

WATERSHED NEWS

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

18th September 2023



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WATERSHED NEWS INC - COMMUNITY NEWSPAPER

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Next edition of Watershed News

Monday 2nd October 2023

Community Notes



Birthday greetings to Hayley Bunter, Leanne Smith, Eleanor Lang, Mavis McColl, Hayley Doncon, Sam Doncon, Malanie Pike, Glen Sands, Kieran Harris, Danielle Bird, Tristan Vitalone, Billy Martin, Margaret Watkins, Mikayla Mullan, Trevor Leeson, Lane Mail, Karen Hill and Betty Dicks

Afternoon tea will be served at the Yealering CWA room on Friday September 22nd from 2.30pm. Everyone is welcome to come along for a cuppa and a chat. A small donation to the Yealering Progress Association is very much appreciated. We hope to see you there!



There will be a whole town busy bee in Yealering on Saturday 23rd September to spruce up the town for the Lake Yealering Regatta on the 7th October. Meet at the hall for a 9am start. Come for an hour or the day, any help will be much appreciated! Please bring shovels, rakes, wheel barrows, trailers, whipper snippers, etc and lots of energy. As the saying goes "the more the merrier"

Watershed News 2023

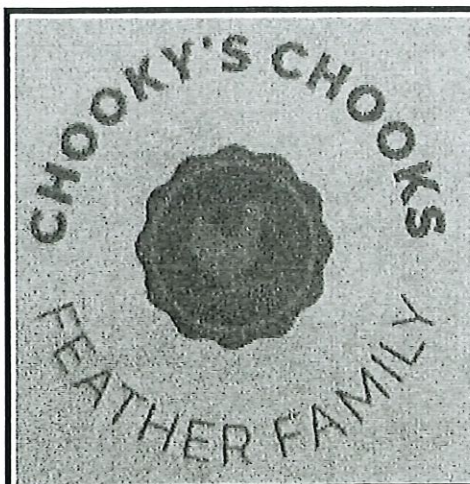
Publication Dates

Monday 2 nd October	Monday 13 th November
Monday 16 th October	Monday 27 th November
Monday 30 th October	Monday 11 th December

Classified

For Sale: 2022 TREK Bravo Mobility Scooter 700E
Excellent Condition
Contact Ted - 0427 192 726

WANTED: Unused farm house for potential sale.
Further details please contact Tony - 0478 219 289



HYLINES FOR SALE
(15 months old ex free range hens)
\$15 each

WANTED:

We buy any chickens you want to sell
US

Contact Karla—0427 426 669

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

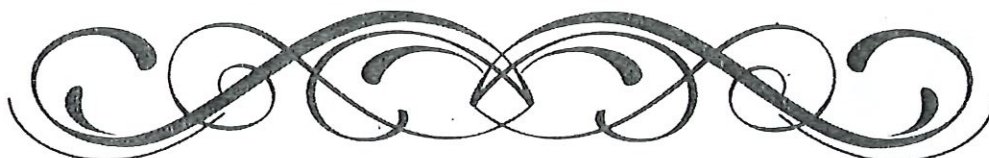
Local Vocals with Mazz – 6pm in Narrogin

Saturdays:

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

Sundays:

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



COMMUNITY GARDEN NEWS

It is with great excitement that we can announce the coming of the Community Garden. It is situated in the grounds of the Arts & Crafts building, at the end of Joyner Street or a pleasant stroll on the walk trail from Albert Facey House. Sincere thanks to the Shire for allowing this to go ahead with their blessing and help.

Last Wednesday, Colin Plumb aided by Graham Wilson, attended the Arts & Crafts rooms to discuss the Community Garden and to give a demonstration of the workings of the tubs which have now been delivered. We were very pleased to see a number of interested folk who, after the demonstration, enjoyed a cuppa and scones.

Our appreciation goes to Colin who has donated two tubs, complete with clay beads and another two empty tubs, to be used after the garden gets under way. Once the electrician has been to install the power to the tubs, then the garden will be all go.

It is imperative to know that this is the COMMUNITY GARDEN and not the Arts & Crafts garden.

Anyone who wishes to make donations towards the garden, either by plants or financially, the CRC is the drop off point.

Photos show the tubs, followed by photos of how well the hydroponics work.

Looking forward to having members of the public have a wander to the garden and check out the exciting new venture.

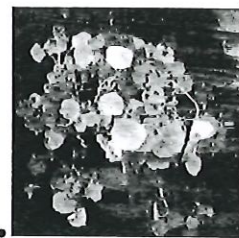
For further information please contact Ruth – 0419 526 067 or Elaine on 0428 898 025.



Garden Snippets....



Create a Colourful Hanging Basket...



Hanging Baskets full of colour make a wonderful focal point many areas of your garden, and can be hung from wherever you wish to hang one.

The secret to creating a glorious hanging basket is to use trailing plants such as Ivy-leaved pelargonium, Trailing Petunias, Verbena, Swan River Daisies and Fuchias or even fruits such as strawberries – The list is endless.

To create a Stunning flower display, plant into the sides of the basket as well as the top. For quicker results use advanced seedlings.

First, Gather your Supplies. You will need:

- Wire Basket-This is the best choice to allow planting into the sides to create a “Ball Effect”
- Fibre liner
- Seedlings
- Trowel or scoop
- Sharp knife
- Potting Mix
- Slow-release Fertiliser

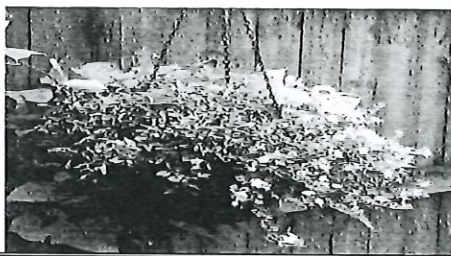
Here's How:

1. Fit liner into the basket and cut slits around the lower portion of the basket. Carefully plant seedlings through the slits by feeding the rootball from the outside and covering with potting mix, part-filling the basket.
2. Cut more planting slits around the upper portion of the basket and repeat planting seedlings as above.
3. Plant more seedlings around the top. Plant an “upright growing plant” in the centre and trailing plants around the outer edges.
4. Fill in all remaining gaps with potting mix, water in and add some slow release fertiliser. Water again, drain and hang.

A sunny spot is best for hanging, but remember that hanging baskets dry out very quickly so it is best to avoid the hot afternoon sun (and wind if possible) so a “morning to midday sun” position is kinder to your basket of blooms.

Ensure you have a secure hanging point as the baskets can become heavy with growth and watering.

For best success it is critical to give your basket regular watering as they can be thirsty creations with many plants so closely crammed into one container. Watering, along with slow release fertiliser at planting time, should ensure a glorious, colourful result in a short time.





Ordinary Meeting of Council

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Wednesday 18 October 2023, Council Chambers, 77 Wogolin Road, Wickepin.

The Shire of Wickepin 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.

Elected Members of Council

At the close of the nomination period for the 2023 Local Government Elections for the Shire of Wickepin there were three (3) nominations received for the three (3) vacant positions.

Shortly after 4:00pm on Thursday 7 September 2023, the Returning Officer, Ms Gail Macnab declared John Mearns, Julie Russell and Fran Allan elected unopposed.

The swearing in ceremony will take place at the October 2023 Ordinary Council Meeting.

Congratulations to all newly elected members.

2023-2024 Rates

Payment of rates by the due date of **Wednesday 27 September 2023** will entitle you to receive 10% discount.

Should you wish to pay by instalments, the first instalment must be paid in full by the due date of **Wednesday 27 September 2023**.

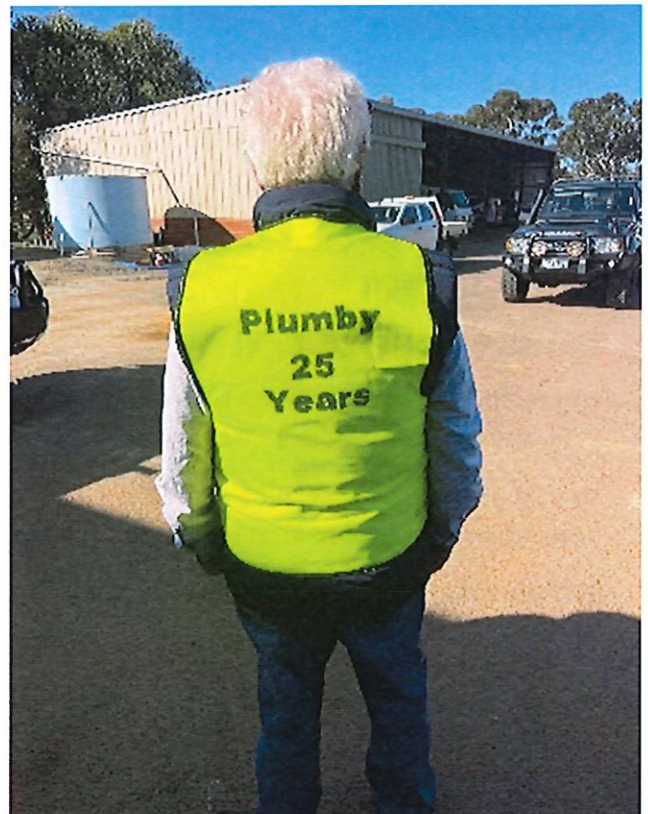
The instalment option cannot be selected if the first instalment is not paid in full by the due date.

If paying via EFT please ensure to put your Assessment Number and Surname as reference so the funds are allocated to the correct Assessment.

If you have not received your rates notice or are experiencing financial hardship please contact the shire office prior to the due date on 9888 1005 or email dceo@wickepin.wa.gov.au.

25 Years – Colin Plumb Retirement

The day has come that we sadly say goodbye to our maintenance / grader operator, Colin Plumb, "Plumby". Colin has been an employee for the Shire of Wickepin for an outstanding 25 years. Shire staff and Councillors would like to thank Colin for his 25 years of service and wish him all the best in his retirement.



Community Economic Development Officer Appointment

Welcome Olivia Melville-Main who has commenced with the Shire of Wickepin as our Community Economic Development Officer (previously known as Community Development Officer). Olivia commutes from Williams and will be based in the Office three (3) days per week.

Olivia's main focus will be;

- Community Projects
- Grants
- Economic Development

Please take the time to make her feel welcome to our Community.



Seniors' Christmas 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@wickepin.wa.gov.au or 9888 1005.

Road Maintenance

Upcoming roads for maintenance grading include –

- Harrismith North Road
- Wedin South Road

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

Restricted Burning Period

The restricted burning season commences 1 October 2023 and goes through to 13 November 2023.

This means no burning can be carried out unless you have a permit from your local Fire Control Officer.

2023-2024 Firebreak Notice - Townsite Land

All lots within the townsites of Harrismith, Tincurrin, Toolibin, Wickepin and Yealering are required to be cleared and maintained free of all debris or inflammable material. Failure to comply with these requirements renders the owner or occupier liable to a penalty of \$5,000.

A complete list of Fire Control Officers and Bush Fire information plus Council's Firebreak Notice can be found on the Shire webpage wickepin.wa.gov.au.

Harvest Ban Alerts

The SMS (text) alert service will again be in operation over the coming harvest/bushfire period.

If you would like to register your number to receive these messages or have your number removed from the system, please contact the office or email your details to admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au.

Bush Fire Uniforms

Bush fire uniforms and personal protective goggles and respirators for Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade officers are available from the shire administration

office, with one free uniform per registered brigade volunteer.

You **MUST** be registered with a brigade to receive a uniform.

Townsite Properties

In the coming weeks Shire Officers will be inspecting all townsites within the Shire of Wickepin and will be issuing notices to residence of unsightly properties.

This includes but is not limited to long grass, motor vehicles, general rubbish, etc. Failure to comply with these notices will result in the land owner being issued with a fine.

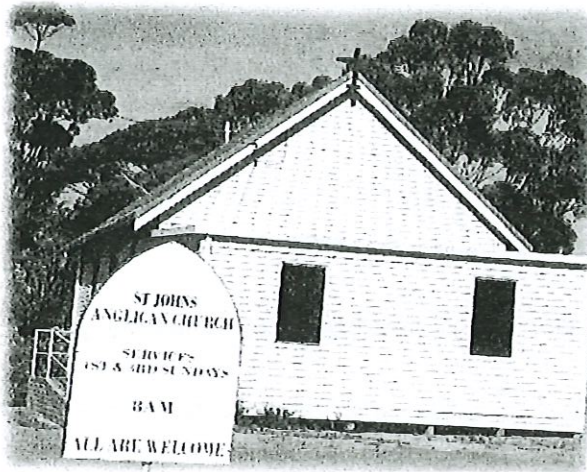
Wickepin Skate Park and Street Basketball Court

Works have near completion on the construction of the new skate park and half-court basketball court which will be incorporated into the new nature playground.

This stage of the Wogolin Road Recreation Precinct is fully funded by the Federal Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program (LRCI) and is project managed by Skate Sculpture.



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 29th 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

elaineb05@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 29th)

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





Central Agecare

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

Email: ceagcare@bigpond.com



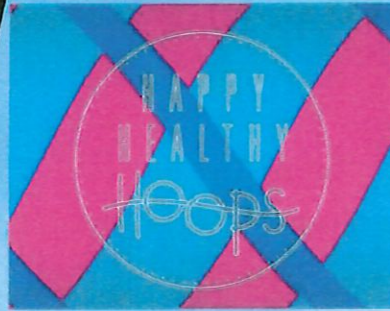
20 Kirkwood Street, CORRIGIN (PO Box 6, CORRIGIN, WA 6575)



Meerlinga presents **CHILDREN'S WEEK™ WA 2023**



FUEL TO GO & PLAY, TWIRL & SPIN, HULA WORKSHOP IS COMING TO WICKEPIN!!



COMING SOON! WATCH THIS SPACE FOR MORE DETAILS.



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Are you looking  for work?

Would you like to set your own  hours?

Are you community minded  and like helping people?

If your answers are **YES!** then we need you!

Wicky CRC are looking for people for our new
 Staying in Place Programme.

Call us  on 9888 1500 or email us  at
wickepinlibrary@westnet.com.au to find out more.



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October School Holiday Activities



Galah



Frog



Snake

Wildlife in Wicky Thursday 5th October

Ausark Wildlife Education are bringing a selection of animals to town. Meet and learn about Australian wildlife and caring for animals while dancing with and feeding an excitable galah that can fly above your head. Hold and feed frogs and lizards, and interact with snakes and creepy crawlies.

Session times: 12pm and 1pm

Location: Wickepin Community Centre
Campbell St, Wickepin

Registration is essential! Contact us on
9888 1500 to secure your place.

Free entry! Thank you to the Shire of
Wickepin for funding this event



Possum



Lizard



Scorpion



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School Holiday Scavenger Hunt Quiz

How well do you know Wicky?

First...

Collect your Scavenger Hunt Quiz questions from the CRC for just \$2. Questions can be picked up from Tuesday 26th September.

Next...

Explore our town and find the answers to the questions. Remember to be safe. Get parents permission, and watch out for snakes!

Then...

Return your completed Quiz to the CRC by Friday 6th October to receive a prize. All correct entries go into the draw to win a major prize!

- Registration for this activity is not necessary.
- Questions can be collected from the CRC any time during the school holidays, and dropped back any time before the end of the holidays to receive a prize.
- Major prize will be drawn after entries close, and winner notified by phone.
- Contact the CRC on 9888 1500 for further information.



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KIDS CORNER

School's Out Word Search

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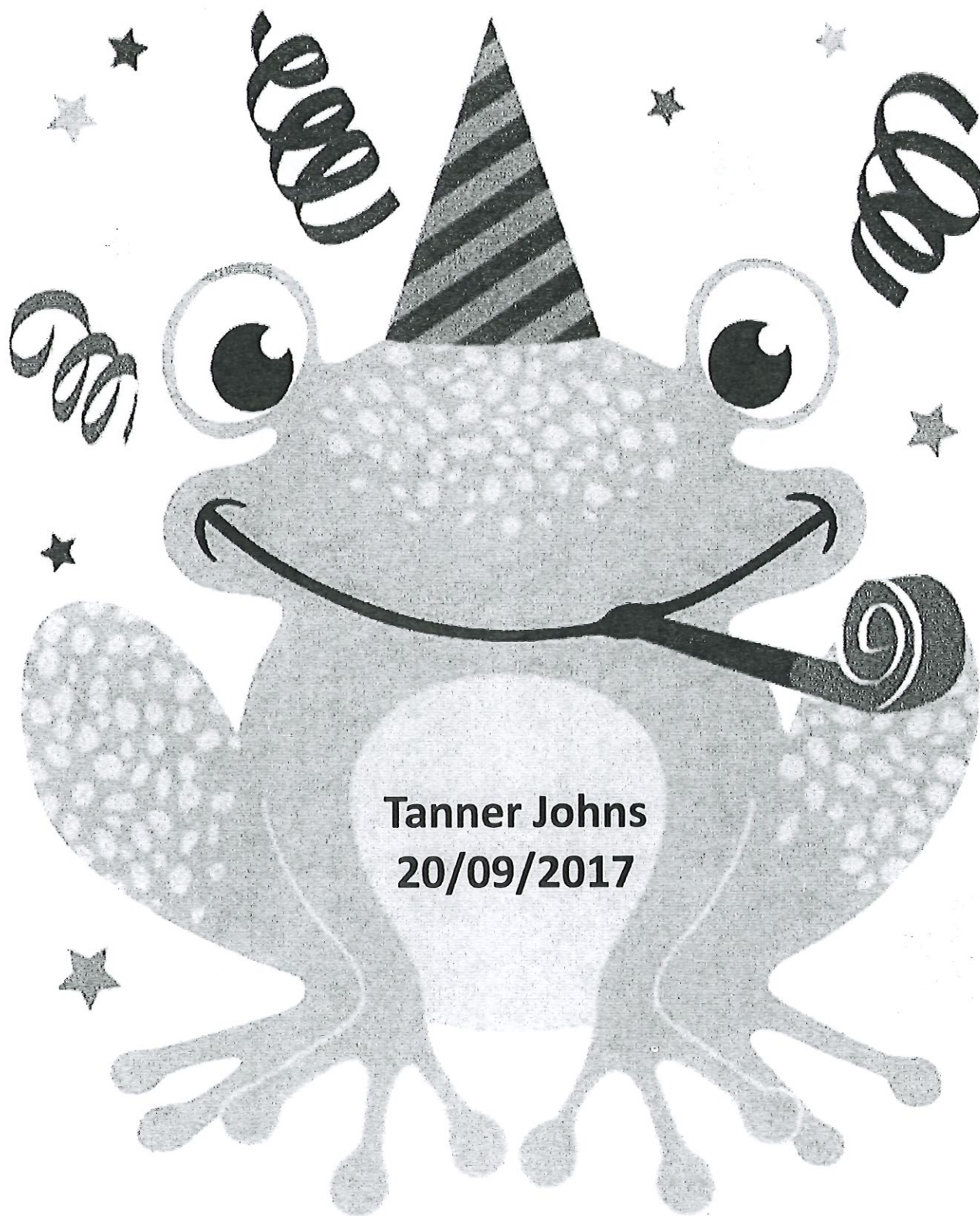
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Tanner Johns
20/09/2017

IGNITE
WICKY
PRESENTS

WICKEPIN FESTIVAL AND WICKEPIN CAR RALLY



*Markets Start
at 11am*

SAVE THE DATE
24.02.2024

Wickepin Community Centre
Campbell St - WA

Car Rally • Market Stalls • Guessing Ram's Weight Game
Food Trucks • Kids Art Display • Blade Shearing
Kid's Entertainment • Photo Display and Competition
Tractor Tug Competition • Bar • More to be Confirmed

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email us at ignitewicky@gmail.com
Or Scan the QR code





The Wicky Weekly

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to Week Eight of Term Three. While the end of term is rapidly approaching, our students are still hard at work in class and there are some exciting events taking place, prior to the start of the school holidays.

Tomorrow, Tuesday 5 September, we welcome the Constable Care team to Wicky. Junior students will be learning about pedestrian, bike and road safety. Senior students will be learning about cyber bullying and respectful social media behaviour. Students from Yealering PS will be joining us for the presentations.

On Friday 15 September, we will be hosting the Small Schools Athletics Carnival at the Wickepin town oval. Students from Wandering, Yealering, Dumbleyung and Kondinin will be joining us for this very important event. Students need to be at the oval by 8.30am for an 8.45am commencement. Parents, families and supporters are invited and very welcome to attend and cheer on the teams. Our fabulous Wickepin P&C will be running a sausage sizzle to fundraise for our school. I would like to thank and acknowledge the work of Kelly Steere, our sports delegates Jess Joldescu & Ty Miller, and our volunteers for their assistance in making this event happen; we couldn't do it without you! A reminder that this is an alcohol and smoke free event.

Last week, Wickepin PS held it's annual Footy Colours Day. We were delighted to welcome our families and community into school to join in the fun activities and show support for their favourite teams. Thank you to Kelly Steere for organising this event, the Wickepin PS team for their hard work on the day and all who attended. \$341.50 was raised to fight childhood cancer which is a terrific result.



COVID-19 and Free RAT Tests

COVID-19 is back in our community. A reminder that we have free testing kits available at school. Please call in and ask for some for your home. Students cannot take them, due to a warning label on the packaging, however, we can provide testing kits to our families.

Please test daily if your child/ren is COVID positive and keep them home until they are symptom free. Please also be reminded that Wickepin Health Service are offering free flu vaccinations for all primary school aged children. Please keep your child/ren home if they are unwell, no matter the cause, to avoid the spreading of viruses and germs.

Absentee Information

Please contact the school office on 9888 2300 to let us know of your child's absence. Emails regarding absences can be sent to wickepin.ps@education.wa.edu.au. This email address captures the Principal, Manager Corporate Services and School Officer. You can also send us a text on 0438 957 163. If you have not informed the school of your child's absence, then a text message will be sent to you at 10.00am. Please remember to let us know the reason for absences, i.e., unwell, appointment, etc.

Kind regards,
Benjamin Parkin

Dates to Remember

September	
5	Constable Care Visit
15	Small Schools Athletics Carnival
19	Whole School Assembly - Room 4/KP
20 - 22	Year 5/6 Camp
22	Last Day of Term 3

CLOSE DATE EXTENDED

TIME TO GET YOUR ENTRIES IN!

WICKEPIN & SURROUNDS 2024 CALENDAR

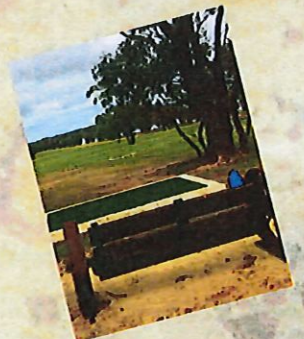
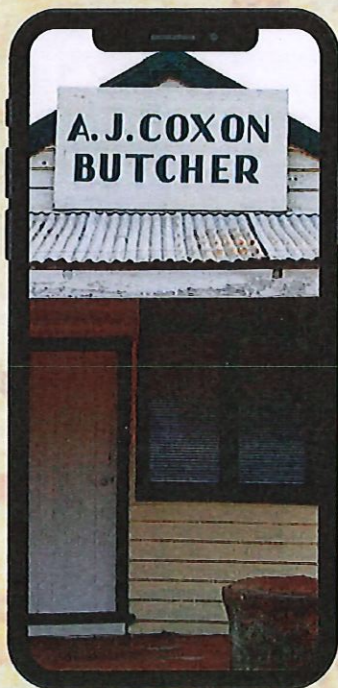
photography competition

ART, HISTORY & CULTURE

how to enter:

Photos can be submitted at the Wickepin CRC on a USB,
or emailed to wickepinlibrary@westnet.com.au

- 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.



29TH
ENTRIES CLOSE ~~22ND~~ SEPTEMBER



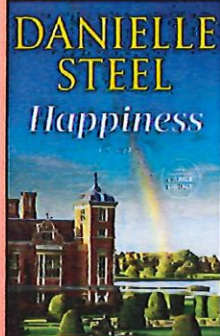
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New Books



Adult Fiction: Happiness - Danielle Steel

After an unhappy childhood and two loveless marriages, bestselling thriller author Sabrina Brooks has found the life she's always craved. Her writing, her close circle of friends and her beautiful home in the Berkshire's are all that she needs to be happy.

However, Sabrina's life is disrupted when she receives a letter informing her that she is the sole heir to her recently deceased uncle's title and manor house in England. Determined to sell, Sabrina is forced to cross the Atlantic and see the property for herself.

As she learns more about her family history and the secrets her father kept from her, Sabrina starts to fall in love with the beauty of the historic manor and its gardens. Also, she can't help but enjoy the company of the handsome but complicated lawyer who acts as her tour guide.

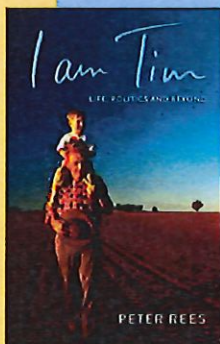
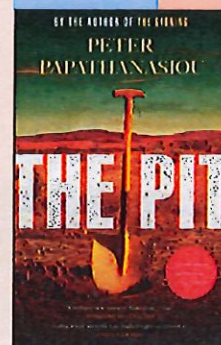
As she discovers the rejuvenating power of love, Sabrina must decide whether to gamble on her future and choose a new path, or return to the safe haven she thought she'd always wanted.

Adult Fiction: The Pit - Peter Papathanasiou

With DS Manolis on leave in Greece, Senior Constable Sparrow receives a phone call from a man who wants to turn himself in.

Bob is sixty-five years old, confined to a Perth nursing home. But thirty years ago, he killed a man in the remote northern Kimberley mining region. He offers to show Sparrow where the body is, but there's a catch - Sparrow must travel north with him under the guise of being his carer.

They are accompanied on the drive by 30 year old Luke, another nursing home resident, paralysed in a motorbike accident. As they embark on their road trip through the guts of WA, pursued by outback police and adrenaline-soaked miners, Sparrow begins to suspect that Bob's desire to head north may have sinister motivations. Is Luke being held against his will? And what lies in store for them when they reach their goal?



Biography: I am Tim - Peter Rees

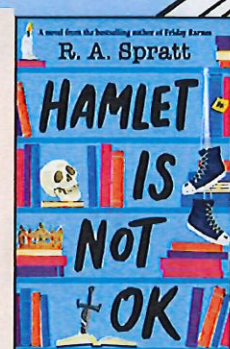
When Tim Fischer's son was diagnosed with autism, it triggered Tim's resignation as federal National Party leader and deputy prime minister of Australia. An outpouring of emotion across the political divide greeted his decision, a rarity in a political environment where few leaders choose to give up power and prominence. In *I am Tim*, Peter Rees uncovers the influences that shaped a key figure of 20th century Australian political life, from a Jesuit boarding school to officer training and the battlefields of Vietnam, time in state and federal politics, marriage to Judy Brewer and life at home. Fischer's interests and activities after politics were many and varied, spanning a diplomatic posting to the Holy See, new historical studies, and charring the Global Seed Vault in Svalbard, Norway. Tim Fischer emerges as a man of energy and ambition but also of humanity, courage and love.

Young Adult Fiction: Hamlet Is Not O.K. - R.A. Spratt

Selby hates homework. She would rather watch daytime television – anything to escape the tedium of school, her parents' bookshop and small-town busybodies.

So Selby didn't plan to read Hamlet. She certainly never planned to meet him.

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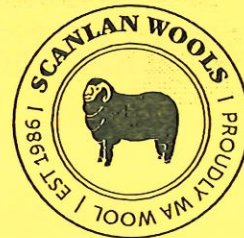
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Open - \$10

Conditions of Entry

- Primary school entrants must have a minimum stage 5 swimming or an adult present for the race, and wear a Personal Flotation Device
- Any boats that pose an environmental hazard can be disqualified at the judges discretion
- Recycled materials must be cleaned
- Boats must be human powered

Registration (one per boat)

Name: _____

Boat name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Send registration to:

yealeringregatta@gmail.com

OR

Bring form on the day

ENTRY FEES TO BE PAID ON THE DAY

Prize Categories

Primary School

High School

Open

Overall Novelty Prizes

Best Boat

Best Boat Name

Best Costume

FOR FURTHER DETAILS AND UPDATES BE SURE TO FOLLOW THE LAKE YEALERING REGATTA FACEBOOK PAGE, EVENT PAGE AND INSTAGRAM



The Lake Yealering Regatta Evening Meal

Only a few weeks left until the big day so time to get organised to order your food.

Once again, we have our fabulous cheese boxes, perfect in the afternoon accompanied with our acoustic entertainment at \$40.

For dinner we will be serving beef burgers for \$15 each with a gluten free option available (be sure to specify when ordering).

All food is to be collected in the main foyer of the Yealering Town Hall during the allocated times specified.

We urge you to prebook using the links below to secure your order:

Cheese box orders <https://www.trybooking.com/CLNFO>

Burger orders <https://www.trybooking.com/CLNFE>

Lake Yealering Regatta



Cheese Boxes \$40

An assortment of crackers, cheeses, cured meats and fresh and dried fruits.

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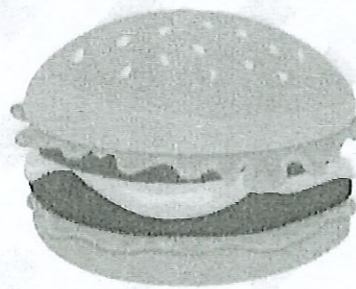


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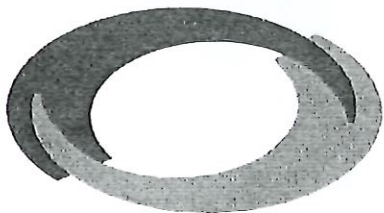


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Images entered in 2021 photo comp (from Top L: G Haddrick, H Hill, D James, H Wyatt, H Hill).

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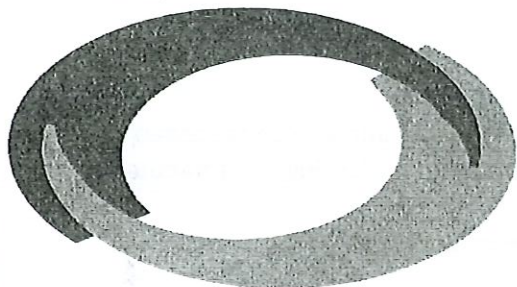
MONTHLY WINNERS

receive a \$25 Coles/Myer Voucher & will feature in our 2024 calendar.

- Photos are to be submitted via email to: comms@faceygroup.org.au
- 2 photos per month may be entered into the competition per person.
- Judging will be completed by a member of the Facey Group Committee and a Facey Group staff member.
- Entry into the competition includes permission for the Facey Group to use images in future publications and media.
- Competition will run from 1st Dec 22 till 30th Nov 23
- Camera, mobile phone and drone images all welcome.
- Winners will be announced monthly via social media.

ENTRIES CLOSE LAST DAY OF EACH MONTH

FACEY GROUP



Shaping the Future

2023 Annual General Meeting

**16th October 2023 @ 6pm
Wickepin Community Centre**

Please join us for our 2023 Annual General Meeting
Audited Finance Report for the 22/23 FY will
be presented. Light meal to follow AGM
Scan the QR code to RSVP for catering purposes

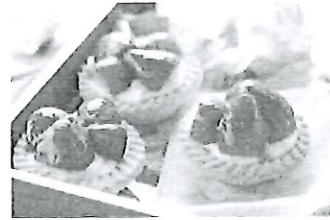


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Contact Facey Group on 98881223 if you would like to know more.



Strawberry custard tarts

1 cup milk
1 tsp vanilla extract
3 egg yolks
1/3 cup caster sugar
2 1/2 tbsp cornflour

25g butter
12 shortcrust pastry tartlets
250g small fresh strawberries, hulled, halved
1 1/2 tbsp redcurrant jelly

Place milk and vanilla in a saucepan over medium heat.

Cook, stirring, for 4 to 5 minutes or until almost boiling (don't boil).

Place egg yolks, sugar and cornflour in a bowl. Whisk until combined.

Gradually pour milk mixture into egg mixture, whisking until smooth. Strain mixture into a clean saucepan over medium heat. Cook, whisking, for 5 minutes or until mixture comes to the boil. Boil, whisking, for 1 minute or until thickened. Remove from heat.

Whisk in butter. Cover surface with plastic wrap. Refrigerate for 40 minutes or until cold.

Divide custard between pastry cases. Top with strawberries.

Microwave jelly in a heatproof, microwave-safe bowl on HIGH for 30 seconds or until melted and smooth.

Cool slightly. Brush jelly over strawberries. Serve.



French strawberry dessert cake

125g butter, at room temperature
2 tsp vanilla extract
1 1/4 cups caster sugar
2 eggs

1/4 tsp salt
1 1/2 cups self-raising flour, plus 1 tbsp extra
2/3 cup sour cream
375g fresh strawberries, hulled

Preheat oven to 180C/160C fan forced. Grease and line base and side of a 23cm (base measurement) round springform pan with baking paper.

Use electric beaters to beat the butter, vanilla and 1 cup sugar in a large bowl until pale and creamy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add salt and half the flour and beat until just combined. Add half the sour cream and beat until just combined. Repeat with remaining flour and sour cream.

Halve 125g of the strawberries and set aside. Coarsely chop remaining strawberries. Toss chopped strawberries with extra flour to coat. Fold into the cake mixture until just combined. Spoon the mixture into prepared pan and smooth the surface.

Sprinkle the top with 1 1/2 tablespoons of the remaining sugar. Bake for 35 to 40 minutes or until a thin crust has formed on the top. Arrange halved strawberries, cut-side down, on the top of the cake, pressing slightly into the crust. Sprinkle with remaining sugar. Bake for 20 to 25 minutes or until a skewer inserted in the centre comes out clean. Serve cake warm or at room temperature.

Recipes above from www.taste.com.au

Strawberry Jam

1kg strawberries, halved, 1kg granulated white sugar 1 lemon (80ml juice)

Wash and thoroughly dry the strawberries, remove the green stem and cut the berry in half or quarters.

Place strawberries, sugar and lemon juice in a heavy-based saucepan. Stir to combine.

Place the saucepan over low heat. Cook, stirring occasionally, for 10 mins or until the sugar dissolves.

Increase heat to high and bring to the boil. Reduce heat to medium and simmer, stirring occasionally, for 15-20 mins or until the jam reaches setting point. To test if the jam is set, place a saucer in the freezer for 10-15 mins to chill. Remove jam from heat and place a small spoonful of jam on the chilled saucer. Return saucer to the freezer for 1 min. Run your finger through the jam to test if it wrinkles and gels. If it doesn't, return the jam to the heat for 3 mins, then repeat the test. When ready let the jam sit for a few minutes then ladle into sterilised jars. Label and date then store in a cool dark place.

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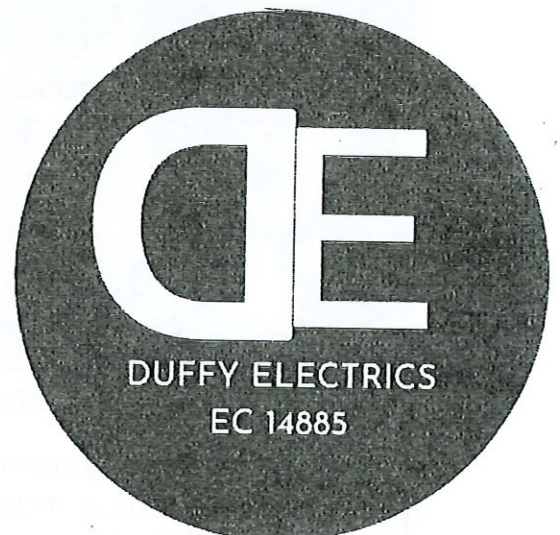
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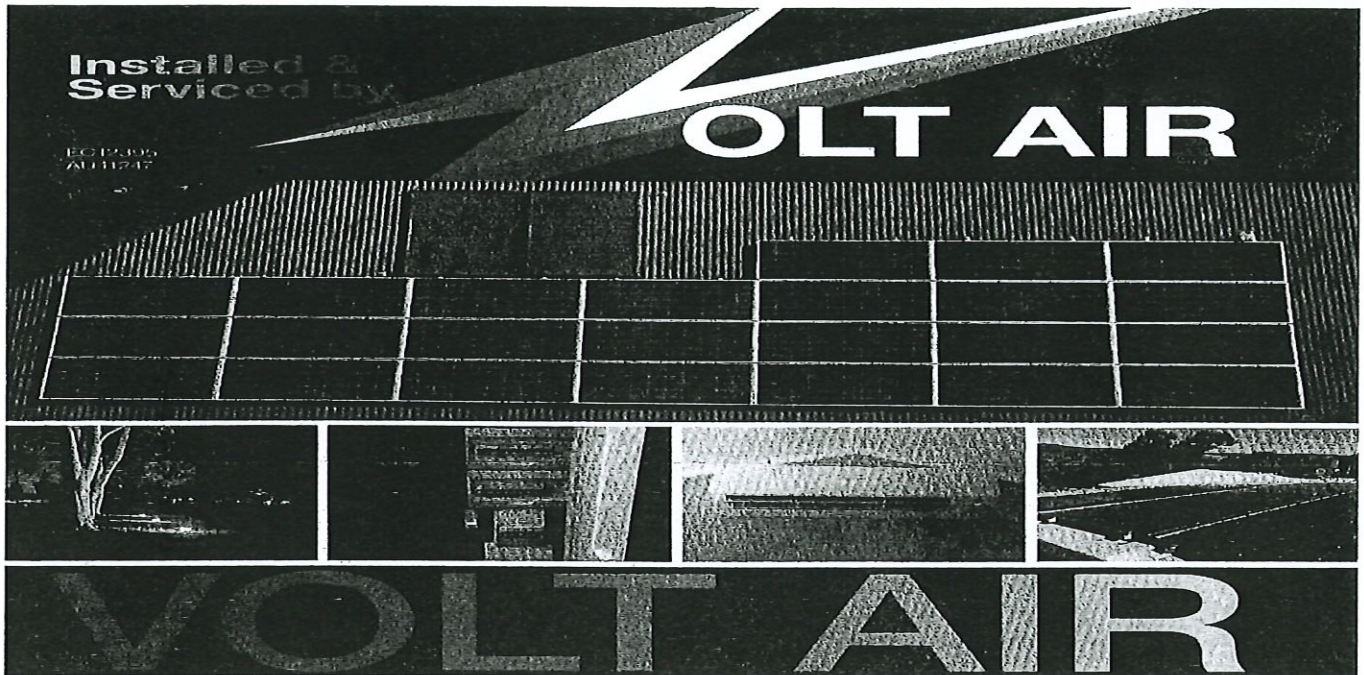
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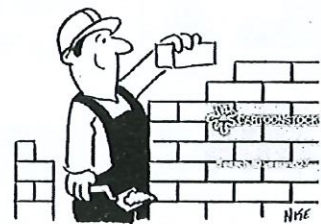


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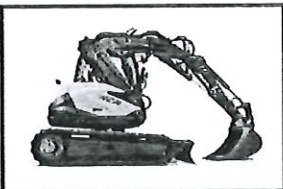
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LAKE YEALERING GOLF CLUB

Saturday 16th September 2023

A small field of 3 players played Stableford round with the eventual winner being C. Nelson, closely followed by P. Stribling.

Thursday 14th September 2023 MID-WEEK GOLF

Today the Club held its annual Mid-week Competition with a 3 person Ambrose. Teams of any compilation, men, women or mixed with non-golfers welcome.

SPONSORED BY: WESTCOAST WOOL AND LIVESTOCK and GANGELLS AG SOLUTIONS.

51 players making up 17 teams were present and the results are as follows:-

GROSS WINNER: G. Poultney, B. Blechynden, E. Blechynden

WINNER: T. Biglin, T. Bennier, L. Pegrum

RUNNER-UP: C. Jespersen, A. McIntyre, P. Thompson

THIRD PLACE: P. Manton, K. Manton, D. Stacey

Congratulations to all the winners and to the winners of all the novelty prizes of which there were plenty. Special thank you to Westcoast Wool and Livestock and Gangells Ag Solutions for their Sponsorship. Thanks also to Christine Hill and all the volunteers to ensure all golfers were well fed and not left thirsty.

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WICKEPIN BOWLING CLUB

It's that sunny time of year when outdoor socials and summer sport are about to come alive. If you're wanting to learn the game, meet new friends or lift your sport/work balance... there's no time like now!!!

Anyone can join! Never too young, (juniors welcome) to roll 'n bowl and never too old.

Is the Club organised? Sure is! Greg, Robyn, Warren, and Beryl run a tight ship; there's always something happening including Club, League, and Open competitions.

Our greens are in good nick, we know they are, but you can ask Grizz, Chris, Tommo or Oosh. Enjoy a roll any time of day.

Find mates at the bar. Join our superstars Marj, Judy, Bev, Bazz, Bob, Slippery, Killer, Banga, Peter, Bevan, Lloyd, Daph, Claire and the rest of the crew all love a good yarn. The bar is open Friday evenings.

The drinks are cold. Chilled & relaxed - Janet & Donk like it that way. Prices are good.

Nominate a team. Our **Spring Triples** (mixed/any Combo) to be held **17th September** with morning/arvo tea and sausage sizzle for lunch - please register with Warren on **0428 424 051 before 10.09.23.**

SOCIAL EVENTS OCTOBER

01.10.22	12.30 FOR 1PM START	OPENING DAY PATRONS TRIPLES
08.10.23	12.30 FOR 1PM START	BAYLEYS SPONSORED FOURS
15.10.23	12.30 FOR 1PM START	VERA WATSON MEAT PACK PAIRS
22.10.23	12.30 FOR 1PM START	SOCIAL
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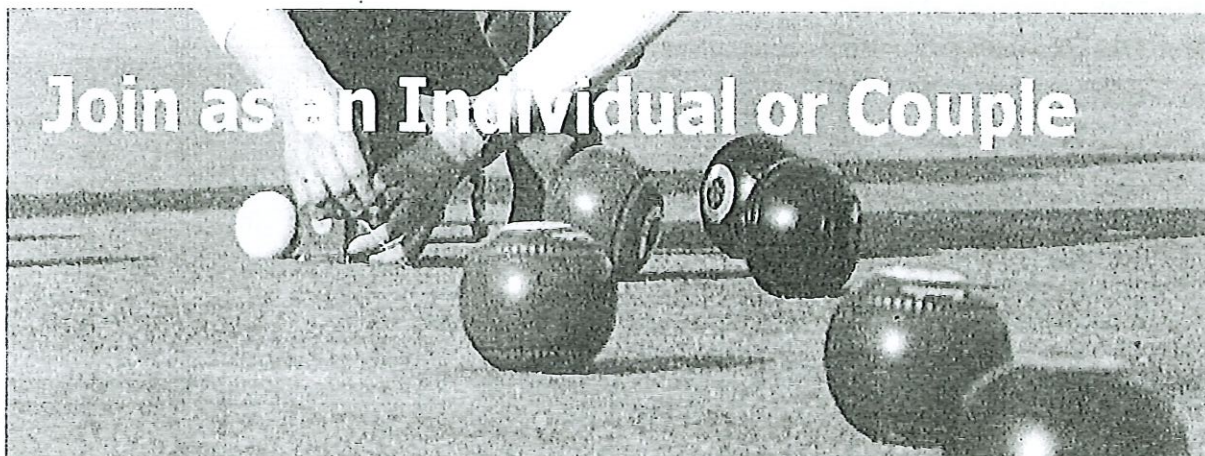
LAKE YEALERING BOWLING CLUB

2023/2024 SEASON – OPENING DAY

Saturday 1st October 2023. 2pm Start, Casual Dress

LET'S GET BOWLING AGAIN!

\$10.00 to join as a Social Member and learn how to play.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

- Wed 20th Wickepin CRC AGM 5.30pm
- Thurs 21st Fern Park on property Ram Sale 1pm
- Fri 22nd Hedingham on property Ram Sale
- Fri 22nd Facey Group GRDC Harvest Forum, Cunderdin
- Fri 22nd Photography Competition Closes for Wickepin CRC 2024 Calendar
- Fri 22nd School Term 3 Ends
- Mon 25th School Holiday Scavenger Hunt Quiz Questions, pick up Wickepin CRC
- Wed 27th Wickepin Shire rates are due.

OCTOBER

- Sun 1st Restricted burning season commences
- Mon 2nd Watershed News**
- Mon 2nd Recycling and Bin Day
- Thurs 5th Wildlife in Wicky—Wickepin CRC 12pm-1pm. Bookings essential
- Fri 6th Completed Scavenger Hunt Quiz due to Wickepin CRC
- Sat 7th Lake Yealering Regatta
- Mon 9th School Term 4 Begins
- Sat 14th Referendum -The Voice Voting Day
- Mon 16th Watershed News**
- Mon 16th Recycling and Bin Day
- Wed 18th Ordinary Meeting of Council
- Sat 21st Local Government Elections
- Sun 29th Wickepin St John's Anglican Church 100 years of Consecration 10.30am
- Mon 30th Watershed News**
- Mon 30th Recycling and Bin Day
- Tues 31st Halloween Day

NOVEMBER

- Mon 13th Watershed News**
- Mon 13th Recycling and Bin Day
- Mon 13th Restricted Burning Season Closes
- Mon 27th Watershed News**
- Mon 27th Recycling and Bin Day

DECEMBER

- Mon 11th Watershed News**
- Mon 11th Recycling and Bin Day
- Thurs 14th School Term 4 Ends
- Mon 25th Christmas Day
- Tues 26th Boxing Day
- Sun 31st New Years Eve

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