

What's On In Cloncurry

November Issue
2025



Cloncurry Celebrates Business Excellence

Last Saturday, 25 October, Cloncurry Shire Council proudly hosted the 2025 Cloncurry Commerce Business Awards Gala, celebrating the incredible achievements of local businesses across the region.

Mayor Greg Campbell said the event was “a wonderful evening celebrating the breadth and strength of businesses across the Cloncurry Shire,” recognising both established and emerging enterprises contributing to a thriving local economy.

Cloncurry Commerce Chair, Susan Curly, commended the innovation and resilience shown by local operators, saying the awards “highlight the hard work and commitment that make Cloncurry thrive.” With 68 nominations across 10 categories, this year’s winners included Ashton Diesel Services, Cloncurry Vet Services, Rosebud Station Flower Farm, and Evolution Mining Ernest Henry Operations, among others.

A huge thank you to the 18 local sponsors and everyone who made the night a success, a true celebration of Cloncurry’s vibrant business community!



What's On In November?

2025 Cloncurry Derby Day Races

- Saturday 1 November

Launch Australia Day Awards

- Saturday 1 November

Remembrance Day

- Tuesday 11 November

Dajarra Community Christmas

- Tuesday 18 November



Council Out & About

Cloncurry's Great Spring Clean Up

The Cloncurry Great Spring Clean-Up / Get Ready Queensland Event brought the community together for a fun and productive morning focused on keeping our town beautiful and disaster-ready. Volunteers collected an impressive amount of rubbish from around Cloncurry, helping to protect our local environment and promote community pride.

Congratulations to Lucy Keirle, who took out the award for the Most Unique Rubbish Find, and to Craig Moore, who received recognition for collecting the Most Rubbish. Both Craig and Lucy are now well-prepared for this year's storm season, kitted out with their RFDS First Aid Kits as prizes.

A huge thank you to everyone who rolled up their sleeves and took part in making Cloncurry cleaner, safer, and more resilient!

Mental Health Week: Yoga at the Dam

What a beautiful morning it was at Chinaman Creek Dam for our Yoga by the Dam event! Dozens of locals gathered to stretch, breathe, and recharge under the sunrise as part of Mental Health Week.

A huge thank you to The Yoga Hub, who travelled all the way from Mount Isa to guide our peaceful session, and to our incredible local supporters, Cloncurry Bakery for the delicious breakfast treats, Country Blends for their refreshing wellness teas, and KA Mobile Cafe for keeping everyone fuelled with their morning coffees.

Your support and participation made this event truly special, thank you to everyone who came out to celebrate mindfulness, movement, and community connection by the water.





PROJECT UPDATE

DRFA ROADWORKS

Cloncurry Shire Council has once again secured funding through the Queensland Reconstruction Authority to repair damage to the rural road network caused by severe weather and flooding earlier this year.



With the support of local contractors, excellent progress has been made across both the northern and southern areas of the Shire. So far, 16 roads have been fully repaired. Current road works are underway on the following roads:

- Lake Julius Road
- Kajabbi–Mount Isa Road
- Kajabbi–Kamilaroi Road
- Selwyn–Toolebuc Road
- Gleeson–White Hills Road
- Sedan Dip Road

Council thanks residents for their patience as these important works continue to improve safety and accessibility across our region.

SNEAK PEAK OF UP COMING WORKS...



EQ Centre Shade over Seating (Indicative Image)



Dajarra Playground (Concept Image)

EVENTS AND COMMUNITY NOTICEBOARD

CLONCURRY 2025 EVENT CALENDAR

JANUARY

10 Friday

Australia Day Awards Nominations Close

26 Sunday

Australian Citizenship and Awards Ceremony
Pool Party and Community Cricket

FEBRUARY

8 Saturday

Curry Day



19 Wednesday

Seniors Morning Tea

23 Sunday

Sunday Markets

MARCH

2 Sunday

Clean Up Australia Day

8 Saturday

International Women's Day



15 Saturday

Cloncurry & District Races

29 Saturday

Burke & Wills Meet & Greet Community Cricket

30 Sunday

Sunday Markets



APRIL

17 Thursday

Easter Fair & Markets

25 Friday

ANZAC Day

MAY

8 Thursday

Cloncurry State School Fete

17 Saturday

Cloncurry State School P-12 & MMG Charity Ball

25 Sunday

Sunday Markets

29 Thursday

LBN Sips & Sliders

31 Saturday

Cloncurry & District Races

JUNE

4 Wednesday

Seniors Morning Tea

13-14 Friday - Saturday

Cloncurry & District Show

29 Sunday

Sunday Markets

JULY

5 Saturday

Rockhana Gem, Mineral & Mining Field Day



8-13 Tuesday - Sunday

Cloncurry Stockmans Challenge and Campdraft

14 Monday

Launch Stuart McIntosh Memorial Garden Competition

14-25 Monday - Friday

NAIDOC Art Exhibition

17 Thursday

NAIDOC in the Park

26 Saturday

Quamby Rodeo

27 Sunday

Sunday Markets

AUGUST

1-3 Friday - Sunday

Curry Merry Muster Festival



28 Thursday

Stuart McIntosh Memorial Garden Competition Nominations Close

31 Sunday

Sunday Markets

SEPTEMBER

5 Friday

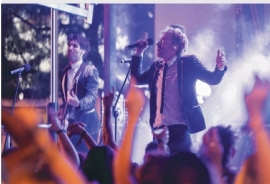
Stuart McIntosh Memorial Garden Competition Judging

10-12 Wednesday - Friday

Meeting of the Mines

12 Friday

Beat the Heat Festival Street Party



13 Saturday

Cloncurry & District Races

14 Sunday

Sunday Markets

19-20 Friday - Saturday

Dajarra Campdraft and Rodeo



OCTOBER

15 Wednesday

Seniors Morning Tea

17 Friday

Cloncurry State School Trivia Night

25 Saturday

Cloncurry Commerce Awards Night

26 Sunday

Sunday Markets

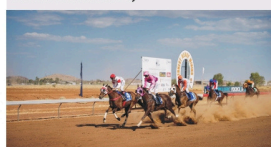
NOVEMBER

1 Saturday

Launch Australia Day Awards

11 Tuesday

Remembrance Day



18 Tuesday

Dajarra Community Christmas

DECEMBER

3 Wednesday

Seniors Christmas Luncheon

5 Friday

Cloncurry Community Christmas Party & Markets

6 Saturday

Christmas Markets
Free photo with Santa (Bob McDonald Library)





Bob McDonald Library Activities Calendar

NOVEMBER 2025

MONDAY <i>Open 9am - 5pm</i>	TUESDAY <i>Open 9am - 5pm</i>	WEDNESDAY <i>Open 9am - 5pm</i>	THURSDAY <i>Open 9am - 5pm</i>	FRIDAY <i>Open 9am - 5pm</i>	SATURDAY <i>Open 9am - 12pm</i>
					1 Saturday Fun Time Board Games & Puzzles 9am - 12pm
3 Afternoon School Tween time Library Decorating 3pm - 4pm	4 First 5 Forever Baby Rhyme Time 10am	5 Senior Chatter Keyring Making 10am	6 First 5 forever Story Time Hungry Caterpillar 10am	7 Afternoon School Tween time Mask Making 3pm - 4pm	8 Saturday Fun Time Various Arts & Crafts 9am - 12pm
10 Afternoon School Tween Time Sensory Bags 3pm - 4pm	11 First 5 Forever Baby Rhyme Time 10am	12 Senior Chatter Sun Catcher 10am	13 First 5 forever Story Time Mythical Creatures 10am	14 Afternoon School Tween Time Design Your Own Nail Files 3pm - 4pm	15 Saturday Fun Time Play Dough 9am - 12pm
17 Afternoon School Tween Time 3D Flowers 3pm - 4pm	18 First 5 Forever Baby Rhyme Time 10am	19 Senior Chatter Diamond Art Coasters 10am	20 First 5 forever Story Time All About Christmas 10am	21 Afternoon School Tween Time Paint Christmas Trees 3pm - 4pm	22 Saturday Fun Time Paint By Numbers 9am - 12pm
24 Afternoon School Tween Time Handprint Art 3pm - 4pm	25 First 5 Forever Baby Rhyme Time 10am	26 Senior Chatter DIY Crochet Kit Christmas Tree 10am	27 First 5 forever Story Time Destinations 10am	28 Afternoon School Tween Time Make Christmas Greeting Cards 3pm - 4pm	29 Saturday Fun Time Create Your Own Chain People 9am - 12pm

BOB MCDONALD LIBRARY

43 Scarr Street, Cloncurry QLD 4824

07 4742 1588

bob.mcdonald.library@cloncurry.qld.gov.au

STATE LIBRARY⁷
QUEENSLAND



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Government

LEST WE FORGET



REMEMBRANCE DAY

NOVEMBER 11, 2025 | CLONCURRY CENOTAPH

(Scarr Street/Sheaffe Street Roundabout)

Assemble: 10:30am

2025 Cloncurry

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS COMPETITION

Categories

- Best Decorated House
- Best Decorated Business
- Best Rural Decorated Mailbox



REGISTER NOW!

\$1000 worth of buy local gift cards to be won!

Entries are now open and close on Friday, 5 December 2025.
Winners will be announced on Monday, 15 December 2025.

For competition T&Cs and for more information, visit:

<https://www.cloncurry.qld.gov.au/Our-Community/Events/Christmas-Festivities>

Cloncurry
Shire Council

Christmas Markets

Cloncurry Community Hall

5pm - 8pm Friday, 5 December 2025
9am - 1pm Saturday, 6 December 2025



FREE STALL REGISTRATIONS

To register scan QR Code or visit
<https://www.cloncurry.qld.gov.au/Our-Community/Events/Christmas-Festivities>
Registrations close Friday, 28 November 2025



For more information please contact Council's Events and Activities
Coordinator on 07 4742 4100 or events@cloncurry.qld.gov.au

Cloncurry
Shire Council

Dajarra Community **CHRISTMAS** Party

FREE BBQ - SANTA VISIT - KIDS ACTIVITIES - PRESENTS

NOVEMBER

TUESDAY 18 3:30 PM

DAJARRA STATE SCHOOL





2026 AWARD NOMINATIONS

SCAN THE QR CODE TO
NOMINATE SOMEONE OR
FOR MORE INFORMATION

NOMINATIONS CLOSE
10 JANUARY 2026



Australia Day

Reflect. Respect. Celebrate.



WWW.CLONCURRY.QLD.GOV.AU/AUSTRALIA-DAY



FREE

1-2-3 Magic Program®

Education & Life Skills



The Parenting Toolbox for Children aged 2-12

1-2-3 Magic® is an easy-to-learn, evidence-based parenting program.

This course helps reduce stress, boost confidence in your parenting,
and create a more peaceful home environment.

Completing the course will:

- Support you to feel more confident and calm as a parent
- Reduce stress and power struggles at home
- Strengthen emotional resilience in your child
- Improve family communication and understanding
- Gain tools that actually work — and keep working

WHERE:

57 Sheaffe St Cloncurry
Community Hub

WHEN:

Fridays 9 am- 11:30am
31/10, 07/11 and 14/11

Must attend all 3 sessions in order to receive a certificate
NO CHILD MINDING SERVICES AVAILABLE

register here



Centacare
North Queensland
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Want to put something in our next e-newsletter?

Do you have an event, a job vacancy, or something else you'd like to share with the community? Email us your advert to see it published in our next edition.

**Adverts are to be no longer than 350 words. Posters need to be portrait A4 size, JPEG or PDF files. All adverts need to include details about who/where the public can go to for more information.*

Cloncurry Shire Council reserves the right to decide what content is published.

Keep an eye out for our next monthly edition!

Deadline for submissions is COB Thursday, 25 September 2025.

If you have any questions about advertising in Council's e-newsletter please contact Council's Media and Public Relations Officer on 07 4742 4100 or media@cloncurry.qld.gov.au

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A STORY**

KEEP IN TOUCH

Keep up to date with Council and community news through Council's social media channels. Like and follow our pages.



#experiencecloncurry

Help Council promote our unique corner of the Outback by tagging us on social media. We want to share photos of Cloncurry Shire far and wide, to encourage more people to stop in and say g'day.



USEFUL LINKS

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- [Local Events](#)
- [Public Notices](#)
- [Local Disaster and Recovery Information](#)