

### The Art of Ageing Exhibition

**Date:** Thursday 15 April 2021  
**Time:** 10am - 12 noon  
**Location:** Sir Henry Parkes School of Arts, Tenterfield  
**Cost:** Free



### Margaret Fulton the Musical

**Date:** Thursday 15 April 2021  
**Time:** 7.30pm  
**Location:** Sir Henry Parkes School of Arts, Tenterfield  
**Cost:** \$25 for concession – reduced price for limited seats for seniors.

### Mystery Bus Tour Including Morning Tea and Lunch

**Date:** Friday 16 April 2021  
**Time:** 9am bus departs from the Visitors Information Centre, Tenterfield  
**Location:** Mystery  
**Cost:** \$20 per person (includes bus transport, morning tea and lunch)

### Gunimaa Nursery Visit

**Date:** Monday 19 April 2021  
**Time:** 10am  
**Location:** 34 Railway Avenue, Tenterfield  
**Cost:** Free

### The Bungalow B&B and Ivy Leaf Chapel Tour & Light Lunch

**Date:** Monday 19 April 2021  
**Time:** 12 noon  
**Location:** 141 Miles St, Tenterfield  
**Cost:** \$5 per person

### Lunch and Lawn Bowls

**Date:** Tuesday 20 April 2021  
**Time:** 12 noon  
**Location:** Tenterfield Bowls Club  
**Cost:** \$10 per person

### Nomadland Movie

**Date:** Wednesday 21 April 2021  
**Time:** 1pm  
**Location:** Tenterfield Cinema  
**Cost:** \$5 per person

### Tenterfield Men's Shed - Open Morning

**Date:** Thursday 22 April 2021  
**Time:** 10am - 12 noon  
**Location:** TAFE barn, Wood Street, Tenterfield  
**Cost:** Free

### Strength, Mobility and Balance Class

**Date:** Friday 23 April 2021  
**Time:** 1pm - 3pm  
**Location:** The Old Church – corner of High and Logan Streets, Tenterfield  
**Cost:** Free (A telephone pre-screen is required to attend this class. Call Emma Page on 0488 214 790 to register)

Tickets on sale at the Sir Henry Parkes School of Arts Cinema/Theatre foyer **10am to 12 noon** on:

**Tuesday 30 March, Wednesday 31 March, Thursday 1 April, Tuesday 6 April, Wednesday 7 April & Thursday 8 April.**

[www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au/event/seniors-week-2021](http://www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au/event/seniors-week-2021)



## Tenterfield Cinema & Theatre

### LOVE WEDDINGS AND OTHER DISASTERS (M)

Tuesday, 30 March @ 10.30am  
Monday, 5 April @ 1pm  
Tuesday, 6 April @ 1pm

### THE NEST (MA15+)

Tuesday, 30 March @ 1pm

### TWO BY TWO: OVERBOARD (PG)

Sunday, 4 April @ 11am  
Monday, 5 April @ 10.30am  
Tuesday, 6 April @ 10.30am  
Wednesday, 7 April @ 1pm  
Thursday, 8 April @ 10.30am  
Monday, 12 April @ 10.30am

### LONG STORY SHORT (M)

Sunday, 4 April @ 1.45pm  
Wednesday, 7 April @ 10.30am  
Saturday, 10 April @ 7.30pm

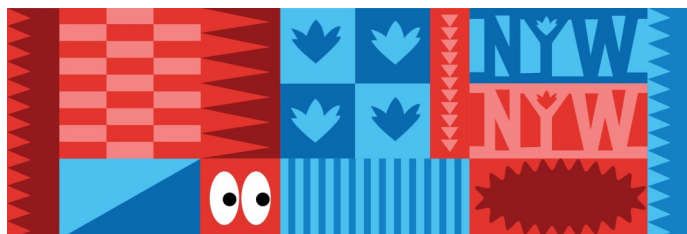
### RAYA AND THE LAST DRAGON (PG)

Thursday, 8 April @ 1pm  
Friday, 9 April @ 10.30am  
Sunday, 11 April @ 11am  
Monday, 12 April @ 1pm

### NOMADLAND (M)

Friday, 9 April @ 7pm  
Sunday, 11 April @ 1.45pm

*Please note: The Cinema will be closed Good Friday, 2 April and Autumn Festival, 3 April. Movie times correct at time of printing.  
To confirm times visit:  
<https://www.tenterfieldcinema.com.au/showtimes>*



## NSW YOUTH WEEK 16 - 24 April 2021

There will be a host of events for 12-24 year olds including NRL Training Session, Ten FM Radio Mentoring, TAFE Campus Tour, Movie & Pizza Night, Archery and more.

For full details visit :

[www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au/event/nsw-youth-week-2021](http://www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au/event/nsw-youth-week-2021)



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### Contact us

02 6736 6000

FREE CALL 1300 762 400 (Landline only)

### COVID 19 statement

Council has implemented strict protocols to ensure we comply with directions issued by government in relation to managing the COVID 19 risk.

These protocols apply to our staff, our customers and visitors to our premises, and councillors alike.

Please be understanding that we will do our best to maintain services and help in what are unique and challenging circumstances.

You can email us at [council@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au)

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

Photo: Sealing Works – Tooloom Road



## MAYOR'S UPDATE – MARCH 2021

Already nearing the end of March 2021! There has been a lot going on in Council and in our community. Here is an update on all that has been happening.

### Council Chamber/Admin Building Works

I am aware that the community is becoming concerned at the length of time the building works at the Council Administration and Council Chambers have taken but I can assure everybody that the works are continuing to come in on budget and are nearing completion with new floor coverings laid and work stations and furniture currently being delivered and fitted.

Works began as a result of Council's success in receiving a NSW Government *Disaster Readiness & Community Infrastructure Grant* of \$200,000 in 2019 to upgrade the Council Chamber as an Emergency Operations Centre.

During the renovations, severe structural defects were uncovered which required rectification before any further works could be undertaken. All this took place around this time in March 2020 just as the international COVID pandemic erupted which then had a major impact on the timely delivery of building materials and interstate trades people.

With a total budget of \$2,078,589 and a current spend of approximately 75% of this amount, staff and Councillors are looking forward to returning to the one centralised workplace, complete with up to date technology and fittings.

### Roads

With a serious amount of grant funding (both Federal and State) to be expended prior to the end of the 2021 financial year, road and bridges crews have been putting in the hard yards to get these works completed.

- Mt Lindesay Road (Legume to Woodenbong) - This special grant project is the major ongoing project with clearing and grubbing completed on all three (3) of the remaining sections. Drainage works are now continuing on Stage 3, 0.1 km to 6.1 km east of Legume.
- Torrington Road 2020/21 rehabilitation road works are completed 700m from the Shire boundary towards the Deepwater River bridge crossing (Commonwealth Govt *Roads to Recovery* funding).
- Mt Lindesay Road - Bookookoorara Creek 2.1 km upgrade and sealing (Federal *Stimulus Safety Project*). Pavement and sealing works to be completed over the coming weeks.
- Mt Lindesay Road - Hill View - 2 km upgrade and sealing (Commonwealth Govt *Roads to*

*Recovery* funding) - pavement works ongoing at present.

- Tooloom Road - pavement and sealing works are complete between Urbenville and Paddys Flat Road. Traffic management work and shoulder clean up works will continue over the coming weeks. (NSW Govt *Fixing Local Roads* funding).
- Urbenville main street footpath upgrade is in progress.

### Bridge Works

The following bridge works are being carried out by Interim Bridge Solutions.

- Wallaroo Range Road - bridge structure complete;
- Mole River Road Tablelands Creek bridge (full timber restoration) new substructure and deck - works in progress - expected completion in April.
- Barlows Gate Bridge - replacement. Pre-built materials have been shipped to Australia and are awaiting quarantine before transporting to site at Acacia Creek.

Torrington Road (Deepwater River) and Paddy's Flat North (Kangaroo Creek) bridge replacement tenders have been awarded.

The timber bridge structure renewals have almost been completed at Boonoo Boonoo, Emu Creek and Beaury Creek with approach road works underway to finalise this project.

A risk that is emerging for Council is the limited staff resources and high demand given the increased level of grant funding on major works for both roads and bridges. Also, given the extent of additional grant funding in other regions and neighbouring Councils, there is limited availability to external contractors due to other committed works which increases dramatically the management of works projects.

I am regularly out and about in all areas of the Shire and see the impact that all the fabulous grant funding has had not only on our roads and bridges, but in our community halls, new toilet structures and the bright, new signage which adds to the ambience of our villages and regions.

My sincere thanks to our Local Members, both State and Federal, for their assistance in obtaining the grant funding, and to all Council staff members for the wonderful job they continue to do.

### AWA FINALIST MELISSA BLUM

Tenterfield Council's own Melissa Blum was accepted as a finalist in the prestigious Australian Water Association (AWA) Young Water Professional of the Year 2021. Individual Awards - Young Water Professional of the Year.

The AWA Young Water Professional of the Year Award is presented to an exceptional water professional who aligns with the AWA purpose of inspiring and driving a sustainable water future. The awardee will be able to demonstrate their leadership, influence and passion for the water sector. This award is open to all Professional AWA Members and Employees of Corporate AWA Members who are 35 years of age or younger at the time of submission to their state or territory award round.

Mayor Peter Petty supported Mel's Award application which provided the following endorsement:

"...Mel's performance is extraordinary. She is creative and adaptive to the demands and requirement of the role of Technical Projects Engineer. Her dedication and resolve make her an ideal candidate for Young Water Professional of the Year as she continues to provide the community of Tenterfield with exemplary performance in Technical Projects.'

Unfortunately Mel was pipped at the post by Shannon Davies, Environmental Engineer, for AECOM.

### COUNCIL MEETING – COVID-19 REGULATIONS APPLY

The Ordinary Meeting of Council for April 2021 will be held:

Wednesday, 28 April 2021 at the RSL Pavilion (rear of the Memorial Hall), Molesworth Street, Tenterfield, commencing at 9.30 am.

Business Papers will be available on Council's website ([www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au](http://www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au)) on Thursday, 22 April 2021 from 3.00 pm.

Community members wishing to speak on any of the Agenda items should contact Council at [council@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au) before 5.00 pm on Monday, 26 April 2021 and provide the request to speak in writing, setting out the details of the matter to be raised. Please note that attendance will be via Zoom only.

Unfortunately Council does not have capacity to live stream the meeting, however the recording will be placed on the website on Thursday, 29 April 2021.

Should COVID-19 regulations still apply, there is no capacity for members of the public to attend. Due to social distancing requirements, some Councillors and staff members will attend the meeting via Zoom.

Please contact the Executive Assistant & Media [n.hyde@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au](mailto:n.hyde@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au) should you require any further information relating to the Council Meeting.