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March 2012 Resolutions of Council

Full copies of the Minutes of Council Meetings are available upon request from Council's Administration Centre, the Uralla Public Library and General Stores at Bundarra, Invergowrie, Kentucky and Kingstown. Minutes may also be viewed and downloaded via the Internet at: http://www.uralla.nsw.gov.au/

Anzac Day 2012





CANDLELIT DAWN SERVICE commences at 05:45 hrs. Candles will be provided. Diggers please form up at the Korean Memorial at 05:40hrs.

ANZAC DAY MARCH commences at 10:00hrs on the bridge.

Those participating in the march, please gather at the park opposite TJ Foodworks, perhaps half an hour prior to the march.

Also prior to the march, the bofor anti-aircraft gun which has been restored will be rededicated.

ANZAC DAY SERVICE will be held following the march.

For further details please contact Mr Darcy Hassett, President of the Uralla RSL Sub Branch on 6778 4837.

International Women's Day Luncheon held on 16 March 2012

Very successful! Ladies enjoyed a wonderful lunch which was catered by Uralla Central School Hospitality Class and their teacher, Ms Jodie Taylor.

Guest Speakers, Corinne Annetts and Christie Watts, were very much appreciated.

Next year's luncheon—Friday, 15 March 2013.

Waste to Art 2012

Competition entry forms are available from Council Administration Office. Visitors Information Centre and the Library. Entry Forms and artwork are to be completed and returned to Uralla Shire Council, Salisbury Street Uralla, by Friday 15 June 2012, Entry is FREE!

Uralla exhibition will be held at the Uralla Library from 20 June until 11 August 2012. Check out the Uralla Landfill Op-shop for materials and inspiration

Entries will be judged the week commencing 18 June, with an exhibition to be held from Wednesday 20 June to Friday 13 July

Only winning entries from each of the local Council competitions will be eligible to compete in the Regional Competition and Exhibition which is being hosted by Glen Innes Severn Council in Glen Innes from 28 July - 11 August 2012 (location to be confirmed).

Categories are as follows:

Section 1 - Primary School -"Educate the Litter Bugs". Section 2 - Secondary School - "Re-funk the Defunct"

Section 3 - Open Community plus a

People's Choice Award.

For further information please contact Kath Little, Project Officer on 6778 6315 or Mobile 0417 676 255.

Digital Television

The analogue signal at Little Mt Duval will be terminated on 27 November 2012 such that anybody in Uralla receiving analogue from this transmitter will need to have a set top box installed on their old television or replace it with a digital television.

Uralla's analogue black spot signal is scheduled to be terminated in June and at the same time digital transmissions will commence meaning that those customers that rely on the black spot transmission will need to act sooner.

The Household Assistance Scheme is a program run by the Australian government to provide assistance to older Australians. veterans and people with disabilities, or their carers. The scheme, using major companies contracted by the government, carry out installations for eligible people.

If you are eligible, the scheme provides the following package free of charge:

- a high definition set-top box
- a demonstration of your new equipment and instructions on how
- 12 months warranty, service and technical support.

For further information please contact 1800 20 10 13 or visit the website: www.digitalready.gov.au



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UP-COMING COUNCIL MEETINGS

The next meeting of Council is scheduled for

Monday, 23 April 2012

This meeting will be held at

Council Chambers, 32 Salisbury Street Uralla

The meeting will commence at

12:00noon

with "Have Your Say" from

1:30pm

Full details of all Reports to Council's next Meeting are contained within Council's Meeting Agendas which are available for public viewing at Bundarra General Store, Invergowrie General Store, Kentucky General Store, Kingstown General Store, Uralla Shire Council Chambers, Uralla Visitor Information Centre, Council's Library and on the Website at http://www.uralla.nsw.gov.au/

Collection of fire wood from roadsides

There are a number of very healthy and beautiful road side reserves around the Shire of significant ecological and heritage importance. These linear reserves often contain plant and animal communities which are not locally protected in national parks. In some heavily cleared areas of the Shire, the road sides contain the only remaining patches of vegetation native to that landscape. Some of the plants are so rare in the surrounding landscape they are considered threatened or endangered. For these reasons, the removal of standing or fallen timber from the road side is prohibited under the Local Government Act 1993, s 629. To protect remaining road side vegetation, Council requests that residents do not engage in this activity.

Are you thinking of building, extending or subdividing?

If so, please contact Council on 6778 6300 to arrange an appointment to speak to a staff member from Technical Services. Staff from Technical Services are usually available between 9am and 11am Monday to Thursday and are not always able to respond to counter enquiries outside of these hours except by appointment.

Street Store Applications for 2012

Applications received from local and not-for-profit sporting groups, community organisations and charities for use of the Community Street Store in 2012 have now been allocated.

There remain several vacant time slots, these being the weeks ending:

1/7/2012; 22/7/2012; 12/8/2012; 23/12/2012 and 30/12/2012. Organisations wishing to book the Street Store, which is rent free, (including organisations with existing 2012 bookings) are encouraged to contact Council urgently to secure these last remaining allocations.

Thunderbolts Festival and H4H Turkey Run 26-28 October 2012

The personality / fund-raising quest "Uralla's Miss Universe" is opened to people interested to participate in the event, as entrants and helpers.

Ladies 18-25 with a Uralla connection are invited to enter.

The aim is to promote the Festival weekend in Uralla, raise money for charity and have fun!

Please contact Leanne Cooper on 0488 559 928 for more details.

Development Applications and Complying Development Certificates Approvals and Refusals for February 2012

Approvals:

Application Number	Applicant	Property	Development
DA-3-2012	Mr & Mrs BJ & AE Ridgewell	Lot 15 Court Street, Bundarra	Dwelling
DA-4-2012	Ms K Andersen	8 Fitzroy Street, Uralla	Dwelling
DA-5-2011	Mr R & Mrs L Dufty	44 Warwick Street, Uralla	Subdivision
DA-7-2012	Mr RA & CM Devlin	189 Everton Vale Road, Rocky River	Dwelling Entitlement
CDC-4-2012	Mr M & Mrs K Tasik	20 Gostwyck Street, Uralla	Shed
CDC-5-2012	Mr T & Mrs R Brooks	6 Hunter Place, Uralla	Shed
CDC-6-2012	Mr K & Mrs Grant	150 Glenroy Road, Kentucky	Rural Shed
CDC-7-2012	Mr S & Mrs D Binnie	1 Bligh Street, Uralla	Garage & Carport
CDC-8-2012	Mr W Poss	Lot 4 Thunderbolts Way, Uralla	Shed

Refusals: Nil

Street Store Allocations for 2012

A rent free store is made available as Council's contribution to local Community organisations. During the months of March and April 2012 the following organisations will be holding local Community Stalls and would appreciate your support:

- Northern Tablelands Wildlife Carers week ended 15/4/12
- RSL Womens Auxiliary week ended 22/4/12
- NE Wigs and Headwear Library- week ended 29/4/12
- Lodge of Peace week ended 6/5/12
- NE Lapidary and Fossicking Club Inc week ended 13/5/12
- Uralla Rugby League Club week ended 20/5/12
- St Joseph's Catholic Parish week ended 27/5/12.

Council wishes each organisation success in their fundraising.

Wind and Solar Energy Mapping Tool: Now available until May

If you are a Uralla Shire resident, farmer or community group thinking about installing a small scale (less than 10 MW) energy generation system for non commercial purposes, you can now get access to an online mapping tool that will generate an estimate of the solar and wind resources for individual sites.

To obtain accurate data you need a map reading in latitude and longitude format for the location you propose to place the generation system. These readings can be taken from Ordinance Survey maps, some mobile phones and from the website SixLite:

http://lite.maps.nsw.gov.au

For full details, please call an Environmental Projects Officer on 6778 6300. Access to the data has been extended until May 2012.

Friends of McMaugh Gardens





Friends of McMaugh Gardens present a program of traditional Celtic and classical music played on the Celtic Harp and Flute by Judy Hinch and Nick Negerevich.

Where: Uralla Central School Hall When: Sunday, 29 April, 2012 Time: 2:00pm – 4:00pm

Tickets at the door: Adults \$10.00 Children 12 and under 5.00.

Afternoon tea included and provided by Friends of McMaugh Gardens.

All monies raised will go to provide items to enhance the lives of the residents at McMaugh Gardens Aged Care Centre in Uralla.

