

MEDIA RELEASE: TUESDAY, 21 AUGUST, 2018 YOUNG DRIVER PROGRAM ENCOURAGES SAFE DRIVING FOR LIFE

Euroa Police is hosting a Cool Heads Program to curb reckless driving behaviour in young people on the road.

Euroa Leading Senior Constable Lucas Paul said he will be hosting the event in Euroa to encourage safe driving for life.

"It's not just about young people; anyone can learn from the session even if they have been driving for years.

It is about recognising that it doesn't just come down to the person driving, but a number of other risks on the road as well."

The program will explore a wide range of thought provoking and informative topics on driver safety.

Everyone is welcome to attend on Wednesday, 22 August, 2018 from 6:30pm at the Euroa Memorial Oval Conference Centre.

Strathbogie Shire Mayor Amanda McClaren said it is great to have these sorts of programs offered in the local community.

"This is a great opportunity for young people in the Strathbogie Shire to learn about road safety," Cr McClaren said.

The Cool Heads Program has been conducted for nearly ten years, proving a success to inexperienced drivers, aged 16 to 25, and their parents.

While the program has successfully run for a number of years in Shepparton, this is the first year Cool Heads will be introduced to the Euroa community.

Victoria Police, Euroa Printers, the Euroa Rotary Club and Euroa State Emergency Service are sponsoring the Cool Heads event for 2018.

For more information regarding the Cool Heads Young Driver Program, please call Leading Senior Constable Lucas Paul on (03) 5795 2017.

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