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Large Event Application Package

Applicant/Organisation

Contact Person

Event Name

Date of Event

Address

Phone

Mobile

Email

This form is for applicants wishing to operate LARGE EVENTS in the Shire of Collie. This form is for large events that pose potential significant obstruction to everyday activity within the Shire, such as concerts, street parades and festivals.

Please lodge your completed form via email or at the Shire administration building. Please note an application fee may also apply, in accordance with the Shire's Schedule of Fees and Charges.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Complete the Event Application Form and provide a Site Plan
2. Complete the Event Approval Checklist to identify what approvals and insurance are required. Obtain the necessary approvals (or at least lodge the application forms) in accordance with the guidance provided in the Event Approval Checklist.
3. Ensure the event has Public Liability Insurance. Proof of this will be necessary in obtaining Shire event approval. Upon lodgment, please be aware that if you have animals as part of your event your insurance policy must cover incidents involving animals.
4. If required, make an appointment with Shire staff to review the Event Application Form, Site Plan, Event Approval Checklist and any additional information.

Please Note:

You may not proceed with advertising the event until written confirmation of approval has been received from the Shire of Collie, which may take between 3 to 4 weeks depending on the scale and size of the event.

Any special conditions applicable to the event will be outlined in a confirmation letter or e-mail. It is the applicant's responsibility to adhere to all conditions and to remain in regular contact with the relevant departments until necessary approvals are obtained.

Applications and approvals for an event are not transferable. Therefore, the organiser cannot transfer council approval for an event to an alternative venue, date or time, without the Shire's further written approval.

EVENT DETAILS

Duration of the Event: from _____ am/pm to _____ am/pm.

Setting up time required: from _____ am/pm to _____ am/pm.

Dismantling time required: from _____ am/pm to _____ am/pm.

Venues or locations:

Event description and purpose: (e.g. fair, exhibition, concert, fundraiser etc.)

Maximum number of people expected at any given time:

Anticipated number of people for the entire event:

Will the general public be invited to attend? Yes / No – invitation or members only.

Have you organised this type of event in the past? Yes / No
If yes, please provide event names, dates and locations

Will the event have onsite camping or caravans? Yes / No
If yes, please provide details:

Will the event include amplified voices, performances or other noise? Yes / No
If yes, please provide details:

Will alcohol be available or consumed during this event, including BYO? Yes / No

If yes, you must obtain the appropriate liquor licence through the Department of Racing, Gaming and Liquor. **Proof of licence or exemption is required with application submission.** Application forms and further information can be found on the department website (www.rgl.wa.gov.au) or by contacting (08) 9425 1888. Please note, fees will apply.

Will food be provided or for sale? Yes / No

If yes, all food providers at the event must be registered as a 'Food Business' with their local government authority.

Will any other goods or services be available for purchase at the event? Yes /No

If yes, please provide details:

Will there be any live animals at the event? Yes / No

If yes, please provide details and evidence of appropriate insurance:

Will the event include amplified voices, performances or other noise? Yes / No

If yes, please provide details:

Will the event have onsite camping or caravans? Yes / No

If yes, please provide details:

What equipment and structures are you bringing to the event? (Please provide details)

Tents/ marquees

Bouncy castles/amusement structures/rides (*logbooks and certificates of maintenance must be available*)

PA system

Stages

Banners and advertisements

Lighting

Seating

Temporary fencing

Other

EVENT FACILITIES

Please indicate any intended usage of existing Shire facilities. Please note that depending on the demands of the event the applicant may be required to provide additional facilities.

Power supply details (generators or existing)

Water supply details (new or existing)

Sanitary facilities (if applicable)

Details of toilets, urinals, hand wash basins or showers available (where they are, how many of each). Please specify if Shire facilities will be in use as they may need to be opened or cleaned outside of usual staff hours.

For all works and infrastructure to be provided by the Shire of Collie, please complete the attached community works application form.

Would you like to advertise the event on the Shire website or Facebook page? Yes / No.
If yes, please provide a flyer or link to event page with this application.

Have you or your organisation at any time received a grant from the Shire of Collie? Yes / No

SAFETY ASSESSMENT

The Shire of Collie needs to be satisfied you have considered any risks the event may pose to the health and safety of any person in attendance or nearby.

Please assess each safety concern in relation to the proposed event. Indicate whether this is a concern of the proposed event and provide details of measures that will be taken to best manage each safety concern.

Safety Concern	Assessment of concern YES / NO	Details
First aid kits have been checked and appropriately stocked.		
People with first aid qualifications will be present at the event.		
The likelihood of antisocial behavior or intoxication has been assessed and the need for security personnel has been considered.		
If applicable, security staff have been employed.		
Fire hazards have been identified, and all reasonable steps have been taken to reduce the risk of fire.		
Fire extinguishers & blankets have been organised.		
A quick and reliable communication strategy between event organisers, staff, stall holders, contractors, attendees, first aid posts and security has been established and distributed.		

Safety Concern	Assessment of concern YES / NO	Details
All food providers and contractors are registered as food businesses with their relevant local government authority.		
Potential safety hazards have been identified and strategies have been implemented to minimise risk. (inc. electrical, tripping, noise, dust, chemicals, machinery, burns, traffic, broken glass, unsafe structures)		
An evacuation plan and procedure has been developed and documented.		
The contact details of police, fire services, SES and any other relevant emergency services are available in case of an emergency.		
Event details and a copy of the finalised site plan has been issued to police, fire services, SES and any other relevant emergency services.		
If you have completed your own risk management plan, please attach it. Large, high risk events must provide a comprehensive risk management plan.		

EVENT APPROVAL CHECKLIST

The following checklist identifies the approvals and completed forms that may be required for the proposed event.

Please select the activities / requirements of the event in the checklist below.

Please ensure responsibilities of the applicant identified are completed and if applicable, proof attached with this application.

Activity / requirement	Yes/No	Responsibility of applicant	Corresponding Shire approval / responsibility
Hire of Shire reserve, hall, oval, park.		To be marked on the site plan.	Approval from Shire Operations department
Parking for event patrons required.		To be marked on the site plan.	Approval from Shire Operations department.
Marquees, tents or other structures that require pegs in the ground.		To be marked on the site plan.	Approval from Shire Operations department.
Toilet facilities.		Male and female toilets to be available. Applicants may be required to provide additional portable toilets if existing infrastructure is insufficient for event attendance.	Approval from Shire Building Services department. Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
Additional bins/ rubbish collection arrangements. Please indicate how many and what type is required.		Additional bins or outside business hours collection to be requested (may incur additional fees).	Approval from Shire Operations department.

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Roads to be used or part road closure proposed.		Road closures to be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan.	Approval from Shire Operations department. Application for road closures.
Usual flow of traffic disrupted.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan.	Approval from Shire Operations department. Traffic management plan to be developed.
Access to Shire water supply.		Some events may be required to supply additional adequate drinking water.	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
Event held in navigable waters beyond the low water mark, or using vessels for hire, or providing transport for paying passengers.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan. Approval required from the department of Transport. Ph: 9216 8000 www.transport.wa.gov.au	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
Use of airspace and air-site facilities.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan. Civil Aviation Authority must be contacted. www.casa.gov.au	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.

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Serving or selling alcohol		Approval required from Department of Racing, Gaming and Liquor.	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
Noise from vehicles, music or PA systems likely to be created.		Neighboring residents consulted at least seven days prior to the event, speaker / performer orientation considered.	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
Creation of excessive noise.		Application to be submitted 60 days prior to the event as an exemption from noise regulations is required.	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer. Exemption from noise regulations required.
Fireworks.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan. Approval required from the department of Mines and Petroleum. Relevant permissions must also be sought with emergency services, Police and fire authority. www.dmp.wa.gov.au/Dangerous-Goods	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.

Activity / requirement	Yes /No	Responsibility of applicant	Corresponding Shire approval / responsibility
Food to be prepared served or sold.		Access and comply with guidelines from Food Standards Australia. Provide copies of food business certificates for all food providers.	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
Venue access for Shire staff.		Provide access for relevant Shire officers who may need to monitor the event (passes, security cards etc.).	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer.
On-site living, including camping.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan.	Approval from Shire Environmental Health Officer and Shire Planner.

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Temporary advertising signage to be erected.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan. For signs on a main road, applications must seek Main Roads WA approval.	Approval from Shire Planner. Approval from Shire Operations department.
Consultation with other venue users, neighboring businesses and private dwellings.		Demonstrate consultation (e.g. provide copies of letters sent and received).	Approval from Shire Planner.
Generators, electrical installations or equipment requiring electricity required		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan. Electrical contractor required to assess electrical compliance. Electrical appliances to be tagged. Proof to be attached to application form. Power access been discussed with property manager if applicable.	Approval of Shire Manager of Building Services.
Marquee, stage or tent, bigger than 5mx5m.		To be marked on the site plan and addressed in risk management plan.	Approval of Shire Manager of Building Services.

ATTACHMENT CHECKLIST

The applicant will be required to submit all or some of the below, please check box if attached.

- ☐ Public Liability Insurance Certificate, **all applicants must provide**
- ☐ Risk Management Plan, high risk events only
- ☐ Copies of food business certificates for all food providers, if applicable
- ☐ Details of all equipment or structures being brought in by you or any contractors

SITE PLAN

A detailed site plan of the event may be required with this application. Please be clear and precise and use an existing map or photograph of the site where possible.

If none of the below apply to your event but you are using a section of public land, please ensure the area of intended use is indicated E.g. North East area of parkland close to Gazebo.

Please ensure the following is indicated on the site plan (if applicable).

✓	Marquees, stages, temporary structures		First Aid
✓	Food stalls / vans		Sales or consumption of alcohol
✓	Animals		Camping and caravan sites
✓	Electricity cables, generators, lighting rigs		Seating
	Vehicle access (including street names)		Parking and vehicle areas
	Portable toilet facilities		Emergency exits
	Fenced off areas		Advertising signage

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, as the event organiser, applying for approval to host an event in the Shire of Collie, acknowledge that the information and completed actions in my application are true and correct.

I accept full responsibility of the facility and/ or reserve during the specified hire period and will ensure compliance with the Shire's conditions of hire and local laws.

I will indemnify the Shire against any action, suit or proceeding caused by my failure to observe all statutory and other requirements or as a result of my negligence or willful actions.

I understand that I am responsible for any damage caused to Shire property during this event. I will ensure that appropriate liability and other insurances are in place for the activities to be conducted.

I understand that the Event Application Package is a guide and has been compiled according to a number of statutory requirements. There could be other requirements that exist outside of the package and that as the event organiser I am responsible.

Signature

Name

Date

Fees may apply in accordance with the Shire of Collie's Schedule of Fees and Charges

Not-for-profit or local community groups can apply for a fee waiver, please see the website (or the staff at reception) for a copy of the Fee Waiver Request Form.

Event Application Fee: 2026-2027	
Maximum number of people: 1-50	\$115
Maximum number of people: 51-200	\$248
Maximum number of people: over 200	\$415