



# SEA TO SCARP

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SHIRE OF WAROONA

## Arts and photo events coming to Waroona soon

On Saturday October 26th the ten day Sea to ART Exhibition will open to the public at Waroona Visitor Centre & Gallery. Local artworks for viewing and sales will include fine woodwork, sculptures, mixed media, painting and drawing.

A Meet the Artists morning tea will be held on Monday 28th and those wishing to attend are asked to contact the Visitor Centre.

Four weeks later on November 23rd history will be made and captured when the Visitor Centre hosts Wikipedia Takes Waroona.

Happy snappers and professionals, school, interest and family groups will all be welcome and we're expecting participants from as far afield as Perth and Albany. This will be a fabulous event regardless of ability so grab a group, grab your camera and come along to discover, or rediscover, our beautiful Shire.

The day will start and finish at the Visitor Centre where participants will collect their information kits then head off to "take" whatever takes their fancy – townscapes, flora and fauna, forest and farmlands, coast and lakes, activities and

sports. Later in the afternoon it will be back to the Visitor Centre for a celebratory barbecue.

This will be the first such event in rural Western Australia so register your interest at [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Takes\\_Waroona](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wikipedia:Takes_Waroona) and help make history.

For further information call Tracy Goldsworthy on 9733 1506 or email [visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au](mailto:visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au) or find us on Facebook.



The Shire President and Acting Chief Executive Officer welcomes our newest Australian Citizen, Mr Mark Crisp

### Recreation Advisory Committee Community Membership

Applications are invited from interested members of the public to serve on the Council's Recreation Advisory Committee. Two (2) positions are available. Membership is for a two (2) year period. The Committee reports to the Council and is responsible for all strategic planning, policy development, advising on recreation facilities and service levels and projects within the Shire of Waroona.

An information package including the Committee's Terms of Reference and an Application Form,

may be obtained from the Shire Council Office or The Waroona Recreation & Aquatic Centre.

Telephone enquiries should be directed to Steve Cleaver on 9733 7800.

Written applications to be addressed to: Chief Executive Officer,

Shire of Waroona

PO Box 20

WAROONA WA 6215

With the closing date being 17 October 2013.

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## Sea to ART

Exhibition by local artists with works for viewing & sale.  
Art, fine woodcraft, sculptures, mixed media & more  
Sat 26th Oct to Mon 4th Nov, 2013  
9.30 – 3.30 daily  
Waroona Visitor Centre & Gallery  
37 South Western Highway, Waroona

For more information please call 9733 1506 or email [visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au](mailto:visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au)



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## Shire President's Message

councillors for their efforts during the past two years. I believe we have a stable council who have demonstrated their ability to work together as a unified team in order to achieve the best results for our rate payers.

complex. Some 4000 Aboriginal people are likely to vote on the offer in 2014.

Further meetings between the Shire of Waroona and the South West Aboriginal Land and Sea Council are planned for 2014 as part of keeping all Local Governments informed of the process.

### SEA TO ART EXHIBITION

The Shire will host the Sea to ART Exhibition commencing on Saturday 26 October at Waroona Visitor Centre and Gallery. For the following ten days visitors will be able to view and purchase a range of artworks created by local artists.

The exhibition is now in its fourth year and is a major annual event on the Shire of Waroona's events calendar. This popular event is highly recommended for inclusion in your diary.

### VINTAGE MACHINERY RALLY

On Sunday 7th October, joined by Murray Cowper MLA and Aboriginal elder Mr Bruce Jetta, I had the pleasure of opening the second Waroona Vintage Machinery Rally. This is a family friendly day that affords everyone the opportunity to reflect on our past history with a remarkable display highlighting vintage working machinery, vintage motor vehicles and motorbikes. On behalf of the Shire we extend a big thank you to everyone involved in organising this day. We would also like to acknowledge our

partners Waroona Lions, Lotteries and Alcoa for their support at this event and to pass on our congratulations to the many exhibitors for their ongoing contribution in ensuring the success of this day.

### LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS

Following the close of nominations for the 2013 Local Government Elections I can advise that Councillors Christine Germain, Larry Scott, Trish Witney and myself were duly elected unopposed. As this current term draws to a close I would like to thank my fellow

### NATIVE TITLE NEGOTIATIONS

The Waroona Shire Council was pleased to have Malcolm Champion and Wayne Nannup from the South West Aboriginal Land and Sea Council brief us on the progress to date on the Native title negotiations. The State of Western Australia has offered land, joint conservation areas, additional heritage protection and a perpetual fund in return for extinguishment of native title claims in the South West of Western Australia. The current method of dealing with native title claims are via the Federal Court is generally slow and

## SHIRE OF WAROONA MERITORIOUS COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS 2014

The Council is pleased to announce that nominations for the Shire of Waroona Meritorious Community Service Awards are now open. These awards acknowledge the voluntary contributions made by local people for the benefit of our community.

Nominations are welcome from individual members of the public or from any local clubs and organisations for residents working in a voluntary capacity for the benefit of the community. A maximum of two (2) twenty five (25) years and over and one (1) under twenty five (25) years Meritorious Community Service Awards per year will be presented.

## PREMIER'S AUSTRALIA DAY ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP AWARDS 2014

The Shire of Waroona is pleased to announce that nominations for the Annual Premier's Australia Day Awards are now open. The awards foster, recognise and celebrate significant contributions to community life and active citizenship in all local government areas of Western Australia.

There are three categories for the Awards being:

- for a person of 25 years or older
- for a person under 25 years
- for a community group or event

The recipients will be selected from nominees who have shown active citizenship and;

- Made a significant contribution to the local community in the past year or over a number of years through active involvement.
- Demonstrated leadership on a community issue resulting in the enhancement of community life.
- A significant initiative which has brought about positive change and added value to community life
- Demonstrated inspiring qualities as a role model for the community.

The recipients of the above awards will receive their Certificates at the Australia Day Celebrations in Waroona on Sunday 26th January 2014.

Nomination forms for Meritorious Community Service Awards and Premier's Australia Day Active Citizenship Awards 2014 and further information are available at the:

- Shire Administration Office; or
- The Shire Website – [www.waroona.wa.gov.au](http://www.waroona.wa.gov.au)
- Shire Library

Please submit your nomination to:

The Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Waroona, PO Box 20, WAROONA WA 6215 by no later than 4 pm Friday 21st November 2013.

These awards are a joint initiative of the Australia Day Council of Western Australia, the Western Australian Local Government Association (WALGA) and the Office of Premier and Cabinet.

**IAN CURLEY**  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

## WAROONA LIBRARY EVENTS

Day	Date	Event	Time
Tuesday	8 <sup>th</sup>		
Wednesday	9 <sup>th</sup>	Story Time	10.30am
Thursday	10 <sup>th</sup>		
Friday	11 <sup>th</sup>		
Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup>		
October			
Tuesday	15 <sup>th</sup>		
Wednesday	16 <sup>th</sup>	Story Time	10.30am
Thursday	17 <sup>th</sup>	Coral's Charity Knitting	10.00am
Friday	18 <sup>th</sup>		
Saturday	19 <sup>th</sup>		
Tuesday	22 <sup>nd</sup>		
Wednesday	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Story Time	10.30am
Thursday	24 <sup>th</sup>	Jnr Book Club	3.30pm
Friday	25 <sup>th</sup>		
Saturday	26 <sup>th</sup>		
Tuesday	29 <sup>th</sup>		
Wednesday	30 <sup>th</sup>	Story Time	10.30am
Thursday	31 <sup>st</sup>	Book Club	12.00pm
Friday	1 <sup>st</sup>	Coral's Charity Knitting	10.30am
Saturday	2 <sup>nd</sup>		

**Next Council Meeting**  
Next Council Meeting will be 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2013 at the Shire of Waroona Council Chambers behind the administration office.

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