



COUNCIL COLUMN – WEDNESDAY 9 FEBRUARY 2022

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held on **Wednesday 9 February 2022** at Council Chambers commencing at 5.30 pm. The meetings will no longer be live streamed; however, an audio recording will be uploaded the following day.

WELCOME EVENING FOR NEW RESIDENTS TO NARROMINE SHIRE

Council is hosting 'A Welcome to the Narromine Region evening' and invites all new residents to attend. It will be held on Wednesday 23rd February 2022 at Narromine Aero Club commencing at 5.30 pm, please email mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au or call Council on 6889 9999 to RSVP.

COUNCIL COMMUNITY CONSULTATION IN TRANGIE TUESDAY 15 FEBRUARY

The next Council community consultation session will be held in Trangie on Tuesday 15 February from 10am – 12.30 pm in the Kiosk, in front of the library in Dandaloo Street.

NARROMINE SHIRE COUNCIL - FUTURE 2032 SURVEY

Council is currently reviewing its Community Strategic Plan (CSP). Council is seeking input from the community to help us determine the future, what it looks like now and what improvements can be made to enhance the Narromine region over the next 10 years. In order to find out more and complete the survey please visit Council's website:

<https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/community/community-strategic-plan-2032>

MIXED INDOOR NETBALL AND SOCCER REGISTRATIONS

Narromine Indoor Netball competition will commence Tuesday 15 February and Indoor Soccer competition on 16 February 2022. Registrations are due on Friday 12 February 2022 and cost IS \$50 per team + \$5 per player each week, all players must be aged 12 years or over. Registrations can be collected from Council or visit Council's website <https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/community/indoor-sports> For more information please contact Kaitlin - mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au or 6889 9999

NARROMINE SHIRE COUNCIL'S VANDALISM REWARDS SCHEME POLICY

Council reminds residents of the **VANDALISM REWARDS SCHEME POLICY** that is in place to try and minimise the **costs of vandalism** where the community is encouraged to report vandalism. **This policy offers a reward (maximum of \$5,000)** to persons providing information on vandalism to Council owned or managed property that results in legal action being taken - i.e. criminal proceeding resulting in a conviction, finding of guilt or offence; formal caution/warning issued by a NSW Police Force Officer; or a juvenile justice conference administered under the Young Offenders Act 1997. For further information about this policy please visit:

www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/policies

Please call **NSW Crime Stoppers** to report vandalism or unusual behaviour on 1800 333 000 and in the case of an **Emergency please call 000**.

DUNG BEETLE AND CARBON FARMING FIELD DAY

Council's Landcare Co-Ordinator together with Central West LLS will be hosting a Dung Beetle and Carbon Farming Field Day at Bruce Maynard's property, 'Willydah' Mungeribar Lane on Wednesday 16 February 2022. RSVP by 4 February to Will Thorncraft M: 0428 218 938 or email will.thorncraft@lls.nsw.gov.au.

MOSQUITOES ARE A HEALTH HAZARD

Recent rainfall and flooding have generated high levels of mosquito populations in the Narromine Region. Mosquitoes have the potential to transmit viruses such as Ross River and Barmah Forest. Helpful information is available from NSW Health website <https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/factsheets/Pages/mosquito.aspx>

NARROMINE AND TRANGIE AQUATIC CENTRES RESUME NORMAL POOL HOURS

Residents and pool users are reminded that the Narromine and Trangie Aquatic Centre hours have returned to normal opening hours as of 1 February 2022. Opening hours are listed below.

Narromine Aquatic Centre

Monday – Friday: 6am - 8am (season ticket holders only)

Monday – Friday: 1pm - 6pm

Weekends: 10am - 6pm

Trangie Aquatic Centre

Monday – Friday: 6am - 8am (from 4 Jan 2022 – 28 Feb 2022)

Monday – Friday: 3pm - 6pm

Weekends: 10am - 5pm

Jane Redden
General Manager