



COMMUNITY FUNDING PROGRAM CLOSES MONDAY



Council's Community Funding Program applications close at 2pm on 17 February.

If you're from a community group that needs help achieving a project, Council's Community Funding Program may be able to help get your project off the ground.

Get your applications in today. More information: pyrenees.vic.gov.au/funding

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Lexton Flood Management Plan Community Session Invitation

Thursday 20 February from 4pm to 6pm at the Lexton Community Hub

On behalf of Council, Water Technology, and North Central Catchment Management Authority, community members are invited to an informative session hosted by Water Technology consultants Jorja Strack and Ben Hughes.

This session offers you the opportunity to explore the draft mitigation strategies developed from the Lexton Flood Management Plan. For more information on this session, please contact Council on 1300 797 363.

Thanks to the Lexton community for your valuable information and input to the Lexton Flood Mitigation Plan to date. We look forward to seeing you at this session.

Tree safety works – Avoca River flat

A large gum tree north of Dundas Street on the Avoca River flat is being pruned for safety reasons. Branches will be removed and canopy weight reduced based on advice from an arborist.

The area around the tree will remain cordoned off for the safety of campers and other visitors to the area until works are completed.

Former Beaufort Primary School site master planning to begin

Council has been commissioned by the state government to facilitate master planning of the old Beaufort Primary

School site, focusing on its potential development as a community hub. A tender to appoint a consultant to carry out this work, which will include engagement with the community, has been conducted with a vendor chosen. Stay tuned for more updates.

February Council meeting

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on Monday 17 February from 6pm in the Beaufort Council Chambers, 5 Lawrence Street. Members of the public are welcome to attend in person, you can also tune in live on our YouTube channel www.youtube.com/pyreneessc.

EMERGENCY RECOVERY

Pyrenees Shire Council continues to support the community to recover from the 2022 floods and Bayindeen bushfires. Read on to find out more or visit pyrenees.vic.gov.au/emergencyrecovery.

Drop in to the Recovery Centre

Council's Recovery Team will be at the Beaufort Community Resource Centre on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 10am to 5pm. If you're looking for information and support, pop in and have a cuppa with Tony or Jane. The Recovery Team can also be contacted Monday to Friday from 8.30am to 5pm on 1300 797 363 or recovery@pyrenees.vic.gov.au.

Services Australia - Centrelink

Services Australia (Centrelink) will be available at the Beaufort Community Resource Centre on the first Wednesday of the month from 10am to 12pm. Dates

are 5 March, 2 April, 7 May, 4 June and 2 July. Find out about payments and services, setup up online accounts and claiming.

Cafs financial counselling

Cafs will be at Beaufort Library every second Wednesday from 10am to 12pm. Cafs offers free financial counselling for anyone who is finding themselves in financial difficulties. Dates are 19 February, 5 March, 19 March, 2 April, 19 April, 7 May, 21 May, 4 June, 18 June and 2 July.

EMPLOYMENT

Frontline Administration Officer

Permanent – Full time
Band 4 (\$70,265 - \$74,844 plus RDO and super)
Applications close 9am Monday 17 February.

Relief Caretaker – Beaufort Lake Caravan Park

Temporary positions until 16 June 2026
1 part-time position – 16 hours per week (each Saturday and Sunday) plus 1 casual position.
Band 3 (salary rates at \$32.94 - \$35.21 per hour) plus super. Casual position will also receive casual loading.
Must be available on public holidays.
Applications close 9am Monday 24 February.

Applications from diverse/female/male people are encouraged. Find out more and apply online at pyrenees.vic.gov.au/employment.

TENDERS

Request for tender 2425-013 Bridge deck overlay and barrier installation – Bridge 107, McKinlay Street, Landsborough

Pyrenees Shire Council is seeking contractors for the bridge strengthening and installation of safety barrier on a bridge located on McKinlay Street in Landsborough at roughly 100 m from the Ararat-St Arnaud Road. Specifications and submissions for the above tender is via Councils E-Tender portal portal.tenderlink.com/pyrenees. Tenders close at 2pm on 26 February 2025.

EVENTS

Free social media workshop

This workshop is for small business owners and community groups who want to master social media and create compelling content. Find out more about choosing the right platform,

curating engaging content, and enhancing your social media skills.

Tuesday 4 March, 2:30pm-4:30pm at the Beeripmo Centre, Beaufort. RSVP by Wednesday 26 February at pyrenees.vic.gov.au/Community/Events-and-activities/2025-03-Free-Workshop-Social-Media-and-Content-Marketing.

ROADWORKS

Please drive carefully through roadworks. Delays may be experienced during works.

Eurambreen Raglan Road, Raglan

Council has started the reconstruction of 1.4km of Eurambreen Raglan Rd, Raglan between the Western Highway and Back Raglan Rd. Pavement works have started.

Footpath works, Landsborough

A footpath will be constructed on the east side of McKinley Street, Landsborough, linking the existing path on Burke Street through to the bridge. The work is scheduled for March.

Linton Carngham Road, Snake Valley



Stabilisation and construction of the sub-base course has been completed on Linton Carngham Road, Snake Valley, between the Shire boundary and Laurence Drive. Base course construction and sealing will start soon.

A culvert is planned to be replaced on the Linton Carngham Road just to the north of Laurence Drive, Snake Valley

Floodway and road reconstruction Lower Wimmera Road, Glenlogie

Works are scheduled from late January through February. Traffic management will be in place and there is likely to be some disruption to traffic for the duration of the works. A road closure will be in place for several days while construction of the floodway is undertaken.

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