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Good Engagement for LDAG at Newdegate

Suzanne Reeves

Lake Grace's newly formed Local Drug Action Group (LDAG) has hit the ground running since they formed in June. To get the profile of the group out to the wider community members elected to hold a stall at the Newdegate Field Day.

The stall had three activities during the two days;

- complete a survey and go in the draw for a \$20 iTunes voucher
- 'have a go' at pouring the drink of your choice and see how close you got to the correct standard size
- spin the chocolate wheel and answer a question correctly to win a piece of LDAG merchandise

Volunteers were kept busy over the two days with over 200 people engaging with the display. Of the merchandise 159 items were given away; these included drink bottles, bags, pens, glass cleaners, lanyards, standard drink magnets, wrist bands and brains! The brain stress balls were a popular choice and the 40 that had been ordered were all gone by the end of the Field Day.

There were 60 entries for the \$20 iTunes vouchers and the winners drawn out of the box were Tania Bray, Cade Moore, Felicia Schmidt, Dean Sinclair and Sarah Bushby. Congratulations to our winners and a big thank you to everyone for taking part. Of those who participated, half had heard of Local Drug Action Groups before and two thirds would be interested in coming to events that the Lake Grace LDAG would host. In relation to the respondents feelings toward whether they thought drugs or alcohol were the bigger issue affecting Australian communities the majority felt that both were of concern.

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Above: Volunteers Dave Ellis and Peter Stoffberg at the LDAG stand on Wednesday of the Newdegate Field Day.

Below: Volunteer Michelle Dunham connecting with Newdegate's Lee Rickard and her daughter Macy Hall on the Thursday of the Newdegate Field Day.





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

Next Deadline

Friday 22nd September

Next Edition

Thursday 28th September



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

> Gwen Oliver Dick Phillips

> Annie Slarke Elsie Bishop

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

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Editorial

- Please excuse me for the **brain fade** that I had in the last Links. Names and remembering them have never been a strength of mine however I surpassed myself in the last edition for the number of faux pas that I had. I do know who these people are but quite obviously my brain was somewhere else that day. The high note is that plenty of people are reading the paper!
- Our LDAG stand went very well at the Newdegate Field Day; a huge thank you to Tracey Taylor, Genni Curtin, Peter Stoffberg, Dave Ellis, Michelle Dunham and Rosie Timperley for volunteering their time and making it a great success. Some Newdegate school children came through while Rosie and I were on the stand on Thursday afternoon, they were very engaged with what we were doing and incredibly patient and well behaved. I suspect there could be some Mums and Dads in the Newdegate area getting their drinks measured!
- The CRC has organised a chainsaw workshop for the 23rd and 24th October. If you are interested in enrolling for this workshop then please contact the Lake Grace CRC as soon as possible. The forklift

- **workshop** will be on the 9th and 10th of October. If you have staff needing to do this workshop please let us know.
- Anyone needing help with their tax return? Both Rosie Timperley and I are accredited tax help assistants. This means we can help you navigate the ATO's my tax site and assist you in completing your tax return, We can only help with 'simple returns'; \$60k or less per year and no ABN's. If you would like some assistance please call and make an appointment.
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Suzanne Reeves

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Tuesday 17th October

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Workshop/ Information Session Calendar...

Forklift - 9th and 10th of October. Worksafe accredited course; cost is \$268 or \$176.80 for concession card holders.

Icebreakers - Albany Icebreakers will be providing an information session in Newdegate, Lake Grace and Pingrup. FREE. Please register your interest.

Chainsaw - 23rd and 24th October. Worksafe accredited course; price not yet set.

Customer Service - Tuesday 17th October. \$350 per person, cost could lower if more people attend.

Recognise & Respond - FREE. 2018.

Looking for expressions of interest.

If you are interested in any of the above please phone the Lake Grace Community Resource Centre on 9865 1470.

What's Happening?

- Condolences go to Dot Kennedy on the loss of her much loved daughter Leonie Marsh, who sadly passed away on Friday the 1st of September. Leonie is survived by husband Ron; daughter Jackie and her husband Karl, son Graeme and his wife Sandra and five grandchildren.
- Sympathy also to Joy King and all of the King family and their friends on the loss of Cal who passed away on Sunday the 3rd of September.
- Not sure how I missed it but belated best wishes to Eddie Naisbitt who celebrated his 50th birthday on the 1st of September.
- Congratulations to our senior netballers and also the junior hockey players for their finals win last weekend

Anniversaries



15th September
18th September
25th September
26th September
26th September
27th September
27th September

Happy Birthday



15th September Kelly-Anne Gooch

Mason Newton

16th September Tyler Argent

Rebecca Reynolds

17th September Rosie Timperley 18th September Jason Robertson 19th September Zachary McPherson

20th September Cameron Slarke

21st September Garry Leo

Reegan Marshall

22nd September Jane Bushby

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27th September Greg Argent

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Maurice John Nolan

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Maurice was born in Albany on the 22nd November 1944. He spent the next two years there with his mum Molly and her parents whilst his dad John was away at war. When John returned in 1946 the little family took up residence at Woodside, Tarin Rock.

Access to schooling was not easy in those days and Maurice started school by correspondence in 1950. His classroom education started later at the Katanning convent where he boarded with his cousins Peter, Michael and Anthony. Maurice later returned to Tarin Rock following the introduction of the bus service, which allowed him to continue his schooling at Lake Grace.

Sadly, his carefree days were shattered in December 1952 when Maurice and John were involved in a fatal car accident that took his father's life. This incident must have had a profound and lasting impact on the young 8 year old Maurice. However, life went on, and with primary school completed, it was time for Maurice to pack his bags once again for school. ...this time taking him back to Albany where he attended CBC as a day scholar. Maurice boarded at the "Happy Days" holiday park on the banks of the King River where he was well cared for and - as the name suggests - he was very happy.

His school reports noted Maurice as a popular and competent student who was academically capable of higher education, but chose to leave school at the end of year 9 in order to help with the running of the family farm. This may well have been against his mother's wishes but Maurice always had a strong sense of providing for his mother and 3 younger siblings. Maurice worked on the family farm and other farms nearby until 1962 when he seeded his first crop at Woodside.

As a teenager, Maurice loved fast cars and hot rods, and had various contraptions over the years, including a T.Q. speedway car, however his pride and joy was his Mini Cooper. A speedway track was developed around the sheds, salmon gums and the chookhouse. He was known to drive the T.Q. at break-neck speed around this circuit, narrowly missing the salmon gums much to Molly's anxiety. His cousins Peter, Michael and Anthony didn't take long to come over when they heard the TQ start up. After many laps of the circuit they usually decided to go to the next race meeting at the Caversham race track in Anthony's old FJ Holden.

After a few years Maurice left the farm to experience the wider world. He started off driving trucks for John Yzerman before moving on to work with John de Vree on a variety of interesting and satisfying jobs, including the construction of many Olympic sized swimming pools and Main Roads Department bridges, driving trucks and industrial machinery.

He later managed the Chamberlain John Deere dealership for several years, but briefly returned to share-cropping during an economic downturn. He then



went back to work for John de Vree. John, Joan and their family were always a special part of Maurice's life and they shared a mutual respect and a strong lifelong friendship.

Maurice also managed the Lake Grace Sportsman club for about 4 years, went share-farming with his brother Graham at Holleton, and eventually took a job with Alan Thiel at Lake Grace Retravision. He was kept busy there repairing electrical appliances and installing satellite TV systems until his retirement in 2013. He travelled far and wide with this job, making even more lasting friendships around the district.

Maurice was always renowned for being able to fix most electrical and mechanical problems, but more importantly, was also renowned for being fair, honest and a person of integrity in all his dealings. Put something broken in front of him, and he would work out a way to fix it. Sheep yard language was an important part of the process: ask Jodie and Di where he was at Retravision- they'd say he was out the back in the 'swearing shed'.

Maurice was never one to let the grass grow under his feet and always pursued his dreams and passions. He has travelled the world extensively- doing a number of world-wide trips. He travelled with relatives and friends, or on his own, as well as with John Deere on promotional tours. He travelled to places like Holland, Ireland, England and across Europe, the Philippines, China, Canada and America. He loved going to new places, and because of his friendly nature, he loved engaging with people. He made countless friendships along the way. Maurice was always very dedicated at keeping in touch with his wide network of family and friends all over the world, a network that would prove to be a strong blessing and comfort for him over the last two years.

Photography was also one of Maurice's specialties. He spent countless hours pursuing and perfecting this hobby. He loved nothing more than doing photo shoots

Maurice John Nolan (Cont.)

of his adored nieces and nephews, and was asked to photograph many events around town, including school graduations, weddings, sporting wind-ups and portraits. He also liked to capture the beauty of nature. Maurice was ahead of his time in modern technology. He was often the first one in Lake Grace to own a certain camera, video camera or personal computer. He whiled away many hours playing with these toys.

A great musical enthusiast he loved old rock and roll, country and classical. In his later years he made the most of travelling to music festivals around the country, such as the Tamworth and Boyup Brook Music Festivals. His ability to pick up any instrument and play by ear to any song provided a source of great entertainment to his visitors, nephews and nieces- if you went to Maurices and he was playing music you could be guaranteed to still be there into the early hours of the morning. Even in his final weeks, when he no longer had the energy to do much, his nieces Kathryn and Vicky were visiting and playing his instruments- he was up in a flash to play the keyboard along with them!

Maurice's favourite passion was flying, but we will hear more about that a little later. He was an active member of the Narrogin flying club, Lake Grace Lions, the Men's Shed, and the Kukerin branch of Tracmac. His time with Tracmac saw his model A John Deere being awarded the best restored tractor at the Perth Royal Show.

Lake Grace Golf Club

Closing Day

Sunday 17th September

11:30am hit off, names in by 11:15am 3 person ambrose

Sponsored by Steve, Helen and Adam from Lake Grace Communications & Computers

BBQ Tea, Windup and Awards to follow. Members please bring a salad.

Everyone Welcome!!

Maurice was a generous sponsor of the less fortunate in our world, supporting World Vision, Save the Children fund and Foster Parents plan. He also encouraged many up and coming musicians as well as showing his support at any local Lake Grace concerts and performances.

Maurice was always meticulous in his attention to detail. Somehow during his working life he always managed to stay clean whilst getting the job done, even when working in the dirtiest jobs (gotta keep the Khaki clean!). His house, shed, cars and plane were always spotless and carefully organised. He had a remarkable memoryhe could recall detail such as phone numbers, dates, names and places with precision. Call him up at John Deere and he could tell you the exact name and number of the part that you needed without having to look it up. His attention to detail was second to none.

Always involved in family adventures he spent many holidays with family, going on road trips to Brisbane, camping trips to Bremer Bay, and working and camping out at Holleton. He always joked he was too young to get married, so always included his nephews and nieces in his life and made them feel special and always welcome. He gave good side-by-side hugs which we will miss. He also liked to make his family and friends laugh with his good natured and light-hearted personality.

His distinctive sayings such as, 'you bloody dag', 'you drongo' and 'stone the bloody crows!' were often used. Uncle Maurice was a funny man, always able to crack a joke no matter what the situation. Family dinners were always entertaining; right up until the end he still found it amusing to open beer bottles with his eyelids, hold bottle caps, corks and food items in his eyes, and light up spring rolls and pretend to smoke a cigar at the dinner table. He loved having head stand competitions and playing the spoons. Maurice was the fun uncle; spinning the wheels and doing a 'broggy' on the gravel, even in the Dodge truck, when asked by nieces and nephews.

Uncle Maurice, as he was known to so many people, was strong in his faith, honest, upright, caring, helpful and loyal to family, friends and neighbours alike. He was well known and respected, and many people called him Uncle Maurice, showing the positive influence he had on so many people. Uncle Maurice was a tough old bugger who tried to make light of every situation. He told his niece Claire in the last few weeks that the doctors had given him his walking ticket, to which his reply was "they don't know how hard it is to kill a bush turkey!"

Written by the Nolan Family and read by nephew Leon Miguel

Hello my name is Allan Duckworth and I am representing the Lake Grace Lions Club and Lake Grace Community Men's Shed. I would like to pass my condolences onto the Nolan family; Graeme, Pat and

Maurice John Nolan (Cont.)

Maureen, extended family and friends. We all wanted to help Maurice when he was so ill but apart from support there was little we could do. So I am grateful for the opportunity to do something for Maurice here today.

Maurice in the latter stages was unable to eat much at all so I would like to acknowledge all the ladies who delivered meals. It meant a lot to him and it was a fact that people cared.

Maurice served Lions for 42 years and was in his 43rd year. He contributed to Lions by attending meetings, working at busy-bee's and participating in community events.

He took it upon himself to manage the upkeep of the Lions Park on the Newdegate Road. He played a big part in the establishment of the lights and shed at the Lake Grace Air Strip and would turn on the lights for the Flying Doctor at all times of the day and night before they became automated.

He had a wicked sense of humour. On one occasion there was a heated debate when one of the Members rose from his seat and said "I want to be frank" and stressed his strong opinion. Maurice nudged me under the table and whispered "Why would he change his name to Frank." He also found it amusing at meetings when someone would PASS A MOTION! Maurice never lost his sense of humour right to the end. We would often team up at busy-bee's because we would always laugh at each other's silly jokes.

Honest, caring, he would help anyone. It was without doubt Maurice ticked all the boxes to go to Gods garden in the sky yet Maurice still had a little bit off the larrikin in him. A fun guy.

Maurice was a foundation member of the Lake Grace Community Men's Shed when we were at the school and was a great help in setting up the shed.

Had a fun time with brother Graeme and Maurice travelling into the Kulin school to pick up tendered items from the Kulin school back to our new shed in Lake Grace.

Sadly Maurice was diagnosed with advanced Cancer and we never got to benefit the true value of his expertise.

He was very clever, computer literate and had the ability to work things through unlike myself, I would first ask Maurice. He was very humble and had great respect amongst our members.

It gives me great comfort knowing the Angels will see him coming in those "fashion statement" khaki shorts and put him in the front of the line.

He was one the Lake Grace's favourite sons and on behalf of Lions Lake Grace and Lake Grace Men's Shed

"Maurice" we salute you.

Written and read by Allan Duckworth.

"All stations Lake Grace. This is Mike, Zulu, Quebec, Grumman Tiger. Taxiing and backtracking on Runway 29 for local flight. Lake Grace".

This was Maurice's callsign and often heard over the airwaves for pilots flying in the vicinity of Lake Grace.

Flying was perhaps Maurice's greatest passion and he enjoyed sharing that passion with anyone especially the young and many a young person has had the thrill of a flight in Maurice's plane.

Learning to fly while being employed as a truckie earning \$1.75/hr meant it took a considerable time and lots of driving to afford a licence. As a school boy Maurice had model planes that ran on a mixture of ether and castor oil, but with determination and hard work he was eventually able to purchase his very own REAL plane – MZQ, a Grumman Tiger.

It was his greatest pride and joy and the source of many happy and fulfilling hours in the air along with the new friendships it brought. It is testament to how close it was to him or how close he was to it that he struggled to let it go. Even as I was trying to sort out some details of the plane before he was flown out by the Flying Doctor, he said. "We'll sort it out when I get back."

He was a very skilled pilot. I remember one day I was with him coming in for a Touch and Go on a particularly

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Maurice John Nolan (Cont.)

strong crosswind. Not content to use all 3 wheels to land Maurice just used one wheel and kept the plane in perfect balance as we rolled down the runway till we took off again.

Another time he was commended publicly in the Albany flying newsletter for his airmanship by the Instructor at the time. He was flying into bad weather and put down in Cranbrook rather than pushing on and risking the unknown.

You always felt safe with Maurice because he knew the plane intimately and was meticulous with its operation and maintenance. For all his particularness, he was blessed with an unnatural measure of common sense which no amount of money can buy. Flying really suited his character.

I can remember another time coming back from Narrogin after a club meeting and the engine started spluttering. Panic stations for most people but a few trims and checks and no improvement we decided it wasn't getting better and we had to do a forced landing. Now this happens in training and I'm thinking not in real life but here we were going through the ACRONYMS getting ready to land in a paddock between Narrogin and Lake Grace. No sooner on the ground than Maurice had the bonnet up and into bush mechanic mode. I went to check for help in the nearby house of cats and by the time I got back, Maurice had identified the



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problem, changed the spark plugs and we were off as if nothing had happened. I have since had the experience to put this event into practice for myself, so thanks Maurice for the REAL Life practice.

Maurice was instrumental in the development and maintenance of the Lake Grace airstrip and ambulance building and was instrumental in the building of the original structure. I would not be surprised if he had recorded the most landings and take offs on the Lake Grace strip. Ironically, his last flight was from the Lake Grace strip in the Flying Doctor. I can still see him relating to the Pilot how he would prefer to be up front and the pilot joking saying he should because Maurice had more hours than the pilot and he needed someone to show him the way to Merredin which was the next stop.

Thanks Maurice for sharing your passion with us all.

"All Stations Lake Grace. Mike Zulu Quebec. Over and Out".

Something else close to Maurice was his Catholic faith. It would be remiss in a eulogy to talk of all Maurice's achievements and not mention his faith. This faith was an unspoken faith in that he didn't go around preaching about it but I believe he lived his faith.

There is a good saying that "By your actions you shall know them". Maurice's actions were kindness, helpfulness, honesty, cheerfulness and humility and I believe humility is at the heart of every good Christian. Even when he was at his worse with his battle with cancer, he still forced himself to come to Mass to receive Holy Communion.

You were an inspiration Maurice and a very valued member of our Church community.

He always sat at the back of the church – same seat and always took up the collections with his brother Graham. So, you will be pleased to know that without Maurice, there will be no collection today.

Written and read by Steve Curtin

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.

Maurice He Was a Good Mate

Sung to tune of Slim Dusty's "How will I go with him Mate" Written by Steve Curtin and Joe Trevenen

This is a song of a mate we had, not so long ago Skinny as a rake, tough as nails, someone with plenty of go. When the going was rugged, and really rough, he would always cheerfully state I'm alright mate, how about you, Maurice he was a good mate.

Maurice he'd always help others, not for fortune or fame He'd never rest till the job was done, he earned himself a good name No matter how dirty the job was, Maurice would always be clean On his khaki shirt and shorts, no stains would ever be seen While everyone else would be rugged up, Maurice would never be cold His knees and arms would be shivering, but Maurice would never be told. For God sake put a jumper on, many others would state But no matter this odd behaviour, Maurice he was a Good Mate.

There was a time on a fishing trip, down in Bremer Bay Maurice, he never wetted a line, but his bugle he liked to play Morning and night, awake or asleep, it never left his side We suggested he blow solo, so low we couldn't hear it, or his bugle we would hide Now Maurice he had a good party trick, that no one else could claim Horizontal on the clothesline, he'd put the young ones to shame. Maybe he was young at heart, and such a lovely trait His wit was always quick and sharp, Maurice he was a Good Mate.

Not an ordinary fella, extraordinary you might say,
No sign of a trade, just common sense, that's what's missing today
Talented in many professions, Jack of all trades, master of none
No matter you had a problem, with Maurice, consider it done
"Top of the Morning to you", with always a clever reply
The lesson is keep your chin up, keep on and never say die.
Now he's handed in his ticket, His work down here was great
We'll always remember Maurice, cause Maurice he was a good mate.

Maurice, he loved his flying, his childhood dream from a boy Over the lakes and paddocks, he loved to share his joy. With his publican mate Steve, they'd really enjoy a fly Machines and skills, and lots of thrills, they would really reach for the sky Now his flying days are over, he's grounded you might say But he never gave up hope, till the Doctor flew him away So you're gone to the Father above us, flying in a heavenly state And Jesus, we can tell you; Maurice, He was a Good Mate.



Westlink Guide (Channel 602)

Friday September 15

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 3:30pm Woodworking Masterclass Unplugged
- 4:00pm Our State on a Plate Ep9
- 4:30pm Destination WA Ep14

Saturday September 16

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 6:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am & 3pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 7pm Woodworking Masterclass Unplugged
- 7:30pm Our State on a Plate Ep9
- 8pm Destination WA Ep14
- 8:30pm Sweet & Sour 2017 Ep23

Sunday September 17

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 1pm Woodworking Masterclass Unplugged
- 1:30pm Our State on a Plate Ep9
- 2pm Destination WA Ep14

Monday September 18

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty

Tuesday September 19

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty

Wednesday September 20

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 6:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am & 3pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 7pm Woodworking Masterclass Moulding a Frame
- 7:30 pm Our State on a Plate Ep10
- 8pm Cover to Cover Ep30
- 8:30pm Sweet & Sour 2017 Ep24

Thursday September 21

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 11:30am Woodworking Masterclass Moulding a Frame
- 12pm Our State on a Plate Ep10
- 12:30pm Cover to Cover Ep30

Friday September 22

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 3:30pm Woodworking Masterclass Moulding a Frame
- 4pm Our State on a Plate Ep10
- 4:30pm Cover to Cover Ep30

Saturday September 23

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 6:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am & 3pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 7pm Woodworking Masterclass Moulding a Frame
- 7:30pm Our State on a Plate Ep10
- 8pm Cover to Cover Ep 30
- 8:30pm Sweet & Sour 2017 Ep24

Sunday September 24

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty



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30/08	13.1	18.7	
31/08	6.4	16.2	
01/09	5.2	15.4	5.0
02/09	3.5	13.7	
03/09	5.4	15.0	
04/09	9.1	15.3	0.2
05/09	3.3	17.9	
06/09	5.5	22.2	
07/09	9.7	24.7	
08/09	13.4	24.4	0.2
09/09	10.7	24.1	
10/09	10.2	20.0	
11/09	10.1	19.8	
12/09	10.1	16.9	1.0

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Sunday September 24 (cont.)

- 1pm Woodworking Masterclass Moulding a Frame
- 1:30pm Our State on a Plate Ep10
- 2pm Cover to Cover Ep30

Monday September 25

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty

Tuesday September 26

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty

Wednesday September 27

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 6:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am & 3pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9:15pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 7pm Woodworking Masterclass Chopping Board
- 7:30pm Our State on a Plate Ep11
- 8pm Explore TV Canada Ep1
- 8:45pm Sweet & Sour 2017 Ep25

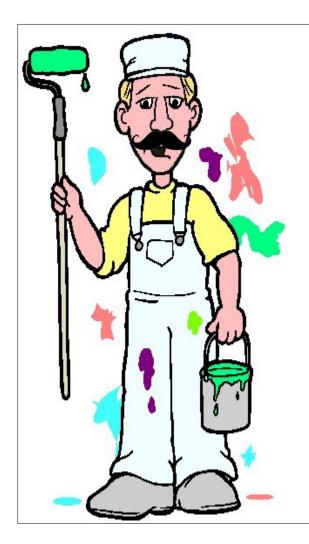
Thursday September 28

- 8:30am, 2:30pm & 7:30pm Home Safety for Baby
- 9am, 3pm & 6:30pm Conversations about Sleep
- 10am, 1:15pm, 4pm, 6pm & 9pm National Firearms Amnesty
- 11:30am Woodworking Masterclass Chopping Board
- 12pm Our State on a Plate Ep11
- 12:30pm Explore TV Canada Ep1

Getting to Know...

By Rosie Timperley

- 1. Name: Sandhya Dwarakanath (Also known as Sandy)
- 2. Occupation: I have a degree in both, Commerce and Law (from India). Currently, I have roles in Banking and Health Care
- 3. Where did you live before you moved to Lake Grace and when did you arrive in Lake Grace: I arrived in to Lake Grace on July 2015. Before that I was in Albany for around 3 years.
- 4. What do you love about living and working in Lake Grace: I have found fewer complexities in Lake Grace when compared to city life. It is good for social and financial health.
- 5. Do you prefer: Summer, Autumn, Winter or Spring and why: Summer! The weather is wonderful. Family and friends come together for memorable outdoor activities.
- What is one thing you can't do no matter how hard you try: To Bake Pizza, Cake or Biscuits.
- 7. Which actress would play you in a movie about your life: Aishwarya Rai, Miss World 1994 and leading actress in Bollywood.
- Where would your dream holiday destination be: I am not a holiday goer kind of person, but probably Amazon forest.
- 9. If you won \$10 million in the lottery and chose to give some to charity, which one would you choose and why: Anything institution/ authority, which promotes inner well-being and mental health. But rarely people take above seriously.
- What one common thing in life terrifies you: People/society believing in monotonous and monochromatic views in life.





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Showerhead Swap

Chloe Robertson

Lake Grace residents and 23 other upper Great Southern towns took part in a showerhead swap program in 2016/2017. The Lake Grace CRC was the access point for the swap in Lake Grace, where residents could come in with their old showerheads and swap them for a new one. Out of the 383 showerheads swapped, 23 came from Lake Grace.

In all 24 locations that were set up as swap locations, 383 old inefficient showerheads were exchanged for new efficient ones, which will result in customers together saving 5.84 ML of water every year. This is a fantastic result that couldn't have been achieved without the help of Community Resource Centres, local business agencies, libraries, and Councils who hosted the program for the Water Corporation.

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We will be closed Sunday 24th and Monday 25th September.

R U OK? Day

https://www.ruok.org.au/

R U OK? Day is Thursday 14 September 2017.

It's a national reminder, held on the second Thursday of September every year, that we've all got what it takes to ask, "are you ok?" and support those struggling with life.

In 1995, much-loved Barry Larkin was far from ok. His suicide left family and friends in deep grief and with endless questions. In 2009, his son Gavin Larkin chose to champion just one question to honour his father and to try and protect other families from the pain his endured.

"Are you ok?"

While collaborating with Janina Nearn on a documentary to raise awareness, the team quickly realised the documentary alone wouldn't be enough.

To genuinely change behaviour Australia-wide, a national campaign was needed. And from this realisation, and with Gavin and Janina's expertise and passion, R U OK? was born.

Gavin remained a passionate champion of the fact a conversation could change a life, even as cancer ended his in 2011.

His and Janina's legacy is ensuring all Australians realise a little question can make a big difference to those people struggling with life.

R U OK?'s vision is a world where we're all connected and are protected from suicide.

Our mission is to inspire and empower everyone to meaningfully connect with people around them and support anyone struggling with life.

Our goals are to:

- Boost our confidence to meaningfully connect and ask about life's ups and downs
- Nurture our sense of responsibility to regularly connect and support others
- 3. Strengthen our sense of belonging because we know people are there for us
- 4. Be relevant, strong and dynamic





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Brendan Paige - Walk on Water

Nicole Argent

It's nearly summer again, a time to dust off the wet suits and get the ski boats out of the shed to spend the weekends hanging out at the lakes.

Brendan Paige will be visiting the area to offer coaching in Barefoot Waterskiing for any ages and any level, from the weekend warriors all the way through to the professionals.

Brendan is Australia's #1 Barefoot Tricks Champion for 2012,2013,2014,2015 and 2016. He is also the US national XGame's Champion 2017 and the Australian Open Mens trick record holder. He travels Australia for the summer doing what he loves 'Coaching ' then in our winter he follows the USA summer where he travels

around the country coaching in

America.

"Coaching is what I live for! Barefooting is my dream and getting to share it with so many people is unreal. I love it so much and feel like I have never worked a day in my life. I am so excited to get back out into the country and promote the sport of barefooting."

Brendan was last here in April and coached a group of young children and keen adults. It was a great day even though the weather was less then desirable and a location change was required.

Brendan has been a huge influence and great mentor for Brock Argent. Brock has been selected to train with the Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Squad for the World Championships in Canada in 2018. "I am so excited to have Brendan come and coach out here over the school holidays.

He is so passionate about the sport and I am amazed how well he can get people skiing even after a few runs. While the sport looks tough and dangerous, with the right training and learning the correct techniques it really is a sport anyone can do. We have many members from all ages in the WA Barefoot Club from 8 to 60 plus and some people have been known to Barefoot up to eighty years old, so its never too late to learn."

If you would like to participate in one of Brendan's clinics in October or later in the year please contact Nicole Argent via email triagen1702@gmail.com



Brendan Paige demonstrating bare foot skiing.



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Open letter to the Lake Grace Community

4 September 2017

To all members of the Lake Grace Community

Recently the directors and staff of the Kulin **Community Bank**® have met with members of the Lake Grace community with the aim of creating a Bendigo Bank agency in your great town. We see this as a fantastic opportunity to create a partnership between our towns: not only provide financial services to Lake Grace, but to also support your community in a time where accessing funds for community projects is becoming more difficult.

A **Community Bank**® is far more than just a bank. In Kulin alone we have provided \$36,000 in the last two years to our local High School for their Secondary Specialist Program. Over the past 18 years we have also been strong supporters of Camp Kulin and many local sporting clubs. This support is made possible simply by people banking with the Kulin Community Bank: the more business the bank does, the more support we can provide to the community.

Watch the below link to see the difference **Community Banks**® are making around Australia and why you need one in your town.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OgjVint1boQ

Before we can open an agency in Lake Grace, we need to achieve a target of \$10M in combined lending and deposits. This is a realistic target, but it isn't possible without the support of local farmers, businesses and individuals in Lake Grace and surrounding communities. The faster we can reach this target, the sooner we will be a permanent presence. Don't think that your business won't make a difference, it will all help.

Our Branch Manager Jocelyn Owen and Business Development Manager Tom Murphy have been visiting Lake Grace regularly. They are available to visit any time to discuss your banking needs and how they can help you. The Kulin **Community Bank®** offers the full range of both Bendigo Bank and Rural Bank products, which are highly competitive in the current financial services market. Jocelyn and Tom can be contacted on 9880 1422.

We are committed to this process and with your help this will become reality.

Yours sincerely

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act: keep mentally, physically, socially and spiritually active: take a walk, say g'day, read a book, do a crossword, dance, play cards, stop for a chat...

belong: join a book club, take a cooking class, be more involved in groups you are already a member of, go along to community events

commit: take up a cause, help a neighbour, learn something new, take on a challenge, volunteer...

Being active, having a sense of belonging and having a purpose in life all contribute to happiness and good mental health.

Child Health Clinic

For all child health or immunisation enquiries please call Di Poultney at the Lake Grace Clinic on





SwimAbility

Next trips to Narrogin on:

18th September, 2nd **October**

- exercising in the heated pool and/or attending to other errands in Narrogin

Ph: 9890 2222 to book

Physiotherapist—every 2 weeks

Call Primary Health in Narrogin to make appointments ph: 9881 0385.

Occupational therapists, speech therapists and dietitians are also available for appointments on a needs basis. Please contact Primary Health Narrogin to enquire about their next visit. Ph: 9881 0385

Continence Nurse (Emma Peddy) will be coming to Lake Grace around the end of September/early October—date TBC. If you would like an appointment contact Lisa Pearce at the Hospital on 9890 2222.

HACC & MPS Activity Programs

4th Friday Activity Day Friday 22nd September * Judy Walker will be hosting *

NB: The Community Bus will be leaving for Newdegate at 9.45am from the Lakes Village Hall

Fee: \$8.00

RSVP essential by Friday 15th September for transport and catering requirements

Chair Aerobics Every Tuesday @ 10.30am

At the Lakes Village Hall Suitable for people with limited mobility who want to keep active!



Wednesday Morning Tea & Activity

Hospital Activity Room every Wednesday

Time: 10am—11.30am

Transport available if required—all welcome

Foot Clinic Tuesday 10th October

9.00—12 noon

Lakes Village Hall

- remember to bring your own manicure set

Bus Outing Friday 13th October

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- 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

We are now in Spring and the warmer weather is fast approaching! Now is the

time to check the A/C in all of your vehicles.

If you suspect it may not be working correctly please contact me. I can test/service all automotive A/C systems using quality

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

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Product Recalls - What Do They Mean and What Do I Do?

Regional Column Media Release

You may have heard recently about the Takata airbag recall which is at the centre of the largest vehicle recall in history.

Since 2009, more than 2.3 million vehicles in Australia have become subject to the recall of airbags made by the Japanese manufacturer.

These recalls represent examples of where a product has been found to present a safety risk. Recalling products identified as safety hazards, like the Takata airbags, can help to prevent injuries to consumers.

Many suppliers voluntarily initiate their own recalls after becoming aware that one or more of their products presents a safety risk. If suppliers are identified as having sold consumer products that are unsafe, product recalls can be initiated by the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) or other regulators.

In some cases, the ACCC can recommend that the responsible Commonwealth Minister direct a compulsory recall in order to protect the public from an unsafe product.

The ACCC will direct the manner in which the compulsory recall is to occur and enforces compliance.

So what should you do if you have purchased a product that has been recalled?

Take notice and do something about it. If you do not return the goods the manufacturer cannot resolve the issue. Importantly remove potentially harmful products from your property and stop using them if there is a safety risk.

You could be contacted by the manufacturer or retailer directly informing you of the recall and the proposed remedy process.

The supplier may offer you a full refund, a suitable replacement product of the same value, or a modification or repair of the product.

Your rights can vary slightly depending on the way the recall is conducted voluntary and managed by the supplier or compulsory due to an order by the (ACCC)

As a starting point, check with the supplier for details.

Under the Australian Consumer Law all consumer products supplied in Australia must be safe and meet consumer guarantees (acceptable quality, matches the description given etc.).

Banned products cannot be sold and products or product-related services must comply with relevant safety standards. If there is a risk that a product will or may cause injury, it must be recalled.

There is a mandatory requirement for businesses to report any death, serious injury or illness associated with a product to the ACCC within two days.

The ACCC announce product safety recalls online at www.recalls.gov.au, and you can also subscribe to email alerts via that website.

Alternatively, download the free app ACCC Recalls Australia, follow on Twitter @ACCCProdSafety or like the ACCC Product Safety Facebook page.

So far in 2017 there have been 355 product recalls by the ACCC with 176 of those involving transport items including cars.

This year's top five categories of product recalls are:

Transport: 176
Health and lifestyle: 55
Babies and children: 53
Food and groceries: 33
Home and living: 26

If you cannot resolve your problem with a recalled product or have any doubts regarding a product's safety, contact the ACCC or Consumer Protection WA on 1300 30 40 54 or consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au for help.

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CEO's Corner



Flooding Event - February 2017

WML Consulting Pty Ltd has been appointed as the Project Manager for this project. Two Tenders for supervision services, plant and labour closed on Tuesday 29 August. The tenders are this week being evaluated by a panel and will make recommendation to Council for their final decision.

For current road closures please refer to the Shire's website www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au or Facebook page for a list of roads that are closed within the Shire.

Local Government Elections – 21 October 2017
Nominations are now open for any interested person wishing to nominate for a vacancy and closes at 4.00pm Thursday 14 September. Carly Smith is our Returning Officer for this election. Any prospective Councillor can contact Carly on 0429 351 375 regarding your eligibility and for the nomination procedure.

Prospective Candidates Local Government Elections – 21 October 2017

Any person interested in nominating for Council and is unsure of what the role entails please contact the Shire office and we can arrange a briefing on the roles and responsibilities of an elected member. There are pre-recorded webinars for "Prospective Elected Members" and "Local Government Act for Elected Members" that can be viewed. I am happy to discuss the process with any prospective elected member.

Newdegate Machinery Field Days

The Newdegate Machinery Field Days were held last Wednesday and Thursday (6 & 7 September) with the Shire's display at Site 35. The display was based on

the Shire's recently endorsed Strategic Community Plan 2017 – 2027. The display provided a focus on tourism, as well as information on the previous year's activities, linked to the Strategic Community Plan.

The Councillors and staff were present, and all enjoyed the interaction from the "visitors" who dropped in.

The weather helped to make for a fantastic two days, and we would like to extend our compliments and



congratulations to the Newdegate Machinery Field Days Committee and all its volunteers for making it a great event. The community of Newdegate should be very proud; it is a great achievement for a small community to host such an event. Well done.

Thanks to the Shire staff and contractors who were involved with town site maintenance and preparation of our facilities; ensuing that Newdegate was well

presented for the Field Days.

Winner of the iPad Mini

The Shire of Lake Grace had a competition at the Newdegate Machinery Field Days where customers had to complete a three (3) question questionnaire to go into a prize to win an iPad Mini. The draw took place on Monday 11 September. Congratulations to Erica Wiech the winner of the iPad Mini. Much to our surprise, Erica was the winner of the same competition at last year's Field Days.



Continued over ..

Shire of Lake Grace Community News cont.

Art Acquisition Prize

Congratulations to Julie Silvester the winner of the Shire of Lake Grace Art Acquisition Prize 2017. Cr Roz Lloyd and Cr Ross Chappell were the Council representatives selecting the award which took place last Tuesday, prior to the opening of the Newdegate Machinery Field Days. The artwork is now on display at the Shire Office.

Building and Maintenance Team

This fortnight, Wayne Trawinski, the Shire's Building & Maintenance Supervisor reports that works continue on Independent Living units:



- External painting commenced;
- · Internal painting complete;
- Plumbing fitout and fixtures complete;
- Electrical work complete and connected to Western Power;
- · Air-conditioners installed; and,
- Landscaping complete.

The Building Maintenance Team is still in the process of cleaning out gutters on all Shire owned buildings including Shire managed housing.

The Lake Grace Sports Pavilion upgrade has commenced with disconnection of services, demolition of walls and kitchen.

Maintenance requests completed over the past fortnight:

- Newdegate Recreation Centre;
- Hainsworth Building, Newdegate;
- · Lake Grace Hall; and,
- · Lake Grace Visitor's Centre.

Road Works

During the past fortnight the Construction Crew have recently completed gravel re-sheeting on Beynon Road and have now moved to Webb Road.

The Maintenance Grader has been working on South Burngup Road, Strevett Road, Geliard Road, Beenong Road, Biddy Camm Road and Burns Road. Backslopes were carried out on South Burngup Road and trees have been trimmed on Beenong Road and Brook Road.

The Newdegate grading contractor has been working on Whurr Road, Orr Road and Newman Road and will then move onto Biddy Camm Road, Haig Road, Tonkin Road and Mt Vernon Road.

The Lake King grading contractor has been working on Muncaster Road and Kathleen Road and will then move onto Hogan Road and Biddy Camm Road.

Parks and Gardens

The town maintenance crew have been working in Lake Grace and have carried out works at the Lake Grace cemetery, Lake Grace airstrip, Lake Grace Hall and spraying of laneways and around the main street. The team carried out slashing in Newdegate and various works at the Newdegate Machinery Field Days.

Denise Gobbart
Chief Executive Officer

Ordinary Council Meeting

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held: 3:00 pm Wednesday 27 September 2017 at Council Chambers 1 Bishop St Lake Grace Members of the public 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.

Australia Day Nominations 2017

Nominations for the Community Citizen of the Year Awards for Australia Day 2018 will open 1 September 2017 and close on 31 October 2017.

The criteria for the awards remains consistant with previous years and allows you to recognise a wider range of your community champions through the four categories:

- · Citizen of the Year
- Senior Citizen of the Year (over 65 years of age)
- Youth Citizen of the Year (under 25 years of age)
- Active Citizenship Award (to recognise a community group or event)

For further information visit www.citizenshipawards.com.au



Shire of Lake Grace Community News Cont.

Office Opening Hours

Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday - Friday 8.30am - 4.30pm

Thursday 8.30am- 4.00pm Staff can be contacted by phone between 8am - 5pm.

Transport & Licensing

All licensing payments are to be made in person at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration building.

Monday, Tuesday and 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 license applications.

Please ensure you arrive at the counter with sufficient time for your transaction to be completed by closing time, this is because it is necessary for staff to reconcile Department of Transport transactions each day. Please keep in mind that farm equipment and Learners Permit transactions can take up to 45 minutes or more.

Driving Assessor

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

Friday - 6 October 2017

Friday - 3 November 2017 to be confirmed

Bookings are essential for all Practical Driver's Licence Assessments and we advise that there is a waiting list, so booking in advance is highly recommended.

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

For more information visit www.transport.wa.gov.au.

Firearm Licence

All firearm licensing including the payment of licence renewals is now done at the Lake Grace Post Office.

Building Surveyor

Shire Building Surveyor, Josiah Farrell will be available at the Shire Office on the following dates:

Tuesday 19 September 2017 Tuesday 10 October 2017

For an appointment contact Josiah on 0438 811 944.

www.facebook.com/ShireofLakeGrace

Check out our Facebook page

Environmental Health Officer

Shire's Environmental Health Officer, please contact the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au for an appointment.

Tip Opening Hours

Lake Grace

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

Newdegate

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

Lake King & Varley

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Waste & Recycling Pick up Dates

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

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

Lake Grace	Newdegate
18 September	25 September
2 October	9 October

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

For more information on Waste Management visit the Shire's website.

Library Hours

Lake Grace Public Library School Place Absolon St Monday - Thursday 9am - 5pm Closed for lunch 12.30 - 1.00pm

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

Everyone welcome.



Check out our website www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Shire of Lake Grace Community News cont.



Bushfire Bulletin



Having an emergency kit is an important step to prepare and protect your household for an emergency such as a bushfire.

Keep your Emergency Survival Kit in a storage container in a location that is easy to get to and the whole family knows about.

Things to include in your kit are:

- Portable battery-operated AM/FM radio
- Waterproof torch
- · Spare batteries
- First aid kit with manual
- Candles with waterproof matches
- Woollen blankets
- Emergency contact numbers

Don't forget to prepare for your pets as well. Make sure your pet is wearing an identification tag.



If you're leaving, take a leash, basket, medication, food and a familiar toy for your animal. It will help reduce stress.

Restricted Burning Period

(Permits Required)

19 September - 31 October

Burning permits will be required from Tuesday across the Shire, this includes burning within townsites.

Firebreaks must be in place from the 1 November to the 30 April.



Harvest Bans Zones

All fire zones in the Shire of Lake Grace will be on Channel 11 in an event of a fire.

- When a fire occurs on a property in a zone a
 Harvest and Vehicle Movement Ban will be
 imposed for the whole zone until the fire is
 deemed safe, and the Harvest and Vehicle
 Movement Ban is lifted.
- When a fire occurs on a property neighbouring a zone boundary both zones will have a *Harvest* and *Vehicle Movement Ban* imposed until the fire is deemed safe, and the *Harvest and Vehicle* Movement Ban is lifted.

Sale of Non-chipped Dogs and Cats

Members of the public have queried whether it is lawful for a puppy or kitten to be sold if it is not microchipped.

Under the current provisions of the *Dog Act 1976*:

- All dogs must be microchipped once they are three months of age; and
- All dogs, irrespective of age, must be microchipped prior to being sold or transferred to a new owner.

These requirements apply to all dogs, unless the owner obtains a vet certificate which exempts the dog from microchipping on medical grounds.

Similar restrictions apply to the sale of non-microchipped cats. While a cat is not required to be microchipped until it is six months old, it cannot be sold or transferred until microchipping has occurred.

These restrictions also apply to impounded animals held by a local government.

To assist, the department has produced fact sheets which summarise the legal obligations of pet ownership for cat and dog owners. The fact sheets are available on the department's cats and dogs page.

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



Good Engagement for LDAG at Newdegate (cont.)

Pouring a standard size drink was interesting with some participants remarkably accurate with their eyeball measurements. It does seem quite confusing, particularly when there is a wide range of alcohol percentages, but the important thing to remember is that the size of the glass or container that the drink comes in doesn't equate to one standard drink.

It is still early days for the Lake Grace LDAG but already they have had a positive effect in the district with a very well received Recognise and Respond workshop that was held in July; we aim to hold another of these in 2018. Icebreakers, a support group for recovering drug addicts that is based in Albany have agreed to pay a visit to Lake Grace, Newdegate and Pingrup in October and talk about their programme and the journey it has taken them to get to where they are. A date has not been set as yet but the forums will be held in the afternoon (Newdegate), evening (Lake Grace) and morning (Pingrup).

At the Christmas Festival on 14th December, we will be hosting a Mocktail Bar with a selection of delicious drinks. This will provide some inspirational ideas for Christmas drinks that all ages can enjoy but that don't have the negative side effect of antisocial behaviour.

LDAG Lake Grace are due to meet again on the 3rd

October, if you would like to be a part of this group or would like to know more about future activities then please don't hesitate to contact the Lake Grace Community Resource Centre on 9865 1470.



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Growing Up in Lake Grace Pt VII

John Dyke

A former resident of Lake Grace, John Dyke was born in King Edward Memorial Hospital in Subiaco, on 24 April 1935, to Noel Frederick Dyke and May Dyke. Dad had gone ahead to Lake Grace as Secretary to the Road Board. They had come to West Australia from Wales, UK, in 1926, paid their own way, and were sent to the South West, south of Bridgetown, to one of the Group Settlements, No's 126 and 127. The whole thing was a complete con between the British and Australian Governments, promising the new settlers a house, good land to cultivate, and the promise that within a few short years, working hard, they would be wealthy enough to return to the UK and have a good holiday. John and his wife Cheryl currently live in Albany. The following is the seventh part in a series detailing some of John's earlier adventures.

Fred Slarke, no doubt the best lawn bowler to come out of Lake Grace and my best friend. As we grew up together, we played all sports together, Fred was the better boxer but I was the better high jumper and sprinter. Fred is a very aggressive sportsman be it boxing, football or bowls he always plays to win.

Playing at York back in the 60's Fred was telling me the men's lavatory was located just off the bowling rink. One of the players had to go and whilst he was in this corrugated iron dunny with the door partly open, a player on the rink in front of this establishment put down a fast drive that picked up the jack which left the green went over the ditch and went in through the partly open door. They could hear it rattling around on the tin corrugations making a hell of a noise and the next second this guy comes out pulling up his trousers and saying, bloody hell I didn't have to strain for that one.

Fred was playing as third to the champion bowler, Ted Dhu. at Katanning in what was an invitation 4's event. The opposing skipper was Kym Jones, a state player. Kym would be known to many Lake Grace players, as the son of Dallas Jones, nee Aldridge of Lake Grace whose father Charles ran the local co-op store for many years. Charles was a good cricketer, he and his family left Lake Grace in 1945 and Charle's brother Sid Aldridge, also a good cricketer, took over running the store.

Charles and family, wife Dallas, Merrill and Rodney went to Kojonup and ran the co-op there. In about 1964 when relieving Fred Matson at Williams Police Station I was picked up by Marion Innocent from Pingelly and we went to a Ball at Kojonup. The guys stayed in the bunkhouse on the farm and the girls in the main house, I can't recall whose farm. Saturday night at the ball, I met Dallas, Merrill and Rodney after 19 years. We had a great reunion. At Lake Grace back in 1945 the girls Dallas, Merrill, May Taylor and a couple of others with Fred, myself, Ben Robbins, Richie Pilling and one or two other boys, all younger than the girls, used to play Kiss in the Ring under the street light opposite Aldridge's house on the corner. Very innocent but most enjoyable and memorable.

But back to Katanning. Fred's team is 6 up and on the last end, Kym Jones has one bowl left, he does what most champion bowlers would do, he puts down a hot drive that Big John Sharpe, another State player would have been proud of. The bowl smashes into the head and after the dust has settled, Kym Jones to the dismay of Fred's team is holding 7. But all is not lost as Ted Dhu has one bowl to go. With everyone holding their breath, you could hear a pin drop in the crowd watching, Ted Dhu puts down a running shot which to the dismay of those on his team misses the head altogether and ends up in the ditch. That's bowls.

So in relating this story to Kym in the Middleton Beach Bowling club of his spectacular win, Kym said, "Yes John you got the story right and I still have the score card to prove it". Kym's sister Shelly Radcliffe is a top bowler who goes to Perth each weekend to play pennants for Mosman Park. I played one game at Mosman park about 3 years ago when Cheryl and I were house sitting, a mixed pairs event, I was playing well and my partner was playing brilliantly, we won the day and on leaving the clubhouse I stopped to read a Brass Plaque near the door. It was dedicated to my playing partner who previously had been the runner up to winning the Australian Championships in the Eastern States a few years earlier. Dallas Jones was also a very

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Growing Up in Lake Grace Pt VII (Cont.)

good bowler, and Pennant player, now retired. Her daughter Paula Reid is also very good.

Fred Slarke was invited with other country players in 1978 to play against other Commonwealth Countries; Ireland, Canada, England and New Zealand with the games telecast live on TV. Fred played as 3rd to the Victorian champion as Skipper. They never lost a game and in the last end of the winning game are holding by one, then the opposing skipper drew shot. However Fred's skipper, with one shot left, drew shot again and they ended up as the world Bowling Champions for Commonwealth Countries.

Whilst living in Albany from 69 to 88 Fred bowled with the Albany Club and has the distinction of being their Singles Champion, League Singles Champion, Pairs Champions (skipper) and then again as skipper for the Fours Champions. My wife Cheryl, who was a natural athlete, won the Middleton Beach Ladies Singles Championship in 2011/2012 so she was invited to play in the State Championships at Mt Yokine. Cheryl played extremely well but lost all three games 20/21 on last end 19/21 on last end and 14/21, I can't remember who she played against but all champions.

Cheryl and I then stayed in Perth and went to the Leeming club where we played in a 32 players pairs competition. Cheryl was playing brilliantly and I was driving at my best, something I have always enjoyed as the best part of bowls, so we won the first game easily and for the second came up against a father and son. They were two big guys at about 6'4" and had demolished their first opponents, so we were up against a tough couple but we beat them comfortably. The prize money was much bigger than we were used to and then Cheryl won the raffle, a nice bottle of very enjoyable wine.

On the Friday we went back to play in the triples but they wouldn't let us play together again. Cheryl got a good pair and they won but I got a couple of guys who spent more time arguing than playing, I don't think they liked an outsider as Skipper, we lost badly. That's bowls. Most enjoyable days and a very friendly club.

Unfortunately the following year Cheryl injured her left leg and had to give bowls away, it took quite a long time to get back to normal again so she decided rather than risk injuring it again she would retire from bowls. A shame really as she had great potential to be a real champion, and as a pair we took a lot of stopping. However I lost interest after Cheryl retired, there were not enough women in the club to go round, most playing with husbands so I retired and went back to weight lifting, martial arts and pistol shooting.

Crusty Carruthers and Fred Slarke took me to Kulin back in 1953, we stopped at Jack and June Smith's place on the way and when we got to Mick Kelly's pub in Kulin we all had a drink and the boys went home to the Lake. Unfortunately as I had grown about 6 inches over the past year or so, my timing for sports had been lost and my cricket and football skills had deteriorated so my first season playing football was pretty poor,

lousy in fact. However, as time went by we moved into the summer and the cricket season, things had changed, I had got my timing back, so by mid-season I was opening fast bowler and one of the opening batsmen.

When transferring to Perth I joined the Postals Football club and became their number one ruckman, although only 6 feet or 183 cm tall I had I had a mighty leap and would punch the ball with the flat of my clenched fist with very good accuracy. At the end of the season, Postals went to York and beat them on their home ground. I was by then at the peak of my football career and I rucked for 4 quarters straight with no rest. The opposition did not get one centre bounce or a boundary throw in. After the game I was presented with the Best and Fairest award which was cash in the hand that I really needed. Who was our bus driver but Eric Kirk from Lake Grace. Having a chat to Eric I said how do you know when you have had enough beer for driving. Eric replied, John I hold my right hand straight up above my head with all fingers pointed straight up and together then if I can't balance a full glass on top of my fingers without spilling a drop I know I have had enough.

Eric drove us back to Perth and did a very good job. A couple of weeks later I received a verbal invitation to play with East Fremantle football club in the 1955 season, but the week before that game I played a scratch match with Postals and busted the cartilage on the outside of my right knee. As I had just joined the Police Force I went to see Doctor Pearson who said he could operate and fix my knee. East Fremantle said John when your knee is ok again come down and see us. I didn't get the operation, I took up weight lifting and over time the knee was as good as new.

I was transferred to Pingelly in 63 and played football again. Captained the side in 64 and busted everything else in both knees including the posterior cruciate ligament in my left knee. The Doctor put the leg in plaster from thigh to ankle for 6 weeks. I didn't take any time off work though, didn't need to in those days, times were different then. Got back to playing again but never as good.

When on Rottnest Island in 76 I played cricket for Rottnest against WA Newspapers. Opened the Bowling pace attack and after a few overs my ligament gave way and I landed flat on the pitch, taking the force of the fall on my hands. It took a couple of years before I could do heavy weights bench pressing again.

Puzzles & Stuff

Some words from the 31st August edition of Boggle

Answers to 31/08/2017 Sudoku

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Saturday, 7th October, 2017

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10 years and under

13 years and under

16 years and under (can be either mixed or straight doubles)

(age as of Dec. 31st 2017)

Conditions

Entries close Wednesday, 4th Oct. 8pm.

Tournament starts 8:30am, registration from 8:00am.

Entry fee - \$5.00 per player per event.

The committee has entire control of the event

Please be sunsmart!

If insufficient numbers, an event may not proceed or ages may be adjusted.

Lunch, drinks, fruit salad and ice cream available.
Sausage sizzle at the end of the day.
Morning and afternoon tea provided.

Nominations including DOB:

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Assistance by adults will be required for umpiring.









Community Exhibition Opens

Suzanne Reeves

'Landscape: From Within', the Lake Grace Artist's Group annual Community Exhibition opened on Sunday 10th September with a good attendance from members and the general community.

With 43 entries the exhibition is an incredibly eclectic and diverse display crossing many mediums including pencil, acrylic, textile, oils, recycled products and some contributions from nature. Kerrie Argent opened the exhibition and thanked the members for their input, the provision of afternoon tea and the ability to unpack and hang the display in one day.

This exhibition is part of the 2017 Southern Art & Craft Trail and will be open until Tuesday 17th October between the hours of 10am and 4pm. The common thread of the exhibition is the size, 1200mm and 300m works; a size that is not common to work with and has encouraged the entrants to expand their horizons.

Entries have come from the Lake Grace and Mt Barker Artist's Groups and from peers in Perth and Narrogin.

Photo: Judy Stewart and Kerrie Argent in front of their works 'Tree Trunk Trauma' and 'Glasslands'.

Most of the works are available for sale and the group has introduced a first, the people's choice award. Everyone who pops in for a look will have the opportunity to choose the piece that appeals to them!



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natural resource management program





Jul-Aug 2017

NRM/Landcare News

Within Kent & Lake Grace Shires



WA State Budget

http://www.nrm.wa.gov.au/newsevents/news/2017/09/investment-in-protection-andenhancement-of-environmental-values.aspx

\$14.6 Million (2018/2019 through to 2020/2021) for the (State) Natural Resource Management Program to work with local communities to protect the environment.

This budget gives some indication that the Kent/Lake Grace Shires NRM/Landcare service 'may' have future support from the State NRM Program, however we need you, the local community, to advocate for this service, so please send your advocacy to our Shire councils.

Federal Funding Opportunity

http://www.weeklytimesnow.com.au/news/national/budg et-2017-landcare-funding-locked-in-to-2023/newsstory/070ee82e2d7640d167231a92b5b38719

Applications for the next (~3 year) NATIONAL LANDCARE PROGRAM will be announced around late 2017 / early 2018. Previous funding has been channelled through the Regional NRM groups based in Northam (Wheatbelt NRM), Bunbury (SWCC) and Albany (South Coast NRM).

This new program may provide for cross boundary collaboration between other NRM groups. As such, this is a critical opportunity for our two Shires to collaboratively deliver federal funding with other groups, so send through your ideas asap, otherwise its another ~3 year wait!

Weather (& Emissions)





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Renewable Energy (& Recycling)





Katanning ECOWEEK

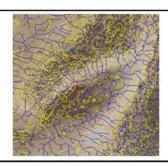
http://katanninglandcare.org.au/ecoweek/ www.facebook.com/Katanning.EcoWeek

Katanning ECOWEEK commences proper on Saturday 16th September with the Katanning Katanning EcoFair, Bloom Launch, Farmer's Markets, Poultry Auction. This will follow through with a series of events up to the 13th October. Check out the schedule in the above links for details.

Waters (Surface & Subterranean



Wheatbelt Hydrology (Lance Mudgway) of Wagin will be working on stage 2 of our waterway project, mapping proposed drainage works at demonstration sites next to Nyabing and Lake Grace town sites. Lance will be using 10cm contours and modelled water flow (from the stage 1 drone survey) to make recommendations for surface water drainage placement and design.









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NRM/Landcare News Within Kent & Lake Grace Shires (Jul-Aug 2017)

Review of MLA Pasture & Livestock

Updates - Tuesday 1st August (WAGIN)

Soils (& Ag. Groundcover)



In Aug/Sep Map IQ (Joel Andrew)
has been flying a fixed wing drone
over paddock trial sites
demonstrating soil amelioration.
Joel's UAV captures both visual and
NDVI imagery to show
groundcover biomass, which can
accurately indicate if trial soil
treatments are improving crop.



Livestock (& Fisheries)



~3 year Lucerne & Chicory @ White's

http://www.giwa.org.au/ literature 225 164/S15 Phillip Nichols 2017

The adventure started at White's property, looking at Lucerne, clover and saltland messina, plus a new strain of rhizobia, which Murdock Uni can test, to indicate if the new inoculant is required. Back at Wagin there was talk about grazing crops, chaff heaps and combinations such as canola/clover, cereals/legumes and new varieties (e.g. Tammin, 300-450mm). Plus sheep nutrition, ear tag tech and health/handling.

Invasive Species (& Bushfire)



The two step 1080 accreditation can now be done online. The first step is to complete an online landholder training course for the safe use and management of 1080, at:

(the enrolment key is Ih1079).

http://dafwa.moodle.com.au/externaluser/login/index.php
Once training has been completed you will need to complete
DAFWA's permit application/amendment form here:
https://www.agric.wa.gov.au/1080/baiting-and-poisonpermits

New 1080 Fox & Rabbit Bait Use Accreditation



Biodiversity (& Bushland Linkages)





Let us know if you see our threatened species: Phascogale calura (Red-tailed Phascogale). We have nest boxes to provide habitat for these vulnerable little critters.



Well done to those continuing revegetation this winter, including Browne's, Garlick's Noonan's/KR, Drake-Brockman's, Skipsey's (photo), T.Dixon's and G.Carruther's.

Heritage (Sites, Trails & Gardens)





The Lake Grace Lions Club have put forward a proposal to develop a boardwalk at the western end of the Lake Grace causeway where there is currently a small pull-in parking/rest stop area.

The idea is to provide a walkway/boardwalk from this car park to the edge of the main lake, so tourists and locals can get a good view of this wonderful saltlake. Any suggestions welcomed!

Contacts: NRM Community Support Officer, Mr Paul Leoni, Shire of Kent.

Landline: 08 9829 1051 . Mobile: 0419 615 126 . Email: lcdc@kent.wa.gov.au

Obesity

Cancer Council

Excess weight and cancer

Almost 2 in 3 Australian adults are either overweight or obese. Excess body fat is associated with a number of chronic diseases including diabetes and heart disease.

About one third of cancers are preventable by making simple lifestyle changes. Regardless of weight, eating well and being active reduces your risk not only of heart disease and type 2 diabetes but also 13 types of cancer including common cancers, breast and bowel.

Poor food and drink choices and not enough physical activity often lead to weight gain. Good nutrition and regular physical activity help you to maintain a healthy weight, and reduce your risk of cancer.

LiveLighter's 5 Tips to Reduce Risk

- Avoid sugary drinks
- Limit junk food
- · Eat more vegetables and fruit
- Be active everyday
- Avoid alcohol

How do I know if I am overweight or obese?

One way is to measure your waist circumference. This indicates how much fat you have around the middle of your body or abdomen (stomach). Having weight around your middle is more of a health risk than the weight on your hips or thighs.

Use a measuring tape to measure your waist circumference around the narrowest point of your body. Measure at the end of a normal breath, and ensure that the tape is firm; not too tight or too loose.

You may be at a higher risk of developing cancer if your waist circumference is above the healthy range.

Women should aim for a waist circumference of 80cm or less and men 94cm or less. A circumference of 88cm or more in women substantially increases risk and in men it is 102cm or more.

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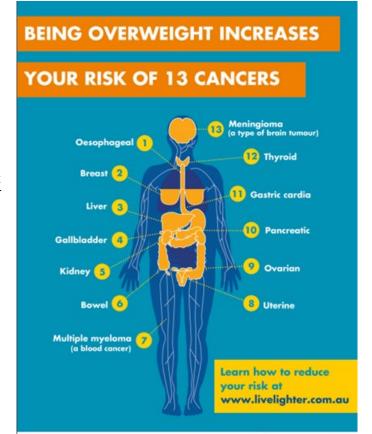
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And the Women Played Too

Craig Reeves

Sunday 3rd September was Fathers Day and also a stableford sponsored by Bendigo Bank. After complaining bitterly all year that her handicap needed to go out more, Helen Hunt proceeded to play to form bringing her handicap back down to what it had been the week before. Peaking at the right end of the season Helen Hunt was winner of the day with 40 points; runner-up for the day was Michelle Lay with 37 points. The women were giving the men a good whipping!

Novelties were NTP No.4 Aaron Carruthers, NTP No.6 Adam Hunt, NTP No.15 and NTP No.18 both went to Chad Stanton. Long Drive for the Ladies on No.3 went to Helen Hunt and the Long Putt on No.9 also went to Helen Hunt. Chad picked up the Men's Long Drive on No.10.

Sunday 10th September was Championship Day and it was an early start as the participants faced the grueling challenge of 36 holes. Playing for the A Grade Championship were Kevin Eggers and Nick Maalouf for the men and Helen Hunt and Michelle Lay for the ladies.

Kevin bolted from the barrier and at one stage was six up, however Nick not being one to cave easily scrambled back to be all square on the 35th hole. Nick's tee shot on the 36th hole fell short of the creek while Kevin was pin high to the left side of the green. Nick's chip shot gave Kev's heart a little flutter as it ran across the top of the cup, Nick two putted for a four. Kevin's chip shot went one metre past the hole leaving a short but high pressure putt. It was all quiet in the gallery as Kevin held his nerve and putted in for a three. Congratulations to Kevin for being Lake Grace Golf Club's A Grade Men's Champion.

And the women played too.....quite fast around the fairways they were. With the men in carts it was expected there would be some lag time between them and the women who were walking. However after the first nine holes it became quite evident that men in carts can't compete with women on foot, with the ladies waiting patiently before being waved through on the 35th hole.

Helen had a convincing lead early on which Michelle pegged back, however on the 35^{th} hole it was all over for the ladies with Helen claiming the Ladies A Grade Championship for the umpteenth time. Well done to the champions and commiserations to the runners-up.

While the four leading lights of the golf club were doing battle the also rans had a pleasant afternoon playing a stableford. Showing some scintillating form was Aaron Carruthers who won the day convincingly with 43 points, 7 points ahead of his nearest rivals. You will need to check your handicap before you next hit the fairways Aaron.

Novelties were NTP No.4 and NTP No.15 which were won by Phil Young, NTP No.6 was Nick Maalouf and

NTP No.18 was Marty Carruthers. Longest drive for the men on No.10 was Craig Reeves. This weekend the club holds their closing day on Sunday 17th, names in by 11:15am for an 11:30am hit-off. It is a 3 person ambrose sponsored by Steve, Helen and Adam Hunt from Lake Grace Communications and Computers. Following the golf will be the awards presentation and a BBQ tea. Members please bring a salad.



Above: Helen Hunt and Michelle Lay prepare to do battle for the A Grade Premiership.

Below: A jubilant Kevin Eggers with the Mens A Grade Championship cup in hand.



The Shire of Lake Grace warmly invites you to attend A Community Film Night

Newdegate

Tuesday 17 October 2017 6pm - 8pm Newdegate CRC Light supper provided

Lake King

Wednesday 18 October 2017
6pm - 8pm
Lake King Hall
Light supper provided

Lake Grace

Thursday 19 October 2017 6pm - 8pm Lake Grace CRC Light supper provided The films* are short documentaries on local Wheatbelt towns who have achieved economic growth. This will be followed by a brainstorming session to identify initiatives that would encourage development and innovation within your community.

Innovation

Ideas

Opinions

Actions

Involvement.



To be facilitated by Anna Dixon of CreativeIQ

This event is supported by

- Lake King Progress Association
- Varley Progress Association
- Newdegate Community Development Association
- Lake Grace Development Association
- Lake Grace and Newdegate Community Resource Centres

^{*}These may include Nyabing and Kulin initiatives, along with two ABC Landline and two ABC Backroads episodes.











Lake Grace Pingrup Netball Club Grand Final

Sheridan Kowald

A Grade

Coach: Karen Bairstow

LGP: 54 DEFEATED

Jerramungup: 44

WINNERS WINNERS WINNERS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Played at Borden on a very hot day more suitable for swimming than playing netball. After watching the B grade win their game the momentum was there to go out and repeat the exercise and see if we could do the same. Keeping the warm up very mild because of the heat the girls fired out of the blocks in the first quarter and the game was goal for goal.

We would get a couple of goals up and then Jerry would fight back being one goal in front at quarter

time. Then the second quarter belonged to Jerry, a few turnovers and Jerry got their tails up and outscored us by five goals.

Half time looked a bit bleak and it took a bit to get our heads up to know there still was a half to play, finally the girls grouped together and what a turnaround. A couple of position changes worked and the girls completely outplayed Jerry. All of a sudden, they were turning the ball over and we were on top. We outscored them by six goals but there was still a lot of work to be done.

Jerry were still coming at us and our fitness was holding up well, we turned for the last quarter and what a quarter it was. Scoring seventeen goals in a quarter while it was so hot and keeping them to nine goals was incredible, running out winners 54 - 44!

An absolute TEAM EFFORT girls that is how we have won all of our games this year and to go through the season undefeated is an absolutely outstanding effort!!

A huge thankyou to BILLIE MACTAGGART for coming up from the b grade to sit the bench for us after already playing a game.

I am very proud to coach a great group of girls this year and you all truly deserve the win.

BEST ON GROUND: BRITTNEE KNILL - who was outstanding all game even in the second quarter when we had our backs to the wall Britt continued to run hard and her great efforts kept us in touch with Jerry. Her ability to read were her teammates were and offer leads to the goal shooters was awesome. Well Done Britt on a great game.

COACHES AWARD: TENEEKA MORGAN - who is the true meaning of a team mate. She always

will give 120% and her ability to read the play and a couple of timely intercepts were vital in us getting a goal just when we needed too. She has the ability be sure when the ball is in her hand she delivers it safely to a player in position. Well Done Teneeka on a great game.

Lets all look forward to a great night on Saturday and celebrate a well-earned win, it is not easy going BACK TO BACK PREMIERS so well done.

Apologies but the B grade write up and photo won't be in until the next edition of the Lakes Link News.



Back row: Joely Slinn, Chloe Pearson, Karen Bairstow (coach), Teneeka Morgan and Shenae Prater.

Front row: Claire Gray, Sharon Lampard and Brittnee Knill.



Humour

Judge: "Why did you steak the car?"

Man: "I had to get to work."

Judge: "Why didn't you take the bus?"

Man: "I don't have a driver's license for the bus".

At a Plastic-Surgery-Addicts-Anonymous meeting: "Ah, I see we have a few new faces here today".

Waiter? I'm sorry, but I cannot eat all this. Would you be so kind and pack it for me? To take away? But sir, this is a buffet. Pack it up I said!

I told my girlfriend she drew her eyebrows too high. She seemed surprised.

My friend asked me to help him round up his 37 sheep. I said "40"

I couldn't figure out why the baseball kept getting larger. Then it hit me.

I can hear music coming out of my printer. I think the paper is jamming' again.

Little Johnny asks the teacher, "Mrs Roberts, can I be punished for something I haven't done?"

Mrs Roberts is shocked, "Of course not, Johnny, that would be very unfair!"

Little Johnny is relieved, "OK Mrs Roberts, sorry, I haven't done my homework."

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Lake Grace/Pingrup Junior Football Club

Missy Clifford

GRAND FINAL SATURDAY 9 SEPTEMBER 2017

LAKE GRACE: (23) 0.2 0.2 1.2 3.5 JERRAMUNGUP: (70) 1.0 4.1 6.2 11.4

After another successful year we found ourselves at yet another Grand Final, fourth in a row for our Year 7 players. This time it was in Borden against Jerramungup. Even though we finished the season on top of the ladder we knew the job at hand was not going to be easy. The weather was pretty warm and nine of us had just finished playing in a hockey grand final which we had won. Jerramungup had height on their side and only three players who played in the hockey grand final but we were ready and willing to give this grand final our best shot! The first quarter of the game was pretty even with only a few shots on goal from both sides. We fought hard during the game and relied heavily on the younger players in the team to step up, which they did brilliantly. Jerry took advantage of their height difference and our tired senior hockey players and began scoring more goals to pull away to a very handy lead of 47 points by the final siren. Unlucky boys and girls, you know you gave it your best shot but Jerry were just too good for us on the day.

LGP Best Players: Jonty Robinson & Myles Borgward

It's been a fantastic season with a lot of great support from players, parents, family and spectators. A big thank you to the following people who help make this junior footy club the great club it is:

Joe O'Neill and Darren Clifford for coaching the Juniors, you've both done a fantastic job. Your expertise, commitment and passion is sincerely appreciated. Adrian Duckworth for managing the team and votes etc. Mark Garard, Stephen Hawley and Kelvin Holmes for umpiring throughout the season. A lot of the Dads for either running water and/or helping out at training. Nat Fyfe for sponsoring our weekly 'Fed by Fyfe' awards. Allan Marshall for including the juniors in your weekly write-ups. Best wishes and farewell to the O'Neill, Cameron, Hawley, Holmes, Garard, Murray and Giles families who are sadly leaving our Junior Club. You'll be sadly missed.

WIND UP

On Sunday 10 September we held our annual 'Junior Winter Sports' Wind up. Auskick and D Grade parent v's kids games are played first, before heading to our AGM at the Sportsmans Club. During this time the Netball are playing their parent v's kids game. With regards to the AGM I would like to thank all the outgoing committee members; Michelle Cameron (Treasurer for 4 years), Sharon Robinson and Wendy O'Neill (caterers) and Stephen Hawley and Dean Giles (committee members). I would also like to thank Mark Garard, Kelvin Holmes and Stephen Hawley who have been our fantastic umpires and will be leaving our Club.

After our AGM we enjoyed a beautiful steak and

salad lunch before our trophy presentation to all award winners. Congratulations to all award winners and a big

thank you to all our sponsors.

Fairest and Best JOSH GILES Sponsored by: R & L Carruthers

R/U Fairest and Best JAI CLIFFORD Sponsored by: Neu-Tech Auto Electrics

Most Improved Player JASON O'NEILL Sponsored by: D & D Steele

Coaches Award
TROY MURRAY
Sponsored by: D & D Giles

"Best Team Man"

JAI HOLMES

Sponsored by: Kelvin
O'Neill

Signed Dockers Hat **REECE DUCKWORTH** Sponsored by: Nat Fyfe DAVID ST

Fairest and Best runner up Josh Giles.

Congratulations and best wishes to our following graduates:

Year 7 – D Grade Jai Clifford Josh Giles Troy Murray Year 3 - Auskick Alby Stanton Alex Clifford Rylan Gooding Taj Carruthers



Three graduating D Grade players: (L to R)
Jai Clifford, Troy Murray, Josh Giles shaking hands with
Coaches; Darren Clifford and Joe O'Neill.

Lake Grace/Pingrup Junior Hockey Club

Missy Clifford

GRAND FINAL SATURDAY 9 SEPTEMBER 2017 JERRAMUNGUP (1) v's LGP (2)

The day had finally come and the nerves were running riot! It was Borden's turn to host the Grand Final this year, we hadn't played there all year so we were a little dubious as to the condition of the field. It was quite spongy and the weather was pretty hot but nothing we couldn't handle and we were ready for the challenge! We had beaten Jerry the last two times so we were confident we could do it again. It was an even tussle in the first half but lucky for us Jason, our ever reliable goal scorer didn't let us down with a handy goal before half time. The kids were once again playing brilliantly. We went into the second half knowing full well that Jerry were not happy and they would do everything in their power to get goals. They gave us absolute curry in our defensive D for about 15 minutes. Jake (goalie), Michael, Josh and the team defended like true champions but eventually they scored their first goal; making it a draw with only 5 minutes to go!!! Aaaagghhh!! The thought of extra time in this heat was not an option! Lucky for us Jai and Jonty walked back to the centre line with a plan in mind, Jai was to belt it down to Jonty and he was to run onto it and try to score...and that's exactly what they did, with the help of Lucas they got it down to our attacking 'D', drew the goalie out and like text book, Jonty passed it to Jason on the left wing who then pushed it in for a goal......absolutely brilliant team work once again, something this team had done all season and exactly the reason why my team won the Grand Final. The siren blew and the crowd exploded with excitement and sheer relief. We were back-to-back premiers... awesome. I must say a big Thank you to Lucas

Robinson, Tess and Holly Stanton for each taking a turn at missing out on playing either in the 2nd Semi Final or the Grand Final as we had to abide by the '16 players only' rule! Your continued support and sportsmanship was muchly appreciated by all.

Goal Scorer: Jason O'Neill (2)

Best Player for Lake Grace Pingrup: Jai Clifford

You guys were absolutely amazing in the Grand Final, you fought with all your might and showed brilliant skill and teamwork. I couldn't be any prouder. I've loved every minute of coaching you this year; at training and at the games. It saddens me to lose 12 of my 17 players, it's been amazing to watch you improve your hockey skill and knowledge. I'll really miss you and I wish you all the best in your future

endeavours and hope you keep playing hockey. Thank you to all my parents and for all your support, it's been a great year. Thank you also to Anna Taylor for helping out at training, your knowledge and expertise is greatly appreciated.

Congratulations to JAI CLIFFORD who was awarded OWHA Junior R/U Fairest and Best.

Congratulations to the following LGP Junior Hockey Club award winners:

Fairest and Best

JAI CLIFFORD

Sponsored by: Lake Grace Cabinet Makers

R/U Fairest and Best

TROY MURRAY & JAKE CAMERON

Sponsored by: Joe and Wendy O'Neill

Coaches Award KIRA PEARCE

Sponsored by: Brad and Janine Watson

Most Improved

JASON O'NEILL

Sponsored by: D & D Steele

Encouragement Award

TESS STANTON

Sponsored by Christine Altham

Thank you to all our Junior Hockey Trophy Sponsors (as mentioned above) and to P & M Cameron and R & G De Vree for our weekly 'Top Effort' Awards. Your support is sincerely appreciated.



Back row L to R: Cody Giles, Stella Dines, Kira Pearce, Ruby Stanton and Missy Clifford (coach).

Middle row L to R: Reegan Marshall, Jason O'Neill, Jai Clifford, Troy Murray, Jonty Robinson, Lewis Gerard and Michael Watson.

Front row L to R: Luke Clifford, Tess Stanton, Holly Stanton, Amber Pearce, Lucas Robinson and Jake Cameron.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Dr Linda Haines

Will be unavailable for appointments until October. Ring 9865 1208 for an appointment.

Sally Dickinson

Counsellor for Southern AgCare. A free and confidential service. Contact 0427 192 155 www.southernagcare.org.au

Holyoake Community Alcohol and Drug Service

Matthew Bejger Counsellor/Diversion Officer Ph: 08 9881 1999

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.

Lake Grace Op Shop

46 Bennett Street (Old Church) **Open**

Tuesday 1:00 - 4:00pm Friday 9:30am - 1:00pm

Local Assistance For Wandrra Flood Funding Applications

Do you need help with your Category C
WANDRRA application?
WANDRRA funding is available to help growers
in our area with their recovery from the February
floods which devastated the region.
Helen Woodhams from Rural Financial
Counselling Service will be available to take
appointments from 25th September onwards (post
field days)!

Helen can assist you with your eligibility for funding and also aid growers to complete the online application. She is willing to travel to your farm office to help. It is a free service for Primary Producers. To book a time please contact Helen on 0407 132 724.

Lake Grace Pingrup Hockey Club AGM

When: Wednesday 20th September

Time: 6.30 pm

Where: At the Lake Grace Sportsman Club

All welcome

Senior Citizens Luncheon

Thursday 5th October at the CWA Hall. Catered by Lake Grace Playgroup. RSVP's to be phoned through to Deborah Carruthers on 0438 895 101.

Community Midwife

Sandy Slee, the Community Midwife, will be coming to Lake Grace the first Tuesday of every month until further notice. Call Narrogin Primary Health on 9881 0385 to make an appointment.

CWA Bookings

Please be advised that if you wish to book the CWA Hall then please contact the Lake Grace CRC on 9865 1470.

Crisis Care Numbers

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	Doctor's Surgery -9865 1208	Electricity Faults - 13 13 51				
	Hospital - 9890 2222	Water Faults - 13 13 75				
_	Ambulance/Fire/Police - 000	Directory Assistance - 1223				
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	Sally Dickinson 0427 192 155 Southern AgCare Counselling	Kids Helpline 1800 551 800 www.kidshelp.com.au				
	Poisons Information 13 11 26	Ngala 9368 9368 www.ngala.com.au				
	Crisis Care WA - 9223 1111 / 1800 199 008 www.community.wa.gov.au	Wheatbelt Mental Health Service Northam - (08) 9621 0999 Narrogin - (08) 9881 0700				
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Community Clubs and Associations

Club / Association	Secretary / Contact	Contact Number	Contact Email
Artist Group	Tania Spencer	0429 041 063	spencertania@hotmail.com
Craft Group	Meet at the CWA Bu	ilding Saturdays	from midday onwards
CWA	Suzanne Reeves	0427 651 310	lakegracecwa@gmail.com
Early Learning Centre (Daycare)	Vicki Reynolds	08 9865 2568	lakegraceelc@gmail.com
Development Assoc	Paula Carruthers	0499 616 070	ghpmcarr@bigpond.com
Men's Shed	Phil Clarke	0427 651 155	philclarke@westnet.com.au
Playgroup	Deb Carruthers	0438 895 101	
School	Registrar	08 9865 1207	lakegrace.dhs@education.wa.edu.au
Sportsman's Club	Claire Pelham	08 9865 1239	lgsportsmansclub@bigpond.com
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Winter Sport			
Lake Grace/Kukerin Hockey Club	Tash Bowman	0407 987 293	lgkhockeyclub@outlook.com.au
Lake Grace/Pingrup Football Club	Paula Carruthers	0499 616 070	ghpmcarr@bigpond.com
Lake Grace/Pingrup Hockey Club	Tameka Roukens	0428 826 352	
LG/P Jnr Football Club	Missy Clifford	0407 190 177	lhpjfc@gmail.com
Lake Grace/Pingrup Netball Club	Claire Wells		lgpnc@outlook.com
Lake Grace Golf Club	Gary Frost	0429 651 094	golfclub@lakegrace.wa.au

CHURCH TIMES

Lake Grace Catholic Church

Sunday 17th September

Lake Grace 6 pm

Sunday 24th September

Lake Grace 10 am

For inquiries and request for home visitation, please contact Fr Joseph Sousa on 9865 1248.

Anglican Church of Lake Grace

Sunday 17th September

Lake Grace 9 am

Sunday 24th September

Lake Grace No Service

Enquiries: Father Dave 0427 545 560

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Justices of the Peace

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 Amanda Milton
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 Geoff Sabourne
 0429 651 171

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

September

Fish & Chips @ Sportsman's Club Fri 15 Op Shop Open - 9:30am to 1pm Crochet workshop 10am-midday at CRC Faction Athletics Carnival

Sat 16 Rubbish tip open Craft @ CWA Steak Tea @ Sportsman's Club Winter Sports Wind Up LG-K Hockey Wind Up Sun 17 Rubbish tip open

Golf Closing Day & Windup Mon 18 Rubbish Collection & rubbish tip open

Recycling Collection SwimAbility Trip to Narrogin Community Afternoon Tea @ LGDHS

Undercover Area @ 3:30pm

Tue 19 Men's Shed (morning) Building Surveyor in Lake Grace Chair Aerobics 10:30am at Village Hall SOYF Seniors Program -10am @ Shire Hall Op Shop Open - 1pm to 4pm Lego Club - 3:30 to 4:30pm Restricted Burning Period begins

Wed 20 Rubbish tip open HACC Activity & Morning Tea 10 - 1:30am LGP Hockey Club AGM

Thur 21

Fish & Chips @ Sportsman's Club Fri 22 Op Shop Open - 9:30am to 1pm **HACC Bus Outing** Crochet workshop 10am-midday at CRC

Sat 23 Rubbish tip open Craft @ CWA Steak Teas @ Sportsman's Club Kukerin Creekbed & Burnouts

Rubbish tip open Sun 24 Kukerin Creekbed & Burnouts

Mon 25 Rubbish Collection & rubbish tip open Deadline for Lakes Link News

Tue 26 Men's Shed (morning) Chair Aerobics 10:45am at Village Hall SOYF Senior Program - 10am @ Shire Op Shop Open - 1pm to 4pm

Lego Club - 3:30 to 4:30pm

Bendigo Bank Account Opening Day

Wed 27 Rubbish tip open HACC Activity & Morning Tea 10-11:30am HC/MC Assessment Ordinary Shire Meeting 3:00m @ Council Chambers

Thur 28 Lakes Link Published

Coming Events

5th October - Senior Citizens Luncheon 6th October - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace 9th-10th October - Forklift Workshop 10th October - Building Surveyor in Lake Grace 10th October - CWA Meeting 10th October - Foot Clinic 17th October - Customer Service Workshop

23rd-24th October - Chainsaw workshop 25th October - Bendigo Bank Account Opening Day 31st October - Restricted Burning Period ends

3rd November - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace TBC

4th November - First Aid Course

14th December - Christmas Festival/Late Night Shopping

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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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