

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 Council Administration Building.

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

NOTICE OF CHANGED TRAFFIC CONDITIONS Sandy Flat Road/Primrose Hill Road, Sandy Flat

In accordance with Section 115 of the Roads Act 1993, notice is hereby given by Tenterfield Shire Council as the Roads Authority that changed traffic conditions will apply to Sandy Flat and Primrose Hill Roads, Sandy Flat.

It is anticipated that the works will commence Monday 26th July 2021 and will take up to 1 month to complete, weather permitting. Works will be undertaken between the hours of 7:00am and 6:00pm weekdays and 8:00am to 1pm on Saturday.

The works will involve Contractors utilising plant and machinery for the duration of the works including road widening and bitumen sealing.

Motorists and pedestrians may experience delays of up to 15 minutes and are requested to pay particular attention to the advance warning signposting and directions of any on-site traffic controllers.

All enquiries concerning the road works can be directed to Council's Infrastructure Department on **02 6736 6001**.

NOTICE OF BRIDGE WORKS Torrington Road, Deepwater

Residents are advised that Tenterfield Shire Council will be undertaking bridge replacement works on Torrington Road, Deepwater commencing on Monday 26th July 2021 for a period of up to twelve months, weather



Tenterfield Cinema & Theatre

HITMAN'S WIFE'S BODYGUARD (MA15+)

Tuesday, 3 August @ 1pm

SPIRIT UNTAMED (G)

Tuesday, 3 August @ 10.30am

Saturday, 7 August @ 7pm

Tuesday, 10 August @ 1pm

BLACK WIDOW (M)

Friday, 6 August @ 7pm

Sunday, 8 August @ 10.30am

Tuesday, 10 August @ 10.30am

Saturday, 14 August @ 7pm

Tuesday, 17 August @ 1pm

SPACE JAM: A NEW LEGACY (PG)

Friday, 13 August @ 7pm

Sunday, 15 August @ 1.45pm

Tuesday, 17 August @ 10.30am

To confirm times visit:

<https://www.tenterfieldcinema.com.au/showtimes>

permitting. The bridge is located approximately 2.1kms from the intersection of New England Highway and Torrington Road.

Council will be constructing a 3m wide side track for continued access during the works Residents are advised to proceed with caution and obey erected signage.

Should you require any further information, please contact Council's Infrastructure Department on **02 6736 6001**.



Census

Tuesday 10 August 2021

The Census is a national count of every person and household in Australia. Census data helps inform decisions that impact you and your community, from schools, healthcare, transport and infrastructure to local services.

This year, you can complete your Census as soon as you receive your instructions if you know where you'll be on Census night, Tuesday 10 August. Visit www.census.abs.gov.au for more information.



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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: Local Heritage Places Fund 2021-22



POSTPONED – LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS

Advice has been received from the NSW Electoral Commission that the Minister for Local Government has postponed the September 2021 Local Government elections for three months under section 318C of the Local Government Act 1993.

What this means for Tenterfield Shire Council:

- Local Government elections will now be held 4 December 2021;
- The current Council will remain in place to December 2021;
- The subsequent Local Government election will still proceed in September 2024.

Mayor Peter Petty and Deputy Mayor Greg Sauer were elected for a one year term in September 2020. They will now continue to hold their civic offices until Council elections are held on 4 December 2021.

APPOINTMENT OF NEW CHIEF EXECUTIVE FOR TENTERFIELD SHIRE COUNCIL

Tenterfield Shire Council is pleased to announce that Daryl Buckingham commenced as Chief Executive, Monday, 19 July 2021.



Mayor Peter Petty said Daryl was chosen out of an impressive field of twenty four (24) applications, there was a very good mix of representation from Government, Local Government and the Private Sector - from Western Australia, Queensland, Victoria, NSW, and Fiji.

Mayor Peter Petty said, "We are delighted we have been able to attract someone of the calibre of Daryl Buckingham to be our Chief Executive Officer. He brings a very strong tourism, marketing, and economic development focus and with the many exciting projects on our agenda in future years he is the right person for our times."

It's a very busy time ahead, with a new Councillor group also to be elected in December. Working in partnership with the new CEO I am sure the new Councillors will bring a very strong focus on improving the services we deliver to the Tenterfield community and I am also sure the staff will get behind Daryl as the new CEO in helping to advance our beautiful area.

With Daryl's appointment being unanimous amongst my fellow Councillors we are all united in our support

and encouragement of Daryl in leading the next phase of our exciting future."

Daryl and wife Amanda are keen to live in our Shire and make it their home. They enjoy sailing and will take time out occasionally to visit the coast.

Daryl has this message for the Tenterfield Shire staff and community:

"What a wonderful opportunity the Councillors have given me to move to this magnificent region and to lead the staff and continue to build on the great work that I can see has been achieved over many years."

My first step will be to get out and about and meet every member of the staff team. I have been very impressed with the reports I have read about the Voice Project survey results - and how well the organisation is performing.

I want to establish a very strong partnership across the Departments - and I will be visiting the works staff as a first priority. I want to ensure staff have the resources to do their job effectively and to support their professional goals, aspirations and growth.

With my past background in tourism and economic development I am keen to get out and understand the opportunities we have to grow jobs and attract business to our Shire - to bring jobs for our youth in particular. I am a good listener and I want to hear what the Council can improve to build a better Shire."

WATER & SEWERAGE NOTICES

Water & Sewerage Notices are due for payment on or before 9 August 2021.

Please contact Council's Rates Department on [02 6736 6000 \(Option 2\)](tel:0267366000) if you are experiencing difficulties in paying your Water Account and to enter into a suitable payment arrangement to avoid installation of a water meter restrictor and additional expenses.

RATES & CHARGES 2021/2022 ANNUAL NOTICE & WASTE VOUCHERS

2021/2022 Annual Rate Notices were issued at the end of July 2021. Ratepayers that have opted to receive electronic notices via eNotices or BPAY View are advised these can be viewed at any time by logging onto your associated account. The 1st instalment is due for payment on 31 August 2021.

Rates have been increased in line with the rate peg of 2.0% as determined by the Independent Pricing and Regulatory Tribunal (IPART).

Please be advised that Council has allocated three (3) Waste Vouchers per rate assessment for this financial year (1 July 2021 to 31 July 2022). Vouchers will not be replaced if lost or destroyed. Regular audits of redeemed vouchers are performed and in the event excess vouchers have been used for a single assessment an invoice will be issued.

The Office of Local Government has set the interest rate payable on overdue Rates and Charges and Water & Sewerage consumption accounts for the 2021/2022 at 6% p.a.

Should you wish to discuss an outstanding account, make a suitable payment arrangement or have not received your Annual Notice by 9 August 2021, please contact Council's Rates Department on [02 6736 6000 \(Option 2\)](tel:0267366000).

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST Open Garden

Council is seeking Expressions of Interest from gardeners who would like to "open" their garden on the weekend of the Tenterfield Sesquicentennial Celebrations Saturday, 20 and Sunday 21, November 2021.

We are looking for all types of gardens anywhere throughout the Tenterfield Shire....traditional, country, big or small, if you think your garden will delight and inspire we would love to hear from you.

To open your garden certain criteria will need to be met and the final decision will be made by the Sesquicentennial Steering Committee.

Emails with Expression of Interest must be received no later than Friday **27th August 2021** as preparations would need to start during Winter for the Spring event.

Contact Council's Executive Assistant on [02 6736 6000](tel:0267366000) or email council@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