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## Fantastic Fungi

Michelle Slarke



**Above and Below: The White Basket fungus - what weird and wonderful fungi have you seen this winter?**

It really has been a year for fungi, with some especially weird and wonderful varieties popping up. Have you ever seen one of these strange creations? This is the fruit body of *Ileodictyon cibarium*, commonly known as white basket fungus.

The fungi begins life inside an egg-shaped volva, white to greyish in colour, then bursts out as 'basket'. It detaches from the volva and can roll with the wind like tumbleweed. While the immature volvae are edible, the mature fruit body is foul-smelling and covered with a slime layer that - on the inner surfaces - contains spores. This slime attracts flies that then spread the spores.

The basket fungi grows alone or clustered together - we came across these two under a sheoak grove, east of Lake Grace. The species is found in Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa.



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**Next Edition**  
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To the **very** dedicated team who volunteered their time to this edition of the Lakes Link News.

Dick Phillips                  Gwen Oliver  
Lee Duckworth              Annie Slarke

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

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## Editorial

- It's starting to feel like an 'old fashioned winter' in Lake Grace at the moment - freezing cold and some regular rainfall. Might be a bit hard to get on the paddock at the moment but what a wonderful change from the dust bowl we've been enduring the last couple of years. Bet there's some good photos out there that would look great in the Links - feel free to share.
- Sadly we had to cancel the youth activity in relation to road safety and car maintenance. The unfortunate side effect of this is that it is this initiative that got us across the line for getting the funding to run the more 'fun' activities such as macramé and makeup for girls. It's going to be difficult to get a funding request granted to us in the future.
- In the next couple of weeks we will take delivery of a new wide format printer, not that there was anything wrong with our old one but it is coming up 8 years old and there was a grant opportunity going begging that would cover the cost of a new one. The new one will have the same capability in printing photo, plans and posters up to A0 in size and it will also be able to scan up to A0.
- Soon we're going to be the forklift trained capital of WA as we have now filled our workshop for later this month and we have another date - 14th and 15th September. I can't stress enough that you must get your enrolment form in to secure your place. The one in September is already filling so be quick! Have just heard that the great price is only guaranteed until the end of the year and MAY extend until the end of this financial year.
- We are taking names for the following workshops (please understand we can't start organising until we get the minimum (or close to) number of names):
  - HC/MC truck driver training and accreditation
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*Suzanne Reeves*



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By Wednesday 21st July



## About Town

- Congratulations to the Roe Districts 7/8 teams with both the boys and the girls bringing home a flag from the recent Hockey WA Fuel & Go Club Championships.
- Good luck to the Lake Grace Kukerin Hockey Club with their finals series starting on Saturday 31st July.
- Last weekend of freedom for the kidlets with school returning on Monday.

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## Happy Birthday



- 15th July Benn Tomkins  
Molly Duckworth  
Tamika Cross
- 16th July Ben Argent (40)  
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Katherine Willock
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- 20th July Jonti McKenzie
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# Lake Grace Lions Changeover

Arthur Slarke, photo Neha Holla



**Above: Lions members at the 2021 Changeover - John de Vree, Walter Perry, Allan Marshall (back), Darren Spencer, Craig Shaw, Neville Moulden, John Ayers-Dillon, Steve Lankford, Garry Prater, Nick Maalouf, Chris Harvey, Arthur Slarke and Shashi Holla.**

Lions continued their recent busy period of activity on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July. On this occasion the annual office bearers Change Over took place.

The mid day event was held at Walkers Hill Vineyard where seating for 40 was arranged and fully taken up for the luncheon.

Visitors from surrounding Lions Clubs were present along with the majority of local club members and their partners.

It's pleasing to see Wagin Lions continue to support Lake Grace Lions, after sponsoring the club into existence 52 years ago, by having a car load of their members present again this year.

Lion Nick Maalouf chaired the meeting, in which time he delivered his President's report and activity statement.

Deputy Shire President Cr Ross Chappell, accompanied by his wife Cheryl proposed the toast to Lions Clubs International. Cr Chappell took the opportunity to acknowledge the influence the Lions Club has had in the community. Highlighting the establishment of the LG airport in the 1970s & 80s where Lions took on a major role. Cr Chappell commented on the recent upgrade of the airstrip which included installation of pilot controlled lighting.

The main agenda item was carried out by Zone Chairman Shashi Holla, to install the office bearers for the year 21-22. All installed position holders took the pledge to serve the community through Lions.

The 3 key positions are now held by Lions Neville Moulden (President); Craig Shaw (Secretary); John Ayers-Dillon (Treasurer).

Shashi was also given the task of thanking Lions partners for their support. In the process Shashi revealed interesting statistics of women's membership in Lions Clubs International. Ladies were 1<sup>st</sup> admitted in 1987 and now have risen to 36% of Australian

membership. The aim is to have a 50/50 ratio for equal gender representation in the Lions movement in the years ahead.

A healthy amount of tail twisting and humour mingled its way through the agenda, until out going president Lion Nick handed over the gavel to new President, Neville to close the meeting.

Before closing Lion Neville indicated how much he is looking forward to the year ahead, especially working with the new recruits, all four of which have taken on important roles in the Lions Club.

Nearing 3pm, as patrons were about to leave their seats, outgoing secretary Arthur arrested their movement for a few minutes by paying tribute to Lion Nick's service to Lions as President 2019-21 and to Lions lady Laure-Anne for supporting him. Arthur did this by reading out a poem he had written for the occasion. Lion Nick seemed a little stumped for words of gratitude after the reading.

Thanks to Neha Holla for doing a sterling job as the Clubs photographer for the day. President's annual report over the page.

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# Lake Grace Lions Club Annual Report

*Lion Nick Maalouf - President 2019 - 2021*

It is both a pleasure, and honour to be elected as President of the Lake Grace Lions Club.

I am, like you proud to be a Lion, joining you in serving the club and community whenever needed whenever we can.

This report details some of the activities the club has undertaken not to mention the countless hours spent by the individuals in administering these activities

First thanks to the club secretary, Lion Arthur Clarke. I believe you have done incredible job, your reporting and writing skill is second to none, your dedication is inspiring. Anyone can take a job but only few can do all you did, thank very much for what you did for this Lions club and to Lions in general.

To the treasurer Lion Neville Moulden, I've said it before, you are the world's best treasurer. You always said there is little money in the admin, some how you managed to keep us in the black but not in the dark. You held treasurer position for 8 years, the club and I thank you very much.

To every one of you, John, Walter, Chris, Allan, Darren and Shashi, you were and still are the pillar that keeps the Club together. Your work and commitment is very

much valued and appreciated.

To our new members Craig, John, Steve and Garry, we welcome you and trust that your knowledge, experience and commitment will further help this Club to continue serving our community.

To our own Zone Chairman Shashi Holla, we are proud of your achievement within the club and Lions International.

To our Lions Ladies and Lions Partners, we appreciate your support, understanding and help when most needed.

To our Shire, you have been a valuable partner on many occasions including Australia Day and the Bennett Wagon Shelter. The shire's financial contribution is most welcome.

And to the residents of our town and region, we as club thank you for your continued support and your generosity. As always spent wisely in the manner in which intended, where most needed.

The Club success it not measured by the results only, it is measured by our desire to succeed.

Because we can only work with what is available to us, opportunities come and go, but sometimes opportunity may be found or created.

To Lion Neville, the incoming president and the board, I wish you all the best knowing that you will enjoy your role as much as I have.

Never lose sight that we are a branch, as many are around the world and together we keep Lions International to what it was and will always be, one of the world's biggest and best service organisations.

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## General Meeting

Tuesday 20th July

10am

Business to be discussed - extension of shed

*All financial members are encouraged to attend.*

# Oliver Presentation

Shane Carruthers

On Saturday 3rd July, following the home game against Boxwood Hill, the Lake Grace Pingrup Football Club had another special presentation. This time it was a football mounted on a stand that was given to the club for safekeeping.

Frank, Hilda and Naomi Oliver presented a football to the Club. This Football was presented to Normie Oliver when he coached the Juniors from 1972-1975 including a C Grade premiership in 1975.

It was also very fortunate that Matthew Argent was present on the night, as he prepared, printed and made the stand for the ball back in 1975. Matt also played in that premiership side kicking the winning goal on his left foot, hence the nickname the "the left foot legend" referred to by players in that premiership side.

The ball will be added to the fantastic memorabilia held by the Lake Grace Pingrup Football Club. President Shane Carruthers sincerely thanked the Oliver family for this generous gesture.

Norm was a fantastic contributor and member of the club who is fondly remembered.



**Above: 'Left Foot Legend' Matthew Argent with Frank, Hilda and Naomi Oliver and Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Club President, Shane Carruthers (second from right). make a Special Presentation to the Lake Grace Pingrup Football Club. Below the football and its inscriptions.**

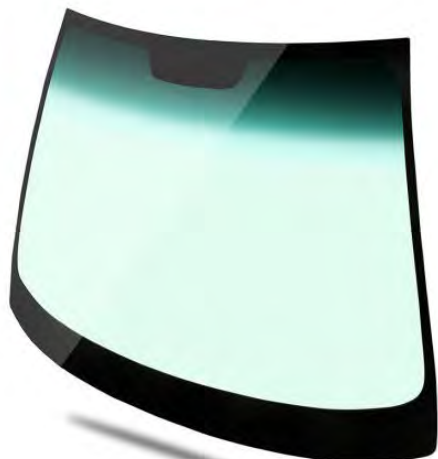


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# What Memories Do You Have of Speedway?

*Suzanne Reeves*

All that is left of the Lake Grace Speedway is a track that is still in fair condition, some car bodies (that post date speedway) and the old water truck (as pictured) that was used to dampen the track between races.

Speedway probably started in the mid 60s and ended in the early 80s (if you have any information we would love to hear from you), ran either fortnightly or monthly and over the warmer months of the year.

There were different divisions; A Class, B Class, Super mod - these were categorised by power. The mechanics who worked on the cars between meets



also go the opportunity to get out there and test their driving skills against each other.

Heats were held throughout the day of the different divisions. There were awards for each meeting but also annual prizes for the different divisions.

Old cars were readily available to 'wreck' and parts were easy to come by. Following the meet drivers and mechanics worked feverishly on their cars to get them ready for the next meet.

Dave Robinson called the races, having the gift of the gab he thrived in this role.

A highlight of the races was the 'Butchers Picnic' - held only once a year this race was a free for all with everyone trying to knock each other off the track.

A canteen was run throughout the day to feed those in attendance and following the meet there was a BBQ and cold beer.

The Shire are looking at creating walk trails and a picnic area for the community and tourists to access at the speedway site. In a bid to recognise the history of the location we are looking for any memorabilia; photos, news articles, documents, prizes and your memories. Please contact the CRC if you have anything.

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# All Good Refund Pop Up Depot in Lake Grace

*Norm Chilcott*

All Good Refund Depot would like to thank everyone at Lake Grace and surrounding areas who have supported our drop point at Lake Grace Freight Depot and on Sunday August 1st, we will be coming to meet you from 10am to 2pm we will have a Pop Up Refund Depot where you can bring your items, we will count, sort and give you money straight away in your hands.

Our regular fortnightly pick ups from the Depot will continue, with larger amounts picked up by arrangement at other locations, please call our hotline for details 0439 956 175 about bag drops and pick up arrangements.

Since we commenced our business on 1st October 2020 we have processed just under 900,000 items at our Wagin Depot that has seen just under \$90,000 go back in to the community either to individuals or organizations.

We are very proud of this achievement because it means that together we have stopped 900,000 items from going in to landfill.

On Sunday August 1st we will be at Lake Grace Caravan Park from 10am to 2pm and we look forward to meeting you.

For details about the Pop Up Refund Depot at Lake Grace please email: [allgoodbusiness@westnet.com.au](mailto:allgoodbusiness@westnet.com.au) or call 0427 717 680.

If this Pop Up Refund Depot is a success then we will do it once a month.



*Above: All Good Refund Depot with another load of containers for change.*

## All Good Refund Depot

Pop Up Refund Depot

Sunday 1st August - 10am to 2pm

Lake Grace Caravan Park

0427 717 680



All Good Refund Depot

# Lake Grace Weather

Date	Min	Max	Rain
30th	2.0	13.4	
1st	6.5	16.2	
2nd	9.1	13.9	0.2
3rd	3.3	15.6	
4th	8.2	16.1	
5th	8.6	13.9	2.8
6th	5.1	15.1	0.4
7th	8.6	14.5	7.0
8th	6.1	14.9	0.2
9th	6.6	16.7	1.2
10th	6.8	14.2	18.2
11th	1.3	14.1	0
12th	7.0	15.6	1.0
13th	9.1	17.8	6.0

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  - St John Ambulance sub centre**  
 Stubbs St (accessible 24 hours a day)  
 Contact 000 in case of emergency
  - Sporting Pavilion**  
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  - Lake Grace Police Station**  
 Stubbs St (accessible 24 hours a day)  
 Contact 000 in case of emergency
  - Lake Grace Men's Shed**  
 Bennett St.  
 Open 8:30am to midday every Tuesday  
 Contact 000 in case of emergency
  - Lake Grace Swimming Pool**  
 Bishop St  
 publicly accessible AED during opening hours
  - Lake Grace Sportsman's Club**  
 Stubbs St—Publicly accessible
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# Plastic Free July

*Danielle Robertson*

We are already half way through the month but if you aren't onboard yet, it's not too late to start making small changes to reduce your plastic use and in turn what ends up in landfill.

Plastic Free July is an award winning worldwide movement established in Western Australia in 2011 by the now Plastic Free Foundation. In 2020 an estimated 326 million people in 177 countries took part in the challenge.

Choosing to reduce your plastic use will help in creating cleaner towns, oceans and bushland. WA is leading the charge in Australia with seven new bans on single use plastics coming into effect in 2022, including straws, drink stirrers, cutlery, polystyrene food and drink containers, plates and bowls, heavyweight plastic bags and plastic cups and lids followed by four more in 2023, being cotton bud sticks, fruit and veggie bags, microbeads and coffee cups containing plastic.

Resources are available on the [plasticfreejuly.org](http://plasticfreejuly.org) website to help you reduce your single use plastic.

Getting started is easy, use reusable bags for your fruit and veggies at the shops, refuse plastic straws (banned

in WA from 2022), BYO reusable water bottle instead of buying a plastic one, avoid pre-packaged foods and buy in bulk where possible, bring your own shopping bags (even the recyclable ones still have plastic in them), lose the balloons at your next celebration, in the bathroom you could swap out liquid soaps for bar, refuse single use razors, and use bamboo toothbrushes.

Here in Lake Grace we still are using landfill for our waste, how long do you think that can continue and what changes can we as a community make to reduce the amount of rubbish going into landfill? Do you really think its ok to produce 240 litres of landfill per household each week? (That's how big your bin is) With approximately 250 private residences in town, that's a staggering 60,000 litres of waste per week, that's over 3 million litres of waste per year. In our tiny little town! And that is not taking into consideration the many businesses who have one or more rubbish bins. Many local governments in WA have reduced the general waste bin to 120 litres, we could push our council to follow suit. It's a small step, but everything starts somewhere.



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# Dam Marvellous

*Suzanne Reeves*

Half way through July and Lake Grace is closing in on its average annual rainfall already; 245.6mm has fallen thus far providing respite for water supply and the natural environment while giving the crops a good start.

Our sporting clubs can breathe a sigh of relief with their water supply dams maximising on the rainfall. Well done to the Lake Grace Shire for preparing all of our water harvesting infrastructure for the long awaited rains.

Number one Lake Grace oval dam (left) is full and flowing into number 2 dam (right), there is enough water in the holding dam to half fill the number 2 oval dam.

What is currently in the dams should last for about two years with further low rainfall, however if we have average seasons then it should replenish.

Currently there is also water harvesting from the CBH site and repairs to the sewerage pond have added to the water 'account' for the sporting precinct.



# Creeks Are Up

*Suzanne Reeves. Photo Mike Clark.*

Golfers at Lake Grace haven't had to deal with water hazards for years but 2021 has provided.

With what seemed like daily rainfall preceding Turkey Day, golfers not only had to deal with flowing waterways, but on course lakes and a lack of run-on from the ball - it didn't just land, it buried itself.

With many of the current members having a long history with the club it is astounding to hear that no one can recall every having played a round with so much water on the course.

# Let There Be Light

*Craig Elefsen photos Lois Dickins*

Between the 22nd and 30th July 2021 the Lake Grace airstrip lighting system underwent a \$292,000 complete upgrade. The project was 80% funded by the Shire and 20% funded by a Department of Transport Regional Airports Development Scheme grant that the Shire successfully received.

The upgrade consisted of

- New trenches

- New Conduit and cables

- New pits and light fittings

- Instillation of a lighting tower and flood light that will light up the parking apron

- New windsock pole with LED lighting on top

- New 7KVA generator for emergency power

- New Pilot activation lighting system ( this enables the lights to be activated buy Radio from inbound aircraft )

All works were carried out by Aerodrome Management services, Lake Grace Earthmoving and Shire staff.

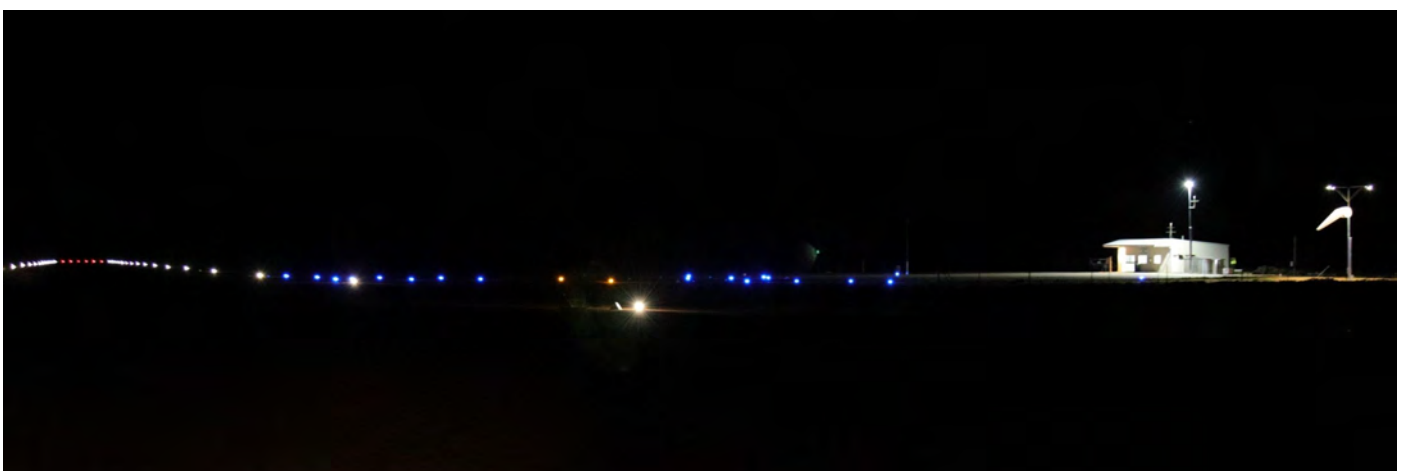
The local St John volunteers were on hand on 13th July to undertake training on turning on the lights when emergency power is required.

Unless there is a power outage with the new system, pilots can remotely turn the lights on prior to approaching the airstrip.



**St Johns Ambulance volunteers attending to learn how to turn the lights on when required.**

**From left: Ross Chappell, Lois Dickins, Steve Curtin, Vicki Smith, Steve Lankford, Christine Fyfe, Grant Medlen and Keith Higgs.**



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David Grays Aglink has built a reputation for service excellence and is recognised industry wide as leaders in product supply and technical services, assisting growers right across the state to maximize their own productivity and profitability.

## The Role

Based in our Lake Grace retail store you will play a vital role in not only maintaining and strengthening our current client relationships, but also work with us to develop and grow our customer base and our local presence.

You will have the opportunity to work with local farmers and with a dynamic and experienced sales team specialising in a wide variety of farm inputs, including fertiliser, seed, ag chem, animal health and other general merchandise.

## To be successful in this role you will have:

- Suitable sales experience and sales success in the agricultural industry (across one or more areas such as horticulture, broadacre and livestock management).
- A good understanding of ag chem, its seasonal demand and the ability to offer practical advice to growers. Previous experience working on a farm or agronomy qualifications would be considered highly.
- Excellent communication skills and the ability to build effective relationships with suppliers and growers. This will be critical in offering a superior service and providing an effective knowledge base to our customers.
- Relevant logistics experience in the supply of rural supplies and merchandise.
- A current driver's licence is essential and a HR licence, or the willingness to obtain one would be ideal.

A friendly, enthusiastic and team-orientated attitude and someone who enjoys the challenges and work variety that a customer focussed sales role brings.

If you would like any further information, contact Craig Shaw on [0427 519 400](tel:0427519400) or [c.shaw@lgrural.com.au](mailto:c.shaw@lgrural.com.au).



# 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](mailto:Lake.Grace.Police.Station@police.wa.gov.au)

Personnel: Sgt. Travis Taylor, SC Fiona Main. PC Scott Oatridge

## Station News

Sergeant Taylor will be in Narrogin for the next two weeks relieving while their staff numbers are still low. It is believed that our assistance in Narrogin should finish at the end of July. I understand four new officers have been convinced to transfer there. Sergeant Taylor will be back for the weekends. While he is absent S/C Main will act up as Sergeant for Lake Grace and any enquires can be directed to her.

Still no departure date set for Sergeant Taylor at this stage however his position has been advertised and some interest has been shown for the position.

## Crime

This would have to be the quietest fortnight in the district history. It's like crime disappeared, even in other neighbouring sub districts. Must be too cold out at the moment.

## Gel Blasters

Keep them coming! We have had several AR15's, shotguns and a sniper rifle handed in. They certainly look like the real thing. We did a quick trip down to Albany to drop them all off for destruction along with some drugs. The property guy at Albany Police Station had hundreds of them with literally half a tonne of ammunition. We were amazed at all the different types.

It is best to hand them in if anyone still has one, as the fine for getting caught with one is significant and comes with a criminal conviction.



## Traffic

At last the Lake Grace traffic car is back! Just in time too, we have had several complaints with regards to speeding vehicles between Lake Grace and Lake King. It is most likely people travelling home to Perth after a shift change at Ravensthorpe. Please be aware we will be out patrolling that section of road this coming fortnight.

Sergeant Taylor has been banned from driving the traffic car, that's why we sent him to Narrogin...just saying.

Please be reminded with all the rain falling within the subdistrict, that the potential for road being flooded are high. Sergeant Taylor returned to Lake Grace from Perth last Saturday morning and had to wade through four sections of flooded road albeit all in the Kulin subdistrict. Some was about 50 cm deep. You don't want to hit those flooded areas at speed, apart from having to change your pants you increase your chances of crashing. Take it slow.



We recently captured some in-car video footage of heavy vehicles (mainly road trains) wandering all over the road, crossing double white lines entering oncoming lanes by significant amounts. Police stopped these vehicles to ensure that the drivers were not fatigued or drink/drug driving. In nearly every instance the drivers were alert and returned zero readings for drug and alcohol tests.

It was interesting the responses we received for the manner of driving. Many blamed the condition of the road as the issue making them unable to maintain the vehicle in their lane. Some simply could not believe it until the footage was played for them and some responses were not that encouraging "nothings coming so its ok."

All the vehicles stopped were inspected and found to be mostly in very good condition.

We will be having discussions with Main Roads and the road safety council seeking further information regarding this phenomenon as some of the footage we have captured is bordering on dangerous driving. We will provide the obtained feed back from the drivers stopped to these organisations and report back with the findings. We all have to share the roads with heavy vehicles especially at seeding and harvest time. We would like to make it safer on the roads for everyone.

We will also bring up the numerous amount of damaged windscreens people are suffering on the Lake Grace – Pingrup road. Even we have had to replace one



# POLICE NEWS *(cont.)*

windscreen so far and we have another with chip damage that if it gets any worse that one will need to be replaced as well.



## Covid update

Well we wouldn't want to be in NSW at the moment, its just a little bit out of control over there. The Government is currently considering closing the border with NSW (hard border). It has already been limited and any person arriving from that state has to

mandatory quarantine for 14 days and provide a couple of negative tests as well.

The currently level for NSW is medium risk. If they keep recording a good number of positive tests each day they will be in lock down till Christmas at this rate.

Northern Territorians have just been down graded to low risk and they are all welcome to visit WA again since the Tanami mine debacle has now been sorted.

We here in WA are low risk again and the masks can disappear for the Perth and Peel people as of midnight Sunday (11/07/2021). Best to keep a few masks available if the covid roller coaster cranks up again and we are directed to wear them. If you don't have a mask come and see us here at the police station we have a few spares, or at least carry a football, apparently that is just as effective.

Have a good fortnight

Regards  
Lake Grace Police.



## Real Estate

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Amanda Milton 0429 654 011***

# Awareness Days in July

**Dry July** - Dry July Foundation encouraging people to go alcohol-free in July and raise funds for people affected by cancer.  
Website: [au.dryjuly.com/](http://au.dryjuly.com/)

**JuIEYE** - Australia & New Zealand Eye Foundation  
Website: [ranzco.edu/home/foundation/juleye/](http://ranzco.edu/home/foundation/juleye/)

**National Desexing Month** - specials are offered to the general public usually during the month of July.  
Website: [ndn.org.au/](http://ndn.org.au/)

**14-20 July - National Diabetes Week**  
Awareness and education of type 2 diabetes  
Website: [www.diabetesaustralia.com.au/national-diabetes-week](http://www.diabetesaustralia.com.au/national-diabetes-week)

**15-21 July - National Wound Awareness Week**  
Equity of care and quality of life for the mostly elderly sufferers of lower leg ulcers  
Website: [www.awma.com.au](http://www.awma.com.au)

**21-26 July - National Farm Safety Week**  
Awareness of farm safety issues in rural and regional communities.  
Website: [www.farmsafe.org.au/Farm-Safety-Week](http://www.farmsafe.org.au/Farm-Safety-Week)

**28 July - 4 August - Donate Life Week**  
Website: [www.donatelife.gov.au](http://www.donatelife.gov.au)

**23rd July - National Pyjama Day**  
Awareness and funds for children in foster care  
Website: [www.thepyjamafoundation.com/](http://www.thepyjamafoundation.com/)

**26th July - Crazy Hair Day for Cystic Fibrosis**  
Website: [www.crazyhair.com.au](http://www.crazyhair.com.au)

## Personalised Calendars

Get organised now for the grandies favourite Christmas present.

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***SKELETON WEED UPDATE IN SHIRES OF LAKE GRACE/KULIN/  
KONDININ/DUMBLEYUNG AND WICKEPIN***

***WINTER SPRAYING IS UNDERWAY***

***THE CONTRACTOR WILL CONTACT YOU BEFORE SPRAYING***

***STILL A NUMBER OF LANDHOLDERS TO RETURN PROPERTY AND PADDOCK RECORDS  
RE: SEARCHING AND INFESTATIONS. URGENT NOW FOR DATA BASE ACCURACY!***

***SPRAY DIARIES MUST BE RETURNED TO THOSE PROVIDED LONTREL***

***LOOKING FOR A NEW COMMITTEE MEMBER FOR THE GROUP FROM NEWDEGATE/LAKE  
KING/VARLEY AREA PLEASE CONTACT LYN FOR INFORMATION***

***(NOT AN ONEROUS TASK)***

***IF YOU HAVE SEEDED THROUGH YOUR SQUARES THEY WILL BE SPRAYED OUT AS PER  
THE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (UNLESS PRIOR APPROVAL BY DPIRD AND LAG)***

***CHECK YOUR INFESTED AREAS MONTHLY ESPECIALLY IF STOCKED***

***CHECK ONE MONTH AFTER STOCK REMOVED.***

***ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR INFESTATIONS OR THE PROGRAM***

***CONTACT***

***LYN CARRUTHERS 0409 351 373***

***LAKES LOCAL ACTION GROUP COORDINATOR***

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# Bits & Pieces

*Kevin Seaman*

Knock, Knock. Who's there? Oh no not you again, let's lock the door so he can't come in and lets do for you what I said I would last issue. That is print for your pleasure to read a poem from my new book of Australian poetry.

This is one of my favourite poems, Andrew 'Banjo' Paterson's - 'The Man From Ironbark'.

It was the man from Ironbark who struck the Sydney town,  
He wandered over street and park, he wandered up and down.  
He loitered here, he loitered there, till he was like to drop,  
Until at last in sheer despair he sought a barber's shop.  
'Ere! shave my beard and whiskers off, I'll be a man of mark,  
I'll go and do the Sydney toff up home in Ironbark.'

The barber man was small and flash, as barbers mostly are,  
He wore a strike-your-fancy sash, he smoked a huge cigar;  
He was a humorist of note and keen at repartee,  
He laid the odds and kept a 'tote', whatever that may be,  
And when he saw our friend arrive, he whispered, 'Here's a lark!  
Just watch me catch him all alive, this man from Ironbark.'

There were some gilded youths that sat along the barber's wall.  
Their eyes were dull, their heads were flat, they had no brains at all;  
To them the barber passed the wink, his dexter eyelid shut,  
'I'll make this bloomin' yokel think his bloomin' throat is cut.'  
And as he soaped and rubbed it in he made a rude remark:  
'I s'pose the flats is pretty green up there in Ironbark.'

A grunt was all the reply he got; he shaved the bushman's chin,  
Then made the water boiling hot and dipped the razor in.  
He raised his hand, his brow grew black, he paused awhile to gloat,  
Then slashed the red-hot razor-back across his victim's throat;  
Upon the newly-shaven skin it made a livid mark —  
No doubt it fairly took him in — the man from Ironbark.

He fetched a wild up-country yell might wake the dead to hear,  
And though his throat, he knew full well, was cut from ear to ear,  
He struggled gamely to his feet, and faced the murd'rous foe:  
'You've done for me! you dog, I'm beat! one hit before I go!  
'I only wish I had a knife, you blessed murdering shark!  
'But you'll remember all your life the man from Ironbark.'

He lifted up his hairy paw, with one tremendous clout  
He landed on the barber's jaw, and knocked the barber out.  
He set to work with nail and tooth, he made the place a wreck;  
He grabbed the nearest gilded youth, and tried to break his neck.  
And all the while his throat he held to save his vital spark,  
And 'Murder! Bloody Murder!' yelled the man from Ironbark.

A peeler man who heard the din came in to see the show;  
He tried to run the bushman in, but he refused to go.  
And when at last the barber spoke, and said "Twas all in fun —  
"Twas just a little harmless joke, a trifle overdone.'  
'A joke!' he cried, 'By George, that's fine; a lively sort of lark;  
'I'd like to catch that murdering swine some night in Ironbark.'

And now while round the shearing floor the list'ning shearers gape,  
He tells the story o'er and o'er, and brags of his escape.  
'Them barber chaps what keeps a tote, By George, I've had enough,  
'One tried to cut my bloomin' throat, but thank the Lord it's tough.'

And whether he's believed or no, there's one thing to remark,  
That flowing beards are all the go way up in Ironbark.

And that's another sample of Australian poetry from this wonderful book 'An Anthology of Australian Poetry'.

Another of my favourite books I regularly read is 'The Australian Joke and Story Tales'. Here is a sample from this to enjoy.

## **Miracle Medicine**

Two blokes were working on a farm one day chopping wood when one of the guys got in the way of the other's axe and had his arm cut off. His mate put the severed arm in a plastic bag and rushed it down to the hospital to get reattached. The next day he went to visit his chum, and found him outside playing tennis.

'Incredible!' said the friend. 'Medical science is amazing.'

About a month later, the same two guys were chopping wood when the same fellow got too close to his friend's axed again, and this time lost his leg. His friend picked u the leg, threw it in a plastic bag and rushed it to the hospital to get it sewn back on. The next day, he went to the hospital and found his mate outside playing football.

'Incredible!' exclaimed the friend. 'Medical science is amazing!'

Another month passed before the same two friends were chopping wood again. The same guy bent down at the wrong time and his mate lopped his head off with the axe. His friend took the head, put it in a plastic bag, and rushed to the hospital to get it reattached. The next day he went to see his friend but couldn't find him. He saw the doctor walking down the hall and asked, 'Doc, where is my friend? I brought him in yesterday.'

The doctor pondered for a minute and then said, 'Oh yeah, I know who you mean. Some idiot put his head in a plastic bag and he suffocated.'

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## **Public Meeting**

The Lake Grace CRC is hosting a community meeting looking for feedback on the possibility of Adult Outdoor Gym Equipment being installed at the Recreation precinct.

This is a Shire and CRC project.

All welcome.

Thursday 22nd July

5:30pm

At the Lake Grace CRC

# Community Newsletter

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## From the CEO

Cr Len Armstrong Shire President, Craig Elefsen MIS, Cr Ross Chappell Deputy Shire President and myself attended the Lakes Sub Group meeting at the Shire of Dumbleyung on Tuesday 6 July.

Gary Hall from the Electoral Commission came to Lake Grace on Wednesday 7 July to meet with Chris Paget DCEO, Racelis Rose EA and myself in Council Chambers in preparation for the Council Elections in October.

### New Town Planning Consultant

The Shire has engaged the service of Joe Douglas from Exurban as our Town Planning Consultant from 1 July 2021. We are looking forward to working with Joe again, please ensure that you provide as much information as possible including contact details so that he can manage your enquiries in a timely manner. Please contact the Shire office as the first point of contact – the preference is email.

### Plant Operator/Driver/General Hand

We are still looking for experienced plant operators who can see themselves as part of the Infrastructure team.

### Manager Corporate Services position

The Manager Corporate Services position closed on Friday 9 July and we will keep you updated during the process of engaging a new member of the Management Team.

### Newdegate Country Club

I had the pleasure of checking out the Newdegate Country Club renovations on Thursday 8 July. The space is transforming into an open plan function area.



*Alan George*  
Chief Executive Officer

## Coming Events

### Matt Hale

Newdegate Sports Pavilion  
6.30pm Thursday 15 July

### Newdegate Field Days

Newdegate Sports Facility  
Wednesday 1 September  
Thursday 2 September

### Local Government Week

Perth  
Monday 20 September until  
Wednesday 22 September

## Ordinary Council Meeting

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on **Wednesday 28 July 2021** from 3:30pm at the Council Chambers, Administration Building. The Agenda will be available on [www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au](http://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

After recent rain events please be reminded to drive to road conditions on all gravel roads as there may be water across roads in some parts of the shire.

Please be advised that there are gravel wind-rows present on Buniche North Rd near the CBH bins, and on Witham Rd near Edwards Rd, works on these jobs have been held up due to rain. Works will re commence as soon as its dry's out enough.

This fortnight our works crew have completed the following roadworks and maintenance;

### Roadworks

The Lake Grace Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Mallee Hill Rd
- North Burngup Rd
- Bairstow Rd

The Newdegate Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Ardler Road
- Neilds Road
- Giles Road
- Kane Road

The Lake King and Varley Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Lake King Norseman Road
- Stennetts Lake Road

### Parks & Gardens

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

#### Lake Grace

- Marking and mowing of sport ovals
- Mowing Lake King sport oval
- Town slashing
- Tidy up of BBQ rest area
- Mow/slash Dewar St weeds/lawn
- Filling in pot holes around town

#### Newdegate

- Old/dead plant removal from Pioneer Park
- New soil to Pioneer park

### Buildings

The Building Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work:

- Lake King Pavilion bolt & door locks
- Varley Town Hall maintenance & panic bolt install
- Newdegate Hainsworth signs install
- Lake Grace playgroup maintenance
- Install wall mounted first aid kit to Lake Grace Pavilion
- Lake Grace day care door repairs

- Lake Grace Medical Centre consult room maintenance
- Newdegate Pavilion maintenance to showers/ fans & panic bolts

### Operators

The Machine Operator Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work:

- Rural road signs
- Data collection for road traffic counters
- Carting gravel to Buniche Rd
- Witham Rd roadwork signs
- Mallee Hill Rd roadwork signs
- Repairs to machinery

### Other Works

- 6 monthly fire extinguisher service to all Shire owned buildings
- Contractors have finished upgrading the Lake Grace Airstrip's Lighting System. Thanks to Aerodrome Management Services, Lake Grace Earthmoving and shire staff.

### Are you ready for a new challenge?

We are seeking experienced, reliable, enthusiastic individuals to join our Infrastructure Team.

Applicants will be responsible for various tasks and duties associated with the maintenance and renewal of the Shire's road network. You will be required to have previous experience in operating semi side tippers and associated plant and equipment such as rollers, loaders and tractors associated with road construction. We welcome diverse ethnic and cultural backgrounds to apply.

The ideal candidate will hold a current unrestricted HC License, a valid WA White Card, be a team player and are safety and self motivated. This could be the opportunity you have been looking for.

There is no closing date for applications however applicants are encouraged to apply as soon as possible.

*Craig Elefsen*

Manager Infrastructure Services



*Shire of Lake Grace*

## Community Information

### Office Open Hours

Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday - Friday  
8.30am - 4.30pm  
Thursday 8.30am - 4.00pm  
Staff can be contacted by phone between 8am - 5pm

### Transport and Licensing

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

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 8.30am - 4.15pm  
Thursday and Friday 8.30am - 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 - 6 August**

**Friday - 3 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](http://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, Gary Bruhn can be contacted through the Shire Office on 9890 2500 or email [shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au](mailto:shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au).

### Town Planning & Building

The Shire's Town Planner consultant Jo Douglas, can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email [shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au](mailto: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](mailto: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 20 July	Tuesday 27 July
Tuesday 3 August	Tuesday 10 August

**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.

For more information on Waste Management visit the Shire's website [www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au](http://www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au).



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<https://www.facebook.com/ShireofLakeGrace/>



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[www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au](http://www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au)

# Inflatable Sportsfun

We would like to thank all the children and parents who came to the Inflatable Fun days.

Newdegate was held on Wednesday 7 July and there were 27 children in the young group and 17 in the afternoon.

Lake Grace was held on Thursday 8 July with 26 in the morning's young group and 18 came along in the afternoon.

Mike Cornish was great with both age groups, everyone responded to him immediately and he didn't miss much during free play with the older age groups.

The children, parents and grandparents were kept very busy while the children learnt new skills and problem solving.



*Ariya and Mikaela Spurr*



*Billy Hams, Kendra Ness, Kade Lloyd Marli McDonald, Grace Orr and Ebony Westlake*



*Nikita Ness Ebony Westlake*



*Maddison Wheeler Hugo McDougall*

*Trevor Wheeler Frankie McKenzie*



*Axel Clarke, Max Stubberfield, Frankie McKenzie, Taj Maere, Kynan and Enzo Fyfe.*



*Katara Chappell and Sadie King*



*Aria Chesson*





## Book Review: *Prodigal Son* by Gregg Hurwitz

Suzanne Reeves

Another author that I haven't read before, it was an enjoyable read with some rather dark humour in the unexpected ending. Almost made a parody of the 'super spy' - not so indestructible after all!

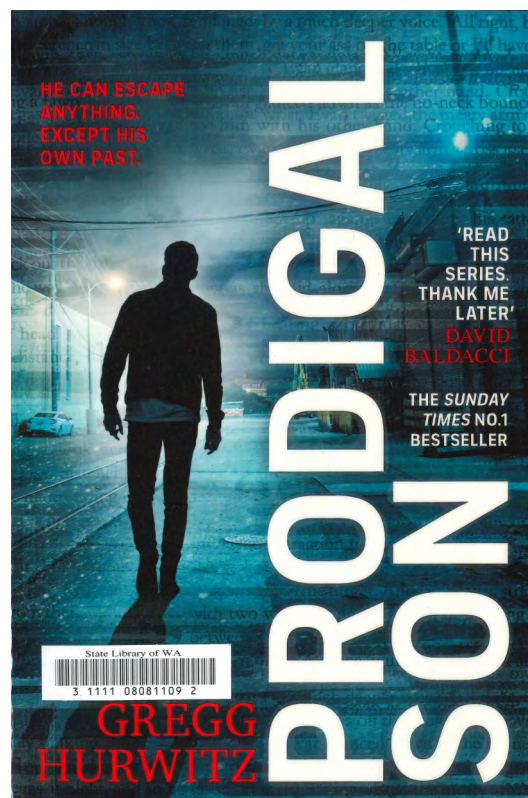
Evan Smoak used to be known as Orphan X: a figure as elusive as a rumour, until he came to the rescue of those who most desperately needed his help. The kind of help no one else could provide. The kind that caused concern in the corridors of power.

As a boy he'd been plucked from a foster home and trained as an off-the-books assassin inside a top secret US government programme.

Which is why, even after being forced into early retirement, he dare not trust the phone call. Nor the caller claiming to be his mother, asking him to protect a complete stranger who just happened to be in he wrong place at the wrong time.

None of it stacks up. Yet it bears the tell-tale signs of the secret world that made him. And from inside it, a deadly new threat to the nation's security.

But this time the danger is more personal than he could have ever imagined. Because blood runs deep....



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## The Alternative Archive

John Curtin Gallery has opened its doors again after Covid lockdown, giving audiences the opportunity to experience the work of three local artists in an important survey of regional art.

The first state-wide survey of its kind in 20 years, *The Alternative Archive* showcases work by 40 contemporary artists selected from a series of regionally-based exhibitions facilitated by local curators. In 2019, Lake Grace Regional Artspace featured works by 11



artists who drew on the history of the Lake Grace Australian Inland Mission Hospital for *The Only Hospital for Miles* exhibition. From this exhibition, the curators selected artworks by Michelle Slarke, Tania Spencer and Jeanne Melville.

Michelle Slarke's work *Artefacts After Burning* is a physical archive of Lake Grace Australian Inland Mission Hospital – old medical objects literally dug up from old tip sites and re-imagined. For *40 Babies a Year Born Here*, Tania Spencer crocheted 80 baby booties from industrial wire. Her artwork reflects on the essential maternity services provided by the AIM Hospital and later by the Royal Flying Doctor Services. For her engaging work *Where the Journey Leads*, Jeanne Melville made a kind of charm bracelet with small metal books that open to reveal historical photographs. Markers along the chain are stamped with the names of local towns the hospital served.

The Alternative Archive exhibition features a broad range of artworks that document how regional artists, as story-tellers and keepers of alternative histories and records, relate to their people, towns, communities and regions. *The Alternative Archive* is the culmination of a three-year project involving 13 regional art galleries, 35 curators and 200 artists and is co-curated by John

*Left: Jeanne Melville's work.*



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## The Alternative Archive *(cont.)*

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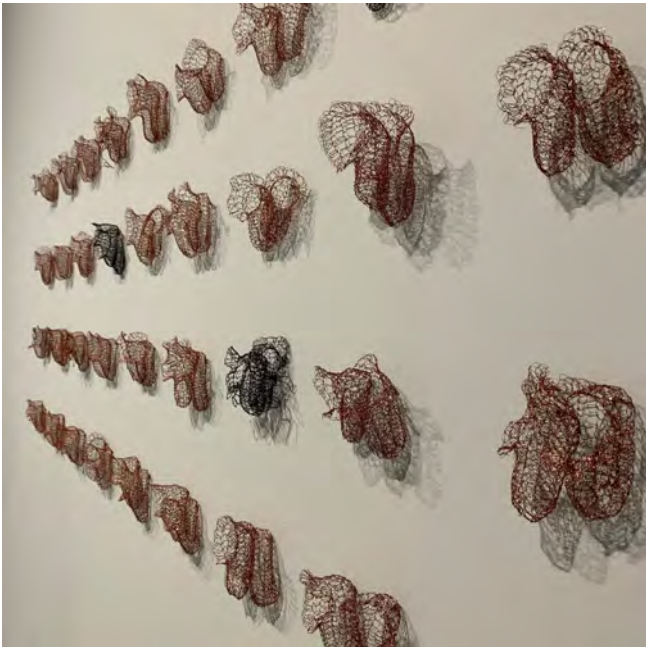
THE ALTERNATIVE ARCHIVE is open Monday to Friday 11am to 5pm and Sundays 12pm to 4pm until 30 July. The exhibition has just two weeks to run (closing 30 July).

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*Tania Spencer (left) and Michelle Slarke's (below) work from the exhibition.*



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Answers for the 1/07/21 edition of Sudoku

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# LGP Junior Football Player Profile

PLAYER NAME: Seth Argent

JUMPER NUMBER: 16

AGE: 12

WHAT YEAR ARE YOU IN AT SCHOOL? 7

FAVOURITE FOOTY POSITION? Rover

WHO IS YOUR FAVOURITE SENIOR PLAYER & WHY?  
Uncle Will because he is the smallest player but takes on the biggest players.

WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU COULD IMPROVE ON? Kicking

FAVOURITE DINNER? Chicken Carbonara

FAVOURITE AFL TEAM? Richmond

FAVOURITE AFL PLAYER? Liam Baker

WHO TRAINS THE HARDEST ON YOUR TEAM? Madison

WHICH TEAM MATE IS THE FUNNIEST? Alby

FAVOURITE HOLIDAY SPOT: Coral Bay

NAME 3 FAMOUS PEOPLE YOU WOULD INVITE OVER FOR DINNER: Chris Hemsworth, Liam Baker and Dwayne Johnson (The Rock)

WHAT ARE YOU SCARED OF? Spiders

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# LGP Junior Football Player Profile...cont

PLAYER PROFILE NAME: Tyler Argent

JUMPER NUMBER: 24

AGE: 10

WHAT YEAR ARE YOU IN AT SCHOOL? 5

FAVOURITE FOOTY POSITION: Full Forward

WHO IS YOUR FAVOURITE SENIOR PLAYER & WHY? Uncle Willy because he is fast.

WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU COULD IMPROVE ON? Kicking further

FAVOURITE DINNER? Chicken Nuggets

FAVOURITE AFL TEAM? Fremantle Dockers

FAVOURITE AFL PLAYER? Nat Fyfe

WHO TRAINS THE HARDEST ON YOUR TEAM? Madison

WHICH TEAM MATE IS THE FUNNIEST? No one

FAVOURITE HOLIDAY SPOT: Bremer Bay

NAME 3 FAMOUS PEOPLE YOU WOULD INVITE

OVER FOR DINNER: Nat Fyfe, Vin Diesel, Chris Hemsworth

WHAT ARE YOU SCARED OF? Clowns

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**Pictured on the facing page are Seth (middle) and Tyler (right) Argent with their brother Levi.**

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# Know Your Diabetes Risk

Media Release

## This is the 2021 message for Western Australians during National Diabetes Week

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Diabetes is Australia’s fastest growing chronic condition leading to kidney failure, loss of sight, lower limb amputations and other comorbidities if not managed. In Western Australia alone, around 140 000 people are living with diabetes with a staggering 23% increase in the last year.

Diabetes WA General Manager of Health Services Deborah Schofield says for every person diagnosed with diabetes, it is estimated another person remains undiagnosed facing even bigger risks.

“In Western Australia we are especially concerned for women and children…… women should know their risk and parents should know their children’s risk because diabetes outcomes are devastating for both.”

“Women can have undiagnosed pre-diabetes or undiagnosed type 2 diabetes before pregnancy but aren’t even aware. This can be diagnosed as

gestational diabetes (GDM) when screened at 24-28 weeks of pregnancy which is way too late,” Deborah said.

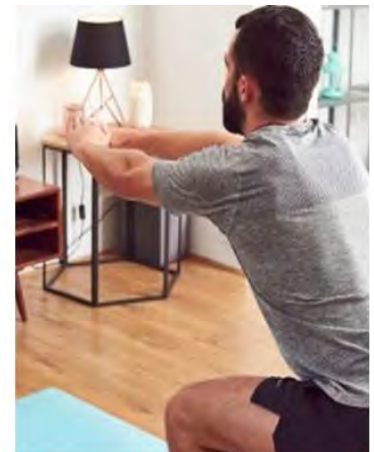
Deborah shared how crucial it was for women to be equipped with diabetes risk information early when planning for a pregnancy just like understanding the importance of folate or quitting smoking, because of the dangers when not managed in time.

“GDM also puts both mothers and babies at risk of poor birth outcomes and future type 2 diabetes. When surveyed, a third of Australian women with GDM didn’t even know their risk or the risk to their children developing type 2 diabetes in the future,” Deborah said.

“This is worrying because in Western Australia, around 4000 women a year are diagnosed with GDM during pregnancy but in just one year, the numbers have increased by an alarming 27%.”

Deborah said type 2 diabetes is severely progressive in children with a higher mortality compared to adults making it critical for parents to know their children’s diabetes risk early.

“Children have higher rates of renal dialysis at an earlier age than adults with type 2 and at least 50% of type 2 children need insulin to manage their diabetes within 2 to 5 years of diagnosis,” Deborah said. “The burden of type 2 diabetes among Aboriginal children is eight times greater, particularly young girls, further increasing the intergenerational impact of diabetes”.



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# Girls 7/8 Hockey Club Championships

*Fiona Chatfield*

Five Lake Grace-Kukerin hockey players attended the Girls 7/8 Club Championships in Perth recently representing Roe Districts Hockey Association.

Game one against Lower Great Southern. Having not yet played together, it was a nervous start, but the girls found their groove early and came out on top with a 2-0 win.

Game two against Central Midlands. A much stronger team than the first, the whole team fought hard to end up in a draw 1-1.



**Above: Lake Grace Kukerin players from left; Morgan Chatfield, Matilda Ditchburn, Grace Penney, Peyton Callope and Katie Gray.**

**Left: the half time huddle in the Grand Final.**

**Below: The winning team with coach Nicole Connolly (Cr) and Manager Shannon Baker (Cr). Absent Matilda Ditchburn**



Game three versus Geraldton. A slow start, although we had most of the play. All the goals scored in the second half to win 3-0.

Game 4 Semi Final Playoffs. For a place in the grand final we faced Geraldton again and won 2-0.

Game 5 Grand Final. 2-0 against Central Midlands.



# Lake Grace-Pingrup Senior Hockey Notes

Lyn Carruthers

## Round 10 - July 3rd Lake Grace/Pingrup v's Boxwood Hill

On a lovely day for sport Lake Grace-Pingrup took on Boxwood Hill. The oval was looking a treat thanks to the shire and George for the rolling and marking.

The team had been working on a few things at training and are looking to link up better. A few players were away due to covid restrictions so Jess Collard suited up for the Bombettes, a welcome addition to the team.

Lake Grace-Pingrup dominated the play for the majority of the game and Anna Taylor finished off with a great goal after a beautiful bit of play by the whole team from full back Michelle Cameron to gun forward Tahryn Trevenen.

A lot of opportunities were created and the girls will need to start popping them in the goals moving into the business end of the season but the style of game was the best hockey for the year so far and a good sign moving forward.

Awards went to best on ground, Laura Ballard for a great game at right half, second best went to Tahryn Trevenen for her great skill and pace and coaches

award went to captain of the day Chiara Letter for great talk and great fight all game, leading from the front.

A big congratulations to Tahryn who will represent Western Australia at the masters games along with her sisters Courtney and Shannon, a great achievement from them all and a testament to the strong hockey culture in lake grace for many years.



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# Lake Grace-Pingrup Junior Hockey Notes

Karissa Pelham

## Round 10 - July 3rd Lake Grace/Pingrup v's Boxwood Hill

Couldn't be more proud of this team today.

Our Lake Grace Pingrup Junior hockey players ran out onto the ground with Taj Caruthers leading the team as Captain.

Our kids dominated the first half, then receiving a hard earned short corner with Bella hitting out and Dakota hitting across and passing to Darci to smash the ball into goals. Our Bombers kept fighting hard and our full backs were getting cold.

Two more goals scored in the first half by Bella and Morgan.

At half time the score was 3-0 in Lake Grace-Pingrup's favour.

Second half Boxwood came out firing but our team all played strong and worked hard in defense. Taj Caruthers scored a goal with not long to go.

Great team effort by all. Thanks to Khalen for playing in goals and cheering on his team mates.

Awesome co coaching by Taj Trevenen.

Superb game by all. So proud

Best on ground- Taj Caruthers  
2nd Best- Bella Callope  
Coaches- Grace Penney

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# Lake Grace-Pingrup Netball Notes

*Karen Bairstow (A), Nick Smith (Junior)*

## Round 10 - July 3rd Lake Grace/Pingrup v's Boxwood Hill

### A Grade

After a tight first quarter the girls fired and played a good style of netball. Linking up and down the court we played the game on our terms. It was a good team effort this week.

Some close attention from their defenders but our goal shooters in Chloe and Vynka combined nicely and shot some great goals.

The centre court was ably led by Shenae who controlled the pace of the game and Jazz fed beautifully into the circle.

Joely rebounded and intercepted with the help of Georgie and Laura, getting the ball moving into our attack. Georgie and Laura providing good run out of defence.

A great TEAM effort girls to notch a win 50 - 35.

BEST ON GROUND: CHLOE MCDUGALL

2ND BEST ON GROUND: GEORGIE SANCHEZ

COACHES AWARD: JAZZ LEONARD

Keep training hard girls, our next game is against Newdy in Newdegate.

### Juniors

The kids had quite a few spectators watching this week as they took to the court in Lake Grace to play Boxwood. It was a fairly close contest all day but unfortunately we didn't walk away with the win. The kids should be proud of their efforts despite the loss. Final score LG/P 24 to Boxwood 26

We are heading into the last four games of the season before finals.

Best on Ground went to Kiesha Pawsey

Second Best Bella Callope

Coaches Award Ella Ward



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# Lake Grace Golf Notes

*Reid Stubberfield. Photo Craig Reeves.*

On Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> July in wet and windy conditions we had a Stroke Event sponsored by McKenzie Rural Contracting & McKenzie Concrete Co. It was a very tough day but Winner for the day was Craig Reeves with 80 nett. Runner up was Justin Wright with 87 nett. Thank You to Jeff & Symone for the sponsorship.

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## Turkey Day 2021

Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> was Turkey Day once again sponsored by the Taylor Family. Turkey Day has been running for over 60 years now and is the prize everyone wants for the year. The course was the wettest it has been in years with water sitting in places that the older members have never seen before which made playing very interesting.

Winners for the day were Chad Stanton & Mark Livall with 40 points. Runners up were Craig Reeves & Mike Clark on 36 points. Best visitors score was Royce Taylor & Mitch Thornton also with 36 points. The unlucky duo who ended up with the Feathers was Kevin Eggers & Phil Young

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Thank you to Andy & Nathan Young, Wayne Barnett and Mike Clark for making the trip back Lake Grace to support Turkey Day. To Royce & Anna and the Taylor Family thank you for your continued support of the event its greatly appreciated.

This Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July is the Lake Grace Open Day sponsored by Lake Grace IGA, Maalouf Ford and Farmers Centre 1978 Pty Ltd. The following weekend 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> will be the first and second round of Championships.

Cheers  
 Reid Stubberfield



**Winners of Turkey Day, Chad Stanton and Mark Livall with sponsor Royce Taylor and Club President Reid Stubberfield**

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*C.S. Lewis*

# Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Notes

Shane Carruthers

## Round 10 - July 3rd Lake Grace/Pingrup v's Boxwood Hill

### LGP A RESERVES

The school holidays meant there were plenty of numbers for both sides in the Reserves game. The first quarter saw Boxwood score two very quick goals to jump to the lead. The remainder of the quarter was a very tight game with limited scoring opportunities and only four points scored for the remainder of the quarter.

**Quarter time scores were Boxwood Hill 2-1-13 LGP 0-3-3**

The second quarter saw Boxwood score another two early goals and LGP scoring their first at the 12min mark. The game was then played between both half forward lines with a few points. Boxwood then scored two more goals late to establish a handy five goal lead at the main break. Better players to half time were Fraser Hunt, Damon Trevenen, Tyson Bell, Austin Cook and Rory Murray with the green short kids from both sides playing well also.

**Half time scores were Boxwood 6-4-40 LGP 1-4-10**

The third quarter saw Boxwood take control scoring

three in succession before LGP found the big sticks at the 12min mark. Another even contest in the middle of the quarter before Boxwood scored again late in the quarter to maintain a firm hold on proceedings.

**Three quarter time scores were Boxwood 10-3-63. LGP 2-6-18**

The final quarter saw an outstanding effort from both sides. LGP scored early and then Boxwood added another two to their tally. Great goals from young green short players added to what was a great game and the coaches and players of both sides have to be commended for the way the game was played in good spirit.

**The final scores were Boxwood 13-4-82 defeating LGP 3-8-26**

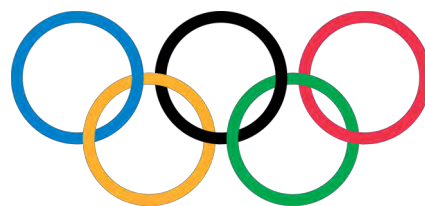
**Awards Went to Best of Ground: Fraser Hunt, Second Best: Tyson Bell and Coaches Award Trent Medlen**

### LGP LEAGUE

Kane Pinney led the side out for his 100<sup>th</sup> game for the bombers, Congratulation Kane. This game was always going to be a close affair with good players from both sides missing due to Covid Restrictions. The first term

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## Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Notes *(cont.)*

saw LGP get away to a very quick start scoring a goal in the first minute through Jackson Callope who would go on to score five for the quarter. Boxwood hit back at the 4min mark to score their first and then added a further two for the quarter whilst LGP had numerous goals scorers to finish the quarter with eight.

**Quarter time scores were LGP 8-3-51  
Boxwood Hill 3-3-21**

During the second term Boxwood balanced their side up and their backline played very well. LGP scored one goal early and then Boxwood scored two in succession. Trivian Davey scored again late for LGP maintain a five goal lead going into the main break. The ball pressure, tackling and ball skills had gone up a level on previous games.

**Half time scores were LGP 10-9-69  
Boxwood Hill 5-4-34**

The third term saw LGP score again early through Bodhi Clifton. Mitchell Oniell who was having an excellent game kicked three for the quarter to give him four for the game. LGP had contributors all over the ground and were working hard for each other and established a handy nine goal lead at three quarter time.

**Three quarter time scores were LGP 14-11-95  
Boxwood Hill 5-8-38**



**Helping Kane celebrate his 100th game for the Lake Grace-Pingrup football club were his father, Greg Pinney (left) and Club President, Shane Carruthers (right).**

The final quarter was a high scoring affair with LGP adding a further five goals through Jack Carruthers, Karl Fleay 2, Konnor Holmes and Bodhi Clifton whilst Boxwood added four through Bertola, Richter 2 and Davis. The Bombers were very happy to be back on the winners list and it was a great team effort with every player contributing. Again a great game played in good spirit.

**Final scores were LGP 19-15-129 Boxwood Hill 9-10-64**

Multiple goal scorers for LGP were Jackson Callope 5, Mitchell Oniell 4, Bodhi Clifton 3, Karl Fleay 3

**Awards: Best on Ground Tyson Prater Best on Ground runner up Mitchell Oniell and the Coaches award went to Jackson Callope**

Congratulations once again to Kane Pinney on his 100<sup>th</sup> game.

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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.

### Community Bus Bookings

Are to be done through the Lake Grace CRC. Ring 9865 1470 or email [lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au](mailto:lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au) The community bus is owned and managed by the community, is available to any individual, group or organization to hire and costs \$1 per kilometre to use. All proceeds go toward the management and running of the bus and toward bus upgrades.

### Southern Agcare

This is a free and confidential Family and Individual Counselling Service. Please contact Southern AgCare main office for an appointment. Phone (08) 9827 1552 or [admin@southernagcare.org.au](mailto:admin@southernagcare.org.au) referral forms can also be found on our webpage [www.southernagcare.org.au](http://www.southernagcare.org.au)

### 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 Phil Clarke's shed or you can contact Phil on 0427 651 155 or 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 Monday 26th and Tuesday 27th July. Ring 9865 1208 for an appointment.

### Lake Grace Op Shop

46 Bennett Street (Old Church)  
Tuesday 1:00 - 4:00pm  
Friday 9:30am - 1:00pm

### Expressions of Interest

Pilot training for escorting over sized loads/ machinery. If you would be interested in this training please contact the Lake Grace CRC on 9865 1470 or [lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au](mailto:lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au)

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

Are you interested in community based volunteer work? Are you over the age of 18 and hold an unencumbered Australian driver's licence? Role includes hospital to hospital transfers, attending non-emergency and emergency ambulance calls as a driver. Call the Sub Centre on 0428 110 446.

### Love Cooking and a Chinwag

CWA is looking for more community groups interested in catering for the monthly Senior Citizens Luncheons. Give Suzanne a ring on 0427 651 310 if you're interested or want more information. This is a great community service started nearly 5 decades ago - would be great to keep it happening.

### Senior Citizens Lunch

Thursday 5th August @ CWA rooms - Hosted by Lake Grace Playgroup. 12:15pm sit down for a 12:30pm serve  
\$15 per head - would be helpful if you have correct change on the day.  
RSVP to Ms Chiara Letter on 0448 258 222.

### Lake Grace Shire Councilors

Councillor	Telephone
Cr Len Armstrong – Shire President	0429 843 785
Cr Ross Chappell – Deputy Shire President	0428 654 058
Cr Debrah Clarke	0428 654 041
Cr Roz Lloyd	0428 711 534
Cr Allan Marshall	0427 943 291
Cr Peter Stoffberg	0447 281 181
Cr Ben Hyde	0428 752 042
Cr Shane Carruthers	0408 396 432



## Community Clubs and Associations

Club / Association	Secretary / Contact	Contact Number	Contact Email
Artist Group	Tania Spencer	0429 041 063	spencertania@hotmail.com
CWA	Suzanne Reeves	0427 651 310	lakegracecwa@gmail.com
Development Assoc	Paula Carruthers	0499 616 070	ghpmcarr@bigpond.com
Early Learning Centre (Daycare)	Vicki Reynolds	08 9865 2568	lakegraceelc@gmail.com
LIFT Lakes Information and Farming Technology	Lauren Duckworth	0488 559 860	laurenalex@westnet.com.au
Lions	Arthur Slarke	0429 651 015	arthurslarke@bigpond.com
Men's Shed	Wally Perry	0448 795 070	allwood93@yahoo.com.au
Playgroup	Sarah Clarke	0438 634 152	lakegraceplaygroup@mail.com
Sportsman's Club	Claire Pelham	08 9865 1239	lgsportsmansclub@bigpond.com
Toy Library	Joely Slinn	0477 014 347	
<b>Winter Sports</b>			
Lake Grace- Pingrup Football Club	Chris Poot	0427 190 827	chris.poot@cbh.com.au
Lake Grace-Pingrup Netball Club	Chloe Bairstow		lgpnc@outlook.com
Lake Grace-Pingrup Hockey Club	Donna Skerris	0429 197 806	donnaaltham@gmail.com
Lake Grace-Kukerin Hockey Club	Aimee Hall	0407 740 561	lgkhockeyclub@outlook.com.au
Lake Grace Golf Club	Chad Stanton	0459 110 805	sc.stanton@bigpond.com

## Crisis Care Numbers

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

### Justices of the Peace

Colin Connolly	0427 858 066
Ron Dewson	0428 651 213
Amanda Milton	0429 654 011
Geoff Sabourne	0429 651 171

### Church Times

Catholic Church	Anglican Church
Sunday 4th July - 6pm	Sunday 4th July - 10am
Sunday 11th July - 8am	Sunday 11th July - No service
For inquiries and request for home visitation, please contact Fr Abraham Uchenna Chukwu on 9865 1248.	Enquiries: St Johns Albany 9841 5015 Wally Perry 0448 795 070

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## July

Fri 16 Op Shop - 9am-1pm  
Fish and Chips @ Sportsman's Club

Sat 17 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Craft Group - (afternoon) @ CWA Hall  
Steak Teas @ Sportsman's Club  
Winter Sports -  
Roe Hockey - Semi Finals @ Kukerin  
Golf - LG Open Day

Sun 18 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)

Mon 19 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)  
Term 3 starts

Tue 20 Rubbish Collection  
Recycling Collection  
SOYF Exercises 10am @ Shire Hall  
Playgroup 9:30am  
Men's Shed (morning)  
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm  
LG/P Football Training - 6pm

Wed 21 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
LGK Hockey training - Kukerin 6pm  
LG-P Hockey Training - 6pm  
Burger Night @ Sportsman's Club

Thur 22 Men's Shed (morning)  
LG/P Football Training - 6pm  
LG/P Netball Training  
Lions Club Meeting

Fri 23 Op Shop - 9am-1pm  
Fish & Chips @ Sportsman's Club

Sat 24 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Steak Teas @ Sportsman's Club  
Roe Hockey - Preliminary Final @ Kulin  
Golf - Men's Open Day @ Lake Grace

Sun 25 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)

Mon 26 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
Dr Linda Haines

Tue 27 Men's Shed (morning)  
Rubbish Collection  
GenAg @ Kulin  
SOYF Exercises 10am @ Shire Hall

Tues 27 Playgroup 9:30am  
Dr Linda Haines  
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm  
Football Training - 6pm

Wed 28 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
Shire Council Meeting  
Containers for Change Pickup  
LGK Hockey Training - Kukerin 6pm  
LG-P Hockey Training - 6pm  
Burger Night @ Sportsman's Club

Thur 29 Men's Shed (morning)  
Football Training - 6pm  
LG/P Netball Training  
Forklift Workshop

### Coming Events

30th July - Forklift Workshop @ Lake Grace CRC  
31st July - Roe Districts Hockey GF @ Corrigin  
2nd August - LGDHS P&C Meeting 7pm  
6th August - Driving assessor in LG  
12th August - LGDHS K/PP Class Assembly  
1st September - Newdegate Field Day  
2nd September - Newdegate Field Day  
3rd September - Driving Assessor in LG  
9th December - Harvest Festival

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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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