

OUR COUNCIL

NEWS, NOTICES & EVENTS AROUND THE REGION



Councillor Troy Arandale Resigns from Council

Council has received the resignation of Councillor Troy Arandale, who has stepped down from his position effective today (24 July 2025).

Mayor Margot Davis, on behalf of Council, acknowledged Councillor Arandale's service to the community during his time as a Councillor, including his term as Deputy Mayor.

In accordance with the Local Government Act 1993, the NSW Electoral Commission will conduct a countback election to fill the vacancy.

[Click here to read the full story.](#)

CAFS Playgroups, OOSH & MyTime Support Group

Council's Children and Family Services (CAFS) Playgroups and MyTime services have resumed for the school term, offering support for children, families and carers.

For more information or to book a spot, please contact Council's Coordinator Children, Youth and Family Services Kerry Bowman: 0427 011 974.



CAFS PLAYGROUP
Tuesday
9:30am to 11:30am
Light morning tea provided.

CAFS OOSH
Monday - Friday
3:00pm to 6:00pm

CAFS Pool House, 185
West Avenue, Glen Innes



Playgroups
MyTime
OOSH



**JARJUM'S
PLAYGROUP
(ABORIGINAL
PLAYGROUP)**

Thursday
10:30am to 12:30pm
CAFS Pool House, 185
West Avenue, Glen Innes

**WYTALIBA
PLAYGROUP**
Wednesday
10am to 12pm
Wyaliba School, Old
Grafton Road, Glen Innes



**MYTIME
SUPPORT GROUP**
Friday (fortnightly)
11am to 1pm
CAFS Pool House, 185
West Avenue, Glen Innes

Group for carers of children with a
disability, developmental delay or
chronic medical condition.
Light lunch provided.



Development Applications on Exhibition

Council is currently assessing the following Development Applications:

DA No.: 78/24-25 (PAN-546548)
Applicant: Department of Planning, Housing & Infrastructure
Proposal: Demolition of Existing Building & Ancillary Structures (Heritage Item)
Location: 192 Ferguson Street, Glen Innes (Lot 1 Sec 31 DP758447)
Submissions close: Thursday 7 August 2025

DA No.: 67/24-25 (PAN-525387)
Applicant: The Trustee for Tenterfield Surveys Unit Trust
Development: Two (2) Lot Subdivision
Land: 148 Church Street, Glen Innes NSW - Lot 2 DP512765
Submissions close: Thursday 20 August 2025

Plans and documents are available on Council's website and the NSW Planning Portal. For more information, visit the [Advertised Development Applications page](#) on Council's website or call (02) 6730 2300.

Upcoming Annual General Meetings

Stonehenge Reserve Trust - Thursday, 7 August 2025 at 9AM | "Rosecroft", 105 Cramsie Crescent, Glen Innes.

You're Invited! Highlands Hub Open Day

You're invited to drop in anytime between 8am and 7pm on Thursday 31 July for the Highlands Hub Open Day.

Come and explore how the Hub is transforming into a vibrant space for creativity, business support and community connection.

Highlights of the day include free hot desk access, information about the Town Boosters Program, and ways to get involved in Christmas in the Highlands - Illuminations. There will also be volunteer opportunities for upcoming Council events and a chance to chat with Council staff and share your ideas.

Whether you're an artist, business owner, creative thinker or simply curious about what's next for Glen Innes, this is a great opportunity to connect and contribute.

The event is part of a broader initiative to grow placemaking, innovation and local opportunity across the Highlands.

The Highlands Hub will be open from 8am to 7pm on the day. To book a time with Council's Coordinator Economic Development & Tourism, email rbombell@gisc.nsw.gov.au or call (02) 6730 2408.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

Infrastructure Works Program

The following works are scheduled in the period ending 8 August 2025 subject to weather conditions and unforeseen delays:

- Jet patching on Strathbogie Road, Emmaville Road and the Glen Innes Township
- Street sweeping is scheduled in the Glen Innes Township
- Roadside slashing is planned on Wellington Vale Road
- The Roads Construction Crew will be working at Wellington Vale Road
- Maintenance grading is scheduled at Aqua Park Road, Sara River Road, Warra Forrest Road and Mt Slow Road
- The Bridge Team is working on culverts at Bald Nob Road and Cocks Road
- The Drainage Team is working on Emmaville, Ryans Road, Doolan and box Culverts on Strathbogie Road
- The Maintenance Crew will be working at various locations installing rural road signage
- The Heavy Patching Crew will be working on Tablelands Road

For upcoming road closures, please visit the [Roads page](#) on Council's website.

CAREERS AT COUNCIL

- Asset Officer
- Coordinator Development Assessment
- Ranger
- Parks Labourer (3 positions)
- Casual Positions

Apply now via the [Jobs at Council](#) page on Council's website.

UPCOMING EVENTS IN THE HIGHLANDS

Every
Saturday
Australian
Standing Stones Parkrun
8am

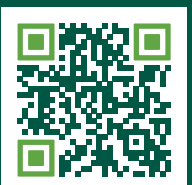
30 July
Bowling Trip with Life Choices
Inverell
(Contact LC-SS to book 6730 2500)

31 July
Aged Care Reforms Information
Session (Contact LC-SS to book 6730 2500)
10am

31 July
Highlands Hub Open Day
Glen Innes Highlands Hub
8am

5 & 27 August
Day Out at Danthonia
(Contact LC-SS to book 6730 2500)

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