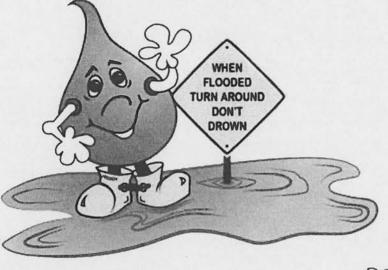
WATERSHED NEWS

PO BOX 60 WICKEPIN WA 6370 ABN 96 234 351 594 A fortnightly paper for the areas of Dudinin, Toolibin, Tincurrin, Harrismith, Yealering and Wickepin



13th July 2021

Take care on our roads—drive to the conditions!



Thought for Today.

Life is about moments Don't wait for them Create them.

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2021 Adult Influenza Vaccination

Free adult influenza vaccinations are now available at the

Wickepin Health Centre for eligible clients

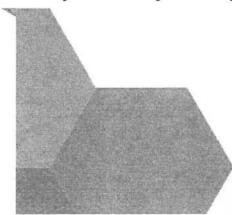
The following individuals in WA are eligible to receive government funded vaccine:

- persons 65 years or older
- pregnant women (any trimester)
- · Aboriginal people 6 months and older
- individuals 6 months and older with medical conditions that place them at risk for complications of influenza, including
 - cardiac disease
 - o chronic respiratory conditions
 - chronic neurological conditions
 - impaired immunity
 - diabetes and other metabolic disorders
 - renal disease
 - haematological disorders
 - o children aged 6 months to 10 years receiving long-term aspirin therapy

**Influenza vaccine can be given before or after any dose of a COVID-19 vaccine, with a recommended minimum interval of 14 days between influenza and COVID-19 vaccine doses.

To make an appointment or for more information please phone Wickepin Health Centre on 9888 2222

For those who don't fit into the criteria for a free influenza vaccine please contact your GP or pharmacy.



Get in touch

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2021 childhood Influenza vaccination

FREE childhood influenza vaccinations are available at the Wickepin Health Service

Book your appointment by call Wickepin Health Service on: 9888 2222

Eligibility:

- For children aged six months to four years old
- For Primary School aged children (pre-primary to Year Six)



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Birthday wishes to: Fraser Wittwer, Caen Taylor, Gabriel Martin, Win Snow, Malakye Anderson, Violet Holmes/Thorne, Luke Crouch, Connor McDougall.



Bishop Ian Coults, Anglican Bishop of the Diocese of Bunbury will be presiding at the Anglican Service, Johnson Street, Wickepin, at 8.00am Sunday 18th July. An invitation is extended to all who wish to attend. Light refreshments will follow the service.

A sincere thank you to Chris Moore for making a new cross for the Anglican Church and arranging the attaching of same.





Members of the Yealering Regatta Committee had morning tea with Mia Davies, Leader of the Nationals and State Opposition Leader last Thursday at the Yealering Lake. Mia was visiting several groups and communities in her electorate, and this was a great opportunity to meet and chat about areas of interest and community concerns. Mia has donated \$250 to the Yealering Regatta under her small grants sponsorship for not-for-profit community groups. She was most impressed with the improvements around the lake foreshore and the

surrounding facilities. Well done to the Regatta committee and other community volunteers who have attended several busy bees to clean up and beautify the area around the croquet club in preparation for the Lake Yealering Regatta on the 9th October 2021



WICKEPIN COMMUNITY SHED members are not very happy with the removal of the wood from the Shed.

This is for our use for our fire and work that we do. A small donation to Shed would be appreciated.

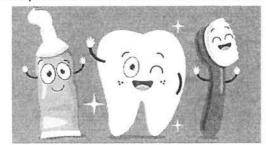
NARROGIN GOVERNMENT DENTAL CLINIC

The Narrogin Government Dental Clinic provides subsidised dental treatment for eligible patients. Anyone who has either a Health Care Card or Pension Card is able to see us, and dental treatment is either 50% or 75% reduced in price (depending on the level of subsidy as per Centrelink). We are based in the Narrogin Hospital (43-55 Williams Road, Narrogin WA 6312). Our contact number is 98810303.

Opening hours are from 8:15AM to 4:30PM, Monday to Friday. Bookings are essential, and we do not see walk-ins. We see both emergency and general patients.

Josh Oversby | Dental Officer | Dental Health Services Narrogin Government Dental Clinic

Phone: 9881 0303



<u>EULOGY – JOAN ELLEN TURNER</u> Written by Joan's grandson Mark Turner

Joan Ellen Turner (nee Baker) born 19th July 1925 at the Wickepin Hospital, passed away on 30th March 2021, age 95 years young.

Her parents were Pioneers of "Courtland Farm" in Bullaring. Ada Baker, her mother, was originally from Bexley Heath in Kent, England and Thomas Baker, her Father was from Surrey, England. Joan was the much-loved wife of Gordon Turner and Mother of Sue, Phillip and Ricky. She was Nan to 7 of us and a Great Grandmother to 11.

BUT...Who was Joan Turner?

Well, Joan (my Nan), was a VERY special woman! A person respected and admired by everyone who met her. She was full of love and positivity, a real "glass is half full" person.

Nan only saw the good in everyone and everything, in fact, she lived by the motto "if everyone spent more time noticing the good in people; instead of the bad, the world would be a better place!"

Nan's attitude towards life was "come on, let's get on with it". Though small in stature, you would see these huge, deep blue eyes that smiled at you, some say eyes are the window to your soul ... well, Nan's eyes were full of love and happiness. She was a beautiful soul. Not only that, Nan was kind, honest, wise, giving, non-judgemental and hardworking! So very, very hard working.

I can tell by the amount of people here today that you already know all this about Nan. But, to give you an even greater understanding of this amazing woman, I want to share a few stories about Nan's life...

Nan grew up on Courtland Farm just out of Bullaring, her dad, Pop Baker used to take all the kids to school on the horse and cart. When old enough, Nan and her brother, Ron used to drive the horse and cart with their brothers and sisters to school. The kids in their horse and cart were often followed by a convoy of farm pets, including kangaroos, lambs, dogs ... the teacher had no choice but to contain all the farm animals in a chook pen for the hours the kids were at school. At the end of the day, the animals would be let out of the pen and would follow Nan and her siblings home again.

One of Nan's jobs before school was to set the rabbit traps then to collect the rabbits, skin them and prep them for the evening meal. At the time and for many years, she loved her mum's many ways of preparing rabbits for dinner, BUT, later in life she <u>couldn't stand</u> the smell or flavour of rabbits. Severe case of too much of a good thing!

On the way to school one day, Sulky the horse, kicked one of the pet lambs and broke both the lamb's front legs and split the jaw straight down the middle. Nan splintered the 2 front legs and cleaned up the jaw, they nursed the lamb back to full health, however, it used to walk partly sideways, and its tongue permanently hung out, so they called it" Drunk" and yes, their pet Drunk continued to follow them to school every day! In Nan's own words, "We were all pretty tough back then!" Seems the animals were too!

Nan left school at 13 and did not attend high school, she went straight to work with the family. Some of the jobs she took on included baking, selling eggs, preparing chickens and rabbits for meals, cleaning: making beds, doing laundry and making jams and butters. Knitting and crocheting were talents of Nan who was actually a very creative woman. Thanks to her, we all have beautiful blankets and jumpers to remember her by and each time we use them it is like a warm hug from Nan. Painting and doily making also helped her pass the time on the farm. She was actually quite the artist!

When she was 17, Nan went to Woorooloo to be trained as a nurse and then spent time working in Mt Magnet and Northam before returning to the Wickepin Hospital. She recalled many difficult

experiences including dealing with patients with tuberculosis, gunshot wounds and many other early century accidents She said it was an "eye opener" and they needed to learn fast. Lucky she was "pretty tough" back then.

Nan fondly remembered her Dad's first car which was his upgrade from horse and cart. It was a T-model Ford, crank start. It only had two gears – forwards and backwards. A short time later Pop Baker purchased another T-model Ford and this one had 3 gears. Old Nan Baker didn't like this car very much and preferred to stay home in the garden. Now it's clear the apple doesn't fall very far from the tree.

When the war ended Nan met the Turners and that's when things got really interesting for her. Pop's brothers, Ben, Sandy and Joss were discharged from the Army and Gordon (Pop) was too young to join the Army and was charged with staying and running GinGining (the Turner family farm in Wickepin). Ben later re- joined Gordon at the farm in GinGining on 86 Gate Road. Nan started dating Gordon and married him on 6th November, 1948. In the same year, Nan's sister Maureen married Gordon's brother, Ben. Then Joss, Pop's other brother married Dot ... and ... They all lived together in the same little farmhouse and started growing their families. Apparently, they got along well, *this was before the swinging 60's, if those walls could talk?*?

Now, according to the Turners, the Turner boys were a handsome, popular, wild bunch but, many would agree, they were punching well above their weight with the Baker girls. I've seen the old photos; the Baker girls were smoking hot! From all accounts Pop used to acknowledge this many times over and the Turner boys loved and respected the Baker girls and the Baker girls equally stood by their men.

Nan and Pop grew their family with the births of Sue then Phillip and finally Ricki. Nan, not one to take the easy way out, gave birth to Phillip in the car on the side of the road near Hotham Bridge! After Nan had given birth all on her own, Pop askes "So what do we do now?" — probably while he rolls a smoke!

Nan answered, "Well, there's nothing left to do, so we might as well head home!"

As the little farm house no longer had enough space for all the children, Nan and Pop moved with the kids next door to the *Longacres Farm*. They made their home, everyone's home, and all were welcome! In fact, I remember from the age of 4, I used to ride my motorbike from home at 4 Winds Farm down 86 Gate Road to GinGining and then later to Longacres to see Nan, every visit was rewarded with a chocolate Billabong ice cream or cheese on toast, if we were "missing", Mum always knew we'd be at our second home with Nan and Pop.

Nan was an awesome home cook, we all loved her egg and bacon slice, jams, stews and home-made Ginger Beer that would sometimes explode spontaneously. Her crumbed and baked lamb dishes were always tasty – the reason for which a few of us now have lamb additions. And Nan, like her Mum, would spend as much time as possible in the garden. It was like the garden of Eden for all of us to enjoy! The fruit trees, roses, flowers, hedges, the lawn and the 2 huge English Lilac trees. She loved her garden and fruit trees, she grew the best stone fruit, apples, pears and grapes that e all got to enjoy. The focal point for all family and friends' gatherings was always on the back lawn under the English Lilac trees. Many beers and practical jokes, heaps of bullshit and laughter was a common theme. Often, we had numerous people standing around just bouncing off each other and the continuous laughter was deafening, it was special!!

At 17 I took a mate of mine from Perth to visit Nan and Pop and very quickly we found ourselves sitting under the Lilac trees drinking King Browns with Pop. I think we were on our third or fourth when Nan came out from the kitchen and walked past us with a gun and blew away the parrots on the fruit trees, then walked inside and continued to make lunch. My mate literally fell off his chair, spilled the rest of his beer, and was speechless. Pop and I broke out into laughter and the first thing Pop said was, "Yeah mate you gotta check with Nan to see if her fruit is ok to eat".

I remember many road trips with Nan and Pop, they would take my cousin Jeff and I to visit Dennis, Glenda, Paul and Craig Turner at their farm at Ravensthorpe. Jeff and I would ride in the back of the blue F150, it was wild and exciting, and we would notice the proud faces of Nan and Pop to have their grandsons travelling with them. I also remember Nan driving around in her HQ Statesman with number plates WK.666 – did she think she was devilish? She was so opposite to devilish.

Pop used to tell the story that after a session at the pub he would come home and before he entered the house, he'd open the front door and throw his hat inside and wait a few minutes. If Nan threw the hat back outside, he's then go find another place to sleep. Don't worry ... when it came to Nan, you should never mistake niceness for naivety! Nan was always fully aware of what was going on around the place and she had a subtle way of letting you know she knew! An example of this was when my cousin Chris was driving home from the pub one night and hit a tree. Later the next day, Nan noticed the state of the car and asked Chris what happened. Chris explained to her, "I hit a Kangaroo on the way home last night Nan". She asked him in all seriousness, "Was that Kangaroo hiding behind a tree??" Nan wasn't afraid to voice her opinion either, she was certainly very honest. About 22 years ago I brought my new girlfriend up to the farm to meet my Nan. It turns out while I was off having a beer and chat to my Uncle Rick, Nan decided to have a quiet chat with my girlfriend over a cup of tea. Nan informed her that while, "Mark had spent many, many years off in the world sowing his wild seed" she was "delighted he had finally met someone he could settle down with". Well ... what can I say? She was right!

Some years later and in following true <u>Turner Male tradition</u> in meeting ladies and punching above their weight, Chris Turner meets Amy. NAN'S NEW APPRENTICE HAD ARRIVED. This brought new life to the GinGining farm and to Nan. Then the introduction of a further 2 great-grandchildren. Amy's memories of the time spent with Nan at home in the garden will be treasured for the rest of her life. Nan was able to move on knowing the family farm was in good hands and that her spirit would live on. Amy's time over the last 7 years taking care of Nan was appreciated by all of us, and I am sure was very special to Amy. Thank you on behalf of the family Amy ... The <u>bad</u> news is now that you are no longer Nan's apprentice — you are fully qualified. You have some very big shoes to fill which for you, should not be a problem! The <u>good</u> news is, the responsibility of making Rick's bed daily and washing his clothes DOES NOT pass down the line to you!

The mid 90's was a difficult time for our family with the deaths of Pop Gordon, Nanna Baker, Phillip (Dad), Josh and Rachel all in quick succession. As a family we suffered greatly and grieved in different ways. During this time, ONE person remained the glue that kept everyone together, Nan had the strength of steel and her attitude and ability to process grief, be strong and lead by example was admirable. Then, over 7 years ago, Nan was diagnosed with terminal liver cancer and they gave her less than 10 years to live. I sat in the hospital with her and wanted to know her thoughts, to which she simply smiled and replied, "I don't want medication or an operation, I am not a human experiment. I have had a GREAT life and am ok!" Moving forward to the present year, just a couple of weeks ago, I was holding Nan's hand in hospital, the smile on her face still matched the smile of her big blue eyes. She was at peace and ready to go be with her Mum and Dad; her brother Ronald and sister Maureen; with the love of her life, husband Gordon; her son Phillip; her grandson Josh and granddaughter Rachel.

Nan ... we understand! We know you! We will miss you every day until we meet again! Until then ... rest in peace.

Oh, one more thing ...

When Pop Gordon passed away, the family placed in his coffin a couple of King Brown beers, and in his pocket, a pack of Champion Ruby tobacco and Tally Ho papers to keep him going while upstairs with the Big Guy. The only problem was after the funeral we realised we forgot to put in a box of Red Head matches to light his smokes. Well, the problem's been rectified ... Nan's got the matches in her pocket ... I am sure after 25 years Pop will be desperate for that smoke!

A Unique Challenge for the School Holidays:

Jessica Bayley, daughter of Jon, and granddaughter of Claire and Bernie spent the last four days trekking on the Bibbulmun Track with two companions. They started on the Albany Hwy at Nth Bannister last Thursday and finished some 55 Km later just out of Dwellingup on Sunday.

Jess has progressed through Cubs, Scouts and now aged 17 is a Venturer Scout. She is carrying out this project with the aim of attaining the Queens Scout Award.

The challenge was to plan the route, organise transport and support, ensure all safety precautions were addressed. Unexpected events were to be allowed for such as weather and COVID.

Hence, the start time was altered because of the weather forecast. This proved successful, with the team dodging the worst of the weather of the past few days. The three nights camping were at White Horse Camp hut, Mt Wells (an old Fire tower and hut) and Chadoora Hut. The track took them northwest of the Boddington gold mine, with Bernie and Claire staying in Boddington for the duration to provide support if required.

Jess reported that the area they walked through was both scenic and varied, mostly high country. The area was chosen to avoid any river crossings.

When the Trio emerged from the forest on Sunday, all appeared very cheerful with just a few blisters between them.

Well done Jess and good luck with the award.



Rainfall registered at the Wickepin Post Office

2021	mm	Days	Total	2020	mm	Days	Total
January	4.4	2	4.4	January	0.0	0	0.0
February	36.6	2	41.0	February	43.6	8	43.6
March	49.2	5	90.2	March	15.2	3	58.8
April	34.6	2	124.8	April	5.0	3	63.8
May	115.5	9	240.3	May	42.0	8	105.8
June	28.3	9	268.6	June	38.4	8	144.2
July	53.2	6	321.8	July	32.0	8	176.2
August	0.0	0	0.0	August	45.4	8	221.6
September	0.0	.0	0.0	September	29.9	7	251.5
October	0.0	0	0.0	October	3.4	2	254.9
November	0.0	0	0.0	November	36.0	6	290.9
December	0.0	0	0.0	December	0.0	0	290.9

As of 10th July 2021

Very tricky arithmetic! Note: This must be done in your head only...

Take 1000 and add 40 to it. Now add another 1000 Now add 30 . Add another 1000 . Now add 20 . Now add another 1000 . Now add 10 . What is the total?

Did you get 5000?

Local Member of the Legislative Council Steve Martin recently visited the local sandalwood plantation situated on the property West of Wickepin previously owned by the McBurney family.

"It was fantastic to visit WA Sandalwood Plantations Aldinga site recently. With over 13,000 hectares, WASP is the world's largest manager of Australian sandalwood."

"I had the opportunity to see how the high quality Western Australian sandalwood is harvested and graded. I was also able to learn more about their processes and hear about the challenges that the sandalwood industry is facing."

"Sandalwood harvesting has a long history in the Wickepin district and it is pleasing to see the modern version in operation providing WA jobs and export income."









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Hon Mia DAVIES MLA Leader of The Nationals WA

MEDIA RELEASE

Member for Central Wheatbelt

29 June 2021

MIA'S LOCAL HERO GRANTS HELPING TO MAKE A DIFFERNCE

Forty community groups across the electorate of Central Wheatbelt are set to benefit from grants awarded under the latest round of *Mia's Local Hero Grants*.

Local Member Hon Mia Davies MLA set up the grant scheme in 2020 to help support local community groups based across her electorate, and this is the fourth round of the program.

"Our team designed the program to target local community groups with small but meaningful grants that assist them run events, pay for equipment, buy supplies or host visitors to the region to coach or speak at forums," Ms Davies said.

"These groups support and enrich our local communities and the grant is my way of saying thank you for that work.

"The Local Hero Grants program has provided grants of \$250 per applicant in this round, and we received some really wonderful submissions."

Ms Davies said successful applicants in this round included the Better Bencubbin Progress Association, Koorda Primary School P&C, Lake Yealering Progress Association, Pingelly Tourism Group and Popanyinning Progress Association.

"I'm looking forward to visiting with some of these organisations as I travel around the electorate, they are doing some fantastic work," she said.

"Projects like the new community garden space in Brookton is encouraging people to join up and get involved, attracting gardeners of all ages, and sharing skills and connecting community.

"The Kellerberrin Riding and Pony Club are constructing a new gate for the grounds to meet their insurance obligations and make it easier for members and guests to access the facility."

Ms Davies said each applicant was doing something to connect, nurture and support a strong community in the Wheatbelt.

"There will be additional rounds announced later in the year, so if you missed this round, I'd encourage you to apply when we re-open another down the track," she said.

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For media enquiries please contact Mia Davies on 9041 1702 (Merredin office), 9622 2871 (Northam office) or email mia.davies@mp.wa.gov.au.

Wickepin

Wickepin CRC Harrismith Golf Club Toolibin Tennis Club Lake Yealering Progress Association Toward function to celebrate 20th birthday of the CRC Native garden revitalisation
Towards upgrading club's line marker
To support the bi-annual Lake Yealering Regatta

What's On In Wickepin Shire

Mondays:

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Fit Pursuit 6.00am-6.45am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Floorball @ Community Centre: kids 4 – 5pm, adults 5 – 6pm

Tuesdays:

She Shed He Shed - @ Old Recycling Shed Richter St- 9am-12noon

Pathology Service~ Appointment Only @ Wickepin Health Centre

Body Pump 5pm-6pm @ Wickepin Community Centre

Yoga at Dudinin Hall 6pm – 7.30pm – all welcome

Wednesdays:

Every Wednesday- Social Arts & Crafts @ 9.30am - Joyner St

Thursdays:

Fit Pursuit 6.00 am to 6.45am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Wickepin Playgroup 9.30am -11.30am during school term

Local Vocals with Mazz – 6pm in Narrogin

Saturdays:

Banksia Bowmen Archery- Wickepin Community Centre @ 1.00pm

(during winter months)
Club Equipment Available

Sundays:

Anglican Church every 1st & 3rd Sunday @ 8am

Wickepin Winter Pot Club Bowls Sundays.



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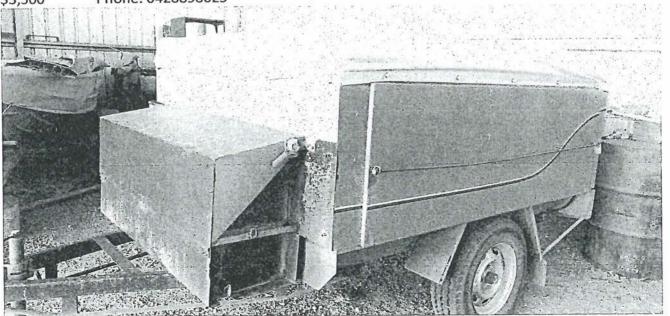
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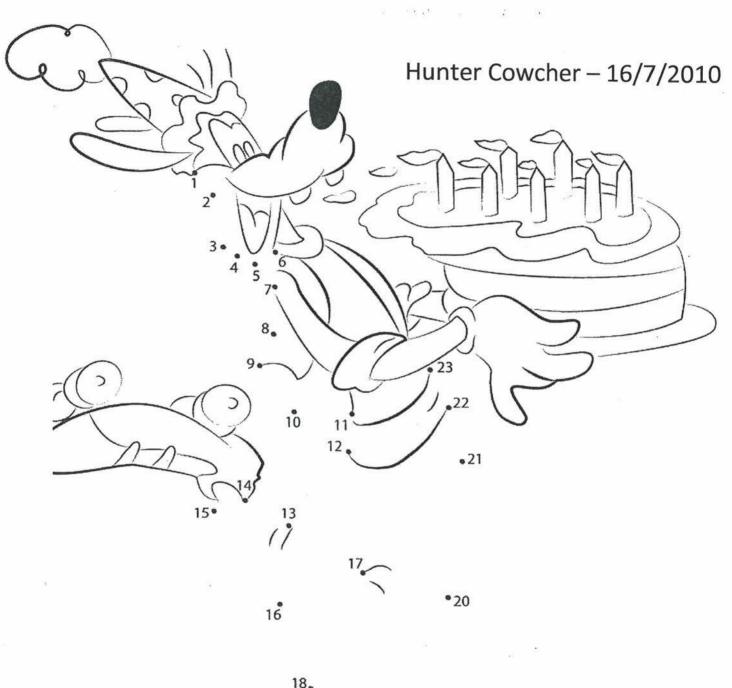


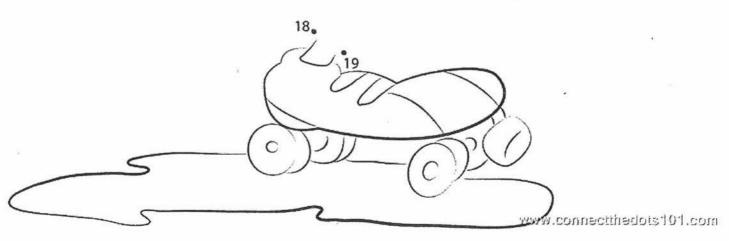
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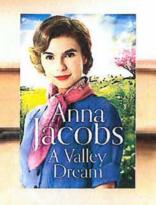
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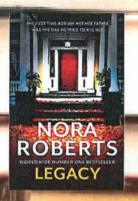
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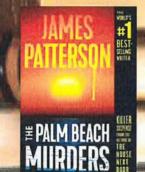
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Adult Fiction Anna Jacobs - A Valley Dream

1935. At thirty-six, Bella Porter is dependent on her abusive cousin, acting as an unpaid servant. When a kind relative leaves her a house in the village of Backshaw Moss, Thomas tries to take it from her, but she defies him and grasps this chance of a new start in Lancashire. It is not going to be easy, though. The house is on the edge of a slum and in a state of disrepair, let out as flats. As kind people help her find her feet, however, her confidence grows and when she meets struggling, widowed father-of-three Ryan, she begins to hope she may find the happy family she's always dreamed of. She's offered partial help with her renovations by the local council who are planning to clear up the slums, but other landlords will do anything to avoid costly improvements and protect their profits. And when Thomas follows her, still after the inheritance, not only is Bella's newfound happiness threatened but also her life. Can her new friends help her rid herself of her tormenter once and for all and finally achieve her valley dream?

Adult Fiction Nora Roberts - Legacy

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Someone is very, very angry about her happy life and will stop at nothing to bring it all crashing down

Large Print James Patterson - The Palm Beach Murders

Three exhilarating stories from the world's bestselling thriller writer.

The Palm Beach Murders (previously published as Let's Play Make-Believe)
Both survivors of the divorce wars, Christy and Martin don't believe in love at first sight and certainly not on a first date. But from the instant they lock eyes, life becomes a sexy, romantic dream come true. That is, until they start playing a strangely intense game of make-believe; a game that's about to go too far.

Nooners: Everyone who knows Tim says he's a good guy. But the popular advertising exec has a problem: a lot of the people who know him are getting murdered. And by the time he figures out why, Tim won't feel so good anymore.

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Garden Snippets....



Wintertime is Pruning Time, when we sharpen our secateurs and saws (but Not our shears – shears are only for cutting hedges, never to be used on shrubs or trees as they do not "cut clean" and often result in bruised branches and damaged leaves.)

In winter, all deciduous trees are dormant, or asleep. They have lost their leaves and have no growth, so it is a good time to cut them back into good shape.

Evergreen trees are sometimes cut earlier in Autumn. Flowering ones are pruned as soon as flowering finishes if they bloom on new growth. If these are pruned later then the new baby buds will be cut off and there will be no flowers next season.

Shrubs that are grown for berries are cut back in late autumn or winter after the berries are over.

Why Do Trees and Shrubs Need Pruning?

- A tree or shrub continues its growth year to year, which adds to its size, therefore if left to itself it will soon become untidy and straggly, taking up too much room in the garden. It can also sucker, sending new shoots from the roots and spread out too far. By pruning it will grow into a shapely, well-balanced tree.
- Pruning promotes healthy growth of young and productive wood. By thinning out the
 branches we allow good air circulation and even light through the tree, which helps to
 ripen the young wood and keep it healthy and disease free. Old, dead wood should be cut
 right out as it harbours disease.
- A Rose bush grows by replacing branches. A strong shoot will flower for a few years, then the tip will become weak and the flowers become smaller. So the rose sends out a strong shoot from lower down, or from the root. This takes all of the sap and the old shoot starves and dies. By pruning, we cut away the old shoots, open out the bush and encourage the young strong branches. Then we get large flowers each year and the plant is kept more healthy, with minimal dead and diseased wood.
- Fruit trees are pruned to keep them in good, manageable shape so that they don't take over the garden space. By allowing open air circulation and uniform light penetration through the trees, the crop will ripen evenly, they can be sprayed if needed and the fruit can be harvested easily. So any branches that cross over and rub should be cut out. Crops of fruit are also regulated by pruning, as some trees fruit on old season's wood and some fruit on new season's wood.
- When you make a cut with your secateurs or saw, make sure you always cut cleanly, just above a wood bud, or node, that is pointing in the direction that you want the new growth to go. Make a sloping cut away from the bud, so that the rain will run off.
- When you saw a big branch, always make a cut underneath first, so that the bark will not tear when the limb falls.







IN THE KITCHEN

CAJUN CHICKEN WITH OVEN-ROASTED VEGETABLES

by Helen McKendrick

SERVES 4 PREP 15 MIN COOK 25 MIN

- 1 tablespoon glutenfree Cajun seasoning
- 450g sliced chicken breast fillets or tenderloins
- 400g baby chat potatoes, halved and parboiled
- 1 red onion, sliced
- · 2 garlic cloves, crushed
- 1 red capsicum, sliced

1 Preheat the oven to 200°C (180°C fan forced). Combine 2 teaspoons olive oil, Cajun seasoning and chicken in a bowl. Season with pepper and, using your hands, toss to coat.

2 Place the parboiled chat potatoes, onion, crushed garlic and capsicum into a roasting pan and spray with olive oil. Season with pepper if desired.

3 Place the chicken on top

of the vegetables in a single layer. Bake in the oven for 20-25 min or until the chicken is fully cooked. Serve the chicken and vegetables with some lemon wedges. Accompany with a small green side salad. Garnish with thyme if desired. E 1488kJ (354 cal) F 12.5g (2.7g sat) S 911mg (includes

side salad)

Helen McKendrick,
Railton, Tas
A great side for
this dish is a little
low-fat yoghurt
mixed with grated
cucumber, or some
chopped avocado.

EASY PEASY CHOCOLATE BALLS

by Tracey Couch

MAKES 36 TIME 15 MIN CHILL 20 MIN

- 250g packet plain biscuits, finely crushed (we used Marie biscuits)
- 1/2 cup cocoa powder
- 1 cup desiccated coconut
- 395g can sweetened condensed milk

1 Place crushed biscuits, cocoa and 1/4 cup of the desiccated coconut into a bowl. Pour over the condensed milk and stir together with a wooden spoon until well combined. Cover

and chill for 20 min.

2 Spread remaining coconut onto a plate.
Roll tablespoons of biscuit mixture into balls, then roll in the coconut to coat. Store in an airtight container.



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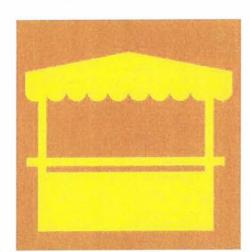
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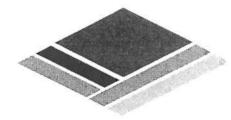
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 - CHECK YOUR INFESTED AREAS MONTHLY ESPECIALLY IF STOCKED CHECK ONE MONTH AFTER STOCK REMOVED.
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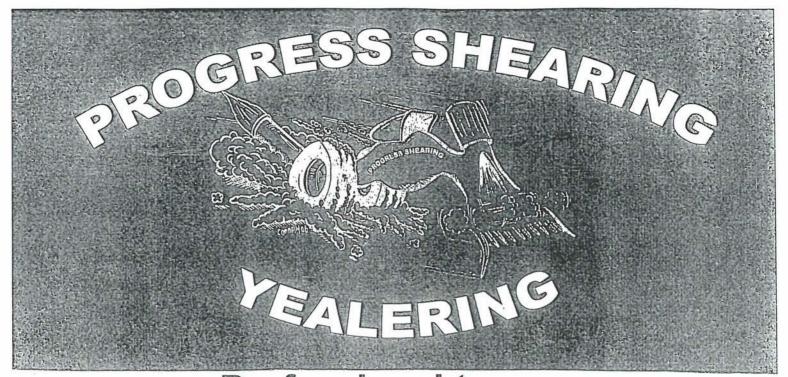
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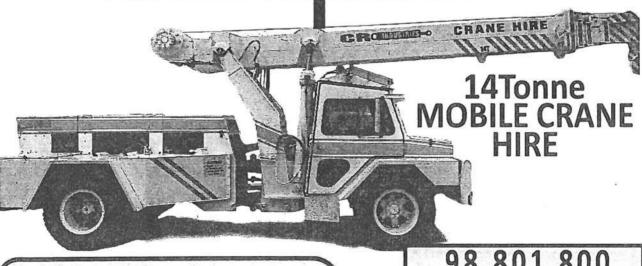


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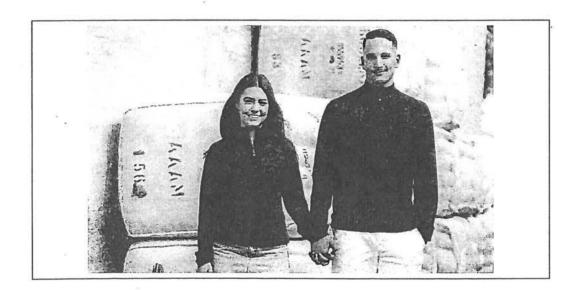
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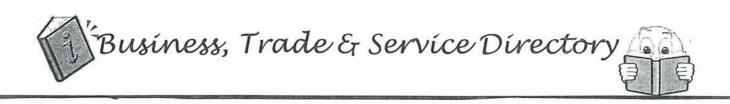
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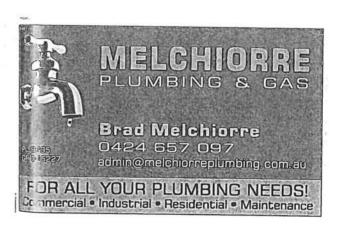
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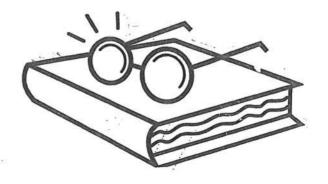


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Wickepin Golf Notes

Saturday 3rd July - Stableford competition was won by Jenny Hemley on 33pts. Runner up was

Roger Butler on 29pts.

NTP No 11 Stefie Green

NTP No 17 Michael Green

Longest Putt No 4 Wendy Butler

Birdie money went to Jenny Hemley.

Saturday 10th July - Isuzu stableford trophy was won by Geoff Sims 32pts Runner up

Graeme Wyllie 30pts

NTP No 9 Ros Wyllie

NTP No 11 Gary Thompson

Longest Putt No 4 Graeme Wyllie

Longest last shot No 18 Warren Thompson

Birdie money was won by Graeme Wyllie

The Men's Open Day sponsored by Elders Wickepin is coming up on Saturday 31st July.



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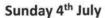
Sunday 27th June saw some very brave souls take on the wild wintery weather to have a hit! There was some great golf played especially from our Captain, Adam Gray, who came in with an impressive 41 points to win the day! Buckets of rain & strong winds obviously agree with his golf!! Joint Runner up to Tim Dowdell & Arron Quartermaine both on 30 points. Women's winner Katrina Gray on 27 points.

Saturday 3rd July was a normal stableford round played in lovely sunny weather! A good crew hit off for the middle weekend of the school holidays & enjoyed the golf & the weather! Winners were ...

Men's winner Darren Kirby with 35 points, Ladies winner was Roisin Ball on 29 points, Runner up in a count back Adam Gray also on 35 points Runner up on count back Katrina Gray also on 29 points

It was great to see many of our club members support the Lake View Golf Club Men's Open Day the next day! Hope you all hit them well & enjoyed the day

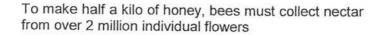
Wickepin Pot Club Winter Bowls News



Fourteen were there to play. The weather was good and again another great morning of bowls. The rink winners were Chris Moore, Barr McKenna, Alan Landsdell and Dave Astbury. The final winner was Barry McKenna and Runner Up was Dave Astbury.

Sunday 11th July

Twelve came along to have a game. The rink winners were Greg White, Ron Timms, Chris Moore and Bev Davidson. The final winner was Bev Davidson and the runners up was Greg White.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JULY

Thurs 15th School Holiday Club-Crafty Kids 10.00am @ Wickepin Community Resource Centre

Mon 19th School Term 3 Starts

Wed 21st Facey Group Women in Agriculture Day

Mon 26th Watershed News

AUGUST

Fri 6th Free Talk—Remedial Massage for Seniors @ Wickepin Community Centre 10.30am

Mon 9th Watershed News

Tue 10th AWI—Facey Group—Future Wool @ Wickepin Community Centre

Mon 23rd Watershed News

Wed 25th The Sheep's Back workshop—Winning and Weaners—Wickepin

SEPTEMBER

Sat 4th Wickepin Fathers Day Markets—10am @ Wickepin Town Hall.

Sun 5th Fathers Day

Mon 6th Watershed News

Wed 8th Facey Group Spring Field Day

Mon 20th Watershed News
Fri 24th School Term 3 ends
Mon 27th Queens Birthday

OCTOBER

Mon 4th Watershed News

Sat 9th Lake Yealering Regatta

Mon 11th Term 4 starts

Mon 18th Watershed News

NOVEMBER

Mon 1st Watershed News
Thu 11th Remembrance Day
Mon 15th Watershed News
Mon 29th Watershed News

DECEMBER

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Mon 13th Watershed News Final Edition

Fri 17th Term 4 ends Sat 25th Christmas Day