COMMUNITY UPDATE



CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

It's that time of year again. Council's service arrangements are outlined below. Stay up to date via Council's website and social media and enjoy a safe and happy festive period.

CUSTOMER SERVICE

Please note that Council will be closed from 12.00 noon on Thursday 24 December 2020 until 8.30am Monday 4 January 2021.

EMERGENCY AND MAINTENANCE WORKS

For emergencies outside these hours, please call 1300 520 520 and follow the prompts for the service response required.

SWIMMING POOLS

Swimming pools at Berriwillock, Birchip, Charlton, Donald, Sea Lake, Watchem, and Wycheproof will operate every day except for being CLOSED on Christmas Day.

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH SERVICE

All Council Maternal and Child Health Centres will be CLOSED from close of business Thursday 24 December 2020 reopening on Monday 4 January 2021. During January, only bookings for Key Age and Stages visit of 8 weeks and younger will be taken in order to take into account staff shortages due to holidays. (MCH advice is also available via the 24 Hour Maternal and Child Health Line on 132 229).

COMMONWEALTH HOME SUPPORT PROGRAM/VIC HACC PYP

Normal services will be unavailable between Friday 25 December 2020 and Sunday 3 January 2021 inclusive. Arrangements can be made for services deemed urgent by calling Marg Pollington 0407 328 472 during normal office hours.

MEALS ON WHEELS ARRANGEMENTS

Meals on Wheels delivery service will be available as

LIBRARIES

Buloke Shire Library Service will be CLOSED from 12.00 noon Thursday 24 December 2020 until Monday 11 January 2021. Allowances will be made for borrowings that fall due over this period.

KERBSIDE COLLECTIONS AND LANDFILLS/TRANSFER STATIONS

All kerbside garbage and recycle collections will occur as below.

Thursday December 2020

Normal garbage service for the townships of Berriwillock, Culgoa, Nandaly, Nullawil, Sea Lake and Wycheproof. Donald and Corack Rural will also be collected on this day.

Friday 25 December 2019 - Christmas Day Landfills and Transfer Stations CLOSED. No kerbside collections.

Monday 28 December 2020 - Boxing Day Holiday
Normal garbage service for Charlton, Watchem and
Birchin

Thursday 31 December 2020

Normal garbage service for the townships of Berriwillock, Culgoa, Nandaly, Nullawil, Sea Lake and Wycheproof. Donald and Corack Rural will also be collected on this day.

Friday 1 January 2021 – New Year's Day Landfills and Transfer Stations CLOSED. No kerbside collections.

Please ensure bins are out the night before collection and accessible to the garbage truck.

Councillors and staff wish everyone a safe and enjoyable festive season.

Let's all take a break!



Notice of Intention to Lease or License

Buloke Shire Council advertises its intention to enter into a lease or license of the Wycheproof (Railway) Turntable to Steamrail Victoria for a period of ten years.

The land related to the proposal is located at part of 22-28 Camp Street, Wycheproof.

Council is seeking feedback from the community on the proposal before considering its final decision. Full details of the proposal are available by accessing the minutes relating to Council's 9 December 2020 Ordinary Meeting on Council's website or can be provided on request.

Feedback on the proposal will be accepted in writing to the Chief Executive Officer by email to buloke@buloke.vic.gov.au or to PO Box 1, Wycheproof VIC 3527 by close of business **Friday 22 January 2021.**

Notice of Intention to Set Allowances

Buloke Shire Council gives notice pursuant to section 223 of the Local Government Act 1989 of its intention to set the annual allowances for Councillors and the Mayor as follows:

- Councillors: \$21,049
- Mayor \$62,884

with the intention to adjust the above allowances in accordance with any adjustment factor determined by the Minister until such time as the Victorian Independent Remuneration Tribunal has made a determination under the *Local Government Act 2020*. Feedback on the proposed allowances will be accepted in writing to the Chief Executive Officer by email to buloke@buloke.vic.gov.au or to PO Box 1, Wycheproof VIC 3527 by close of business **Friday 22 January 2021**.



Current Tenders

Contract No. C80 – 2020/2021

Supply and Delivery of One (1) New Tipping Truck and Quad Dog Trailer

Contract No. C81 – 2020/2021

Supply and Delivery of One (1) New Motor Grader

Contract No. C89 – 2020/2021

Brightening Broadway Stage 1A — Wycheproof Streetscape Works

Contract No. C90 – 2020/2021

Cumming Avenue, Birchip Landscape Works

Contract No. C91 – 2020/2021

Roads To Rehabilitation 2020/21 — Pavement Rehabilitation Works

The Buloke Shire Council invites tenders for these contracts. Further details are available at www.buloke.vic.gov.au/tenders. Tender documents are available for downloading from https://portal.tenderlink.com/bulokeshire. All tenders close 2:00pm AEDT Wednesday 20 January 2021.

Notice of an Application for a Planning Permit

The land affected by the application is located at 224 Sea Lake-Lascelles Road, Sea Lake.

The application is for a permit for a **second dwelling on a lot.**

The applicant for the permit is **Grant Alday.**The application reference number is **PPA 900/20.**You may look at the application and any documents that support the application 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 7 January 2021

application before **7 January 2021.**If you object the Responsible Authority will tell you its decision.

Submissions on the Draft Community Engagement Policy close **Friday 22 January 2021.**

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