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MAYORS MESSAGE - COVID 19

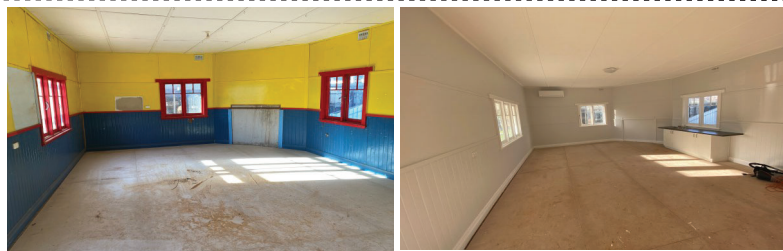
Residents will be aware of the stay at home order issued under NSW Health Orders. I would ask all to comply with the requirement of the order. Recent events in Hillston have demonstrated the effectiveness of the QR codes and contact tracing.

I would ask residents consider vaccinations and contact the Hillston Medical Centre to make an appointment. Council is continually lobbying for additional vaccines to be made available for our residents. I have had the first injection and hope all our people will do the same.

Finally should you exhibit any flu like symptoms or believe you have been exposed to the virus please get tested.

NSW Health Hotline: 1800 831 099

NSW Health Website: www.health.nsw.gov.au



Before

After



Renovated Outside

OLD CARRATHOOL SHIRE COUNCIL CHAMBERS - GOOLGOWI

In 2021, after being vacant for almost 20 years, Carrathool Shire Council undertook renovation works on the old Carrathool Shire Council Chambers building in Goolgowi. The building restoration work is almost complete. The aim of the project was to make the building safe and secure and was made possible by grant funding to Council from the NSW Government.

General Manager Rick Warren said today that "Now that work is almost complete Council welcomes any enquires from local groups who may want to use this significant community assets with strong links to our past"

Work on the building included; a new roof, veranda, painting, electrical re-wiring, carpet cleaning and replacement, and the addition of air-conditioning.

COVID-19 VACCINATIONS AVAILABLE AT HILLSTON MEDICAL CENTRE

Both Astrazeneca and Pfizer vaccines available.

Please consider getting your vaccinations.

For appointments contact the Hillston Medical Centre on **Phone: (02) 6967 2198**



CARRATHOOL SHIRE COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Jade Neale and Charly Mott are recent recipients of the Charles Sturt University Carrathool Shire Councils Scholarship.

The scholarships are awarded at the CSU Foundation Trust Scholarship Ceremonies held across all campuses during the Scholarship Ceremony fortnight.

Applicants for the Carrathool Shire Council Scholarship are students studying in any year, any course, on any Charles Sturt campus. Applicants to be a long term resident or have attended majority of their schooling within the Carrathool Local Government Area.



Jade Neale (above)
Charly Mott (below)



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MEETING MATTERS

Community Grants Scheme 2021/22 Recipients

Council receive 20 applications for the 2021/22 Community Grants Scheme. Council has resolved to grant a total of \$22,192.62 to the successful applicants.

Australian Citizenship Ceremonies — Postponed

Council was set to welcome 10 conferees at the August meeting, but the Citizenship Ceremonies were postponed to comply with the NSW Health Orders.

Flood Damage 2019 Update

Under the Disaster Relief Funding Arrangements (DRFA) residents will start to notice significant roadworks being completed under this funding. Council is working closely with the community to be certain there is as little interruption as possible for road users, especially during the harvest. seasons.



McRaes Road
May 2019



McRaes Road
July 2021



Pleasant Valley Way
July 2021

INFRASTRUCTURE NEWS

JACKSONS BRIDGEWORKS

Council wishes to advise that bridgeworks on the Mossgiel Road (Jacksons Bridge) commenced on Monday 5 July, 2021. This work is anticipated to take thirty (30) weeks to complete, weather permitting.

For the full facts including restrictions and detours please visit Councils website:

<https://www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au/news/changed-traffic-conditions-jacksons-bridge>



Progress Photos



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POSITIONS VACANT

CASUAL AGED CARE FIELD OFFICERS

Council is seeking suitably qualified and motivated individuals for Casual Aged Care Field Officer positions, and encourages Expressions of Interest.

CASUAL POOL ATTENDANT – BRSPA212-21

Council is seeking energetic and self-motivated individuals to undertake casual lifeguard duties for the upcoming summer season (2021/22) at the Hillston and Goolgowi Swimming Pools.

Applications Close 4.00pm Friday 17 September

All information is available on Councils Website please visit: www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au/council/positions-vacant

You must be an Australian Citizen or hold permanent residency, (proof must be provided with your application), to be eligible for this position.

Carrathool Shire Council is an equal opportunity employer and values diversity.

PUBLIC NOTICE

HOME CARE SERVICES DURING STAY-AT-HOME RESTRICTIONS

In line with advice from the Government, Carrathool Shire Council's Multi Service Outlet will continue to provide essential services to our community.

Essential services include:

- Personal Care
- Meals (Delivered to the home)
- Transport (Trips for essential shopping and medical appointments)
- Domestic Assistance (General house cleaning and delivery of groceries essential shopping)
- Shopping (assistance with delivery of essential shopping)
- Home Maintenance (Gardening and repairs for health, safety and security of the premises or client)

If you are aged over 65, there is currently no wait time for assistance, simply contact My Aged Care on 1800 200 422 for more information and we can begin services right away, ensuring you have the help you need during this time.

For information on the services we provide and how we can help you, please contact the Hillston Office on (02) 6961 7600 or visit Councils website.

ESSENTIAL SERVICES ARE STILL AVAILABLE IN OUR COMMUNITY

 Personal Care	 Meal Delivery	 Community Transport
 Domestic Assistance	 Essential Shopping	 Home Maintenance



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ADVERTISEMENTS CONT.

DEVELOPMENT PROPOSALS

In accordance with Council's Exhibition and Notification Policy 109, Council hereby provides Notice of the proposed development.

The following development applications have been lodged with Council for further information or to view all the documents please visit Councils Website: www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au/planning/public-exhibition

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION DA2022/005

LOT 90 DP756041

MURRUMBIDGEE RIVER ROAD, CARRATHOOL

Council has received a Development Application for Subdivision on Lot:90 DP:756041, Murrumbidgee River Road, Carrathool.

Submissions Close 4.15pm Wednesday 8 September



LIBRARY AND MOBILE LIBRARY TEMPORARILY CLOSED

When lockdown restrictions are lifted Library services will recommence The below Mobile Library dates are dependant on restrictions.

To keep up to date please visit Councils website: www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au/library

MOBILE LIBRARY

13, 14, 15, 16th September 2021

Monday 1.45pm - 2.45pm	Hillston Central School
Tuesday 11.30am - 12.00pm 1.15pm - 1.45pm 2.00pm - 3.00pm	Rankins Springs Goolgowi Park Goolgowi Public School
Wednesday 10.00am - 11.00am 11.00am - 12.00pm 12.30pm - 12.45pm 2.45pm - 3.15pm	St Josephs School Hillston Billylids & Play 'N' Learn Merriwagga (Near Hotel) Carrathool Public School & Town
Thursday 10.00 am - 10.30am	Lachlan Lodge & Hillston Home Visits



NEW! Western Riverina Libraries App

Win an iPad!

Western Riverina Libraries will be giving away an iPad to one lucky member who downloads and logs into the App from **01/08/2021 - 31/10/2021.**

How to enter the iPad draw

To be in with a chance of winning you must:

1. Be a member of Western Riverina Libraries
2. Download the Western Riverina Libraries App
3. Log into the App with your member number

Once logged in, your name is automatically entered in to the draw.

Full terms and conditions of iPad giveaway are available on our website: www.wrl.nsw.gov.au/library-app

175 High Street
Hillston NSW 2675
02 6967 2503
wrl.nsw.gov.au
library@carrathool.nsw.gov.au



FREE WIFI

NEW BOOKS



NEW DVD'S



LIBRARY NEWS

OUR DIGITAL LIBRARY IS ALWAYS OPEN!

When our doors are be closed (or during lockdown) you can still access our great range of services online through our Digital Library.

Available on the WRL website www.wrl.nsw.gov.au or on our brand-new app.

Use your Library membership number and date-of-birth PIN/password to log in. If you're unsure of your number or password, email or call us (leave a message if we are closed) and we'll get back to you as soon as we can!


Email: library@carrathool.nsw.gov.au
Phone: 6967 2503



NEW APP'S FOR LIBRARY

Download the apps to either Apple or Android devices.

 New App: **Western Riverina Libraries**
Access the Library anytime, anywhere.

 New App: **Libby by Overdrive**
Gives you access to all the latest eMagazines straight to your computer, phone or tablet.



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COMMUNITY NEWS

All Events are subject to COVID Safe rules, restrictions, regulations and directions, and may be postponed or cancelled.




NEED HELP DURING COVID?
Call 13 18 12
or email vinnies@vinnies.org.au

GOOLGOWI GOLF CLUB
CHARITY DAY
AMBROSE EVENT
Golf Clubs and Tees will be supplied to those if needed.
11 SEPTEMBER 2021
Contact:
Ray Christoff 0457 427 767
Floyd Sutcliffe 6965 1468



BENNY WALKER
2016 BEST ABORIGINAL ACT OF THE YEAR
The Age Music Victoria Awards
#12 ON BEST ALBUMS OF 2020
FREE CONCERT IN HILLSTON
3 September 2021
HILLSTON COMMUNITY HALL
A FREE COMMUNITY CONCERT CELEBRATING LIVE MUSIC
BOOKINGS NOT REQUIRED: SWMUSIC.ORG.AU
SOUTH WEST ARTS
SOUTH WEST MUSIC
NSW

Are you aged under 24?
Do you have a community project in mind?
funding (up to \$50,000) is available NOW for projects that are driven by young people
Applications will close 6 September 2021
for help getting your project started contact John or Alison at Carrathool Shire Council - 02 6965 1900

PHOTOGRAPHER WANTED

Local Tourism Assignment

Carrathool Shire is looking to update their tourism photo library. The images will be used in promotional materials such as tourism publications, social media and Council's website.



Expressions of interest close 10 September 2021.
For more information contact John or Alison Carrathool Shire Council
02 6965 1900

PESTICIDE / HERBICIDE APPLICATION

In accordance with Carrathool Shire Council's Pesticide Use Notification Plan, Council hereby gives notice that pesticide/herbicide application will be undertaken within the Shire area during **AUG/SEP 2021** as declared in the table below. This application will be dependant on weather conditions.

Application	Type	Purpose	Location
Round Up & Associate	Roadside Spraying	Roadside Vegetation (Winter & Summer weeds, grasses and broadleaf)	Murrumbidgee River Road , Carrathool Road

To be included in Council's community email list or to have your event included in this newsletter please forward your contact details and/or event information to: community@carrathool.nsw.gov.au

Connecting with Council

Mail: PO Box 12
GOOLGOWI NSW 2652
Phone: 02 6965 1900
Fax: 02 6965 1379
Email: council@carrathool.nsw.gov.au
Website: www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au

Goolgowi Council Chambers
9-11 Cobram Street, Goolgowi
Hillston District Office
139-145 High Street, Hillston
W.G. Parker Memorial Library
175 High Street, Hillston

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Next Ord Meeting: 21 September 2021
Venue: Merriwagga Community Hall (Dependant on NSW Health Orders)
Agenda Closure: 08 September 2021
Agenda Available: 17 September 2021

After Hours Road Emergency 0407 244 429
Water & Sewer Goolgowi - 0429 690 010 Hillston - 0429 672 119 Rankins Springs - 0428 661 305