



## South Gippsland Shire Council News

### Level Up Your Community Group



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Shire Council

Are you part of a community group and would like to enhance your grant writing and event management skills?

If so, Council is hosting two workshops that will help you take your community group to the next level.

#### Event Registration and Attendee Management Training

This session will empower community groups to use online event managements systems to create events, engage their communities and register and manage event attendance with confidence.

Topics include:

- Setting goals for the event.
- Choosing the right event management platform.
- Using event management systems to create events and automate attendee engagement.
- Using Canva to keep your media messaging, graphics and branding consistent.

This workshop will be held Saturday 21 October from 9.30am to 12.00pm with a light lunch included.

#### Advanced Grant Writing Workshop

In this session, an experienced grant writer and assessor will show you how to research and

write winning grant applications that will get you funded. You will become more confident in using persuasive language in your applications and learn about the mindset of the grant funder and assessors.

Some of the workshop topics include:

- Learning how to research funders so you can match your grant funding needs to their interests.
- Preparing each section so that you use the most useful information and avoid mistakes that can lose points.
- Looking at your proposal from the funders and assessor's viewpoints.
- Obtaining community and other support before submitting your application.
- Taking the next step when your proposal is either funded or rejected.

This workshop will be held Thursday 2 November from 5.30pm to 8.00pm with a light meal included.

*Please note, this workshop is for previous attendees of Grant Writing Workshops or grant writers with lots of experience. Number of participants is limited to two representatives per community group.*

Both of these workshops are free of cost. For more information and to book a workshop, please visit: [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/grants](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/grants)

### Australia Day Awards



Know someone that goes above and beyond in our community? Australia Day Award nominations are now open.

Nominations are now open for the South Gippsland Australia Day Awards.

The awards provide an opportunity to recognise people who go above and beyond in our community. Awards are now open in the following categories:

- Citizen of the Year Nomination Form
- Young Citizen of the Year Nomination Form
- Community Event of the Year

Nominations are open until 8 November 2023.

For more information and to make a nomination, please visit: [www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/australiaday](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/australiaday)

#### COUNCIL MEETINGS

Wednesday 18 October 2.00pm  
(Council Chambers, Leongatha)

Dates are also listed on Council's website at:

[www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meeting-dates](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/meeting-dates)

To watch the 'open' part of the meeting live or when it suits you, visit:

[www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/live)

Please contact the Governance Team for questions about Council Meetings.

#### EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Looking for a new job? We might have the perfect position for you!

Check out our current vacant positions here:

[www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/vacantpositions](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/vacantpositions)

#### IMPOUNDED VEHICLE – NOTICE OF SALE

Council impounded the following vehicle in accordance with Schedule 11 of the *Local Government Act 1989*.

**2007 Black Ford Sedan**

**Registration Number.** 1VY8BU

**Engine Number.** AFACXXMJDC7M00330

As this vehicle has not been collected and relevant fees paid within 14 days of impoundment, the vehicle will now be offered for sale to the public.

Offers marked "Abandoned Vehicle" and addressed to the Coordinator Local Laws, South Gippsland Shire Council, Private Bag 4, Leongatha Vic 3953 are hereby invited for the purchase and removal from Council of the aforementioned abandoned vehicle.

Offers close at 2.00pm on 13 October 2023 and are to be delivered to Council's reception area at 9 Smith Street, Leongatha on or before the said time and date. The vehicle can be viewed at the Council Depot in Korumburra by appointment with the Local Laws Department on 5662 9200.

#### REQUEST FOR TENDER

Council is seeking submissions from qualified companies/applicants for the following:

**RFT/377 – Design and Construct Public Amenities & Shelters at Leongatha and Korumburra Railway Precincts**

Tenders close 2.00pm AEST on Tuesday 17 October 2023

**RFT/383 – Black Spot Funding – Intersection Reconstruction – Corner Koonwarra-Inverloch and Koonwarra-Pound Creek Roads**

Tenders close 2.00pm AEST on Tuesday 17 October 2023

**RFT/387 – Leongatha Municipal Office Redevelopment – Exterior Refurbishment**

Tenders close at 2.00pm AEST on Tuesday 31 October 2023

Documentation is available from Council's e-Tendering Portal

[www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/tenders](http://www.southgippsland.vic.gov.au/tenders)

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