

## WHAT'S ON AT THE SWAN HILL TOWN HALL

### BJORN AGAIN - MAMMA MIA HERE WE GO AGAIN

Saturday, 5 June at 8pm

### AUSTRALIAN STARS OF BALLET

Thursday, 10 June 7.30pm - local Ballet students will be performing in show!

### A TASTE OF IRELAND - 2021 AUSTRALIAN TOUR

Sunday, 27 June 7.30pm

### THE MIK MAKS - MUSICAL ADVENTURES TOUR

Tuesday, 29 June 10.30am - School holiday fun!



## IN THE WORKS...

### \$2.8 MILLION FOR LOCAL ROADS AND COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE

Swan Hill Rural City Council was a winner in this month's Federal Budget which included additional funding through phase 3 of the Local Roads and Community Infrastructure (LRCI) Program.

Phase 3 includes an additional allocation of \$2,868,316.



### LEVEE BANK IS UNDERWAY

Robinvale levee bank construction commenced this month and is expected to be completed by August.

## FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS TO SWAN HILL

Dream Swan Hill is a Council run initiative that showcases to potential future residents what a great place Swan Hill is to live, work and play.

The Swan Hill lifestyle, weather, career options and our wide open spaces are all appealing factors for people looking for a lifestyle change.

Find more information, visit the Dream Swan Hill website: <https://dreamswanhill.com.au/>



## NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

This month we celebrated National Volunteers Week.

We have many hard working and passionate volunteers, across a wide variety of Council services – the community, our visitors and your Council appreciate you - thank you!

## COUNCIL SIGNS ONTO VECO

This month we became one of 46 local governments to sign up to VECO, the Victorian Energy Collaboration, the largest emissions reduction project ever undertaken by local government in Australia.

We'll be pooling our energy needs into a long-term contract to power our public lighting and council buildings with 100% renewable energy generated from wind farms right here in Victoria.

For more information on this exciting initiative please visit our website.

## VIBRANT VILLAGES

People in Woorinen, Ultima, Manangatang, Lake Boga, Boundary Bend, Piangil, Beverford, Nyah and Nyah West will soon have even more reason to love where they live thanks to Council's small town enhancement program, Vibrant Villages.

The project will focus on four key areas – beautification, public infrastructure, recreation and public art.

Improving the landscaping and visual appeal of these areas will not only will look good, encourage visitors to stop and shop but will also provide shade for the hot summer months.

Orders have been placed for new street furniture, shelters, BBQ's and much more for our small towns.

Keep your eyes peeled for these exciting additions to your community!

## FLU VACCINATIONS

Influenza (flu) vaccines are now available at Swan Hill Rural City Council's immunisation sessions and special flu sessions.

Bookings are essential. For more information, please contact the Public Health Services Department on 5036 2591.



## ROBINVALE LEARNING AND COMMUNITY HUB – GRAND OPENING

Over one hundred people attended the official community opening of the newly named Robinvale Learning and Community Hub.

Two meeting rooms were formally named during the opening. The "Merlin Room" and the "Irving Room" are named after two Robinvale ladies who have spent many years encouraging Robinvale children to read, Shirley Irving and Mary Merlin.

Shirley Irving passed away last year but her family were present for the announcement.

Mary Merlin, who is in her nineties and still helping children with their reading, attended the event.

## COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM

The Community Development Fund and the Event Support Fund are now taking applications for up to \$5,000.

Applications close at 5pm on Tuesday, 15 June. For more information contact the EDU team on 5032 3033.



The Nyah main street will be receiving a well overdue face lift, with tree plots replacing the unsafe and deteriorating planter boxes. The plots will be irrigated and planted with a Crepe Myrtle, surrounded by colourful desert flame shrubs, resulting in a fresh, new modern look for the street – concept image only.



## IDAHOBIT DAY



On International Day Against Homophobia, Biphobia, Intersexism and Transphobia (IDAHOBIT) our library and youth services departments teamed up to host a morning tea at the Library.

The event was an opportunity for the community to go along and show their support for our LGBTIQ+ community.