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2020: ON THIS DAY THREE YEARS AGO

Plans for a flyover at the McKoy Street-Hume Freeway intersection west of Wodonga could be shelved in favour of another location nearby, The Border Mail reported three years ago. During the 2019 federal election campaign Prime Minister Scott Morrison announced \$64 million towards



its completion. Further funding from the Victorian government has taken the available cash to almost \$80 million. Detailed planning has been under way since April and another location for the flyover, south of the proposed site, is being examined closely. It would eliminate conflicts with rail infrastructure and the service station near the existing intersection.

LATEST DAM, RAIN FIGURES

Hume Dam was at 94.1 per cent capacity on Monday, holding 2828GI, at a height of 191.1m. It was 94.2 per cent on Sunday. This time last year the dam was at 96.2 per cent. Dartmouth Dam was holding 3796GI at 98.4 per cent of capacity. There was no rain recorded in Albury-Wodonga for the 24 hours to 5pm Monday.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Min 16 Max 22

Rain. Chance of rain 95%

ALBURY-WODONGA AREA

Sun protection recommended

from 10am to 4pm, UV Index

predicted to reach 6 [High]

LOTTERIES

Monday Lotto. Draw 4326. Winning numbers: 14, 40, 6, 31, 43, 18. Supplementaries: 29, 25. Division 1: Not won. Division 2: \$11,210.30. Division 3: \$501.40. Division 4: \$30.05, Division 5: \$16.10. Division 6: \$12.50.

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Key role: Significance of organs will be on display

Layton Holley

BORDER organ enthusiasts will have the chance to hear great music and also explore the history behind the instrument this week.

The 43rd Organ Historical Trust of Australia Conference will be held in Albury from Tuesday to Friday.

The group will explore a diverse range of organs crafted by Australian, British, Canadian and German makers.

On Tuesday, Dr Kieran Crichton will perform a free recital open to the public at Holy Trinity Cathedral in Wangaratta at 2pm.

Albury organist And James Flores will also perform a free recital at St Matthew's Church in Albury on Wednesday at 11.30am.

"The purpose of the conference is for people to hear all the organs in our area," Flores said.

"In my recital, I've selected different pieces that cover the different soundscapes of the organ.

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Three early English organs will be seen at Beechworth Town Hall, the Lady Chapel of Holy Trinity Cathedral in Wangaratta, and the Adamshurst mansion in Albury.



at St Matthew's Church in Albury on Wednesday. Picture supplied

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Organist James Flores, ahead of the Organ Historical Trust of Australia Conference

organs in Wodonga, Corowa, Jindera, Walla, Alma Park and Wagga.

Conference chair John Maidment said the four-day event wasn't just about lis-

The group will also visit tening to good music, but also about delving into the history of the instruments and the churches they call home.

"Some of the organs actually are remarkably old," he said. "The one now at Wangaratta was built in 1845 in England, and it's actually the oldest organ in Victoria that has been here since that time.

"Then there's a very interesting organ at Corowa, which was originally in a church at Hay.

"It was built in Germany in 1887 and it actually arrived in Hay by paddle steamer. I think that must be a world record.

"So it's a very good opportunity for people to not only see the instruments, but visit the wonderful buildings and explore the heritage of the area."

Shocked motorist cops driving ban

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A DRIVER caught speeding at 148kmh on a rural road says that she was shocked when told how fast she had been going.

Deborah Conroy's silver Toyota Kluger was spotted by police in an unmarked vehicle on Snow Road at Markwood. The eastbound vehicle was detected on radar at 150kmh with an alleged speed of 148kmh.

The Wangaratta Magistrates Court was told on Monday the vehicle had been travelling at 41 metres per second and a crash "would have been horrendous".

Conroy hadn't been looking at her speedometer while driving and said she had been anxious on the morning. The rural resident had previous speeding tickets, but the last one was nine years ago.

"This is going to have a significant impact on you

and your family," magistrate Peter Dunn said. But he said there was no discretion and he had to ban her from driving for 12 months.

Mr Dunn noted the speed was 50 per cent above the 100kmh limit. He also placed Conroy on a 12-month good behaviour bond.



SAW X (MA15) Today 4:00, 6:45, 9:30 RETRIBUTION (M) Today 4:00, 8:15 PAW PATROL: THE MIGHTY MOVIE (PG) Today 9:45, 11:45, 2:00, 4:15 BLUE BEETLE (M) Today 10:45, 1:30, 6:00 A HAUNTING IN VENICE (M) Today 11:30, 6:30 TMNT: MUTANT MAYHEM (PG) Today 2:00, 4:15, 6:30 RUBY GILLMAN, TEENAGE KRAKEN (PG) Today 10:00, 12:00, 2:00 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING 3 (PG) Today 11:00, 6:15 BARBIE (PG)

Today 1:15, 8:45 THE NUN II (M) Today 4:15, 6:45, 9:15 THE EQUALIZER 3 (MA15) Today 8:45pm HAUNTED MANSION (PG) Today 8:45pm

REGENT EXTERIAL

TAYLOR SWIFT: THE ERAS TOUR (CTC)

