

FLOOD RECOVERY

UPDATE BULLETIN

11 APRIL 2024



HEALTH & WELLBEING SUPPORT

Royal Flying Doctor Service - Flying Doctor Wellbeing - Available to those aged 18+. Call (03) 8412 0480.

Rural Financial Counselling Service - free and confidential financial support - Call 1300 735 578

Mind Australia Bendigo Call 1300 286 463 or visit mindaustralia.org.au

Orange Door - You have a right to be safe - Call 1800 512 359

Australian Community Support Organisation (ACSO) - An intake organisation for Alcohol and other Drugs, Mental health, Youth and other clinical services for the Loddon area.

1800respect - Confidential information, counselling and support service. Call 1800 737 732

Nurse on Call 24 hour caring and professional health advice 1300 60 60 24.

Lifeline: 24hr crisis support and suicide prevention services: 13 11 14 or lifeline.org.au

Beyond Blue Information and support for anxiety and/or depression: 1300 224 636 or beyondblue.com.au

Kids Help Line 24hr phone and online counselling service for people aged 5-25: 1800 551 800 or kidshelpline.com.au

Seniors Rights Victoria - Elder abuse, prevention and support - 1300 368 821

Emerging Minds Provides resources for parents, carers, and families about infant and child mental health: emergingminds.com.au

Translation and Interpreter Services Provides access to phone and on-site interpreting services. Requests must be submitted at least 48 hours in advance. www.tisnational.gov.au

National Relay Service Assistance making a phone call if you are deaf or have a hearing or speech impediment. Speak and listen number: 1300 555 727.

LOCAL SUPPORT SERVICES

Community Health/Hospitals

Boort District Health

3 Kinary St, Boort P: (03) 5451 5200

Inglewood and District Health Services

3 Hospital St, Inglewood P: (03) 5431 7000

Northern District Community Health

P: (03) 5451 0200

Boort Medical Centre

2 Coutts St, Boort P:(03) 5451 5200

Dingee Bush Nursing Centre

21 King St, Dingee P:(03) 5436 8309

Marong Medical Practice

8 Hospital St, Inglewood P:(03) 5438 3308

Wedderburn Health Clinic

25 Wilson St, Wedderburn P: (03) 5494 3511

Legal Services

Loddon Campaspe Community Legal Service

P: 1800 450 909

Neighbourhood Houses

Boort Resource and Information Centre (BRIC)

119-121 Godfrey St, Boort P: (03) 5455 2716

Inglewood Community Neighbourhood House

Cnr Verdon & Market St, Inglewood P: (03)5455 2716

Pyramid Hill Neighbourhood House

43 Kelly St, Pyramid Hill P: (03) 5455 7129

Wedderburn Community House

24 Wilson St, Wedderburn P: (03) 5494 3489

October 2022 flood emergency road repair blitz

Source: Regional Roads Victoria <https://regionalroads.vic.gov.au/>

October 2022 was the single-wettest month ever recorded in Victoria, based on records dating back to 1900. Following the 2022 floods, \$165 million was allocated to delivering emergency flood repairs, with a further \$770 million set to be spent on maintaining the state's roads during the 2023-24 maintenance season. These funds went towards finding and fixing potholes, asphaltting and repairing road surfaces damaged by the floods. It also covered large-scale works like rebuilding roads, bridges and culverts, particularly in the hardest hit areas including the Loddon Mallee region.

2023-24 road repairs in Loddon Shire (complete and planned)

Road	Locality	Length of repair
Boort Kerang Rd	Boort	1.45 km
Boort-Kerang Rd	Lake Meran	4.21 km
Boort-Kerang Rd	Leaghur	1.23 km
Boort-Pyramid Rd	Boort	1.74 km
Boort-Pyramid Rd	Pyramid Hill	2.47km
Bridgewater-Maldon Rd	Newbridge	156 metres
Bridgewater-Serpentine Rd	Serpentine	2.28 km
Calder Hwy (High St)	Wedderburn	1.07 km
Calder Hwy	Kurting	1.43 km
Calder Hwy	Derby	3.16 km
Loddon Valley Hwy	Durham Ox	3.42 km
Loddon Valley Hwy	Loddon Vale	2.7 km
Loddon Valley Hwy	Loddon Valley & Tragowel	Complete
Loddon Valley Hwy	Tragowel	8.15 km
Loddon Valley Hwy	Gladfield	260 metres
Loddon Valley Hwy	Jarklin	2.34 km
Loddon Valley Hwy	Loddon Vale	700 metres
Leitchville-Pyramid Hill Rd	Pyramid Hill	2.73 km
Echuca-Mitiamo Rd (Glossop St)	Mitiamo	362 metres
Echuca-Mitiamo Rd	Mitiamo	568 metres
Prairie-Rochester Rd (between Bendigo-Pyramid Rd & Phillips Rd)	Prairie	Major rebuild & repair works
Wimmera Hwy (Lyons St)	Newbridge	759 metres
Wimmera Hwy	Cochranes Creek	499 metres

Major Patching of roads in Loddon Shire

Bendigo-Maryborough Rd	North of Ross Rd Laanecoorie
Bendigo-Pyramid Rd	West of Mitiamo-Forest Rd Mitiamo East of Loddon Park Rd Durham Ox
Boort-Mitiamo Rd	East of Jarklin-Yarrowalla Rd Calivil
Boort-Kerang Rd Minmindie	Between Pascoe Rd & Parkers Rd Between Parkers Rd & Frosts Lane Between Frosts Lane & Canary Island-Leaghur Rd
Boort-Pyramid Rd	East of Fyfes Rd Boort
Bridgewater-Dunolly Rd	Between Arnold & Llanelly
Bridgewater-Maldon Rd	South of Cemetery Rd Bridgewater Newbridge to Shire's south boundary
Dunach-Eddington Rd	South of Havelock-Baringhup Rd
Loddon Valley Highway	North of Loddon Plains Rd Bridgewater North
Wimmera Highway	Dale Lane Newbridge



PHFNC Football and Netball
2024 Season Kickoff Celebration

COMMUNITY RECOVERY EVENT

Mitchell Park, Pyramid Hill
Thursday April 11th 6pm - 9.00pm



LODDON SHIRE SERVICES AND CONTACTS

Loddon Shire Council's Flood Recovery team would love to hear from you and assist you through your flood recovery.

Please get in touch if you would like to chat about flood recovery for you and your community.

Call Mal: 0499 978 145 or Josie: 0474 911 783

Community Recovery Grants

Loddon Shire Council is pleased to support the Pyramid Hill Football Netball Club Inc's Community Recovery Event from 6pm tonight, Thursday 11 April and the Boort Lawn Tennis Club's Autumn Break Dinner on Saturday 27 April at Spanner Man Sculpture Garden in Barraport, with grants as part of Council's Community Recovery Program, jointly funded by the Australian and Victorian Governments.

Agriculture Victoria's Podcast Season 7

Spring 2022 saw record rainfall across Victoria, particularly in the state's north. Farms were affected by flooding, waterlogging, disease, and disruption to supply chains.

Agriculture Victoria's podcast season 7 'After the flood: stories of farmer recovery and resilience' explores the recovery required after a natural disaster, the support provided and the resilience of Victorian farmers, including how different industries are recovering.

The podcasts have been produced by Agriculture Victoria in partnership with the National Centre for Farmer Health #BuildingFarmSpirit program.

To listen to the podcasts or read the transcripts visit:

<https://shorturl.at/gBM03>

You will also find links to resources from the Flood and storm support page, Farm debt support, Farm debt mediation, Mental health support and Farm business support on this page.

For up-to-date information regarding flood recovery and council services:

- Visit our website at www.loddon.vic.gov.au
- Call our office between 8.15am-4.45pm, Monday-Friday on (03) 5494 1200; or
- Go to our Facebook page facebook.com/LoddonShire/