



BEAUFORT CARAVAN PARK UPGRADE



New transportable accommodation units have been installed at the park comprising four 1xBR motel rooms with ensuite type accommodation. Other cabins are scheduled for delivery in the coming weeks.

This exciting upgrade is to increase the accommodation options at the park for visitors and short term worker accommodation.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Council Meeting

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held at 6pm on Monday 17th March in the Council Chambers, 5-7 Lawrence Street, Beaufort. Members of the public are welcome to attend in person or to join the live stream by following the link on Council's website.

Questions on notice for the Council Meeting should be provided in writing or by email by 12 noon on the day of the meeting to pyrenees@pyrenees.vic.gov.au.

Relevant matters to be considered by Council at the Meeting include to:

- Planning Scheme Amendment C52 - Pyrenees Flood Studies Implementation
- Decide on a planning permit application for an animal husbandry business at 13 Canico Lane Hillcrest
- Decide to award Community Grants for the 2024-2025 program of applications
- Consider a report on the Old Beaufort Primary School Project

Former Beaufort Primary School site master planning to begin

Pyrenees Shire 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 completed and we are pleased to announce that the

successful contractor will be Public Realm Lab. Interested members of the community are encouraged to get involved and to have your say. Details of the engagement will be provided in future editions of this noticeboard and on Council's website.

Safety alert – high-speed boating on Beaufort Lake

Due to very low water levels, it is not safe to water ski or conduct high-speed boating activity on Beaufort Lake. Boat speeds should not exceed 5 knots. Council will continue monitoring water levels and keep the community informed. Your safety is our highest priority, and we appreciate your cooperation.

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.

HAVE YOUR SAY

Visit our Engagement Hub to have your say on the following matters:

- Avoca Recreation Reserve Flood Mitigation Investigation
- Lexton Flood Management Plan
- Digital Connectivity

The link to our Engagement Hub can be found here: engage.pyrenees.vic.gov.au

CAREERS AT COUNCIL

Director Corporate and Community Services

Permanent – full time
Senior Officer Contract
Applications close 9am Mon 24 March

Pyrenees Shire Council welcomes applications from people from all backgrounds. Find out more and apply online at pyrenees.vic.gov.au/careers.

EVENTS

Pyrenees Unearthed Wine and Food Festival

Saturday 5 April 2025 commencing 11am. Come to Avoca for a sensational day of wine, food, local produce and live entertainment. Some amazing new music acts are performing this year as well as our incredible wineries!

Championing Youth Workshop

Join other young people, parents, carers and teachers and Andrew Fuller for this exiting and FREE gathering for teens and older adults, relating to building positive intergenerational resilience are relationships!

Friday March 28

Waubra Recreation Reserve, 2091 Sunraysia Highway, Waubra

- Focus on Teens Workshop @ 5.30-6.30pm www.trybooking.com/CZQAE
Free BBQ 6.30pm
- Parents, Carers & Teachers Workshop @7-8pm www.trybooking.com/CZQAQ

What's on in the Pyrenees

Check out the What's On page at www.visitpyrenees.com.au.

CURRENT ROADWORKS

Bridge works – McKinlay Street, Landsborough

Council has appointed a contractor for bridge strengthening and guardrail replacement for bridge 107 on McKinlay Street, Landsborough. Works are planned to commence in April and be completed by May 2025.

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 to commence in March 2025.

Livingstone Street, Beaufort

Council has commenced the construction of Livingstone Street,

Beaufort, between South and Warburton streets. These works include the installation of underground storm water drainage, kerb and channel and the construction of a sealed road pavement.

Residents should expect that there may be some delays accessing your property. Please drive safely through these works.

Linton-Carngham Road, Snake Valley

Sealing works have been completed on Linton Carngham Road, Snake Valley, between the Shire boundary and Laurence Drive. Final project cleanup including line marking, will be completed over the next couple of weeks.

Culvert Replacement on Linton-Carngham Road, Snake Valley

This project is expected to start in late March. It is anticipated to take 2 weeks to finish and thus brings completion time to the middle of April 2025.

Eurambien-Raglan Road, Raglan

Sealing works have been completed on the 1.4 kilometres of Eurambien-Raglan Road, Raglan, between the Western Highway and Back Raglan Road. Final project cleanup including line marking, will be completed over the next couple of weeks.

Floodway and Road Reconstruction on Lower Wimmera Road, Glenlogie

The start time has been delayed and is expected to be started in mid-April due to the removal of fire-damaged trees from the nearby site.

Vinoca Rd and Homebush Rd, Avoca Culverts Replacement Works

The contract for this work is currently awarded for completion by the end of June this year.

Flood impacted roads scheduled for repair

Roadworks are underway or will soon commence at four locations involving multiple contractors over approximately 150 individual sites valued at around \$1.5M. The packages of work are located at:

- Mount Lonarch and Glenlogie
- South of Beaufort and in Snake Valley
- Avoca area
- Lower Wimmera Road

A list of the roads where works are happening is on Council's website. We thank you for your patience during these works.

These works are approved for funding under the Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements.

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