## February 2024



Road re-surfacing will be undertaken in many Temora Streets throughout 2024.

BITUMEN RESURFACING PROGRAM IN 2024 **TEMORA Shire Council** will be undertaking our bitumen resurfacing works during late February / early March on MR84 Burley

These works will also incorporate bitumen resealing of the following Temora urban streets and facilities.

Griffin Way and MR57

Goldfields Way as a sub-

contractor to Transport for

### **State Road Reseals**

NSW (TfNSW).

• Goldfields Way -Sebastopol Area (between Shire boundary and Sebastopol)

• Goldfields Way – Barmedman Area (southern edge of Barmedman)

• Burley Griffin Way -Polaris Street to Briar St/Altora Ag grain site entrance

### **Urban Street Reseals** Temora

- Camp St (between Polaris St and Britannia St)
- Clarke St (entire length)

crossing to Hoskins St)

- John Rands Place (entire length) • Kitchener Rd (level
- Little Bellevue St

(entire length)

- Little Camp St (entire sealed length)
- Little DeBoos St (Britannia St to the southern end)
- Macauley Street (Junee Rd to end kerb)
- Oak Street (entire length)
- Thom St (entire sealed length)
- Truskett St (entire sealed length)
- Cootamundra Rd (intersection of Austral St and Cootamundra Rd)
- Nicholson St

(entire length)

## **Urban Facilities**

- Lake Centenary entrance road, carpark roads, parking areas, and boat ramp area
- Temora Cemetery main access road and parking area between lawn cemetery and old monumental cemetery

Weather permitting, this process will take approximately two weeks to complete, with some preparation works being undertaken prior to resealing where required.

Some minor inconvenience may occur.

Following bitumen resurfacing, existing linemarking will be reinstated.

Council apologises for any inconvenience and wishes to offer thanks for public cooperation throughout this process.

If you have any concerns about work being undertaken by Council please contact the engineering department on 02 6980 1100 (Option #1).

## A day to Clean Up Australia

TEMORA's Clean Up Australia Day is Sunday, 3rd March. Each participant will receive a pre-paid garbage voucher worth \$10, which equates to a small box trailer (6X4)

Registration is vital on the day to ensure that the site supervisors know where to pick up your full bags which are supplied to you on the day. The time to register is 8.30am at Gloucester Park.

Please ensure that on the day you wear gloves, a hat, sturdy shoes, sunglasses, sunscreen and bring a drink. Council will be supplying the bags and will pick up the waste from your allocated/nominated location.

Once again for 2024, Council will be offering our senior residents a bulky item collection within the townships of Temora and Ariah Park on Wednesday, 27th March,

Any interested senior residents should contact Council on 6980 1105 for further details. Items must be registered by 4.30pm Thursday, 21st March.



# **Live Traffic NSW**

KNOWING about road closures can keep people safe and save

Live Traffic NSW is a website and app that provides real time information about incidents and changed traffic conditions that may affect your journey. The website can be directly accessed from Council's homepage; temora.nsw.gov.au

The aim is to help drivers make the best possible travel decisions to help the safe and efficient management of roads across

State road information on Live traffic NSW is managed by the **Transport Management Centre** (TMC). The TMC monitors and manages the 18,000 NSW state road network 24 hours a day, 7 davs a week.

The TMC works closely with other government agencies and service providers, including Temora Shire Council, to maximise the safety and efficiency of the NSW State road network. Other agencies include: NSW Police, Fire and Rescue NSW, NSW Ambulance, State Emergency Service, Rural Fire Service and other Local Government Authorities. Temora Shire Council can now communicate disruptions to roads in our Shire in real time, which is particularly important during emergencies, such as vehicle accidents, flooding and fires. Dont have the app? Download Live Traffic NSW app at https://transportnsw.info/apps/livetraffic-nsw or scan the QR code and enjoy all the features that Live Traffic NSW has to offer.



# Federal Park and Bradley Park to be upgraded

THROUGHOUT 2024 Federal Park in the Railway Precinct and Bradley Park on Chiefly Street will be upgraded as part of Councils strategy to improve playground quality and diversity through the renewal of existing playgrounds.

Demolition works to remove the existing Federal Park equipment

is underway, and the construction of the new equipment is scheduled to commence in early March, weather permitting. Somewhere Landscape Architects are finalising the landscape design for the consideration of Council.

Council has also engaged Creative Outdoors and More, based in Wagga Wagga, to deliver stage one of the upgrade to Bradley Park. Stage one will include construction of accessible paths, additional play features, landscaped areas, and an accessible toilet.

As outlined in Council's Temora Community Strategic Plan (February 2022) the

longterm vision for Council is "to enhance the quality of life for its community members where people with disabilities and their families are able to live, work and play"

Both projects are anticipated to be completed by 30 June 2024.

# **Introducing New Farmlink CEO Shaughn Morgan**



THE Board of Directors for FarmLink Research recently announced that it appointed Shaughn Morgan as the new Chief Executive Officer (pictured).

Mr Morgan commenced his role as CEO on 2nd January 2024, replacing outgoing CEO Andrew

Bulkeley. He joins FarmLink with extensive experience in agricultural advocacy organisations, having previously served as CEO of NSW Farmers Association and more recently, CEO of dairy organisation Dairy Connect, and Co-CEO of its successor body, eastAUSmilk.

In these roles, Mr Morgan worked closely with research & development corporations and regional development programs in fostering growth and new initiatives within agriculture.

He has also held senior roles at the Law Society of NSW, AGL Energy and Barton Deakin, as well as serving on government,

corporate and not-for-profit boards and committees.

The Chairman of FarmLink, Rob McColl, said, "Shaughn has an extensive background in policy development, management and community and government relations, and these skills augment what Andrew has built over the past three years."

Mr Morgan said of his appointment, "It is a privilege to join the FarmLink team and continue the great work that Andrew has been undertaking during his tenure as CEO. I look forward to continuing this work and growing the business of FarmLink.

Prior to taking up a new role in Sydney, Mr Bulkeley will assist in the handover to ensure a smooth and seamless transition.

"I am grateful to Andrew for agreeing to remain with the organisation while I settle into the role and obtain a deeper understanding of the research and development programs at FarmLink, as well as the opportunities that lie ahead," Mr Morgan said.

"I look forward to working with the local Temora community, the Temora Shire Council and the team at FarmLink to grow agricultural innovation and investment in the region."

Music in the Regions presents

**Ensemble Offspring** 

Wednesday, 28 February 2024

Tickets: musicintheregions.com

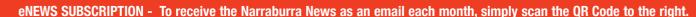
Early Bird tickets available until 17 February Free tickets for Under 18s - tickets required





Temora Town Hall Theatre

















# February 2024

# GET READY TO BE DRENCHED AGAIN!!

TEMORA Shire's Arts and Culture Festival 'Drench' is back again in 2024. For the month of March, Temora Shire will be inundated with events and activities. Get your healthy dose of culture.

"Many DRENCH events are free or low cost, to make arts and culture available for our entire Temora Shire community. Now is the time to try something you've been wanting to give a go!" said Mayor Rick Firman.

The month will kick off with The Eagles and Mac (Fleetwood Mac) Tribute show on Saturday, 2nd March. The night will showcase two back-to-back performances. Flavours of the Heart will be serving a dinner (at additional cost) for those wishing to enjoy a meal

before the show, and the event will be BYO to help Mayor Firman. vour wallet.

Make sure you mark the calendar for the Temora Rural Museum Annual Live Exhibition on Saturday, 9th March. The exhibition is in it's 51st year, and is a day of demonstrations of the shire's yesteryear.

Steph Cooke MP will be at the event to open the brand-new entrance to the museum and refurbishment works thanks to funding from NSW State Government.

"The new entrance takes you directly to our famous Sir Donald Bradman's cottage, making for an easy flow self-guided tour. Council are very excited about Our State MP, Ms Cooke opening this important upgrade, which I know our citizens will also be

NEW

Summer

proud of," explained

Temora Aviation Museum is set to take flight with their event Flight Flicks on Sunday 17 March. This event is designed for aviation enthusiasts of all ages, so bring the whole family for some cinematic fun. Enjoy the movies inside the museum's spacious hanger. Don't forget to bring blankets and a chair for a cozy movie experience.

Immerse yourself with live music and art nights at our local hotels and Temora Art Centre, think Paint & Sips, Pottery classes, and Open Mics.

As event details launch over February, watch Temora Shire Council's Facebook page and visit temora.com.au/drench to purchase tickets.

## **Diversity Focus for 2024**

TEMORA Shire Council is currently undergoing consultation with community groups and members to develop the Shire's first Diversity Inclusion Action Plan. If you would like to be involved, please contact communications@temora.nsw.gov.au



# **International Women's Day** #inspireInclusion#IWD2024

EVERY year the 8th March is the day across the world were we take a moment to imagine a gender equal world, celebrate women's achievements, and raise awareness about discrimination.

"A world free of bias, stereotypes, and discrimination. A world that's diverse, equitable, and inclusive. A world where difference is valued and celebrated." -International Women's Day.

This year to honour the Day, Temora Women's Network is teaming up with Temora Shire Library for a 'Meet the Author' event. The author, Fleur McDonald is Australia's leading rural literature author. Fleur's books become best sellers almost as quickly as they hit the shelves! The inspiration for her stories comes from living and working on farms for much of her life. She actually owns 4,050ha across Western Australia.

Nibbles and drinks will be provided in the One Book One Temora event ticket. The night will also include a Q&A session with Fleur, hosted by well-known blogger Mel Reviews Her Books (some of you might remember her from last year's event), and, of course, lucky door prizes!

So. pop into the library to pick up a copy of Fleur's book, Voices in the Dark, and grab your ticket to this inclusive event. Ticket information available in the advert below.

# o3 Feb

**V8 Superboats** Championship Round #4

## **Lake Centenary**

Gates open: 12pm Tickets available: V8superboats.com.au

# **10** Feb

**New Residents** Pool Party.

## 17 Feb

Tom Curtain's "Why We Live Out Here"

Tour 6.00pm-8.30pm **Temora Showground** 

Tickets: tomcurtain.com.au

## 28 Feb

**Ensemble Offspring's** "Songbirds"

7.00pm - Temora Memorial Town Hall Tickets:

musicintheregions.com

### **COMING ON MARCH 2**

**DRENCH: Eagles & Mac Tribute Show** Temora Memorial Town Hall - 6pm-11.30pm

Tickets: temora.com.au/drench

# @ Temora Shire Library What's On February One Book One Temora Meet Fleur McDonald in

Register for KIDS Summer Reading Club!

Collect booklet & read to WIN prizes, ends 29th FEB!

# **Housebound Deliveries**

13/02 & 27/02 Available to residents who are unable to visit library, FREE service.

**Baby Bounce** 

07/02 & 21/02, 10am





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AVAILABLE 1ST FEB - \$30

Storytime 02/02, 09/02, 16/02 & 23/02, 10am

Wrapped with Love Knitting Group

01/02 & 15/02 2pm

**Get Crafty** 

01/02 & 15/02, 10am

## 20-30mins of rhymes, music & songs in a fun group setting. Ages 0-2. Stories, songs, craft & more! Ages 0–6.

### Lego Club

**LANGUAGE BUDDY** 

Every Monday through school terms, 10:30am

Join us for a cuppa & diversify your language skills!

05/02, 3:30pm Participate in monthly challenges for school age kids.



# 1st & 3rd Thursday. **Ariah Park VISIT**

Library staff will be at Ariah Park Preschool, 08/02 11:15am-12:15pm for all your book borrowing! This is a separate service to the Mobile visit

294 Hoskins St. Temora

For more info call 6977 178





# TOWN HALL www.townhalltheatre.com.au

FEBRUARY Ph: 6977 1082 to confirm movie times and dates

# (PG) 105 mins

Sun 4 Feb - 5.00pm Fri 9 Feb - 6.30pm



10 THINGS I HATE About You (PG) 97 mins

> Valentine's Day 25th **Anniversary Special** Wed 14 Feb - 6.30pm



Sat 10 Feb - 6.30pm Sun 11 Feb - 5.00pm Fri 16 Feb - 6.30pm Wed 21 Feb -10.30am



TOWN HALL THEATRE FILM CLUB Fisherman's Friends:

One and All THURSDAY 8 FEB



## **PRISCILLA** (M) 113 mins

FRI 23 Feb - 6.30pm

# LIVE EVENT

ENSEMBLE OFFSPRING - SONGBIRDS WEDNESDAY 28 FEB - 7PM

www.musicintheregions.com **DISNEY-PIXAR - FILM FEST** 



## THE COLOUR PURPLE (M) 140 mins

Sat 24 Feb - 6.30pm Sun 25 Feb - 5.00pm Fri 1 Mar - 6.30pm Wed 6 Mar - 10.30am

SOUL Sat 24 Feb - 4.00pm | Sun 25 Feb - 3.00pm TURNING RED Sat 2 Mar - 4.00pm | Sun 3 Mar - 3.00pm LUCA

Sat 9 Mar - 4.00pm | Sun 10 Mar - 3.00pm

Adults \$18 • Child & Concession \$12 • Wednesday AM \$12 • Family Pass (2Ad & 2Ch) \$50 • 3D Screenings add \$2 to Ticket Price

PROPOSED COMING SOON - MARCH Force of Nature: The Dry 2, Madame Web, Drive-Away Dolls, Dune: Part Two

Email: townhalltheatre@temora.nsw.gov.au Online Ticket Purchase: www.townhalltheatre.com.au

Find us on Facebook Phone: 6977 1082

# A summer book club the whole community is invited to! Presented by Temora Shire Library lst Dec - 29th Feb

MEET AUTHOR

Fleur McDonald

8TH MARCH 2024 - TEMORA LIBRARY - 6PM

Australia's leading rural literature author, Fleur's books become best

sellers almost as quickly as they hit the shelves. Her storylines are drawn from inspiration from having lived and worked on farms for much of her life. Loving the rural lifestyle Fleur now owns 4050ha across rural Western Australia.

Q&A WITH FLEUR HOSTED BY MEL FROM "MEL REVIEWS HER BOOKS"

Tickets NOW AVAILABLE, \$30 - follow the link!

BOOKS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE FOR FLEUR TO SIGN

Borrow your library copy (or search for the title on the BorrowBox app)







**LUCKY DOOR PRIZES** 

**NIBBLES & DRINKS INCLUDED** 

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**Cnr Loftus & DeBoos Streets, Temora**