



# Council Corner

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## OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE CARRATHOOL SHIRE COUNCIL MARCH 2022

### ANZAC DAY SERVICES

The following Anzac Day Services will be held throughout the Shire. Residents and visitors are encouraged to attend their local service to commemorate this important National Holiday.

Hillston: Dawn Service will commence at 5:45am  
March will commence from the Hillston Ex-Servicemen's Club at 10:30am with the service conducted at the Hillston Cenotaph in Memorial Park.

High Street will be closed to traffic from 9am - 12.30pm.

Goolgowi: March to start at 3.00pm, from the Goolgowi Public Hall down to the Cenotaph next to the Goolgowi Ex-servicemen's Club.

Rankins Springs: March to start at 7.45am from Alan James Park to the Rankins Springs Memorial Hall, service begins 8.15am.

Carrathool: March to start at 6.00am from Wade Street park entrance to the Cenotaph behind the Memorial Hall for Service.



### OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD PRESENTED TO RUSSELL CAMPBELL

At the March meeting of Council former Councillor Russell Campbell was presented with an Outstanding service award in recognition of his 26 years of service to Carrathool Shire.

Council would like to take this opportunity to thank Russell for his time in Office starting as a Councillor in 1995 and serving as Deputy Mayor from 2004 to 2009.

Image: Brian, Max, Jan and Scott Campbell, Sally Johnstone, former Cr Russell Campbell, Mayor Cr Jardine and Deputy Mayor Cr Furner.



### UPCOMING CLOSURES

This is to advise that the Carrathool Shire Council Goolgowi and Hillston Offices, Depots and the Hillston Library will be closed for:

**Easter period:** Friday 15 April, and Monday 18 April 2022.

**Union Picnic Day:** Tuesday 19 April 2022.

**ANZAC Day:** Monday 25 April 2022.

**Staff training day - CS Connect:** Thursday 19 May 2022.

#### Garbage collection and Tip hours:

All landfills will be **closed** on Good Friday 15 April and Easter Sunday 17 April 2022.

Hillston High Street garbage pick-up: **Not** on Friday 15 April, instead will occur on Thursday 14 April 2022.

Hillston town garbage pick-up: **Not** on Tuesday 19 April, instead will occur on Wednesday 20 April 2022.

All landfills that usually open on Tuesday's **will be open** on Tuesday 19 April 2022.







# Merriwagga

## MEETING MATTERS

### Hillston Central School

Council moved to waive the fees for the use of the Hillston Community Centre by Hillston Central School, for the School Musical.

### CSU Scholarship Winners

Council has awarded its two scholarships of \$3,000 to Adela Neal and Rebecca Morio for 2022. Congratulations Adela and Rebecca.

### Design & Construct Lachlan River Road

Council resolved to go to open tender for the design and construction of 5.6 km of Lachlan River Road.

### Rankins Springs Landfill Update

Council will continue with the current hours of operation at the Rankins Springs Landfill and will continue to monitor resident feedback. The current hours of operation are:

Rankins Springs Landfill Operating Hours	
Tuesday	1pm - 4pm
Thursday	1pm - 4pm
Sunday	9am - 12pm

## PUBLIC EXHIBITION VARIOUS POLICIES

Notice is hereby given that the Council intends to adopt the Procurement and Credit Card Policy and the Cemetery Management Policy following an exhibition period of 28 days.

The policies will be available for public inspection at the Goolgowi Office, Hillston District Office, and the Hillston Library. The policies will also be available on Council's Website: [www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au](http://www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au).

Any enquiries should be directed to Council on 02 6965 1900.

Submissions to either of the above can be sent by mail, or email and must be received by 4.15pm Wednesday 20 April 2022. Prior to formal adoption of the policy, Council will take into consideration any submissions that have been received.

## INFRASTRUCTURE NEWS

### TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE - HILLSTON ANZAC DAY MARCH 2022

On Monday 25 April 2022 between 9 am and 12.30pm High Street, Hillston from the McGee Street intersection to the Oxley Avenue/Keats Street Roundabout will be closed to all traffic.

This is a requirement of Police, Transport for NSW and Carrathool Shire Council if we are to hold this event.

Organisers apologise for any inconvenience but hope that you are able to assist us by avoiding using this road at these times or by being patient if you happen to have to wait.

Emergency vehicles will have access if required. Thank you for your cooperation.

## ADVERTISEMENTS

### POSITIONS VACANT

Applications are invited for the following position:

### FACILITIES CLEANER – BRFC221-22 (PPT / JOB SHARE)

Based at Hillston, this position will be offered on a permanent part time of 29 hours p/wk. Salary range of \$25.77 to \$28.09 p/wk. The key functions will be to provide staff and members of the public with a high standard of cleanliness & hygienic, and attractive facilities.

**Applications close: 4.00pm Friday 25 March 2022.**

All information including full position descriptions and how to apply, is available on Council's Website: [www.Carrathool.nsw.gov.au/Council/Work-With-Us](http://www.Carrathool.nsw.gov.au/Council/Work-With-Us)

*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.*

### MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS - FOR SALE

Council currently has one item for sale: 1 x Canopy

Inspections may be arranged by contacting Council's Office on 6965 1900 or Tony Blunden, Supervisor Fleet & Depot on (02) 6967 2326 or 0409 723 757.



For full details on the items including photos and how to submit a quotation please visit Council's Website: [www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au/council/tenders-quotations](http://www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au/council/tenders-quotations)

**Quotations close: 12noon  
Wednesday 6 April 2022.**



## COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

This service is subsidised by the NSW Government, and is available for all residents of Carrathool Shire.

*Transport Costs vary depending on pick up location and drop off.*

Contact HDO on 02 6961 7600 for more information.

## POOL CLOSURES

Season ends Monday 28 March 2022

LAST DAY OPEN:

**SUNDAY 27 MARCH**





# Merriwagga

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### CELEBRATING INTERNATIONAL WOMENS DAY

On Saturday 5 March 2022 Carrathool Shire Council held the first Create & Connect event in Hillston to celebrate International Women's Day.

A special thanks goes out to the Hillston CWA for the wonderful food provided on the day.

Council plans to hold similar Create & Connect events in Goolgowi, Rankins Springs and Carrathool.

Bookings are now being taken for the Goolgowi event. Call 02 6965 1900.



## What's On?

**WOMEN'S HEALTH NURSE VISITING HILLSTON**  
29 & 30 MARCH 2022  
For an appointment call: 1800 654 324

**2022 NRFNL SEASON STARTS**  
1 APRIL 2022 - FRIDAY NIGHT  
Stan Peters Oval, Hillston  
Hillston v Lake Cargelligo

**YOUTH WEEK 2022**  
4 APRIL - 14 APRIL  
JOIN US ON 12 APRIL 2022  
**STREET ART**  
RSVP ESSENTIAL  
SEE POSTER BELOW

**SERVICE NSW**  
**MOBILE SERVICE VAN**  
[www.service.nsw.gov.au](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au)

**12 APRIL: RANKINS SPRINGS**  
9.30 - 12pm  
**GOOLGOWI**  
1.30 - 3.30pm

**13 APRIL: CARRATHOOL**  
9.30am - 12.30pm

**PROTEN KNOCKOUT**  
Hosts: HILLSTON  
SATURDAY 30 APRIL 2022  
Stan Peters Oval



# YOUTH WEEK 2022

open to everyone aged 12 - 24

Join Wagga artist **Luke Vineburg** and create your own street art masterpiece

**STAN PETERS OVAL**

**12 APRIL 2022**

**11AM - 1PM**

**LUNCH PROVIDED**



Bookings are essential - places limited - 02 6965 1900  
if you require transport to this event contact the Council office 02 6965 1900

CARRATHOOL SHIRE COUNCIL INVITES YOU TO

# CREATE & CONNECT

## GOOLGOWI

An afternoon to catch up with friends and make new ones  
*unleash your inner artist*

**SATURDAY 7 MAY 2022**  
**GOOLGOWI EXIES CLUB**

**2PM - 5PM**

Nibbles are provided, refreshments can be purchased at the club, to book your canvas please contact Carrathool Shire Council 02 6965 1900 - Numbers are limited

**THIS IS A FREE EVENT**



**COMING SOON...**  
**CREATE & CONNECT - RANKINS SPRINGS**  
Date to be announced soon.





# MOBILE LIBRARY

**26, 27 & 28 April 2022**

Call to arrange visit Carrathool Public School & Town

## Tuesday

11.45am - 12.00pm Rankins Springs Pre-School  
 12.00pm - 12.30pm Rankins Springs Public School  
 1.25pm - 1.45pm Goolgowi Park  
 1.45pm - 2.00pm Goolgowi Pre-School  
 2.00pm - 3.00pm Goolgowi Public School  
 Call to arrange visit Merriwagga Town

## Wednesday

10.00am - 11.00am St Josephs School  
 11.00am - 12.00pm Hillston Billylids & Play 'N' Learn  
 1.45pm - 2.45pm Hillston Central School

## Thursday

Call to arrange visit Lachlan Lodge & Home Visits

## LIBRARY NEWS

### SPECIAL STORY HOUR and EASTER TREASURE HUNT

**Date:** Thursday 21 April 2022

**Time:** 11am to 12noon

**Where:** Hillston Library

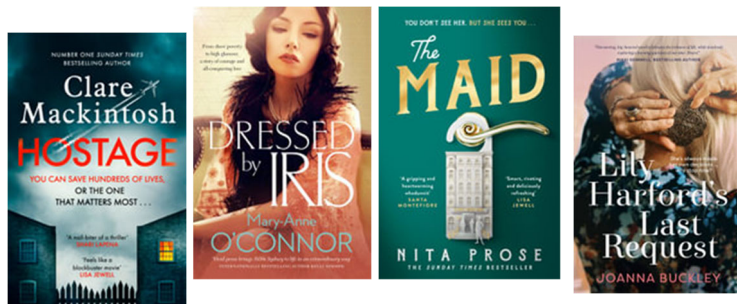


### STORY HOUR / RHYME TIME DATES

**School Term:** Tuesday's 29 March and 5 April, then returning on 26 April 2022 - Starts 11am

**School Holiday:** Tuesday 12 April 2022 - Starts 11am

*Please note: There will not be a Story Hour/Rhyme Time held on 19 April 2022.*



## NEW BOOKS



**Western Riverina Libraries**

Access the Library Online



Download the Library apps to either Apple or Android devices.



**Libby by Overdrive**

All the latest eMagazines

western riverina LIBRARIES

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: [council@carrathool.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@carrathool.nsw.gov.au)

## Connecting with Council

Mail: PO Box 12  
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Website: [www.carrathool.nsw.gov.au](http://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:** 19 April 2022

**Venue:** Hillston District Office

**Agenda Closure:** 6 April 2022

**Agenda Available:** 15 April 2022

**After Hours Road Emergency: 0407 244 429**

**Water & Sewer: Goolgowi - 0429 690 010 Hillston - 0429 672 119 Rankins Springs - 0428 661 305**