

# SEPTEMBER 2016

## URALLA SHIRE COUNCIL NEWSLETTER



### COUNCIL WELCOMES NEW GENERAL MANAGER

Mr Andrew Hopkins commenced his role as the new General Manager of Uralla Shire Council on 22 August 2016.

Mr Hopkins has been the General Manager at Cabonne Council for the last four years and prior to that has had a varied career operating at senior levels. He has an affinity for rural areas and is looking forward to being involved with the Uralla community.



Mayor Michael Pearce welcomed the new GM, presenting him with an official Council tie. "I would like to congratulate Andrew on his appointment and welcome him to the team at Uralla Shire Council."

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS - 10 September 2016

**Pre poll voting** opens at the Tablelands Community Support, Community Centre, Hill Street on the 29 August and is available Monday to Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm until the 9 September. Pre-poll voting will also be available on Saturday 3 September 9:00am to 5:00pm.

**Polling Places for Saturday 10 September are** Rocky River Public School, Uralla Central School, Arding Uniting Church Hall, Bundarra Central School, Kentucky Memorial Hall and Kingstown Community Hall.

For more information on voting go to [www.votensw.info](http://www.votensw.info)

### COUNCIL CONTACTS

**Mayor:** Cr Michael Pearce:  
0488 752 520

**Deputy Mayor:** Cr Bob Crouch:  
0428 616 885

#### Councillors:

Cr Leanne Cooper	Cr Fred Geldof
Cr Mark Dusting	Cr Kevin Ward
Cr Daphne Field	Cr Isabel Strutt

**General Manager:** Mr Andrew Hopkins

#### Council Administration:

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Ph: 02 6778 6300 Fax: 02 6778 6349

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#### Council Website:

[www.uralla.nsw.gov.au](http://www.uralla.nsw.gov.au)

**Tourism Website:** [www.uralla.com](http://www.uralla.com)

#### Bundarra Works Depot:

Ph: 02 6723 7262 or 0428 406 517

#### Emergency Contact:

#### After-Hours and on Public Holidays

Overseer: 0427 784 982

Water / Sewer: 0427 784 304

Report all Fires: 000

Fallen Trees and SES: 132 500





## Z-NET Uralla News

Z-NET Uralla is embarking on a great project called "Destination Uralla", working in partnership with local businesses to improve energy efficiency, investigate options for renewable energy generation, and promote and build the business precinct as a Z-NET tourism destination.

Our largest and one of our smallest businesses have kicked off! Uralla Shire Council, has had Peter Low (Z-NET super volunteer!) doing thermal imaging of all the Council buildings to see where valuable warmth is escaping. While Ella from Teased & Tangled has had the same treatment to help keep her hairdressing salon warm and cosy.

Come along to the next Regional Australia Bank business event (mid November) to hear how you can join in. For further details please phone 0428 199 044.

Your friendly Z-NET Uralla Team

[www.facebook.com/ZnetUralla](http://www.facebook.com/ZnetUralla)



**PHOTO:** Ella Elks (Teased & Tangled) and Sandra Eady (Z-NET Uralla) talking through options to plug some cold spots and save on heating bills.

### **URALLA DRIVER REVIVER Inc.** **'MONSTER' CAR BOOT SALE**

**DATE:** Saturday 24 September 2016

**PLACE:** 117 Bridge Street

**TIME:** 8:30am to 2:00pm

**TO BOOK SITE:**

Please phone 6775 3141 or 6778 4180

### **GRACE MUNRO AUXILIARY** **SPRING FETE AT BUNDARRA**

**DATE:** Saturday 17 September 2016

**PLACE:** Grace Munro Aged Care Centre  
Thunderbolts Way, Bundarra

**TIME:** 10:00am start

**TO BOOK SITE:**

Please phone Peggy Weiss 6723 7181





## Free E-magazines

### Do you know Uralla Library subscribes to over 40 e-magazines?

Popular titles include The Oprah Magazine, Better Homes and Gardens, Practical Parenting, Gardening Australia, Weight Watchers, Money, Homespun, Modern Fishing and Digital Photography. Current and past magazine issues are available to download for anytime, anywhere reading on desktops, mobile devices, and apps.

Free training for downloading E-magazines will be available at Uralla library throughout the month of September, bookings essential – 6778 6470.

### Lego Club – 15th September

Lego Club is a great place to be creative, have fun and meet other Lego fans aged between 5 – 12 years. Visit the Library on the third Thursday of the month from 4.00 – 5.00pm. The building theme for September is: SPRING. Lego Club is free – no bookings required, latecomers welcome.

### Book Discussion Group – 20th September

Do you enjoy reading, meeting people and sharing your ideas and opinions about books and authors? If so, join us at Uralla Library from 4:00pm on the third Tuesday of every month for a lively and inclusive discussion. New members are always welcome. The September book of the month is: Jasper Jones, written by Craig Silvey - copies available in the library.

### Storytime

Storytime offers singing, reading, and age related craft experiences for preschool aged children. Join us at the Library every Tuesday at 10.30am.

### Knattering Knitters

Visit Uralla library every Tuesday from 10:00am & Sunday from 2:00pm to meet friendly locals in a relaxed and casual environment. Help each other learn, design and produce a variety of wonderful creations. An entertaining and eclectic morning of craft, conversation and coffee – all experience levels welcome.

### School Holidays

#### CREATION STATION returns due to popular demand!

Every day of the school holidays is an opportunity to visit the library and participate in a variety of craft activities. Creation Station transforms the library foyer and offers a range of fun activities including Lego building, board games and craft making activities targeted towards primary school aged children. No bookings required.

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### LOCAL FOOD, WINE & PRODUCE

Indulging in local food and wine is a must-do for many travellers and Uralla provides a food and wine experience which is bountiful and diverse. **Contact Uralla VIC for information, directions and tour options. Ph: 6778 6420**

#### Development Application and Complying Development Certificate Approvals / Refusals June 2016

Approvals:

Application No.	Applicant	Property	Development
DA-59-2013-3	New England Surveying & Engineering	31 Bridge Street, Uralla	Modification 2 Lot Subdivision
DA-8-2016	New England Surveying & Engineering	13 Stringybark Ridge Road, Invergowrie	4 Lot Staged Subdivision
DA-21-2016	New England Surveying & Engineering	4 & 6 Rowan Avenue, Uralla	4 Lot Subdivision
DA-23-2016	Mr B Sharpe & Ms K Reed	7056 New England Highway, Kentucky	Dwelling
DA-28-2016	Mr J & Mrs J Reynolds	54 Budumba Road, Invergowrie	Dwelling & Shed
DA-31-2016	Mr D Carlon	865 Kingstown Road, Balala	3 Bay Farm Shed
DA-34-2016	New England North West Planning Services	33 Tomline Street, Bundarra	Shed
CDC-13-2016	Mr G & Mrs K Acton	9 Karava Place, Uralla	Dwelling Alterations

Refusals: Nil

The Notices of Determination for the above Development Applications and Complying Development Certificates are available for public inspection, free of charge, during office hours at Uralla Shire Council pursuant to Section 101 of the Environmental Planning and Assessment Act 1979.

#### Development Application and Complying Development Certificate Approvals / Refusals July 2016

Approvals:

Application No.	Applicant	Property	Development
DA-23-2016-2	Mr B Sharpe & Ms K Reed	7056 New England Highway, Kentucky	Modification to Relocate Dwelling & Shed
DA-26-2016	Mr R Jones	Lot 223 Balala Road, Balala	Proposed Dwelling Under Clause 4.6 of the Uralla LEP
DA-29-2016	Mrs J Hull	42 Bridge Street, Uralla	Free Standing Billboard & Signage
DA-32-2016	Mr W Schalk	215 Thunderbolts Way, Uralla	Shed
DA-33-2016	Mr G & Mrs P Khan	7 Faulkner Street, Uralla	Dwelling & Shed
DA-35-2016	Mr I & Mrs D Douglas	48 Rowan Avenue, Uralla	Carport
DA-36-2016	Ms T McClenahan	130 Gostwyck Road, Uralla	Extension to Existing Shed
DA-37-2016	Mr A & Mrs K Nyssen	20 Faulkner Street, Uralla	Garage & Carport
DA-39-2016	Mr I & Mrs A Hawkins	65 Rocklea Road, Invergowrie	4 Bay Shed
CDC-16-2011-2	Mr G McCann	73 Macleay Way, Saumarez Ponds	Amended Plans – Dwelling & Garage

Refusals: Nil

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### HISTORY HUB

**One to One training - Ancestry.com**

If researching your family history feels like an overwhelming process, Uralla History Hub can help. **One to one, Ancestry.com training is now offered free of charge!**

Bookings are essential, for further information call Uralla Library – 6778 6470.

