Burrinja Theatre Axed by Federal Government



- A home for Performing Arts in the Hills: GONE
- Disability Access to your cultural centre: GONE
- Your children's future theatre: GONE
 - Indigenous cultural garden: GONE
- Your school's local professional venue: GONE

The Federal Government has reneged on its promise to contribute \$2m to the Performing Arts Project at Burrinja. The entire project is condemned without Federal funding.

The Rudd Government must honour the Federal funding commitment made to Burrinja 9 months ago.

The project will deliver a 400 seat performance space, disability access, an indigenous garden and many other improvements. It will be used by the region's schools, community, professional and children's theatre and music groups for performances, rehearsals, workshops, youth arts activities and more. This community has worked tirelessly for over ten years to get this project.

You can help Burrinja and the Shire get back our funding!

To express your disapproval of the axing of the Burrinja Cultural Centre project, please write to the Minster.

The Hon Anthony Albanese MP.

PO Box 6022; House of Representatives, Parliament House. Canberra ACT 2600. Fax: (02) 6273 4126 <u>A.Albanese.MP@aph.gov.au</u>

A sample letter and more information is on our Web Site: www.burrinja.org.au

SAVE OUR THEATRE

Burrinja is holding a community action event

Thursday May 29, 7.00pm at Burrinja.

Hosted by **Sue-Anne Post** and feature numerous celebrity performers from the region. Full details shortly. Enquiries **9754 8723** or <u>events@burrinja.org.au</u> Entry by Donation. Come and show your support!!

To join the campaign to save this important community project from the ax, contact Burrinja on 9754 8723 or email: <u>saveourtheatre@burrinja.org.au</u> <u>www.burrinja.org.au</u>

