

Family: Crassulaceae

General description: Mother of millions is a succulent perennial plant growing 30 cm to 1 m in height. The stems are pinkish-brown or greyish in colour. The leaves are pencil-shaped, pale green to pale brown in colour with dark green patches and a shallow groove on the upper surface. There are up to seven projections at the tip of each leaf which when broken off can develop into new plants. The flowers are orange-red in colour and occur in a cluster at the top of a single stem. Flowering can occur from May to October.

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Spread: The common name 'mother of millions' is based on the plant's ability to reproduce vegetatively in large numbers. Each plant produces small plantlets along the edges of its leaves which detach and form new plants. This makes mother of millions hard to eradicate and follow up controls are necessary. Mother of millions also produces numerous seeds which can survive in the soil for a number of years before germinating.

Control: Preventing the spread of mother of millions is the best control measure. Learn to identify mother of millions and regularly check for it in winter when the plants are in flower and are easier to see. If found contact Councils Weeds Officer on 02 6736 6000.

Symptoms: Poisoning generally occurs when the plants are flowering – between May and October. Livestock are at a greater risk of poisoning if they have been moved to a new paddock, there is a feed shortage or during droving because they are more likely to eat the plant. If livestock have eaten a large amount of plant, they may die suddenly of heart failure.

If they have eaten smaller amounts over several days, they may develop diarrhoea (sometimes bloody), drool saliva, dribble urine and then die of heart failure. Some affected livestock will recover slowly if small amounts of plant material have been eaten and their hearts are not badly damaged.

Poisoned stock must be treated within 24 hours of



DREAM HORSE (PG)
Monday, 5 July @ 10.30am
Wednesday, 7 July @ 10.30am
Sunday, 11 July @ 1.45pm

A QUIET PLACE PART 2 (M)
Monday, 5 July @ 1pm
Tuesday, 6 July @ 1pm
Saturday, 10 July @ 7pm
Tuesday, 13 July @ 10.30am

CRUELLA (PG)
Tuesday, 6 July @ 10.30am
Wednesday, 14 July @ 11am

PETER RABBIT 2
Thursday, 8 July @ 10.30am

BREAKING NEWS IN YUBA COUNTRY (MA15+)
Friday, 9 July @ 7pm
Tuesday, 13 July @ 1pm
Saturday, 17 July @ 7pm

FAST AND FURIOUS 9 (M)
Friday, 16 July @ 7pm
Sunday, 18 July @ 1.45pm
Tuesday, 20 July @ 1pm

consuming the plant. After this period heart function is severely disturbed and stock may be too badly affected to survive. If you suspect livestock could have mother of millions poisoning, consult a vet immediately.



Please be aware of any suspicious weeds found on your property due to the fodder/livestock supplements being delivered.

Please contact Councils Weeds Officer, Chris Battersby on 0402 210 102 should any new or unrecognizable weeds be found. For further information on how to control measures please visit <http://weeds.dpi.nsw.gov.au/>



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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

www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au

Photo: Newly Renovated Council Administration Office Foyer



STAFF MOVING BACK INTO REFURBISHED COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

It is with great excitement that Tenterfield Shire Council staff have begun the transition back into the main Council Administration Building in Rouse Street.

After many months of remote operation due to COVID-19 and building refurbishment works, the staff are gradually, physically moving workstations and associated files back into the new space.

Council anticipates that the newly refurbished Administration Building will be open to the public in approximately two weeks, depending on finalisation of outstanding works.

All face to face customer services will still be operating out of the Tenterfield Visitor Information Centre until further notice.

All Council Departments can be contacted by telephone (02) 6736 6000, email council@tenterfield.nsw.gov.au and other information is available on our website www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au

LOCAL HERITAGE PLACES FUND 2021-22 APPLICATIONS OPEN

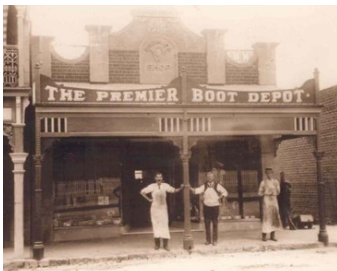
A local Heritage Places Fund has been established by Tenterfield Shire Council with partially matching funds from the NSW Office of Environment and Heritage.

The aim of the fund is to encourage as much positive work on heritage items in the area as possible.

The fund will enable applicants to undertake sympathetic repairs to their properties which are consistent with generally accepted heritage principles. Replacing like with like, repainting properties in their original colours, using recycled or traditional materials where possible and undertaking research on the history of a property before undertaking repairs are key ideas which are encouraged by the program.

The local heritage fund funds projects:

- for conservation and maintenance works
- to meet National Construction Code upgrades (fire, services, and access) for ongoing and new uses



- for heritage items and items in conservation areas in the *Tenterfield Local Environmental Plan 2013*.

This year Council is calling for applications from across the Shire, with submissions closing on 13 August 2021. Application forms and Guidelines can be obtained on Council's website www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au or by visiting Council's Customer Service staff at the Visitor Information Centre.

For further information please contact Council's Manager Planning & Development Services, Tamai Davidson, on 02 6736 6002.

JULY 2021 – ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING DRAKE COMMUNITY HALL

Notice is given that Council's Ordinary Meeting for July 2021 will be held at the Drake Community Hall, Drake, on Wednesday, 28 July 2021, commencing at 9.30 am.

Due to COVID-19 social distancing requirements, only a limited number of Members of the public will be able to attend. A half hour public forum will be conducted at the conclusion of the meeting (approximately 1.30 pm).

Business Papers will be available on Council's website www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au on Thursday, 22 July 2021 from 3.00 pm.

Community members wishing to speak on any of the Agenda items should contact Acting Executive Assistant & Media, Elizabeth Melling on (02) 6736 6000 before 5.00 pm on Monday, 26 July 2021.

Unfortunately Council does not have capacity to live stream the meeting, however the recording will be placed on the website on Thursday, 25 March 2021.

PENSIONER CONCESSIONS

A reminder for eligible pensioners to apply for the Pensioner Rebate on their Annual Rates. Application forms can be downloaded from Council's website. Please complete the checklist before submitting your completed application to Council with a copy of the front and back of your Pensioner Concession Card.

You may be eligible for the rebate if ...

- You have a current Pensioner Concession Card, and
- The property is your primary place of residence, and an Occupation Certificate has been issued.

If you already receive the rebate you do not need to do anything unless you have moved since your last Rates Notice, then you will need to re-apply.

RATES & CHARGES FOURTH INSTALMENT NOTICE 2020-2021

Council wishes to advise Residents and Business Owners that the Fourth Rates Instalment Notice is now overdue. Reminders & Early Intervention Letters have been sent to some ratepayers and a visit will be scheduled for mid-July if full payment or a suitable arrangement is not made.

WATER & SEWERAGE NOTICES

Water & Sewerage Notices will be issued early July 2021.

Ratepayers are reminded that interest accrues on all overdue Rates and Charges Notices on a daily basis at a rate of 7.0% per annum applicable for 2020/2021 financial year.

Please contact Council's Rates Department on 02 6736 6000 Option 2 if you are experiencing difficulties paying your Rates to avoid recovery action and costs.

ONLINE PLANNING APPLICATIONS MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

The NSW Government has mandated that from 1 July 2021, all planning applications including Development Applications (DA's) and Complying Development Certificates (CDC's) will need to be electronically lodged online via the NSW Government Planning Portal.

The new process enables customers to lodge applications anytime using the online portal, paper applications will no longer be accepted.

In order to lodge an application you will need to register for a NSW Planning Portal account, further information can be found here:

<https://www.planningportal.nsw.gov.au/onlineDA>

WEED OF THE MONTH



Common name: Mother of Millions

Botanical name: Bryophyllum species

Other common names: Common mother of millions, chandelier plant, Christmas Bells, Mission bells, pregnant plant