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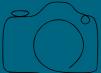








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MAYOR'S

WITH SALLY O'NEIL



Hello Everyone

Hope all is well. July certainly presented us with a mix of cold weather and wet weather. The Windorah Gymkhana weekend got rained on but didn't dampen the spirits of the competitors, the show went on for the horses and bikes but got too wet for the Bronco Branding. A second rainy day in late July has brought about another cold snap.

Jundah Camel Races

At the end of June the Jundah Camel Race committee hosted their first event. It was a huge success with many camels and trainers travelling from afar to compete. The event

attracted a large crowd of tourists and locals. The day was fun filled with a dog jumping competition, sheep races and of course the camels. The main race was won by Harry the camel, owned by Peter Hodge and jockeyed by Rachael Woodham. Rachael has been a jockey for 25 years riding camels for Peter Hodge. This event will certainly be one to lock into your calendar for years to come.





National General Assembly (NGA)

Deputy Mayor Tony Jackson and I attended the Australian Local Government Association NGA in Canberra recently. It attracts Councillors and CEO's from all over Australia. Presentations were given by Ministers, the newly appointed Governor General Her Excellency the Honourable Ms Sam Mostyn AC and various specialists in fields talking all things Local Government. The RAPAD region was strongly represented with all 7 Councils present.

Parliament House Visit

Deputy Mayor Tony Jackson and I recently attended meetings in Brisbane. We met with Minister Glenn Butcher to seek funding for a feasibility study into an option for a bore in Jundah. We also met with Lachlan Miller member for Gregory and Shadow Environment Minister Sam O'Connor to discuss the opposition position on the future of recently purchased Tonkoro and Vergemont for National Parks.



CONTINUED...

Glen Arrold Farewell

A crowd of locals and visitors gathered on Friday night at the Jundah racecourse for a farewell for Glen. Glen has been Jundah's Senior Sergent for the past 10 years based in Jundah and has contributed to the community in many ways apart from policing. Glen will be missed by the community and we wish him the very best in his retirement.



The following is the externally funded project status update:

- Budgerygar floodway contractor engaged due mid July
- Stonehenge water treatment plant new shed and filter upgrade contractor due on site to incorporate current alarm system with new filter system, to be completed by September
- Water meter installation complete.

The following is an update of our work crews and their progress on roads around the Shire:

- Council has changed the work crew roster temporarily to a 5 on 2 off roster due to compliance with National Heavy Vehicle Regulator. This is a temporary measure whilst the appropriate plans are implemented and should be resolved in about one month.
- Dave Ross's crew are doing an 8km resheet at Sly's Lookout on the Windorah Birdsville Rd.
- Jason Beilby's crew are continuing work on the Bimerah Isisford Rd project due for completion in the next couple of weeks and will then head over to Retreat Yaraka Road to do a resheet.
- Contractor Crew are doing flood damage from Warbreccan to Eldwick. Flying gang are working on the bulk signage project between Windorah and Birdsville and a TMR box culvert replacement at Sly's Lookout.
- Contractor grid crew are doing maintenance on grids between Retreat and Yaraka. The maintenance grader will be doing work on the Jundah Winton Rd.

If there are sections of roads requiring immediate attention, please notify Council.

Don't forget, Council meetings are open to the public and all community members are welcome. Council meetings are rotated around the three towns, and we notify via an online flyer of upcoming Council meeting dates and times. The next meeting will be held in Stonehenge on the 21st of August 2024.

Please don't hesitate to contact me on the details below if you have any queries or concerns.

Regards
Sally O'Neil
Mayor Barcoo Shire
Sally.oneil@barcoo.qld.gov.au and please note my new phone number 0447 723 193.

COUNCIL NEWS

JULY COUNCIL MEETING WRAP UP

All Barcoo Shire Council minutes can be downloaded for public viewing on our Publishing Portal at the following link https://myportal.barcoo.qld.gov.au/public/publications. Below are some extracts from the minutes of the May meeting.

ADOPTION OF THE 2024/2025 OPERATIONAL PLAN

 Council adopted the 2024/2025 Barcoo Shire Council Operational Plan. You can download the full document online here https://www.barcoo.qld.gov.au/about-council/reports-and-publications/operational-plan

EXTENSION OF WET & DRY PLANT HIRE CONTRACT

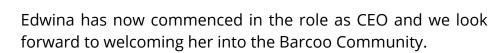
Council approved the extension of the existing pre-qualified supplier arrangement (T05-2021/22) for Wet & Dry Plant Hire until 30 June 2025 and notify the relevant suppliers accordingly. See list here https://www.barcoo.gld.gov.au/about-council/tenders-and-quotes/preferred-suppliers

The Barcoo Shire Council holds its next Ordinary Meeting on Wednesday 21 August 2024 at the Stonehenge Community Centre, commencing at 9:00am. This is an excellent opportunity to meet with Councillors and senior Council staff to discuss ideas or matters of concern you may have. Council encourages community engagement and interest, and we hope to see members of the community at our Council meetings or joining us for morning tea.

APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

At this month's Ordinary Meeting, Barcoo Shire Council appointed Edwina Marks as its new Chief Executive Officer after an extensive recruitment process.

Edwina brings a wealth of Local Government and Corporate experience to the Barcoo Shire with a career spanning more than two decades in banking and regional, rural and remote councils in Qld, NSW and the NT. She is guided by her values of integrity, accountability and service and believes in the importance of actively collaborating with communities to build a resilient and sustainable future. Her approach includes implementing sensible and transparent financial management practices whilst embracing innovation and a commitment to open communication to build trust in the council and its organisation. Edwina holds a Masters in Business, a Phd and Masters in Fine Art (Research) and is a graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors. She is looking forward to her new role in the Barcoo Shire to deliver on Council objectives now and into the future.





Edwina Marks, BSC Chief Executive Officer

COUNCIL NEWS- 30 SECONDS WITH A COUNCILLOR

Mayor Sally O'Neil

What do you most enjoy about being Mayor?

I enjoy being the Mayor as it gives me the opportunity to advocate on behalf of the community for funding to upgrade and maintain infrastructure across the shire.

Share with us something people might not know about you? I am very bossy at home so my husband and daughter tell me.

What is something you would like to see improved on within the Shire? Our ability to generate our own source revenue. If anyone has any great ideas, please let me know.

Contact Sally on sally.oneil@barcoo.qld.gov.au or 0447 723 193.





Councillor James 'Dude' Kidd

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What do you expect will be the thing you will most enjoy about being a Councillor?

I will most enjoy continuing the tradition of Kidd Barcoo Councillors being the fourth generation to help make Barcoo a great shire to live in.

Share with us something people might not know about you? Hard to believe but I don't mind a beer.

What is something you would like to see improved on within the Shire?

Ensuring the security of each town's adequate water supply as well as widening narrow sections of bitumen within the Shire.

Contact Dude on james.kidd@barcoo.qld.gov.au or 0475 800 388

Councillor Roger Batt

What do you expect will be the thing you will most enjoy about being a Councillor?

As a Councillor you are given a chance by the community to try and make our shire a better place for all of us to live by using funded or shire money amongst our community. I enjoy being part of these decisions to hopefully having a positive impact for all.

What is something you would like to see improved on within the Shire? To me roads, rubbish and rates is the core business that council should do first and foremost. I still feel there is plenty of improvement in these areas for us as a Council to strive towards.





COUNCIL NEWS

DOG REGISTRATIONS

Dog Registration invoices have been issued, if you did not receive your renewal please contact Council immediately. If you wish to receive a discount on your Dog Registration, please pay by no later than 2 August 2024. A maximum of 2 dogs per house applies without a permit. All dogs must be registered after 3 months of age, within 14 days of acquiring the dog or 28 days of becoming a new resident of the Shire.

An application for a permit to keep additional dogs can be lodged to Council. A permit will only be issued if your application is approved. If your animal is in no longer in the Shire, please let us know so we can update your details.

To assist making payments Council offer several ways to pay including:

- Cash at Council main office in Jundah and Windorah and Stonehenge information centre,
- By post via cheque or money order,
- BPAY your payment information is Biller code 293209 Reference on your animal notice.
- Credit card over the phone.

Please contact Council's Accounts Receivable Officer Amy Deppeler if you have any questions or wish to discuss this further on (07) 4658 6910 or via email accounts.receivable@barcoo.qld.gov.au.

To view all Councils fees and charges visit the following link https://www.barcoo.qld.gov.au/.../reports.../fee-and-charges



COUNCIL RATES WILL BE ISSUED EARLY AUGUST

Just a friendly reminder that Council Rates will be issued in early August. Once you receive your Rates please make payment by the due date to receive your discount.

To assist making payments Council offer several options including:

- Cash, card or cheque at Council main office in Jundah or Windorah and Stonehenge Information Centres,
- By post via cheque or money order,
- BPAY Biller code 293209 Reference is included on your rates notice,
- Credit card over the phone, please call 4658 6900,
- Council also offer payment plans weekly, fortnightly and monthly if you wish to pay your rates off.

Please contact Council if you have any questions or wish to discuss this further with us on (07) 4658 6910 or via email accounts.receivable@barcoo.gld.gov.au

STONERHENGE BUSHIMIAN'S CARNEVAL 2024

FRI 16 AUG - TEAM PENNING SAT 17 AUG - STOCKMAN'S

Start: 4.30pm Nom: \$30 team +insurance/stock levy \$2,000 prize money Sponsor: Bonsey's Transport

SAT 17 AUG - HORSE **GYMKHANA**

Start: 8.00am with U6 led and un-led all events. Followed by all other age groups Nom: Adults \$25 Children \$15 Includes: Bending, Flags, figure 8 & Barrels. Sponsor: Foodworks

SUN 18 AUG - BRONCO BRANDING

Start: 9.00am Singles \$1280 Nom \$60 Team Doubles \$1600 Nom \$75 Team Jackpot Novice Nom \$40 + Insurance/cattle levy Painted calf initiative Prize: Bronco branding rope Donated by: Cam Nunn Fencing and **Machinery Hire** Sponsor: Gavin Groves Plumbing

CHALLENGE

Start: 8.00am Open \$1,500 - Nom \$30 Novice \$800 - Nom \$25 Rookie \$500 - Nom \$20 Juvenile \$300 - Nom \$15 Junior \$200 - Nom \$10 + insurance/stock levy Sponsor: RDO Equipment Emerald



SUN 18 AUG - MOTORBIKE **GYMKHANA**

Start: 8.30am Noms: \$15 Jnr & \$25 Open + insurance includes entry in all events per age group. Events: Flag, Bending, Figure 8, Barrels & Double Barrels. **Sponsor: Centretune Motorcycles**

SUN 18 AUG - OBHC

Start: 7.30am See their FB page for more details



SAT 18 AUG - RODEO

Start: 3.30pm - RSA Affiliated Cite Civil Jnr Barrel Race \$300 - Nom: \$20 Suncorp Juvenile Barrel Race \$500 - Nom: \$20

Smiley's Transport Novice Barrel Horse \$1,000 - Nom: \$30 Champion Contracting Mini Bulls (9-11)

\$150 - Nom: \$20 **Batt Power Mini Bulls (12-14)**

\$150 - Nom: \$20 Elmes Rural Open Bronc Ride

(to be ridden in stock, poley, or bronc saddle) \$3,500 - Nom: \$60

Southern Wire Novice Bull Ride \$1,500 - Nom: \$50 RPL Open Bull Ride

\$3,500 - Nom: \$60 Dawson Valley Heliworks Steer Wrestling \$1,500 - Nom: \$50

Brands Rural Contracting Ladies Ranch Ride \$2,000 - Nom: \$50

Pitman's Mechanical Ladies Barrel Race \$2,000 - Nom: \$40

Longreach Toyota Bullock Ride \$1,000 - Nom: \$50 **Pre Nominations Essential**





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WINDORAH CAMPDRAFT, CHALLENGE, RODEO & BRONCO BRANDING

9TH - 11TH AUGUST 2024

STOCKMANS CHALLENGE (DRY & WET WORK) AACO - SOUTH GALWAY, OPEN PARAWAY PASTORAL - TANBAR STATION, 5 AND UNDER CLASSIC Noms \$25 PARAWAY PASTORAL, DAVENPORT DOWNS ENCOURAGEMENT Noms \$20

PARAWAY PASTORAL COMPANY - TANBAR STATION FUTURITY

Highest Cutout Sponsored by Elders Quilpie

Noms \$40 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$1000

Horses are to be aged 4 and under only. Horses 4 years and under who have not started in an open age draft. Registration/Vet Certificates are required by the secretary for proof of age prior to draft. No vet will be available on the grounds.

PARAWAY PASTORAL COMPANY- DAVENPORT DOWNS

ENCOURAGEMENT DRAFT

Competitors cease to be eligible to compete after winning one (1) Encouragement or one (1) open age campdraft or placing three (3) times in an open age campdraft. Competitors must be aged 17 years and over. A win will not alter the status of the horse. Noms \$25 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$1000

8AM START - BRONCO BRANDING ARENA

BRONCO BRANDING

MOEC WATER & ENERGY BILL CORRINGE MEMORIAL OPEN SINCLES

HUBBARD PASTORAL & M&M CORRINCE DOUBLES - Noms \$75/team JACKPOT MAIDEN SINGLES - Noms \$60/team

FRIDAY NIGHT, 6.30PM - THYLUNGA TWO HANDED CUTTING Noms \$30 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$1000

The committee reserves the right to change the program if required

Central: www.campdraftcentral.com.au. Nominations open 26th of JULY, 7am and closing on the 28th July 11.59pm or when full. NRCA Insurance & ambulance payable Campdraft through be taken 3 when nominating. Nominations

excatching rule. A 100% returnd of the nomination fee will be given if the competitor withdraws more than 168 hours (7 days) prior to 8000m on the first moming of the program, if a competitor withdraws less than 168 hours (7 days) prior to 8000m on the first moming of the program), then the entire nomination fee may be retained by the committee. If the committee refund may be granted. The status of a horse winning a campdraft will be determined by the highest class of horse that competes with the exception of Junion, Juvaniles, Ladies, old Bufferis, Associates and Encouragement campdrafts. The winner attains the satus of the highest class of horse participating (eg. if one open horse competes to

e of 18 must wear helmets whilst mounted on a horse at our events. Helmets must Australian and New Zealand safety standards and must be securely fastened under Riders under the age of 18 must wear comply with current Australian and Ne

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secretary.windorahrodeoclub@gmail.com or call Natalie on 0419 895 386 For more information contact

SATURDAY AUGUST 10TH - 7AM START AACO SOUTH GALWAY SOCIAL CLUB LADIES DRAFT Highest Cutout Sponsored by Max & Mabs Corringe Noms \$30 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$1000 (One Round Only, 2 horse limit)

MITHAKA ABORIGINAL CORPORATION MAIDEN DRAFT

Highest Cutout sponsored by Adcock Partners Noms \$40 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$2500 (One Round & Final)

Lollie's and Ribbons for all competitors - Helmets MUST be worn. TRUDY GORRINGE MINI DRAFT (Under 8 years) Noms \$5 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$150

COSTELLO CARRIERS JUNIOR DRAFT (8-Under 13 years) Noms \$10 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$300 Helmets MUST be worn. MAX & MABS CORRINGE JUVENILE DRAFT (13- Under 17 years) Highest Cutout sponsored by Josh & Natalie Corringe 2 horse limit & Helmets MUST be worn. Noms \$15 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$500

BLACKET HELICOPTERS NOVICE DRAFT

Highest Cutout sponsored by Adcock Partners Noms \$45 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$2500 (One Round & Final)

DAY AUGUST 11TH - 7AM START Highest Cutout sponsored by Kelvin & Roxy Weston SANTOS OPEN DRAFT (One Round & Final)

SANTOS OPEN DRAFT FINAL

Noms \$60 | TOTAL PRIZE POOL \$3500

available | Gate Entry: Adults \$20 includes amenities | NO cash out at the grounds | pannikin & wrist band | Under 18 and Bar & Canteen all weekend | EFTPOS pensioners FREE | FREE camping &

SATURDAY NIGHT RODEO - 6.30PM RODEO ARENA Noms - \$20 | \$150 + Buckle sponsored by Josh & Natalie Gorringe

Noms - \$40 | \$500 + Buckle sponsored by RLR Photography

9 & UNDER MINI BULL RIDE Noms - \$20 | \$100 + Buckle sponsored by the Lasker Family

Noms - \$20 | \$150 + Buckle sponsored by Josh & Natalie Gorringe

INEUX PASTORAL STATION BUCKJUMP Noms- \$40 | \$600 + Buckle

Noms - \$50 | \$1000 + Buckle

GLENN HENNEY MEMORIAL BULLOCK RIDE SPONSORED BY ARRABURY

Noms - \$40 | \$500 + Buckle

Noms - \$50 | \$7000 + Buckle

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YABBY RACES

6:30PM, 4TH SEPTEMBER 2024
WESTERN STAR HOTEL

4 RACE PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY BEFORE THE ICONIC BIRDSVILLE RACES, THERE'S A RACE OF A DIFFERENT KIND AS THE WINDORAH INTERNATIONAL YABBY RACES TAKE OVER WESTERN QUEENSLAND.



HOC HEALTH & WELLNESS CALENDAR August 2024

WINDORAH	
6	RFDS Clinic
7	NWRH Physio, POD DTN
20	RFDS Clinic
22	NWRH EP, CON, OT
29	LLW AODS
JUNDAH	
6	NWRH Physio, POD, DTN
9	CWHHS Social Worker
13	RFDS Clinic
21	NWRH EP, CON, OT
27	RFDS Clinic
30	LLW AODS
30	CWHHS Social Worker
STONEHENGE	
8	NWRH Physio, POD, DTN
7	RFDS Clinic
21	RFDS Clinic

JUNDAH COMMUNITY MONDAY

3.15 pm Kids Gym | Racetrack

THURSDAY

3.15 pm Kids Running | Racetrack

4.30 pm Pilates | Racetrack

SUNDAY

5.00 am Walk Run Ride | Old church

STONEHENGE COMMUNITY FRIDAY 9TH & 23RD

5.00 pm Bingo | School Hall

WINDORAH COMMUNITY FRIDAY 23RD AUGUST

6:30 Trivia Night | Windorah Hotel





HEALTHY RECIPES CAULIFLOWER PIZZA BASE

INGREDIENTS

- 1 SMALL HEAD OF CAULIFLOWER
- 1EGG
- . SALT AND PEPPER TO TASTE
- OLIVE OIL SPRAY

INSTRUCTIONS

- Preheat your oven to 200c and Line a tray with baking powder. Spray the paper in the oven to heat up.
- Cut Cauliflower Florets and discard the stalk
- Grate the cauliflower using a food processor until it resembles rice
- Place in microwave safe container and cover with plastic wrap microwave for 8 minutes.
- Allow the cauliflower to cool and then pour it into a tea towel.
- Wring the water out of the tea until your cauliflower looks dry.
 Place in a bowl
- Add the remaining ingredients and mix with your hands.
- Place the dough on the baking tray and flatten out with your hands into a pizza shape.
- Bake in the oven until golden brown this can take from 10-20 minutes depending on your oven so best to keep an eye on it
- Remove from the oven allow to cool slightly
- Top with your favorite Topping- Try tomato paste, red onion, red capsicum, sliced bocconcini, cheese and sprinkling of fresh chives.
- Bake in oven until the crusts are golden and the topping has melted to your liking
- Allow to cool for a couple of minutes before slicing and serving



DID YOU KNOW?

Cauliflower is a high in
Vitamins C and K, and is also
a good source of folate,
which supports cell growth
and is essential
during pregnancy





DEAD BUG EXERCISE

Dead Bug is a bodyweight exercise, ideal for those looking to build strength and control. For your core and lower













2024 BARCOO SHIRE EVENTS CALENDAR

IF YOU HAVE AN EVENT YOU WOULD LIKE ADDED PLEASE EMAIL NEWSLETTER@BARCOO.QLD.GOV.AU

AUGUST

9-11 - Windorah Campdraft & Rodeo (Windorah Rodeo Club)

16-18 - Stonehenge Bushman's Carnival (Stonehenge Bushman's Carnival)

SEPTEMBER

4 - Windorah International Yabby Races (WDB)

13 - Stonehenge Tennis
(STAG)

28 - Bronco Branding & Bullock Ride
(Jundah Rodeo Club)

OCTOBER

4-6 - Barcoo Spring Fling (Jundah Race Club)

NOVEMBER

2 - Barcoo Big Bash (STAG)





