

## FROM THE COUNCIL DESK

### IMPORTANT DATES

**MON, May 16, 2022:** Council Meeting, 7pm, Clare Council Chambers, 4 Gleeson St, Clare\*

\*The community is advised that due to the changing environment for COVID-safe practices they should contact Council on 8842 6400 or email: [admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au](mailto:admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au) for the latest information on meeting accessibility. Meetings are currently available via Zoom on request.

Agendas and minutes are available to view on Council's website: [www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au](http://www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au)

### Clare Library School Holiday Activities

Thurs, April 28 – 2-3pm Deadly Dinos, 7-14yrs, Clare Town Hall.

### Saddleworth Library School Holiday Activities

Thurs, April 21 – 2-3pm School age space craft, 5-12yrs, Saddleworth Library.

Thurs, April 28 – 2-3pm School Age Dinosaur Craft 5-12yrs, Saddleworth Library.

### Scavenger Hunts at your Library

Scavenger hunts in the Saddleworth and Clare Libraries every day of the school holidays. Prizes to be won.

### Clare & Gilbert Valleys Photography Competition

Council is seeking entries to their 2022 photography competition which inspire people within the Clare & Gilbert Valleys and make them proud of the region. There are a range of categories. Entries close on 3 July, 2022. More information on council's website: [www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au](http://www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au)

### Library Card Competition

To celebrate 150 years since the opening of the Clare library building, we want your design on our new library cards. All ages are encouraged to enter. Submissions must be made on the design template provided – more information about specifications, eligibility, judging and terms and conditions are available on the entry forms available in hard copy from the Clare, Saddleworth or Riverton Libraries and Clare Council Office.

### Tune in to the latest Clare Valley Podcast

Tune in to the Clare Valley Podcast Series. The latest podcast includes a chat with our CEO about Council news, a proposal for a Women's Shed and a behind the scenes look at the Mid North Passenger Service. Tune in via your favourite app or find it on Council's website.

### Broadacre Burning Permits

Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council will be issuing permits for the purpose of broadacre burning from until 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022. Permits will only be issued for the purpose of burning off broadacre land, where specific permit conditions can be met by the permit holder.

Permit applications can be downloaded, completed, and emailed to [compliance@cgvc.sa.gov.au](mailto:compliance@cgvc.sa.gov.au)

### Fire Danger Season

The fire danger season for the Mid North is still in force until 30 April 2022. Get your fire plan ready and identify your bushfire safer places by going to the CFS website: [www.cfs.sa.gov.au](http://www.cfs.sa.gov.au)

### Council Elections

Council elections will be held in November 2022 and are held by postal vote. The voters' roll closes on July 29, 2022 and nominations open on 23 August 2022 – closing 6 September 2022. Voting material will be posted in October with close of voting 10 November. More information on our website:

[www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au](http://www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au)

### Online Works Request Form

Council has an online Works Request form available for residents to complete if they want to let us know of any issues which need attention.

You can find the minor works request form on Council's website under – Online Forms.

### **Current COVID-19 Safety Measures for Council Facilities**

Council is continuing to follow safety measures due to the spread of the Coronavirus. We encourage members of the public to contact Council's customer service staff via phone (8842 6400), email ([admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au](mailto:admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au)), Council's website ([www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au](http://www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au))

Face masks must be worn when attending any Council facilities, including libraries (people with exemption may be asked to provide proof). Please do not attend Council facilities when you are unwell.

### **COVID-19 – keep up to date**

For detailed information on our current changing landscape please go to the State Government's COVID-19 information website at <https://www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/>

### **Newsletter & Facebook**

Keep up to date with Council news by signing up for our newsletter (email: [admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au](mailto:admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au) ) or 'liking' our Facebook page.

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