

## EMPLOYMENT VACANCIES

Parks and Gardens Foreman—based in Blackall  
Labourer/Plant Operator—based in Blackall  
Labourer/Plant Operator—based in Tambo  
Works Supervisor—based in Tambo



Application forms, along with the position descriptions can be downloaded from Council's website.  
Further information can be obtained by contacting Council's Human Resource Officer by emailing [HR@btrc.qld.gov.au](mailto:HR@btrc.qld.gov.au)

**Applications close Thursday 6 October 2022 at 1.00pm**

## Regional Arts Development Fund

### Grant Funding Available

RADF Funding Round 2 applications close 28 October 2022. Further information and application forms are available on Council's website  
[btrc.qld.gov.au](http://btrc.qld.gov.au)

September 2022

# COUNCIL CATCH-UP

*~ an insight into what Council is working on in our region ~*



## BLACKALL-TAMBO EVENTS

### Halloween

This year there will be a Halloween Disco held in each town on Saturday 29th October.

Blackall: Cultural Centre, 6pm—8pm

Tambo: Shire Hall, 6pm—8pm

All children must be registered to attend! Contact the Council Admin Offices for more info on 4621 6600.

### The Centre Within

Helen Everingham's Centre Within workshop is being held on Saturday and Sunday October 22 & 23 at the Blackall Cultural Centre. To book please contact the Blackall Council Admin Office on 4621 6600.

## MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

**23rd-28th October**

### Paint and Sip— Sunday 23rd

\$20 per person  
limited spots available

### Touch Football Comp

Monday 24th

6pm start; Blackall Showgrounds  
12 years and older  
BBQ provided after the game

### Walking Groups

Tuesday 25th & Thursday 27th

7am start both days at Memorial Hall

### Colour Run—Wednesday 26th

5:30pm start at the Pathway to Health  
All ages welcome.

For more information on any of the Mental Health Week events please contact Brooke at the Blackall Council Admin Office on 4621 6600.

## MOSQUITO FOGGING

Council will be fogging for mosquitos in Blackall and Tambo.

Fogging in Blackall will be from the 5th October to 7th October.

Tambo fogging will be done 10 October to 12 October.

The community is encouraged to participate in mosquito control on their property by removing any potential breeding sites (e.g. water filled containers).

## AUSTRALIA DAY NOMINATIONS

Nominations for the Blackall-Tambo Australia Day Awards are now open. Nomination forms can be collected from the BTRC admin offices or by emailing [admin@btrc.qld.gov.au](mailto:admin@btrc.qld.gov.au).



## BLACKALL SALEYARDS CANTEN LEASE

Council is looking to appoint a committed person to undertake a two (2) year lease, commencing January 2023, for the Blackall Saleyards Canteen with an option to renew for two (2) years.

The successful applicant will be required to:  
Conduct the sale of food and drink before and during sale days;  
Maintain and hold an appropriate Food Licence;  
Maintain and hold public liability insurance.

Applications are to be submitted in writing and include details of the proposed service.

A copy of the lease can be obtained by contacting Andrea Saunders, Executive Assistant on 07 4621 6600 or emailing [PA@btrc.qld.gov.au](mailto:PA@btrc.qld.gov.au)



## REGIONAL WORKS

Wet Day but no play, both depots took advantage of the stand down in road works to undertake some much needed maintenance on equipment and town beautification projects.

The Barcoo River Bridge is now sealed but due to safety restrictions will not be opened to the public until the guardrail is installed.

The Blackall-Isisford Road is undergoing a rehabilitation project approximately 13kms from Blackall, this project is 8kms long and will be underway from now until December. This project will require the use of a temporary side-track at various times over the coming months. In the initial stages culvert installation is underway and this may result in closing of the road or restrictions in wet weather as we have experienced over the past two weeks. Once the culverts are installed this restriction will be lessened as we can utilise the existing road when required.



(Pictured above: Flagpole installation at the Tambo Shire Hall; new slab and landscaping at the Furphy water tank in Tambo; Council machinery maintenance; Barcoo River Bridge in Tambo.)

## BLACKALL-EMMET ROAD

There has been some concern raised over the Blackall-Emmet road no longer being all weather. Due to severe potholing and irreparable damage four sections along the road have been temporarily reverted to gravel as a safety precaution. These sections will be converted back to bitumen in conjunction with the Blackall-Isisford Rehabilitation works prior to Christmas 2022. This will ensure all weather travel for the holiday season and beyond. Other major works will be undertaken on this road in the new year such as concrete margins, resealing and signage replacement.

Due to recent weather many shire roads may be closed or subject to restrictions over the coming weeks. Please check the Council website or Facebook page for updates on the road conditions.

## COMMUNITY GROUP INFORMATION

Council is in the process of updating the clubs and associations details on the website.

If you would like your organisation's details on Council's website, please email the following details to [admin@btrc.qld.gov.au](mailto:admin@btrc.qld.gov.au):

- Organisation Name
- Address/Postal Address
- Phone
- Email
- Website

## Meeting Highlights

- ~ Council has endorsed the RADF Committee's recommendation to approve 3 applications totalling \$14,630.00
- ~ The Related Party Disclosure Policy has been reviewed and the Sale of Goods on Consignment Policy has been retired.
- ~ Works for Queensland Funding for 2021-2024 has been reallocated to the Tambo Infrastructure Services Expansion Project and Blackall Sewerage Treatment Works Rehabilitation.
- ~ Council has accepted a boundary change between Blackall-Tambo Regional Council and Barcaldine Regional Council.

*The full meeting minutes are available on Council's website*

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Next Meeting: 26th October 2022, Blackall



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## Office Opening Hours & Contact

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