

The Radio Station News

\$10 MILLION FOR VELOCITY PARK

The New South Wales Government has set aside \$15 million towards the \$52 million Velocity Park project on Mount Panorama, adding to the \$10 million already committed by Bathurst Regional Council.

Member for Bathurst, Paul Toole says, "Velocity Park will create a new motorsport industry hub, generating business opportunities for a wide range of regional business and new local hospitality, retail, trade and manufacturing job's all of which brings significant economic and social benefits to our community".

Deputy Premier, John Barilaro says, "a new international circuit that returns motorcycle racing to Mount Panorama will bring new motorsport fans and tourists to town, which is exactly what this region needs".

State Treasurer, Dominic Perrottet says, "we continue to see strong economic progress across regional NSW and Velocity Park will create growth across a number of sectors".

Bathurst Regional Council's 668 hectare Velocity Park precinct will consist of a new track as well as accommodation and hospitality facilities and additional space for motorsport industry development.



Includes - Deputy Premier, John Barilaro; State Treasurer, Dominic Perrottet; Member for Bathurst, Paul Toole.



BOB UPFOLD STUDIO

The recently built new 2BS/B-Rock studio has been officially dedicated as "The Bob Upfold Studio".

Member for Bathurst, Paul Toole made the dedication to Bob who had 50 years service with Bathurst Broadcasters.



Member for Bathurst, Paul Toole with Bob's wife Judy, son Frazer and granddaughter Sarah.

2BS 80 YEARS – THE 1930'S

2BS wasn't Bathurst's first radio station.

2MK - named after general merchants, the Mockler Brothers - went to air on October 31st 1925.

2BX was considered for the station call sign, however 2BS was chosen and the station began broadcasting on January 1st, 1937.

In the late 1930's, anyone who purchased a wireless from the Malvern Star Store in George Street was offered at no cost, the installation of one power point to power the wireless and a light.

At this time the majority of Bathurst had gas lighting.



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TOURISM WAY UP

Bathurst's tourism sector is booming, with more visitors staying longer to see the sites.

Last year visitors spent 913,000 nights in Bathurst, a 26 per cent increase on the 723,000 nights stayed during 2014.

The number of visitors coming to Bathurst has also increased during the two year period – from 875,000 people in 2014 up to 928,000 in 2016 (a growth of six per cent).

Mount Panorama continues to be the biggest drawcard for visitors to Bathurst. The city's cultural and heritage sites are also attracting the crowds.

Bathurst Regional Council destination development manager Lucy White said she was keen to grow the cultural and heritage visitor sector locally.

JUNIOR SPORT

1,384 Bathurst Junior Sport Awards have now been presented by sponsors Bathurst Regional Council, Bathurst RSL Club, Reliance Bank, Devro, 2BS and B-Rock.

The value of the awards is \$327,200, with around 50 awards made each year to sportspeople who are representing New South Wales.



Mayor, Graeme Hanger pictured with hockey player Lachlan Howard.

PROGRAMS



Monday to Friday

- "The Breaky Show" 6a-9a
- "Ray Hadley Morning Show" 9a-11a
- "Alan Jones Show" 11a-12noon
- "Chris Smith Afternoons" 12noon-3p
- "Talk Of The Town" with Sarah 3p-6p Mon-Thu
- "Bangers & Mash" with Janeen and Pete 3p-6p Fri
- "Money News" 6p-8p Mon-Thu
- "Nights with Steve Price" 8p-12a

Other Highlights

- "Continuous Call Team" 7p-10p Fri, 12p-10p Sat, 12p-6p Sun
- "My Generation" 9a-11a Sun
- "Home Made Jam" 6p-7p Sun



Monday to Friday

- "Benny and the B-Rock FM Morning Show" 6a-9a
- "Rock Work Day" with Sarah 9a-1p
- "Rock Work Day" with Deek 1p-5p
- "Fitzy & Wippa" 5p-6p
- "The Rock Shop" 6p-12a
- "The NightShift with Luke Bona 12a-5.30a

Other Highlights

- "The Most Wanted Countdown" 8p-10p Fri / 4p-6p Sun
- "The Sporting Probe" with Roy & HG 8a-10a Sun

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