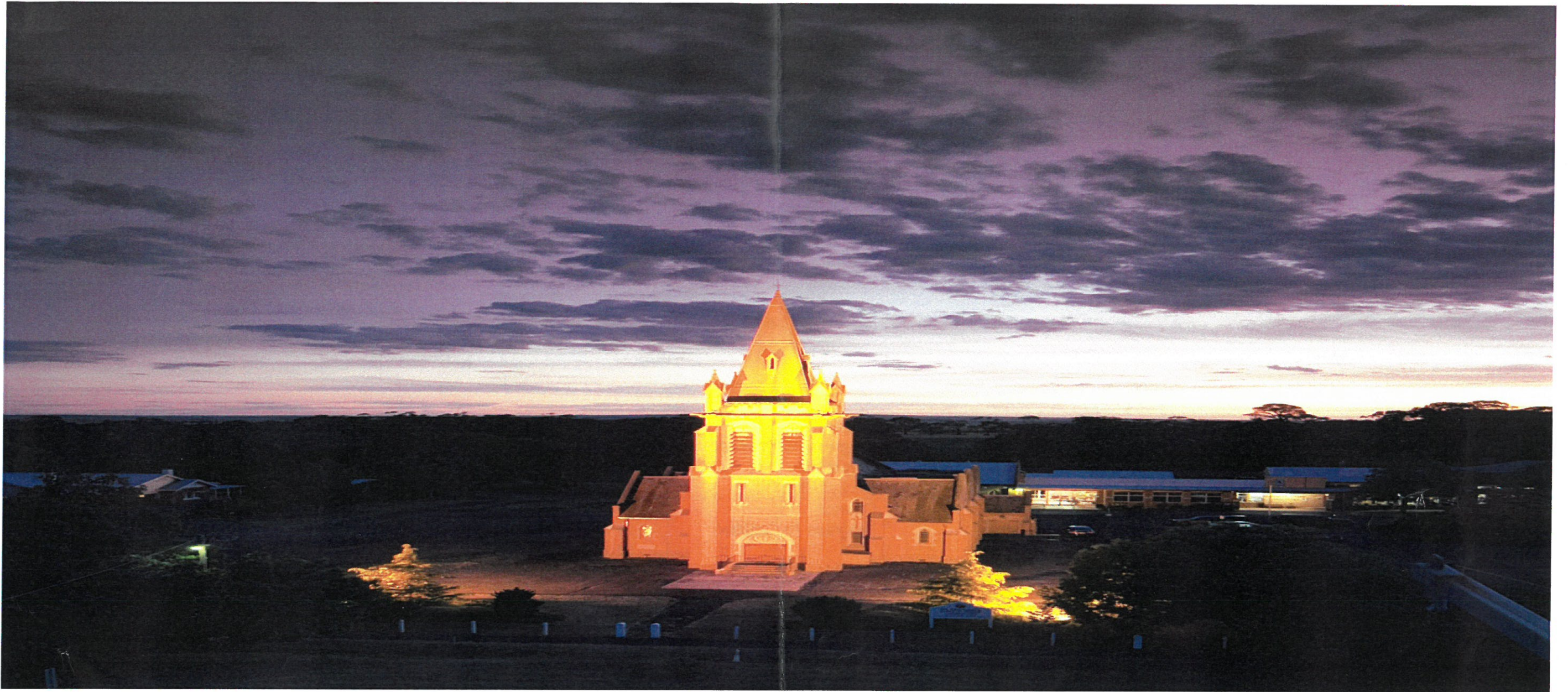


Tarrington Community Plan 2015 - 2021



VISION STATEMENT

Tarrington will be a place that makes the most of its existing and improved recreational and natural landscape features. By providing a range of housing options including heritage cottages and houses and low density rural lots, it will be a lifestyle choice for a diversity of people. Through community gatherings and events, we will recognize and celebrate our past and our community values. We will retain the village atmosphere of our community whilst supporting the growth and attraction of appropriate business and cultural activities.

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RECREATION AND NATURAL FEATURES

Goal: Tarrington will be a place that makes the most of its existing and improved recreational and natural landscape features.

Objective	Priority Level High, Medium, Low	Timeframe Short: 1-2 Yrs Medium: 2-4 Yrs Long: 4+ years	Who is responsible? leading? (key groups, individuals)	Partners To assist with objectives	Action and resources required
Develop a community Facility	High	short	Progress association Community Park	Council Progress association Community Park Cricket Club	
Footpaths	High	Short	Council Progress Association	Council Progress Association	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Maintain current paths 2) Plan and develop more walking paths 3) Establish seating along the paths 4) Upgrade interpretive historic walk 5) Link existing landscape features through walking trails and signage
Recreation Reserve and Tennis Courts	High	short	Progress association Community Park	Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Increase usage of Recreation reserve 2) Improve signage 3) Develop a community facility 4) Lawn bowls/croquet/boule 5) Install netball and basketball rings 6) Attract other users (Dog trial, sheepvention events etc.)
Develop a Community Garden	High	Short	Progress Association Wannon Water	School Catalpa	
Playground – Develop for local community and tourist use	Low	Medium	Community Park Progress association	Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Develop a children's garden at the recreation reserve 2) Develop facilities for older children 3) Upgrade bbq area
Develop bike and motor bike track	Low	Long			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not at rec reserve
Develop water tower	High	Short	Progress association Wannon Water	Council	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Community garden 2) Art space/Mural 3) Lookout

Day stop area for campers and caravans	Low	Medium	Tarrington Community Park	SGSC	
Use old Tarrington Fire Shed for something.	Medium	Medium	Tarrington Community Park	CFA	
Fire Dam – Improve safety	High	Short	Progress association Council Vic Roads CFA		
Develop Mt.Pierrepoint walking track with seating and lookout	Low	Long		Council Wannon Water DSE	
Lighting under trees to highlight natural beauty	High	short	Progress Association		
Tree planting/Landcare/ weed control	High	Low			

COMMUNITY GATHERINGS AND EVENTS

GOAL: Through community gatherings and events, we will recognize and celebrate our past and our community values.

Objective	Priority Level High, Medium, Low	Timeframe Short – 1-2 Years Medium – 2-4 Years Long – 4+ Years	Who is responsible? leading? (key groups, individuals)	Partners To assist with objectives	Action and resources required
Laternenfest	High	Short	Progress Ass School Church Laternenfest Committee	SGSC	Continue to develop
Maintain and develop existing community events	High	short	Progress assoc. Community Park School	Catalpa School Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laternenfest • Monthly cuppa at catalpa • Seniors Citz lunch • Anzac day • Australia day
Develop new tourism events	Medium	Medium	Progress assoc. Community Park School	Cricket Club CFA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Promenade of sacred music • Christmas carols • CFA Competition • Fun Run
Weekly exercises on the oval	High	Short	Progress assoc. Community Park		
Develop more Social Events	High	Short	Progress assoc. Community Park	Catalpa	Outdoor cinema
Sporting Events	Medium	Medium	Progress assoc. Community Park	User groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Men's cricket • Women's cricket • Milo cricket • Auskick
Arts, Craft and Food (produce swap)	Medium	Medium	Senior Cits	Church	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Farmers market
Provide more opportunities and facilities for Tourist	Low	Long	Progress assoc. Community Park	SGSC	
Men's group	High	Short	Progress assoc. Community Park	Church	1) Community Garden
Children's Activities	Low	Long	Progress assoc. Community Park		
Activities for Older Citizens	Low	Long	Senior Cits	School Church	

VILLAGE ATMOSPHERE

Goal: Retain the village atmosphere of our community whilst supporting the growth and attraction of appropriate business and cultural activities.

Objective	Priority Level High, Medium, Low	Timeframe Short – 1-2 Years Medium – 2-4 Years Long – 4+ Years	Who is responsible? leading? (key groups, individuals)	Partners To assist with objectives	Action and resources required
Retain strong sense of community	High	Short	Progress assoc	Church school	Celebrate and share history at an event
Retain Village atmosphere	High	Short	Progress assoc		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landscape •
Improve road infrastructure/highway trees	medium	medium	Progress assoc	SGSC	
Improve Town Entrance	High	Short	Progress assoc	SGSC	
Improve community connections and communications	High	Short	Progress assoc	SGSC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Newsletter • Social Club
Promote local producers and businesses	medium	medium	Progress assoc	Catalpa	
Retain and enhance German heritage	High	short	Church School		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laternenfest
No concrete footpaths	low	long	Progress assoc	SGSC	
Shape Street trees when pruning	High	short	Powercor	Progress assoc SGSC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Street trees plan

Underground power lines	low	long			
Lifestyle club	Medium	Medium			
Encourage Tourism	High	short	Progress assoc	SGSC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Establish Food and wine Trail
Promote and Develop Arts and Culture	Medium	Medium	Progress assoc	SGSC	
Develop and promote Agriculture and Commercial enterprises	Medium	Medium	Buisness owners	Landcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lifestyle club to share knowledge, skills and resources (aspirational farmers group)