

# COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

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Flavours of New England Food & Wine Fair kicks off on the morning of Saturday, 13 April with a series of foodie workshops. Sign up for Home Cheesemaking, Sweet and Stylish Cup Cakes, Making Marvellous Macaroons, or the Art of Distilling. Workshop sizes are restricted and bookings are essential.

Further details are available on Festival website: urallafoodandwine.com,au

When: Saturday, 13 April

Workshops - 9:00am-1:00pm Programme - 2:00pm-8:00pm

Where: Various locations including Pioneer Park, Bridge & Salisbury Streets, Uralla

Tickets: Free Event (except workshops)

Workshops - bookings essential

At 2:00pm, Pioneer Park and Bridge Street come alive with the Flavours of New England inaugural food and wine fair. Wander (and taste!) your way through a range of stalls promoting food & wine from across the region. Bring along a blanket, or seat, and enjoy a BBQ in the park while listening to the lively sounds of the *Jug Addicts*. Join celebrity chef Tobie Puttock as he hosts mouthwatering cooking demonstrations at McCrossin's Mill Museum using New England's best beef and lamb, or pick up a copy of his latest cookbook and have it signed in person. Take a tour of the newly opened New England Brewery, or prove your foodie credentials by taking part in the Merilba Estate Great New England Grape Stomp, the New England Brewery Beer Gallop, or the Whyworry Wine Canter.

#### **EXHIBITORS**

Altitude Coffee
Ann's Little Cake Shop
Aurelia's Farm
Australian Bush Honey
Blickling Estate Wines
Emmy Gee's
Greenhill Orchards
Lazy Magpie & Pukeko Preserves
Merilba Estate Wines
New England Brewing Company
Pastrygene

Poffertjes
Quigley's Smokehouse
Red Dirt Distillery
Seatonfire
Sisterspice
Sunhill Goat Stud
Swan's Meats
Topper's Mountain Wines
Winjana Olives
Whyworry Wines
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Meet celebrity chef Tobie Puttock at Flavours of New England.



# DIARY

CONTACTS

#### **Resolutions of Council**

The Minutes of Council Meetings are available upon request from Council's Administration Centre, the Uralla Public Library, General Stores at Bundarra, Invergowrie, Kentucky and Kingstown, and also online at <a href="https://www.uralla.nsw.gov.au">www.uralla.nsw.gov.au</a> - click on: Your Council / Council Documents / Minutes.

#### Removal of Timber from Road Sides

There are a number of very healthy and beautiful road side reserves of significant ecological and heritage importance around the Shire.

A number of road reserves are home to plants so rare they are listed under State or Federal biodiversity conservation legislation. Removing timber (standing or fallen) from the road side has a detrimental effect on the survival and health of vegetation within that roadside reserve.

For these reasons, the removal of standing or fallen timber from road sides in the Shire is prohibited.

Council is working with local landholders and Southern New England Landcare on the 'Golden Mile' project along Linfield and Enmore Roads, sponsored by the LGSA and the Office of Environment. Residents can do their part by leaving wood and other debris to provide habitat and nutrient within the road reserves.

#### **ANZAC Day Uralla 2013**

The Dawn Service on Anzac Day will commence at 5:30am at the Alma Park Soldiers Memorial Gates with the main Anzac Day March commencing at 10:00am.

Marchers are requested to form up at 9:50am in front of the Uralla Literary Institute, Bridge Street. The Anzac Day Commemoration Service will be conducted at the Memorial Gates on completion of the March.

All Ex-Servicemen and Women in the Uralla Shire are most welcome to attend. There will be a luncheon and refreshments at the RSL Memorial Hall on completion of the Service for all Ex-Servicemen and Women.

Please contact P McCarthy, Hon. Secretary Uralla RSL Sub-Branch for further information.

#### Free Pindone and 1080 Certification Course

Uralla Shire Council is hosting a free Pindone and 1080 Certification Course for residents living near high value ecosystems (such as wetlands) in the Shire.

The course will run on Friday, 3 May from 9am—1pm in the Uralla Community Centre, Hill Street, Uralla. Refreshments will be provided.

There are 12 places available and participants must be over 18 years of age. If you are interested please contact the Environmental Projects Officer to check your eligibility or to register for the course (6778 6300).

#### Council Clean-Up Days

Council will once again be conducting Clean-Up Days for the Shire in May.

- Monday, 13 May Uralla & Invergowrie
- Tuesday, 14 May Bundarra

The Council Clean-up Days will target green waste. Green waste will be collected along with other household items.

Please separate recyclables, such as paper, plastics and metal.

No hazardous waste, no tyres, no mattresses no televisions and no computer screens will be accepted.

Once again, this year Council will provide onsite mulching at no cost to residential properties on Clean-Up Day. Appointments for onsite mulching can be made at the Council Office.

Green waste mulching will be limited to 3 cubic metres of waste. Timber to be mulched should be no thicker than 10cm in diameter.

Other non-hazardous materials will be collected as normal.

### 2013 Street Stall Allocations

A rent-free store is made available as Council's contribution to local Community organisations.

During the months of April and May 2013, the following organisations will be holding local Community Stalls:

- RSL Sub Branch
- week ending 21/4/13
- Kentucky Memoriał Hall
- week ending 28/4/13
- NE Lapidary & Fossickers' Club
- week ending 12/5/13
- · Rocky River Public School
- week ending 19/5/13

## **Uralla Shire Council:**

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# **COUNCIL MEETINGS**

The next meeting of Council is scheduled for:

Date:

Monday, 22 April 2013 12noon

Time: 12noor

Location: Council Chambers, 32 Salisbury Street, Uralla

"Have Your Say" from 1:30pm. (Contact Council for registration procedure)

Council's Meeting Agendas and Reports 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 Uralla Public Library

Council's website: www.uralla.nsw.gov.au