WATERSHED NEWS

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



4th April 2017



Good Friday 14th April Easter Sunday 16th April Easter Monday 17th April

WICKYLEAKS

Please note: WATERSHED NEWS next edition will be published on TUESDAY 18th April and distributed Wednesday 19th. Please get your notes in by 1pm on 18th.

Birthday wishes to: Stacey Williamson, Scott Bayley, Darcy Martin, Zen Mutton, Margaret Fleay, Ron Timms.



THANK YOU to everyone who assisted in any way at the fire on Sunday 26th March. Your prompt response and help was very much appreciated by Roger, Ryan and Jillian Tilbrook.

Don't forget to drop off your "Classroom Cash" coupons from the Weekend West and the Sunday Times from March 18, 19, 25, 26 and April 1 and 2 editions. Please drop off at the Wickepin Primary school office or the Wickepin Newsagency by Thursday 6th April. Many thanks - Wickepin Primary School P & C.

Congratulations to Ruth Bailey on the arrival of her great grandson whose name is Riley James - born to Stevie and James. (Stevie is Debbie's daughter)

Keith and Elaine Bushby travelled to Perth for Keith to have a specialist check up for his knee replacement. Wonderful to get the "all clear". It will take time to heal but Keith doing well.

The Yealering Tennis Club held their wind-up and AGM on Sunday 26th March at the club house. The newly elected committee are

President:

Emily Davey

Vice President/Captain:

Natalie Manton

Secretary/Treasurer:

Rachael Hill

Caterer:

Karen Hill

Congratulations to the new committee and many thanks to the outgoing President Dean Hill and Secretary/Treasurer Graeme Manton who have held these positions for a number of years.

Best wishes to all for their winter sports.

Take care over the Easter Break and drive safely. Children will be on school holidays.







What's On In Wickepin Shire

Mondays:

Every 2nd Monday Watershed News - Feb to Dec

Every 2nd Monday - Camera Club @ CRC 5.30 - 6.30pm

Every 3rd Monday Wickepin Community Resource Centre Committee Meeting at 5.30pm.

Hairdresser once a month by appointment or walk in at Facey Group Building.

Tuesdays:

Shedders - @ Old Recycling Shed Richter St- 9am

Banksia Bowmen Archery- Wickepin Community Centre

Body Combat -- Wickepin Community Centre -5.45pm

Wednesdays:

1st, 3rd & 5th Wed-Social Arts & Crafts 9.30am - Joyner St

Fitness Class 9.30am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Yoga – Wickepin Community Centre – 6.30pm

No classes held during school holidays

Playgroup - Playgroup Building during school term - 9.30am - 11.30am

Thursdays:

Wickepin Bowling Club - Mixed Scroungers @ 4.30pm

Fridays:

Wickepin Bootcamp – Wickepin Indoor Courts – 6.15am – 7.00am

"Be Active" Exercises - Wickepin Community Centre - 9.30 - 10.30am

Saturdays:

Banksia Bowmen Archery- Wickepin Community Centre-9am

Sundays:

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



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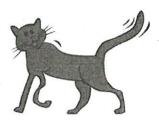
COUNCIL NOTES – 4 April 2017



CATS

The Shire of Wickepin has received several complaints recently regarding the nuisance of cats within the townsite of Wickepin.

The new Cat Act 2011 was implemented to reduce the large number of stray cats being euthanized each year and to encourage responsible cat ownership; and provide for better management of the unwanted impacts of cats on our community and environment.



What does this mean for you and your feline friend?

As of 1 November 2013, all domestic cats must be:

- a) Microchipped you can microchip your cat at the Vet and help identify your pet if it ever gets lost or injured.
- Sterilised Sterilisation will prevent unwanted kittens, reduce cat numbers in shelters and save wildlife by reducing the number of feral cats in our native bushland.
- c) Registered You MUST register your cat with the Shire of Wickepin if it is 6 months or older. Your cat will be required to wear a collar and registration tag to ensure they can be easily identified and returned to you if they become lost. Registration is from 1 November to 31 October and costs are as follows:

	1 year period	3 year period	Lifetime
Sterilised	\$20	\$42.50	\$100
Breeding cat	\$100	n/a	n/a
Pensioners	½ of registration fee		

My cat is very old, do I still need to have it sterilised?

Yes, legislation applies to all cats of all ages. However, your vet can issue an exemption certificate if sterilising your cat is likely to have a negative impact on your cat's health and welfare.

How does this affect cat breeders?

- The legislation requires that a person who chooses to breed cats must apply to the Shire of Wickepin for a permit.
- When a cat is sold or given away the seller must ensure the cat is microchipped and sterilised prior to transfer.
- If the cat cannot be sterilised due to its health or age, the seller must issue a prepaid sterilisation voucher to the new owner.

All cats found roaming will be impounded and the owner fined. For the release of an unregistered cat the registration must be paid along with the fine.

SHIRE OF WICKEPIN

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Mark Hook Chief Executive Officer Shire of Wickepin PO Box 19 Wickepin WA 6370

KIDSPORT - Available online



KidSport enables eligible Western Australian children aged 5-18 years to participate in community sport and recreation by offering them financial assistance towards club fees

Up to \$200 per child per calendar year is available. The fees go directly from the local government to the registered KidSport clubs participating in the project. (No retrospective fees will be paid.)

You are now able to apply for KidSport online via www.dsr.wa.gov.au/kidsport. You will need to have a valid Healthcare card/Pensioner concession card handy. Further information is available from the shire office or via the KidSport link above.

SHIRE OF WICKEPIN





COMMUNITY GRANTS 2017

Council invites applications from eligible community groups to apply for funding as part of its community grant scheme. Application forms have been sent to community groups.

Please contact the shire office on 9888 1005 or email admin@wickepin.gov.wa.au if you did not receive an application form.

Financial Assistance to Sporting and Community Groups Grant guidelines and application forms are available at www.wickepin.wa.gov.au.

Applications close Friday 28 April 2017 at 4.00pm. Late applications will not be accepted.

RESTRICTED BURNING PERIOD

The Shire of Wickepin is now in the Restricted Burning period 8 February - 14 April 2017. Permits are required to burn within this period and can be obtained from your local Fire Control Officer.

It is the permit holder's responsibility to prevent any permit burn from escaping the property that the burn was done on. Council can request up to \$10,000 for fighting any fire that has escaped from a permit burn. Please check weather forecast before and during permit burn to ensure weather conditions remain favourable for the burn.

	UPCOMING CALENDER
Wednesday 19 April	Ordinary Meeting of Council commencing at 3.30pm
Tuesday 25 April	ANZAC Day Service 9.30am at Wickepin War Memorial
Wednesday 28 April	Community Grant applications close
Monday 1 May	Albert Facey committee meeting commencing at 9.00am
Wednesday 10 May	Lifestyle Retirement Committee meeting commencing at 3.00pm
13 & 14 May	Dryandra Art, Food & Wine Trail
17 May	Ordinary meeting of Council commencing at 3.30pm
9 & 10 June	Country CampFire Weekend (line dancing, country music & more)

If anyone has any queries regarding any of these matters they are encouraged to contact the Chief Executive Officer or local Councillor.









Anzac Day Service

All members of the public are invited to the

Wickepin Anzac Day Service

at the Wickepin War Memorial, Campbell Street commencing at 9.30am

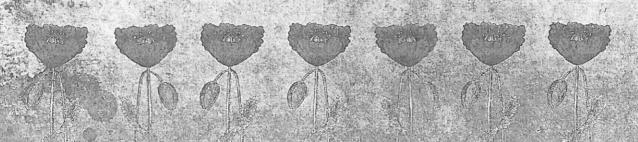
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Please bring a plate to share for Morning Cea Co be held in the Wickepin Cown hall afterwards

Please contact the Shire of Wickepin Administration Office for more information on 9888 1005



BALLET LESSONS

Half hour Ballet Lessons will be held at the Wickepin Town Hall during Term 2 on Tuesdays, starting 2nd May and finishing 20th June.

3-4 years at 3.30pm 5-6 years at 4pm 7+ years at 4.30pm

Minimum numbers are required for the teacher to drive to Wickepin.

Cost is \$80 for the term, payable upfront.

Please contact Stefie Green on 0428 144 802 asap to register your child.



The Wickepin Primary School P&C presents



ZNG

Sat 13th May | 6.45pm | Tables of 8 | \$15 PP

BYO NIBBLES WITH ALCOHOL AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE ON THE NIGHT.

LIGHT SUPPER PROVIDED.

CONTACT WICKEPIN PS 9888 1126 OR STEFIE GREEN 0428 144 802 FOR TABLE BOOKINGS OR TO DONATE A PRIZE.

Prizes galore! Grand Raffle! Silent Auction!

FUNDS RAISED WILL GO DIRECTLY TO THE NEW IMAGINATION PLAYGROUND FOR THE STUDENTS



A precious little girl with two missing teeth walks into a pet store and asks the owner -"Excuthe me mithter, do you have any widdle rabbits?"

As his heart melts, he gets down on his knees so he's on the little girl's level, and asks: "Do you want a widdle white wabbit, or a thoft and fuwwy bwack wabbit, or maybe one like that cute widdle bwown wabbit over there?"

She in turn, blushes, rocks on her heels, crosses her arms, leans forard and says: "I don't think my python weally gives a hoot."





10am to 4pm. Email arttrail@artsnarrogin.com.au for a copy of the Trail Guide or phone ARtS

Narrogin 9881 6987

Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 May Cuballing, Narrogin, Wickepin, Williams

trail 20

Make the most of your 2017

Mother's Day weekend!

Take time to soak up the art, food and wine in Cuballing, Narrogin, Wickepin and Williams.

Dryandra Country

Dryandra Country Art, Food and Wine trail is on again this Mother's Day Weekend

4 Towns, 12 Venues and so much on offer. Wickepin, Cuballing, Narrogin and Williams. 10am to 4pm. Saturday 13 and Sunday 14 May.

Wickepin, home to Albert Facey and his 'Fortunate Life' Homestead, has more than just literature and wild-flowers to recommend it. A surprising number of talented artists and sculptors live within the shire boundaries. Fine Artists to Found Object Sculptors and most things in-between can be seen at the **Wickepin Town Hall** over the Mother's day weekend. Floral art, wire jewellery-making demonstrations, Prema Sexton Photography, raw food treats and street food-to-go (or eat there) will also be thrown into the mix. Saturday will also be bustling with **Community Markets**.

An exciting new exhibition will be held at the heritage house 'Millbrook' on the Albany Highway in the centre of Williams. Textile artist Bobbie Bates instigated 'Dare to Wear' which features the creations of more than 20 textile artists, each having been challenged to make a wearable art piece.

Whichever way you are travelling between Williams and Narrogin make sure you take the brief diversion to visit **Downderry Wines** This year the featured artist is Narrogin-based Michael Beckwith.

The **Town Hall Complex in Narrogin** will be buzzing with art, produce and wine in the main hall while an exhibition of work by the award winning artist Kirsten Sivyer will be in the **NEXIS Gallery**.

Catering in the Town Hall will be in the capable hands of The Quirky Cake Queen.

A new and unusual venue in Narrogin is the **Gnarojin Community Garden** where 2D and 3D art will be found in the surrounds of the thriving vegetable beds. The café will be open and there will be plants and vegetables for sale along with activities for children of all ages.

The **Narrogin Art Group** will display the results of a Chair Challenge. The challenge went out to the whole community to decorate a chair, any chair, in whatever medium was chosen.

Local encaustic artist Dianne Strahan and her Queensland-based sister, professional artist and tutor Kelli Mac, have joined forces to exhibit at Dianne's home studio, **Dize Designs**.

Christine Davis will be showcasing her work at **Fairway Lane**, which was humming with visitors last year and will no doubt attract similar interest this time.

Chedoona Gallery in Cuballing will have the work of local artists Peter Denton and Helen Elliott on display and for sale. John Robertson, who rescued the **Old Teacher's Quarters** by undertaking the renovation himself, will put his own eclectic art collection on display as well as work by local artists including David McFall. **Sugar Gum Cottage** located at Rosedale Farm just 3km out of Cuballing will find feature artist Colleen Quartermaine along with work by Geire Kami and John and Robyn and Alex Newman. On Sunday, local catering company The Polished Plate will be offering a scrumptious High Tea.











CRC NEWSLETTER

Issue 5 - 27 March 2017

Want to know more of what goes on at the Wickepin Community

Resource Centre??

Then come along to a meeting or join

our committee, new members always

welcome and fresh new ideas are heard with enthusiasm.

Committee Meetings

Management Committee holds its meetings on the 3rd Monday of every month at 5.30pm at the CRC.

We are always looking for new committee members and therefore encourage the community to attend the meetings if they have an interest in the Wickepin

The Wickepin Community Resource

CAMERA CLUB

The Camera Club meets every second Monday of the month. The next meeting is 10 April 2017 at the Wickepin CRC.

Please contact Jodi on 98881500 or email wickepinlibrary@westnet.com.au.

Freesia Bulbs \$6 per packet of 25

Freesia Bulbs are available from the Wickepin CRC.

The Wickepin Community Telephone Book has been updated. Copies are available from the Wickepin CRC -Cost \$10



Tupperware

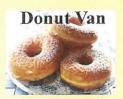


Community Resource Centre.

Volunteers are needed for the Albert Facev Homestead roster.

If you have a few hours available once or twice a month please consider helping out. Contact the CRC 9888 1500

Wickepin Market Day



Saturday MAY 13th Wickepin Main Street 10am-4pm



Sausage Sizzle

Car Display A car display is being planned for the Market

Day. We are looking for owners of vintage/classic cars to show their cars on the day. Please contact the CRC if you or someone you know would like to participate

Proudly Supported by



CRC Memberships

CRC Members get discounts on a range of services including printing, photocopying and computer/ internet use.

> Concession \$25 Family \$55 Single \$35 Business \$55





Wickepin Public LIBRARY New to the LIBRARY

ADULT NON-FICTION

Me and My Sewing Machine- by Kate Haxell ~ All the information you need to choose and use your first sewing machine. Packed with detailed step-by-step techniques that make sewing simple. Gorgeous projects to get you started.

ADULT FICTION

<u>The Secreet of Abdu EL Yezdi-</u> by Mark Hodder ~ The Beast is coming. History will be remade. Since the assassination of Queen Victoria in 1840, a cabal of prominent men — including King George V, HRH Prince Albert, Benjamin Disraeli, and Isambard Kingdom Brunel — has received guidance from the Afterlife. The spirit of a dead mystic, Abdu El Yezdi, has helped them to steer the empire into a period of unprecedented peace and creativity.

YOUNG ADULT FICTION

<u>Another Night in Mullet Town-</u> by Steven Herrick ~ People like you and me, Jonah, we drag down the price of everything we touch. Life for Jonah and Manx means fishing for mullet at the lake, watching their school mates party on Friday night and wishing they had the courage to talk to Ella and Rachel. But now their lakeside town is being sold off, life doesn't seem so simple.

CHILDRENS NON-FICTION

What On Earth WIND- by Isobel Thomas ~ Explore, create and investigate!" Includes index Ages 7+ Find out how humans have harnessed the wind's energy and travelled the world. Create an experiment using your own windmill and learn how to make a sail racer. Discover all about the water cycle and make a precipitation gauge or grow your own stalactite Thomas, Isabel 1979- What on Earth?

CHILDRENS FICTION

<u>A Home for Gully</u> - by Jo Clegg ~ Gully is a plucky little Seagull doing his best to get along in the big city. When he decides to look for a new home, he discovers something much more exciting. A ready made family who would love to share it with him.

Did you know we get new books in Every Month!!

We can also order in your Favourite Books, Audio Books and DVDs.

Have you looked at our Junior Book packs?

Why not come down and have a browse.

We also have copies of Henrietta for sale & Joe Pearce, Beyond

Hellfire and Back.

Second Hand Books 50¢Each or 5 for \$2



Hippity Hoppity into the Harvest Café



Join us for

EASTER SUNDAY BRUNCH

16th APRIL 2017

9.00 AM - 11.30 AM



(BUFFET BREAKFAST - PANCAKES - FRUIT)

FREE EASTER EGG HUNT AND

COLOURING COMPETITION WITH ALL KIDS BOOKINGS

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL BY Wednesday 12th April Phone: 08 9888 1192 or Email: manager@wickepinhotel.com.au

THURSDAY HAPPY HOUR

6PM - 7PM

COMPLIMENTARY BAR SNACKS

FRIDAY CHASE THE ACE

FOR AN HOUR BETWEEN 5.30PM – 7.30PM (START TIME IS AT MANAGEMENTS DISCRETION)

BREAKFAST

10AM - 11.30AM THURS & FRI

9AM - 11.30AM SAT & SUN

LUNCH

11AM - 2PM THURS to SUN

DINNER

5PM - 7.30PM SUN - WED

5PM - 8.30PM THURS - SAT

WE WILL BE CLOSED GOOD FRIDAY 14th APRIL

Large group bookings will be accepted for lunch on Monday – Tuesday – Wednesday but bookings are essential! Please phone 08 98881192 to discuss your requirements with one of our friendly staff



Come join aerobics in Wickepin and Stay Active

People in the Wheatbelt have a higher rate of falls compared to the rest of WA.

Some of you may be surprised that it's not the most senior, frail people in our communities that are the only ones having falls.

Whilst it is true that as we get older our risk of falling and being injured by a fall increases; older people still living in their homes are also affected.

Approximately one in three people aged 65 or over who live at home fall each year. And of those who fell, 10% will have multiple falls and more than 30% will require medical attention.

"But falls shouldn't be considered a normal part of ageing" states Paige Rae, Health Promotion Officer at the Southern Wheatbelt Primary Health Service.

"Falls can be prevented and one way you can reduce your risk of falling is by being physically active," says Paige.

In Wickepin you can become active and help to prevent falls by joining the local Stay Active aerobics class, which is an active class suitable for people 50 years or over.

The aerobics class is developed by the Physiotherapist and has the added benefits of improving cardiovascular health, decreasing blood pressure, improving mental wellbeing, helping to manage and decrease the risk of diabetes, decreasing weight and decreasing pain.

The exercise class consists of a warm up, stretching component, stretches for specific muscle groups, balance exercises and strengthening exercises.

The group meets each Friday in the Wickepin Recreation Centre at 9.30am and it is FREE.

Come along on the 12th May 2017, when Physiotherapist, Lee Conlan will be in attendance and try out the exercise class.

If you can't make it on this day, or would like further information, please contact Lee Conlan at the Physiotherapy Department at Southern Wheatbelt Primary Health Service on 9881 0385.

For further information, please contact the Physiotherapist Department on the number above.

Lee Conlan Senior Physiotherapist Southern Wheatbelt Primary Health Service

ABN: 28 680 145 816 http://www.wacountry.health.wa.gov.au





Wickepin Community Resource Centre Community Resource Centre Assistant

Part-time, 28 hours/4 day fortnight

We are looking for an energetic and enthusiastic individual to fill the position of Assistant. Practical computer knowledge, project management skills and ability to work in a team are essential.

For a full job description and selection criteria please contact Amanda Heaney on 9888 1500.

Written applications to "Assistant Vacancy", Private and Confidential, Wickepin Community Resource Centre, PO Box 131, Wickepin 6370.

Applications close 4.30pm Wednesday 19th April 2017.



PERMANENT FULLTIME POSITION

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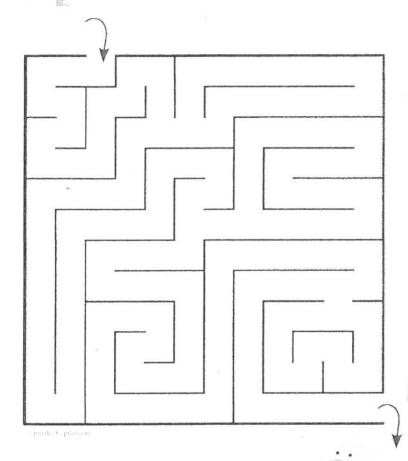
Rainfall registered at the Wickepin Post Office

3rd April 2017

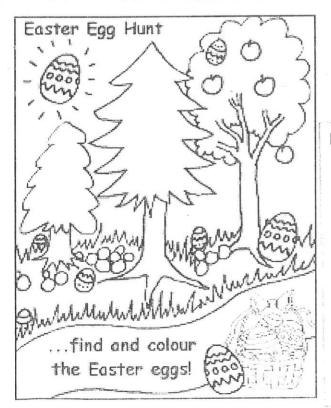
2016	mm	Days	Total	2017	mm	Days	Total
January	106.2	10	106.2	January	7.0	1	7
February	7.2	2	113.4	February	149	5	156
March	38.8	18	152.2	March	32.8	5	188.8
April	67.6	27	219.8	April	0	0	188.8
May	54.6	10	274.4	May			
June	33.4	12	307.8	June			130
July	30.8	10	338.6	July			
August	56.2	13	394.8	August			
September	33.2	11	428.0	September			
October	13.8	5	441.8	October			1 22
November	13.1	2	454.9	November			
December	16.0	3	470.9	December			

KIDS CORNER

Happy Easter!



It's Easter Day and the baby chick just hatched from her egg. Help her take her first steps and find her way through the chicken coop.



Happy Birthday!

Kate Bennier 4/4/2010 Cooper Bennier 7/4/2007 Baxter Cowcher 9/4/2008

10/4/2010

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Zachery Rance

Easter egg hen bunny Sunday chocolate chicks

Design your own footy jumper for an AFL or AFLW team



Wickepin Primary School P & C

Are trying to win a share of \$20,000 for our students.

BUT WE NEED YOUR HELP!

in The Weekend West and The Sunday Times on March 18, 19, 25 and 26 and on April 1 and 2.

Get them from friends, family and everyone you know and drop them into the
Wickepin Primary School office or the
Wickepin Newsagency by Thursday 6th April.

Every Entry Coupon Counts!

If you have any questions please contact Stefanie Green on 0428 144 802.



Wickepin Football Club

"EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST"

Kitchen Manager

The Wickepin Football Club is seeking to fill the Kitchen Manager position during the 2017 Football season. This will be for 8 home games.

Remuneration provided.

Applications/enquiries should be made to:

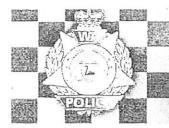
Annika Miller
0407 881 182
Wickepinfc@live.com.au
PO BOX 125 WICKEPIN WA 6370

Closing date: Friday 14 April 2017.



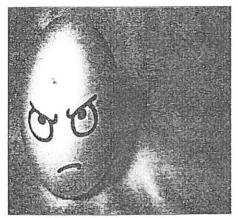
Community Request

The Shire of Wickepin would like to encourage community members to lay wreaths or flowers at the Wickepin ANZAC Day Service held at the Wickepin War Memorial, Campbell Street on Tuesday 25 April 2017.



Local news from ... WICKEPIN POLICE STATILLA

Recent Activity in the Shire



Let's all work together to keep the 'Bad Eggs' out of our Shire

Wickepin Police are sad to report that there has been some minor damage and stealing in the Shire over the last few weeks.

A couple of weeks ago someone thought it 'ok' to take 15 litres of petrol from the maintenance shed at the Lake Yealering Bowling Club. In doing so damage was caused to the shed.

Also over the weekend of 25 - 26th March 2017, someone has gone into the grounds of the Wickepin Primary School, Henry Street and caused damage to the school and playground. They have broken a water fountain, smashed a security light as well as upturning a netball pole and removing the windows to a cubby house.

Both offences are small and mindless in manor but the persons committing these are affecting your community, and the hard work you all put in to keep this community safe and crime free.

If you have any information about the above, or any other criminal activity, please contact the Wickepin Police or Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000.

(All information can be given anonymously)

Temporary Road Works

As some of you may be aware the Shire is currently conducting road works on the Wickepin - Corrigin Road near to Kirk Rock Road.

The surface of the road is currently gravel and has temporary speed restrictions in place during these works.

Wickepin Police have personally witnessed vehicles travelling through this area at speeds greatly in excess of the posted 60Kmph limit.

I would urge everyone to comply with the signs. They are put in place for your safety and the safety of the works on site. The signs are not there just to inconvenience you and you could end up with an expensive traffic





Dr. Abbie Rogers Research Fellow, Centre for Environmental Economics and Policy The University of Western Australia

A University of Western Australia research project

Community preferences for fox and feral cat management

You are invited to participate in a PhD (doctoral) research survey about your preferences for fox and feral cat management strategies in Dryandra Woodland.

This is an independent research project being conducted by Ms. Vandana Subroy at The University of Western Australia under my supervision.

As a member of the local community, your thoughts and opinions about conservation management in Dryandra Woodland are very important to our project.

We are currently conducting a survey about the community's preferences for conservation management. This survey would take only about 15 minutes to complete. It can be completed online through the following link: http://uwa.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_0DOBJVUQoJjrvSZ

Any information you provide will be kept anonymous and confidential. Data will only be used for this research and will only be reported in aggregate and de-identified form. More information is available via the link provided above. Those who complete the survey can elect to enter into a draw to win a cash prize of \$150.

The survey ends 30/04/2017. Questions? Please feel free to contact me on the details below or Vandana at: vandana.subroy@research.uwa.edu.au

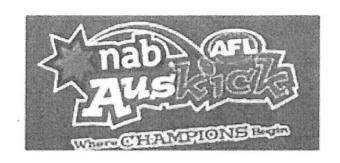
Thank you very much in advance for your help!

Sincerely,

Dr Abbie Rogers.

Approval to conduct this research has been provided by The University of Western Australia, in accordance with its ethics review and approval procedures. Any person considering participation in this research project, or agreeing to participate, may raise any questions or issues with the researchers at any time.

In addition, any person not satisfied with the response of researchers may raise ethics issues or concerns, and may make any complaints about this research project by contacting the Human Research Ethics Office at The University of Western Australia on (08) 6488-3703 or by emailing https://doi.org/10.1081/j.com/humanethics@uwa.edu.au. All research participants are entitled to retain a copy of any Participant Information Form and/or Participant Consent Form relating to this research project. Ethics Reference: RA/4/1/8443.



Wickepin Auskick will be commencing in Term 2! Boys and Girls ages 4 -10.

8 sessions will be held at a cost of \$65 per child which includes: coaching, Auskick pack, insurance and wind-up.

Registrations are now open at www.aflauskick.com.au

Payment will be required at the end of the registration page via credit card. Participation packs will be sent directly to your postal address. Online registrations close <u>23 April</u>.

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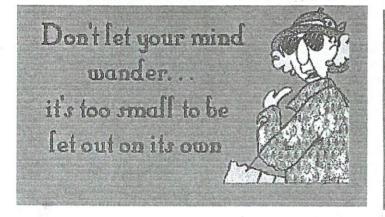
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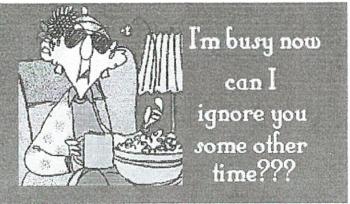
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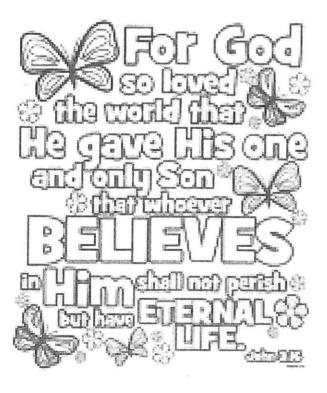
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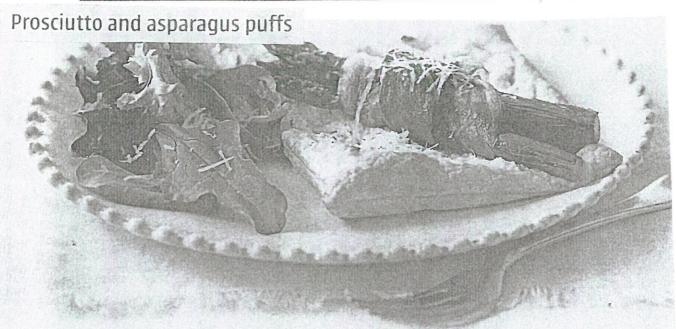
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Lay an asparagus bundle diagonally over ricotta layer on each pastry square. Place on a baking paper-lined oven tray, spray lightly with cooking oil and bake in 220C preheated oven for 10-12

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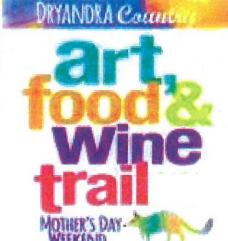
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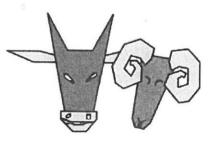
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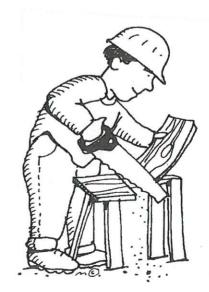
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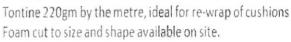
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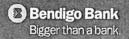
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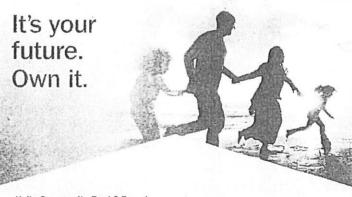
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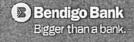
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N-Calc proves its worth

Tactical nitrogen for oats - Wickepin 2016

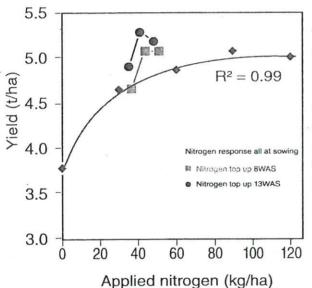
Summit Fertilizers continue to carry out some valuable field research around W.A.

The N-Calc model has confirmed nitrogen recommendations in wheat, barley and canola and now looks beneficial in oats as well.



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Yealering Yarns

All the happenings from the school at the head of the Avon, Yealering Primary School

School Community Member of the Month



Virginia Nicholls

For not only
helping out at the
Busy Bee but
enlisting visiting
family members as
extra labour! Nicely
played Virginia!

Upcoming Dates

- Thursday 6th April –
 Excursion to Narrogin Ag Farm
 - Friday 7th April Last day of Term 1
 - Monday 24th April School Development Day No School for students
 - ♦ Tuesday 25th April ANZAC Day Public Holiday
- Wednesday 26th April –
 First Day of Term 2 for students



AUSTRALIA'S NEXT LEADER!

Our Year 6 leader, Lionel McColl recently attended a leadership conference in Perth. This conference helped Lionel understand what it is like to be a strong leader and the positive impact that it can have on the school....plus he got to have Maccas on the way home. Lionel is looking forward to helping out Yealering PS improve into the future. Good work, Lionel.

Narrogin Ag College Excursion

All students will be given the opportunity to visit the Narrogin Ag. Farm on Thursday 6th April. As part of the excursion the students will be viewing the processes taken in the food production cycle from growing, processing and recycling. They will then be travelling to Country Fresh Meats in Bintamilling Arcade to make sausages. Then onto Lions Park to cook the sausages, enjoy a sausage sizzle and have a quick play before returning to



Who's This Former Student?



As a way to remember the past and celebrate the amazing fashions and bowl haircuts of the 80's, we are running a competition to see who can recognise our former students here at Yealering Primary School.

Can you recognise this person?

Hints:

- He has children at the school
- The ginger hair did not last
- He is often seen driving a truck up the 'hill'



Shedanigans

The She Shed He Shed members have had a tear down, weld on and get sorted type start to the year.

In February we started creating for the Dryandra Art Food and Wine Trail weekend in May. Imaginations have been stretched and possibly some ideas stolen to add yet another dimension to our skills and learning all to result in a tantalising stall of our own creations.

It was also the month that delivered a hay binder to the shed. Although in varying pieces the He Shedders are particularly keen to get into restoring this once proud piece of machinery. Thank you to Peter Bird and Raymond Matthews who were our delivery boys and to Tim Fleay for the donation.



March was a change of direction with the deconstruction of a large shed at the Tincurrin school site. This involved 15 people over 3 days and thanks must go to Rowan, Scott, Raymond, Chris and Danny from the Wickepin P&C for their assistance. The shed is now sitting in pieces at the Wickepin Primary School where there is a cunning plan afoot.

The welding workshop was held last week with people from Corrigin, Cuballing and Narrogin joining with a couple of locals to learn the skill or in some cases art of welding. Our patient and knowledgeable trainers, Tom Sands and John Meddings did an excellent job once again. Thank you.

Every club has plans and wishes and the Shedders are no different and we are looking forward to several new

improvements happening soon to make the shed space more effective.

If this is a group that sounds like your sort of thing or if you have a job that needs doing, contact Rex Bergin or Libby Heffernan.



Thank you Wickepin Community for assisting in raising \$3636.95 for the McGrath Foundation as part of the Women's 20 x 20 Cricket BBL Fundraiser!!





Wickepin Football Club Fixtures 2017

Round	Date	Against	Venue
Round 1	Sunday 9 April	Williams	Williams
	EASTERLONG	WEEKEND	
Round 2	Sunday 23 April	Wagin	Home
Round 3	Saturday 29 April	Boddington	Boddington
Round 4	Saturday 6 May	Narrogin Hawks	Home
Round 5	Saturday 13 May	Katanning Wanderers	Katanning
Round 6	Sunday 21 May	Brookton/Pingelly	Brookton
Round 7	Sunday 28 May	Williams	Home
Round 8	Saturday 3 June	Kukerin/Dumbleyung	Kukerin
Round 9	Sunday 11 June	Wagin	Wagin
	COLTS CARNIVAL	17-18 JUNE	
Round 10	Sunday 25 June	Boddington	Home
Round 11	Saturday 1 July	Narrogin Hawks	Narrogin
	LANDMARK 8	B-9 JULY	
Round 12	Saturday 15 July	Katanning Wanderers	Home
Round 13	Sunday 23 July	Brookton/Pingelly	Home
Round 14	Sunday 30 July	Williams	Williams
Round 15	Sunday 6 August	Kukerin/Dumbleyung	Home
Round 16	Sunday 13 August	Narrogin Hawks	Home
First Semi Final	Sunday 20 August		Wagin
Second Semi Final	Sunday 27 August		Narrogin
Preliminary Final	Sunday 3 September		Kukerin
Grand Final	Sunday 10 September		Katanning

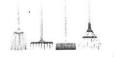


WICKEPIN GOLF CLUB

Golf starts this weekend, 8th April, so dust off the sticks and come along for a hit. Names in by 12 noon.

BUSY BEE on Saturday morning before golf. 9.00am start. WE NEED YOUR HELP.

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Community Calendar

APRIL

Tue 4th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed-Richter St @ 9am
Wed 5th	Arts & Crafts - Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Fri 7th	School Term 1 ends
Sat 8th	Golf Club busy bee - 9am
Sat 8th	Golf starts @ Wickepin Golf Club 12 noon
Mon 10th	Hairdressers -Facey Group Building
Tue 11th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Fri 14th	Good Friday
Sun 16th	Anglican Church, Johnson Street @ 8am - EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE
Sun 16th	Easter Sunday Brunch - Harvest Cafe - 9am - 11.30am - bookings essential
Sun 16th	Easter Sunday
Tue 18th	Watershed News
Tue 18th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Wed 19th	Arts & Crafts - Joyner Street, @ 9.30am
Wed 19th	Ordinary meeting of Council - 3.30pm
Sun 23rd	Football home game v Wagin
Mon 24th	School Term 2 begins
Tue 25th	Anzac Service - Wickepin War Memorial @ 9.30am
Wed 28th	Community Grants Applications Close

Mon 1st	Albert Facey Committee meeting - 9am
Mon 1st	Watershed News
Tue 2nd	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed-Richter St @ 9am
Tue 2nd	Ballet lessons Town Hall (see advertisement for times)
Wed 3rd	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Sun 7th	Anglican Church, Johnson Street @ 8am
Tue 9th	Drum Muster - Bookings essential 8am-4.30pm
Tue 9th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed-Richter St @ 9am
Tue 9th	Ballet lessons Town Hall (see advertisement for times)
Tue 9th &	
Wed 10th	Country Campfire weekend
Wed 10th	Lifestyle Retirement Committee meeting @ 3pm
Sat 13th	Quiz night - Wickepin Community Centre
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