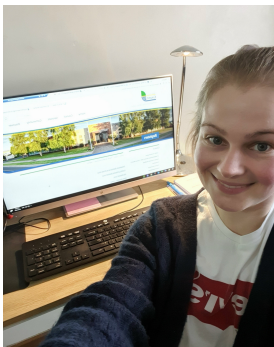


COUNCIL UPDATE

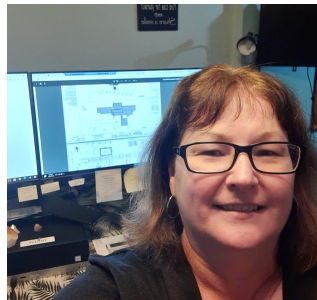
Following the State Government announcement for a state-wide seven day lock down at 6pm Tuesday 20 July, Council got busy implementing our business continuity plan to ensure the continued delivery of essential services to the community. All staff that could work from home had their workspaces set up at home by the next morning. What an amazing job by all involved!



These are some photos of staff busily working from home. Above is Marianne Tucker Manager of Organisational Development. In the photo above right is Michael Overland, Asset Maintenance Coordinator. Photo on the right is Trudy Glynn, Planning Officer, below and Brittany Shelton, Governance Officer.



We are glad that all staff are now back in the office and business has fully resumed. We would like to thank you all for your patience during this time and for assisting in helping to stop the spread by complying with all the State Government restrictions. We encourage you all to stay up to date by visiting the government website www.covid-19.sa.gov.au and adhering to all social distancing and hygiene requirements. Stay safe and look after each other!



COUNCIL DECISIONS

- NOTICE OF MOTION: that Council undertake a strategic review of its waste management offerings in time for the 2022/23 budget
 - Requests for financial assistance approved for the Mt Gambier Chamber of Commerce and Women in Business & Regional Development's 'Taste the Limestone Coast' event and Mt Gambier Basketball outreach clinic program.
- Head to our website for full Council meeting reports and minutes.



Keep up to date and let us know what you think about Council's key projects, plans and services at yoursaydcg.com.au

IN FOCUS

CAT & DOG REGISTRATIONS

WHAT? Cat and dog registrations are due by Tuesday 31 August 2021.

HOW? There are a couple of ways to register your cat and/or dog:

1. Register or renew your cat/dog registration via dogs and cats online at www.dogsandcatsonline.com.au
2. Call Council on 8721 0444 before 31 August



OUT & ABOUT WITH COUNCIL



Mayor Sage raising awareness for early breast screening at Port MacDonnell in commemoration of Theresa Moulden.



Mayor Sage and Cr Duncan with some of the 2021 DCG Academic Scholarship winners Leah, Sarah and Josh.



EXHIBITION OPEN NOW!



Plastic recycling in the Limestone coast - Giving plastic waste a second life Exhibition

Head on in to the Port MacDonnell Community Complex to check out the amazing products that can be created by remaking plastic waste, such as bottle tops and bread tags. The exhibition is open until the end of September.

GRANTS

- RDA Limestone Coast Grant Finder: <https://rdalc.grantguru.com.au/>
- National Shed Development Programme- Mens Shed
- Regional Events Funs- Events South Australia
- ANZ Seeds of Renewal Program
- Female Founder Grant Challenge

REMINDERS

- **RATES DUE:** Rates instalments are due Friday 3 September 2021.
- **E-NOTICES:** register on e-Notices to receive your rates notices via email
- **CASHLESS WASTE VOUCHERS:** contact Council to organise your waste transfer voucher

CONGRATULATIONS

Each Year Council provides academic scholarships of \$500 to excelling students at each of the high schools in the area. Congratulations to this year's winners:

- Leah McDonnell - St Martins Lutheran College;
- Chelsea Ray and Gemma Ralph- Grant High School;
- Damon Verrier - Allendale East Area School;
- Sarah McKinnon - Tenison Woods College; and
- Josh Kain - Mount Gambier High School.