

### OFFICE HOURS

Council's administration office at 80 Castlereagh Street, Coonamble, is open from 8.30am to 5pm.

General Enquiries welcome from 9.30am to 4pm.

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### CONTACT COUNCIL

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### EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Sewerage: 0428 217 420  
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### FREE HOLIDAY FUN FOR CHILDREN but bookings are essential

Council's January School Holiday Program provides a number of free events for children.

Book by clicking on the Holiday Fun notice on the homepage of Council's website

# Book now for all the holiday fun

A skateboard workshop, zumba, pool days, tie dye workshop and calendar making are among the activities Coonamble Shire Council has organised as part of the holiday program for children this summer.

Children from Gulargambone Quambone and Coonamble are welcome to any of the events.

Council will organise a bus from Gulargambone and Quambone on 6, 12 and 27 January if there are sufficient registrations. Register by emailing the Youth Officer at [youthofficer@coonambleshire.nsw.gov.au](mailto:youthofficer@coonambleshire.nsw.gov.au) or by phoning 6827 1900.

See the full program on Council's website. Follow the link on the home page.

## Procurement policy revised and adopted

Council has adopted a revised Procurement Policy to increase the transparency of its processes with the community, to be fairer with its suppliers, and to get the best value for ratepayers through tendering and calling for quotations.

The revised policy was exhibited publicly for a month.

No submissions were received commenting on the proposed revisions.

The revised Procurement Policy can be viewed at Council's Administration Office in Castlereagh Street, Coonamble, or online at [www.coonambleshire.nsw.gov.au/PlanningDevelopment/policydocuments.html](http://www.coonambleshire.nsw.gov.au/PlanningDevelopment/policydocuments.html).



Members of the Totem Collective will hold a skateboard workshop in MacDonald Park, Coonamble, on Thursday, 14 January, as part of the School Holiday Program.

## Unlimited horizons for area's tourism

Unlimited horizons, exploring our nature, revealing our heritage and celebrating culture on Country are among the themes of the Destination Management Plan that Council has adopted to promote tourism across the area.

Consultation with the community during the development of Council's masterplan, the 2018 Customer Satisfaction Survey and Council's Economic Development Strategy have all identified tourism as a priority for development.

Little places big stories and annual events—such as the horse

racing and greyhound carnivals, shows, rodeo and camp draft—are the other two themes adopted in Council's Destination Management Plan.

Council's plan highlights aspects of the Destination Country and Outback NSW program of activities that are relevant to the Coonamble area.

All residents can do their part in promoting these themes by tagging their Instagram posts with #visitcoonamble and with the most appropriate theme, such as #unlimitedhorizons, #exploring our nature, etc.

All Council offices and facilities—including the tip—will be closed from Christmas Day to Sunday, 3 January (inclusive). Use Council's emergency contact numbers (at left) if required.

## Supply of vehicles

Quotations are invited and will be received until 12pm Wednesday, 16 December 2020, for the supply and delivery of three Subaru Forester vehicles or a similar type.

Further information and forms for submission of quotations can be downloaded from Council's website or by contacting the Manager of Assets, Stuart Lloyd on 6827 1941 or emailing [assets@coonambleshire.nsw.gov.au](mailto:assets@coonambleshire.nsw.gov.au).

Forms are to be lodged in a sealed envelope and clearly endorsed with the relevant Plant Quotation Number on the front. Figures in dollars inclusive of GST must be quoted. The lowest/highest or any quotation will not necessarily be accepted.

All forms are to be addressed to the General Manager, Coonamble Shire Council 80 Castlereagh Street, PO Box 249, Coonamble NSW 2829.

## Airport weed control

Council calls for expressions of interest from any suitably qualified organisation/individual to undertake vegetation control at the Coonamble Aerodrome for a period of three years.

Contact Executive Leader Infrastructure, Kookie Atkins, on 6827 1900 for further information.

Operations at the airport are regulated under part 3 of the Civil Aviation Act 1988, and CASA also sets standards for airport works.

Closing date for submissions is 16 December 2020 and should be addressed to the General Manager, Coonamble Shire Council, 80 Castlereagh Street, PO Box 249, Coonamble NSW 2829.