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SHIRE OF WAROONA



Shire President's Message

Volunteer Thank You Breakfast

For a small community we certainly have a large heart. We can afford to be proud of all the great work that has occurred in the last few weeks from all the dedicated and energetic volunteers. From the fantastic Annual Agricultural Show to the St John Ambulance Sub Centre opening, the Leo's Quiz Night, the Farmer's Markets and the Vintage Machinery Day. These events have showcased our wonderful community spirit and our Shire. A huge thank you to all the volunteers

for all the effort that you put into organising these features that highlight our character as a strong rural community. I can encourage everyone that plays a part in giving your time by volunteering to come to either of the two functions that are put on by the Shire as a Thank You for all the amazing work you do. On the 8th December at the Waroona Football Club and the 15th December at Footprints Resort, breakfast will be held as a show of appreciation to our wonderful volunteers that help us make our community the good place it is. Please come along.

Memorial Hall

Our rejuvenated Memorial Hall hosted an interactive musical recently called Reclaimed Pianos. All that attended the show were thoroughly entertained. This show as an extension of the Mandurah Performing Arts Centre Programme and the opportunity may be

available for more of their artists to visit our hall on a regular basis. This would be a wonderful and positive outcome for our community and I encourage everyone to keep an eye out for the future advertising as to attract these artists, we need to get behind them when they come to perform. The management behind this show called our hall "a real gem" which was a great compliment and recognition of the restoration work that has been completed on the hall this year.

Grapest Run Event

Waroona will soon be the host to the Grapest Fun Run. These events are held nationally as selected wineries and fortunately Drakesbrook Fine Wines has been selected to hold this one in WA. It is shaping up to be a huge event and it will be another fantastic feature that shows off the sensational forest and dam we have in our hills. I hope to see lots of people running in the

winery or waddling for the less energetic as they go wine tasting on their journey.

Firebreaks

The Council has made a concerted effort again this year to reinforce the importance of fire preparedness. While I don't wish to harp on about it, the 30th November is looming so please make the preparations if you haven't done so and if you wish to be alerted to Fire bans and High Fire Danger days please call the office on 9733 7800 to be put onto the SMS register.

Free Overnight Stay Areas

Council recently endorsed free overnight caravan and RV stays for self-contained vehicles at Waroona Weir, the showgrounds and again at Preston Beach carpark. If you happen to see some of these holiday makers in these areas please make them feel welcome and encourage them to visit some of our local businesses.

SHIRE OF WAROONA LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME NO. 7, AMENDMENT 40

Planning and Development Act 2005

Local Planning Scheme 7 Amendment 40 – Available for Inspection

Notice is hereby given that the local government of the Shire of Waroona has prepared the above mentioned Local Planning Scheme Amendment for the purpose of amending the following provisions in Schedule A – Supplementary Provisions:

1. Modifying Clause 61(1)(s) of Schedule A – Supplementary Provisions to read:
61(1)(s) The erection or extension of a single house on a lot where shown as a "P" use in the Zoning Table and all other requirements of the Scheme are met.
2. Modifying Clause 61(1)(t) of Schedule A – Supplementary Provisions to read:
61(1)(t) The erection or extension of an ancillary dwelling, outbuilding, external fixture, boundary wall or fence, patio, pergola, veranda, garage, carport or swimming pool on the same lot as a single house where shown as a "P" use in the Zoning Table and all other requirements of the Scheme are met.

Documents setting out and explaining the Amendment are available for inspection during office hours at the offices of the Shire of Waroona, 52 Hesse Street, Waroona.

Submissions on the Local Planning Scheme Amendment may be made in writing and lodged to the Shire of Waroona on or before 2 January 2019. Your written submission should quote 'Local Planning Scheme Amendment 40' in the title and be addresses 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 regarding this Amendment please do not hesitate to contact the Shire's Planning Department on 97337800.

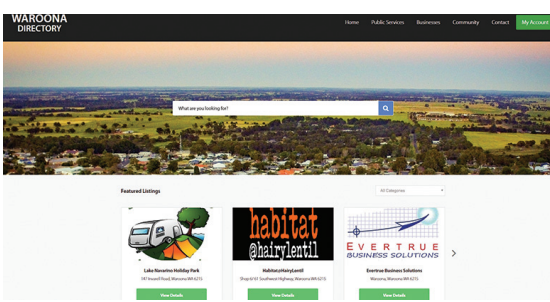
Ian Curley, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

WAROONA DIRECTORY

The Shire has been working with Templeman Twells Web Design to develop an online directory for businesses and community organisations, which can be downloaded as a PDF and printed, in a format which is not only professional in appearance, but also practical in use. The directory will also include listings for public services, health services, schools, government departments, members of parliaments, and justice of the peace. The Waroona Directory is now live and accessible from:

<https://www.waroona.wa.gov.au/community/community-directory/community-directory.aspx>

As the directory is still being developed, it is expected that there will be minor tweaks required, so please contact the Shire if you come across any issues, or have suggestions for improvement.



SAFETALK WORKSHOPS

Last year the Shire received funding from the Mental Health Commission to facilitate suicide prevention training within the community. The first of these trainings was held last week, with a safeTALK workshop delivered to Year 10 students at Waroona District High School.

safeTALK is a half-day alertness workshop that prepares anyone over the age of 15, regardless of prior experience or training, to become a suicide-alert helper. Most people with thoughts of suicide don't truly want to die, but are struggling with the pain in their lives. Through their words and actions, they invite help to stay alive. safeTALK-trained helpers can recognize these invitations and take action by connecting them with life-saving intervention resources, such as caregivers trained in ASIST.

Since its development in 2006, safeTALK has been used in over 20 countries around the world, and more than 200 selectable video vignettes have been produced to tailor the program's audio-visual component for diverse audiences. safeTALK-trained helpers are an important part of suicide-safer communities, working alongside intervention resources to identify and avert suicide risks

Given the success of this workshop, a community workshop will be organised for the near future. Watch this space!

WYLD PROGRAM – SESSION 3

Last month was the third session of the Waroona Youth Leadership Development (WYLD) Program. This is a 12 month youth engagement program that has been created for young people living in Waroona by zero2hero in partnership with the Shire of Waroona.

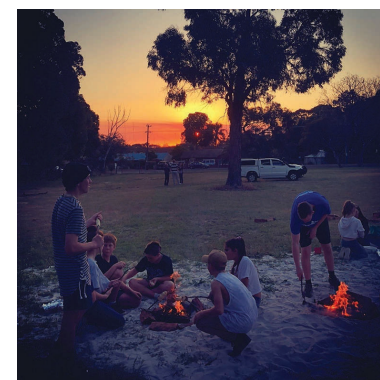
The WYLD Program features activities held on the last Friday night of each month at the Waroona Recreation & Aquatic Centre that are fun and engaging, inspirational and empowering, and challenging and physical. The sessions are free and include dinner.

This session engaged with young people aged between 10 and 19 years of age at the Waroona Recreation & Aquatic Centre with astronomy, campfire and bush survival tasks.

Local businesses and community organisations continue to request to be involved in the program, offering sponsorships and donations.

Session #4 will be held on Friday, 21st December, and will feature campfire and convo's activities.

For more information, visit the WYLD Program Facebook at www.facebook.com/WYLDProg



Next Council Meeting

Next Council Meeting will be 27th November 2018 at 4pm at the Shire of Waroona Council Chambers behind the administration office

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OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE ST JOHN AMBULANCE BUILDING

At the end of October, St John Ambulance Waroona officially opened their new administration and volunteer buildings. With 87 years combined service to the Waroona community, it was only fitting that Members of the Order of St John Thelma Rafferty and Murray Henderson unveiled the plaque. Well done to St John Ambulance Waroona for completing this project and organising a great opening day!



INTERAGENCY

Last week, the bimonthly Waroona Interagency Group meeting was held at the Waroona Community Resource Centre. There was a great attendance of 29 members, representing a variety of government agencies, community organisations and health service providers, who provided an insight into their roles and organisations. The team from East Metropolitan Health Service provided a presentation on their new program "Yarn It Up - Don't Smoke It Up", followed by Peel Development Commission who provided an overview of the Regional Economic Development Program and Building Better Regions Fund. Following the presentations, the group took the opportunity to network and access support to work towards the common goals of delivering community services and addressing issues around community safety and wellbeing. Waroona Interagency Group now boasts a database over 70 representatives from over 50 stakeholders including local governments, government agencies, health service providers and community organisations. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, 11th December at the Waroona Community Resource Centre.



QUILTING EXHIBITION

And the winner is... Announcing the runaway winner of the 2018 People's Choice Award - My Town, a beautiful embroidered quilt by Patricia Kings-Halfyard, pictured. Based on a pattern by Homespun Magazine, a 2010 fundraising project for the Starlight Foundation, My Town's centre block depicts Hidden Valley, home to Patricia and her husband Andrew. The black tree is a reminder of the bush fires of 2015 and 2016 and a tribute to Andrew who, along with family friends Fred, Andrew, Keith and Peter, worked tirelessly to save their hills home. "I'm astonished and thrilled to win the People's Choice Award especially given the quality and diversity of the pieces on show. We have so many talented fibre and textile artists in Waroona and are so lucky to have the support of the Shire in running this wonderful event," Mrs Kings-Halfyard said when asked about her win. Second and third places in the awards went to Geraldine the Giraffe by Stella Whitehouse and Poppy Interlude by Judy Wyatt. Of the 1500 people who attended the exhibition, over 600 voted with many commenting on their voting slips. "Absolutely stunning and so hard to choose." "Thank you, wonderful work, so impressed." "Brilliant exhibition and all entrants have done an amazing job". A morning tea will be held for exhibitors, volunteers and interested community members at 10:30am on Friday November 16th to celebrate the exhibition's success.



NAKED SCIENTIST SHOW

At the end of October, the Shire partnered with Peel Bright Minds to organise the Naked Scientist Show to come to Waroona. This was the only place in the Peel region that the show was held, with attendees travelling from all over to fill the town hall. The scientists kept everyone entertained covering a whole range of topics and 'try at home' experiments - although the dry ice explosion is best to do outside, which was discovered after covering the hall from the floor to the roof! Thank you to Charlie at Peel Bright Minds, and all the attendees for supporting this great event and initiative.



LAKE CLIFTON TREE PLANTING

Last week, the Community Development team and Parks/Gardens crew assisted Lake Clifton Herron Residents Association, Waroona District High School Bushrangers and Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions plant trees at the Lake Clifton Lime Kiln site. This was the first time this activity has been held, and it is hoped to become an annual activity complementing the Preston Beach tree planting held annually in June. A huge thank you to Lake Clifton Herron Residents Association President Jenny Rose for coordinating the entire activity, and her continuing passion for the local area!



GRAPEST 5K RUN - LESS THAN ONE WEEK TO GO!!!

Who said you can't drink wine AND exercise? Have your wine and drink it too, we say! We bet you've never run a race quite like the Grapest 5k Run! Experience a great evening with friends, with a little fitness & lots of fun. You will work up a thirst with the 5k or 10k run through amazing wineries across Australia. Then enjoy a cool down through the wine tasting waddle to re-energise yourself before some grape dancing with our live entertainment as the sun goes down. To date there have been 80 registrations for the 10km run, 272 registrations for the 5km run and 60 registrations for the wine waddle only, which event organisers are extremely happy with for the first time the event has been hosted in Waroona. To register, or for more information, please visit www.grapest5krun.com.au



Shire of Waroona
KINDLY INVITES ALL VOLUNTEERS TO

Thank A Volunteer Breakfast

SATURDAY 8 DECEMBER | 8AM | WAROONA FOOTBALL CLUB
SATURDAY 15 DECEMBER | 9AM | FOOTPRINTS RESORT

To assist with catering, please indicate your attendance by

FRIDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2018

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

Waroona Community Lights Committee

TURNING ON THE LIGHTS CEREMONY

Friday, 30th November
6.30pm to 8pm
@ WAROONA VISITOR CENTRE

Following the success of last year's event, we are back to light up the tree again!

Leos Club of Waroona will be selling sausage sizzles and drinks, and Waroona Youth Advisory Council will be giving out FREE lolly bags.

Santa will be stopping through for a visit.

For more information, please contact Waroona Community Lights Committee on (08) 9733 7800 or cdo@waroona.wa.gov.au

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WYLD (Waroona Youth Leadership Development) Program
A 12-month youth engagement program that has been created for young people living in Waroona. This program has been created by zero2hero in partnership with the Shire of Waroona.

The WYLD program features activities that are:

- FUN & ENGAGING
- INSPIRATIONAL & EMPOWERING
- CHALLENGING & PHYSICAL

WHEN: Friday Nights (Once per week, dates below)
TIME: 5:00pm - 9:00pm
WHERE: Waroona Recreation & Aquatic Centre
RSVP: Participants must RSVP at: www.facebook.com/WYLDprog

SESSIONS ARE FREE AND INCLUDE DINNER (Students are required to arrange their own transport)

PROGRAM DATES

31 AUG	28 SEP	26 OCT	30 NOV
28 DEC	28 FEB	29 MAR	26 APR
31 MAY	28 JUN		

LIMITED SPACES RSVP IS A MUST
More details at: www.facebook.com/WYLDprog
ALL YOUTH (aged 12-20) WELCOME

PROGRAM DEVELOPED BY: zero2hero
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This event also provides an opportunity for local small businesses to showcase their products and services including arts, crafts, produce and more. There is a limit of 15 full stalls which are complimentary to businesses based in the Shire of Waroona.

To express interest in a stall or if you would just like to attend and enjoy some local food and wine while networking with business owners and operators from the Peel region, get in touch with the Peel Chamber.

DATE: Tuesday 27 November 2018
TIME: 5:30pm - 7:30pm
WHERE: Waroona Memorial Town Hall
86 South Western Hwy, Waroona

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