



CLARE & GILBERT VALLEYS COUNCIL

IMPORTANT DATES

WEDNESDAY, 18 MARCH 2026

Ordinary meeting of Council: 7pm, Clare Council Chambers, 4 Gleeson Street, Clare.

Meetings can be attended via Zoom on request - admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au or contact Council on 8842 6400 for the latest information on meeting accessibility.

Agendas and minutes are available to view on Council's website:

www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au

2026 Auburn Community Grants

The Auburn Community Grants Program is now open to volunteer-based groups, not-for-profits and organisations in the Auburn area for projects of community benefit. Applications close 5pm 17 March 2026. More information – eligibility criteria, application forms and submission details on our website or contact the Community Services team at the Council office on 8842 6400 for further information.

Public Consultation – Draft Strategic Plan

Community feedback is invited on the Draft Strategic Plan 2026-2030. Documents can be viewed at the Council Offices during normal office hours or online at:

www.claregilbertvalleys.sa.gov.au/consultation Written submissions close 5pm Friday 6 March 2026 or may be lodged by post to: CEO, Clare & Gilbert Valleys Council, 4 Gleeson Street, Clare, SA 5453; online via the feedback form on the website or email – admin@cgvc.sa.gov.au

Community members are invited to attend Council's March 18 meeting from 7-8pm to ask questions, make verbal submissions, speak in support of any written submission.

Bizen Student Exchange

High school students, 14 years and over, from the Clare & Gilbert Valleys region, are invited to apply for the 2026 Sister City Student Exchange to live with a Japanese family, experience daily life and culture and build lifelong friendships. The exchange is for 7 nights from Sept 27 to Oct 9, 2026 with an approximate cost of \$2,500 per student. Expressions of interest and enquiries to Wendy Vandeleur – M: 0412 853 217; email: petvand@bigpond.net.au or to Tania Dodd – email: tdodd@cgvc.sa.gov.au

Bushfire Readiness

If you live, work or travel in bushfire risk areas, know how to prepare and plan for a bushfire – visit www.cfs.sa.gov.au/plan-prepare/bushfire-ready for information on how to prepare your home and property, what to put in your emergency kit, know what you can and can't do during the Fire Danger Season and on Total Fire Ban Days. This website also provides guidelines on creating your 2 Minute Traveller Bushfire Plan, your 5 Minute Bushfire Plan and how to know which Fire Danger Rating will be your trigger to leave early. Stay informed and take action.

Clare Library Walking Group

The walking group runs every Friday morning at 9.30am outside the Clare Library for half an hour. All ages and all abilities welcome. Return to the Library for a coffee or tea!

Home Library Service

Can't make it to the library? We can come to you! The Clare & Gilbert Valleys Library Service can deliver library items to anyone living within the CGVC Council area, including aged care facilities.

Items can be selected on your behalf or by request. Please contact the Clare Library for further information – 8842 3817 or email: clarelibrary@cgvc.sa.gov.au

My Local Services App

Do you want to know which rubbish bin goes out tonight? Looking for your nearest park or playground?

Download the My Local Services app on your smartphone for up-to-date information and events. You can see when Council payments are due, set reminders and get handy recycling tips.

It's free, easy to use, and local to your Council.

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.

Riverton Satellite Waste Transfer Station

The Riverton Waste Transfer Station, 15 Bruce Road, Riverton, is open fortnightly on Sundays from 10am – 2pm and is free for residents and ratepayers with a Council Waste Transfer Card (domestic volumes only). Replacement cards are available from Council. It will be open again this Sunday.

Newsletter & Facebook

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