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MAYORS MESSAGE



Dear Readers,

Welcome to the June 2024 edition of the Urana & District Newsletter.

In this edition we discuss the Federal Government making local roads safer with \$4.4 billion available under the Roads to Recovery program over the next five years, expressions of interest are now live for the Federation Youth Council and we talk all things 3 Bin System for Urana and the surrounding villages.

We are engaging with the community this month in regards to the Urana Levee Upgrade and Morundah Flood Mitigation Design Projects. If you missed the public meetings, anyone who lives or works in Federation Council is invited to review the concept design drawings and provide feedback via Council's website.

Also be sure to check out all the awesome community news and events via the 'Urana District News' section and the calendar of events.

Until next time, be kind to yourselves and one another.

Federation Council Mayor - Cr Pat Bourke.

COUNCIL MEETINGS 2024

Ordinary meetings of Council are generally held on the last Tuesday of the Month commencing at 9:30am.

Federation Council is pleased to offer LIVE streaming of our monthly Council Meetings. 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. For past meetings select the icon under 'Media'.

Tuesday 28 May Urana Chamber	
Tuesday 25 June Corowa Chamber	Tuesday 30 July Urana Chamber
Tuesday 27 August Corowa Chamber	Tuesday 22 October Corowa Chamber
Tuesday 26 November Urana Chamber	Tuesday 17 December Corowa Chamber

Digital versions of the Urana District Newsletter are available on Federation Council website.

[www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au/Council/News-Media/
Urana-District-Newsletter](http://www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au/Council/News-Media/Urana-District-Newsletter)

PUBLIC FORUM

Members of the public have the opportunity to address the Council prior to Ordinary and Extraordinary Council meetings. The forum allows for verbal submissions/presentations from community members on items of business to be considered at the meeting. Conditions are outlined in Council's Code of Meeting Practice. Council holds Public Forums on the Monday before the Council meeting at 5.30pm. To apply to make a presentation at a public forum, please submit your request via the online form available from Council's website.

FUNDING BOOST TO COUNCIL THROUGH ROADS TO RECOVERY



The Federal Government is making local roads safer with \$4.4 billion available under the Roads to Recovery program over the next five years.

The Federal Government has committed to progressively doubling the program's funding to \$1 billion annually, delivered in the 2024-25 Budget. Roads to Recovery supports local road construction and maintenance by Local Government. It directly impacts the quality of our local roads, allows for potholes to be filled, pavements to be repaired, culverts to be installed to improve drainage and keep roads open during bad weather, and helps make sure we all get home safely.

Federation Council Mayor, Cr Pat Bourke said Council welcomes the additional funding through the Federal Government's Roads to Recovery program.

"Council will receive \$12,289,525 in total across the five years of this program," Mayor Bourke said.

"In our Long Term Financial Plan, Council had budgeted to receive \$8.4 million from this ongoing funding program. This latest announcement provides an additional \$3.9 million on what we anticipated to be receiving and will be spent across our extensive road network."

Mayor Bourke said Council has been lobbying the State and Federal Governments for increases in road funding to address Council's deteriorating road network.

"Council will continue to lobby both levels of government to ensure our Local Government Area and other rural councils receive increased road funding. Road funding and maintenance forms a huge part of regional and rural councils' ongoing financial sustainability challenges and it is pleasing to see the Federal Government in this instance responding to our lobbying efforts and recognising the challenges we face as a sector."

The increase in funding will be phased in to avoid putting pressure on inflation, supply costs and the construction labour market.

Roads to Recovery funding for each local government area is determined based on factors such as population and road length. The Government has worked closely with councils to ensure that funding is distributed where it is needed and able to be spent more quickly. The increased funding is part of a series of changes aimed at strengthening investment in safer, more productive local roads across Australia. Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government Minister Catherine King said the Albanese Government is committed to ensuring local government road funding is stable, predictable and fair into the future.

"Local Councils are our trusted delivery partners and they know where the work on local roads is most needed to improve safety," Minister King said.

"That is why we have increased the funding provided through the Roads to Recovery program, delivering on our commitment to improve road safety across Australia."

COOL HEADS SENDS A STRONG MESSAGE



'Cool Heads' returned in triumphant fashion to the region on Wednesday 29 May with a captivating 2 hour presentation at Club Corowa.

Federation Council, Mayor Cr Patrick Bourke said, this cross-border road safety education initiative is aimed at Year 11 and 12 students from both Rutherglen and Corowa High Schools and has been running since 2011.

"Over 100 students, their teachers and a few interested onlookers heard factual and confronting first-hand accounts from both Corowa and Rutherglen Police sergeants (Sgts Stephen Marshall and Mick Savage), Ben Wilson from the Volunteer Rescue Association (VRA) and also Vicki Richardson who for many years hosted the Don't-txt-n-drive foundation following the tragic death of her then 20yo daughter Brooke in December 2012, who was texting while driving."

"A new and well received element to the Cool Heads program was a braking and stopping distance demonstration at different speeds, which was held by Highway Patrol Police in Betterment Parade," he said.

Students have given Cool Heads 2024 a huge thumbs up with it scoring a post-

event online feedback survey satisfaction rating of 89%. Each presenter's rating was exceptionally high in the 94-98% range. Key take-away messages included:

- don't text and drive;
- speeding;
- the dangers of cars;
- pay attention to your surroundings

Organising Committee members are from a range of stakeholders including Victorian Police, Rutherglen Neighbourhood Watch, Federation Council, NSW Police, Don't-txt-n-drive, Corowa High School and Rutherglen High School.

Organisers wish to thank the generosity of Club Corowa for the venue as well as providing meeting spaces over the past few months. In particular Functions Manager Helen King for her exceptional assistance.

Thanks also to Canns Bus Line, Jaspers Bus Service, Indigo Shire Council, Federation Council, Complete Body Craft and the Volunteer Rescue Association (VRA).



FISCHER LEADERSHIP SAVE THE DATE

Workshop: Urana, Waterfront Pavilion

- Friday 13 September 2024
- Friday 20 September 2024
- Zoom Sessions: 7pm - Monday 30 September and Tuesday 8 October

Further information to come.

ON EXHIBITION

At Council's May ordinary meeting it endorsed the draft Southern Riverina Drought Resilience Plan and Draft Legislative Compliance Policy for public exhibition for a period of 28 days.

Unreasonable Conduct by a Complainant Policy:

The draft policy was developed to assist all staff to better manage unreasonable conduct by complainants.

Council is inviting residents to review the draft policy and provide any feedback by 5pm, Friday 28 June, 2024.

The draft policy is available for viewing below or at any Council office. Anyone interested in providing feedback on the policy should do so in writing, addressed to the General Manager, PO Box 77, Corowa NSW 2646 or email to council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

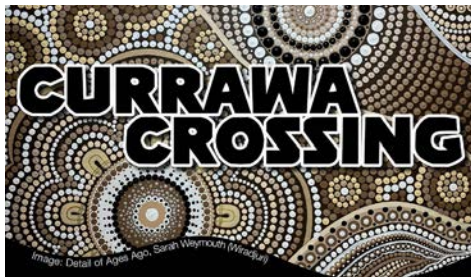
Draft Waste Management Strategy 2024-2030:

The draft strategy defines Council's vision for sustainable waste management throughout the whole of Federation Council.

Council is inviting residents to review the draft policy and provide any feedback by 5pm, Tuesday 2 July 2024.

The draft policy is available for viewing below or at any Council office. Anyone interested in providing feedback on the strategy should do so in writing, addressed to the General Manager, PO Box 77, Corowa NSW 2646 or email to council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

CURRAWA CROSSING EXHIBITION



The exhibition is now on display until Sunday 14 July 2024 and will run to coincide with National Reconciliation Week and National NAIDOC Week to celebrate and recognise the history, culture and artistic achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples residing in the region.

View the Currawa Crossing exhibition at the Corowa Art Space, until Sunday 14 July. Entry is free. Opening hours are Wednesday - Friday 10am - 4pm, and Saturday - Sunday from 10am to 2pm. Learn more from Council's website.

SERVICE NSW COROWA July altered operating hours

The Service NSW Corowa Agency will operate with altered opening hours during the month of July 2024. The agency will be closed on Wednesday's during July as follows;

- Wednesday 3 July
- Wednesday 10 July
- Wednesday 17 July
- Wednesday 24 July
- Wednesday 31 July

Council apologises for any inconvenience caused and thanks you for your continued support and understanding.

REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS

Federation Council is seeking Request for Quotation (RFQ) from suitably qualified and experienced consultants/suppliers to undertake an Independent Service Review for Planning and Development Services at Federation Council.

Documentation relating to the RFQ including the submission process, deliverables is now available for downloading from Tenderlink.

Quotations must be marked Confidential - Attention: Susan Appleyard, Director Planning, Place and Sustainability, Request For Quotation Service Review Planning and Development Service and submitted via Council's email council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au and copied to susan.appleyard@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au no later than 12 noon Tuesday 2 July, 2024.

All requests for further information including questions regarding this quotation must be directed to Susan Appleyard, via mobile 0491 151 792, or email susan.appleyard@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

MENS ONLINE ANXIETY SUPPORT GROUP

Did you know that you can join WayAhead's Men's online Anxiety Support Group?

- 3rd Saturday of the month
- 1pm

The groups are usually comprised of a small number of people who come together to share personal experiences and information in a safe, friendly and supportive environment.

Find out more:

www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

<https://understandinganxiety.wayahead.org.au/event/mens-anxiety-online-support-group/2024-02-17/>

POSITIONS VACANT - Independent Audit Risk and Improvement Committee



Federation Council is seeking Expression of Interest for the appointment of two (2) independent members for the Audit Risk and Improvement Committee (ARIC).

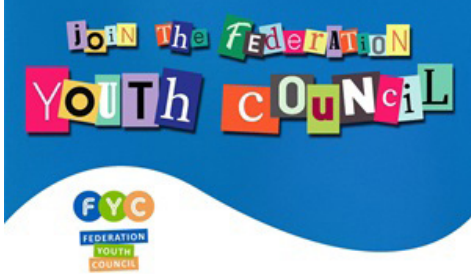
ARIC assists in promoting good governance practices within the organisation by bringing a systematic, disciplined approach to evaluate and improve the effectiveness of enterprise risk management, control and governance processes.

ARIC meets five (5) times per calendar year in Corowa, NSW. Teleconferencing facilities are available if members are unable to attend in person. Committee members receive remuneration per meeting (for preparation time and attendance). Both appointments are for an initial term of four (4) years, commencing October 2024.

Find out more on Council's website or to see what other opportunities are for you.

FEDERATION COUNCIL NEWS

APPLICATIONS OPEN FOR FEDERATION YOUTH COUNCIL



Council is calling for passionate young people to nominate for the Federation Youth Council for 2024 / 2025.

Federation Youth Council is open to 12–25-year-old young people who live, learn, or work in the Federation Council area.

Mayor Councillor Patrick Bourke is encouraging young people to consider joining the Youth Council.

“Youth Council is great opportunity that provides young people with an opportunity to develop their leadership skills, help organise youth driven events and activities, support local initiatives, attend leadership conferences and meet new people,” Councillor Bourke explains.

There are nine Youth Councillor positions, including a Youth Mayor and Deputy Youth Mayor. They will serve for 12 months.

The Youth Council meet for an hour and half each month for meetings and workshops to discuss youth issues, organise events and take a leading role in driving change for youth in the community. Members can join face-to-

face or online.

Applications for Youth Council are now open and close at 5pm on Wednesday 31 July 2024. If this is something you’re interested in, we encourage you to apply!

The application form, and further information is available online via the Council website, online via links on the I am Federation Facebook Page or FedYouthHub on Instagram. For more information contact Amber Harvey, Team Leader Community Development at 02 6033 8999 or email communityevents@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2024



Federation Council’s election will be administered by the NSW Electoral Commission and the election will be held on Saturday, 14 September 2024.

All residents are encouraged to check their enrolment details prior to the election date by calling the NSW Electoral Commission on 1300 135 736 or by visiting their website.

NEW 3 BIN SYSTEM - URANA AND SURROUNDING VILLAGES



Federation Council will introduce a new system of waste collection from July 2024 to divert organics away from landfill for Urana and surrounding villages and some of our southern villages.

The new “3 bin” system will allow food and garden waste to be collected from households. Households will receive three separate 240-litre bins, with organics collected weekly, and recycling and general waste collected fortnightly.

A new red lid bin for rubbish, a yellow lid bin for recycling and green lid bin for organics will be provided.

In June, the following areas will be delivered new bins, a kitchen caddy, a collection calendar, compostable liners and an information pack to explain these changes.

- Urana
- Morundah
- Boree Creek
- Oaklands
- Rennie

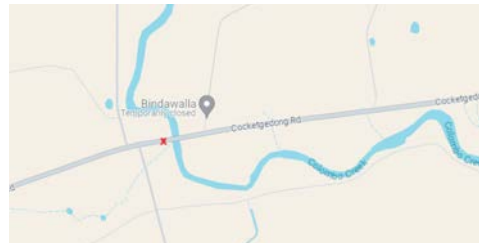
- Collendina
- Savernake
- Buraja
- Coreen
- Daysdale
- Lowesdale
- Rand

With the new 3 bin system you'll have more space which means less waste that will end up in landfill which is better for our environment and our future.

The new system will begin in July 2024.

You can find further information by visiting Halve Waste: <https://halwaste.com.au/>

SPEED REDUCTION IN PLACE - COCKETGEDONG ROAD, URANA



Federation Council have implemented a speed reduction on Cocketegong Road, adjacent to the bridge over Columbo Creek, to undertake minor repairs until the end of June 2024 with further work to be completed in the coming months.

We ask local motorists and residents to observe traffic/road work signage and take extra care when travelling near the area. Council thanks our community for your patience and cooperation while undertaking this construction work.

URANA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

BIGGEST MORNING TEA



What a great morning – great venue (thanks Urana Bowling & Community Club), great company, great conversations, great donations, great food, great fundraising! We have sent off about \$1,400 to Cancer Council and almost \$550 to Leukemia Foundation - and it just may be our contribution that leads to a cancer research breakthrough!

Raffle winners were Dianne Richens (thanks Bunnings), Hilton Field (thanks Helen Murphy) and Anna Stienstra (thanks Wanda Oram-Miles). There were 30 Continuous Raffle and Lucky Spot prizewinners (thanks Kerry, Celeste and Barb).

Wanda's talk about overseas diplomacy was most interesting - she has certainly worked in some out-of-the-way places and situations. Thanks Wanda – people learnt a lot from that your talk and we may continue this learning at a later date.

Urana Progress Association would like to thank everyone who brought food, travelled or supported us in any other way (including Joan H who knitted Barry's beanie). We may have some changes next year so stay tuned!



JUNE COMMUNITY MORNING TEA



The 3-bin system will be implemented in the northern part of Federation Shire from 1st July, 2024 – Mark, Michelle and Jennifer came along to our Community Morning Tea to explain the changes and discuss this more fully.

After the first few weeks, it will become second nature to us.

VOLUNTEERS MICRO-GRANT



Thank you Federation Council for approving our Grant application. We felt the Micro-Grants were a great way of celebrating Volunteers – Progress Association benefited and local businesses benefited.

We welcomed a group from Corowa Federation Museum who used their Grant funds to visit our Museum and enjoy morning tea with us – a great idea and we will look at visiting somewhere next year. The following day our Volunteers sat in the sun and ate a delicious lunch that we had ordered from Urana Takeaway and Newsagent. It was so good to just sit in the sun and chat! For us it was lovely to not have to travel to an event.

POLO SHIRTS

Urana Progress Association volunteers are now able to be recognized by the new polo shirts we will be wearing. They are looking great – and more can be ordered as needed.

RECYCLING



Hard Plastic Containers, Bottles & Garden Pots



Steel & Empty Aerosol Cans



Aluminum Cans & Clean Foil Containers



Glass Bottles & Jars



Paper Products



Cardboard, Newspaper & Magazines

THIS BIN IS NOT FOR

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|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| NO Plastic Bags/Soft Plastics | NO Gas Bottles/Cylinders |
| NO Waxed Boxes | NO Clothing/Shoes/Accessories |
| NO Polystyrene | NO Nappies/Baby Wipes |
| NO Computers/Batteries/E-Waste | NO Food/Garden Waste |
| NO Takeaway Cups | NO Hazardous Waste |
| NO General Waste | NO Pillows/Blankets |
| NO Liquids | NO Scrap Metal/Tin, Wire |

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CWA OAKLANDS NEWS 2024



CWA of NSW STATE CONFERENCE: at Coffs Harbour.

Thirty-six motions were presented including fourteen pertaining to health issues.

Resolutions passed included: 1. "That the policy of CWA of NSW be to advocate the NSW Government for the re-instatement of a permanent Police presence in rural towns where there already exists a Police Station residence".

2. "That the policy of CWA of NSW request the NSW and Australian Government to legislate for a transparent, publicly available water ownership register, and mandate the registration of member's interest and foreign investment in water".

3. "That the policy of CWA of NSW shall be to advocate for full body skin cancer checks be available at a subsidised price (ideally free), so that everyone at risk can afford a regular check".

Congratulations Lorraine Marcus for exhibiting a piece of hardanger work at State Handicraft judging.

Thanks to Federation Council for a grant to participate in thanking our CWA volunteers. Members were able to share dinner with our valuable Coffee Ladies to thank them for their continued support.

Oaklands members congratulate Junior member Dayna Carter for being selected participate in the Federation Council Miki City Exchange Program. To this end we will be supporting Dayna with a raffle. (With help from Oaklands Lions members).

Prizes will be a trailer of wood & other surprises. Dayna may need up to \$2,000 for the air fare. Accommodation will be provided by host families. Anyone wishing to contribute may approach any of our members to make a donation. Dayna will be travelling to Japan in late September.

Oaklands Memorial Hall. A grant of \$1,580 was obtained from the Department of Veteran's Affairs to replace the original glass on the large Honour Board with 6mm clear laminated safety glass. Thank you to Yarrawonga Glass & Austral Cleaning Corowa for a great job.



1914-1919 In Honor of the Brave Residents from Oaklands and District who enlisted for Active Service Abroad.
GREAT EUROPEAN WAR 1914-191

**Next meeting: Tues 18 th June at
CWA rooms. Start 1.30pm.
Enquiries Heather Kerr 0447 335 201
ALL WELCOME.**

ADAM HARVEY & BECCY COLE



THE GREAT COUNTRY SONG BOOK

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SATURDAY 29TH JUNE 2024
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Corowa Kinship Carers and Grandparents Group

The Corowa Kinship Carers and Grandparents Group is a group for kinship carers and grandparents who are caring for children on a casual, part-time or full-time basis, who are interested in meeting other carers and the opportunity to seek information and support.

Come along for a cuppa and a chat.

When: 1st Tuesday of every month, starting Feb 6

Time: 10am - 11am

Where: Intereach Corowa Community Room

For additional information, please contact:

Shannon - Intereach Family and Community Worker

Phone: 0436 632 423

Email: shannonl@intereach.com.au

For more information about the services Intereach offers:

P: 1300 488 226 | www.intereach.com.au



Wiggle and Giggle Corowa

Wiggle and Giggle is a free group for parents and carers with children under school age (0-5 years) where they can enjoy songs, rhymes and stories while connecting with others.

FREE!

When: Every Monday during school terms

Where: Corowa Public School Entrance via gate on Victoria St

Time: 10am-11am



For more information please contact Shannon by calling 0436 632 423 or email shannonl@intereach.com.au

For more information about Intereach services:
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Robson Engineering Urana



Steel Sale while stocks last

- 50 X 50 X 1.6 DURAGALPLUS RHS 8m long \$68 a length incl. GST
- 32NB XLGT GAL PIPE PE (42.4X2.0) 6.5m long \$48 a length incl. GST
- 150 X 150 X 5.0 DURAGALPLUS RHS 8m long \$710 a length incl. GST
- SL72 REINFORCING MESH 6m x 2.4m \$100 a sheet incl. GST
- SHEEPYARD MESH 6M X .9M GALV \$60 a sheet incl. GST
- SHEEPYARD MESH 6M X 1.1M GALV \$66 a sheet incl. GST
- 53X35X1.6 RHS OZRAIL \$45 a length incl. GST
- 115X42X2.0 RHS OZRAIL \$93 a length incl. GST

Numerous other sizes available

Downgrade

- RHS 65 x 65 x 2 x 8000 GAL C350LO SEC \$68 a length incl. GST

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URANA & DISTRICT COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES



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

<p>Community Nurses:</p> <p>Karen Brooks</p> <p>Tanya Gleeson</p>	<p>Community care central Intake 1800 654 324 Urana Community Nurse 0427 892 146 Urana Community Health (02) 6930 9224 Urana Hospital (02) 6930 9200</p>
<p>Child & family Nurse:</p> <p>Jacinta Dore</p>	<p>Community Care Intake Service 1800 654 324 Urana Child & Family Nurse 0436 629 328 Urana Community Health (02) 6930 9226 Urana Hospital (02) 6930 9200</p>
<p>Childhood Immunisations - NSW Childhood Immunisation Schedule.</p>	<p>By Appointment on the above numbers.</p>

Child and Family Health Nursing

Supporting Children to be Healthy

It is important to monitor your child's growth and development and the Blue Book helps to keep track of how this is going.



Be sure to take your child to visit your child and family health nurse or doctor at certain ages. If you have any concerns about your child's growth and development at any other time, you should consult your doctor or child and family nurse.

Remember to take your child's Blue Book as the health professional will make notes about your child's health, making it easier to share information.

Children should receive a routine check by a health professional at: Birth, 1-4 weeks, 6-8 weeks, 6 months, 12 months, 18 months, 2 years, 3 years, 4 years

Appointments with the child and family nurse can be made through the Community Care Intake Service on **1800 654 324**

or On-Line booking with QR code.



← ONLINE booking form

www.mlhd.health.gov.au/CFHN-Form

MURRUMBIDGEE
LOCAL HEALTH DISTRICT





AAYUSH HEALTH CARE TRUST

Dr. Veerendra Giri Yaramati

URANA MEDICAL CENTRE

31 William Street, Urana NSW 2645

PH: (02) 6920 8333

**Flu Vaccines available now.
If you need a Flu vaccine or COVID vaccine please
contact the medical centre.**

or emergency consultations Saturday and Sunday

Dr Yaramati will be available at the

Urana Multipurpose Centre,

127 Princess Street, Urana

Phone (02) 6920 8333

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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.



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If you are an older person wanting to get involved, very affordable classes are now running in your area.



Health
Murrumbidgee
Local Health District

The proven benefits of Tai Chi for older people include...

- Increased balance
- Increased strength
- Increased flexibility
- Increased memory

Venue: St Columba's Church Hall, Hunter Street Oaklands

Date: Monday Mornings

Time: 9.30am

Contact: Louise 0427 004 714

***Exercise & Friendship
Group***

STRENGTH AND BALANCE EXERCISE

**These exercises have been selected to help
reduce the chance of falls.**

Every Monday at 09:45 am

At Urana Hospital (Community Health)

**Followed by morning tea and talk
at \$3 per session**

**Contact Harry on (02) 6920 8374 or Marge
on (02) 6920 8057**

HEALTH SERVICES

VALMAR COMMUNITY TRANSPORT BUS TRIPS

Urana to Albury Bus – 2nd Tuesday of the month \$10

- Urana Hospital pick up at 8.00am
- Oaklands General Store at 8.30am
- Daysdale at 8.45am
- Arrive Albury QEII Square Dean Street at 10.00am
- Depart Albury QEII Square Dean Street at 2.00pm

Urana to Wagga Bus – 3rd Wednesday of the month \$10

- Urana Hospital pick up at 8.00am
- Lockhart Post Office at 8.30am
- Milbrulong at 8.45am
- The Rock Post Office at 9.00am
- Uranquinty at 9.30am
- Arrive Wagga Sturt Mall at 10.00am
- Depart Wagga Sturt Mall at 2.30pm

Urana to Wangaratta Bus – Bi-Monthly 4th Thursday of the month \$10

- Urana Hospital pick up at 8.30am
- Oaklands General Store at 9.00am
- Arrive Wangaratta approx. 10.30am
- Depart Wangaratta approx. 2.30pm
- Dates for 2024: 22nd February, 25th April, 27th June, 22nd August, 24th October, none in December 2024.

Urana to Shepparton Bus – Bi-Monthly 4th Thursday of the month \$10

- Urana Hospital pick up at 8.00am
- Oaklands General Store at 8.30am
- Arrive Shepparton approx. 10.30am
- Depart Shepparton approx. 2.30pm
- Dates for 2024: 28th March, 23rd May, 25th July, 26th September, 28th November (last for the year)

Urana and Oaklands Ladies Social Bus Trips – 3rd Friday of every month Urana, Oaklands and Lockhart Men's Social Bus Trips – 2nd Friday of every month

Bookings are essential.

For all transport bookings and enquiries please phone the office on (02) 69204162



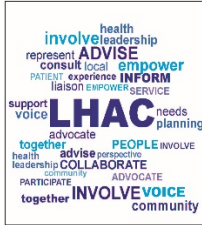
VALMAR

VALMAR SUPPORT SERVICES LOCKHART OFFICE

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

- Home Care Packages
- Community Transport
- Individual Social Support
- Home Modifications
- Domestic Assistance
- Flexible Respite
- Meals on Wheels/Frozen Meals
- Personal Care
- Ladies Social Support Bus Trips
- Men's Social Support Bus Trips
- Frail Aged (65 years & over)
- Independence at home is at risk
- A carer of frail aged
- Isolated, Transport Disadvantage
- From a culture distinct community, financially disadvantaged.

For further information or for any enquiries contact us on: **Lockhart (02) 69 204162.**



Urana Local Health Advisory Committee.

Your Communities voice with the

Murrumbidgee Local Health District and Urana Multi Purpose Service.

We meet bi monthly on the last Wednesday of the month.

To get involved or to find out more contact the chair at,

urana.lhac.chair@gmail.com

Enquiries are always welcome



“Let us hold high the lamp of service for the welfare of our hospitals”

Urana Hospital Auxiliary.

Serving the Urana MPS and local community.

We meet bi-monthly, the second Monday of the month.

New members are always welcome.

To find out more.

Contact the Auxiliary secretary at,

urana.uha@gmail.com

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 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 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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1800 800 944

AAYUSH HEALTH CARE TRUST

Dr. Veerendra Giri Yaramati

URANA MEDICAL CENTRE

31 William Street, Urana NSW
2645

Ph: (02) 6920 8333

**Monday to Friday
9.00am to 5.00pm**



WATERFRONT

Pavilion



Photo by Georgie James

For all function room enquiries & bookings please contact
Urana Bowling & Community Club. Katrina 0429208074



WATERFRONT

Fitness

For all gym enquiries, please contact Katrina 0429208074 or Pauline
0437208196

RIVERINA REGIONAL LIBRARY - MOBILE SERVICE

Southern & Northern Regional Library 2024 MOBILE LIBRARY SCHEDULE



URANA 1:45pm – 5:00pm	Tuesday, 25 June 2024	Tuesday, 9 July 2024	Tuesday, 23 July 2024
OAKLANDS 9:00am – 11:00am	Wednesday, 26 June 2024	Wednesday, 10 July 2024	Wednesday, 24 July 2024
RAND 12:15pm – 1:15pm	Wednesday, 26 June 2024	Wednesday, 10 July 2024	Wednesday, 24 July 2024
BOREE CREEK 1:30pm – 3:00pm	Tuesday, 2 July 2024	Tuesday, 16 July 2024	Tuesday, 30 July 2024



Look after yourself better.



Over the counter medicines and value for money household items are now available 5 days a week at

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Pop in and see Rikki for cough & cold, pain relief, hay fever relief, vitamins and household items.

Scripts can also be dropped off at Billabong Ag Oaklands, and if dropped before 2pm, can be delivered to the patients door on the same day.



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



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Time to be a fitter and healthier person?

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Short term membership: \$15 per week Adults: \$10 per week concession

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For more information contact:

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Contact:

Oaklands Office: (02) 60354351

Urana Office: (02) 6920 8267

Pat: 0429 208 267

Email: billabongagriculture@gmail.com



Catholic Parish of Urana

Urana Sunday 1st, 3rd & 5th
8.00am

Urana Saturday Virgil 2nd & 4th
6.00pm

Oaklands every Sunday
10.00am

FOR EMERGENCY MINISTRY CONTACT
St Michaels Cathedral Presbytery Wagga
(02) 6921 2164



Experts by your side.

Bush & Campbell Accountants

WAGGA 6938 4600	LOCKHART 6920 5101	TUMBARUMBA 6948 2018
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Call in at:

141 Green Street
or phone 6920 5101

Other offices at:

Wagga: 6938 4600

Tumbarumba: 6948 2018

We're open

For appointments

Call the team on 6920 4244 to arrange a time for us to come and see you.

For the following enquiries

- Account Opening
- Business Accounts
- E-Banking
- Credit Cards & Personal Loans
- Home Loans
- General Queries

Community Bank · Lockhart & District



Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 068 049 178, AFSL/Australian Credit Licence 237879 A1373501, OUT_2025527_23/04/2021

URANA

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Federation Way
URANA NSW 2645
Phone: (02) 6920 8192

The Urana Caravan Park and Aquatic Centre provides excellent amenities for camping, water skiing, fishing, bushwalking or just relaxing in the quite surroundings

Facilities

- Cabins
- Powered Sites
- Unpowered Sites
- Tent/Camping Sites
- Shower
- Toilets
- Dump Point/Sani Dump
- Equipment Hire
- Boat Ramp/Boat Launch
- Laundry
- BBQ Facilities
- Water Supply

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Email: sara@randfarmsupplies.com.au
Opening hours: 8:45am – 5pm Monday to
Friday

NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING & WASTE FACILITIES

In accordance with Federation Council's 2023/2024 budget, advertising in the Urana and District Newsletter rates are noted below. 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 per month	Customer Compiled per month
Full page	\$71.20	\$49.30
Half page	\$49.30	\$38.30
Quarter page	\$36.10	\$21.90
Classified	\$11	
Thank you notices	\$11	
Community organisations outside of Federation Council	Charges as above	Charges as above
Community organisations within Federation Council	No charge	No charge

WASTE FACILITY OPENING HOURS

	COROWA	MULWALA	HOWLONG	URANA	OAKLANDS
TUESDAY	9:00am - 12:00pm	-	1:00pm - 4:00pm	-	-
WEDNESDAY	-	9:00am - 12:00pm	-	-	-
FRIDAY	-	-	-	-	-
SATURDAY	-	-	-	-	-
SUNDAY	1:00pm - 4:00pm	9:00am - 12:00pm	9:00am - 12:00pm	11:00am - 4:00pm	8:00am - 12:00pm

WASTE FACILITIES & CHARGES

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 at the Urana, Victoria Park 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.
- fluro 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.

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:

Sunday 11:00am – 4:00pm

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

WASTE DISPOSAL CHARGES

In accordance with Federation Council's 2023/2024 budget waste disposal charges are as follows:

WHEELIE BINS (240 litre bin)	Fee (incl. GST)
Wheelie Bin - Green	\$5.20
Wheelie Bin - Waste	\$11.45

* Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin)

SMALL LOAD (up to an average sedan boot or half a small trailer)	Fee (incl. GST)
Small load - Green	\$21.90
Small load - Waste	\$43.80

* Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin)

MEDIUM LOAD (up to approximately 1m3 - single axel trailer or ute tray)	Fee (incl. GST)
Medium load - Green	\$43.80
Medium load - Waste	\$88.00

* Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin)

LARGE LOAD (any volume larger than 1m3 but less than 1.5m3 0 incl. Large trailer)	Fee (incl. GST)
Large load - Green	\$65.70
Large load - Waste	\$131.40

* Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin)

TRUCK LOAD	Fee (incl. GST)
Truck load - Green /m3	\$43.80
Truck load - Waste /m3	\$88.00

CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION	Fee (incl. GST)
Construction & demolition - concrete & masonry /m3	\$65.70
Construction & demolition - timber /m3	\$43.80
Construction & demolition - comingled /m3	\$197.15

MATTRESSES	Fee (incl. GST)
Mattresses - Single/Double	\$55.30
Mattresses - Queen/King	\$87.60

* With or without base

ASBESTOS	Fee (incl. GST)
Asbestos up to 1m3	\$394.25
Asbestos over 1m3 - per m3	\$394.25

* Accepted only in Corowa

TYRE	Fee (incl. GST)
Tyre R<20 - each	\$21.90
Tyre R<20 to R40 - each	\$43.80
Tyre R>40 - each	\$87.60

* Not accepted at Mulwala Transfer Station

LOUNGE	Fee (incl. GST)
Lounge - 1 seat	\$10.45
Lounge - 2 seat	\$19.80
Lounge - 3 seat	\$30.25
Lounge - additional seat	\$10.45

eWASTE	Fee (incl. GST)
Household appliance	\$11.45
Whitegoods	\$21.90

POLYSTYRENE	Fee (incl. GST)
Over 1m3 - per m3	\$21.90

OTHERS	Fee (incl. GST)
Carpet roll / 0.5m diameter	\$39.00
Textiles /m3	\$38.60
Unsecured Load Penalty	\$55.30

Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala Transfer Station, Urana and Oaklands.

Visit Federation Council website for more information.

URANA DISTRICT NEWSLETTER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

29 June 2024	Adam Harvey & Beccy Cole - The Great Country Song Book Volume III at Paradise Palladium Theatre Morundah
3 July 2024	Christmas in July Lunch at Urana Courthouse Museum - 12 noon, cost \$15
21 July 2024	Bird Sale at Urana Memorial Hall - Selling commences at 10 am, Entry \$3 or \$12 family
24 July 2024	Defence Force Room Opening at Urana Courthouse Museum - 11 am

All information in this June edition of the Urana District Newsletter is current as of 12/6/24

Deadline for July Edition

FRIDAY 5 July 2024, 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.

Urana Levee Upgrade & Morundah Flood Mitigation Design Projects



Why we're engaging:

Federation Council have commissioned the design of flood mitigation works at Urana and Morundah.

The design work is being undertaken by consultants Dryside Engineering for Council. The design work has progressed to concept design.

The flood mitigation works being designed at Urana and Morundah were recommended by the Federation Villages Floodplain Risk Management Study and Plan adopted by Council in 2022.

Ways to have your say:

This engagement opportunity is open from **11 June, 2024** through to 5.00pm on **27 June 2024**.

Anyone who lives or works in Federation Council is invited to review the concept design drawings, ask questions and provide feedback during this time.

Ways to provide feedback:

- View paper copies of the Urana concept design drawings at Council's William Street office
- View paper copies of the Morundah concept design drawings at the Morundah Hotel
- View the concept design drawings on Council's website
- Email your feedback: **council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au**
- Mail your feedback: 100 Edward Street, Corowa, NSW, 2646
- Phone to ask questions or provide verbal feedback: **(02) 6033 8999**

See Council's website, Connect/Have Your Say section for more information.



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HalveWaste
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YOUR NEW 3 BIN SYSTEM IS COMING JULY 1ST



With the new 3 bin system you'll have more space which means less waste that will end up in landfill which is better for our environment and our future.

Urana and surrounding villages – the way your bins are being collected is about to change! In June the following areas will be delivered new bins, a kitchen caddy, a collection calendar, compostable liners and an information pack to explain these changes.

URANA

MORUNDAH

BOREE CREEK

OAKLANDS

RENNIE

COLLENDINA

SAVERNAKE

BURAJA

COREEN

DAYSDALE

LOWESDALE

RAND

To find out more head to the Halve Waste website or the Halve Waste team will be attending community events, including footy match pop-ups and the Urana Progress Association community morning tea – Tuesday June 4th

The progress association and Urana council offices have printed brochures available with more information.