CLARE & GILBERT VALLEYS COUNCIL

IMPORTANT DATES
WEDNESDAY, 18 FEBRUARY 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

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.

Tree Removal Riverton
In response to ongoing community concerns, Council has approved the removal of a tree located in front of the former Scout Hall at 14 Torrens Road, Riverton, along with the reinstatement of the damaged footpath. The work is expected to take place between 10-18 February 2026.

Temporary Road Closure
A section of Daly Street in Clare, between Main North Road and Strickland Street, is currently closed to facilitate works. Traffic management and detours will be in place throughout the duration of these works. For further details, contact Council on 8842 6400.

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

Save the Date – Meet the Council CEO
Meet Council CEO David Stobbe and the Community Services team at a relaxed meet and greet on Wednesday 25 February between 8.30 and 10am at the Little Red Grape Café, Sevenhill. Everyone is welcome.

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

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.

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