

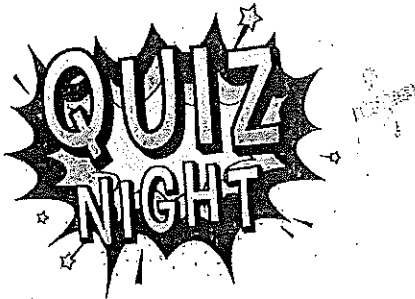
# WATERSHED NEWS

PO BOX 60 WICKEPIN WA 6370

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A fortnightly paper for the areas of  
Dudinin, Toolibin, Tincurrin,  
Harrismith, Yealering and Wickepin

*24th July 2023*



WICKEPIN FOOTBALL CLUB

## QUIZ NIGHT

& MONSTER AUCTION  
SATURDAY, 29TH JULY 7PM



# WATERSHED NEWS INC - COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER

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**Next edition of Watershed News**

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

# Community News



Birthday greetings to Ben Mutton, Rex Bergin, Daphne McKenzie, Jebadiah Baker, Kiara Richards, Ross McDougall, Corey Dougall, Ricky Dougall, Cheryl Groom, Asher Bushby, Bailee Pike, Chris Ewen.



It is with deep shock to the community of Narrogin and surrounding districts that the death of Wendy Moore was announced. Everyone knew Wendy and her quick friendly chats at the Guardian Pharmacy where she was employed for many years. Deepest condolences to her family and friends. She will be missed.



Belated congratulations to Matthew Podmore and Shelby Davies on the birth of Theo James on the 5<sup>th</sup> July. Little brother for Austin and Evan. Theo makes the 10<sup>th</sup> grandchild for Steven and Sandra Podmore.

Sincere thanks to Ray Lewis for providing the Watershed Ladies morning tea coffee again. Very much appreciated.

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2023, temperature 1 degree, 8am, Beryl, Carol, Maus and Daphne set off for Perth. Off to the Crown Theatre for lunch and the "All Shook Up" show. A production by an all WA Cast depicting Elvis songs woven around a few, sometimes odd, love stories. A great day was had by all. The show was inspiring, awesome, LOUD, music and songs great. We had to drag Beryl out, she wanted to watch it again. A safe late trip home avoiding wildlife made a very enjoyable day full of chatter and laughter



Last Thursday, two members of The Village attended "Forget Me Not Memory Café" at the Gnarojin Community Garden, Hale Street, Narrogin. Although this is essentially for persons living with Dementia and their carers, we were welcomed with open arms and enjoyed the frivolity of the morning with much food followed by a lovely guitar playing lady who handed out song books and we all joined in the singing. This is held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month from 10.30am and would welcome visitors. We wandered around the extensive community garden after we left the morning tea.



No need to remind anyone it's been cold. We are all feeling it. So having spent almost all of June and now July hibernating like a bear it is probably time to get out and about. Just a walk around the garden shows that the weeds haven't been dormant, but are actually thriving and have gone rampant. Temperatures in the morning make it very hard to get out of bed unless you have no alternative. At the end of this raving on it is in reality the middle of Winter and where else would you live. Alaska!!



## Games and Afternoon Tea

At Yealering CWA Room

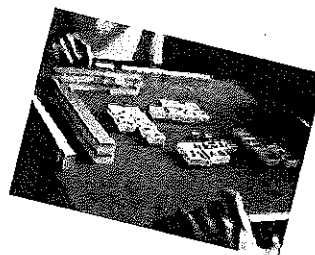
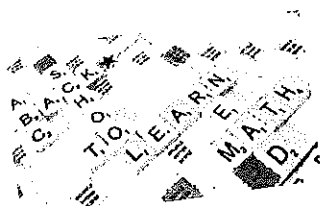
Friday the 28<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Games commence at 1pm with Afternoon

Tea from 2.30pm

White elephant stall open, for anyone interested in picking up a pre-loved bargain.

All proceeds to Yealering Progress Association



# What's On In Wickepin Shire

## Mondays:

Watershed News every second Monday:

Fit Pursuit 6am~6.45am @ Wickepin Community Centre

## Tuesdays:

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

Pathology Service~ Appointment Only @ Wickepin Health Centre  
Phone No 98881104

Yoga at Harrismith Hall 6pm – 7.30pm – all welcome  
Further details: Ph Tara: 0427 333171

## Wednesdays:

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

Chair Aerobics 9.00am – 10.00am Wickepin Health Centre

## Thursdays:

Fit Pursuit 5.45am~6.35am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Wickepin Playgroup 9.00am – 11.30am during school term. Ages 0-5

Local Vocals with Mazz – 6pm in Narrogin

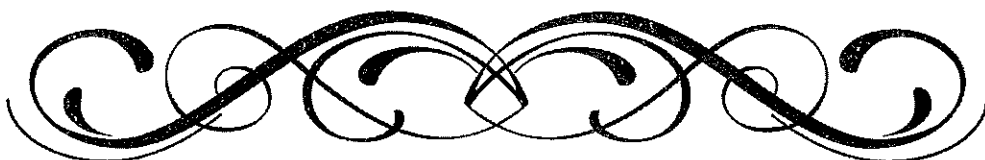
## Saturdays:

Banksia Bowmen Archery- Wickepin Community Centre @ 1pm  
Club Equipment Available

## Sundays:

Anglican Church every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday @ 8am

Wickepin Pot Club Bowls until September



## Dinner and show with entertainer Patrick McMahon

Last Friday night the Lake Yealering Golf Club hosted a wonderful night with people travelling from Narrogin, Pingelly, Wickepin, and Nannup.

A delicious dinner prepared by Christine Hill was served followed by a fantastic up-beat performance by the very entertaining Patrick McMahon. His rendition of "Fiddler on The Roof -If I were a rich man" impersonating Johnny Cash, John Denver, Elvis Presley, Bob Dylan and Slim Dusty was a highlight and showcased his great talent.

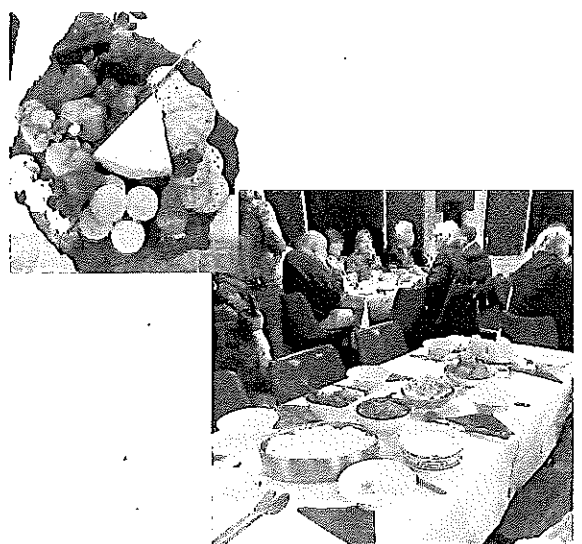
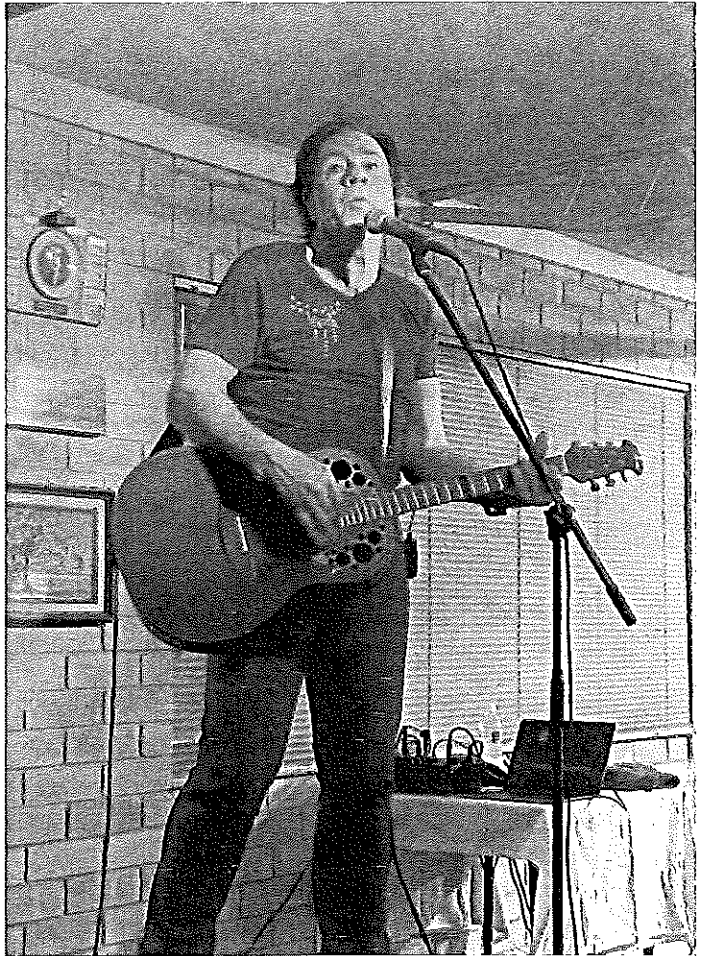
The clubhouse was "abuzz" with laughter and song with everyone enjoying a few drinks, great food, live music and good company.

Some people may remember Patrick as he performed regularly at the Wickepin Sports Club and around the district well over 40 years ago when he was first starting out on his musical career. He is now based in Sydney and performs mainly on cruise ships. He has travelled the world with his show and was delighted to perform for us at Yealering.

Thank you to Craig and Karen Jespersen for organising a very enjoyable evening and to the many people that manned the bar, worked in the kitchen, and helped with the setting and cleaning up of the clubhouse.

Many thanks and plaudits to Patrick McMahon for the great performance and best wishes on your return to Sydney. We look forward to the next show!!!

Congratulations and well done to the Lake Yealering Golf Club and everyone involved in holding this fantastic toe-tapping show. A memorable evening, enjoyed by all who attended.





## REGIONAL COLUMN

[www.dmirs.wa.gov.au](http://www.dmirs.wa.gov.au) [www.wa.gov.au](http://www.wa.gov.au)

### With Senior Regional Officer for the South West, Annetta Bellingeri

#### Retailers must act honestly on extended warranties

It's a familiar scenario for many shoppers – you're about to pay for a new car or appliance, then the salesperson tries to 'upsell' you with an extended warranty for things that may go wrong after the manufacturer's warranty expires.

As the end of financial year sales roll around, we want consumers to seriously question whether buying this type of insurance policy means paying for rights they already have for free under the Australian Consumer Law (ACL).

These rights require retailers to help you if a product breaks within a reasonable period of time, regardless of any extended warranty purchased or if the manufacturer's warranty has lapsed.

In the last 12 months, Consumer Protection has received 420 enquiries and 113 complaints about extended warranties, mostly relating to the purchase of motor vehicles. We also heard from consumers who encountered issues after buying extended warranties on washing machines & dryers, televisions, microwaves, furniture, and even on an air-con remote controller.

The main issues involved consumers being unable to seek a satisfactory remedy after a fault developed, or unaware their particular issue wasn't covered under the policy.

A recent investigation by consumer advocacy group CHOICE found 91 per cent of major electrical stores visited by a mystery shopper were trying to upsell customers with extended warranties that offered no more for the customers than their rights under the ACL.

Nobody likes wasting money – so next time you're offered an extended warranty in a shop or car dealership, ask the salesperson directly about the benefits over and above your existing rights under the ACL to a refund, replacement or repair if the product is faulty.

Also ask whether the policy has any important exclusions and restrictions, or special requirements to ensure the extended warranty policy remains valid, such as a cleaning regime or regular servicing of a vehicle with the selling dealer.

Failure due to fair wear and tear may not be covered, so consider whether the cost of an extended warranty is worth it compared with the cost of the product and its likely lifespan.

It is against the law for a retailer to mislead you or use unfair tactics to pressure you into buying an extended warranty, so report any instances of this to Consumer Protection via our [website](http://www.consumerprotection.wa.gov.au) at [www.consumerprotection.wa.gov.au](http://www.consumerprotection.wa.gov.au) or email [consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au](mailto:consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au) or call 1300 30 40 54.



## Ordinary Meeting of Council

The July Ordinary Meeting of Council was held on Wednesday 19 July 2023.

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Wednesday 16 August 2023, Council Chambers, 77 Wogolin Road, Wickpin. The Shire of Wickpin welcomes community participation during public question time. Members of the public are able to ask questions relating to the business of the Council.

For further information and guidelines regarding public question time please contact the Shire Administration Office.

## Email Distribution List

The Shire of Wickpin is in the process of compiling an email distribution list to keep ratepayers / community members up to date with all things happening in the Shire.

This information will also be used to update our database and implement a new system of 'quick communication' to the Shire of Wickpin ratepayers / community members.

If you would like to be included on the distribution list and to assist the Shire to achieve this, please complete an Email Distribution List form which is available from the Shire Administration Office or via our website [www.wickpin.wa.gov.au](http://www.wickpin.wa.gov.au).

## Pensioner Rebate

If you hold one of the following cards, are a property owner, and were living at that property as your "ordinary place of residence" as at July 1 of the rating year, you may be eligible for a State Government rebate on your Rates and Emergency Services Levy.

- Pensioner Concession Card;
- WA State Seniors Card;
- Commonwealth Seniors Health Card and WA State Seniors Card; or
- State Concession Card

For all queries and new pensioner rebate applications please contact the Water Corporation on 13 13 85 or online via [www.watercorporation.com.au](http://www.watercorporation.com.au).

## 2023-2024 Rates

Shire of Wickpin rates will be issued in the coming months. To ensure you receive your rates notice and to alleviate possible interest charges on late payments, please make sure we have your correct postal address on record and advise if any changes of ownership are required.

## Seniors' Xmas Lunch – Expressions of Interest

Council are seeking expressions of interest from individuals/community groups to organise and cater for our annual Seniors' Christmas Lunch, on a volunteer basis. Further information can be obtained by contacting the Shire Administration Office [admin@wickpin.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@wickpin.wa.gov.au) or 9888 1005.

## Naming of the Wickpin Independent Living Units

After many years of waiting the Wickpin Independent Living Units are nearing completion.

Submissions for the naming of the units closed on Friday 30 June 2023.

Council received seven (7) submissions.

These submissions will be discussed by Council at the August Council Meeting before a decision in September.

## Community Grants

The Shire of Wickpin Community Grants applications closed on Friday 19 May 2023.

Requests have been discussed by councillors and approved funding will be placed in the 2023-2024 Annual Budget.

Fund recipients will be contacted shortly.

## Road Maintenance

Upcoming roads for maintenance grading include –

- South Yealering Road
- Eighty Six Gate Road
- Eighty Four Gate Road

Please drive according to road conditions and abide by road safety signage.



### Bushfire Funding Recovery

Round two of the Bushfire Funding Recovery are now open. Grants of up to \$15,000 are available to replant, infill plant and / or fence remnant vegetation that is too badly damaged from fire to re-generate without support.

Successful applicants are required to match project funds for the same dollar value in cash and or in-kind.

Eligibility and Applications forms are available via [www.wheatbeltnrm.org.au](http://www.wheatbeltnrm.org.au).

Additional information can be obtained through contacting the Facey Group, CFG or Wheatbelt NRM's Regional Agriculture Landcare Facilitator Jacquie Lucas on 08 9067 3118 or [jlucas@wheatbeltnrm.org.au](mailto:jlucas@wheatbeltnrm.org.au).

### Important Dates to Remember

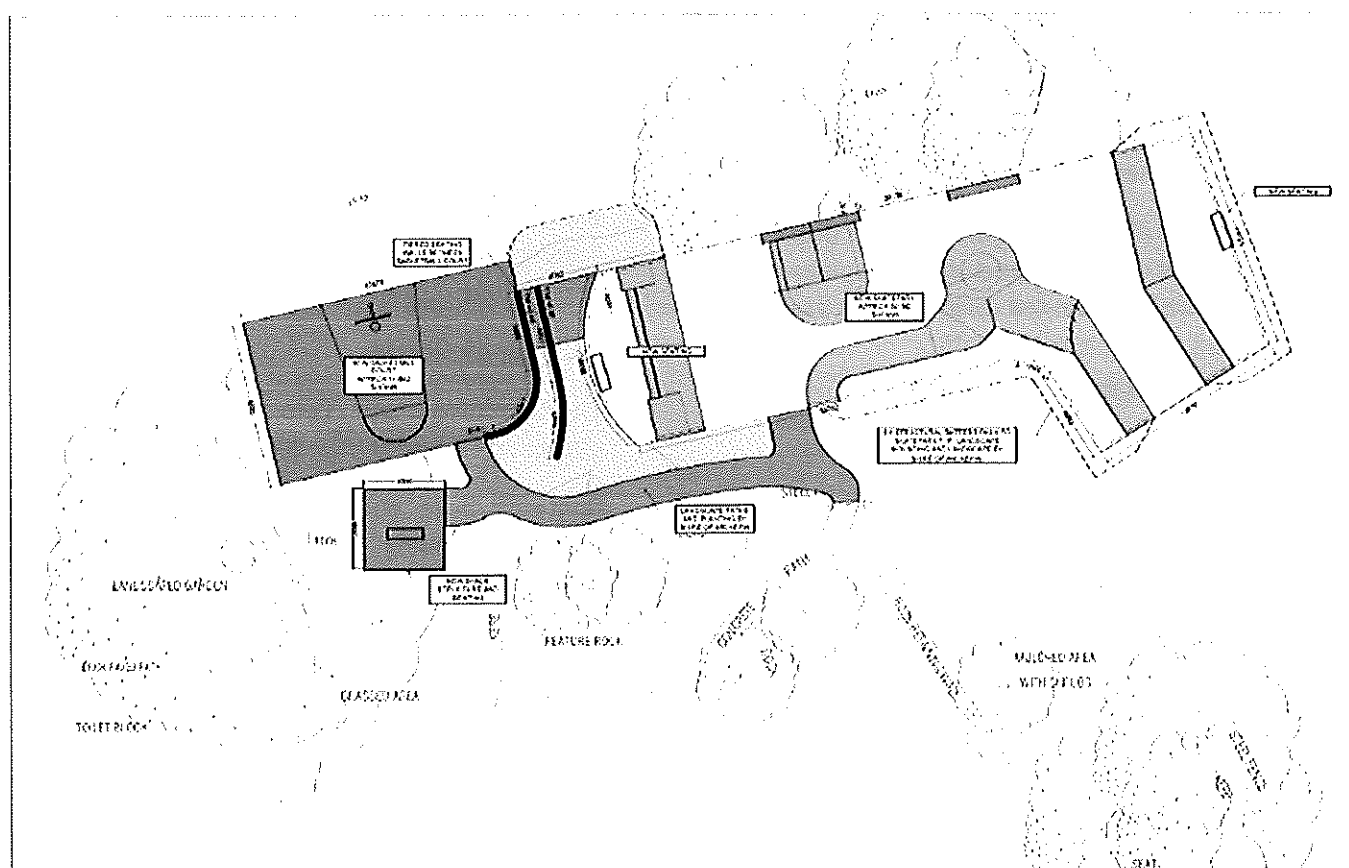
- 2 August – Lifestyle Retirement Committee Meeting
- 7 August – Albert Facey Homestead Committee Meeting
- 16 August – Ordinary Meeting of Council

### Wickepin Skate Park and Street Basketball Court

Works to build the Wickepin Skate Park and Street Basketball Court have now commenced.

Sand is being delivered to site ... hopefully the forecast rain for this week does not slow the process too much!

What we are building is shown below.





WICKEPIN FOOTBALL CLUB

# QUIZ NIGHT

& MONSTER AUCTION

SATURDAY, 29TH JULY 7PM

Tables of 8 - \$15 PP - If you can't make a table of 8, still nominate and we can make one for you!

1st place \$500 cash - Plenty of games & raffles throughout the night!

Meals provided by the Netball Club from 6pm - BYO Nibbles - Strictly no BYO Alcohol - Dress smart casual

Table nominations and auction item donations to Ty Miller: 0429881108

## GENEROUSLY DONATED AUCTION/RAFFLE ITEMS

- RAFFLE PRIZES
  - 1ST PRIZE: LOAD OF FIREWOOD - WILSON FAMILY / BEN HANKINSON
  - 2ND PRIZE: COMPANY MERCH - THE HARDWOOD CO / DUFFY ELECTRICS
- PRINTED AERIAL DRONE PHOTOGRAPH - FLAVEL & CO
- CLAY TARGET ARVO FOR 4 AT THE DOUGALL RANCH & HOMESTEAD, NIBBLES PROVIDED - RICK & MAREE DOUGAL
- 500KG BANDIT TT CANOLA (DIV INTO 25KG BAGS) - FLOYD SULLIVAN OF AGT
- HAND STITCHED TEDDY BEAR - MARGARET BENNIER
- 2 LAMBS BOXED (SOLD SEPARATELY) - FAIRHEAD FAMILY
- CARTAGE FOR LOAD OF FERTILISER - TINCURRIN TRANSPORT
- 50T LIMESAND AND FREIGHT - ELDERS WICKEPIN, OPTIMA & HILLCO TRANSPORT
- WIRE GRASS TREE SCULPTURE- TOM WITTWER
- BOXED PIG (APPROX 60KG) - TODD MULLAN, WADE ANGWIN & CHAD RUSSELL
- WOOD FIRED PIZZA NIGHT AT COLORADO FARM (UP TO 20 PEOPLE) - GRAEME & NATALIE MANTON
- STIHL CHAINSAW - YOGI MELVIN @ NARROGIN TOYOTA
- 2X WEST COAST FEVER NETBALLS - YOGI MELVIN @ NARROGIN MAZDA
- SHEAR & MORE 18V RECHARGEABLE HANDPIECE - ASHLEY STEERE @ NUTRIEN NARROGIN
- 4X WESTERN DERBY TICKETS - ASHLEY STEERE @ NUTRIEN NARROGIN
- 4 X WESTERN DERBY TICKETS - SCOTT BAYLEY @ TINCURRIN RURAL
- 1X POWERPOINT INSTALLATION - WITTWER ELECTRICAL
- 2X PACKS OF CSBP MERCH - MATT TROPIANO @ CSBP
- 3 MONTH MEMBERSHIP TO THE 'CAGE' GYM - TY MILLER
- DEEP SEA FISHING ADVENTURE (ALL INCLUSIVE) - DAVE MEDCALF & KEN MUTTON
- 6 X \$50 FUEL VOUCHERS - BRI SCHORER @ GREAT SOUTHERN FUELS
- 2KG IMAZAMAX HERBICIDE - ROY MORGAN @ CONQUEST CROP PROTECTION
- CARTON OF WINE (AUCTION) / BOTTLE OF SCOTCH (COIN TOSS) - NATHAN CAIN
- 5 BLOCKS ROCKY ROAD FOR QUIZ ROUND WINNERS - MICHELLE MILLER
- \$500 FIRST PRIZE FOR QUIZ - REECE DRAYTON @ ELDERS NARROGIN



Government of Western Australia  
WA Country Health Service

# 2023 Child Influenza Vaccines

**Free child influenza vaccines are still available  
at the Wickepin Health Service**

The following individuals are encouraged to receive a government-funded vaccine:

- children 6 months to less than 5 years
- primary school-aged children (from 5 years to students in year 6)

Please phone the Wickepin Health Service on 9888 2222 to make an appointment

## Get in touch

### Wickepin Health Service

28 Johnson Street  
Wickepin, Western Australia 6370  
Telephone: 08 9888 2222  
Facsimile: 08 9888 1075  
[www.wacountry.health.wa.gov.au](http://www.wacountry.health.wa.gov.au)

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# 2023 Influenza Vaccines

**Free adult influenza vaccines are still available at the Wickepin Health Service for eligible clients**

**By appointment only**

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

- individuals 65 years or older
- pregnant women (any trimester)
- Aboriginal people 6 months and older
- individuals with medical conditions that place them at risk for complications of influenza, including:
  - cardiac disease
  - chronic respiratory conditions
  - chronic neurological conditions
  - impaired immunity
  - diabetes and other metabolic disorders
  - renal disease
  - haematological disorders

Please phone the Wickepin Health Service on 9888 2222 to discuss your eligibility.

***Clients who do not fit the criteria for a free Health Department influenza vaccine are encouraged to see their GP or local Pharmacy***

## Get in touch

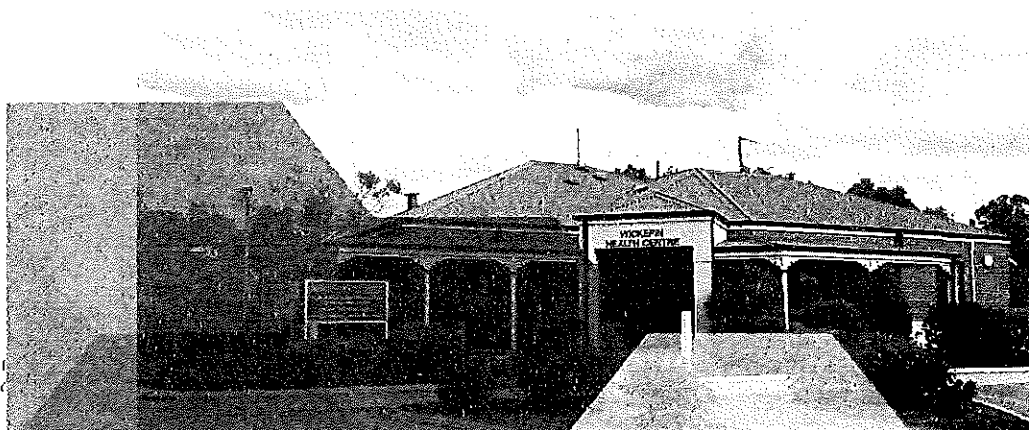
Wickepin Health Service

28 Johnston St

Wickepin WA 6370

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# LAKE YEALERING REGATTA

7 OCTOBER 2023  
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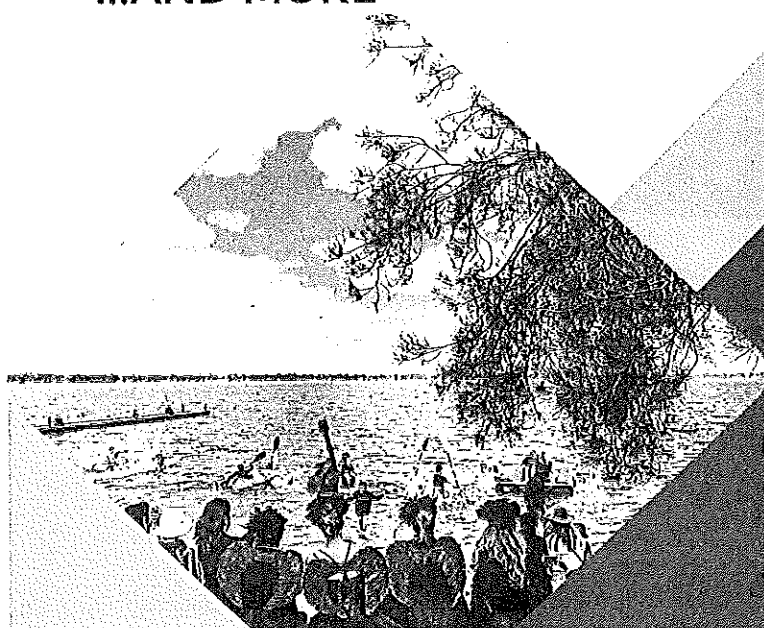
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PRELIMINARY NOTICE  
**SAVE THE DATE**



**WICKEPIN ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
**100 years of consecration**  
**1922 - 2022**

*You are invited to celebrate our 100 years of faithful worship, on the 29<sup>th</sup> October, at our 10.30am church service and followed by a lunch at the Community Centre.*

*Please register your interest by email:*

*[chrisirene7@bigpond.com](mailto:chrisirene7@bigpond.com)*

*[elaine05@inet.net.au](mailto:elaine05@inet.net.au)*

*or*

*phone: 0437801026 .. Irene*

*0428898025 .. Elaine*

*We would also appreciate your photos and stories for our church history display. (Preferably before the 29<sup>th</sup>)*

*And please share this with anyone you feel would be interested in joining us..*





13 July 2023

Watershed News  
Wogolin Road  
Wickepin 6370

Dear Watershed ladies

### Sponsorship Opportunity

The Wickepin Festival Committee is currently planning the next Festival on Saturday the 24<sup>th</sup> of February 2024 and we would like to invite you to be involved as a sponsor.

The Committee was thrilled with the event in 2022 which brought our community together for a family day which started with a Car Rally around the shire and then agriculturally based activities at the Community Centre. The festival also attracted visitors from Perth and resulted in around 1000 people enjoying our inaugural event.

There will be different activities for the next Festival including a Photographic display, Favourite Wheels Display, Car Rally, Wool Bale Relay and more. We would encourage you to be available to present any awards should you decide to sponsor.

We have attached a table of sponsorship options that we hope you will consider. If you have an alternative option to offer the festival with in-kind support or if you would like more information, please feel free to contact myself on 0427 886046 or Lauren McColl on 0459 635704.

We look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely

Libby Heffernan  
Wickepin Festival Committee Member  
East Wickepin 6370

	\$1500	\$1000	\$500	\$250	\$100
Naming rights for the Car Rally or Vehicle display or Festival activities	✓				
Signs and banners to be displayed at the festival	✓	✓			
Social media posts on the Festival and Car Rally fb and Instagram	✓	✓	✓		
Links to sponsors websites on Festival and Car Rally fb & Instagram	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Our logo on Festival and Car rally fb and Instagram	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Our logo in the Watershed included in advertising	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Our logo and name at the event and recognised following the festival	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

# NEWSLETTER

July 2023

## Meet the Author

On Tuesday July 18th, an audience of approximately 20 people gathered at the CRC to listen to successful local author Anthea Hodgson discuss her book 'The War Nurses'. The attendees were captivated by the intriguing story behind the book, which saw Anthea stay longer than originally intended. Anthea graciously signed copies of her book for those who bought it, and was very generous with her time. Many thanks to everyone who attended this event, with a special appreciation to Anthea for making time in her busy schedule to share the journey which resulted in this wonderful new novel.



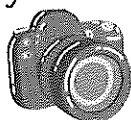
## Calling All Photographers

Get your entries in for the Wickepin & Surrounds  
2024 Calendar photo competition!  
This year's theme? "Art, History & Culture".

### Rules:

- Photos must be taken within the Shire of Wickepin.
- You may enter up to 4 photos, which must be in landscape orientation and at least 1MB in size.
- There will be a public vote to determine the winning photos for the 2024 calendar.
- Winners will receive their own free copy.

Get snapping...we want your entries!



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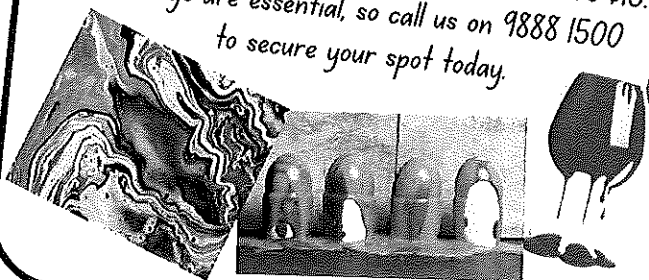


## Acrylic Paint Pouring

We still have a few places left in our Acrylic Paint Pouring Workshop to be held at the CRC from 10.30 on Friday 28th July. During this fun, artsy morning you'll explore several different techniques for creating stunning works of art before creating a canvas of your own. One canvas not enough? We have extra canvases available for you to purchase. Not fussed on creating a canvas? Bring along anything you'd like to decorate - acrylic paint is suitable for wood, glass, rocks, plastic, paper, metal, ceramics...practically anything you could possibly want to pour paint over!

Morning tea is provided, so why not join us?  
It may be messy, but it's so much fun!

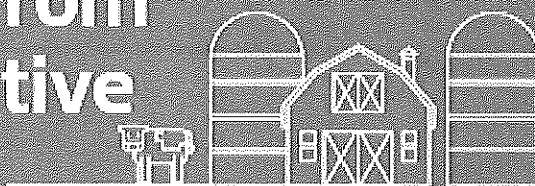
Village and CRC Members \$10. Non-members \$15.  
Bookings are essential, so call us on 9888 1500  
to secure your spot today.





AN INVITATION

# Succession Planning from a Family Law Perspective



**Addressing the elephant in the room – how to reduce the impact of family conflict or a relationship breakup in the succession planning process.**

Join us for a free and informative workshop on succession planning for those in the agricultural industry, including the following topics:

- Binding Financial Agreements (BFA's)
- Discretionary Family Trust to hold farmland
- Testamentary Trusts
- Land Transfers with clawback mechanism
- Deed of Family Arrangements (DoFA)
- Conflict of Interests
- Implementing Mitigating Measures
- Child Maintenance Trusts



**Date:** Wednesday, 16 August 2023

**Time:** 10:00am – 12:00pm

**Venue:** **Wickepin CRC**  
24 Wogolin Road  
Wickepin WA 6370

**Cost:** This workshop is free

**RSVP:** Please RSVP by Thursday, 10 August to confirm your attendance.

Please RSVP by emailing  
[narrogin.admin@rsm.com.au](mailto:narrogin.admin@rsm.com.au)

Light refreshments and food will be provided.  
Please let us know if you have any dietary requirements.

## MEET YOUR EXPERTS



**Jimmy Smit**  
Partner, RSM Australia

Jimmy is a Partner in the Narrogin office and is responsible for a large portfolio of clients throughout the Great Southern region. Coming from a farming background, Jimmy greatly understands the challenges in the industry, providing advice in many areas including succession planning.



**Bronwen O'Sullivan**  
Principal Solicitor, Lane Buck & Higgins

Bronwen is the Principal Solicitor of Lane Buck & Higgins and has been working in the Great Southern for almost 30 years. She has practiced in many areas of the law including family law, and currently focuses on succession planning and trust law.





LAKE YEALERING PROGRESS ASSOCIATION INC

NOTICE OF AGM

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> July 2023

7pm Yealering Town Hall

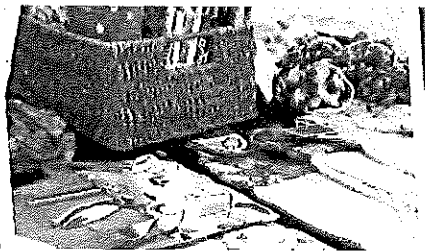
If you have a suggestion for our community please come along and share your thoughts!

ALL WELCOME

Membership Forms will be available on the night.

Please bring \$5. 00 for membership.

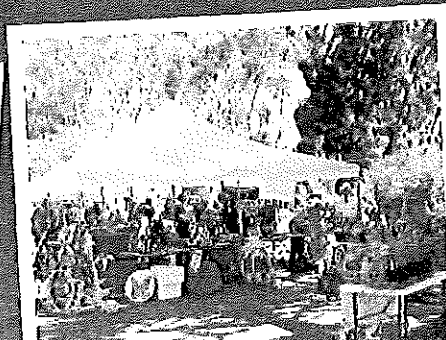
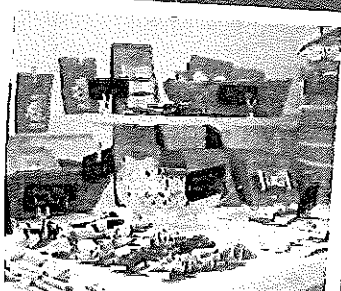
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Lake Yealering Regatta

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MARKET STALL  
HOLDERS

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(DALAI LAMA)



# KIDS CORNER



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## The Simpsons' Wordsearch

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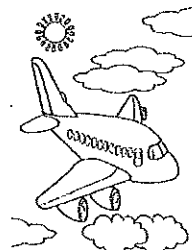
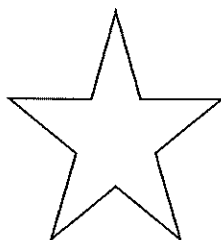
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Clues may run forwards, backwards, diagonally, up or down. Some may overlap or even be backwards!

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# WICKEPIN & SURROUNDS 2024 CALENDAR

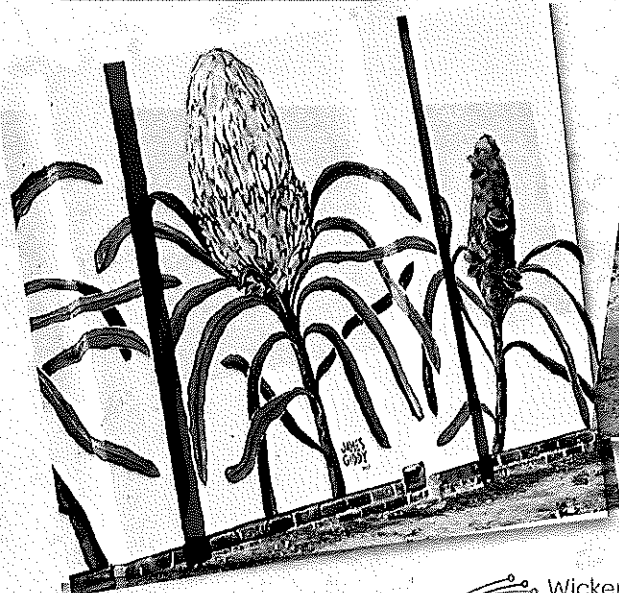
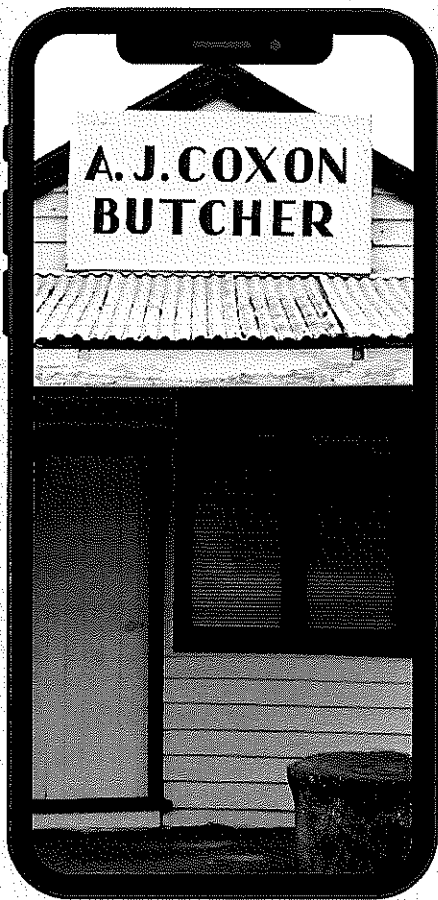
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## ART, HISTORY & CULTURE

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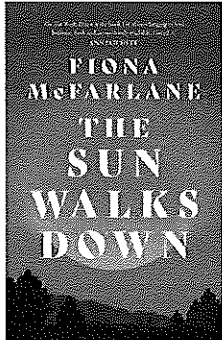
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Wickepin CRC on a USB, or emailed to  
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- Each applicant may enter up to 4 photos.
- Photos must be landscape orientation and of sufficient resolution (generally 1MB or larger).
- Photos must be taken within the Shire of Wickepin.
- There will be a public vote to determine the winning photos.
- Winners will receive recognition of their photo in the 2024 calendar and their own free copy.



New books!

# WICKEPIN PUBLIC LIBRARY



## Adult Fiction: The Sun Walks Down - Fiona McFarlane

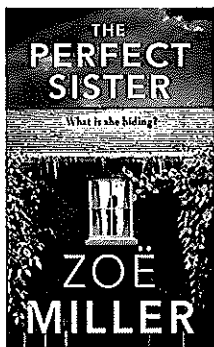
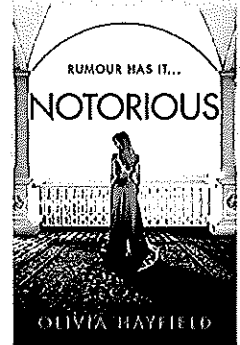
In September 1883, the South Australian town of Fairly huddles under strange, vivid sunsets. Six year old Denny Wallace has gone missing during a dust storm, and the whole town is intent on finding him. As they search the desert and mountains for the lost child, the residents of Fairly - newlyweds, landowners, farmers, mothers, artists, Indigenous trackers, cameleers, children, schoolteachers, widows, maids, policemen - explore their own relationships with the complex landscape and unsettling history of the Flinders Ranges.

## Adult Fiction: Notorious - Olivia Hayfield

Everyone has heard of the Snows. Belle, world-famous singer of Woodville fame, Teddy, acclaimed actor by day, notorious party animal by night, and their five children.

Emma Snow wants three things in the world: to become a writer, to own a cat, and to never think about Rowan Bosworth again. Handsome with a tragic past, Emma should know better than to be in love with him. She's never sure whether he actually likes her, or if she's just a pawn in one of his twisted games which he enjoys so much.

One Valentine's Day, a terrible event rips the Snow family apart. Determined to uncover the truth, Emma is forced to delve into the dark underbelly of her celebrity family - and once and for all she must decide whether to think with her heart or with her head.



## Adult Fiction: The Perfect Sister - Zoe Miller

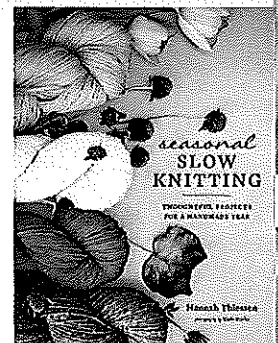
Once inseparable, years of resentment and jealousy have driven Alice and Holly apart. Though they barely speak these days, Alice knows her sister is hiding something. When she hears that a discovery at a soon-to-be-demolished apartment building has led police to re-open an 'accidental death' case, Alice thinks nothing of it. Until someone knocks on her door, asking questions about Holly.

Alice doesn't believe her sister is capable of involvement in anything so sinister. But when she tries to contact Holly, she can't be reached. Forced to dig through the past to uncover the truth, Alice also starts to uncover Holly's secrets - and to doubt her innocence. Alice wants to help her sister clear her name, but will she end up paying the price?

## Non-Fiction: Seasonal Slow Knitting - Hannah Thiessen

This season-by-season guide for knitters of all skill levels offers small steps to help you carve out time for knitting and for choosing new projects, all with the aim of bringing more ease and creativity to your knitting practice.

Hannah Thiessen presents more than a dozen projects and different types of yarn to try that are sure to inspire you throughout the year.



## NEW OPENING HOURS

**MONDAY-THURSDAY: 9AM - 4.30PM**

**FRIDAY MORNING: 9AM - 12.30PM**

From Monday 7th of August there will be a small change to our operating hours. This will mean more staff available when we're open, resulting in shorter wait times and better availability for workshops, training, children's activities and one-on-one tutorials, and will allow us to continue to deliver our valuable services to the community. For further information, please don't hesitate to contact our team.

**OPEN**

Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

## TECH LESSONS

Technology lessons are now held on Thursdays.  
Give us a call to register for any (or all!) of these upcoming sessions:

**27th July: Can You Spot a Scam? (live)**

**3rd August: 30 minute 1-on-1 tutorials (\$10- booking essential)**

**10th August: Streaming Apps**



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## School Holiday Activities

Much fun was had at the CRC this school holidays with our movie morning and two craft sessions. The kids loved the messy paint pouring, and they created some amazing canvases after a couple of practise runs on cardboard squares. The movie, accompanied by popcorn and fruit boxes, proved popular, and then we finished up our programme by learning to fold several different origami animals. Everyone's favourite was definitely the twirly birds, which we deliberately saved until last! Make sure to keep an eye out for new activities next school holidays!

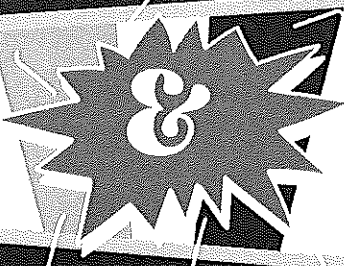




**Market Stall Holders and  
Garage Sale Hosts Wanted!**

**Saturday 2nd September**

# **FATHER'S DAY MARKETS**



# **GARAGE SALE TRAIL**

Markets: \$15 for a stall at the Town Hall  
Garage Sales: \$5 donation for advertising  
on our Garage Sale Trail Map.

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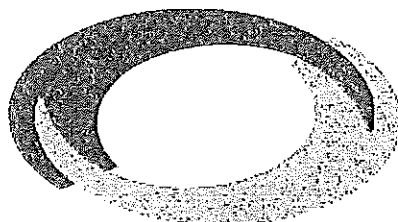


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# Succession Planning Workshop

**Tuesday**

**25th July 2023**

**10:00am - 1:00pm**

**Wickepin Community Centre**



**SESSION 2**  
**TOPIC:**  
**TRANSFER OF**  
**ASSETS**

**Lunch Included**

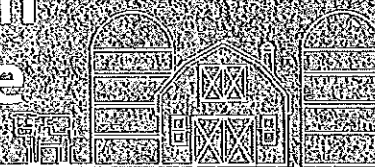
**Members FREE | Non Members \$20**

**Scan QR code  
to Register**



AN INVITATION

# Succession Planning from a Family Law Perspective



**Addressing the elephant in the room  
– how to reduce the impact of family  
conflict or a relationship breakup in  
the succession planning process.**

Join us for a free and informative workshop  
on succession planning for those in the  
agricultural industry, including the  
following topics:

- Binding Financial Agreements (BFA's)
- Discretionary Family Trust to hold farmland
- Testamentary Trusts
- Land Transfers with clawback mechanism
- Deed of Family Arrangements (DoFA)
- Conflict of Interests
- Implementing Mitigating Measures
- Child Maintenance Trusts



**Date:** Wednesday, 16 August 2023

**Time:** 10:00am – 12:00pm

**Venue:** **Wickepin CRC**  
24 Wogolin Road  
Wickepin WA 6370

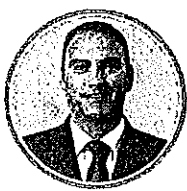
**Cost:** This workshop is free

**RSVP:** Please RSVP by Thursday,  
10 August to confirm your  
attendance.

Please RSVP by emailing  
[narroglin.admin@rsm.com.au](mailto:narroglin.admin@rsm.com.au)

Light refreshments and food will be provided.  
Please let us know if you have any  
dietary requirements.

## MEET YOUR EXPERTS



**Jimmy Smit**  
Partner, RSM Australia

Jimmy is a Partner in the Narrogin office and is responsible for a large portfolio of clients throughout the Great Southern region. Coming from a farming background, Jimmy greatly understands the challenges in the industry, providing advice in many areas including succession planning.



**Bronwen O'Sullivan**  
Principal Solicitor, Lane Buck & Higgins

Bronwen is the Principal Solicitor of Lane Buck & Higgins and has been working in the Great Southern for almost 30 years. She has practiced in many areas of the law including family law, and currently focuses on succession planning and trust law.





# THE OASIS HOTEL

WILDFLOWERS & WILDTIMES

## WE ARE OPEN

### ABOUT THE HOTEL

The Oasis Hotel is a classic country pub with a modern twist, combining the traditional roots of the local community with modern amenities such as internet and espresso coffee. We also offer delicious seasonal fresh cooked food and special dinner nights and all your favourite brews at the bar.

Located right in the heart of WA's wildflower junket, and with accommodation for visitors looking to explore the beauty of the country in Western Australia, The Oasis Hotel really does have something for everyone.

### FOOD & BAR

Real Coffee. Weekly Specials. Good brews.

Made with love, from our family to yours.

The Oasis Hotel's cafe and restaurant provides quality, fresh and delicious food and coffee. Our baristas make amazing coffee, while our chefs create authentic pizzas every day. At The Oasis Hotel, we aim to provide an oasis for your tastebuds with real food that will satisfy your appetite.

Come and join us for a meal and enjoy the experience.

### ACCOMMODATION

The Oasis Hotel offers the perfect blend of cosy, welcoming hotel rooms as well as more budget options.

Whether you're looking for a short or long stay for an individual, family or larger group we have accommodation options:

- Private hotel rooms
- Caravan park with powered and unpowered sites
- Shearers' Quarters (Donga)

### GET IN TOUCH

**Address**  
30-32 Railway Ave,  
Harrismith, WA 6361

**Email**  
[hello@theoasishotel.com.au](mailto:hello@theoasishotel.com.au)

**Phone**  
08 9883 1010

**Website**  
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Ewen Rural Supplies

### CUSTOMER SERVICE ASSISTANT

Ewen Rural Supplies is a family owned business operating in Wickiepin, a small farming community in the wheatbelt, 214km south-east of Perth. We specialise in agriculture, hardware retail products and advice. We have a variety of customers including farmers, trade clients and local community members. In addition, we also provide fresh fruit, vegetables and groceries to our community.

We are currently offering a great opportunity for a full or part-time customer service assistant to join our team

- Maintaining and growing customer relationships
- Co-ordinating inventory control and store merchandising
- Co-ordinating and providing deliveries
- Undertaking a customer service role in all facets of this business

#### About You:

- Experience in a sales or customer service role
- Strong organisational and communication skills
- Ability to use information technology and on-line communications
- Can work unsupervised
- Current Australian Drivers Licence
- Desirable – experience in agronomy or agriculture
- Desirable – forklift Licence or willing to obtain one
- To be able to work in a team environment
- Able to work a rotating Saturday roster
- Well presented, friendly and approachable

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Remuneration negotiable for the right person.

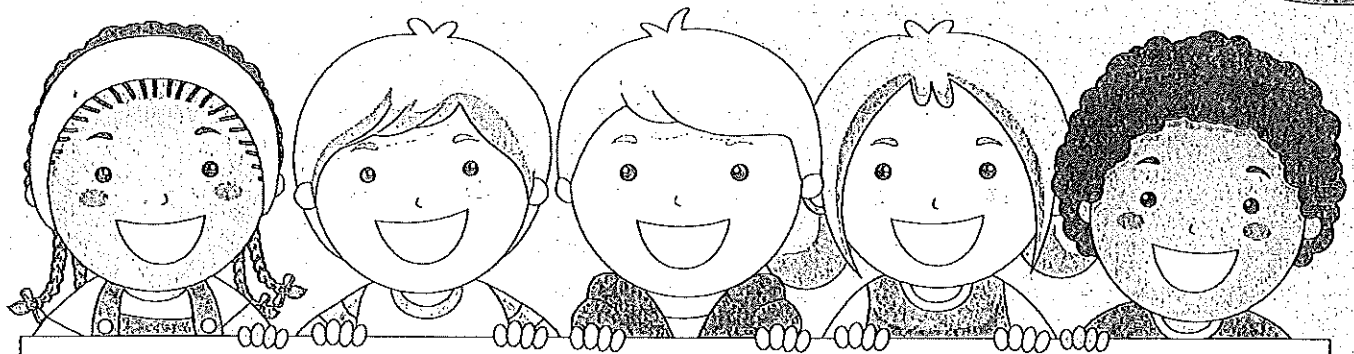
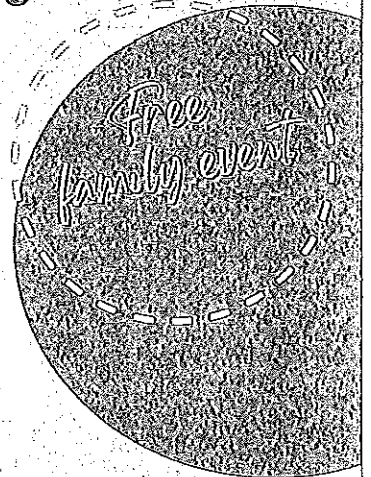
Please phone with enquiries to Jayden Ewen 9888 1002 or email a resume to [ewenrural@ewenruralsupplies.com](mailto:ewenrural@ewenruralsupplies.com)

# Families & Children Expo

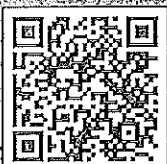
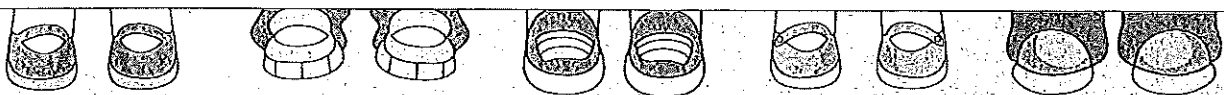
Friday 28th July 10am-2pm

Wongan Hills Civic Centre

Come and connect and be inspired by professionals, groups and resources that are available to all families and children in the Wheatbelt region. The expo is targeted at anyone involved with young children, who is interested in learning about what is on offer to help children to learn, develop and thrive.



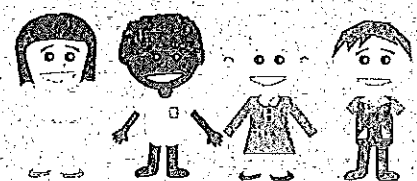
• Over 35 stalls expected • Morning tea and lunch for sale  
• Activities for both children and parents • Cuddly animal farm • Prizes to be won • Workshops and live demos for families • Free showbag on entry and much more!



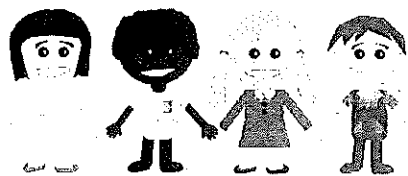
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IN THE WHEATBELT



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# Wheatbelt Early Childhood Educator Conference

29 July 2023 | Wongan Hills WA

The Wheatbelt conference is an opportunity not to be missed! Tailored for people working with children including volunteers in community groups, early years educators and teachers, plus anyone interested in joining the early childhood education and care profession. Hear from renowned industry experts and gain inspiration from the extensive choice of workshops on offer.

## Conference Stalls

- Lumen
- Central Regional TAFE
- Carewest
- Enhancing Learning
- Trumpet & ELF
- REED Inc
- MTA & many more

## Topics

- Child protection
- Wellbeing
- Professional development
- Inclusion
- Sustainability
- Special needs & more

## What's Included

- Yerecoin Traders will be providing homemade morning and afternoon tea and lunch
- Freebies/conference bags
- Door prizes
- Travel assistance available
- Free barista coffee

## Speakers



**Toni Christie M.Ed & Robin Christie**  
Childspace New Zealand



**Hans Boehm**  
Founder  
ecpd team



**Dr Paul Armishaw**  
CEO  
REMIDA Perth



**Rosemary Power**  
Department of Education  
Road Safety &  
Drug Education



**Leanne Crawford**  
Inclusion Leader  
Autism Association of WA



**Kendra Ball-Hayes & Anthea Abbott**  
Enhancing Learning



**Anne Pettit**  
Little Green Steps WA



**Rebecca Wahlsten**  
Positive Partnership



**Dabi Taylor**  
Principal  
Cloverdale Education  
Support Centre



**Tayla Noble & Alysha Curran**  
Early Start Australia

## Tickets

Tickets only \$85 with group discounts available. Check out our socials and website to purchase tickets and for up-to-date information.

🌐 [www.wheatbeltconference2023.com.au](http://www.wheatbeltconference2023.com.au) 📱 @uwiwheatbelt



# UPCOMING EVENTS FOR 2023

## JULY

Bailiwick Legal Succession Workshop, Session 2: Transfer of Assets	Tuesday, 25th July 10:00am - 1:00pm	Wickepin Community Centre
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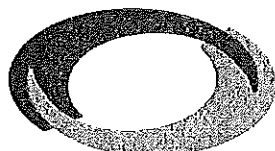
## AUGUST

Bailiwick Legal Succession Workshop, Session 3: Estate Planning	Thursday, 10th August 10:00am - 1:00pm	Wickepin Community Centre
Knee Deep In Sheep Event	Friday, 11th August 2:00pm - 5:30pm	Wickepin

## SEPTEMBER

Rural Edge Succession Planning Workshop	Tuesday, 5th September	Wickepin Community Centre
GRDC Harvest Forum	Tuesday, 12th September	Hyden
GRDC Harvest Forum	Wednesday, 13th September	Dunn Rock
GRDC Harvest Forum	Thursday, 14th September	Nyabing
GRDC Harvest Forum	Friday, 15th September	Beverley
GRDC Harvest Forum	Friday, 22nd September	Cunderdin

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## LAKE YEALERING GOLF CLUB

### 2023 SEASON

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2023 Fourth Qualifying Round , the sponsor for today NARROGIN MAZDA . Great day with perfect weather for golf. No wind to speak of and not a cloud in sight. There were 8 golfers to contest the round with the eventual winner being Todd Hill closely followed by Graeme Manton.

Novelties went to

Best Third No 2	M. Marshall
Nearest to Pin No 8	A. Manton
Best Second No 12	A. Manton
Longest Last in No 16	T. Hill
Nearest to Pin No 17	G. Manton
Nearest to Pin No 18	T. Sands



A warm welcome to Fred Mathews who came along for a hit with his brother-in-law Cam Nelson. Thank you to Narrogin Mazda for Sponsoring the day and to Christine Hill for a delicious meal to finish the day.

### Wickepin Pot Club Winter Bowls

Sunday 16th July 2023

Ten were there to enjoy the morning. It was another fine and sunny morning and as usual it was a fun social time. The Rink Winners were Barry McKenna, Greg White and Peter Bransby. The final play off Winner was Barry McKenna and Runner-up Peter Bransby.

Sunday 23rd July 2023

There was no Pot Club bowls. A few players were away that morning. Next Sunday all will be okay.

## Classified

**For Sale:** MORETON BAKER wool press. Good Condition - \$350  
SHEARER HARROWS - 40FT. Hydraulic. Used for burning stubble - \$500  
2 x 200 bag Gilchrist Silos with bases on. \$350 each  
0428 898 025

**For Sale:** HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Single bed, camping table, kitchen items and camping gear. Two near new wet suits (suitable for Lake Yealering Regatta in October).  
Selection of items suited to a person setting up new accommodation and enjoys Camping. Please contact: 0429 612 447

**Agistment Wanted:** 500-1000 ewes 3months-6months Phone 0429 100 641

### WE WANT YOUR ADS!

To advertise any item in the Watershed Classifieds is free for two weeks,

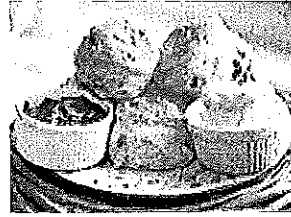
so send in your ads!



## *Scones for these cold frosty mornings*

### **Plain scones**

2 cups self-raising flour  
2 heaped tablespoons icing sugar  
2 dessert spoons of butter  
1 egg  
milk (to a soft dough)



Sift flour and icing sugar into a bowl, add butter and rub in, then the egg. Mix with a knife and add enough milk to form a soft dough.

Roll onto a floured surface with your hands and use a scone cutter to shape the dough. Put close together on a tray lined with baking paper and cook in a hot oven for 12 minutes. *A family recipe*

### **Pumpkin scones**

40 g butter, softened  
1/4 cup caster sugar  
1 egg, beaten lightly  
3/4 cup cooked mashed pumpkin

2 1/2 cups self-raising flour  
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
1/3 cup milk, approximately

Preheat oven to 240°C Lightly grease two 20cm round cake pans.

Beat butter and sugar in small bowl with electric mixer until light and fluffy; gradually beat in egg.

Transfer mixture to large bowl.

Stir in pumpkin, then dry ingredients and enough milk to make a soft sticky dough. Knead dough quickly and lightly on floured surface until smooth.

Press dough out evenly to 2cm thickness. Dip 5cm round cutter into flour; cut as many rounds as you can from the piece of dough.

Place scones side by side, just touching, in pan. Gently knead scraps of dough together; repeat pressing and cutting out of dough. Place rounds in pan; brush tops with a little extra milk.

Bake scones about 15 minutes.

### **Date scones**

2 cups self-raising flour  
2 teaspoons caster sugar  
15 g butter  
1 cup finely chopped pitted dried dates

1 cup milk, approximately  
1 cup wholemeal self-raising flour  
1 cup white self-raising flour

Preheat oven to 240°C. Grease 20cm-round sandwich pan or oven tray.

Sift flour and sugar into medium bowl; rub in butter with fingertips. Stir in dates.

Make well in centre of flour mixture; add milk. Using a knife, "cut" the milk through the flour mixture to mix to a soft, sticky dough. Knead dough on floured surface until smooth.

Press dough out evenly to 2cm thickness. Dip 5cm cutter into as many rounds as you can from piece of dough. Place scones side by side, just touching, in pan. Brush tops with a little extra milk.

Bake scones about 15 minutes or until browned.

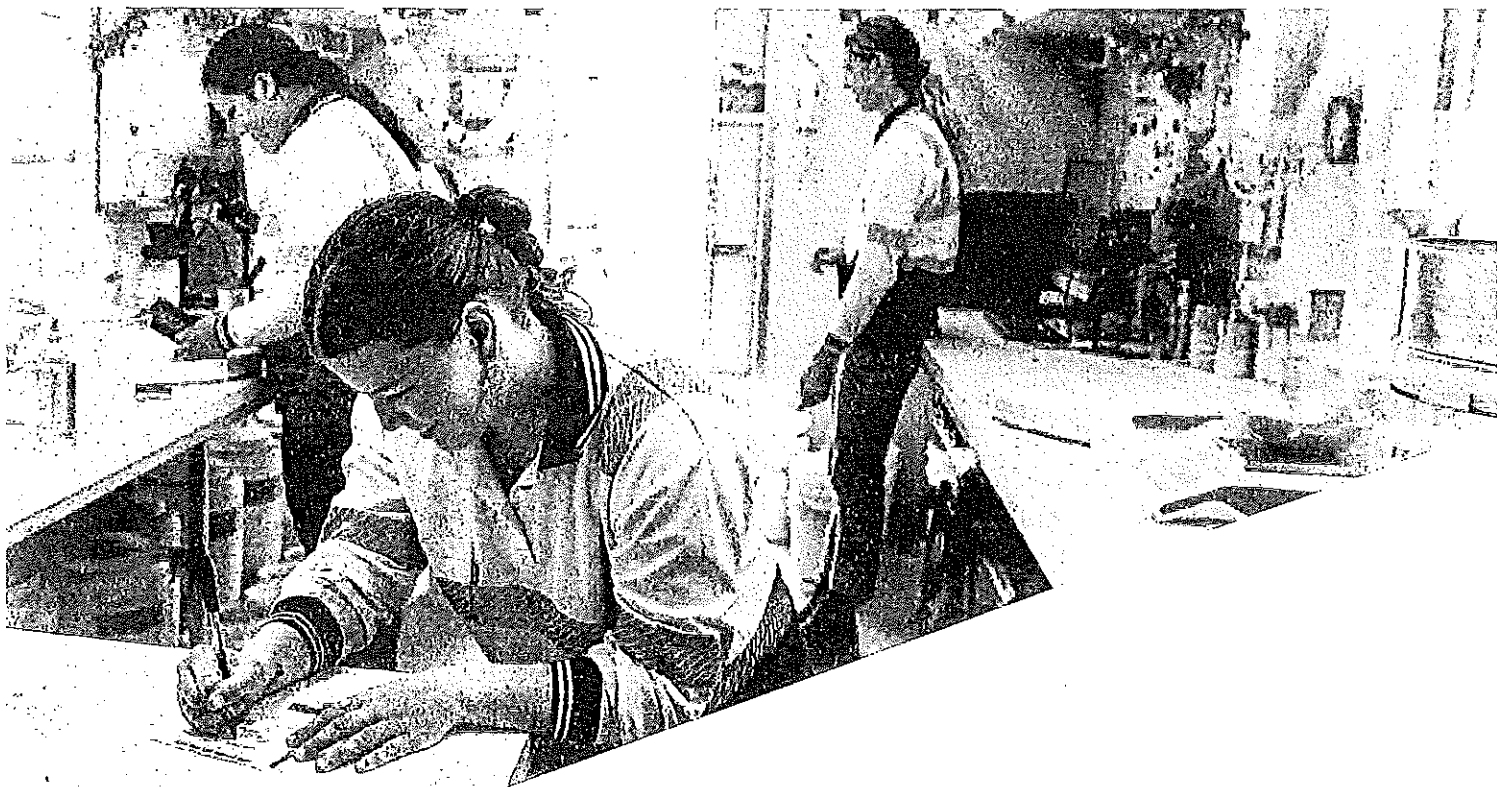
#### *Tips for scone making-*

Don't over knead the dough  
Put on a tray close together to help them rise  
Pre heat the oven and cook in a hot oven  
Best eaten when freshly made

*Pumpkin and Date scone recipes  
from Womensweeklyfood.com.au*







# Get a taste for a CBH summer job.

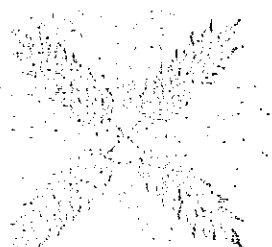
Each year, CBH recruits harvest casuals to help us safely receive the crop from Western Australian growers and keep our sites moving.

With positions available across the Wheatbelt, working as a CBH harvest casual is a great opportunity to explore, live and work in regional WA for a short period of time while earning decent wages.

Applications open 3 July.

Apply today at [cbh.com.au/harvestcasuals](http://cbh.com.au/harvestcasuals)





# Central Agcare COUNSELLING

Free, confidential counselling services are available to all. We offer counselling to all age groups from 5 years of age.

Face to face counselling or by phone servicing the Corrigin, Bruce Rock, Narembeen, Kulin, Kondinin, Hyden, Quairading, Brookton, Pingelly, Cuballing & Wickepin areas.

*Sand play and Art Therapy is available for children at the Corrigin office.*

We are qualified Family Counsellors who can help individuals, couples and families negotiate their way through distressing experiences and bring understanding to them such as:

Anxiety

Depression

Life changes (physical & mental)

Abuse (past and present)

Loss and grief and

Relationship issues (home & work)

We are here to help.

Contact our Counsellors:

Joyce Contos: 0428 891 244

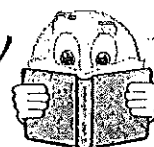
Anne Hague: 0427 133 711

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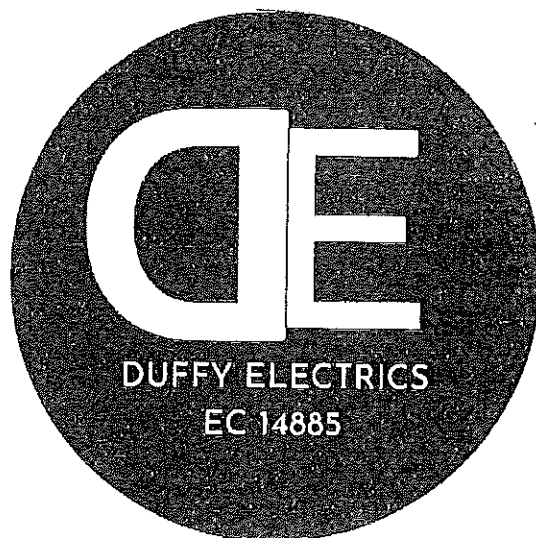
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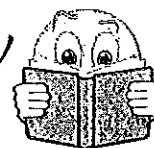


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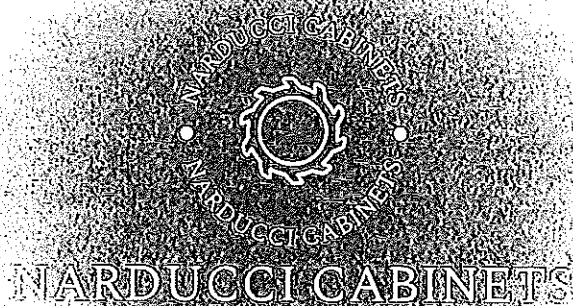
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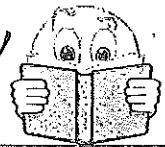


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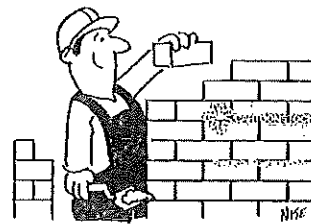
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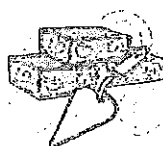
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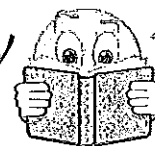
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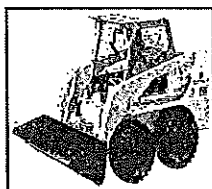
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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## JULY

### **Mon 24th Watershed News**

Mon 24th Recycling and Bin Day

Tues 25th Facey Group Bailiwick Legal Succession Workshop, Session 2, Wickepin 11am-3pm

Tues 25th Heavy Vehicle Pilot Refresher Course @ WCRC

Wed 26th Lake Yealering Progress Association AGM 7pm @ Yealering Town Hall

Thurs 27th Can you Spot a Scam @ WCRC 1pm - 2pm

Fri 28th Acrylic Paint Pouring Workshop @ WCRC 10.30am

Sat 29th Wickepin Football Club Quiz Night and Monster Auction

## AUGUST

Tues 2nd Lifestyle Retirement Committee Meeting

Wed 3rd 30 Minute I on 1 Tutorial Tech. Lessons \$10.00. Booking essential.

Mon 7th Albert Facey Homestead Committee Meeting

### **Mon 7th Watershed News**

Mon 7th Recycling and Bin Day

Thurs 10th Facey Group, Bailiwick Legal Succession Workshop, Session 3, Wickepin 2pm-5pm

Thurs 10th Wickepin CRC Streaming Apps

Fri 11th Knee Deep in Sheep.

Wed 16th Free Workshop in Succession Planning from a Family Law Perspective

Wed 16th Ordinary Meeting of Council

### **Mon 21st Watershed News**

Mon 21st Recycling and Bin Day

## SEPTEMBER

Sat 2nd Father's Day Markets and Garage Sale Trail

Sun 3rd Fathers Day

### **Mon 4th Watershed News**

Mon 4th Recycling and Bin Day

Tues 5th Rural Edge Succession Planning Workshop @ Wickepin Community Centre

Tues 12th Facey Group GRDC Harvest Workshop, Hyden

Wed 13th Facey Group GRDC Harvest Forum, Dunn Rock

Thurs 14th Facey Group GRDC Harvest Forum, Nyabing

Fri 15th Facey Group GRDC Harvest Forum, Beverley

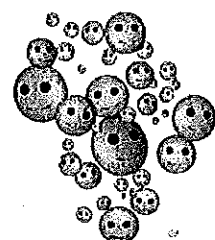
### **Mon 18th Watershed News**

Mon 18th Recycling and Bin Day

Fri 22nd Facey Group GRDC Harvest Forum, Cunderdin

Fri 22nd School Term 3 Ends

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