

At its meeting on 8 December Council agreed to:

- Extend the lease of the South Burnie Bowls Club for a further five years, which makes the lease expiration now June 2017.
- Approve round two of Council's Financial Assistance Grants to clubs, organisations and individuals. Eight recipients will share in almost \$18,000 of funding.
- Extend the closing hours of the Marine Terrace Car Park from 9pm until 12pm. The new hours will be 7.30am to 9am Monday to Saturday and 10am until 12pm on Sunday.
- Provide additional budget allocation for a part-time position at the Pioneer Village Museum, which will see the facility opened five days a week from 10am until 3pm.
- Accept the concept design for the extension and expansion of the Burnie Waterfront Boardwalk project. Construction of the new boardwalk is currently underway.

New website, program for Burnie Arts

Burnie Arts launched into 2010 with a new website and 12-month program for visual and performing arts on Friday.

The Burnie Arts & Function Centre and Burnie Regional Art Gallery has introduced online ticket booking, which will be available from Monday via the new website at www.burniearts.net

A Night on the Terrace

The biggest event on the North West Coast for New Year's Eve is in Burnie.

Featuring bands, two sets of fireworks, kids' stage, food, bonfire, karaoke and much more.

Don't miss this jam-packed evening held along Burnie's Waterfront. Contact: Events Co-ordinator Rob Simpson at rsimpson@burnie.net or call 6430 5788.

Works Advice

Works currently being undertaken or have been completed to improve infrastructure and services for our community:

- Three seats installed at Stoney Creek Reserve.
- Urban streets spraying commenced.
- Upper Natone Road at horseshoe bend: roadworks in progress.
- Fire hazard reduction works: in progress.
- Waterfront Upgrade: installing bollards across entrance at end of Mount Street.
- Track works underway at Burnie Park.
- Landscaping at the Makers Workshop in progress.
- Boardwalk Improvement Project at West Beach commenced.
- Christmas decorations and banners installed.
- Rural roads slashing contractor has commenced.
- South Riana Road reconstruction project has been sealed.
- Construction of West Park Sports Facility in progress.
- Upgrade of Burnie Tennis Club, including centre court lighting in progress.
- Demolition of old Burnie Bowls Club in progress

Council's Ordinary Meeting will be held at 7pm on Tuesday, January 19, 2010.

The agenda is available the Friday prior to the meeting.

For more information visit www.burnie.net or phone 6430 5700.