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COUNCIL UPDATES

Pet Registration Due
1 September
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CITY OF DARWIN
city of PALMERSTON
A Place for People!
LITCHFIELD COUNCIL
Communitate estote et servat!

FROM THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS

Council held its Ordinary General Meeting on 16th August 2022. The meeting was preceded by the inaugural meeting of the Risk Management & Audit Committee (RMAC), so a very busy day for Clr. Bulmer and Clr. McClymont. RMAC has replaced the previous Internal Audit Committee. Chaired by seasoned local government and accountancy expert, Mr Ian Swan, the RMAC also has Ms Gillian Thornton as the community member. The RMAC has a broad remit to monitor and review the integrity of Council's financial management and internal controls and will meet at least four times per annum. Agenda and minutes will be available on Council's website.

The Ordinary General Meeting commenced with two important presentations. The first focused on the Tropical Biosolids Project at Sundance Farm, Batchelor. Mr Ross Finocchiaro provided Council with an inspiring and insightful presentation of innovative approaches to the management, recovery and re-use of waste water.

The second presentation included a workshop with the Elected Member group from Senior Officers from Infrastructure NT and Price WaterhouseCooper. The Northern Territory Government recently released the NT Infrastructure Strategy and this session was the next step in ensuring social and capital infrastructure projects in the region meet the community's needs and aspirations. Council contributed to the long term strategy with a number of important initiatives that will see significant developments in the areas of improved connectivity infrastructure, roads, water security, public housing, social and recreational infrastructure and initiatives that support community safety, security and wellbeing.

Matters that were resolved at the meeting included;

- LGANT Call for Motions – Council requested the Chief Executive Officer prepare a submission that calls for improved emergency management and response for the region;
- Authorised Person – Ms Sara Fitzgerald, Manager Works & Services was appointed an Authorised Person enabling her to enforce Council By-Laws and relevant legislation;
- Lake Bennett Community Association Inc – Council received a letter from the newly formed association and agreed to invite the management committee to a future meeting;
- Overriding Statutory Charges – Council also resolved to register charges against a number of properties that are in significant arrears. If ratepayers are experiencing financial pressures and are unable to meet their rates obligation, Council is always open to entering into Payment plans to assist. This is a reminder to contact the Council Administration office to discuss options available to ratepayers.

Members of the community are welcome to attend Council meetings! Public health safety measures still apply, particularly as there are virulent strains of influenza present in the community, in addition to the ever present concern of COVID-19. Responsible physical distancing will continue to be observed which may result in limiting numbers in the Chamber. The wearing of masks is a personal decision.

Need to know more?

Each month the Council meeting agenda and minutes can be accessed from the Council website and a regular link will be provided on Council's Facebook page.

Visit <https://www.coomalie.nt.gov.au/council-meetings> to access the very latest information.

Council's next meeting will be held on Tuesday 20th September 2022 in Chambers, 22 Cameron Road, Batchelor.

During the month, President Beswick and the Chief Executive Officer also attended a meeting with the Chief Minister and the local government sector to discuss community safety and options

available to address instances of anti-social behaviour and crime in communities. The meeting was well attended and included the Hon Kate Worden, MLA, Minister for Territory Families and Urban Housing, Commissioner Jamie Chalker and the Chief Executive Officers of the Department of the Chief Minister and Cabinet and the Department of Territory Families, Housing and Communities.

Read the media release for more information.



MEDIA RELEASE

ABNORMAL CANNOT BE THE NEW NORMAL

Local Government Association of the Northern Territory

24 August 2022

Representatives from local government councils collectively met with the Chief Minister today to discuss anti-social behaviour (ASB) across the Northern Territory.

As the sphere of government closest to the community, local government councils have a key role to play in improving the quality of life of its people and the meeting today went a long way in letting the Chief know that councils want to be part of the solution to ASB.

The meeting also talked to the need for genuine, meaningful and targeted place-based solutions to ASB that includes local government. Councils are already doing amazing things in regard to the prevention of ASB but can do more, with more.

One of the ideas mentioned today was that of co-investment, that is councils and the other two spheres of government and relevant stakeholders co-investing in important preventive initiatives such as sport, art and recreation services and infrastructure.

An important message conveyed today was that local government council staff and elected members are also dealing first-hand with the increase in ASB including personal attacks and senseless destruction of council assets which results in the cessation of services.

Local government council staff are feeling unsafe in their towns and communities, and they are finding it increasingly difficult to deliver services and employ and retain staff. Councils are also seeing the flow on effects of ASB on business and economic development.

This sentiment was summarised by the Mayor of Tiwi Islands Regional Council, Pirrawayingi, that "abnormal has become the new normal." This is not acceptable. Nor is the fix simple - but locals know the issues and often the answers.

The Local Government Association of the Northern Territory (LGANT) President, the Hon Kon Vatskalis, closed the meeting by reminding the Chief Minister that local government councils want to work with her government and the public service to reduce ASB - now councils need to see that intent returned. "Let's empower our local government councils and elected members to be part of the answer."

LGANT, the peak body representing the local government sector in the Territory, welcomes the constructive conversation and looks forward to working with the Chief Minister's office on the next steps.

For more information, please contact LGANT CEO Sean Holden 0428 101 990.

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FROM THE WORKS AND SERVICES TEAM

Council's Works Program for the next month includes the following:

Please note that weather conditions and activity may affect planned activities during the month.

- Cadogan Road Drainage Works
- Coach Road Repairs
- Remove and Replace Timber Bollards Myrtle Fawcett Park
- Tree Removal Memorial Drive
- Pre-cyclone clean and hazard identification of all Council Facilities
- Pre-cyclone clean up of both Adelaide River and Batchelor Parks and Gardens
- Continue maintenance of Shire roads by contractor (Grade and roll program of dirt roads)
- Continue upkeep of all parks and gardens including the bush cemetery
- Increased Ranger Patrols in Batchelor Township for unrestrained dogs
- Firebreak and weed management at waste facilities
- Prepare for October hard rubbish collection

It should be noted that the following roads are controlled by the Dept. of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics:

- Batchelor Road
- Rum Jungle Road
- Litchfield Park Road
- Stuart Highway Service Road, Adelaide River
- Dorat Road
- Ringwood Road

Should you have any issues in regard to these roads, please report via [Report a road fault - NT.GOV.AU](#). For urgent road faults free call 1800 246-199

To check road conditions go to [Roads Reporting - Road Reports \(nt.gov.au\)](#)

FROM THE COMMUNITY RECREATION DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Coomalie Art Show

The first annual Coomalie Art Show has recently been released with the event scheduled for the last weekend of Term 3, September 23 - 25.

The show, being held at the Litchfield Outback Resort, will open with a Cocktail Party on the Friday evening from 6:00pm until 9:00pm. finger food will be provided with drinks at own cost.

The show will continue on the Saturday and Sunday from 9:00am to 5:00pm each day!

The majority of the works will be available to purchase on the day.

Council Run After School Sports

After School Sports program has recommenced for Term 3. It is important that all children have a signed permission form to participate, this is to ensure we have current up to date contact details in case of an emergency!

Adelaide River Monday afternoons 2:45pm - 3:45pm.

Batchelor Area School Thursday afternoons 2:45pm - 3:45pm.

There will be no sport for the period 1st September to 9th September due to Annual Leave.

NAIDOC Week

Council assisted Batchelor Area School to celebrate NAIDOC Week on Thursday 18th August.

The school held a BBQ, numerous activities for the children, and had local artists performing traditional music, and art programs!

Seniors Month

Council provided a lunch for some Coomalie Seniors at De Lago Resort, Lake Bennett on Friday 19th August.

21 of Coomalie's Seniors braved the adventure and were treated to a fine lunch and social drinks by the team at the resort! See below for pictures from the day!

League Stars (NRL)

Council has been lucky enough to have the services of NRL NT come down and run the Adelaide River children through some skills and drills for term 3. Should you wish your child to participate, please check leaguestars.com and search by postcode (0846) for the program.

The program is free to all children aged 5 – 13!

Currently we have 20 children attending regularly, and will continue each Monday until the end of term! Open to all children in Coomalie Shire!



COOMALIE COUNCIL PRESENTS

ANNUAL ART EXHIBIT

Featuring the works of local and Darwin artists

Theme: Tales From The Tropics



SEPTEMBER 23 TO 25
 FRI 6PM - 9PM
 SAT & SUN 9 AM TO 5 PM
 LITCHFIELD OUTBACK RESORT
 EXHIBITOR ENTRY FEE \$20 PER ITEM (MAX 3)
 ANY MEDIUM ACCEPTED
 SALE OF ITEMS ACCEPTED - 20% COMMISSION
 PRIZES - OVERALL AND PEOPLES CHOICE AWARDS

For more info, visit coomalie.nt.gov.au/annual-art-show or scan the QR code




Seniors Mystery Bus Tour



Council is providing a free bus service for a mystery lunch trip and experience to somewhere in the outer Darwin area.

Plan a day out from around 9am - 3pm.

Bus service is free.

Meals, tours and drinks at own expense!

Save the date:

Friday 16th September
 Pickup Batchelor 8:00am
 Adelaide River 8:30am

Contact Council on 8976-0058 to save your seat!
 To ensure your seat is reserved, please book direct with Council not through a 3rd party!

NO SCHOOL NO LIBRARY

Coomalie Council is committed to the education of all students and we follow the direction of the school!



Rates Payments



Adelaide River Access Shed
 Swannel Street
 (next to the playground)
 Monday 5th Sept
 Wednesday 7th Sept
 Friday 9th Sept
 8:00am - 4:00pm
 Closed for Lunch from 12:30pm - 1:00pm



SCAM ALERT

NT Consumer Affairs (NTCA) is an independent office within the Department of the Attorney-General and Justice and aims to protect consumer interests by proactively providing awareness of a range of common issues affecting consumers. This is undertaken through a number of mediums such as social media posts and videos, attending community events and supplying promotional

material through appropriate networks.

Sadly, scam activity in Australia is on the rise. The recent Australian Competition & Consumer Commission's [Targeting Scams 2021 report](#), highlighted losses of more than \$2 billion by Australians. This staggering figure is the combined losses reported to Scamwatch, ReportCyber and 12 other financial and Government agencies. The report also shows that \$110 million was lost to phone and text scams.

NTCA has recently received an increasing number of reports from vulnerable people and other organisations about community members being targeted by scammers, particularly through phone and text scams.

In response to this ever increasing scam activity, NTCA has developed a number of posters warning vulnerable Territorians about romance and other scams. As we are limited in our ability to physically visit the many regional and remote communities in the NT, we are asking for your assistance to spread the warning of scams to our vulnerable population. We encourage your organisation to help protect Territorians by actively displaying these posters and if possible, warning people about scams.

SCAM WARNING

STOP
each time you are asked to send money or give your private information.

If it seems too good to be true...
it is usually a scam!

CHECK
with family and friends and others that know about scams.

ACT
call NT Consumer Affairs if you think it's a scam.
We can help.
Call us on 1800 019 319

MENTION
to family and friends. Scams only work on people who don't know about them.

Follow us on Facebook to hear about new scams in the NT. Search for 'Northern Territory Consumer Affairs' on Facebook and follow us today.

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COUNCIL'S COMMUNITY LIBRARIES

COMMUNITY LIBRARIES

Council's libraries have been a busy place through August, playing host to schools for the Adelaide River Festival, as well as hosting visits from the many tourists coming through town!

Talking Books - Do you drive regularly and often long distances? Talking books might just be the answer to relieve your boredom. With Council being a member of Libraries and Archives NT we have access to a substantial range of audio books that are sure to cater to your needs! Feel free to speak with one of our friendly librarians to see how you can benefit from our audio books!

Talking of books, Council will be placing its annual order through NT Libraries in the coming weeks. Should you be chasing a particular item, please let your librarian know and we will endeavour to source the book for you!

We have a wide and varied range of books available at both Community Libraries, feel free to come in and browse, it doesn't cost to join our Community Libraries. This enables you to have free access to iPads, Computers and Wi-Fi at the libraries.

Community Library Opening Hours

Adelaide River

Thursdays 3:30pm to 6:30pm

Fridays 3:30pm to 6:30pm

Saturdays 9:00am to 2:00pm

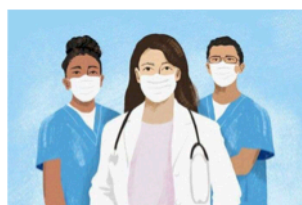
Batchelor

Fridays 3:00pm to 5:30pm

Sundays 1:00pm to 4:30pm

Community members and visitors are all welcome at the library during the times above.

ADELAIDE RIVER CLINIC UPDATE



Visiting Specialists

Specialist Clinics are run face to face or via Telehealth, from either Adelaide River or Batchelor


- Paediatrician
- Memory Clinic
- Renal
- Neurologist

TOP END HEALTH SERVICE

Adelaide River Health Centre

WAITING TIMES

- Make sure you let the receptionist know you are here
- All clients will be triaged according to their condition
- Emergencies will take priority
- You are able to come back later or reschedule your appointment if you are unable to wait
- Please be patient with our staff



- Physiotherapist
- Mental Health
- Optometrist
- Podiatrist
- Diabetes Educator

Please ask at reception for visiting specialist dates and appointment times

21 Becker Street
Adelaide River NT 0846
Phone: 08 8976 7027
E-mail: adelaideriver.clinicmgr@nt.gov.au

PH: 08 8976 7027



If you need an interpreter when reading this please ask a staff member

www.health.nt.gov.au



Opening Hours

Monday 9am – 12noon & 1pm – 4pm
Tuesday 9am – 12noon & 1pm – 4pm
Wednesday 9am – 12noon & 1pm – 4pm
Thursday 9am – 12noon
Friday 9am – 12 noon & 1pm – 4pm

The health centre is closed every Thursday afternoon for training / meetings

Weekend, Public Holidays & After Hours

Only emergencies will be seen at the discretion of the nurse on call, use the red call button at the front door or call the clinic

Life threatening emergencies dial 000

Client Feedback

Your feedback helps improve the quality and safety of our service, whether it is a compliment or complaint

There is a suggestion box located in the clinic or you may speak to the manager



TOP END WEST

Adelaide River Health Centre provides culturally appropriate Primary Health Care & education programs

To help you we are staffed by Doctors, an Aboriginal Health Practitioner, Registered Nurses, Administration Officers, Drivers, Cleaners & Grounds staff

Services Provided

- Antenatal care
- Newborn baby checks
- Immunisations
- Healthy School Aged Kids checks
- Adult Health checks
- Women's health checks
- Men's health checks
- Preventable Chronic Conditions checks
- Sexual health checks
- Wound management
- Ear health

Rural Medical Practitioner

Appointments are necessary for the Doctor, Please speak to our Administration Officer to arrange your appointment

TUESDAY – RMP and a GP Registrar
EVERY 2ND WEDNESDAY – RMP only

We are only able to make appointments for residents

Visitors will need to attend a general practice in the nearest regional centre, Darwin or Katherine



RUM JUNGLE MINE UPDATE



Sausage Sizzle

Do you have a small business in the Coomalie Region?

Join the **Rum Jungle Project** Team for a free BBQ and information on business opportunities related to the project.

Register your company with ICNNT for this project on the night.

**Wednesday 14th September
at 4pm**

Litchfield Outback Resort

For more information on ICNNT visit
rumjungle.icn.org.au

For technical information on the project visit
www.industry.nt.gov.au/industries/mining-and-energy/mine-rehabilitation-projects/rum-jungle



Information session to ensure your business can achieve it's most from this important project within the Coomalie Region.

COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD



How your business can recognise those who serve and their families.

APOD is Australia's only official defence and veteran benefits program delivering everyday savings to over 120,000 defence and veteran families in partnership with the Department of Veterans' Affairs.

We recognise and reward defence and veteran families by providing access to discounts and other benefits from our business partners to positively impact their lives.

We bridge the gap between businesses and the defence community by providing a 'one stop shop' for defence members, veterans, and their families. This platform provides secure verification and advanced search functions to connect members with your exclusive offers.

In addition to promoting goodwill for your business by supporting those who serve, providing defence discounts is an effective way to engage the defence community and build customer loyalty for your brand.

One in 20 Australian families have someone who has served in the defence force. It is our mission to make defence recognition mainstream by assisting businesses to connect and give back directly with the defence community.

Reference material:

- Website: www.apod.com.au
- Business Registration: [Register \(apod.com.au\)](http://www.apod.com.au/register)
- Information Pack: <https://apod.com.au/APODBusinessPartnerPack.pdf>

APOD CONTACT DETAILS

- Email: Partners@apod.com.au
- Phone: [1300 002 763](tel:1300002763)



GREY PANTHERS WITH AUSTRALIAN BALLET



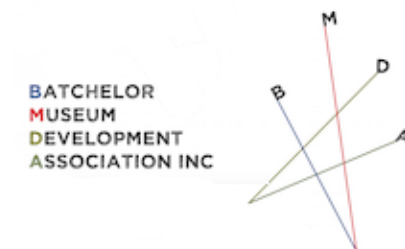
What a thrill to have artists of this calibre doing a workshop just for us as Grey Panthers. I had a ball at the

workshop and I hope you did too. It was great to learn a snippet of choreography from Homeo and Juliet, which is the current big production for the Australian Ballet. Wonderful also to get acquainted with some motifs from Australian Ballet choreographer Ella Havelka. The Education and Community Engagement Unit is using this material, The Story of Pomi and Gobba, which comes from Wiradjuri country in NSW for their work in schools and community workshops around the country. The story of Pomi and Gobba has echoes of the Romeo and Juliet story.

If you lost the link to a video of this, here it is again. [The Story of Pomi and Gobba](#)

Photograph taken by David McMicken

Local Grey Panthers are left to right Marjam LeFaucheur (third from left) Gail Flack. Pat Simmonds, Sue Mornane, Darryl Butler, Denise Grecian-Wright, Ellen Hankin, Prue King, Nan Gillies (fourth from the right)



Visitors to our small Museum continue, though numbers vary each day; sometimes only a few, then like 21 people through on Tuesday 23rd. The previous week there was a couple from Melbourne named Batchelor, who were interested to follow up their possible connection.

Egerton Batchelor, for whom the town is named, came from Adelaide, but died prematurely in Melbourne as he was a Minister in the first Federal Parliament.

Then yesterday, another couple from Melbourne named Batchelor. They came to Australia some years ago from USA.

If you are a long term resident and reading this please will you contact me or Lucinda if you recall twin girls who were born to the Mine Engineer's family in 1955. He was Jim Munro and he turns 100 years in a couple of weeks. His daughter was excited to visit and will take some pictures back to share with him. I do have Julie's email and am at the Museum on Tuesdays.

Peter and Pauline departed on Monday and there have been extra shifts for our small band of volunteers to keep the Museum open. Special thanks to Sean and Gaye who are doing multiple days.

Fortunately another nomad couple will arrive to help out from next Monday. It does seem that the surge of visitors will continue for longer this year so we value help.

We would welcome some local help if any one is able to give some time. It is not difficult to learn just a little history to introduce and welcome visitors when they come.. Visitors like to meet locals and it is often interesting to share time with them.

Thanks again to Prue who supports the Museum, and readers, by running the book stall at the markets. Some Museum visitors take the opportunity to purchase a book from the great collection when they visit

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Come and see.

Jan Hills



As August is Seniors' Month, there is, usually, no meeting of the Coomalie Gardening Group.

It is also the month of judging of various gardens in the KEEP AUSTRALIA BEAUTIFUL, NT, gardening competition for Seniors.

Winners of this competition will be announced on Monday 29th August 2022 at a luncheon to be held from 11 am to 2 pm at Pearl Leisure Centre Fannie Bay.

Please note that, together with all entrants of this competition, EVERY member of the Coomalie Gardening Group is also invited to the Award ceremony and Luncheon.

The next meeting of the Coomalie Gardening Group will be held at Denmar Downs on Sunday 18th Sept '22 at 11 am.

The September meeting will have a speaker who will run a workshop on air plants, including how to secure them, water them and generally keep them healthy.

Morning tea will be offered as usual.

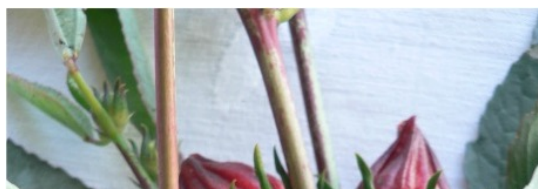
Meetings are usually held on the THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

Any queries please ring Mary on 0417 816 422 or 89 760 379.

Coomalie Gardening Group can be found on Facebook, where a myriad of information about plants, their propagation, identification etc can aid all gardeners and interested persons.

Please join or "Like" us.

ROSELLA FESTIVAL



Another successful Rosella Festival was held at the Adelaide River Inn on Friday 22nd July. Several new stalls were welcomed.



Thanks to Declan and Kylie at the Inn for their continued community support, Mr Dheran Young Member for Daly, thank you for your donation. We would also like to thank our volunteers – Steve, Leah and Jo for working hard cooking sausage sizzle, Daryl and Gill who cooked pancakes. Shirley, Di, Lyn and Alison thank you for selling raffle tickets. A BIG thank you to Neil McDonald for donating his time as MC. Plus a HUGE Thank you to Blue Bishop for all your help over the last four weeks. Thank you to our stallholders who also make this event such a success.

Adelaide River Market would also like to thank Territoria Civil for donating a BBQ, tables, Walkie Talkies and marquees, these items helped out immensely on the day.

**Overall another well attended & successful
Rosella Festival**

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Congratulations!
You've won \$100 000 000
from a random lottery.
Go to <http://bit.ly/123456>

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BATCHELOR MARKETS

Batchelor
 Markets

SUN 11 SEPT

8am to 1pm
 Town Centre




 Batchelor
Town & Country
 Markets



BACHELOR OP SHOP & FOOD FOR LIFE



The Batchelor op-shop is open each second Friday from 10 am to 12 noon.

At the same time and date each second Friday "Food For Life" operates. The van is driven down from Darwin with goods on board. EFTpos is available for Food for Life transactions.

The op shop has always operated on a cash basis but this year should be able to offer EFTpos also.

The next date for combined Batchelor Op-shop and Food For Life operates on will be Friday 9th and 23rd August 2022.

Morning Tea

Where: Rum Jungle Bowls Club

When: **Thursday** 29th September 2022 9:30am

Please note change of day to a Thursday!

Contact: Jan Jewell on 8976 0255 for further details

Coomalie Community Shed

Where: Cutler Place, Batchelor

When: Every Tuesday 8:30am - 2:00pm

Contact: James on 0488 195 410

Agemoves

Where: Adelaide River Primary School

When: Every Tuesday 3:30pm - 4:45pm

Contact: Darryl Butler on 0428 983 098

or

Where: Batchelor Area School Open Hall

When: Every Monday 5:00pm - 6:15pm

Contact: Prue King 0427 332 803

Monthly Bus Trip

Where: Coolalinga and Gateway Shopping Centres

Pick up Batchelor and Adelaide River Stores

When: Monday 26th September 2022

Booking essential – Numbers limited due to small bus

Contact: Jan Jewell on 8976 0255



Scammers want to steal your money

They are sneaky and know how to become close friends very quickly.
They might appear to be friendly but all they want is your money or your personal information.
With this information, they can get a credit card under your name.

Protect yourself and your family!

Make sure you:

- Never give your PIN number to others.
- Never lend your bank card to others.
- Never send money to a person you have not met.

The poster features several icons: a smartphone with a dollar sign, a hand pointing to a PIN, a bank card, a hand holding coins, a bank card with an equals sign, a hand holding a bank card, a hand holding a bank card with a dollar sign, and a smartphone with a person icon.

Do not give your bank details to a person you have not met.

Never agree to accept money into your account from a stranger.

Be careful with strangers when texting on social media.

If you are worried that you have been scammed

Call us on 1800 019 319. We can help.

Follow us on Facebook to hear about new scams in the NT. Search for 'Northern Territory Consumer Affairs' on Facebook and follow us today.

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BIITE LIBRARY NEWS



TECH TUESDAYS AT BATCHELOR LIBRARY

- Would you like to learn more about how to use your computer or phone?
- Would you like to install a new app or program?
- Would you like help with an IT issues?

Drop in for Tech Tuesdays at Batchelor Library!

**MORNING TEA AND COFFEE
PROVIDED**

9:30AM - 10:30AM

Batchelor Institute Library

invites you to

Adult Learners Week activities at Batchelor campus Library!

ADULT LEARNERS WEEK 1 – 8 September

Connect with learning for ALW2022

<https://adultlearnersweek.org/>

| Date | Thursday 1 September | Tuesday 6 September | Thursday 8 September |
|----------|---|---|---|
| Time | 12pm | 10.30am | 2pm |
| Location | Seminar Room, Library | Seminar Room, Library | Main Library area |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adult Learners Week Launch• Welcome to Country DR SUE STANTON• Live-stream of Adult Learners Launch• Lunch provided | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presentation by Student Services• Find out about studying at Batchelor Institute with STEPHANIE BARBER and LOUISA CASTLE• Morning tea provided | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Crafts with Bev• BYO crafts for tips and crafting camaraderie with BEV GARSIDE• Afternoon tea provided |

There are also daily DVD screenings in the language room, so please feel free to bring your lunch and enjoy these films.

Please come and enjoy our events, displays and more...

Events open to all staff, students and community – all welcome!

For more information please contact:
Breda Knightly, Library Assistant
PH: 8939 7103 Email: breda.knightly@batchelor.edu.au



**Batchelor
Institute**

**Library and
Information Services**

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

**Adelaide River Police Station
Northern Territory Police**

**C/- Post Office,
Adelaide River 0845
(08) 8976-7042**

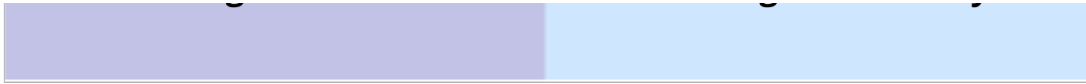
**Officer in Charge -
Remote Sergeant Peter Birch**


**Batchelor Police Station
Northern Territory Police**

**PO Box 21,
Batchelor NT 0845
(08) 8976-0015**

**Officer in Charge -
Remote Sergeant Sean Byrnes**









Adelaide River Health Centre

Becker St, Adelaide River 0846
(08) 8976-7027





Batchelor Primary Health Care Centre

27 Pinaroo Cres, Batchelor 0845
(08) 8976-0011



| WHAT | WHERE | WHEN |
|--|---|---|
| Adelaide River Community Craft Markets | Glen Huitson Park, Adelaide River | Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Wednesday. For enquiries ring: 0459 082 084 |
| Agemoves | Adelaide River School | Tuesdays 3:30pm - 4:45pm Call Darryl on 0428 983 098 |
| Agemoves | Batchelor Area School Hall | Mondays 5:00pm - 6:15pm Call Prue King 0427 332 803 |
| Adelaide River Playgroup | Preschool Room Adelaide River Primary School | Every Tuesday (during school terms) 8:30am – 10:30am |
| Batchelor Playgroup | Preschool Grounds Batchelor Area School | Every second Friday (during school terms) 9:00am - 11:00am |
| Council Run After School Sports | Adelaide River School | Mondays 2:45pm - 3:45pm |
| Council Run After School Sports | Batchelor Area School | Thursdays 2:45pm - 3:45pm |
| Food for Life | St Francis Church | Every 2 nd Friday commencing 28 th January 2022 |

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| Grey Panthers Dance Classes | Litchfield Motel | Wednesdays 10.30am Call Darryl on 0428 983 098 |
| Gardening Group monthly meeting | Contact Mary Ashley for this month's location 8976-0379 | Third Sunday of month 11:00am At Denmar Downs |
| Rum Jungle Bowls Club | Pinaroo Cres, Batchelor Contact Mark Shirley 0447 848 234 | Every Thursday during Dry Season |
| St Francis Op Shop | Mardango Cres, Batchelor | Every 2 nd Friday commencing 28 th January 2022 |

COUNCIL INFORMATION

Dogs in Coomalie Shire



All dogs in Coomalie Shire over 3 months of age must be registered. You can register your dog at Council Offices or via Email

Dogs **must** be on a leash at all times in any public area, otherwise they can be impounded.

Fees apply if your dog has been impounded.



Dog Registration Charges

Registration Period - 1st September to 31st August

Registered between Sep - Aug \$37.00

Registered between Mar - Aug \$27.00

Pensioner / Concession \$18.50

Waste Facility Hours - Adelaide River

As of Tuesday 17/08/2021

PUBLIC and COMMERCIAL HOURS

Tuesday 8am - 10am

Friday 8am - 10am

Saturday 8am - 4pm

Sunday 7am - 3pm

ADDITIONAL COMMERCIAL HOURS

Tuesday 10am - 2pm

**TRIAL HOURS ONLY
SUBJECT TO CHANGE**



Waste Facility Hours - Batchelor

As of Tuesday 17/08/2021

PUBLIC and COMMERCIAL HOURS

Monday 7am - 11am

Friday 11am - 3pm

Saturday 8am - 4pm

Sunday 8am - 4pm

ADDITIONAL COMMERCIAL HOURS

Monday 11am - 3pm

Thursday 7am - 11am

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Council's Feedback Process

If you choose to raise concerns (or compliments) to Council you are requested to write to the Chief Executive Officer outlining the details. There are two (2) forms on the Coomalie Council website; one is for complaints about dogs and the other is for general complaints.

Council Meetings

Council Meetings are generally held on the third Tuesday of each month and are open to the public, but are closed for any confidential sessions.

Next Meeting: 3:00pm, Tuesday 20th September 2022

Stop Press

Should you know of someone that still wishes to receive a paper-based version of the Stop Press, please email Stop Press to be added to the printed mailing list.

Just a reminder, if you would like an article published, please email it to Stop Press by the 20th of each month. Each month we start with a clean canvas without articles being rolled over.

Please ensure you have read Council's policy 1.1 Community Communication before submitting an article.

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