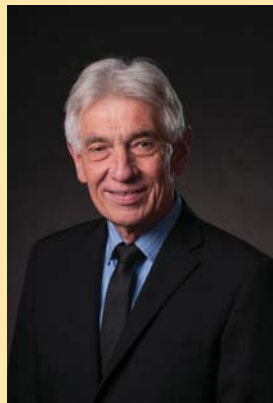


Issue 2 - April 2018

### From the Mayor's Office Mayor Neville Kschenka

Welcome to the April edition of the Narrandera Shire Newsletter.

Easter is upon us and there are some great events coming up for the first weekend of April. Narrandera will host an expected record breaking amount of Hot Rod entrants this weekend for the Annual Crusin' No Boozing Saturday night down East Street, and the Show 'N' Shine in



Marie Bashir Park. Come along and join in the activities. There will be markets, stalls, the vintage restorers' and collectors' swap meet, the Narrandera Pin-Up Pageant and much more!

This month I will attend the 50th Anniversary Dinner for the Narrandera Rescue Squad. The Rescue Squad is a vital community group for Narrandera Shire, and the dedication of its volunteers over the past 50 years to the community is outstanding and on behalf of Narrandera Shire I would like to thank you for all that you do.

The Annual Koala Count is coming up on Sunday 15 April. I hope to see many of you there, I too will be volunteering for the morning. The Koala Count is in its 20th year after beginning in 1998. It is a great family fun activity to be a part of, and if you do decide to come along remember to be equipped with solid walking shoes, hat, water and sunscreen. Refreshments and a sausage sizzle by Narrandera Rotary Club will be provided when the count is completed.

This Anzac Day, Wednesday 25 April, is a time to honour the service and sacrifice of our original ANZACs, and the generations of Australian servicemen and women who have defended our values and way of life. The dawn service will be conducted at 6am at the Memorial Gardens followed by the War Graves Service at 9am at the cemetery. The March will begin at 10.45am followed by the Main Service at the Memorial Gardens at 11am.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone in Narrandera Shire a safe and happy Easter, and look forward to engaging with as many of you as possible throughout April.

That's all for now... *Mayor Kschenka*

### PUBLIC NOTICE

#### February Rates Instalment & Water Consumption Accounts:

The 3rd Instalment of Rates & Charges along with the February Water Consumption accounts were due 28/02/2018.

Reminder notices for overdue accounts have been issued, please contact Council's Revenue Officer immediately if you are experiencing difficulties paying these accounts.

#### Receive your Notices via email:

Rate payers of the Narrandera Shire now have the option to receive their Council notices via email. To register see your most recent notice for your notice reference number and head to <http://narrandera.enotices.com.au> or contact Council via email [council@narranderansw.gov.au](mailto:council@narranderansw.gov.au) or call 02 6959 5510 for assistance.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

In line with the Retail Trading Act (2008) NSW, the Narrandera Visitor Information Centre will be open from 1pm to 4pm on Wednesday 25 April 2018.

### HAVE YOUR SAY - REVIEW OF COUNCIL POLICIES

Written submissions are invited from the public for the review of the following policies:

- Policy TS100 - Water Supply - House Service Connections
- Policy TS360 - Drinking Water Quality

Hard copies of the reviewed policies are also available at the front counter at Council or you can contact Council on 6959 5510. Closing date for review of these policies is Wednesday 18th April 2018.

### POSITIONS VACANT

If you are interested in working or volunteering at Narrandera Shire Council then please come in and speak with our Human Resources Team, or call us on 02 6959 5510 to discuss the possible pathways for a career at Council. All available roles are advertised on our website and Facebook page, and listed in the Narrandera Argus and regional papers.

**Next Ordinary Meeting of Council**  
2pm Tuesday 17 April 2018

### Narrandera Visitor Information Centre

26 Cadell Street (Newell Highway), Narrandera NSW 2700  
Open: 10am – 5pm Monday to Friday, 10am – 4pm Saturday  
10am – 2pm Sundays

Anzac Day - 25 April - 1pm to 4pm

Phone: (02) 6959 5545

Email: [touristcentre@narrandera.nsw.gov.au](mailto:touristcentre@narrandera.nsw.gov.au)



LEST WE FORGET

# ANZAC Day

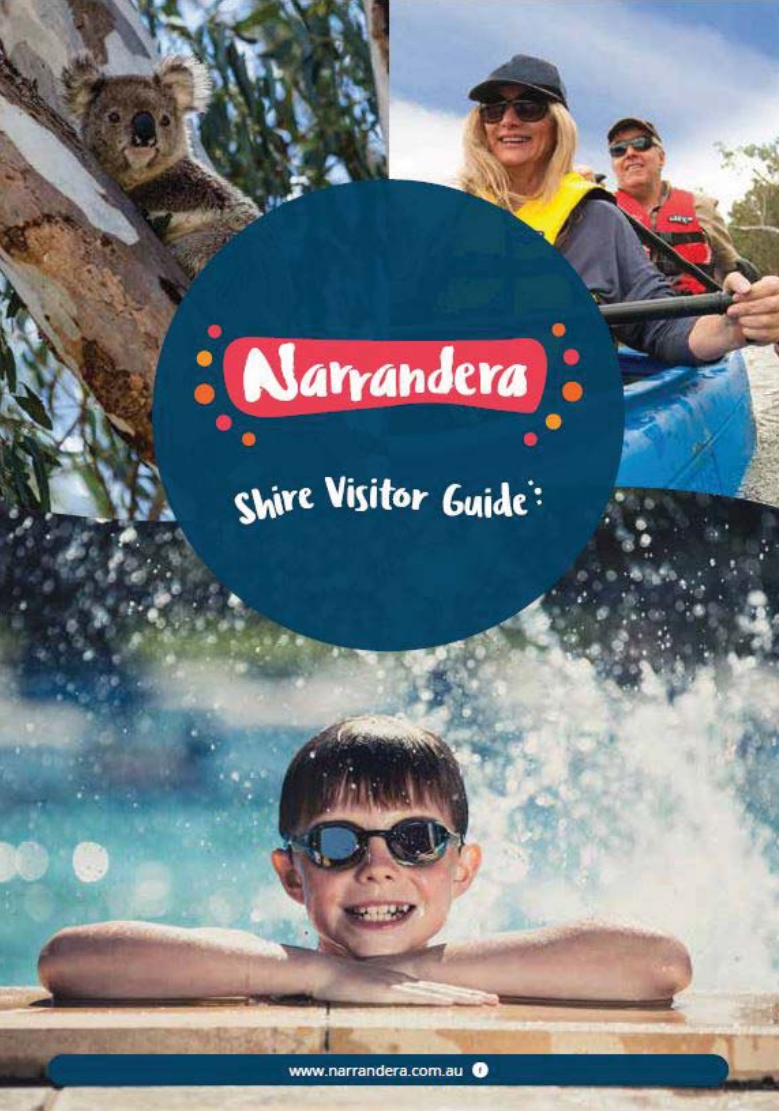
WEDNESDAY 25 APRIL

# NARRANDERA SHIRE VISITOR GUIDE LAUNCH

The Narrandera Shire Visitor Guide was launched on Monday 26 March. The Guide showcases our shire and region and is a key marketing tool, providing potential visitors with detailed information to assist them when planning their next trip to spend more time in the shire.

Thank you to everyone who attended the launch and to Mayor Cr Neville Kschenka for unveiling the guide, and thank you to all the local businesses for your support in bringing together a wonderful guide. Residents are welcome to collect a copy from the Narrandera Visitor Information Centre and to give to friends and relatives who may come to visit.

*Below Clockwise: Image One: Mayor Kschenka. Image Two: Toneale O'Connell, Rosie Beeche, Kellie Dissegna, Minnie Dawson and Betty Bradney. Image 3: Tenison Lee and Rosie Beeche.*



[www.narrandera.com.au](http://www.narrandera.com.au)



**FREE**  
COMMUNITY WORKSHOP

**RURAL MINDS**

10am - 2.30pm  
Wednesday 4 April 2018

Narrandera Library  
39-51 East St Narrandera

## Seniors Week in Narrandera

**Monday 9 April 2018**  
**Monday Morning Movie @ The Library**  
 Narrandera Library  
 10.30am - 12pm

**Thursday 12 April 2018**  
**Seniors Bingo**  
 Narrandera Senior Citizens Club  
 1pm - 3pm

**Tuesday 10 April 2018**  
**Morning Tea and Free Museum Entry**  
 Parkside Cottage Museum  
 10am - 11.30am

**Friday 13 April 2018**  
**Movie @ The Roxy**  
 Leeton Roxy  
 Bus Departs from VIC 10am  
 Free - **Bookings are Essential**

**Wednesday 11 April 2018**  
**Over 50's Club Lunch**  
 Grong Grong Hall  
 11.45am - 2pm

**Friday 13 April 2018**  
**Black Friday Morning Tea**  
 Barellan CWA Rooms  
 10am - 11am  
 Free

**Thursday 12 April 2018**  
**Introduction to Family History Resources for Seniors**  
 Narrandera Library  
 10.30am - 11.30am  
**Bookings are Essential**

**Monday 16 April 2018**  
**Monday in Morundah**  
 Morundah  
 11am - 2pm  
 Bus Departs from VIC 11am  
 Free - **Bookings are Essential**

For further information or to make a booking contact the Library on 69595585 or email [library@narrandera.nsw.gov.au](mailto:library@narrandera.nsw.gov.au)

## what's on

**Narrandera Rod Run Swap Meet**  
 Sunday 1 April, 11am to 4pm  
 Marie Bashir Park  
 As part of the Narrandera Rod Run Show'n'Shine, the Narrandera Vintage Restorers and Collectors Club will be running a swap meet. Every one can join and there's a small entrance fee.

**Narrandera Rod Run Show 'n' Shine**  
 Sunday 1 April, 11am to 3pm  
 Come along and check out the early model autos and custom built hot rods.

**Morundah Team Yarding**  
 Saturday 14 April, 7pm to 10pm AND  
 Sunday 15 April, 9am to 5pm  
 Morundah Recreation Ground  
 Morundah Team Yarding is an annual event which involves horses and riders cutting out selected cattle from the mob. There will be a barrel race and a jackpot challenge. Free for spectators to attend.

**One Night at the Mill**  
 Saturday 14 April, from 6.30pm  
 586 South Yalgogrin Road Barellan  
 Three course meal, BYO alcohol.  
 Tickets \$80 each. Tickets online from [www.whisperingpinesorganics.com.au](http://www.whisperingpinesorganics.com.au)

**Barellan Swap Meet**  
 Sunday 15 April, 6am to 2pm  
 Barellan Showground  
 \$5 gate entry with all proceeds going to Barellan Aged Care. Refreshments available.

**Annual Koala Count**  
 Sunday 15 April, 10am to 12pm  
 Narrandera Flora and Fauna reserve  
 This free family event guarantees koala spotting. Ensure you wear closed toe shoes, and bring a hat, sunglasses, sun cream and a water bottle.

**Australian Free Flight Society Championships**  
 Monday 16 April to Saturday 21 April  
 Free Flight Competitions flown on the North Oak field out of Narrandera. An annual event run by the Australian Free Flight Society which is the National to Special Interest Group for Free Flight in Australia. For more information visit - <http://www.nswffs.com.au/>

**ANZAC Day Narrandera**  
 Wednesday 25 April 6am to 11.30am  
 Dawn Service 6am at the Memorial Gardens. War Graves Service 9am at Narrandera Cemetery. Main March Form up from 10.30am at Narrandera Ex-Servicemen's Club to march off at 10.45. Main service at Memorial Gardens at 11am.

For more activities in Narrandera Shire visit [narrandera.com.au](http://narrandera.com.au)

 [narrandera.tourism](http://narrandera.tourism)



[YOUTHWEEK.NSW.GOV.AU](http://YOUTHWEEK.NSW.GOV.AU)

**Monday 16 April 2018**  
**Youth Blue Light Disco**  
 Where: CRC Hall, 35 Bolton Street, Narrandera  
 When: 5pm to 9.30pm

**Thursday 26 April 2018**  
**Youth Totem Skate School**  
 Where: Marie Bashir Park, Cadell Street, Narrandera  
 When: 9am to 12pm

**Saturday 21 April 2018**  
**Youth Fusions Big Day Out Fun Day**  
 Where: Marie Bashir Park, Cadell Street, Narrandera  
 When: 9am to 4pm

**Friday 27 April 2018**  
**Youth Narrandera Bidgee Boxing Kids Boot Camp**  
 Where: Bidgee Boxing, 37 Bolton St, Narrandera  
 When: 4.30pm to 5.30pm



COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

# ABORIGINAL ENGAGEMENT BBQ

MEET AND GREET

- Narrandera Shire Council's Community Transport and Home Support team would like to invite members of the Aboriginal Community along to our Aboriginal Engagement BBQ, to meet and provide feedback to the team at Community Transport. BBQ lunch will be provided.
- For catering purposes, please phone the office on 6959 5555 to RSVP or to book transport for the event.

WHERE: EMERGENCY SERVICES BUILDING (NEXT TO FIRE STATION)  
 TWYNAM STREET NARRANDERA  
 WHEN: MAY 2, 2018  
 TIME: 11AM - 1PM

# WORKS THIS MONTH

## Open Space & Recreation Monthly Works Schedule

Apr-18	week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
Narrandera Park	Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Venue Inspections, Irrigation System Maint.	Venue Inspections	Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Venue Inspections, Irrigation System Maint.	Playground Inspection, Venue Inspections, Weeding - chemical
Narrandera Sportsground	Mowing - slasher/deck mower	Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Whippersnipping/Edging	Mowing - slasher/deck mower	Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Whippersnipping/Edging
HMO	Mowing - slasher/deck mower	Mowing - slasher/deck mower	Mowing - slasher/deck mower	Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Whippersnipping/Edging
Adventure Playground/ MBP	Playground Inspection	Playground Inspection	Playground Inspection	Playground Inspection
Outer Small/ General Parks	Playground Inspection	Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Playground Inspection	Playground Inspection	Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Playground Inspection
Memorial Gardens	Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Venue Inspections, Irrigation System Maint.		Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Venue Inspections, Irrigation System Maint.	Weeding - hand, Garden Bed Maintenance
Narrandera Cemetery	Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Irrigation System Maint.		Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Irrigation System Maint.	Mowing - Old Section
Urban Streetscapes	Mowing - slasher/deck mower	Mowing - rideon		Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Weed Spraying
Barellan	Park - Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Playground Inspection	Park - Playground Inspection, Cemetery - Mowing	Park - Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Playground Inspection	Cemetery - Mowing, Park - Playground Inspection
Grong Grong	Park - Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Playground Inspection	Park - Playground Inspection	Park - Mowing - rideon, Whippersnipping/Edging, Playground Inspection	Cemetery - Mowing, Park - Playground Inspection
Entrances/ Gillenbah Traffic Island		Mowing - slasher/deck mower, Whipper Snipping		Garden Bed Maintenance
East St./Small Gardens	Weeding - hand, Hand Watering	Garden Bed Maintenance, Weeding - hand, Hand Watering	Garden Bed Maintenance, Weeding - hand, Hand Watering	Weeding - hand, Hand Watering
Street Trees	water 1st years plantings	water 1st and 2nd years plantings	water 1st years plantings	water 1st years plantings
Toilets	Toilet Cleaning	Toilet Cleaning	Toilet Cleaning	Toilet Cleaning
Flora and Fauna Reserve/Reserves/Riparian areas		Beach inspections		Beach inspections
Customer Requests	Address, assess and complete current priorities	Address, assess and complete current priorities	Address, assess and complete current priorities	Address, assess and complete current priorities
Arts Centre	Mowing - push, Whippersnipping/Edging, General Cleanup, Weeding - hand		Mowing - push, Whippersnipping/Edging, General Cleanup, Weeding - hand	
Red Hill		Mowing - slasher/deck mower		
Bike Tracks				
Weeds	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
Urban areas Weed Control program	Target Weeds -Silverleaf Nightshade, Bathurst Burr and Noogoora Burr. Town Areas - Khaki and Caltrop	Target Weeds -Silverleaf Nightshade, Bathurst Burr and Noogoora Burr. Town Areas - Khaki and Caltrop	Target Weeds -Silverleaf Nightshade, Bathurst Burr and Noogoora Burr. Town Areas - Khaki and Caltrop	Target Weeds -Silverleaf Nightshade, Bathurst Burr and Noogoora Burr. Town Areas - Khaki and Caltrop
Weed Control	Silverleaf & Bathurst Burr -Barellan, Binya, Colinroobie. Narrandera Cemetery around graves. Noogoora Burr - Mirrool Creek Banks	Bathurst Burr and Noogoora Burr - Galore, Boree Creek, Sandigo. Town Beach - Blackberry. Khaki - various spots around town	Silverleaf Nightshade - Kamarah, Lismoyle, Landervale. Bull Oak tank, Grong Grong	Silverleaf Nightshade and Bathurst Burr - Corobmillia, Brobenah Hall and Narrandera.
Mapping	Daily after inspections and Accomplishments	Daily after inspections and Accomplishments	Daily after inspections and Accomplishments	Daily after inspections and Accomplishments
BIS Submission	Finalise and Submit March BIS	As per inspection and control. Fill out Daily.	As per inspection and control. Fill out Daily.	As per inspection and control. Fill out Daily.
Regional meeting				
HR inspections	Nursery/ Wetlands/ Silos	Red Guide Posts. Narrandera & Barellan Tips	Stock Piles and Rest Area (Newell and Sturt Highways)	Airport / Cemeteries /Boat Ramps
Private property inspections	x10 Sandigo/Galore/Boree Creek	x10 Colinroobie/Brobenah	x10 Grong Grong/Landervale	x10 Kamarah/Moombooldool/Barellan

## Open Space & Recreation Continued

Routine Maintenance	Tasks To Complete
Toilet Cleaning	Daily
Weeding - hand	Daily
Weeding - chemical	Every 6 Weeks
Mowing - push	As per schedule
Mowing - rideon	As per schedule
Mowing - slasher/deck mower	As per schedule
Whippersnipping/Edging	As per schedule
Rubbish Collection - hand	Daily
Graffiti Removal/Vandalism	As Required
Tree Watering	Twice a week, new season trees, once a f/n second season trees, once a month third season trees
Tree Maintainance	As per Tree Audit/Customer Requests
Hand Watering	As per schedule
Irrigation System Maint.	Fortnightly
Garden Bed Maintenance	As per schedule
Playground/Asset Maint.	Weekly and Monthly Inspections
Beach inspections	Fortnightly Summer/Monthly Winter
Venue Inspections	As per schedule, prior to events
General Cleanup	As per schedule, prior to and after events

## Water and Sewer Works

**Bore 1 and 2 Decommissioning** - will begin mid April.  
**Water and Sewer shed** - Set for completion by the 2nd week of April.  
**Rising Main Duplication** - Underway and set for completion by the 3rd week of April.  
**Argyle Street watermain replacement** - will begin in mid April.  
**Valve Replacement Program** will commence in Jonsen Street.

## Urban and Road Works

**Flood restoration works:**  
Council is working together with earthmoving contractors in various flood restoration works. Marking of restoration location and gravel carting has been progressing in the southern section of the Shire. Earthworks has begun on Devlins Bridge Road. The work sequence of upcoming restoration works are: *Mundara Road, Mollys Lagoon Road, Bassett Road, Windella Road, Mellors Road, Jolleys Road, Kangaroo Plain road.* Flood restoration work will continue on throughout the year.

**Roadworks:**  
Council's roadwork construction crew will continue work on laneways in Narrandera including *Dundas Lane, Willam Street Lane and Roslyn Street Lane (South West Dalgetty Street)*. After completion of these laneway works, the construction crew will continue or rural resheeting works on the following roads in sequence: *Bulloak Tank Road, Bandys Road, Geddes Road, Euratha Road, Hulmes Road and Old Wagga Road.*

**Miscellaneous works:**  
The Urban construction team is continuing on installation of the causeway at *Barellan Sandy Creek Road*. After completing this causeway over the next 3 weeks, the crew will then be mobilised to Cowabbie Creek causeway installation at *Pamandi Road*.

**Grading works:**  
Council completed several kilometres of table drain maintenance works on Regional roads (*Narrandera Barellan Road and Lockhart Road*) during the hot and dry weather of January through to March. After Easter, the maintenance grading crew will recommence maintenance grading works on unsealed local roads of Narrandera Shire Council.

**RMS works:**  
The deteriorated pavement of *Newell Highway from Gillenbah to Canal Bridge* is going to be upgraded as Asphalt Pavement. Up to 450mm of depth of pavement will be removed and asphalt will be laid over it. The project is scheduled to commence by early May 2018.