

07/11/2025

Dear residents,

We're excited to provide you with information about the upcoming Uralla Christmas Street Fair, being held throughout Uralla's CBD on **Friday 21 November, 5 to 9pm**. Following the success of last year's event, the 2025 program is going to be even bigger and better.

One important change to be aware of is that there will be temporary road closures in place for sections of Hill, Salisbury and Bridge Streets on the night.

**Road closures will begin from approximately 2:30pm.** The attached map indicates changes in traffic flow. Council staff will re-open roads as soon as possible following the event.

For residents within the road closure area, we would appreciate your cooperation by avoiding vehicle movement in / out of the event zone for the safety of pedestrians. If you do need to enter or exit this area, we ask that you assist by:

- First calling our traffic controller on 0427 215 970 to notify us of your movement
- Drive at a walking pace with your hazard lights on
- Avoid Bridge Street between Hill and Salisbury Street, as it will not be possible to pass through the centre of town.

For residents in the nearby area, we expect there to be increased traffic on John, Park, Queen, King and Maitland Streets during the event.

If you need access to any of our businesses and services in town, short-stay parking will be available between 2:30 – 5pm in the Uralla Library carpark (entry from Bridge Street south), the field behind The Bolt Inn (access from Queen Street opposite the Bowling Club), or the carpark located behind Bridge Street, accessed from Hill Street (behind Subway).

From 5pm, we expect local streets to become more congested as event traffic builds. We have endeavoured to maintain as much local parking as possible:

- Extra event parking will be created in the field behind The Bolt Inn (entry from Queen Street)
- The Uralla Library carpark will provide dedicated accessible parking, and
- There will be a pick-up / drop-off area created alongside Pioneer Park.

Our local police have been briefed and will be assisting us in maintaining clear access to driveways in the surrounding streets. If you need to report a blocked driveway, call 0427 215 970.

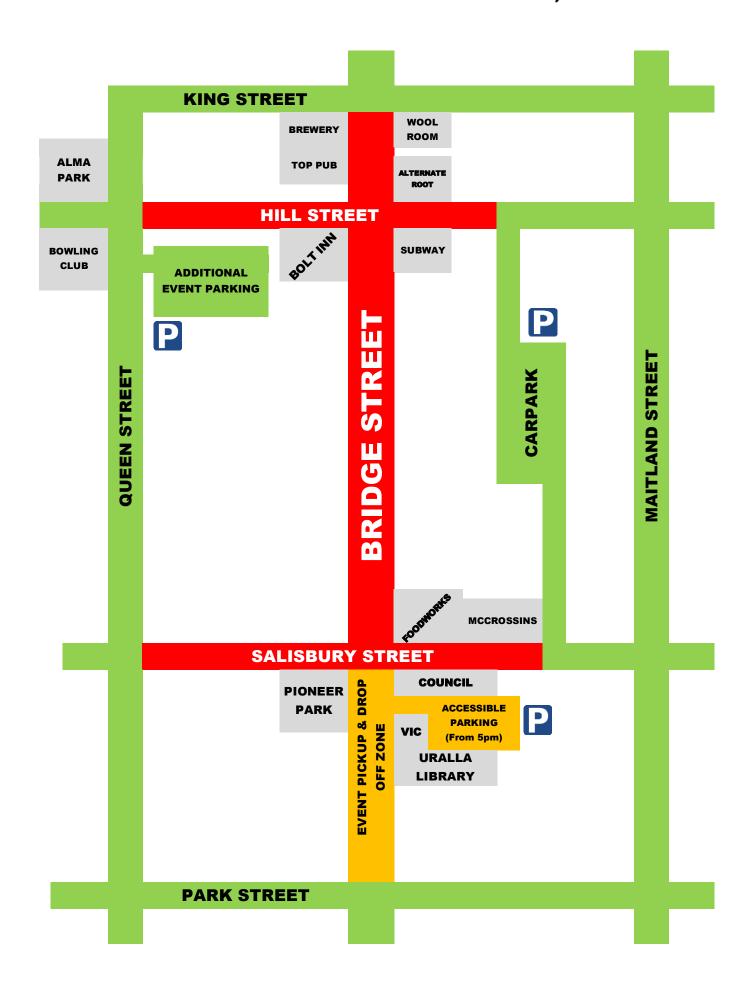
We're looking forward to a great event and hope you can join us.

Best regards,

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General Manager, Uralla Shire Council

# **EVENT ROAD CLOSURES - FRIDAY 21 NOVEMBER, FROM 2:30PM**



### **URALLA CHRISTMAS STREET FAIR – EVENT HIGHLIGHTS**



#### **Ferris Wheel**

This year we are excited to host a 15-meter high ferris wheel in Salisbury Street! This would not have been possible without the generous support of Business Uralla, Phoenix Foundry and the Uralla Bowling Club. Thanks to their support, rides will be free! Additionally, there will be an optional gold coin donation which will support local charities.



#### Santa's Sleigh

Santa will be flying in for our event and staying at the Bushranger Motor Inn, greeting guests from the veranda. His giant inflatable sleigh will be parked right outside in the middle of Bridge Street for incredible selfies!



#### Live Nativity & Petting Zoo

The Uralla Anglican Youth Group will once again present their heartwarming live nativity play in the old stables behind The Bolt Inn, at 5:30 & 6pm. This year the presentation will be enhanced with a petting zoo.



## **Gingerbread Decorating**

One of this year's biggest collaborations featuring contributions from CWA Uralla and Bundarra, the Men's Shed, The Sweet Place, Niknee Designs and The Alternate Root, offering free gingerbread decorating!



#### **Reading: The Night Before Christmas**

Uralla's new Poetry Versery, located at the top of Bridge Street, will present two interactive readings of The Night Before Christmas for children at 5:30 & 6pm.



### **Lighting the Christmas Tree**

With a little bit of fairy magic, our town Christmas tree will light up for the first time this season in Pioneer Park at 8pm.