

Join the FEDERATION AGEING WELL Advisory Committee

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POSITIONS VACANT

Federation Council is committed to being a quality Council with a strong focus on the delivery of services that continually meet community expectations. If you are committed to excellent customer service, being a competent team player and have a focus on results orientation that drives strategic thinking and fosters a culture of innovation, learning and continuous improvement, then one of these opportunities is for you:

- **Electrical Coordinator**
- **Pool Maintenance Officer**
- **Duty Supervisor Pools**
- **Coordinator Public Pools**
- **Aqua Fitness Instructor**

A more detailed advertisement and position description can be obtained from Council's website.

Emailing jobs@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or by phone on **(02) 6033 8903**.

FISCHER COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATIONS OPEN

The Fischer Community Leadership Program is an initiative that enables and empowers leadership within the community from the grassroots up. The focus of the program is to develop leadership skills and create a group of community leaders that are equipped to take action and make a difference.

Participants will dive deep in leadership fundamentals, connecting with local leaders and guest speakers, with a focus on building and strengthening core leadership skills.

A key component of the program will involve project management, with participants undertaking the scoping and planning of small community-led projects.

Applications are invited from anyone living or with a connection to the Federation Council local government area.

- Venue: Urana Waterfront Pavilion.
- Face to Face sessions: **Friday 13 September** and **Friday 20 September, 2024**.
- Online sessions: 7pm - **Monday 30 September** and **Tuesday 8 October, 2024**.

Apply now www.fischerleadership.com.au

BALD ARCHY EXHIBITION - SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

After a successful revival in 2023, Australia's premier satirical art competition The Bald Archy Prize, is returning to the Corowa Art Space. The Bald Archy Prize is now in its 28th year, and will be open daily from **Saturday 7 September** until **Sunday 6 October, 2024**.

Council is currently seeking volunteers to sit for the duration of the upcoming exhibition.

Four Volunteers are needed each week day. Two in the morning from 10.00am to 1.00pm and two in the afternoon from 1.00 pm to 4.00 pm. The weekend consists of one shift, from 10.00am to 2.00pm.

As a special thank you to the dedicated volunteers who play a vital role in making this exhibition possible, they will be treated to an exclusive preview event of the exhibition, giving them a behind-the-scenes look at the artworks before they are unveiled to the general public.

If you would like to discuss your availability and interest in volunteering at the Bald Archy Prize, please contact communityevents@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or **(02) 6033 8936**.

DEVELOPMENT CONSENTS

Public notice is given pursuant to Section 101 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act, 1979, that the Council has granted development consent in respect of the following developments. The consents are available for public inspection by contacting Council during business hours.

DA NO.	Address	Approved Work
2024/37	94 Pell Street Howlong	2 transportable dwellings and 3 Carports
2024/45	2 Betterment Parade Corowa	Shed (30.25 sqm) and 2 x Shelter/Patio (25sqm and 48sqm)
2024/53	42 Jude Street Howlong	Shed
2024/76	174 Clarke Street Howlong	Shed
2024/86	271 Jude Street Howlong	Operation of Cooling Tower
2024/88	181-189 Pearce Street Howlong	Shed

Federation Council advises that there are significant delays to all applications being lodged for each stage of the development process. Staff shortages, in conjunction with the increasing complexity of the NSW Planning Portal Processes required to be undertaken by Council has seen pre-lodgement assessment times increasing to 6-8 weeks and average determination times taking between 10-12 weeks. We ask you for your cooperation as Council officers concentrate on clearing the backlog of applications while maintaining all other legislated services.

CELEBRATE BOOK WEEK

The Corowa Library and Corowa Art Space are partnering to celebrate all things youth literature for 2024 Book Week. Held **17 – 23 August**, this year's theme is 'Reading is Magic'. The theme celebrates reading stories and their amazing power to transport minds whilst encouraging kids to be curious about the wonders in our world.

As the main attraction, touring exhibition The Curious Explorers will take visitors behind the scenes to see the work undertaken by artist Dorothy Roddy during the book illustration process. The Exhibition is on display at the Corowa Art Space from **Friday 9 August** until **Monday 2 September, 2024**. The Curious Explorers book is full of Australian charm as it follows Lex and Mila's adventure of discovery through their back yard.

Join creative duo Leonie and Dorothy for their book reading and signing event where you can grab your own copy of The Curious Explorers book, as well as participate in a craft activity later in the day.

Wednesday 21st August, 2024

- Book Reading & Signing, 11am - 11:30am, Corowa Art Space.
- Craft Activity, 11:35am - 12:15pm, Corowa Library.

For more details and to reserve a spot at either event, ring the Corowa Library on **(02) 6033 8941** or visit Council's website.

AUSTRALIA DAY EVENT EOI

Federation Council is interested in working with a Howlong based community group, organisation or business that is passionate and already doing wonderful things to enrich the community, to help coordinate the official Australia Day Ceremony.

The event will be held on Sunday 26th January 2025 in Howlong, NSW. Council will coordinate the formalities of the event, including the welcome address, Welcome to Country, citizenship ceremonies, award presentations, ambassador guest speaker, flag raising ceremony and the singing of the National Anthem.

The successful community group, organisation or business will work with Council to organise the event on the day.

EOI Submissions are being invited from **Monday 12 August** until 5pm, **Monday 28 September, 2024**. Submissions can be made via Council's website or in writing and addressed to Federation Council's Community Projects and Events Officer.

AGEING WELL COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS

The Federation Ageing Well Committee is looking for new members. In 2017, Council endorsed the inaugural Ageing Well Committee and Ageing Well Ambassadors and after seven years are publicly calling for new members.

The Committee is made up of up to ten volunteers of the community, who are passionate about promoting a better lifestyle for everyone in their later years.

There are currently four community representative positions available, and to be eligible you must be over 55, and reside in the Federation Council Local Government Area.

The Ageing Well Advisory Committee is a practical committee that provides advice and support for a range of Council activities, including ways to promote Ageing Well within the Federation Council area.

Nominations will close 5pm, **Monday 30 September, 2024**. Find out more and nominate yourself from Council's website.

2024 COUNCIL ELECTIONS

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 roll.elections.nsw.gov.au/NSWLookUp/

Further information is available from Council's website.

BIN COLLECTION CALENDARS

Do you forget which bins to put out each week for kerbside waste collection?

No more guessing, download the 2024 kerbside bin collection calendar from our website or collect one from Council offices in Corowa, Howlong, Mulwala or Urana.

Some Helpful Tips:

- Be mindful not to overload the bins – maximum weight is 80kg.
- Place bin close to the kerb with the handle facing toward your property.
- Place your bin out the night before your collection day or by 6am on the morning of collection.
- Keep clear of overhanging branches and power lines.
- Please leave at least one metre between bins and other objects, including fences and vehicles.

Find out more from Council's website.

NEW RESIDENTS KITS

Council has compiled a New Residents Kit to provide you with a handy reference guide to the services and facilities available from Council within the community. A copy of the New Resident Kit is available from Council's website as an e-book or you can download a copy.

You can pick up a New Resident

Welcome Pack from any Council office or contact Council on **(02) 6033 8999** and we will organise one to be delivered to you.

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