



Colac Otway SHIRE



March Council meeting - Apollo Bay

The March Council meeting will be held on:

Date: Wednesday 27 March 2024

Time: 4pm

Venue: Apollo Bay Bowls Club,
6 Moore Street

Council meetings are open to the public and interested people are welcome to attend. The Council meeting will be livestreamed to the public via Council's You Tube channel (search Colac Otway Shire Council at www.youtube.com).

Copies of the agenda will be available Friday 22 March 2024 at www.colacotway.vic.gov.au



Council's Grants Program

Applications are now open for Council's Grants Program 2024 - 25 to assist funding projects and events that benefit the wider community.

A total pool of \$311,500* is available through three funding streams:

- Community Grants
- Events Grants
- Business Grants

**(subject to budget approval)*

Applications are now open and close 5pm on Friday 12 April.

Grant Writing Workshop

Council, with Leisure Networks, are holding a Grant Writing Workshop for people interested in improving their grant writing skills.

Please register via Council's website ('search Grants Program via the homepage').

When: Monday 18 March

Time: 6pm to 7.30pm

Where: Central Reserve Pavilion

For more information and to apply for a grant, visit Council's website www.colacotway.vic.gov.au and search 'Grants Program' or contact Council's Grants Officer on 5232 9400.



Have Your Say

Council currently has the following draft policy and projects on exhibition with the community invited to provide feedback:

- Draft Flag Policy
- Seeking Expressions of Interest from entities that wish to take on ownership of the property at 69 McLachlan Street, Apollo Bay
- Proposed change to speed limit at Kennett River and Colac CBD
- Notice of Intention to Discontinue Road Reserve - Corner of Queen Street and Murray Street Colac (Colac Visitor Information Centre)

For more information and to make a submission, visit Council's website www.colacotway.vic.gov.au and click Have Your Say from the homepage.



Speak with Council Senior Managers in Cororooke

Council staff will be working out of Cororooke and you're invited to drop in and say hello if you have any Council business to discuss.

Where: Cororooke Hall (580 Corangamite Lake Road)

When: Monday 18 March from 10.30am to 11.30am



Colac Otway Shire Community Awards

The Community Awards celebrate the outstanding achievements and contributions of exemplary individuals and groups in our community.

Nominations may be submitted across three categories, Community Service Award, Young Citizen of the Year and Citizen of the Year to recognise the commitment of community-minded residents who have made a significant contribution to the shire.

To submit a nomination, visit Council's website www.colacotway.vic.gov.au (search 'Community Awards'), nominations close 7 April 2024.



We're recruiting

If you're interested in working alongside your community, engaging in local projects and helping to make Colac Otway the great place it is, work with us!

- **Multipurpose Officer/Plant Operator (Apollo Bay)**
- **Enhanced Family Support Worker**
- **Senior Planning Compliance Officer**

For a position description and to apply online, visit www.colacotway.vic.gov.au or contact Human Resources on (03) 5232 9400

