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Young families in the spotlight

Parents and guardians of young children are encouraged to attend Towong Shire Council's 0-8 Family Fun Day next Tuesday 17 June at the Corryong Library.

The purpose of the event is to provide easy access to information about a range of family support services available to parents and guardians of young children.

The Family Fun Day is held every year alternating from Tallangatta to Corryong. The event will feature activities to keep young children occupied while parents and guardians can access over twenty family support and health services.

"Just under fifty percent of families in Towong Shire have children in the 0-8 age group according to a recently released Victorian State Government report," said Cr Mary Fraser OAM, Mayor of Towong Shire Council.

"It is very important to provide as much support as we possibly can to our existing young families and this is a focus of Council's community wellbeing activities. Council wants to encourage young families and provide the right environment for them to grow and prosper."

Council operates maternal and child health services, three kindergartens and immunisation clinics across the Shire. The Family Fun Day will be open from 10am until 12noon and further information can be found on Council's website – towong.vic.gov.au