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## Fire and Rescue NSW

I would like to welcome you all to Dubbo for the 2026 NSW State Road Crash Rescue Challenge. This is our sixth NSW multi-agency road rescue challenge with the goal to ensure that the NSW state road crash rescue capability is fit for purpose and meeting contemporary challenges in motor vehicle rescue capability.

I wish to thank all our Sponsors, including FRSA/Holmatro, PT Rescue/Lukas, Milwaukee and InterFire for providing support in the pits again this year. All our sponsors are vital partners with emergency services, and they are integral industry representatives. With their support we can bring the best NSW State rescuers, paramedics, trainers, instructors, and assessors together for this event.

This year the FRNSW/NSWSES/FCA event management team have put together the 2026 State Road Crash Rescue Challenge to test the skills, knowledge, and expertise of the competing teams. This also includes a variety of learning opportunities commencing with the Learning Symposium.

We have included the Trauma Challenge, Industrial & Domestic Rescue Challenge, CPR and Rescue Skills event in this year's challenge to enhance the expertise of our first aiders. This is such an important part of road crash rescue capability, to get the best possible outcome for the victims of the many road crashes every year on NSW roads. I encourage everyone to get behind this event and support the competing teams.

I appreciate the challenges and preparation that face teams and individuals attending this year's State Road Crash Rescue Challenge and would like to thank all the competitors. I wish all participants the best with their challenge events, and I am looking forward to seeing the teams compete in an open learning environment. I know that everyone will come away from this challenge with new ideas and ways to undertake rescue and having made new friends.

I would also like to thank all the volunteers who have given up their time to ensure we have a successful 2026 Road Crash Rescue Challenge; your support is truly appreciated.

Regards,

**Fire and Rescue NSW**  
**Assistant Commissioner Steve Hayes AFSM**  
**Director of Firefighter Championship**

# NSW State Emergency Service

The NSW State Emergency Service would like to welcome you to the sixth State Road Crash Rescue Challenge in Dubbo, the biggest in its history. This event brings together NSW State Emergency Service and Fire and Rescue New South Wales, the two largest providers of Road Crash Rescue services in the State, as well as support from our partner agencies from across NSW and beyond.

Events such as this do not happen by chance. I would like to thank all the FRNSW and NSW SES members as well as our sponsors, that have assisted with the development and management of this State multi-agency event. In addition, I would like to thank our participating emergency service partners, including NSW Police Force, NSW Rural Fire Service, NSW VRA and NSW Ambulance. This event will test the skills and knowledge of the participants in Road Crash Rescue, First Aid, Casualty Management and Team Leadership.

It is crucial that our emergency service personnel are highly competent and contemporary with advanced skills, new equipment, and techniques, so that they can adapt quickly to any situation they are faced with when they are out in the field. This event allows members to not only challenge themselves in the spirit of competition but also gives them the opportunity to extend themselves through the Learning Symposium which provides practical and theoretical sessions on current and emerging topics within the Road Crash Rescue space.

To enhance and develop the participant's skills in front line first aid and emergency care, Trauma Challenge and CPR Challenge events have been included. The participant's performance will be evaluated by NSW Ambulance Paramedics, with these Officers providing feedback and guidance to participants on the management of these scenarios.

On behalf of the NSW SES, I wish all participants good luck with their participation in this year's challenge.

Regards,

**NSW State Emergency Service  
Deputy Commissioner Daniel Austin**

# Firefighter Championships Association

The Firefighter Championships Association (FCA) would like to welcome participants, their families, sponsors, and supporters to this NSW State Road Crash Rescue Challenge.

This Challenge is the culmination of many months of planning and cooperation by multi agencies to present a forum where road crash rescue skills can be honed and tested under realistic conditions in a friendly but competitive environment.

Welcome to all representatives from our valued sponsors and supporters in attendance here at Dubbo. I hope you enjoy the 2026 State Road Rescue Challenge as our guests. We are grateful for your contribution in support of the Road Rescue Challenge and helping to grow the interest of teams attending these events into the future.

The Road Crash Rescue Challenge is a great way for emergency services personnel to develop skills and teamwork. It is also a great way to meet fellow firefighters and emergency service personnel from other agencies and share knowledge and skills. This is consistent with the aims and objectives of Firefighter Championships and the FCA is proud to be a partner in this important initiative.

These events cannot be conducted without the support and volunteering of many people from across agencies. We thank them for their valuable contribution.

Come along, have a go, meet fellow emergency responders, and have a great time! Information on this event and FCA Championships is on our website: [www.firefighterchampionships.com](http://www.firefighterchampionships.com).

Regards,

**Jamie Loader**  
**President FCA**



**The NSW State Road Crash Rescue Challenge aims to create an environment in which representatives from all agencies involved in responding to road rescues in NSW can come together to learn, exchange ideas and participate in skills challenges in the spirit of camaraderie, delivering a stronger, more effective, and more skilled road crash rescue response for the communities of NSW.**

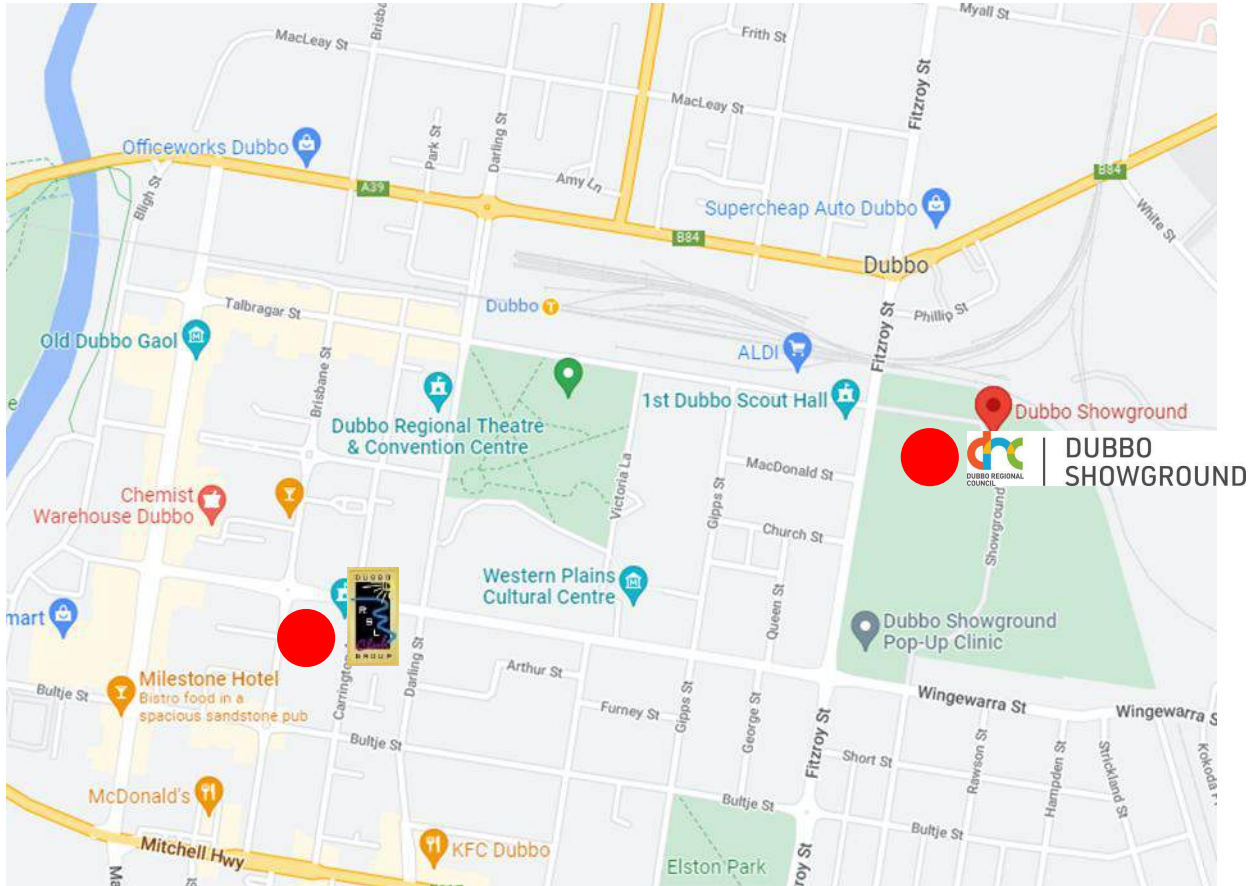


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# Venues



**Dubbo Showground,  
Fitzroy Street,  
Dubbo**

**Dubbo RSL Memorial Club,  
178 Brisbane Street,  
Dubbo**



## General Information

### Lanyards and Name Tags

Name Tags must be worn at all times during the Challenge.

### Catering

Breakfast will be served from 6:30am to 10:00am and Lunch from 11:30am to 2:30pm from Friday to Sunday.

Snacks, water and tea and coffee will be available at all times.

A coffee cart will be serving hot beverages and snacks from 6:30am on a user pays basis.

### Event Schedule

Please ensure your team is at the event pit 5 minutes prior to your event.

If you cannot make the scheduled event time, please inform the operations room as soon as possible .

The NSW State Road Crash Rescue Challenge Organising Group acknowledges many of the rules and scoring guides for the Challenge utilise the framework developed by the Australasian Rescue Organisation.

The Australasian Rescue Organisation is the peak body in Australasia for the development and exchange of information, knowledge and skills in road and trauma rescue.



# NSW Road Crash Rescue Challenge 2026 Program

## Friday 1 May 2026

<b>Event</b>	<b>Learning Symposium – Theory Session</b>
<b>Time</b>	8:45 - 12:00
<b>Venue</b>	Dubbo RSL Memorial Club
<b>Dress</b>	Agency Uniform

<b>Event</b>	<b>Learning Symposium – Practical Session</b>
<b>Time</b>	12:30 - 17:00
<b>Venue</b>	Dubbo Showground
<b>Dress</b>	Agency Uniform + PPE for practical scenarios

## Saturday 2 May 2026

<b>Event</b>	<b>NSW RCRC - Day 1</b>
<b>Time</b>	0730-1730
<b>Venue</b>	Dubbo Showground
<b>Dress</b>	Agency Uniform & PPE

## Sunday 3 May 2026

<b>Event</b>	<b>NSW RCRC - Day 2</b>
<b>Time</b>	0730-1700
<b>Venue</b>	Dubbo Showground
<b>Dress</b>	Agency Uniform & PPE

## Tuesday 5 May 2026

<b>Event</b>	<b>NSW RCRC - Virtual Presentation Announcement</b>
<b>Time</b>	18:00
<b>Venue</b>	Online
<b>Dress</b>	N/A



## Competing Teams

Team	Agency
CFA Werribee	CFA - Victoria
FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	Fire and Rescue NSW
FRNSW South West Rocks	Fire and Rescue NSW
FRNSW Ulladulla	Fire and Rescue NSW
FRNSW Wyong	Fire and Rescue NSW
NSW RFS Adaminaby	NSW Rural Fire Service
NSW SES Batemans Bay	NSW State Emergency Service
NSW SES Eurobodalla	NSW State Emergency Service
NSW SES Forbes	NSW State Emergency Service
NSW SES Hawkesbury	NSW State Emergency Service
NSW SES Kiama	NSW State Emergency Service
NSW SES Port Macquarie	NSW State Emergency Service
NSW SES Riverina Plains	NSW State Emergency Service
Vic SES	Victoria State Emergency Service
VRA Region East	VRA Rescue NSW
VRA Region West	VRA Rescue NSW
VRA Regions North/South	VRA Rescue NSW



# Learning Symposium

All participants will be placed in a group. (Team members will be placed in the same group)

## Symposium Day Schedule:

Time	Location	Duration				
7:00	Showground	90 Mins	<b>Breakfast and Registration</b>			
9:00	RSL	30 Mins	<b>Welcome and Official Opening</b>			
9:30	RSL	30 Mins	<b>EV Incidents: The Operational Reality - James Boland</b>			
10:00	RSL	30 Mins	<b>Road Safety - John Wall, Centre for Road Safety</b>			
10:30	RSL	20 Mins	<b>Morning Tea</b>			
10:50	RSL	45 Mins	<b>Leadership is a Team Sport - Leadership and Collaboration</b>			
11:35	RSL	40 Mins	<b>Event Breifing</b>			
			<b>Group A</b>	<b>Group B</b>	<b>Group C</b>	<b>Group D</b>
12:00	Showground	60 Mins	<b>Lunch</b>			
13:00	Showground	40 Mins	<b>Stand 1</b>	<b>Stand 2</b>	<b>Stand 3</b>	<b>Stand 4</b>
13:50	Showground	40 Mins	<b>Stand 4</b>	<b>Stand 1</b>	<b>Stand 2</b>	<b>Stand 3</b>
14:30	Showground	15 Mins	<b>Afternoon Tea</b>			
14:45	Showground	40 Mins	<b>Stand 3</b>	<b>Stand 4</b>	<b>Stand 1</b>	<b>Stand 2</b>
15:30	Showground	40 Mins	<b>Stand 2</b>	<b>Stand 3</b>	<b>Stand 4</b>	<b>Stand 1</b>
16:15	Showground	45 Mins	<b>Walk around pits</b>			

## Symposium Topics:

Workshop	Description	Facilitator
Stand 1	IDR Training Tips and Milwaukee Tools Master Class	Tim Fox, Rob Sainsbury & Daniel Kerr
Stand 2	Multi Agency RCR Response	James Boland, Andrew Sharpe & Shannon Crofton
Stand 3	Vehicle Intrusions	Gerrard Collins, Charles Wilkinson & Dan van Keimpema
Stand 4	Bariatric Rescue	Darren Smith, Mark Palaitis, Kevin Jones & Dane Allen

Symposium Workshops are a mix of practical and theoretical sessions.

Workshops will be held in various spaces on the site; your group will be advised of each location.





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## Road Crash Rescue Challenge Schedule

<b>Controlled Rescue Pit 2</b>		<b>Equipment Inspection (10 min)</b>	<b>Scenario Staging (20 min)</b>	<b>Complete Time (30 min)</b>	<b>Debrief (10 min)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	CFA Werribee	7:30	7:40	8:00	8:35
	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	8:40	8:50	9:10	9:45
	FRNSW Wyong	9:50	10:00	10:20	10:55
	FRNSW Ulladulla	11:00	11:10	11:30	12:05
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	12:35	12:45	13:05	13:40
	NSW SES Batemans Bay	13:45	13:55	14:15	14:50
<b>Sunday</b>	NSW SES Port Macquarie	7:30	7:40	8:00	8:35
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	8:40	8:50	9:10	9:45
	NSW SES Kiama	9:50	10:00	10:20	10:55
	NSW SES Forbes	11:00	11:10	11:30	12:05
	VRA Region East	12:35	12:45	13:05	13:40
	VRA Region West	13:45	13:55	14:15	14:50
<b>Controlled Rescue Pit 3</b>		<b>Equipment Inspection (10 min)</b>	<b>Scenario Staging (20 min)</b>	<b>Complete Time (30 min)</b>	<b>Debrief (10 min)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	NSW SES Eurobodalla	8:00	8:10	8:30	9:05
	NSW SES Riverina Plains	9:10	9:20	9:40	10:15
	FRNSW South West Rocks	10:20	10:30	10:50	11:25
	Vic SES	11:30	11:40	12:00	12:35
	VRA Regions North/South	13:00	13:10	13:30	14:05

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<b>Entrapped Rescue Pit 1</b>		<b>Equipment Inspection (10 min)</b>	<b>Scenario Staging (20 min)</b>	<b>Complete Time (30 min)</b>	<b>Debrief (10 min)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	NSW SES Port Macquarie	7:40	7:50	8:10	8:45
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	8:50	9:00	9:20	9:55
	NSW SES Kiama	10:00	10:10	10:30	11:05
	NSW SES Forbes	11:10	11:20	11:40	12:15
	VRA Region East	12:45	12:55	13:15	13:50
	VRA Region West	13:55	14:05	14:25	15:00
<b>Sunday</b>	CFA Werribee	7:40	7:50	8:10	8:45
	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	8:50	9:00	9:20	9:55
	FRNSW Wyong	10:00	10:10	10:30	11:05
	FRNSW Ulladulla	11:10	11:20	11:40	12:15
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	12:45	12:55	13:15	13:50
	NSW SES Batemans Bay	13:55	14:05	14:25	15:00
<b>Entrapped Rescue Pit 3</b>		<b>Equipment Inspection (10 min)</b>	<b>Scenario Staging (20 min)</b>	<b>Complete Time (30 min)</b>	<b>Debrief (10 min)</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	NSW SES Eurobodalla	8:00	8:10	8:30	9:05
	NSW SES Riverina Plains	9:10	9:20	9:40	10:15
	FRNSW South West Rocks	10:20	10:30	10:50	11:25
	Vic SES	11:30	11:40	12:00	12:35
	VRA Regions North/South	13:00	13:10	13:30	14:05

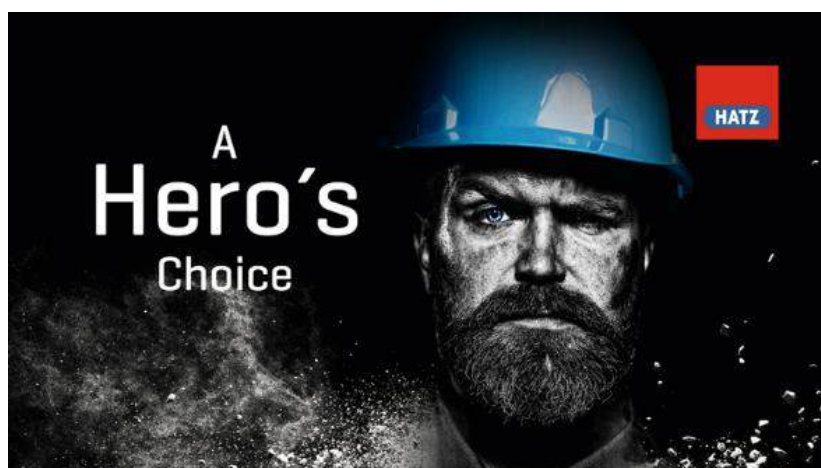


<b>Trauma Challenge Pit 6</b>		<b>Equipment Inspection (5 min)</b>	<b>Scenario Staging (10 min)</b>	<b>Complete Time (15 min)</b>	<b>Debrief (5 min)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	FRNSW Wyong	7:45	7:50	8:00	8:15
	FRNSW Ulladulla	8:55	9:00	9:10	9:25
	NSW SES Port Macquarie	9:40	9:45	9:55	10:10
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	11:05	11:10	11:20	11:35
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	14:40	14:45	14:55	15:10
	VRA Regions North/South	15:25	15:30	15:40	15:55
	VRA Region West	16:10	16:15	16:25	16:40
<b>Sunday</b>	NSW SES Kiama	7:45	7:50	8:00	8:15
	NSW SES Forbes	8:30	8:35	8:45	9:00
	FRNSW South West Rocks	9:15	9:20	9:30	9:45
	CFA Werribee	10:00	10:05	10:15	10:30
	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	10:45	10:50	11:00	11:15
	NSW SES Riverina Plains	11:30	11:35	11:45	12:00
	NSW SES Eurobodalla	12:15	12:20	12:30	12:45
	Vic SES	13:30	13:35	13:45	14:00
	VRA Region East	15:00	15:05	15:15	15:30
	NSW SES Batemans Bay	15:45	15:50	16:00	16:15



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<b>Industrial &amp; Domestic Rescue Challenge Pit 4</b>		<b>Equipment Inspection (5 min)</b>	<b>Scenario Staging (10 min)</b>	<b>Complete Time (15 min)</b>	<b>Debrief (5 min)</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	NSW SES Kiama	8:00	8:05	8:15	8:30
	FRNSW South West Rocks	8:40	8:45	8:55	9:10
	CFA Werribee	9:20	9:25	9:35	9:50
	Vic SES	10:00	10:05	10:15	10:30
	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	10:50	10:55	11:05	11:20
	NSW SES Batemans Bay	11:35	11:40	11:50	12:05
	NSW SES Riverina Plains	13:30	13:35	13:45	14:00
	NSW SES Forbes	14:10	14:15	14:25	14:40
	VRA Region East	15:10	15:15	15:25	15:40
	NSW SES Eurobodalla	15:55	16:00	16:10	16:25
<b>Sunday</b>	FRNSW Wyong	8:20	8:25	8:35	8:50
	NSW SES Port Macquarie	9:30	9:35	9:45	10:00
	VRA Regions North/South	10:15	10:20	10:30	10:45
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	11:05	11:10	11:20	11:35
	VRA Region West	11:50	11:55	12:05	12:20
	FRNSW Ulladulla	14:10	14:15	14:25	14:40
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	15:55	16:00	16:10	16:25



<b>Rescue Skills Pit 5</b>		<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	8:00	8:15
	FRNSW Wyong	8:40	8:55
	NSW SES Port Macquarie	9:05	9:20
	FRNSW Ulladulla	10:00	10:15
	CFA Werribee	10:20	10:35
	NSW SES Batemans Bay	10:45	11:00
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	11:10	11:25
	NSW SES Kiama	11:35	11:50
	VRA Region West	12:10	12:25
	NSW SES Forbes	12:35	12:50
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	13:00	13:15
	VRA Region East	14:40	14:55
<b>Sunday</b>	NSW SES Riverina Plains	8:00	8:15
	FRNSW South West Rocks	8:25	8:40
	VRA Regions North/South	8:50	9:05
	Vic SES	10:00	10:15
	NSW SES Eurobodalla	11:00	11:15



<b>CPR Challenge Pit 7</b>		<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	NSW SES Riverina Plains	12:30	12:45
	NSW SES Eurobodalla	13:05	13:20
	FRNSW South West Rocks	13:35	13:50
	Vic SES	14:05	14:20
	VRA Regions North/South	14:35	14:50
<b>Sunday</b>	NSW SES Hawkesbury	8:00	8:15
	NSW SES Kiama	8:40	8:55
	CFA Werribee	9:05	9:20
	NSW SES Forbes	10:00	10:15
	NSW SES Port Macquarie	10:20	10:35
	VRA Region West	10:45	11:00
	VRA Region East	11:10	11:25
	FRNSW Wyong	11:35	11:50
	NSW SES Batemans Bay	12:10	12:25
	FRNSW Ulladulla	12:35	12:50
	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	13:25	13:40
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	14:40	14:55





<b>FRSA Workshop Pit 8</b>		<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	Vic SES	9:00	9:40
	NSW SES Eurobodalla	10:00	10:40
	VRA Regions North/South	10:00	10:40
	FRNSW South West Rocks	12:00	12:40
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	12:00	12:40
	FRNSW Ulladulla	14:00	14:40
<b>Sunday</b>	NSW SES Batemans Bay	9:00	9:40
	VRA Region West	9:00	9:40
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	10:00	10:40
	VRA Region East	10:00	10:40
	CFA Werribee	11:00	11:40
	NSW SES Port Macquarie	11:00	11:40
	FRNSW RS2 Phantoms	12:00	12:40
	FRNSW Wyong	13:00	13:40
	NSW SES Kiama	13:00	13:40
	NSW SES Forbes	14:30	15:10
	NSW SES Riverina Plains	14:30	15:10



<b>PT Lukas Workshop Pit 9</b>		<b>Start</b>	<b>Finish</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	NSW SES Batemans Bay	9:00	9:40
	VRA Region West	9:00	9:40
	NSW RFS Adaminaby	10:00	10:40
	VRA Region East	10:00	10:40
	CFA Werribee	11:00	11:40
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	VRA Regions North/South	11:00	11:40
	FRNSW South West Rocks	12:00	12:40
	NSW SES Hawkesbury	12:00	12:40
	FRNSW Ulladulla	13:00	13:40



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