

Bega Valley Shire Council village newsletter

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New Tanja Hall Committee

New Tanja Hall Committee members join long standing committee members, Kaye and Ian Burns, inducted on Monday 11 January at Tanja Hall.



Photo- L to R, Bronty Burhop (BVSC), Deb Stead, Melanie Sheehan, Lesley Hanzlik, Amber Muscat (front), Jane Gordon, Karen Terwin (BVSC), Kay Burns, Ian Burns.

GPS surveys around Pambula and Princes Highway

During the fortnight commencing Monday 25 January, Council will be undertaking a GPS survey of water, sewer and drainage assets that may exist in people's backyards in the localities of Pambula, South Pambula and Pambula Beach. Council staff will require clear access to any structures and animals should be restrained where practical. Residents should receive a letter advising them of the project and Council can be contacted for any further information.

The team during the same period will be capturing assets along the Bega-Yellow Pinch and the Yellow Pinch to Pambula water trunk mains. They will also need to access people's properties where the trunk main runs through private property. Contact Council for more information.

Young Women's Scholarship

Council is offering a scholarship to a young local woman to mark the 2016 International Women's Day.

An IWD scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a local woman who lives in the Shire aged between 18 and 25 who shows potential in any field of endeavour whether it is business, music, community, arts, sport or another field. The successful applicant will be invited to attend a presentation at the IWD event at the Spiral Gallery in Bega on Friday 4 March.

Applications for the scholarship will close at 4.30pm, Friday 5 February 2016. The scholarship guidelines and the application form can be downloaded from Council's website. For more information phone Council on 6499 2222 or email TSchaeferDarling@begavalley.nsw.gov.au

Jobs with Council

- Brighter Futures Coordinator (Long Service Leave Replacement). Applications close 26 January.
- Casual Early Childhood Educators (Certificate III). Applications close 26 January.
- Corporate Data Analyst. Applications close 27 January.
- Early Childhood Educator (Certificate III) Maternity Leave. Applications close 2 February.
- Works Manager. Applications close 2 February.
- Nominated Supervisor Eden Preschool. Applications close 2 February.
- Nominated Supervisor Bandara Children's Services. Applications close 2 February.
- Room Leader. Applications close 4 February.

Address the selection criteria and send by email to recruitment@begavalley.nsw.gov.au or post to the address below.

Doing business with Council

- Civil and Steelworks Raising Bega Sewerage Pumping Station Platform Number 2 - Bega. Close 12pm 28 January 2016.
- Sale of Lot 946 and Lot 949 Main Street Merimbula. Close 12pm 3 February 2016.
- Sapphire Aquatic Centre 25m Pool Refurbishment. Close 12pm 10 February.

Tendering information is received through e-tendering: www.tenderlink.com.au/begavalley

Call: 02 6499 2222 Fax: 02 6499 2200 Email: council@begavalley.nsw.gov.au Web: www.begavalley.nsw.gov.au

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Boil Water Notice lifted

As of Thursday 14 January, Bega Valley Shire Council with the support of NSW Health lifted the precautionary Boil Water Notice for the Brogo River supply system.

This means residents in Quaama, Cobargo, Bermagui, Beauty Point, Fairhaven, Wallaga Lake, Wallaga Lake Heights, Wallaga Lake Koori Village, Akolele and also trunk main customers no longer need to boil their water before use.

Council thanks the communities for their cooperation during this time and will continue to closely monitor the water supply to ensure the safety of the drinking water.

Wolumla Road works

Road works have commenced on Scott Street, Wolumla from the Princes Highway to 1.4 kilometres west of the 50km zone on Candelo Wolumla Road, Wolumla, and will continue until Friday 11 March 2016.

There will be intermittent road closures and delays of up to 15 minutes could be expected. Detours will be in place. No on street parking will be permitted during these times. Proposed works will include full pavement and stormwater renewal and bitumen resurfacing.

For more information please contact James Downes on 0428 260 996.

Swimming lesson in Bemboka

If you are interested in your child attending lessons during Term 1 please contact the Programs Supervisor Lucy Williams ASAP on 6494 3100.

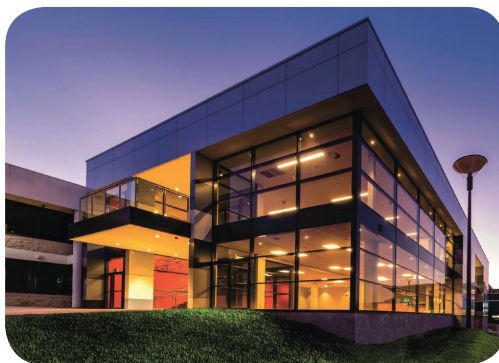
Australia Day opening of Civic Centre

Australia Day 2016 will be celebrated alongside the official opening of the new Bega Valley Commemorative Civic Centre in Zingel Place, Bega.

Member for Bega and Minister for Transport and Infrastructure, Andrew Constance, will officiate at the opening along with Mayor Michael Britten at 11am on Australia Day, Tuesday 26 January. The opening will be followed a citizenship ceremony, awards to the Citizen of the Year and Young Citizens of the Year, entertainment and a presentation from Australia Day Ambassador, Dick Smith AC.

Mr Smith, an entrepreneur, businessman, aviator, philanthropist and political activist will arrive by helicopter that he will pilot himself. After the ceremonies there will be official tours of the new Civic Centre. Australia Day will be celebrated this year in a vibrant atmosphere as our new entertainment facility and gardens come alive for the enjoyment of all.

In Littleton Gardens, there will be a free sausage sizzle provided by Bega Lions Club, along with free family activities, displays and entertainment by local performers and musicians.



Bega Valley Commemorative Civic Centre

Senior of the Year nominations open

Bega Valley Shire Council is calling for nominations for the 2016 Senior of the Year award.

Held as part of national Senior's Festival celebrations in April this year, the prestigious award is voted by BVSC Councillors to honour a senior resident who has made an outstanding contribution to the community.

It can be in any field of endeavour, such as arts, sports, community service, health, education or environment.

These awards are always special, because attached to them are wonderful stories of life in the Shire from the past and present.

With it also comes another chapter of the Shire's history, recorded and celebrated for everybody to remember.

To be eligible, the person nominated must live in the Bega Valley Shire and be over 60 years of age, and should be making a contribution to the community in a volunteer capacity.

The award will be presented to the successful nominee at the Golden Gig luncheon and concert, to be held on Tuesday 5 April 2016.

Nomination forms are available at Council's front desk in Bega, or can be downloaded from Council's website.

Nominations for 2016 Senior of the Year close on Friday 19 February 2016. For more information call Tamara Whiting on 6499 2394.

The Senior's Festival runs from 1 - 10 April 2016.

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