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## Australia Day goes off with a bang

Australia Day in Broome has again culminated in a spectacular fireworks show and family fun day presented by the Shire of Broome.

Broome Shire President, Graeme Campbell, says other highlights included welcoming 15 new Australian citizens and presenting Active Citizenship Awards to Bobbie Telford, Trent Caldwell and Theatre Kimberley.

"Australia Day's an important highlight on our national calendar and the Shire of Broome is happy to host and support activities that bring the entire community together to celebrate," Cr Campbell says.

Cr Campbell says thanks go to sponsors and supporters including Spirit 102.9FM, Broome's Lions, Lioness and Rotary Clubs, Roebuck Lodge, Cardile International Fireworks, Broome Fireworks, Department of Fire and Emergency Services, St John Ambulance, Broome Police, Broome SES, Broome



**Broome's newest Australian citizens on Australia Day.**

Advertiser, Werewolf Security, Sadleir's-Nexus, Broome Community Stallholders Association, Bouncin Broome and Monsterball Amusements.



**A wider road shoulder and new footpath will improve safety along Old Broome Rd.**

## Are you interested in Broome's new Regional Resource Recovery Park?

An information session will be held this Thursday, 5 February, for those interested in Broome's planned new Regional Resource Recovery Park (RRRP).

The existing Waste Management Facility at Buckleys Road is nearing the end of its life and the Shire is investigating options for locating a new state-of-the-art RRRP.

A report outlining potential locations was made available in late 2014 and the community is invited to make comment until 16 February 2015.

Shire of Broome Director of Engineering Services, Michael Dale, says the information session on

February 5 will be a chance to discuss the RRRP site selection criteria and the identified areas of interest.

"The RRRP will be a modern facility which will focus on resource recovery and be designed in accordance with the Department of Environment Regulation Best Practice Environmental Management standards," Mr Dale says.

The session will run from 6-8pm at the Shire function room, with RSVPs to stephanie.mccormick@broome.wa.gov.au or 9191 3456.

The RRRP – Areas of Interest Report is on the Shire website or can be viewed at the Shire offices.

## Shoulder widening work underway on Old Broome Rd

Work to widen and upgrade the road shoulders on Old Broome Rd between Short St and Sandpiper Ave is expected to be completed by this Friday.

Shire of Broome Manager Engineering Operations, Andrew Graffen, says the work will improve safety along the busy stretch by widening the road shoulders and improving the surface.

"Work will also include the renewal of line markings, signage and the footpath," Mr Graffen says.

Traffic management is in place and delays should be expected during peak periods, but the community's patience and support is appreciated while the work is undertaken, Mr Graffen says

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



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