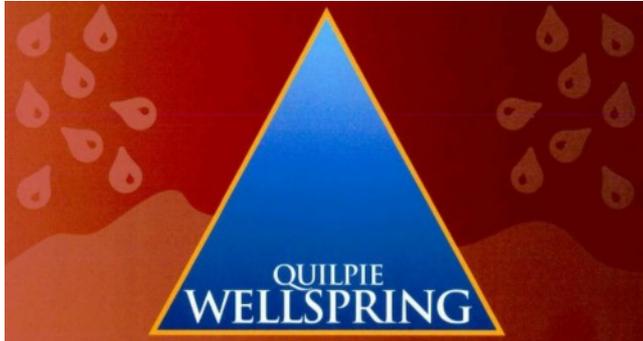




Council Community News

We Value: **Respect** | **Communication** | **Fun & Humour** | **Pride** | **Trust** | **Teamwork**



Since receiving enthusiastic support at the community meeting in November last year, we have been busy moving the Quilpie Wellspring project to that next phase. The overwhelming support of the local community has enabled Council to start conversations with several potential business case partners.

We have attracted the interest of University of Queensland, University of Southern Queensland regarding possible research and development opportunities Quilpie Wellspring may offer their programs.

We have briefed the Toowoomba Office of the Department of State Development, Manufacturing, Industry and Planning, the Darling Downs & South West RDA, Toowoomba & Surat Basin Enterprise and the Queensland Office of the Chief entrepreneur. All these briefings have generated strong interest and ongoing discussions of potential support.

Climate KIC Australia, and the State Department of Environment and Science are also interested in supporting the 'circular economy' innovation of this project. Detailed discussions are currently underway to identify opportunities for their support.

Over the next few months, our priority is to complete the pre-feasibility and a prospectus document to support future funding and investment applications. As soon as these documents are completed, we will be actively seeking formal support from government and corporate sectors to help progress the detailed business case and fast track funding for the project.

Robert met with Council on Thursday 11 April, and also provided an update to all Council staff.



**National
Road Safety
Week 2019**

National Road Safety Week 2019 will be held from 6 to 12 May.

Each year, around 1,200 people are killed and another 35,000 are seriously injured in crashes on Australian Roads. National Road Safety Week is an annual event which highlights the ongoing impact of road trauma and encourages all drivers to consider their consequences of their driving behaviour and drive so others survive. For more information visit www.roadsafetyweek.net.au/road-safety-week.

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ANZAC DAY - ORDER OF SERVICES

ANZAC EVE WEDNESDAY 24 APRIL

Anzac Eve Remembrance

5.45 PM Twilight Service – Quilpie Cemetery

ANZAC DAY THURSDAY 25 APRIL

5.45 AM Dawn Service – RSL Memorial Park
Followed by a free Community breakfast

10.00 am Assembly at Quilpie Café

10.15 am Anzac Day March
All members of the community and visitors are invited to participate in the Anzac March

10.30 AM ANZAC DAY COMMUNITY SERVICE
Quilpie Shire Hall

A Free Community BBQ, Desserts and Bar will follow the Service which will be open to ALL members of the community and visitors.

Please attend and show your gratitude and respect for those who participated in the defence of our freedom and especially those who did not return.

Lest We Forget

ANZAC EVE REMEMBRANCE TWILIGHT SERVICE

This service is to honour the lives of all those who served in the Armed Services and lay at rest at Quilpie Cemetery.

After a brief prayer, a light and a poppy will be placed on the grave of each of those who served in the Armed Forces whilst a Roll of Honour is read. The Quilpie Shire Council invites the Quilpie community and visitors to participate in this service.

QUILPIE RSL - 73rd DAWN SERVICE

will be held at

BOB YOUNG MEMORIAL PARK

Thursday 25th April 2019

Commencing at 5.45am

The Service will be followed by a free Community BBQ Breakfast at the Park. All community members and visitors are invited to attend the Service and Breakfast

For further information contact Quilpie RSL President Mark Baker: Phone 4656 1200 or Secretary Janet Foley: Phone 4656 0550

FABRIC PAINTING WORKSHOP OPPORTUNITY

The Quilpie Cultural Society has been given the opportunity to offer a FABRIC PAINTING WORKSHOP WITH DENISE BURKITT on Saturday 11 May 2019.

We need bookings ASAP for the workshop to go ahead.

Please contact Leah Cameron on 4656 1271 or email leahcam52@gmail.com

Costs:

Member \$30

Non Member \$55

Pensioner \$25

Plus \$15 fee payable to Denise for paints and equipment.

Please visit the website deniseburkitt.com for inspiration and tutor bio.

Fabric requirement list from Leah

Fee payable on booking to secure place.

This workshop is being funded by Quilpie Cultural Society without RADF funding so cannot be run unless we have enough interest.



The Quilpie Shire Council
warmly invites you to attend the official opening of

“Defying the Drought with Creativity”

To be held at the Quilpie Shire Gallery
29th March 2019
6:30pm

Light Refreshments Available

This exhibition will showcase some of the products of RADF funded workshops & the Quilpie Cultural Society. This talented community group deserves this special display.

This exhibition will be on display until **29th April 2019**



PATCHWORK WORKSHOP – TUTOR – FRAN BULMER
‘CATHEDRAL WINDOWS’ – 4 Days – FRIDAY 31ST MAY TO
MONDAY 3RD JUNE 2019

3 Workshop choices – or bring your own project for Fran to help you finish

- “CATHEDRAL WINDOW” – by Machine or hand
- ‘STEPS TO NO WHERE’ – Colourful Quilt
- ‘WIND CHIMES’ – Beautiful Quilt

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

CONTACT JAN McCONNELL – 0428 562 083



Daily Workshop Fees – Members \$30.00, Non-Members \$55.00, Pensioners \$25.00

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QUILPIE QCWA WOULD LIKE

TO INVITE YOU TO



The Biggest Morning Tea

It's on again for young and old,
So come along and join the fold.
The Cancer Council has put out the call -
Quilpie QCWA will invite one and all.

Sunday 5th of May is the date to have free
The Biggest Morning Tea is the place to be.
The Shire Hall Supper Room is the venue we
book

Please make sure you come for a look.

Country Kitchens will be there with healthy eats,
With fruit and vegetables in all their treats.
You will be surprised what we can create –
Come on in and fill your plate!

All money raised will go to the cause,
A cure for Cancer would create such applause!
If we keep putting money in the tin –
One day we will kick Cancer in the bin!

Now **PLEASE** come along, there is fun to be had,
There are games to play so it won't be all bad.
Every coin is a help, no matter how small –
So come on in and we'll have a ball!

WHEN: Sunday 5th May @ 10am

WHERE: Quilpie Shire Supper Room

ENTRY: \$5.00

EASTER
Parade

For under 5's

Quilpie Library
Wednesday 17 April
10.30 - 11.30

Craft, Songs,
Fun & Food

For any further information please contact
Janet or Megan @ the Quilpie Library
Ph: 07 4656 0550



DATE CLAIMER
St Finbarr's School
FETE

Friday 8th November 2019

FROM THE CEO DESK APRIL 2019

Council held its Ordinary Meeting on Friday 12 April 2019.

As is customary all Councillors provided an overview of activities they have undertaken since the last Council meeting.

At the March Ordinary meeting of Council, a request from the Eromanga Natural History Museum to provide financial assistance for the production of tourism brochures was approved, subject to Council consultation prior to final production.

Following the submission of the final brochure draft for Council consideration, a number of elected members felt that the content within the brochure did not promote the Quilpie Shire Council area as a whole and as such, withdrew the officer of funding at the April meeting.

Council agreed to loan a surplus storage container to Mr Peter Donohue to use as part of the Quilpie Container Exchange Program partnership with Council for the duration of the program operating in Quilpie.

Correspondence has been received from Mr Ben Hall requesting Council's consideration of assisting with costs in becoming an accredited Celebrant. Council resolved not to assist financially on this occasion.

Senator the Hon Ian Macdonald has written to Mayor Mackenzie encouraging Council to make a submission to the Productivity Commission Review 'issues paper' on Remote Area Tax Concessions and Payments. Council resolved to make a submission on the matter.

Applications were called from rural property owners in relation to an exclusion fence subsidy scheme to be funded under the *Communities Combating Pests and Weed Impacts During Drought Program* if the application by Council were to be successful.

Twenty five applications were received by the closing date. An application was subsequently submitted to the Australian Government under the *Communities Combating Pests and Weed Impacts During Drought Program* for a total value of \$900,000.

A further application was submitted for pest weed control to the value of \$100,000. Both applications were successful.

Council finalised the twelve successful applicants for the project and will notify successful property owners when a funding agreement has been prepared and signed.

Following an application received, Council approved a request to waive dog registration fees for an 'assistance' dog. Council will also review its fees and charges to provide this waiver for assistance dogs from July 2019.

Council resolved to proceed with a demolition order due to condition of a residential property in Quilpie.

Council also considered a number of overdue rates assessments and resolved to write a third and final letter to owners prior to proceeding with legal action to recover rates owing.

Council declined a request from Queensland Health to provide the QCWA Hall as an alternative venue to hold the Social Support Group as part of the Community Home Support Program run by Queensland Health.

Council agreed to a request from the Eromanga District Community Association (EDCA) to install two split system airconditioners in the front two rooms of the Eromanga Hall.

Mr Allan Balloch of Jardine Lloyd Thompson (JLT) addressed Council, providing an update on the various local government insurance schemes Council is a member of.

As usual a range of other administrative matters were also discussed and voted on. These included mining claim applications, policy reviews and the updating of Council's register of delegations. Council also undertook a quarterly review of the annual Operational Plan.

The full minutes of the most recent and previous meetings are available on Council's website at www.quilpie.qld.gov.au (About Council / Meetings).

I am happy to meet with anyone that would like further information on any meeting outcomes. Members of the community are also reminded that all Councillors are happy to speak with you on any issue.

Regards, Dave B.

Individuals, families, farms and communities in the Quilpie Shire can access a range of services and support to help them manage during times of drought and prepare for future conditions.

For more information and to apply for assistance visit <http://www.agriculture.gov.au/ag-farm-food/drought>

CHANGE TO COUNCIL MEETING DATE

In accordance with the provisions of Section 277 (4) of the Local Government Regulation 2012, notice is hereby given of a change to the scheduled Ordinary Meeting of Council for May 2019.

The May Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held in the Council Boardroom, 50 Brolga Street, Quilpie on Friday 17 May 2019 commencing at 9:30am.

Subsequent Ordinary Meetings of Council will be held on the second Friday of each month at the Quilpie Shire Council Office Boardroom unless otherwise advised.

POSITION VACANT

ASSISTANT ROADS CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR

Position: Fulltime

Salary: Negotiable dependent on experience

Closing date: 4:00pm Friday 03 May 2019

The Assistant Road Construction and Maintenance Supervisor will provide assistance to the Road Construction and Maintenance Supervisor in the efficient and effective delivery of road construction and maintenance activities throughout the Shire.

View the full advertisement and download the position description from Council's website at <https://quilpie.qld.gov.au/about/about-council/media-information-centre/employment-opportunities/current-opportunities/>

EASTER CLOSEDOWN ARRANGEMENTS

Residents are advised that the Easter Closedown is as follows:

Depot will be Closed from

19th April 2019 until 23rd April 2019

Administration Office & Service Centres will be closed from:

19th April 2019 until 23rd April 2019

Rubbish Collection will take place:

Residential: Tuesday 23rd April 2019

Business: Tuesday 23rd April 2019

For any urgent enquiries over the Easter Break please contact:

Dave Burges: 0427 461 165

Plumber: 0427 561 198

For further information please contact Council's Customer Service Centre on (07) 4656 0500.

RADF ROUND FOUR 2018-2019

Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF) is a partnership between the Queensland Government and Quilpie Shire Council to support local arts and culture in regional communities.

Quilpie Shire has developed new priorities for the 2018-2019 RADF program. Under the framework of the Arts and Cultural Plan the local priorities are:

- 1. Our People & Community** - A creative, engaged, cohesive community which supports and acknowledges its artists and artisans.
- 2. Our Place** - An appealing, attractive Shire with quality arts & cultural facilities and amenities.
- 3. Our Past** - Preservation and celebration of our rich natural and cultural heritage.
- 4. Our Partnerships** - Productive partnerships and alliances within and external to the Region.
- 5. Our Prosperity** - An arts and cultural sector that contributes economic value and prosperity.

ROUND FOUR will close on 30 April 2019

Before submitting please read the new RADF Program Guidelines. Application forms are available on the Quilpie Shire Council website – www.quilpie.qld.gov.au.

For further information please contact RADF Liaison Officer, Janelle Cassol at radf@quilpie.qld.gov.au or telephone (07)

JOHN WAUGH PARK OVAL CLOSURE

Residents are reminded that due to the upgrade of the oval at John Waugh Park, this facility will be closed until further notice. Please stay off the oval surface whilst works are being undertaken. For further information please contact Council's Customer Service Centre on (07) 4656 0500.

Dave Burges

Chief Executive Officer

(07) 4656 0500

www.quilpie.qld.gov.au

April 2019

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
1 9.00am Aqua with Alina	2 2.00pm CWA Hall Craft & Conservation	3 10.30am CWA Hall Tai Chi	4 9.00am Aqua with Alina 2.00pm CWA Hall Healthy Minds	5 10.30am St Matthews Hall Bingo	6	7
8 9.00am Aqua with Alina	9 2.00pm St Matthews Hall Craft & Conservation	10 10.30am St Matthews Hall Board Games	11 9.00am Aqua with Alina 2.00pm St Matthews Hall Healthy Minds	12 10.30am CWA Hall Hoy 12.00pm Pot Luck Lunch	13	14
15 9.00am Aqua with Alina	16 2.00pm CWA Hall Craft & Conservation	17 10.30am Library Under 5's Easter Parade	18 9.00am Aqua with Alina 2.00pm CWA Hall Healthy Minds	19 Good Friday Public Holiday	20 Easter Saturday	21 Easter Sunday
22 Easter Monday Public Holiday	23 2.00pm St Matthews Hall Craft & Conservation	24 10.30am St Matthews Hall Relaxation Therapy	25 Anzac Day Public Holiday	26 10.30am St Matthews Hall Jumble Sale	27	28
29 9.00am Aqua with Alina	30 2.00pm CWA Hall Craft & Conservation					

Queensland Health

Falls Prevention

Tips to help you Stay On Your Feet®

April 2019 No Falls Month

April No Falls is an international campaign, which aims to educate and raise awareness of falls prevention and help those at risk of falling to stay on their feet.

Don't forget, some medicines can make you dizzy so when you get up, get up slow!



COMPREHENSIVE CARE

For more information visit

<https://www.health.qld.gov.au/stayonyourfeet/for-seniors/keep-safe>



Queensland Government



QUILPIE CULTURAL SOCIETY INC
 P.O. Box 172
 Quilpie 4480



Quilpie Cultural Society Workshops 2019

16th – 17th March

Silversmithing with Jill Dyer Rep
 Jane Mulligan 0428547400

3rd – 6th May

Embroidery with Marlene Lamberth
 Rep Robyn Cherry 0428612566

15th – 19th May

Raffle Quilt with Cheryl Denny
 Rep Jan McConnell 0428562083

23rd – 27th May

Furniture Restoration with Dean Timms
 Rep Josie Martyr 0427036984

31st May – 3rd June

Cathedral Windows quilt with Fran Bulmer
 Rep Jan McConnell 0428562083

14th – 17th June

Upholstery with Tim Symons
 Rep Josie Martyr 0427036984

June date to be determined (*Funding Pending*)

Ironwork with Brian Rutledge
 Rep Kylie Rutledge 0746564731

10th – 11th August

Silversmithing with Jill Dyer Rep
 Jane Mulligan 0428547400

23rd – 26th August (*Funding Pending*)

“Judy Niemeyer” foundation paper piecing and **“By Annie Bag”** with 2 tutors from Fifi’s Fabricology
 Rep Jan McConnell 0428562083

20th – 23rd March 2020 (*Funding Pending*)

Repurposed Fabric Textiles Collage with Jennifer Clouston
 Rep Jan McConnell 0428562083

RADF Workshops in 2019 with dates yet to be set:

Lyn Barnes	Pastels
John Morrison	Watercolours
Maxine Thompson	Pastels
Louise Gronold	Photography

Reminder – 2019 Memberships are due for renewal.

We are looking for expressions of interest for Millinery and Glass work.

If anyone is interested in becoming a Rep and organising a new and/or different workshop please contact us at cultural_society@hotmail.com.au

Or feel free to contact any of the committee:

President Jess Gilby 0457 033 900
Secretary Gina McConnell 0427 300 021
Treasurer Louise Hall 0488 596 540

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HEART of AUSTRALIA

HEART OF AUSTRALIA BE VISITING QUILPIE
FROM THE 28th – 30th OF JUNE

The mobile clinic will be offering the following services:

- Cardiology specialist consultations
- Stress echocardiograms
- Exercise stress testing
- Echocardiograms
- 24 hour holter monitoring
- 24 hour blood pressure monitoring
- ECGs
- Telehealth sleep specialist consultations
- Sleep Studies and CPAP Trials
- Respiratory Function Tests
- Endocrinology specialist consultations
- Psychiatry specialist consultations *coming soon*

Bookings for the above consultations and tests can now be made through **Heart of Australia**.

To download a Referral Form visit: www.heartofaustralia.com

Phone: (07) 3162 5310
Fax: (07) 3077 7153



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EMBROIDERY WORKSHOP – TUTOR MARLENE LAMBERT 4 DAYS- FRIDAY 3RD TO MONDAY 6TH MAY 2019

2 Workshop choices – or bring your own embroidery project for Marlene to help you finish.

- ‘HARDANGER NEEDLECASE’ - on linen with Perle thread
- ‘BIRD’ Embroidered zippered bag – on linen with DMC thread

KITS AVAILABLE FOR BOTH @ \$20.00 – KITS MUST BE PRE-ORDERED

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

CONTACT ROBYN CHERRY – 0428 612 566



Daily Workshop Fees – Members \$30.00, Non-Members \$55.00, Pensioners \$25.00

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BreastScreen
Queensland

BreastScreen Mobile is coming to

Quilpie Hospital
3rd - 5th June 2019



One screen is not enough

Get a mammogram
every two years

If you are 50 – 74 call 13 20 50

Book online at www.breastscreen.qld.gov.au

FARM HOUSEHOLD ALLOWANCE

The Farm Household Allowance (FHA) is an Australian Government support package that's available to eligible farmers and their partners experiencing hardship (including drought) for up to four cumulative years. FHA gives farmers breathing space to implement plans and seek training so they are better placed to sustain their farming business.

The Australian Government has made some important changes to the program:

**Applications must be submitted before
June 30 2019.**

The asset threshold will be temporarily increased to \$5 million to allow thousands more farmers to access this package.

To apply for the Farm Household Allowance, you can either call the Farmer Assistance Hotline on 132 316 or online at Farm Household Allowance or download an application form at www.humanservices.gov.au/farmhouseholdallowance.

ST FINBARR'S PARISH QUILPIE

Sunday Mass Times and Special Celebrations 2019

The community is openly welcome to attend any or all of the Liturgy Celebrations & Assemblies held at St Finbarr's School.

Holy Week and Easter

Thursday 4th April - School Easter Prayer Celebration

St Finbarr's School 9am

Sunday 14th April - Palm Sunday - Blessing of Palms and Mass

St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Sunday 21st April - Rev Di Murphy, Easter Mass

St Matthews Anglican Church 10am

Sunday 28th April - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Sunday 26th May - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Friday 7th June - Pentecost Prayer Assembly

St Finbarr's School 9am

Sunday 23rd June - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Sunday 28th July - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Thursday 8th August - Prayer Celebration,

St Mary Mackillop Feast Day - St Finbarr's School 9am

Sunday 25th August - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Sunday 22nd September - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Sunday 27th October - Mass, St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Friday 1st November - All Saints & All Souls Prayer Service

St Finbarr's Church 10.30 am

Sunday 24th November - End of year Mass

St Finbarr's Church 6pm

Christmas Mass times to be advised

AMP's Tomorrow Fund

Grants of between \$5,000 to \$100,000 can cover a range of activities, including training, travel and equipment costs, living expenses, rent and research.

Apply online at ampstomorrowfund.com.au.

Applications must be in by **4pm (AEST) on 27 May 2019**. The website's [Tips and tools](#) section also includes FAQs, useful resources such as downloadable posters, fact sheets and a sample application. There are also profiles on our past recipients - known as [AMP Tomorrow Makers](#).

VISITING HEALTH SERVICES

Body Alignment Therapy

Body Alignment Therapist, Lois Fernandez offers pain relief and functional support to those who have issues such as sciatica, sore backs, stiff necks, stress related conditions as well as conditions in children. To book for an appointment please ring 0419 657 408.

Dental Services

The Dental Truck will be visiting Quilpie on a regular basis.

To make appointments please call 0400 473 441 or email truck@thedentalstation.com.au

CWAATSICH

Quilpie Health Services - please contact CWAATSICH directly on 4656 1391.

Dr Fielding - 16 & 17 April

Speech Pathology - 18 April

OSG training each week to be advised.

Quilpie Hospital (South West Hospital & Health Service)

A range of allied health and medical specialists visit Quilpie Hospital on a regular basis. For further information and dates contact the Quilpie Medical Centre directly on 07 4656 1158.

Dental Services (South West Oral Health Clinic) - will be providing Oral Health Services at the Quilpie Hospital Dental Clinic. To make an appointment call: 1300 215 659.

Visiting Allied Health Services requiring referral:

Speech Pathologist - 23 April

Occupational Therapist - 23 April

Dietician - 23 April



ST FINBARR'S SCHOOL
INVITES
MOTHERS OF THE QUILPIE COMMUNITY
TO

Mother's Day High Tea & Prayer Assembly

1.30pm, Friday 3rd May 2019 at St Finbarr's School

RSVP: by 26th April 2019,
Bookings are essential if you wish to attend
PH: 46561412

JUMBLE SALE

Due to the overwhelming amount of donated goods in the recent weeks, we ask that **NO MORE DONATIONS** be left at the Church Hall until further notice.

We apologise for the inconvenience, but we need to clear the backlog of goods in order to accept new ones.

Please **DO NOT** put soiled items in your donations.

THANK YOU for your understanding in this matter and also our thanks go to the many people who have left donated goods for us to process and sell.

Regards from Robyn, Tina and the wonderful volunteers who man the sale every month.



HOLD DONATIONS PLEASE - WE'RE FULL!



ChemClear
collection
information

Dispose of your unwanted or obsolete agvet chemicals in one easy collection.

QLD - June 2019

Register your chemicals by mid-April.
(date to be confirmed)

FREE collection of Group 1 chemicals:

- with readable labels
- still in original containers
- not mixed with other products
- within 2 years of expiry or deregistration
- from drumMUSTER participating companies

Fee for service for Group 2 chemicals

For further information please call Colin Hoye on mobile: 0428 964 576



SAVE THE DATE

18th - 20th October 2019

Channel Country Ladies Day

Thargomindah Western Queensland



Register your chemicals at ChemClear:

chemclear.org.au/register-your-chemical

1800 008 182



2019 QUILPIE SHIRE EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	CONTACT	DETAILS
MARCH			
29 th <i>Closing 29th April</i>	Cultural Society/ RADF Exhibition	VIC Girls – 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 6:30pm
APRIL			
12 th & 13 th	Adavale Rodeo, Gymkhana & Campdraft	Dale Chicken – 4654 0237	Adavale Sport & Rec. Grounds
19 th , 20 th & 21 st	Eromanga Rodeo, Gymkhana & Campdraft	Jo Pegler	Eromanga Rodeo Grounds
20 th & 21 st	Toompine Easter Gunshoot	Philippa Ware – 0408 987 688	Toompine – Camping, Bar & canteen avail.
24 th	Twilight Service	Lisa Hamlyn – 4656 0500	Quilpie Cemetery
25 th	Anzac Day	Lisa Hamlyn – 4656 0500	Shire Hall
25 th	Anzac Day Bowls	Dave Paulsen	Quilpie Club
MAY			
3 rd <i>Closing 5th June</i>	A Palette Of Pastel Exhibition	VIC Girls – 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 3.00pm
4 th	Quilpie Diggers Race Club – Cup Day	Courtney Bartlett – 4656 1271	Bulloo Park from 11:00am
11 th	Mulga Mates Mother's Day High Tea	Kindy	
TBA	Biggest Morning Tea	Michelle Donohue – 4656 0500	10am – 12pm Gold Coin Donation
JUNE			
7 th <i>Closing 15th July</i>	Kaye Kerner Exhibition	VIC Girls - 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 6.30pm
29 th & 30 th	Quilpie Polocrosse Carnival	Karen Hall - 0429 977 718	Bulloo Park
JULY			
19 th <i>Closing 26th Aug.</i>	Local Photography Exhibition	VIC Girls – 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 6:30pm
20 th & 21 st	Nockatunga/Toompine Polocrosse Carnival	Dee Edwards possamunga@activ8.net.au	Toompine – Bar, Canteen & Camping avail.
	Presidents Day	Jocelyn Haylock - 0409 302 263	Quilpie Club
AUGUST			
	Quilpie Motorbike Gymkhana	Kerri Vagg - 0417 739 426	Bulloo Park
	Quilpie Golf Club Open Weekend		Quilpie Golf Club
30 th August <i>Closing 4th Oct.</i>	Samantha Meurant Exhibition	VIC Girls – 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 6:30pm
SEPTEMBER			
3 rd	Kangaranga Do	Bluey & Ann – 4656 1300	Main Street - Imperial Hotel
14 th	Quilpie Show & Rodeo	Danielle Dunlop - 4656 2550	Bulloo Park from 10am
27 th & 28 th	Pride Of The West Festival	Courtney Bartlett – 4656 1271	Bulloo Park from 11am
OCTOBER			
	Annual 2 Day Bowls Carnival	Jocelyn Haylock - 0409 302 263	Bowls Club
11 th <i>Closing 8th Nov.</i>	Combined Schools Exhibition	VIC Girls – 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 6:30pm
	Ladies Night In	Philippa Ware 0408 987 688	Bulloo Park
TBA	St. Finbarr's Fete & Mystery Holiday		St. Finbarr's
NOVEMBER			
11 th	Remembrance Day	Lisa or Janet – 4656 0540	Bob Young Memorial Park
15 th <i>Closing Jan. 2020</i>	Christmas in the Gallery	VIC Girls – 4656 0540	Quilpie Shire Gallery @ 6:30pm
DECEMBER			
TBA	Town Christmas Party	Jenny Hewson 4656 1311	

The National Disability Insurance Scheme (also called the NDIS) is the new way of providing disability support.

The NDIS will provide all Australians under the age of 65 who have a permanent and significant disability with the reasonable and necessary supports they need to enjoy an ordinary life.



The NDIS will help people with disability achieve their goals. This may include greater independence,



As an insurance scheme, the NDIS takes a lifetime approach, investing in people with disability early to improve their outcomes later in life.



The NDIS also provides people with disability, their family and carers with information and referrals to existing support services in the community.



By 2019, the NDIS will support about 460,000 Australians with disability.



Can I access the NDIS?

To become an NDIS participant a person must:

- ✓ Have a permanent disability that significantly affects their ability to take part in everyday activities;
- ✓ Be aged less than 65 when they first enter the NDIS;
- ✓ Be an Australian citizen or hold a permanent visa or a Protected Special Category visa; and
- ✓ Live in Australia where the NDIS is available.

Can I still receive support if I do not meet the access requirements for the NDIS?

A person does not have to be an NDIS participant to receive support from the NDIS. The NDIS will connect people with disability, their families and carers, including people who are not NDIS participants, to disability and mainstream supports in their community.

To find out more call or visit
Council's NDIS Support
Coordinator, Chris Houghton on
0436 816 827

