



**What's on at the Library?**

**01 & 15**  
Baby Bounce  
10.15am - 0-12 months.

**07 & 21**  
Housebound Deliveries

**06, 13 & 27**  
Seniors Tech Lessons  
10.30am - Bring your own phone, tablet or laptop and we'll answer your questions

Every Friday Story Time  
10.30am

**Coming in June**



**08 Flying Showcase**  
Temora Aviation Museum  
www.aviationmuseum.com

**21 Southern NSW Farming Ball**

**28 TBEG Business Awards Dinner**  
www.tbeg.org.au/business-awards-2019

**03-31**

**In Miniature Exhibition**  
Bundawarra Centre  
An exhibition celebrating all things miniature.  
www.temora.com.au/events

**04 Greyhound Meet**  
12pm - Temora Greyhound Track  
www.temoragreyhounds.com.au

**04 V8 Superboats**  
Day/Night - Lake Centenary  
www.v8superboats.com.au

**06 Customer Focus Group: Young Mums**

**10am - Temora Town Hall Theatre**  
An opportunity for local businesses to access customers directly to re-shape business models to address customer needs and desires.

**06 Coffee & Dessert Evening**  
7.30pm - Temora Bowling Club  
www.temora.com.au/events

**10 Sportsperson of the Year Awards**  
6.30pm - Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club.  
Contact Judy Gilchrist 0427 772 183.

**11 Temora United Soccer Club**  
2.30pm - Clubhouse Opening Afternoon Tea - Temora West Soccer Grounds  
6pm - 50th Anniversary Dinner - Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club  
www.temora.com.au/events

**13 Lake Centenary Plan of Management Community Consultation**  
6pm-8pm - Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club  
www.temora.com.au/events

**15 Teaching Someone to Drive Workshop**  
5.30pm Bundawarra Centre  
90 Minute intensive workshop to assist parents and caregivers to teach a learner driver.  
Bookings essential: 6980 1100 or gsheehan@temora.nsw.gov.au

**14 Over 65 Workshop**  
10am-12pm - Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club. FREE.  
Get up to date information on road rules and safety for motorised scooters and wheelchairs as pedestrian devices. Book 6980 1101 or gsheehan@temora.nsw.gov.au

**22 NAB Economic Outlook**  
Trefle Shed - Temora Agricultural Innovation Centre  
NAB Senior Economist, David De Garis, provides insight into the forecast for the Australian economy and what it means for businesses in Temora Shire. FREE and open to all.

**25 Rainbow Ball**  
7pm - Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club  
Fundraiser for CanAssist.  
Contact 0429 782 960.

**25 & 26 May**  
Red Shield Appeal

**20-25 May**  
Library & Information week



**20 Virtual Reality for Seniors**  
10.30am - Come and experience a virtual reality program designed to introduce seniors to the fun side of technology. Not to be missed!

**23 Biggest Morning tea**  
10.30am - Come down for a delicious morning tea and cuppa hosted by our lovely library staff. \$2.00



**24 National Simultaneous Storytime**  
10.30am - "Alpacas with Maracas" by Matt Cosgrove.



**TBEG Business Awards**

NOMINATIONS are now open for the 2019 Business Awards with nine categories designed to celebrate excellence in business right across the Temora Shire.

The Temora Business Awards are aligned with the NSW Business Chamber Awards program, presenting exciting opportunities for promotion and recognition from not only local, but regional and state level in most categories as well.

Individual categories are awarded for:

- Outstanding Young Employee (18-35 years)
- Outstanding Young Entrepreneur (18-35 years)
- Outstanding Business Leader

Business Award Categories are awarded for:

- Start Up Superstar
- Excellence in Innovation
- Excellence in Micro Business (less than five employees)
- Excellence in Small Business (5-20 employees)
- Excellence in Business (21 or more employees)

The prestigious Lifetime Achievement in Business category is also open for nomination, with the winner to receive the David Carruthers Memorial Award.

Award entries opened on March 28th and will close on May 17th, with the annual Awards function to be held June 28th, 2019 as an 'end of financial year' celebration.

Nominations and further information can be found at [tbeg.org.au/business-awards-2019](http://tbeg.org.au/business-awards-2019) and close on Friday, May 17, 2019.

**Jobs Riverina**

JOBS RIVERINA is a one-stop-portal for all employment opportunities in the Riverina.

Regional Development Australia Riverina has created Jobs Riverina as a free place to seek employment opportunities in the region.

For jobseekers the site provides job listings throughout the entire region, alerts when jobs come up in specific areas, a resume and AirCV service, training and education opportunities, and the ability to share jobs with family and friends.

For employers, Jobs Riverina is a smart, cost-free way to expand recruitment horizons. It is a place to advertise for quality staff using an easy online system that can reach audiences locally and worldwide.

Jobs listed on Jobs Riverina are from all kinds of industries which are seeking employees of varying skills and qualifications. New jobs are added daily and you can narrow down your search based on industry, geographical location and type of job.

To search or advertise on Jobs Riverina, go to [www.jobsriverina.com.au](http://www.jobsriverina.com.au)

**ECONOMIC BOOM**

COUNCIL is anticipating significant public and private sector infrastructure investment in the next four years that will have an unprecedented impact on Temora Shire.

As such, a public forum to showcase the opportunities available to businesses and residents is planned for Tuesday, 7th May, 2019.

The aim of the event is to ensure the community is able to prepare for and benefit from these developments, and to increase business confidence which may stimulate further local investment.

The forum will be an opportunity for interested residents to hear from confirmed developers.

It is predicted that opportunities arising from the expected boom will include surges in housing needs, short and long term accommodation requirements, employment opportunities, and service requirements.

The Boom Time Forum will include several short addresses from various developers, a public Q&A session, and the opportunity to network in an informal setting.

Accommodation providers, trades people, business owners, and interested community members are invited to come along to learn how to share the benefits from the boom.

**What:** Boom Time Forum  
**Where:** Temora Bowling Club  
**When:** Tuesday 7th May, 2019  
**Time:** 6pm  
**Enquiries:** Craig Sinclair 6980 1124 or [csinclair@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:csinclair@temora.nsw.gov.au)

**STRONGER COUNTRY COMMUNITIES**

THE NSW Government's Stronger Country Communities Fund delivers local infrastructure to improve the quality of life for people in regional NSW.

Funding was provided to councils for projects such as parks, community halls, sports facilities, playgrounds and amenity blocks.

Council has completed its first project under the Stronger Country Communities Fund, which was the upgrade of the Temora Recreation Centre amenities.

The first stage of the upgrade to the Arah Park Recreation Ground amenities building and the Temora West Sports Ground amenities building are also nearing completion.

Works at the Temora Memorial Town Hall are well underway, with internal refurbishment nearing completion and the foyer extension commenced. Other projects at Nixon Park, Temora Tennis Club, Temora Golf Club, Temora netball courts, Lake Centenary, the Arah Park's Coolamon Street, and town entrances will commence later in the year or early 2020.



Pictured above: The completed upgrade of amenities at the Temora Recreation Centre.

**TOWN HALL THEATRE** www.townhalltheatre.com.au

MAY 2019 Ph: 6980 1177 to confirm movie times and dates

	<b>SHAZAM (M)</b> 132 mins Fri 3 May - 6.30pm Sat 4 May 5.00pm Wed 8 May - 10.30am**
	<b>THE AVENGERS: END GAME (CTC)</b> 180 mins Sat 4 May - 1.30pm TBC Sat 4 May - 7.30pm TBC Sun 5 May - 1.30pm TBC Sun 5 May - 5.00pm TBC Wed 8 May - 6.30pm* TBC
	<b>LITTLE (PG)</b> Mins TBC Sat 11 May - 5.00pm TBC Sat 18 May - 5.00pm TBC Sun 12 May - 5.00pm TBC Wed 15 May - 6.30pm* TBC Fri 17 May - 6.30pm TBC
	<b>THE CHAPERONE (PG)</b> 103 mins Sat 18 May - 7.30pm TBC Sun 19 May - 5.00pm TBC Wed 22 May - 6.30pm* TBC Fri 24 May - 6.30pm TBC
	<b>LONG SHOT (CTC)</b> Mins TBC Sat 25 May - 7.30pm TBC Sun 26 May - 5.00pm TBC Wed 29 May - 6.30pm*

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL MOVIES AND TIMES HAVE NOT BEEN CONFIRMED PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE.

COMING SOON -The Hustle, Poms, Aladdin, Rocketman, Men In Black: International

Adults \$14 • Concession \$10 • \* Denotes \$10 Wednesday night price  
\*\*\* Denotes \$7 special pricing •\$1 extra for 3D screenings  
• TBC Denotes To be Confirmed • CTC Denotes check the classification  
Tickets can now be purchased online at [www.townhalltheatre.com.au](http://www.townhalltheatre.com.au)

Cnr Loftus & DeBoos Streets, Temora  
Phone: 6980 1177  
Tickets can now be purchased online at [www.townhalltheatre.co.au](http://www.townhalltheatre.co.au)

FOR FULL EVENT DETAILS VISIT [www.temora.com.au](http://www.temora.com.au)



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Views of Temora Shire Council



## SPORTSPERSON AWARDS DINNER

TICKETS are now on sale for the 37th Annual Temora District Sports Council Sportsperson of the Year Awards dinner to be held at the Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club on Friday, May 10th from 6.30pm.

Nominations for the awards have now closed and anticipation is high for the nominees. With awards presented in all age and sporting categories it is recommended you get your tickets early

before they sell out.

"It's always a fun night with good-natured, competitive rivalry between sporting teams. There are awards for best decorated table and participants take this challenge very seriously," said President, Rick Firman.

Special guest speaker, Mr Bob Turner, will address the audience as part of the proceedings. Mr Turner has dedicated

much of his life to building the profile of basketball in Australasia and creating a world class league.

"We are so excited to have Mr Turner share his insights with us. Not only was he an incredible player himself, but his development of marketing and promotions for the NBL has sky-rocketed the public profile of basketball in this country," Rick Firman said.

**What:** 37th Annual Sportsperson Awards Dinner  
**When:** Friday 10th May, 2019  
**Time:** 6.30pm  
**Where:** Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club  
**Tickets:** Primary aged children - \$20  
Adults/ High School - \$30

Tickets are available from Temora Shire Council Office until Wednesday 8th May, 2019.



## Road Safety Workshop

A FREE workshop is being offered to residents over the age of 65 and who operate a motorised scooter or wheelchair as a pedestrian.

Residents are urged to bring their motorised scooters or wheelchairs, if they have them, to take advantage of the opportunity for workshop presenters to make them safer for pedestrian use.

The two hour workshop will cover:

- Ensuring visibility and safety when operating a motorised/ mobility scooter or motorised wheelchair outdoors
  - General pedestrian safety
  - Recent updates to the Australian road rules that apply to motorists, cyclists and pedestrians.
- Attendees to the workshop will receive free giveaways and complimentary light refreshments.

**Where:** Temora Ex-Services Memorial Club, Auditorium

**Date:** Tuesday 14th May 2019

**Time:** 10am - 12pm

To reserve your place please call (02) 6980 1101 or email to [gshhehan@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:gshhehan@temora.nsw.gov.au)

## Resettlement Committee

COUNCIL have formed a new working group to help with the attraction and integration of migrant workers and refugees to Temora Shire. The Resettlement Committee was formed as part of a pilot program agreed upon at the March Council meeting.

The program is a partnership between Multicultural NSW, RDA Riverina and the Commonwealth Department, Jobs and Small Business. The Resettlement Committee is based on a structure used in Walla Walla which consists of local community members with expertise in housing, employment, and community engagement.

Delegates from the Resettlement Committee will attend the Pathways to Employment Expo in Sydney on May 15th, and have already attended an information session in Wagga last month. The Sydney Expo is an opportunity for communities to showcase themselves and potential employment prospects to refugees and migrant workers. Should there be sufficient interest at the Expo, RDA Riverina will plan a visit for jobseekers considering moving to the region.

RDA Riverina is keen to target towns that are 'ready' to welcome refugees and

migrants and have available housing, employment opportunities, access to services and a welcoming community. Temora Shire was identified by RDA Riverina as a stand out community for this project due to Council's coordinated approach to resident attraction.

If the program is successful it will see up to five families, from migrant or refugee backgrounds, joining the Temora community.

The targeted families have already been settled in Australia for approximately two years, and many are qualified in a range of fields, from mechanics to doctors.

Check out the Facebook page [www.facebook.com/refugees.walla/](http://www.facebook.com/refugees.walla/) to see examples of programs and initiatives being developed by the Walla Walla community.

## Customer Focus Group

PREPARATIONS are under way for a series of focus groups designed to assist local businesses to have a greater understanding of how segments of their target customers behave in regards to their purchasing habits.

The forums will enable business owners to listen and observe a market segment talk about the way the participants shop.

This fly-on-the-wall work shop will provide business

owners with a unique insight into customer behaviour. The first segment to be researched is young mothers.

The facilitated discussion will explore the ideas of what influences these customers in how they research a product or service, how they make purchasing decisions, their expectations regarding customer service and after sales service.

Through a facilitated process it is anticipated

business owners will gain a greater insight into the needs and desires of their market.

This in turn will give the businesses an opportunity to modify their business models, if required, to better serve their market.

Using a strength based facilitation, approach the forum will start with broad themes before drilling down into finding out the good, the bad, and the ugly - the expected and the surprising.

The forum is planned for Monday, 6th May 2019, from 9.30am - 12pm at Temora Town Hall Theatre. For enquiries phone Craig Sinclair on 6980 1124 or email [csinclair@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:csinclair@temora.nsw.gov.au)

## FLOOD STUDY

TEMORA Shire Council recently undertook a flood study of the Temora urban area as part of long term planning for future potential flooding in the region.

The study looks at past flood events and uses modelling of the catchment and flood scenarios to assist with preparation for predicted patterns in the future.

Flood consultants, who assisted in the preparation

of the study, will be available on Friday, May 10th, from 11.30am - 2.30pm for consultation with the public. No appointment is necessary. Residents are invited to 'drop in' to 242-244 Hoskins Street, in the Meagher Building next to the florist, to view the plans, ask questions and provide comments.

The draft Temora Flood Study will be on public exhibition from the end of

April until Monday, 27th May.

Copies of the study and maps can be viewed on Council's website or Council offices. Written comments on the draft study will be received by Council up until the end of the exhibition period. Submissions can be delivered in person to Council's office or sent via email to [temshire@temora.nsw.gov.au](mailto:temshire@temora.nsw.gov.au)

Friday, 10th May: 11.30am - 2.30pm: meet with the flood study team in the Meagher Building

26th April - 27th May: View the draft Temora Flood Study and maps at Council offices or [www.temora.nsw.gov.au](http://www.temora.nsw.gov.au)

## SHARE YOUR RECIPE



IN term one, the Temora Youth Hospitality Teams benefited from the "share your recipe" program. Each week a resident was invited into the Platform Y kitchen to cook a family recipe and share their story.

Recipes ranged from casseroles to curries and originated in places from all over the world, including Vietnam and Fiji.

"It was an amazing opportunity for the young people to venture into recipes they may not come across in their own

homes, and to hear the stories of different members of the community," said Youth Worker, Mel Carter.

The program was so successful that it will be extended into term two.

"We are looking for members of the community from all kinds of backgrounds," said Ms Carter. "Last term we were lucky enough to have Bob and Helen Oliver, Tracey Lees, Beth Firman, Apenisa Tudalu, Mai Pham and others who shared their recipes and stories with our young people,

and now we are looking for more recipes and stories".

Hospitality Teams meet on Wednesdays and Thursdays during school terms from 4pm - 5.30pm at Platform Y.

Recipes need to be able to be made within the timeframe of about an hour. All ingredients and cooking apparatus are supplied by the Youth Teams. Volunteers simply need to supply the recipe in advance and come prepared to share the story of why the chosen recipe is important to them.

If you would like to share a recipe with the young people of Temora in term two, call Mel on 0418 357 230.

## WHAT'S IN A NAME?



ONCE upon a time, the Temora Rural Museum was the sole attraction on its site in Junee Road. With the inclusion of the Ambulance Museum, Visitor Information Centre, function centre, and the growing collections of the Rural Museum, the site has officially been rebranded as The Bundawarrah Centre.

"Under its new banner, The Bundawarrah Centre can effectively be the cultural hub it is designed to be," says Centre Manager, Mr Bill Speirs. "It will allow me to guide the Museum Management Committee as it builds a much more inclusive, engaging and productive profile in Temora's economy," he said.

With the new branding, Mr Speirs has introduced a logo designed to encapsulate the cultural heritage of the Temora Shire. The motif depicts a kangaroo at rest, inspired by the indigenous meaning of the word "bundawarrah" (camping

place of kangaroos). The gold colour references the Mother Shipton gold nugget and the design ensures a wide application to a range of print and digital mediums as the museum's 'new identity' unfolds.

Although Mr Speirs has put a lot of thought into the rebranding and motif, he is yet to think of a name for the logo.

"I thought, perhaps, that someone from the community may have a great suggestion for our new logo's name," he said. "It would be nice to complete the rebranding with a suitable title for our motif".

If you have a suggestion for the name of the logo, drop into the Bundawarrah Centre, 29 Junee Road, or call 6977 1086. Alternatively, head to the Bundawarrah Centre Facebook page and leave us a comment.

## Senior Savers Card

FROM July 1st, 2019, a new type of NSW Seniors Card, called the Senior Savers card, will be available to all NSW residents who are aged 60 years or over.

The card will provide access to discounts and deals on products and services offered by over 7,400 participating businesses.

The introduction of the NSW Seniors Savers Card is a way for the NSW Government to recognise the contribution older people, who are

still working, make in our community, and offer some relief from the growing cost of everyday living.

The new Senior Savers card will not provide access to NSW Government rebates and transport concessions, and card holders will not be eligible for the Gold Opal Card.

NSW Government rebates and concessions are still means tested, whereas the new NSW Senior Savers Card is available to anyone

regardless of assets or hours worked.

Whilst the card is a State Government initiative, each Australian state and territory has their own Seniors Card scheme and in some instances businesses in one state will recognise cards from another state.

However, it is best to ask the business if it provides a discount for the NSW Senior Savers Card holders before making a purchase.



## Domestic Assistance

Pinnacle Community Services offers Domestic Assistance for eligible people under the Commonwealth Home Support Program.

Domestic Assistance can include tasks such as cleaning bathrooms, changing bed linen, vacuuming, mopping, taking out the rubbish or other domestic tasks.

A laundry service is also available which includes washing, drying and folding.

Places are limited and to be eligible you must be over 65 and have difficulty maintaining your home.

Pinnacle can help you be assessed for the service.

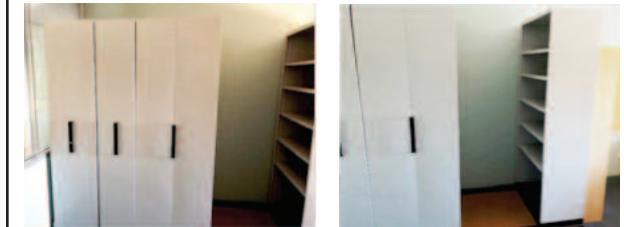
Contact Pinnacle Community Services on 02 69771 326 Or contact My Aged Care on 1800 200 422

## Expressions of Interest

COUNCIL has compactors in the Pinnacle Community Services offices that are no longer being used. (pictured below.)

Expressions of Interest are now being taken for the purchase of the items. Interested persons should contact the Director of Administration and Finance, Mr Steve Firth, to apply.

Phone 6980 1100 to submit an expression of interest.



## Cost of Living Support

ARE you certain you are getting the most out of the opportunities offered by Service NSW?

The NSW Government is helping to ease the cost of living with more than 40 rebates and savings. You can browse all the rebates on the Service NSW website. A quick six question assessment of your entitlements using the "Savings Finder" will provide you with all the rebates applicable to your personal situation.

Many families will find a number of areas they can save or receive rebates. It is possible to receive up to \$180 a year on energy bills, discounts for switching to LED lighting, payment assistance grants, and discounts of up to \$1000 on efficient air conditioner purchases.

The CTP Green Slip refund could see you receive up to \$120 in rebates. If you use tollways regularly you may be eligible for Toll Relief. Caravan or camper trailer owners can receive up to 40% discount on registration. If you have a good driving record you may be eligible to receive a 50% discount next time you renew your licence.

The Life Support Energy Rebate

and Medical Energy Rebate assist with the costs of providing treatment for serious medical conditions. There are also funds to assist with repairs, maintenance, equipment and medical items.

The Active Kids and Creative Kids vouchers each provide \$100 subsidy to registered sporting and creative arts programs per child, per year. A relatively easy process, register your child through Service NSW and receive your voucher. When you register your child for a sporting or creative activity with a registered provider, simply supply the provider with your voucher to receive the \$100 discount.

The Service NSW website is also the place to go to search the Revenue of Unclaimed Money.

This service searches for old bank accounts, superannuation funds, insurance policies and deceased estates to find any money in your name that you may not be aware of.

With the possibility of saving hundreds of dollars a year, it is well worth your while browsing the Service NSW website for potential savings for you and your family.

Visit [www.service.nsw.gov.au](http://www.service.nsw.gov.au)