



## COUNCIL COLUMN – WEDNESDAY 10 JULY 2024

### NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

The next Ordinary Council meeting will be held on **Wednesday 17 July 2024** at Council Chambers commencing at 5.30 pm.

### CANDIDATE BRIEFING SESSION

Join an informative webinar session with **Peter Tegart** from Local Government NSW. Peter Tegart is an experienced facilitator with over 20 years of experience in CEO and General Manager roles across the local and commonwealth public sectors.

**Date:** Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024

**Time:** 8:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Via Webinar

To register, please email your interest to [mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au](mailto:mail@narromine.nsw.gov.au) before Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2024 and mark the subject line: **Register Candidate Briefing Session July 2024** and supply your name and phone number.

All details in respect to this webinar session will come from Local Government NSW (LGNSW). For more information about running as a candidate, please visit: [www.elections.nsw.gov.au](http://www.elections.nsw.gov.au)

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS

NSW Local Government Elections will be held on **Saturday, 14 September 2024**. All information in respect to these elections can be found by visiting NSW Electoral Commission website at: [www.elections.nsw.gov.au](http://www.elections.nsw.gov.au)

### NARROMINE GYM MEMBERSHIP

**Download the app now** by searching for '**Narromine Gym Membership**' on either the Apple App Store or Google Play Store. Stay fit, stay healthy, and enjoy the gym facilities 24/7.

### CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES

#### BURRAWAY STREET

Council is currently undertaking works at the corner of Burraway Street and Manildra Street to create a sealed area for light vehicles and enhance road safety. The project is expected to be completed by the end of June.

### DANDALOO STREET RAIL CROSSING

Construction works are underway at the Dandaloo Street Rail Crossing. A speed limit of 40 km/h is in place until the road works are completed by ARTC. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

### **NYMAGEE STREET PARKING – NARROMINE AUSTRALIA POST SHOP**

Parking outside Australia Post on Nymagee Street is now parallel parking. Modified corners make it easy to pull in directly. Line marking for the new layout is planned in the near future. Parking will be signed and reduced to 15 minutes to allow for pick up and drop off to the Post Office. Parking west of the Post Office driveway will remain reverse parking.

### **ROAD CLOSURES and ROAD SAFETY**

All road updates, traveller information and personalised alerts for **all NSW roads including Narromine Shire Council's roads** please visit [www.livetraffic.com/](http://www.livetraffic.com/)

Up to date road closures and information is Council's website or by phoning council or via social media channels. Motorists are reminded to proceed with caution on all roads. For information about Narromine Shire Council's roads go to [www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions](http://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/road-conditions)

All motorists are reminded not to drive through floodwaters and to drive to the conditions of the road. Water that is covering roadways may be deeper and flowing faster than anticipated and/or the road may have suffered extensive damage hidden beneath the water. Flagrant and irresponsible disregard for this appeal could lead to prosecution to the full extent of the law. In life threatening situations call 000 (Triple Zero) for emergency help in floods call the NSW SES on 132 500.

### **PUBLIC NOTICE – OVERGROWN VEGETATION**

Council is receiving complaints about overgrown vegetation on vacant, residential, and commercial land. Overgrown allotments can become breeding grounds for vermin and pose significant fire hazards due to the dense grasses, weeds, and other vegetation. Council is urging all property owners and occupiers in Narromine, Trangie and Tomingley to actively reduce vegetation on their premises.

If you can't manage it yourself, there are local businesses and contractors available to assist you. For any enquiries about overgrown land, please contact Council's Health, Building, and Environmental Services Team at 6889 9999.

### **REGISTER AND MICROCHIP YOUR PET**

There are legal requirements to microchip your pets by a certain age, but did you know you also have to register your pets? Registering your pets can give you the ability to assign and update your pets' details if you move addresses, change contact details or in the case of a change of ownership.

Working dogs do need to be microchipped and registered, though registration is at no charge. Find out more about keeping your best mate safe by visiting:  
<https://www.narromine.nsw.gov.au/residents/microchipping-lifetime-registration>

## WHAT'S COMING UP IN THE NARROMINE REGION

**27 July** – Macquarie Picnic Races, Trangie

**8 August** – Annual Veteran's Open Golf Tournament

**25 August** – Narromine Gold Cup

**31 August** – Narromine Show

**7 September** – Outdoor Cinema feat Top Gun Maverick Narromine Aeroclub

**14 September** – NSW Local Government Elections

**21 & 22 September** – NSW Veterans Men's Sand Green Fourball

**6 October** – Mungery Picnic Races

**12 October** – Narromine Dolly Festival

**19 October** – Dandy Cup

To list your event and to find out more about what is on in the Narromine Region, visit

<https://www.narromineregion.com.au/calendar>

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