

YANAKIE 2030

OUR SHARED FUTURE

WHO WE ARE

We are volunteer-led and committed to preserving our unique rural character while building a resilient future. This plan guides our decisions and strengthens our partnerships with local stakeholders.

OUR VISION

"Yanakie is a way of life shared by farmers, families, and visitors alike. Together, we steward this remarkable place where green paddocks meet blue horizons and open water."

Infrastructure & Connectivity

Building a resilient foundation.

We will strengthen the essential services that support daily life and safety in Yanakie.

- **Energy Independence:** Solar generation with battery storage by Dec 2026
- **Better Connections:** Upgrades to local roads, mobile and internet coverage.
- **Emergency Ready:** Strengthened partnership with the CFA so we are prepared for any season.
- **Weather Ready:** Restart our weather station and provide hyper-local forecasting.

Our Land, Our Responsibility

Stewarding our unique environment.

From the inlet coastlines to our productive farms, we are dedicated to protecting Yanakie's natural beauty.

- **Biodiversity Protection:** Support monitoring programs for the White-bellied Sea Eagle, Hooded Plover, and the local "Yanakie Berry".
- **Sustainable Farming:** Promote best-practice land management and soil health leaving the land in better condition than we found it.
- **Conservation Partners:** Collaborate with Landcare, Prom Coast Ecolink, and BirdLife Australia to protect our clean air, our clean water and biodiversity.

Community Wellbeing

A connected, inclusive village.

We will foster a safe and welcoming community where everyone feels they belong.

- **The Community Hub:** Transform the Hall into a vibrant centre for markets, workshops, cultural events and emergency response.
- **The Share Shed:** Establish a space at the Hall for residents to swap surplus home-grown produce and gardening tips.
- **Social Connection:** Host regular "Men's Nights" and intergenerational events to strengthen friendships and mental health.
- **Identity:** Launch a new Yanakie logo and "strap line" to celebrate our identity and promote local businesses.