

Arts Culture Heritage



COMMUNITY GROUP CO-PRODUCERS WANTED

Golden Plains Shire Council is excited to announce an open call for Expressions of Interest (EOI) from dedicated community members interested in co-producing three community networking programs, including *contemporary practice*, *craft and maker* and *small halls* networks.

Co-producers will play a pivotal role in connecting practitioners through the development of a Shire-wide network that builds capacity and encourages collaboration to identify opportunities, leading the change in shaping the future of our community.

Key responsibilities of successful applicants will include consulting with stakeholders across the Shire to gauge interest in establishing Shire-wide networks for community members. Additionally, they will conduct research and provide recommendations for an organisational model to support these networks and deliver a comprehensive plan for funding opportunities.

EOI's are open from Monday 6 May to Monday 20 May 2024.

To submit an Expression of Interest, visit goldenplains.vic.gov.au/consultations or email arts.culture@gplains.vic.gov.au

2024 COUNCIL ELECTION

COUNCIL ELECTION TO BE HELD IN OCTOBER

The next local council election for Golden Plains will be held in October 2024 and will be administered by the Victorian Electoral Commission (VEC).

In the 2024 Golden Plains Shire Council election, voters will elect seven Councillors to represent Golden Plains Shire for the 2024-2028 term.

The VEC will begin accepting nominations from Monday 9 September 2024, with nominations closing on Tuesday 17 September 2024. Council will then enter the Election Period which will run until 6pm on Saturday 26 October 2024. Elections will be held by postal ballot from 7 October to 25 October 2024.

To vote in the upcoming election, all eligible voters must be correctly enrolled to vote by the close of the Electoral Roll at 4pm on Wednesday 7 August 2024.

To assist residents, ratepayers and potential candidates seeking more information on the election, Golden Plains Shire Council has launched an information hub on its website.

Visit goldenplains.vic.gov.au/councilelections for everything you need to know.



GOLDEN PLAINS SHIRE

RECOVERY TO RESILIENCE WORKSHOPS

Community Emergency Management



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WORKSHOPS EMPOWER LOCAL COMMUNITIES

The first of Council's 'Recovery to Resilience' Community Emergency Management workshops is fast approaching. These workshops will empower local communities with the skills and knowledge to prepare for future emergency events and establish Community Recovery Hubs in the townships of Teesdale, Inverleigh and Shelford.

Community Recovery Hubs are community-led locations for localised information sharing and support during an emergency management situation.

The workshops will empower communities to implement their own learnings during future emergency events.

Council has engaged Resilient Co. to facilitate the workshops at the following locations:

- Shelford Recreation Reserve Club Rooms, Monday 20 May from 6 to 8pm.
- Inverleigh Public Hall, Monday 3 June from 6 to 8pm.
- Teesdale Community Hall, Thursday 20 June from 6 to 8pm.

For more information about the Recovery to Resilience workshops and to register, visit goldenplains.vic.gov.au/events or contact Council's Community Wellbeing team on 5220 7111.



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES?

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