

COMMUNITY UPDATE

Buloke.



2026 BULOKE AWARD WINNERS

Buloke Shire Council is proud to announce the recipients of the 2026 Buloke Awards, recognising individuals and groups who make an outstanding contribution to our community.

- **Community Event of the Year – 100th Anniversary of Auchmore Home**, organised by the Nullawil Historical Society and Nullawil Heritage Centre, celebrating local history, volunteer effort and community spirit.
- **Young Citizen of the Year – Fletcher Holmes-Brown**, recognised for his extensive youth leadership, volunteering and commitment to amplifying young voices across the Buloke Shire.
- **Citizen of the Year – Jenny Newell**, acknowledged for her decades of dedicated service to Sea Lake and the wider Buloke community through leadership, advocacy and community development.

Council congratulates all award recipients and thanks them for the positive impact they continue to make across Buloke.

HAVE YOUR SAY – DRAFT EVENT PLANNING GUIDE

A Draft Event Planning Guide has been created to support event organisers, community groups, volunteers and businesses to plan and deliver safe, successful and well managed events across the Shire.

The Guide is currently on public exhibition until Saturday 31 January 2026 to provide an opportunity for organisers and the community to review and provide feedback.

Feedback can be provided via:

Online survey: Complete the online survey at www.buloke.vic.gov.au – Have Your Say

Email: buloke@buloke.vic.gov.au

Phone: 1300 520 520

Mail: Address your submission to – Buloke Shire Council - Submissions, PO Box 1, Wycheeproof, VIC 3527.

The Draft Event Planning Guide can be viewed online at www.buloke.vic.gov.au – Have Your Say.

A hardcopy version can also be viewed at the Wycheeproof Customer Service Centre, 367 Broadway, Wycheeproof, VIC 3527 or by request by calling 1300 520 520.

CHARLTON AND SEA LAKE FIRE RECOVERY INFORMATION

Council has established a dedicated Fire Recovery webpage to support anyone impacted by the Charlton and Sea Lake fires.

The new webpage brings together practical support options, contact details and links to services that can assist with recovery. Information is updated regularly as new support becomes available.

Visit Council's website and search Charlton and Sea Lake Fire Recovery, or follow the link shared on Council's Facebook page.

If you're unsure where to start, Council's Customer Service team is available to help on 1300 520 520.



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES WITH BULOKE

Council is an equal opportunity employer. Our roles are non-gender specific, and Council encourages all suitably qualified applicants to apply. For more information on equal opportunity, call Human Resources on 1300 520 520.

You can find all current employment opportunities at www.buloke.vic.gov.au/employment

Applications can be lodged by:
Mail - PO Box 1, Wycheeproof VIC 3527 or Email -
recruitment@buloke.vic.gov.au

LIFEGUARDS

Permanent (Casual) - From \$23.16 - \$31.27 per hour plus casual loading

→ Applications Close: 30 January 2026

We're on the lookout for lifeguards to join our team to help us keep our pool open to the end of the 2025/26 Pool Season!

Whether you're a seasoned pro or just starting your career journey, we welcome individuals at all ages to join our dynamic Aquatics Team at Buloke Shire Council.



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