



Council meeting

The September Council meeting will be held on:

Date: Wednesday 28 September 2022

Time: 4pm

Venue: COPACC (95 - 97 Gellibrand Street, Colac)

Council meetings are open to the public and interested people are welcome to attend.

The Council meeting will be livestreamed to the public via Council's You Tube channel (search Colac Otway Shire Council at www.youtube.com).

Copies of the agenda will be available from today at www.colacotway.vic.gov.au



Council services and operations for Grand Final Eve public holiday

Customer Service Centres: Please note, Colac Otway Shire Council's Customer Service Centre in Colac will be closed on the Grand Final eve public holiday today, Friday 23 September. The after-hours service will operate for urgent or animal related enquiries.

The Great Ocean Road Visitor Information Centre (GORVIC) is open today, Friday 23 September for normal operating hours.

OPASS: There will be no Home Care today Friday 23 September, Personal Care will continue (times will differ). If your shopping service is today, this service will still continue.

Meals on Wheels for Thursday 22 and Friday 23 September was delivered Wednesday 21 September.

Waste Collection Services: There are no changes to Council's waste collection services.

Bluewater Leisure Centre: Bluewater will open from 10am to 4pm for the public holiday today, Friday 23 September.

COPACC: The COPACC office will be unattended today, Friday 23 September. Please visit Colac Cinemas website for information on cinema opening times.



We're recruiting

If you're interested in working alongside your Colac Otway community, engaging in local projects and helping to make our region the amazing place it is to live, work and visit, come and work with us!

• Project Manager

For a position description and to apply online, visit Council's website or phone Human Resources 5232 9529.



Footpath Closure

The lakeside footpath between the Armstrong Street stairs (near the drainage outlet) and Yacht Club will be closed to the public from 26 September to 2 October due to repair works to the drainage outlet.

Please note the time-frame of the closure may vary subject to conditions. The Lake Bowling Club footpath remains open for pedestrian access. Thank you for your cooperation while these important works are undertaken.



Springtime photo competition entries

Council's springtime photo competition entries are rolling in and there are some great images from our region. Thank you to everyone who has already submitted an entry.

Entries pictured above are from @nat__morris featuring some gorgeous spring newborns.

You too can join in the fun and celebrate springtime.

Across the month of September, post your best springtime photo from your public Facebook or Instagram account, with the hashtag **#ColacOtwaySpringtime**. Or email your photo to: inq@colacotway.vic.gov.au, to share.

There are four categories to enter including:

- Spring newborns
- Spring blossom
- Spring in your step
- Spring-sation

The winning entries will be promoted in the Colac Herald and will receive an enlarged printed copy of their photo. For full terms and conditions and more on how to enter, please visit: www.colacotway.vic.gov.au/ColacOtwaySpringtime



Family Day Care Educators (Subcontractor/Flexible Hours)

Colac Otway Shire Council is seeking Family Day Care Educators to provide Family Day Care throughout the Colac Otway Shire.

Family Day Care is a great way to provide childcare to families as well as being able to work flexible hours from your own home.

We are looking for people who are passionate about working with children, building on their development and are prepared to be a part of a motivated and dedicated team.

"I really love mornings, I love opening the front door, greeting the families and seeing the children come in....that would have to be my favourite part of the day." - Gerry Anson, Family Day Care Educator.

For a position description and information about becoming a FDC Educator or more information about working from your own home, please check out Council's Family & Children's Service Webpage www.colacotway.vic.gov.au or email familydaycare@colacotway.vic.gov.au



Part Road Closure - Boundary Road, Forrest

Please be advised Boundary Road, Forrest (between the Colac-Forrest Road and Amos Road) is currently closed due to water over the road.

Signs are in place - we ask you to seek alternate routes, be careful and drive to conditions in the area.

Council is working with local agencies to monitor conditions and we'll publish updates as required, please check Council's website and social media for information.