



Pictured: An historical shot of Temora's Main Street.

## HERITAGE PROJECT TRACKING OCCUPANCY

### CAN you help us with a big heritage project?

We are collating information to help us create an accurate history of business occupancy in Hoskins Street dating back to its first origins right up until today. That means we want current

occupants of businesses to contact us with their information as well as those people who can provide historical information.

Are you able to provide all, or some, of the following information for businesses in

Temora?

- Street address
- Business name
- Business purpose
- Proprietors or tenants
- Business commenced and cease dates

We are reaching out to the community for any information they can

provide. Talk to your friends and relatives - do they remember what businesses lined the streets when they were kids? Did their parents work at a particular business? We want to receive any information you can provide.

If you can help, or would like to be involved, please email Sally Hurst at [shurst@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:shurst@temora.nsw.gov.au) or phone her on 6980 1105 during business hours.

## Crackdown on Illegal Dumping of Rubbish

ILLEGAL dumping of rubbish is an ongoing problem and Temora Shire Council is taking action.

"We have known hotspots and are sick of offenders thinking they can get away with the crime," said Director of Environmental Services, Kris Dunstan.

"We have purchased improved infrared motion sensing cameras and will be prosecuting all offenders when they get caught," he said.

### How do I report illegal dumping?

Regardless of whether the land is public or private, illegal dumping is a crime and should be reported.

Note as many details of the incident as possible, including time, date, location, descriptions of the people involved, vehicles and number plates and anything else noticed.

Only call 000 if the incident is occurring or has just occurred and there is a chance to apprehend the offenders. You should also call 000 if there is a risk to life or property such as asbestos.

In a non-emergency situation you should contact the Environment Protection Authority at any time by phoning 13 15 55, emailing [info@environment.nsw.gov.au](mailto:info@environment.nsw.gov.au) or report online at

[www.epa.nsw.gov.au/your-environment/litter-and-illegal-dumping/report-illegal-dumping](http://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/your-environment/litter-and-illegal-dumping/report-illegal-dumping).

If you have information that may identify offenders, contact NSW Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000 or contact Temora Shire Council on 6980 1100 during business hours.

"Most people do the right thing and dispose of their waste appropriately. Unfortunately, there are some who don't follow the rules and the effects on the environment can be disastrous. We're very grateful for any help the community can provide," said Mr Dunstan.

## Sewer Chokes and Blockages

ARE you aware of what actions to take if you have a sewer blockage on your property and who is responsible for clearing it?

If there is a sewer blockage present on the premises, where possible, the property owner should first inspect the Inspection Shaft to see if it is full or empty. If the Inspection Shaft is full or overflowing, this indicates either the property connection itself is blocked, or the main downstream is blocked and Council will attend to inspect it.

Council's 24-hour contact number is 02 6980 1100.

If the Inspection Shaft is empty, this indicates there is a blockage within the property and the property

owner should call a private plumber.

See our quick guide to cost responsibility associated with sewer maintenance below.

Where Council is requested to attend property connection blockages that are recurring in nature due to lack of preventative action from the landowner, the landowner will be charged for work provided by Council as per Council's published fees and charges which can be found at [www.temora.nsw.gov.au/Your-Council/Fees-Charges](http://www.temora.nsw.gov.au/Your-Council/Fees-Charges).

### Common causes of chokes, surcharges and blockages include:

- Tree roots through pipe joints or pipe structural

defects

- Structural damage to pipes due to age, damage, ground pressure etc.
  - Domestic products including rubbish, children's toys, tennis balls, nappies, clothing, sanitary products, cooking waste, rocks or sand and other waste material not intended for processing by the sewer system
  - Illegal connection of stormwater pipes or property downpipes
  - Poor or incorrect construction of sewer drainage components
- Here is a quick guide to cost responsibility associated with sewer maintenance:

Item	Cost
Clear sewer choke in sewer main	Council
Clear sewer choke in service line downstream of property connection (Inspection Shaft) to Council sewer main	Council
Clear sewer choke upstream of property connection and including Inspection Shaft	Owner to contact plumber
Clear initial sewer choke in property connection (once only)	Council
Clear recurring sewer choke in property connection	Owner
Property connection repair or replacement	Owner
Service line or main junction repair or replacement	Council
Sewer main repair or replacement	Council

For further clarification on this matter, please phone Council between 8am and 4.30pm on weekdays on 6980 1100 – option #1.

## Calling for Nominations for Australia Day Awards

IT is hoped that the 2023 Australia Day ceremony will see us back to celebrating with the entire community.

"Assuming the restrictions around Covid continue to ease, we can expect to celebrate Australia Day with the entire community like we did pre-Covid," said Mayor Rick Firman.

The Australia Day Committee is now calling for

nominations for Citizen of the Year, Young Citizen of the Year and Event of the Year awards to be presented at the ceremony on 26th January, 2023.

"The awards recognise the outstanding contribution an individual has made to their community, or the lasting impact of an event on the community," he explained.

"We strongly urge

residents to nominate people and events for these prestigious awards.

"It is a wonderful honour to receive a nomination and our community is full of deserving people," said Mr Firman.

"It only takes a short amount of time to write a nomination and the lasting effect of the nominee receiving that

acknowledgement is priceless."

Nomination forms can be collected from Council offices, Rick Firman's Menswear or downloaded at [www.temora.nsw.gov.au/Your-Council/Committees/Australia-Day-Committee](http://www.temora.nsw.gov.au/Your-Council/Committees/Australia-Day-Committee).

Nominations close at 4.30pm on Friday 28th October, 2022.

## Road Condition Update

THE ongoing wet weather has caused havoc with our roads network and will continue to affect the condition of many roads for some time.

The unprecedented weather events include declared natural disasters in the Temora Shire Council Local Government Area (LGA) in March 2021, November 2021, January 2022, and August 2022.

"Each time we experience significant rainfall, our roads take a punishing hit," said Engineering Works Manager, Alex Dahlenburg.

"Normally after a

significant weather event we undertake emergency response work, but we've been unable to deliver the further approved restoration works since the March 2021 event because of continued rainfall and subsequent significant events," he said. "As a result, the condition of some of our roads has continued to deteriorate."

With harvest fast approaching, Council is very aware that the poor condition of the roads may cause significant issues for harvest vehicles and machinery.

"Council is very sensitive

to the increased use of our roads during harvest but due to maintenance being delayed by prolonged wet weather, Council has a considerable backlog of maintenance work needing to be carried out," said Mr Dahlenburg.

While there is no immediate solution with two years' worth of damage to repair, Council will be prioritising restoration and maintenance work when able.

"Council has a few challenges to face as far as restoring the condition of affected roads," said Mr Dahlenburg.

"We'd like to work with the community to achieve the best possible outcome for them during this year's harvest, while maintaining our road network when weather permits. Council takes considerable pride in our road infrastructure and maintaining our roads to a high standard."

Mayor Rick Firman reiterated Mr Dahlenburg's thoughts.

"Our councillors and staff are doing their very best given that we are continuing to see consistent rainfall affecting our road network," he said.



Pictured is the damaged bitumen causeway on Howards Road. The road has been closed since early August and this image shows the significant damage caused by recent weather events. Council has not yet been able to determine a date to undertake restoration works on this road.

## Service from 8.30 at Service NSW Centre, Temora



Did you know we recently changed our Service NSW Agency opening hours to better accommodate the needs of our customers?

Service NSW operating hours are now:  
Monday to Friday, 8:30am – 12.30pm and 1.30pm to 4pm

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The Narraburra News contains Views of Temora Shire Council  
FOR FULL EVENT DETAILS VISIT [www.temora.com.au](http://www.temora.com.au)





## Sep 29-Oct 16

### Pop Up Art Gallery

**10am-4pm Old Target Building**  
Open each Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday  
[www.temora.com.au/events-1/pop-up-art-gallery](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/pop-up-art-gallery)

### 01 A Country Weekend Rod Run Street Cruise

**6pm-9pm Hoskins Street**  
Come along and check out the hot rods in action [www.temora.com.au/events-1/a-country-weekend-rod-run](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/a-country-weekend-rod-run)

### 01 Walk By Your Side

**8am Lake Centenary**  
Free mental health awareness walk, breakfast, guest speaker Scott Reardon and a Tai Ch class.

## 07 Oct - Nov 11

### Temora Shire Council Art Prize Exhibition

**Bundawarrah Centre**  
An exhibition of local artists' work as part of the annual Temora Shire Council Art Prize. Entries for the Art Prize close at 5pm, 2nd October. Entry forms and information packs can be obtained from the Arts Centre, the Bundawarrah Centre, Council offices or on the website. [www.temora.com.au/events-1/temora-shire-art-prize-2022](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/temora-shire-art-prize-2022)

### 08 Bikers for Boobs

**9am - Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club**  
A day-long motorbike ride on a secret route followed by celebrations at the club. Fundraiser for Temora CanAssist [www.temora.com.au/events-1/bikers-for-boobs](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/bikers-for-boobs)

### 12-16 Mary Gilmore Festival

**Ariah Park Showground**  
Adults \$30 or by wristband, students over 16yrs \$5, Children free. [www.temora.com.au/events-1/mary-gilmore-festival-1](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/mary-gilmore-festival-1)

### 15 Youth Made Market

**9am-2pm - Fed & Bed Courtyard**  
You'll be amazed at what the young people of Temora Shire can do. [www.temora.com.au/events-1/youth-made-markets-3](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/youth-made-markets-3)

### 15 & 16

**Warbirds Down Under**  
[www.warbirdsdownunderairshow.com.au/](http://www.warbirdsdownunderairshow.com.au/)

### 22 Jobs Expo

**10am-1pm Temora Memorial Town Hall**  
Learn about the many career opportunities available to you in the Temora Shire and jump-start your career. [www.temora.com.au/events-1/temora-jobs-expo](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/temora-jobs-expo)

### 22 Can Assist Expo and Forum

**10.30am-3pm Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club**  
All welcome. Specialist talks and information booths about cancer awareness and treatment. Enquiries: 0429 774 966

### 26 Family Expo

**11am-4pm Gloucester Park**  
Connecting community with services in a fun and friendly environment [www.temora.com.au/events-1/family-expo](http://www.temora.com.au/events-1/family-expo)

## Become a Friend of Welcome Volunteer

WE are looking for people to help us welcome newcomers to the Temora Shire by becoming Friends of Welcome volunteers.

If you love living in Temora and are passionate about encouraging others to make Temora Shire their home, this could be a wonderful opportunity for you.

What's involved? That's completely up to you. It may be as simple as organising coffee dates and informal catch-ups. Or you may be able to help set newcomers up by connecting them with local services, sporting clubs and community groups, or setting up their new home. Primarily, you will be a

shining example of why we are known as "the friendly shire".

If this sounds like something you'd like to be part of, contact Economic and Community Development Officer, Shontayne Ward at Council on 69801100 or [sward@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:sward@temora.nsw.gov.au)

## Temora Family Expo

TEMORA Shire Council is putting the call-out for potential stall holders, food vendors and entertainment providers for the Temora Family Expo to be held on Wednesday, October 26.

"The aim of the Family Expo is to provide an informal and fun environment for families to access information from a range of services and organisations supporting families in our community," said Events Program Coordinator, Robyn Buerckner.

"We are looking for stall

holders from community groups, service providers, educational institutes, mental health services, emergency services, aged care providers, early childhood centres, local sporting groups and charities," she said.

Interested organisations are asked to register their interest by the 5th of October by completing the online form at [www.surveymonkey.com/r/temora-family-expo](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/temora-family-expo).

The Family Expo will be free to attend and will allow families to explore services

and organisations available to them that they may not have been aware of previously.

"We will have lots of entertainment for children so parents can browse the stalls at their own pace," said Mrs Buerckner.

"We've already secured a jumping castle, hoola hoop entertainers, a petting zoo and an ice cream van, with more to be announced in the coming weeks."

The Expo will be held on Wednesday, October 26 from 11am to 4pm in Gloucester Park.

For more information, please contact Robyn Buerckner at [rbuerckner@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:rbuerckner@temora.nsw.gov.au).



## TEMORA JOBS EXPO

WITH the unemployment rate at an all-time low (below 3%) and more jobs than people, the Temora Job Expo aims to keep locals local and to attract job seekers to relocate to the Temora Shire.

"The Expo is beneficial for everyone. Job seekers may find employment, young people may discover a career path they hadn't yet thought of, and businesses may find new staff or showcase

their business to a wider audience," explained Economic and Community Development Officer Shontayne Ward.

Local businesses, organisations and services are invited to set up an exhibit at the Expo showcasing what they do, who they are, and what they offer the people of Temora Shire.

"We will have exhibits from a range of industries such as aviation,

automotive, personal care, the Rural Fire Service, further education, and many more," said Mrs Ward.

The Expo will be attended by school-aged youth, school leavers, new residents and people looking for a career change.

Businesses wishing to register to have an exhibit are encouraged to email Shontayne Ward at [sward@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:sward@temora.nsw.gov.au)

**What:** Temora Job Expo  
**Where:** Temora Memorial Town Hall  
**When:** Saturday, October 22  
**Cost:** Free

## TEMORA SHIRE LIBRARY - OCTOBER ACTIVITIES



**Lego Spike HOLIDAY Workshop**  
07/10, sessions run from 10am till 4pm (1hr slots). Groups of 1-4 kids, bookings essential.



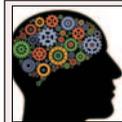
**XMAS CRAFT workshops with ROS!!**  
Join Ros for fortnightly crafty XMAS sessions! 20/10, 03/11, 17/11, 01/12, 15/12. 10am, \$5 per session. Bookings essential.



**FAMILY EXPO**  
26/10, 11am to 4pm. Visit us at Family Expo—Gloucester Park!



**Storytime**  
14/10, 21/10 & 28/10, 10:15am. Stories, craft, music & dancing. 0-6yrs.



**BRAIN GAMES**  
Keep your mind active with stimulating mind games & brain teasers. 27/10, 10:30am.



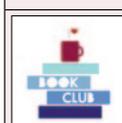
**Baby Bounce**  
1ST & 3RD Wednesday of every month!! 05/10 & 19/10, 9:45am



**Seniors Tech**  
12/10, drop in 15minute tech lessons between 10am-12pm. NO booking required.



**Wrap with Love Knitting**  
06/10 & 20/10, 2:00pm. All welcome.



**WEEKEND Book Club**  
Expression of interest. JOIN a weekend book club run by library staff!!



**Housebound Deliveries**  
04/10 & 18/10



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For enquiries & bookings, please call 6977 1781. CLOSED: MONDAY 3/10 public holiday

## TOWN HALL THEATRE

OCTOBER Ph: 6977 1082 to confirm movie times and dates



**AVATAR (RE-RELEASE)** (M) 162 mins  
Sat 1 Oct - 6.30pm  
Tue 4 Oct - 10.30am  
Wed 5 Oct - 6.30pm



**TICKET TO PARADISE** (M) 104 mins  
Sat 15 Oct - 6.30pm  
Sun 16 Oct - 5.00pm  
Wed 29 Oct - 10.30am  
Wed 19 Oct - 6.30pm  
Sat 22 Oct - 6.30pm



**DRAGON BALL SUPER: SUPER HERO** (M) 100 mins  
Sun 2 Oct - 5.00pm  
Wed 5 Oct - 10.30am  
Sat 8 Oct - 6.30pm  
Sun 9 Oct - 5.00pm



**SEE HOW THEY RUN** (M) 98 mins  
Fri 21 Oct - 6.30pm  
Sun 23 Oct - 5.00pm  
Wed 26 Oct - 10.30am  
Sat 29 Oct - 6.30pm



**DC LEAGUE OF SUPER PETS** (PG) 105 mins  
Thur 6 Oct - 10.30am  
Fri 7 Oct - 6.00pm  
Sat 8 Oct - 4.00pm  
Sun 9 Oct - 3.00pm



**THE RAILWAY CHILDREN RETURN** (PG) 99 mins  
Wed 26 Oct - 6.30pm  
Fri 28 Oct - 6.30pm  
Sun 30 Oct - 5.00pm  
Wed 2 Nov - 10.30am



**WOG BOYS FOREVER** (MA) 109 mins  
Wed 12 Oct - 10.30am  
Wed 12 Oct - 6.30pm  
Fri 14 Oct - 6.30pm



**TOWN HALL THEATRE FILM CLUB - CHILDREN OF HEAVEN**  
Thur 13 Oct - 7.00pm

Adults \$18 • Concession \$12 • Wednesday AM \$12  
• Family Pass (2Ad & 2Ch) \$50

PROPOSED COMING SOON - NOVEMBER  
Amsterdam, Don't Worry Darling, Black Adam, Out of the Blue, Mrs Harris Goes to Paris

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