

In Brief

Updates from the Toowoomba Region

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Upcoming Events

www.tr.qld.gov.au/events

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NOV

Hospice Christmas Carols
Toowoomba Hospice

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DEC

CBD Christmas Carnival
Various locations – details at
www.tr.qld.gov.au/events

5
DEC

Buy a Bale Christmas Market
Toowoomba Showgrounds

5-24
DEC

Toowoomba's Christmas Wonderland
Queens Park Toowoomba

6
DEC

4GR Mayoral Carols by Candlelight
Queens Park Frogs Hollow

7
DEC

Santa's Workshop
Cobb + Co Museum

December Council Meetings

The next Committee of Council meetings are at 9am on Tuesday, 8 December and 9am Wednesday, 9 December. The next Ordinary meeting of Council starts at 10am on Tuesday, 15 December. All meetings are at City Hall, 541 Ruthven Street, Toowoomba.

Council Cab Service Launch

The official trial of the Council Cab service will launch on 10 December from 9.30am-11am at the Empire Theatre lawn with morning tea provided. RSVP by 9 Dec on **131 872**.

Get your business storm ready

What's your what-if plan? Make sure you have an emergency plan in place for your business and prepare your premises to be storm ready www.getready.qld.gov.au

New community meeting rooms

On level three of the new Toowoomba City Library, there are a range of modern meeting rooms and community spaces available for hire, with capacity to host 4-100 people. Expressions of interest for room bookings are now open. For more info, contact **131 872** or email civic.precinct@tr.qld.gov.au

White Ribbon Day Monument

The Toowoomba Region continued its campaign against domestic violence by unveiling the first stand-alone monument in Clewley Park dedicated to the victims of violence anywhere in Australia.

School Holiday Activities

Keep your kids fit this summer with a range of fun swimming and snorkelling activities. To enrol or find out more, call Highfields Fitness and Recreation Centre on **4699 6530**.

JOBS AT COUNCIL

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ICT Projects Portfolio Coordinator

Contact Shane Hinchliffe on
07 4688 6313 for more information.

TEMPORARY
FULL-TIME

Trainee – Certificate III Business

Contact Fenella Gesch on
07 4688 6371 for more information.

TEMPORARY
FULL-TIME

5pm Monday, 7 December 2015

To find out more about these positions
please visit our website –

careers.toowoombarc.qld.gov.au

Brian Pidgeon – Chief Executive Officer

Free mulch

The last free mulch day at the Toowoomba Waste Management Facility, Bedford Street is on Sunday, 6 December. Free mulch will be available from our new Greater Toowoomba Waste Management Facility, O'Mara Road, Wellcamp after January. To stay updated, visit www.tr.qld.gov.au/mulch

Local History Library

The Toowoomba Local History Library at 618 Ruthven St will close to the public from 1pm on November 28. Full services will resume when the facility re-opens at the new Toowoomba City Library at the corner of Ruthven and Herries streets in early February 2016.

Heritage Incentives Policy

Business owners of local and state heritage listed commercial premises in Toowoomba's CBD and seven regional towns are being urged to apply for conservation funding under Council's CBD Heritage Incentives Policy. For more info including eligibility criteria, visit www.tr.qld.gov.au

Changed Traffic Conditions

The next stage of works on the water main upgrade is about to commence at Tor and Hogg St in Toowoomba. Changed traffic conditions will occur between 30 November – 11 December (weather permitting). Full details at www.tr.qld.gov.au

Attention violin students

Nominations are now open for the Norman Miller Violin Award which is presented to promising musicians across the region. The winner will be announced in December before the end of the school year. For info and selection criteria visit www.tr.qld.gov.au

Toowoomba Regional ART Gallery

5 November – 6 December
watershed Danielle Hobbs /
Visceral Jean Cameron

These two bodies of work represent the culmination of Danielle's and Jean's studio artist-in-residence, *Off The GRID Too!* Their progress and personal stories were captured for ABC Open's 'Makers and Creators' project and the final videos are now on display as part of the exhibition.



Danielle HOBBS | *washaway* (detail) 2015 | pastel and graphite on paper | 17 x 17cm | Jean CAMERON | *Emotions & obligations* (detail) 2015 | wood, bone and silver | 15 x 13 x 7cm
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Off The GRID Too! is a joint project between The GRID Hybrid Arts Collective Inc. and Toowoomba Regional Art Gallery. The Regional Arts Development Fund is a Queensland Government and Toowoomba Regional Council partnership to support local arts and culture.



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Gallery hours Tuesday – Saturday 10am – 4pm

Sunday 1pm – 4pm

Full exhibitions listing available online

To find out more details,
please call **131 872** or
visit www.tr.qld.gov.au



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