# SWAN HILL RURAL CITY NEWS

# COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS PRESENTED TO THE COMMUNITY ON THE LAST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH

## **OUTDOOR DINING**

The Swan Hill Pony Club were the winners of the outdoor dining competition earlier this month. The photo was snapped by Abby Cumming outside of the Lake Boga Newsagency.

Have you got some feedback you'd like to share about our outdoor dining pods? Community consultation is now open to determine the future of the pods. Please visit swanhill.vic.gov.au/yoursay to complete a 2 minute survey- we value your opintion!





## **EXHIBITION AT THE ART GALLERY: EARTH CANVAS**

Earth Canvas showcases works by leading contemporary artists, developed in response to regenerative farming properties situated between the Murray and Murrumbidgee rivers in southern NSW.

Inspired by their immersive contact with both the farmer and the landscape, the artists' responses reveal their own and the farmers' appreciation for and understanding of the natural forces that sustain us.

Earth Canvas explores the creative experiences of both the regenerative farmer and the artist, their respective engagement with the land and their vision for a healthier world.

On show until Sunday, 9 May 2021. For more information visit gallery.swanhill.vic.gov.au or earthcanvas.com.au - an exhibition not to be



#### **OUR PLACE - UPDATE**

Council has approved a start to site works for the iconic Our Place Development. Works are set to begin in June or July of this year.

The multipurpose space will be home to the Swan Hill Regional Art Gallery, visitor services, the Pioneer Settlement entrance and a new cultural experience.

For more information visit www.swanhill.vic.gov.au

### **LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT GRANTS**

Local Entertainment Grants that were created to boost outdoor entertainment are continuing to be a hit!

Recently the Big 4 Riverside Caravan park drew an enthusiastic crowd to their 'Sunday Session' event.

Local hospitality businesses can apply for Live Entertainment grants to pay for artists to perform

Applications close Friday, 11 June 2021. For more information, visit our website.

## **GO GO GO! GRAVITY DOLLS**

The Swan Hill Town Hall will host an epic night of stupid fun when they welcome the Go Go Go! Gravity Dolls on Saturday, 17 April.

Entertaining with bucket loads of nostalgia, it combines stunning acrobatics with ingenious physical theatre to create a playful, hilarious, spectacular world that celebrates



why games - in all their various forms - stand the test

For more information and to book visit townhall. swanhill.vic.gov.au



#### A BOOST FOR HEARTBEAT

Council was happy to receive the news that the State Government announced a \$450,000 boost towards a new sound and light show for the Pioneer Settlement this month

Some considerations for the funding include: enhancements or extensions to the existing show, an additional show, and an improved experience on the walk to the amphitheatre.

The State Government investment is designed to create immediate jobs and drive visitation.

Watch this space!

# IN THE WORKS...



# **CLYDE PARK GYM INSTALLATION**

Gym equipment has recently been installed in Clyde Park, Robinvale.

The project is funded by Trustees of the Clyde Park Memorial Fund and Council.

## **RONALD STREET SUBDIVISION**

The subdivision of eight lots in Ronald Street, Robinvale is now complete.

Council has awarded the contract for the construction of eight houses at Ronald Street to G J Gardner Mildura.

Council is undertaking a housing subdivision in Ronald Street to alleviate the shortage of housing in the area. It is expected that the houses will be completed this year.

## **ROBINVALE LEVEE BANK UPDATE**

Contractors will commence site establishment works for the upgraded Robinvale levee bank project on Thursday, 25 March.

Construction is set to follow in early April.



# SKATE PARK SHELTER UNDERWAY

A new shelter area at the Swan Hill Skate Park is currently underway.



## ROBINVALE NETBALL COURTS

Concreting works have been completed at the new Robinvale Netball Courts.

The surface will need to cure prior to the acrylic surface installation-it's expected to be ready for the first home game of the Netball season.



# LIGHTING INSTALLED AT RIVERSIDE PARK

Lighting has recently been installed along the new path at Riverside Park in Swan Hill.

This project was made possible due to funding received from the Crime Safety Fund.