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### DATES TO REMEMBER

**Thurs 25 April** Anzac Day. Service to be held at the War Memorial from 10.00am.

**Sat 11 May** Koorda Drive In Screening

**Wed 15 May** Ordinary Council Meeting. At the Koorda Council Chambers, starting at 5.00pm.

#### Wed 19 June

Ordinary Council Meeting. At the Koorda Council Chambers, starting at 5.00pm.

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#### SHIRE ADMIN OFFICE HOURS

Please see below the Shire Administration Office hours.

> Monday - Friday 9.00am to 4.00pm Licensing 9.00am to 3.30pm

The office has a message bank service. If you phone out of our office hours, please leave a message and we will get back to you.

#### **LIBRARY NEWS**

The Library has recently been informed that we were successful in obtaining a Technology and Digital Inclusion Grant 2023 - 2024. The Koorda Library project - "Engaging our community members to create, capture and record moments today for future generations tomorrow'. This will enable us to purchase a Canon mirrorless camera, Go Pro adventure camera and laptop for family history research at the library.

#### LOCAL ROADWORKS

**Shoulder Works - Koorda North West Road**. Please expect delays when travelling through roadworks.

Please be aware and abide by the road work speed limits. We thank you for your patience.

#### **ANZAC DAY SERVICE**

Please note, there will be an Anzac Day Service held at the War Memorial on Thursday 25 April.

Tea and coffee will be available at the Koorda Motor Museum and Military Collection from 9.00am. A service will begin at 10.00am at the War Memorial. Morning tea will follow from 11.00am at the Pioneer Women's Park.

For further information, please see the advert in this week's edition of the Narkal Notes.

### **PUBLIC HOLIDAY OFFICE CLOSURE**

Please note the Shire Office will be closed on Thursday 25 April 2024 for the Anzac Day public holiday.

The office will reopen on Friday 26 April at 9.00am.

#### **RECREATION GROUND UPDATE**

The first of the three sides of the new concrete verandah was laid last week, with the final two sides being poured this week.

Electricians and Air-con installers are onsite this week to complete the final fit-off works.





#### SEROJA LOCAL GOVERNMENT RESILIENCE FUND

The Shire of Koorda wishes to acknowledge the funding contribution of \$500,000 from the State Government for the Seroja Local Government Resilience Fund.

The purpose of the Local Government Resilience Fund will enable the 16 local governments impacted by Cyclone Seroja to undertake works to improve the resilience of evacuation facilities and other community infrastructure, or improve resilience in the community.

Within the 2023/2024 Budget, the Shire nominated seven projects, that worked to improve community resilience, enhance evacuation facilities and increase community infrastructure.

Project 1: Koorda Recreation Centre (Evacuation Centre 1) Ablution Block

Project 2: Koorda Memorial Hall (Evacuation Centre 2) Ablution Upgrade

Project 3: Purchase of new Mollerin Fire Tender

- Project 4: Koorda Recreation Centre (Evacuation Centre 1) Generator
- Project 5: Generators (2 x portable, 1 x fixed to the Koorda Health Centre)
- Project 6: Portable Communications Tower
- Project 7: Water Tanks (5 x 32,000L)

We are pleased to announce we have completed five of the seven projects, with project 1 (Evac Centre 1 Ablution Block) and project 6 (communication tower) still to be completed.



Project 2: Koorda Memorial Hall (Evacuation Centre 2) Ablution Upgrade.

Upgrades were undertaken both internally and externally to ensure the facilities at the hall are adequate to house community members in emergency evacuation situations. The original plumbing at the hall was compromised from tree roots, and all external pipes were replaced to ensure the toilets were functioning at full capacity. Internally, the toilets and basins have been replaced with more modern fittings.

#### **SEROJA LOCAL GOVERNMENT RESILIENCE FUND**



Project 3: Purchase of new Mollerin Fire Tender & Project 7: Water Tanks (5 x 32,000L) The purchase of the new Mollerin Fire Tender and strategic placement of 4 water tanks around the Shire has enabled a more efficient fire emergency response and water network in the more remote parts of our Shire. The water tanks are to compliment areas that are some distance from the scheme pipes and stand pipes to ensure access to water during a fire emergency is achievable. The fifth water tank is reserved for the Recreation Centre.



Project 4: Koorda Recreation Centre (Evacuation Centre 1) Generator & Project 5: Generators (2 x portable, 1 x fixed to the Koorda Health Centre).

The portable generators will serve as versatile and essential assets that can be deployed to various locations within the community during emergencies.

# The Shire again wishes to acknowledge the funding contribution of \$500,000 from the State Government for the Seroja Local Government Resilience Fund.

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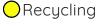
#### **AVON WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR**

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#### What can go into your recycling bin?

The following items can go into your recycling bins; glass, plastic, paper, cardboard, aluminum and steel and liquid paperboard. For more information visit the Avon Waste website. https://www.avonwaste.com.au/

#### What NOT to put in your Recycle Bin



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Councillors are elected to represent the Shire's residents and ratepayers. If you wish to discuss a Council matter, offer any suggestions, have compliments, concerns or feedback, please contact the Councillors above.