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# WA Farmers Bear Brunt of Federal Government's Generosity

In a bid to ease growers concerns regarding the Federal Government's decision to wipe Iraq's wheat debt to Australia, Federal Minister for Trade Mark Vaile held meetings with farmers in Lake Grace and Merredin yesterday.

"Over the past months, there has been some intense lobbying by WAFarmers and the Grains Council of Australia (GCA) to resolve this long outstanding issue" Mr De Landgrafft said.

Western Australian Agriculture Minister Kim Chance said "WA growers who delivered wheat in the period from 1987/88 to 1989/90 are still owed an average of \$25,000 each. They have not been approached by the Federal Government to determine if they want to be paid.

Many of these farmers have ceased farming since 1989/90, some of whom could have continued farming if they had been paid for their sales to Iraq. None of these farmers can possibly benefit from present or future arrangements between Australia and Iraq."

The Federal Government promised in 1992 to ensure that no farmer who supplied wheat to Iraq would be left unpaid.

"The Federal Government has indicated that it wants to forgive the debt and there may be many reasons to support that view," Mr Chance said. "However, having undertaken that responsibility, the Federal Government now has a duty to make good the wheat growers' losses. These debts were not the Federal Government's to forgive."

According to the AWB, Western Australian farmers' share of the debt was about \$US36 million. With about 7,000 wheat growers in WA, the average per grower is about \$US5,200. These figures do not include accrued interest.

Shadow Minister for Agriculture, Gavan O'Connor, said that "Mr Vaile must provide Australian wheat growers with all the facts surrounding the Howard Government's decision to forgive a \$100 million debt owed to them by Iraq.

This decision amounts to a significant and direct contribution to the economic recovery of Iraq by growers, but there is mounting evidence they were not properly consulted.

Mr Vaile must provide Australian farmers with details of what options were available to the Government to recover the debt before it decided to write that debt off."

Mr Chance said "The Federal Government needed to ensure that, at the very least, the affected growers were contacted and advised of the extent of the funds due to them and be provided with a schedule over which they would be paid.

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Next Deadline: Monday 12th July

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#### A very BIG thank you

To the dedicated team who have produced and compiled this edition of the Lakes Link News.

Danielle Robertson Joan Fleming Michelle Lay



Thank you also to our many contributors of articles

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# **EDITORIAL**

The Telecentre is offering a student membership. Students have to be enrolled at Lake Grace District High School and must be aged **year five** or older. Membership would be \$22 for six months or \$44 per annum. Students would be able to use the Telecentre facilities after school until 5pm or as much as they want (during opening hours) over the school holidays. There would be no after hours access. This is an opportunity for students to email their friends, play games or better yet, do their homework.

- Could anyone who is coming in to sit their license please remember to bring in TWO pieces of ID. Unfortunately if you don't have the correct amount of ID (birth extract/certificate, key card) we cannot proceed with the license test. Due to upgrades in the licensing system no theory tests or Hazard Perception Tests can be carried out on Friday 2nd July or Monday 5th July.
- We're still taking alterations, deletions and additions to the local telephone book, if you have noticed something that needs changing please call me.
- The Telecentre is organising an opportunity for anyone to talk to a consultant from the ATO about GST and non-profit Community Organisations. This is an opportunity to discuss grants and GST (whether or not to include in your application), contracting staff/tradespeople/artisans, what to do if contractors aren't registered for GST...and the list goes on! If any individuals or business people would like to discuss anything related to taxation please contact the Lake Grace Telecentre so we can register your interest. No date has yet been set.
- The Telecentre has the opportunity to host a FREE workshop (see below) on writing memories. This is an excellent way for families to get their stories in writing, a wonderful legacy to pass on to your children and grandchildren.
- If you are interested in receiving the ADSL Broadband service and have not yet registered your interest then *please* call Mark Burbridge at the Shire Offices (p 13).

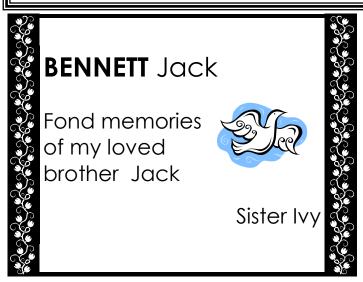
Suzanne Reeves

#### Every time a person dies, a library burns down

Everyone has a unique life story, no matter how old they are, and if it is not written down it will be lost forever. Margaret Cole is running a course that will help you begin to recollect and record your personal experiences so they can be shared with family or friends, prepared for publication, or remain a private celebration of the mystery and complexity of your journey.

Anyone can do this workshop, you only need an exercise book and a pencil. Margaret has taught Seniors and high school English students in the same class and it has worked. Her job is to help you remember, give you some tools to write with and the confidence to do it.

If you are interested in doing this workshop or would like more information please ring Suzanne on 9865 1470. The workshop will be held over two days in August or September. *It is free.* 





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# ABOUT TOWW

- \* Condolences are extended to the Lannin families on the passing of Mr George Lannin in Albany and to the Oliver and Reeves families on the passing of Mrs Eileen Traves in Narrogin.
- \* It was good to see Dani, Tash and Bec (Lannin) home.
- \* Congratulations to Rysha Bird on her selection as part of the Australian contingent to the international school festival in Stellenberg, South Africa, to be held later in July. This competition also attracts schools from South Africa, Argentina, England and Europe and consists of sporting competition and travel. There are students going from Narrogin Senior High School and also Newton Moore Senior High School. Rysha will be playing Netball.
- \* Welcome back Michelle Slarke and Dot Kennedy from holidaying in Queensland. Neville Hale has also returned from the sunshine state.
- \* Get well to Joyce Gilson whom we hope to see back in Lake Grace soon, following her trip to Queensland.
- \* Farewell and thanks for great gardening to Chelsea Wilson. Best wishes for the future.

Condolences to the Oliver and Reeves family on the passing of their mother, grandmother and great grandmother 
Mrs Eileen Traves.

Lake Grace Telecentre Management Committee

# Wappy Birthday

July 1st Murray Stanton July 9th Monique Trevenen Nicole Kent Lachlan Milton

July 3rd Ashley Mahoney Brock Bowron

Christine Fyfe July 10th Judy Fleay

July 4th Michelle Slarke July 11th John Bennett

Cobi Stanton July 12th Fleur O'Neill Bill Walker

July 13th Annie Slarke

July 5th Neville Moulden

July 14th Jeff Lay



Kevin Pelham

# Happy addiversery

July 4th Bill and Angela Walker

Fax, email or bring your *About Town* news into the Telecentre. If you would like to share your birthday or anniversary celebrations with us then please fill in the Celebrations book. Alternatively just drop your details into the box at the Post Office.

## Walk the Wheatbelt - Pedometer Program

Funding secured through the Physical Activity Taskforce Grant Program sponsored by the Local Government Association and Lotterywest has enabled the Roe District 'Be Active' Coordinators purchase approximately Scheme to pedometers for residents to loan from their local Telecentres or libraries in the region.

Pedometers are an awareness tool used to calculate how much daily exercise people are participating in. They simply clip onto the participants belt on your hip, recording each step taken. They can be set to measure the distance you walk by inputting your stride length. The size of a matchbox they are suitable to be worn by most people at their workplace and at home. You simply clip it on in the morning and then take it off before going to bed, recording the steps for that 10,000 steps a day are regarded as enough to remain healthy.

The community awareness program will run for around three months and then we will be organising some inter town competitions with Corrigin, Dumbleyung, Kulin, Lake Grace, Wagin and Wickepin Shires. This will be a 'Walk the

Wheatbelt' program similar to the Be Active 'Swim to Rotto' concept. Teams from different community groups and businesses will be encouraged to participate, including schools and community clubs such as CWA and Seniors.

Please contact the Telecentre staff for more information and to pick up your pedometer. Water bottles and promotional packs are available to early bird participants.

Roe District Be Active Scheme Coordinator Ben Bryant – 9880 1204 or 0427 444 025

The 'Be Active' Community Sport and Recreation Coordinator Scheme is sponsored by Healthway promoting the 'Be Active' message to encourage thirty minutes of light exercise a day.

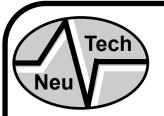






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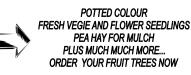
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# Wimbledon Theme Night

Saturday 3rd July at the Pavilion

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#### OBITUARY - JOHN WALTER BENNETT

Our Grandad John Walter Bennett was born in the Wagin hospital on the 9<sup>th</sup> May 1921 son of Ernie and Catherine Bennett who were pioneers of Lake Grace.

Grandad was the youngest of 6 children and the most mischievous and is now only survived by sister Ivy who resides in Kansas City in USA. Grandad reminded us not once, not twice but continuously that his Mother always said he was the "Prettiest Baby" of all the 6 kids.

Grandad was raised on the family farm Rhynie (as it is still known today.) He then attended The Lake Grace Primary School. In those days they travelled to school by horse and sulky. He and his four sisters Ethel, Rita, Lila and Ivy were driven in the sulky by older brother Ralph. As years went by they all upgraded and had a pony or horse of their own, which back then was a bit of a privilege and considered a treat. Grandad's pony was called "Molly".

When he completed Primary School at Lake Grace, Grandad attended Albany High School for 2 years in 1934 and 1935. His sister Ivv has told us that he had a brilliant brain academically but preferred not to use it for this purpose and chose instead to apply it to all the sports available. These being football and cricket. He was chosen in his year first of high school in the football first 18 and in cricket the first 11 (considered a great honour.) We also understand that he was supposed to learn music with a private tutor, but rumours have it that he used to visit the Music Teacher to drink beer and smoke cigarettes. He certainly did not achieve with the piano.

After completing 2 years at Albany High School Grandad came back to the family farm and helped there until the Second World War broke out. He enlisted in the Air Force in 1941. In February 1942 he was sent to Adelaide where he did his Rookies course. After this he was sent to Melbourne and completed his course in Aircraft and Hydraulics. Following on from Melbourne Grandad was posted to Deniliquin and was trained to service and maintain Wirraway and Kittyhawk aircraft. After completing 7 months he became a qualified Leading Air Craftsman, (LAC). During his stay at Deniliquin he was chosen out of 2000 men to be in the first 18 football team and the first 11 cricket team. After this course he had 7 days vacation and then was transferred to Darwin to squadron 77 with Kittyhawks. From Darwin he was sent to Townsville for 2 weeks and was then posted to New Guinea travelling on a ship called the "Vanderlin" which sailed directly to Milne Bay. After

completing 6 months in Milne Bay Grandad was then posted to Goodenough Island. After spending some time there the women and children were evacuated to safer places and we are not sure whether this was to escape the enemy or Jack Bennett. In Goodenough Island tropical fruits such as bananas, paw paw, pineapple were plentiful, which Grandad loved.

At Milne Bay and Goodenough Island part of Grandad's job was to sleep under the aircraft at night and keep guard in case of enemy attack.

In October 1944 Grandad was manpowered out of the Airforce to come home to the family farm because apparently we had the Japs on the run.

After returning back to Lake Grace Grandad continued to court the little Lady who he had gone to Primary School with and kept corresponding with whilst he was in the Forces.

This Lady was Jane Murdoch and on the 1st of August 1945 Grandad and Grandma were married. They had a very close relationship, which grew even stronger after they had three children Faye, John and Clem.

In 1953 Grandad, his brother Ralph and their father Ernie purchased another property called "Coleraine". Here Grandad and Grandma farmed and raised Faye, John and Clem.

Grandad loved shearing time, and even up until last year sat on his chair with broom in hand keeping a watchful eye over the shearers to make sure the job was done correctly.

Over the years Grandad was very involved in sporting activities such as football, cricket, tennis, golf and later bowls. His name is the 1st on the Lake Grace football Club honour board being Fairest and Best in 1945. He also has his name on the Lake Grace Bowling Club honour boards many times.

The arrival of eight Grand children and three great grandchildren really enriched the lives of both Grandad and Grandma.

Grandad and Grandma moved into number 1 Bennett Street in 1981 and called their home "Kiora" and had many wonderful occasions and celebrations there. Unfortunately in 1996 Grandma passed away. Grandad then lived 8 years alone but still had a wonderful sense of humour.

He was affectionately called "Gentleman Jack".

Thank you for your love and caring guidance over a lifetime and being such a special Dad, Grandad and Great Grandad.

# The Deal Is Done OBITUARY - GEORGE EDWARD LANNIN

26<sup>th</sup> April 1926 - 20<sup>th</sup> June 2004

Loved husband of Joyce, father of Kim and Pam, and Cherylyn and Alan, Grandpa to Tahlee, Danielle and Jonathan, Natasha and Benjamin, and Rebecca, and Great-Grandpa to James.

George Lannin will be remembered across Western Australia as a brilliant businessman and tough negotiator. Lannin Motors was synonymous with Lake Grace and the Western Australian farming community.

George Edward Lannin was born in Fremantle on 26 April 1926 to parents George and Kath. He was the first of three children, a brother Jerry and a sister Carol.

George came to the Lake Grace area as a toddler with his parents in 1928 when they took up a virgin block of land north of Lake Biddy. In about 1936 the family moved to a previously abandoned property in the Beenong area.

The move enabled George to attend his first school at the age of 10 (previously he studied by correspondence). He left school at the age of 14 to help on the farm, and in 1944 joined the RAAF at 18.

George left the RAAF in 1946 at age 20, and worked for an uncle at Mundijong who owned butcher shops. George worked at slaughtering, dressing and deliveries, working 60-hour weeks for a wage of 3 pound, 10 shillings per week.

During this time George was a member of the Mundijong Boxing Club and participated in the State Boxing Championship in the Perth Town Hall where he won the amateur middle weight class.

Whilst recovering from diphtheria, George took on a "light" job with a grocery store in Lake Grace.

George married Joyce Lydia Harvey on 5<sup>th</sup> August 1948 at St Anne's Anglican Church, Lake Grace. Their son, Kim, was born in May 1949, and their daughter, Cherylyn, in January 1952.

In 1948, the same year they were married, George and Joyce started a small green grocer business in the main street of Lake Grace. Soon after they became the agency for Austin cars and trucks, and

Case tractors.

George's ability at, and enjoyment of, selling and trading cars and machinery soon ensured the groceries were left behind. Lannin Motors moved into new premises in 1960 and took-up the General Motors Holden dealership and Chamberlain agencies.

Joyce was forever his supportive partner. She has memories of George setting-out on a business trip on Monday morning, and not hearing from him until Thursday night as he drove the state buying and selling cars. One quick trip could last a week.

The Farm Weekly was an integral part of Lannin Motors. George had it couriered to his front door every Wednesday night, and by the time the general public received it on Thursday morning, George had all his deals done!

George was a man with high business principles, and his family can tell many stories of how George helped local farmers. He would sell machinery to those farmers just starting-out in business, and let them pay him when they had available finances or after harvest.

Another famous family story tells of the time George was asked by a finance company to repossess a tractor. It was in the middle of seeding, so he sent a replacement tractor out to the farmer so they could finish seeding. Another repossession story tells how a piece of machinery was "hidden" from the finance company until after harvest!

Lannin Motors was the longest running, privately owned business in Lake Grace's history, closing in 1999.

George loved selling and trading, and he would trade cattle or sheep for machinery, and there was a period where he traded farms – reaching an ownership total of 14 at one stage from Narembeen and Newdegate to Denbarker and Nyabing.

George and Joyce, and their various interests, have been an integral part of Lake Grace and its development, commerce and community for over

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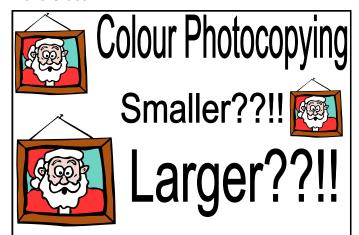
#### OBITUARY - GEORGE EDWARD LANNIN CONT...

50 years. It included 50 years membership of the Masonic Lodge, 10 years as a Shire Councillor and involvement with the Anglican Church, Sportsman's Club, and as a board member of the Community Cooperative. George's community interest was evident even as a 21 year old. In 1947 he formed a youth club in Lake Grace that staged a successful concert and sports meeting.

As much as work was a hobby, George's passions were horses, particularly race horses, and his family. He gave all his grand-daughters their first ponies (most of the ponies were acquired as a resultant swap for a piece of machinery) and taught them how to ride. They have fond memories of travelling to race meetings with their Grandpa in Albany, Bunbury and Mount Barker, and the friendships he made. They will always remember the love, pride and encouragement he showed towards them and their professional careers.

George Lannin worked hard; lived frugally; cared for and served the community; loved, served and provided for his family; and thereby set a fine example for family and friends to emulate.

Most importantly he will be remembered by family, friends, and the Western Australian farming community, as George Lannin, of Lannin Motors, Lake Grace.



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Venue: Lake Grace Medical Centre

For more information contact Elizabeth Trevenen

ph: 9865 1251

#### **Health Services Calendar:**

Physiotherapist Tuesday 13th July
now attending every fortnight
contact Primary Health ph: 9881 0357

Asthma Educator 8th July
contact the Hospital, Surgery or
Primary Health ph: 9881 0357

Public Advocate 19th July
videoconference session 10:00—12:00
register your interest at the Hospital

SOYF Aerobics Every Tuesday
Held in the Shire Hall at 10 am

#### **Home Care Events:**

We offer many and varied activities for our HACC clients, such as these:

Christmas in July 16th June
Bus transport to Newdegate
RSVP to ph: 9865 1206 by 12th July
Foot Care Clinic 5th July

held monthly, 9am—12 noon

Chair Aerobics Every Tuesday

Held in the Village Hall at 11 am

Village Choir Tuesday 6th July 11.30 am

A Home Care newsletter is available with more detailed information. Call us if you would like a copy sent to you.

# PAT\$ = Patient; Assisted Travel Scheme

If you live in a rural area and you are referred to a specialist by your Doctor you may be eligible to claim assistance through PATS for some of the travel and accommodation costs involved in your trip.

Forms are available from the Hospital or the Doctor's surgery. An initial claim form must be lodged prior to your trip.

If you require any further information about PATS please do not hesitate to speak with Angela or Paula at the Hospital ph: 9865 1206.

#### "Spring Ball"

Date: Saturday 30th October 2004

Venue: Lake Grace Shire Hall Cost: \$15.00 each

Band: "The Last Stand" JJ
Supper will be provided.

Set this date aside to dress in your glad-rags and come along for a fun night!

Hope you can make it...



# SCIENCE AND STUFF



Pharaoh's Catalogue: The death mask of Tutankhamen may be it's most famous exhibit, but the Egyptian Museum in Cairo has just begun a five-year programme to catalogue and restore 90,000 of its other relics of

Egyptian history. (New Scientist 12th June)

**Digital Pollution:** Generating the power to run TV's and other video devices already dumps 7 million tonnes of carbon dioxide a year into the atmosphere in the UK alone, and is expected to triple over the next ten years. The hike will come as more people add the set-top box needed to view digital TV to their home entertainment systems. The biggest waste comes in standby mode. Set-top boxes consume around 9 watts while on, but this only drops to 7 watts on standby. The UK leads the world in conversion to digital TV. with 53% of homes now on digital. But Europe and Australia are fast catching up. China wants to switch off all analogue TV's before the Beijing Olympics in 2008, putting another billion digital receivers into use. (New Scientist - 12th June)



Mystery Cow Disease: a strange brain disease that gradually killed a cow is puzzling vets in the UK. They have ruled out BSE, West Nile Virus and Louping-ill, a tick borne disease. Inflammation caused by a virus is the

most likely suspect. (New Scientist - 12th June)

Aerosols form in a cocktail of smoke and **fumes:** Particles in the air we breathe are blamed by some for the growing health problems in developed countries. But the processes responsible for creating them are poorly understood. Now it turns out that the particles form much more easily than had been thought from the cocktail of traffic fumes and industrial pollution found in urban areas. Simulated levels of urban pollution were obtained by varying the amount of aromatic acid and sulphuric acid vapours in an enclosed vessel. Sulphuric acid is produced by burning coal, while aromatic acids are associated with vehicle emissions. It was found that the formation of particles increased as much as tenfold in the presence of both aromatic acids and sulphuric acid. The researchers believe that the interaction between these acids reduce the amount of energy needed to form particulate Calculations suggest that substances matter. combine to form an intermediate stable aromatic acid-sulphuric acid complex which acts as a stepping stone to the formation of mixed organic

sulphate particles.

Suspensions of particles in the atmosphere, known as aerosols, also affect the global climate by scattering incoming radiation and creating a cooling effect. More locally they can affect weather systems by changing the way clouds form and altering the chances of rain or snow falling.

(Science, vol 304, p 1487)

Pterosaurs went for the soft shell: A spectacular fossil, the only one known to contain an embryonic pterosaur, suggests that flying reptiles laid soft eggs rather than hard ones. Fossilised dinosaur eggs are common, although very few contain the bones needed to identify the parents. Fossilised lizard and bird eggs have also been found but none from a pterosaur. embryo dates back to the early Cretaceous period around 121 million years ago and was preserved in the sediment of an ancient lake in north-eastern China. The embryo is nearly complete, with its wing bones folded tightly to fit into a volume about the size of a chicken egg. Its elongated fourth finger and other bones clearly identify it as a pterosaur, with a wingspan of about 27 centimetres. The egg must have been soft as it was squashed flat so that the pterosaur would not have been able to sit on them.

(Nature, vol 429, p 621)



Wind warns of big waves in record time: dark patches on the ocean surface could help warn coastal communities of the approach of a menacing

wave. Tsunamis are huge waves that swell out from the sites of underwater earthquakes or landslides, travelling across oceans at around 800 kilometres per hour. In deep water, they only raise the surface of the ocean by a few centimetres, but when they near the shore they billow up into giant tidal waves. People on the shore have sometimes reported seeing mysterious strips of dark water several kilometres wide moving across the sea surface before tsunamis strike. It is calculated that the dark patch is caused by a rapid airflow ruffling the sea surface. (Geophysical research letters)

A hopeful note on a whiteboard seen in a university's theoretical astronomy department: "Nobody is perfect. I am nobody, therefore I am perfect."

Maurie Gilson



# COUNCIL NEWS AND NOTES

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#### **COUNCILLOR'S CORNER**

#### **GREAT SOUTHERN COLTS CARNIVAL**

Congratulations to the Lake Grace Pingrup Football Club and Committee for the excellent organisation of the Great Southern Colts Carnival held over last weekend. This has put Lake Grace on the map as a venue for further carnivals. We were treated to some excellent football by the 8 associations that were represented.

\*\*Cr Darcy Roberts\*\*

#### **NEWDEGATE TOILET BLOCK**

Work on this project has been deferred to enable assessment of the work completed to date.



#### **MAGENTA DAMS**

Following a local community landholders meeting on 16 June 2004, a community water supply grant application has been submitted to the Department of Environment for the upgrading of the Magenta South and North (Cuff's) Dams.

This area was deemed severely water deficient during 2003.

#### WASTE TRANSFER STATION/ RECYCLING FACILITIES

For consideration of Council's forward planning for the Newdegate and Varley waste sites, the President, Deputy President, CEO and Manager of Works & Services are heading off on a two day inspection this week.

They will be visiting several shires operating waste transfer station and recycling facilities.

Cr Andrew

#### Walker

#### **ABCDE REFERENCE GROUP**

The Asset Based Community Development through Education (ABCDE) Reference Group held a public meeting at Shire Chambers on Tuesday 22 June 2004.

Students from the Lake Grace District High School gave practical presentations of projects undertaken by them to determine community assets.

At its next meeting of the Reference Group will isolate specific ongoing projects.

Projects under consideration include:

- School vocational education and training courses
- Tourism training and hospitality courses co-located at the school and the proposed Stationmaster's House Visitor's Information Centre

- Community based training for young people
- · History of surrounding schools that have closed down.

The project is looking to source funds through the Wheatbelt Development Commission for a fully funded, full time project officer to coordinate the various projects. *Cr Helen Bennett* 



#### **DOCTOR'S HOUSE RENOVATIONS**

This project is now nearing completion with re-tiling of all wet areas being finished off, kitchen benches installed and new curtains and floor coverings fitted. Garden landscaping works and the laying of new turf has also been completed.

Council will be holding an 'Open House' for members of the

public to view the renovations at the Doctor's House during July/August with the date to be advised.

#### ADSL BROADBAND ROLLOUT

John Morgan, Telstra's Customer Services Manager for this area, gave a presentation at last week's Council Meeting on Telstra's

proposed ADSL Broadband Rollout for the Lake Grace Townsite.

If you are interested in receiving the ADSL Broadband service (i.e. faster internet speed) and have not yet registered your interest please call Mark Burbridge on 9865 1105 at the Shire Offices and put your name down.

#### **REMINDERS**

#### VEHICLE LICENSING SERVICES NOT AVAILABLE

A reminder to customers that Licensing services will not be available at the Shire Offices on Friday 2 July & Monday 5 July 2004 due to a changeover in the vehicle licensing computer system.

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

In accordance with the provisions of Section 5.5 of the Local Government Act, 1995 you are hereby notified that a Special Meeting of Council has been convened for the purpose of consideration of the 2004/2005 budget.

Date: Wednesday 7 July 2004

Venue: Council Chambers Stubbs St Lake Grace

Commencing: 9 am

Neville Hale

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#### **Getting What You Pay For**



How often does it happen? You pay for something and then problems arise which take all the fun out of the purchase. The Department of Consumer and Employment Protection regularly hears from frustrated consumers who end up having arguments with merchants for providing what they think is a less than satisfactory service or product.

Most often, the argument is about quality. A consumer can reasonably expect that if they pay for a kilo of goods, then they should get a kilo. If they have asked for a delivery of wood, then it shouldn't contain rocks. Consumers generally expect to get what they are paying for. An unhelpful attitude sometimes displayed in business, that 'near enough is good enough', is not well received by many consumers.

The sort of things being reported include loads of garden compost containing un-composted materials (like shredded paper); loads of firewood sold by weight found to be wet or contain foreign materials such as gravel; contracted mechanical repairs or home extensions taking too long or ending up more expensive than first quoted; garden mulch sold by weight but found to contain stones and soil; garden loam which turns out to yield a range of weeds; electrical appliances which fail after little use, a merchant denying liability and flicking the consumer off to 'the approved repairer'

and deli items, such as meat, sold underweight.

The list goes on and almost everyone has a story to tell. Consumers have a right to expect to get what they pay for and this right is enshrined in law.

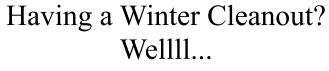
The Fair Trading Act sets out that goods should 'be as described' and that they should 'be fit for the purpose for which they were intended'. The law also sets out that services provided should be to a 'trade standard'. This obligation to quality is a warranty that all traders must honour and cannot be set aside by signs stating 'all care but no responsibility'.

Failure to adhere to these basic guidelines in commerce can result in prosecutions along with hefty fines for those found guilty.

The Fair Trading Act aims to reinforce what the community at large expects and that is, integrity in commerce and trade. Those who flaunt these community expectations should expect consequences.

More information on this and other consumer issues is freely available by calling Consumer Protection on 1300 30 40 54 or by emailing consumer@docep.wa.gov.au .

Allan Smith Senior Regional Officer Goldfields/Esperance



Keep your goods for the

Anglican Church Spring Clean

# GARAGE



SALE





# Get in Early with Funding Requests Advises new 'Be Active Coordinator'



Groups interested in planning or conducting events that will benefit the general health of the community but are unsure of how to go about getting funding support should contact Healthways' new 'Be Active' Community Sport and Recreation Coordinator for the region, Ben Bryant.

Ben is encouraging community groups to contact him to discuss any projects for which they may be sourcing funds.

Some funds are available to support small equipment purchases, conduct events and development programs, and for capital infrastructure projects.

"However, in many circumstances it takes at least four months for a funding to be approved after receipt of the application, so it is very important for groups to plan well ahead of the date of their event," Ben said. "Interested groups should determine the conditions under which grants are made available, and prepare early.

"Part of my role as the 'Be Active' Coordinator for the seven shires within the scheme - Corrigin, Dumbleyung, Kondinnin, Kulin, Lake Grace, Wagin and Wickepin - is to assist all clubs and sporting associations to prepare and write their funding applications."

Since arriving in Kulin last month after fulfilling a similar role for two years with the Shire of Dundas, Ben has 'hit the ground running,' promoting physical activity through the schools and communities within the region and providing advice to sporting clubs, community groups and local government officers in all issues relating to sport and recreation, including grant funding, training courses and special events.

"In the next few weeks I will be visiting schools and local shires to fast-track several programs including the 'Walk the Wheatbelt Pedometer' Program, the Schools 'Winter Warm-Up' Program, and promoting school and community clinics and activities such golf, fishing, soccer and self-defense," Ben said.

Ben can be contacted by phoning 9880 1204 or 0427 444 025, or email: recoff@kulin.wa.gov.au

# YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL

Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> of June we had a very enjoyable evening playing basketball and netball before returning to the Youth Station for some fish and chips for tea. It was great to see some of the older boys participating as they don't always attend these evenings. The overall number of members participating was less than previous activity nights, this was possibly due to a birthday party sleep over and the high school boys training for the Quit Cup during the day. It was the last of the activity nights until next term when we will (hopefully) have soccer on Friday the 6<sup>th</sup> of August.

Our supervisor for Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> of July is Julie Hardy and then the Youth Station will be closed until next term. Linda Hunt will be the supervisor on Wednesday the 28<sup>th</sup> of July.

Can You Help? We are looking for any photos that may have been taken in previous years at the Youth Station or at any of the organised activities. If you have any could you please contact me on 9865 4041.

Debby Clarke

Hospital Auxiliary

Street Stall

Thursday 8th July

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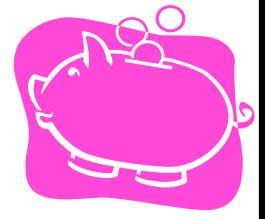
# SCHOOL BUS WANTED



One full time driver and several relief drivers required.

The full time position can be shared between two or three people depending on

Remuneration is currently \$21.80 per hour, including superannuation plus any personal travel costs.





For further information please see Helena Dixon or Vicki Reynolds Or ring Brent Barrett-Lennard on 9586 8119 or Mob 0428 366 042

Why not get your bus license just in case it is required one day.



#### **Getting Your Complaint Heard!**

When the shopping experience turns sour and the purchase isn't all you had hoped, what can an individual do to make it right? Here are some do's and don'ts in trying to make your case and to be heard:

**DO** remember to keep your receipts. Businesses are not legally obliged to do anything if customers cannot show "proof of purchase".

**DO** try to discuss the matter calmly with the person who dealt with you. Familiarity may speed up the process.

**DON'T** allow yourself to become irritated, emotional, raise your voice or otherwise make a scene. Becoming angry doesn't help. It will only cloud your judgement and make any resolution far more difficult to reach.

**DO** be logical when explaining the problem.

**DO** be prepared to learn about your rights and responsibilities as a shopper. The Department of Consumer and Employment Protection has an excellent free booklet entitled "Your Rights When

Shopping", a telephone help line: 1300 30 40 54 and a very useful website full of relevant information. (<a href="https://www.docep.wa.gov.au">www.docep.wa.gov.au</a>)

**DO** be prepared as a next step, to put your complaint in writing to the proprietor. A written complaint always carries far more weight than a phone call in the complaint handling process. This is particularly true for large businesses.

**DO** be prepared to go directly to the business owner if shop floor staff can't help you.

**DO** allow your local Consumer Protection office to assist if it becomes too hard. Our staff are trained and experienced in negotiation and our service is free.

**DO** expect that from time to time, you may be wrong or have an unrealistic expectation of what the business can do to rectify the problem. Likewise businesses can also make mistakes, that's where we may be able to help set things right.

Allan Smith Senior Regional Officer, Goldfields/Esperance

# Narrogin Regional BEC Would Like to Say Thank You... To all our sponsors for 2003/04

- Small Business Development Corporation
- Wheatbelt ACC -Small
- Business Answers Program
- Australia Post
- Agricultural Department of WA

- Town of Narrogin
- Shire of Narrogin
- Shire of West Arthur
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- Shire of Williams (confirmed 2004/2005 sponsors)

Your generous support allows us to continue providing business assistance to our clients in the Southern Wheatbelt.

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Do you realize that we provide the following services:

#### Support and assistance with:

- Starting a business
- Knowing your business
- Buying a business
- Growing your business
- Business Training and Seminars (can be tailored to your business)

#### New Services Available from July 1st 2004

- Community Cybercentre
- Employment Directions
- JPET Services

To make an appointment or to find out more contact *Lisa Shields* on Phone: 9881 4908, Fax: 9881 3446 or email becadmin@westnet.com.au

Please note that bookings are essential as we cover 10 Local Government areas,

however we can come to you.

# Licensing - Where to go and what to do!

#### **General Theory Test**

Applicant completes a 30 multiplechoice Computerised Theory Test. Test takes 35 minutes or less with a pass mark of 24/30. Applicant must be 16 years or older.

This test is undertaken at the Lake Grace Telecentre. Applicant must bring one form each of Primary and Secondary ID. If you are under 18, you must also have a letter of consent signed by your parent or legal guardian.

Once test is completed, results are available at the Lake Grace Shire. If you have passed you then fill in an application form for a learner's permit (at Shire) - at this point you also need to present Primary and Secondary ID, and make a payment of \$51.20.



#### **Practical Driving Test**

This assessment is completed by the Lake Grace Police, applicant must be 16.5 years of age. Testing is done on WEDNESDAYS and takes approximately 30 minutes. Ring Tony or Dave on 9865 1007 for an appointment (no more than a week in advance).

Applicant must bring their learner's permit and have the use of a roadworthy vehicle.



#### **Hazard Perception Test**

Applicant must be 17 years or older, he/she takes completed Log Book (25 hours of supervised driving), learner's permit and Primary ID to Lake Grace Shire Office. Once payment is made, you will receive a HPT application form. Applicant can then proceed to Lake Grace Telecentre to undertake computerised HPT. Once test is completed results are obtained from the Shire office. Initial fee is \$24.20, every ensuing test costs \$14.90.

#### **Position Vacant**

**INSURANCE - Sales Support Officer** 

LOCATION: Lake Grace, WA

Elders Limited is looking for a person to join our Lake Grace Insurance team. The successful candidate will have either experience in the Insurance Industry or the Financial Services Industry. The role involves valuable support to our Insurance business. The principal accountabilities include the following duties:

Customer Service, Data Processing, Assisting Authorised Representative with administrative duties, Assisting Authorised Representative with Insurance operations, Quoting of Business Sales and Marketing Assistance where required, Claims processing

A suitable salary will be negotiated with the successful applicant.

Phone enquiries to (08) 9422 2410 or Written applications including CV should be sent to:

"The Insurance Manager"

Elders Limited AFSLN 237754
Stubbs Street

Stubbs Street Lake Grace WA 6330



The Narrogin Regional Business Centre is

# Visiting a Town Near You...

Place: Lake Grace Telecentre
Date: Every third Wednesday
Time: 9:30am - 11:30am

#### Find out about::

- Starting a business
- Knowing your business
- Growing your business
- Business training and seminars
- JPET Services
- Employment directions



Welcome to Night Watch for the fortnight from midnight Friday July 2 to midnight Friday July 16.

Earth, on Monday 5th will be at Aphelion, furthest from the Sun at 1.017 astronomical units, or 152,095,209kms at 7pm.

The latest onset of twilight is at 5.41pm on the 4th.

The Sun, resides in Gemini for this fortnight.

The last quarter moon is at 3.34pm on the 9th in Pisces. On the 15th the Moon will be a Apogee, furthest from earth at 406,192 kms. The moon moves through the night sky this fortnight.

Mercury in Cancer on Saturday sets at 6.24pm and sets around five minutes later each night, setting at 7.17pm on the 16th in Leo. Mercury on Sunday 11th will be 0.2° north of Mars.

Venus now in the morning sky in Taurus, rises on Saturday at 4.40am and rises at 4.07 on the 16th. On this Sunday Venus will be 1° north of the orange/red star Aldebaran, which represents the eye of the bull and is in the open star cluster "the Hyades", in the shape of a V and represents the head. On the 14th Venus will be 8° south of the Moon. On the 15th Venus will be at its greatest brilliancy of -4.5 magnitude.

Mars, in Cancer sets around 7pm.

Jupiter, in Leo sets around 10.30pm at magnitude -2.1.

The ringed planet Saturn, will be in the early morning twilight by the end of the fortnight after being in conjunction with the Sun on the 9th.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset
3/07	7.08am	5.14pm
4/07	7.08am	5.15pm
5/07	7.08am	5.15pm
6/07	7.07am	5.15pm
7/07	7.07am	5.16pm
8/07	7.07am	5.16pm
9/07	7.07am	5.17pm
10/07	7.07am	5.17pm
11/07	7.06am	5.18pm
12/07	7.06am	5.19pm
13/07	7.06am	5.19pm
14/07	7.06am	5.20pm
15/07	7.05am	5.20pm
16/07	7.05am	5.21pm

The blue/green planet Uranus, in Aquarius, rises around 9.30pm and is at magnitude 5.7. on the 6th Uranus will be 4° north of the Moon.

The grey/green planet Neptune, at magnitude 7.8 rises around 7.40pm in Capricornus and will be 5° north of the moon on Sunday 4th.

Pluto in the constellation of Serpens at 13.8 is in the sky all night.

There should be a good few meteors in the night sky mostly in Aquarius but also in Capricornus, Sagittarius, Pisces and in Pegasus which is north of Pisces in the morning sky. In Aquarius there will be about 10 per hour.

The Moon this fortnight is in Capricornus on 3rd and 4th. Aquarius on 5th, 6th and 7th. Cetus on 8th. Pisces on 9th. Aries on 10th and 11th. Taurus on 12th, 13th and 14th. Gemini on 15th and 16th.

The sky was cloudy most of the afternoon for the transit of Venus across the face of the Sun on June 8th, but with a few breaks we did manage to see some of it. At the same time there was two small sunspots which gave a good idea of how the Earth and Venus really are, and there was no mention of them on the news. The next one is in 2012.

Maurie Gilson Member of the astronomical society of WA 16 Clarke avenue, lake grace Ph: 9865 1516

Visitors for information or viewing welcome anytime



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#### Lake Grace Development Association

Sometimes we wonder if we are achieving anything as we attend seemingly endless meetings and things just happen Oh So Slowly that at times we can wonder if it is all worth while. A few weeks ago I found this in my notes:

The following are 10 of the **Priority Projects For Community Action** that were a result of the original "Vision 2020" meeting in Lake Grace. The 2020 Vision meeting was held late in 1992 in the Town Hall for the whole Shire.

#### 1. Agricultural college with alternative farming.

- Establish an agricultural college which looks at alternative farming. Lake Grace to be promoted as the alternative farming centre of the Wheatbelt and of W.A./Australia.

#### 2. Improve town appearances with townscape and promote town and Shire themes.

- Establish overall townscape plans which get completed in stages. Improve signage throughout the Shire and develop a theme relevant to each town.
- Initiated and funded by the Shire in 18 months to 2 years.

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#### 3. Restore Old Railway Building

- Refurbish and restore the railway station in Lake Grace, and incorporate a tourist bureau, coffee shop, child care facilities/playgroup, and craft shop. One year for completion.

#### 4. Establish a Development Association and/or Chamber of Commerce.

- Establish a Development or Progress Association to actively pursue local economic development opportunities that arise. Rationalise existing groups into this Association. Also consider the establishment of a Chamber of Commerce.

#### 5. Establish Lake King Toilets/Craft Centre.

- Establish a craft shop in Lake King and consider the establishment of more public toilets near the site. The shop could be a sales outlet to the passing tourist trade.

#### 6. Gypsum Mining and Value Added Industries.

- Promote the mining of gypsum and other value adding industries.

#### 7. Recycling Project(s).

- Encourage local recycling programs in the Shire.

#### 8. Tourism Project - Old Hospital and Interpretive Centre.

- More aggressively market tourism opportunities at the old hospital. Give the Perth based tourism bureau more information about the attractions in the Lake Grace Shire.
- Establish a tourist walk and tourist drive, and produce a map of the associated attractions in the Shire. Improve signage in the Shire and promote the salt lake systems.
  - Establish a new tourist group in each town.

#### 9. Telecentre and Improved Library Resources Centre.

- Establish a Telecentre in Lake Grace with smaller centres in Lake King and Newdegate. The Development Association to assist with the ongoing establishment of this resource, with support from the Wheatbelt Development Commission.

#### 10. Transport old buildings to create housing and commercial areas.

- Make use of old housing in the Shire by transporting materials for the construction of housing in the towns. It has been eleven and a half years since that meeting and all things considered we have done quite well even though the time frames were a bit out. Give yourselves a pat on the back Lake Grace.

Debby Clarke



#### **Baking With Pamela**

What a joy it is to live in a rural community like Lake Grace.

This was brought home to our family, last week, when after George's funeral we returned with family and friends to the Shire Hall to share in stories, food and a cuppa. The spread prepared by the Lake Grace Cooks was amazing and the tables were overflowing with the very best of authentic baking.

We talk about "comfort food", I am sure the term must have originated in Lake Grace as only care and love can produce such food, which, in turn was a comfort to all of us.

Thank You!!!!

#### **Sponge**

Old favourites are still favourites today. I have used, over the years, numerous sponge recipes from all over the world. This one is my all time favourite, given to me by my friend Joan. It is guaranteed to not fail.

I will always remember the time (~1986) my eldest daughter was busy baking to enter into the local show. Our power failed so we had to pack everything into our car and drive to Joan's home, a distance between farms of 30 km. Yes, she did win a prize for the sponge however, our best memories are not of the win but the fun time shared in Joan's kitchen as Dani baked away.

4 eggs – room temperature 3/4 cup castor sugar

3/4 cup cornflour

1 rounded tablespoon custard powder

2 teaspoons cream of tartar

1 teaspoon bi-carbonate soda

- Preheat oven to 180-190°C. Line base, grease and flour two 20 cm (8in) cake tins.
- Beat eggs until thick and creamy, add castor sugar and continue beating until a figure of 8 will form and hold.
- While mixture is beating sift together all the powders, 3-4 times.
- Fold powders into beaten mixture.

 Divide mixture evenly into two tins, drop each tin from a height of 30-45 cm onto bench or

floor. This will eradicate any large air bubbles and result in a finer sponge.

- Bake for 20 minutes.
- Remove from tins as soon as cooked.



**Variations** 

Chocolate Sponge 4 tablespoons cocoa

sifted with the cornflour.

Coffee Sponge 1 tablespoon instant coffee

added to egg mixture before the powders, make sure it

dissolves.

Cinnamon Sponge 1 tablespoon cinnamon and

2 teaspoons mixed spice added to cornflour before

sifting.

Ginger Sponge Add 1 tablespoon ginger

and 1 teaspoon mixed spice to cornflour before sifting.

#### **Swiss Roll**

- Make half the basic recipe mixture.
- Pour into a small swiss roll tin, which has been papered and greased.
- Bake in 180°C oven until golden and springy to touch.
- Place a clean tea towel (preferably a thin one) on the table and turn the cake on to this.
- Remove paper from base of cake.
- Trim off any dry, crusty edges.
- Spread cake quickly with warmed thin jam.
- Make a shallow cut in cake about 2 cm from the end furthest from you.
- Fold this over firmly and pull the tea towel or cloth towards you and the cake will roll as you pull.
- Wrap in cloth for a few seconds to ensure roll is firm.
- Sprinkle a little castor sugar into the cloth and roll the cake backwards and forwards till it is coated thinly.
- Cool on a wire tray away from a draught.

#### **ABCDE**

#### **Asset Based Community Development through Education**

Asset-Based Community Development through Education is a strategic approach to developing connections between schools and their local communities.

Lake Grace has been selected for a pilot project to investigate community development by using the assets of the community and the school along with the education process. The strategy aims to recognise and value schools as significant (and in many cases untapped) community assets. The first phase of the project is to create an inventory of community and school assets and develop a registry of skills that exist in our community.

Lake Grace District High School students have been working on this first phase and presented their findings to the ABCDE reference group and community members on Tuesday June 22<sup>nd</sup>.

The Year 1.2 and 3 students, with teachers Jodie Blackwood and Janet Sebestyen, were asked to collate local business assets. They visited the town's businesses, asking various questions such as 'Is this a family business? Do you wear a uniform? How many people work here?' With this information, the students made a Big Book which was shown to all at the meeting.

Year 4, 5, and 6 students, with teachers Gemma Scarterfield, Kristey Hobley and Barry Lane have chosen to do a 3D scale-model of the town. The 1.2m x 4.6m base has been made in three interlocking pieces with the streets and blocks drawn to scale. Groups of students sketched the buildings of Stubbs Street, taking measurements and noting colours and distinguishing features. Models of the buildings will be made and it is hoped that interested community members will assist the students.

A recent survey of Western Australia shows a volunteer rate of 45% in rural communities. The Year 7 class with Davina Reid listed all of the organizations in town with a preliminary count of more than 50 community groups. They showed a very impressive Power Point presentation listing each organization's origin, aims, meeting times, office bearers, members, special skills and contact details.

An exercise by the Year 8 class has the potential to reveal a wealth of skills and talent in our

Year 8 community. students with teachers Stuart Blackwood, Rick Elliot, Davina Reid and Lynn Draper compiled a survey to identify the talents, interests and abilities of the Designed population. on a check box format encourage wider participation, McWhirter (yr 3) occupations and skills range



Students Briana from and Liam Baker

accountancy to woodworking. Of 260 surveys sent to the parents of students, 31 have so far been returned. If you have not received a survey form, collect one from the Post Office and let us know what you can do!

The Year 10 class with Miss Dodson looked at how Lake Grace's location might be an asset. They identified such things as the low crime rate, lack of over-crowding, no terrorism, the clean air and caring people.

Natural environmental assets was the focus of the Year 9 class. They made a day trip to local attractions such as the salt lakes, the look-out. Dingo Rock and the White Cliffs and also looked at local flora and fauna.

All presentations were extremely professional with good use of the digital camera, computer graphics and Power Point.

A major point to come from this meeting was that Lake Grace has the potential to become a significant sub-regional centre. community meeting will be held on Tuesday July 27<sup>th</sup> to identify a number of objectives for the next phase of the project. This will be followed by a video conference with members of the reference group.

A community forum, with the reference group, students and school principals, will then be held on August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Mr Rick Battistoni, a visiting US facilitator, will give us feedback on the project to date, give examples of and advise on how we can develop our community goals.

# MOSAIC GARDEN GALLERY SECOND CHANCE

If you think we had finished the MOSAICS and you had missed out, don't worry ...

#### 'THERE IS MORE TO DO'

The shire has again given us 100 cement pavers to use. So anyone who has not done a mosaic paver, and would like to leave their family name, history, or that they actually lived in Lake Grace or surrounding districts; do a design, or simply want to come and learn to do mosaics, are very welcome to come along and join in. Anyone who has already done a paver and wishes to do another is also very welcome.

These pavers will go in the new path that will be installed to join up the AIM "Penny Path" and the Mosaic Garden Gallery.

There will be **FREE** mosaic workshops held during August up in the old wing of the hospital, (we need to do this while we are still able to utilize this building).

The free workshops will be held on:

Sundays 8<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 22<sup>nd</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> August
Wednesdays 4<sup>th</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> 18<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> August

(to utilize the crèche for mums with small children that want to have a go)

9am onwards to 1.30pm

**BRING** side tile cutters (if you have them) and any tiling tools.

- margarine containers
- rags or old towel
- hammer
- your lunch and water bottle
- your sense of humour.

Cement pavers and cement glue supplied, tiles available to use. If you want bright colours you will need to bring your own tiles along.

For any further information please ring me, Kerrie Argent on 9865 4042, and leave a message - I'll get back to you.

WANTED: if you have any tiles you don't want, old or otherwise, or the off cuts when you or a friend renovated, we would still love donations of tiles. These can be left in the old wing of the hospital.

NB: Anyone that is experienced in mosaics is welcome to come up and start on a new paver at any time – just make sure that you scrub your paver with caustic soda before starting! No tools are here at the moment, so bring your own. Glue

#### **WANTED: Lazy Men and Cat Fanciers**

The Department of Consumer and Employment Protection wants to hear from lazy men and cat fanciers. That is, members of the Northam and District Lazy Men's Association of WA (Inc) established in 1923 and The Golden West Cat Fanciers Association of WA (Inc) established in 1934.

These are just two of the 17,000 listings on the department's Associations database, which dates back to 1896.

The database is the central listing for all Western Australian clubs, societies, groups and associations incorporated under the Associations Incorporation Act (1987). A review is currently underway to confirm which associations are currently active, and which aren't.

"There are thousands of names on the database, including many weird and wonderful ones and some that are just plain interesting, such as the Skull Bone and Pig Society", Consumer Protection Commissioner Patrick Walker said.

Some other names are:

- \* The Chain Locker Club
- Organising Council of the 7th British Empire and Commonwealth Games

- \* The Useless Angling Club
- Light Weight Sharpie Club of Western Australia

"What we don't know is whether they all still exist, as clubs are not required to contact the department to keep us informed of their activities and contact details.

"We are now making a number of public approaches to find out.

"Not only would we like to hear from members of active groups, we would also love to hear from former members of now defunct groups. In this way we can confirm the current status of associations, and update our database to reflect this.

If associations are found to be inactive we can then also take the legal steps necessary to cancel the entries and free up names for other organisations", Mr Walker said.

Members of active groups and former members of inactive clubs, societies, associations and groups can contact the Department: tel - 1300 79 04 50, fax 9282 0948, assoc-cleanup@docep.wa.gov.au, mail to: assoc-cleanup@docep.wa.gov.au.

Website www.docep.wa.gov.au/associations/cleanup has further details.

# Anne-Maree Downing Naturopath/Back Therapist Visiting Lake Grace, July 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>

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Anne-Maree's qualifications include a degree in Naturopathy, Diplomas in Homeopathy, Iridology, Kinesiology, Remedial massage therapies, Bowen muscle therapy, Acupressure, NLP– Neurolinguistic programming, Eriksonian hypnosis, childbirth education and infant massage.

For bookings or inquires, please phone **Amber Gaia Wellness 08 9841 2589** or email **anne-maree@bigpond.com** 

#### Lake Grace Weather

- Terry Gladish

#### Temperature Extremes for July

Highest Maximum Temperature 23.4 17/07/1976 Lowest Maximum Temperature 10.1 29/07/1975 Highest Minimum Temperature 13.6 01/07/1985 Lowest Maximum Temperature - 1.4 02/07/1982



Date	Min	Max	Rain
17/6	12.8	15.5	1.2
18/6	7.7	16.0	
19/6	3.9	15.8	
20/6	6.1	17.0	
21/6	7.6	21.1	
22/6	11.6	18.7	1.0
23/6	7.2	17.0	2.6
24/6	7.9	15.4	0.2
25/6	9.3	17.7	1.0
26/6	5.1	19.0	
27/6	9.0	20.6	
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29/6	9.5	16.6	
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# the Alpha course

An opportunity to explore the meaning of life in a way that is great fun.

Beginning with a 3 course dinner at 7:30pm on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> July at the Shire Lesser Hall in Bennett Street, followed by the video;

# Christianity: Boring, Untrue and Irrelevant?

cost: \$7.00 per person

Bookings: Anglican Church Lk. Grace ph 9865 1064, by Monday 5<sup>th</sup> of July







#### Transport Industry Hazards Lead to High Injury Rates

The transport and storage industry in WA has a consistently higher rate of work-related injuries and diseases than the average.

Statistics show that the employees most in danger of sustaining a lost-time injury (an incident that results in at least one day or shift lost from work) are truck drivers, who account for 27 per cent of injuries.

Transport and storage is also one of the five industries on which the ThinkSafe campaign focuses because of serious concerns with high injury rates.

WorkSafe WA Commissioner Nina Lyhne said today that the transport and storage industry had a high rate of manual handling injuries, both from lifting and handling heavy items.

"Manual handling is one of WorkSafe's priority areas, and one-third of all lost-time injuries in the transport and storage industry are the result of incorrect lifting and handling of goods," Ms Lyhne said.

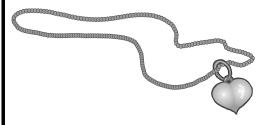
"Manual handling injuries can be anything from minor muscle strains to debilitating long-term injuries. A further 23 per cent of lost-time injuries are the result of falls in the workplace, another one of WorkSafe's priority areas."

"Across all industries, an average of two Western Australians die each year as a result of workplace falls, and there are around 1350 incidents involving falls each year that result in injuries to workers."

"A very comprehensive revised code of practice on falls was released recently which provides information on the identification of common fall hazards at all workplaces and the use of fall-arrest equipment and systems, along with chapters on work practices specific to the transport industry."

Another cause for concern in the transport and storage industry is the safe movement of vehicles at workplaces. Continued next page

# Silver Swan Jewellery



### We pride ourselves on fine jewellery in sterling silver and gold

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> July 11.00am to 5.00pm Lake Grace: CWA hall (cnr Bennett and McMahon Venue:

Streets)

Kondinin: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> July 1.00pm to 6.00pm Kondinin Hotel dining room Venue:

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> July Hyden:

Venue: Hyden Mall 10.00am to 1.30pm

Hyden Hotel 2.30pm to 5.00pm

#### **Transport Industry Hazards Lead to High Injury Rates...cont**

Activities often linked to injuries are reversing, loading, unloading and pedestrian movements, and all these activities need to be designed, planned and controlled in order to reduce the risk of incidents.

Fatigue is also of great concern in the transport and storage industry, with fatigue contributing to around 25 per cent of fatal truck crashes in WA each year.

Fatigue can lead to loss of concentration, drowsiness, slow reaction times and falling asleep at the wheel.

New standards for managing fatigue came into effect last year designed to help drivers have minimum periods of rest, better opportunities for sleep, and require drivers to undertake medical examinations to ensure they are fit to drive.

"I strongly encourage employers in the transport and storage industry to take a good look at their workplaces, identify any possible risks to employees and take action to reduce these risks and improve safety in this industry," Ms Lyhne said

On 9th August Bob Melville from Melville Nurseries, Carmel will conduct a

Rose Day

at the Lake King Hall 10am - Morning tea

11am - Pruning demonstration in the School garden followed by lunch in the Hall, where Bob will talk on the **easy** way to care for roses and answer your questions.

Finishing approx 2pm
Plants will be available for sale
(for special requests phone Bob)

RSVP for catering purposes
Trish 9838 0052
Jan 9874 4013
Nancye 9874 4007

Proceeds to the Lake King Community Church

Further information on safety in the transport and storage industry can be obtained by telephoning WorkSafe on 9327 8777 or on the website at www.safetyline.wa.gov.au.

Coming soon to Lake King

# The Mary G Show



#### Friday 23rd July Lake King Hall @ 8pm

Mary G (Mark Bin Bakar) Queen of the Kimberly is coming to Lake King.

Mary G started out as a cult disc-jockey of indeterminable gender in Broome. She says what others dare not.

Is he a man? Is she a woman? Does it matter? Her flair and floral dress sense have gained her more than a few admirers. You may have seen her in her own SBS chat show, she also appears in ads for sheds and cyclone warnings.

Mary has put together a special show package for regional communities and will be working with Tahnee Carrie, Desert Child.

Co-starring Stephen "Baamba" Albert.

Cabaret style - tables of 10
Bar facilities, Supper provided
\$20 a head
Babysitter available \$5 per child

Babysitter available \$5 per child Buses from Newdegate and Ravensthorpe

**Bookings Lakes Breaks 9874 4007** 



### Free Career Planning

If you are deciding on a career, good career information is one of the first things you will need.

The Career Information Centre (CIC) can help! CIC staff are committed to helping you find the information that you require.

#### Information

The CIC has a wide range of information on:

- Occupations
- Course and Training Information
- Job Search and Interview Techniques
- Job Applications and Resumes

#### **Occupational and Industry Folders**

The folders are a good way to find out more about occupations. They contain a collection of:

- Career Profiles
- Sample Job Advertisements
- Newspaper Clippings
- Brochures and Leaflets
- Additional Contacts
- Related Business

#### **Videos**

We have videos you can view here which may be a useful tool to assist you with your career decision. They show people working in specific jobs so you can see what the job is really like. The CIC also has videos on other career related matters such as:

- Career Planning
- Interview Skills
- Job Search
- Industries

#### **Handbooks and Directories**

If you are thinking of further study you need to know what is involved in the course. The handbooks contain information about entry requirements, prerequisites, subjects and length of the course. The CIC has handbooks from:

- Universities from around Australia
- Admission Centres
- Private Courses in Western Australia
- TAFEs from around Australia

#### Computers

The CIC has 16 computers available to be used for the following purposes:

- Search for Careers and Courses on OZJAC
- Appropriate Internet use for Career and Course research
- <u>JIIG-CAL</u> Career Assessment Package (Bookings essential)

<u>JIIG-CAL</u> is a computer based career directional package for people who are unsure what type of job they would like. The package assesses your likes and dislikes, then generates a list of 40 occupations you may be suited to. Printed reports are available for you to take home.

#### **Publications**

If you want information to take home with you, we have print outs, leaflets and booklets about:

- Selected Occupations
- Job Search and Interview techniques
- Youth Allowance/Austudy/Abstudy
- University Prospectuses
- Traineeships/New Apprenticeships

#### **Assistance**

Whether you are at school, a job seeker or seeking a new career the CIC can help you. You do not have to be registered at Centrelink to use our free facilities.

You can find your own way around the CIC or staff can assist you to find the career information you are seeking. If you are in a group you need to telephone and arrange a suitable time to have a tour. The atmosphere is relaxed, come as often as you need and work at your own pace.

#### **Career Information Centre**

2nd Floor City Central Building 166 Murray Street Mall PERTH WA 6000

**Phone:** (08) 9464 1305 **Fax:** (08) 9464 1360

Email: cic.per@centrelink.gov.au

#### **Opening Hours**

Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Lake Grace Telecentre has some career information brochures available.

# Paper & Card



Many colours in A4 and A3
We also have metallics
and leathergrains
Priced from 5 cents per sheet
At the Lake Grace
Telecentre

# Lake Grace Gymnastics club

#### **New Equipment**

We are very excited to announce that the Shire has kindly agreed to the installation of some new equipment for our boys. We hope to have our rings and high bar installed in time for the boys to get some use out of them this season.

Thank you to Wendy O'Neill for attending the meeting and putting our case forward, and thank you to the Shire for giving our boys a bigger range of apparatus to work on.

#### **Leotards**

The girls look very professional in their new leotards, just arrived from the dressmaker. Thank you Michelle Slarke for organising them, they are great. Boys - you are next.

#### Rosters

We hope that no one has been inconvenienced by the cancellation of gym this week - we thought it was a good cause, and gym is very rarely cancelled. I have revised the roster this week, so please read it carefully. In addition to rostered people, we really need lots of help to set up on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> July**, **12.30pm.** Please send men if possible.

On roster next week are:

Wednesday, 7<sup>th</sup> July

Set up (12.30): D Hendry, J Trevenen,

T Naisbitt, A Nenke, H McWhirter.

Main Session/Pack Up (3.30 - 5pm):

J Bushby, J Wyatt, H McWhirter

Please note different set-up time 

 SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - NO GYM

Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> July

Set up (1.15): K Zweck, M West, N Battison,

Main Session/Pack up (3.30 - 5pm):

T Cameron, J Wyatt, N Battison.

Thank you to everyone who helped with the packup last week in preparation for the football carnival. The pack-up was very quickly and easily done, thanks to the great turn up we had - much appreciated.

Donna Hendry (Secretary)

# It's on again!!

#### Activities include

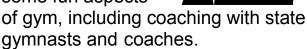
- Visit to Jungle Gym
- Visit to Bizurcus Circus School
- Coaching at Challenge Stadium, WA Institute of Sport.

Cost: \$25 per child inclusive of accomodation meals, all entry fees and coaching

Contact Christine 9864 9035 before Wednesday, 7th July.

## Fantastic Gym Camp

For children of all ages
2 exciting days
with overnight stay in Perth
experiencing
some fun aspects



# Saturday 31st July and Sunday 1st August

Perth—Overnight stay at Len Fletcher Pavilion, Gymnastics WA, North Perth (families welcome too).

### OFA — FOOTBALL

#### Football - June 19th 2004

#### League:

Kent 22 goals 19 (151) defeated Lake Grace Pingrup 8 goals 9 (57).

Best: James Eaton, Graeme Watson, Scott Houston.

Goal Scorers: Troy Houston 3.

Boxwood Hills 16 goals 11 (107) defeated Newdegate 7 goals 6 (48).

Ongerup 20 goals 12 (132) defeated Borden 10 goals 11 (71).

Jerramungup 14 goals 15 (99) defeated Gnowangerup 13 goals 15 (93).

#### Reserves:

Lake Grace/Pingrup 8 goals 8 (56) defeated Kent 5 goals 5 (35).

Boxwood Hills 9 goals 11 (65) defeated Newdegate 4 goals 0 (24).

Ongerup 0 goals 0 (0) drew with Borden 0 goals 0 (0).

Jerramungup 10 goals 16 (76) defeated Gnowangerup 5 goals 2 (32).

#### Juniors:

Lake Grace/Pingrup 8 goals 11 (59) defeated Kent 0 goals 1 (1).

Newdegate 10 goals 11 (71) defeated Boxwood Hills 2 goals 1 (13).

Ongerup 7 goals 8 (50) defeated Borden 5 goals 4 (34).

Jerramungup 0 goals 0 (0) drew with Gnowangerup 0 goals 0 (0).

### Lake Grace D Grade Football

19th June Lake Grace/Pingrup V Kent

Another win for the boys at Pingrup, 8 goals 11 points [59] to Kent 0 goals 1 point [1].

Two worthy winners of the "Fed by Ted" awards were **Ashley Morton**, for his solid effort in the wing and **Byron Campbell**, for really working hard

on his skills and contributing well to the game.

A special thank you to those boys who played for Kent in great spirit: **Ethan Wallace**, **Reece Smith**, **Michael Trevenen**, **Aaron Dunham and Cane Pinney**.

Linda Hunt

# PINGARING NEWS

#### Golf

Last year three ladies from our club received their Life Membership. On Sunday Joan Fisher, Kath Garard and Bobbie Baker were presented with their life membership certificate and their official photograph was hung alongside that of their male counterparts.

Thanks to Julie and Vicki for their part in the framing and certificate production.

#### **Ladies Open Day Results:**

Nett winner - N Abe 45pts;
Nett r/up - I Jensen 42pts;
Gross winner - A Dolan 28pts;
Gross r/up - J Szczecinski 20pts;
Winner A Grade Nett - R Argent 38pts;
Winner B Grade - L Pearce 39pts;
Limit Marker winner - J Wyatt 32pts;
Veterans winner - K Garard 35pts.
Teams Winner - Pingaring No. 1 (I Jensen, K Garard, R Argent, V Smith).

#### Playgroup

What is to become of Playgroup? Attendances have been very low all year, in spite of our best efforts to make Playgroup interesting. Regular attendees are getting discouraged. Please give this some thought and come along, with brilliant new ideas, to a Playgroup morning tea on our last session for this term, Monday July 5th.

If you would like to see Playgroup continue for the benefit of the district's children, please make an effort to attend, or if you are unable to come please ring Terri or Donna with input so that we can plan the direction of Playgroup's future. Please bring a plate of yummy morning tea - Playgroup will fill you up with coffee!

#### Garden Club

Rose Pruning Day with Julie Bushby. Les and Joan Fisher's farm. 10:30 am for morning tea. Please bring a plate to share. Roses will be on sale. Any queries ring 9866 8096.

#### JUNIOR FOOTBALL

On Saturday June 19th, Ongerup Football Association junior players traveled to Perth for an AFL experience. Twenty-one Lake Grace nippers played Auskick at half time of the Port Adelaide and Fremantle Dockers game — and what a privilege it was! The atmosphere was electrifying and everyone had a fantastic time, watched by a lot of very excited parents and grandparents. Six juniors teams including Newdegate, Gnowangerup and Ongerup, played. Lake Grace supplied 8 helpers on the day, so a very big thank you to those people and to all who made it an evening to remember.

Julie Bushby



The Real Thing – Luke Trawinski celebrates



Locker Room Tactics—Angus Hunt, Luke Bushby, Liam Baker and Thomas Gambuti



Warming up—Brett Howe (foreground) and other players with parent helper Kim Baker

## Lake Grace Golf Club

A contingent of six went to the Nyabing Open Day last weekend, four men and 2 ladies. Unfortunately no prizes were brought home, however Michelle Lay and Betty Scheid won the sweep. Windy and trying conditions put paid to the golf score, despite this a good time was had by all with 'sit down' comic Marcus Owen providing the entertainment on the trip home.

Pingrup Men's Open Day is this Saturday, a 4BBB Stableford event. Partners are needed and names need to be in to Craig Reeves (9865 1310) by 8pm

Thursday 1st July.

The Lake Grace Golf Course re-opens this Sunday 4th July with a Stableford event sponsored by Outback TV.

A reminder that Lake Grace Men's and Ladies Open Day is on Saturday 10th July. This is a Four Ball Aggregate Stableford, partners needed. Names to be in to Craig Reeves by Thursday 8th July. A date for Turkey Day is still yet to be decided.

Craig Reeves

#### **Lake Grace Hockey Club**

#### Lake Grace v Corrigin

19th June

Junior Boys 2-1 Lake Grace (half time 1-1)

Coach's Award Joe Duckworth

Goal scorers Matt Trevenen 1

Joe Duckworth 1

In the opening minutes of play Corrigin swooped in with a quick goal leaving the Lake Grace full-backs somewhat stunned.

However, it gave them something to work towards and work they did!

They were having a few opportunities on short corners until finally Matt Trevenen produced a beautiful clean goal and fuelled some confidence for the second half.

Both sides played hard and fast having equal possession inside their respective D's. Lake Grace managed to hold onto the ball during a swift run. With excellent passing shots finally reaching Joe Duckworth just outside the D who went on to shoot a terrific goal from midway in the circle.

One of Corrigin's full-backs received a shoulder injury, leaving them one player down, half way through the second half, however he returned to the field onto the forward line in the hope of equaling the score. But it was never to be, considering the quality of the Lake Grace game. It was a terrific game to watch, and well done to all the players.

#### C Grade 0-0

Coach's Award Tarnie Bird Special Mention Phoebe Robertson

A great improvement in the C Grade this week from the last time they played against Corrigin. Well done to all the team. Great defence and good running into the forward half. Some fantastic runs into goal by Nat Curtin, the rest of the team had trouble keeping up with him. Phoebe Robertson played high on left wing to accommodate Nat's runs and had a few chances at a goal. Unfortunately not to be though.

Everyone played well and a great effort from all.

B Grade 8-0 Corrigin (half time 2-0)

Coach's Awards Penny Willcocks (2)
Mae Connelly (1)

A vigorous game with plenty of chasing happening on the Lake Grace part. Kathryn Nolan, back from school for the weekend, did some great running and showed everyone up with her stick work. Well done Kathryn. Karel Walker, playing effectively at left inner, kept the ball moving along with Alison Medlen, again running everywhere and Penny Willcocks, strong on her tackles at centre half back, tried to keep

Lake Grace in the game. Unfortunately Corrigin were too strong on the day.

Only two goals against us at half time but Corrigin took the game into their own after the break and finished up by 8.

A disappointing game, better luck next week.

#### A Grade 1-0 Corrigin

(half time 0-0)

Coach's Awards Amanda Milton (2) Merisha Cook (1)

A good game by the A Grade team this week. Good running by Tina Keys on the wing and Fiona Chatfield and Jacki McGlinn through the centre saw the ball into our forward half a fair bit but unfortunately we were unable to convert.

Nat O'Neill played a solid game at left full back with great defence and good clearances along with Di Desmond. Merisha Cook played well at left half -back increasing the effectiveness of the back line. Great goal keeping by Amanda Milton kept Corrigin unable to score until the last five minutes of the game, giving Lake Grace no time to even the tally.

A good game despite the injuries that will put a few players out for a week or two. Well done to everyone who took part.

#### Hyden/Karlgarin v Lake Grace 26th June

**Junior Boys 8-1 Lake Grace** (half time 2-0)

Coach's award Braden Frost

Goal scorers Matt Trevenen 3

James O'Neill 3 Nat Curtin 2

Last Saturday saw Lake Grace have a comfortable win but better still our resident goalie, Braden Frost had a change and took up a half back position. Ashley Mahoney manned the goals.

To their credit Hyden/Karlgarin played a solid game and never gave up, even though Lake Grace dominated both halves in their forward line. We saw some good passing and positional play. Our full-backs Alex Reeves and Paul Curtin moved up into the forward line to have a bit of a run.

Thanks to James O'Neill for playing to fill our side.

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#### Lake Grace Hockey Club...cont

C Grade 1-0 Lake Grace

(half time 0-0)

Coach's Award Gracie Kirk
Special Mention Ellie Naisbitt
Goal Scorer Ellie Naisbitt

Another win for our C Grade team. Well done to everyone who played. The first half of the game was fairly even, with both teams showing good defence and some good attacking runs from Tarnie Bird and Demi Tomkins.

Kristie Pinney and Sheridan Fyfe were strong in their positions and kept the ball moving through to the forward half.

Shaye Bowron played a great game at full-back with some fantastic hits out from the defensive circle. Gracie Kirk was strong on the right wing, as usual with good support for the other forwards.

Lake Grace scored a goal by Ellie Naisbitt early into the second half and managed to keep Hyden/ Karlgarin from scoring for the remainder of the game and walked away with a good win.

Thanks to Beau Bowron for coming in as reserve after playing a full game in the Junior Boys.

Well done to Paul Curtin for taking up the challenge of umpiring this game. Good to see the younger players putting in the effort so it's not the same people doing the jobs every week. Thank you also to Amanda Milton for helping our newer umpires to get the hang of it.

**B Grade 3-0 Hyden/Karlgarin** (half time 2-0)

Coach's Awards Mae Connelly (2)
Tracie Buntrock (1)

B Grade lost a lot of players this week through injury and other commitments and played well under the circumstances.

Thanks to Kristie Pinney who came up from C Grade, Diana Kuchling, who we stole from the netball for the day, Leonie Carruthers, Amanda Milton playing two games in goals and Coralie Pinney who stepped out of the goal for a run at full -back.

Lake Grace spent the majority of the first half in defensive play and H/K scored two goals in the first 20 minutes of the game. H/K had many short corners awarded in the first half so to keep the score to 2 by half time showed the determination of the girls.

Only positive comments in regard to listening, trying and good play, at half time from coach, Anna Naisbitt, who was trying to rearrange the team to accommodate the injuries in the A Grade side.

The girls stepped up to the challenge after the break and great running by Alison Medlen and

Merisha Cook got the ball moving into our forward half on more occasions than in the first half of the game. Vicki Nolan was strong at inner with good back up from half backs Mae Connelly, with great free hits and Leonie Carruthers who played a really solid game at centre half back.

A couple of "almosts" by Diana Kuchling and Merisha Cook nearly kept us in the game but another goal from H/K with 10 minutes to go sealed our fate.

Well done to all players, hopefully everyone will be back in shape after the bye next weekend.

A Grade 2-0 Lake Grace (half time 1-0)

Coach's Awards Nat O'Neill (2)

Jacki McGlinn (1)

Goal Scorers Caryn Kirk

Jodi Pearce

Same story as the B Grade, injuries and other commitments pulled a few players out of the game this week. Anna Taylor had her work cut out just filling the side. Thank you to all the B Grade team who shuffled positions and those who played two games.

Jacki McGlinn and Anna Naisbitt got us off to a great start with forceful runs into the goal circle in the opening minutes of the game.

Jodi Pearce playing at centre half-back was strong on the ball and had some great free hits finding the gap on most occasions.

Penny Willcocks played well at right half-back with strong tackles and good running to chase up those few balls she didn't stop. Vicki Nolan again played a good game effective at inner. In the dying minutes of the first half, a solid ball from Jodi saw Caryn Kirk sweep into goals. Well done Caz.

Plenty of attack in the second half when Lake Grace pretty much took control of the game. Good clearances from Di Desmond saw the ball back into our control on the few occasions that H/K managed to get into their forward half.

Great runs out of defence by Nat O'Neill who only got better as the game went on and good running by Penny Willcocks in getting around behind the full backs.

Jodi Pearce scored our second goal off a short corner 10 minutes into the second half, well done Jodi, and thanks for that.

Attacking pressure from the word go. Strong tackles, solid hits and effective passing sequences made this a great game to watch, probably better to have played though.

Top notch cheering by the injured obviously helped with the game plan.

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## Lake Grace Hockey Club...cont

Thank you to our sponsors. Lake Grace Sportsman's Club, for coaches awards. Sab's Fish and Chips for Club Person Award and Walker's Wines for sponsorship of game balls.

Thank you to all members who helped out at the canteen for the football carnival last weekend.

We have a general bye this weekend as Women's Country Week is on.

Twelve members of the club are off to Perth for Country Week.

In the Old Ducks team are Jodi Pearce, Belinda Bowron and Anna Naisbitt.

In the No. 1 team are Fiona Chatfield, Jacki McGlinn and Amanda Milton (goalie).

Playing in the 'having more fun' team are Penny Willcocks, Anna Taylor, Danielle Robertson, Alison Medlen, Letisha Marshall and Jolene Hodges.

Danielle Robertson and Genni Curtin

#### **Junior Training**

A successful training was held for our up and coming Hockeyroos and Kookaburras (5 & 6 year olds) on Wednesday 23rd June.

Fantastic to see the talent we have to look forward to in the next few years.

Thanks to all the parents who helped out and for their support.

Jodi Pearce

### GREAT SOUTHERN COLTS CARNIVAL 2004

Last weekend the Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Club and the community of Lake Grace hosted another very successful Colts Carnival.

Those that came to the Carnival on Saturday and Sunday witnessed some great football and some very talented young footballers.

On Sunday afternoon we witnessed one of the best Grand Final games at a colts carnival for a

long time. With Goldfields running out winners by 4 points over Great Southern.

The Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Club and the organising committee of this carnival would like to take this opportunity to thank the community of Lake Grace for their kind support, which was very much appreciated.

You have done Lake Grace proud. John O'Neill

#### SCOREBOARD - GRAND FINAL

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#### Total

1st Q Goldfields 2 2

14

Great Southern 5 4

34

2nd Q Goldfields 6 2 38

Great Southern 5 6

**Goldfields -** J Ryan, M Waddington,

M Graham, J Fleay, A Rymer

#### **Did You Know?**

- Banging your head against a wall uses 150 calories an hour.
- It requires 30 muscles to raise your eyebrows.

#### **Great Southern Twenty**

**Kalgoorlie -** Jarrod Ryan (Capt), Michael Waddington,

Aaron Rymer, Jolon Fleay, Brodie Peterson.

**Great Southern -** Terry Farmer, Paul Donaldson, Shaun



<u> Grand Final - Goldfields v Great</u>

#### **Businesses Hassled by Charitable Collections**

Rural businesses are regularly approached for donations for various causes. The requests come in many forms; letter, fax, telephone call and personal approaches on site. Requests for charity range from small amounts by the "tin rattlers" to thousand dollar sponsorships.

How does business manage what is becoming a real nuisance and distraction in the workplace? As a consequence of this constant barrage of requests, some charities are finding themselves receiving a less-than-polite reception by hassled proprietors.

To alleviate this problem, a simple business decision needs to be made: Does your business wish to donate to any charity? If no, then make this policy clear by posting a sign at the entrance to your premises and also, by informing your employees. This will save a lot of time and provides clarity in your own mind and that of your staff.

However, if you would like to be charitable then deciding how much and to whom is the next step. Making this decision early will remove uncertainty. Many regional businesses choose to support the people that support them; that is, their local community. Schools, churches, emergency services, social and sporting clubs are always appreciative of financial support.

In my discussions with businesspeople, it seems that much of their annoyance and frustration with collectors comes from the conflict between a genuine wish to support others that are less fortunate and being pressured into a decision whilst at work and by a total stranger. This removes any possibility of enjoying that sense of pride and achievement which should come when giving to a charitable cause.

The Department of Consumer and Employment Protection regulates licenced charitable organisations and businesses can check the department's register of licenced charities by website logging to our on www.docep.wa.gov.au/charities. Collectors may only operate from 9am to 6pm, Monday to Saturday, and instances of collectors seeking donations outside of these hours should be reported to the department.

It is also important to note that some organisations which may seek donations from businesses or the general public are not at present required by legislation to be registered with DOCEP. School parents and friends associations and sporting clubs are examples of this.

More information on this and other consumer issues is freely available by calling Consumer Protection on 1300 30 40 54 or by emailing consumer@docep.wa.gov.au.

Allan Smith Senior Regional Officer, Goldfields/Esperance



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If you need replacement street trees please contact Helena Dixon on 9865 1238.

The expected time of delivery is July.

#### **Dr Jane Spencer**

Please note that Dr Jane Spencer will be coming to Lake Grace on Thursday 29 and Friday 30th July Thursday 9th and Friday 10th September Thursday 7th and Friday 8th October Thursday 4th and Friday 5th November Thursday 9th and Friday 10th December

#### St John Ambulance

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#### Lake Grace Shire Councillors

Lake Glace		Sille Coulicilois		
	Councillor	Telephone	Fax	
	Darcy Roberts (President)	9874 4013	9874 4068	
	Andrew Walker (Vice President)	9865 1241	9865 1921	
	Ian Woods	9872 0011	9872 0050	
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	Helen Bennett	9865 1026	9865 1568	
	Ollie Farrelly	9865 1304	9865 1188	
	Allan Lansdell	9874 4033	9874 4033	
	Meighan Stewart	9871 2042	9871 2042	

# ANGLICAN CHURCH OF LAKE GRACE

**Sunday 4th July** 

9:00 am Lake Grace

**Sunday 11th July** 

8:00 am Lake Biddy 10:30 am Lake Grace

**Enquiries:** 

Captain Derek McArtney 9865 1064 Deacon Michael Lloyd 9871 2041

#### **CRISIS CARE NUMBERS**

Doctor's Surgery	9865 1208
Hospital	9865 1206
Ambulance	9865 1444
Police Station	9865 1007
Fire Brigade	9865 1250
Emergency Services	000
Electricity Faults	13 13 51
Water Faults	13 13 75
Directory Assistance	12455
Crisis Care Unit	9325 1111
Women's Refuge Group	9227 1642
Family Violence Intervention	
Programme	9336 2144
ACRAH Men's Refuge	9272 1333
Domestic Violence Legal	
Aid Unit	9328 7602
Family Court of WA	9224 8222
Youth Legal Service	9227 4140
Citizens' Advice Bureau	9221 5711
Samaritan Befrienders	1800 198 313
Margaret Cole	0427 441 459
Poisons Information	13 11 26
Kids' Helpline	1800 073 008
Seniors' Information	1800 199 087
Family Helpline	1800 643 000
Southern AgCare Counselling	
Sat - Mon	9844 1459
Tues - Fri (Evenings)	0427 441459

#### Lake Grace Uniting Church

Sunday 4th July

10:00 am

**Sunday 11th July** 

No service

**Enquiries:** 

Keith and Joan Fleming 9871 9025 Bob Burbridge 9865 4020

#### LAKE GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass Time-Table

**Sunday July 4th** 

CONFIRMATION MASS, Bishop Gerry Holohan, Bishop of Bunbury officiating, 9am, Lake Grace

Saturday July 10th

Pingrup 6:00 pm

**Sunday July 11th** 

Lake Grace 8:00 am

Inquiries: Fr Pierre 9865 1248

Gnostic Catholic Church of Take Grace

Sunday 19th September 2004

Enquiries to Mark 9865 1990

#### **Justices of the Peace**

Mr Neil Bishop Mr Colin Connolly Mr Ron Dewson Mrs Shirley Duckworth Mr Len Elliott Mr Lynn Parker Mr Peter Taylor	ph 9865 1632 ph 9865 1010 ph 9865 1224 ph 9865 1189 ph 9865 1137 ph 9865 1217 (wk) ph 9864 9026
Mr Peter Taylor Mr Darcy Roberts	ph 9864 9026 ph 9874 4013

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

July

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Fri 2	Fish & Chip Night		Ladies Darts
	AA Dam Survey due	Thur 8	Playgroup - 9:30 am
	No Licensing Services Available		Asthma Educator (p.11)
Sat 3	Steak Night - LG Sports Club		Hospital Auxiliary Street Stall
	Golf - Pingrup Men's Open Day		Immunisation Clinic
	Hockey - Countryweek	Fri 9	Fish & Chip Night - LG Sports Club
	Winter Sports - LG/P v Jerramungup	1110	Last Day of School
Sun 4	Junior Golf - 10:00 am	Sat 10	_
Sull 4		Sal 10	Hockey - Lake Grace v Kukerin
	Golf - Stableford		Winter Sports - Ongerup v LG/P
Mon 5	Men's Darts		Golf - LG Men's & Ladies Open Day
	Gnowangerup FS Toy Party		Steak Night - LG Sports Club
	LGDA/Tourism Meeting (week early)	Sun 11	Junior Golf - 10:00 am
	Foot Care Clinic	Mon 12	LLN Deadline
	No Licensing Services Available		Men's Darts
Tue 6	Lakes Village Choir — 11:30 am	Tue 13	Chair/SOYF Aerobics
	Golf - Kondinin Ladies Open Day		Physiotherapist
	Chair/SOYF Aerobics	Wed 14	Hockey Training
	LGS Club - Monthly Meeting		Ladies Darts
Wed 7	YAC	Thur 15	
	Shire Budget Meeting		Playgroup - 9:30 am
	Hockey Training	Coming E	
	Gym Club		
		29th July - Card Making	
L	Digital Camera course	29th,30th July - Dr Jane Spencer	

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