

Council Facilities Update

Victoria is on the roadmap and Buloke has been leading the way with a double vaccination rate of above 95%.

Please be aware that in line with the Victorian Government's Roadmap requirements, from Thursday 18 November anyone aged **12 years and 2 months** and over entering Council facilities will need to be fully vaccinated. This includes our Libraries, Customer Service Centre, Community Facilities and Recreation Reserves, Swimming Pools, Landfills, Transfer Stations as well as the Depots and Offices.

Our staff will need to ensure patrons check in and have proof of vaccination, or a valid exemption, (either through the ServiceVic app or a printed vaccination certificate and ID) – the same as what you have to do when visiting a restaurant or café.

Thank you in advance for being considerate to our incredible staff members who are fully vaccinated and doing their job to help keep all of us safe.



Smart Cities comes to Buloke!

Mildura, Buloke, Gannawarra and Swan Hill councils are participating in the 12-month Smart Cities project, which runs until June 2022.

This project will see various locations across Buloke equipped with sensors to collect data on how different buildings and sites are used in the community. This will help with planning of services and ensuring that Buloke is managing these sites effectively.

One of the parts of the trial is the installation of counting sensors which will measure the usage of the public toilets in Donald, and another is looking at the movement of planes at Donald's Aerodrome.

The data collected from these sensors is non-identifiable and live data will be available on our website once the sensors have been installed, in mid-December.

For more information on these projects, visit <https://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/smart-cities-project>, or call 1300 520 520.



Public Notice for Temporary Road Closure

The public is advised that Morrison Street, Birchip between Cumming Avenue and Taverner Street will be temporarily closed from 1.00 pm on Saturday 4 December 2021 to 1.00 am on Sunday 5 December 2021 for the community Christmas party organized by Birchip Business and Learning Centre Inc, Birchip.

The public is asked to take note of detours and roads closures that will be in place.

Wayne O'Toole –
Interim Chief Executive Officer.

Public Notice for Temporary Road Closure

The public is advised that Best Street, Sea Lake from Horace Street to Sutcliffe Street, Cunningham Lane from Fraser Lane to Best Street and Howard Lane from Education Lane to Best Street will be temporarily closed from 3.00 pm to 9.00 pm on Friday 10 December, 2021 for the annual Street Christmas Party organised by Advance Sea Lake Inc, Sea Lake.

The public is asked to take note of detours and roads closures that will be in place.

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Final Week for Nominations for Buloke's Australia Day Awards

Council is once again looking to recognise outstanding contributions to the community by presenting the following awards for the whole of Buloke Shire.

- **Citizen of the Year** (for persons 25 years or older on 26 January 2022)
- **Young Citizen of the Year** (for persons aged 15 to 24 years on 26 January 2022).
- **Community Event of the Year Award** (Presented to the person/group who has staged the most outstanding community event during the year).

Nominations for these awards are now open and can be made by downloading the Australia Day Awards Nomination Form from Council's website.

Nominations are to be received by close of business **Friday 3 December 2021**.

Council will announce the winners of the awards at its Australia Day Eve Event on Tuesday 25 January 2022.

Reminder to get your Raffle and Street Permits in on time!

With the Summer Holiday Season fast approaching, there is an increase in applications for Raffles and Street Permits across Buloke. To ensure that your application will be successful, you need to make sure that you are submitting your applications to Council at least 14 Working Days before you plan to have your raffle or event, there are no exceptions to this.

For more information visit: <https://www.buloke.vic.gov.au/footpath-trading> or call 1300 520 520 to talk to our Compliance Office.



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 recruiting for:

Safer Together Project Coordinator – Temporary Full Time

Buloke Shire Council is seeking a suitably qualified and experienced person to coordinate a DELWP funded Safer Together project across Buloke and Gannawarra Shires.

Applications close Friday 3 December 2021.

Human Resources Officer, Maternity Leave – Temporary Part Time

Buloke Shire Council is currently seeking a positive and motivated person to join our Human Resources department.

Applications close Friday 10 December 2021.

Team Leader Records – Permanent Full Time

Council is seeking applications from a highly motivated and enthusiastic information professional to take on the role of Team Leader Records.

Applications close Friday 10 December 2021.

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

Building a Better Buloke.

Annual Report

Notice is given that in accordance with the Local Government Act (2020) that Council will receive the Buloke Shire Council Annual Report 2020/21 at its Council Meeting to be held at 7.00pm on Wednesday 8 December 2021 in the Wycheproof Supper Room.

This meeting will be livestreamed on Council's website.

Interested members of the community are invited to hear Council discuss the Annual Report 2020/21.

Copies of the Annual Report 2020/21 will be available at the Wycheproof office, 367 Broadway, Wycheproof and on Council's website www.buloke.vic.gov.au after this meeting date.

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