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MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR - PAT BOURKE

Dear Readers,

Welcome to the May edition of the Urana District Newsletter. Isn't it great to see the sensational start we have had to the growing season, with many saying it's the best start we have had to a season since the early 80's.

In addition to our widespread roads and related civil works happening right across the area, Council continues to deliver an unprecedented amount of community infrastructure projects across the Shire.

Construction works on our amazing new Swimming Pool facility in Corowa is going ahead at a cracking pace, as is the Ball Park Multi-Sports pavillion for Hockey and Cricket, right next door along with the major extension to the Corowa Skate Park now underway. It's also great to see the progress of the new Leisure Centre Building in Urana at the Aquatic Centre springing to life. This has been a long-held vision and a big nod of thanks goes to the generations involved in the Yuluma Cullivel Bus Committee, whose generous donation and vision for this centre, is now finally becoming a reality.

The Howlong Multisports Pavilion at Lowe Square is also fastly heading towards completion. At Mulwala the headline project is the All Abilities Adventure Park being create at Purtle Park, which is in the early to mid stages of construction. This will be an amazingly inclusive regional attraction when built, and provide a great space for both locals and drawing visitors from afar also no doubt.

At Oaklands the works underway include the new change room facilities being built at the Recreation Ground, and the cemetery new fence and toilet block has also been completed. I understand the Oaklands Medical Centre has also been finalised and all that awaits is Dr Giri to finalise his processes to allow the centre to open soon. A big thank you to the Oaklands community and of course Dr Giri, Sushma his wife, and the staff, for their patience on this project.

Be sure when you are travelling around, as COVID-19 restrictions slowly relax to allow some regional travel, to take advantage of the many other areas within Federation Council that you may not be as familiar with. It's a great way of getting to know the area and spreading the word to your family and friends from away and further increasing our tourism. Council looks forward with anticipation to be able to open many of these new facilities over the coming months and into early 2021.

These projects no doubt will provide positive social and economic benefits to our Shire residents and those who will visit us in the months and years to come as part of the expected domestic regional tourism boom due to the restrictions and risks associated with overseas holidays.

During emergencies like this, the community looks to all levels of government to provide leadership and support in terms of response, relief and recovery. Our Federal and State counterparts are certainly doing all they can to offer significant packages for businesses struggling to stay afloat and workers who are now unemployed and are wondering how they are going to support their families.

Until next time, Councillor Pat Bourke – Federation Council Mayor.

COUNCIL MEETINGS 2020

Ordinary meetings of Council are generally held on the third Tuesday of the Month commencing at 9.30 am. Although the June and July meetings are on the 4th Tuesdays, to allow time for the exhibition and adoption of our next round of Integrated Plans, including our 20/21 and beyond budget.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions regarding gatherings and the need to comply with social distancing measures, Advice from the NSW Office of Local Government is that Council meetings will continue to go ahead by audio-visual link and they should continue to be accessible to the public.

To help ensure we slow the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19) within our workforce and the community from the 21st of April 2020 Council Meeting our public gallery will be closed.

Federation Council is pleased to offer LIVE streaming of our monthly Council Meetings on YouTube. This gives residents the opportunity to observe Council business via their computers and mobile devices.

Please visit Council’s website and click on the LIVE STREAM link to watch the Ordinary Council Meeting live on YouTube.

The following schedule outlines the 2020 ordinary meetings of Council:

Tuesday 23 June 2020	
Tuesday 28 July 2020	Tuesday 18 August 2020
Tuesday 15 September 2020	Tuesday 20 October 2020
Tuesday 17 November 2020	Tuesday 15 December 2020

COUNCIL CELEBRATES VOLUNTEERS ONLINE

Each year in May, Council celebrates the valuable contribution volunteers make to the community. This year Council was eager to continue tradition and hosted celebrations online, during Volunteer Week 2020.

Federation Council Mayor, Cr Patrick Bourke said this year, Council was excited to introduce our Community Champions: Changing Communities | Changing Lives initiative.

“This year Council recognised not only our volunteers but individuals, neighbours and community groups who have shown compassion, kindness and a helping hand to people in their communities during times of need,” Mayor Bourke said.

“We received 20 nominations and have showcased our Community Champions via Councils Corporate Facebook page as well as through Federation Councils website.

“Many beautiful, encouraging and heart-warming stories were shared with us online and it was great to read the messages of encouragement towards our community champions. The role of volunteers in today’s modern society cannot be underestimated. They play a huge part in the running of our communities, both on a local and national level.”

Mayor Bourke said volunteering plays a critical role in empowering individuals, in

fostering active citizenship and in building inclusive and resilient communities in which we can all flourish.

“We know, because of the great volunteers that we have at Federation Council and the many other volunteers that we know in our communities involved in other organisations and causes, that volunteering has many benefits for those individuals who volunteer, the organisations to which they contribute and society as a whole. Council will continue to recognise the contribution our local volunteers make and will be celebrating further, together with the nominees, once we are able to do so in person.”

Council wishes to thank all community members who took the time to nominate their town’s community champion and of course thank each of the nominees.

Congratulations to the following nominees who were recognised during Volunteer Week 2020 and the overall Community Champion: James (Jimmy) Beale.

Alice White, Alan Brennan, Anne Nicol, Vivian & Andrew Spliva, Deb Cooper, Federation Arts & Cultural Committee, Federation Council Ageing Well Advisory Committee, Federation Youth Councillors, Gary & Yvonne Perrin, Liz Seeliger, Jan Johnstone, Maris Berry, Mauread Conroy, Marj Saines, Neville McFarland, Sam King, Terry Buckley, WIRES Federation Volunteers, Corowa Girl Guides; and Winner: James (Jimmy) Beale.

Visit Federation Council’s website for more information.

CORONAVIRUS COVID-19 COMMUNITY UPDATE

The safety of our staff, Councillors, volunteers, contractors, customers, and our communities is Council's top priority.

Whilst Council offices and some facilities are closed to the public until further notice, they remain open to staff only.

Council continues to deliver all of its services and we are encouraging our residents and customers to engage with us via our;

Website	federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au
Phone	02 6033 8999 or after hours 1800 110 088
Email	council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Information about Council's services and facilities is being updated daily and is available from our website. A snapshot is provided below;

Facilities and services closed to the general public
All Council Offices, located in Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala and Urana and any agency services normally associated within those buildings.
Work depots located in Corowa, Howlong and Mulwala
Corowa Service NSW Agency. The Service NSW Corowa agency staff are contactable by calling P: 02 6930 9198 or P: 02 6033 8999
Council Libraries located in Corowa, Howlong and Mulwala. Library staff are contactable by calling P: 02 6033 8999.
Corowa Visitor Information Centre. Tourism staff are contactable by calling P: 02 6033 8999.
Ball Park Caravan Park

Council's five waste facilities located in Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala, Urana and Oaklands are operating as per normal opening hours. Payment is being accepted by card only. Cash cannot be accepted at this time.

You will by now be aware that there is a lot of information circulating regarding the Coronavirus (COVID-19). We understand our communities concern given the seriousness of the situation, and ask you to be fully informed and listen to evidence-based, real-time advice of health professionals and government officials.

We are following the advice from the NSW Government and take advice on all public health matters from the State and Federal Health Departments, who also in turn reference the World Health Organisation.

These are trusted sources that are updated frequently and should be your point of reference for any information.

NSW Health Website:
www.health.nsw.gov.au

Federal Government Health Website
www.health.gov.au

In line with the easing of COVID-19 restrictions, Council is in the process of implementing a re-opening plan of some services, offices and other council owned and managed facilities. Please visit Council's website for further information, or call our customer service team on (02) 6033 8999.

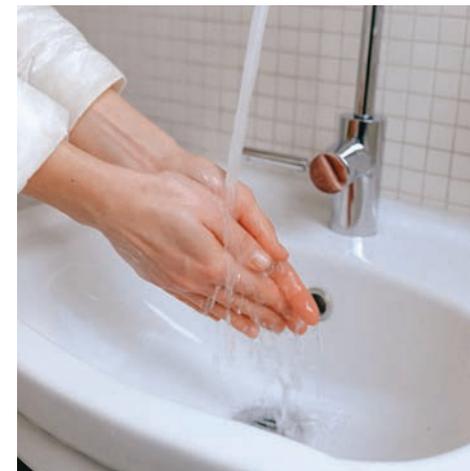
FEELING UNWELL?

The most common Coronavirus (COVID-19) symptoms reported include:

- Fever;
- Breathing difficulties;
- Cough
- Sore throat; and
- Fatigue/tiredness

One way to help control the spread of the disease is to practice good hygiene habits:

- Always washing hands with soap and water before eating and after visiting the toilet (minimum 20 seconds)
- Covering your nose and mouth when coughing and sneezing, and disposing of used tissues immediately;
- Avoiding close contact with anyone with cold or flu-like symptoms; and
- Seeing a health care professional if you are unwell, and staying away from your workplace and other public places.



FIREWOOD COLLECTION PERMITS



Residents in the Federation Council area can apply to obtain a permit to collect firewood from road reserves for home heating during winter.

Firewood collection is limited to 1 April – 30 September each year.

To apply for a permit, residents must complete the application form and show proof that they reside in the Federation Council area (i.e. drivers licence). Applicants must certify on the application that they will abide by the permit conditions and acknowledge that Council is not liable for any injuries to person, or any loss or damage to property arising from the firewood collection activities.

Residents will need to apply for a permit each firewood season (each year).

The permit application fee is \$30.00.

Find out more information about firewood collection from Council's website or by contacting Council.

FINANCIAL HARDSHIP SUPPORT FOR BUSINESSES AND RESIDENTS

Have you lost your job or are you experiencing a reduction in your income as a direct result of the COVID-19 health pandemic? We're here to help.

The COVID-19 pandemic has had an unprecedented impact on our lives. Some of us are struggling financially as a direct result. At Federation Council, we have a Hardship Policy to ensure that we take a fair and equitable approach with those persons suffering genuine financial hardship.

Federation Council would like to advise residents that the fourth instalment notices for land rates have been issued with payment due before Sunday 31 May. Water account notices have also been issued with payment due before Friday 22 May.

If you're facing genuine financial hardship in paying your rates, fees or charges, please get in touch with our Finance team on (02) 6033 8999, email council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or apply now for a payment plan by completing the online application form available from Council's website.

We can have a chat about your individual circumstances and work out a payment plan together. We're here to help.

BOREE CREEK FREIGHT LINK ROAD RECONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Federation Council has completed 3.1km of road re-construction on the Boree Creek Freight Link Road.

The culvert upgrade has commenced with the appointed contractors Naubro Kerb commencing work on site. The work includes replacing very narrow and old infrastructure that was lacking safety rails.

Work is expected to be completed before end of February 2021 which will deliver a 1200mm wider road surface along with full length safety barrier improving the road safety in the area for all motorists.



COVIDSAFE APP



The Australian Government has launched a new Coronavirus app, COVIDSafe.

The COVIDSafe app uses technology to automate and improve the current manual process of finding people who have been in close contact with someone with COVID-19.

This means you'll be contacted more quickly if you are at risk. It reduces the chances of you passing on the virus to your family, friends and other people in the community.

Downloading the app is voluntary, find out more from the Australian Government Department of Health website [health.gov.au/resources/apps-and-tools/covidsafe-app](https://www.health.gov.au/resources/apps-and-tools/covidsafe-app)

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NOTIFICATIONS NOW ONLINE

As Council offices are currently closed to the public due to Covid-19, Development Application notifications have been made available via Council's website.

In accordance with Council's Public Notification Policy regarding Development Applications, Development Applications are listed for public comment.

Any persons may make a submission on the proposal within a period of fourteen (14) days from the date of this notification. Persons making a submission are required to comply with Section 147(5) of the Environmental Planning Assessment Act (Political Donations & Gifts Disclosure Statement). Forms are available from Council's administrative offices.

Mail: General Manager, Federation Council - 100 Edward Street, Corowa NSW 2646 (PO Box 77)

Email: council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

DROUGHT SUPPORT FOR FEDERATION COUNCIL



In 2019, the Federation Council Region was identified as drought affected by the NSW Department of Primary Industries and was subsequently invited to apply for \$1 million in funding from the Federal Governments Drought Communities Extension Program.

Part of this funding saw the appointment of a Drought Support Officer with Corowa District Landcare for a period of approximately six months. We are pleased to introduce you to Peter who is doing some great work across this space!

HALVE WASTE CLOTH NAPPY REBATE

Don't miss the opportunity to access the Halve Waste 50% rebate on the cost of cloth nappies up to the value of \$100.

The rebate is applicable for purchases between 1 May and 30 June 2020 on a first in-first served basis.

The Cloth Nappy Rebate Program offers

Federation Council residents the opportunity to access financial assistance in support for using cloth nappies.

Download the Halve Waste application form now from the Halve Waste website halvewaste.com.au

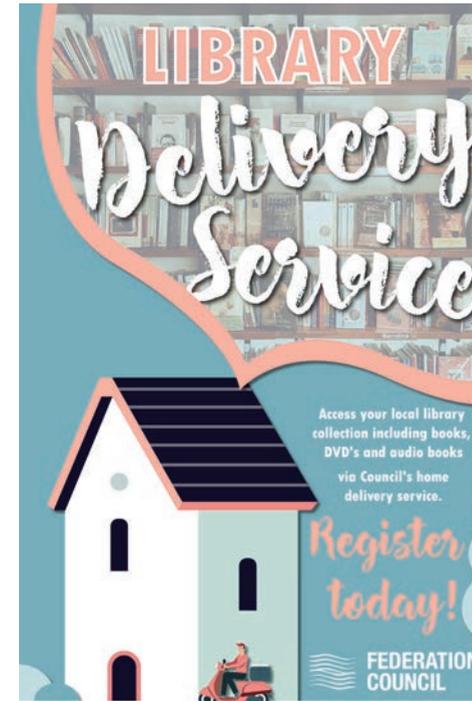
GRANT FINDER



Community groups and businesses operating in Federation Council will be able to more easily find and apply for grants with the launch of the Federation Council Grant Finder digital platform.

Federation Council has joined forces with Australia's most powerful grant search engine, Grant Guru, to deliver a free one-stop-shop website for business and community grants. Find out more about this fantastic new platform from Council's website.

LIBRARY HOME DELIVERY SERVICE



Access your local library collection including books, DVD's and audio books via Council's home delivery service.

Items can be delivered within the town boundary of Corowa, Howlong and Mulwala or arrange to pick up from the delivery points in Urana, Oaklands, Rand, Balldale and Daysdale (social distancing rules apply).

Deliveries will occur on Wednesday for Corowa, Howlong and Mulwala, and every second Thursday to Urana, Oaklands, Rand, Balldale and Daysdale.

The service will commence on Wednesday 20 May and Thursday 21 May 2020 until further notice.

Register your interest by completing the online form from Council's website or contact Council.

FEDERATION YOUTH COUNCIL FACEBOOK PAGE



The Federation Youth Council have launched their Facebook page I Am Federation

I Am Federation is a place where young people living in Federation Council towns and villages can come to connect, engage with each other and keep up to date on all news relating to people in the area.

There will be information for youth, activities, resources and giveaways so let's build our youth community by liking and sharing the page and tagging people that may be interested.

Find out more about the Federation Youth Council from Council's website.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF PET OWNERS

Over the past 6 months, Council has seen an increase of dog incidents in Howlong. From dog attacks to dogs uncontrolled and escaping owner properties.

Whether you consider yourself a dog person or a cat person, we all have a responsibility to our companion animals. Residents are reminded of the responsibilities of pet owners to ensure the safety of companion animals and the community.

- If your dog is in a public place it must be under the effective control of a competent person by means of an adequate chain, cord or leash. The expectations to this are; dogs exhibited at a show or engaging in obedience or agility trials or a dog secured in a cage or vehicle or in an approved off leash area. If your dog is being exercised in an approved off-leash area it must always be under effective control of a competent person.
- You are not permitted to walk more than four dogs at any one time in an on-leash or off-leash area.
- Just like all breeds dogs in NSW, greyhounds will be required to be on leash while in public at all times.
- A greyhound will still require a muzzle in an off-leash area if it has not undergone an approved retraining program. Greyhounds that have completed this program will continue to wear identifying green collars, or, alternatively the person in charge of the animal can carry a completion card.

- If your dog defecates in a public place it is an offence not to remove the faeces.
- Dogs are prohibited in children's play areas, food preparation/consumption areas, reception areas, public bathing areas, school grounds, child care centres, shopping areas and wildlife protection areas.
- Any cats & dogs that are sold or given away from 1 July 1999, must be microchipped and lifetime registered. Existing cats and dogs must also be microchipped and lifetime registered. Farm working dogs and greyhounds are exempt.

Please contact Council with any questions or if you require assistance.

ACTIVE SENIORS

Staying physically active is the single most important thing we can do to stay fit and independent.

As we grow older we lose muscle strength and sense of balance and this can lead to a fall. The more active we remain, the better the chance of keeping our muscles strong, our joints mobile and maintaining good balance.

Jenny Enever, one of Council's Ageing Well Ambassadors and a MLHD Gentle Exercise Leader in Howlong has been staying active and at home during the COVID-19 health pandemic.

Watch the exercise videos and download the flyers from Council's website.

BALL PARK CARAVAN PARK AND FORESHORE MASTERPLANS 2020 EXHIBITION

Have your say on the Ball Park Caravan Park and Foreshore Masterplans – a multifaceted masterplan project that has been undertaken to provide Council and the community with a framework that will guide opportunity, business planning and modeling in respect to the growth of our region and ensure together we can capitalize on our unique foreshore assets. In 2019, Integrated Site Design was engaged by Federation Council to produce a master plan for Ball Park Caravan Park that will deliver commercial, environmental and social outcomes to comply with current regulations and encourage increased visitation and economic growth to the region.

This report demonstrates the capacity of Ball Park Caravan Park for redevelopment to provide a facility that caters for a broad market, offering contemporary accommodation and recreational facilities, supported by a business case demonstrating the forecast financial performance of the park.

The draft structure plans for the Corowa foreshore and surrounds and Morris Park are the outcome of a planning process involving engagement with Councillors, management and staff of Federation Council and key stakeholders including representatives of locally based sporting clubs and the local land councils, the Corowa Business Chamber and Corowa

Landcare.

Implementation of the structure plans will generate ongoing social, environmental and economic benefits to Corowa and the wider region – stimulating an active lifestyle, attracting greater tourism, and supporting local businesses and the local economy as a whole.

The plans are now placed on exhibition to seek feedback from the community. Council will then consider the outcomes of the community consultation before adopting the final plans to guide the long-term strategic development of Ball Park Caravan Park, Corowa foreshore and Morris Park.

View the master plan documents on Council's website:
www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Residents and interested stakeholders are invited to provide a written submission on the Ball Park Caravan Park and Corowa Foreshore Structure Masterplans by either completing the online submission on Council's website, or by mailing your submission to: General Manager, Federation Council, PO BOX 77, Corowa, NSW, 2646, or via email at council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au



DRAFT FEDERATION LOCAL STRATEGIC PLANNING STATEMENT 2020-2040

In accordance with Section 3.9 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979 the Draft Federation Local Strategic Planning Statement has been prepared and endorsed by Council for exhibition and comment.

In accordance with Federation Council's Community Participation Plan the draft Plan is on public exhibition from Wednesday 20 May 2020 until Wednesday 17 June 2020.

A copy of the Draft Federation Local Strategic Planning Statement 2020-2040 is available on the Federation Council website www.federation.nsw.gov.au

Any person interested in making a submission regarding the plan should do so in writing addressed to the General Manager, Federation Council, PO Box 77, Corowa NSW 2646 or email to council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au.

Submissions will be received up to 5:00pm on Wednesday 17 June 2020.

If you require further information please contact Council's planning section on 02 6033 8999.

WASTE MANAGEMENT STRATEGY CONSULTATION RESULTS

Federation Council has recently completed consultation with our community in relation to its waste management services that it coordinates for residents.

The feedback received as part of the consultation will inform the development of a new Waste Management Strategy 2020-2030 for Federation Council.

Federation Council Mayor, Cr Patrick Bourke said, the insights received are valuable and will assist with developing options for consideration as part of the development of a new Waste Management Strategy.

"I would like to thank residents for completing the online survey and advise that there will be another opportunity to have your say when the draft Waste Management Strategy is prepared and made available for public exhibition."

"Federation Council is committed to delivering effective and equitable waste management services to our residents to improve the liveability of our beautiful communities."

The results of the survey have been compiled and summarized by consultants Projectura and are available to view via video from Federation Council's website www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

COROWA AQUATIC CENTRE WORKS PROGRESS

The project to deliver a new aquatic centre in Corowa is progressing well with construction works underway at the Ball Park Precinct site.

Council has engaged Hines Construction to deliver the new facility, scheduled to be opened to the public in March 2021.

"This is a very exciting project that will deliver a new, modern aquatic centre for our Council's residents and visitors," Federation Council Mayor Pat Bourke said.

"The community has told us what they want to see as part of this new facility, and now we're working towards achieving a contemporary aquatic centre that caters to a variety of needs, and will be enjoyed for many years to come."

Council made the decision to endorse option four, which consists of a 50 metre pool, learn to swim pool and splash park at an ordinary meeting of Council in May 2019.

Funding for a splash park was announced in October last year by the NSW Government, which secured the foundation for a \$750,000 splash park to be built as part of the redevelopment of the pool complex.

Since endorsing option four the Council has been extremely proactive and investigated many options and models presented to them based on extensive

community consultation. Council has been assisted throughout this process by the Swimming Pool Advisory Committee which consists of Councillors, pool users, youth council members and swimming club representatives.

Mayor Bourke said it is great to see work well underway on what will be a modern aquatic centre in the heart of the Federation Council region.

Find out more on Federation Council's Website.

QUEENS BIRTHDAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

On behalf of Federation Council, Councillors and Staff we would like to wish you and your families a happy and safe Queen's Birthday long weekend.

Due to the Coronavirus COVID 19 pandemic, Council offices and some facilities have been closed to the public since Wednesday 25 March, however, remain open to staff only to continue to deliver Council services via website, phone and email.

During the Queen's Birthday long weekend, Council offices, facilities and services will have altered operating hours and public holiday closures. Find out more from Council's website.

We hope you all enjoy the Easter break and follow the basic safety measures including personal hygiene, social distancing and restrict your travel to only the most essential of trips.

ACTIVITY ADVENTURES AT URANA M.P.S

ANZAC SERVICE

Prior to Anzac Day we created some beautiful poppy wreaths and lanterns as well as speaking at length about Anzac Day. On Friday, 24th April, we held a full service for residents and staff. During this service we featured a Newspaper article (found by a resident) about the relationship between Australia and Villers-Brettoneux in France. Such is their respect for Australia, the children of the French village decided to hold a march and raise money after hearing about our bushfires early this year. This money was given to a Fire Brigade and the Bega Shire Council to assist with recovery.

As usual, Ruth was a part of the service which held even more meaning this year when we didn't have the Urana March going past the Hospital. Hopefully the town march will be back next year.



MUSIC, MUSIC, MUSIC



Did you know that Jodie was such a great air-guitarist? She happened to walk in when AC/DC were playing so she and Rose had a ball.

The residents meanwhile, were drawing continuous lines to see if there was a difference in drawings when listening to hard rock and classical music! Our finding was - it depended on the individual, but an interesting exercise just the same.

NB - Phillip does not like AC/DC or classical music (but he drew his lines anyway).

BOXING

Some residents are not too enthusiastic when we do Tai Chi and one morning Phillip decided he would give us some boxing lessons! He used to do some boxing and so was able to show us uppercuts, jabs, hooks etc. We used social distancing and "friendly" punches while practising and it was great fun as well as being wonderful upper body exercise.

ACTIVITY ADVENTURES AT URANA M.P.S

MOVIE MORNING

Watching "Ride Like A Girl" was the perfect way to spend a cold, wet day last week. It is a fascinating story and was enjoyed by all. Residents will think of it every time we walk down the "home straight" (hallway) on the way to the Activities Room!

Great movies like this are excellent entertainment for those who are interested. We look forward to being able to have Big Moz back with the big screen at some time in the future!

TRIVIA AFTERNOON AND HAPPY HOUR



Do you know the meaning of Dromophobia? We do after our Trivia afternoon - it is a fear of crossing streets! This was just one question from about 70 odd that were answered by our 2 teams. The final scores were the MPS Marauders 56 points and the Colombo Crusaders 57.5 - how close was that.

After all that brain work residents then sat back and enjoyed a wonderful Happy Hour featuring the usual food plus quiches, pumpkin pie, cream puffs and peppermint slice.

The conversations and laughter that come from Happy Hours when so many residents come together is a delight to see.

MOTHERS DAY

Thanks to Hotel Services Staff for cooking up a great breakfast of bacon and eggs. Delicious and the change was much appreciated.

As flowers are not to be brought into the MPS at the moment we decided to create our own!

By Sunday there were plenty of "flowers" around the Dining Room and the Activities Room, all looking bright and spectacular.



Wendy Mallon, Activities Officer



On 5 April 2019, the Prime Minister, the Hon Scott Morrison MP, and Minister for Families and Social Services, the Hon Paul Fletcher MP, announced the establishment of the Royal Commission into Violence, Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation of People with Disability.

In Australia, royal commissions are the highest form of inquiry on matters of public importance. Recent inquiries and reports have shown that people with disability are more likely to experience violence, abuse, neglect and exploitation than people without disability.

What we learn from the Royal Commission will help to inform Australian governments, institutions and the wider community on how to prevent, and better protect, people with disability from experiencing violence, abuse, neglect and exploitation in the future. The Disability Royal Commission will run for three years until 2022.

The Disability Royal Commission wants to hear from you about any issue relevant to its Terms of

Reference arising for you, a family member, a friend or someone you work for or with, or as a carer.

Here at RDAS we can help you to write a submission to tell your story in the best way that suits your needs/abilities. An RDAS advocate will help you through the submission process, accessing supports such as legal support from the Disability Royal Commission Legal Service (DRLS) as well as counselling support through the National Counselling and Referral Service (Blue Knot Foundation) as needed.

Please contact RDAS today if you would like more information or wish to make a submission:



Regional Disability Advocacy Service
 Wodonga (head office)
 132 Melbourne Road
 PO Box 982, Wodonga VIC 3689
 Telephone: (02) 6056 2420
 Fax: (02) 6024 6809
 Email: admin@rdas.org.au

DESIGNING SUICIDE PREVENTION FOR MEN IN FARMING OCCUPATIONS

The National Enterprise for Rural Community Wellbeing are completing a research project in relation to suicide prevention for men in farming occupations.

They are looking for men in farming occupations who are willing to talk to them about their experiences of distress or poor mental health to give them perspectives on what local communities can do to support the wellbeing of farmers and prevent suicides.

They will produce community based strategies for suicide prevention that are specifically designed for men in farming occupations (farmers, farm labourers, stockmen, tractor drivers etc.). They are working alongside rural based Suicide Prevention Networks and organisations involved in suicide prevention to make sure that the strategies we co-design are driven by and supported by rural communities.

Participation will involve a face-to-face confidential interview with a researcher at a time and place that is mutually convenient and suitable. During the interview participants will be asked about their personal experiences of distress, any experiences of community-based support or services and thoughts on what communities could do to better support men in farming.

For further information about the project and/or to volunteer to participate please contact:

Scott Fitzpatrick (Research Fellow Centre for Rural and Remote Mental Health),
 P: 02 6363 8464,
 E: Scott.Fitzpatrick@newcastle.edu.au

COMMUNITY WAR MEMORIALS FUND



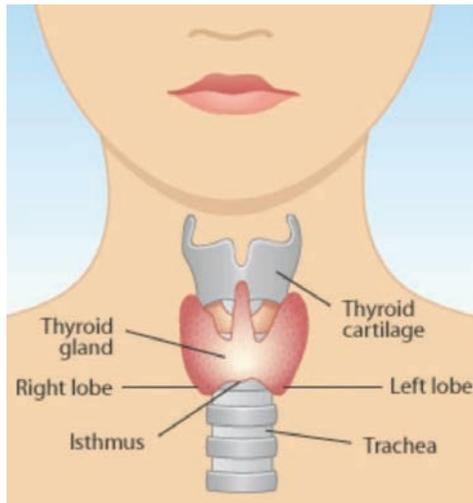
Our war memorials are an enduring symbol of service, courage and sacrifice.
 Grants of up to \$10,000 are available to conserve, repair and protect them.
 Apply online at bit.ly/NSWCWMF

Grants of up to \$10,000 are available to protect, conserve or repair local war memorials in New South Wales.

Your organisation can apply to fund important work such as specialist heritage advice and physical conservation work to a wide range of war memorial types.

Read more about the NSW Government's Community War Memorials Fund and apply online at bit.ly/NSWCWMF. Applications close 5:00pm on Monday 27 July 2020.

OAKLANDS CWA NEWS MAY 2020



- CWA rooms continue to be in lock-down due to the Coronavirus restrictions.
- Ecuador – the beautiful South American Nation is the Country of Study for 2020-21. Land of the Galapagos Islands, the Andes & the Amazon. Home of the Panama Hat. The birthplace of Chocolate.
- 2020-2021 Membership fees will remain the same at \$42.00 per member.
- Do you know what kills more than 8,000 people worldwide every day?
- The World Health Organisation, believe THREE MILLION people worldwide die EVERY YEAR because of alcohol over-use consumption. Standards of alcohol use have been revised to a much smaller level than previously thought safe. Women particularly are at greater risk of 7 cancers, as well as obesity, diabetes, anxiety & poor sleep. By drinking the best quality alcohol, savouring the taste, you will actually drink less.
- May 1st begins THYROID FOUNDATION month. The thyroid controls metabolism. It may be under-active or over-active, it is easily treated with medication. Check the Thyroid Foundation website for any concerns about your thyroid.

- Meetings are usually held the 3rd Tues of the month. 1.30 pm start. ALL WELCOME. Heather Kerr 0447 335 201

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, TAFE NSW, in conjunction with the NSW Government, is offering a number of fee-free* short courses that can be completed in just days or weeks, offering practical skills and experiences across a range of industries.

If you're considering a new direction, why not explore some of the fee-free* short courses as well as learn more about Mature Age Scholarships, Destination Australia Scholarships and Women in Business program, among many others.

Whether or not you've studied at TAFE NSW before, explore some of the courses available today. The course list is updated often, so be sure to check back regularly to find a fee-free* short course that's right for you.

Course categories include;

- Develop Administration Skills.
- Enhance Your Digital Impact.
- Grow Health and Medical Knowledge.
- Improve Leadership Performance.
- Practical Business Skills.

More information, including a full list of courses, is available by calling 131 601 or visiting the TAFE NSW website www.tafensw.edu.au

CLAIM THE DATE

SUNDAY 26 JULY 2020

URANA CAGED BIRD SALE

MORE INFO 0429 208 26

Fundraising Opportunity
 Expression of Interest
 Bar Service - Oaklands Harvest Ball

Friday 9th October 2020

The Oaklands Hall Committee is seeking expressions of interest from community groups to run all aspects of the bar during the Harvest Ball.

The Oaklands Harvest Ball is an annual, fundraising, black tie event which caters for between 250 - 280 guests. On arrival guests walk the red carpet, enjoy pre-dinner drinks and canapés, a two-course seated meal and dance the night away to a live band.

The Ball utilizes the Hall's main bar area and two temporary bars. One temporary bar is used solely for pre-dinner drinks (main bar closed during this time) and the other operates from a marquee adjoining the Hall. Drinks are kept cool on ice for service with stock replenished from a portable cool room. The cost of drinks is included in the entry ticket and there is no table service. Drinks available on the evening include sparkling wine, wine, bottled beer, soft-drink, spirits and water.

Specifics

- Date: Friday 9th October 2020
- Time: 5:30 pm to 1:30 am
- Duties: Organise bar areas, serve guests (pour drinks and mix spirits), collect and wash glasses, pack up & clean bar area at the end of the event.
- Essential: Current NSW RSA on person (and to be provided to prior to the event)
 Basic knowledge of drinks
 Public liability insurance
 Professional attire & service standard
 6-8 people
 A nominated Team Leader
 Team members able to safely lift boxes of alcohol to replenish supplies
- Desirable: Experience in catering/bar service
- Remuneration: To be negotiated

If you think your organisation would be interested please contact Tarin Moar, 0427 847 208, tarinl@bigpond.net.au by 31st July 2020.

CLAIMING THE DATE



RAND



37th RAND P&C/AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALL/NETBALL DEVELOPMENT ROUND ROBIN CARNIVAL 2020

To be held at the
 RAND SPORTSGROUND AND
 RAND PUBLIC SCHOOL OVAL

*****SUNDAY 9th AUGUST 2020*****

Enjoy

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- 12 & under (9 a side)

Netball

- 10 & under
- 12 & under
- 14 & under
- 16 & under FAST5

Age groups to be confirmed

CARNIVAL COORDINATORS

Football - James 0428 359 989
Netball - Amanda 0427 099 465
Mel 0428 114 151
Rand Public School
RAND NSW 2642

For nomination forms please email Email randpc@outlook.com (Rand P&C)



ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S SCHOOL URANA

Think, Speak and act like christ

Greetings!

Wow! A lot has changed since I last wrote in the Council Newsletter back in early March. Since then, the world as we knew it has certainly had its challenges. The far reaching ramifications of those challenges are definitely being felt here in Urana too.

We have experienced a period of time where students were learning from home. I want to take the opportunity to congratulate not only our families but families right across the district who in trying circumstances gave the best they could to support their learners. I am very proud of the application and effort our students gave to this period of time and also of our staff who quickly adapted to the new learning environment we were faced with.

It was heartwarming to see and hear of so many people acknowledging ANZAC Day in their own special and unique ways. Well done!

Starting back at school on the 11th May was certainly a relief and something we had all been looking forward to. It was great to be face to face with students in the classroom once again!

Our Parish Sacramental programs for Reconciliation and First Holy Communion were interrupted by the pandemic. I am hopeful of revisiting these as soon as possible. If there is anyone in the wider parish wishing to receive these Sacraments, please don't hesitate to contact the school on 0269208051.

God bless,

Mitch Bailey
Principal
0269208051



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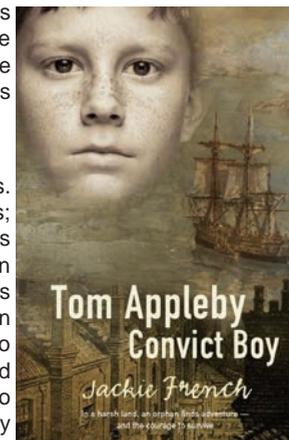


I would like to thank the whole school community including teachers, support staff, administrative staff, parents and carers for the wonderful support given to students' learning during these unprecedented and unpredictable times. I'd also like to thank all the students who worked so well at home, following the timetables given to them, meeting face to face with teachers on "Skype" for direct instruction and recording their learning on the "SeeSaw" app.



It is so lovely to have the students back today, they are all eager, full of energy and ready for new learning! We have commenced our Term 2 programs today. Our history unit is "The First Fleet"; students will be learning about the British colonisation (invasion) of Australia, the social circumstances and challenges in both Britain and the new Australian colony at the time and also the impact of British colonisation on Aboriginal people. To support this theme, Stage 2 and 3 students have begun reading and studying the novel *Tom Appleby, Convict Boy*, by Jackie French and they will be composing a variety of creative, persuasive and informative texts drawn from the concepts in the novel.

During science, students will be investigating light and shadows. Visual Art lessons will draw on both the science and history themes; students will be creating a range of digital and 2D shadow artworks and also colonial 2D and 3D constructions. During maths lessons in the first 2 weeks of term, students have been consolidating their skills in whole number and have now moved on to addition, subtraction (K-4) and fractions and decimals (Years 5/6). Students will also receive instruction on musical notation this term, including beat and rhythm, a great follow on from learning about fractions! They will also be learning some traditional Australian Colonial songs and hopefully performing them before the community if assemblies are allowed by the end of the term!



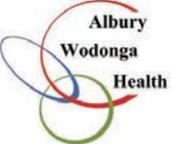
We are ensuring that we are following the guidelines set down by the government and the Department of Education in response to Covid-19. We are practising social distancing as much as practicable, washing hands regularly and also using hand sanitiser. Cleaners have also been given additional shifts to ensure that surfaces are kept clean and disinfected.



I look forward to the time when restrictions have been lifted so that students have more scope to their school activities, however, nothing is more important than the health and safety of the children, so we shall continue to keep up to date and adhere to all safety guidelines.

Please keep safe, healthy and happy!

Anita Houldsworth Principal



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- Sexual health screening
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- Specific Womens Health referrals & information for Women living with disabilities, lesbian health

2020 Wednesday dates:
17 June, 15 July, 19 August, 16 September, 21 October, 18 November & 16 December
Phone Urana (02) 6920 8106
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 Service details, appointments & drop ins



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17 June 2020

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Community Nurse Karen Brooks	Community care central Intake 1800 654 324 Hospital (02) 6930 9200 Community Health (02) 6930 9224
Child & family Nurse Jacinta Dore	Urana, Oaklands, Rand and Morundah clinic and home visit appointments only.
Childhood Immunisations	By Appointment ONLY Please ring 1800 654 324 Please bring your Medicare Card and your child's Blue Book to the Clinic. You will need to wait 15 minutes following vaccinations. Any questions regarding immunisation can be directed to the Child & Family & Community Nurse.

Murrumbidgee Local Health District Counselling Service
 Outreach to Urana one day a fortnight
 Urana Community Health Centre Free and confidential service
 Referral into the service can be made through a self-referral or by a support service.

No Mental Health Shared Care Plan is required.
 Contact Central Intake Service: 1800 654 324

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10.30am to 3.00pm

Enquiries:
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PODIATRIST

Wagga Foot Clinic at
Urana Community Health

24 June 2020



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Dr. Veerendra Giri Yaramati

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STRENGTH AND BALANCE EXERCISE



**Every Monday at 10.00am at
Urana Hospital (Community Health)
Followed by morning tea and a talk
Cost \$2 per session
CONTACT: Bill (02) 6920 8112 or Harry (02) 6920 8374**

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Our service areas encompass the Lockhart & Urana Riverina/Murray areas. The following services Valmar Support Services provide are:

- Community Transport.
- Individual Social Support.
- Home Modifications.
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- Flexible Respite.
- Meals on Wheels/Frozen Meals.
- Personal Care.
- Ladies Social Support Bus Trips.

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- Men's Social Support Bus Trips.
- Meals on Wheels.
- Albury Bus Trip.
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- Have a disability.
- Independence at home is at risk.
- A carer of frail aged or person with disability.
- Isolated, Transport Disadvantage.
- From a culture distinct community, financially disadvantaged.

For further classification of service provision in what area and for any enquiries contact us on:

Lockhart (02) 6920 4162
AgedServices@valmar.com.au



VALMAR

VALMAR COMMUNITY TRANSPORT BUS TRIPS

Urana to Albury Bus - 2nd Tuesday of the month \$5

Oaklands General Store - 8.30am
 Daysdale - 8.45am
 Arrive Albury Target - 10.00am
 Depart Albury Target - 2.00pm

Urana to Wagga Bus - 3rd Wednesday of Month \$5

Departs Oaklands General Store - 7.30am
 Urana Hospital - 8.00am
 Lockhart Post Office - 8.30am
 Milbrulong - 8.45am
 The Rock Post Office - 9.00am
 Uranquinty - 9.30am
 Arrive Wagga Kmart - 10.00am
 Depart Wagga Kmart - 2.30pm

Urana to Yarrowonga Bus - 4th Thursday of Month \$5

Departs Urana Hospital - 8.30am
 Oaklands General Store - 9.00am
 Arrive Yarrowonga - 10.00am
 Depart Yarrowonga - 2.30pm

Men & Ladies Social Bus Trips \$10
 Interested in Social Bus trips?
 Contact Office: (02) 6920 4162.

LOCKHART HEALTH SERVICES

The following services are visiting Lockhart regularly:

OPTOMETRIST

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PODIATRIST

Wagga Foot Clinic visits the Lockhart Community Health building every 4 weeks for appointments please phone the Wagga Foot Clinic on (02) 6921 1783.

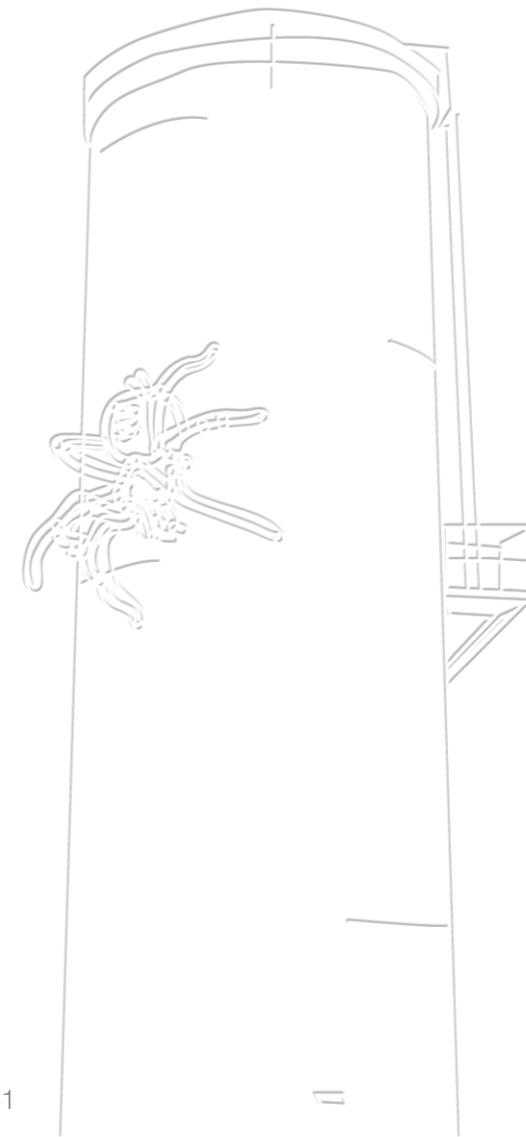
PHYSIOTHERAPY

Every Wednesday (is required referral). For appointments please phone Lockhart & District Hospital on (02) 6920 5206.

X-RAY SERVICE

X-ray services are available every 2nd Monday and undertaken at the Lockhart & District Hospital. A referral from the doctor is required. For appointments please phone Lockhart & District Hospital on (02) 6920 5206.

Should you require transport to/from any of these services please contact Lockhart & District Community Services to arrange on (02) 6920 4162.





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31 William Street, Urana NSW 2645

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New Opening Hours:

Monday to Friday

9.00am to 5.00pm

(Closed for lunch break 12.30pm to 1.30pm)

or emergency consultations Saturday and Sunday

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Phone (02) 6920 8333



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10.00am Mass Oaklands

SATURDAY - 2nd & 4th Weekends
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Saturday 7.00pm Lockhart

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PLEASE NOTE -

With reference to all events listed in the future, that are in or on Council owned or managed facilities, including those with Section 355 Committees, these events are subject to ongoing review to ensure compliance with any State Government regulations and requirements due to COVID-19. Further information on the availability of these facilities is being updated as it is available, and it requires Council planning, with the stakeholders, to ensure COVID-19 safe plans are in place to ensure compliance with State and Federal Work Health and Safety requirements, and in the interests of the safety of our community.

VACANCY - AGED ACCOMMODATION

**Billabidgee Place
Princess Street, Urana**

Council advises that there is a vacancy for aged accommodation at Billabidgee Place, Princess Street, Urana. It is a one bedroom unit with a kitchen/living area, combined bathroom and laundry.

Current rental is \$199.40 per fortnight for Aged Pensioners. For further information, please contact **Federation Council Urana Office on (02) 6930 9100**

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Internet access is available as a free service to the community at the Urana Federation Council Office. Children under the age of 13 must be accompanied by an adult at all times whilst on Council property.

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Booking for Driver License testing phone 13 77 88

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For ALL OTHER Roads and Maritime enquiries phone 13 77 88 ask for Albury Service Centre.

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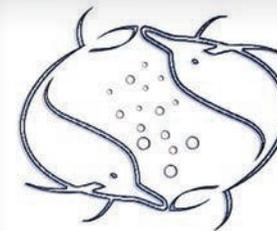
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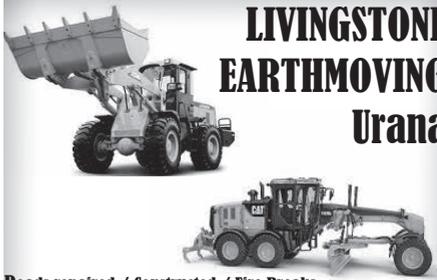
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Dr. Molly Fitzpatrick
PhD(Clinical Psychology) GradDipPsych, BA
Clinical Psychologist

Molly is a Clinical Psychologist, with experience working with adolescents and adults facing a range of difficulties including depression, anxiety, life stressors, workplace stress, grief and loss, trauma and many more. Molly sees clients face-to-face and via telehealth video sessions.

Please contact your local GP about obtaining a referral with a Mental Health Care Plan.

Urana Medical Centre
 31 William St, Urana
 Thursday 9am - 4pm

Corowa Medical Centre
 61 Guy St, Corowa
 Monday 9am – 4pm

Phone (02) 6920 8333

Phone: 0457 425 512

Advertising

The following rates are applicable for advertisements placed in the Urana District Newsletter. To make an enquiry email communication@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

	Council Compiled	Customer Compiled
Full page	\$55.00	\$40.00
Half page	\$35.00	\$30.00
Quarter page	\$23.00	\$15.00
Classified	\$6.00	
Thank you notices	\$6.00	
Community organisations outside of Federation Council	Charges as above	Charges as above
Community organisations within Federation Council	No charge	No charge

WASTE FACILITIES & CHARGERS

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The Oaklands and Urana Waste Facility Opening Hours are noted below.

	COROWA	MULWALA	HOWLONG	URANA	OAKLANDS
TUESDAY	-	-	1pm-4pm	-	-
WEDNESDAY	-	9am-12noon	-	-	-
FRIDAY	9am-12noon	-	-	-	-
SATURDAY	1pm-4pm	9am-12noon	9am-12noon	-	-
SUNDAY	9am-12noon	9am-12noon	1pm-4pm	11am-4pm	8am-12noon

Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin), not accepted at Mulwala Transfer Station, Putrescible waste (food scraps) not accepted at Corowa Waste Facility.

Skip bins available 24 hours:

Urana, Victoria Park Recreation Ground and Oaklands Recreation Ground.

URANA COMMUNITY RECYCLING CENTRE

Federation Council and the NSW EPA have recently opened two Community Recycling Centres (CRC's) in Corowa and Urana.

Many familiar products you use in your home, car, garage and shed can be hazardous to other people and the environment. Because of this, they cannot be disposed of in your red, yellow or green lidded bins.

These include:

- batteries (household only).
- motor & other oils (5-20 ltrs motor oils and other oils).
- paint.
- smoke detectors.
- fire extinguishers.
- gas bottles.
- fluoro lights.

Once you no longer have a use for these products, they become household problem waste. If disposed of incorrectly, or released into the environment, these products can pollute our soil, contaminate our water and even cause physical harm to people and animals.

WASTE FACILITIES & CHARGES

The good news is you can dispose of them for FREE at the following CRC's. The products are then processed and the reclaimed materials used to make other products.

The Urana CRC is located at the Urana Waste Disposal Centre, Boree Creek Road, Urana.

Operating Hours:

Friday 12noon – 5:00pm
Sunday 11:00am – 4:00pm

The facility is closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Years Day, Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

WASTE DISPOSAL CHARGES

Waste Disposal Charges at Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala Urana and Oaklands waste facilities as follows:

Car, Station Wagon & 4WD	\$20
240 Lt bin	\$5
Trailers	\$40
General Waste - large quantities	\$40/m3
Tree Prunings and Green Waste - up to trailer size	\$20
Tree Prunings and Green Waste - large quantities	\$20/m3
Mattresses (S/QS/KS with or without base)	\$30
Commercial Waste	\$60/m3
Asbestos - minimum fee	\$300/m3
Car tyre – each	\$15
Light Truck tyre – each	\$40
Heavy Truck tyre – each	\$80
Tractor/Earth Moving Equipment tyre – each	\$110
Unsecured Load Penalty	\$50

URANA DISTRICT NEWSLETTER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

26 July 2020	Urana Bird Sale.
9 August 2020	Rand Australian Rules Football/Netball Round Robin Carnival.
15 - 18 October 2020	Urana Art Exhibition and Garden Walk.

All information in this May edition of the Urana District Newsletter is current as of 29/05/2020

Deadline for May Edition

TUESDAY 16 JUNE, 5PM

Phone (02) 6033 8999

All articles and advertisements must be submitted either:

- In writing and sent via email to communication@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au, or**
- Hand delivered to any Council Office.**

Placement of articles is subject to available space. Community groups and organisations are encouraged to keep articles to a total of 1-2 pages.

All submitted articles will be proof read for spelling and grammar and changes made accordingly.



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