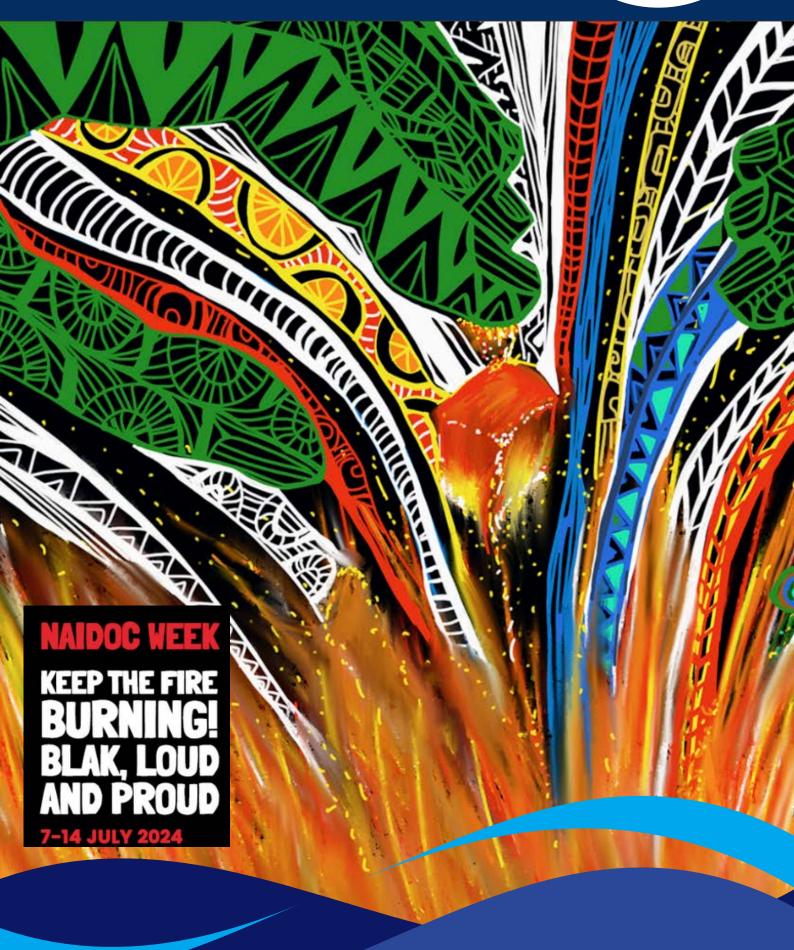
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The Shire of Carnarvon is committed to honouring the traditional custodians' unique cultural and spiritual relationships to the land, waters and seas and their rich contribution to society.

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SHIRE PRESIDENT'S MANTRA

Stabilise our financial position Improve our town and surrounds amenity Fix what we got!

President Eddie Smith Meet the Shire Dresident

Do you have a Shire issue that you wish to discuss or may have a great idea for Carnarvon? The Shire President extends an invitation to members of the public to meet with him to discuss your issues or ideas. Please note that these meetings will be by appointment only. The Shire President will be available every Friday between the hours of 9.00am to 12 noon. If you would like to catch up with the Shire President please contact Dannielle Hill at the Shire Offices on 99410050 or by email at hill.d@carnarvon.wa.gov.au

The Shire President looks forward to meeting with you.



FAREWELL TO OUR CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

It is with some regret that I'm writing this on the day our CEO Andrea Selvey is leaving us to advance her career taking up the CEO position at Augusta/Margaret River Shire, a much larger and complex shire.

Andrea came to us when the Shire was not functioning as a compliant organisation, providing our community with the services that any community would rightfully expect.

Council quickly realised as I'm sure the community did, that Andrea had the drive and determination immediately applying fair and equitable leadership in all areas of the Shire Councils operations and in that three short years, we have witnessed a transformational change that we are all enjoying.

On behalf of Council and the staff, i wish Andrea all the very best and I am sure Augusta/Margaret River will benefit with Andrea at the helm.

Council has engaged an acting CEO, Mr John Attwood to fill the role while Council goes through the process of engaging a new CEO that will fill the boots that Andrea leaves behind.

Eddie Smith SHIRE PRESIDENT

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PROVINCE RESOURCES LTD MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING EXTENDED

At the Ordinary Council Meeting in April 2021, Council resolved to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Province Resources Limited (PRL) to articulate a commitment to work together in progressing PRL's aim to develop a Green Hydrogen project on a portion of the North Common, subject to all necessary and proper legislative processes.

PRL wishes to develop the HyEnergyTM Zero Carbon Hydrogen Project (the Project) in the Shire of Carnarvon.

The State has granted PRL a non-exclusive Section 91 Licence over an area of Crown land located to the north of the Carnarvon town site area.

The Licence is intended to assist PRL to assess the Project's feasibility and to help identify a suitable portion of the Licence Land that PRL would wish to lease for the Project. The Licence Land includes three Crown reserves each under a separate management order with the Shire.

PRL presently holds some preference that the Project's proposed Lease Area would be or would include a portion of the land in one or more of these three Crown reserves under the Management Orders.

Shire officers are supportive of the Project given the economic development benefit a project of this scale would bring to the Shire and the Region but understand that Council is also keen to ensure that the Shire and its residents benefit fairly from the Project.

Council agreed to extend the MOU for a further period of 12 months commencing 26 June 2024 with an option for a further 12 months extension.



AMENDMENT NO.7 TO TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 13 ENDORSED TO CREATE NEW SPECIAL USE ZONE

The Shire received a request from Canford Hospitality Consultants Pty Ltd on behalf of the owners of the Minilya Bridge Roadhouse to amend the Local Planning Scheme No. 13 to create a new special use zone, which adds the 'Hotel' land use.

The amendment would allow to operators of the roadhouse to serve packaged liquor to the lodgers and travellers. As the Shire is preparing the scheme amendment in response to this application officers saw this as an opportunity to extend the scheme amendment to capture all roadhouses outside the town of Carnarvon.

The proposed amendment was presented to Council on 25 July 2023 for initiation and to publicly advertise the amendment for a period of 42 days.

Following advice received from the EPA the amendment was also advertised for 42 days in accordance with Regulation 47 of the Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015. The amendment was advertised on the Shire's website, notices were sent to surrounding property owners and published in the Midwest Times. Only one submission was received with no objections to the proposed amendment.

Allowing the roadhouses to obtain approval as a 'Hotel', the Scheme will support further economic potential for the operators and allow them to diversify their business models. However, it is important to note that the proposed amendment does not automatically allow for the roadhouses to serve liquor; rather, it provides them the opportunity to seek development approval and subsequently liquor license approval. This is currently not a possibility under the current scheme.

Council supported the amendment based on no objections being received and the opportunity that this provides for further econmomic activity for local businesses and that further approvals via a Development Application and Liquor Licence Approvals, would be required should these businesses wish to progress this business activity.



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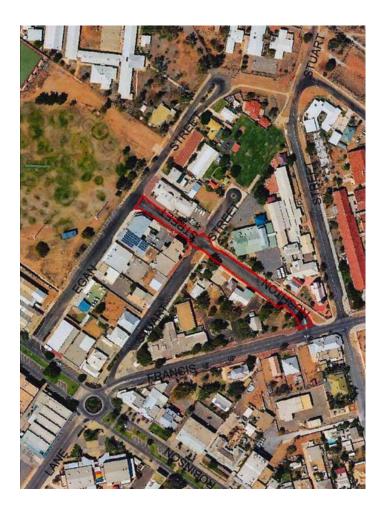
PART OF RUSHTON STREET RENAMED TO DE BONI STREET IN RECOGNITION OF THE DEBONI FAMILY HISTORY IN CARNARVON

A request was received from Mr David Guglielmana advocating for a street to be named after the De Boni family in recognition of their history in establishing plantations in Carnarvon during the late 1920's.

Council considered the request at the February 2024 Council Meeting and resolved to support the proposed renaming of a section of Rushton Street to De Boni Street.

In accordance with the Council resolution, the application was forwarded to Landgate for assessment. Landgate has subsequently provided their in-principle support for the renaming.

As a result of Council's approval, public notice will now be placed via social media platforms advising of the proposed name change and the proposed renaming forwarded to the Minister for a final decision to approve or decline the renaming.



INTEGRATED WATER PLAN IN THE PIPELINE

Irrigation of Town Beach and Northwater areas will no longer be permitted by the Department of Health (DoH) under the Shire recycled water licence. It is possible to irrigate these areas with artesian water through a connection to an existing artesian pipeline adjacent to the Airport.

Advice from the Department of Health (DoH) regarding the Shire of Carnarvon Recycled Water Scheme notes an internal audit of the scheme, conducted by Water Corporation, has resulted in an overall assessment of "average" compliance with the recycled water scheme approval conditions and regulatory requirements. Of primary concern to the DoH is the use of recycled water for irrigation in the Town Beach and Northwater areas.

Auditors and the DoH have recommended recycled water irrigation cease at these two locations. The following alternative irrigation methods have been considered to allow irrigation to continue at these areas, maintaining existing green spaces. This includes irrigation by:

- Recycled water using buffers to minimise spray drift;
- Potable water;
- Non potable GWC water;
- Subsurface recycled water; and
- Artesian water.

Irrigation by artesian water is considered the most cost effective and practical long-term alternative for the ongoing irrigation of these areas. The current total recycled water irrigation area is approx. 15 ha

A quotation for design and construction of an artesian water pipeline has been received however after weighing up the advantages and disadvantages of the various sources of irrigation methods. Council were of the opinion that a detailed integrated water plan be developed prior to committing any funding towards irrigation options.

Council have resolved that the detailed Integrated Water Plan which was endorsed by Council in May 2024 as a priority project it to be completed within 12 months.



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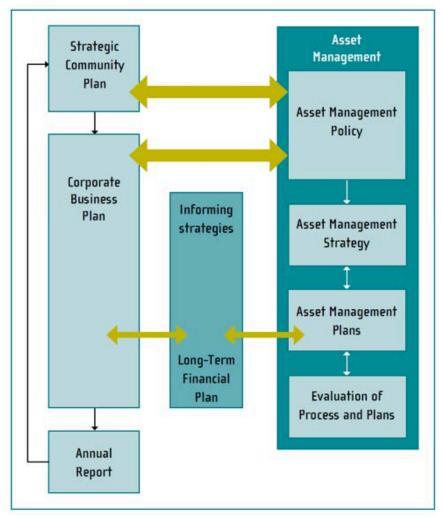
ASSET MANAGEMENT PLAN ENDORSED

As part of the integrated planning and reporting framework, local governments are required to produce a plan for the future under S5.56 (1) of the Local Government Act 1995. By regulation, that plan must include a Strategic Community Plan (SCP) and a Corporate Business Plan (CBP).

An Asset Management Plan (AMP) is what is referred to as an informing strategy within the integrated planning framework. It informs the local government of how capable it is to deliver the services and assets required by the community.

The definition of an AMP is "a tactical plan for managing infrastructure and other assets to deliver an agreed level of service." The AMP assists decision making regarding the acquisition, renewal, and replacement of assets in accordance with the Shire Strategic Community Plan and Corporate Business Plan.

The diagram below summarises linkages between the Shire's strategic documents within the integrated planning framework.



It should be noted within the AMP that Shire assets collectively depreciate by approximately \$9.2M each year, every year as they age and wear. That level of depreciation is unable to be fully funded given current revenues and expenditures.

The Shire is not unique to this dilemma. It is the unfortunate position many small to medium Shires find themselves in across Australia particularly where small rate bases are not supplemented by mining or other larger economic development drivers. It means Council is in a difficult position regarding maintaining existing levels of service and asset condition. That is often difficult for communities to appreciate, acknowledge and/or understand, particularly in the face of demand and need for new facilities.

This does not mean however that our current assent management practices cannot be improved to close the gap that exists between what can be afforded and what the community desires. The AMP describes measures necessary for improvement of current asset management practices. Much of that work, associated with ensuring better systems of asset inspections and early interventions, has commenced.

There are also positive indications of an increase in economic development within the Shire. The Shire's commitment and efforts to facilitate economic development is showing results. Reversals do not however occur overnight, and the asset management journey is a lengthy process that requires long-term commitment and focus.

A copy of the Asset Management Plan will be made available on the Shire of Carnarvon website at www.carnarvon.wa.gov.au



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RECONSTRUCTION OF FLOOD GATES - QUOTATION TO BE SOUGHT

In 2023 the Shire undertook a Request for Tender (RFT) process for the repair of town levees and reconstruction of flood gates on the airport levee. Tender RFT 10/2023 was issued as two separable portions – Separable Portion A for the Repair of Town Levees and Separable Portion B for Reconstruction of Airport Levee Floodgates. RFT 10/2023 closed on 15 December 2023. One submission only was received for Separable Portion A. No submissions for Separable Portion B were received.

At the Ordinary Council Meeting held on 23 January 2024 Council resolved not to accept the submission received for Separable Portion A and authorised the CEO to seek alternative quotations for the work detailed within the scope of works for RFT 10/2023.

Based on RFT 10/2023 feedback received, a challenging element of Separable Portion B required Contractors to provide structural designs and drawings for the headwalls and floodgates that met construction standards. This required contractors to engage the services of a structural engineer to prepare floodgate structural designs and drawings. The Contractor was also required to supply and install the floodgate penstocks based on the most suitable type of gate for each identified location.

Under the funding agreement with the Department of Science, Energy and Resources, all project elements must be completed by 31 December 2024.

Council has authorised the CEO to seek alternate quotations for the project scope detailed under RFQ 05/2024 Separable Portion B - Reconstruction of Flood Gates.

Removing the flood gate reconstruction as a separable portion under the combined RFQ 05/2024 offers this element as a stand-alone item.

To see the Full Council Reports, go to the Shire of Carnarvon website at www.carnarvon.wa.gov.au

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR THE TECHNICAL DESIGN,SPECIFICATIONSANDCONSTRUCTIONDOCUMENTATION FOR THE CARNARVON ACTIVATIONPLAN PHASE ONEPROJECTS

Funding was received from Lotterywest for implementation of the first phase of the CAP. The project aims to improve the amenity and connectivity of public spaces in Carnarvon. The Shire seeks to improve and activate existing assets for use by the local community and tourists. The first Phase of the CAP project is a series of four projects at the below sites:

- Tramway walk trail interpretive signage, furniture and fixtures, interpretive signage for healing shelter and Whitlock Island shelter;
- Town Oval Community stage, furniture, and public art;
- Van Dongen Park Playground and day use amenities; and
- Connect and Create Public art installations on Robinson Street, self-standing urban screen.

In collaboration with landscape architectural consultant UDLA, a CBD revitalisation plan which included a conceptual design for the delivery of the CAP Phase 1 Project. The conceptual plan will be utilised for the delivery of the technical designs and construction documentation. These documents will form part of the construction tender.

A total project budget of \$4,961,253 has been allocated for the implementation the CAP Phase 1 Project. Most of the project budget, \$4,198,603 is externally funded by Lotterywest and LRCI. A further \$205,000 is funded by several other funding parties. The remaining \$557,650 will require a cash contribution from the Shire over two years. The contract has been award to Howard & Heaver Pty Ltd t/a H & H Architects.

COUNCIL SEEKS ASSISTANCE FROM THE MINISTER FOR LANDS TO IMPLEMENT THE BLOWHOLES RESERVE MANAGEMENT PLAN

Council at the June Council Meeting have resolved to -

- 1. To advise the Minister for Lands that the Shire has exhausted all options and resources in trying to implement the Blowholes Reserve Management Plan(BRMP);
- 2. Urgently request that the Minister for Lands provides financial, technical and practical assistance to provide a solution; and
- 3. Should the Minister not be able to provide that support, that the Shire will divest itself of the Blowholes Reserve as the Shire is unable to fulfill the obligations under the BRMP.

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AGENDA FORUM MEETINGS AND COUNCIL MEETING DATES 2024

Date	Meeting	Time	Venue
Tuesday 23 January 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
	Council Meeting	1.00pm	
Tuesday 27 February 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
	Council Meeting	1.00pm	51521.00-17.0051.0010.01
Tuesday 26 March 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
	Council Meeting	1.00pm	
Tuesday 23 April 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
	Council Meeting	1.00pm	
Monday 27 May 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
Tuesday 28 May 2024	Council Meeting	10.30am	Cardabia Station
Tuesday 25 June 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
	Council Meeting	1.00pm	
Tuesday 23 July 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
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Tuesday 27 August 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
	Council Meeting	1.00pm	
Tuesday 24 September	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
2024	Council Meeting	1.00pm	
Monday 21 October 2024	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
Tuesday 22 October 2024	Council Meeting	10.30am	Coral Bay Tavern
Tuesday 26 November	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
2024	Council Meeting	1.00pm	and the second second
Tuesday 17 December	Agenda Forum	8.30am	Council Chambers
2024	Council Meeting	1.00pm	

Audit and Risk Management Committees

Date	Meeting	Time	Venue
Wednesday 28 February 2024	Audit and Risk Committee	4.00pm	Council Chambers
Wednesday 24 April 2024	Audit and Risk Committee	4.00pm	Council Chambers
Wednesday 28 August 2024	Audit and Risk Committee	4.00pm	Council Chambers
Tuesday 30 October 2024	Audit and Risk Committee	4.00pm	Council Chambers
Wednesday 11 December 2024	Audit and Risk Committee	4.00pm	Council Chambers





SHIRE OF CARNARVON IS PROUD TO BE "SMALL BUSINESS FRIENDLY"

The Shire of Carnarvon is part of the Small Business Friendly Local Governments initiative making the commitment to the small business community of Carnarvon that the Shire are working towards better practice in engaging with the small businesses.

Resources for Small Business

There are numerous resources for small businesses available on the Small Business Development Corporation website https://www.smallbusiness.wa.gov.au/ blog/how-turn-your-business-ideacareer



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW AUSSIES

Welcome to our new Australians who all took the Oath of Allegiance at a Citizenship Ceremony held on Wednesday 12 June 2024.

We had 5 conferees sworn in by Shire President Eddie Smith, comprising conferees from the Phillipines and New Zealand.



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CRICKET PITCH TO BE REMOVED FROM PREMIER OVAL

The Shire of Carnarvon would like to inform you about an upcoming change at Premier Oval. The Gascoyne Football Association has requested the removal of the cricket pitch currently located on Premier Oval. This request has been made for several reasons, including ensuring the safety of football players and the possibility of hosting Western Australian Football League games in the future.

The Carnarvon Cricket Association did not oppose this removal since there is no current cricket competition. However, they have requested that the Council consider reinstating the pitch if a cricket competition is re-established in the future. We understand the importance of accommodating both sports codes.

The Council has supported this request, and the cricket pitch will be removed at the end of the 2024 football season. Additionally, the Council will explore options for reinstating the cricket pitch in the future, ensuring that both sports can utilise the ground.

Thank you for your understanding and support as we make these changes to enhance our community's sporting facilities.

CARNARVON TAKES BRONZE IN SMALL TOURISM TOWN AND CORAL BAY TAKES BRONZE IN TINY TOURISM TOWN

At the 7News Top Tourism Town Awards on 11 June, Carnarvon and Coral Bay were each awarded bronze medals in their respective categories of small and tiny tourism towns.

Towns who nominated were required to meet 37 essential criteria to secure a finalist position. Each town was assessed on several pieces of work, such as an itinerary, video submission, editorial article, and their strategic plan for growing tourism in their region. The Shire focused on producing a submission that captured the "REAL" aspects of Carnarvon and Coral Bay; something local, with local people and local experiences. We highlighted places and people in our town that resonate with what visitors are looking for when they come to Carnarvon and Coral Bay. The Shire produced the marketing campaign, editorial articles and video content in house.

"Our community will be pleased with the success of Carnarvon and Coral Bay in the tourism town awards" stated Shire President Eddie Smith, "it's fantastic to see our beautiful towns recognised".

Congratulations to Exmouth which was awarded gold in the small tourism town category and Upper Gascoyne and Shark Bay who were also finalists in this year's tiny tourism town awards. The Shire of Carnarvon is delighted see all four Shires in the Gascoyne Region excel in these awards, highlighting the Gascoyne Region as a must visit destination.







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HOUSING AND WORKFORCE ACCOMMODATION SHORTAGES IN CARNARVON ADDRESSED IN URBIS 100 HOUSES REPORT

Housing and workforce accommodation shortages remain a critical constraint to Carnarvon's social and economic function. In response to this pressing issue, the Shire of Carnarvon, in partnership with the Gascoyne Development Commission, engaged consultants Urbis to conduct a comprehensive enquiry into the best options for developing the next 100 new homes in Carnarvon and to analyse the underlying causes of the housing market failure.

In August 2023, Urbis was tasked with examining various factors contributing to the housing crisis, including:

- The high cost of land and housing development
- Relatively low developed property values
- · Lack of critical infrastructure, particularly reticulated sewerage
- High prevalence of older, dilapidated housing stock
- · Lack of a local construction workforce

Urbis conducted extensive engagement with key stakeholders to inform the problem definition and validate background research. Stakeholders included the Department of Communities, Department of Education, Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage, Development WA, Horizon Power, and Water Corporation.

The business case provided by Urbis strongly identifies and quantifies the public benefits of housing development in Carnarvon while highlighting current market failures in meeting existing and future demand.

This report equips the Shire with the necessary data to:

- Advocate to the State government for infrastructure and policy changes that reduce barriers to housing development.
- Respond to funding opportunities with rigorously supported and competitive submissions.

The report outlines three key advocacy priorities, focusing on agencies that are instrumental in both the planning and delivery of housing in Carnarvon and their roles in addressing housing market failures. First, the Department of Communities is urged to conduct urgent repairs, maintenance, or redevelopment of vacant public housing dwellings to increase the available housing stock. Meanwhile, the Department of Planning, Lands, and Heritage is called upon to review sewerage policies to permit on-site sewage disposal for larger lots. Additionally, the Water Corporation is encouraged to investigate sewer development to unlock land for development by both the public and private sectors.

Considering the findings, the Council has received the Urbis report and will be writing to the Ministers for Education, Housing and Homelessness, Health, and Water and Environmental Regulation. The Shire will advocate for their departments to address and resolve the issues hindering housing development in Carnarvon.

Shire President Eddie Smith expressed his optimism regarding the report's findings and the future of housing development in Carnarvon "The Urbis report provides us with a clear pathway to overcome the housing and accommodation shortages that have long constrained our community. By addressing these critical issues, we can foster a more sustainable future for Carnarvon. Together, we can unlock the potential of our town and ensure that Carnarvon thrives for years to come."

The Shire of Carnarvon is committed to addressing the housing shortages and ensuring sustainable development that supports our community's social and economic well-being.





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COUNCIL ENDORSES PRIORITY PROJECTS FOR 2024

The Shire of Carnarvon is pleased to announce the endorsement of its Priority Projects for 2024, marking a significant step forward in community development and infrastructure enhancement.

In 2023, the Shire developed an innovative mechanism to evaluate the 'shovel-ready' status and community benefits of various capital works projects. The assessment criteria measure the anticipated impact on community objectives— economic, social, and environmental—and the ease of implementation. This includes factors such as stakeholder engagement, funding acquisition, planning, regulatory requirements, scope of works, and budget considerations.

Projects were initially categorised into four groups based on their implementation difficulty and community impact:

- Easy to implement, low impact.
- Easy to implement, high impact.
- Difficult to implement, high impact.
- Difficult to implement, low impact.

This categorisation aims to streamline resource allocation, ensuring projects advance towards shovel-ready status and are appropriately considered in budget and task allocations. It is important to note that this assessment process does not rank projects in numerical order or dictate their delivery sequence. The progress of these projects depends on securing funding and their advancement towards shovel-ready status.

To provide further clarity, the Council has introduced additional categories to better reflect project status, importance, and progress:

- Strategic Priorities
- Shovel Ready/Partially Funded
- Concepts

Moving forward, the Council will be presented projects for endorsement bi-annually as this aligns with the Shire's budget cycle and State and Federal funding opportunities, allowing for the introduction of new projects.

Shire President Eddie Smith expressed his gratitude for the dedication and hard work of the Shire staff. "I am proud of our team for their tireless efforts in developing these priority projects. Their commitment and hard work have been instrumental in getting us to this point. These projects will greatly benefit our community as we secure funding opportunities and move towards implementation."

All projects have been thoroughly assessed against the community objectives outlined in the Shire's Strategic Community Plan, developed through community engagement to capture community objectives and priorities.

After in-depth discussion, the Council has resolved to endorse the following Priority Projects for 2024:

- Airport Relocation
- Carnarvon Trails Project
- Sports and Leisure Complex
- Fascine Waterway Basin Dredging
- Greening Carnarvon
- Integrated Plan and Water Security
- Coral Bay Workers Accommodation Caravan Park (Lot 64)

The Shire will actively pursue funding opportunities to advance these projects, using the Priority Projects Snapshot document to support funding requests and discussions with State and Federal Government representatives, agencies, and potential third-party funding bodies.



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COUNCIL ADOPT MEASURED APPROACH TO 2024/2025 RATES

At the Special Council Meeting on 4 June 2024, Councillors voted unanimously to adopt a 4.5% increase in rates using a Differential Rating method to fund the 2024/2025 Annual Budget.

The purpose of levying rates is to meet the Council's budget requirements each financial year, enabling the Council to raise the necessary revenue to provide community facilities, infrastructure, and services, and to progress the aspirations and priorities identified by our community through the Strategic Community Plan.

Rates are determined by applying the rate in the dollar to the applicable valuation amount of the properties within the district. If applicable, a minimum rate is also applied. The Shire uses a minimum rate for each rating category in accordance with S6.35 of the Act, ensuring that properties with low valuations still contribute a fair and reasonable amount towards the maintenance and continuity of Shire infrastructure and services.

Over the past 12 months, rising costs have impacted households, businesses, plantations, and pastoral stations alike. The Shire has also felt the strain, working diligently to balance its budget. In the recent Council meeting, members also reviewed the proposed fencing for Pioneer Cemetery, estimated to cost approximately \$162,500.

"The Shire's costs have all gone up, from construction costs to maintenance and utilities, but so have the living costs of our ratepayers, so we want to minimise the hit if we can," said Shire President Eddie Smith, adding "Council knows that we need to have some increase to be able to fund the service expectations of our community, we hope the community is understanding of this increase."

The Notice of Intention to Impose Differential Rates is available to view on the website https://rebrand.ly/Noticeof-Differential-Ratesas are the Objects and Reasons for Differential Rates. These are currently advertised, and feedback and submissions must be received by 4:00 pm on Thursday 4 July 2024.

For any further information or queries please contact the Shire at shire@carnarvon.wa.gov.au or (08) 9941 0000

SHIRE OF CARNARVON ADDRESSES BLOWHOLES SHACKS CONCERNS WITH TRANSPARENT GOVERNANCE

In a dedicated effort to uphold transparency the Shire of Carnarvon is issuing this statement to provide clarity regarding the Blowholes Shacks situation. The Shire recognises the importance of ensuring that the community is well-informed about the facts surrounding the Blowholes Shacks and the ongoing efforts to manage associated risks.

Following complaints regarding the potential for physical harm posed by the Blowholes Shacks to individuals in the area, Building Orders were promptly issued to the Shack "owners". These actions were taken after thorough consideration of advice from Shire insurers and legal counsel, emphasising the imperative of mitigating known risks to prevent exposure of the Shire and its officers.

As the holder of the Management Order for the Blowholes Reserves, the Shire is bound by clear directives from the State Government, the landowner, regarding the inconsistency of the Shacks' location with the approved Blowholes Reserves Management Plan. Consequently, the Shire was legally constrained from issuing orders for Shack repairs, necessitating the issuance of Building Orders for demolition as the most transparent and equitable course of action. The Shack owners challenged the Building Orders in the State Administrative Tribunal (SAT), and because of this challenge, the Shire has incurred legal costs of approximately \$56,000 in the last twelve months.

Despite challenges from Shack owners in the SAT, the Tribunal's decision has affirmed the safety concerns, recommending the repair or demolition of eleven Shacks by August. However, those proceedings remain ongoing and the Tribunal has not yet made any final orders, pending further submissions from the parties. Concurrently, the SAT process facilitated the repair and safety enhancement of the remaining thirteen Shacks, which largely occurred following the issue of the building orders.

Shire President, Eddie Smith, clarified, "The SAT decision solely addresses safety concerns and does not extend to the broader issue of land tenure or the status of unauthorised Shacks lacking tenure." Moving forward, Council will consider all options to try and achieve the best outcome for the entire community.





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The Shire of Carnarvon received funding from the Department of Communities through the Northern Suburbs Community Legal Centre to deliver the World Elder Abuse Awareness Week program from 10 - 14 June. In partnership with Gascoyne Community Services Aboriginal Corporation, who also received funding, an extensive program to raise awareness about elder abuse was held over that week. Check out what everyone got up to on the following pages.

What is elder abuse, you ask? Elder abuse can take many forms, including financial, emotional, psychological, physical or social abuse. It can happen once or multiple times, ranging from subtle to extreme, and can involve one or a combination of these types.

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World Elder Abuse Awareness Week







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GREEN WASTE & BUILDING WASTE

TO MAKE IT SAFE FOR OUR COLLECTORS:

- Items should not be more than 2m in length, 40kg in weight or 100mm in diameter
- · Green waste is separated from building waste and neatly stacked
- Items to be collected are not to obstruct any part of the footpath, driveway or road
- Items are to be placed out the day before or by 6am on the day of collection

If your Rubbish Collection day is:		Your Verge Side Collection will be:	
Friday	19 July	Monday	22 July
Monday	22 July	Tuesday	23 July
Tuesday	23 July	Wednesday	24 July
Wednesday	24 July	Thursday	25 July
Thursday	25 July	Friday	26 July

Items that will not be collected -

- · Car bodies, parts or tyres
- Gas bottles
- Crop material
- White goods (such as dryers, washing machines, fridges, deep freezers)
- *Asbestos
- Sand, rubble, bricks, rock or cement products
- · Liquids (such as paint or oil)
- Broken glass
- · Large logs or wood stumps
- *Chemicals (such as chemical drums or pesticides)

*For information on how to dispose of these safely, please contact our Environmental Health Department on 9941 0000.

X Items will not be picked up if they are on vacant blocks or don't meet the requirements

To ensure no street is missed, each will be checked off as it's completed. Any noncompliant items or items placed **after** the collection truck has passed, will **not** be collected and will be required to be removed by the resident to avoid incurring a litter infringement.





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TENDER NO. 04/2024 - DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

The Shire of Carnarvon advises that in accordance with Section 3.58 of the Local Government Act 1995, the following surplus plant and equipment will be offered for sale by Tender.

- Pedestrian Roller on Trailer
- Push Mowers & Roller Mower
 - Honda Edger
 - Assorted Road Markers
- Assorted pipes & fittings 200mm Pipe Fittings, 120mm round, 5.6m steel
 - Temporary Rubber Speed Hump
 - Toolbox and assorted parts
 - Softfall Playground Animals
 - Site Fencing Concrete Feet
 - Colorado Tray and Bumper parts
 - Boat 3.6m Tinny condition unknown
 - Boat 4.2m on a trailer condition unknown
 - 2 x Generators Kubota 12kVA and Honda 5KVA
 - Howard Finishing Mower
 - 2000L Diesel Tank
 - Custom-made water tank
 - Assorted Pavers per pallet (x 6)
 - Tractor-mounted sweeper
 - Steel Shade Shelter Frame (not complete)
 - Haulotte Quick Up 9M EWP
 - Toyota Landcruiser Shell (salvage)

All Tendered items may be inspected upon appointment by calling the Shire Depot at 08 9941 6300. Inspections can take place Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays from 27 June 2024 to 16 July 2024, between 10:00 AM and 2:00 PM. The Shire Works Depot is located at 450 Robinson Street, Carnarvon (corner of Robinson Street and Boundary Road). Inspection outside these hours is not permitted.

The Tender document can be obtained by contacting the Shire Works Depot on (08) 9941 6300 or by email: depot.admin@carnarvon.wa.gov.au. Submissions must be received by 2:00pm Wednesday 17th July 2024 (WST). Any submissions received after this deadline will not be accepted.

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TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE - ANNEAR PEAC

Pursuant to Section 3.50 of the Local Government Act, 1995, the Council hereby gives public notice of its intent to apply a temporary partial road closure to Annear Place. A section of the road will be temporarily closed from 1 June 2024 to 31 December 2025 (18 months) due to repair works being undertaken on the One Mile Jetty

> Location Annear Place

Time and Date

1 June 2024 to 31 December 2025

Reason for Closure Repairs to be undertaken on the One Mile Jetty

Closure Details and Conditions

The Department of Transport has appointed Ventia Australia Pty Ltd to undertake repair works on the

One Mile Jetty during the period noted above. A section of the road has been designated as a laydown area to give the Contractor direct access to the site. This area will be kept secure and closed off to the public. Businesses and other facilities operating in this area will still be made accessible to the public during the

closure period. The Shire invites any objections or concerns regarding the proposed closure to be submitted in writing to the CEO Shire of Carnarvon, PO Box 459, Carnarvon WA 6701.

Submissions to be received by 4:00pm Wednesday 3 April 2024.

For further information please contact the Shire office on 9941 0000



(08) 9941 0000 mbi



CARNARVON



SIGN UP CARNARVO FOR E-RATES



An opportunity to have important updates and communication from the Shire as rates invoice sent directly to your email

address!

No delays from postage. Have a digital record that you can easily access in the future. More environmentally friendly option.

All directly to your inbox. Then follow the link and sign up to receive E-Rates and other important Shire communication

https://rebrand.ly/e-Rates

We wish to advise the community that access to the Pelican Point Spit is as follows:

- Vehicle access is prohibited as per the Council approved Plan, until November 2024 at which time Council will review access arrangements.
- Pedestrian access is allowed but we ask you to please stay off the dunes to allow the vegetation to grow.

Please note: While the area was a construction site and under the control of the Department of Transport and its contractors, it was closed to all vehicular and pedestrian traffic. Now that the site has been handed back to the Shire, pedestrians' access is permitted.

For any further questions or queries please contact the Shire at shire@carnarvon.wa.gov.au or 9941 0000.



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Share Our Horizons

Partnership Program

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SHARE OUR HORIZONS PARTNERSHIP

The goal of the Share Our Horizons Partnership Program is to establish relationships long-term with community groups, not-for-profit organisations, government agencies, business and industry through of sponsorship Council and community-led initiatives that provide long-term benefits to our community.

We want to develop community wide partnerships that deliver social outcomes and help build community cohesion. Our partnerships go beyond traditional sponsorship. They are about creating synergies, brand awareness and recognition. • Entering partnerships with groups or organisations that support our vision for the Shire of Carnarvon.

Partnerships are focused on:

- Having a transparent and coordinated approach in the partnership management.
- and Providing benefits recognition to partners that are relevant to the level of contribution.
- Offering and supporting community initiatives at minimal or no cost.
- · Strengthening relationships with all levels of the community.
- stakeholders Engaging at relevant stages of the program.
- Conducting the program in the spirit of goodwill.

PROGRAM



Opportunities Currently Open:

OPPORTUNITY	Benefit to Community			
Sponsor Youth Mentor Program.	By introducing the Be Connected Youth Mentor: intergenerational program between secondary school students and older community members, digital literacy development will be supported while facilitating valuable social interactions and a greater sense of community.			
Sponsor Night Patrol or expansion/supplement.	The Community Night Patrol provides safe transport to a safe space for youth on the streets at night. This service could be extended and supplemented in several ways to extend its valuable work.			
Sponsor activation events and pop ups.	Activate the Civic Centre and Camel Lane Theatre to deliver lively community programming and events.			
Sponsor the introduction of health/wellbeing programs.	Offering programs in partnership with other support services can promote improvements in healt and wellbeing across the community			
Sponsor exhibitions and facilities.	A diverse calendar of art gallery exhibitions supporting lacal, Gascoyne and touring art, creates accompanying learning and engagement opportunities for our community.			
Sponsor traineeship positions.	Supporting traineeships at the Shire in various departments and functions gives local community and youth apportunities for careers and development			
Sponsor special projects and staffing requirements.	Special projects can be created, and project officers employed to create a wide range of beneficial impacts (e.g. sports/club/community development officers and projects).			
Sponsor Infrastructure Upgrades.	Replacing or upgrading equipment in community facilities will improve quality of life for users of these facilities (e.g., Improving Shire Cinema Projection Room or installing Gold Class seating).			
Sponsor Community events.	An annual calendar of events encourages inclusion and collective celebration for the wider community, on significant dates such as NAIDOC Week shows, Australia Day celebrations, or pre- Christmas Street Party.			
Sponsor Child Care services.	Funding a childcare educator to increase the number of places available to children with families working in Carnarvan who struggle to find a work/life balance.			
Sponsor coastal infrastructure installation and upgrades.	Developing and restoring existing coastal infrastructure will ensure its safe and continued use for future generations of a defining part of the Carnarvon identity.			
Coral Bay Bike Path.	A bike path in this tourist precinct township would boost the amenity for locals and its attraction to tourists.			
Coral Bay Recycling Projects.	Sponsoring community and Shire led recycling projects in the township will protect the natural beauty of the area and add to community sustainability.			
Indigenous Ranger program.	Sponsor positions or program of local rangers (separate from State program).			
Sponsor the Animal Care Facility	Sponsor in the provision of essentials for our Animal Care Facility			



The Shire is available to help you determine the right partnership for your business. Contact the Economic Development team by calling (08) 9941 0000.



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Partnership Categories

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 Gold

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Partnership Benefits

Each partnership arrangement has its own distinct qualities that can benefit your group, organisation, and the broader community. The Economic Development and Communications teams tailor marketing and communications strategies to fit the level of investment and maximise recognition opportunities.

Share Our Horizons

Partnerships are configured to ensure long term success, with a mix of profile raising, brand building, publicity, participation and engagement.

Please refer to the table below for standard partnership programs.

PARTNERSHIP CATEGORIES	BRONZE	SILVER	GOLD
Social media post announcing partnership	•	0	•
Media release announcing partnership		0	۲
Inclusion in the Shire's monthly newsletter	٠		
Listing on Share Our Horizons Partnership page on Shire's website	•		•
Logo inclusion on project/event print promotional materials included in communications strategy (i.e. newspaper ads, flyers/posters, banners, etc)		•	•
Logo inclusion on project/event digital promotional materials included in communications strategy (i.e. social media ads, website page, website rotating banner, website events page, etc)	•	0	•
Inclusion of partner logo and/or mention of partner in radio or television advertising included in the communications strategy	•	0	•
Logo inclusion on outdoor signage specific to project/event			
Displaying of partner banners at activity/event			
Verbal recognition of partner at activity/event			
Opportunity to officially open the activity/event			
Before screening promotion of sponsor partner at Carnarvon Camel Lane Cinema			•
Premium spot at activity/event for partner to promote products/services			•
Listing on Share Our Horizon Partnership page, and on specific event/ program website (if applicable)			•
Social media post announcing partnership on event/ program specific social media platform (if applicable)	•		
Media release announcing partnership listed on event/ program specific website (if applicable)			•
Naming rights to a specific activity/project/program/event			
Naming rights to high profile community assets and venues			
Invitations to VIP/Civic/Council events			
Opportunities to be involved in Shire events and activities as a volunteer	•	•	•



Dartnership Initiatives

We have a full range of program initiatives available to suit every partnership budget and objective. For a tailored partnership option please refer to the open partnership opportunities guide.

These include initiatives across various areas; events, programs, community infrastructure, the built environment, arts and culture, community development, and environmental projects and services.

We invite you to Share Our Horizons.



Contact Us Business Concierge

- 3 Francis Street, Carnarvon, WA 6701
- 🤟 businessconcierge@carnarvon.wa.gov.au
- (08) 9941 0000

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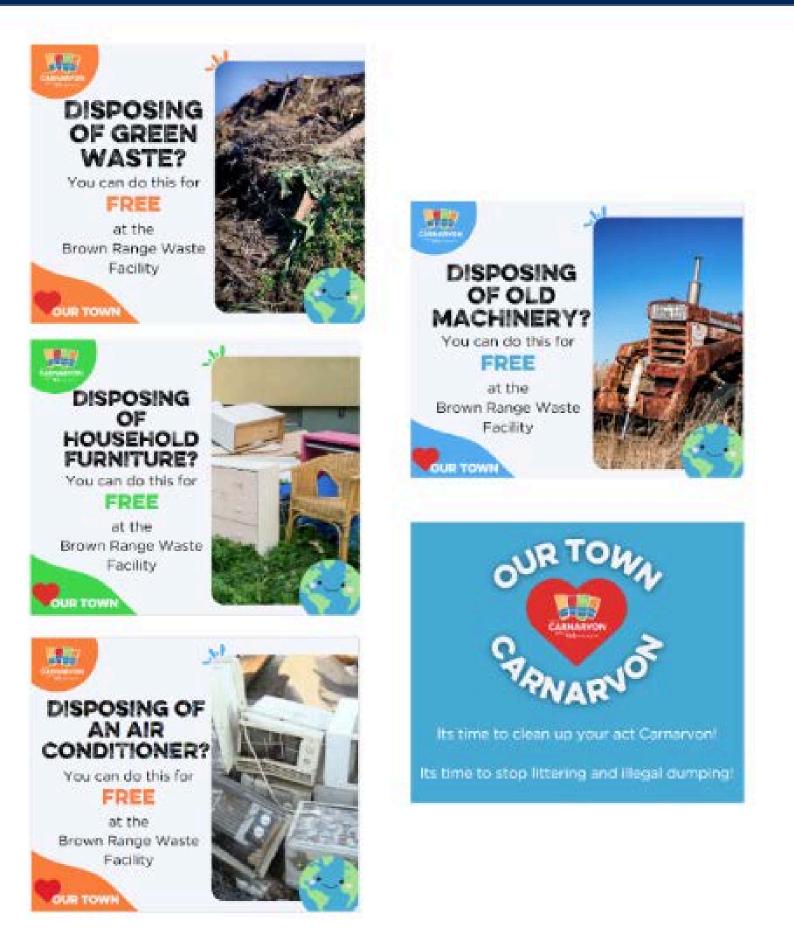






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SHRE FACLIES

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CARNARVON PUBLIC LIBRARY AND ART GALLERY OPERATING HOURS

> Located 18 Egan Street Carnarvon

> > Monday CLOSED

Tuesday - Friday 9.30am - 5.00pm

Saturday 9.30am - 12.30pm

Sundays & Public Holidays CLOSED

Contact Details

(08) 9941 3727 Email library@carnarvon.wa.gov.au



CARNARVON VISITORS CENTRE Cnr Robinson Street/Camel Lane Contact Details (08)9941 1146

info@carnarvon.org.au

OPERATING HOURS

APRIL - OCTOBER Monday - Friday 9.00am - 5.00pm Saturday 9.00am - 12 noon Sunday CLOSED

NOVEMBER - MARCH

Monday - Friday 9.00am - 3.00pm Saturday CLOSED Sunday CLOSED

CARNARVON CIVIC CENTRE

For information relating to the hire of the Woolshed, contact the Visitors Centre on 99411146

CARNARVON AQUATIC CENTRE OPERATING HOURS

Monday - Friday 10.00am - 6.00pm

Saturday, Sunday & Public Holidays 10.00am - 5.00pm

Lap Swimming Only Monday, Wednesday & Friday 6.00am - 8.00am

Christmas Day and Good Friday CLOSED

POOL SEASON The pool opens late September/early October and closes in April

Contact (08) 9941 1415

For further details and fees please visit the Shire of Carnarvon website www.carnarvon.wa.gov.au/Community/Carnarvon/ Facilities/Canarvon Aquatic Centre

CARNARVON AIRPORT OPERATING HOURS

are determined by the REX flight schedule. For flight information please contact REX on 13 17 13 Contact Details Airport (08) 9941 1651



BROWNS RANGE WASTE DISPOSAL FACILITY OPERATING HOURS

Monday to Friday 7.00am - 4.00pm

> Saturday CLOSED

Sunday 8.00am - 2.00pm

Closed Public Holidays

RUBBISH COLLECTION

Monday Morgantown/Babbage Island

> **Tuesday** South Carnarvon

> > Wednesday Brockman

Thursday East Carnarvon/Kingsford/Browns Range

> **Friday** Plantations - North/South

FEES & CHARGES

for the Browns Range Waste Disposal Site can be viewed on Council's website

www.carnarvon.wa.gov.au/Council Budgets

RANGER NEWS



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OFF ROAD VEHICLES - SHIRE OF CARNARVON

As per the Control of Vehicles (Off-road Areas) Act 1978, Off Road Vehicles (ORV) are not permitted to be used within the Shire of Carnarvon unless on private property with permission from the owner, or in an ORV permitted area.

As the Shire managed campgrounds, Bush Bay, New Beach and the Blowholes, are not approved as permitted areas for OVR use, only licensed on-road vehicles can operate in these areas. If you are caught driving an ORV in one of these campgrounds, you may receive infringements and your vehicle may be seized. Driving an ORV on a gazetted road is an offence under the Road Traffic Act 1974 which may result in substantial infringements and your vehicle being seized by Police.

We ask everyone who frequents these areas to please respect our wildlife and the laws that have been put in place so everyone can enjoy our wonderful Shire. If you witness someone ignoring these laws, please report them to the Shire of Carnarvon Ranger Services – 9941 0019 – and provide photographic evidence, if available. For ORV's on the road, please contact the Carnarvon Police Ph: 9941 7333.

Permitted Off Road Vehicle Areas Permitted areas are established under the Control of Vehicles (Off-road Areas) Act 1978 and are where registered ORV's, as well as licensed on road vehicles, are allowed to be operated. Private land can only be declared as a Permitted Area with written authority of the owner.

The current publicly available, approved Permitted Areas, respective land managers and vehicles permitted in these areas are;

Gnangara, Department of Parks and Wildlife – motorcycles and quad bikes of all engine capacities.

Pinjar, Department of Parks and Wildlife – motorcycles and quad bikes (no side by sides).

Lancelin and Ledge Point - Shire of Gingin – motorcycles and quad bikes of all capacities, four wheel drives and buggies. Kwinana, City of Kwinana – motorcycles and quad bikes of all engine capacities.

York, Shire of York - motorcycles and quads only.

Karratha, City of Karratha – all off road vehicles.

WHAT IS AN OFF-ROAD VEHICLE?

Any vehicle that is not fully road registered (Class A) under the Road Traffic (Vehicles) Act 2012 (WA) is considered an off-road vehicle. The Department of Transport describes ORV as including any vehicle that is not primarily designed for on-road activities, including;

Trail bikes All-terrain vehicles (ATVs) Forklifts and mobile plant Golf carts Non-compliant tractors Non-compliant utility vehicles Quad bikes Use of vehicles on Pelican Point is also prohibited and if caught or photographed, you will be fined.

NEED A RANGER



If you have an urgent matter that needs a Ranger's attention such as snake handling or a dog attack, the Rangers can be contacted on 99410019 or after hours on 99410000 where your phone call will be directed to a call centre for assistance. Please note that this is for urgent matters only and if the matter can wait until Monday, please call during normal office hours 8.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday.



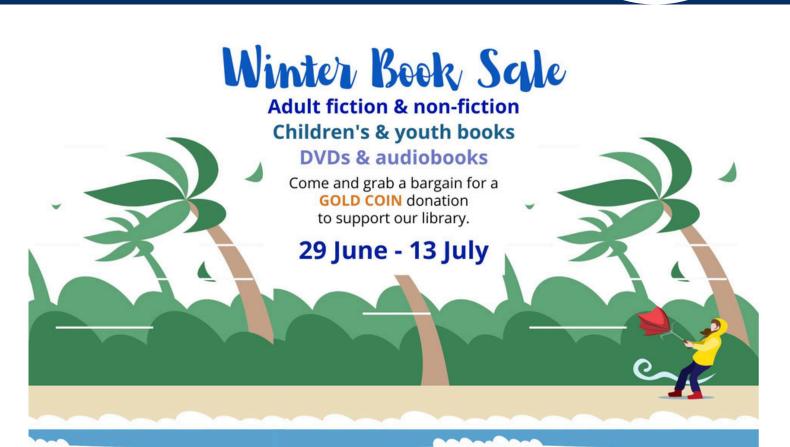




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Ages 4-6







Join us for reading and craft fun

Spaces available! Tuesdays 3-4pm

> REGISTRATIONS REQUIRED

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The Golden Pen

The Golden Pen writing award has returned!

Part of the Scribbler's Festival, this year we are asking you to step out of your comfort zone, take a deep dive into the impossible, Soar across the unimaginable and explore the world of... "Creative Bravery".

The Golden Pen is open to aspiring authors in Years 4 - 12. Jump on in and get writing for your chance to WIN up to \$500, plus more amazing prizes! Entries close 26 August 2023.

www.scribblersfestival.com.au/golden-pen

Are you ready for Book Week?

Stay tuned for details on our upcoming public performances, competitions, and more. This year, *Shire of Carnarvon Library* & *Art Gallery* is proud to present guest storyteller:

Glenn B. Swift



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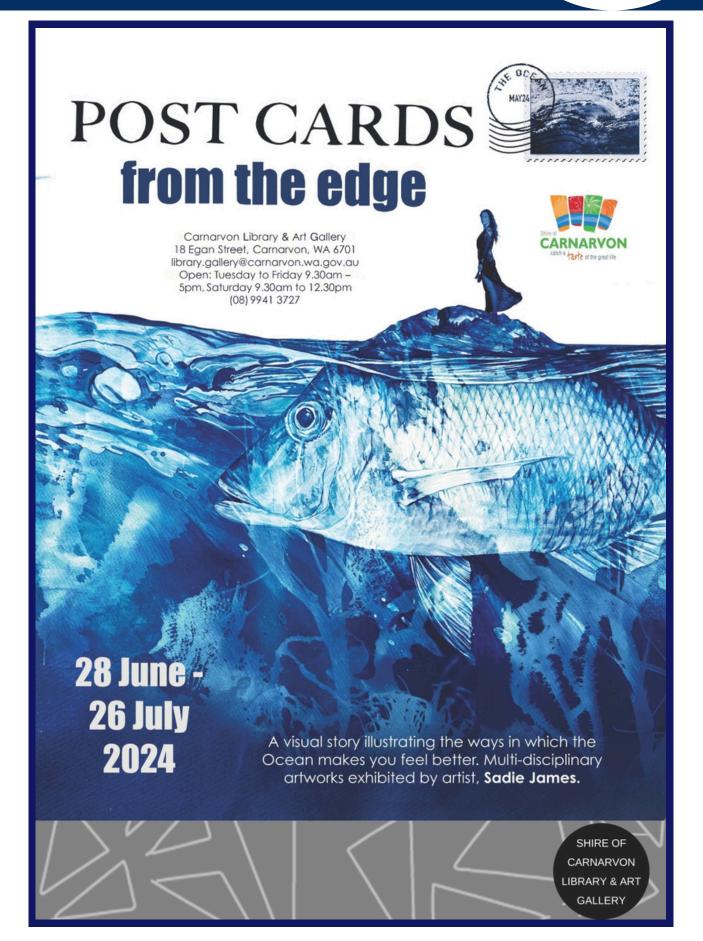


Where will you travel with an ebook? Where will an ebook transport you?



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INFORMATION SESSON

The Shire of Carnarvon in partnership with the Gascoyne Arts Society invites artists to attend the Gascoyne Art Awards Information Session.

> When Saturday 6th July 10am to 11am

Where Community Art Hub Corner of Robinson St & Camel Lane

Register here: Register you attendance with the Carnarvon Library & Art Gallery or scan QR Code to Register



EXHIBITION DATES Friday 16 August-Friday 13 September Carnarvon Library & Art Gallery 18 Egan Street

Contact: Shire of Carnarvon Library & Art Gallery for any queries: (08) 9941 3388



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ENTRIES NOW OPEN

The Shire of Carnarvon in partnership with the Gascoyne Arts Society invites artists to submit their artwork in the following categories:

- 1. Gascoyne Seascape
- 2. Gascoyne Landscape
- 3. Abstract Art
- 4. Still Life
- 5. Three Dimensional Art
- 6. Human Form
- 7. Gascoyne Indigenous Artist

Prizes for each category, plus:

- Best overall winner (acquisitive piece) \$8,000
- The People's Choice

HOW TO ENTER Collect an entry form from Carnarvon Library & Art Gallery or scan QR Code or this link bit.ly/4aFLhSL to Enter ENTRIES CLOSE 31 JULY @ 5PM



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COMMUNITY



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DLACES TO VISIT

Carnarvon Heritage Precinct Lighthouse Keepers Cottage Carnarvon Space & Technology Museum Heritage Walk Trail Carnarvon Library & Art Gallery Lock Hospital Tragedy Memorial -Heritage Precinct HMAS Sydney II Memorial & Wall of Remembrance - Fascine HMAS Sydney II Memorial Cairn - Quobba Station Gwoonwardu Mia - Aboriginal Heritage & Cultural Centre Blowholes Red Bluff and Gnaraloo Station Kennedy Ranges Visit Farm Gates for Fresh Fruit & Veg Chinaman's Pool Miaboolya Beach New Beach/Bush Bay Historical Pioneer Cemetery Rocky Pool Quobba Station - Humpback Whales Viewing

Carnarvon is the gateway to Australia's Ningaloo Coast and is very close in proximity to the Ningaloo Reef and World Heritage areas. Sitting on the edge of the mighty Gascoyne River delta, Carnarvon's tropical oasis is waiting for you to discover.

PLACES TO EAT

Bumbak's Preserves & Ice Creams Kingsford Bakery Norwesta Cafe Port Hotel Sunsets Cafe at One Mile Jetty Sails Restaurant - Best Western Hospitality Inn Harbourside Cafe & Restaurant **Gascoyne Growers Markets Gascoyne Bakery Chicken Treat BP Roadhouse** Carnarvon Hotel Schnappers Restaurant - Gateway Motel **Coral Coast Kebabs** Gascoyne Cafe Noon Cafe **Morels Plantation Coffee Cup Cafe** Pickles Point - Fresh Seafood **Old Post Office Cafe** Valerias - A Taste of Italy

> For more detailed information please visit the Carnarvon Visitors Centre in Robinson Street or visit their website at www.carnarvon.org.au

With an exceptional climate (average yearly temp of 26°C), and a vibrant and diverse community which offers exciting culinary delights, you need to come to Carnarvon and 'Catch a Taste of the Great Life'.

WHAT ELSE CAN I DO

Helicopter and Scenic Tours 4WD Tours **History & Food Tours** Walking Tours **4WD Tours** Fishing & Boating Snorkelling & Swimming **Plantation Tours** Check out Coral Bay Station Stays Outback Pathways - Self Drive Jubilee Hall(1887) - Arts & Crafts Bush Bay (Camping) Windsurfing & Kitesurfing at Pelican Point Windfest (January) Town Beach - Sunset & BBQ Ten Mile Bridge (New and Old) Carnarfin Fishing Comp (May) Carnarvon Speedway (March - September) Motocross **Gascoyne Food Festival (May-September) Bird Watching** Surfing Visit the Murals around Town Gascoyne Dash (March-April) - Off Roa **Carnarvon Races** Tropicool Festival (August/September)



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ROAD CONDITION REPORTS

If you are unsure of road conditions and want to check before you travel visit the Main Roads WA website at https://travelmap.mainroads.wa.gov.au and check out the Travel Map. It provides up to date road incident and impact information.





incidents or issues on the road affecting access or safety. These include closures or changes due to flooding, crashes, breakdowns, bushfires and aike.



Road closures

information about road closures due to incidents or major planned roadworks. Road closures are shown as red lines on the map.



Roads open to specified vehicle types

Roads may only be open to certain types of vehicles. Full closure details including the vehicles able to access the road are provided in the alert.



Roads open with caution

Some roads may remain open however caution may be required to ensure the safety of all. For example, this includes fog incidents or minor flooding.



Traffic signal outages

We provide the location of those traffic lights that are blacked out to help you plan a safer trip.



Detours

information is provided for you to safely navigate around an incident or issue on the road.



Roadworks

Information about current or planned roadworks having the potential to cause delays to your trip.



Events

Information about events having the potential to cause road closures or increased congestion in an area.



Rest areas and amenities

The location and details of places to stop during your trip are provided to help ensure a safer journey. Stopping places include parking, toilets and even picnic drens.



Google traffic

Powered by Google, this filter shows congestion across WA roads.



Clustering

Numbers are displayed in a green cluster on the map, indicating that there are multiple alerts in that location. Simply click on the icon to see more alerts in that area.



A text-based list of this information is also provided. Filter by alert type, location or region and set your destination to see issues affecting your route.

COMMUNITY



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wednesday night is BINGO NIGHT

Join us each Wednesday evening at the Community and SeniorCitizens' Hall (cnr Olivia Tce. and George St.)

Doors open at 6pm. Eyes Down 7pm. Please be early to get your books, flyers and favourite table.

See the 'What's on in Carnarvon' or 'Carnarvon Notice Board' on Facebook for the weekly Jackpot prize.

> Tea, coffee. cold drinks as well as a selection of munchies also available.

Looking for something different to do?



Enjoy a game of pool, indoor bowls or a variety of table games.

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Entrance fee (members \$7, visitors \$8) includes morning tea and bottomless cups of tea and coffee. A 2 course lunch is also available for an additional \$9



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ARE YOU BUSHFIRE READY?

BURNING PERMITS AND BUSH FIRE CONTROL

Restricted and prohibited burning periods for Carnarvon is

from October 1st until April 30th.

During this period, a peermit will be required to burn. These permits can be obtained from one of the Shire Rangers by calling 99410019



FIREBREAK INSPECTIONS

Rangers have commenced Firebreak inspections and it is disappointing to see there are a large number of properties that are not maintained. This can put your neighbours at risk and may result in infringements being issued.

Please ensure your property is in line with the Firebreak Notice that was sent to every property with their rates notice.

If you would like to report a fire hazard, please contact Carnarvon Rangers

99410019 Email - rangers@carnarvon.wa.gov.au



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CONTACTS INFORMATION

ALL FIRES OR LIFE THREATENING

EMERGENCIES 000 emergency.wa.gov.au

Gascoyne River Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade Captain 0428 135 505

> **Hospital** 9941 0555

SES 132 500/9941 2121

Police 9941 7333/131 444

DFES Information Line 13 33 37

Community Emergency Services Manager 0448 081 637

Shire Office 9941 0000 **Ranger Co-ordinator** 0408 942 945

FIRE CONTROL OFFICERS Chief Bush Fire Control (BFCO) 0428 135 505

BFCO - Ranger Coordinator 0408 942 945







STARTS: SATURDAY 4TH OF MAY

AT CARNARVON CIVIC CENTRE COURTYARD - @ VISITOR CENTRE





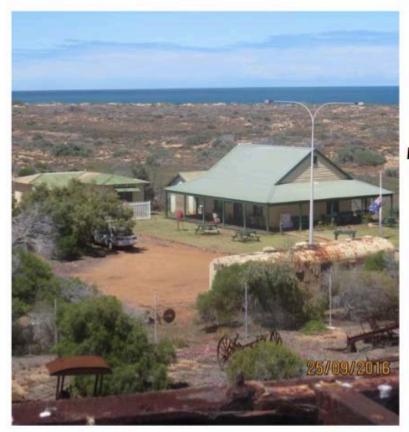


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CARNARVON HERITAGE PRECINCT

Come and Find Us SO, WHERE ARE WE?

A short drive out of town. Follow Babbage Island Rd (the road that runs down from the Police Station) until you come across Annear Place. Turn right there and our parking area is at the end of the road. Enter through Sunsets Café and you will find us there. Easy! If cafe

ADMISSION: ADULTS \$15; CONCESSION \$10;

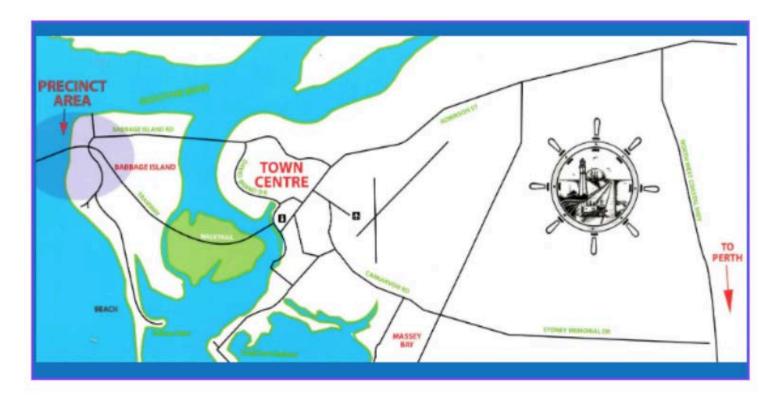
CHILDREN \$5; (Children MUST be accompanied)

FAMILY: (2 adults + 3 children) \$30

FOR CURRENT OPENING TIMES PLEASE CHECK WITH THE CARNARVON VISITORS' CENTRE

If cafe is closed please use rear entrance.

WE ARE HERE!









Carnarvon's Number 1 Tourist Destination

CARNARVON SPACE MUSEUM

Adults \$2000 Senaus/Pensioners \$15.00 Student (6 to 184/s) \$10 Komiy (2 adults & 2 children) \$45.00

OPENING HOURS

April, - September Van - April Ostober - March I Barr - Spin Open 7 days (polept Christmas Day)

CONTACT US

Mahony Ara, Camaroon , WA 5701 Phone: US 7941 7901 Email: Frontideskajikamaroon museumorga a

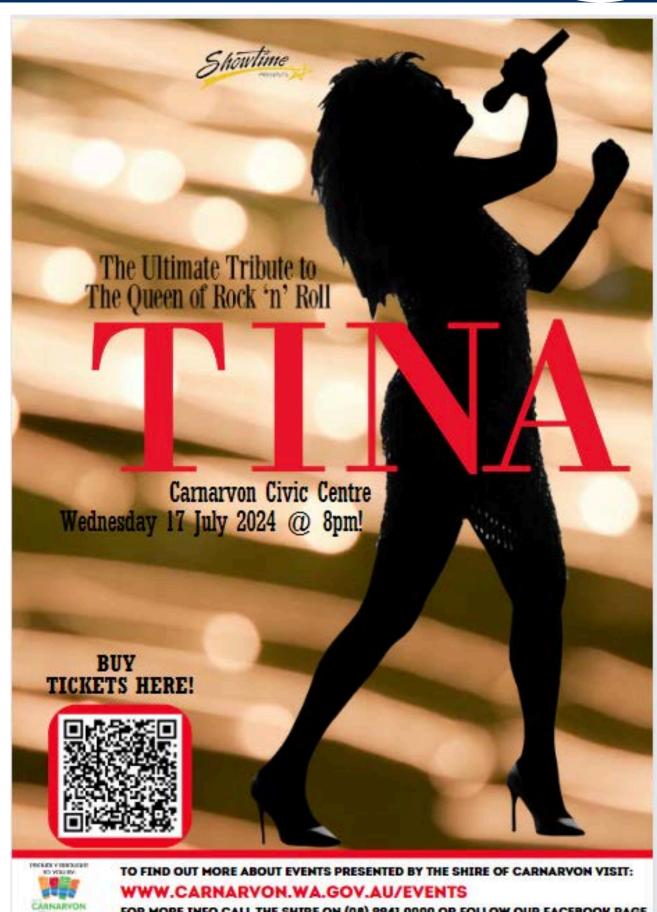
FIND US ON FACEBOOK



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FOR MORE INFO CALL THE SHIRE ON (08) 9941 0000 OR FOLLOW OUR FACEBOOK PAGE



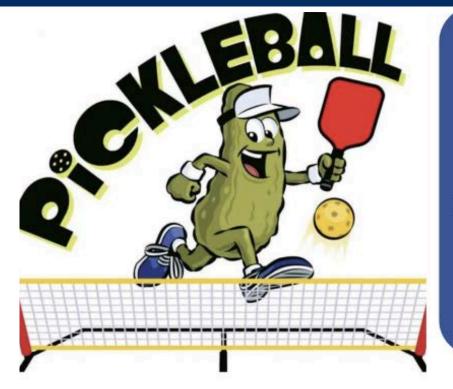




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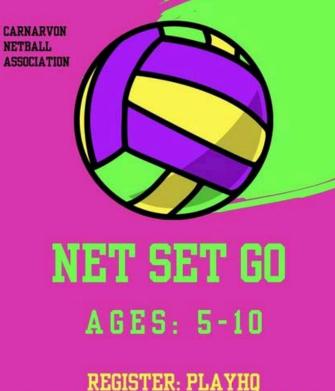
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PICKLE BALL ON AT PCYC 6.30PM

Every Monday & Tuesday nights Paddles provided, fees apply All welcome



REGISTER: PLAYHQ START DATE: MONDAY 20TH MAY 10 WEEKS + PLAY GRAND FINAL GAME



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A TRANSPORT NEEDED A

We are desperately on the look out for anyone travelling to Perth either from Carnarvon or further north that can stop in Carnarvon to pick up. We are getting large numbers of animals in daily and we are at capacity in Carnarvon. Please help us by giving our furry friends a lift to Perth to save more lives.

Contact Mary 0448569563, Jodee 0402828471, DM us or email carnarvon@safe.org.au



The more animals we can move the better. We can save more lives if you can lend us a helping hand!





Government of Western Australia Department of Transport

ONE MILE JETTY UPDATE

The Department of Transport is leading a project to restore partial access to the historic One Mile Jetty.

The multi-stage One Mile Jetty project aims to restore partial access to the historic jetty and maintain public and navigational safety.

To read more about this project visit the Department of Transport's website -

https://www.transport.wa.gov.au/imarine/carnarvon -one-mile-jetty.asp



We are visiting Carnarvon and want to share this unique meditation with you.

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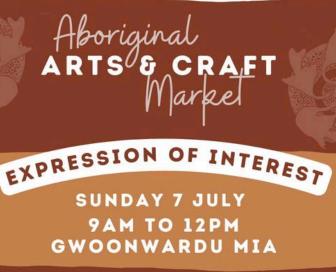
Sessions also available for your workplace or group. Contact Maxine 0487915789 "You cannot know the meaning of your life until you are connected to the power that created you. "Shri Mataji Nirmala Devi 1923 - 2011 www.freemeditation.com.au







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YOGA IN CARNARVON with Lucy

Tuesdays 6-7pm | Vinyasa Flow Thursdays 6-7pm | Yin Yoga

309 Robinson St, Carnarvon

Everyone is welcome!

Casual rates or class passes available, cash or bank transfer.

Contact Lucy through the Yoga in Carnarvon Facebook page or via phone on 0499 566 777 for details.



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DO YOU WANT TO HELP BUT DON'T WANT TO GO IN THE AMBULANCE THEN THIS ROLE IS FOR YOU CARNARVON NEED

SUPPORT OFFICERS!!

DUTIES INCLUDE, BUT NOT LIMITED TO: DISPATCHING, RESTOCKING AMBULANCES AND STORES SPECIAL PROJECTS, RECRUITMENT, PUBLIC RELATIONS ...AND MORE CALL JACK FOR MORE INFO ON: 0450 780 072

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Upcoming first aid courses

HLTAIDO11 - Provide First Aid Course type: Accredited | Duration: 1 day in class + Online learning Price: \$170.00 When: Tuesday 25 April - 8:00AM - 4:00PM

When: Tuesday 23 April - 8:00AW - 4:00PM Tuesday 7 May - 8:00AM - 4:00PM Thursday 6 June - 8:00AM - 4:00PM Wednesday 17 July - 8:00AM - 4:00PM Where: 358 Robinson Street, Carnarvon WA 6701





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Understand first aid Learn about first aid theory and action plans

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CPR and defibrillation Practise CPR skills and how to apply a defibrillator.

Injury management Treat and manage injuries in interactive training scenarios.

Ready to make a difference? Book a first aid course with us

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HLTAID009 Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation – Assessment only

Course type: Accredited | Duration: 2.5 hours in class + Online learning Price: \$65.00

When: Tuesday 12 March - 2:00PM - 4:30PM Monday 22 April - 2:00PM - 4:30PM Monday 6 May - 2:00PM - 4:30PM Tuesday 16 July - 2:00PM - 4:30PM

Where: 358 Robinson Street, Carnarvon WA 6701



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Learn about first aid

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Update certification Keep your CPR skillset up to date and relevant.



Refine CPR skills Practise your CPR skills and techniques in a class setting.

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TICKETS ON SALE 22ND MAY 2024 AT 9AM HOSTED BY THE SHIRE OF UPPER GASCOYNE

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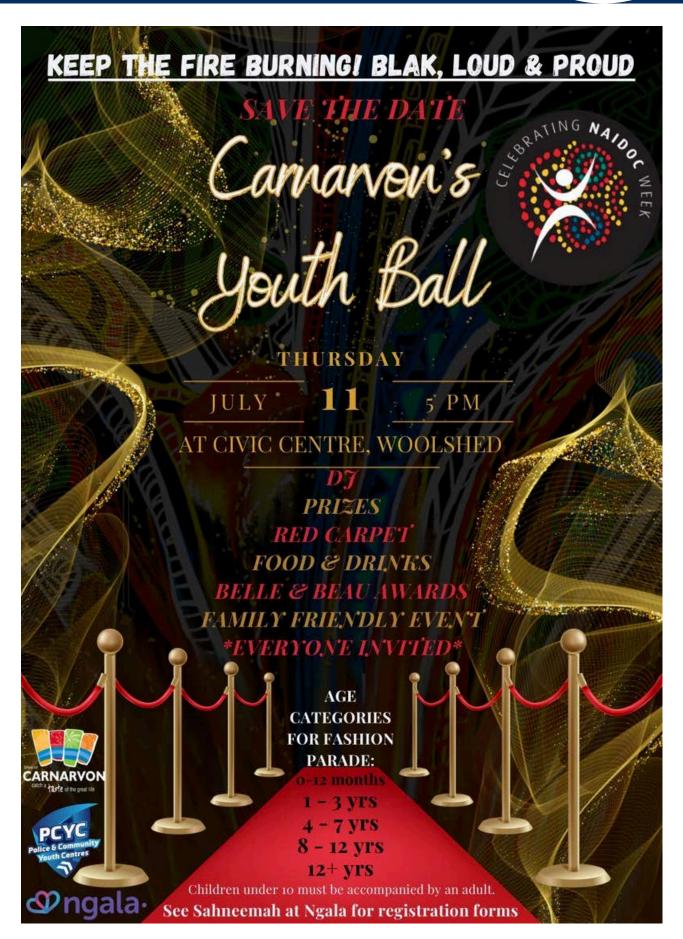






















If you know someone doing great things in our community, nominate them for a 2024 Youth Citizen of the Year Award.

citizenshipawards.com.au Closing Date: 31 October 2024

Local Government Recognising Community Champions.

NOMNATE A COMMUNITY HERO

Do you know someone in Carnarvon or Coral Bay who goes above and beyond for our community? Nominations are now open for the Community Citizen of the Year awards! Celebrate their hard work and dedication by nominating them in one of these categories:

- Community Citizen of the Year
- Young Community Citizen of the Year
- Senior Community Citizen of the Year
- Active Citizenship (Group or Event)

Let's honour those who make a difference! Submit your nominations today!



