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Be Prepared. Have a Plan

There has been two significant fires and several other fires in the Shoalhaven this week fueled by strong winds and dry conditions.

The Shoalhaven community, RFS and support agencies have all rallied together to keep our region safe.

During emergency situations, Council provides many resources to support the RFS and SES including supporting the Emergency Operations Centre, traffic control, management of Council assets, environment and water management and communications.

Conditions have eased until the weekend.

Please ensure you have a fire plan in place,
clear your gutters and move fuel away from
property as winds are expected to resume on
Saturday.

Thank you to all the amazing fire fighters, support agencies and volunteers for their hard work during the week. Your community appreciates it.



Please remember:

- Have a fire evacuation plan in place.
 Information is available on the RFS
- There is currently a complete fire ban.
 Fines apply to any fires lit.
- Continue to listen to alerts and requirements of authorities.
- Updates on fires are available on the <u>RES</u>
 website and <u>live traffic website</u> for
 road closures or diversions.
- Keep up to date with weather warnings on the <u>Bureau of Meteorology website.</u>
- Report any injured wildlife to Shoalhaven Wildlife Rescue on 0418-427-214.

Collingwood Beach Dune Planting Event

WHAT TO BRING/WEAR: Sturdy shoes, hat and sunscreen, long pants and sleeves, drinking water and gardening gloves if you have them.

Council will provide selected native plants which will be planted along 100m of the dune as part of a trial program being undertaken. The trial is to determine the best approach to managing the vegetation system along the



Join Shoalhaven City Council and help plant a native garden on the dunes of Collingwood Beach. Meet Wombat former contestant at The Block during the planting event on the sand dunes at Vincentia.

WHEN: Saturday, 25 August 2018 between 9am – 12pm

WHERE: Beach end of Berry St off Elizabeth

Drive, Vincentia

sand dunes.

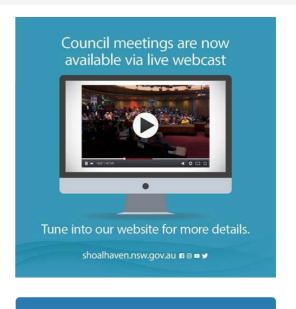
Council, in conjunction with the reference group, has developed a Vegetation Action Plan that is based on a two-year trial program in response to continued vandalism of the vegetation along the dunes. The trial establishes rehabilitation and pruning sites.

If you wish to learn more about the Collingwood Beach Dune Vegetation Two-Year Trial Action Plan, you can find information on Council's <u>website</u>.

Next Ordinary Meeting

The venue for the next Shoalhaven City Council Ordinary Meeting to be held on Tuesday, 28 August 2018 has been changed from the Ulladulla Civic Centre to the Council Chambers at Bridge Street Nowra. It will commence at 5.00 pm.

The community can view the meetings live via webcast on the Council website.



View the Webcasts Here

Upcoming Road Works

Far North Collector Road Project - The Far North Collector Road will link Illaroo Road (near the western end of West Camberawarra Road) to Moss Vale Road (near Bells Lane) in North Nowra. The project has now



Keep up to Date with all Road Works on the Council Website

Sussex Inlet - *Jacobs Drive* - Streetscape works with minor inconvenience to traffic and parking expected. Paving works are expected to be completed shortly, with planting and street furniture works to follow.

Ray Street – Heavy patching, stabilising and sealing work. The work will be carried out between River Road and approximately 100m east of the Sussex Inlet Road intersection.

Post sweeping of excess sealing aggregates and temporary lane delineation will be carried out in the days following.

Reinstatement of formal line marking is scheduled for completion by the end of August 2018.

commenced with preliminary stages including initial land acquisitions, project planning and development and survey and design. <u>Learn more.</u>

Back Forest - Bolong Road (east of

Broughton Creek) – The works involve the widening, pavement upgrade, and resealing of approximately 1.3km of Bolong Road from 400m east of Broughton Creek. Works have been temporarily halted due to excessive subsurface moisture affecting the pavement. Geotechnical investigations continue to determine how address the excessive subsurface moisture. The pavement works will then recommence. The works are now expected to be completed by mid-September 2018. Changed traffic conditions are operating for the duration of works. Note that where road work speed limit signs or traffic controls are displayed or used, the speed limit and controls are enforceable and must be obeyed.

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

Fox Baiting Program

Council will be conducting a fox and wild dog baiting program using 1080 poison on multiple sites on Council land during the period from 27 August to 14 December 2018.

The baiting is part of a coordinated program with National Parks and Wildlife Service and other government agencies, to protect endangered species and livestock from attack. During this period, baits will be laid at Sewage Treatment Plants at Culburra Beach, Coonemia, Vincentia, St Georges Basin, Sussex Inlet, Bendalong, Lake Conjola and



Warning: Non Target animals such as domestic dogs & cats may be affected. Please

Water Reservoirs at Bamarang. All sites are signposted. Bamarang and Coonamia will also include Candid Pest Ejector baits. Baits will be removed at the conclusion of the baiting program.

ensure pets are restrained.
For further information, please contact the Parks Programs Officer on 4429 3111.



Do You Need a Furry Friend?

The Shoalhaven Animal Shelter is currently full of dogs at the moment looking for a forever home.

The new Shoalhaven Animal Shelter is located at 19 Nowra Hill Road, Nowra Hill (BTU Road entry).

Visit and Share the Shelter's <u>Facebook</u> page to view the dogs at the adoption centre.



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