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What's Happening

In the Shire of Broome?

Wed 19 Jun

Barefaced Stories

Broome Civic Centre, 7.30pm. A powerful workshop series leading to an intimate on-stage performance celebrating the power of story telling. Participation is free and for info contact broomeciviccentre@broome. wa.gov.au or 9191 8780 and for tickets go to



22, 27 Jun, 5 Jul

Broome's Got Musical Talent!

Broome Civic Centre, 7pm. A chance for local amateur musicians to strut their stuff on stage and be crowned Broome's finest up-and-coming performer. Registration is free for solo artists and bands aged 12-25. For info contact broomeciviccentre@broome. wa.gov.au or 9191 8780 and for tickets go to

Thu 27 Jun

Ordinary Meeting of Council

Council Chambers, 5pm. An Ordinary Meeting is held each month. The community is encouraged to attend, with Public Question Time at the start of the meeting and info on meetings, agendas and minutes, public question time and petitions at



BRAC 2 Beach Fun Run

BRAC. It's time to get into training with the BRAC 2 Beach Fun Run happening again. Broome's biggest annual fun run is back for its ninth year and will offer a choice of 8km or 4km courses to suit all fitness levels. Entries open soon.



Community members are encouraged to join the new Chinatown Tearn

Chinatown Team to keep up momentum

The Chinatown Revitalisation Project may be wrapping up, but it isn't the end - it's just the beginning.

Broome Shire President, Harold Tracey, says we now need the community to lead the activation and promotion of the town centre and to achieve this the Shire has committed funding to form the "Chinatown Team".

"There's only so much that governments and consultants and contractors can do - now we need our community to take up the baton and continue the momentum that we've started," Cr Tracey says.

"All through this project we've had a long-term view, and so with some of the funding we created a 'Chinatown Place Making Management Plan' to help guide the ongoing revitalisation of Chinatown once the immediate project was finished.

'So if you live in Broome and you love Broome, we'd like you to be involved."

The Chinatown Team will support and guide the direction of activations, events and promotions for Chinatown and anyone interested should email talei.howell-price@ broome.wa.gov.au

Beach laws accommodate dogs and horses

With the Broome Race Round now underway for 2019, laws requiring dogs to be kept on leashes at Cable Beach in the morning need to be observed.

The section of Cable Beach near Gantheaume Point and extending for 2km north of the beach access ramp is designated as a dog exercise area, but between 1 May and 31 August each year, from 5.30am to 10am on weekdays, dogs are required to be kept on a leash.

The local law was introduced in 2014 following incidents between unrestrained dogs and race horses in the area, and is enforced by Shire of Broome Rangers with a fine of \$200 for those not controlling their dogs in exercise areas.

Broome Shire President, Harold Tracey, says the laws strike a balance between providing adequate areas for dogs and their owners, while at the same time protecting horses and their handlers.

Keep your speed down on Cable Beach

Broome's beaches are filling up fast with people wanting to enjoy our beautiful coastline and sunsets, making safety paramount including observing the 15kmh speed limit on Cable Beach.

Shire Rangers are now tackling the ongoing issue of vehicles speeding on Cable Beach north of the rocks and at Gantheaume Point.

Rangers will be on the beach regularly with a laser speed gun to enforce the speed limit with warnings and infringements where required.

Drivers can be fined \$175 for exceeding the 15kmh speed limit under the Shire of Broome's Local Government Property and Public Places Local Law.

Rangers will also monitor parking on Cable Beach including ensuring that vehicles move north of the rocks after driving onto the beach.



Shire Rangers are enforcing the 15kmh speed limit on Cable Beach



