

# ALL IN



Bayside  
Council

Bayside National  
Reconciliation Week  
Ceremony with  
Brenda Matthews

Join us for a special event that honours Aboriginal cultures, histories and perspectives, and fosters understanding, respect and connection.

**Tuesday 26 May 2026**  
**11am - 1pm**  
**Rockdale Town Hall**

## EVENT PROGRAM

- ▶ Welcome to Country
- ▶ Flag Raising Ceremony
- ▶ Smoking Ceremony
- ▶ Keynote by Brenda Matthews
- ▶ Panel Discussion and Q&A

*All are welcome  
to attend!*



**25 YEARS OF  
RECONCILIATION  
AUSTRALIA**

**MAKE CHANGE**

**TAKE ACTION**

## Keynote Speaker

Brenda Matthews is a proud Wiradjuri woman, author, speaker and film director. Her powerful story, shared through her book and documentary *The Last Daughter*, explores her experience of being removed from her family and reconnecting with her culture.

Through her work, Aunty Brenda promotes healing, truth-telling and unity, and supports communities across Australia to build stronger relationships between Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal people.

### Panel discussion

Hear directly from Aboriginal leaders, learn about the importance of reconciliation, and engage in meaningful conversation.



### WHY ATTEND

This event provides an opportunity to:

- ▶ Learn about the importance of reconciliation and truth-telling;
- ▶ Hear directly from Aboriginal voices and lived experiences;
- ▶ Reflect on our shared responsibility in advancing reconciliation; and
- ▶ Strengthen connections within our community.

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