



Checking Out Local Democracy

At the request of then Mayor, Cr Daryl Warren, local members of the Buloke Youth Parliament attended Council's Statutory Meeting on Wednesday and enjoyed a dinner with Councillors.

The team had previously sat with Councillors during a Councillor Briefing in August of this year as part of Council's commitment to the NCLLEN's Engage Program, to talk about their involvement with the Youth Parliament experience.

Pictured with Councillors are: Noah Slater, Lennon Jablonka and Tyler Riley.

Support For Communities

The Victorian Government has launched a webpage containing the latest information about where you can go for support, and the relief payments on offer for individuals, families, small business, primary producers and community groups, visit: www.vic.gov.au/october-2022-flood-recovery.

Information is also available on Council's website, including wastewater and contamination issues. Contact Buloke's **Environmental Health Officer for advice by phoning 1300 520 520**.

Pool Season 2022-2023

Buloke's pools will not be opening as scheduled this Saturday 12 November, due to recent flooding impacts.

Council is currently working through the repairs and maintenance works required to open each pool and based on this information, the opening schedule is as follows:

- Watchem, Wycheproof and Sea Lake Pool Season Opening: Saturday, 19 November
- Birchip, Berriwillock Pool Season Opening: Saturday, 26 November
- Donald Pool Season Opening: Saturday, 3 December
- Charlton Pool Season Opening: TBC

These timeframes are subject to change. We will keep the community informed with regular updates via social media and local newspapers.

For enquiries about pool hire or further information, contact the Aquatics Team on 1300 520 520 or aquatics@buloke.vic.gov.au.



Advocating for a Better Buloke

Have you heard about the Buloke Shire Council Advocacy Strategy 2022-23?

This key strategy outlines the key advocacy projects Council is currently committed to focusing on and seeking partnerships to implement.

Many of the projects presented reflect some of the challenges faced by Buloke Shire, as one of the geographically largest municipalities.

It is acknowledged that many rural councils face similar challenges and therefore it is important to recognise that Council cannot, and does not, work alone – but rather aims to work in partnership with the community, service providers and other levels of government to deliver on its vision for the future.

However, the priority projects presented in the strategy are only some of the issues of Council and the Buloke community therefore work will continue on a number of other priorities as stated in the Council Plan 2021-25 and Long-Term Community Vision and other adopted policies and strategies. This includes recovery from the recent flood event that swept across the state.

The Advocacy Strategy 2022-23 outlines our top-tier priorities impacting our community right now and you can check it out at www.buloke.vic.gov.au/strategies.



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Notice of an Application for a Planning Permit

The land affected by the application is located at **11 Golf Park Drive, Charlton**.

The application is for a permit for a single dwelling.

The application reference number is **PPA22002**.

You may look at the application and any documents that support the application on the Buloke Shire Council website or by making contact with the office of the Responsible Authority, Buloke Shire Office, Wycheproof.

This can be done during office hours and is free of charge. Any person who may be affected by the granting of the permit may object or make other submissions to the Responsible Authority.

An objection must be sent to the Responsible Authority in writing, include the objectors name and contact details, include reasons for the objection, and state how the objector would be affected.

An objection form is available on the Planning and Building page of the Buloke Shire Council website.

The Responsible Authority will not decide on the application before **1 December 2022**.

If you object the Responsible Authority will tell you its decision.



Employment Opportunities

Council is an equal opportunity employer. Our roles are non-gender specific, and Council encourages all suitably qualified applicants to apply. Council is currently recruiting for:

School Crossing Supervisor Casual - Covering Donald & Charlton

Love to be outdoors and enjoy working with children? We are seeking a friendly, reliable and responsible individual to assist children to travel safely to and from school and reduce their risk of being involved in accidents with vehicles.

→ Applications close 5.00pm Monday 21 November 2022.

Visit www.buloke.vic.gov.au/employment or call Human Resources on 1300 520 520 for full details on these exciting roles.