

# Griffith Easter Party a success

From Pioneer Park Museum’s bustling Action Day on Good Friday to the laidback atmosphere of Rewind in the Vines on Sunday, there was something for everyone in Griffith over the Easter long weekend.

Griffith City Council Events Coordinator Karly Sivewright said the weekend was a huge success.

“We had plenty on offer and perfect weather. It was wonderful to see so many people attend and enjoy the wide array of events,” said Mrs Sivewright.

“A lot of work goes into putting the Griffith Easter Party on. Thank you to all of the event organisers and volunteers for planning safe and successful events.”

The annual Bacchus on the Lake Fun Run proved popular on Good Friday. Meanwhile Stockmen, Steam and Steel lived up to its name, with more than 1000 people flocking to Pioneer Park Museum to experience all the fun of yesteryear.

The addition of new attractions such as horse displays, gnocchi making, photo booth and the entertaining street performances by members of Griffith & Regional Association of the Performing Arts (GRAPA), helped make the day a hit with visitors.

The return of familiar crowd favourites including sheep shearing, horse shoeing and old fashioned schoolyard games also kept the crowds happy.

Chair of the Tourism and Events Committee Christine Stead said it was good to see Griffith so busy.

“The Children’s Brunch on Saturday morning was such a great event, there were happy, smiling faces everywhere you looked in CWA Park,” said Cr Stead.

“Everyone enjoyed the Vintage Festival and Rewind in the Vines was absolutely brilliant. It was a nice relaxed atmosphere, the music was amazing and the organisers were extremely happy.

“The Lachlan Valley Railway heritage train shuttles were popular with families all throughout the weekend.

“Overall, I’m really pleased with the way everything went this Easter.”



## POSITIONS VACANT

Are you looking for a rewarding career? Then join our team and make a difference to your community. Griffith City Council offers the chance to work in a stable and secure environment while providing excellent opportunities to develop your skills and career potential. Council is proactive and passionate about creating ongoing opportunities for our growing population. Council is seeking applications from enthusiastic motivated individuals for the following positions:

### Biosecurity Officer (Noxious Weeds) readvertised

The purpose of this role is to coordinate the Weed Action Plan (WAP) along with promoting the control of Biosecurity Matter (Noxious Weeds) across the Local Control Area where it concerns Griffith LGA, including Private Properties, Roads, Crown Land, Waterways, Plant Nurseries plus other commercial enterprises in accordance with the Biosecurity Act 2015, and collate and map existing information on current weed infestations in the area and to facilitate community and industry involvement to manage weed problems. The successful applicant will require demonstrated knowledge of the Biosecurity Act 2015 for notifiable weed control; hold a GIT or White Card and a current driver licence. Hours of work are 38 hours per week with an annual salary range of \$58,441.24 to 64,287.60 (Grade 10). Rostered day off once a fortnight. For any questions about this role please contact Peter Craig 6962 8100. **Applications close 4pm, Friday 13 April 2018.**

### Qualified Gardener- Cemetery

The purpose of this role is to maintain the neat and high standard of appearance of gardens and lawns, together with daily operation of cemeteries, in an effective, efficient and safe manner recognising the respect, dignity and harmonious exceptions of the Community. The successful applicant must hold a General Construction Induction Training certificate (GIT or white card). Please include copies of all relevant licenses and qualifications with your application. Hours of work are 38 hours per week with an annual salary range of \$50,562.72 to \$55,619.20 (Grade 6). Rostered day off once a fortnight. For any questions about this role please contact contact Peter Craig on 6962 8100.

**Applications close 4pm, Friday 20 April 2018.**

### Rates & Water Billing Assistant - (Permanent)

The purpose of the Rates & Water Billing Assistant is to ensure the accuracy and integrity of the rating and water billing database by processing all change requests in a timely manner. This position is also responsible for providing a high level of specialized customer service in relation to rates and water billing. The successful applicant will require office administration experience and have high level of customer service skills. Please include copies of all relevant licenses and qualifications with your application. Hours of work are 35 hours per week with an annual salary range of \$ \$54,379.00 - \$59,815.60 (Grade 8) and a rostered day off once per month. For any questions about this role please contact Megan Bugge on 02 6962 8100.

**Applications for the above position close 4pm, Friday Friday 20 April 2018.**

To apply or for more information, log on to [griffith.nsw.gov.au/jobs](http://griffith.nsw.gov.au/jobs) or contact Council's Workforce Planning Administrator on 6962 8100.

*Only those with current rights to work in Australia may apply. Council is an Equal Employment Opportunity employer and welcomes diversity in the workplace.*

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## Free learner driver workshop

Parents and supervisors of local learner drivers are urged to express their interest in a workshop to be held at the Griffith Council Chambers on Thursday 19 April commencing at 6pm.

Topics covered include, new licence conditions for learner and P-plate drivers, how to use the Learner Driver Logbook, the benefits of on-road driving sessions and tips on supervising a learner driver.

Register your interest by filling out the online form at [www.giffith.nsw.gov.au](http://www.giffith.nsw.gov.au)

## PUBLIC NOTICES

### Public Exhibition

#### Yoogali McCormack Road Levee and DC605J Culvert Upgrade

In April 2017, Cardno Pty Ltd was commissioned by Griffith City Council to undertake investigation and produce detailed design and tender documentation for the ‘Yoogali McCormack Road Levee and DC605J Culvert Upgrade’ project.

In accordance with ‘Griffith Main Drain J and Mirrool Creek Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan 2015’ and the ‘Project Brief’, Cardno carried out investigations and produced the following design inputs:

- (i) Topographical survey of the site,
- (ii) Environmental survey and Review of Environmental Factors (REF),
- (iii) Geotechnical investigation,
- (iv) Different design options,
- (v) Freeboard analysis,
- (vi) Design report, cost estimates etc., and
- (vii) Design drawings.

The Design Report contains the investigation findings and also the Design Drawings. At the Floodplain Management Committee Meeting held 27 February 2018, the Committee resolved to accept the Design Report and the Design Drawings in current format and recommended to place the documents on public exhibition for comments.

The Design Report and Design Drawings for the ‘Yoogali McCormack Road Levee and DC605J Culvert Upgrade’ project can be viewed at the Council Chambers, 1 Benerembah Street Griffith, at the Griffith City Library and on Council’s website at [griffith.nsw.gov.au](http://griffith.nsw.gov.au).

#### Council Policy (ICT-CP-201) Roads and Parks – Naming and Renaming of

At the Ordinary Meeting of Council held 27 March 2018, it was resolved that the amended Council Policy Roads and Parks – Naming and Renaming of (ICT-CP-201) be placed on public exhibition for 28 days. Council is required to notify the public and provide the opportunity for submissions regarding this policy.

The draft policy may be viewed at the Council Chambers, 1 Benerembah Street Griffith, the Griffith City Library and on Council’s website at [griffith.nsw.gov.au](http://griffith.nsw.gov.au)

Anyone wishing to make comment on the above policy can do so in writing addressed to the General Manager, Griffith City Council. Comments or submissions will be received up to 4 pm, Friday 4 May 2018.

#### Strategic Business Plan for Water and Sewerage Services

At the Ordinary Meeting of Council held 27 March 2018, it was resolved that the draft Strategic Business Plan for Water and Sewerage Services be placed on public exhibition for 28 days. Council is required to notify the public and provide the opportunity for submissions regarding this policy.

The draft plan may be viewed at the Council Chambers, 1 Benerembah Street Griffith, the Griffith City Library and on Council’s website at [griffith.nsw.gov.au](http://griffith.nsw.gov.au)

Anyone wishing to make comment on the above plan can do so in writing addressed to the General Manager, Griffith City Council. Comments or submissions will be received up to 4 pm, Friday 4 May 2018.