

# Council News

Date: 1 March 2025

## Temporary Road Closure

### Bathurst Light Car Club - NSW State Hillclimb Championships

The public is advised that **part of Mount Panorama** Motor Racing Circuit will be closed to traffic on **Saturday 1 March and Sunday 2 March 2025**, between the hours of **7am and 6pm**, to allow the Bathurst Light Car Club to conduct two rounds of the NSW State Hillclimb Championships.

**Essex Hillclimb – Saturday 1 March 2025** – from the high side of Bathurst Goldfields' gates on Conrod Straight up to and including McPhillamy Park gates on Skyline. Alternate access to McPhillamy Park will be via Barry Gurdon Drive until 12 noon, thereafter via the rear access road off College Road near the Waste Management Centre.

**Mountain Straight Hillclimb – Sunday 2 March 2025** – from the area known as Hell Corner at the commencement of Mountain Straight to the eastern side of McPhillamy Park entrance on Skyline. Alternate access to the top of Mount Panorama will be via Barry Gurdon Drive.

All enquiries regarding the Event should be directed to the Bathurst Light Car Club's Clerk of the Course, Mr David Robinson, on 0418 652 419.

## Bathurst Autofest

Mount Panorama Motor Racing Circuit will be closed between **Murrays Corner and Hell Corner (Pit Straight) on Friday 7 March (3pm until 11pm), Saturday 8 March (7am until 11pm) and Sunday 9 March 2025 (7am until 6.30pm)**.

Alternate access will be via Conrod Straight, entering from Panorama Avenue, while access to Boundary Road, Hinton Road and Panorama Avenue will be via the access road through CSU paddock.

All enquiries regarding the event should be directed to Autofest Management on 0417 511 557.

## Hughes and Marsden Lane Roundabout Construction

**Marsden Lane, between Ilumba Way and Sunbright Road** will be temporarily closed to traffic until approximately **21 March 2025** for the construction of a roundabout.

Local resident access will be maintained.

For more information, call Hynash Constructions on 6332 4343.

## Notice of Meeting

A Policy Meeting of Bathurst Regional Council will be held in the Council Chamber, Civic Centre, Bathurst on **Wednesday 5 March 2025 at 6pm**.

Public Forum will be held from 6pm to allow members of the public to raise matters with Council.

## Notice of Proposed Development

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NO 2025/33

LOT 4 DPI248483 176 RUSSELL STREET BATHURST

ROOF MATERIAL REPLACEMENT AND PARTIAL ROOF RECONSTRUCTION

**Exhibition period: Monday 3 March 2025 to Monday 31 March 2025**

Plans and documentation submitted with this application can be viewed on Council's online DA tracking system (<http://masterview.bathurst.nsw.gov.au>) or at the Civic Centre during business hours.

*Any submissions may be included without alteration in public reports, on Council's website and to the applicant for comment.*

## Begonia House blooms again in 2025

Bathurst's historic Begonia House in Machattie Park is open with the 2025 begonia display in full bloom.

The Begonia House is open Monday to Friday between 9am and 3pm and on weekends from 11am to 3pm. The display will be closed Good Friday and is expected to run through until the end of April.

## 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.

## 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 close on Saturday 31 May 2025.**

All applications are required to be completed by ClubGRANTS Online. No Manual applications can 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).

## International Womens Day 2025 - Women by the Wambuul

Enjoy a free community breakfast with coffee, food and local guest speakers Dr Danielle Andreussi and Jennifer Arnold who "Accelerate Action" in their everyday lives. Attendees can choose to walk around the Wambuul / Macquarie River during or after the event.

**Date: Friday 7 March 2025**

**Time: 7.30am-9.30am with Guest Speakers at 8am**

**Location: The Wambuul / Macquarie River Bicentennial Park**

Further Information: Community Services 6333 6523

## Seniors Festival

NSW Seniors Festival is held annually and celebrates the valuable contribution seniors make to our community. Here in Bathurst, it is our way of saying thank you to seniors and a great opportunity for all the generations to join with older people to celebrate.

**Seniors Festival 2025 runs from Monday 3 March to Sunday 16 March with the theme "time to shine".**

Local celebrations include over 75 events across the Bathurst LGA and seniors are encouraged to take time out to try something new, meet new people and experience the range of activities on offer in our community. For more information contact Council's Community Services Section on 02 6333 6146.

You can download the Seniors Festival Program at <https://www.bathurst.nsw.gov.au/Events/Seniors-Festival> or collect a copy from the Civic Centre.

## Notice of Proposed Development

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION NO 2025/24

LOT 7013 DPI114435 VITTORIA STREET WEST BATHURST (BROOKE MOORE OVAL)

DEMOLITION AND REPLACEMENT OF AMENITIES BLOCK

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## Whats on: BRAG

### Wynne Prize 2024

Bathurst Regional Art Gallery (BRAG) presents the Wynne Prize 2024, touring from the Art Gallery of New South Wales.

The \$50,000 Wynne Prize is judged by the trustees of the Art Gallery of New South Wales and is awarded to the best landscape painting of Australian scenery or the best example of figure sculpture by an Australian artist.

The Wynne Prize is Australia's oldest art prize. It was established following a bequest by Richard Wynne and was first awarded in 1897 to mark the official opening of the Art Gallery of New South Wales at its present site. The Wynne Prize reflects the diversity of figurative sculptural practice, while the paintings are a dynamic reflection of Australian artists' response to the land, reflecting contemporary aesthetics, environmental and stewardship concerns, and conceptions of Country.

The exhibition is **open until 6 April 2025**.

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