



Nominations close Friday for the Shoalhaven Australia Day Awards

[Click here to nominate.](#)

Mayor's Christmas Giving Box

Mayor Amanda Findley has launched her annual Mayor's Christmas Giving Box at Stockland Nowra.

The Christmas Appeal invites the community to donate Christmas gifts as an act of kindness to charities in the Shoalhaven.

Please wrap the gift and mark if the gift is for a male or female and the approximate age bracket that the gift is for. Gifts can be for all age brackets.



Gifts can be left at Stockland Nowra in the Mayor's Gift Box near Santa Claus or at Council administration buildings in Nowra and Ulladulla, libraries or the Shoalhaven Art Centre. For more information see [Council's Website](#).

Roads and Works Update



CURRENT WORKS: Callala Bay Barden Close, Bay Street, Chapman Street, Fleet Way, Illustrious Ct, Marine Parade, Murray Street, Torrens

South Nowra Flinders Road Upgrade - Route upgrade works continue on the widening between Norfolk Avenue and Nowra Creek bridge. Note that some disruption to businesses will occur through temporary closures as the works progress. Traffic control is in place involving a roadworks speed zone, plus traffic lights, for the duration of works.

UPCOMING WORKS: CULBURRA ROAD CLOSURE - Culburra Road - Crookhaven River Bridge aka

Close, Wearne Street - Full service reseal. Affected residents will be notified by the contractor prior to works being carried out. Preparations for spray sealing are scheduled for completion prior to 15 December 2017.

Milton Matron Porter Drive – Shared User Pathway Stage 4, the construction of approximately 700m of concrete pathway 2.5m wide between Sungrove Lane & Garside Road.

Archgate Bridge – approximately 1km west of Coonemia Road intersection. Council road crews will be undertaking essential interim works on the Crookhaven River Bridge on Sunday, 3 December 2017.

To keep up to date with road works in our community, visit Council's Road Works [webpage](#).

Please note that all quoted completion dates are subject to change due to weather conditions, emergencies or other unforeseen interruptions.

Nominate a Silent Achiever

Time is running out to nominate someone in the Shoalhaven Australia Day Awards. We have a new category for environment so, why not nominate someone in your bushcare group, garden club, a recycler or someone who is energy efficient?

Nominate them today.

[Nominate Now](#)



On Exhibition

Public Exhibition – Draft Amendment No. 14 – Shoalhaven Development Control Plan (DCP) 2014 – Chapter G18 Streetscape Design for Town and Village Centres.

Invitation for submissions: Written submissions quoting Council's reference 57003E are invited and should be addressed to the General Manager, Shoalhaven City Council, PO Box 42, Nowra NSW 2541 or emailed to council@shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au.

All submissions must be received in writing by 5pm on Friday, 12 January 2018.

View all Public Exhibitions online at: www.shoalhaven.nsw.gov.au/MyCouncil/Publicexhibition

Shoalhaven's First Universal Playground Open

Jump, swing and slide no matter your age or ability at [Livvi's Place, Mollymook Reserve.](#)

The Shoalhaven's first all abilities playground joins a network of Touched by Olivia play spaces around Australia.

These play-spaces aim to improve the social and emotional development of all children no matter what their ability.

The playground is currently open and Council will be officially celebrating the opening at 10am Friday, 8 December 2017.



Council Decisions

On Tuesday, Council held an Ordinary meeting and discussed a range of topics including the funding of [Fireworks at Shoalhaven Heads](#), [the Nowra Bridge](#) and [Australia Day celebrations.](#)

All council meeting minutes and agendas are published on [Council's website.](#)

The next ordinary meeting will be held on Tuesday, 19 December 2017 and will be held in the Nowra Administrative Centre.

Fairgrounds

Fairgrounds Festival is being held in Berry on 9 and 10 December 2017.

This event brings almost 7,000 people to Berry, with 90% of people travelling from outside the region, staying in accommodation and visiting local businesses as far as Jervis Bay and Kangaroo Valley.

It is one of Shoalhaven's flagship events, with an economic benefit to the region of approximately \$1,858,000. Council is proud to support this event which brings some of the biggest Australian acts to our own backyard and provide locals with a great cultural experience close to home.

Book tickets to Fairgrounds [here](#).



For more information on the Shoalhaven Tourism Event Support Program, please contact Council's Events and Investment Specialist on 02 4429 3561.



CCTV Sanctuary Point

Council has completed Stage 2 of the project to install additional CCTV cameras for the Sanctuary Point shopping precinct with cameras installed at the back of the shopping centre.

During Stage 1, Council installed two CCTV cameras at the front of the shopping centre in Paradise Beach Road, through funding received from the Safer Communities Fund. For more information see [Council's Newsfeed](#).



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