

# COUNCIL NEWS

Date: 1 February 2025

## Community Tree Planting Day

Join us on **Sunday 23 February 2025** to help plant native plants along the banks of Jordan Creek.

**Commencing at 10am off Boundary Road at Links Place Drainage Reserve**, adults and kids alike can help plant native trees, shrubs and grasses that once mature will provide habitat for local wildlife, and improve the health and ecological function of this important urban waterway.

After the planting activities, Bathurst Regional Council will host a free BBQ lunch for all participants.

No experience is needed, and we will provide all the necessary plants and equipment. Remember to bring your own water, sunscreen, hat, suitable shoes, and outdoor clothing. To ensure safe hygiene practices, we kindly ask you to bring your own gardening gloves, while hand washing facilities will be provided by the council.

## Temporary Road Closure

### 2025 Meguiar's Bathurst 12 Hour

**Track Closure:** The Mount Panorama Motor Racing Circuit will be temporarily closed and traffic will be controlled for the Meguiar's Bathurst 12 Hour, from approximately **7am Wednesday 29 January to approximately 6pm Thursday 6 February 2025 (inclusive)**, to conduct the motor racing event and to control the movement of spectators:

**Mountain Straight:** just above the entrance to the Paddock Camping Area

**Conrod Straight:** just above Murray's Corner.

Persons with the correct ticketing/accreditation wishing to gain access to the Track should enter via Panorama Avenue and Pit Straight.

This access is to be used by all persons with proper accreditation wishing to gain access to the Circuit.

**Residents:** Barriers will be set up at Murray's Corner and Mountain Straight with security arrangements for residents to proceed to their homes.

### Hughes and Marsden Lane Roundabout Construction

**Marsden Lane, between Ilumba Way and Sunbright Road** will be temporarily closed to traffic from **Monday 21 October 2024 for approximately 22 weeks** for the construction of a roundabout.

Local resident access will be maintained.

For more information, call Hynash Constructions on 6332 4343.



## Careers @ Council

Working for Council is a stimulating and rewarding career option, providing the opportunity to be part of a team contributing to shaping the success and future of our Region. Please visit <https://www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au/Council/Careers-at-Council> for a full list of current vacancies.

## Annual Funding/Donations Program - Section 356 Donations

Council is seeking expressions of interest from community organisations and individuals seeking funding from Council to be included in the 2025/2026 budget. Funding is available for the period from 1 July 2025 to 30 June 2026.

To apply, **submit an application form** which is available on Council's website or from the Civic Centre, 158 Russell Street, Bathurst by **4pm on Friday, 7 February 2025**.

Organisations/groups who have received funding previously should re-apply if they wish to be considered for further funding.

For more information, contact Council on 6333 6257 or visit Council's website.

## 2025 ClubGRANTS Scheme (Category 1)

Bathurst Regional Council invites community organisations to apply for funding from the 2025 ClubGRANTS Scheme, under CATEGORY 1 criteria.

**Applications open on 1 February 2025 and close on Saturday 31 May 2025.**

All applications are required to be completed by ClubGRANTS Online. Manual applications will not be received.

Further information and a link to ClubGRANTS online can be accessed from Council's website: [www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au](http://www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au) or the ClubsNSW website [www.clubsnsw.com.au](http://www.clubsnsw.com.au), or contact Cultural & Community Services on 02 6333 6523.

## Notice of Meeting

An Ordinary Meeting of Bathurst Regional Council will be held in the Council Chamber, Civic Centre, Bathurst on **Wednesday 5 February 2025 at 6pm**.

Public Forum will be held from 6pm to allow members of the public to raise matters regarding the agenda with Council. If you would like to raise matters that are not in the agenda, a policy committee meeting will be held on the first Wednesday of each month to allow members of the public to raise any matters to Council.

