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2011 COUNCIL MEETINGS & COMMUNITY FORUM SCHEDULE

MEETING	VENUE	TIME/DATE
Special Meeting	Yackandandah Sports Park	Tuesday 29 November, 4pm
Council Meeting	Chiltern Memorial Hall	Tuesday 13 December, 3pm
Community Forum (light supper provided)	Chiltern Memorial Hall	Tuesday 13 December, 6.30pm



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Rutherglen Park (Bowling Green) Reserve

Notice is given of a Public Meeting to be held at the Rutherglen Bowling Club, Murray Street, Rutherglen on Wednesday 7 December 2011 commencing at 7.30pm. The purpose of the meeting is to nominate no less than 3 or no more than 9 persons as the Committee of Management for the Rutherglen Park (bowling green) Reserve Committee for a term of three years. The current committee's term will expire on 1 January 2012. All positions will be declared open and nominations will be accepted prior to or on the day. Nominations from women are encouraged.

Further information, nomination forms and nominee declaration forms may be obtained by contacting your local Department of Sustainability and Environment office or at the meeting. For more information contact Lorraine Fowler on 02 6032 7090.

Burke Museum & Beechworth Historic Precinct Strategic Plan 2011-2020

A copy of the Museum & Precinct Strategic Plan can be inspected until 23 December 2011, during office hours, at any of Council's customer service centres at Beechworth, Yackandandah, Rutherglen and Chiltern or viewed on Council's website at www.indigoshire.vic.gov.au. Visit 'documents for public comment' on the home page. Please forward any comments to Director Burke Museum & Historic Precinct, PO Box 28 Beechworth 3749 or by email to indigoshire@indigoshire.vic.gov.au. Submissions close on 31 December 2011. Please note all submissions may be made available to the public as part of a Council agenda.

Expressions of Interest - Indigo Tourism Advisory Committee

Council is seeking Expressions of Interest from people keen to be part of the Section 86 Advisory Committee to help to promote the Shire's tourism attractions. Recently a 'skills-based' representative retired on the committee and Council would like to hear from anyone with suitable skills to assist the Shire's tourism team. ITAC meets six times a year. Suitably experienced people are invited to submit Expressions of Interest to be part of this committee, stating their experience and interest, to the CEO, Indigo Shire Council, PO Box 28, Beechworth, Victoria 3747, by close of business on Monday 28 November 2011.



AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS NOMINATIONS CLOSE 30 NOVEMBER



Indigo Shire Council is offering residents the opportunity to nominate a local hero to be officially recognised as part of the Australia Day Awards, presented on Thursday 26 January 2012. Awards being granted include Indigo Shire Citizen of the Year amongst others, so if you know somebody who is an outstanding achiever in the community, and whose hard work is deserving of recognition, nominate them for Council's 2012 Australia Day Awards.

The Awards are:

- Indigo Shire Citizen of the Year
- Indigo Shire Young Citizen of the Year
- Indigo Shire Community Organisation of the Year
- Beechworth & District Certificate of Achievement
- Rutherglen & District Certificate of Appreciation
- Chiltern & District Certificate of Appreciation
- Yackandandah & District Certificate of Appreciation
- Barnawartha & District Certificate of Appreciation
- Kiewa-Tangambalanga & District Certificate of Appreciation
- Emma George Junior Sporting Scholarship

Nomination and application forms are available from Council's Beechworth and Yackandandah offices, Chiltern and Rutherglen Customer Service Centres, and in the 'Council Updates' section on the home page of Council's website www.indigoshire.vic.gov.au. For further information please contact Noni Hemann on 02 6028 1154 or 1300 365 003.



Two East Timorese local government officers Alberto Rosa Gomes and Alvaro de Deus Lopes will be with Indigo Shire until 6 December on work experience as part of a Victorian government program. Make sure to say Bondia (in the morning) or Boatardi (in the afternoon) if you see Alberto and Alvaro around the Shire. Here is Indigo Shire's Team Leader Recreation and Community Strengthening Chris Westwood, Alvaro de Deus Lopes, Community Strengthening Project Officers Scott Landells and Chris Mcgorlick, Bushfire Youth Development Officer Annie Middleton and Alberto de Deus Lopes.

Temporary Road Closure Chiltern

Chiltern residents are advised of a request for a temporary road closure for the annual Hickling Family Emergency Response Fundraiser of Gordon Street, between Gibson Street and Albert Road, on Saturday 17 December 2011 between 5pm and 11pm.

Objections in writing must be forwarded to Therese Crane, Indigo Shire Council, by Wednesday 14 December 2011. For more information, contact Therese Crane on 03 5728 8000 during office hours.

Special Council Meeting

In accordance with Section 84 of the Local Government Act, the Mayor has called a Special Meeting of Council on Tuesday 29 November 2011 commencing at 4pm at the Yackandandah Sports Park, Wellsford Street, Yackandandah. The purpose of the meeting is to appoint the Mayor and Deputy Mayor for the following 12 months and to make Committee appointments.

The Meeting will be both Statutory and an opportunity to consider any urgent Council business.

Members of the community are invited to attend the Special meeting.