

Register your float



Today is the close off date for registering your float for our annual Gore District Santa Parade, which will be held on Sunday 9 December. There are great prizes for the best floats! For more information or to enter a float in the parade phone Emma on **209 0388** or email ecarle@goredc.govt.nz.

Changes to Council Bylaws

HAVE YOUR SAY

The Gore District Council seeks your views on the Water Supply Bylaw 2015 and the Subdivision and Land Development Bylaw 2018. Any person or organisation is welcome to provide feedback and it will be considered by the Council before the bylaws are finalised.

A copy of these bylaws and associated documents are available at www.goredc.govt.nz and at the following locations:

- Gore District Council, Civic Administration Building, 29 Bowler Avenue, Gore
- Gore Library, 8 Norfolk Street, Gore
- Matura Library and Service Centre, Bridge Street, Matura

Feedback closes at 5.00pm on Wednesday, 5 December 2018.

Christmas Deadlines

Applications for a special alcohol licence must be submitted by the following deadlines:

- January 2019 event - application submitted today (Friday 16 November)
- February 2019 event - application submitted by Friday 7 December 2018

Applications for building consents for work over the Christmas / New Year break must be lodged with the Council by Friday 23 November.

Upcoming meetings

The Council will hold the following meetings this month:

Tuesday 20 November - Starting at 4.00pm, at the Matura Community Centre (please note the change of venue)

- Community Services Committee, followed by the
- Operations Committee, followed by the
- Regulatory and Planning Committee, followed by the
- Finance and Policy Committee

Monday 26 November - Starting at 5.30pm

The Matura Community Board will meet in the Elderly Citizens Rooms, McQueen Avenue, Matura.

Tuesday 27 November - Starting at 10.00am

The District Growth Committee will meet, in committee. The business to be considered relates to development opportunities.

The public is excluded in accordance with section 7(2)(i) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 - enable any local authority holding the information to carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations).

Wednesday 28 November - Starting at 3.30pm

The Audit and Risk Committee will meet, in committee.

The public is excluded in accordance with sections 7(2)(i) and 7(2)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 - enable any local authority holding the information to carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations; and protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons.

The agendas for meetings are available on the Council's website www.goredc.govt.nz the week before, with the exception of meetings held in committee.

Greats and Grands Morning Tea

Thursday 29 November, 10.00am

The Gore Library is hosting an event aimed at the older generation about 'occupations that are now redundant'. Please bring along memorabilia and stories to share.

RSVP is important for catering purposes. Phone **203 9129** or email gorelibraries@goredc.govt.nz

Gore Youth Awards

Our extraordinarily talented youth will have their skills and achievements recognised at this event on Saturday 1 December. MC for the evening is comedian Guy Williams.

Tickets are \$10, and are available now at the **SBS St James Theatre** or iticket.co.nz.