

POSITION VACANT

TOURISM OFFICER – Casual (Weekends)

Located approximately 550km south-west of Cairns and just south of the base of the Gulf of Carpentaria, in the heart of the Gulf Savannah country, lies the quaint and beautiful town of Croydon. Rich in history, boasting beautiful heritage buildings, the iconic Gulflander train, stunning sunsets and numerous trails for birdwatching, bushwalking, mountain biking and trail running. Croydon offers a unique Outback experience while providing all the necessary services, including a supermarket, healthcare centre, schooling, and recreational facilities.

The Position: Reporting to the Manager Tourism and Marketing this casual position supports Council's direction to promote the tourism potential of Croydon Shire, promote the True Blue Visitor Information Centre and Heritage Precinct in a professional and efficient manner and present a positive image of Council and Croydon. To promote the Croydon Shire region and local businesses to visitors and residents through the provision of accurate and comprehensive information.

Skills / Experience Required: To be successful in the role, you will need a:

- 1. A genuine desire to be involved in tourism and the promotion of Croydon Shire.
- 2. High level of customer service skills.
- 3. High level of verbal and written communication skills and ability to effectively deal with a broad range of customers.
- 4. Be self-motivated and have excellent time management, planning and organisational skills.
- 5. Ability to work under limited direction and supervision and maintain a friendly and helpful work attitude.
- 6. Broad knowledge of the local area and surrounding regions.
- 7. Sufficient level of computer skills within the Microsoft Office 365 package.
- 8. Tourism, Marketing, Event Management or Business Administration (highly regarded).

The position description can be downloaded from Council's website <u>www.croydon.qld.gov.au</u>, or by phoning (07) 4748 7100.

For further information about the position please contact Council's Business Manager, Stephen Frost, on 07 4748 7100 or email <u>sfrost@croydon.qld.gov.au</u>

Applications are to include a covering letter, resume and at least 2 references and

Emailed to: Business Manager, Croydon Shire Council admin@croydon.qld.gov.au

Delivered to: Croydon Shire Council Administration Office, 63 Samwell Street, Croydon Qld 4871

This position will remain open until filled.

Jacqui Cresswell Chief Executive Officer 21 May 2024

