# SHIRE OF KOORDA

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### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

**Fri 12 July** School Holiday Library Reading Session 11am -11.45am

**Sat 13 July** Koorda Drive In

**Wed 17 July** Ordinary Council Meeting. At the Koorda Council Chambers, starting at 5.00pm

**Thurs 18 July** Administration Office Closed due to Staff Training

Wed 21 August Ordinary Council Meeting. At the Koorda Council Chambers, starting at 5.00pm

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### SHIRE ADMIN OFFICE HOURS

Please see below the Shire Administration Office hours.

> Monday - Friday 9.00am to 4.00pm Licensing 9.00am to 3.30pm

The office has a message bank service. If you phone out of our office hours, please leave a message and we will get back to you.



# **DOCTOR SERVICE UPDATE**

At its most recent Council meeting, the Koorda Shire endorsed an agreement for a new doctor service to commence on July 31.

Under the agreement, Koorda would have a visiting medical practitioner for two consecutive days each week.

The new agreement comes as the previous medical practitioner suddenly terminated his services, effective last Friday.

The Shire will keep the community updated to any changes to the new service, including the start date and if a locum service can be secured in the interim.

### **TV BROADCASTING UPDATE**

We understand how frustrating it has been with the issues of TV reception currently. The technicians are arriving early this week to repair the issues and we take this opportunity to apologise for the inconvenience caused and appreciate your patience as they work to restore full service.

# 2024/2025 RATES

The annual rates for the Shire of Koorda will be out in late July to early August 2024.

If ratepayers have any outstanding rates, please endeavour to pay these ASAP before the new rates are raised.

# LOCAL ROADWORKS

**Mollerin Rock South Road -** Please expect delays when travelling through roadworks and road maintenance grading is happening this week.

Please be aware and abide by the road work speed limits. We thank you for your patience.



### **COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM**

Round 1 of the 2024/2025 Koorda Community Grants Program (CGP) is now open

Council have been dedicated to providing a Community Grants Program to the Shire of Koorda Groups and Organisations, and we are excited to present round 1 of the 2024/2025 program, with applications being accepted from 1 July to 31 July 2024.

\$10,000 is available in this round, with applications being accepted up to \$5,000 per group/organisation.

We are inviting applications from community groups and Not for Profit organisations which will assist with their vital work and programmes to:

- Promote community capacity, community harmony and social cohesion;
- Encourage people and organisations to help themselves;
- Ensure fair distribution of activities and services throughout Koorda; and
- Encourage resident participation in activities which benefit the community in Koorda.

Visit our website to view the full CGP Guidelines and download an Application form to start your application today.

https://www.koorda.wa.gov.au/community/koorda-grants-program.aspx

### CGP – ROUND 1 RE–CAP

#### COUNTRY BRATZ PLAYGROUP "JUNGLE MUSIC"

This program was amazing for the young children in our community. They thrived off these lessons, engaging with the teacher/ parents and interacting with their peers. It was something they looked forward to every fortnight! It was clear that every lesson they participated in, their confidence grew. It also brought together some new faces, creating rich engagement for the children and adults.

#### KOORDA & DISTRICTS MUSEUM "RECHARGEABLE VACUUM CLEANER"

To ensure a safer and easier way of cleaning the Museum. Sweeping is frowned upon by Museums Australia and larger older style of vacuum cleaners involve using many extension cords which can be cumbersome and hazardous. The new rechargeable vacuum enhances ease of use and safer use for volunteers, resulting in cleaner museum and happier volunteers.





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## LIBRARY NEWS

The library is bursting with new books and the July books are also now on the 'New' shelf ready to be browsed, borrowed and enjoyed!

# LIBRARY HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Friday 12th July there is a school holiday reading session from 11am -11.45am for primary aged children but anyone interested can attend. The book being read is Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.

# **RECREATION GROUNDS UPDATE**

The recreation grounds renovation is progressing nicely with the kitchen coming together. The flooring is almost complete. Looking very Swish!



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# **AVON WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR**

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Recycling

#### What can go into your recycling bin?

The following items can go into your recycling bins; glass, plastic, paper, cardboard, aluminum and steel and liquid paperboard. For more information visit the Avon Waste website. https://www.avonwaste.com.au/

#### What NOT to put in your Recycle Bin



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Councillors are elected to represent the Shire's residents and ratepayers. If you wish to discuss a Council matter, offer any suggestions, have compliments, concerns or feedback, please contact the Councillors above.

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