



**FEDERATION
COUNCIL**

THE HOUSEHOLDER
POSTAGE PAID AUSTRALIA

SEPTEMBER 2024



Council Elections
Saturday 14 September 2024



www.federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au

**URANA DISTRICT
NEWSLETTER**

CREATING OPPORTUNITY CELEBRATING COMMUNITY

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A VOLUNTEER AQUA LEADER?

Murrumbidgee Local Health District
is inviting people to become a
volunteer leader of the Healthy
Ageing Programs for Independence
(HAPI).



Training is free and includes accommodation and meals if required. Resources and ongoing support is provided to all volunteers.

VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENTS:



Be enthusiastic about the wellbeing of your community



Attend a two day training
Be willing to deliver Aqua Fitness
exercise classes for older adults



No previous exercise experience
required



October 21st and 22nd
Venue TBD



For more information or to register contact the
Healthy Ageing team at
mlhd-exercise@health.nsw.gov.au
or call Adelle 0409 781 326

URANA NEWSLETTER

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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 15 October - Extraordinary 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

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.

CAPITAL WORKS PROGRAM UPDATE



Council has an ongoing program of capital works and upgrades to buildings, parks, playgrounds and roads across the Federation Council Region.

Scan the QR code to see the latest or visit Council's website.



2024 COUNCIL ELECTIONS



Council elections for Federation Council will be held on Saturday, 14 September 2024.

Polling Booth Locations

Polling booths will be open on Election Day (Saturday 14 September) from 8:00am – 6.00pm at the following locations;

- Corowa Public School, 244 Honour Avenue, Corowa
- Corowa South Public School, 158 Hume Street, Corowa
- Howlong Public School, Hawkins Street, Howlong
- Mulwala Civic Centre, 71 Melbourne Street, Mulwala
- Oaklands Central School, Coreen Street, Oaklands
- Urana Public School, 62 William Street, Urana

If you are voting in person you must vote at a venue in your enrolled council area. You cannot vote at a venue in another area.

Please note the Memorial Hall Corowa and Urana Council Office will not be open on Election Day, Saturday 14 September 2024. These locations offer Pre-Poll options only.

Poll Ballot paper

At the 2024 NSW Local Government elections electors in Federation council will be given a 'poll' ballot paper to complete, in addition to their Councillor

ballot paper.

The result of a council poll is determined by a majority of the votes cast. Voting in a council poll is not compulsory for electors and the result is not binding on the council.

You will be asked three questions:

- Do you believe that the forced amalgamation by the State Government in 2016 was a mistake?
- Should the State Government compensate ratepayers for the ongoing costs of the amalgamation?
- Do you support that Council should approach the State Government to guarantee representation for the former Urana Shire?

Each question requires a "Yes" or a "No" answer. If you decide to answer "Yes" to one of the questions, place a tick in the square next to the word "Yes". If you decide to vote "No" to a question, place a tick in the square next to the word "No". Do the same for each question.

For more election information and to access voting options including relevant postal and pre-polling application forms, key dates and lodgement portals visit <https://elections.nsw.gov.au/voters/voting-options> or call the NSW Electoral Commission on 1300 135 736.

SIGN UP TO ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTERS

Federation Council produces a number of electronic newsletters to engage with our community and visitors regularly and to showcase the vast array of Council projects and updates. Subscribe now, scan the QR code below or visit Council's website.



OVERGROWN VEGETATION



Spring is now upon us bringing weather conditions that promote abundant growth of grass, shrubs, weeds and other vegetation. As the fire restriction period is fast approaching, Council is encouraging your help to keep our community safe by ensuring properties are regularly maintained now and into the future.

Federation Council wishes to remind all landowners that they are responsible for keeping the vegetation within their property boundaries, fence lines and nature strips in good order.

Overhanging or encroaching vegetation from private property onto footpaths can make moving around the neighborhood difficult for all pedestrians, particularly vision-impaired people, people with disability, wheelchair, and mobility scooter users, or parents pushing a pram. It can also reduce the area people can safely walk on the footpath, and restrict access.

Council staff will undertake routine inspections over the coming months and will respond to resident concerns about excessive vegetation growth on properties.

To bring an issue to our attention, please lodge an online customer request from Council's website or contact our customer service team by phone.

Land reported to Council as having overgrown vegetation may be issued with an Order 21 in accordance with Section 124 of the Local Government Act 1993 and may be issued with a Penalty Notice.

Find out further information on Council's website.

BROADLEAF WEED SPRAYING

Selective Broadleaf weed spraying is scheduled to occur from September 2024 to October 2024. The application will occur in turf situations that include ovals, parks, cemeteries and open spaces to selectively remove weeds across the Federation Council. The herbicide that will be used is Javelin (20 g/l Clopyralid, 15 g/l Diflufenican, 300 g/l MCPA). This process is undertaken to improve the turf quality and reduce mowing frequencies.

AUSTRALIA DAY NOMINATIONS - OPENING SOON!

Do you know someone who has given outstanding service to your community?

Would you like to shine a spotlight on a local hero in your town?

Are you a member of an amazing community group which deserves recognition?

If so, consider submitting a nomination for the 2025 Australia Day Awards, which opens on Monday 30 September, 2025.

The Australia Day Awards program is a way to recognise people who make exceptional contributions to our local communities.

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY STRATEGY - HAVE YOUR SAY!



Federation Council is excited to announce the development of our 4-year Children, Youth, and Family Strategy.

As part of this important initiative, we invite all community members to participate in our comprehensive survey.

Your Voice Matters

This survey is designed to gather crucial insights from you, our community. Your feedback will:

- Help us understand the unique needs and priorities of children, youth, and families in our region
- Assess the effectiveness of current services
- Identify areas where we can improve and expand our support

Shaping Our Future Together

Your responses will directly influence the development of this strategy, ensuring it:

- Aligns with community expectations
- Addresses the most pressing concerns
- Guides Council's focus on what matters most to you

How You Can Contribute

By participating in this survey, you will:

- Play an active role in shaping the future of our community

- Help us enhance and tailor our services to better support children, youth, and families
- Ensure your voice is heard in the planning process

Don't miss this opportunity to have your say and make a real difference in our community. Your input is invaluable as we work together to create a brighter future for all families in the Federation Council area.

Complete the survey today on Council's website and help us build a stronger, more supportive community for generations to come.

The survey will be open until 5pm, Tuesday 1 October, 2024.

Proudly funded by the NSW Government.

Pop-up Sessions

Join us for upcoming pop-up session facilitated by the Federation Council and Ninety Mile Consulting Team.

These sessions are an excellent opportunity for parents, youth, and community members to engage and share their thoughts on the Children, Youth, and Family Strategy.

Session details:

- Monday 16 th September (1pm – 4pm) – Lake Mulwala Bakery
- Tuesday 17 th September (11am – 1pm) – Urana Council Office
- Tuesday 17 th September (10am – 1pm) – Corowa Memorial Plaza
- Tuesday 17 th September (2pm – 4pm) – Howlong Bakery
- Tuesday 17th September (2pm - 5pm) - Oaklands Central School

We encourage everyone to participate and have your say in shaping the future of our community's support for children, youth, and families. Your voice matters!

COROWA ART SPACE TO HOST THE 2024 BALD ARCHY PRIZE



The Bald Archy Prize is returning to the Corowa Art Space for its 28th year. The Bald Archy Prize will be on display daily from Saturday 7th September until Sunday 6th October.

The Bald Archy prize was started by the late Peter Batey OAM in a corrugated iron shed at Coolac, just north of Gundagai in 1994, as a send-up of the prestigious portraiture award the Archibald Prize. The Bald Archy Prize celebrates the lighter side of art and the larrikin Australian spirit. Calling for paintings that include wit, slapstick, vulgarity, farce, black comedy, irreverence and everything in between, the prize pokes fun at Australians distinguished in art, letters, politics, sport or the media. The award continues to be judged by Professor Maude the Sulphur Crested Cockatoo whose eye for art matches her wicked wit.

Federation Council General Manager, Adrian Butler said, "With twice as many works as the previous year, 40 portraits will be on display at the Corowa Art Space. This year the exhibition features portraits of Australians and people of note such as Bob Katter, Jacinta Price and Scott Cam. The 2024 winner of the \$10,000 prize was awarded to artist Judy Nadin, for her work Flippin' Kerfection, a satirical caricature depicting Australian

professional soccer player Sam Kerr OAM's iconic celebratory backflip in exaggerated action."

"Also included in the exhibition is the work of Corowa's own Michael Mack, "I have three works entered and really enjoyed painting them. It's an opportunity to extend yourself and have a lot of fun. It would be great if other local artists submitted work next year. I'm looking forward to another great Bald Archy." Visitors will be able to hear all about Michael's creative process at his Artist Talk being held 11am on Wednesday 25th September."

Entry to the exhibition is \$5 for adults, free entry for children under 18.

Opening times are Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm and on weekends 10am – 2pm.

For further enquiries about the Bald Archy Prize's tour to Corowa, contact communityevents@federationcouncil.nsw.gov.au or (02) 6033 8936.

See Council's website for more information.

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 visit Federation Council's website to see what opportunities are for you.

FEDERATION COUNCIL NEWS

TRANSFORMING WAX & FLAMES INTO ART: 'FUSED' EXHIBITION



Beeswax, a blowtorch and damar resin are the unlikely ingredients that form the basis of Sharon De Valentin's upcoming solo exhibition 'Fused', which is exclusive to Corowa Art Space.

'Fused' explores the rugged beauty of banksias, the majesty of native gums, and the lively presence of magpies. Delicate roses, vast landscapes, and intricate stag head sculptures are complemented by small works crafted from found seeds, nuts, and papier-mâché clay.

'Fused' opens at Corowa Art Space on 11 October and ends on 17 November. Entry is free and opening times are Wednesday to Friday 10am – 4pm and on weekends 10am – 2pm.

Find out more on Council's website.

RIVERINA REGIONAL LIBRARY - MOBILE SERVICE

Southern & Northern Regional Library 2024 MOBILE LIBRARY SCHEDULE



RAND 12:15pm – 1:15pm	Wednesday, 17 September 2024	Wednesday, 1 October 2024	Wednesday, 15 October 2024
URANA 1:45pm – 5:00pm	Tuesday, 18 September 2024	Tuesday, 2 October 2024	Tuesday, 16 October 2024
OAKLANDS 9:00am – 11:00am	Wednesday, 18 September 2024	Wednesday, 2 October 2024	Wednesday, 16 October 2024
BOREE CREEK 1:30pm – 3:00pm	Tuesday, 24 September 2024	Tuesday, 8 October 2024	Tuesday, 22 October 2024

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA TOUR 2024

MELBOURNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL



Morundah Bush Entertainment Committee Inc.



7.30pm
Thursday 19 December

Paradise Palladium Theatre - Browley Street Morundah

\$25 per ticket - call Morundah Hotel 02 6959 7414 after 3.00pm

Includes orchestral favourites by Dvorak and Mozart.

Tickets are available at the door, or via mgs.vic.edu.au/events

All proceeds from the performance will be donated to charity.



URANA VINTAGE MACHINERY CLUB INC.
**Vintage Rally
& Truck Show**



Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 October

VICTORIA PARK URANA

Saturday:

- ★ Vintage Tractor Trek
(Leaves Victoria Park 9.00am sharp)
- ★ Vintage Engines & Display
- ★ Catering Available
- ★ FREE Camping & Showers on-site
- ★ Feature Tractor - Deutz
- ★ Twilight Tractor Pull

Sunday:

- ★ Vintage Tractor Pull
- ★ Vintage Engines & Tractor Display
- ★ Show & Shine
- ★ Hospital Fete
Coffee - BBQ -
Ice Creams - Cakes - Food Stalls -
Chocolate Wheel - Kids activities
- ★ Swap Sites Available

Sunday Entry \$10
**CHILDREN UNDER 16
YEARS FREE**

Contact: Mick Robson 0438 824 320 - Justin Livingstone 0423 319 488 - Email: uvmcinc@gmail.com

URANA PROGRESS ASSOCIATION

MUM'S MORNING TEA



A Fowler's jar, billy, matching cups, saucers and plates, furniture restoration photos, sewing, Tilly lamp parts and lots more were featured at our September Community Morning Tea and everyone had a great time reminiscing about the way life and entertaining were in days gone by! Oh yes, there was food to eat too.

We welcomed lots of new faces and hope to see them at future Morning Teas joining in the conversations and laughter.

October Morning Tea (1st October) is Big Blue Table where we welcome everyone – even if you are feeling “blue” on the day. We have no formal mental health training but sometimes a friendly face, listening ear and some laughter can help – and we always have plenty of that!! We encourage people to wear something blue on the day.

IMPROVED WORK AREA

Our kitchen/work area looks amazing with the new floor and new cabinetry (thanks in part to a Bendigo Bank Community Grant). The whole area is much more suitable for food preparation and safer with built-in filing cabinets. Once we get items in the cupboards and drawers and familiarise ourselves with the new layout it will be easier for volunteers to find information for visitors and to find things

we need.

URANA PUBLIC SCHOOL VISIT



It was great to have students and staff visit us recently to learn about lots of things we have at the Museum and, more specifically, the involvement of local men and women in Australian Defence Forces. They had fun finding answers to questions we set – eg ‘How many stars are there on the Australian flag?’ and ‘Which serviceman is wearing camouflage?’

We value this connection and are sure they will come again to learn more about the Urana area and how so much has changed over the years.

We encourage other community members to call in on Tuesday or Saturday to have a look around at our growing collections.

STORYBOARD

We have some fabulous photos from our professional photographer and are now in the process of putting together an outline of photos and wording explaining what happens in the Urana area in 2024. The Tim Fischer bequest will be used to produce this fabulous piece of work early next year. Please let us know if you have ideas about themes for inclusion on this Storyboard.

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.

When: Every Monday during school terms

Where: Corowa Public School Entrance via gate on Victoria St

Time:
10am-
11am



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



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 chat.

When: 1st Tuesday of every month
Where: Intereach Corowa Community Room
Time: 10am-11am

For additional information please contact:

Shannon - Intereach Family and Community Worker

Phone: 0436 632 423
Email: Shannonl@intereach.com.au

For more information about Intereach services:
P: 1300 488 226 | www.intereach.com.au





CWA OAKLANDS NEWS SEPTEMBER 2024



International Day Study of France was very enjoyable with the pupils of Oaklands Central School presenting their projects jointly in a most interesting fashion. Each child showed they had discovered lots about France and the French people. Thanks to everyone who came along to join the day, outside participation is always appreciated.

CWA of NSW Awareness Week 2024 1st September until 7th September. The theme this year will focus on the prevention of gender-based violence. During 2022-23 thirty – four women were killed by their partner. Increasing to over forty in the first half of 2024.

Membership fee for CWA of NSW due from 1st October is Full member \$48.00 Please see website for other options www.cwaofnsw.org.au Junior membership is \$1.00. The Bald Archie Art Prize is on show at Corowa Art Space 7th Sept until 6th October 2024.



**2024 CWA OAKLANDS
CELEBRATING 75
FABULOUS YEARS**

**17th September 1.00pm start at CWA
rooms Milthorpe Street.
ALL WELCOME**

Rural Road Safety Month

An illustration of a winding road through a rural landscape. The road is dark grey with white dashed lines. On the left, there is a yellow diamond-shaped sign with a black border that says 'SLOW DOWN' in black capital letters. The landscape consists of rolling yellow hills, a few stylized yellow trees, and a blue sky with white clouds. A white fence runs along the edge of the road in the foreground.

NSW ROAD SAFETY
Even though rural areas are less populated, deaths on country roads sadly account for two thirds of all NSW road fatalities.
Throughout the month of September, we'll be raising awareness about the unique risks on rural roads and how you can play a part in keeping yourself and others safe.
Find out more:
www.transport.nsw.gov.au/roadsafety



We would like to thank the local community for their kind donations of cans and funds in Memory of our little lady Mackenzie Fell. We have raised \$1,000.00 so far for the Special Care Nursery and Ronald McDonald House at Wodonga Hospital.

The money has been used to purchase the following Items:

- **Cubby House**
- **Play Kitchen and toys**
- **40 Handmade bassinet sheets**
- **Prints for the Critical Care Room**

Kindest Regards

Laura Smith & Daniel Fell

Urana Caravan Park





Alistair Clark from Southern Riverina Physiotherapy will be visiting Urana Community Health for all your Physiotherapy needs.

CONSULTATIONS ARE FREE WITH A WARATAH REFERRAL FROM YOUR GP.

VISITING DATES:

Thursday 26/09/2024
 24/10/2024
 21/11/2024
 19/12/2024

Please phone or email for an appointment:

Alistair Clark (MPhysio APAM, BExercise & Sports Science)

27-29 Chanter Street Berrigan NSW 2712

Urana Community Health Building

alistair@srphysio.biz or 03 5845 7050



**COROWA
PODIATRY**

At: URANA COMMUNITY HEALTH
2024 VISITING DATES

Friday 20 September
Friday 18 October
Friday 15 November
Friday 13 December

To make a booking please call/text
Sharni on 0438 269 658
OR email admin@corowapodiatry.com.au

These appointments cannot be made via
our website.

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



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>

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.

ACCESSLINE

*Depression Suicide Anxiety Psychosis
Alcohol & Drugs Sexual Assault*

Help for All Ages Anytime

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**



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

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.



Contact: T: 6026 3877

www.ghchildren.com.au



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



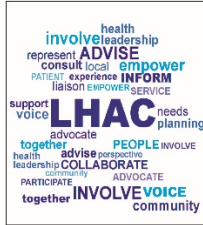
VALMAR

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

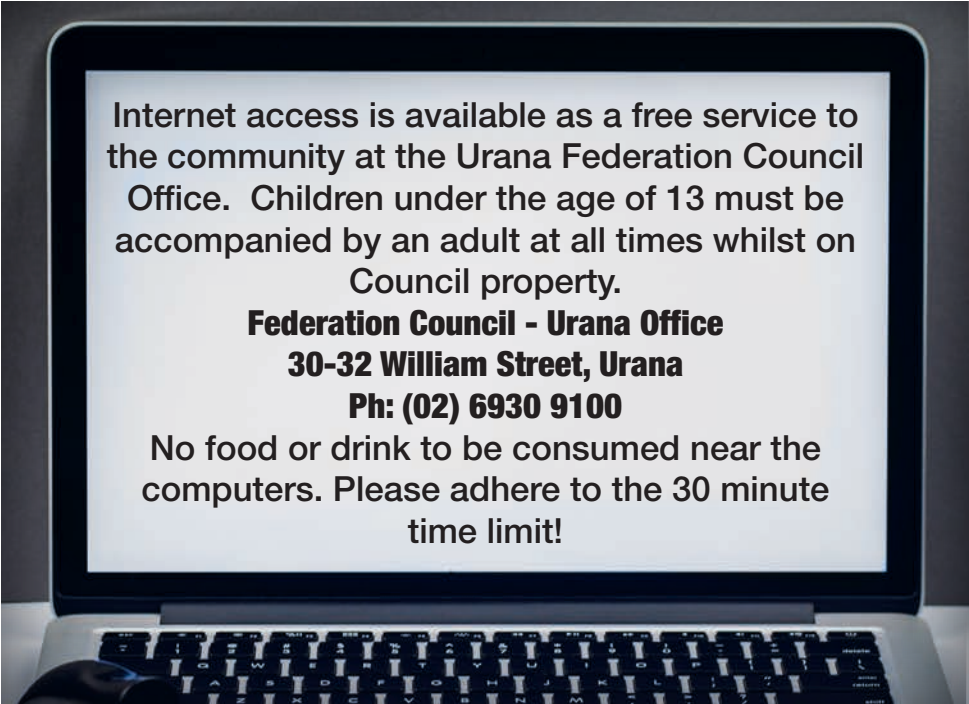


Rise

Accounting & tax

-  PO Box 6 Urana NSW 2645
-  admin@risetax.com.au
-  0402 988 950

Your tax return is our priority – fast, electronic lodgement.



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

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

No food or drink to be consumed near the computers. Please adhere to the 30 minute time limit!



WATERFRONT

Pavilion



Photo by Georgie James

For all function room enquiries & bookings please contact
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WATERFRONT

Fitness

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0437208196



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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



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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

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- Cabins
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Mobile: 0407 322 829
Email: sara@randfarmsupplies.com.au
Opening hours: 8:45am – 5pm Monday to
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NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING & WASTE FACILITIES

In accordance with Federation Council's 2024/2025 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	\$78.50	\$54.50
Half page	\$54.50	\$42.50
Quarter page	\$40.00	\$24.50
Classified	\$12	
Thank you notices	\$12	
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 2024/2025 budget waste disposal charges are as follows:

WHEELIE BINS (240 litre bin)	Fee (incl. GST)
Wheelie Bin - Green	\$5.50
Wheelie Bin - Waste	\$12.50

* 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	\$23.00
Small load - Waste	\$48.00

* 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	\$46.00
Medium load - Waste	\$96.00

* 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	\$69.00
Large load - Waste	\$144.00

* Household waste accepted only (not commercial origin)

TRUCK LOAD	Fee (incl. GST)
Truck load - Green /m3	\$46.00
Truck load - Waste /m3	\$96.00

CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION	Fee (incl. GST)
Construction & demolition - concrete & masonry /m3	\$67.00
Construction & demolition - timber /m3	\$46.00
Construction & demolition - comingled /m3	\$216.50

MATTRESSES	Fee (incl. GST)
Mattresses - Single/Double	\$56.40
Mattresses - Queen/King	\$89.30

* With or without base

ASBESTOS	Fee (incl. GST)
Asbestos up to 1m3	\$402.00
Asbestos over 1m3 - per m3	\$402.00

* Accepted only in Corowa

TYRE	Fee (incl. GST)
Tyre R<20 - each	\$22.30
Tyre R<20 to R40 - each	\$44.50
Tyre R>40 - each	\$89.00

* Not accepted at Mulwala Transfer Station

LOUNGE	Fee (incl. GST)
Lounge - 1 seat	\$11.00
Lounge - 2 seat	\$20.80
Lounge - 3 seat	\$31.80
Lounge - additional seat	\$11.00

eWASTE	Fee (incl. GST)
Household appliance	\$11.70
Whitegoods	\$22.30

POLYSTYRENE	Fee (incl. GST)
Over 1m3 - per m3	\$22.30

OTHERS	Fee (incl. GST)
Carpet roll / 0.5m diameter	\$39.50
Textiles /m3	\$39.50
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

7 September - 6 October 2024	The Bald Archy Prize at the Corowa Art Space.
14 September 2024	Local Government Election.
17 September 2024	Child, Youth & Family Strategy pop-up session Urana. See page 7.
1 October 2024	"Big Blue Table" Community Morning Tea 10 am at the Courthouse Museum. Cost \$7.50.
11 October 2024	'Fused' Exhibition at the Corowa Art Space.
15 October 2024	Extraordinary Council Meeting. Corowa Chamber.
17 October 2024	Art Exhibition Opening from 6 pm. \$25 includes food, a drink and access to fabulous art for the remainder of the Exhibition.
18 October 2024	Art Exhibition will be open from 10 am to 4 pm. Entry cost \$5.
19-20 October 2024	Vintage Rally & Truck Show, Victoria Park Urana.
22 October 2024	Council Meeting. Corowa Chamber.

All information in this August edition of the Urana District Newsletter is current as of 4/9/24

Deadline for October Edition

FRIDAY 4 October 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.



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7 September - 6 October 2023

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