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2026

# COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

## BALRANALD SHIRE COUNCIL

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### SHIRE OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday: 9am - 4.30pm

### AFTER HOURS EMERGENCIES

Water & Sewer: 0418 322 902  
Roads: 0417 151 798  
Euston: 0419 693 956

### TRAFFIC UPDATES

[www.livetraffic.com](http://www.livetraffic.com)

OR

<https://balranald.nsw.gov.au/infrastructure/roads-condition-report/>

### SERVICE NSW

(within Balranald Shire Offices)  
Tuesday to Friday: 9.30am - 4pm  
CLOSED FOR LUNCH: 1PM - 1.45PM

### BALRANALD LIBRARY

Monday to Friday: 9.30am - 5.30pm  
CLOSED FOR LUNCH: 12PM - 1PM

### BALRANALD SWIMMING POOL

Closed - Reopening October 2026

### BALRANALD CARAVAN PARK

Daily: 8.30am - 6pm

### BALRANALD LANDFILL

Tuesday & Thursday: 4pm - 6pm  
Saturday: 10am - 1pm  
Sunday: 10am - 3pm  
CLOSED DURING WET WEATHER CONDITIONS

### EUSTON LANDFILL

Tuesday & Thursday: 1pm - 6pm  
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## From the Mayor's Office

### Federal Assistance Grants Reduction to 0.49% and Implications for Local Government Sustainability

The recent announcement by the Australian Government that Federal Assistance Grants (FAGs) will be set at just 0.49% of national tax revenue, a reduction from 0.51%, represents a significant setback for local governments across the country. For years, councils and representative bodies have consistently advocated for FAGs to be restored to 1% of national tax revenue, the level at which they once stood, and which is widely regarded as the minimum required to support sustainable local government operations.

Despite extensive advocacy efforts, including engagement and advocacy through the Country Mayors Association (CMA), the Local Government Association of NSW (LGNSW), the NSW and Federal Governments, socialising the issue on national media, and public discussion during the recent Farrer byelection, the Federal Government has not responded to these concerns. Instead, the allocation has been reduced even further, intensifying financial pressures on councils already struggling to remain viable.

Federal Assistance Grants are a critical, untied funding stream that supports councils in delivering essential community services, infrastructure maintenance, and local economic development.

Local governments, including our council, have engaged in sustained and coordinated advocacy efforts aimed at restoring FAGs to 1%. These efforts have included:

- Collaboration with Local Government NSW (LGNSW) to present a unified sector-wide position.
- Engagement with the NSW Government to highlight the compounding pressures on councils.
- Submissions and discussions with the Federal Grants Commission outlining the structural funding gap.
- Media releases and radio interviews to raise public awareness of the issue.
- Targeted advocacy during the recent Farrer by-election, where all candidates publicly acknowledged the importance of restoring FAGs to 1%.
- Advocacy through Country Mayors Assoc. and Riverina & Murray Joint Org.

Despite these efforts, the Federal Government's latest decision indicates that the message is not being adequately heard or acted upon.

# From the Mayor's Office Continued

The reduction of FAGs to 0.49% has serious consequences:

## 1. Financial Sustainability at Risk

Many councils, particularly rural, regional, and remote, are already operating at or near the limits of financial sustainability. Reduced federal funding exacerbates:

- Infrastructure backlogs
- Rising service delivery costs
- Workforce pressures
- Limited capacity to raise revenue locally

## 2. Reduced Ability to Deliver Essential Services

Councils rely on FAGs to fund core services such as:

- Road maintenance
- Waste management
- Community facilities
- Libraries and recreation services
- Local economic development initiatives

Lower funding directly impacts service quality and availability.

## 3. Increased Pressure on Ratepayers

With limited revenue tools, councils may be forced to consider:

- Higher rates
- Reduced service levels
- Delayed capital works

This places additional strain on households already facing cost-of-living pressures.

## 4. Undermining Long-term Planning.

Sustainable planning requires predictable funding. A reduction to 0.49% creates uncertainty and undermines councils' ability to plan responsibly for the future.

The Federal Government's decision to reduce Federal Assistance Grants to 0.49% of national tax revenue is deeply disappointing and poses a significant threat to the sustainability of local government across Australia. Councils cannot continue to deliver essential services, maintain infrastructure, and support their communities under a funding model that continues to shrink. Restoring FAGs to 1% is not an aspirational target, it is a necessary baseline for a functioning, sustainable local government sector.



Balranald Shire Council has reached a significant milestone, with all Performance Improvement Orders formally lifted by the Office of Local Government, marking the end of a challenging four-year period and a clear turning point for the organisation. The achievement reflects substantial improvements in governance, transparency, and organisational culture, and confirms Council is now operating at the standard expected of a modern local government authority.

This is a proud moment for our Council and community. It reflects the hard work and commitment of our councillors, staff, and the support of our community throughout a difficult period. We have built a strong foundation, and we're focused on maintaining that momentum. Council will now continue to strengthen governance, deliver for the community, and move forward with renewed confidence.

(See details - following page.)

# Mayor Zaffina welcomes the lifting of Council's Performance Improvement Orders: Details

Balranald Shire Council has welcomed confirmation from the NSW Minister for Local Government, the Hon Ron Hoenig MP, that the Performance Improvement Orders applying to Balranald Shire Council will be closed.

The Minister has advised Council that, following Council's fourth and final compliance report submitted in September 2025 and subsequent update in January 2026, Council has successfully complied with the required actions under both the 2024 Performance Improvement Order and the outstanding actions from the earlier 2017 Order.

Mayor Louie Zaffina said the decision was an important milestone for Council, staff, and the community. "This is a very significant step for Balranald Shire Council," Mayor Zaffina said. "The lifting of the Performance Improvement Orders does not mean every challenge has disappeared. We are still a small rural council operating across a very large geographic area, with all the financial, workforce and infrastructure pressures that come with that. But it does show that Council has done the hard governance work required of it."

The Minister's correspondence acknowledged the leadership and commitment of Council, its Executive Team, and councillors throughout the process. Council also acknowledges the role of its Audit, Risk, and Improvement Committee, which has continued to provide independent oversight, challenge and practical advice during this period.

Chief Executive Officer Terry Dodds PSM said the result should be seen as a governance reset, not a victory lap. "Performance Improvement Orders are serious. They are not something any council wants to be under," Mr Dodds said. "But the practical test is whether the organisation responds properly. In this case, Council has worked through the required actions, strengthened governance arrangements, improved reporting, and placed a much sharper focus on long-term financial and institutional sustainability. Council will also continue to advocate to the NSW Government for a more practical understanding of the structural pressures facing remote and infrastructure-intensive councils".

"Balranald's challenges are not unique," Mayor Zaffina said. "Many western NSW councils are facing the same underlying issue: large infrastructure networks, small populations, thin labour markets and growing compliance expectations. The lifting of the PIO is a positive milestone, but it also reinforces the need for sensible, evidence-based reform that reflects how councils operate on the ground."

Council thanks the Office of Local Government, the Minister, councillors, staff and the community for their work and patience throughout this process.

## BALRANALD AERODROME LAND ACQUISITION – LOAN FUNDS

Council has included in its approved Budget and LTFP for 2025-26, a new loan of \$1.5M in relation to the acquisition of land and the associated upgrade works at the Balranald Aerodrome.

The loan application has been formally lodged with the NSW Treasury Corporation (TCORP) and is in the process of being assessed.

Information in relation to the loan submission which includes Council's 2025/2026 IP&R documents can be found on Council's website or in its public office. Submissions are open to the public for 28 days and can be lodged with the CEO by email to [council@balranald.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@balranald.nsw.gov.au).



# OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE UPGRADED EUSTON RECREATION RESERVE

Balranald Shire Council celebrated the official opening of the upgraded Euston Recreation Reserve, a major milestone for the Euston community and a significant investment in local sport, recreation, and community wellbeing.

Mayor Louie Zaffina said the project represents “A renewed and revitalised community asset that will serve Euston for generations to come.”



Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program Round 3 (Australian Government) of \$250,000: delivered the Euston Oval multicourt upgrade and construction of a new shade shelter.

Stronger Country Communities Fund Round 4 (NSW Government) of \$527,626: funded the upgrade of the Euston netball change rooms and installation of new LED lighting for the netball courts.

Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program Round 4 (Australian Government) of \$832,921: enabled the full refurbishment of the football oval, including approximately four acres of new playing surface, a complete irrigation system, 510 metres of perimeter fencing, replacement of field light fittings, a new electronic scoreboard, eight new goal posts with padding, and a new officials and timekeepers’ box.

Mayor Zaffina acknowledged the strong collaboration behind the project, noting that while funding for earlier stages had been secured, and the project activation accelerated under the leadership of then General Manager Craig Bennett, who appointed Adrian Edgcome-Lucas, of North Project Management, to oversee delivery. Council’s Community, Projects, Tourism, Economic Development and Grants Coordinator, Connie Mallet, ensured all works met the requirements of the funding deeds and were delivered in compliance with grant obligations.

In 2023, the Euston Progressive Advisory Committee (EPAC) recommended the football oval upgrade as a priority project. Council submitted a detailed Works Schedule through the LRCI4 program, which was approved, enabling the final stage of the precinct transformation. North Project Management again led project delivery, with Council managing the grant and compliance requirements.

“These investments reflect a powerful partnership between community, Council, State and Federal Governments,” the mayor said. “They ensure this Reserve remains a proud centrepiece for sport, recreation and community life in Euston.”

The mayor also paid tribute to the many people who contributed to the project, including Council staff, EPAC members, the Robinvale Euston Football Netball Club, volunteers, and local partners.

“Today is a proud day for Euston,” the mayor said. “This upgrade is more than new facilities; it’s an investment in our future, our families, and especially our children. It shows what can be achieved when a community believes in something and works together to make it real.”

The upgraded Euston Recreation Reserve is now open for community use, offering enhanced facilities for sport, events, and social connection.



*April was a busy month for Council's Engineering & Planning Team, with key maintenance works completed and significant progress made on infrastructure projects across the region.*

# INFRASTRUCTURE UPDATE!

Over recent weeks, Council has engaged experienced resealing contractors to undertake road sealing works across several local roads. These works involved the application of a new seal designed to protect the underlying pavement from weather, water ingress, and general wear caused by traffic. Resealing is a proactive maintenance activity that extends the service life of roads, improves surface durability, and enhances safety for motorists by maintaining consistent road conditions. Council continues to prioritise preventative maintenance to ensure the long-term sustainability of the local road network while minimising the need for more significant rehabilitation works in the future.



During recent rain events, several local roads were impacted by flooding, resulting in sections of roadway being temporarily underwater. To help reduce the likelihood of this occurring in future weather events, Council has undertaken works to raise road levels at some of the affected locations. These improvements will assist with water runoff and improve road resilience during periods of heavy rainfall. While it is not currently feasible to implement these upgrades across the entire road network due to funding constraints, Council has prioritised high-traffic and high-risk areas to ensure the greatest benefit for road users and the broader community.



## **Homebush Road Widening**

Road widening works located approximately 4 kilometres north of Homebush on Ivanhoe Road have now been successfully completed. This project has been highly anticipated for some time, and Council is pleased to see the improvements delivered, providing safer and more efficient travel conditions for all road users.

Council thanks residents, motorists, and heavy vehicle operators for their patience and cooperation throughout the construction period, and for adhering to traffic management measures while works were underway. These improvements represent a positive outcome for the local road network and will deliver long-term benefits to the community.



# Congratulations

Balranald Shire Council is proud to congratulate Nikkita Manning-Rayner on the successful completion of her Diploma in Town Planning from the University of New England.

Nikkita marked this significant milestone at her graduation ceremony held this month in Armidale, where she was joined by family and friends in celebration of her achievement.

This accomplishment reflects Nikkita's dedication, hard work and commitment to her professional development. Balranald Shire looks forward to the positive impact she will make as she applies her newly acquired knowledge and skills within the organisation.



Terry Dodds PSM, CEO, said the achievement highlights the importance of investing in education and supporting local talent.

“Nikkita’s success is a wonderful example of the strong outcomes that come from commitment to learning and professional growth. We are delighted to see her continue her career with Balranald Shire and contribute to our community.” Everyone extends our sincere congratulations to Nikkita and wishes her every success in her future endeavours.

## News from Bidgee Haven Hostel



Happy  
Mother's Day!



# What's happening in the Tourism space?

## Relaunch of the Business Xchange catch-ups

Council is relaunching the **Business Xchange** catch-ups which provides an opportunity for Balranald Shire businesses, tourism operators, Tourism Economic Development Advisory Committee members (TED), Euston Progressive Advisory Committee members (EPAC), Balranald Inc and the Robinvale Euston Business Association (REBA) members and other tourism/economic development stakeholders to exchange news, ideas and to discuss ways to work together to help grow the local and regional economy, with a strong focus in growing the visitor economy. The first renewed Business Xchange catch-up will take place on the **10<sup>th</sup> June at 6.30pm** at the newly built **Discovery Pavilion**, located at the Balranald Discovery Centre precinct.



To Balranald Shire Businesses, REBA members, Balranald Inc & the TED & EPAC members

For REBA & Euston businesses a bus will be leaving from the Euston Hotel @ 5.15pm & from the Robinvale Info Centre @ 5.30pm

## BUSINESS XCHANGE

### Catch up!

Meet our latest tourism & business operators!

Welcome to the renewed **Business XChange Catch-ups!** This is a chance to catch up with each other and to exchange news, ideas and look at ways we can work together to grow the local economy.

Wednesday 10th June

6.30pm - 8.00pm

Discovery Pavilion  
Discovery Centre  
83 Market Street  
Balranald

**Refreshments will be provided**

Contact the VIC on 03 5020 1599 to register your attendance

The flyer is a vertical rectangular graphic with a blue and white color scheme. It features a central photograph of two men in outdoor gear holding a large fish. The text is arranged in a structured layout, including event details, a welcome message, and contact information. Logos for Balranald Shire Council and Discover Balranald are at the bottom.

## Targeted Marketing Campaign to drive short-stay visitation

Council's Tourism & Economic Development department will be launching an integrated and targeted marketing campaign to promote the shire's attractions and experiences for short-stays and weekend aways. This campaign is to help increase visitation targeted at surrounding LGAs and communities that don't need to travel far to experience all that our shire has to offer.

## Upcoming community driven social media campaign to promote Balranald Shire businesses

Council's Tourism & Economic Development department will be launching an exciting social media campaign to promote Balranald Shire businesses and the wonderful services and/or products they have to offer. The community will play a big part in this campaign so watch out for a letterbox flyer and social media posts on how to get involved!

**If you have any questions or suggestions relating to tourism or economic development please email [Connie Mallet at cmallet@balranald.nsw.gov.au](mailto:cmallet@balranald.nsw.gov.au)**  
**Thank you.**



# Balranald Playgroups

Term 2 Activities



### Book: The Three Billy Goats Gruff

20th May

Wednesday, 11am–1pm

Trip-trap into *The Three Billy Goats Gruff!* Sing along, make a paper plate goat, trace Gg, try G for Goat, and explore a sensory tuff tray together.



Local agencies invite all families to a monthly kids' Storytime Adventure playgroup in Balranald.

Sessions are designed to spark creativity, fun and learning for your little one.

Food is provided at each session. Please inform us in advance of any dietary requirements.

When: 11am-1pm

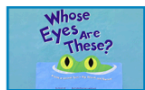
Where: 120 Market St, Balranald NSW 2715

### Book: Whose Eyes?

27th May

Wednesday, 11am–1pm

Who could those eyes belong to? Sing *Whose Eyes*, cut and glue colourful eyes onto faces, and trace or glue the letter Hh in this fun, interactive session.



### Book: Isabel the Intelligent Iguana

10th June

Wednesday, 11am–1pm

Get ready to be clever with *Isabel!* Sing *The Letter I*, make an I insect and iguana, explore ice sensory play, Have a meat Pie for National meat pie day and enjoy icy treats, and learn Ii.



### Book: Jawsome! A Brush Your Teeth Tale

16th June

Wednesday, 11am–1pm

Dive into toothy fun with *Jawsome!* Sing *Brush Your Teeth*, make Vegemite toast, and practise brushing Vegemite "teeth" clean as we celebrate National Vegemite Day. Children will decorate letter J, brush laminated teeth sheets with toothbrushes, explore a jelly tuff tray, enjoy jelly cups, and learn Jj.



### Book: My Pet

1st July

Wednesday, 11am–1pm

Discover all about pets in a fun-filled session! Enjoy tracing and colouring activities, and complete *My Pet* colouring sheets. Children will paint and make a kangaroo, explore a K-themed tuff tray, and practise letter Kk.



### More information

Bonita (MFC) - 0455 111 853

btalent-heinrich@malleefamilycare.com.au



# Balranald Shire Library Hub



**Read & Grow**  
Balranald Shire Library

For ages 0-5 years

Thursdays 10:30

April 30th  
May 28th  
June 25th  
July 30th  
Aug 27th  
Sept 24th  
Nov 26th

Read & Grow session with the wonderful Mrs Ash Gillbee, reading all sorts of delightful stories!

A big thank you to **Maari Ma Health** for the amazing fruit platter and gift bags.

Don't forget, the next session is on **28 May at 10:30am.**

We can't wait to see you at the Library!



**CHECK OUT**  
these **NEW TITLES**

@ the Library

# AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

JOIN OUR FUN!

## JOIN OUR FUN !

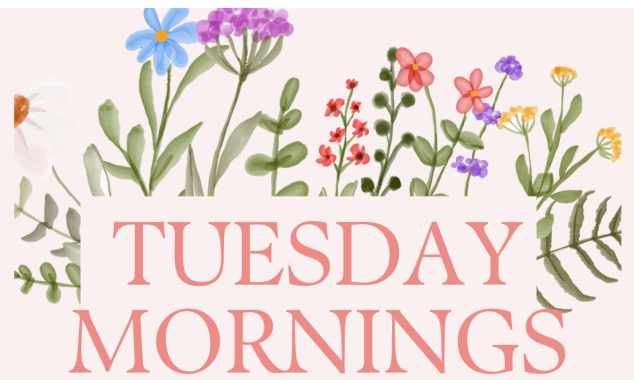
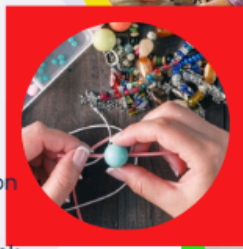
- Arts & Crafts
- Science & Exploration
- Homework Help
- Light afternoon snack

## PROGRAM DETAILS :

- Monday & Wednesday
- At 03:00 pm- 5:00 pm
- @theLibrary Hub

## MORE INFORMATION

- [jgaston@balranald.nsw.gov.au](mailto:jgaston@balranald.nsw.gov.au)
- FB: Balranald Library Page
- PH: 0350201388



# TUESDAY MORNINGS

New Seniors Group @ the Library -  
Grey Hairs and Golden Hearts

10-12PM

COME ALONG  
AND JOIN THE  
FUN!



Motorists must slow down to 40 km/h when a school bus is displaying flashing red warning lights. These lights indicate the bus is picking up or dropping off children, who may be crossing the road and are at increased risk.

### Key Rules to Remember:

**40 km/h Limit:** You must not pass or overtake a school bus at more than 40 km/h while its warning lights are flashing.

**Same Direction Traffic:** This speed limit applies to all vehicles travelling in the same direction as the bus.

**Stay Alert:** Children may enter the road unexpectedly—always proceed with caution.

Keeping to these rules helps ensure the safety of children in our community.

NSW SES, Southern Zone - Riverina Cluster held an Awards Ceremony at the Hay Services Club on 23 April. The presentations involved NSW SES members from Balranald, Hillston, Goolgowi, and Hay.

Karen Norfolk, Deputy Unit Commander, Balranald NSW SES Unit, along with the late Paul Hadow, were awarded the NSW Premier's Flood Emergency Citation.

The NSW Premier's Flood Emergency Citation is a prestigious award recognising the extraordinary efforts of individuals and organisations who supported communities during the major flood events across NSW between 2021 and 2023.

Recipients are acknowledged for their dedication and resilience with a formal letter of appreciation, a commemorative certificate, and a service pin. The awards were presented by NSW SES Commissioner Mr Mike Wassing and Member for Murray, Mrs Helen Dalton MP, highlighting the significance of the contribution made by local responders.



## Balranald Residents

Balranald Garbage Collection  
Change King's Birthday  
Public Holiday

Due to Monday 8 June 2026  
being a public holiday, garbage  
collection will take place on  
Tuesday 9 June 2026 instead.

- ✓ Please place your bins out  
on Monday evening
  - 🕒 Bins will be collected on  
Tuesday morning
- Thank you for your  
cooperation.

**SAVE**  
— THE DATE —  
  
**MELBOURNE CUP**  
*Luncheon*

• TUESDAY 3 NOVEMBER 2026 •

 **VENUE**  
RETREAT STATION

 **PROUDLY SUPPORTING**  
CLARE PUBLIC SCHOOL P&C

 **DONATIONS & SPONSORSHIP**  
*Options Available*  
FOR BUSINESSES WISHING TO  
SUPPORT OUR ANNUAL FUNDRAISER

EMAIL ENQUIRIES TO  
[clarepsandc@gmail.com](mailto:clarepsandc@gmail.com)



## The 2026 Census is coming in August – Census jobs available in your local community

Australia's next Census is on Tuesday 11 August 2026. Recruitment of a 30,000-strong temporary workforce is underway to ensure people in communities across the country are counted.

Every five years, the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) counts every person and household in Australia through the Census of Population and Housing.

The Census is the only data collection activity that provides information for the entire country, including small geographic areas and small population groups.

Census data helps governments, community groups and businesses plan services for individuals, families and communities, where and when they are needed.

Local community support of the Census is vital to delivering high quality data to inform important decisions about transport, schools, health care, infrastructure and business.

You can support the 2026 Census by raising awareness of Census participation and encouraging people in your community to apply for Census jobs.

The ABS is hiring to fill over 30,000 jobs nationally for the 2026 Census.

Local Census field staff are required right across Australia to help build trust and positive relationships in their communities to support everyone to participate.

These jobs are temporary, flexible and available in metropolitan, regional and remote areas.

Roles include delivering Census forms, answering questions from the public, and assisting households that have not yet responded.

The ABS is looking to hire people from diverse backgrounds and ages who know and care about their local communities.

Some jobs require people who are multilingual or have experience working with diverse communities. Some roles do not require previous experience, with full training provided.

Visit [www.census.abs.gov.au/jobs](http://www.census.abs.gov.au/jobs) for more information on current vacancies and what's involved or join our Talent Community to get notified about future jobs near you.

### Become a Mobile Field Representative



- ✓ Travel to help Census teams in your region
- ✓ Distribute and collect Census forms
- ✓ \$39.68 per hour (incl. 25% casual loading) + super

Support communities to participate in the Census.

See all opportunities at [census.abs.gov.au/jobs](http://census.abs.gov.au/jobs)

### Become a Field Manager



- ✓ Recruit, train and manage a team
- ✓ Lead Census work in your area
- ✓ \$42.65 per hour (incl. 25% casual loading) + super

Look after your community's future.  
Work for the 2026 Census.

See all opportunities at [census.abs.gov.au/jobs](http://census.abs.gov.au/jobs)

# Lower Western



## Draft Bush Fire Risk Management Plan On Exhibition

Planning together

The Draft Bush Fire Risk Management Plan (BFRMP) for Lower Western Zone is now on exhibition until 5pm 22nd June 2026. You can view the plan online, at your local Council Office, or the Lower Western Fire Control Centre at 58-60 Mitchell Avenue, Dareton.

The draft plan has been developed by the Lower Western Zone Bush Fire Management Committee (BFMC). This plan looks at local bush fire risk factors and sets a treatment plan to mitigate bush fire risk in your community over the next 5 years.

Now is your opportunity to provide feedback on the draft plan

To complete a short survey, scan the QR Code or visit:

<https://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/plan-and-prepare/managing-bush-fire-risk/bush-fire-management-committees/lower-western-zone>

Email your feedback to NSW RFS at: [LowerWesternZone@rfs.nsw.gov.au](mailto:LowerWesternZone@rfs.nsw.gov.au)

Post your written feedback to:  
NSW RFS  
PO Box 341, Dareton NSW 2717



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# BALRANALD CUP COX PLATE

**24<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2026**

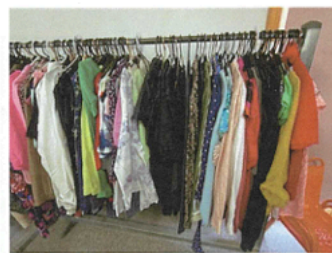
**TICKETS \$25**  
GATES OPEN 11AM

- ★ LIVE MUSIC
- ★ KIDS ENTERTAINMENT
- ★ ALL DAY CATERING
- ★ FASHIONS ON THE FIELD
- ★ TAB & ONSITE BOOKIES

**CHECK OUT OUR MARQUEE PACKAGES NOW!**

## Balranald Anglican Op-Shop

Cnr Mayall and Ballandella Streets  
in the Hall of St Barnabas' Anglican Church  
Open Wednesdays 10am to 4pm  
& Thursdays 10am to 2pm



Bargain  
Adult  
Clothing



We have shoes, Hats  
& Jewellery,  
Children's & Baby clothes, Handbags

## Volunteers Wanted

If you would like to volunteer in our Op-Shop  
Please contact Lea on 0429 201 647  
or drop in for a chat  
A venture of St Barnabas' Anglican Church

