

## COUNCIL NEWS



### Flinders Highway update

A section of Flinders Highway that was sealed last week is now open to the public.

People will now be able to access the section of Flinders Highway from the Pound Lane intersection up to the Port Lincoln Golf Course. As there is no line marking or guard rails installed, the road will be opened under a 40km/h speed limit. This will also help to protect the new seal until it has had time to cure. Council asks the public to please respect these lower limits as higher speeds will have an impact on the seal in the first few weeks.

There will traffic control measures in place over the Christmas and New Year periods, and works will recommence under temporary traffic lights on Monday, January 9.

The Council and contractors thank the residents for their patience during the construction works, and wish you all a happy and safe Christmas and New Year's period.

### Waste Management

#### Extra kerbside collections

Extra kerbside rubbish collections will occur in Coffin Bay during the school holidays on:

- Friday, 30 December 2022
- Friday, 6 January 2023
- Friday, 13 January 2023
- Friday, 20 January 2023

All other collections (including recycling) will be as normal.

#### Cummins & Coffin Bay Waste Transfer Stations

Closed Sunday, December 25 and Sunday, January 1, otherwise normal operating times.

### Christmas closure

The District Council of Lower Eyre Peninsula is closed from 4pm, Friday, December 23 and reopening on Tuesday, January 3. Email addresses are not being monitored during this time.

General enquiries will be responded to upon our return,

however in case of a genuine emergency please contact the following:

- Animal attacks (General Inspector): 0428 762 375
- Airport enquiries (Port Lincoln Airport): 8684 3400 (Please contact your airline directly for information relating to flights)
- All other genuine emergencies: 0488 578 636

Council wishes everyone has a happy and safe Christmas and New Year.

### New Year's dry zones

Notice is hereby given that short term Dry Zone areas will be applied from 9pm on 31 December 2022 to 8am on 1 January 2023 in Coffin Bay and Cummins. The possession and consumption of liquor is prohibited in public areas (excluding licensed premises and privately owned land) in the designated area within Cummins and Coffin Bay during this period.

### Day-Trip Itineraries

Two new Day-Trip Itineraries

have been developed to encourage people to explore and enjoy Lower Eyre.

'Coast to Coast' is a trail of local beaches and seaside townships designed to get people out and about creating their own self-drive adventures, while the 'Paddock to Plate' features experience-based offerings with a local produce edge. Visit Council's website to download each guide.





## CONGRATULATIONS!

Lower Eyre Council congratulates the winners of our Australia Day Awards for 2023!

**Citizen of the Year - Jodi Mickan**  
**Young Citizen of the Year - Rachel Worden**  
**Business of the Year - MARS Southern Plumbing**  
**Community Event of the Year - Cummins Ramblers**  
**Netball Club 75th Celebrations**



## COMMUNITY NEWS

### Donate blood

People can donate blood when the Australian Red Cross Lifeblood visits Port Lincoln from January 16-19. Pre-book your spot at [donateblood.com.au](http://donateblood.com.au), on our app or on 13 14 95.





### CAMPGROUND BOOKINGS

Please be advised that the following campgrounds are booked out over the Christmas and New Year period (December 28 to January 4):

Fishery Bay  
Farm Beach  
Greenly Beach  
Point Drummond  
Louth Bay  
Wattle (at Greenly Beach)

Fines of up to \$312.50 will be issued to people caught camping illegally.

COFFIN BAY TOURISM  
ASSOCIATION PRESENTS



# Christmas On The Bay 2022

Coffin Bay Esplanade &  
Foreshore Lawns  
Friday 23rd December



Facepainting 4.30  
Bouncy Castle 5.00  
Pageant 6.00  
Live Music 7.00  
Prizes, Santa,  
Food & Drinks!

**Free Event!**

To register your float:  
[coffinbaychristmas@gmail.com](mailto:coffinbaychristmas@gmail.com)

## Merry Christmas!

THE LOWER EYRE COUNCIL WISHES YOU A  
HAPPY AND SAFE CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR



## Be a citizen scientist for the day

Book a citizen science snorkel and survey  
marine parks with scientists

Zoom training  
pre-requisite -  
5th January, or  
watch the  
recording

Mt Dutton Bay Jetty (14th)  
Tumby Bay Lookout (15,17)  
Flat Rock, Port Gibbon (18)  
January 2023  
12pm on each day

Limited Tickets  
Adults \$59  
Children and  
Concession \$39

Book online [www.emsau.org/ems-community-tours](http://www.emsau.org/ems-community-tours)

For more information email:  
[bookings@emsau.org](mailto:bookings@emsau.org) or ring Carl 0466 278 187



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## 2023 EP MARINE PARK SUMMER SNORKELS

MOUNT  
DUTTON  
BAY JETTY  
SAT 14 JAN

TUMBY BAY  
LOOKOUT  
SUN 15  
TUES 17 JAN

FLAT ROCK,  
PORT GIBBON  
WED 18 JAN

WHYALLA  
NEW BEACH  
THURS 19  
JAN

Community  
snorkels at  
10am & 2pm  
Citizen science  
snorkels at  
12pm

Want to be a citizen  
scientist for a day?  
Check out the citizen  
science snorkels and survey  
these sites with a scientist.  
Zoom training required.

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