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*Pictured above: Federation Council Interim General Manager Adrian Butler, pictured alongside Youth Councillors - Mayor Cr Dylan Forge, Cr Caitlin Moir, Cr Liam Summons, Deputy Mayor Cr Olivia Hughes, Cr Tyler Martin and Cr Noah Little. Report on page 3 of this newsletter.*

# Federation Council

## Urana District Newsletter



## Bourke's Brief

Hello readers,

In Council news, it has been another busy month, with a high number of events held across the region and other council initiatives and projects progressing well.

This month's Council meeting provided the opportunity for discussion and to action valued community projects such as the Oaklands RV Park and Corowa Swimming Pool development. I would encourage all readers to visit Council's website and view the council minutes each month to keep up to date with council business and services.

Also this month, Councillors met with Senior Staff to provide further input into the final details of Council's highest level plans and budget which will set the direction of the new council over the next ten years.

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Council is encouraging residents to have their say on these draft documents and will be hosting community meetings across the local government area this week. If you are unable to attend the meetings, you are still encouraged to make a submission to be put to Council for consideration before final adoption. Further details and information on how you can make a submission in relation to Council's high level plans and draft budget is on pages 7 and 8. of this month's newsletter.

Until next month,

Councillor Patrick Bourke – Federation Council Mayor.



## Federation Youth Council



At the inaugural Federation Youth Council Ordinary Meeting, Dylan Forge was elected to lead his peers as the Federation Youth Council Mayor

The 15 year old from Corowa chaired the second half of the meeting at the Corowa Civic Centre adopting that meetings will be held every second Tuesday of the month, in Corowa and Oaklands starting from 4:30 pm.

Olivia Hughes was elected as Deputy Mayor, and will be supported by Federation Youth Councillors Caitlin Moir, Liam Summons, Noah Little, and Tyler Martin. The Youth Secretary role will be rotated between the members.

The Federation Youth Council is a consultative committee of the Federation Council that aims to provide a forum for young people to express their views on important issues affecting young people in the Federation Council, promote and encourage the involvement of youth in the planning, development and implementation of activities associated directly or indirectly with young people and involve young people in local government decision making process.

Youth Councillors will be provided with professional development opportunities that will strengthen communication skills, develop knowledge in advocacy and governance and increase confidence in teamwork and leadership skills. Youth Councillors will be mentored by Council staff and provided with hands on experience in running meetings, public speaking, event management

and marketing.

There is still opportunity to become a Federation Youth Councillor for 2018/2019. Anyone that is interested should contact Amber Harvey, Federation Youth Council Facilitator on **(02) 6033 8974** or email [amber.harvey@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](mailto:amber.harvey@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au)

## Clubgrants 2018 Category 1 - Applications now open

The ClubGRANTS program is now open.

Community groups are invited to apply for funding through the ClubGRANTS (Category 1) Scheme.

ClubGRANTS will fund local projects that address the following priorities: -

- Community Welfare and Social Services
- Community Transport
- Aged Services
- Youth Services
- Emergency Accommodation Assistance / Homelessness
- Emergency Services

Groups operating in Victoria or outside of the council area may apply for funding assistance if they are able to demonstrate a service is being provided to NSW residents.

Innovative new projects are encouraged as are applications for other important projects.

All applications for the ClubGRANTS program must be made through the new ClubGRANTS Online System. To register your organisation and make an application visit [www.clubgrants.com.au](http://www.clubgrants.com.au)

To be considered your application must be completed and submitted by 5pm Friday, 29 June 2018.

Further information concerning ClubGRANTS Category 1 funding can be obtained from the ClubsNSW website on [www.clubsnsw.com.au](http://www.clubsnsw.com.au)

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## Anzac Day Services 2018



Anzac Day is inclusive of all the community from dawn services held at the Corowa and Howlong Cenotaph to march's and services featuring local school children, Defence Force personnel, returned servicemen and women from across the Federation Council region.

This year services were held at Mulwala, Morundah, Howlong, Corowa, Urana, Oaklands, Rand and Boree Creek with strong representation at each service.

Federation Council would like to thank community groups who each year come together to host Anzac services in their respective areas. Lest we forget.

## 2018 Volunteer Recognition Awards and Celebration



*Who is at the heart of your community?*

As part of the National Volunteer Week (May 21 -27), Federation Council celebrates the valuable contribution that volunteers make to the community with the opening of nominations for the Federation Council Volunteer Recognition Awards.

Nominations will open on the Monday, 21 May and close

at 4 pm on Friday, 22 June. The Volunteer Recognition Awards is an annual celebration where local clubs, organisations, groups or individuals can nominate their volunteers to receive a recognition award and attend a 'thank you' event in July.

Council encourages everyone to nominate those individuals who show compassion, commitment and hard work or a whole group or organisation who offer their time and skills to help others.

Nomination forms will be available from Council's website or any Council Office once open.

## Council Exhibition of Draft 2018/19 Operational Plan, Delivery Program 2018 - 2022 and Community Strategic Plan

Interested community members are encouraged to attend one of the Budget Information sessions planned for across the Council area to be held over the next few weeks where the draft budget will be presented:

Monday, 28 May 2018	
Oaklands RSL Bowling Club	6.00 pm
Tuesday, 29 May 2018	
Mulwala Resource Centre	6.00 pm
Wednesday, 30 May 2018	
Howlong Golf Resort	6.00 pm
Monday, 4 June 2018	
Urana Bowling Club	6.00 pm
Tuesday, 5 June 2018	
Corowa RSL Club	6.00 pm

(See page 7 and 8 for further details)



## Festival of Fun a hit!

Over 4000 people enjoyed a jam packed afternoon of fun yesterday at the Festival of Fun for Kids, hosted by Federation Council.

In keeping with the events storybook theme, children from across the region arrived at the Corowa Race Course dressed as their favourite storybook characters. The costume parade provided an opportunity for children to come together and proudly show off their great costumes to festival goers.

PJ Masks were a huge hit and hundreds of excited children patiently waited to meet and have their photo taken with the popular characters.

The Vegetable Plot band entertained the audience throughout the day, bringing lots of energy and humour to the main stage. The event also showcased a variety of local emerging artists, whose talents were on display throughout the day on the main stage and buskers circuits.

Animals of Oz attracted an audience of curious people who were eager to learn about a range of animals including crocodiles, lizards, frogs and birds. The interactive display was a popular part of the event program, as people of all ages gathered to take part.

The emergency services area proved popular again this year, with children excited about the opportunity to explore the vehicles and interact with their local heroes from the Police, Fire Service and Ambulance.

People of all ages worked on their circus skills, with the Fruit Fly Circus hosting workshops throughout the day and helping people to master juggling, diabolo and hula hooping.

Local schools, community groups and service providers also attended the event and provided a range of interactive and engaging activities for children to take part in. With everything from slime and rock painting, to packing beads and musical instruments, there was hours of fun on offer.

Federation Council Mayor, Pat Bourke praised the efforts of the various groups involved including Intereach, Corowa Preschool, Mainly Music, Country Buddies, St Mary's Primary, Goodstart Early Learning Centre, Corowa Girl Guides, Blue Earth Foundation, the Corowa Visitor Information Centre and Federation Council Libraries.

"It was excellent to see so many groups supporting this great community event and we thank them for their involvement," Mayor Bourke said.

"We are very proud to host this event and provide an opportunity to not only bring together and entertain families, but to also showcase the fantastic range of services available in the area."

Council had been successful in receiving a grant through the NSW Government's Country Arts Support Program to run a series of lantern making workshops with local schools in the lead up to the Festival of Fun for Kids. Children then participated in a lantern parade to display their creations and conclude yesterday's event.

The Festival of Fun for Kids would not be possible without the generous support of sponsors and volunteers.

Federation Council would like to thank community partner Uncle Toby's and festival friends Bourke Hire, Corowa Race Club, Corowa P A & H Society and Focus Engineering for sponsoring the event.

The event was also well supported by groups such as the Corowa Men's Shed, Corowa Events Committee and Corowa Friends of the Library, as well as Council staff who volunteered their time throughout the day to ensure the smooth running of the event.



## DRAFT AGEING WELL STRATEGY ON DISPLAY

Federation Council has worked in partnership with the community to develop its draft Ageing Well Strategy, which was endorsed by Council for public exhibition at the May Ordinary Council Meeting. The strategy will support positive ageing in the Federation Council area by ensuring suitable services and facilities are in place to meet the changing needs of an ageing population.

With the population of the Federation Council area being older and ageing faster than the regional, state and national average, preparing the Ageing Well Strategy was identified by Council as a key step in proactively supporting communities to continue to thrive.

The strategy will assist Council to;

- Understand the changing needs of the various communities within Federation Council.
- Direct its investment in infrastructure, service provision, programs and resources to support healthy ageing and meet community needs.
- Advocate for, and develop integrated responses to, issues outside of Council's control where Council may lead or partner with other organisations.

Council has worked closely with a number of local senior residents who were engaged as Ageing Well Ambassadors and played an integral role in the development of the strategy. The ambassadors included Stan Bromley, Ida Mensforth, Wendy Eyers, Judith Barber, Jenny Enever, Mike Gardiner, Liz Seeliger, Jan Doyle, Jeanette Smith, Yvonne Perrin and Jenny Hearn.

Federation Council Mayor Pat Bourke has praised the efforts of the ambassadors, who have provided a great level of support to the project.

"We are really pleased to have had passionate and capable residents involved in preparing a document that provides some strong and very clear direction for council," he said.

"In preparing the strategy, there was also extensive engagement with key stakeholders and the wider community and we thank all those who took the time to offer valuable input."

An extensive review and stakeholder engagement process was undertaken to inform the development of the strategy, including literature reviews, focus groups, service provider interviews, a community survey, development of a background paper and consultation with key council staff. The draft Ageing Well Strategy is currently available for the community to view and Council is seeking feedback until 5pm Wednesday 13 June.

Written submissions, addressed to the General Manager, can be posted to Federation Council, PO Box 77, Corowa NSW 2646 or emailed to [council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au).

Residents are also being encouraged to contact their local Ageing Well Ambassador if they would like to discuss the draft strategy and details of the ambassadors can be found on council's website.





## COUNCIL EXHIBITION OF DRAFT 2018/19 OPERATIONAL PLAN, DELIVERY PROGRAM 2018 – 2022 AND COMMUNITY STRATEGIC PLAN

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Mayor Pat Bourke said Council's key draft documents are directly informed by the community and contain the priorities and actions that Council considers are the key deliverables for the communities across the entire Federation Local Government Area.


The Community Strategic Plan contains the vision '**Federation will be home to a community rich in spirit, thriving through the opportunities of our unique history, rural landscapes and waterways.**' and also the many objectives and actions, are based on the themes of:

1. **Built Federation:** Maintained and improved infrastructure that meets the needs of residents and industry.
2. **Economic Federation:** Growing, progressive and prosperous communities that build on sustainable manufacturing, agriculture and tourism, close proximity to other centres on both sides of the Murray and affordability.
3. **Natural Federation:** Sustainable rural landscapes and waterways offering tranquillity and attractive recreational spaces.
4. **Social Federation:** Close-knit and welcoming communities where people come together and support each other.
5. **Well-Governed Federation:** Strong civic leadership and governance supporting equity across communities and effective communication with residents.

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This current year is the last year that residents in the former Corowa Shire area are subjected to the special rate increase applied over the last four years. The State Government has advised the rate pegging limit for 2018/19 is 2.3%, being the maximum increase allowed on general rates. Council has budgeted in the draft budget of applying the 2.3% on a flat rate across all rate categories. Council has committed to undertaking a full rate review across the entire Council area to commence in 2018/19. However, the NSW Governments commitment to communities in merged councils means that councils cannot increase general rates, by any more than the rate pegging amount for the first four years of a merger. This means that any increases over and above the rate peg would not be effective until 2020/21.

Other increases to fees and charges remain steady with increases consistent with the rate peg increase, excepting for a proposed increase of around 8%, or \$25 per year per bin, in collection charges, for residents with recycling. In non-recycling areas, the same bin charge of \$300 per bin per annum applies. No increases are proposed to the residents that only receive an ordinary waste pick up, and the waste levy of currently \$45 per assessment, is proposed to remain at \$45.

No changes are proposed to headwork's charges for development in areas such as Water and Sewer charges. An Economic Incentives program is being developed to encourage further development and to somewhat offset the DSP charges. Council also has increased staffing in this area and has adopted a new plan and strategy to allow more effective delivery of economic development outcomes.

Following the workshop on Monday night Mayor Pat Bourke thanked fellow Councillors and staff for their work in preparing the draft budget and set of plans.

"To compile the draft budget and set of council plans requires a huge amount of work and I would like to highlight the efforts of all involved," he said.

"Considering the other works underway currently made possible from merger funding and additional recent grant funding Council staff have done extremely well to deliver these draft documents to the Council and the community for their consideration.

"I think the budget has a good spread of projects across the entire local government area and Council will continue to lobby the State Government for an increased share of the taxes and contributions made from the Federation Council area, to continue to try and ease the burden on the ratepayers and deliver our many services."

Council's key draft plans, including Council's budget will be placed on public exhibition from Friday 25 May. For further information visit Council's website [www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](http://www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au)



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## Council Meetings

Ordinary meetings of Council are held in the Federation Council Chambers at the Corowa Office on the third Tuesday of the month commencing at 9:30 am.

The Ordinary meeting of Council is responsible for dealing with matters relating to finance, works, development, planning, health, building and community services. This meeting also makes a decision on Committee recommendations and is the forum for making the final decision of Council.

Residents and ratepayers are cordially invited to attend Council meetings.

### 2018 Meeting Dates

Thursday, 19 June 2018

Tuesday, 17 July 2018

Tuesday, 21 August 2018

Tuesday, 18 September 2018

Tuesday, 16 October 2018

Tuesday, 20 November 2018

Tuesday, 18 December 2018

## *Southern & Northern Regional Library*



<b>Boree Creek</b> 1.30 pm - 3.00 pm	<u>Tuesday</u> 5 June	<u>Tuesday</u> 19 June	<u>Tuesday</u> 3 July
<b>Urana</b> 2.30 pm - 5.00 pm	<u>Tuesday</u> 29 May	<u>Tuesday</u> 12 June	<u>Tuesday</u> 26 June
<b>Oaklands</b> 9.00 am - 12.00 pm	<u>Wednesday</u> 30 May	<u>Wednesday</u> 13 June	<u>Wednesday</u> 27 June
<b>Rand</b> 1.15 am - 2.00 pm	<u>Wednesday</u> 30 May	<u>Wednesday</u> 13 June	<u>Wednesday</u> 27 June



## HOUSEHOLD WASTE COLLECTION 2018

Council will be collecting domestic inert household waste on the following dates.

<b>Rand</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>25 June 2018</b>
<b>Oaklands</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>26 June 2018</b>
<b>Morundah</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>27 June 2018</b>
<b>Boree Creek</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>28 June 2018</b>
<b>Urana</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>29 June 2018</b>

The maximum amount to be collected from each residence will be limited to one 6' X 4' box trailer load. All items are to be placed on the nature strip in a clear space and should not impede pedestrians.

Council will collect white goods and up to 4 car tyres from each residence. **Council will only remove these items if a booking has been made by contacting council prior to the nominated date.**

Residents have the option to take their hard waste to the Oaklands landfill site on Tuesday 26th June, during normal tip operating hours and Urana on Friday 29th June. The maximum amount to be collected from each residence will be limited to one 6' X 4' box trailer load. Please note this is also free of charge.

**NO** Fibro Sheeting , Greenwaste, Hazardous Materials, liquids or Asbestos to be collected.

Hard waste material to be placed neatly on nature strip by 8.00 am each day.



## Baby Boomers Bus About

Twelve buses, six events and 400 Federation Council residents attended the Baby Boomers Bus About last week as part of the 2018 NSW Seniors Festival.

The NSW Seniors Festival runs from April 4-15 and celebrates the role of senior's and the contributions they make to the community.

Based around this year's festival theme 'Let's Do More Together', the Baby Boomers Bus About was a series of organised tours encouraging people to get out and about. The aim of the program was to provide opportunities for seniors to spend time with friends, meet new people, learn new skills and most importantly have fun.

Participants hopped on a bus or drove their cars to functions held in Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala, Oaklands and Urana.

### **MORNING MELODIES**

The Baby Boomers Bus About started with a bang, with nearly 100 guests enjoying morning melodies at the Yarrawonga Mulwala Golf Club Resort on Friday 6 April.

Entertainer, Maurice Milani was a big hit playing all the classics, with many guests on the dance floor for an impromptu "bogie". As the morning progressed a Congo-line snaked around the Willow Room, providing the group with many laughs.

A beautiful lunch was served while everyone recuperated from a fun filled morning, ending a great start to the Baby Boomers Bus About.

### **APRIL NO FALLS**

On Monday morning the buses were off to the Oaklands RSL Club for April No Falls. Guests engaged in an introductory tai chi class ran by Louise Smith and supported by the regular Monday Oaklands Tai Chi class. Once everyone was warmed up, Christine Campbell eased the group into a gentle exercise demonstration and taste tester.

Following the theme of April No Falls, Carly Barnes, Physical Activity Program Leader, Murrumbidgee LHD touched on falls prevention and the importance of a good diet in helping people stay on their feet. Paula Schneider, Regional Assessment Service, Murrumbidgee LHD finished the event with a presentation followed by a Q&A about the *My Aged Care* system.

Guests were treated to a delicious morning tea prepared by the Oaklands RSL Club.

### **SALT AND PEPPER SILVER SCREENING**

Tuesday and Wednesday provided the opportunity for guests to sit back, relax and enjoy a flick at the Corowa Golf Club.

Tuesday morning was a thrill for the history buff with the *Darkest Hour*, the story of Winston Churchill in his early days as prime minister, as Nazi Germany swept across Western Europe.

Guests celebrated the birth of show business on Wednesday with the *Greatest Showman*, a musical inspired by the imagination of P.T. Barnum who was a visionary who rose from nothing to create a spectacle that became a worldwide sensation.

On both days, the experience was finished off with a light lunch and the chance to mingle.



## DYING TO KNOW

This was an event with a difference as guests were informed about having a will, appointing an enduring guardian, nominating a power of attorney and 'after death' possibilities when it comes to organising your funeral.

Karen Keegan, Lawyer from Hume Riverina Community Legal Services discussed available services and life planning options including nominating a power of attorney and medical endurance power of attorney. Travis Johnson, Lawyer from Kell Moore Lawyers & Conveyancers covered what is involved in writing a will. Tracey Bastin, Manager, John Hossack Funeral Services explained post-life options.

The presenters were clear and easy to understand and everyone walked away learning something new.

Morning tea and lunch was provided, along with a special senior's gift bag to remind guests of their legal rights.

## AGEING WELL LUNCH

One hundred people made the trip to the Urana Bowling Club on Sunday for the final event of the week.

**A delicious two course meal was served and guests mingled with old friends and made new ones. Many guests had not been to Urana before and were interested to hear from locals about the town and the history of the area.**

Council was very pleased to launch the *Ageing Well Resource Guide*, as part of the celebration. The Ageing Well Resource Guide provides a listing of services on offer for seniors living in the Council area including health and social services, social and leisure activities, arts and cultural activities, local services and facilities, transport and travel times, and much more.

As the afternoon wore on, the buses left for the last leg of the Baby Boomers Bus About journey until 2019!

The Baby Boomers Bus About was an initiative delivered by Federation Council for senior residents. Council would like to acknowledge the sponsors, guest speakers and volunteers who helped to ensure the events could be provided free of charge.

Council would like to extend a special thank you to the following businesses: Corowa Golf Club, Howlong Golf Resort, Urana Bowling Club, Oaklands RSL Club, and Yarrawonga Mulwala Golf Club Resort for their event support.

Guest Speakers included Karen Keegan, Lawyer of Hume Riverina Community Legal Services, Travis Johnson, Lawyer of Kell Moore Lawyers & Conveyancers, Tracey Bastin, Manager, of John Hossack Funeral Services, Carly Barnes, Physical Activity Program Leader, and Paula Schneider, Regional Assessment Service, of Murrumbidgee LHD.

Special mention to Anna Barnes and Alisha Leeburn of the Yarrawonga Mulwala Golf Club Resort for making the day fun and Louise Smith and Christine Campbell for their demonstration and taster classes and the volunteers from the Urana Bowling Club who helped serve up lunch.

It was pleasing to see such a great level of support and enthusiasm from the community for this event and Council would like to thank the seniors who attended and helped celebrate the 2018 Seniors Festival in the Federation Council area.



## Tip/Transfer Stations

### Opening Times

	COROWA	MULWALA	HOWLONG	URANA	OAKLANDS
Monday	–	–	–	–	–
Tuesday	–	–	1pm – 4pm	–	1pm – 5pm
Wednesday	–	9am – 12noon	–	–	–
Thursday	–	–	–	–	–
Friday	9am – 12noon	–	–	12noon – 5pm	–
Saturday	1pm – 4pm	9am – 12noon	9am – 12noon	–	–
Sunday	9am – 12noon	9am – 12noon	1pm – 4pm	11am – 4pm	8am – 12noon
<b>CLOSED</b>	<b>Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Years Day, Good Friday and Easter Sunday</b>				

## Waste Disposal Charges

Council residents are advised that Waste Disposal Charges at Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala Transfer Station, Urana and Oaklands are the following:


- \* Car, Station Wagon & 4WD\* \$20
- \* 240 Lt bin \$5
- \* Ute, Van & Single Axle Trailers\* \$40
- \* General Waste - large quantities\* \$40/m<sup>3</sup>
- \* Tree Prunings and Green Waste - up to trailer size \$20
- \* Tree Prunings and Green Waste - large quantities \$20/m<sup>3</sup>
- Mattresses (S/QS/KS with or without base) \$30
- Commercial Waste \$60/m<sup>3</sup>
- \*\* Asbestos - minimum fee \$300 \$300/m<sup>3</sup>
- \*\* 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

\* Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin)

\*\* Not accepted at Mulwala Transfer Station


\*\*\* Putrescible waste (food scraps and fruit etc) not accepted at Corowa Landfill

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# Free Internet Access

Internet access is provided by  
Federation Council - Urana Office as a free  
Service for members of the community.

**Children under the age of 13 must be  
accompanied by an adult at all times whilst on  
Council property.**

Federation Council - Urana Office  
30-32 William Street, Urana  
Ph: (02) 6930 9100

*No Food or Drink should be consumed  
near the computers.*

**Please adhere to the  
30 Minute Time  
Limit.**



## Monthly Newsletter Deadline for submission of items

The deadline for submission of items to the monthly Newsletter is now the Wednesday prior to Monthly Council Meetings. For the purposes of this deadline, please find deadline date on community diary page of this newsletter.

**Your co-operation in meeting this deadline would be appreciated.**

Placement of articles is subject to available space.

**Please note that all advertisements to be placed in this newsletter must be in writing and forwarded to Federation Council through the mail, hand delivered, email or faxed.**

## 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, ensuite and laundry.*

*Current rental is \$192.60 per fortnight for Aged Pensioners. For further information, please contact Mrs Pam Danaher at Council on (02) 6930 9100*





## NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING

Please be advised of the following advertising rates for ads placed in the Urana District Newsletter are as follows:

	Council Compiled	Customer Compiled
Full Page	\$55.00	\$40.00
Half Page	\$35.00	\$30.00
Quarter Page	\$23.00	\$15.00
Centre Page	\$10.00	
Classified	\$6.00	
Thank you notices	\$6.00	
<b><u>Community Organisations</u></b>		
Community organisations <b>outside</b> Federation Council	Charges as above	Charges as above
Community organisations <b>within</b> Federation Council	No charge	No charge

## COUNCIL RATE INFORMATION

### Pensioner Rebate

If you receive a Pension, you can apply for a Pension Rebate on your rates if the property on which you are applying for a rebate is your principal place of residence.

Contact Council, for further pensioner rebate information (02) 6033 8999.

### Collection of 2017/2018 Rates and Charges

If paying in full or by instalments,  
your instalment is due and payable on

**31 May 2018**

Overdue Rates are subject to daily interest in accordance with the provisions of The Local Government Act, 1993 at the interest rate approved by the Minister for Local Government. Currently, interest is set at 7.5% pa.

Contact Council (02) 6033 8999 if you need any further information.

### Direct credit/Payments to Federation Council

Anybody using/effecting direct credit/payments to Council's Bank Account are reminded to ensure a payment advice is either faxed (02) 6033 3317 or emailed [council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au) to Council in confirmation that payment has been made. Please ensure a contact name and phone number is provided on the advice in case there are any problems encountered.

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# Media Release



**Greg Aplin MP**  
Member for Albury

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

16 May 2018

### **NSW CONSERVATION GRANTS FOR LANDHOLDERS**

Member for Albury, Greg Aplin announced that applications are open for \$2 million in grants to support conservation by private landholders in NSW.

Mr Aplin said the Conservation Partner Grants, offered through the Biodiversity Conservation Trust (BCT) are intended to help private landholders maintain the ecological values of their property.

"Funding is available for things like fencing, weed control, introduced pest animal control, supplementary planting and habitat restoration," Mr Aplin said.

"This program is part of the NSW Government's commitment through the BCT to support and encourage landholders to conserve and manage biodiversity on private land."

Minister for the Environment, Gabrielle Upton said the opening of this program for applications followed the NSW Government's unprecedented investment of \$240 million over five years, and \$70 million per year ongoing, in private land conservation as part of the land management and biodiversity conservation reforms.

"The not-for-profit Biodiversity Conservation Trust will offer \$37 million for programs in 2018," Ms Upton said.

"This will deliver major benefits to the environment and support landholders to carry out important conservation management on their properties."

Landholders with a conservation agreement or wildlife refuge agreement with the BCT that do not receive annual conservation management payments are eligible to apply for grants. Landholders participating in the Community Environment Network's Land for Wildlife program or Humane Society International's Wildlife Land Trust program are also eligible to apply.

Details of the programs are available at the BCT website [www.bct.nsw.gov.au](http://www.bct.nsw.gov.au) <http://www.bct.nsw.gov.au>, by email at [info@bct.nsw.gov.au](mailto:info@bct.nsw.gov.au), <mailto:info@bct.nsw.gov.au> or by phone on 1300 992 688.

# Urana District Notices



## **AAYUSH HEALTH CARE TRUST**

Dr. Veerendra Giri Yaramati

### **URANA MEDICAL CENTRE**

31 William Street, Urana NSW 2645

PH: (02) 6920 8333

#### **NEW OPENING HOURS**

**Monday to Friday**

**9:00 am to 5:00 pm**

***Closed for lunch break***

**12.30 pm to 1.30 pm**

*or an emergency consultation Saturday and Sunday*

*Dr Yaramati will be available at the Urana Multipurpose Centre,  
127 Princess Street, Urana*

# **Flu Vaccines are available now**

*Phone (02) 6920 8333*



## Urana District upcoming events

# Boree Creek Camp Oven Cook Off

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2018

Located at The Boree Creek Hotel

Entry forms available on the day for groups or  
individuals.

Entry Fee \$5.00 per camp oven entered.

All proceeds to Soldier On

Music/ Entertainment by Tim Sheed throughout  
the afternoon.

Music at night by Toucan Rock.

Stall Holders Welcome.

A Great Family Day/Night.

Anyone wishing to Volunteer is more than  
welcome.



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# Urana District upcoming events

## URANA BIRD SALE

URANA MEMORIAL HALL

SUNDAY, 22ND JULY, 2018

Registrations commence 10.00 am (\$1 per bird – minimum \$5)

Selling commences 11.00 am



Come along to look, buy or sell

Entry: \$3 per person / \$12 per family

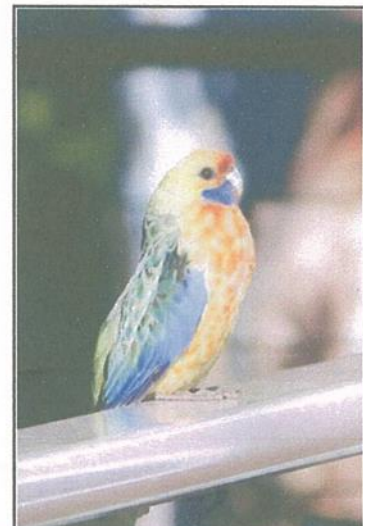
Sausage sizzle and tea/coffee available.



Enquiries: Rob 0427 930 966

All proceeds go to the Urana Free  
Flight Bird Aviary

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# Urana District upcoming events

## URANA BOWLING CLUB MARKET DAY



**Sunday 22nd July from 9.00 am**

**Cost \$10 per site**

**Stall Sites can be booked at the Club**

**Or phone the club on  
(02) 6920 8138 or Joan (0409) 746 993**

**Bookings no later than  
Friday 20th July 2018  
(Please provide your own table)**

**Devonshire teas, soft drinks, chips available.**

**There will also be a cake stall**

***Remember someone's trash  
is someone else's treasure***



# Urana District upcoming events



## **SAVE THE DATE**

**Oaklands Harvest Ball**

**Friday 12th October 2018**

**St Francis Xavier's School - Urana**

***2018 Paddys Market***

**Sunday 29th July 2018**

*We are asking for donations of produce/goods/services  
suitable to auction to help make our  
2018 Paddy's Market Fundraiser a great success.*

*If you wish to make a donation, arrange for collection of items, or you  
need further information, please contact*

***St Francis Xavier's School (02) 6920 8051,  
or Kerrie Gooden on (0429) 208 143.***

# Urana District upcoming events

## CLAIMING THE DATE



**RAND**



**FOOTBALL**

**NETBALL**

### **35<sup>th</sup> AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALL/ NETBALL DEVELOPMENT ROUND ROBIN CARNIVAL 2018**

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

**SUNDAY 5<sup>th</sup> August 2018**

**First Game Commences at 9.30am**

**BOYS**

8 & under (9 a side)  
10 & under (9 a side)  
12 & under (9 a side)

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Email [rand-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au](mailto:rand-p.school@det.nsw.edu.au)**

# Urana District News

## Urana Arts & Historical Society

### COURTHOUSE NEWS

We had a visit from the Mulwala Historical Society Group. This included Michael Widdup from Mulwala (who hadn't met his second cousins Barb Kenny (Urana), Margaret Kelly (Albury) and Gary Widdup (Urana). There was great excitement when the family met for the first time and shared morning tea. They really enjoyed exploring where their ancestors came from as well as looking at the memorabilia on show.



The Mulwala Historical Society praised the work the volunteers had put into the museum and were delighted when volunteer Mick made fresh scones for their morning tea.

They have invited us to visit them on 12th June to learn about the historical maps website.



New volunteers Carol and Donna have taken the pressure off with their assistance. We seem to be busier than ever with visitors staying at the caravan park and returning for more information.

# Urana District School News



## ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S SCHOOL URANA

*Think, Speak and act like Christ*

Greetings!

Welcome back for Term Two! I trust your holiday period was safe and happy!

Thank you to all the students and families who were able to gather with the wider Urana community, during the holidays, to commemorate ANZAC Day. We had a great day to march and the whole occasion was a fitting tribute to those who served and continue to serve our country. All of the students did a wonderful job representing our school. A special congratulations must go to Max Britton and Gabriella Coghill for addressing those gathered during the official ceremony.

Although we are only a few weeks in, this term has already been busy for us at St. Francis Xavier's.

In Week 2 we had four representatives travel to Holbrook for the Diocesan Cross Country. Congratulations to Angus, Josie, Olivia and Philippa for the way they conducted themselves on the day and raced so hard. Thank you to Miss Winter and the parents who accompanied the students on the day.

Also in Week 2, we held our Mother's Day liturgy. We gathered together to acknowledge, recognise, celebrate and give thanks to the wonderful ladies in our lives. Following the liturgy, as a small token of our appreciation, we shared morning tea with all present. This was a fantastic event and one which we'll definitely repeat next year.

In Week 3 we were fortunate to receive a visit from author Oliver Phommavanh. Oliver came to us courtesy of the Federation Council's ongoing support of the libraries in the shire. We thank them for these opportunities. Last year we went to Urana Public School for Ghost Jam, while this year, Urana Primary School and Rand Public Schools joined us here for Oliver's visit.

Coming up in Week 5, we will travel to Jerilderie and join the other schools from the South West Deanery for a concert from American singer/songwriter and music missionary John Angotti. We thank the Wagga Wagga Catholic Schools Office for their support of this day.

Later in Week 5, our Athletics representatives will travel to Jerilderie for the South West Deanery Athletics Carnival. Good luck!

God bless,  
Mitch Bailey  
Principal



Making Cubbies



Diocesan Cross Country



**Bored staying at home???**  
**THE PLACE TO BE SEEN IS**  
**URANA BOWLING CLUB**  
**NOT TO BE MISSED EVENTS**

Club's Website for latest Weekly News — [urana.bowls.com.au](http://urana.bowls.com.au)

**BOWLERS NEWS**

It is pleasing to see a renewed interest in our Bowls, with a number of new bowlers signing up. As a result a Bowlers meeting on 29th April decided to rejoin the A & D Pennant competition and Odewhan Shield. Bowlers AGM 24th June.

***BERNIE HEMPHILL MEMORIAL BOWLS TOURNAMENT***

Sunday 17th June 2018.

**NEW ADDITION TO OUR CLUB**

After 6 months of investigation and planning for a presentation and entertainment system, we have finally installed a 75" 4K smart TV mounted on a moveable cabinet. Also involved was an extension to the stage in the dining room along with new stage carpet.

**MARKET DAY**

To be held in the morning of Sunday 22nd July — The same day as the Bird Sale.

**CLUB MEMBERSHIP**

Subscriptions this year remain unchanged and are due by the 30th June 2018. Our upcoming AGM to be held on Wednesday 25th July 2018. Nominations for committee are now open and will close on Tuesday 3rd July 2018. Forms available at the bar.

**CLUB MEALS**

All our catering and meal nights are still going "Gangbusters" and continuing, thanks to our dedicated staff, volunteers and Patrons.

**Our Next Catering Functions**

Saturday 9th June (Bistro)

It would be most helpful if prior bookings can be made to help with the catering. Tel 02 6920 8138 Meals to be served from 6.00 p.m. If you are a member of the Club and have a birthday during in the month, you can claim your birthday 2 course meal for just \$5, (Monthly meals only) please let us know when placing your order.

**2018 AFL FOOTY TIPPING**

Weekly results on our website.

**FRIDAY NIGHT RAFFLES**

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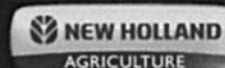


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behaviour or activity

Crime Stoppers operates 24hrs a day, 7 days a week.



**NSW POLICE SERVICE**

**Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000**



# Urana District upcoming events

## **SEVEN NEW SCHOOL ZONE TRAFFIC OFFENCES**



To help schools keep the school zone safer for all pedestrians and drivers there are seven new traffic infringements with new fines.

None of the seven offences attract demerit points when committed elsewhere on the road but in a school zone they each come with two points.

### **The changes are:**

- ♦ Stopping in intersection - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
- ♦ Stop within 20m of intersection (traffic lights) - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
- ♦ Stop within 10m of intersection (no traffic lights) - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
- ♦ Stop near bicycle crossing lights - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$439 and 2 demerit points.
- ♦ Obstruct access to ramp/path/passageway - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a penalty of \$330 and 2 demerit points.
- ♦ Not parallel park in the direction of travel - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a \$330 fine and 2 demerit points.
- ♦ Parallel park close to dividing line - Under the changes if a driver commits this offence in a school zone they will receive a \$330 fine and 2 demerit points.

All updated school zone offences can be located through Roads and Maritime:  
<http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/documents/roads/safety-rules/demerits-school.pdf>



**PLEASE KEEP OUR ROADS SAFE**





# Advanced Chemical Spray Application Training

<b>Date:</b>	19 - 22 June 2018
<b>Location:</b>	Oaklands
<b>Workshop:</b>	9am-4.30pm, 19 June 2018
<b>Workplace visit:</b>	Wed to Fri, 20-22 June 2018

### The reason:

In 2016 and 2017, even with APVMA regulatory adjustments to labels, there has been a totally unacceptable level of crop damage especially in cotton and grape growing regions throughout Australia. As cotton crops spread throughout NSW, more broadacre farmers are being challenged to manage spray application processes that do not impact on crops grown within their region.

### The solution:

AgSkilled trainers will be delivering accredited courses across NSW to meet the needs of farmers.

Advanced Spray Application training consists of two parts:

- one day workshop – 9am to 4.30pm
- workplace visit

### Units delivered:

AHCCHM303	Prepare and apply chemicals
AHCCHM304	Transport and store chemicals
AHCWRK302	Monitor weather conditions
AHCMOM315	Operate chemical application machinery and equipment





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### **Urana Chemmart Pharmacy**

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**P: 02 6920 8822**

# Thank you!

*The Urana Local Health Advisory Committee would like to thank all those members of the community who took the time to complete and return the recent community survey into the provision of health care in Urana and District. Your input will be important in helping improve health care provisions in the area into the future.*

*On behalf of the Urana LHAC committee*

*Kim Pawson*

*LHAC Committee Chair.*



# Urana District Notices



## Oaklands Memorial Hall Hire Price List 2018

Effective April 2018

President: May Day  
Secretary: Sarah-Jane Sheridan  
Treasurer: Kathy Moloney  
PO Box 45  
Oaklands NSW 2646

### HALL FACILITIES

ITEM	Hire Rates \$	
Main hall	30.00	(Hourly rate)
Main hall	150.00	Daily (over 3 hours)
Bar Area	50.00	
Kitchen	50.00	
Temprite	50.00	
Total Package	300.00	
Note: Glasses Not included		

### GLASSES

ITEM	GST INC	BREAKAGES
White Wine	.30	4.00
Red Wine	.30	4.00
Champagne Flute	.30	4.00
Beer	.30	3.00
Carafes		
Jugs	.50	

### CHAIRS & TABLES

ITEM	GST INC
Large Round table	10.00
Small Outdoor table	5.00
Black Chair- Stacking	1.00
Outdoor Chair- Stacking	1.00
Chair Covers	1.50
Chair Sashes	1.00
Table Runner	1.00

ITEM	GST INC
Knives- Dinner	.20
Knives- Bread & Butter	.20
Forks- Dinner	.20
Forks- Entree	.20
Spoon- Desert	.20
Spoon- Tea	.20
Alternative Cutlery Set	.50

### CHINA

ITEM	GST INC
Cup & Saucer	.50
Plates –Oval Entree	.50
Plates- Dinner	.50
Plates- Bread & Butter	.50
Bowl- Sweets	.50
Salt & Pepper- unfilled	.50
Large White Platters	1.50
(Breakages at Cost from \$3.00- \$10)	

### CUTLERY

ITEM	GST INC
Barbeque- gas included	50.00
Bain Marie	40.00
Electric Urn	15.00

All bookings please contact Sarah-Jane Sheridan 0428 502 575





## **CWA Oaklands News**

Attempts are still being made to re-instate the Early Childhood Services. One way of achieving this is through the Greater Hume Children's Services. They will provide full training & CWA will provide the venue. This is an excellent opportunity for someone (female or male) to gain meaningful part-time work without having to comply to all the guidelines of providing the same service in your own home. Oaklands children have no local access to ANY of the Early Childhood time, supposedly being provided to ALL children, by the Federal Government. Please bring this to the attention of your local member of Parliament.

See separate notice (on page 34) for information regarding the provision of Driver Testing services by Service NSW. Again, CWA is providing the venue. It is most important when ringing the 13 77 88 number to ask for the Albury Service Centre. Please support this service to ensure it will be retained.

CWA of NSW have available to NSW residents a Disaster Relief Fund. All donations have full "Deductible Gift Recipient" status – tax deductible. No administration charges come out of this fund. Currently we are supporting areas in the Sir Ivan fire Dunedoo, Bonnay fire Bundarra, drought relief Hunter Valley, fire Tathra. Donations are accepted at any time.

Members are ecstatic to announce we have appointed Mr Graham Tucker of TC Constructions, Thurgoona, to carry out the upgrade of our rooms. Commencing immediately.

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## **CWA of NSW Oaklands Branch** **and Service NSW**



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Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2018

**Bookings for Driver Licence testing**

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**\*\*Further dates will be notified in the Oaklands Central School Newsletter & the Urana District Newsletter**



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Wednesday 13 June 2018**

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## Contact:

**Oaklands Office: (02) 6035 4351**

**Urana Office: (02) 6920 8267**

**Pat: 0429 208 267**

**David: 0447 208 768**

**Email: billabongagriculture@gmail.com**

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call the  
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## Bush & Campbell Accountants

WAGGA  
6938 4600

LOCKHART  
6920 5101

TUMBARUMBA  
6948 2018

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Lockhart

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PH : **6920 5101**

Other offices at:

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Tumbarumba: 6948 2018

## MG FEED SOLUTIONS

**J & A Beale Transport**

42 Buller Street, Oaklands

## Riverina Buying Agent for Grain & Hay

**Phone Jim:** 0428 570 325 **BH**  
(02) 6035 4315 **AH**  
(02) 6035 4146 **FAX**



## Oaklands

### Community Health & Fitness Centre

*Time to just to be a fitter and healthier person?*

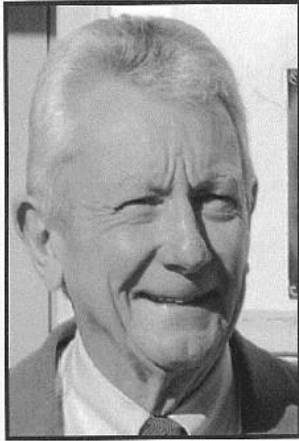
- Commercial quality "Life Fitness" equipment suitable for all fitness levels – beginner to weight training
- Individual access from 5am-10pm
- Heated/cooled premises
- Access to qualified fitness trainers
- Amenities for freshening up after a workout
- Kitchenette for a quick bite to eat in your lunch break

Short term membership: \$15 per week Adults; \$10 per week Concession  
3 month membership: \$104.00 Adults; \$62.40 Concession  
Plus \$20 refundable access card deposit

For more information contact:

Tarin Moar 0427 847 208 or Tamara Nixon 0417 559 152





Principal:  
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**Ph: 69 205 207**

**78 GREEN STREET LOCKHART**  
Offices also in Wagga & Urana

**DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE IN YOUR COMMUNITY WITH AN ENDURING MENTAL ILLNESS THAT COULD BENEFIT FROM SOME COORDINATED SUPPORT?**

Partners in Recovery {PIR} aims to better support people with severe and persistent mental illness and their carers and families by getting services and supports to work in a more collaborative, coordinated and integrated way, for systemic change.

Support Facilitators assist participants to identify their hopes, dreams and priorities and facilitate the coordination of services and supports needed to meet those priorities.

Importantly, Hume PIR will identify where there are systems issues and barriers and lead in the development of systems change.

Contact the Hume PIR Intake Triage Clinician on 02 6041 0056.





**FREE & CONFIDENTIAL**  
**Women's Health Clinics**

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**URANA MPS- COMMUNITY HEALTH  
& GP CLINIC**

**For ALL Women All Ages & Abilities**

**Provided by a Women's Health Nurse Specialist**

Services include :

Aboriginal Womens Business

Breast Health

Cervical screening/Pap/HPV tests

Continence (Bladder control information, advocacy  
& referrals)

Contraception options including Emergency advice

Menstral Health & Menopause information

Pregnancy testing & pregnancy options/choices  
counselling/referrals

Reproductive health information-periods, fertility,  
pelvic examinations, postnatal checks

Sexual health screening

Sexual assault, Domestic violence Supports,  
Stress Management & Grief & Loss counselling  
& referrals

Specific Womens Health referrals & information for  
Women Living with disabilities, Lesbian Health

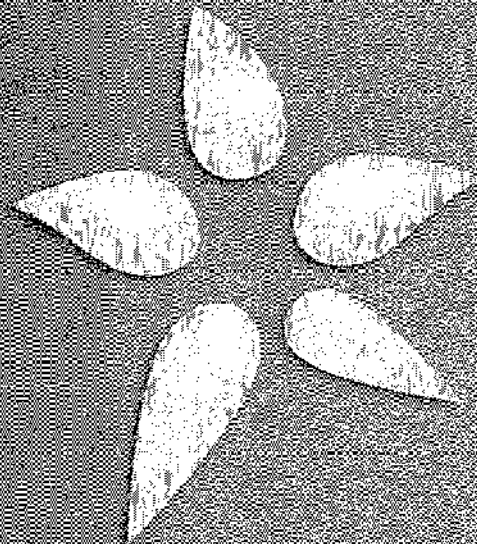
**2018 Wednesday dates:**

**June 20, July 18, Aug 15, Sept 19, Oct 17, Nov 21,  
Dec 19**

**Phone Urana (02) 6930 9200**

Service details, appointments & Drop In

# Urana's wellbeing destination.



It has never been easier to put your wellbeing first.  
In fact, it's as simple as a trip to Urana Chemmart Pharmacy.

**We offer a range of services that help you stay  
on top of your everyday health as well as a variety  
of products tailored to better your health.**



Health Check



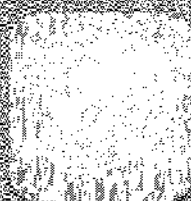
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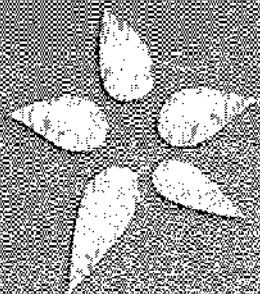


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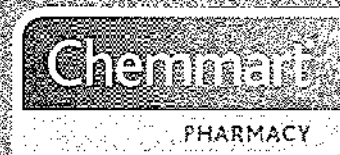


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*Look after yourself better*



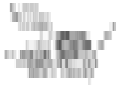
**Urana Chemmart Pharmacy**  
6-8 Osborne Street, Urana NSW 2645  
**P: 02 6920 8822**

**OPENING HOURS**  
Mon- Fri: 10am - 5pm

*Deliveries available in Urana, Oaklands & Rand*

# Urana & District Health Services

Urana Hospital - (02) 6930 9200  
Urana Community Health - (02) 6930 9224



## CRAFT & CUPPA



Come along and enjoy your craft at  
Urana Community Health.

1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month

10.30 am to 3.00 pm

Enquiries:  
Anne Kerr (02) 6920 8188

## PODIATRIST

Wagga Foot Clinic at Urana Community Health

20 June 2018



For Appointments Please Phone:  
Wagga Foot Clinic  
on (02) 6921 1783

## Back on TRACK PHYSIOTHERAPY

Justin Gordon B. Physiotherapy

p (02) 6033 0933  
e justin@backontrackphysio.biz  
w www.backontrackphysio.biz

Urana Community Health Centre  
Princess Street, Urana NSW

Every Monday  
1pm to 4pm



### AAYUSH HEALTH CARE TRUST

Dr. Veerendra Giri Yaramati

URANA MEDICAL CENTRE

31 William Street, Urana NSW 2645

PH: (02) 6920 8333

Monday to Friday  
9:00 am to 5:00 pm



## Do you need a Community Health Service?

You can now access Community  
Health Services such as:

- Community Nurse
- Child and Family Health Nurse
- Generalist Counsellor
- Occupational Therapist
- Dietitian
- Physiotherapist
- Speech Pathologist
- Palliative Care Nurse
- Diabetes Educator
- Chronic Care

By calling one number the health professional on the end of the line will help you access the service you need.

Call 1800 654 324  
(1800 MLHD CH)

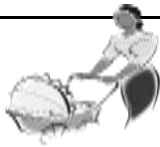



Health  
Murrumbidgee  
Local Health District

Referral needed. Phone Urana Community Health for  
further information (02) 6930 9224



# Urana & District Health Services

<b>Community Nurses</b> Christine Simpson Karen Brooks	Hospital - (02) 6930 9200 Community Health - (02) 6930 9224
<b>Child &amp; Family Nurse</b> Jacinta Dore	Urana, Oaklands, Rand and Morundah — <b>clinic and home visits by appointment only.</b> Contact Urana Community Health 02 6930 9226 
<b>Childhood Immunisation Clinic</b> 	<b><u>ALL</u> venues, including <u>URANA</u> by appointment <u>ONLY</u>.</b> <b>Please ring (02) 6930 9226</b> 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 Nurses.

## Do you love children?

Do you also want to work from home and set your own hours?

Our friendly, country service needs more home based child care educators (your home or child's home or suitable premises). No professional experience necessary. Full support and training provided.

**Greater Hume Children Services**

Contact: T: 6026 3877  
[www.ghchildren.com.au](http://www.ghchildren.com.au)

## Women's Health

A free and confidential health service for women of all ages provided by a specialist Women's Health Nurse

**20 June 2018**

For appointments for Women's health (pap smears, general women's health information) contact the

Community Health Centre (02) 6930 9224 or the Hospital (02) 6930 9200

## **DENTAL PROSTHETIST**

**Gary Barutzki**

Direct to the Public

### **For All Your Denture Needs:**

Full, Partial Dentures, Relines,  
Repairs & Additions

**ON A FORTNIGHTLY BASIS  
FOR AN APPOINTMENT PHONE:  
6925 0549**

# Health Services

**ATTENTION: SENIORS AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS WANTING TO GET FIT AND MAKE FRIENDS**

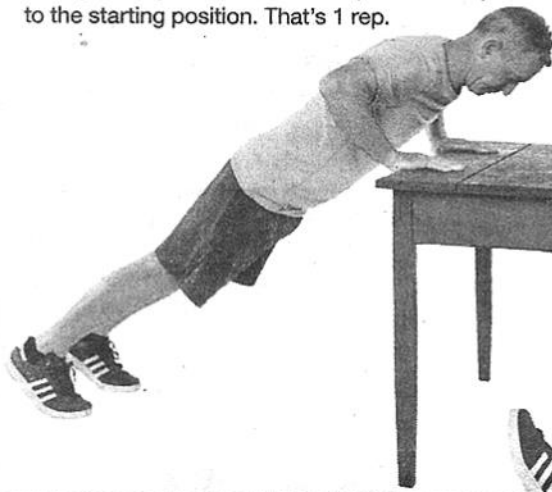


## **STRENGTH AND BALANCE EXERCISE**

### **MODIFIED PUSH UP**

**BENEFIT:** "This strengthens the chest and arms."

**TIPS:** Standing 1-2 metres away from a table, put both hands at shoulder width on the tabletop. Slowly lower yourself down then push back up to the starting position. That's 1 rep.



### **SQUAT**

**BENEFIT:**

"Targets muscles around the knees and hips."

**TIPS:** Stand with your feet shoulder-width apart, your arms crossed. Tilt your head and torso forwards slightly as you lower your body until your thighs are near parallel to the floor. Return to the start position. That's 1 rep.



**Every Monday at 10.30 am  
At Community Health at the  
Urana Hospital**

Followed by morning tea and a talk

Cost \$1 per session

**CONTACT**

Bill (02) 6920 8112 or Harry (02) 6920 8374

# Health Services

## LOCKHART HEALTH SERVICES

The following services are visiting Lockhart regularly:

### OPTOMETRIST

Russell and Chalker Optometrists Eyecare Plus are now visiting Lockhart regularly for comprehensive consultations.

Glaucoma testing, cataract assessments, macular degeneration. Adults and Children's assessments, and Veteran's Affairs patients welcome. Spectacle frames available.

**For Appointments Please Phone:** (02) 6921 8833

### PODIATRIST

Wagga Foot Clinic visits the Lockhart Community Health Building every 4 weeks.

**For Appointments Please Phone:** Wagga Foot Clinic on (02) 6921 1783

PHYSIOTHERAPY - Every Wednesday (must have referral).

**For Appointments Please Phone:** Lockhart & District Hospital on (02) 6920 5206

### X-RAY SERVICE

X-Ray services are available every 2<sup>nd</sup> 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**



## MOBILE BLOOD BANK

Visits Lockhart every **third** month.  
(In front of the Shire Offices)

**Next visit:**

**4 JULY 2018**

Have 3 or 4 glasses of water or juice in the hours before you donate.

Have a good sized breakfast or lunch

(You need to be aged between 16 & 70 years)

For further information or to make a booking please go to  
[www.donateblood.com.au](http://www.donateblood.com.au)

*All Welcome*



# Health Services



## Valmar Community Transport Bus Trips

### **Urana to Albury Bus- 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of Month \$5**

Departs Urana Hospital - 8.00 am

Oaklands General Store - 8.30 am

Daysdale - 8.45 am

Arrive Albury Target - 10.00 am

Depart Albury Target - 2.00 pm

### **Urana to Wagga Bus- 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of Month \$5**

Departs Oaklands General Store - 7:30am

Urana Hospital - 8.00 am

Lockhart Post Office - 8.30 am

Milbrulong - 8.45 am

The Rock Post Office - 9.00 am

Uranquinty - 9.30 am

Arrive Wagga Kmart - 10.00 am

Depart Wagga Kmart - 2.30 pm

### **Urana to Yarrawonga Bus- 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of Month \$5**

Departs Urana Hospital - 8.30 am

Oaklands General Store - 9.00 am

Arrive Yarrawonga - 10.00 am

Depart Yarrawonga - 2.30 pm

### **MEN & LADIES SOCIAL BUS TRIPS \$10**

If you are interested in going to any of these social bus trips please contact the Office for more information on (02) 6920 4162.

# Health Services

## Valmar Support Services Lockhart Office

*Our service delivery areas encompass the Lockhart & Urana Riverina/Murray areas*

The following services Valmar Support Services provide are:

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

Following services are Brokered by Intereach:

- Home Maintenance
- Meals on Wheels
- Men's Social Support Bus Trips
- Albury Bus Trip

- ♦ *Frail Aged (65 years & over )*
- ♦ *Have a disability*
- ♦ *Independence at home is at risk*
- ♦ *A carer of frail aged or person with a disability*
- ♦ *Isolated, Transport Disadvantaged*
- ♦ *From a culture distinct community, financially disadvantaged*

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

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



Australian Government  
Department of Health



Transport  
for NSW



# Urana District Church Notices



## Catholic Parish of Urana, Oaklands & Lockhart

SATURDAY 5.30 pm URANA  
SATURDAY 7.00 PM LOCKHART

### FOR EMERGENCY MINISTRY

you are invited to contact  
St Michaels Cathedral Presbytery Wagga  
(02) 6921 2164  
or the Diocesan offices at McAlroy House  
(02) 6937 0003



**ANGLICAN**  
CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA  
Diocese of the Riverina

**ST PHILIP'S CHURCH  
PRINCESS STREET URANA  
UPCOMING SERVICE DATES**

**24 June 2018 - 10.00 am**

For all Baptisms, Marriages,  
Funerals and all other enquiries,  
please contact Reverend Nola Cox  
**(02) 6920 5549**



## Uniting Church Urana

Uniting Church  
Urana Enquiries  
Please contact:  
**(02) 6920 8047**



## Anglican Church of Australia Diocese of Riverina

### St Aidan's Lockhart

Corner Day & Drummond Streets Lockhart

*SUNDAY - 9.00 am*

### St Oswald's Boree Creek

Baptisms, Marriages. Funerals & other  
activities by arrangement

*All Enquiries,  
Please contact Rev Nola Cox  
on (02) 6920 5549*



# Calendar

## *of Events*

### Urana District

#### BOREE CREEK

June 23 Boree Creek Camp Oven Cook off

#### MORUNDAH

#### OAKLANDS

Oct 12 CLAIMING THE DATE - Oaklands Harvest Ball

#### RAND

Aug 5 Rand Football/Netball Round Robin Carnival 2018 - Rand Sports Ground

#### URANA

Jul 22 Urana Caged Bird Sale, Urana Hall

Jul 22 Urana Bowling Club Market Day

Jul 29 St Francis Xavier's School - Paddy's Market, Urana Hall

Deadline for

June Edition

Wednesday

13 June 2018

All articles and advertisements for the newsletter must be in writing and sent via mail, hand delivered, email or faxed to Council **no later than 5.00 pm to be included in this Edition**. Placement of articles is subject to available space.

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# Festival of Fun a hit!

