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Federation Council Urana District Newsletter



Message from the Mayor

I am proud and honoured to deliver my first Urana Newsletter Message as the elected Mayor of Federation Council.

My fellow Councillors bestow a great privilege and responsibility upon me and I express my sincere appreciation to them for placing their trust in me to lead this Council for the next two years.

I commit to serving the people of Federation Council to the best of my abilities with vision, enthusiasm and energy and I am determined to lead Council in achieving the aspirations of our community.

As a new Council we have a number of challenging and rewarding tasks ahead of us over the next three years; thankfully, we have energy to respond and work together to build a prosperous Council area.

The recent Federation Council elections revealed a community with a keen desire for fresh leadership, a community that supports a solid policy platform and candidates who listen and act in the interests of Federation Council residents.

Together we are a team; we all have unique talents and perspectives and we are all committed to serving the best interests of the Federation Council community.

Federation Council is a great place to live and visit, and collaboratively, as a Council and community we can make it even better.

Kind Regards,

Cr Patrick Bourke
Federation Council Mayor

2017 Council Meetings

Ordinary meetings of Council are held in the Federation Council Chambers at the Corowa Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street Corowa.

Residents and ratepayers are cordially invited to attend Council meetings.

Agendas for Ordinary meetings will be made available to the public at 4pm on the Friday preceding the meeting.

Meeting dates

Tuesday 17 October

Tuesday 21 November

Tuesday 19 December

Alive and Cooking at Howlong Golf Resort



The picturesque grounds of the Howlong Golf Resort played host to Celebrity Chef James Reeson recently for a special segment of the Win Network's 'Alive and Cooking'.

Alive and Cooking is Australia's hottest cooking show hosted by the celebrity chef who takes food from the garden to the kitchen, and from the ocean to the plate.

The show takes you to the heart of cooking, on location across Australia, inland, using the best wines, oils, and different foods developed by each region.

The Alive and Cooking production team also filmed in several other locations around the region, featuring some fantastic local produce in each recipe on the episode.

Federation Councillor David Longley, who attended the filming of the renowned show said it was fantastic to see the Alive and Cooking crew film their latest segment at the Howlong Golf Resort.

"The joint initiative of Federation Council, Howlong Golf Resort and the Win Network provides a great boost to not only Howlong but our entire region," Cr Longley said.

"It was lovely to meet James and his crew and I will be looking forward to tuning in to the show just to see the great footage that was captured."

Howlong Golf Resort General Manager Chris Rebbechi said they were thrilled to welcome James and the Alive and Cooking crew to the region.

"There is so much to offer here from wineries, local produce, the natural environment, amazing golf courses and accommodation," Mr Rebbechi said.

"We were thrilled to witness some of the gourmet creations that James created and the Howlong Golf Resort really provided a fantastic backdrop for his cooking show."

Chef James Reeson said he enjoyed returning to the Murray Region to film their latest segment.

"We haven't been through the Murray Region for about 5 - 6 years," Mr Reeson said.

"I absolutely love it here, it is a beautiful region and from the moment I heard we were headed this way I was really excited to be here and work with the great local produce.

"Anytime where you get to see where the real special produce is created - it's a rare treat."

Council unveils playground designs



Federation Council has unveiled the final design of four new playgrounds, with installation set to be complete by the end of November.

RSL Park in Corowa, Lowe Square and Memorial Park in Howlong and the Rand Recreation Reserve are just some of the sites included as part of Council's Play Space Upgrade Program.

Residents in Howlong and Corowa were given the opportunity to participate in a survey in April to help council understand the communities ideas about play provision

In Howlong, the consultation process resulted in an additional smaller playground being planned at Memorial Park. A grant application has also been submitted to redevelop the existing rotunda at Memorial Park and incorporate this into the play space. It is proposed to transform the structure into an Enchanted Hut that will be an engaging and inclusive feature of the playground.

The Rand Recreation Reserve will also receive a new playground, after the community were successful in an application for funding through round one of the Stronger Communities Program. The Rand Sports Ground and Town Improvement Committees have been working closely with council to finalise the new playground.

3D drawings of the playgrounds are now available and signage will soon be installed at each site to communicate information about park closures throughout the construction phase.

Council has also been working closely with the

community to progress the redevelopment of Bangerang Park, which includes a new playground, toilet block with disabled access and baby change facilities, landscaping and connecting paths.

The Bangerang Park project is now expected to commence early next year and has required further design work to ensure that feedback from the community on this project is carefully considered.

Other projects progressing as part of the Play Space Upgrade Program include the Urana Youth Space, Mulwala All Abilities Playground, Corowa Skate Park and Howlong Skate Park.

The final playground designs and full updates for each Play Space Program project are available by visiting Council's website: www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Community directory now available

Federation Council has launched a handy tool on its new website, with a community directory now available for sporting clubs, community groups and organisations to list their information for free.


The directory is an online database that residents can use to search for information about groups operating in the Federation Council area.

The directory is user friendly and allows groups to create a username and password so they can manage their own listing. Each listing can include information such as the group's name, description, contact details and images.

A fact sheet has been developed to help guide groups through the process of creating and updating a listing on the website. Make your listing today by visiting Council's website: www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Expressions of Interest – Ageing Well Ambassadors

Federation Council has commenced the development of an Ageing Well Strategy 2018-2022 to plan for the needs of our ageing population.



The strategy will document the vision for an age-friendly community where the physical, social, and mental well-being of older people is promoted and strengthened.

Council is committed to ensuring that senior residents are well supported and actively engaged in their communities. This project addresses a number of key areas that will ensure the Federation Council area is a liveable community for senior residents.

A collaborative approach is proposed, where Council and the community work together to develop a plan that consists of clear strategies and actions.

The Ageing Well project plans to utilise existing networks and people within the community to undertake the initial planning aspects of the project.

This approach is more likely to achieve the desired outcome by developing strong partnerships and ensuring the needs and priorities are accurately reflected within the plan.

Local senior residents are being encouraged to drive the development of the plan and conduct the the community engagement component by becoming an Aging Well Ambassador.

Expressions of interest are now open and Council is seeking 8-10 residents to become Ageing Well Ambassadors.

Ambassadors will be provided with the necessary training to equip them with the tools needed to facilitate focus groups and community engagement. They will be supported by Council staff and reimbursed for their travel and time.

Please contact Deanne Drage on 0407 785 972 or email deanne.drage@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au for further information or to register your interest.

Expressions of interest closes on COB Sunday 22 October.

Council launches new funding opportunities to community groups

Federation Council has launched its new and improved grant programs, designed to empower groups to develop ideas, projects and events that contribute to the vibrancy and well-being of the community.

The Community Grants Program will support initiatives that deliver a range of social and economic benefits to communities across the Federation Council area.


The program provides a more streamlined approach to supporting local community groups, organisations and clubs with delivering community projects and events.

Two rounds will be facilitated each year, with a total amount of \$55,000 available to fund initiatives that:

- Promote a sense of community identity and pride.
- Stimulate economic growth within the community.
- Encourage wide participation in events and community projects.
- Promote Federation Council as a vibrant and diverse place to live and visit.
- Encourage and stimulate the growth of effective community development and cultural programs within Federation Council.
- Foster community partnerships.

Round one is now open with funds available to help local community groups, organisations and clubs to deliver a range of community projects and events.

Council is encouraging applications of up to \$3,000 before Friday 3 November 2017. Successful applicants will be notified on the 22 November.



Federation Council Events and Project Officer Jenny Bevis said this program is a way for the community to bring forward new ideas and develop existing projects to a new height.

“It’s also a way of encouraging community participation in local activities and championing projects that have a strong economic and social impact,” she said.

The introduction of a new Event Sponsorship Program is expected to attract larger events to the region that provide a significant return on investment for the community, as well as support current events to grow.

The Event Sponsorship Program will operate year round and support events that market Federation Council as a tourist destination and demonstrate a positive economic impact.

“This program will focus on events that drive visitation and overnight stays in the region, in addition to providing another great attraction for local residents,” said Ms Bevis.

Proposals seeking sponsorship can be submitted at any time and will be assessed against a set criterion to determine the level of benefit generated from the event for the community.

Further information and program guidelines are available by visiting Council’s website:
www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Council Compliance Notifications for Companion Animals

Whether you consider yourself a dog person or a cat person, we all have a responsibility to our companion animals. Council works hard to communicate with local pet owners regarding these responsibilities, keeping both our furry friends and our community safe.

Responsibilities of Pet Owners

- If your dog is in a public place it must be under the effective control of a competent person by means of an adequate chain, cord or leash. The exceptions to this are; dogs exhibited at a show

or engaging in obedience or agility trials or a dog secured in a cage or vehicle or in an approved off leash area.

- If your dog is being exercised in an approved off-leash area it must always be under effective control of a competent person.
- You are not permitted to walk more than four dogs at any one time in an on-leash or off-leash area.
- Greyhounds must be muzzled at all times when in a public place.
- If your dog defecates in a public place it is an offence not to remove the faeces.
- Dogs are prohibited in children’s play areas, food preparation/consumption areas, reception areas, public bathing areas, school grounds, childcare centres, shopping areas and wildlife protection areas.

Microchipping and Registration

Microchipping and registration is a two-part process that requires dog and cat owners to:

- Have their dog or cat implanted with a microchip from the time they are 12 weeks of age, at point of sale or change of ownership (whichever occurs first).
- Register their animals with their NSW local council by 6 months of age.

Both the microchipping and registration of your dog or cat include a one-off fee and are for the life of the animal.

FLOOD STUDY: Have your say!



Federation Council invites residents to review the draft Flood Study reports and have their say at a community meeting on Thursday 12 October.

In 2014, a Flood Study was commenced for the towns of Urana, Oaklands, Morundah, Boree Creek and Rand.

This study is now nearing completion and the reports are available for public review at Federation Council offices.

Impacted residents from the towns are invited to join representatives from contractors, the Jacobs Group, Office of Environment and Heritage and Federation Council for a presentation on the flood study. In addition to the presentation, there will be time for questions and discussion on proposals.

The meeting will be held on Thursday 12 October from 5.30pm – 7.30pm, at the Urana Bowling Club.

For further information, please contact: Rachele at Council on (02) 6033 8955.

Southern & Northern Regional Library 2017 MOBILE LIBRARY SCHEDULE



Boree Creek 1.30 pm - 3.00 pm	<u>Tuesday</u> 10 October	<u>Tuesday</u> 24 October	<u>Tuesday</u> 7 November
Urana 2.30 pm - 5.00 pm	<u>Tuesday</u> 17 October	<u>Tuesday</u> 31 October	<u>Tuesday</u> 14 October
Oaklands 9.00 am - 12.00 pm	<u>Wednesday</u> 18 October	<u>Wednesday</u> 1 November	<u>Wednesday</u> 15 November
Rand 1.15 am - 2.00 pm	<u>Wednesday</u> 18 October	<u>Wednesday</u> 1 November	<u>Wednesday</u> 15 November

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DRAFT FLOOD STUDY REPORTS FOR URANA, MORUNDAH, BOREE CREEK, OAKLANDS & RAND ON EXHIBITION

Following Council's September monthly meeting the draft Flood Study Reports for the towns of Urana, Morundah, Boree Creek, Oaklands and Rand have been released on public exhibition to seek feedback from the community.

Residents are invited to view the draft reports at Council's offices or on Council's website: www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Residents are also invited to a community meeting which will host a special presentation from the consultant. There will be displays and an opportunity for residents to ask questions.

The community meeting is scheduled to be held at the Urana Bowling Club on Thursday 12 October 2017 from 5.30pm – 7.30pm.

**For further information contact Rachelle at Council on (02) 6033 8955
or visit www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au**

What's on in the... Federation Region

In October...

RUTHERGLEN WINE SHOW

WHEN: Thursday 28 September - Sunday 1 October

WHERE: Rutherglen Memorial Hall

MELIDA LEMPIONA ART EXHIBITION

WHEN: Sunday 1 - Tuesday 31 October

WHERE: Pfeiffer Wines, Wahgunyah

COROWA FESTIVAL OF DANCE

WHEN: Thursday 28 September - Tuesday 2 October

WHERE: Corowa Memorial Hall

SCARECROWS SAUSAGES AND SHIRAZ FESTIVAL

WHEN: Saturday 30 - Sunday 1 October

WHERE: Pfeiffer Wines, Wahgunyah

BALD ARCHY EXHIBITION

WHEN: Friday 15 September - Saturday 7 October

WHERE: Corowa Civic Centre

COROWA P, A & H SHOW

WHEN: Sunday 8 October

WHERE: Corowa Show Grounds

URANA ART EXHIBITION AND SALE

WHEN: Thursday 19 - Sunday 22 October

WHERE: Urana Courthouse Museum

ANNUAL RIVERINA HARVEST BALL

WHEN: Friday 13 October

WHERE: Oaklands Memorial Hall

LIVE MUSIC CRUISE- CUTEST LITTLE MONSTER

WHEN: Friday 20 October

WHERE: Paradise Queen, Lake Mulwala

URANA OPEN GARDENS

WHEN: Friday 20 – Saturday 21 October

WHERE: Urana township

NORTH EAST SKATE PARK COMPETITION COROWA HEAT

WHEN: Saturday 21 October

WHERE: Corowa Skate Park

TWILIGHT AT COFIELD WINES

WHEN: Saturday 21 October

WHERE: Cofield Wines, Wahgunyah

MURRAY RIVER RUMBLE

WHEN: Saturday 21 October

WHERE: ClubMulwala, Mulwala

YARRAWONGA MULWALA MULTI SPORTS FESTIVAL

WHEN: Saturday 21 - Sunday 22 October

WHERE: Lake Mulwala

HOWLONG FIRE BRIGADE MONSTER AUCTION

WHEN: Sunday 22 October

WHERE: Howlong Fire Brigade, Hawkins St, Howlong

RUTHERGLEN AGRICULTURAL SHOW

WHEN: Sunday 22 October

WHERE: Rutherglen Showgrounds

URANA VINTAGE RALLY

WHEN: Saturday 21 - Sunday 22 October

WHERE: Victoria Park, Urana



URANA HOSPITAL FETE

WHEN: Sunday 22 October

WHERE: Victoria Park, Urana

Contact us at Corowa Visitor Information Centre

Corowa Civic Centre, 100 Edward Street, Corowa NSW 2646

Phone (02) 6033 3221 & Follow us on  

@visitcorowaregion & #visitcorowaregion

www.visitcorowaregion.com.au



CREATING OPPORTUNITY CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

What's on in the... Federation Region

Markets...

COROWA ROTARY FEDERATION MARKET
8:30 am, Sunday 1 October, Bangerang Park Corowa

RUTHERGLEN FARMERS MARKET
9am, Sunday 8 October, Lions Park Rutherglen

YARRAWONGA ROTARY MARKET
8am, Sunday 15 October, Yarrowonga Showground

YARRAWONGA FORESHORE MARKET
8am, Sunday 22 October, Yarrowonga Foreshore

MULWALA COMMUNITY MARKET
Sunday 29 October, Lonsdale Recreational Reserve

More events...

Each month the Corowa region plays host to a variety of events suiting all ages and interests. For further information on all upcoming events, visit our website, call in to see the friendly staff at the Visitor Information Centre or find us on Facebook.

Coming Soon...

MUSIC ON THE MURRAY

Saturday 4 November

PFEIFFERS GAMAY LONG LUNCH

Sunday 5 November

COROWA SWAP MEET

Sunday 5 November

GARDENS ROUND THE GLEN

Sunday 5 November

YARRAWONGA MULWALA FAMILY FUN CARNIVALE

Monday 6 November

COROWA CUP RACE DAY

Monday 6 November

LAKE MULWALA ROD RUN

Friday 10 - Sunday 12 November

COFIELD WINES SPRING DINNER

Saturday 11 November

PINK PEDAL PARTY

Friday 17 November

COROWA CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Friday 24 November

THREE RIVERS ORCHID FESTIVAL


Friday 24 – Sunday 26 November

GALLERY 294 CHRISTMAS MARKET

Saturday 25 November

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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
CLOSED	Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Years Day, Good Friday and Easter Sunday				

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

* 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

Lockhart & District Community Bank®
Urana Agency



30-32 William Street
URANA NSW 2645
Ph: 02 69309100

9 am to 5 pm
Monday to Friday



 **Bendigo Bank**
Bigger than a bank

Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited ABN 11 088 049 178 AFSL 237879

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 \$190.60 per fortnight for Aged Pensioners. For further information, please contact Mrs Pam Danaher at Council on (02) 6033 8999.

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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	
Community Organisations		
Community organisations outside Federation Council	Charges as above	Charges as above
Community organisations within 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 payment was due on

31 August 2017

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 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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**NORTH EAST SKATE PARK SERIES
COROWA**

SKATE // SKOOT // BMX

COROWA SKATE PARK

SAT 21 OCT

2 PM - 6PM

REGISTRATION @ 1.30PM

PARTICIPANTS MUST SIGN A WAIVER

**LIVE MUSIC
DEMOS // PRIZES // BBQ
FREE TO ATTEND // ALL AGES EVENT**



Corowa Lightning Freight



Corowa Skate Park Committee

Media Release



Greg Aplin MP
Member for Albury

MEDIA RELEASE

29 September 2017

TIME TO REEL IN RECREATIONAL FISHING FUNDS

Recreational fishing across NSW is set to receive a boost with the next round of funding applications opening today.

Member for Albury, Greg Aplin today encouraged applications under the next round of the NSW Government's Recreational Fishing Trust Grants.

"Every year we see some terrific and unique projects - I hope this year we see even more so that we can continue to provide fantastic fishing across the State," Mr Aplin said.

"Fishing is one of our State's most popular recreational activities, with more than one million anglers dropping a line in each year.

"This year alone we have already allocated \$15million into a range of projects across the State and anglers reel in the benefits every day."

Since 2001, hundreds of projects have already been completed and we currently have since have over 200 projects on the go.

One of the most popular projects is the fish education programs for young people, with over 300 Fishcare volunteers and our Get Hooked program, which is now running in over 100 primary schools across the State.

The Trusts also fund smaller projects each year including fishing platforms, fish cleaning tables, fishing workshops, the DPI FishSmart app, fishing guides and research on recreational fishing.

The NSW Government is proud to support its recreational fishing sector, which generates \$3.4 billion to the State's economy each year and accounts for more than 14,000 full-time jobs.

Fishing licence fees are reinvested each year to continue to improve NSW recreational fishing opportunities and accessibility.

Applications for funding close on 24 November.

DPI can be contacted on (02) 4424 7403 or email recreational.fishingtrust@dpi.nsw.gov.au to discuss potential new projects or to get assistance with completing a funding application. Funding guidelines and application forms are available at www.dpi.nsw.gov.au.

Media Release



David Elliott
Minister for Counter Terrorism
Minister for Corrections
Minister for Veterans Affairs

MEDIA RELEASE

Monday, 11 September 2017

NEW FUNDING FOR ANZAC COMMUNITY PROJECTS

New funding of \$175,000 is now available to help communities protect and repair local war memorials and to support projects which commemorate the service of current and former NSW service men and women.

Minister for Veterans Affairs David Elliott today called for applications in the latest round of the Community War Memorials Fund (CWMF) and the Anzac Community Grants Program (ACGP).

The CWMF provides grants of up to \$10,000 for local war memorial projects, including conservation works and protection. There are two rounds a year each offering \$125,000, closing on Anzac Day and Remembrance Day.

In the latest round, funding supported work at the Bodangora War Memorial in central western NSW, the Scone Pool Memorial in the Hunter, and the Cooma Cenotaph in southern NSW.

Meanwhile, the \$50,000 ACGP provides grants of up to \$2,000 to schools, community and veterans groups to educate the community on the service and sacrifice of military personnel, support activities benefiting veterans, and engage with the community.

The majority of projects proposed for the latest ACGP round were applications to support Anzac Day commemorative activities.

Minister for Veterans Affairs David Elliott said he was proud of the NSW Government's investment in local and state war memorials, which helps to ensure that the service and sacrifice they represent can be understood.

"This funding is part of an impressive program of work happening right through the Centenary of the Anzac, including refurbishing the Anzac Memorial in Hyde Park, rolling out the Veterans Employment Program, and also supporting the Invictus Games in 2018."

Applications for both grant programs are open until Remembrance Day, Saturday 11 November 2017. For more information, please visit:

www.centenaryofanzac.nsw.gov.au

MEDIA: Leigh van den Broeke | 0408 715 617

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*

Dr Sunil Thota (Sunny)

MBBS, FRACP

SPECIALIST GERIATRICIAN AND PHYSICIAN OF GENERAL MEDICINE

Consultant at The Royal Melbourne Hospital

Melbourne

Dr Sunny will be providing specialist services for Urana and surrounding areas once a month. He will visit nursing homes and provide support regularly.

He provides out patient clinic services from Urana Medical Centre.

Dr Sunny graduated from India and has 15 years of working experience in the public health system in the UK and Australia. He completed his specialist training in Melbourne. He enjoys working in the public health system mentoring medical students, physician trainees and consulting in private. He is a member of the Australian and New Zealand Society of Geriatric Medicine.

Urana District upcoming events

URANA TENNIS CLUB

AGM & General Meeting

Date: Wednesday 11th October 2017

Urana Bowling Club

Time: 6.30 pm

TENNIS SEASON STARTING SOON

ALL WELCOME

President: Melinda Elith
Osborne Street
URANA NSW 2645
Ph: 0429 133 552

Secretary/Treasurer: Katrina Dore
"Bimbadeen"
URANA NSW 2645
Ph: (02) 6920 8074

Urana Swimming Pool Committee

AGM & General Meeting

Date: Wednesday 11th October 2017

Urana Bowling Club

Time: 7.30 pm

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR LOCAL POOL

ALL WELCOME

President: Melinda Elith
Osborne Street
URANA NSW 2645
0429 133 552

Secretary: Anna Ferguson
"South Cullivel"
URANA NSW 2645
0429 982 291

Treasurer: Karin Coghill
"Dewhurst"
URANA NSW 2645
(02) 6920 8271

Urana District upcoming events

Oaklands Memorial Hall

Presents the 2017

Venetian Masquerade Harvest Ball

Friday 13th October 2017

Oaklands Memorial Hall

6PM TILL 12AM (Bar closes midnight)

Dress: STRICTLY Black Tie

(Masquerade Theme)

Tickets \$120 pp all inc

Tickets sales commence

4th September 10am

Strictly 7 day payment terms

Booking number

0427354220

Ball Enquires Inc sponsorship
0429350251

Urana District upcoming events

**Urana Progress Association in conjunction
with Urana Arts & Historical Society**

INVITES YOU TO

19TH ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION & SALE OF WORK



This year's Art Show will be opened by Tim Fischer AC

Tim will also present a framed map of Urana for the museum.

The opening with champagne and supper &
entertainment is on 19 October at 7.30pm
\$20 a head pre bookings taken or at the door on the night.

We hope you can join us for a lovely evening. The exhibition will continue Friday & Saturday 10am-4pm and Sunday 10am-3pm. A special feature this year will be photographs of Urana and District plus a raffle for an A4 book of Urana Sunsets.

Entry forms can be obtained by email uranaartexhibition@gmail.com

OR downloaded at www.urana.com.au/artexhibition

Or contact Jenny 0400 208 162 Christine 0490 194 492 for more information

Urana District upcoming events

Urana Vintage Machinery Club Inc.

Member of NHMA



2017 Vintage Rally

Saturday 21st & Sunday 22nd October
Victoria Park, Urana NSW



Saturday 21st October

- Vintage Tractor Trek – Leaving Victoria Park at 9.00 am
- Twilight Tractor Pull – Vintage Engines & Displays
- Lunch & Dinner are available

Sunday 22nd October

- Vintage Tractor Pull with Three Sleds commencing at 9.30am
- Vintage Engine & Displays
- Show & Shine
- Hospital Fete, Coffee & Ice creams
- BBQ, Cake & Food Stalls, Chocolate Wheel, Craft Stalls – Children Activities

Exhibitions

- **Vintage & Classic Trucks, Cars, Motor Bikes.**
- Feature this year for Tractors will be Ferguson, Massey Ferguson and Implements
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Urana District upcoming events

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Hospital Fete

In conjunction with Urana Community
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Sunday 22nd October 2017

Commencing 10.00 am.

Victoria Park, Urana

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Hospital Fete

SUNDAY 22ND OCTOBER 2017

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Prize for Champion Rose selected from all blooms entered

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- A. 1 Open Rose Bud - Any Colour [Single bloom with no leaves & no buds attached for section A to G]
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- C. 1 Rose Bloom - Dark Colour
- D. 1 Rose Bloom - Any Colour
- E. 1 Full Blown Rose - Pastel Colour
- F. 1 Full Blown Rose - Dark Colour
- G. 1 Full Blown Rose - Any Colour
- H. Collection of Full Blown Roses
- I. Collection of Rose Blooms
- J. Collection of Miniature Roses
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- O. Collection of Pansies
- P. Collection of Bulbs
- Q. Collection of Iris
- R. Single Iris Stem
- S. Arrangement of Flowers and Foliage
- T. Floral Decoration Suitable for Dining Table [No more than 25cm high]
- U. One Stem of any Flower

Urana District upcoming events

URANA OPEN GARDENS



With Spring springing in Urana 5 gardens will be open on Friday 20 & Saturday 21 October.

There are three town gardens and 2 rural - something for all gardeners tastes. A special garden made in **Straw Bales** will be open for anyone interested in this type of vegetable gardening.

Maps will be available at the Urana Court House in William Street entry \$5 which includes entry to the Art Exhibition.

Please contact Christine for more information 0490 194 492

Urana District upcoming events



CLAIMING THE DATE

Sunday

10th December 2017

MORUNDAH BUSH ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

ANNUAL MARKET DAY

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Annual General Meeting

MONDAY 9 OCTOBER 2017

5:00pm at Urana Hotel

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ALL WELCOME

Urana District School News



ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S SCHOOL URANA

Think, Speak and act like Christ

Greetings!

I am very pleased to announce that St. Francis Xavier's will be beginning a Play to Learn program for 3-5 year olds in 2018.

We invite your preschool aged children along to our 'Play to Learn' sessions. Commencing with an Orientation Hour and morning tea on Friday the 9th of February (9:30am-10:30am), you and your child or children are welcome to join us at St. Francis Xavier's School to meet and play with other children of a similar age.

Full sessions will begin on Friday the 16th February (9:00am-3:00 pm).

There is no obligation to enrol your child in Kindergarten, when they are old enough, with St. Francis Xavier's to be a part of this experience.

During these sessions, activities will be provided to develop gross and fine motor skills and will be fun and engaging for all.

Experiences throughout the year will include:

- Story Time - reading a wide variety of books encourages children to listen, interact and respond to stories.
- Number Play - counting, sorting and ordering objects. Playing simple games. Manipulating objects and shapes to create.
- Music Time - singing songs, rhyme and rhythm.
- Creative and Visual Arts - painting, drawing, pasting, cutting, dancing and more.
- Play time - physical, creative, symbolic, role and dramatic play and games with rules for children to experience in a group environment with their peers.

The 'Play to Learn' group is open to anyone aged from 3 years. If you have any questions or would like to register your interest, please call (02) 6920 8051. Registering your interest will be required as we need some basic information to ensure a safe and supportive environment for you and your child.
(EOI Close Friday 24th November)

There is **no** cost to be involved in our Play to Learn program. The Wagga Wagga Diocese of Schools subsidises this program in support of our rural communities. Further information can be found on our website. www.sfxuww.catholic.edu.au.

Urana District School News



ST FRANCIS XAVIER'S SCHOOL URANA

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Congratulations to Zach, Lauren, Gabriella Jennifer, Ashley, Chelcee and Amber on receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation a few weeks ago. It was wonderful to share this day with them and we wish them well as they develop and grow throughout their lives.



A thank you must go to everyone who came along and supported the candidates, their sponsors and their families on Sunday. It was amazing to have all of you present on the day and also join us for morning tea. It, again, was an incredible expression of our community's warmth and hospitality. A special thank you to all who helped with catering and service on the day. It is very much appreciated.

The last three weeks of this term and two weeks next term, see our school and Urana Public School, in partnership with The Whitehead Trust, undertake hockey lessons. We are fortunate to have a Hockey NSW coach come from Albury each week to facilitate this for the children of the two schools. A big thank you must go to The Whitehead Trust for their ongoing support of our community.



Early next term will see our school join with Urana, Oaklands and Savernake Public Schools to undertake an excursion to Canberra. The itinerary is jammed packed and it will be a wonderful opportunity for the students of the district to see and do some fantastic things. A big thank you to Dot Dore at Urana Public School for organising the excursion.

Our 2018 Kindergarten orientation program is in full swing and will continue into next term. It isn't too late to join the program or enrol in any grade for next year. Please contact the school for further information.

God bless,
Mitch Bailey
Principal

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Baiting on the above reserves will be undertaken between **Monday 4 September 2017** and **Thursday 30 November 2017**.

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G. Rodda
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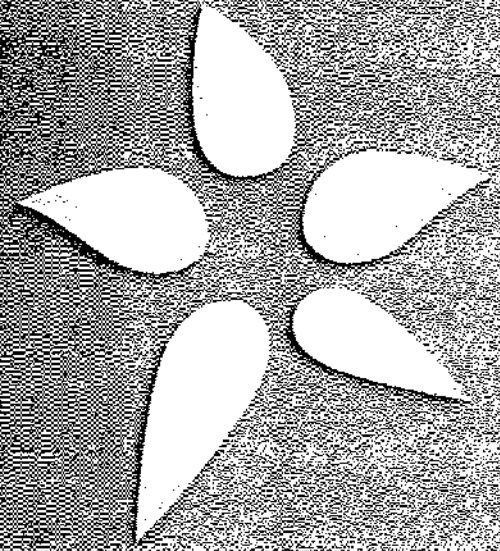
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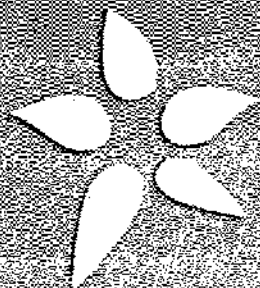


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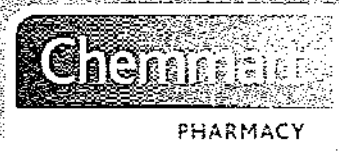


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Urana



Roads repaired / Constructed
Fire breaks / Dams desilted / Filled in
Dam / Turkey nest construction
Levee banks constructed / Fence lines
Trees removed / Channels cleaned etc.

Seane: 0413 382 671 (Grader)
Gavin: 0427 208 083 (Front E/Loader)

Lockhart Shire Council Newsletter

Copies of the monthly Lockhart Shire Newsletter are available for collection from Federation Council - Urana Office, and our monthly Urana District newsletter is available from Lockhart Shire Council offices.

This will assist residents from both Councils to be aware of community events that might be occurring in their respective towns.

BORDER PEST CONTROL

DOMESTIC ° COMMERCIAL ° INDUSTRIAL

Termites/White Ants - Detection and Eradication
Pre-purchase inspections - Full Written Reports
Rodent Baiting and Control - AQIS Approved

TERMITES - SPIDERS - BEES - WASPS - BIRDS

**Boree Creek
Oaklands**

**Corowa
Rand**

**Morundah
Urana**

Michael Comfort - Licensed Technician

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Urana Carers Week Event 2017

Inviting Carers to join us for laughter and lunch to celebrate carers week !

Time: 11am to 1.30pm

Date: Monday 16 October 2017

Location: Urana Community Centre,
Princess Street, Urana

Cost : Free Event

RSVP : 12 October 2017

Commonwealth Carer Respite Centre on
1800 052 222

Urana Community Health
02 6930 9200



If respite is required please contact
Commonwealth Carer Respite on
1800 052 222



Urana & District Health Services

Please Note Urana Hospital has a new phone number - (02) 6930 9200

Please Note - Community Health has a new number - (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

10 October 2017



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

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



Tai Chi

for Health and Energy



When: Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday
at 6.30 am


Where: Urana Aquatic Centre

Phone Jenny Butchers (02) 6920 8434



Urana & District Health Services


<p>Community Nurses Christine Simpson Karen Brooks</p>	<p>Hospital - (02) 6930 9200 Community Health - (02) 6930 9224</p>
<p>Child & Family Nurse Jacinta Dore</p>	<p>Urana, Oaklands, Rand and Morundah — clinic and home visits by appointment only. Contact Urana Community Health 02 6930 9226</p> 
<p>Childhood Immunisation Clinic</p>  <p>3rd Tuesday each month</p>	<p>Every 3rd Tuesday of the month <u>ALL</u> venues, including <u>URANA</u> by appointment <u>ONLY</u>. Please ring (02) 6930 9226 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.</p>



Jeremy Carr
APA Sports Physiotherapist

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

Urana Community Health Centre
Princess Street
Urana NSW 2645



Every Monday
9.00 am to 4.00 pm

Tai Chi

When: Monday Mornings
at 9.30 am

Where: Oaklands Catholic Church Hall

With: Louise Smith



Women's Health

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

18 October 2017

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

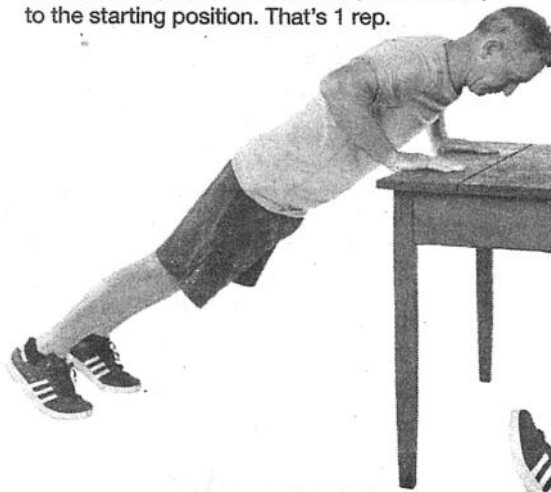
ATTENTION: SENIORS AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS WANTING TO GET FIT AND MAKE FRIENDS



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 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



MOBILE BLOOD BANK

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

Next visit:

7 November 2017

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

All Welcome

Health Services



Valmar Community Transport Bus Trips

Urana to Albury Bus- 2nd 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- 3rd 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- 4th 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
- Individual Social Support
- Home Modifications
- Domestic Assistance
- Flexible Respite
- Meals on Wheels/ Frozen Meals
- Personal Care
- Ladies Social Support Bus Trips

Following services are Brokered by Intereach:

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



Urana District Church Notices



Catholic Parish of Urana, Oaklands & Lockhart

1st, 3rd & 5th SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

SATURDAY (VIGIL MASS) - 6.00 pm -
LOCKHART

SUNDAY - 8.00 am - URANA

SUNDAY - 10.00 am - OAKLANDS

2ND & 4TH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH

SATURDAY (VIGIL MASS) - 6.00 pm - URANA

SUNDAY - 8.00 am - LOCKHART

SUNDAY - 10.00 am - URANGELINE



ANGLICAN
CHURCH OF AUSTRALIA
Diocese of the Riverina

ST PHILIP'S CHURCH PRINCESS STREET URANA UPCOMING SERVICE DATES

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

MORUNDAH

Dec 10 Morundah Market Day

OAKLANDS

Oct 13 6.00 pm Venetian Masquerade Harvest Ball - Oaklands Memorial Hall

2018

Mar 24-25 **CLAIMING THE DATE** - Oaklands Truck Show

RAND

URANA

Oct 9 5.00 pm Urana Campdraft Inc AGM - Urana Hotel

Oct 9 7.00 pm Urana Inc Meeting - Urana Bowling Club

Oct 11 6.30 pm Urana Tennis Club AGM - Urana Bowling Club

Oct 11 7.30 pm Urana Swimming Pool Committee AGM - Urana Bowling Club

Oct 19 7.30 pm Opening Annual Art Exhibition and Sale - Urana Courthouse Museum

Oct 20-22 10.30 am Art Exhibition and Sale - Urana Courthouse Museum

Oct 21-22 Urana Vintage Machinery Club - Vintage Rally - Victoria Park Urana

Oct 20-21 Urana Open Gardens - Maps available from Urana Court House Museum

Oct 22 10.00 am Urana & District Hospital Auxiliary - Hospital Fete - Victoria Park Urana

2018

Jan 23 **CLAIMING THE DATE** - Urana Courthouse Museum 25th Anniversary

Mar 24-25 **CLAIMING THE DATE** - Urana Camp Draft

Deadline for
October Edition

Wednesday

11 October 2017

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.

Phone: (02) 6033 8999

Fax: (02) 6033 3317

email address: council@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

Federation Councillors welcomed

The final votes are in, and the announcement of successful Councillor candidates following the inaugural Federation Council Election held on Saturday 9 September has come.

Following the distribution of preferences the NSW Electoral Commission announced the nine Councillors elected by the people of Federation Council.

The Councillors of Federation Council were welcomed to office with the first meeting of the new Council taking place on Tuesday 26 September.

Councillor Patrick Bourke was elected to the Office of Mayor, with Councillor Shaun Whitechurch elected to the position of Deputy Mayor.

Federation Council General Manager Chris Gillard welcomed the new Council comprising:

- Shaun Whitechurch
- Patrick Bourke
- David Longley
- Paul Miegel
- Fred Longmire
- Bronwyn Thomas
- Gail Law
- Norm Wales
- Andrew Kennedy



Mr Gillard said he is confident the new Council will work together to achieve good local outcomes.

“It is really pleasing to see a group of enthusiastic individuals ready to shape the present and future of our wonderful Council,” Mr Gillard said.

“I welcome all the Councillors and look forward to working with them over the coming 3 years.”

Federation Council Mayor Cr Patrick Bourke said he felt humbled to be elected as Federation Council’s first Mayor.

“I feel truly honoured to be elected to be the first Mayor of Federation Council,” Cr Bourke said.

“I am proud to say that our Council has great energy and a can do desire to get things done and we all want to make a difference for our communities.”

“We are inclusive, approachable and willing to work across communities to create a prosperous future for the whole Federation Council area.”

Cr Bourke said Council was looking forward to helping shape places and provide the direction and planning that Federation Council communities need to succeed and grow.

“Today’s councils face many financial, social and technological challenges,” he said.

“It will be important for us to work together and meet these from a position of strength if we are to continue to deliver and build on the services, infrastructure and facilities that our communities need.”