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Shire President's Message

WAROONA RECOVERY

As the long, arduous and no doubt difficult process of recovery continues (as a result of the recent devastating fires), I would like to take this opportunity to thank a remarkable group of volunteers who have come to Waroona to assist our local farmers in rebuilding the many kilometres of fencing that have been destroyed. The group that I refer to, of course, is "BlazeAid". The members of this unique organisation come from all walks of life, from Western around Australia and country to provide much needed support to the many that have been impacted by events such as we have experienced. The group, comprising of men and women with varying degrees of experience and skills and with numbers that range from between 20 to 50, have indicated they could be here for a further month or two. Their invaluable help is greatly appreciated by the

community of Waroona. I would also like to thank members of our community who have for donated their time to cater for this group.

A big thank you also to Mike and Donna Walmsley for their outstanding effort in co-ordinating the distribution of relief supplies of emergency fodder, fence posts and equipment that have been donated by the many generous farmers and businesses from across the state. We must also thank Western Power for their very generous donation to the farmers of Waroona.

REHABILITATION OF WAROONA OVAL

During the January fires the Waroona main oval and surrounds were used as the incident control point for the ongoing firefighting response. As a result of the constant use of this area by heavy vehicle and foot traffic and stationary equipment such as sea containers, marquees and semitrailer mounted offices, combined with hot weather and lack of water over the fourteen days, the turf and underlying structure was heavily compromised to such an extent that the oval playing surface is now basically destroyed and not salvageable. The Shire sought expert advice

and we were advised accordingly that we were facing a repair bill that could be well in excess of \$250,000. It is vitally important that this facility be re-instated as quickly as possible, especially when we take into consideration the football season is just around the corner!

Our CEO, Ian Curley, has been working in collaboration with WALGA, through their CEO, Ricky Burgess, and Executive Manager Planning and Community, Alison Hailes, in an effort to secure State Government funding to undertake this repair. At the time of writing this report I am quietly confident that a positive outcome has been achieved with funding to be provided by DPaW, DFES and the Department of Sport and Recreation, who have all indicated they are prepared to commit to a funding arrangement.

RIP ALF BARKER

I have no doubt that many members of our community would be deeply saddened by the recent passing of long time Waroona and Preston Beach resident, Alf Barker. Alf was a polite, unassuming man described by many as being very much a 'quiet achiever' who did so much for his community.

come along with your ideas and enthusiasm.

bring something else of value to the team.

have to live in Waroona to get

Please register your interest

visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au

If you're unable to make it then

you can find Yarn Bomb Waroona

on Facebook or ask to be added

in attending by emailing

Tracy on 9733 1506.

YARN BOMB WAROONA 2016

will be held at the Waroona Visitor Centre on Friday March 11th at 10:30am so

Even if you don't knit or crochet we'd love to see you because we know you'll

This is a great event and a wonderful way to meet new people and you don't

It's time to start getting it together! An information session and morning tea

Alf joined the Waroona Shire as a grader driver and eventually became works foreman. He spent a remarkable 34 years as an employee of our Shire and was instrumental in building a significant number of the roads in and around our countryside. He was particularly proud of the road into Preston Beach which was, at one time, nothing more than a cattle track! Alf was one of the original twelve members of the Preston Beach Syndicate responsible for the formation of the Preston Beach town site as we know it today. He was a founding member of the Preston Beach Bush Fire Brigade and also the Preston Beach Golf Club.

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All of us here at the Shire of Waroona, extend our deepest sympathy to his family.

PRESTON BEACH **UNDERGROUND POWER**

Preston Beach residents have been advised that the project to provide underground power to the town, from the Forrest Highway to the causeway, is nearing completion and we will soon be reconnected to the The current emergency generators will be disconnected and removed.

NOTICES

LOCAL PLANNING POLICY

Notice is hereby given that, in terms of Clause 6 of Schedule 2 to the Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015, the Shire of Waroona has resolved to revoke Local Planning Policy 2 – Lake Clifton - Herron Structure Plan, Local Planning Policy 17 – Waroona North Structure Plan and Local Planning Policy 20 - Subdivision Guide Plans at the ordinary meeting of Council on 23 February 2016.

IAN CURLEY **CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

LOCAL PLANNING POLICY TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 7 OF 1996

Notice is hereby given that, in terms of Clause 4 of Schedule 2 to the Planning and Development (Local Planning Schemes) Regulations 2015, the Shire of Waroona has resolved to adopt a revised version of Local Planning Policy 25.0 - Outbuildings at the ordinary meeting of Council on 23 February 2016

LOCAL PLANNING POLICY 25.0 - OUTBUILDINGS

The purpose of the Outbuildings policy is to achieve a balance between providing for the legitimate garaging, storage and other domestic needs of residents and to minimise the adverse impacts that outbuildings may have on the amenity, appearance and character of neighbourhoods

The objectives of the policy are:

- a) To provide a clear definition of what constitutes an "outbuilding".
- b) To ensure that the siting, design and scale of outbuildings are site responsive and respect the character of an area
- and amenity of the surrounding areas.
- d) To ensure there is a relationship between the scale of the dwelling and the scale of the
- the provisions of the Town Planning Scheme.

Monday to Friday, between 9am and 4pm or on Council's website www.waroona.wa.gov.au.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

TOWN PLANNING SCHEME NO. 7 OF 1996

and on neighbours.

- To encourage the use of outbuilding materials and colours that compliments the landscape
- outbuilding e) To provide a process for approving outbuildings that require Planning Consent in terms of

Copies of the Policy are available for inspection at Council's office at 52 Hesse Street Waroona IAN CURLEY

Next **Council**

Meeting

Next Council Meeting will be 22nd March at 4pm at the Shire of Waroona Council Chambers behind

the administration office

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involved.

or by phoning

to our email list.

Alcoa proudly supports the Shire of Waroona Sea to Scarp Newsletter.

Waroona Licensing Centre is now located within the Shire Administration Office to the left of Reception. 9733 3021



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A GOOD NIGHT WITH THE GOOD DINOSAUR

People were spoilt for things to do on Friday 19th of Feb. With an attendance of 200 people we were pleased to see that many had managed to go to the NAB Cup football game to watch the Dockers win or join in at tabloid family sports at St Joseph's Primary school before attending the movie. We appreciate the community's support of this wonderful event.

As the sun set and the wind blew people snuggled into their beanbags and blankets to watch The Good Dinosaur on the hill of the Waroona Cricket Club. With free face painting provided by the Waroona Youth Advisory Council and a sausage sizzle provided by the Waroona Pinjarra Youth Care, it was a great night for all. The Youth Advisory Council who organised this event, would like to thank

Alcoa and the Shire of Waroona for their sponsorship along with the Waroona Cricket Club, Curtis Electrical, the Waroona/Pinjarra SES, Waroona Agricultural Society and the Waroona Pinjarra Youth Care for their most valuable contribution to a wonderful evening.

For more information about the next Movie under the Stars on Friday the 11th November please contact Naomi Purcell on 9733 7800



CAMP OPPORTUNITY FOR FIRE AFFECTED CHILDREN IN THE WAROONA AND HARVEY SHIRES.

Established in 2013 and located on the WA Wheatbelt, approximately 283km south east of Perth, Camp Kulin is quickly gaining national and international recognition for its innovative program, the first of its kind we are aware of for a local government in Australia. Our programs are highly sought after, and cater to children of all ages, adults, schools, corporate groups, sporting clubs, community groups and more.

This four night/five day program run during school holidays has been specially designed to teach leadership, respect, self-confidence, teamwork, communication skills, trust and self-esteem.

Campers will be challenged through a series of activities, achieving things they never thought possible, and sending them home with a sense of accomplishment.

Please go to the website for general information http://campkulin.com.au/

An info pack is available for parents of children aged 8-12 who were affected by the recent fires in Waroona and Harvey Shires. Thanks to sponsorship, we are able to offer 34 campers a chance to attend our program for free. Pick up and return from Waroona is available.

Parents can register via our online registration site https://campkulin.campbrainregistration.com/

SHIRE OF WAROONA

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS 2016

The Shire of Waroona invites community groups to apply for funding through the Community Development Grants Program 2016.

These small grants up to a maximum of \$800 are designed to assist community groups with projects and activities that enhance services, support young people, provide arts and cultural development, and meet the principles of community development.

Assistance may be provided for operational expenses to assist groups and communities develop local projects, provide training and support or share skills and knowledge with others.

Application forms are available from Council's Offices at 52 Hesse Street, Waroona, on council's website www.waroona. wa.gov.au or by emailing cdo@waroona.wa.gov.au with a request. Advice regarding the application is available by contacting Community Development Officers on 97337800. Applications should be forwarded in a sealed envelope addressed to the undersigned and must be received by 4.30pm on Friday the 1st April 2014.

IAN CURLEY
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
SHIRE OF WAROONA
PO BOX 20 WAROONA WA 6215



WAROONA RECREATION & AQUATIC CENTRE WEDNESDAYS 9AM 1-2 YEARS :: 10AM 3-4YEARS DETAILS 9733 2389 \$7 WEEKLY



THE WAROONA RECREATION & AQUATIC CENTRE

The Waroona Recreation & Aquatic Centre has a wide number of fitness options which cater for all fitness levels and requirements. Our fully supervised crèche, is available weekdays from 9am – 11am to take care of the kids while you train. We have recently upgraded our Gym facilities to include weights, cardio and weight training machines and personal training is available on request.

Squash courts, Children's Gymnastics classes, Kindyfit programs, basketball & netball competitions and a heated 25m indoor pool complete with kids slide and toddler pool, all available right here in Waroona. The 'Waroona Red Fins' Swim Club call our facility home and information can be obtained by calling the centre.

Our swim school caters from babies to one on one lessons for mature folk and the pool is available for hire for birthday parties or events. Free gas BBQs are available and our kitchen and meeting room is also available for hire. Please contact our friendly staff 9733 2389

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

BODYPUMP: is the original barbell class that strengthens your entire body. This 60-minute workout challenges all your major muscle groups by using the best weight-room exercises like Squats, Presses, Lifts and Curls.

BODYBALANCE: is the Yoga, Tai Chi, Pilate's workout that builds flexibility and strength and leaves you feeling centered and calm. Controlled breathing, concentration and a carefully structured series

of stretches, moves and poses to music create a holistic workout that brings the body into a state of harmony and balance.

CXWORX: Based on cutting-edge scientific research, CXWORX is the ultimate way to get a tight and toned core. With dynamic training that hones in on your abs, glutes, back, obliques, and "slings" connecting the upper and lower body. CXWORX will leave you looking good and feeling strong.

Strengthen and tone your core, taking your abs to the next level.

GYMBLASTER: workout circuit in our gym using superset training techniques and cardio blasts.

SPIN: the indoor cycling routine workout where you ride to the rhythm of powerful music. Take on the terrain with your inspiring team coach who leads the pack through hills, flats, mountain peaks, time trials, and interval training.

TABATA training is a high-intensity interval training (HIIT) workout, featuring exercises that last four minutes intervals

FBS: Fitness Balance strength focuses on core stability and flexibility for our active seniors.

AQUA: This is a fun way to exercise with good music, a fully qualified and motivating instructor, with like-minded people. Being water based ensures the exercise is a safe (no jarring) full body work out. You can work at your own intensity level in a great atmosphere. Suitable for mature adults and pregnancy.



Waroona Recreation & Aquatic Centre 2016 SUMMER Group Fitness Timetable

	Day	Time	Class	Instructor
Fitness Studios		6.00 am	CAMP	Gypsy
	Monday	8.00 am	Aqua	Deb
		9.30 am	FBS	Deb
	Tuesday	6.00	SPIN	Gypsy
		9.00 am	BODYPUMP	Trace
		10.10 am	BODYBALANCE	Trace
		4.00 pm	TEEN FITCLUB	Trace
		5.00 pm	CXWORX	Trace
		5.30 pm	BODYBALANCE	Kaye
	Wednesday	6.00 am	TABATA	Gypsy
		8.00 am	AQUA	Deb
		9.30 am	FBS	Deb
		9.00am	KINDYFIT 1 - 2 year olds	Kaye
		10.00am	KINDYFIT 3 - 4 year olds	Kaye
	Thursday	6.00am	SPIN	Gypsy
		9.00 am	BODYPUMP	Trace
		10.10 am	BODYBALANCE	Trace
		4.00 pm	TEENFITCLUB	Trace
		5.00 pm	CXWORX	Trace
		5.30 pm	BODYBALANCE	Kaye
	Friday	6.00 am	CAMP	Gypsy
		9.00 am	GYMBODY Blaster	Trace
		10.00 am	CXWORX	Trace

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