

Our Mission: To deliver affordable and quality Local Government services

What's happening in the Shire of Broome?

Tues 7 - Fri 17 Apr - Library School Holiday Program

Broome Public Library, 10.30am. Free sessions each weekday for children aged 5-12 years. Sessions run for about an hour.

Tues 7 - Fri 17 Apr - BRAC School Holiday Program

Broome Recreation and Aquatic Centre, full day or half day. Wide variety of activities, charges apply and places are limited. Contact BRAC for details on 9191 8720 or brac@broome.wa.gov.au.

Fri 10 - Sun 19 Apr - National Youth Week

Assorted venues. A fantastic week of events for young people, including skate comp, movies, basketball, bush tucker and a huge wrap-up party! Check Shire website for full details.

Fri 24 Apr - Anzac Centenary Prelude Event

Lions Pioneer Park, Town Beach, 5.30pm. A moving sunset tribute to the 56 Broome soldiers who lost their lives in WWI, featuring a performance by a representative of the WA Police Pipe Band.

Sat 25 Apr - Anzac Day Dawn Service

Bedford Memorial Park, 5.45am start. Traditional parade and Dawn Service, and to commemorate the Anzac Centenary also including a performance by St Mary's College and unveiling of a new memorial wall. Followed by breakfast at Broome RSL.

Wed 6 May - Gym and Tonic

Broome Civic Centre, 7.30pm. Roz Hammond (Mad As Hell, The Librarians, Muriel's Wedding) plays all eight characters in this uplifting stage play about a women's gym class. A feel-good piece about brittle bones, broken hearts and the unswerving love of mothers. Tickets at www.broomeciviccentre.com.au.



Rangers will again use wheel clamps to target those camped illegally in the Broome townsite.

Rangers prepare to crack down on illegal campers

Shire of Broome Rangers are preparing to crack down on illegal camping around the town as the busy tourist season gets underway, including again using wheel clamps when necessary.

Shire Ranger Co-ordinator, Mark O'Connor, says the Shire requires that all camping in the Broome townsite be in caravan parks, and not in public carparks, road verges or elsewhere.

"Tourism is an important part of Broome and the Shire welcomes visitors of all kinds, but unfortunately a minority do the wrong thing and detract from the ability of everyone else to enjoy our town," Mr O'Connor says.

"The first resort of Rangers when they find someone illegally camped is to issue a warning. If warnings are ignored they will be issued a \$100 infringement if the vehicle is registered in WA.

"In most cases this has the desired effect of moving the offenders on, but wheel clamps will be used as a further enforcement option when these other steps fail to get a result."

Broome set to commemorate Anzac Centenary

Broome will mark Anzac Centenary commemorations with an expanded Anzac Day Dawn Service, an Anzac Day eve commemoration, a new memorial wall and upgrades to the existing war memorial.

The traditional Dawn Service and parade at Bedford Park starts at 5.45am sharp on Saturday 25 April, and this year will include a moving tribute involving more than 40 St Mary's College students, a representative of the WA Police Pipe Band, and more.

In addition, an Anzac Day eve commemoration will be held at 5.30pm on Friday 24 April at Town Beach, again featuring a performance by the WA Police Pipe Band representative.

The war memorial in Bedford Park will be upgraded and improved with funding from the Shire of Broome and the Federal Government's Anzac Centenary Local Grants Program.

Broome Shire President, Graeme Campbell, said work would include installing two new memorial walls flanking the cenotaph, rendering and painting brickwork on the new walls and the existing cenotaph, and replacing pavement with exposed aggregate concrete.



The Anzac Centenary will be commemorated with events on April 24 and 25.

Do you have a question for the Shire of Broome? Please email it to shirenewsletter@broome.wa.gov.au



Swim and Survive



Enrolments for Term 2 Swimming Lessons are NOW OPEN!

Enrolments are open for children ages 12 months and above. Get your child into Swimming Lessons at the Broome Recreation and Aquatic Centre so they can learn an important life skill!!!

Contact BRAC on 9191 8720 or brac@broome.wa.gov.au for more information.



Monday 6th April

Public

Holiday

Tuesday 7th April

POOL + INFLATABLE DAY!

Free Sausage Sizzle Lunch!

Wednesday 8th April

Lets cook some Damper Bread!

Do you have a sweet tooth or are you a savory person?

Thursday 9th April

POOL + INFLATABLE DAY!

Free Sausage Sizzle Lunch!

Friday 10th April

THE GREAT BRAC AMAZING RACE!!

Will you and your Team be the Winners?

Monday 13th April

Shelter Building!



Tuesday 14th April

POOL + INFLATABLE DAY!

Free Sausage Sizzle Lunch!

Wednesday 15th April

WATER FIGHT!!

Lets play some team Skirmish Games!

RED VS BLUE Who Will Win? Bring your own Water gun!

Thursday 16th April

POOL + INFLATABLE DAY!

Free Sausage Sizzle Lunch!

Friday 17th April

Let's go see the Latest Hit on The Big Screen at Twin Cinema's!

Will you and your Team be the Winners?