

Council Matters

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

Information Briefing Session:

9.30 am, Thursday 29 January 2026

Council Meeting:

11.00 am, Tuesday 10 February 2026

COMMUNITY NOTICE

Kingscote Tidal Pool Pump

Council is advising the community that the pump servicing the Kingscote Tidal Pool is currently out of operation due to a mechanical failure.

The pump requires full replacement, and a new unit has been ordered. Due to the specialised nature of the equipment and supplier lead times, delivery and installation are expected to take approximately 10 weeks.

During this period:

- The tidal pool remains open and safe for use
- Water circulation will be reduced while the pump is offline
- Council will continue to closely monitor conditions at the site

Council appreciates the community's patience while this essential piece of infrastructure is replaced and will provide further updates if the timeframe changes.

COMMUNITY NOTICE

Tidal Pool Pump Under Repair

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AUSTRALIA DAY CEREMONY

Celebrate Australia Day with Us!

Come together with friends, family, and neighbours to celebrate all the things that make our community and country so special! Join us for the annual **Australia Day Awards** on:

Date:

Monday, 26 January 2026

Time: 10.00 am to 11.00 am

Location: Kingscote Branch of the National Trust of South Australia, Hope Cottage Museum, 22 Centenary Ave, Kingscote

Key elements of the morning include:

- A Citizenship Ceremony welcoming 15 new Australian citizens
- Presentation of the 2026 Citizen of the Year Awards
 - Citizen of the Year: Jaffrey Drinkwater
 - Event of the Year: Kangaroo Island Cancer Support Group
 - Biggest Morning Tea
- Live performances by young local artists and the Kangaroo Island Minstrels

The ceremony will also include the presentation of the 2025/26 Community Grant Scheme, with

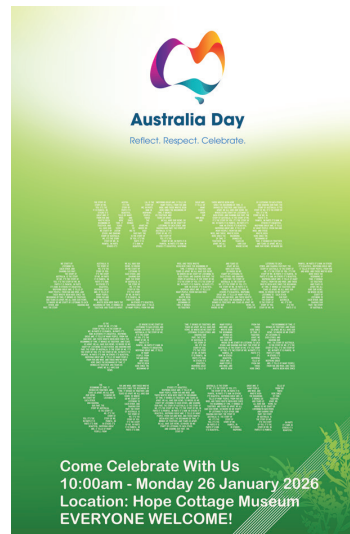
\$22,500 awarded to the following organisations:

- American River Progress Association – foreshore signage
- Baudin Beach Progress Association – shelter shed
- Birchmore Bowling Club – clubroom carpet
- Kangaroo Island Community Band – equipment purchase
- Kangaroo Island Dolphin Watch – dolphin research and community resilience
- Kangaroo Island Yacht Club – automatic sprinkler system
- Parmdana Bowls Club – carpark lighting
- Penneshaw Golf Club – demountable shelter
- The Rumble – Nine Planets Rumble
- When Pigs Fly – When Pigs Fly event

Following the ceremony, enjoy a delicious morning tea, catered by the Kingscote National Trust. It's a chance to relax, share stories, and meet other community members while celebrating together. This is more than just a celebration, an opportunity to connect with others, reflect on our shared values, and honour those who have made an extraordinary difference in our community.

Everyone is welcome, so bring your family and friends along to make this a truly memorable day.

We look forward to seeing you there!



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

People and Culture Officer

Kangaroo Island Council is seeking an experienced and customer focused People and Culture Officer to join our team on a 12 month fixed term contract. The role can be part time minimum 0.6 FTE or full time.

This generalist role supports all areas of people and culture, including recruitment, training and development, performance management, employee engagement, policy development and workplace health and safety compliance.

You will work closely with the Senior Manager People and Culture to support a positive, high performing workplace and contribute to attraction and retention across the organisation.

Applications close 5.00 pm Tuesday 27 January 2026.

For further information visit <https://www.kangarooisland.sa.gov.au/notice-board/opportunities/employment> or contact hr@kicouncil.sa.gov.au or phone 08 8553 4500.

Applications must be submitted via SEEK.

We're Hiring!

CURRENT VACANCY

- **People & Culture Officer**
(12-month fixed term contract)



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