

# WATERSHED NEWS

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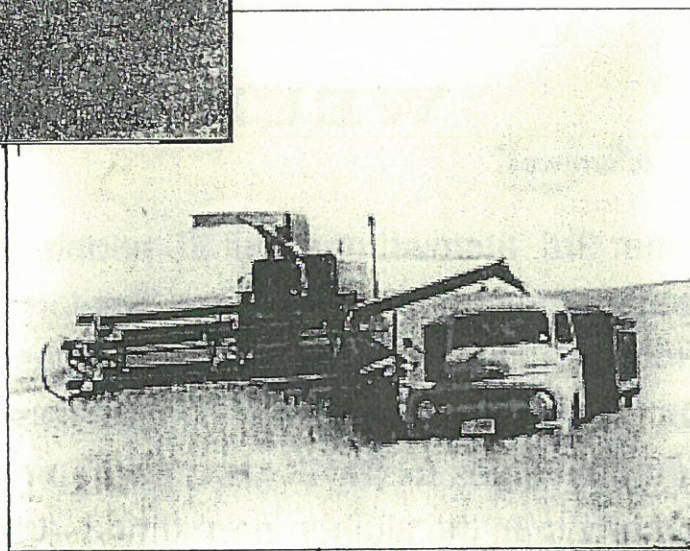
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A fortnightly paper for the areas of Dudinin, Toolibin, Tincurrin,  
Harrismith, Yealering and Wickepin

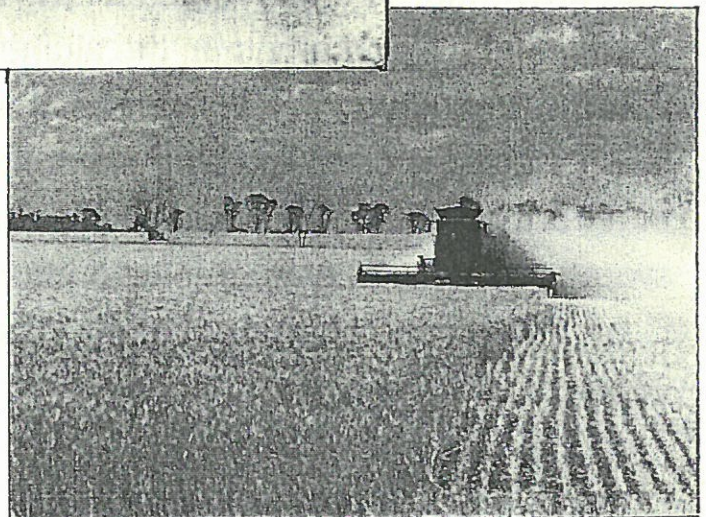


*14th November 2017*

Harvesting through the Years



Harvest has begun for  
the 2017 season





# WICKY LEAKS

Birthday wishes to Phoenix Turner, Michael Green, Amelia Holmes-Thorne, Sandra Podmore, Lauren Thompson, Lindsay Corke, Kathryn Hill, Julie Russell, Kelly Steere.

During the next couple of months, Hazel would like all Avon customers who need anything to ring or email her as soon as they see it in the catalogue.

0428 881 156 - [hazelgreen@wn.com.au](mailto:hazelgreen@wn.com.au)

Keith Bushby's daughter Debbie, from Esperance, spent a week in Wickepin and caught up with friends of long ago. Elaine was overwhelmed with her generosity in spending time working in the garden and the house.

Want a new harvest photo for the wall? Then have I got a deal for you, 2 photos blown up to A2 and framed. Would normally cost \$500 but for this years harvest can do it for \$300.  
Call Quinlan Dungey at SkyHi Productions on 0472517682

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WA Seniors Week  
29th October - 5th November

## WA SENIORS WEEK



On Friday November 3rd, a crowd of about 30 people attended our Seniors Lunch to acknowledge the contributions of our Seniors to our community over the years. Hayley Quinton from the Aged Care Assessment Team, and Paige Leeson, both from Narrogin Primary Health, spoke before lunch about falls prevention and strategies to stay in your own home for longer. Jodi and Jacqui spent the morning in the kitchen preparing a delicious roast lunch which was enjoyed by all! After lunch we had some light entertainment to finish the afternoon, with Rob Horstman speaking to us about his blog: Diary of a Farmer's Husband while we ate some yummy apple pie for sweets. Thanks to everyone who attended this event; I'm sure you will agree it was a fantastic afternoon! Many thanks also to everyone who helped out, either on the day, or beforehand.



# What's On In Wickepin Shire

## Mondays:

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday Watershed News - Feb to 11th Dec

Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday - Camera Club @ CRC 5.30 - 6.30pm

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday Wickepin Community Resource Centre Committee Meeting at 5.30pm.

Hairdresser first Monday each month by appointment or walk in at Facey Group Building.

Boot Camp 9.15am-10am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Body Pump 5pm-6pm @ Wickepin Community Centre

## Tuesdays:

Shedders - @ Old Recycling Shed Richter St- 9am

Pathology Service~ Appointment Only @ Wickepin Health Centre

Banksia Bowmen Archery- Wickepin Community Centre

Body Combat -5.45pm-6.45pm @ Wickepin Community Centre

## Wednesdays:

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

Fighting Strong Fitness 9.30am-10.30am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Water Aerobics 5pm-6pm @ Wickepin Pool until-Mar 21st

Yoga ~ Wickepin Community Centre ~ 6.00pm

No classes held during school holidays

Water Aerobics - 5.00pm

## Thursdays :

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

## 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  
Club Equipment Available

## Sundays:

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

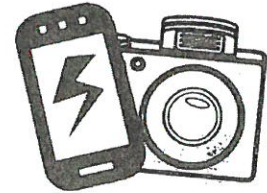




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## WE NEED YOUR PHOTOS!

Our active social media platforms are in need of your local vibrant images! If you would like to share your images with us we will be creating a resource library of all photos. Please send your HIGH RESOLUTION IMAGES with a brief description to [eso@wickepin.wa.gov.au](mailto:eso@wickepin.wa.gov.au). Happy snapping!



## BUSH FIRE SEASON 2017/2018

Council would like to remind residents of the Shire of Wickepin that they are required on or before 1 October 2017 and thereafter to 14 April 2018 to plough, scarify or otherwise provide and maintain firebreaks clear of all inflammable material at least 2.5 metres wide as follows:

### **Rural Land**

Inside the boundary of all land held by each owner or occupier, their firebreaks need not follow the perimeter of any paddock but will be acceptable following land contours in an endeavour to overcome water erosion;

- To subdivide each holding into lots of no greater than 200 hectares; and
- To surround the homestead, out buildings and fuel storages on any such land.

### **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 not more than \$400.

The Bush Fire Control Officers would like to advise that **due to the expected weed growth, all fire breaks will be inspected and there will be no tolerance toward poor fire breaks.**

## UPCOMING CALENDER

**Wed 15 November** Ordinary Meeting of Council @ 3.30pm  
Annual Elector's Meeting @ 6pm at Shire of Wickepin Council Chambers

**Fri 8 December** Nominations close for 2017 Community Awards

**Wed 20 December** Ordinary meeting of Council @ 3pm  
Australia Day Committee meeting @ 12pm

### SAVE THE DATE **22 – 24 June 2018**

Wickepin Winter Weekend  
Country Music and Dancing with Campfire Country

### **12 – 14 October 2018**

Wickepin Art Prize  
Facey Festival  
Avon Carriage Drive

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

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## LET'S GET PHYSICAL

Weight-lifting exercise equipment will be added to Johnston Park in Wickepin within the month. This **Healthy Communities** initiative has been funded by Wheatbelt Development Commission.

Below are some of the activities available within town.

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
6.15am - 7am		<u>Workout at Johnston Park (Wickepin)</u> Do your own thing in the sun		<u>Workout at Johnston Park</u> DIY fitness	<u>WICKEPIN BOOTCAMP</u> \$12 Casual \$100 ten class Johanna Eppler COMMUNITY CENTRE
9.15am - 10am	<u>WICKEPIN BOOTCAMP</u> \$12 Casual \$100 ten class Johanna Eppler COMMUNITY CENTRE				
9.30am - 10.30am			<u>FIGHTING STRONG FITNESS</u> \$15 Casual \$135 ten class pass Sherrie De Gruchy COMMUNITY CENTRE	<u>YOGALATES</u> 10.30 - 12 Jody Matthews COMMUNITY CENTRE	<u>BE ACTIVE</u> Aimed at over 50's Hazel Green, Ruth Bailey, Judy Lang COMMUNITY CENTRE
5pm - 6pm	<u>BODY PUMP</u> \$5 For DVD session Helen Sands COMMUNITY CENTRE		<u>WATER AEROBICS</u> \$2 plus Pool Entry Helen Sands SWIMMING POOL		
5.45pm - 6.45pm		<u>BODY COMBAT</u> \$5 For DVD Helen Sands COMMUNITY CENTRE			<u>Workout at Johnston Park</u> Do your thing in the great outdoors
6pm - 7.30pm	<u>Workout at Johnston Park</u> Sundowner workout with friends		<u>YOGA</u> \$15 Casual Lynette Blechynden COMMUNITY CENTRE		

## ROAD RECONSTRUCTION & REPAIRS

Reconstruction of the section of road between Avery Rd and Inkiepinkie Rd is in progress. Works are anticipated to be completed by end of November 2017.

Flood damage repair and pruning is underway on Dwelyerdine Road.

Road users are urged to take extra care and adhere to road warning signs when driving through the road works

## HARVEST BAN ALERTS – VIA SMS

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

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



## BUSH FIRE UNIFORMS

A reminder to Bush Fire Volunteers; bush fire uniforms are available from the Shire of Wickepin admin office with one free uniform per registered brigade volunteer.

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## **ANNUAL ELECTOR'S MEETING**

The annual meeting of electors is to be held on Wednesday 15 November 2017 commencing at 6.00pm at the Shire of Wickepin Council Chambers.

Copies of the Annual Report are available at the shire office or via the website [www.wickepin.wa.gov.au](http://www.wickepin.wa.gov.au).

## **LICENCING – HPT & CTT TESTING**

Computerised hazard perception testing and theory testing is now able to be performed at the Shire of Wickepin, between 8.30am – 3.30pm Monday – Friday.

## **WICKEPIN SWIMMING POOL OPENING**

The Wickepin Swimming Pool is OPEN.

Opening times are 1.00pm - 6.00pm every day. Fees for the 2017/18 season are as follows;

Adult	\$2.00
Child/Pensioner/Spectator	\$1.00
Season Pass - Family	\$132.00
Season Pass - Adult	\$84.00
Season Pass - Child	\$60.00
School Swimming Lessons/Carnivals - For Children	Free

## **2017 COMMUNITY AWARDS**

The Shire of Wickepin is calling for your nominations!

You may have noticed the posters for the 2017 Community Awards dotted around the Shire of Wickepin...it's that time of year again!

The Shire of Wickepin Community Awards recognise and encourage significant contributions to community life within the Shire of Wickepin and promote community responsibility. Persons who have made a noteworthy contribution during the current year and/or given outstanding service to the community over a number of years, be it through commerce, tourism, sport, volunteer work etc, are eligible.

The categories are as follows;

- Citizen of the Year Award
- Young Citizen of the Year Award
- Senior Citizen of the Year Award
- Community Group Award
- Progressive Agricultural Award - Facey Group

The awards will be presented at the Australia Day breakfast on 26 January 2018.

Nomination forms are available from the Shire office or at [www.wickepin.wa.gov.au](http://www.wickepin.wa.gov.au).

**Nominations close Friday 8 December 2017.**



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Local news from...

# WICKEPIN POLICE STATION

## CRASH REPORTING

If you have been involved in a traffic collision, please let police know as soon as possible by calling '131444' (or if it is an emergency '000'). If you abandon your damaged vehicle and do not tell us, we do not know what has happened, which leads us to become concerned for the welfare of the occupants. We then have to conduct a search of the area and use police resources to try and track down the user of the vehicle(s) to make sure they are okay.

Also if you witness a crash or if you notice a vehicle that looks to have been involved in a crash by the side of the road, please give us a call. Try and obtain as much information as possible like the location, registration and if there is anyone in the vehicle and their condition. However if you see one of these A4 sized orange stickers anywhere on the vehicle it means that police are already aware.



## SECURE YOUR BELONGINGS

On another note, we have had a few reports of items being stolen recently where the owner has left their property unattended and unsecure somewhere and then left the area only to come back a few moments later to find their property has been taken. I know we live in a low crime area but please remain vigilant, all it takes is for one opportunist to come along and your phone/wallet/family heirloom is gone.

EMERGENCY

**000**

For life-threatening situations

POLICE ASSISTANCE

**131 444**

When police attendance is required

CRIME STOPPERS

**1800 333 000**

Report crime anonymously

POLICE DIRECT

**Online services**

Online reporting, applications and payments



Wickepin Seniors Christmas Party  
Friday November 24th, 2017  
Wickepin Community Centre  
From 11.30am



*To be included for a yummy roast lunch and lots of fun  
please place your name on the lists provided at*

*Your Local Shops*

*Or just give Julie or Claire a ring  
Before November, 18<sup>th</sup> please*

*Julie on 042 888 0397 or 9888 1097 (evening) , or Claire on 042 781 1677*

**We would Love You to Join Us**

*Sponsored by the Wickepin Shire Council*



2018 CALENDAR  
SUNRISES & SUNSETS OF WA

Thank you to all that entered this years calendar photo competition,  
the array of photos for this years theme was amazing.

Voting has now closed and we will announce the winners shortly.

Calendars will be available to purchase at the Wickepin CRC from  
23 November 2017 for \$15.

 Wickepin  
Community Resource Centre



# KIDS CORNER

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Zoe McColl - 14/11/2013

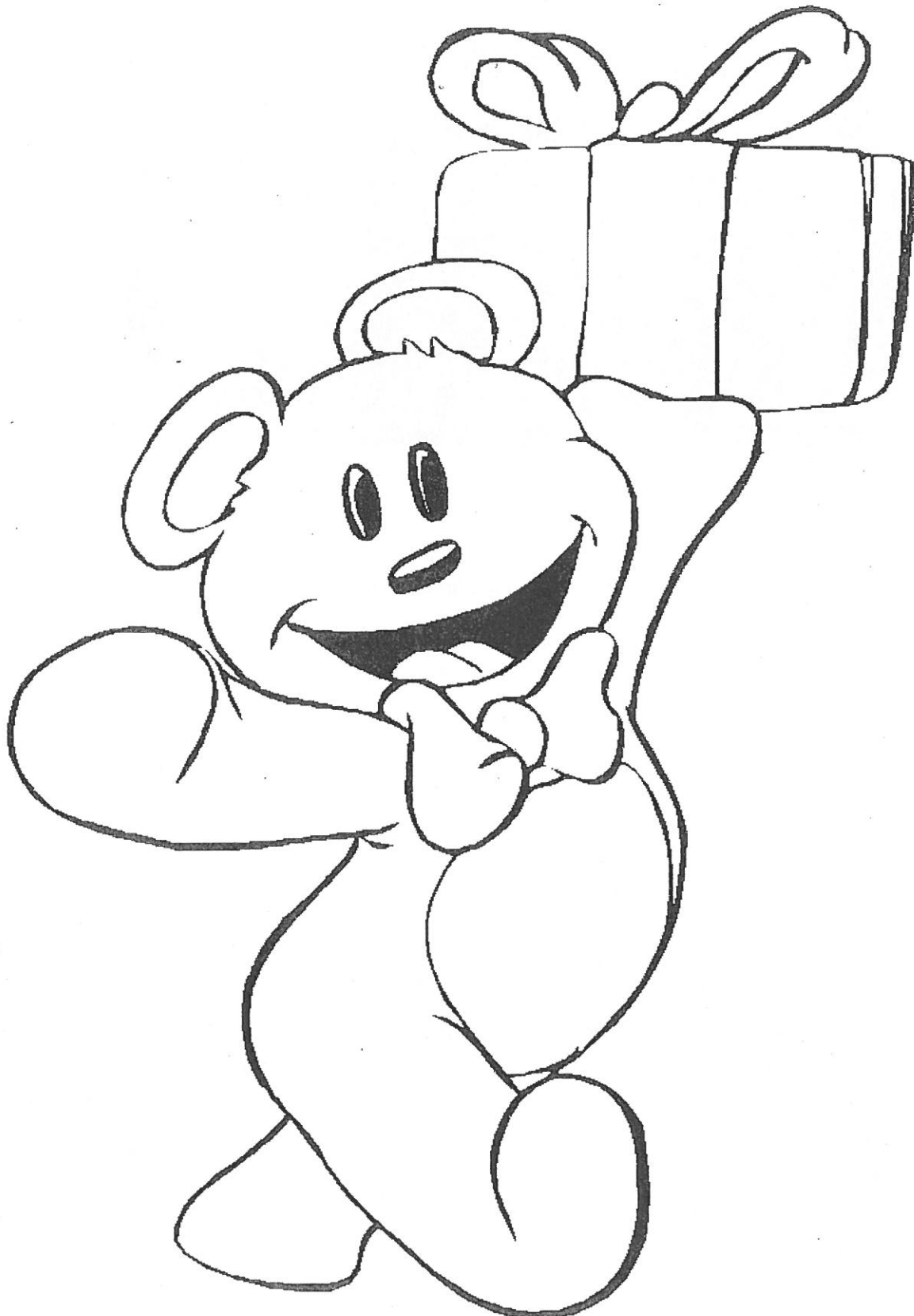
Jorja Hill - 18/11/2016

Tyler Steere - 19/11/2006

Paisley Davey - 20/11/2013

Leo White - 21/11/2012

Harvey White - 21/11/2012





## Wickepin Playgroup News

### Term 4!

Hi Everyone, Term 4 is in full swing! So far this term the kids have been making the most of this lovely warm weather and enjoying all of our outdoor play equipment!



We have lots to look forward to over the last few weeks of the year..

**Thursday 16th of November** - Outdoor and Water play

**Thursday 23rd of November** - After a few lovely visits from the pre-primary class over the year, playgroup have very kindly been invited to join the pre-primary class for some fun activities. We will meeting at the school at 9.30 - hopefully we'll see you all there!

**Thursday 30th November** - We have our Christmas craft day, always a fun day for the kids!

**Thursday 7th December** - And lastly we have our Christmas wrap up party-Everyone to bring a plate of morning tea to share!

*As usual, all new comers and non-members are more than welcome to come along and join us Thursdays 9.30-11.30 at the playgroup building*



Remember to checkout our Facebook page for all of the latest playgroup news

#### ON PLAYGROUP DAYS

- 9:30am Playgroup Commences
- 10:00 Fruit Time (Fruit donated by Ewen Rural Supplies)
- 10:15 Organised Activity
- 11:15 Pack Away & Cleaning
- 11:30am Playgroup Concludes

#### CALENDAR

- 23<sup>rd</sup> November: Visit to Wickepin primary school
- 30<sup>th</sup> November: Christmas craft
- 7<sup>th</sup> December: Playgroup 2017 Concludes with a Christmas party

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***Wickepin Playgroup is held every Thursday of the School Term from 9.30am to 11.30am.  
All Mums, Dads, babies and kids and expectant Mums are most welcome!***

# Christmas Cookery

## Fruit Cake

### Ingredients

3 cups sultanas  
1 1/2 cups raisins  
1 cup currants  
1 cup pitted dates, finely chopped  
1x100g pkt red glace cherries  
75g raisins  
75g dried pineapple, finely chopped  
1/4 cup mixed peel  
3/4 cup brandy

### Method

Combine sultanas, raisins, currants, dates cherries, raisins, pineapple, mixed peel, brandy & orange rind in a large bowl. Cover with plastic and set aside stirring occasionally, for 2 days.

Preheat oven to 150°C. Brush a round 22cm cake tin with melted butter to lightly grease. Line the base & side with 3 layers of non-stick baking paper.

Beat butter & sugar until pale & creamy. Add eggs, 1 at a time, beating well between each addition.

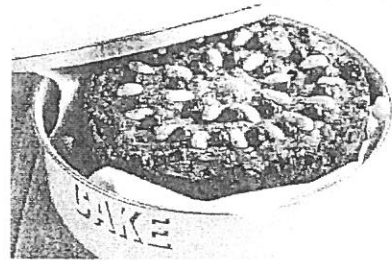
Add butter mixture to fruit mixture & stir to combine.

Add flour & mixed spice, stir until well combined. Spoon into prepared pan & smooth the surface, then tap the pan on a benchtop to release air bubbles.

Arrange almonds & cherries on top of cake. Bake in oven covered with foil for 2 1/2 to 3 hours or until skewer inserted into centre comes out clean.

Drizzle hot cake with extra brandy. Set aside to cool before turning out.

Cover with plastic wrap and store in an air-tight container in a cool dark place.



2 teaspoons finely grated orange rind

Melted butter to grease

250g butter, room temperature

1 cup brown sugar

4 eggs

2 cups plain flour

2 teaspoons mixed spice

Decorate with blanched almonds, red glace cherries, halved, and two extra tablespoons of brandy

## Shortbread

250g butter at room temperature

1 cup icing sugar

2 1/4 cups plain flour

1/4 cup cornflour

1 eggwhite, lightly beaten

2 tablespoons white sugar

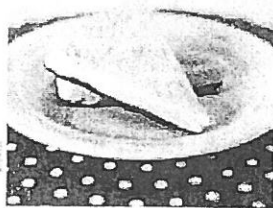
### Method

Preheat oven to 160°C

Beat butter, icing sugar and vanilla until pale & creamy. Sift flour & cornflour over butter mixture.

Stir until a soft dough forms. Turn onto a lightly floured surface. Knead dough until smooth. Divide dough in half, & place onto baking trays lined with baking paper marked with circles as a guide.

Press shortbread out with fingers to form a 1.5cm thick, 18cm diameter round. Pinch the edges to form a frill. Score 8 triangles in each shortbread. Refrigerate for 15 minutes until firm. Brush shortbread with eggwhite & sprinkle with sugar. Bake 30 to 35 minutes until shortbread is light golden and firm to touch. Allow to cool completely on trays.



## IN THE KITCHEN



**LOVE**  
the **LIBRARY**

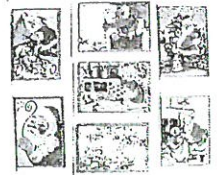
## WICKEPIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

We will be doing a stock take of the Library towards the end of December 2017.

Please note customers will not be able to order in any Library items as of this week and we ask that all Library items be returned by **13 December 2017.**

Do you need some ideas for Christmas presents??

Looking for something with a more personal touch??



Then come on in to the Wickepin CRC and create a beautiful card, calendar or photo book with our Kodak Photo printer for that someone special..

### History Snippet

Taken from Wickepin Football Club Centenary 1910-2010

#### May 20 1939 Wickepin v Pingelly

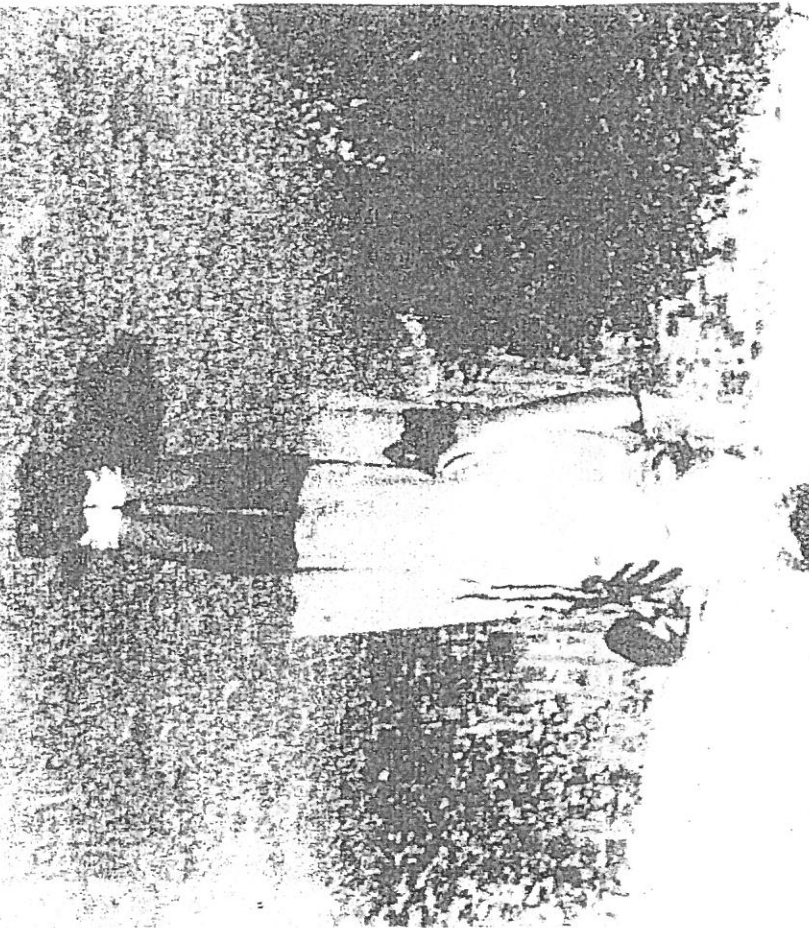
*Bob Duncan, kicking 4 goals, was more than a match winner for his side. Toby Miller dished up some fine football both in defence and in the forward line. His high marking and long kicking were features of his play. Jack Pauley, a whippy wing man, played well to the advantage of his side, being in position and a good disposal of the ball. Dick Hoyle, the giant of the team, battled hard in ruck, using his height when necessary. 'Rip' McMahon, although not up to his usual standard, played some heady football. 'Pip' McAuliffe filled his position admirably, keeping his man very quiet and doing fine work in the back line. Skipper Lee, not up to his old form, pulled his weight by his good captaincy. Footballers, don't forget the 'Çharry' leaves sharp at the Hotel corner next Sunday t 1.30pm to play in Narrogin. Roll up comrades.*

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*Olivia, Her Life in Words*



You are invited to the launch of

*Olivia, Her Life in Words*

Date: Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> December  
Time: 11.30 am  
Place: Yealering Town Hall  
Lunch to follow

RSVP by 24<sup>th</sup> November  
Email [pelicanblue1@yahoo.com.au](mailto:pelicanblue1@yahoo.com.au)  
or  
phone 98 887017



Are you **PASSIONATE** about  
the **Wickepin Community**?

Do we need a local **CRC**?

If the answer is yes...

**WE NEED YOU!**

**NOW**

At the risk of shutting our doors we need more  
community members to join our committee today.

Contact one of our local committee members or pop into the  
CRC if you would like any more information or you would  
like to join our committee.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

Karen Williamson - 98881103  
Hazel Green - 98881156  
Pam Carden - 0428336906  
Sarah Hyde - 98881653  
Julie Russell - 98881097



Phone - 98881500  
Email - [wickepintc@westnet.com.au](mailto:wickepintc@westnet.com.au)

# Schools Out!

## KULIN WATERSLIDE DAY OUT

The Wickepin CRC will be taking a bus to the Kulin Waterslide on Friday 15 December 2017, a fun filled day for the Youth of the Wickepin Shire.

Cost - \$12 per child

This includes pool entry, slide entry and a sausage sizzle lunch

Bus will be leaving Wickepin CRC @ 11.30am and returning to Wickepin approx 5.30/6pm

Children under 8  
years must be  
accompanied by an  
adult

**LET THE FUN BEGIN!**

Registrations are essential.

Call 98881500

To book your spot by  
Monday 11 December



# CHRISTMAS TRADING HOURS



Wickipoint  
Community Resource Centre  
*Your local connection*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
17 DEC CLOSED	18 DEC NORMAL TRADING	19 DEC NORMAL TRADING	20 DEC CLOSED FOR LIBRARY STOCK- TAKE	21 DEC CLOSED FOR LIBRARY STOCK- TAKE	22 DEC CLOSED FOR LIBRARY STOCK- TAKE	23 DEC CLOSED
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28 JAN CLOSED	29 JAN NORMAL TRADING	~ Normal Trading Hours Resume Monday 29th January 2018 ~				



# We value YOUR Feedback...

You can give your feedback through the following ways -

## EMAIL

wickepintc@westnet.com.au  
wickepinlibrary@westnet.com.au

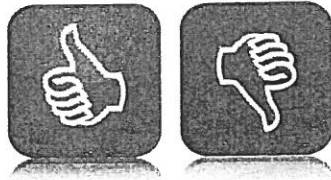
## PHONE

08 98881500

## WICKEPIN CRC

- there will be feedback forms available

## GOOD



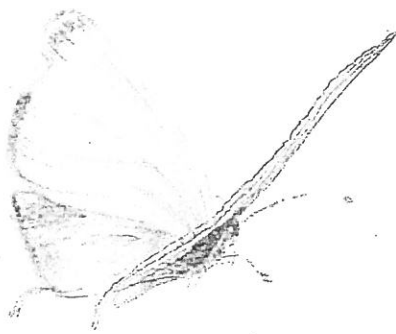
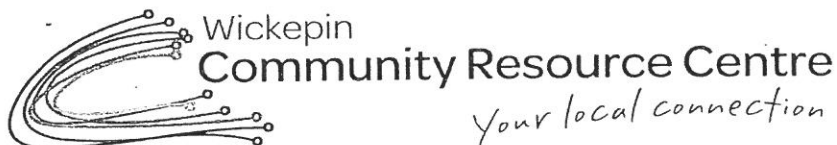
## BAD

Without the support of the community the events we run would not be the success they are.

We invite you to share your feedback with us on our last couple of events -

- Lake Yealering Regatta & Market Day
  - Seniors Week Luncheon

Having your input allows us to improve and grow for future events and we thank you for your time.



*We make a living  
by what we get,  
but we make  
a life  
by what we give.*

*Winston Churchill*

**NARROGIN ART GROUP INC**

**MARKET DAY**

**SAT. 2<sup>ND</sup> DEC. 2017  
8.00 am.**



**Old courthouse museum  
grounds.**

**EGERTON STREET, NARROGIN.**

**MANY CHRISTMAS GIFTS AVAILABLE.**

**BIG CHRISTMAS FOOD RAFFLE, PLANTS,  
POTTERY, SECOND HAND BOOKS,  
PORCELAIN PAINTED ITEMS, HOME MADE  
CAKES, BISCUITS & SLICES, ART SHOP OPEN,  
JAMS & PICKLES, ORIGINAL GIFTS - MADE IN  
NARROGIN DISTRICT, AND OTHER STALLS.**

**STALLS AVAILABLE. \$10.00 PER STALL.  
PHONE SUE: 0437 545 066.**



**WICKEPIN COMMUNITY  
CHRISTMAS TREE**

*Saturday 16th December 2017*

**WICKEPIN COMMUNITY CENTRE  
FROM 5PM**

**SANTA ARRIVING  
6PM**



**SAUSAGE SIZZLE  
AVAILABLE \$3**

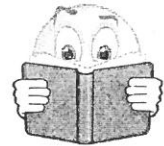
Place names with \$3 per child on the list at the Wickepin Newsagency by Wednesday 6th December.

Please leave your child's "offering" (\$15-\$20max), wrapped and clearly labelled with name and age at the Wickepin Health Centre by Wednesday 13th December.

Enquiries to Jenna 0448 110 838.



# Trade Directory



*Working hard for O'Connor*

## RICK WILSON MP

Federal Member for O'Connor

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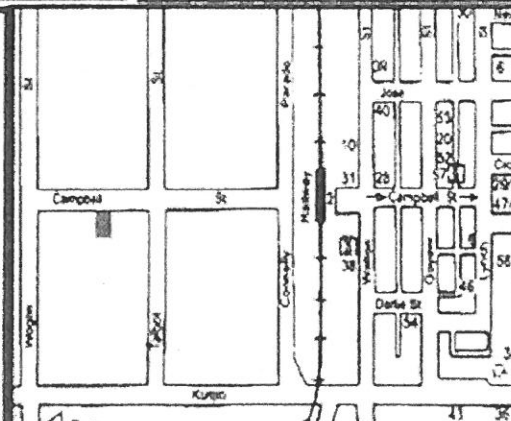
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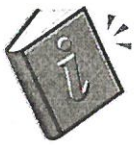
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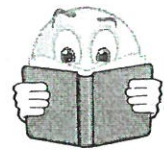
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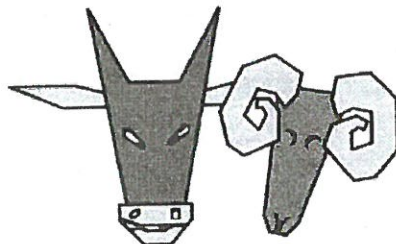


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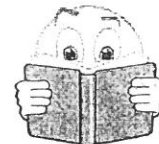
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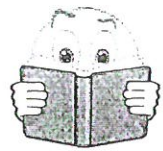
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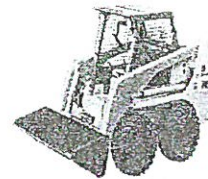
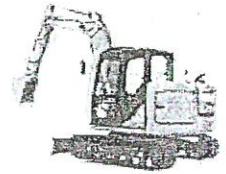
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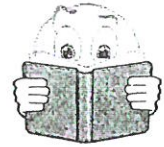
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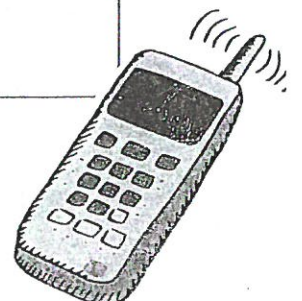
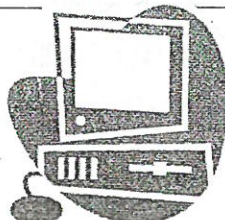
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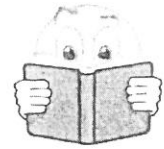
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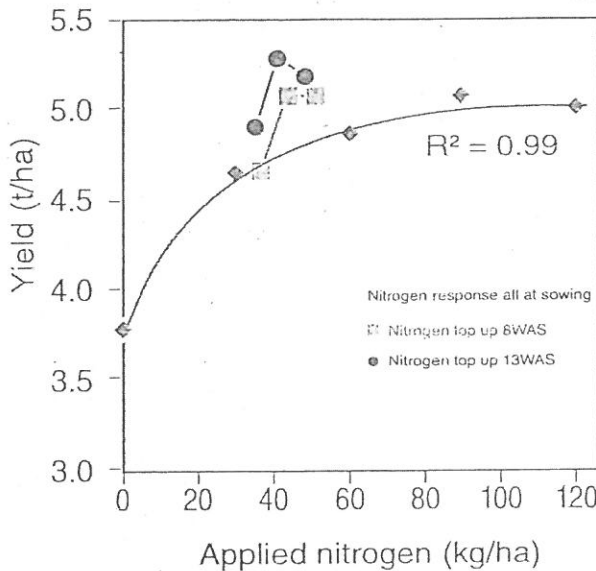


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**Brett Coxon**  
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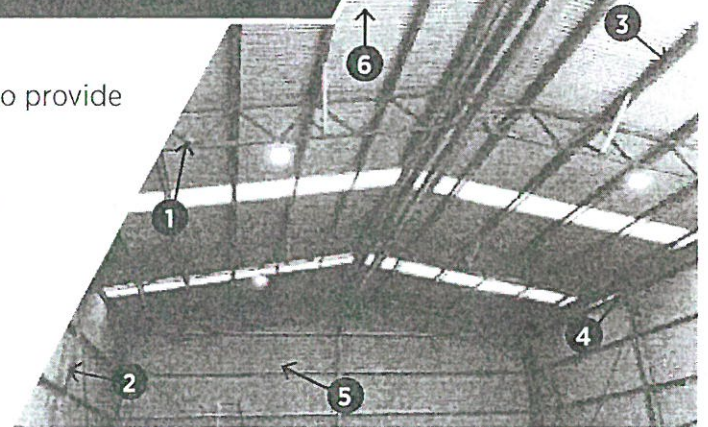
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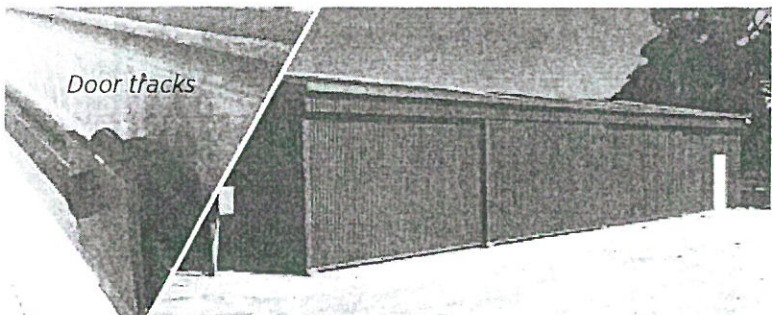
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# Tennis News



## Wickepin Tennis Club

Hi all,

**Pennants** will be playing away in Narrogin on Saturday so if you are interested in playing please speak to Ken Martin - best of luck to the team.

This weekend we have **Social Tennis** on Sunday beginning at 2:30pm and prior to this the club will be hosting the **Zone Development Day**.

The weather looks warm and perfect for a hit of tennis so hope to see you all over the weekend.

**Saturday the 18th** we have our local **Junior Tournament** and need some assistance please with the following note from Jo Doncon our coordinator:

If it is anything like previous years we will have a large amount of kids playing and require the support of the tennis club.

\* Can all members please **supply a large plate of afternoon tea**. This can be dropped off at social tennis the night before or dropped off at the club before 1pm on the day.

\* Can I also have one or two volunteers to make **scones** – they have been very popular in the past!

\* We are also looking for 3 volunteers to join Helen **preparing the lunch orders** – you will be required at the club from 10am. Thanks Helen.

\* Can we also have 2 volunteers to run the **kiosk** – your biggest job will be cutting open the icy poles!!

\* We will be setting up/cleaning up a bit on Friday evening and then early on Saturday morning from 8.30am so if you are in town and would like to help that would be great.

\* If you are happy Kel and Cara we will do the draw on Thursday evening prior.

\* Myself, Brett, Kelly and Cara have volunteered to help with registrations/scoring/court checks – we welcome any other volunteers on the day to help with umpiring and coordinating kids, selling raffle tickets etc. Please let me know.

If anyone thinks of anything else or has any ideas please let me know. Please respond with offers of assistance.

Cheers, Jo  
[bgjdoncon@bigpond.com](mailto:bgjdoncon@bigpond.com)

Have a great week all, and please don't forget to pay your subs :)  
Maree  
Secretary  
Wickepin Tennis Club

# Wickepin Tennis Club Junior Doubles Tournament

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Registrations: 9:30am

Play Starts: 10am

Cost: \$6 per player – includes afternoon tea



Department of  
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Registrations: Nominate you & your partner's name, DOB and contact number to:  
Jo Doncon – 0428 833 142 [bjgsdoncon@bigpond.com](mailto:bjgsdoncon@bigpond.com)  
Nominations close Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November

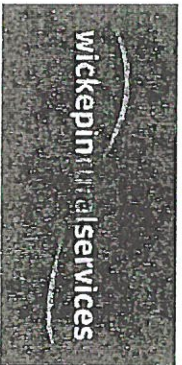
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## Wickepin Tennis Club – 2017/18 Fixtures

NOVEMBER		
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Social 5pm & Set up for Junior Tournament	Anthea Hill
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Wickepin Junior Tournament	Jo & Brett Doncon
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Kid Session 4:15pm & Social 5pm & BBQ	Stefie Green
DECEMBER		
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Social 5pm & BBQ	Sarah Hyde
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Kid Session 4:15pm & Social 5pm & BBQ	Carla Borthwick

### DUDININ TENNIS CLUB FIXTURES - SEASON 2017/2018

SUNDAY	19 <sup>th</sup> November	Social Tennis
SUNDAY	26 <sup>th</sup> November	Social Tennis
SUNDAY	3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Social Tennis

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Pete Marsh

3rd

Jean Chalmers

Helen Warrilow

Judy Lock

Jan & Mike

Pete Marsh

Irene Moore

Karen Williamson

Rob Wyllie



# Wickepin Bowling Club News

## **Social Bowls - 2nd November**

Winners: Eric Fleay and Daphne Tetlow  
Yardstick: Margaret Fleay

## **Championship Fours - 5th November**

Ladies Winner: Glenice Doncon, Robyn Mullan, Leanne Smith, Karen Jamieson  
Runner Up: Judy Lang, Marion Hook, Joan Wyllie, Leanne Bransby  
Mens Winner: Rex Bergin, Barry McKenna, Ron Timms, Eric Fleay  
Runner Up: Chris Moore, Alan Wyllie, Mark Passey, Peter Mullan

## **Ladies Pennants - 8th November**

Wickepin 4½ points; Pingelly 1½ points

## **Social Bowls - 9th November**

Winner: Daphne Tetlow

## **Social Bowls - 16th November**

ALL bowlers welcome. 1pm start  
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## **Sunday 19th November**

Lake Yealering will hold the triples any combination day.



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## **I WANT FOUR LITTLE ANIMALS**

Mama taught her well!! You've got to love this little girl. What a woman she'll make. A teacher asked her class, "What do you want out of life?"

A little girl in the back row raised her hand and said, "All I want out of life is four little animals, just like my Mum always says."

The teacher asked, "Really and what four little animals would that be?"

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## **WHO SAYS MEN DON'T REMEMBER?**

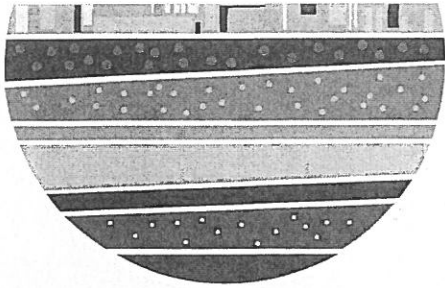
A couple were Christmas shopping. The shopping centre was packed and as the wife walked around, she was surprised to discover that her husband was no-where to be seen.

She was quite upset because they had a lot to do and hence, she became so worried that she called him on her mobile phone to ask him where he was.

In a quiet voice he said: "Do you remember the jewel-lers we went into about five years ago, where you fell in love with that diamond necklace that we couldn't af-ford, and I told you that I would get it for you one day?"

The wife choked up and started to cry and said, "Yes, I do remember that shop."

He replied, "Well, I'm in the pub next door!"



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When: 15-16th March 2018

Where: Katanning, WA

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# Community Calendar

## NOVEMBER

Tue 14th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Wed 15th	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Wed 15th	Shire of Wickepin Annual meeting of electors - Wickepin Shire Chambers - 6.00pm
Wed 15th	Shire of Wickepin Ordinary Council Meeting @ 3.30pm
Thu 16th	Playgroup - 9.30am - 11.30am
Sun 19th	Anglican Church, Johnson Street @ 8am
Sun 19th	Social Tennis
Tue 21st	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Wed 22nd	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Thu 23rd	Playgroup - 9.30am - 11.30am
Fri 24th	Shire of Wickepin Seniors Christmas Party@ 11.30am Wickepin Community Centre
<b>Mon 27th</b>	<b><i>Watershed News</i></b>
Tue 28th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Wed 29th	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Thu 30th	Playgroup - 9.30am - 11.30am

## DECEMBER

Sat 2nd	Narrogin Art Group Inc Market Day@ 8am Old Courthouse Museum Ground
Sat 2nd	Olivia, Her Life in Words- Book Launch @ 11.30am-Yealering Town Hall
Sun 3rd	Anglican Church, Johnson Street @ 8am
Tue 5th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Wed 6th	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Thu 7th	Playgroup - 9.30am - 11.30am
Fri 8th	Nominations close for the 2017 Community Awards
<b>Mon 11th</b>	<b><i>Watershed News -Last edition for 2017 recommencing Monday 5th February 2018</i></b>
Tue 12th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Tue 12th	End of year concert - Yealering
Wed 13th	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Thu 14th	Term 4 ends
Fri 15th	Kulin Waterslide Day Out
Sat 16th	Wickepin Community Christmas Tree- Wickepin Community Centre @ 5pm
Sun 17th	Anglican Church, Johnson Street @ 8am
Tue 19th	Shedders at the Old Recycling Shed- Richter St @ 9am
Wed 20th	Arts & Crafts- Joyner Street @ 9.30am
Wed 20th	Australia Day Committee Meeting @ 12 noon
Wed 20th	Shire of Wickepin Ordinary Meeting of Council @ 3pm
Thu 21st	Facey Group Christmas Party
Mon 25th	Christmas Day - Anglican Church, Johnson Street @ 8am
Sun 31st	New Years Eve

## JANUARY 2018

Mon 1st	New Years Day
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