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Kwongan-Heathland Walk Open for Business

Suzanne Reeves



Above: Design and Interpretation Consultant Michelle, Slarke, Shire Building Maintenance Officer Hugh Choi and Shire of Lake Grace Visitor Centre Coordnator Vicki O'Neill-Gray.

A Shire of Lake Grace project, the Kwongan-Heathland Walk is now ready to welcome tourists. This special patch of local bush, 5km east of Lake Grace, has already seen many locals and tourists tramp its paths; however the sharing of local knowledge through interpretive signage and a printed brochure has created a learning experience.

Kwongan (a Noongar term for heathland) has unique plant biodiversity that includes thousands of native and endemic plant species, many of which are considered

either rare or endangered. The vegetation is typically low-lying, with hard and small-leaved plants that have adapted to survive fires, drought and extreme summer heat. It also supports a large number of small mammals and is rich in birdlife.

Tourism is an important industry to the WA economy, generating 78,400 jobs and contributing \$7.2 billion to the economy. Traditionally Lake Grace has been seen as a farming community with tourism having limited opportunities.

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Next Deadline
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Next Edition
21st July



To the **very** dedicated team who volunteered their time to this edition of the Lakes Link News.
Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

Dick Phillips Gwen Oliver
Lee Duckworth

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Editorial

- Those statistics for the Containers for Change programme (see page 7) are certainly impressive, great to see so many people getting involved.
- Is your group collecting and you would like your number to be publicised so that others can donate to your cause? If you do then please send it in and it will be added to the list that we regularly publicise in the paper.
- Don't forget if your group or organisation is needing funds the Community Crop Community Grants could be an opportunity for you. Drop into the CRC to pick up an application form or email and we can send through to you.
- Just a reminder that if you're sending material through to the CRC then please email to lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au It may be tempting to simply push reply on an email sent to you, however your email may go to a staff account and if that staff member isn't working that day then it won't get seen.
- We are taking names for workshops (no dates are set as yet); if you're interested in any of them then please get in touch
 - Forklift (need 5-6 for this to go ahead). Cost TBC.
 - Truck driver training (HR, HC & MC) - we need 6 for this to go ahead. Cost TBC.
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- Well another financial year has rolled over and it's time for all non profits to get organised for audits and AGMS. What all NFPs need to be aware of is that come 1st July 2023 non-charitable income tax

exempt not-for-profits with an active Australian Business Number will need to submit online self-review forms to the ATO to remain eligible for the exemption. Previously, not-for-profits have not been required to provide their self-assessments to the ATO, or obtain confirmation of their income tax status. The new measures are intended to enhance trust and confidence in the sector by increasing transparency around the exemption to ensure only eligible not-for-profits access income tax exemptions. While the new measures will add to annual reporting obligations, the ATO's confirmation of exemption may give comfort to not-for-profits from a compliance perspective, particularly regarding penalty concerns should the organisation be subject to an ATO audit.

- Is your group a Not For Profit? Read your constitution; if it has a NFP clause then you are. Is your organisation submitting their Information Statement on Associations Online? This is something you must do every year after your AGM. It demonstrates that your group is still operating and is a WA registered NFP.
- We are at the moment looking for some more advertising for the Links; if you would like to feature your business or event in the community paper then we would love to hear from you.

Suzanne Reeves

Containers For Change

All Good Refund Depot have a depository at the Lake Grace Freight Depot and collect each fortnight. Contact All Good Refund Depot on 9861 2500 if you have a bulk pickup.

Please remember the freight depot is a busy workplace with plenty of traffic movement, so tag your bag before you leave home and take the shortest route in and out to drop off.

Bags are available at the depot and at the Lake Grace CRC. There are currently heaps of bags at the depot, some already have names on.

All Good Refund Depot will be doing a pickup on:

- Wednesday 20th July
- Wednesday 3rd August

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About Town

- Congratulations to Anna Taylor who has been selected to play in the WA Women's Masters over 50 state hockey team. The Nationals will be played in Cairns in September. All the best Anna!
- Ex resident of Lake Grace, Roger Parici passed away last week. Our sympathies go out to Alison and the children, the extended family and friends.
- A big farewell to Lydia, Chris and Alayah Cody as they are heading home to Ireland next week. We wish them well for the future. They will be greatly missed here in Lake Grace.

Happy Birthday



- 8th July Ciara Caffrey
- 9th July Mark Seaman (?0)
Brock Bowron
- 10th July Judy Fleay
Tai Bell
- 12th July Jack Duckworth
- 13th July Annie Slarke
- 14th July Jeff Lay
Lachlan Caffrey
- 15th July Molly Duckworth
Tamika Cross
- 16th July Ben Argent
Chad Stanton
Katherine Willock
- 18th July Shane Giles
Jed O'Neill
- 20th July Jonti McKenzie

Does anyone know who these couple of reprobates are? One of them is having a special birthday this week.



The main function of your little toe is making sure all the furniture in the house is in the right place.

The salesman at the furniture store told me, "This sofa will seat 5 people without any problems."
I said, "Where the hell am I going to find 5 people without any problems?"

Anniversaries



- 8th July Lesley & Bruce Duckworth (50 years)
- 15th July Geoff & Denise Sabourne



Life's Busy in the Shed

Suzanne Reeves. Photo Wally Perry.

Now Men's Shed isn't just about the morning tea and conversation they also enjoy tackling a good project. Recently the members completed a task for the Newdegate P&C, assembling some gates as an update of a past project.

Every family at the Newdegate school get's a gate to take home, from there they channel their combined interpretive artistic skills to individualise their gate in a way that depicts them as a family. The completed gates are then hung on the boundary fence around the school. What a fantastic idea!

Originally the project was run as part of a Newdegate Field Day Art venture around 5 years ago; Rochelle Walker and her father Gary Hoy made the gates ready for the families to decorate.

With Newdegate looking forward to celebrating their centenary in September it was decided to give new families an opportunity to be able to put their stamp on a gate. Many of the initial gates have been whisked home for a quick revamp so that they're looking their best for the birthday celebrations.

The Men's Shed members enjoyed getting their teeth into this assignment and will no doubt be checking out the end results the next time they're in Newdegate.



Above: Men's Shed members Ross Murray and Alan Stubberfield with one of the 20 gates they completed.

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Genetic Technology To Manage Feral Cats

CSIRO

New research by CSIRO, Australia's national science agency, shows almost 90 per cent of Australians support the development of genetic technologies to protect our native biodiversity against the growing threat of invasive feral cats.

New genetic technologies could help address the rise of invasives through a number of ways, one of which is called gene drive. Gene drive can determine the sex of offspring, reducing the number of animals able to reproduce, and therefore over time driving down populations.

Researchers from CSIRO surveyed more than 3,800 people across Australia to understand public perceptions of using gene drive on feral cats. The research found 86 per cent of people were at least moderately supportive for the local implementation of gene drive technology to manage invasive feral cat species in their local area.

Feral cats kill about 3.2 million mammals, 1.2 million birds, 1.9 million reptiles and 250,000 frogs per day in Australia, most of which are native species. They have been a main driver of 27 animal extinctions in Australia, including the Macquarie parakeet, and are one of the most economically costly invasive species to manage. Invasive plant and animal species are estimated to cost Australia around \$25 billion a year, compounding the environmental impacts of extinction and biodiversity loss.

CSIRO scientist and co-author of the report [Public perspectives towards using gene drive for invasive species management in Australia](#), Dr Aditi Mankad, said synthetic biology was a relatively new area of science that like other new areas of science, needed to involve consideration of social risks, benefits and values. "The results showed respondents were significantly more likely to support the use of gene drive technology if there was a perceived problem of invasive species in their local neighbourhood," Dr Mankad said. "Eighty-six per cent of participants were moderately to strongly supportive of gene technology to control feral cats in their local area, as opposed to 11 per cent who indicated little or no support.

"Although we are still a long way off this science being implemented, it is important to start the conversations with the public early."

CSIRO researcher in Environmental and Synthetic Genomics, Dr Owain Edwards, said that Australia was playing a leading role in the global effort to develop gene drive technologies.

"Current methods for managing the control of invasives including baiting, trapping and shooting, which pose many challenges," Dr Edwards said.

"Feral cats are an ideal candidate for gene drive research given that their reproductive rates are up to three litters a year, which greatly outpaces conventional measures.

"Given the possible use of gene drive technology for other pests, including feral pigs, rabbits and mice, the study is an important step forward in informing policy-makers, the public, and the research community about societal views on the development of possible new synthetic biology applications in Australia."

What is a gene drive?

A gene drive is the mechanism by which a specific genetic trait can be spread through a pest population's DNA, so that all future generations are more likely to inherit that particular trait.

An example is increasing the likelihood of offspring being a single sex (e.g. males), which would influence a decline in the population of the target species over time. Importantly, each gene drive is species-specific and cannot spread to other non-target species. No gene drives have been released into the environment yet, with experts estimating the technology is at least a decade away from development in most cases.

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It All Makes Cents

Suzanne Reeves

It's 21 months since the Containers for Change project started and what a change it has made to the environment and the bottom line. Every year in WA 1.3 billion containers are used, where they go after that is down to us!

Once you return your containers to a refund point, they are sorted, processed and sold to approved recyclers. The approved recyclers then turn your containers into new glass and PET bottles, aluminium cans and other items like food packaging and plastic-based construction items. 83% of all 10c containers returned (by weight) stays in Australia and is made into products we consume every day!

All Good Refund Depot (AGRD) in Wagin have been blown away by the take-up from the Lake Grace Community, quite steady initially it has now taken on a life of its own as more clubs and organisations have realised that they're missing an opportunity to bring in some funds for their club.

For anyone that doesn't want to take part in the programme put your containers in your recycling bin; it won't bring you any coin but it does keep it out of landfill. Alternatively you can donate your cans to one of the local groups or organisations in town that are collecting; Lions have a shuttle in the block near the Plaza carpark. I'm sure that groups would be happy to collect from you if you did a shout out.

Business has been so good for the Lake Grace can run All Good Refund Depot have invested in a new and much bigger trailer (double the capacity). "Every trip we do to Lake Grace there's a new person or group that has come on board", said Norm Chilcott who owns and manages AGRD with his wife Cheryl.

It is difficult to determine a reduction in waste from the statistics that the Shire has available to them, however if all community members are engaged in the shift toward recycling it has to make a significant difference to land fill and therefore cost to ratepayers.

Since the scheme started AGRD has put over 2.37 million containers through, resulting in over \$230k going into the community. There has been 6,346 transactions with customers with the average transaction including 374 items.



Right: Norm Chilcott and Shane Nagle from All Good Refund Depot in Wagin.



AGRD with their new 'double the capacity' trailer.



Crochet Workshops

From 10am to midday, every Friday - starts 1st April.

Lake Grace Community Resource Centre - FREE

Learners welcome, some hooks available for purchase with a small range of wool to practise on.

Work on Wheelchairs for Kids blankets or your own project

Call 9865 1470 if you have any queries.

If you prefer to work on your own project that is okay. Everyone welcome.

Lake Grace Lions Annual Report

I am pleased to report another year negotiated successfully despite mandates and pandemics impacting on the Lions activities again this year.

My thanks to all members for the efforts given during the last twelve months that allowed the Club to continue with the usual support that we offer to the local community.

I would like to single out my Secretary Craig Shaw and Treasurer John Ayers-Dillon for the way they took to their demanding jobs after being elected with minimal experience of Lions protocols and procedures! A job well done juggling work commitments and also serving Lions needs! Thank you both for your sterling effort.

Congratulations to Club Member Shashi Holla who has completed his second term as Zone 2 Chairman and being a great ambassador for Lake Grace.

We managed to carry out all the usual projects and sponsorships that included calendars, cakes, mints, footy gate, Australia and ANZAC day breakfast, Harvest Festival, school scholarship and we have added Containers for Change collection that has become quite lucrative for our funding. Thanks to all committee members involved during the year.

Lake Grace Lions managed the eternal problem of all

clubs to maintain membership with only losing one member to resignation in the last year.

I pass on the baton to the incoming office bearers with the hope of smoother sailing in the future.

A safe trip home to all attendees today and hope the season treats us all kindly.

Yours in Lionism
Neville Moulden

Office Bearers 2022/2023

President: Chris Harvey

1st VP: Darren Spencer

2nd VP: Steve Lankford

3rd VP: Allan Marshall

Secretary: Steve Lankford

Treasurer: John Ayers-Dillon

Membership Chairman: Neville Moulden

Tail Twister: Nick Maalouf

Lion Tamer: Arthur Slarke

Club Directors: John de Vree, Steve Lankford, Nick Maalouf, Arthur Slarke, Darren Spencer, Chris Harvey.

Mints Chairman: Arthur Slarke

Christmas Cakes: Nick Maalouf

Publicity & Promotions: Steve Lankford

Lake Grace Seniors

Christmas In July

Wednesday 27th July

Walkers Hill Vineyard

\$40 per person, \$30 for Lake Grace Seniors group members.

Anyone over 55 is welcome.

RSVP and payment need to be made to the Lake Grace CRC by Wednesday 20th July



Community Crop Community Grants

Funding now available

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Large - over \$5,000

Drop into the Lake Grace CRC or email them on LakeGracecrc@westnet.com.au for an application form.



Lions Changeover 2022

Arthur Slarke

The local Lions Club held its annual Change Over lunch at Walkers Hill Vineyard last Sunday 3rd July.

Starting at 12.30pm, Locals and Visitors from adjoining Clubs were welcomed by outgoing President Lion Neville Moulden.

Lions Nick Maalouf (Invocation) and Phil Clarke (Objects) were first up on the order of ceremonies.

Following a break for lunch Lion Neville delivered his Presidents report to the gathering before him.

As part of formalities Lion Arthur introduced Deputy Shire president Ross Chappell to propose a toast to Lions Clubs International. In his remarks Cr Chappell acknowledged the important part Lions play in the community, specifically mentioning the Lions preparedness to take on catering for the Anzac Day breakfast (now 2 years in the job). After the toast Ross was ably thanked by Lion Chris Harvey for the manner in which the toast was spoken.

Lion Darren Spencer introduced outgoing Zone Chairman Shashi Holla to conduct the official change over ceremony. Shashi then carried out the inductions in his usual professional manner. -There being two main incoming office bearers not present for the occasion, Lion Shashi asked equal number of Lions on hand to take the pledge on the absentee's behalf. The three main office bearer positions for the year 22/23 are held by: President- Chris Harvey, Secretary -Steve Lankford and Treasurer -John Ayers-Dillon.

Lion Nick provided light entertainment in his new role of Tail Twister. His fines session gave Lion Arthur a weighty collection of coins in his 1st job as Lion Tamer.

Before closing the meeting, new Lions Club President Chris Harvey thanked everyone for coming and wished them a safe trip home.

A group photo session then took place with Sandhya and Neha Holla taking control of the final stanza. Thank you both.



Above: Nick Maalouf (Tail Twister), Shashi Holla, Darren Spencer (1st VP), Chris Harvey (President), Neville Moulden (Membership Chairman) and Arthur Slarke (Lion Tamer).

Below: Those present at the Changeover Dinner.



Lake Grace Weather

Date	Min	Max	Rain
22/6	7.9	20.3	0.2
23/6	9.9	17.3	0
24/6	4.3	15.0	2.0
25/6	3.5	15.7	0.2
26/6	4.2	18.8	0
27/6	6.4	20.3	0
28/6	3.7	14.1	0.2
29/6	4.8	12.0	0.2
30/6	4.2	14.3	0.4
1/7	0.7	15.4	0.2
2/7	0.3	15.5	0
3/7	1.3	15.2	0
4/7	3.0	15.3	0
5/7	1.3	11.0	0

Defibrillator Locations in Lake Grace

- **Liberty Roadhouse** - cnr Stubbs St/South Rd publicly accessible AED
Open 7 days 6:00am - 8:00pm
- **IGA - Lake Grace Plaza** - Stubbs St publicly accessible AED
Open 7 days 6am-7:45am 8:30am-5:30pm
- **St John Ambulance sub centre** - Stubbs St (accessible 24 hours a day)
- **Sporting Pavilion** publicly accessible AED when pavilion is in use
- **Lake Grace Police Station** - Stubbs St (accessible 24 hours a day)
- **Lake Grace Men's Shed** - Bennett St. (accessible 24 hours a day)
- **Lake Grace Swimming Pool** - Bishop St publicly accessible AED during opening hours
- **Lake Grace Sportsman's Club** - Stubbs St (accessible 24 hours a day)
- **Lake Grace Caravan Park** - Mather St accessible 24 hours a day)
- **Lake Grace CRC** - School Place (accessible 24 hours a day)
- **AFGRI** - Absolon Street (accessible 24 hours a day)
- **Saltbush Inn - Griffiths St** (accessible 24 hours a day)

Dial 000 for emergencies.

If you are responsible for a defibrillator or have one in your building be mindful that the pads need to be in date and battery may be running low (may beep). If you have any questions contact Debbie Carruthers at the Lake Grace Sub Centre on a Tuesday or Friday on 0428 110 446.

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Tuesday 12 July, 6-7pm

Merredin – Cummins Theatre
Wednesday 13 July, 6-7pm

Lake Grace – Community Resource Centre
Thursday 14 July, 6-7pm

Narrogin – Narrogin and District Senior Citizens Centre
Friday 15 July, 6-7pm

Join us to find out more about the transition, what services we're looking for and how you can be involved.

For further information visit www.mainroads.wa.gov.au/road-maintenance-contracts or call 138 138.

Lakes Region Nationals AGM

Allan Marshall

REPORT FOR FORUM MEETING AND LAKES REGION BRANCH AGM OF THE WA NATIONALS HELD ON

THURSDAY JUNE 3rd 2022-07-05

The meeting at Walkers hill vineyard was hosted by our local member for Roe, the Hon Peter Rundle MLA and member of the Upper House Agricultural Region, the Hon Martin Aldridge MLC.

Also attending the gathering were local Nationals members, local business representatives and a Shire of Lake Grace councillor.

The forum was held in conjunction with breakfast and our parliamentary representatives reported on the current state of play as the minority political party.

Topics discussed were the abolition of the Legislative Council (Upper House) regions at the next state election whereby the Legislative Council will become one single statewide electorate with no elected member being particularly responsible for any region as is the current structure. It is going to be very difficult to elect members who may have a particular connection to the various economic regions (Agricultural, South West and Mining and Pastoral). The problem will be that the sheer

numbers of voters in the Metropolitan and Coastal cities will swamp any votes of the regional areas.

Other issues of concern were the effect of diesel fuel prices on the cost of living in the regions and the huge impact on freight and farming operations. Will we get our 22.5 cents off road diesel fuel rebate back in September or will the new Federal government call it a subsidy and keep it?

The ability of CBH to be able to shift all the grain from the country storages to port before the upcoming harvest was discussed, with another good cropping season looming. This issue is impacting prices that farmers can get for their grain as buyers cannot be assured when the grain can be shipped. It has been estimated that farmers are losing from 50 to 100 dollars per tonne from their incomes.

Following the public forum the Lakes Region Branch held their AGM and office bearers were elected with Grant Marshall being elected as President, Graham Milton Vice President and Allan Marshall Secretary. Various other delegate positions were also elected.

The meeting closed at 9.50 am.



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Don't Take A Punt With Your Tax Return

Australian Taxation Office

The Australian Taxation Office (ATO) is informing taxpayers that they risk any tax refund being delayed or having their return adjusted if they lodge their tax return before their income statement is marked as 'Tax ready'.

Assistant Commissioner Tim Loh explained the ATO sees more mistakes in early July as people rush to get their tax returns done.

"You can lodge on 1 July, but you are punting with your tax return by risking delays to any refund you are owed. If you forget to include everything, you may end up answering questions from the tax office," Mr Loh said.

"We pre-fill some of the information in your tax return to help you to get it right the first time. We pre-fill information such as your wages, health insurance and interest from banks, this process is usually finalised by late July."

"Thanks to pre-fill, waiting a few extra weeks can make lodging your tax return online quicker and easier."

Taxpayers are more likely to have their return adjusted or experience a delay in the payment of any refund if they lodge their return before all their income has been entered. Last July, over 140,000 taxpayers had their 2020-21 tax return amended before the ATO issued their tax assessments.

"The stakes are high for early July lodgers. People who lodge in July are twice as likely to have their returns adjusted by the ATO," Mr Loh said.

Each year, from late July onwards, most information from employers, banks, government agencies and health funds will be automatically loaded into tax returns.

To check if pre-filled information is available and confirm if income statements are 'tax ready' visit the ATO app or log in ATO online services via myGov.

"Once the information we collect is available, all you need to do is check it and add anything that's missing. This will give you time to find receipts from the last twelve months, which you can upload to the

myDeductions tool in the ATO app, then upload straight to your tax return."

People often forget to include income from banks and dividends from shares. However, the ATO has access to a lot of this information.

"Waiting for the ATO to upload information means people don't have to roll the dice when they lodge, and it's less likely an amendment will need to be made later, which could result in a tax debt," Mr Loh said.

Where someone feels the pre-filled figure needs to be changed, they must ensure they have the appropriate records to support the adjustment.

The ATO understands people sometimes make mistakes. Taxpayers that realise they have made a mistake can fix errors or omissions in their tax return through the ATO online amendment process via myGov. If the ATO finds a genuine mistake in a tax return, the ATO will show the taxpayer the correct method so they can get it right next time and may remit penalties unless the error was unduly reckless.

For more information visit: ato.gov.au/prefillavailability




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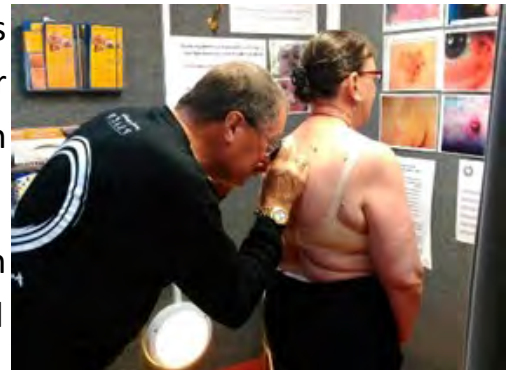


Free Skin Cancer Screening Saturday 23rd July 2022

Lions Cancer Council Institute Inc.

The Lions Cancer Institute (LCI) will be providing a free Skin Cancer Screening in **Lake Grace** on **Saturday 23rd July** behind the driver reviver van on Stubbs Street. This free service provides for the early detection of skin lesions and where a lesion is identified a referral is made to your GP for further investigation. For booking information contact 0429 917 805.

The LCI is a project of the Lions Clubs of Western Australia. Since early 1990's LCI has been providing full body skin screening clinics throughout Western Australia, with an emphasis on Screening the remote and rural areas of the state.



From humble beginnings the Volunteers of LCI have screened over 80 000 patients and our records show that with the annual rate of referrals to a GP is in the order of 27% (21,600) and lesions suspected of being life threatening are at 6% (1260). Early detection of lesions will save lives and lessen the need for invasive surgery.

LCI's screening program is supported by qualified volunteer Dermatologists, Plastic Surgeons, Dermoscopists and GP's.

Funding for LCI's screening programs and research grants is provided by donations from Lions Clubs of WA, Business and from the public.

We are currently raising funds to replace our two ageing screening units with one purpose built unit. Donations can be made to The Lions Cancer Institute at **WESTPAC BANK, BSB 036-107 ACCOUNT 218 557.**

All donations over \$2.00 are Tax Deductible

Visit LCI website www.lionscancerinstitute.org.au

Book Review: *The Diamond Eye* by Kate Quinn

Suzanne Reeves

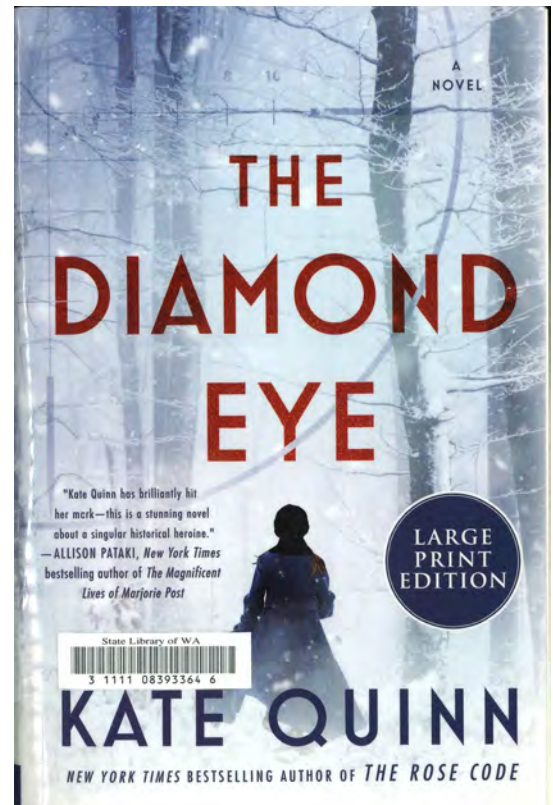
Based on a true story, an unforgettable World War II tale.

History student Mila Pavlichenko organises her life around her library job and her young son – but Hitler's invasion of Russia sends her on a different path. Given a rifle and sent to join the fight, Mila must transform herself into a deadly sniper. When news of her three hundredth kill makes her a national heroine, Mila is torn from the battlefields of the eastern front and sent to America on a goodwill tour.

Devastated by loss, Mila finds herself isolated in the glittering world of Washington DC, until an unexpected friendship with First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt and a silent fellow sniper offer the possibility of happiness. But when an old enemy from Mila's past joins forces with a deadly new foe lurking in the shadows, she finds herself battling her own demons and enemy bullets in the deadliest duel of her life.

Although there is some literary license in some of the relationships within this story the bones of it are fact; Mila was a successful sniper and like many of Russia's armed forces battling not just the Germans but horrific weather conditions and a lack of supplies.

This book is available from the Lake Grace library and definitely worth a read.



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Reducing Financial Red Tape

Consumer Protection: email consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au or call 1300 30 40 54.

New regulations will be put in place by the State Government that aim to reduce the red tape burden for WA's incorporated associations with financial reporting thresholds to be increased.

The current three-tier system of financial reporting is based on the association's revenue and is designed to minimise the obligations on small associations while ensuring larger associations are accountable to their members for their financial management.

Revenue bands will be increased as follows:

- Tier 1 – currently less than \$250,000, will become less than \$500,000.
- Tier 2 – currently \$250,000 to \$1 million, will become \$500,000 to \$3 million.
- Tier 3 – currently more than \$1 million, will become more than \$3 million.

Tier 1 associations need only supply an annual financial statement to members, those in tier 2 must have their financial reports reviewed, while a full audit of financial reports is required for larger associations in tier 3.

The new regulations currently being drafted by Consumer Protection will bring WA in line with the national reporting requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission (ACNC), providing simplicity, clarity and consistency.

Commissioner for Consumer Protection Gary Newcombe said about 2,000 incorporated associations in WA will benefit from these changes in terms of time savings and lowering the cost of compliance.

"The alignment of state and national regulations will prevent the doubling up of financial reporting obligations, thereby reducing the red tape burden on the sector in WA," Mr Newcombe said.

"Without these changes, many WA associations would need to comply with two different sets of regulations, so this extra cost burden will now be avoided and comes as welcome news for those working in the sector, many of whom are volunteers.

"We have responded to the feedback from our consultations which has highlighted the need for this consistency and more practical tier levels.

"While the changes set a minimum reporting requirement, members of tier 1 and 2 associations can still choose to impose additional obligations, including a review or audit, if they feel it is necessary."

More than 20,000 associations are incorporated in WA. A wider review of the Associations Incorporation Act is currently underway.

More information on the obligations of incorporated associations in WA is available on the Consumer Protection website.



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Department of Human
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DHS Customers are able to:

- Access a self service terminal
- Print off documents
- Use the telephone / fax
- Access Internet

All free of charge for DHS business



Employment Opportunities

around Lake Grace

Have you been looking for work? Maybe you are after a change in industry.

Here are a list of jobs currently available in Lake Grace

- **Lake Grace Post Office**
Part time / casual - counter service
Contact Jayne at the post office for more information.
- **GS Mobile Mechanical Services**
Heavy Duty or Light Duty Mechanic
Trade Assistant / Tyre Fitter
Full Time Permanent Positions
Contact - 9865 1291
Email - gsmobilem@bigpond.com
- **AFGRI - Full Time Service Technician/s**
Contact - tbell@afgri.com.au
Tyson Bell 0427 890 058
- **AFGRI - Full Time Parts Sales Representative**
Contact - tbell@afgri.com.au
Tyson Bell 0427 890 058
- **Spencer Shearing**
Shearers & Shedhands - 2 x full time positions
Contact Darren Spencer - 0428 651 339
- **Lewis Building & Maintenance**
Full time/Permanent position
Trades Assistant
Contact Andrew Lewis 0429 160 497
lewisbuilding25@gmail.com
- **Lake Grace Early Learning Centre**
Part time position
2 days per week. 8am—5pm
For any information please call 9865 2568
- **Lake Grace Hospital**
Clerical Officer (Casual, Fixed Term)
Apply online www.jobs.health.wa.gov.au
Closing Date: Monday 18/07/22 4:00pm
Further info contact Lisa Pearce 9890 2222



Big shout out to Marj and Trish Bushby for finding this yarn for the crochet ladies - this will keep the ladies busy!!

We already have two boxes of blankets made for Wheelchairs for kids. This donation (at least \$200 worth of yarn) has saved us having to dig into the kitty.

Lake Grace CWA will be hosting some

Fantastic Cake decorating Workshops with Lynette DellaBona

Dates TBA depending on interest

Workshops will run over 3 hours.

No experience needed.

You will learn the techniques needed to decorate a beautiful cake/cakes to take home.

All equipment will be provided

The following workshops are on offer

- Butter icing stenciling \$200
- Instant flower piping \$170
- Fondant covering \$200
- Fault line Cake covering \$180
- Piped rose faces \$190
- piped rose cupcakes \$150
- Mermaid cake \$185

Check out the website

www.mydeliciouscakes.com.au

To register your interest

Contact Natalie Gambuti on 0429 793 973



POLICE NEWS

LAKE GRACE POLICE STATION

56 STUBBS STREET, LAKE GRACE. 6353

Phone : 9890 2000 Fax : 9865 1429

Email: Lake.Grace.Police.Station@police.wa.gov.au

Personnel: Sergeant Joshua Egan-Reid, 1/C Scott Oatridge, PC Wade Humphrey.

STATION NEWS

Lake Grace Police Station has received some well overdue TLC. Our old carpets have been replaced and we have the painters in freshening the place up.

Scott timed his annual leave well and avoided all the craziness whilst having a well-deserved break.

Last week Lake Grace Police assisted the Narrogin Magistrates Court for two days and conducted court orderly duties. This is a role all police stations in the surrounding area help with every few months. We also had a trial for one of Sergeant Egan-Reid's matters (Careless Driving) on one of the days so were able to multitask orderly and witness duties. The trial was the result of a contested traffic infringement notice for an incident nearly a year ago. It resulted in a conviction.

CRIME

WA Police have received reports of scams involving fake Australian Federal Police (AFP) representatives targeting vulnerable members of the community.

Some scammers are falsely identifying themselves as a Federal Agent and telling victims they have identified suspicious activity linked to their bank accounts. They then request personal details, including a Medicare number, address, and bank details. The fake representatives ask their victim to deposit money into an AFP account.

Scammers are also targeting people using email and social media with fake arrest warrants. The offenders then call their victims and demand payments ordering them to deposit money into a nominated bank account, transfer crypto currency, or purchase online vouchers.

Some scammers ask their victim to meet in public to hand over money, or ask them to withdraw funds from their account and deposit into an AFP account.

A number of people have been manipulated by these offenders. In some cases, people have deposited thousands of dollars into a scam bank account. In other cases, people have withdrawn money from their account but fortunately, have spoken to family or friends and realised they are being scammed before handing over any funds.

Phone calls from scammers may appear to come from a legitimate AFP number. In some reports, the scammers have managed to mimic an AFP number to disguise their identity. Police suspect these calls are actually coming from overseas.

What you need to know

If you are contacted by someone you suspect is a scammer, end the call immediately. Do not call them back on the number they called you on.

The AFP will never ask you to pay a fine with cash, crypto currency such as Bitcoin, gift cards such as iTunes or Google Play, and will never call you to ask to you transfer funds into a bank account.

The AFP will never call, email or contact you via social media to threaten to arrest you, demand you withdraw money or ask you to confirm personal details over the phone.

The AFP (and the Australian Government) will never seek payment for fines or other matters over the phone.

If you are in any doubt, you should look up the number of the AFP switchboard in your capital city. Call and speak with a genuine AFP employee to be sure such a call demanding payment was not real.

Please take care and stay safe.

Regards

Lake Grace Police.

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Historic Day for Single-use Plastic Bans

In case you had forgotten the 1st July was a historic day in Western Australia with bans on nine single-use plastic items coming into effect.

The items include plates, bowls, cutlery, drink stirrers, drinking straws, thick plastic bags, expanded polystyrene (EPS) food containers, helium balloon releases and unlidged containers.

Disposable plastic cups for cold drinks will be banned from October 2022, providing more time for retailers to adapt.

Western Australia leads the way as the first Australian jurisdiction to ban thick plastics bags, unlidged containers and disposable cups for cold drinks.

The bans, the first stage of Western Australia's Plan for Plastics, were introduced on January 1, 2022 but a six-month transition period has allowed businesses to access support to help them transition to single-use plastic alternatives.

The State Government will use a common-sense, education-first approach with retailers.

Since January, the Government has funded a retailer and supplier engagement program, implemented by the National Retail Association (NRA), to provide

assistance to more than 10,000 retailers, food outlets, suppliers, community organisations and shopping centres.

Over the past four months, NRA liaison officers have visited over 300 shopping precincts and spoken to more than 4,000 retailers in their stores to supply information materials, provide advice and answer questions about the regulations. They have also held 20 online information sessions and responded to more than 400 queries via a toll-free hotline and email.

More than 150 suppliers have been contacted to ensure their responsibilities under the ban are clear.

Additionally, the Plastic Free places program, run in partnership with the Boomerang Alliance, has also been on the ground providing individualised support and solutions for cafes, event hosts, markets and other hospitality.

Business requiring support to make the transition to plastic-free alternatives can visit www.plasticsbanwa.com.au, call the tollfree WA hotline 1800 817 723, or email plastic-action@dwer.wa.gov.au.

For more information on Western Australia's Plan for Plastics visit WA.gov.au

Important Reminders for Employers

Changes to state employment laws

A number of changes have been introduced from 20 June 2022 affecting employers in the WA state industrial relations system (sole traders, partnerships, unincorporated trusts):

- Pay slips are now compulsory for all employees
- All employees have a minimum entitlement to five days' unpaid family and domestic violence leave.
- New employment entitlements for domestic workers employed by household employers
- Changes to the Long Service Leave Act
- The provisions for paid sick leave and paid carer's leave in the MCE Act have been changed to a combined entitlement to paid personal leave
- Workers can now make an application to the Western Australian Industrial Relations Commission (WAIRC) for an order to stop bullying or sexual harassment at work.

ATO Changes

- From 1st July the \$450 superannuation guarantee threshold has been removed. Employers will be required to make super

guarantee contributions to their eligible employee's super fund regardless of how much the employee is paid. Employees must still satisfy other super guarantee eligibility requirements.

- The percentage rate for Superannuation Guarantee contribution payments by your employer went up from 10% to 10.5% for any pay after 1st July. The SG is set to rise again to 11% on 1 July 2023 for the 2023–24 financial year.

**FOR EVERY MINUTE
YOU ARE ANGRY YOU
LOSE SIXTY SECONDS
OF HAPPINESS.**

Ralph Waldo Emerson

The Astonishing Story of Harry Butler—Pt 1

State Library of Western Australia

Taken from the State Library of WA's Facebook Page. This post is based on the oral history of Harry Butler...

I was born in Subiaco in 1930. My mother died during childbirth.

My father was a railway ganger and brought me up in the outback railway camps of Western Australia. Places like Pindar, Mullewa, Spencer's Brook, Wogan Hills, Katanning, and Clackline.

It was a very rudimentary type of living with little money and few books. The resources most available to me were the bush and the Aboriginal children who hung around the outskirts of the camps.

I quickly learned proficiency in the bush.

So much so that at the age of thirteen and fourteen I was able to subsidise my own school life at Northam High School by rabbit-trapping. Selling the meat and skins. In those days independence of the individual was regarded as very important.

When was ten years old the Second World War was well underway, and my father went to war. In the process of this I was put in a boy's home - Werribee, where I met one of the most important people in the shaping of my subsequent life, a man called Cyril Palmer. He was an agronomist, he was a true ecologist and in his way a naturalist.

Palmer recognised my field ability and encouraged me to read natural history books, to marshall my thought into orderly and practical methods, and most of all, he introduced me to the intricacies of ordered science, Darwinism, and theories of evolution.

At the same time I met another very important person in my early life, a man called Vincent Serventy. He was then field leader of the WA Naturalist Club and brought the Club on a field excursion to Werrabee. Later Serventy was the science teacher at my High School, and was instrumental in further moulding my interests.

When I was twelve I won a Scholarship. I was keyed up walking five miles to get to the exam but depressed on the five miles home. This was because the other people who sat for the Scholarship were sort of well-dressed and bright polished shining children. I was in hand-me-down clothes and what have you. I was socially inadequate.

However, the result was that I won one of four scholarships given in the country areas of Western Australia at the time. It was quite an achievement and took me to Northam High School for five years.

In the first two years, I was topping classes, riding some twelve miles to and from school a day, trapping and selling rabbit carcasses, making skins up, and shipping them off.

At the end of the second year however Binet tests, brought out by the Americans during the war, were brought into the school. When the results came out I was found to have a low IQ of 80, which meant I was

not capable of doing the academic course I'd chosen. The physical fact that I was topping the class totally ignored. Serventy's protests totally ignored.

I was put into a class where neither the children could or would learn and the teachers didn't care. I quickly went to the bottom of the class and stayed there. I became anti-social, antagonistic and I made more trouble than about six other people put together.

In the Christmas holidays, I hitch-hiked up to Port Hedland with a drover and lived for seven weeks in an army camp, with a uniform and a false number. I was a part of the army until they found out and took me home in disgrace. Among my greatest treasures are some photographs I have of myself in army uniform in those days, among the boys.

Eventually, my father decided it was time that this nonsense stopped. I was apprenticed at Midland Workshops. They sent me to the Tramways (they were too full or saw my academic record and didn't want me). The Tramways didn't want me either and sent me to the Power Station where I became an apprentice fitter and turner for five years.

During this time I was very active in the WA Naturalist Club and attended their meetings which were held in the dungeon of the Museum once a month. Ludwig Glout, Ken Buller, and Acthol Douglas from the Museum and Serventy encouraged me tremendously. I spent any free time I had with the Museum.

I also met a man called Arthur Gardener, who was not much older than me. He acknowledged me as a peer in natural history and one weekend invited me to attend one of his student training camps at Point Peron. He became sick and asked me to take his place, which I did without any problems.

Then the Principal of the Teacher's College asked me if I would consider teaching as a career, which I refused because I was three years into my apprenticeship and just married. There was no way I was going to drop what was a burgeoning career, to go into a very tenuous thing like teaching.

But in retrospect, the social inferiorities and the chip on my shoulder were very very marked in those days, I was very rude to those people, looking back over it.

Anyway, I continued to go to camps and got paid and subsequently induced to go to Teachers' College in 1952.

Stay tuned for PART TWO.

SOURCE - [Interview with Harry Butler] [interviewed by Hazel de Berg]. Butler, Harry, 1930-2015.

Oral History | 1977.

Available at 3rd Floor Oral History Stack (Call number: OH2377/38 Transcript master)

[ABC Perth](#) [ABC Australia](#) [The West Australian](#) [WA Museum Boola Bardip](#) [Northam Senior High School](#) [Murdoch University](#) [Western Australia Naturalists Club](#) [Parks and Wildlife Service, Western Australia](#)

Lake Grace District High School

P & C

Expressions of Interest

Playmaster obstacle course installation

Expressions of interest are sought from suitably qualified builders or an Individual contractor to undertake the installation of a Playmaster Obstacle course at Lake Grace District High School, School Place, Lake Grace. On behalf of the Lake Grace P&C.

Detailed Plans provided by Playmaster will be available to ensure correct installation and to adhere to correct Australian safety standards.

Before Getting Started

- 1: Ensure the working area is large enough to accommodate the new playground equipment as per the plans provided.
- 2: Be sure the area is level and clear from obstructions.
- 3: Check that the site is clear from underground services as the footings for the equipment are 800mm long.
- 4: Concrete supplied
- 5: Soft fall - White Washed sand – excavate 300mm to allow for backfilling.

Installation needs to be completed in a timely manner approx. 2-3 days due to safety concerns of our students.

Expressions of Interest are to be forwarded to the Lake Grace P&C Committee for consideration via lakegrace.pandc@gmail.com and must be received by Friday 22nd July 2022



Community Newsletter

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From the CEO

Ordinary Council Meeting 22 June 2022

- **2022 Local Government Convention and WALGA Annual General Meeting**
Council confirmed their attendance during the 2022 Local Government Convention and elected voting delegates and proxies for the WALGA Annual General Meeting. The meeting will be held at the Crown Perth from Sunday 02 October to Tuesday 04 October 2022.
- **Newdegate Centenary Celebrations**
Approved the request from the Newdegate Historical Society Inc., for additional funding of \$35,000 towards costs of holding the Newdegate Centenary celebrations in September 2022. Provision is to be made in the 2022/2023 Shire of Lake Grace Annual Budget.
- **Legislative Impacts and Opportunities for Volunteer Bush Fire Brigades - Proposed WALGA Advocacy Position**
 1. Council endorses the WALGA proposed advocacy position to the State Government for the: "Transfer - Responsibility for the Management of all BFBs is transferred to the State Government, consistent with the arrangements in other States and Territories".
 2. In addition to the WALGA position Option 4, the Shire of Lake Grace notes the following items of significance:
 - Key local stakeholders are included in legislation for the enactment of Harvest and Vehicle Movement Bans
 - Key Local stakeholders are included in decisions regarding amendment of Prohibited and Restricted Burning Times.
 - Key local stakeholders are utilised for the issuance of permits to set fire to the bush
- **Appointment of Fire Control Officers - Shire of Lake Grace**
Council acknowledges that persons noted have been appointed as a Chief Bush Fire Control Officer, Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officers, Senior Bush Fire Control Officers and Bush Fire Control Officers for the Shire of Lake Grace:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Chief Bush Fire Control Officer – David Roberts ○ Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer – Brad Watson ○ Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer – Community Emergency Services Manager ○ Senior Fire Control Officer West – Kevin Naisbitt ○ Senior Fire Control Officer Central – Pete Walker ○ Senior Fire Control Officer East – Hugh Roberts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Fire Control Officer – Steven Davies ○ Fire Control Officer – Jorg Brinkmann ○ Fire Control Officer – Ben Hyde ○ Fire Control Officer – Craig Newman ○ Fire Control Officer – John Zurnamer ○ Fire Control Officer – Jason Sugg ○ Fire Control Officer – Lindsay Brownley ○ Fire Control Officer – Anthony Teale ○ Fire Control Officer – Tyson De Landgraft ○ Fire Control Officer – Rhys De Landgraft ○ Fire Control Officer – Amanda Giles ○ Fire Control Officer – Callun Tonkin ○ Fire Control Officer – David Tonkin ○ Fire Control Officer – Chad Stanton
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 Fire Control Officer – Greg Carruthers
 Fire Control Officer – Ross Chappell
 Fire Control Officer – Scott Strevett
 Fire Control Officer – Bill Lloyd
 Fire Control Officer – Tim Lloyd
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Alan George
Chief Executive Officer

Coming Events

Call for Nominations
Nominations Open
Wednesday, 6 July 2022

Nominations Close
4:00 PM Wednesday,
13 July 2022

Keep Australia Beautiful Week
15 - 21 August 2022

Comedy Gold
Lake Grace Hotel
Wednesday 24 August

Newdegate Machinery Field Days
Wed 7 Thurs 8 September

Ordinary Council Meeting

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on
Wednesday
27 July 2022
from 3.30pm at the
Council Chambers,
Administration Building.

The Agenda will be available on

www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Everyone Welcome

A minimum of 15 minutes is set aside for public question time, giving members of the public an opportunity to ask questions relating to Shire activities.

Community Infrastructure Service

I'm pleased to finally see the installation of the new 27m high Hockey oval lighting towers at the Lake Grace hockey oval, this project has been a long time coming with many unsuccessful attempts to secure funding over the years.. With the recent Local Roads Community Infrastructure funding program it has allowed us to complete the lighting project along with other projects throughout the shire.

Lake King has seen the installation of a new CMCA RV Dump point located near the public toilets and is now fully operational.

The BBQ's at the All Ages Playground area in Lake Grace are now operational and available for use.

On a sad note we say farewell to Graham "Blue" Perry who is retiring on the 11th July. On behalf of the shire I would like to thank Graham for his dedicated service over the past 7 years and we wish him well in his well deserved retirement.

Our staff carried out the following works:

Roadworks

The Lake Grace Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Training
- Dunham Rd
- Biddy Camm Rd
- Mallee Hill Rd
- Old Ravensthorpe Rd

The Maintenance Grading has continued in Newdegate, Lake King and Varley areas:

Newdegate:

- Old Ravensthorpe Rd
- Mission Rd

Lake King / Varley:

- Hogan Rd
- Biddy Camm Rd
- Mulcahy Rd
- Broombush Flat Rd
- Ace Rd
- Findlay Rd

Parks & Gardens

The Parks and Gardens Crew have carried out the following work:

Lake Grace

- Lake Grace Cemetery maintenance
- Lake Grace Sporting Precinct

Newdegate

- Mow ovals and mark ovals
- Machine maintenance
- Unblock drains
- Check around town
- Trim trees in Collier St
- Spray in front of the school bus lane
- Weed main street
- Pull tiles up at the bus shelter
- Man Newdegate tip
- Public toilet garden maintenance

Lake King

- Lake King oval maintenance
- Lake King parks and gardens

Varley

- The Varley Cemetery maintenance
- Varley parks and gardens

Buildings

The Building Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work on the following facilities:

- Lake King public toilets
- Lake Grace Sports Pavilion
- Newdegate hockey toilets

Operations

- Rural roads signs and guideposts
- Repairs at depot
- Stormwater drainage repairs
- Lighting at hockey field
- Sewerage maintenance
- Lake King RV Dump point



Above: Lights going up at Lake Grace Hockey Field

Craig Elefsen

Manager Infrastructure Services

Community Information

Office Open Hours

Monday - Friday
8.30am - 4.00pm

Staff can be contacted by phone between 8am - 5pm

Licensing Payments

All licensing payments are to be made in person at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration office, 1 Bishop Street, Lake Grace.

Monday to Friday from 8:30am to 4:00pm

As an agency, we process the majority of transactions including: renewals, transfers, number plate orders, boat registration renewals and new licence applications. With every transaction we perform, we try to offer the best service possible.

We do ask all licensing customers to be considerate, even though we are aware of people being 'locals' it does not exempt us from following the rules set by the Department of Transport.

Driving Assessor

The Practical Driving Assessor (PDA) will be at the Shire of Lake Grace Office on:

Friday - 5 August

Friday - 9 September (to be confirmed)

Bookings are essential for all Practical Driver's Licence Assessments and we advise booking in advance as there is often a waiting list.

All bookings to be made at the Shire office on 9890 2500 until further notice.

Lake Grace has one assessment day each month held on the first Friday of the month.

For more information go to: www.transport.wa.gov.au.

Libraries

Lake Grace Public Library School Place Absolon St
Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm
Closed for lunch 12.30 - 1pm

Newdegate Public Library Collier St
Monday - Thursday 8.30am - 4.30pm
Closed for lunch 12noon - 1pm
Friday 9am - 2pm

Lake King Library Newdegate/Ravensthorpe Rd
Tuesday and Thursday 8.30am - 3.30pm

Building Surveyor

Building Surveyor, can be contacted through the Shire Office on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Town Planning & Building

The Shire's Town Planner consultant Joe Douglas, can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Environmental Health

The Shire's Environmental Health Officer, Brendon Gerrard. Can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Tip Times

Lake Grace
Monday & Wednesday 9am - 2pm
Saturday & Sunday 9am - 4pm

Newdegate
Wednesday 9am - 1pm
Saturday 9am - 1pm

Lake King and Varley
Open every day

Recycling Services

Household Waste Collection is a weekly service and collected each Tuesday for Lake Grace, Newdegate, Lake King & Varley.

Recycling is a fortnightly service and alternates between Lake Grace and Newdegate. See below for the upcoming recycling collection dates.

Lake Grace	Newdegate
Tuesday 19 July	Tuesday 12 July
Tuesday 2 August	Tuesday 26 July

Please Note: There is no kerbside recycling collection service in Lake King or Varley.

The recycling bins are collected by Warren Blackwood Waste and transported to a recycling facility. If items which are not recyclable are found the content can't be recycled and the load will be directed to the landfill.

If an item is covered in food, it is not recyclable. Food is one of the worst contaminators in the recycling process. By using the yellow top recycling bin correctly you are contributing, in a combined community effort, to reduce the amount of rubbish that is directed to landfill facilities each year.

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Community Emergency Service



On Monday 27 and Tuesday 28 June we hosted 59 volunteer farm fire responders in the Shire office to complete the Rural Fire Awareness and AIIMS Awareness training. We kicked off a bit after 8am waiting for everyone to get settled, covering material around the state structure for managing incidents, fire behaviour and characteristics, safety and survival finishing off with mobilising and response at around 2pm. Everyone enjoyed tasty morning tea and lunch provided by Mrs G.

We have received some really good feedback saying how the course really exceeded the expectation this was just "ticking the box" for health and safety and provided real value to how we respond to fires locally.

We will be looking to get as many farm fire responders through this training before harvest 2022. Please reach out to Matt via email cesm@lakegrace.wa.gov.au to register your interest for upcoming courses.



Matt Castaldini

Community Emergency Services Manager

Facility Hire

Please contact the Shire to book Shire facilities.

You are required to read the COVID Safety Plan before using the facility.

People, groups, clubs who hire public buildings are still required to:

- Complete the WA Government Safety Plan
- Register users of the facility
- Monitor entry and exits
- Disinfect surfaces, doors handles, table chairs, showers, toilets regularly.

At the end of the event the requirements are:

- Return tables and chairs to designated storage area
- Put all rubbish into the outside sulo bins provided, including rubbish in toilets
- Ensure all stoves and lights are turned off
- Report any damages incurred while hiring facility
- Facility to be left in the same condition as found upon arrival including the floors
- All external doors are closed and locked;

This is most important as often doors are not locked when cleaners arrive.

Shire cleaners are responsible for the general cleaning of a facility, however they are not responsible for cleaning up and putting away tables and chairs after a function.

Extended Power Outages

The \$80 payment is an acknowledgement of the inconvenience for customers who have experienced a long unplanned outage while waiting for repairs to be completed and restoration of power to occur.

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Kwongan-Heathland Walk Open for Business *(cont.)*

Wander out Yonder and COVID however ignited the numbers of intrastate and daytrip travellers witnessing the delights of the Wheatbelt, putting dollars into the local economy and opening the eyes of tourists to the stunning vistas and unique bushland that is on offer. With some areas of the Wheatbelt having 93% of their bushland cleared the Shire of Lake Grace (which has just under 62% loss of natural vegetation) is able to offer some relatively pristine bushland for rambles and wildflower enthusiasts.

Lake Grace Shire includes some rather stunning nature reserves which are controlled by the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions (DBCA) and Water Reserves but it also owns some bush areas – a plus in that the Shire is able to control improvements to these areas.

The Jam Patch is one such site, Shire staff are now near to completing to the Kwongan-Heathland Walk, transforming what was once the old Speedway site, west of the Rifle Range Reserve.

Design and interpretation consultant, Michelle Slarke, surveyed the site with local botanist, Anne Rick, identifying and documenting flora species. They chose locations for signage to show the range of the flora present. The trail utilises tracks that were already at the site, minimising disturbance to the area. There is a diverse range of species from orchids, banksias and

sheoaks – some only found in this district.

The trail is clearly marked, looping through 10 hectares of the reserve with interpretive signage to draw the eye to items of interest. There are 18 signs in total, illustrated and written by Michelle, all bringing to the fore what is special about the plant that is featured; Michelle credits both Anne Rick and Peter White (DPAW) for sharing their boundless knowledge to help in this process. The trail is around a kilometre in length (loop) with some uneven ground.

But of course it's not all about the flowers. The trail diverts to the old Speedway site with additional signage sharing that history. The Speedway roared to life in 1970, stalled at the end of the 1973 season before revving up again in 1976. The chequered flag came down on the last race by the end of the decade.

Improvements to the site has ticked a box for Lake Grace Visitor Centre Coordinators Vicki O'Neill-Gray and Jo Morgan as they now have another location to recommend to the travellers that drop in, the fact that it is so close to town (5km east of Lake Grace) is a boon. Trails are increasingly popular with tourists as people are keen to commune with nature and learn more about the natural habitat.

The new walk trail on Rifle Range hill was 100% funded with funds from the Drought Communities Program, funding supplied by the Federal government to help stimulate local economies that experienced drought or water deficiencies in recent years. The Shire of Lake Grace installed the signage for the project. Alan George, Shire of Lake Grace CEO said "Hopefully in years to come this will become another popular wildflower tourist hotspot within our Shire."

But of course, it's not all about tourists. I'm sure the Kwongan-Heathland walk will become a popular place for a picnic with the family or a mind clearing walk for anyone in the community.

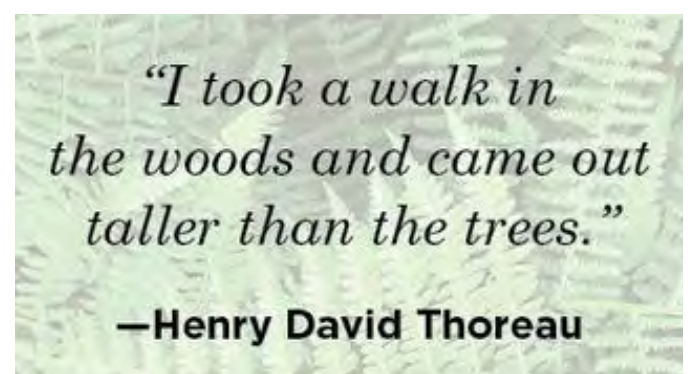
All that is needed to finish the project is directional signage and completion of the carpark. So this school holidays or perhaps over the weekend take the time to stretch your legs and get a breath of fresh air. Definitely worth a look.

Please remember to take any rubbish with you, stick to the trails, keep the dog on a leash and take care getting back on the highway.



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Puzzles and Stuff

Some words from the 23rd June edition of Boggle

Answers for 23rd June edition of Sudoku

- Kindliest
- Dislike
- Slinked
- Tinkled
- Tinkles
- Distil
- Enlist
- Idlest
- Inlets
- Instil
- Kilned
- Kilted
- Kindle
- Likens
- Likens
- Linked
- Listed
- Listen
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- Silken
- Silted
- Tinsel
- Idles

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- Kilns
- Liked
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This week's Boggle (Every word must include the middle letter)



class timetable 2022

MONDAY
6am Ignite Strength
6pm Bootcamp

TUESDAY
6am Ignite BoxFit
9am Ignite Fitness
Mums and bubs

WEDNESDAY
6am Ignite LBT
9am Ignite Strength

FRIDAY
6am Ignite Fire

SATURDAY
8am Bootcamp
(running on winter sports bye weekends)



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class timetable 2022

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Bits and Pieces

Kevin Seaman

In the past editions of B & P AKA The funny stories sections I have taken events from such books as Koshies Best Jokes , Maurie Fields, Aussie Jokes and many other joke books from my box of tricks.

But!! There is one book "The Women's Joke book" The horrible truth about what men are really like! By Maurie Starr, which I have not used. Why I don't really know. You would think that with my 80 years living with women (Mum, Daughter, wife and many lady friends) the thought of them frightening me off of what I might say would not worry me. No. If the truth be known they still have the upper hand with the quick witted caustic remarks they can fire at you.

Lets throw caution to the wind and lets put pen to paper and print some of the things women think of us men according to Maurie Starr

Why do men like clever women? Opposites attract.

Whoever said all men are created equal never went to a nudist colony.

Men are more vain than women though they don't use makeup—they think they don't need it.

What's a women's idea of a perfect husband? A man with a one Million life insurance policy and dies on his wedding day.

What do you call a woman who knows where her husband is all the time? A widow.

She said she wouldn't mind having a baby, the only draw back being you have to marry one to have one.

Did you hear about the stupid man who succeeded in getting a date with a beautiful blonde? She told him to bring protection, so he turned up with two body guards.

The lady patient said to the doctor " Doctor I have a small very ugly embarrassing wart." The doctor replied "Well divorce him".

"Hello, Is that the police station?" "Yes, how may I help you?" "Have any mad women escaped from the lunatic asylum lately? No Madame, why do you ask? Because someone's run off with my husband.

So lets finish with a few funny stories that does show (according to Maurie Starr) that the weaker sex is possibly the stronger sex.

The man sat staring morosely into his pint of beer. "Whats wrong mate?" asked the sympathetic barman "Is it woman trouble?" "Too right," replied the man. I've just had an awful fight with my wife." " What happened?" "She came crawling over to me on her hands and knees..." "Oh no," interrupted the barman, "what happened next?" " She said she'd put me in hospital for a week if I didn't get out from under the bed."

A married couple rushed into the dentist's surgery and pleaded to be seen immediately. "We're on our way to catch a plane," said the husband, "and if we miss it our holiday will be ruined. Please help us, a tooth needs to be pulled as soon as possible. Cost is no problem; forget about the anesthetic." "You know, it will be agony without pain killers," warned the dentist. "never mind the pain, just do it," the husband said pleadingly. "OK, I think you're a very brave man, now which tooth are we talking about?" The man turned to his wife and said, "Quick, Beryl, get up on the seat and show him the tooth."

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THE NATIONALS
for Regional WA

Lake Grace-Pingrup Junior Netball Notes

Zoey Grant-Williams

Unfortunately coach was struck with covid late Friday night so a big Thankyou to Chloe Trevenen for standing in.

The awards were

BOG - Bekah - played her heart out in defence, lots of intercepts tips and rebounds

2nd BOG - Paige - provided some great run down the court in WA, always there for a pass and good defending

Coaches - Annabelle - played great in defence and I

threw her in WD which she wasn't sure about and she did great listened to everything I said.

They start off slow with Gnowangerup winning the first quarter easily, then a few position swaps and them working really well as a team they got the ball into Bella who shot extremely well. Chloe was great leading her tall player out of the D so it was open for Bella, Ella got lots of intercepts and Dakota and Tate both played awesome defence ☐

Overall a great team win!

Lake Grace Golf Club Notes

Reid Stubberfield

Round 8 was Count Your Putts day sponsored by Rex and Tracy Walker. The Walker Family have been a long term sponsor of the day and I would like to thank Rex & Tracy for continuing the support. The winner of the Count Your Putts was Reid Stubberfield with 30 Putts for the day. The Runner Up in a count back between 3 was Mark Livall with 32 Putts.

The Stroke event part of the day was sponsored by our golf coach Rob Farley. Winner for the day in a countback was Reid Stubberfield with 80 Nett just pipping Mark Livall (also 80 Nett) on the back nine.

Weekly Novelties

Nearest the Pin 4 (Justin Wright Elders Insurance) - R. Stubberfield

Nearest the Pin 6 (LG Roadhouse) - A. Hunt

Nearest the Pin 15 (LG Engineering) - C. Reeves

Nearest the Pin 18 (Lakes Plumbing) - A. Hunt

Longest Putt 9 (Tyrepower Lake Grace) - H. Slarke

Daily Long Drive 10 (LG Building) - C. Reeves

Round 9 was a Stableford event sponsored by Kingsley Strevett and Murray Stanton. The competition is a hidden partner event where partners are drawn out of a hat at the end of the day so you never know if you are going to make or ruin someone else's day. Run away winner for the day was Harry Slarke with 35 Points and it was up to him to draw a hapless name out. His partner for the day was Reid Stubberfield with 19 Points. Runners Up were Nick Maalouf 19 Points and Mark Livall 19 Points.

Weekly Novelties

NTP 4 - N. Maalouf

NTP 6 - M. Stanton

NTP 15 - M. Livall

NTP 18 - M. Stanton

Long Putt 9 - N. Maalouf

Long Drive 13 - R. Stubberfield

On Sunday 26th June we finally hosted our first golf clinic for the year. The clinic was run by Rob Farley

from Marangaroo Golf Club with the support of the WA Golf Foundation. The main focus of the clinics is to get people who have never played golf to pick up a stick and have a go. Rob and the WA Golf Foundation are working hard to get more ladies in the country to take up golf and spoke of some of the success they have had over the last few years.

Thanks to everyone who attended the clinic was very well supported with 5 kids and 11 adults taking up the chance. All the adults were beginners which was great to see hopefully they stick with it. Our second clinic will be on Sunday the 31st July so if you are interested please contact us.



Lake Grace/Pingrup Junior Hockey Notes

Sissa Pelham

Round 8 Newdegate v LG-P Saturday 25th June

Saturday we travelled out to Newdegate to play. It was perfect weather conditions to play hockey. Tate Naisbitt captained the Bombers out on the field today.

The kids played some strong skilled hockey today.. backing each other up and supporting each other all game.

I was very proud of everyone. Newdegate scored a goal. We had chances of our own but just didn't score with the final score Newdegate 1-0.

Super effort by all.

Best on ground- Khalen Pitcher

2nd best - Tyler Argent

Coaches awards- Hope Lankford and Paige Trevenen

Round 9 Gnowangerup v LG-P Saturday 2nd July

An opportunity to play on the turf.

Kids had a tough game from the start, every play showing determination and skill. Unlucky not to score.

Losing 3-0

Best on ground - Taj Trevenen

2nd best - Will Morgan

Coaches awards- Bella Callope and Ella Gooding

A big shout out to Will Morgan our captain today and to Hope Lankford for playing a superb game in goals.

Well done all.



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Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Club Notes

Lyn Carruthers

LGPF vs Newdegate Played at Newdegate 25/6/22 ROUND 8 of the Centenary Year

LGP A RESERVES

Newdegate were unable to field a reserves team. This is hard for our Reserves and keeping them interested in playing and training, hopefully in the future more effort can be made to at least have a modified game, reserves are still a very important part of the Association.

LGP LEAGUE

The weather was great for football and the team were super keen for the local derby at Newdegate again. The Bombers were off to a flyer in the first term with nine straight goals to Thornton 3, Callope 3, Fleay 2 and Davey 1.

Quarter time scores LGP 9-0 = 54 Newdegate 1-2 = 8

The second quarter evened up with the Bombers kicking four goals to Newdegate's four goals, Fleay kicked three for the term and Thornton the other. Rintoul, Russell 2 and Wollaston scored for Newdegate. Bombers were still 100% on the scoreboard with 13 straight goals.

Half time scores LGP 13-0 = 78 Newdegate 5-4 = 34

Bombers came out fired up after half time with increased pressure, dominating all around the ground. O'Neill was a great addition back to the team. McGlenn was having a great game as was Trivan Davey in the ruck. The Bombers piled on five more goals for the term with Newdegate only adding one through Russell.

**Three quarter time scores LGP 18-2 = 110
Newdegate 6-5 = 41**

The final term saw the Bombers slow up a little and Newdegate outscored them with three goals to one. The damage had been well and truly done by the Bombers and they ran out very comfortable winners in a great TEAM performance.

Final score LGP 19-7 = 121 Newdegate 9-6 = 60

Awards: Best on Ground: Mitch O'Neill, Second Best: Corey Ward and the Coaches award: Trivan Davey

LGPF vs Gnowangerup Played at Gnowangerup 2/7/22 ROUND 9 of the Centenary Year

LGP A RESERVES

The reserves fielded a healthy team, a mix of youth and experience and looked forward to the challenge of Gnowangerup on their home deck. The team put in a great performance and was closely contested for most of the game until the Bombers kicked away in the last term. Chris Poot had a blinder and led the team well in the ruck and dominated around the ground. The Robinson brothers, Jonty and Lucas showed their class and Reece Duckworth and Griffin Naisbitt did a great job in defence. Great to see the improvement in a lot of the younger players with their skills. Veterans Aaron Carruthers, Andrew Lewis and George Chircop directed the play well supporting the younger players. It has been quite some time since the Bombers reserves have

prevailed over Gnowangerup on their home ground. Well done lads.

Final scores were LGP 11-6 = 72 Gnowangerup 7-3 = 45

Awards to Chris Poot Best On Ground, Griffin Naisbitt 2nd Best On Ground and Troy Murray Coaches Award

LGP LEAGUE

The weather was great for football and the team looking to test themselves against the strong Gnowangerup side. The first quarter was even and a close contest with quick play. A few turnovers by both sides were costly.

Quarter time scores LGP 2-3 = 15 Gnowangerup 3-4 = 22

The second quarter Gnowangerup were spreading from the contest better and had more flow on football, though the Bombers were not out of the contest at half time. The endeavour was good but Gnowangerup scored two goals in red time to lead at the half.

Half time scores LGP 4-4 = 28 Gnowangerup 6-5 = 41

Gnowangerup started to assert their authority in the third term and were spreading and running better than the Bombers. Skill errors were costly but the physical contest was hard and even. Gnowangerup were converting their chances.

**Three quarter time scores LGP 6-4 = 38
Gnowangerup 11-8 = 74**

The final term saw the Gnowangerup team run away with the game scoring five goals for the term to one. The run and pressure from Gnowangerup told in the finish and they ran out comfortable winners on the day. Effort and endeavour was good and a few injuries and sore bodies took a toll in the end.

The Bombers will learn from the game and look to improve.

Final score LGP 7-5 = 45 Gnowangerup 17-10 = 112

Award winners were Best On Ground Luke Bairstow, 2nd Best On Ground Tyson Prater, Coaches Award Mitch O'Neill

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Lake Grace/Pingrup B-Grade Netball Notes

Teneeka Morgan

Round 8 Newdegate v LG-P Saturday 25th June

After a long 3 byes we headed to Newdegate. With an undermanned team the girls really held their own. The score board did not reflect on the game at all. So very proud of the girls and their efforts even though we didn't come away with the win. Final score 47-17 in Newdegate's favour.

Best on Ground - Payton Callope, absolutely held her own and played her own game, standing tall even though having a lot of rough contact put on her. Was always the reliable pass for the shooters to fall back on in our attack. Well done on an outstanding game Payton.

2nd Best on Ground - Tayla Stone, ran her little heart out for 4 quarters and was always there to back her team mates. Great reading of the play made for some great turnovers. Great game Tayla.

Coaches Award - Aleisha Smith, held her own in the goal circle with some really tall opponents and dealing

with a lot of body contact and bum shoving stood tall. Well done Aleisha.

Round 9 Gnowangerup v LG-P Saturday 2nd July

Due to the coach having covid, we only have award winners this week. Final score was 58-28 to Gnowangerup.

Best on Ground - Courtney Withnell

2nd Best on Ground - Kelly Callope

Coaches Award - Dani Drummond-Hay

Big thanks to Dani and Kiri Harwood for stepping up and filling in for us again this week so we could fill a team. Massive thanks to our Captain Kelly Callope and Vice Captain Casey Pinney in running training on Thursday night and coaching/playing on Saturday. Lastly thanks to Karen Bairstow and the A grade girls for helping out on the sidelines with the girls on Saturday. Enjoy the bye this weekend.

Lake Grace/Pingrup A Grade Netball

Karen Bairstow

Round 8 Newdegate v LG-P Saturday 25th June

Having lost to Newdegate last round we were keen to go out strong and have a win in this game. From the first whistle the girls fired and played an awesome brand of netball. It was fast and accurate and in the first two quarters scored 21 goals in each quarter which is absolutely awesome.

Hard running from the defence right through our midcourt set up many opportunities to score goals and the shooters were right on target getting some nice goals in.

An outstanding display of team sport girls where everyone contributed and were well on top of the opposition.

Thanks to Tayla for sitting on the bench for us for the game.

FINAL SCORE: LGP 67 - NEW 30

BEST ON GROUND: CHLOE TREVENEN played a great defensive game and provided good run down court linking up with Maggie to put the ball into our attack.

BEST ON GROUND: CHLOE MCDUGALL provided a great avenue outside the circle and linked up well with Bree, shooting some great goals as well.

COACHES AWARD: DEB CARRUTHERS went back to GK this week and pushed back on her player to intercept many of Newdegate's passes into the GS and took some nice rebounds.

Well done girls, great team effort.

Round 9 Gnowangerup v LG-P Saturday 2nd July

Played at Gnowangerup indoors. Top of the table clash and always a hard physical game. Once again the team got a good start leading by a few goals at quarter time.

The game was fast and the feeding into the circle was patient and accurate setting up the goal shooters nicely. The second quarter we got on top and had a nice lead at half time. but Gnowangerup came hard in the third quarter and edged the margin closer.

The team worked hard together throughout the game and played a good brand of netball, outscoring Gnowangerup to get a great win.

FINAL SCORE: LGP 61 - GNOW 49

BEST ON GROUND: BREE BROOKES played a great game in GS. Her movement in the circle created space and she had confidence to put the shots up shooting some nice goals.

2ND BEST ON GROUND: CHLOE MCDUGALL was strong against close opposition linked up play with Bree nicely and took great rebounds resulting in goals.

COACHES AWARD: SHENAE PRATER as usual directed play from the backline to the goals and put great passes into the shooters.

Well done girls hard work pays off.

Another bye this week then we play Jerry at Pingrup.

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A free service available to regional small businesses, primary producers, not-for-profits and community clubs. For more information contact Donna Spurgeon by email Donna.Spurgeon@ruralwest.com.au or phone 0408 107 326. Alternatively you can contact the information line on 1800 612 004.

Cancer Support Coordinator

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CWA Bookings

CWA rooms are available for hire. There is a COVID Safety Plan in place that hirers will need to adhere to. Anyone using the rooms must fill in the log book. If you wish to book the CWA Hall then please contact the Lake Grace CRC on 9865 1470.

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Men's Shed Battery Drive

The Lake Grace Community Men's Shed is continuing with their battery drive. This is an ongoing revenue raising project which will contribute to the running of the Shed. Batteries can be left at the Men's Shed or you can contact Allan Duckworth on 0427 651 567 if you require them to be picked up. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Dr Linda Haines

Is available in Lake Grace on Thursday 28th and Friday 29th July Ring 9865 1208 for an appointment.

First Aid Kits

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Volunteer with St John Ambulance — Lake Grace Sub Centre as an Emergency Medical Responder (Driver)

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Senior Citizens Lunch

Thursday 4th August @ CWA Hall
Catered by Lake Grace Playgroup
12:15pm sit down for a 12:30pm serve
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Lake Grace /Pingrup Jnr Football	Sarah Allen	0407 650 819	lgpjfc@gmail.com
Lake Grace /Pingrup Netball	Chloe Trevenen	0439 324 434	lgpnc@outlook.com
Lake Grace Golf Club	Chad Stanton	0459 110 805	golfclub@lakegrace.wa.au
Lake Grace Gymnastics Club	Debbie Carruthers	0438 895 101	

Crisis Care Numbers

Doctor's Surgery -9865 1208	Hospital - 9890 2222	Ambulance/Fire/Police - 000	Electricity Faults - 13 13 51
Rural Link - 1800 552 002	Main Roads - 138 138	Directory Assistance - 1223	Water Faults - 13 13 75
55 Central Men's Refuge 9272 1333	Family Helpline 1800 643 000 / 9223 1100	Ngala 9368 9368 www.ngala.com.au	Lifeline Australia - 13 11 14 www.lifeline.org.au
Wheatbelt Mental Health Service Northam - (08) 9621 0999 Narrogin - (08) 9881 0700	Kids Helpline 1800 551 800 www.kidshelp.com.au	Crisis Care WA - 9223 1111 / 1800 199 008 www.community.wa.gov.au	Citizens Advice Bureau 9221 5711 www.cab.wa.com.au
Beyond Blue - 1300 22 4636 www.beyondblue.org.au	Seniors Information Services 9321 2133 www.cotawa.asn.au	Youth Legal Service 9202 1688 / 1800 199 006 www.youthlegalservice.inc.com.au	Poisons Information 13 11 26
Suicide Call Back Line - 1300 659 467 www.suicidecallbackservice.org.au	Parent Drug Information Service - 1800 653 203	Family Court of WA 9224 8222 / 1800 199 228 www.familycourt.wa.gov.au	
Alcohol and Drug Information Service 1800 198 024 https://www.mhc.wa.gov.au/	Mental Health Emergency Response Line - 1300 555 788	Holyoake Northam - (08) 9621 1055 Merredin - (08) 9041 3807 Narrogin - (08) 9881 1999 Freecall - 1800 447 172	Relationships Australia Fair Programme 9336 2144 https://relationships.wa.org.au 1300 364 277

Justices of the Peace

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Ron Dewson	0428 651 213
Amanda Milton	0429 654 011
Geoff Sabourne	0429 651 171

Church Times

Catholic Church		Anglican Church	
Sunday 10th July	9am	Sunday 10th July No Service	
Sunday 17th July	9am	Sunday 17th July	10 am John Jones
For inquiries please phone 9865 1248.		Enquiries: St Johns Albany	9841 5015
		Wally Perry	0448 795 070

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

July

Fri 8 Op Shop - 9:30am-1pm
Fish & Chips @ Sportsman Club
Crochet @ CRC—10am

Sat 9 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)
Craft @ CWA (look for flag)
Steak Teas @ Sportsman Club
Winter Sports - BYE

Sun 10 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)
Golf - Stroke (Leading Appliances)

Mon 11 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)

Tue 12 Rubbish Collection
Playgroup 9:30am
Art for Seniors @ Village Hall - 9:30am
Men's Shed (morning)
CWA Meeting - 1:30pm
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm
Football Training @ 6pm

Wed 13 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)

Thurs 14 Men's Shed (Morning)
Junior Football Training
Football Training @ 6pm
Information session with Main Roads

Fri 15 Crochet @ CRC—10am
Op Shop - 9:30am-1pm
Fish & Chips @ Sportsman Club

Sat 16 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)
Craft @ CWA (look for flag)
Steak Teas @ Sportsman Club
Winter Sports - LG-P v Jerr @ Pingrup
Golf - Nyabing Open Day

Sun 17 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)
Golf - Stableford (Ironstone Fab.)

Mon 18 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)
Lakes Link News deadline

Tues 19 Rubbish Collection
Recycling Collection

Tue 19 Playgroup 9:30am
Men's Shed (morning)
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm
Football Training @ 6pm

Wed 20 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)
Containers for Change pickup

Thur 21 Lakes Link News published
Men's Shed (morning)
Junior Football Training
Football Training @ 6pm

Coming Events

23rd July - Lions Free Skin Cancer Screening
27th July - Seniors Christmas in July
27th July - Shire Council Meeting
1st August - LG Development Association Meeting, 7:30pm @ Men's Shed
5th August - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace
20th/21st August - Lakes District Golf Association Carnival @ Lake Grace
9th Sept. - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace (TBC)

Local Containers for Change ID Numbers

Don't want to collect for yourself but want to give to a local organisation, then here's your chance.

Lake Grace Golf Club - C10455139
Lake Grace DHS - C10364782
Lake Grace Sportsman's Club - C10379797
Lake Grace Lions Club - C10477141
R.F.D.S - C10336670

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Sudoku

- The Sudoku grid of rows and columns is divided into individual 3x3 boxes.
- The aim of the game is to fill each row, column and 3x3 box with the numbers 1 to 9.
- You can't repeat numbers in a row, column or 3x3 box and you can't change the numbers already in squares.

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	2		9		3		5	
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