

Doomadgee Aboriginal Shire Council

December Issue—2017

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From the Mayor . . .

The Council has had a great year in 2017 with many fantastic achievements that have moved our Community forward. When everyone works together as a team we can reach successful outcome.

By continuing to work together in 2018, the Councillors, all Council Staff and the Community can support each other to create more opportunities for local employment through the successful development and completion of projects.

Achievements to Note

- ♦ *Successful Water Park Grant Application*
- ♦ *Twelve (12) new Houses on the way to completion*
- ♦ *New Workshop Building with slab and frame complete with side sheeting to come*
- ♦ *Woologarang West Road Upgraded*
- ♦ *Civil Work completed by Council for 22 Government Housing Units*
- ♦ *Planning is still underway for New Dump in 2018*

Thanks to Everyone who has worked to move our Community forward this year.
Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year



Beautification Team at Work



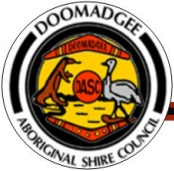
Wishing You All a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year



Happy Holidays

Closing Dates for Council Office
22 December
through to
2 January





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Building Projects across the Community . . .

Construction Projects this year in Doomadgee has the Township looking great! The new Council Workshop is up to the stage of having sheeting applied to the wall frames.

Twelve (12) new houses are close to being finished. 2018 will see them finished off and ready to be occupied. Keep an eye on these over the holiday period to keep them safe and in good order.

Civil works have been completed on the site where Council will build 22 government accommodation units. This project resulted from Council's successful tendering for this project.

Great work Team!



**From this . . .
To
This . .
wow!**



**New Houses
&
Units
Coming
in
2018**



New Council Workshop Framework



**Make sure you do a CYCLONE
CLEAN-UP (including old Cars)
and SECURE YOUR PETS for
the CLEAN UP GANG!**

**Starting on
MONDAY 18 DECEMBER**



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Happy in the Skies . .

Lots of our Local People have been enjoying the cheaper Air Fares since they registered for

CHEAPER AIR TRAVEL

Local Residents can still register for the **Local Fare Scheme at Council Office**

Registrations are still being taken and recorded so locals can take advantage of these cheaper Air Fares

See David or Renae at the Council Office!

Community Projects Update

SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB

- Members have voted and elected our Board of Management for the Sports & Social Club
- The Management Team is made up of:

President - Darcy Walden
Vice President - Shane Booth
Secretary - Mandy Brown
Treasurer - Isiah Walden
Executive Officer - Alfred Walden

- The Management Team will now work on developing the Constitution needed for our Social Club Structure.

Great Progress!

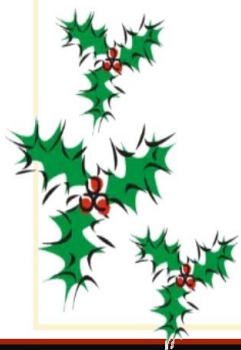
HOLIDAY SECURITY

- Council has employed a Security Team to keep community safe over the Holidays.

Support them by helping to take care of your Community!

CARING FOR OUR DOGS

As we get closer to getting our new facilities and new rules for Management of Animals, we ask that you continue to help by taking care of your dogs. *Especially over the hot Summer!*



Youth Hub Fun . . .



Great Activities at the Youth Hub in 2017!

Programs! Support! Pool! Footie! Softball! & More!



Council Staff Profile

Introducing our Staff Liaison Officer . . .

Leon Ned has taken up this position with the Council and will bring experience and skills to this important role.

Leon Ned
Staff Liaison Officer



If a CYCLONE Strikes - Are You Ready?



THE WET SEASON IS ON THE WAY

MAKE YOUR "WHAT-IF PLAN"

- ◆ CLEAN UP THE YARD
- ◆ GET RUBBISH TO THE DUMP
- ◆ "SURVIVAL BOX" - Water, Long-life Milk, Torch & Lamps, Batteries, Tin & Packet Food, Other Foods, Medicines, Personal Products, Cleaning products . . .



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Community Notices

It's that time again . .

MOSQUITO FOGGING is happening!

What can YOU do to HELP?

- Empty out any water sitting in pot plant dishes, buckets, old tyres, tins, etc . .
- Keep your grass short and your yard tidy

Let's work together to

**GET RID OF
MOZZIES!**

**get
ready**
QUEENSLAND

qld.gov.au/getready

**Now is the time to organise what
you need in an emergency.**



Important documents
in sealed bags or
scanned to a USB.



Torch.



First aid kit.



Sturdy gloves.



Waterproof bags.



Portable radio.



Fresh water.



Toiletries.



Non-perishable food
and can opener.



Spare batteries for
a radio, torch and
mobile phone.



Essential
medication.



Baby formula
and nappies.

Christmas Closures & Contacts . . .

Post Office Closed



CHRISTMAS DAY & BOXING DAY

MONDAY 25 DECEMBER

TUESDAY 26 DECEMBER

NEW YEAR'S DAY - 1 JANUARY

**COUNCIL EMERGENCY NUMBER FOR
OVER HOLIDAY PERIOD**

Contact:

**Lothar Siebert
0439 415 173**

RUBBISH

COLLECTION

RUBBISH WILL BE COLLECTED ON

THURSDAY 21 DECEMBER

FRIDAY 22 DECEMBER

TUESDAY 26 DECEMBER

WEDNESDAY 27 DECEMBER

THURSDAY 28 DECEMBER

FRIDAY 29 DECEMBER

**ENSURE BINS ARE
OUTSIDE READY TO GO!**

**Visit the Council Website
for more information**

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