



SEA TO SCARP

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SHIRE OF WAROONA



Shire President's Message

WAROONA SHOW

October saw a busy month for everyone in our Shire commencing with the 87th Waroona Show which was held on Saturday 7th October. Despite the potential for inclement weather the show attracted in excess of 15,000 visitors. Once again the show featured a vast array of exhibits with something for everyone, young and old alike. Visitors were treated to cooking demonstrations, wine tasting, a wood chopping competition as well as photography and poetry exhibits. Of course, for the young ones there was plenty to see and do including pony rides, face-painting, kite making, sand art, the Lions Club train and the ever popular side-show alley, all leading to lots of happy, smiling faces. Once again the success of this show is testament to the planning and hard work by so many volunteers ably lead by Waroona Agricultural Society President, Maree

Ellis. The show was officially opened by well known local identity Nick DeRosa and concluded with the spectacular fireworks display.

SEA TO ART

Friday 27th October was the opening of the 10th Anniversary of the highly regarded Sea to Art Exhibition at the Waroona Visitor Centre. Once again a large group attended this function and as usual were treated to an outstanding display of art work demonstrating the exceptional talent that we have in our local community. As always the passion and talent of our local artists shone through with many of the items being sold on the evening. Exhibitors are to be congratulated for their ongoing support of this very popular event. Also a big thank you to Tracy Goldsworthy and her dedicated group of volunteers for their enthusiasm and zeal in putting this together.

TIDY TOWNS AWARDS

We were delighted to hear the news that two towns in our shire received category awards in the Tidy Towns Awards announced recently. Waroona was the winner of The Young Legends category which acknowledges the contribution

of individuals or groups under 25 years of age and in our case, the outstanding efforts of the Waroona Leos, Waroona District High School Bushrangers and the Waroona Youth Advisory Council all combined to achieve this award. The Environmental Education Category was awarded to Preston Beach as a result of the hard working efforts of the Friends of Ramsar Action Group (FRAGYLE). This award is for innovative environmental advocacy and awareness programs. I would like to take the opportunity to thank former Cr. Christine Germain for promoting the Tidy Towns competition in Waroona for many years. Chris has always had a strong passion for representing Waroona in this event. Our congratulations to all the winners.

PRESTON BEACH COMMUNITY CENTRE

At long last planning for a new community centre at Preston Beach has started. The community was invited to a workshop to meet with the architects to kick off the design phase. We hope to have a new building operational by the end of next year.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Local Government elections were held

on Saturday 21st October. The Shire of Waroona had 7 nominations contesting 4 seats. The result saw Naomi Purcell joining the council for the first time with Mike Walmsley making a return after an absence of six years. Re-elected were Cr. Larry Scott and myself. I would like to take the opportunity to thank out-going Crs. Christine Germain and Trish Witney for the many years of representing the community in their roles as councillors. Cr. Witney joined our council in 2005 and Cr. Christine Germain was first elected in 1992. Both Chris and Trish are to be congratulated for their years of dedication to our Shire.

In conclusion, I would like to advise this will be my last Shire President's Message and I have much delight in welcoming Mike Walmsley back to the role of Shire President, a position he held from 2009 to 2011. I have personally had the pleasure of working alongside Mike on the Waroona Council over a period of nine years and I look forward to providing my support to Mike throughout the next term. Having had the honour of serving as Shire President for four, two year terms since being elected in 1999 I would like to thank everyone who has supported me on this journey, including councillors, staff and community.

Shire of Waroona
KINDLY INVITES ALL VOLUNTEERS TO

Thank A Volunteer Breakfast

SATURDAY 9 DECEMBER 2017 | 8AM | WAROONA FOOTBALL CLUB OR
SATURDAY 9 DECEMBER 2017 | 9AM | FOOTPRINTS RESORT, PRESTON BEACH

To assist with catering, please indicate your attendance by
FRIDAY 1 DECEMBER 2017

Waroona RSVP: Shire of Waroona 9733 7800 or cdo@waroona.wa.gov.au
Preston Beach RSVP: Judy Carroll 0414 627 866 or prestonbeach.hh@gmail.com

SHIRE OF WAROONA

2017/18 RATES INCENTIVE PRIZE WINNERS

The Rates Incentive Prizes have been drawn for the 2017/18 financial year. Ratepayers who paid their rates in full by the 22nd September 2017 were eligible for the draw. There were 7 prizes to be won. Thank you to everyone who sponsored the 2017/18 Rates Incentive Scheme. The winners are:

- 1st Prize: \$800 cash from the Shire of Waroona
- **Ian Hamilton**
- 2nd Prize: Footprints Preston Beach Accommodation voucher
- **Gregory McDonald**
- 3rd Prize: Quality Hotel Ambassador Perth Accommodation voucher
- **Robert Bowles**
- 4th Prize: \$250 DeRosa's Highway Motors voucher
- **Grant Page**
- 5th Prize: \$150 Supa IGA Waroona voucher
- **Martin Wrobel**
- 6th Prize: 2x Double passes from the West Australian Symphony Orchestra
- **Johnathan Ward**
- 7th Prize: \$20 Voucher from Ladyraven's Clothing, Homewares and Gifts
- **Christopher Howard**

We are always welcoming more sponsors to help support our Rates Incentive Scheme. If this is of interest to you and you want to support in 2018/19 please contact Holly Pritchard on 9733 7800.

SHIRE OF WAROONA

Disability Access and Inclusion Plan 2017-2022

Available for Inspection

Notice is hereby given that the local government of the Shire of Waroona has prepared the above mentioned Disability Access and Inclusion Plan

Draft copies of the plan are available for inspection during office hours at the offices of the Shire of Waroona, 52 Hesse Street, Waroona.

Submissions on the Disability Access and Inclusion Plan may be made in writing and lodged to the Shire of Waroona on or before 17 November 2017. Your written submission should quote 'Disability Access and Inclusion Plan' in the title and be addressed to the Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Waroona, P.O. Box 20, Waroona WA 6215 or emailed to warshire@waroona.wa.gov.au.

Should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the Shire's Planning Department on 97337800.

Ian Curley
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Next Council Meeting

Next Council Meeting will be 24th October, 2017 at 4pm at the Shire of Waroona Council Chambers behind the administration office

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PRESTON BEACH COMMUNITY CENTRE REDEVELOPMENT

The redevelopment of the Preston Beach Community Centre on Panorama Drive moved ahead on Friday 27 October with a local workshop held to understand the community's needs for the building. The workshop was attended by CEO Ian Curley, senior Shire staff, MCG Architects, Preston Beach Progress Association representatives and other community members.

With the information received at the workshop, MCG Architects will draft concept designs that will be further discussed with community representatives. Once the building design has been finalised, the project will progress to a tender process in order to appoint a builder.

Funding for the project has been confirmed from the Shire of Waroona, the WA State Government Royalties for Regions Fund and the Alcoa Waroona Sustainability Fund and we are currently waiting on the outcome of an application for funds from Lotterywest.

The existing Community Centre is leased from the Shire and managed by the Preston Beach progress Association who makes the facility available to a range of other community users.



The existing Community Centre on Panorama Drive in Preston Beach

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

To be Held at the:
Shire of Waroona Wednesday, 22 November 2017
Commencing at 2:30pm and Concluding at 4:30pm

Order of Proceedings:

1. President to open the hearing.
2. Introduction by the Chair of the Commission
3. Presentation by the Commission on its role, function and the process it uses to determine Financial Assistance Grants.
4. Discussion on Submission (if submitted)
5. Close of hearing

The WA Local Government Grants Commission makes annual recommendations to the State Minister for Local Government on the allocation of Financial Assistance Grants to local governments in Western Australia.

In accordance with the Local Government (Financial Assistance) Act 1995 the Commission is required to conduct public hearings with local governments in connection with the Financial Assistance Grant recommendations and also to discuss any submissions made to the Commission by local governments.

Organisations or persons wishing to make a submission, in connection with the Financial Assistance Grant recommendations of the Commission, at the above hearing, are requested to register their interest with:

Mr Shannon Wood
WA Local Government Grants Commission Tel: (08)65521416

E-mail: shannon.wood@dlgsc.wa.gov.au

THE 3rd WAROONA COMMUNITY GALA XMAS PARTY



INSTIGATED BY WAROONA LIONS
In conjunction with Shire of Waroona

AT DRAKESBROOK PLACE & WALMSLEY PAVILION & EVERYWHERE IN BETWEEN



Featuring the Mandurah Concert Band - Waroona High School & South Mandurah Primary School Choirs - Market Stalls - Food Stalls - Bouncy Castle - Face Painting - Army Cadet Inflatable Assault Course - Vintage Cars - Waroona Lions Train - Meanda Park Miniature Animal Farm - Monster Ball Climbing Wall - Zorb Balls - And of CourseSANTA

PLUS THE WAROONA LIONS XMAS RAFFLE WILL BE DRAWN ON THE NIGHT
IF YOU'D LIKE TO BE INVOLVED CONTACT
JOHN CLARE (0407 080671) or
LISA FRY (0415 954993)



| Name of Swimmers | Laps as of 19/10 |
|--------------------|------------------|
| Joanne Eastcott | 1400 |
| Tess Purcell | 1339 |
| Craig Wheatley | 1240 |
| Terry Wilson | 1250 |
| Stephanie Yapp | 920 |
| Rob Summers | 800 |
| Thomas Beales | 781 |
| Angelyne Jodrell | 618 |
| Taylah Platell | 526 |
| Darcie Wilson | 514 |
| Naomi Purcell | 450 |
| Brooklyn Fiorenza | 428 |
| Charlise Schneider | 400 |
| Piper Westlake | 394 |
| Tegan Strobl | 360 |
| Emma Beales | 300 |
| Olivia Bennett | 312 |
| Leah Beales | 296 |

| Name of Swimmers | Laps as of 19/10 |
|------------------|------------------|
| Leah Beales | 296 |
| Hudson Purcell | 285 |
| Linda Williams | 260 |
| Jeanie Turner | 250 |
| Zachary Platell | 226 |
| Emily Simpson | 190 |
| Madeline Bennett | 187 |
| Shannon Hewitt | 179 |
| Jake Pitch | 120 |
| Kelly Westlake | 120 |
| Andrew Morton | 120 |
| Chloe Pitch | 116 |
| Brooke Morton | 92 |
| Brad Stone | 69 |
| Clare Parore | 50 |
| James Morton | 32 |
| Grace Simpson | 32 |

The first Waroona Lap Swimmers have reached the Rottneq equivalent distance of 768 laps of the 25 metre pool here at the Waroona Recreation Aquatic Centre.

| Name of Swimmer | Date of achievement |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| Tess Purcell | 4th September 2017 |
| Joanne Eastcott | 13th September 2017 |
| Rob Summers | 18th September 2017 |
| Terry Wilson | 29th September 2017 |
| Craig Wheatley | 6th October 2017 |

The First Prize of a 3 month Swim Membership goes to Tess Purcell (Value \$154.00)
The Second Prize 30 pass Swim Membership goes to Joanne Eastcott (Value \$119.00)
The Third Prize of 10 pass Swim Membership goes to Robert Summers (Value\$45.00)

Please note these prizes are not cash redeemable.

Earlier this year Tess Purcell celebrated her win of the Junior Individual Medley. Tess has recently participated in the WRAC Rotto Lap swimming program coming first in the required 768 laps. Congratulations Tess on completing the laps for the Rottneq equivalent distance at the Waroona Swimming Pool. We would also like to Congratulate Jo Eastcott for coming second in our Rottneq Swim Challenge and currently leading the way with the swim overall results.



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