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## Backyard Bush Blitz

*Suzanne Reeves*

Why lay in bed on a Sunday morning when you can bounce up and do some cleaning up in your own backyard? As part of the LCDC Bushcare project fifteen volunteers spent two hours cleaning up the rubbish that has accumulated in the remnant bushland east of town.

Volunteers took away six ute loads and left two large piles that the Shire staff kindly removed. A lot of the rubbish is decades old and migrated from the old tip site, however there was new rubbish and dumped garden waste also.

There is a rather large infestation of bridal creeper, a rather attractive and delicate looking creeper that is anything but. Some of this was removed on the day but there'll be plenty of more work to be done to get rid of it entirely - this is why it is so important to not dump garden waste in bushland.

There will be plenty more work to be done over the half a dozen sites that the bushcare project includes. Next year we will get into the phase of regenerating the sites by planting suitable trees and shrubs.

Of course the volunteers were suitably rewarded with scones, jam and cream - big thanks to Annie for slaving away over a hot stove.

If you would like to be involved in any way then please contact Michelle Slarke or Suzanne Reeves at the CRC.



*Photo (top): Steve Curtin and Ollie Farrelly have a 'look what we found' moment.*

*Below: Some of the volunteers enjoying a yummy morning tea - alas some of the crew were shyer than the local fauna and remained working in the bush. Photo Michelle Slarke.*

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All articles, news and advertisements are to be submitted to the Lake Grace Community Resource Centre by 3pm on Monday of paper week.

**Next Deadline**  
Monday 6th September

**Next Edition**  
Thursday 9th September



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

Annie Slarke                  Gwen Oliver  
 Lee Duckworth              Dick Phillips

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

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## Editorial

- Thank you to those who turned up for our busy bee in the bushland at the eastern end of town - I know that others would have liked to be a part of it but had other commitments on the day. Don't panic there will be more of these fun get togethers coming up.
- Appreciation to those who've been sending in photos and material for us to include in the Links. I know we're now getting to the pointy end of the season for winter sports so notes from these groups will be tapering off. Good luck to those teams playing this weekend.
- Don't forget our Pilot Training and Accreditation workshop happening, it will be held on the 6th and 7th September. The cost isn't cheap but that is out of our hands. Please call or email us and we will forward you an enrolment form.
- A big thank you to those parties who have helped out with letters of support and quotes for a couple of grants that we have done recently. Fingers crossed both applications will have a positive result.
- We have a new employment column in the Links this fortnight (see page 25) - we will only include the bare bones of the position but it will be enough to get the word out there. We're more than happy to also do the reverse - as in 'looking for work'. Send your material into the Lake Grace CRC or give us a call on 9865 1470.
- The Forklift workshop is coming up on the 14th and 15th September. There's two places available, this will be last one for this year and may be the last one at this super low rate.
- There will be a few changes being made to the cost of advertising for non-profits, this will come into effect from September. Some of our local NFPs are members of the CRC and we would like to see them have more benefit from their membership. A new pricing schedule will be included in the next edition of the Lakes Link.
- Pingrup is hosting an Introduction to OHS on 8th September. This is a one day training course provided by Competent Solutions which will help ensure your OHS obligations are met for your employees and contractors on your property. For more information or to book in contact Pingrup on 9820 1101.

*Suzanne Reeves*



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# About Town

- Congratulations to Tash Bowman on the arrival of Taylin Chase Bowman (pictured below) on the 12th August. Taylin weighed in at 3780g (8lb3oz) and is a very welcome addition to the Bowman family.



- Ex Lake Grace resident John La Cava passed away Monday 23rd August. Sympathies to his family and friends.

# Happy Birthday

- 26th August Bradley Read
- 27th August Alex Duckworth
- Mandy King
- Joely Slinn
- Blake Carruthers
- 28th August Shelby Newton
- 29th August Justin Carruthers
- Max Stubberfield
- 30th August Ryan Carruthers
- 31st August Jason O'Neill
- Cambell Chatfield
- 1st September Ed Naisbitt
- 2nd September Vicki Smith
- 5th September Trelise Jones
- 6th September Ken Medlen
- Josh Willcocks
- Jessica Chircop
- 9th September Sheree Duckworth



# Anniversaries



- 5th September Lindsay & Tahlia Willock

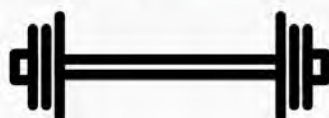
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## Weekly Timetable

Time\Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 AM	Ignite Strength		Ignite LBT		Ignite Fire
9 AM	Ignite LBT	Ignite Fire Mums and Bubs	Ignite Strength		
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## About Town

Congratulations to Mrs Doreen Marshal who celebrated her 95th birthday on Friday 20th August. She celebrated the milestone with her family at the Matilda Bay restaurant.

Below: Mrs Marshall with her children (l to r) - Sue, Laurie, Jennifer and Allan.

Right: Mrs Marshall with her 20th great grandchild, Matilda.



# 2021 Junior Football Club

**Notice of 2021 Annual General Meeting**



# AGM

## Sunday August 29

**Roughly 2.30 pm, following the combined Junior Sports wind-up**

**At the Lake Grace Sportsman's Club**

Agenda items can be emailed to [lgpjfc@gmail.com](mailto:lgpjfc@gmail.com)

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Willy currently lives in York and has worked in Northam for 13 years where she owned and operated a cafe. She also spent five years in radio sales and management roles for Southern Cross Austereo, helping small business across the Avon Valley with promotional marketing. Willy can assist clients with all

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Wednesday 1st September

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# Science Fair

*Kylie Read*

As part of science week the community were treated to a science fair at LGDHS.

Students were able to choose a subject, research and do the necessary experiment. They then made posters to inform the parents and community members on their materials used, Methods, variants to the experiment and then the conclusion.

There were experiments ranging from "What substance stops apples from browning through to How much pressure does it take to crush rock, steel and salmon gum.? How far does lava travel and what are the effects on house's and towns from a volcano erupting?, How to make Magnetic Slime, What type of bread creates mould quicker? These are just a few of the experiments the students performed. Some of the conclusions were not what students expected.

Did you know that you can subtract the DNA from a strawberry? It was fascinating to see the process taken to get to the final conclusion. That food colour affects the taste of apple juice? Apparently blue food colouring can make apple juice taste weird with red changing the taste completely and green making it a lot sweeter. Who knew! Do you know what substance out of Sugar, Salt and Sand will melt ice quicker? It's salt, as it dissolves into the water surface and lowers the freezing point below the ices temperature. Amazing!

It was great to see so many students explaining their experiments and how they came to their conclusions. Who knows some of them might go on to be scientist and cure cancer!

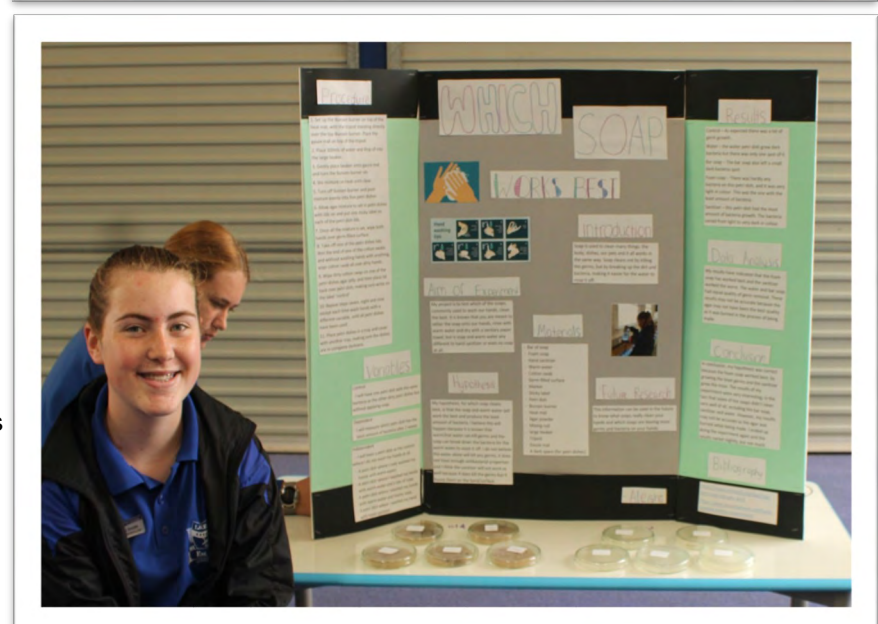
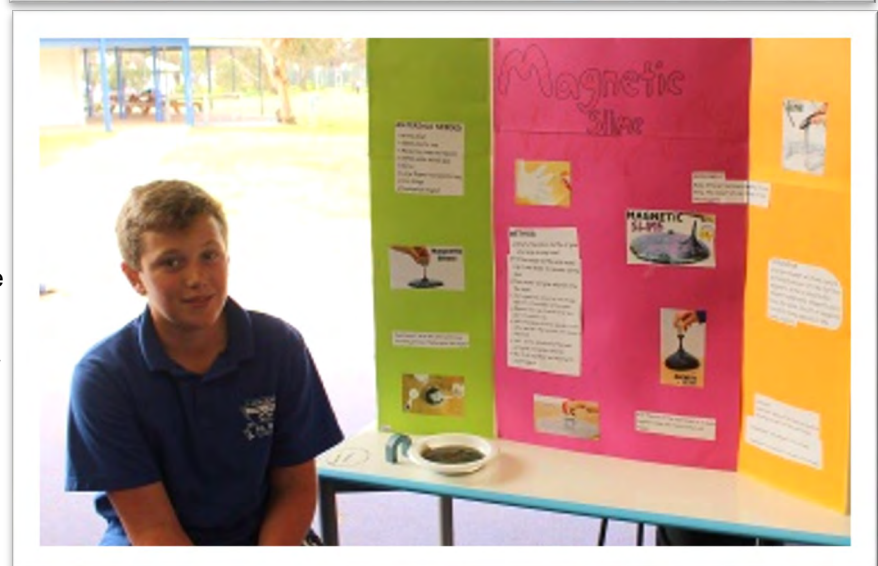
Congratulations to all the students for participating and making an exciting and wonderful Science Fair.

The overall winners for the day taking home a \$50 rebel sport vouchure:

Parents choice— Madison Mathews with her plant through a maze

Students choice—Taj Carruthers with his magnetic slime

Principals choice— Aleisha Smith with her Which soap worked the best experiment.



# Finding the Scorpius Constellation

Learning to point out constellations is lots of fun, and one of the easiest to find is Scorpius the Scorpion. It's a lovely, large constellation that really does form the shape of a scorpion! It is currently visible throughout the evening, lying directly overhead at around 8pm.

When and where to look: A great night to find Scorpio will be on the 10th September. Look for a brilliant conjunction of Venus and the crescent Moon in the north-west at sunset. Higher in the sky look for a reddish star, Antares that lies in the centre of the constellation. See if you can find the curve of Scorpio's body and the sting in its tail stretching up to the centre of the sky!

Antares is a super-giant red star several hundred times the diameter of our Sun and is about 550 light-years from Earth. It is often referred to as the 'Heart of the Scorpion', due to its location in the constellation and its reddish glow. The name Antares

means 'rival of Mars' due to its similarity in colour. It is classified as a Red Supergiant and is massive, at approximately 700 times our sun's diameter!

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# The Significance of History

Suzanne Reeves

The theme for the 2021 National History Challenge was Significance: History Matters. The National History Challenge is supported by the Australian Government Department of Education through the Civics and Citizenship Education program.

All entries must focus on the theme, students can, with guidance, apply the theme to a variety of contexts within their particular state or territory's curriculum. This theme offers students the opportunity to explore various topics in history.

Filling in some time over the school holidays three Lake Grace students, under the guidance of Anna Ayers Dillon elected to look at 'Time for Indigenous Reform' and put together an entry.

They researched the tribes within Australia and mapped out the boundaries. With fresh eyes they looked at the colonial tradition of acquiring 'new lands' and the way of life and laws that were inflicted upon the indigenous population. What was seen as fair play in times of empire building is now recognised as critically unfair.

**Right: Hope Lankford, Theodore and Hadley Ayer's Dillon.**



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11th	1.9	15.3	0.8
12th	5.7	16.5	
13th	4.1	17.2	
14th	1.3	17.7	
15th	6.0	16.9	
16th	8.0	21.0	0.2
17th	7.2	20.9	
18th	9.6	18.6	
19th	5.3	18.1	
20th	6.5	17.0	4.2
21st	6.5	18.1	0.2
22nd	8.4	13.5	
23rd	2.3	14.6	0.2
24th	4.6	17.4	

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Stubbs St (centre of town) - 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)  
Contact 000 in case of emergency
- **Sporting Pavilion**  
publicly accessible AED when pavilion is in use
- **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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## Pilot Training & Accreditation

Employment Training Solutions, a Main Roads authorised provider, will be in Lake Grace on **Monday 6th & Tuesday 7th September**

*(This is a two day workshop) to conduct training and accreditation.*

Minimum of 8 and Maximum of 12 participants.



**Cost:**  
\$1,400 per person

Please contact the Lake Grace Community Resource Centre on 9865 1470 or by emailing lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au to register your interest.

*We need 8 enrolments for this workshop to go ahead.*

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# About Town - Photo Story

*Making the most of the opportunities presented by water in Cemetery Lake; Tyler, Seth and Levi Argent were having some fun with their kayaks.*

*Photo: Annie Argent*



*How chilly have you been feeling? No great surprise considering the average minimum temperature for this month has been 5.6 with the lowest being 1.3. Roll on Spring!*

*Photo: Kerrie Argent.*

*Attending the Great Southern Football Carnival which was held two weeks ago (15th August) were local players Maddison Chircop, Seth Argent, Taj Carruthers and Alby Stanton.*

*They were representing Lake Grace-Pingrup in the Ongerup Association team. They played 3 games against two Albany teams and Denmark.*

*Photo Kristy Stanton.*



# About Town - Photo Story

*There's plenty of wow factor with the orchids that have been flowering in the Tarin Rock Nature Reserve. A big thank you to John Walton for contributing his pics.*



**Left:**  
**Sugar Orchid**  
**Ericksonella**  
It is a small orchid (1-2cm) that almost always has one flower per stem.



**Above:**  
**Queen of Sheba**  
**Thelymitra variegata**

**Right:**  
**Lyperanthus nigricans**  
A stout plant, 10-30 cm  
Flowers 2-8 m high



**Below:**  
**Pink Fairy Orchid**  
**Caladenia latifolia**  
20-45 cm high the stems produce 1-4 stunning white/pink flowers about 1.5 cm across



**Right:**  
**Donkey Orchid also known as bee orchid, nanny goat orchid or pansy orchids**  
**Diuris**



**Left:**  
**Commonly known as clown orchid, ant orchid, man orchid and jack-in-the-box**  
**Caladenia roei**

## News From the School

Last Friday, our Year 5/6 class begun their latest student led project as they prepared a yarning circle seating area for painting.

Their current theme is biodiversity, caring for others and our environment. The special project aims to make the area next to the music room 'student friendly' by turning the performance stage and seating area into a yarning circle, growing more plant natives (including edibles) encouraging native birds and to grow lots of vegetables for use in Home Economics and to be given away to people in the community.

What a great idea! Another great example of the many student led projects happening at Lake Grace District High School to give our students both a voice and

**Right: The year 5/6 students giving what was the old assembly area a makeover - built in the early to mid 1970s this area is seeing its third generation of students making use of the facility. Great to see!**



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# Bits & Pieces

Kevin Seaman

When you have been listening to music as long as I have which includes many varieties such as music from the 40s 50s and 60s just music and of course, country music both American and Australian.

Some of those artists stick in your mind and you always enjoy listening to such as Elvis, Roy Orbison, Patsy Clyne, Johnny O'Keefe the list goes on and on.

On the country side such stars as Waylon Jennings, Merle Haggard, Johnny Cash, Slim Dusty, Tammy Wynette, Willie Nelson all wrote and sang their songs which became classics to remember them by.

Then there was another C and W artist who took my attention and became a big hit seller from the sixties to his parting from this earth, leaving behind many hit songs such as Big Bad John, PTO 9, Me and Bobby Mcgee, Cajun Queen, Dear Ivan, Little Black Book just to name a few.

His name is Jimmy Dean and with his rendition of Dear Ivan these two monologues result in Jimmy being awarded for his effort 1962 Grammy award. Below is a copy of his self penned and performed monologue Dear Daughter.

Dear daughter I tiptoed to your room tonight  
 And I looked down at you smiling in your sleep  
 You were so lovely my heart nearly broke  
 And I thought how very much like sleeping beauty a little girl is  
 When I tuck you in at night I never know how old you'll be when you wake  
 One evening you crawl on your dad's lap and throw your arms around his neck  
 The next morning you might be much too grownup for that sort of thing  
 You're so quickly approachin' my awkward age  
 Too young to drive a car and yet too old to be carried  
 Into the house half asleep on daddy's shoulder  
 I have a secret that I've never told you Sleeping Beauty  
 You're going on a very exciting trip  
 You'll travel from yesterday all the way to tomorrow  
 It's a rapid journey and you'll travel light  
 Leavin' behind your measles mumps freckles bumps bubblegum and me  
 I promise not to feel too hurt when you discover  
 That the world is more important than your daddy's lap  
 Yesterday you were blue-jeaned and pig-tailed the neighborhood's best tree-climber  
 Tomorrow you'll be blue-organdie and pony-tailed  
 And you'll view the world from a loftier perch a pair of high-heel shoes  
 Yesterday you could mend a doll's broken leg with a hug  
 Tomorrow you'll be able to break a young man's heart with a kiss  
 Ha ha yesterday you could get lost one aisle away from me in a supermarket  
 Now I have to worry about losin' you down another aisle to some strange young man  
 You see just at the point where your growing pains stop mine begin

Yesterday you were kind of a pain in the neck when you were around  
 Tomorrow you'll be an ache in my heart when you're not

Tomorrow you'll lay aside your jumprope and tie up the telephone lines

And that little boy that used to push you in the mud  
 Well he'll fight to set out a dance with you

The clock upstairs is countin' the minutes for you  
 And the sky upstairs is savin' its brightest stars

And the sun is waitin' with its shiniest day

Oh I can't expect you to live in a dollhouse forever

Sooner or later the butterfly sheds its cocoon and the smallest bird must try its wings

But when you grow up and out of my arms when you finally get too big for my shirts

I'll still recall how you used to scatter dust and dolls

And partially through every room in the house but you spread sunshine too

The dust is settled your mom picked up the dolls

But the sunshine will always fill the corners of our hearts

So here I am talkin' in your sleep

Because well if you saw this look on my face you'd laugh

And if I spoke with this lump in my throat I'd cry

Yeah honey when I looked at you tonight you were a Sleeping Beauty

So I tiptoed over and I kissed you you didn't wake up I knew you wouldn't

According to the legend only the handsome young prince can open your eyes

And I'm just the father of a future bride

So you sleep on pretty thing tomorrow you'll awake and you'll be a young lady

And you won't even realize that you've changed courses in the middle of a dream

But you might notice this little change in me

I look a little different somehow a little sadder a little wiser but a whole lot richer

Tonight I kissed a princess and I feel like a king

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## Personalised Calendars

Get organised now for the grandies favourite Christmas present.

Bring your photos into the CRC and let us design and print your calendar ready for gifting before 2022.

# Seniors Safety and Security Rebate

Western Australian Seniors Card members can now claim up to \$400 per household towards the purchase of eligible home security equipment - as part of the 2021-22 State Budget

Premier Mark McGowan announced the return of the Safety and Security Rebate which can be claimed for the cost of purchase of equipment or installation costs by a licensed tradesperson.

The \$12 million program will provide WA Seniors Card members with a rebate of up to \$400 for the purchase and installation of devices such as:

- home alarm and CCTV systems;
- security door screens;
- door and window deadlocks;
- security window screens or shutters;
- security sensor lights;
- WiFi video doorbells;
- residual current devices;
- mains powered smoke alarms; and
- fire extinguishers and fire blankets.

This commitment is part of the McGowan Government's record investment in community safety, including an additional 1,100 police officers, to help keep older Western Australians safe.

To meet the requirements of the Safety and Security Rebate, items purchased must meet the relevant Australian Standards, and any installation work required must be carried out by a licensed tradesperson.

The rebate is administered by the WA Seniors Card Centre, with more information available by calling 1800 671 233 or visiting <http://www.seniorscard.wa.gov.au>

Hard copy application forms can be requested from the WA Seniors Card Centre or downloaded from the WA Seniors Card website.

The State Budget includes an additional \$4 million to deliver on the McGowan Government's election commitment to establish Elder Rights WA, a State-wide elder abuse advocacy service, to comprehensively prevent and address elder abuse in the community.

The funding will be provided to Legal Aid WA to establish the service supporting seniors by helping them connect with information and legal advice to help combat elder abuse.

The additional funding will enable Legal Aid WA to provide legal assistance to older people experiencing all forms of elder abuse, and to safeguard and advocate for the rights of older people.

Elder Rights WA will provide a complete 'wrap-around' service for those experiencing elder abuse in Western Australia, providing security to those needing to access legal services.

## Lake Grace-Pingrup are hosting the Preliminary Final but who's playing?

### Hockey:

Junior - Gnowangerup v Newdegate - 10:45am

Senior - **Lake Grace-Pingrup** v Gnow'rup - 2:10pm

### Netball:

Junior - **Lake Grace-Pingrup** v Boxwood Hill - 2:30pm

B Grade - Boxwood Hill v Newdegate - 11am

A Grade - **Lake Grace-Pingrup** v Jerra'gup - 12:30pm

### Football:

Juniors - Newdegate v Jerramungup - 12:35pm

B Grade - **Lake Grace-Pingrup** v Boxw'd Hill - 11:00am

A Grade - Boxwood Hill v Newdegate - 2:10pm

Lake Grace-Pingrup are in four of the games, the only overlap is between the senior hockey and the junior netball but with some neck craning you'll be able to keep an eye on both. All the best to those competing!

## Bouncy Castle Hire

\$165.00 per day



Contact the Lake Grace  
CRC to book.

9865 1470

lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au

# From the Archives... August

## 1996 - Twenty five years ago...

Lake Grace golfer, Steve Gibbens, is overall champion for the third year running of the Lakes Association Carnival. Lake Grace won the gross teams event.

## 2001 - Twenty years ago...

Plans are publicised for the redevelopment of the main street, with work to begin in September.

Jason Robertson achieves second place at the Pingrup Speed Shears and a sixth in the Open Shears. Danielle Robertson came third place in the Open Wool Handling competition.

## 2006 - Fifteen years ago...

LGDHS student, Sam Curtin, attends the Sir Charles Court Young Leaders Program held at Curtin University.

FESA cut the ribbon on a new shed that will house their rescue 4WD and trailer.



L to R: Rob Hutter, Vel Posavac, Ashley Peczka, Graham Mussell, Ray Bird, Kevin Parsons, Alan Stubberfield and Marcus Owen.

Kevin Seaman received a 20 year achievement award for his contribution to the aquatic industry.

Lake Grace Hockey Club celebrate 75 years of hockey in Lake Grace with a return of many of their ex-players.

Mickey Trevenen (14yo) receives the Reserves Fairest and Best for Lake Grace-Pingrup.

Tania Spencer wins the Judges Choice of the City of Melville's Annual Art Awards.

North Lake Grace Cricket Club merge with Lake Grace Cricket Club.

## 2011 - Ten years ago...

Three stand-alone units are to be built at 5 Bennett street as part of the Aged Person housing programme.

East Mundalla stud ram Jonty, was sashed the Supreme Exhibit at the Australian Sheep and Wool Show in Bendigo.

In Police News there was reported the case of the missing (empty) gas bottle.

## 2016 - Five years ago...

CRC hosts a women's health evening with Cancer Council representatives.

New CSBP Area Manager is Graham Witt, who lived in Lake Grace 30 years previously while working for CBH.

Jayne Argent's photo of an echidna peeping over the wall at Dingo Rock is featured on the Lake Grace banner for 'Banners in the Terrace'.

The Shire of Lake Grace farewells Neville Hale.

MP Tuck Waldron pays a surprise visit to the building site of the new ambulance building. The building is at lock up stage as more work is being done internally.



Rex Walker and Darren Spencer from Lake Grace Transport delivering building materials.

A brazen thief steals a Telstra contractors ladders from the top of his vehicle while parked up at the Saltbush Inn.

The Net-Set-Go girls receive some new uniforms.

Centrelink van comes to Lake Grace.

Jeanette Bennett wins the Ladies Rural Bronze (golf) held in Corrigin - winning the 36 hole closed section and runner-up to the open event.





# 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: SC Fiona Main. PC Scott Oatridge

Spring maybe in the air but still no further news on when we will be welcoming a new Boss, although there is a good chance that we may receive an update in a few weeks' time as there have been around 150 newly promoted Sergeant's across the WA Police Force, it's our guess that one of the newly promoted officers will apply for the vacant position here in Lake Grace. Let's hope they don't want to fix what isn't broken.

## CRIME

No reported crime since the last article which is good news for everyone, however as we have mentioned recently we are to some degree reliant on the information received from you in the community.

If you have any misgivings or feel that something is happening out of the ordinary then please let us know, it maybe nothing but it maybe a piece of information that helps us complete the missing piece of the jigsaw so to speak.

We along with the other Police Stations in our cell recently assisted Kulin Police with a Drugs Search Warrant, Constable Chase who is a drug detection dog in training, was watching eagerly as his big brother Constable Johnny showed him the ropes. Constable Johnny had a successful day sniffing around locating drugs and illegally held ammunition.

I'm sure one day Constable Chase will be just as good as his big brother.

**Who's a good boy Chase!!**



## LOCAL NEWS

The Newdegate Field days are fast approaching, we know that there is a tremendous amount of work that goes into organising the event so well done to everyone involved, we are sure it will be a successful event.

We have received quite a few approved Occasional Liquor licenses for the field days, if your business is planning on serving alcohol then you will need to apply for an occasional liquor license: The sale and supply of alcohol in Western Australia is governed by the *Liquor Control Act 1988* (as amended). This Act is administered by the [Department of Racing, Gaming and Liquor](#). They are responsible for issuing liquor licenses

and can provide information on the various types of licenses, probity issues and costs of licenses.

Lake Grace Police will be attending the event, along with other officers who are keen to assist. We are hoping to have the Police Incident Control Vehicle from Albany for the two days as this will serve as our mobile Police Station, Please come and say hello if you get the chance, if not then I'm sure we will see you when we are out and about walking around the event, personally I will be trying to stay away from eating too many fresh doughnuts.

## TRAFFIC

Last week we were involved in a Traffic operation in Corrigin, we are pleased to say that everyone stopped had been behaving themselves as there were no Alcohol or Drug impaired drivers detected.

Locally, it has been noticed that a few of you have been in a bit of rush driving around town, it's just our observations as this invariably seems to happen when we are not on duty, so a polite reminder to slow down and stick to the speed limit, its there for a reason to keep us all safe.



The speed limit throughout town is 50KPH.

Slow down at intersections, don't cut corners, pay attention to signs indicating vulnerable people may be in the area. As a driver, we are expected to take every incident into consideration, this includes pedestrians, or cyclists not paying attention, kids jumping out from their parent's grip, or someone with disabilities such as loss of hearing or sight. If an accident does occur, this may not be the driver's fault, however a pedestrian will always have right of way on a road.



That's it from us for now. Hopefully we'll have some news of a new Sergeant by the next edition.

Stay Safe!

## Book Review: *The Hiding Place* by Jenny Quintana

Suzanne Reeves

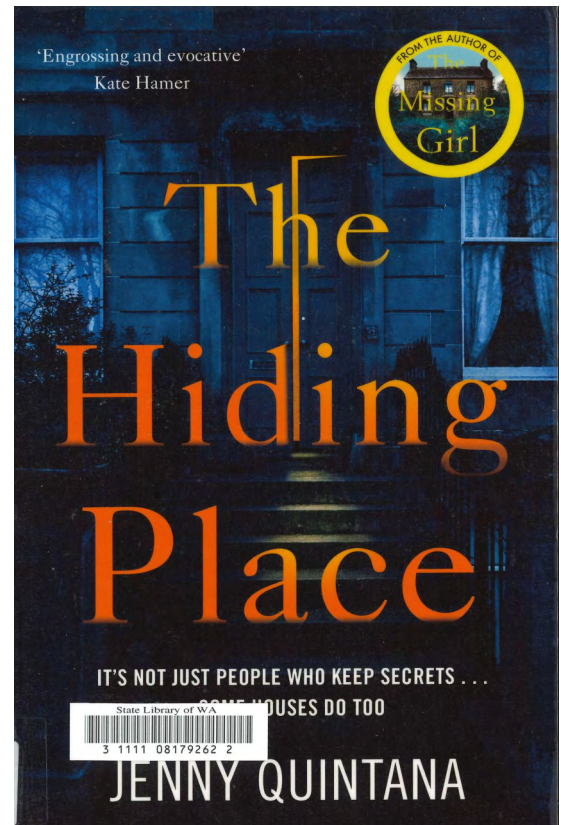
This book is currently in the Lake Grace Library, it's a good read about a subject that was quite taboo prior to social reform in the 1970s that meant a young woman 'left in the family way' wasn't forced to resort to desperate measures.

Marina is adopted. She's always known this - but the circumstances of her birth remain a mystery. Baby Blue, the newspapers nicknamed her at the time, after she'd been found wrapped in a blue shawl, in the hallway of a large, shared house in London.

24 Harrington Gardens That was the house. And it's still standing now Marina is an adult; still split into flats. And one of them is to let...

Of course, Marina knows that the chances of her uncovering the truth about her birth are remote - but she hopes the house might hold some clues.

What if it's not just the house, though? What if someone connected to it knows what really happened that day? Someone who doesn't want the truth to come to light?





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# Wheatbelt Athlete Support Program (WASP)

## 2020/21 Summary Report

The Wheatbelt Athlete Support Program (WASP) is funded by the Department of Local Government Sport and Cultural Industries (DLGSC) and Royalties for Regions through the Regional Athlete Support Program (RASP). WASP supports the development of regionally based talented athletes, coaches, and officials through the provision of a high-quality training environment at a local level. The aim of the program is to encourage the continued development and progression of talented individuals along their sporting pathways from the sub-elite to elite performance level whilst living in regional Western Australia (WA).

The program is developed in conjunction with State Sporting Associations (SSAs) and Regional Sporting Associations (RSAs) to ensure that identified talented athletes, coaches and officials are supported in their endeavors to compete at a higher level.

WASP offers **three** types of financial support:

1. Athlete Support Funding
2. Coach / Officials Support Funding
3. Sport Support Funding

WASP Athlete Support Funding (ASF) is available to support identified high performance athletes residing in the Wheatbelt region in gaining access to quality specialist coaching, sports services and facilities [with-in the Wheatbelt region](#).

To be eligible for WASP Athlete Support Funding:

### Athletes should:

- **Contact the WASP Co-ordinator prior to submitting an application.**
- **Reside permanently** in the Wheatbelt Region.
- Be aged between the ages of 13 – 21.
- At minimum be working towards selection in a regional talent program or regional squad, a WA State team or squad or a national team.
- Be a current financial member of an affiliated Club or Association within the Wheatbelt region.
- Have the support of the relevant affiliated Club or Association (as the applicant) to administer the grant. **No individual athlete will receive funds directly.**
- Ensure a representative of the nominated affiliated State Sporting Association endorses the application and training plan.
- Consider attending at least one RASP education session during the financial year of the allocated grant.

### Club/Association:

- Must hold a minimum value of \$20 million public liability insurance and submit Certificate of Currency.

Eligible items include:

- Access to facilities and personal trainers (eg: gym memberships and tailored exercise programs).
- Access to local specialised sports services (eg: physiotherapy, remedial massage).
- Access to specialist coaching (eg: sprint training, technique support, core strength training, on-line coaching support).

**NB: In order to be eligible support must be accessed *within the Wheatbelt region*.**

Ineligible items include:

- Athlete travel costs.
- Equipment or uniform costs.
- Programs not based within the Wheatbelt region.

**AFS applications for between \$500 and \$2,000 can be submitted.**

**Applications must be submitted to this office no less than 30 days before program dates commence.**

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# CWA Reno

*Suzanne Reeves*

Local tradies have been busy with renovations at the Lake Grace CWA branch over the last two weeks. With the building looking a little tired and the ceiling sagging more centimetres than members were comfortable with the branch were lucky enough to secure \$10,000 funding from FRRR.

The old ceiling has come down and the new one has been installed in the main room and also the kitchen; cracks in the walls have been patched and an old air conditioner removed. Painting has started and the electrical will be finished this week.

It will take another two weeks to get the rooms available for hire as there is still painting to be done, carpets to be cleaned and the air conditioner to be serviced.

The branch is still waiting to hear about another grant that they had applied for to cover new floor coverings and window furnishings. Unfortunately this has been pushed back from 'middle of the year' to 'third quarter' – possibly another victim of COVID.



- Test/Service A/C systems on all automotive vehicles.
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- Repair/Service boomspray electrics
- Test alternators and batteries
- Fit dual battery/solar systems to cars, caravans and camper trailers
- Fit/Supply trailer brake systems
- Supply/Fit camera kits eg. Reverse, Truck trailer or chaser bin auger
- Supply/Fit spotlights or worklights for cars, tractors, headers etc.
- Manufacture wiring harnesses
- Install 4x4 accessories eg. LED lights, power sockets, winches
- Any other electrical repairs to automotive systems.

**For any questions or queries please ring Aaron Carruthers on 0429 905 452**

RTA NO: AU42693

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# Community Newsletter

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## From the CEO

The Hon Dave Kelly MLA, Minister for Water and his entourage accompanied by the Department of Water's Tracy Calvert, Sandy Turton-Parkinson and Liz Tanner came to town on the 12th August to view some of the projects that DWER is doing around the Shire. Tagging along were the Shire President Len Armstrong, Deputy President Ross Chappell, Manager Infrastructure Services Craig Elefsen and myself.

We visited North Lake Grace AA dam where Cr Allan Marshall gave a brief history on how and why it was built. It was then on to Burngup Railway Dam which has been cleaned out by DWER where Cr Chappell provided a rundown on the history.



**Above: Shire President Len Armstrong, Hon Shelley Payne MLC, Deputy President Ross Chappell, Tracy Calvert, Hon Dave Kelly MLA, Sandy Turton-Parkinson, Craig Elefsen, Liz Tanner and Alan George.**

The Minister took the opportunity to announce that the State and Federal Governments have combined to provide \$7.3million to upgrade 70 agricultural area dams throughout the

southern half of the state. The Shire will see works carried out at North Lake Grace Dam – tank, pump and standpipe. Lake Magenta North Dam – catchment works. Burngup Railway bore- a new bore to be sunk and pipeline to the new tank recently installed. Varley North Community Dam- catchment works. Purnta Rock – negotiations are underway with the Water Corporation for new tanks.

Negotiations are underway with CBH at another site for the installation of tanks but if this falls through, we are looking at a backup plan. The Minister also announced an increase in funding through the Community Water Supply Program and we are already working on some options for this.

There was some minor disruption on the streets of Lake Grace last week when Shire engaged tree loppers arrived to remove some dead trees and trim some others in the main street.

There was a fair bit of misinformation getting around and possibly some miscommunication between all parties. One tree was removed prior to the work being brought to a halt and instructions were clarified. As a result, the contractors packed up and left without completing the works they were engaged to do.

I won't go on about the costs involved to all parties and ancillary businesses. I do however have an issue with the use of social media, in this case Facebook, to spread misinformation whether it be unintentional or intentional. Everyone has a right to form an opinion based on facts however, this is very difficult when misinformation is spread through social media.

It has been communicated many times that if you have a problem ring us and we will be happy to discuss it. The Shire has a duty of care to all residents and ratepayers and does not generally go out of its way to carry out jobs without a valid reason to do so.

*Alan George*

Chief Executive Officer



## Coming Events

### ***Newdegate Field Days***

Newdegate Sports Facility  
Wednesday 1 September  
Thursday 2 September

### ***Local Government Week***

Perth  
Monday 20 September to  
Wednesday 22 September

### ***Ordinary Council Meeting***

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on  
**Wednesday 29 September 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

Please bear with the Shire with repairs/grading on our roads. We will get there as soon as practical, if there are any issues or concerns, please contact the Shire on 9890-2500 and speak to the Infrastructure team.

It has been noted that some farmers in the area have been taking it upon themselves to grade roads. Please do not grade the roads yourself as you could potentially be liable in case there are any incidents/accidents.

Our staff carried out the following works:

### Roadworks

The Lake Grace Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- North Burngup Road
- Mordetta Road
- Fourteen Mile Road
- Jenks Road
- Mallee Hill Road
- Biddy Camm Road

The Newdegate Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Hollands Track Road
- Newdegate Airstrip
- Rodger Road
- Buniche North Road
- Lancing Road

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

- Milstead Road
- Old Newdegate Road
- Magdabah Track
- Smerdon Road

### Parks & Gardens

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

#### Lake Grace

- Spraying verges near CBH/Dewar Street
- Mallee Hill Road spraying
- Removal of tree in Apex park
- Mowing ovals, marking and weeding
- Mow Shire office, RSL and Visitors Centre lawn
- Town weed spraying / removal
- Rose Pruning
- Slashing open areas

#### Newdegate

- Reticulation repairs to Pioneer Park
- Mowing of sporting ovals
- Town Hall and Medical Centre gardens
- Weed Maley Street gardens
- Spray Airstrip edges
- Slash hockey oval and cricket pitch
- Cemetery gardens and slashing

### Lake King

- Mowing oval
- Townsite weeds / spraying
- Public toilet gardens

### Buildings

The Building Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work:

- Repairs to Newdegate Hockey toilet door
- Lake King Hall ceiling fan and front door
- Dunn Rock Tennis Club
- Fence off CWA playground as it is unsafe
- Lake Grace Medical Centre toilet
- Build pump shelter for Lake Grace oval tanks

### Operators

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

- Rolling North Burngup Road and Jenks Road
- Rural Road inspections
- Road maintenance from Lake Grace to Pingaring
- Fill in pot holes around towns
- Grade the road to Lake Grace sports oval dam
- Road maintenance to Parsons Road and Fourteen Mile Road
- Street sweeping to start for all towns prior to Newdegate Machinery Field Days

*Craig Elefsen*

Manager Infrastructure Services

### Local Fire Brigades

We have been experiencing a wetter than average winter this year and it will soon dry out and will be well on the way to summer.

We are proud to support our nine (9) Bush Fire Brigades in the Shire, along with the Fire & Rescue Brigade in Lake Grace who provide support to the community in the event of emergencies.

If you are interested in joining a local brigade, please feel free to contact our Community Emergency Services Manager, Matt Castaldini, or Brad Watson, Chief Bush Fire Control Officer who can directly assist you with your application.

Additionally, our Department of Fire and Emergency Services regional team will be at the Newdegate Machinery Field Day where you can also get more information on supporting your community through volunteer emergency services.

## 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 - 3 September**

**Friday - 8 October (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 Joe 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 31 August	Tuesday 7 September
Tuesday 14 September	Tuesday 21 September

**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 contaminants 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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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINARY ELECTION  
CALL FOR NOMINATIONS  
Shire of Lake Grace**

An Ordinary Postal Election will be held on Saturday, 16 October 2021 in the Shire of Lake Grace to fill the following vacancies:

<b>District</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Councillors</b>	<b>4 year terms</b>
<b>District</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>Councillor</b>	<b>2 year term</b>

**Nominations Open** on Thursday, 2 September 2021

**Nominations Close** at 4:00 PM Thursday, 9 September 2021

Nominations must be lodged with the Returning Officer;

- at any time during the above period by arrangement; or
- between 2:00pm and 4:00 PM Thursday, 9 September 2021 (close of nominations) at the Shire of Lake Grace, 1 Bishop Street, LAKE GRACE.

#### **Nominations Requirements**

Candidates are required to lodge with the Returning Officer;

- a completed nomination in the prescribed form, signed and witnessed. This form is available from the Returning Officer or the Western Australian Electoral Commission ([www.elections.wa.gov.au](http://www.elections.wa.gov.au));
- a single A4 page profile of not more than 800 characters (including spaces) containing information about the candidate;
- a nomination deposit of \$80 (cash, bank cheque or postal order);
- (optional) a recent passport-sized photograph of the candidate's head, or head and shoulders; and
- every candidate must have completed the online course titled *Induction for prospective candidates*, available at [www.dlgsc.wa.gov.au](http://www.dlgsc.wa.gov.au), prior to nominating.

The Commission has developed an online system called Nomination Builder to assist candidates to complete their nomination form which includes the candidate profile. This is the preferred method of completing the nomination form and profile for elections conducted by the Commission. Candidates complete their nomination details and profile, print the completed form which has a reference number allocated and lodge it with the Returning Officer. The nomination builder can be accessed via [www.elections.wa.gov.au](http://www.elections.wa.gov.au).

Where an agent lodges a nomination on a candidate's behalf, it must be in the prescribed form with a written authorisation signed by the candidate.

The documents may be hand delivered or posted to the Returning Officer and must be received by the close of nominations.

#### **Information**

Full details about eligibility and nomination procedures for prospective candidates can be obtained by contacting the Returning Officer, **Kerry HITCHINS** on 0409 764 220 or the Western Australian Electoral Commission on 13 63 06.



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# Employment Opportunities Around Lake Grace



## Feel like volunteering?

Lake Grace Op Shop is in need of volunteers.

You can join as a regular or just fill in as needed.

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- **Lake Grace District High School Cleaner**  
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Contact Michelle Lay - 9865 4500 or email [Michelle.Lay@education.wa.edu.au](mailto:Michelle.Lay@education.wa.edu.au).
- **Lake Grace Shire Two experienced Plant Operator / Driver / General Hands**  
76 hours, 9 day fortnight - Competitive salary, subsidised staff housing plus more.  
Contact Racelis Rose - 9890 2500 or email [shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au](mailto:shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au).
- **Lake Grace Hotel Chef**  
Contact - 0416 668 033
- **Claro Aged Care & Disability Services Support Worker**  
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- **IGA 2 full time positions**  
Contact - 9865 1108
- **Sportsman's Club Casual cleaner position available for 6 weeks**  
Contact Clare - 0457 207 749
- **Farmers Centre Technician and apprenticeship in 2022**  
Contact Malcolm 0429 651 094  
[malcolm@farmerscentre1978.com.au](mailto:malcolm@farmerscentre1978.com.au)
- **Lake Grace CRC Office Assistant - casual and occasional.**  
Contact Suzanne - 9865 1470.

This will be a regular column in the Lakes Link, free to anyone submitting. The only information we need is the job title, hours, casual/permanent and who to contact.

# Climate Wake Up Call from Top Scientists

Farmers are calling on the Federal government to commit to net zero emissions by 2050 at the latest, as the latest UN report issues a dire warning to global leaders.

The report from the most authoritative international body on climate science, the IPCC, found that Australia had already experienced 1.4 degrees of warming, and that deep and immediate emissions cuts were the only path to avoid catastrophic climate change.

Farmers for Climate Action chair Charlie Prell, who farms at Crookwell, said: “While distressing, this report shows there is still a narrow path to curbing climate change and this rests on global action to reduce emissions. In Australia, this means the Federal Government must commit to net zero emissions no later than 2050.

“Embracing carbon sequestration opportunities forms part of this picture and we applaud recent government initiatives to support this, including the Federal Government’s carbon and biodiversity pilot.

“But sequestration alone is not enough: our governmental leaders must accelerate the renewable energy roll out, embrace the opportunities this presents

to regional communities and rapidly plan for communities who depend on coal and gas industries to be supported to diversify.”

Angus Emmott, Longreach grazier and Farmers for Climate Action board member, said: “Extreme weather events, including heatwaves and droughts, have become increasingly par for the course at my place in recent years. The report makes clear this is just a taste of what’s to come.

“Real, impactful climate action – including a plan to rapidly decarbonise this decade and achieve net zero emissions before 2050 – is a win for all Australians. Our trading partners are moving and we are being left behind.

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## 25 West Aussies a Week Diagnosed with Bowel Cancer

Cancer Council WA is encouraging adults in the Wheatbelt region to familiarise themselves with the common symptoms of bowel cancer, with data revealing more than 25 people a week are diagnosed with bowel cancer in WA. Wheatbelt Regional Educational Officer, Melissa Pickering said bowel cancer, also known as colorectal cancer, is the second most common cancer in Western Australia, affecting both women and men.

"Our latest data reveals that in 2017, more than 1,300 Western Australians were diagnosed with bowel cancer and close to 400 people lost their lives from the disease," Ms Pickering said. "In the Wheatbelt in 2017, 51 people were diagnosed with bowel cancer and 15 people died from it.

"We know people living in regional Australia have lower rates of five year survival for all cancers combined, compared with people living in major cities, so we urge anyone in the wheatbelt experiencing a symptom to visit their doctor, clinic nurse or Aboriginal health worker."

Common symptoms of bowel cancer include: blood in your poo (even just one time) or, for more than four weeks; a new pain, lump or swelling in your tummy; feeling tired; looking pale; losing weight without trying; problems breathing; not feeling hungry; and a change in normal bowel habits such as runny poo, pooing more

often or finding it hard to poo.

Ms Pickering said people from regional WA were particularly likely to delay going to a medical clinic when they were experiencing symptoms, with many thinking the symptom could be due to something else.

"If you're unsure about a possible symptom you should make an appointment to discuss the change with your doctor, clinic nurse or Aboriginal health worker as soon as possible," she said.

"Being bowel cancer aware and knowing the symptoms could help find bowel cancer early, which increases the chance of successful treatment."

Bowel cancer champion Mary French from Geraldton knows all too well how important it is to react quickly to unusual body changes and recommends regional men and women listen to their bodies. "*Please do not hesitate seeking medical help when you have bowel irregularities*" she said.

**For more information about bowel cancer symptoms, visit** <https://www.findcancerearly.com.au/cancer-symptoms/bowel-cancer/>

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# Don't get infected by FluBot

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We understand the scammers behind the malware are deliberately using bad grammar and spelling errors in the text messages to circumvent strict filters put in place by telco companies that would ordinarily block this type of message from getting through.

The FluBot malware has already infected devices in Europe, after Android users clicked on the links in the messages and installed the FluBot app, which is only available outside of the official Google PlayStore.

Even though iPhones can still receive the messages, the FluBot malware doesn't pose a threat to iOS users because they can only download and install files directly from the Apple store.

Once installed on an Android device, the FluBot can take over to spy and steal data. Of particular concern is its ability to overlay on top of a legitimate banking app, leading the victim to a scammer's site instead of their

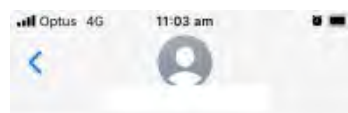
own bank. FluBot can also access your contact list, meaning your friends and family may also start receiving the bogus messages.

While phishing scams aren't new, they are on the rise. As of August 2021, figures from WA ScamNet reveal 81 victims have lost more than \$904,000 to phishing scams. This is compared to 65 victims with almost \$305,000 in losses for the whole of 2020.

- Never click on links in messages you are not expecting.
- Don't download apps outside of official app stores and
- Installing anti-virus software on your phone.

If you have installed the FluBot app, it is recommended to do a factory reset on your device to remove the malware. Avoid doing a 'restore' on your phone to retrieve lost apps and files, as this may reinstate the malware.

Should you fall victim to FluBot or another malware, contact WA ScamNet on 1300 30 40 54 for further guidance.



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# New Farm Working Visa

The federal government will introduce a dedicated agriculture visa to help fill a COVID-induced labour shortage across the farming, fisheries and forestry sectors.

The Australian Agriculture visa, aimed at enticing Pacific and Southeast Asian workers, is not capped and will include pathways towards permanent residency and regional resettlement.

It is unclear at this stage which countries will sign up for the visa.

It will operate from September 21, ahead of the next harvest, and comes in addition to the existing Seasonal Worker Programme and Pacific Labour Scheme, considered highly successful by the government.

"This is the biggest structural reform to Australian agricultural labour in our nation's history," Agriculture Minister David Littleproud told the ABC

"There are some features to this that are particularly going towards the heart of structural change that the agricultural industry in regional Australia have been asking for so long," he said.

He warned current coronavirus border closures, which have seen the number of working holiday visa holders decline, had left the agriculture sector which now faces a 30,000 worker shortage.

"Most of our meat processing sectors are running around 60 to 70 per cent capacity at the moment, because they simply don't have the people to do the jobs," Mr Littleproud explained.

"Australians get first crack at these jobs but it's important to understand that farmers have been patient but they can wait no longer when they need to get their crop off."

The government forecasts the number of Pacific and Timorese workers in Australia will double to over 24,000 under the scheme.

Due to the ongoing pandemic, all workers will need to be quarantined, adding additional constraints on bringing in Pacific workers.

Mr Littleproud said the federal government was working with states and territories to ensure workforce needs can be met while abiding with strict caps on international arrivals.

"The premiers and chief ministers all remained adamant they wanted to own the quarantine of agricultural workers, in addition to their caps," he said.

"Some states aren't living up to those caps at the moment. So, there is capacity within some of these states to take some of these workers, even within their hotel arrangements at the moment."

State governments have been encouraged by the federal government and industry to look at safe ways of bringing in workers, including on-farm or in-country quarantine programs.

"We're just hoping that the states will act with a level of maturity and opportunity," Mr Littleproud said.

"If it wasn't for resources and agriculture, our economy would be bugged during COVID-19. They kept on making a quid for this nation and we need to repay that now with courage and conviction."

The Australian announcement follows moves from New Zealand to expand its travel bubble to Tonga, Samoa and Vanuatu, allowing season workers to travel without two weeks quarantine to help address agriculture labour shortages.

In January, the state of Victoria struck a deal with Tasmania to allow seasonal workers to quarantine there before travelling to the mainland, to help fill gaps in the workforce.

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# Orange School Bus Service Review

The Isolated Children's Parents' Association of WA (ICPA WA) welcomes the news that the Minister for Transport has referred the School Bus Services policy to a parliamentary committee for review.

State President, Sally Brindal said "it is welcome news for families throughout WA. ICPA WA have been requesting a review into the School Bus Policy for quite sometime."

"Rural and regional families rely heavily on the Orange School Buses transport assistance program for educational access.

In recent times ICPA WA have received numerous concerns from member families regarding the current policy. Many issues received have related to the complimentary and eligible status of children utilising the bus services, as well as school bus routes and safety concerns.

Families are discovering that within the one family business the eligibility for transport assistance to the same school can differ for each family unit depending upon where their residence is located. This is causing a great deal of anxiety to families as their children are separated from their traditional communities.

Access to education is a crucial factor when attracting

new families to our already diminishing communities and it is imperative that the School Bus Services policy meets the needs of Western Australian families and reflects the way rural schools and rural communities have changed since the last policy review in 1999".

"We thank the Minister for Transport, Hon. Rita Saffioti, MLA for her commitment to conduct a full review into the current regulations and guidelines for School Bus Services (SBS).

ICPA WA are grateful the inquiry will consult widely with regional Western Australia and encourage all interested parties to make a submission to the inquiry when it opens," Ms Brindal said. ICPA will continue to advocate for regional parents and students in accessing education. Education is a core role of the WA State Government, as such we appreciate their ongoing commitment.

For further comment contact:

Sally Brindal (State President): 0427 275 014

Kym Ross (State Secretary): 0427 371 027

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# Lake Grace - Pingrup Junior Hockey Notes

Karissa Pelham



**Back** Tyler Argent, Kyle Harwood & Taj Trevenen.

**Middle** Seth Argent, Hope Lankford, Bella Callope, Karissa Pelham, Tate Naisbitt, Payton Callope, Taj Caruthers & Alby Stanton.

**Front** Madison Chircop, Ella Gooding, Darci Borgward, Dakota Pelham & Will Morgan

**Goalie** Khalen Pitcher

## Round 15 Gnowangerup vs Lake Grace/ Pingrup 14th August

We travelled to Gnowangerup for our last game of the season before finals start.

Taj Caruthers ran the team out as our Captain today. Tough game on the turf with Gnowangerup coming out strongly. The bombers tried hard but Gnowangerup were too strong.

We went down 3-0.

Best on Ground - Taj Carruthers  
2nd Best- Khalen Pitcher  
Coaches award -Dakota Pelham and Will Morgan

## First Semi-Final Newdegate vs Lake Grace/Pingrup 22nd August

Tough game, playing a very solid first half with plenty of opportunities but unable to score. we were even at half time.

In the second half Newdegate came out strong, our half backs played well but unfortunately Newdegate scored and we couldn't get one back. So we are finished for the year.

I love coaching every minute of this awesome bunch of kids who improved more every game.

Sorry it's all over for this year. Sad to see Taj, Morgan, Payton, Seth, Alby and Madison leave us next year I hope you all keep playing as you're all full of talent.

Best on ground- Taj Caruthers  
2nd best - Madison Chircop  
Coaches - Tate Naisbitt and Tyler Argent

You're all just brilliant.

A huge thank you to Annie Argent and Anna Taylor for all your help improving this cool bunch of kids.

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# Lake Grace-Pingrup Senior Hockey Notes

*Deb Carruthers & Lyn Carruthers*

## Round 15

**14th August**

### Lake Grace/Pingrup vs Gnowangerup

We travelled to Gnowangerup for the last game of the season, and it happen to be on the turf, which we love. It is always tough though playing Gnowangerup on their home turf.

The game started very quickly, and Gnowangerup managed to get 2 very quick, which meant we went into half time 2-nil down.

We new we had to fight hard to get it back to even, and we needed to calm down and start playing our game. We were awarded with a penalty flick, which Anna took and she got it straight through.

This really lifted the team up and we started playing really good as a team. Gnowangerup scored another goal but we still kept fighting and Tahryn sent the ball flying to the goals and Anna just tipped it in. Another goal to us!!

Unfortunately Gnowangerup replied with another goal, bringing the final score to 4-2. A hard fought game, we needed to win to stay 2<sup>nd</sup> above Gnowangerup, so we knew it was going to be a tough one. Unlucky ladies on the outcome, but into the finals we go next week. **BRING IT ON!!!**

Final Score LGP 2 Gnowangerup 4

Best on Ground: Tahryn Trevenen  
Second best: Anna Taylor  
Coaches: Donna Skerris  
Goals: Anna Taylor x 2

## First Semi Final

**22nd August**

### Lake Grace/Pingrup vs Boxwood Hill

We headed to Jerramungup to play in the first semi-final against Boxwood Hills after finishing 3<sup>rd</sup> on the ladder for the season.

Boxwood has always been a tricky team to play, even though we have beaten them before. It is a very different game when we verse them.

Going into the start of the game we had a killer line up, and the ladies were all pumped up and ready to take on the game. The warm up was all positive and really ramped them up.

The game started and we took off flying, really putting the pressure on. It was very even from both teams, ball going backward and forwards. By half time the score was nil all.

After a break and a pep talk from the coach, we changed a few things up and really started to push the ball into our forward line and put pressure on their defenders.

So many short corners awarded to us through the game, we finally capitalized on one when Lisa came in and smacked the ball midair after a deflection from the goalie and it went straight in! A brilliant goal and it really lifted the team up.

Final quarter and Boxwood still had fight left in them. So many great saves by our amazing goalie, we got the ball back into our attack for another short corner and again, another hit by Lisa then smacked midair by Anna to go in for a goal right on the final siren.

Final Score LGP 2 Boxwood 0

A brilliant team game by everyone and a super effort to get through to the pre-liminary final.

We will now play Gnowangerup at home in Lake Grace on the 28<sup>th</sup> August @ 2.10pm. Come down and cheer the ladies on.

Best on Ground: Lisa Oneill  
Second best: Karissa Pelham  
Coaches: Chiara Letter  
Goals: : Lisa O'Neill x 1, Anna Taylor x 1

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# Lake Grace-Pingrup Netball Notes

*Karen Bairstow (A), Aidan Liddelow (B), Nick Smith (Junior)*

## Round 15

### Gnowangerup vs Lake Grace/Pingrup 14th August

#### B Grade

The final round of the home and away season, saw LGPNC take on Gnowangerup, in a game that we knew was going to be tough from the start.

Taking on top of the table was never going to be easy, especially with a side that is still trying to find themselves and what works for them.

Gnowangerup came out with the mentality to play how they would in the finals, leaving everything out on the court and trying their hardest the whole time. Doing this meant that the final score was 97-3.

The team had standouts throughout the game, with Krystal Pawsey once again giving the game everything she had, especially trying out centre for the very first time. Sara Bray had an amazing game, playing in four different positions and then going on to play a full game for A-grade as well. Coach's Award went to Jennie Roche, who gave it her all for the game, and even when the game was so disheartening, you could still hear her from the other end of the court shouting out encouragement for the whole team.

#### Juniors

We were down at Gnowangerup for our last game before finals. We hit the ground running and continued the pace all game. I took the opportunity this week to set up for the finals and place kids in positions I wanted them to play the following week. The win was a huge confidence booster heading into finals. Congratulations to the team on finishing 4<sup>th</sup> on the ladder.

Final score Gnowangerup 11 to Lake Grace/Pingrup 52

Best on Ground Payton Callope

Second Best Sheree Duckworth

Coaches Kiesha Pawsey

### Second Semi Final - Saturday 21st August A Grade

#### Gnowangerup v Lake Grace-Pingrup

Well done to the A grade girls on earning the right to play in the second semi final finishing second to Gnowangerup at the end of the home and away season.

Unfortunately we sustained a couple of injuries towards the end of the season and this led to us going into the final without a couple of our regular squad players. Always a testing time when injuries occur so close to the finals.

A huge THANKYOU to Jazz who travelled back to help us out and to Casey Pinney who has been awesome

support to our team on the bench.

A fairly tight first quarter we were able to stick with a slick Gnowangerup side. Unfortunately the second quarter belonged to Gnowangerup, we couldn't move the ball down court and found it difficult to get the ball into our circle. Gnowangerup lifted the tempo and scored at will.

After a few moves at half time the team fired and played some good passages of netball. For the last half we kept the scores level with Gnowangerup, which was a great effort.

We need to put four quarters together in the game this week against Jerry girls.

FINAL SCORE : GNP 52 -LGP 34

BEST ON GROUND: CHLOE TREVENEN

JOELY SLINN

### First Semi Final - Sunday 22nd August Juniors

#### Newdegate v's Lake Grace-Pingrup

The coach was feeling the nerves heading into this game but if the kids were nervous, they didn't show it. The team went out firing in the first quarter and set the team up with 12 goals heading into the first break. This was the first time all 12 players have been together which is fantastic but it does mean lots of changes to get everybody on the court. We lost our momentum a little bit through the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> quarters and Newdegate started eroding our lead. With fatigue also a factor I have to congratulate the team for digging deep in the final quarter to win the game.

Final score Newdegate 16 to Lake Grace/Pingrup 25

The kids have earned the right to play on Saturday in Lake Grace in the Preliminary final against Boxwood. It is a home game so it would be fantastic to see the community get behind the junior netball team.

Best on ground Payton Callope and Kiesha Pawsey

Coaches Grace Penney

Congratulations to Payton Callope who was awarded the joint winner of the Ongerup Netball Association Fairest and Best and Kiesha Pawsey who was the runner up Fairest and Best for the ONA. It is an outstanding achievement for both of them and they should be very proud of their 2021 netball season.

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# Lake Grace-Pingrup Football Notes

Shane Carruthers

## First Semi Final

### Jerramungup vs Lake Grace/Pingrup

22<sup>nd</sup> August

#### A RESERVES

The earlier start time for the reserves saw players and supporters head off to Jerramungup. The reserves had a very good side available for this game and also Jerramungup were able to get a good side with the help of the green shorters closed weekend at school. The weather was fine but a very cold southerly blowing kept a lot of spectators in their cars for the day.

The first quarter saw LGP away to a flying start kicking five goals but missing a few opportunities. The ball was consistently in LGP'S forward line and the senior players were bringing the younger brigade into the game nicely and held Jerramungup scoreless.

**Quarter time scores were LGP 5-7-37**

**Jerramungup 0-0- 0**

The second quarter was again one sided and LGP were sharing the opportunities. Still a little inaccurate in front of goals but great to see Robinson and Medlen with a couple each along with singles to Leo, Beasley and Tyron Teale-Sharvi.

**Half time scores were LGP 12-13-85. Jerramungup 0-0-0**

The third quarter was a similar affair with Gary Leo taking some one handers to kick three for the quarter and take his tally to seven so far for the match. The Robinson boys also hit the scoreboard. Jerramungup were trying desperately but great team play LGP consistently maintained pressure on the ball and rebounded.

**Three quarter time scores were LGP 17-17-119.**

**Jerramungup 0-0-0**

In the spirit of the game both coaches decided to put all the green shorters in the middle of the ground which was a fantastic sight. The first goal saw Kael Gray sea gulling and kick a nice goal. Aaron Carruthers also saw a rare opportunity to go forward and chime in with four for the quarter. Austin Cook decided he would join in with another and final goal on the siren was a magnificent kick from deep in the right forward pocket by Adam Hunt. Regardless of the score, we had a reserves game and I am sure all spectators would have enjoyed it. Once again, congratulations to both coaches. LGP now advance to the Preliminary final again Boxwood to determine who will play Gnowangerup in the big decider.

**The final scores were LGP 23-19-157 Jerramungup 0-0-0**

**Awards Went to Best of Ground: Kael Gray, Austin Cook and Aaron.**

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

## First Semi Final

**Boxwood Hills vs Lake Grace/Pingrup**

**22<sup>nd</sup> August**

### LEAGUE

Boxwood won the toss and decided to kick to the southern end of the ground. The game was high pressure between both half forward lines and Boxwood were first to strike with a goal to Davis at the 5min mark. LGP quickly replied through some very nice team play with goals to Morton and Fleay who would go on to kick two each for the quarter to give LGP the lead at the first change.

**Quarter time scores were LGP 4-5-29. Boxwood 3-2-20**

The second term saw Boxwood start to assert their authority with four goals in succession with Davis kicking two of these. LGP got their first opportunity in front of the sticks with a great goal to Bodhi Clifton and Will Korosec chiming in with another not long after. Richter scored again very late in the quarter for Boxwood to give them a two goal lead at half time.

**Half time scores were Boxwood 8-6-54 LGP 6-6-42**

The third quarter was again tight and LGP were determined to lay it all on the line. Carruthers continued to apply a heavy tag to Matt Campbell and was clearly on top and LGP eventually scored through Fleay at the six minute mark. Boxwood started to get their run going

and Davis kicked another two to add to his tally. The game was a very tight affair with only another goal to Peacock at the 19min mark to set up a four goal lead at the last change.

**Three quarter time scores were Boxwood 11-8-74 LGP 7-8-50**

The final quarter saw LGP score again early through Fleay before Boxwood replied with another two. Prater kicked a great long goal before Boxwood decided they were going to make sure they give themselves the opportunity to play in a Grand Final on their new home ground. They would go on to kick another four in succession until Fleay scored again at the 20min mark. LGP continued to battle away as they had all day and no one could question their endeavour. Unfortunately, a season riddled with injuries was about to end for the League side.

**Final scores were Boxwood 18-19-118 LGP 10-9-69**

Multiple goal scorers for LGP were Karl Fleay 5, Mitchell Morton 2

**Awards went to Rueben Smith, Jack Carruthers and Bodhi Clifton**

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## Classifieds

### Rural West Financial Counselling

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](mailto:Donna.Spurgeon@ruralwest.com.au) or phone 0408 107 326. Alternatively you can contact the information line on 1800 612 004.

### Cancer Support Coordinator

Barbara Brennan from Cancer Council WA is the Cancer Support Coordinator for the Wheatbelt Region. Call Barbara on 9621 1810 for information, support and assistance.

### 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.

### 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 6th September and Tuesday 7th September. Thursday 14th and Friday 15th October. Monday 29th & Tuesday 30th November. Ring 9865 1208 for an appointment.

### First Aid Kits

Are now available for purchase at CCL Hardware Lake Grace.

### Lake Grace Op Shop

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

**Looking** for a working Tape Recorder for a school project. Wanting to borrow or buy. Ring Anna on 0497 690 197

### 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 license? 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 2nd September @ Village Hall - Fundraising for Countryweek. 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 Fiona Chatfield on 0427 651 175.

### Lake Grace Shire Councillors

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	Craig Shaw	0427 519 400	cshaw@lgrural.com.au
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	lgtoylibrary@outlook.com
<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>Wheatbelt Mental Health Service</b> Northam - (08) 9621 0999 Narrogin - (08) 9881 0700	<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>Beyond Blue</b> - 1300 22 4636 www.beyondblue.org.au	<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>Poisons Information</b> 13 11 26
<b>Suicide Call Back Line</b> - 1300 659 467 www.suicidecallbackservice.org.au	<b>Parent Drug Information Service</b> - 1800 653 203	<b>Family Court of WA</b> 9224 8222 / 1800 199 228 www.familycourt.wa.gov.au	
<b>Alcohol and Drug Information Service</b> 1800 198 024 https://www.mhc.wa.gov.au/	<b>Mental Health Emergency Response Line</b> - 1300 555 788	<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://relationshipsaustralia.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 29th August– 9am	Sunday 29th August 10am
Sunday 5th September – 6pm	Sunday 5th September- 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

## August / September

Fri 27 Op Shop - 9am-1pm  
Fish and Chips @ Sportsman's Club  
Crochet at the CRC

Sat 28 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Steak Night@ Sportsman's Club  
Winter Sports - Prelim Final @ Lake Grace

Sun 29 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Golf - Stableford sponsored by Outback TV  
LG-P Junior Football AGM

Mon 30 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Ong'p Winter Sports Dinner/Awards Night

Tue 31 Rubbish Collection  
Recycling Collection  
SOYF Exercises 10am @ Shire Hall  
Playgroup 9:30am  
Men's Shed (morning)  
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm  
Tin Horse Highway Competition closes  
LG/P Football Training - 6pm  
Burger Night @ Sportsman's Club

Wed 1 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
LG-P Hockey Training - 6pm  
Steak Night @ Sportsman's Club  
Newdegate Field Day

Thur 2 Men's Shed (morning)  
Newdegate Field Day  
LG/P Football Training - 6pm  
LG/P Netball Training  
Seniors Lunch @ Village Hall

Fri 3 Op Shop - 9am-1pm  
Driving Assessor in Lake Grace  
Fish & Chips @ Sportsman's Club  
Crochet at the CRC

Sat 4 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Steak Teas @ Sportsman's Club  
Winter Sports - Grand Final @ Box Hill

Sun 5 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Golf - Stroke spon. By Ironstone Fab.

Mon 6 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)

Mon 6 Dr Linda Haines in Lake Grace  
Piloting Workshop at LG CRC

Tue 7 Men's Shed (morning)  
Rubbish Collection  
SOYF Exercises 10am @ Shire Hall  
Playgroup 9:30am  
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm  
Dr Linda Haines in Lake Grace  
Piloting Workshop at LG CRC

Wed 8 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
Containers for Change Pickup  
LG-P Hockey Training - 6pm  
Burger Night @ Sportsman's Club

Thur 9 Men's Shed (morning)

### Coming Events

11th September - Winter Sports Windup  
14th September - Forklift Workshop  
14th October - Dr Linda Haines  
15th September - Forklift Workshop  
15th October - Dr Linda Haines  
29th November - Dr Linda Haines  
30th November - Dr Linda Haines (Last day for year)  
9th December - Harvest Festival

**Lake Grace Toy Library would like to thank FYFE TRANSPORT for their donation. We truly appreciate your support.**

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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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