

DIARY DATES

22 December 2020

Recycling Collection

24 December 2020

Shire Closed for Christmas Re-opening 4 January 2021

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Shire of Mt Marshall

THE SANDALWOOD SHIRE —

14 December 2020

SHIRE OFFICE CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS OPENING HOURS

The Shire Office will be closing over the Christmas and New Years Period. Please see details below:

Wednesday 23 December Thursday 24 December Friday 25 December	9.00 – 4.00 CLOSED CLOSED
Monday 28 December Tuesday 29 December Wednesday 30 December Thursday 31 December Friday 1 January	CLOSED CLOSED CLOSED CLOSED CLOSED



Monday 4 January 9.00 - 4.00

MOSQUITO CONTROL

During late January and early February of 2021 the Shire will be



carrying out a mosquito control measure at all townsite residences in Beacon and Bencubbin. An environmentally safe product will be introduced to the septic system of each residence, either directly or via the toilet. Toilet access will only be required should there not be direct access to the septic tank.

If you have any queries regarding the control method, please contact the Shire on 9685 1202.

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BUSH FIRE ACT 1954 PROHIBITED BURNING TIME

All burning is prohibited in the Shire of Mt Marshall from Saturday 1 November 2020 to Sunday 31 January 2021. The Restricted Burning time will then continue until Monday 15 March 2021.

Burning to Protect a Dwelling / House

Throughout the whole of the prohibited burning times, a fire break may be burnt to protect a dwelling house or other building, or a stack of produce. All the conditions of section 18 of the Bush Fires Act must be complied with including obtaining a permit for the burning. The burning may be carried out only between the hours of 4 o'clock in the afternoon and midnight of the same day as is specified in the permit, and within two plough or spade breaks of which the outer break is not more than 100 metres from the property to be protected.

Burning of Garden Refuse and Rubbish

Garden refuse and rubbish may be burnt at any time, day or night, in a properly constructed incinerator designed to prevent the escape of sparks or burning material.

Garden refuse and rubbish burnt on the ground may be burnt only between the hours of 6 o'clock in the evening and 11 o'clock of the same day and must be completely extinguished no later than midnight on that day.

Firebreaks.

All landholders are reminded of the requirements relating to the provision of firebreaks. If your firebreaks do not comply with the Shire's Fire Break Order it may affect your insurance. Town site residents who have not complied will have received a letter from the Shire recently.

Camping and Cooking Fires

All cooking, camping and open fires are prohibited during the prohibited burning time in the Shire of Mt Marshall. Wood or charcoal BBQ's and pizza ovens are permitted unless the fire danger index for the day is very high or above. Gas or electric BBQ's are permitted at all times. Permission can be obtained from the Shire to waive these conditions.

If you require any further information please contact the Shire Office or your local Bush Fire Control Officer.

TAKE CARE AND HELP TO PREVENT BUSH FIRES



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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT LICENSING DURING JANUARY 2021

Please be advised that the drivers and vehicle licensing service will not be available at the Shire office **between 12pm and 2pm** on the following dates:

4th — 8th January 2021

11th January 2021

We apologise for any inconvenience.

MT MARSHALL AQUATIC CENTRE UPDATE

With works being delayed we hope the facility will open by mid-January. This week the main pool bowl is getting a coat of paint and the landscapers are continuing the paved areas around the two swimming bowls. The facility is certainly coming together as the project nears an end. Keep an eye out on social media throughout January for the opening date. Unfortunately, we will be waiting on compliance checks and water testing to be completed prior to opening so we are unable to provide a firm date at this stage.

We would like to thank the community for their patience. We have included a few progress photos so you can see how amazing the facility is looking and how close we are getting to opening day.



