

Council Matters

VIETNAM VETAN'S DAY COMMEMORATION SERVICE 2024

Vietnam Veterans' Day on Sunday, 18 August 2024, recognizes the invaluable contribution of Australians who served in the Vietnam War.

Australia's involvement in the war formally ended in 1973, marking this year as the 51st anniversary. Over 60,000 Australians served in Vietnam from 1962 to 1973, with some returning for humanitarian operations in 1975. Sadly, 523 lost their lives, and around 3,000 were wounded. Upon returning home, many faced unfair treatment amidst strong anti-war sentiment.

Vietnam Veterans' Day 2024 Commemoration Service is a chance for us all to pay the respects that Vietnam vets were often denied but always deserved. Join us in honouring our Vietnam Veterans

Sunday, 18 August 2024, at 11:00 am

Bernie Davies Memorial Park, Kingscote Terrace

Light refreshments will follow the service

PLEASE NOTE - In case of inclement weather, the service will be moved to the Kingscote Town Hall.

Let us come together to honour and remember the brave men and women who served our nation.



COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

Council has received community feedback requesting that portions of Reeves Point be declared "animal exclusion area" or "dogs on leash area" under Council's By-Laws to increase protection for the native habitat and threatened bird species residing in this area. Therefore, Council is seeking your feedback on potentially deciding under the Council's Dog By-Law 2024 to declare the areas shaded in blue on the maps featured below to be a dog on leash area at Reeves Point Kingscote



Proposed areas at Reeves Point



Proposed area at Kingscote Tidal Pool

Consultation closes 5.00pm, **Wednesday 14 August 2024**

DOG AND CAT REGISTRATION REMINDER

Dog and cat owners are now able to renew or register new animals for the 2024 /2025 financial year. Registrations are valid until the 30th of June each year and you have until the 31st of August to renew and pay the applicable fee.

Payment can be made via the Dogs and Cats Online website: <https://dogsandcatsonline.com.au/Core/UserAccount/Login>

Alternatively in person at Penneshaw Community Business Centre or Kingscote Council Office by asking one of our friendly Customer Service Team. Telephone: 08 8553 4500

DOGS AND CATS
ONLINE



FUEL LOAD REDUCTION PLANNING FOR LANDHOLDERS

The Council reminds landholders that the colder months are the ideal time to plan and carry out fuel reduction activities. During this period, the risks of fire and interaction with native fauna are much lower.

For more information on fire prevention and a list of contractors for fire hazard reduction works, please visit our website: kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/services/fire.

Additional resources are also available on the CFS website: www.cfs.sa.gov.au.

Stay safe and help protect our community.



THANK YOU

SETTLEMENT DAY 2024 Council extends a sincere thank you for the contributions of members of the Kangaroo Island community and Council staff toward the delivery of the 2024 event. Congratulations to Ruby Lashmar and James Mitchell recipients of the 2024 Young Achiever of the Year Award.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Council Meeting

11.00am Tuesday, 13 August 2024

Information Briefing Session

9.30am Thursday, 29 August 2024