTC InlandRail
Community Consultation

STOCKINBINGAL
 FRIDAY 5 OCTOBER 2018 - 4PM-7PM
 ELWOOD HALL, 32 MARTIN STREET
 STOCKINBINGAL

COOTAMUNDRA
 SATURDAY 6 OCTOBER 2018 - 9AM-12PM
 DICKSON HALL, 24A COOPER STREET
 COOTAMUNDRA

For bookings and further session times and venues visit www.inlandrail.com.au or phone 1800 732 761



The Heritage Rooms at Ellwood Hall, Stockinbingal were official opened by Steph Cooke MP recently. The opening was held in conjunction with the Stockinbingal Markets. Congratulations to the hardworking Ellwood Hall committee.

POSITIONS VACANT

**CASUAL CUSTOMER SERVICE OFFICER
 COOTAMUNDRA/GUNDAGAI**

This is an opportunity for someone with excellent customer relation skills who relishes public interaction and thrives on the challenge of providing outstanding customer service. This position will provide relief at both Council Administration Centres in Cootamundra and Gundagai as required.

Benefits: Salary of \$29.14 per hour plus 25% casual loading. Choice of Superannuation fund. Further information and a Position Description is available on Council's website www.cgrc.nsw.gov.au.

Applications, addressed to the General Manager should be submitted by 5pm on **Sunday 7th October 2018** by post to Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council, PO Box 420, Cootamundra NSW 2590, delivered to Council's offices or by email to mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au

CASUAL CLEANER

Expression of Interest are invited from individuals for the Cleaning of Council buildings in Cootamundra and Gundagai. The role will include working in a relief capacity to Councils Building Services Attendant in the cleaning of a number of buildings throughout the Council area on a casual basis. Closing date for submissions of Expressions of Interest will be **5pm, 12 October 2018** and should be made on the Casual Application Form available from Councils website of Offices. Submissions should be addressed to the General Manager, Cootamundra-Gundagai Regional Council, PO Box 420, Cootamundra NSW 2590, delivered to Council's offices at Cootamundra or Gundagai or emailed to mail@cgrc.nsw.gov.au. Please contact Human Resources on 1300 459 689 for further information.

Grandparents Day
Beeswax Food Wrap Workshop
 Gundagai Library
 October 24 10.30am - 12.30pm
 FREE for Grandparents - Please phone 0269440270 for a booking

GUNDAGAI LIBRARY
Rochelle Nicholls
 Author
 Thursday
 25 October 2018
 6.00pm

MIRABOOKA PRESENTS CHILDREN'S WEEK
FUN IN THE PARK
 GUNDAGAI LIBRARY - CARBERRY PARK
 FRIDAY OCTOBER 26
 5-8PM

INSTALLATION OF IRRIGATION AT COOTAMUNDRA GOLF COURSE

Council is seeking, from suitably qualified and experienced irrigation practitioners, an Expression of Interest (EOI) to work with Council and the Cootamundra Country Club to construct an automatic irrigation system at the Cootamundra Golf Course, located at the corner of Hurley and Poole Streets, Cootamundra.

Closing Date/Time 10/10/2018 2:00 p.m.
<https://www.tenderlink.com/cgrc/>

Councillors: Mayor Abb McAlister, Deputy Mayor Dennis Palmer, Cr Leigh Bowden, Cr David Graham, Cr Gil Kelly, Cr Penny Nicholson, Cr Doug Phillips, Cr Charlie Sheahan, Cr Craig (Stewie) Stewart