

# **Community Update**

## Lowering water levels in Lake Mulwala

Goulburn-Murray Water and Murray-Darling Basin Authority has advised that the water level in Lake Mulwala will be gradually lowered by 1.5 metres for maintenance works on Yarrawonga weir and Mulwala bridge.

Water will gradually recede over the next 5 weeks commencing Monday 13 May, which may affect the use of boat ramps and access points.

Please note this is NOT a full draw down of Lake Mulwala like in 2022.

Once all work is complete the lake will be refilled ahead of the next irrigation season.

## **Rural Tree Scheme**

If your Expression of Interest (EOI) was successful for the Moira Shire Council Rural Tree Scheme 2023/2024, you can now pick up your allotted plants from Australian Native Farm Forestry at Cobrawonga Road, Cobram East.

To ensure your order is ready for collection, please call **Australian Native Farm Forestry on 0417 123 432** at least one day in advance.

Please remember to bring along your receipt, letter of success, or any valid form of ID for verification purposes.

For further details and upcoming schemes, visit our website.

## Yarrawonga Library, Events and Performance Precinct Update

Construction of the new Yarrawonga Library building has progresses with the first slab pour between the Town Hall and Bourkes Hotel.

This sets the foundation for the community foyer/exhibition space, commercial kitchen, and multipurpose rooms.

Following the slab pour, contractors will be planning to complete the remaining building service rough in and commence the excavation

Scan to visit website for the remaining slab on ground areas. Visit our website to stay up to date.

### Moira Shire Council Draft Budget 2024/25

### National Volunteer Week

National Volunteer Week, taking place from May 20 to 26, 2024, celebrates the theme 'Something for Everyone,' recognising the



diverse passions and talents that individuals bring to volunteering.

Volunteering has the power to change the lives of both volunteers and those they help. It offers opportunities for social, economic, and cultural inclusion, and improves our health and wellbeing.

We are so grateful for the 320 volunteers who dedicate their time to managing Council facilities through our Community Asset Committees and Friends of Groups.

Thank you to all volunteers for the vital role they play in our community and across the country.

Council has prepared next financial year's draft budget with a focus on delivering major capital projects, maintaining existing assets and sustaining important community services.

Members of the community are welcome to review the Draft Document on the Moira Matters website www.moiramatters.com.au/Budget-Planning

The draft budget will be available to review until close of business Monday 3 June 2024.









