

# COUNCIL COLUMN – WEDNESDAY 5 NOVEMBER 2025 NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held on **Wednesday 12 November 2025** at Council Chambers commencing at 5:30 pm.

## **ROAD CLOSURES and ROAD SAFETY**

All road updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for **all NSW roads including Narromine Shire Council's roads please** visit <a href="www.livetraffic.com/">www.livetraffic.com/</a>

Up to date road closures and information is available 24/7 on livetraffic.com or by phoning council or via social media channels. Motorists are reminded to proceed with caution on all roads. For any further information about Narromine Shire Council's roads go to <a href="https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions">www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions</a>

# **VEHICLE SAFETY DURING HARVEST 2025**

Council is reminding all road users to be extra cautious over coming weeks and months and to take extra care when driving around heavy vehicles and trucks. Council urges all motorists to be alert on roads and at rail level crossings during the grain harvest.

# **DRIVE SAFELY THROUGH ROADWORKS**

With multiple road improvement projects currently underway across the Shire, Council urges all motorists to exercise caution when approaching and driving through roadwork zones. Please reduce your speed, remain alert for hazards and be prepared to stop when required. It is essential to follow all signage, adhere to the designated speed limits and comply with directions from traffic controllers. The safety of both drivers and road workers depends on responsible and attentive driving.

# **PUBLIC NOTICE - PROPOSED UNUSED ROADWAY LEASE**

Narromine Shire Council is intending to lease unused public roadway transversing Lot 151 DP 227568 for a period of 5 years, for more information please visit <a href="https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/public-exhibition">https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/public-exhibition</a> Written submissions on the proposed lease should be sent to Narromine Shire Council, PO Box 115, Narromine, NSW, 2821 or via email to <a href="mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au">mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au</a> by 5pm on Friday, 14 November 2025.

# NARROMINE REGION'S SHOP LOCAL CAMPAIGN

The 2025 Narromine Region Shop Local Campaign has commenced! Spend \$20 or more at participating retailers. Look out for the Shop Local flags, entry forms and entry boxes located across the Narromine Region and take part in supporting the Narromine Region's local economy. Everyone is eligible to enter the draw and to win one of four \$250 gift vouchers. Winners will be drawn in December. Visit the Narromine Region, it's worth the drive!

## SHOP LOCAL LATE NIGHT

Get into the festive spirit and support local at the Narromine Region's Shop Local Late Night on Friday, 21 November. Enjoy an evening of extended trading, Christmas shopping and community cheer as local retailers open their doors late with special offers and super gift ideas.

# **PUBLIC EXHIBITION**

Council at its Extraordinary Meeting held 1 October 2025 resolved that the Draft Code of Meeting Practice 2025 be placed on public exhibition for a period of 28 days, inviting written submissions for a period of 42 days. Submissions will therefore close Wednesday, 19 November 2025. The document is available to view by visiting Council's Customer Service and Payments Centre or online at <a href="https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/public-exhibition">https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/public-exhibition</a>

# **NARROMINE & TRANGIE AQUATIC CENTRES OPERATING HOURS**

For season passes and pool bookings go to: <a href="mailto:thriv3-aquaticcentres.square.site/contact-us">thriv3-aquaticcentres.square.site/contact-us</a> For further information or general enquiries, please contact the management team on (02) 6889 1508 or via email at Pools@THRIV3.com.au.

Narromine and Trangie Aquatic Centres has commenced the 2025 swimming season Operating Hours:

Narromine Aquatic Centre

Monday to Friday: 1:00 pm – 6:00 pm Weekends: 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

**Trangie Aquatic Centre** 

Monday to Friday: 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm Weekends: 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

**Early Morning Swimming** 

6:00 am – 8:00 am at both Narromine and Trangie Aquatic Centres

# **GARAGE SALE TRAIL - NARROMINE SHIRE RESIDENTS**

The 2025 Garage Sale Trail will occur over two weekends of bargain hunting and turning pre-loved items into extra cash on **8-9 & 15 - 16 November**. This is the perfect chance to declutter, make some cash and discover some hidden gems in the Narromine Region! To find out more visit garagesaletrail.com.au/narromine

# BUSHFIRE DANGER PERIOD HAS COMMENCED - 1st OCTOBER 2025

From Tuesday 1st October all residents in the Narromine Shire Local Government Area must obtain a fire permit if you wish to light a fire on your property. Permits are free and can be easily obtained at <a href="www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/notify">www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/notify</a> and 'Apply for a Fire Permit'. For more information about permits visit: <a href="www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/BFDP">www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/BFDP</a> Further information on obtaining a permit contact the **Orana Fire Control Centre** by phoning 6881 3900 during business hours.

# **REGISTER AND MICROCHIP YOUR PET**

There are legal requirements to microchip your pets by a certain age, but did you know you also have to register your pets? Registering your pets can give you the ability to assign and update your pets' details if you move addresses, change contact details or in the case of a change of ownership. Working dogs do need to be microchipped and registered, though registration is at no charge. Find out more about keeping your best mate safe by visiting: <a href="https://www.petregistry.olg.nsw.gov.au">www.petregistry.olg.nsw.gov.au</a>

#### NARROMINE VENETIAN CARNIVAL AT DUNDAS PARK

Wednesday, 10 December 2025 from 5:30pm – 8:30pm. Bring the whole family along for an evening of fun and entertainment at the Narromine Venetian Carnival. Enjoy a fantastic line-up of FREE kids' activities, Christmas markets, Lions Club fundraisers and a great selection of food vans serving up delicious treats. Don't miss this wonderful community event – a perfect way to celebrate the festive season with family and friends!

# **COUNCIL REWARDS POLICY**

Narromine Shire Council's **Vandalism Rewards Scheme** encourages residents to report vandalism to Council property. The policy offers rewards of up to \$5,000 for information leading to legal action, including convictions or formal warnings. For more information, visit: <a href="www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/policies">www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/council/policies</a> To report vandalism or suspicious activity, contact **NSW Crime Stoppers** at 1800 333 000. In emergencies, dial 000.

# **CELEBRATING VOLUNTEERS 2025**

Narromine Shire Council invites all volunteers and volunteer-driven organisations from Narromine, Trangie and Tomingley to a morning dedicated to the incredible volunteers who tirelessly support our community. Join us on Friday, 28 November 2025, at 10:30 am - Council Chambers 124 Dandaloo Street Narromine. RSVP is a must please call Council on 6889 9999 or email mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au

## **EVENTS COMING UP IN THE NARROMINE REGION**

- **8-9 November & 15-16 November 2025 -** Garage Sale Trail for more information visit: garagesaletrail.com.au
- 13 November Service NSW Mobile outside Trangie Library
- 13 November Trangie nbn information session Trangie outside Library
- **14 November** Narromine nbn information session at Classic Catch Café Burraway Street Narromine from 10:00 am 2:00pm
- 29 November Volunteers Morning Tea, Council Chambers at 10:30 am
- **2 December** Mobile Service Centre, outside Men's Shed Dandaloo Street , Narromine from 9:00 am 3:00 pm
- **3 December** Mobile Service Centre, outside Men's Shed Dandaloo Street, Narromine from 9:00 am 3:00 pm
- 10 December Narromine Venetian Carnival, Dundas Park commencing at 5:30 pm
- **11 December** Lifeline Accidental Counsellor Training 10:30 am 3:00 pm Narromine USMC for more go to <a href="https://lifelinecentralwest.org.au/event/ac\_narromine\_11dec/">https://lifelinecentralwest.org.au/event/ac\_narromine\_11dec/</a> thanks to Lifeline Central West
- **11 December** The Brain Berner in Narromine with Peter Berner. Teams of up to 8 people \$10 pp for more information visit: <a href="https://events.humanitix.com/the-brain-berner-night">https://events.humanitix.com/the-brain-berner-night</a> thanks to Lifeline Central West

Narromine & Trangie Libraries have activities for everyone throughout the year - don't forget to find out what's going on in your local library by visiting: https://www.mrl.nsw.gov.au/

Make sure to visit <a href="https://www.narromineregion.com.au/calendar">https://www.narromineregion.com.au/calendar</a> to list your event or just to see what is coming up in the Narromine Region.

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