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It's Just Rubbish

Suzanne Reeves



Helen and Clem Bennett with Suzanne Reeves and Trish Medlen (holding the vintage cashbox stolen in the Visitors Centre burglary) with some of the rubbish following the Sunday 17th January litter pick. Photo Grant Medlen.

If cleanliness is next to godliness we're not faring too well in some areas of Lake Grace. Sixty one bags, 10 tyres and an assortment of scrap metal were collected from around the town during Sunday's litter pick.

Where does it all come from? Some of it is blown from other places; scrap pieces of paper and aluminium cans that have come out of cars either accidentally or on purpose. Some rubbish is from many decades ago. The range of rubbish that was

bagged included drink containers, paper, old boxes, plastic ties, chip/lolly packets, coffee cups, plastic lids and ties, plastic bags, bones (dog food?) and items of clothing.

What was the most interesting rubbish? That would be a tie between the squashed toilet pan and the vintage cashbox that was stolen from the Visitors Centre a few years ago. Although empty of cash the cashbox still contained one of the centenary pins in mint condition.

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Next Edition

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Gwen Oliver Allan Zweck

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

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Editorial

- ☺ Well that five week break from the Lakes Link went a lot quicker than expected. Welcome back to our contributors, advertisers and readers; we hope you continue to enjoy the paper.
- ☺ Thank you to everyone who helped out with the litter pick on Sunday; we know that the timing wasn't good (hot weather, summer holidays) but we thought the town could do with a bit of a spruce up before Australia Day. I have to say there was more rubbish than I expected.
- ☺ Just a reminder for anyone who has new employees or is new to town themselves that we have the Welcome Package available (minus the phone book at this stage). Drop in to pick one up, it's a valuable source of information.
- ☺ Thank you to our helpers with the Driver Reviver, if you would like to register as a volunteer we would love to hear from you.
- ☺ Don't forget the CRC has changed their email. Thank you to those who have changed over to the new one. It's lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au
- ☺ We are updating the Lake Grace telephone book over the next few weeks. We are completely out so the sooner we can do it the better. If you know of something that needs altering, adding or withdrawing then please let us know. There's a lot of people in our town who we don't seem to have listed in the book; makes it very hard to get hold of you (hopefully that's not your grand plan).
- ☺ As you can see from page 7 we have some volunteering workshops coming up on the 23rd and 24th February. This is an ideal opportunity for groups and organisations to get some pointers on volunteer management.
- ☺ Caroline Robinson will be doing two 'Roles of Your Committee & Updating Your Constitution' on the 29th February (Newdegate in the afternoon and Lake Grace in the evening). This is quite pertinent considering the changes that have recently been passed in relation to the Incorporations Act (see below).

Suzanne Reeves

New Laws for Incorporated Associations and Clubs coming in 2016

New laws have been passed which are aimed at helping incorporated associations in WA operate more efficiently by providing them with a clearer framework in which to operate.

The new law will replace the existing Associations Incorporation Act 1987 and will apply to all existing incorporated associations in Western Australia. It is the culmination of many years of work by the Department of Commerce and key stakeholders in the not for profit sector and will provide incorporated associations with a legal framework that reflects modern expectations around corporate governance and the need to protect the privacy of association members.

The changes are expected to come into effect from 1 July 2016.

In the coming months the Department will release more information and resources on our website including step by step guides to assist incorporated associations through this transition period.

What do we do now?

It is important to understand that the new law will not come into effect until 1 July 2016 so in the meantime the current 1987 Act still applies. The new proposals will require associations to review their rules or constitution but there is a generous three year time frame to get this done.

Right now it is important to:

1. Enrol for AssociationsOnline and ensure that your contact details are up to date. If you are not registered already you can request a username and password by

completing the online enrolment form.

2. Make sure you know when your association's financial year ends. In preparing for the financial reporting requirements introduced by the new law it is important to understand your association's current financial record keeping practices and identify any areas where there could be room for improvement.

The new accounting and financial reporting requirements will apply from the first financial year of an association that commences on or after 1 July 2016. For example an association with a financial year that runs from 1 July to 30 June must comply with the requirements starting from 1 July 2016. An association with a financial year that runs from 1 January to 31 December must comply from 1 January 2017. These reporting requirements are based on financial tiers based on assets and turnover.

We will have information about these changes available early in 2016.

Transition Pack for associations and clubs

At each stage of the new laws' introduction the Department will be releasing a Transition Pack explaining what associations are required to do at that particular time. Our first Transition Pack will be released in February to help associations understand the financial tier process and the annual reporting requirements.

Enrol for AssociationsOnline now to ensure you are notified as soon as this Transition Pack becomes available.

Knitting for the Nepalese

Sam Curtin

Namaste!! This is the local greeting that welcomed me on my arrival to Kathmandu, Nepal on the 6th of November 2015. As part of a Lake Grace School and Community project 'Knitting for the Nepalese' involved students and community members hand knitting blankets to provide support in light of the Nepal earthquakes that occurred earlier this year.

The project was organised by School Chaplain Genni Curtin, and it was my role to take over the blankets having visited a few years earlier. It was during this earlier trip that I had made contact with a Nepalese Doctor who was involved in the latest Nepal earthquake relief mission.

This Doctor, who goes by the name of Doctor Dinesh, is also the founding member of a child health organisation; the Ujeli Care Centre. This contact provided the ideal way to distribute the blankets to the children who would need them the most.

Having landed in Kathmandu with my entire check-in luggage consisting of the blankets and successfully getting through customs, I checked into a hotel in the popular tourist area of Thamel. From here it was a quick 30 minute flight to a place called Pokhara; the location of Ujeli Care Centre, the home city of Dr Dinesh and the place where the blankets would be distributed.

After some discussion it was decided that due to the current fuel crisis in Nepal, we were unable to travel to the Gorkha district, the place largely affected by the earthquake. Instead it was decided that we would distribute some of the blankets to a small child orphanage for street children in the mountains outside Pokhara. The rest will stay in the Ujeli Care Centre until it is possible to distribute the blankets to a school in the earthquake district.

This proved to be a good plan as it allowed me to be there as a representative of the Lake Grace community as the blankets were given to the children. Using a copy of the Lakes Link, Dr Dinesh explained the importance and significance of the blankets and the small squares knitted by the Lake Grace school children as a gift from our children to their children - which they understood. The effect on the children was a profound

and a very rewarding experience.

Although the distribution of the blankets didn't go as planned, as is the case with many things in Nepal, it was great to see the blankets well received and going to a place of need. One blanket will be wall mounted in the Ujeli Care Clinic as a permanent reminder of the contribution from Lake Grace school children and community.

I'd like to take the opportunity to thank all those from the Lake Grace School and community involved in the project. I can tell you all that your time and dedication was very much appreciated by Dr Dinesh. (See letter on page 16).



Sam Curtin with one of the very happy recipients.



Children from the orphanage outside of Pokhara (Nepal) each receive a blanket.

What's Happening?

- Love is in the air with plenty of engagements and even a wedding happening in recent weeks.
- Congratulations to Phil Young and Leanne Mahoney who chose a beach setting in Denmark to exchange vows on Saturday 16th January. After waiting 24 years to tie the knot we wish Mr and Mrs Young a long and happy future together.
- Well done to Kael Gray and Claire Wells from Quairading who got engaged in December. It's a good thing that Vicki has contacts in the clothing industry as she'll be need a couple of new outfits because....
- It's congratulations to Ashton Gray and Georgia Michael from Bindi Bindi who got engaged on New Year's Day.
- But wait there's more...All the best to Elle Atwell and Lomas McPherson who got engaged on 3rd January.
- Joe and Diedre Trevenen together with Helen and Gary Prater are thrilled to announce the engagement of Maggie and Tyson on 4th January 2016. We wish them blessings and much happiness at this time and in all their future plans and dreams.
- Congratulations and best wishes to Jamo and Mon Eyres (nee Trevenen) on the safe arrival of their little son – Patrick Joseph - born 24th December 2015 at 4.11am and weighed in at 3770g. Paddy is a much loved little brother for Stew and Elsie.
- A belated happy birthday to Jackson Callope who celebrated his 12th birthday on the 10th January.
- Don't forget to come along to the Australia Day breakfast and Australia Day awards presentation at the swimming pool on Tuesday 26th January. The Lions will have the barbeque cranking with breakfast starting at 7:30am. Don't forget to bring your own crockery and cutlery!

Many Thanks to All

To all those wonderful people in our community who came to assist us after our car accident, (Naomi Duckworth, Daryl Hicks, road traffic, Ambos, Police and Furies). All of your help was greatly appreciated by us and our families.

Many thanks and love from Elle Trevenen and Brigette Morgan.

Happy Birthday



21st January	Morgan Chatfield Natasha Strevett Stella Dines Dot Morgan
23rd January	Harry Strevett Abbey Strevett Jacob Strevett John Gambuti (?0)
25th January	Keirnan Harvey
26th January	Letisha Marshall
27th January	Dean Carruthers
28th January	Rhiannon Stubberfield Dennis Gittos
29th January	Amber Pearce
30th January	Aylah Withnell
2nd February	Charlotte Benson Mirella Jones
3rd February	Peter Medlen Joel Giles
4th February	Cheryl Chappell Misha Clarke

Anniversaries



- 24th January - Bec & Brayden Reynolds
- 26th January - Lucy & Ollie Farrelly
- 29th January - Michelle & Peter Lay

Phone Book Update

We're currently out of phone books and would like to update before printing. The blue (current) phone book was revamped in May 2012 there we need your help. You've moved...you're new to town...you would like your mobile included... Please contact the Lake Grace CRC on 9865 1470 and update your details or alternatively email us on lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au Please get your information to us by Friday 5th February for inclusion.



Lake Grace Weather

- Terry Gladish

January Extremes

Highest Monthly Rainfall	268.6	2006
Lowest Monthly Rainfall	0	2005
Highest Number of Rain days	10	2000
Lowest Number of Rain days	0	2005
Highest Daily Rainfall	129.6	29/01/1990
Highest Max Temperature	45.1	13/01/2014
Lowest Max Temperature	15.2	04/01/2007
Highest Min Temperature	29.2	05/01/1977
Lowest Min Temperature	5.3	23/01/2001

Date	Min	Max	Rain
16/12	16.3	29.5	
17/12	15.7	25.8	0.2
18/12	13.2	33.3	
19/12	12.5	23.8	
20/12	10.9	24.7	
21/12	13.6	33.5	
22/12	17.0	36.2	
23/12	19.9	36.9	
24/12	18.9	31.7	
25/12	11.3	24.1	
26/12	9.0	29.0	
27/12	12.7	34.3	
28/12	19.2	38.6	
29/12	20.2	42.4	
30/12	16.6	24.7	
31/12	14.9	24.8	

Date	Min	Max	Rain
1/1	13.4	28.2	
2/1	15.6	30.4	
3/1	16.1	33.3	
4/1	18.1	34.2	
5/1	20.6	34.4	
6/1	17.7	34.8	
7/1	18.1	35.0	
8/1	18.6	36.8	
9/1	19.4	37.9	
10/1	19.4	33.6	13.2
11/1	17.9	34.1	
12/1	18.7	29.0	
13/1	12.7	25.6	
14/1	12.5	29.1	
15/1	15.5	32.7	
16/1	19.7	36.3	
17/1	20.3	35.6	
18/1	18.3	20.4	5.4
19/1	16.8	25.1	9.0
20/1	16.6		8.8



Attracting and Managing Volunteers

Suzanne Reeves

With 30 community groups in Lake Grace receiving the benefit of 22,000 volunteer hours it is little wonder that it is a juggle for many to fulfil the obligations they take on whilst balancing this with their family, work and recreational pursuits. Something has to give.

How can groups better manage this? How can they draw in fresh volunteers and create a better life/work/volunteer balance for those that contribute to their organisation. It's of no value to the volunteer or the group to rely on a volunteer so much that they throw in the towel and walk away.

What makes one person see a volunteer role as an opportunity to 'do good, learn and contribute' while another sees it as a potential to be 'used and left to carry the load'.

Volunteering WA will be running three workshops in Lake Grace on Tuesday 23rd and Wednesday 24th February. They will cover:

- Attracting and retaining younger volunteers
- Volunteer rights and responsibilities

- Key issues of volunteer management

Gilda Davies is Training and Development Manager with the State's peak volunteering body, Volunteering WA and will be facilitating the workshops in Lake Grace. She is an experienced Volunteer Manager and Trainer and has been delivering best practice volunteer workshops across WA for several years. A significant amount of this has been in the regional areas. Growing up and volunteering in the country, Gilda also has a really good understanding of the many nuances of volunteering in small communities.

The workshops are free to the community having been funded by a grant received by the Lake Grace Community Resource Centre.

The Volunteering WA workshops are just one part of the grant; other workshops will be covering Roles of the Committee and Updating your Constitution (very important with the recent changes in the Incorporation Act) and managing a Social Media page or website for your group.

Do yourself and your group a favour and register your interest in these workshops.

Volunteering Workshops

Attracting and Retaining Younger Volunteers

Tuesday 23 February 2016 - 5.30pm – 7:30pm (finger food supplied between two sessions)

Do you find it hard to engage volunteers of different age groups, especially the younger ones? What makes them tick? Take a fascinating two hour look into the generations and learn how to attract, retain and work with them all. This workshop is useful for your home life too!

Volunteer Rights and Responsibilities

Tuesday 23rd February 2016 - 7.30pm – 8.00pm (finger food supplied between two sessions)

There are a limited number of volunteers in the region so you need to make the volunteer experience a good one so they will stay. This is a great little session that gets you thinking about what volunteers expect from the organisation, and what the organisation expects of volunteers. Meeting volunteer expectations is critical in volunteer retention and if you have the right things in place it will help you attract great volunteers too!

Key Issues of Volunteer Management

Wednesday 24 February 2016 – 9.00am – 12.30pm (morning tea supplied)

This fast-paced workshop covers the key principles for effective volunteer management, such as:

- ☺ What motivates people to volunteer, to stay or leave your organisation
- ☺ Job Descriptions, recruiting, selecting, retaining, rewarding, dismissing volunteers
- ☺ Developing a recruitment message to attract the best volunteers

Your good volunteers won't want to leave when you have systems and structures in place for them!



Book Making Workshop

Kerrie Argent

The Lake Grace Artists Group had its first workshop for 2016. It was about making books with traditional and non traditional methods, using non traditional materials and of course recycling.

With Jayne Argent home for the summer holidays, we made excellent use of her skills and knowledge by organising the book making workshop. Jayne taught the participants how to make six different styles of books, using some of those beautiful papers hidden in cupboards, a special piece of fabric, or a painted canvas that wasn't a favourite that could be cut up to make strong bright coloured covers.

While some ladies were busy making a selection of books, three others came to learn and make their 365 journals. These are for putting their photo a day in! All went home with beautiful, Coptic bound photo journals, ready to be filled with the year's happenings and events that have been captured on camera.

Jayne did an excellent job managing to teach the two different groups and no one felt they had missed out on any attention from her.

On Sunday afternoon all the ladies were very pleased with their new skills and creations while I was disappointed that I had to work and not participate in this workshop.

Jayne will be returning in April to teach how to create "cabinets of curiosities", for small collections.

The Lake Grace Artist Group meets once a month on the third Tuesday of the month from 11am onwards with their meeting at 1pm, Just come along if you want to join us. All are welcome.



Jayne Argent is keeping a watchful eye on her students as they make their books.



A book in the making.



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Mackenzie Palmer

Yr 6 Woodside Scitech Science Award (Male)

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Abbey Strevett

Yr 6 Citizenship

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Harry Strevett

Primary Performing Arts Award

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Reegan Marshall

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Kira Pearce

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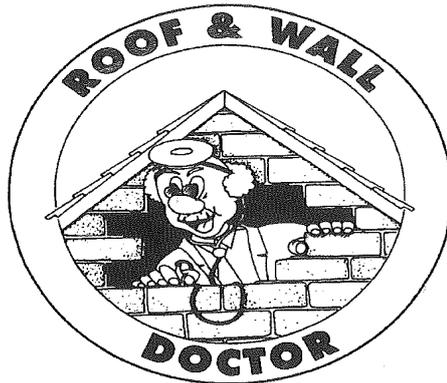
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Kites on the Lake

Steve Curtin

The Curtin brothers couldn't resist the shimmer of water on Lake Grace cemetery lake even though it was Christmas Day 2015. The harvest rains at Lake Grace had filled the cemetery lake west of Lake Grace to knee depth which was deeper than when this lake was kite surfed for the first time on Christmas day 2014. All four brothers Paul, Sam, Nat and John took to the lake and the air for an entertaining spectacle before the sun went down. Missing was the large flocks of birds which were a sight themselves last year as they took to the air when disturbed. Once again Sam was the one who ended up in the mud after a mistimed jump and landing. It would be great to see this lake full and the kites could be a more regular feature.



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Feeling Festive for the Driver Reviver

Suzanne Reeves

Lake Grace Roadwise seemed to hit the right schedule for the Driver Reviver prior to Christmas. In previous years we've tried it on a variety of days; the day after school breaks, Christmas Eve etc and all we seemed to end up with was sunburn and low statistics.

The van can only open if we have the people to man it and Christmas is difficult with harvest, overloaded timetables and hot weather. The heat is hard on the volunteers and is not conducive for drivers to stop and hop out of the air-conditioned comfort of their car.

If travellers don't stop it's not as much fun for those manning the van, because let's face it they're there to knock up a hot beverage and have a chat.

For 2015 the van was open in the two days leading up to Christmas. Open between 10am and 6pm on the Wednesday and from 10am until 4pm on Christmas Eve we had 82 motorists stop to take advantage of the free tea and coffee.

Over the two days 16 volunteers did 30 hours of

volunteering to keep the van open for 14 hours. A big thank you to everyone who did their bit and also to the furies who get the van out and set it up and then put it away again.

The van will be out for Easter and we will be looking for volunteers for Thursday 24th March, Friday 25th March and Monday 28th March. We would love your help!

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To find out more about the Expression of Interest process, including the application form that must be submitted, please go to the 'Join RDA' page of the National RDA website. <https://rda.gov.au/join-your-rda/>

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The Expression of Interest closing date is Monday 25th January 2016. For more information please contact the Administration office on 9575 1888 or admin@rdawheatbelt.com.au

Insurance Tips 2016

Justin Wright & Kerry Hitchins

This year we'll follow the adventures of the Clegg family. The Clegg family have farmed in the Shire for over 50 years, with Barry & Judy now retiring to Albany and the farm will be run by 2 brothers John & Mike. John is married to Sarah and they have 2 teenage girls – Maddie & Jess, while Mike married Loren and they have 2 teenage sons – Clayton & James.

Knowing that both sons wanted to farm, over the years Barry & Judy have increased their land holdings to ensure a reasonable income for both families. John & Mike live on farms adjoining the home farm. When Barry & Judy move to Albany later this year, the home farm will be vacant for most of the time.

When John & Mike's children started senior schooling in Perth, the Cleggs purchased a unit near their schools to make it easier for the family to participate in some school activities. It provides handy accommodation throughout the year.

The next generation are all keen to get tertiary qualifications, with Maddie and Clayton setting their sights on Agribusiness degrees. Jess would like to do Veterinary Science (she knows she has a lot of work to do over the next few years) and James is keen on teaching.

All insurances for the family are combined under one farm policy, giving the family some flexibility and a one payment covers all option.

Insurance decisions that will need to be made this year will include:

- What value to put on the remaining contents at the home farm?
- What insurance cover will be best for the home farm?
- As the teenage children become eligible to drive, what vehicles should they use, and what insurance cover should be taken to cover them?
- Should John & Mike have personal accident cover in case of illness or injury?
- Once the children leave secondary school, what accommodation will they need and how to ensure that any property has adequate insurance cover?

And, of course, like all families there will undoubtedly be unexpected events that will have the Cleggs grabbing their insurance policy documents and reading the fine print!

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New Website for CRC

Suzanne Reeves

The Lake Grace Community Resource Centre has launched their new website; we're pleased with the end result and feel it is a better fit for our Centre than the one that we had been using for the last few years.

With the website being independently owned by the CRC it now has full control over the look of their website and the content management. The site is still being added to but the bulk of the information is in place.

Along with the standard information about our organisation and what services we offer the community we have included a section on local business, community groups and sporting groups.

The website was easy to create and I have found it quite simple to add data and upload images. I

believe it will become a valuable tool in getting our information out there.

But now we would like your feedback...please log on to www.lakegrace.crc.net/ and have a good look at the site. We welcome your ideas and feedback.

Below: The homepage of the CRC's new website.



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Again, many thanks for your support. It means the world of warmth to the children who received blankets from their friends of Australia.

We look forward to work with you!

An Approach to Serve
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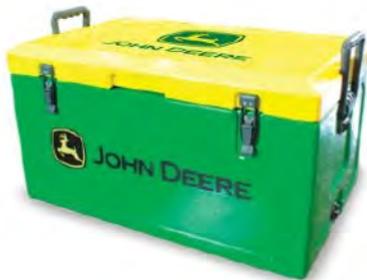
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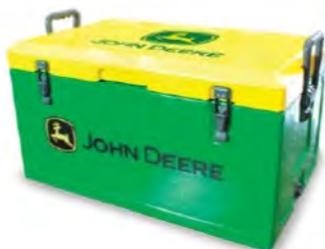
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Bits & Pieces

2015 – Where did it go?!?!

Here we are into 2016 and over halfway through January already.

But (and according to my daughter and some English teachers you should never start a sentence with 'But' as it nullifies the previous sentence)...

But things are getting better for mum as a lot of dads have used up their holidays and gone back to work (hooray said mum) and February 1st is the day the little ones return for another year at school.

As there is another nine or ten days to go, and so mum won't have to listen to them repeatedly saying "I'm bored", "Mum, Johnny did this", "Mum, Sally is looking at me and won't stop teasing me", "Mum my phone won't work" plus a multitude of other patience-testing dilemmas, let's give them a list of questions to not only fill in the time but also get them in the mood for school.

These questions have already at one time been put to the adults with various success rates, so let's see how the kids handle them.

Take the easy quiz now!

- Q 1 Some months have 30 days.
Some months have 31 days.
How many months have 28 days?
- Q 2 A doctor gives you three pills and tells you to take one pill every half hour.
How long would it take before all the pills had been taken?
- Q 3 I went to bed at 8 o'clock in the evening and wound up my clock and set the alarm to sound at 9 o'clock in the morning.
How many hours of sleep would I get before being awakened by the alarm?
- Q 4 Divide 30 by half and add 10.
What do you get?
- Q 5 A farmer has 17 sheep.
All but 9 die.
How many live sheep are left?
- Q 6 You only have one match.
You enter a COLD and DARK room where there is an oil lamp, an oil heater and a candle.
Which would you light first?
- Q 7 A man builds a house with four sides of rectangular construction, each side having southern exposure.
A big bear comes along.
What colour is the bear?

Now for the tricky ones!

- Q1 How many animals of each species did Moses take with him in the Ark?
- Q2 If a plane crashed on the border of England and Scotland, where would they bury the survivors?
- Q3 If there's a frog, dead in the centre of a lily pad which is right in the middle of the pond, which side would it jump to?
- Q4 You're the bus driver.
At the first stop 4 people get on.
At the second stop 8 people get on.
At the third stop 2 people get off.
At the fourth stop everyone got off.
The question is:
.....what colour are the driver's eyes?
- Q5 What never get any wetter, no matter how much it rains?
- Q6 A man went outside in the pouring rain with no protection, but not a hair on his head got wet.
How come?
- Q7 David's father has three sons:
Snap, Crackle and _____ ?
- Q8 What has a mouth but doesn't eat, a bank with no money, a bed but doesn't sleep, and waves but has no hands?
- Q9 A cowboy rode to an inn in Friday.
He stayed two nights and left on Friday.
How could that be?
- Q10 If the red house is on the right side and if the blue house is on the left side where's the white house?

And just to finish off here is an intriguing story about one of our favourite veggies – the potato.

Potatoes

Well, a Girl Potato and a Boy Potato had eyes for each other. Finally they got married and had a little sweet potato which they called Yam.

Of course, they wanted the best for Yam.

When it was time, they told her about the facts of life. They warned her about going out and getting half-baked, so she wouldn't get accidentally mashed and get a bad name for herself like 'Hot Potato'.

Yam said not to worry, no Spud would get her into the sack and make a rotten potato out of her!

Continued next page

Bits & Pieces (cont.)

But on the other hand, she wouldn't stay home and become a Couch Potato either.

She would eat properly so as not to be skinny like her Shoestring Cousins.

When she went to Europe, Mr and Mrs Potato told Yam to watch out for those hard-boiled guys from Ireland and the greasy guys from France called the French Fries; and when she went out West, she must watch out for the Indians so she wouldn't get scalloped.

They sent Yam to Idaho P. U. (that's Potato University) so that when she graduated she's be really 'in the Chips'.

But in spite of all they did for her, one day Yam came home and announced that she was going to marry Basil Zemplis.

"Basil Zemplis!!!!", they cried.

They were very upset and told Yam "You can't possibly marry Basil Zemplis because he's just...."

Are you ready for this? Are you sure? Ok! You asked for it:

Here it is!

...just a COMMONTATER!"

BOOM BOOM!! That's it. I hope they get better as the year progresses....!



- ANSWERS TO EASY QUIZ
- Q1 All of them
 - Q2 1 hour
 - Q3 1 hour
 - Q4 70
 - Q5 9
 - Q6 The match
 - Q7 White. If all the walls face south, the house must be on the North Pole.
- ANSWERS TO TRICKY QUIZ
- Q1 None. It was Noah, not Moses.
 - Q2 You don't bury survivors.
 - Q3 Neither, the frog is dead.
 - Q4 The same as yours, you're the bus driver.
 - Q5 The seal
 - Q6 He was bald.
 - Q7 Davis.
 - Q8 A river.
 - Q9 His horse was called Friday.
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Self Worth vs Self Esteem

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Self-worth and self-esteem are often confused as being synonymous (the same), however they are very different.

- Self-esteem is about measuring yourself based on external actions;
- Self-worth is about valuing your inherent worth as a person.

In other words self-worth is about who you are, not about what you do.

Society pushes for the need to have a high self-esteem but the problem with this is that you are always valuing yourself against others. The competitive nature of men in particular, tells us we need to be better and above average to feel really good about ourselves (keeping up appearances). When you look at this way of building your self-esteem it can be a losing battle because there will always be someone who is more handsome, slimmer, richer, owns bigger and better equipment and so on.

Self-esteem is pretty transient and can change in an instant depending on what happens, for example we may be feeling pretty good about a new piece of machinery or the quality of our stud flock and then someone makes a negative comment and our self-esteem falters and we feel completely crushed. That's how fragile our self-esteem can be because it can also be fixed by a compliment that bolsters us again. Much anxiety may be created in striving for acceptance or approval and maintaining our ego or pride.

Probably the best way to understand self-worth is to ask yourself how valuable you are, or how much you deserve to have something you prize. It is a deep comfort knowing that you are of value, that you are loveable and necessary to this life. One may feel a high self-esteem because they are good at something, yet still not feel they are loveable and worthy. When you have a healthy self-worth (at the very core of yourself) you have a deep knowledge that you are fundamentally a valuable and worthwhile person regardless of -

- what others may say or do to you;
- what your successes or failures are;
- what you win or lose;
- what you have or don't have;
- whether you are sick or healthy.

The concept of self-worth is really about knowing that

you are always going to be worth more than all of your achievements put together.

It is definitely a good thing to think and feel good about ourselves but what happens when our self-esteem is crushed, does that mean we are no longer valuable?

Absolutely not however many people do think that they are no longer valuable. For example Robyn Williams, the highly regarded actor and held in high esteem by millions, completed suicide probably not because of a low self-esteem but more likely a low sense of self-worth.

Self-worth and self-esteem are vital beliefs for empowering oneself. A valid sense of self worth is necessary in order to attain love and a sound mind. A valid sense of self-worth precludes the possibility of depression and the worthlessness that can lead to despair or possible suicidal behaviour.

Situations, or life events, can come from many places. As these situations develop we need to value our self-worth to reduce anxiety for ourselves. *Remember ... before it all gets too much... Talk to a Mate!*

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CEO's Corner

Happy New Year everyone and welcome to the first edition of the Shire's Community News for 2016, I trust you all had an enjoyable festive season.

Thankyou to Peter Bradbrook for sitting in as Acting CEO whilst I was on leave during November and December.

Lake Grace & Newdegate Medical Practice

I am pleased to advise that a replacement Doctor has been secured. Dr Manus Lochner will be taking over the Practice as from 15 February 2016 for an initial period of 12 months. Some residents may already be familiar with Dr Lochner as he previously worked in the Ravensthorpe Practice for a number of years.

The Shire, through its arrangements with First Health has secured the services of a locum, Dr Paul Pittorino who will commence on Monday, 18 January 2016 and work through until the arrival of Dr Lochner.

Unfilled office of Councillor- Rural Ward - New Councillor

2016 sees us welcome on board a newly elected member to fill the vacant councillor position. I am pleased to advise that Council, at its 15 December 2015 Ordinary Meeting, endorsed the appointment of Mrs Rozalind A Lloyd to the unfilled position of Councillor for a four year term ending 19 October 2019. Congratulations to Roz Lloyd of Newdegate on her appointment to Council, Roz will be sworn in and take up her duties as a Councillor early in February. Roz is a great community ambassador and we look forward to her participation and input into Council's decision making process.

Independent Living Units – Newdegate

As the community would be aware, the Shire has experienced difficulties with the builder contracted to the Newdegate Independent Living Units (ILU's) and Lesser Hall Project resulting in the termination of the contract with Eclat last September.

The Shire's building team are now in the process of completing the units with the Lesser Hall Project on hold until the accommodation units are completed as these are the priority in respect to the grant funding arrangements. The funding program under which the

ILU's are being built requires completion by March 2016 so time is of the essence in order to meet those deadlines.

The contractor engaged by the Shire to undertake the construction of the four units and renovation of the Lesser Hall was unable to complete the works required. A detailed report on these matters was provided to Council at its 15 December Ordinary Meeting. The non-performance by the contractor has left the Shire with a projected cash shortfall of \$160,688 in respect to these projects.

To meet this unexpected shortfall, at a subsequent Special Meeting held on the 21 December 2015, a report was presented to Council to determine funding options available. It is proposed that funds held in the Shire's Newdegate Hall and Housing Reserve Funds be used – see public notice elsewhere in this publication, and that these funds will be reinstated. Council will endorse the use of the funds at its February 2016 Ordinary Meeting.

The reports to Council in December outlined the payments made to date against the project, outstanding works against the Eclat Contract, the funding sources, a list of works to be completed and the project shortfall. The full reports are available in the Minutes of the Council's 15 December 2015 Ordinary Meeting and the 21 December 2015 Special Meeting and can be found on the Shire's website at www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Annual Electors Meeting

The Annual Meeting of Electors for 2014/15 will be held on Monday, 1st February 2016 in the Lake King Hall commencing at 7.30pm. Ratepayers/electors are encouraged to attend to ask questions, a reminder that questions submitted prior to the meeting enables an answer to be provided at the meeting, otherwise your question may need to be taken on notice to allow sufficient time for research.

Neville Hale

Chief Executive Officer



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

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Waste & Recycling Pick up Dates

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

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

Lake Grace	Newdegate
25 January	1 February
8 February	15 February

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.



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

Driving Assessor

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

Friday - 5 February 2016

Friday - 4 March 2016 to be confirmed

Please contact the Shire's Customer Service Officer for an appointment.

You can now book your PDA online. For more information visit www.transport.wa.gov.au

Building Surveyor

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

Wednesday 27 January 2016

Tuesday 9 February 2016

To make an appointment please contact Josiah on ☎0438 811 944.

Harvest Ban Hotline

Useful telephone numbers:

- For emergencies dial 000
- Total Fire Ban information 1800 709 355
- Shire of Lake Grace Harvest Ban Information 9487 7191

Please contact the Shire Office on 9890 2500 if you wish to be notified of harvest bans using SMS.

Ordinary Council Meeting

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held:

3:00 pm Wednesday

24 February 2016

Location: Council Chambers

1 Bishop St Lake Grace

Members of the public welcome.

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



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Shire Road Works

Roadworks will start on Monday 18 January 2016 on Biddy Camm Road between Buniche North Rd and Lake Biddy Rd. Heavy construction machinery will be operating in the area.

Please respect the speed limit and traffic management signs.

Construction is expected to be completed before Australia Day, weather permitting.



Australia Day



Lake Grace

Hosted by: Lake Grace Lions Club

When: Tuesday 26th January 2016

Where: Lake Grace Swimming Pool **Time:** 7:30am

Details: Free BBQ breakfast BYO plates, cutlery & mugs.

Presentation of Australia Day Citizenship Awards
Australian Citizenship Ceremony
Australian Citizenship Affirmation

Newdegate

Hosted by: Gateway Uniting Church

When: Tuesday 26th January 2016

Where: Pioneer Park **Time:** 8:30am

Details: Free BBQ breakfast with live music
Presentation of Australia Day Citizenship Awards
Australian Citizenship Ceremony
Australian Citizenship Affirmation

Lake King

Hosted by: Lake King Tavern

When: Tuesday 26th January 2016

Where: behind the Tavern **Time:** 11:30am

Details: Free BBQ
Australian Citizenship Affirmation

Varley

Hosted by: Varley Progress Association

When: Tuesday 26th January 2016

Where: Varley Sports Pavilion **Time:** 12noon

Details: Free BBQ lunch
Presentation of Australia Day Citizenship Awards and
Australian Citizenship Affirmation

Lake Grace Swimming Pool

VACSWIM 2015/2016

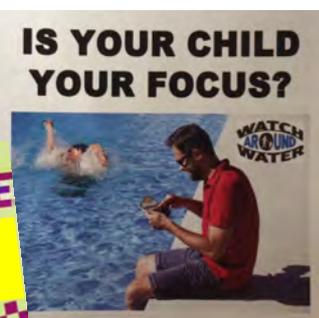
VACSWIM is done and dusted for another summer. Well done to centre supervisor Emily Taylor and instructor Brianna McWhirter and many thanks for coming back to LG to run a great program. With approximately 50 enrolments the girls with the assistance of 2 prac students, were kept on their toes going through the many skills and drills of the Swim Survive program over the 8 days the program was held. The weather played a huge part putting out the sun every afternoon and warming the water to an average of 27 degrees each day. Over the eight days 1400 attendances were recorded at the Lake Grace Swimming Pool.

VACSWIM is an Education Department run program that offers the opportunity for every child to learn to swim and develop essential water safety skills at a very minimal cost. The program is offered all over WA between October and February each year. For further information look at, education.wa.gov.au/swimming If you attended the VACSWIM program in Lake Grace and would like to give feedback regarding the date, time and duration of this recent program please feel free to email lgpoolmanager@lakegrace.wa.gov.au or phone 9890 2500.

Screeentime

If you haven't already guessed, this summer we are targeting 'SCREENTIME' at our pool. Thank you to all the parents, carers and guardians who are taking note of this and leaving their electronic item in their bag or better still at home. Your child's safety in the water is way more important then your latest Facebook update.

Please stay vigilant when in, on or around water ESPECIALLY if you have children with you.



Pre Season Sports Training

Are you ready - Have you thought about it yet?? Get started at the LG pool. We have heaps of H2O fitness equipment for your use, and its low impact on your body and you can still get your heart rate up for a great workout. Give it a go at Lake Grace Swimming Pool.



Shire of Lake Grace Public Notices

INVITATION - COMMUNITY NOMINEE

Council at its 15 December 2015 Ordinary Meeting established the Newdegate Swimming Pool Management Committee which will meet at least once per semester.

The Shire has three positions available, two have been filled by Cr Armstrong and the Chief Executive Officer (or his nominee).

Invitations are now sought from the Newdegate community for the position of community representative on the Newdegate Swimming Pool Management Committee. Nominations in writing, by Monday 8 February 2016 can be directed to:

Neville Hale
Chief Executive Officer
PO Box 50
Lake Grace WA 6353

or by email to shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Please give us a call at the Shire on 9890 2500 if you require more information or wish to discuss the matter further.

Neville Hale
Chief Executive Officer

ANNUAL MEETING OF ELECTORS

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of Electors of the Shire of Lake Grace is to be held on Monday, 1 February 2016 at 7.30pm in the Lake King Town Hall.

The purpose of the meeting and order of business is:

- To discuss the contents of the Annual Report for the year ended 30 June 2015
- Other General Business

Each elector is entitled to one vote however voting is optional.

Members of the Public who wish to have questions **answered** at this meeting may do so by lodging written submissions with the Chief Executive Officer at the Shire Office PO Box 50 Lake Grace WA 6353 no later than Thursday 28 January 2016.

Please be advised that the Annual Report for the financial year ended 30 June 2015 is available and may be obtained by contacting the Shire Office on 9890 2500, collected from the Shire Office at 1 Bishop St, Lake Grace, or from the Shire's website www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Neville Hale
Chief Executive Officer

Shire of Lake Grace Local Planning

Scheme No.4 Amendment No.4

Planning and Development Act 2005

Local Planning Scheme Amendment
Available For Inspection

Notice is hereby given that the Shire of Lake Grace has prepared the abovementioned Local Planning Scheme Amendment for the purpose of:

Re-classifying Lot 92 (No 50) and Lot 93 (No 52) Stubbs Street Lake Grace within Reserve 27942 from Local Scheme Reserve 'Public Purpose – Agriculture WA' to 'Commercial' zone.

Documents and plans setting out and explaining the scheme amendment proposal have been deposited at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration Centre, No.1 Bishop Street, Lake Grace and at the Western Australian Planning Commission, No.140 William Street, Perth and will be available for public inspection during office hours up to and including **Friday, 29 January 2016**.

Submissions on the scheme amendment may be made in writing and lodged with the Shire's Chief Executive Officer at PO Box 50, Lake Grace WA 6353 by no later than **Friday, 29 January 2016**.

Neville Hale
Chief Executive Officer

CHANGE OF PURPOSE OF RESERVE ACCOUNTS

Local Government Act 1995

The Shire of Lake Grace proposes to use \$160,000.00 from the Newdegate Hall Reserve Fund containing \$236,541.72 as at 31 December 2015 for another purpose, namely the Newdegate Independent Living Units and Lesser Hall Project.

The Shire of Lake Grace proposes to use \$30,000.00 from the Housing Reserve Fund containing \$30,393.99 as at 31 December 2015 for another purpose, namely the Newdegate Independent Living Units and Lesser Hall Project.

The objects of, and reasons for the change are to address the funding shortfall identified to complete the Newdegate Independent Living Units and Lesser Hall Project.

The report presented to Council 21 December 2015 identified an estimated funding shortfall of \$160,688.00.

One month's notice of this intention is given as required by the Local Government Act 1995.

Neville Hale
Chief Executive Officer
15 January 2016

Twenty Million Royalties for Regions Community Grants Now Open

Media Release

The latest round of funding for the *Royalties for Regions* Regional Grants Scheme (RGS) and the Community Chest Fund (CCF) will see a total of \$20 million made available to small and large community projects across regional WA.

Applications for the RGS and the CCF will open on Monday, January 11, 2016 and close on Thursday, March 17, 2016.

Member for Wagin Terry Waldron MLA encouraged communities in the Wagin electorate to consider putting forward applications for funding.

“*Royalties for Regions* investment is continuing to improve services and grow communities in regional WA, and these two funding streams are excellent opportunities to get much-needed funding for local initiatives,” Mr Waldron said.

The RGS is aimed at bigger projects, which help attract investment, increase job opportunities and improve the quality of life in the regions, with grants ranging from \$50,001 to \$300,000. The CCF supports smaller local projects, with one-off grants of up to \$50,000.

“Hundreds of diverse projects and organisations across

regional WA have benefited from these grants in recent years,” Mr Waldron said.

WA’s nine Regional Development Commissions will oversee the successful projects, with \$15 million available under the RGS and \$5 million under the CCF for the 2016 calendar year.

Minister for Regional Development Terry Redman has announced a 50 per cent increase to both funding streams. Each Regional Development Commission will have access to \$1.67 million for the RGS and \$556,000 for the CCF.

“These grant programs support region-specific priorities that are driven by local communities to assist the development of infrastructure, services and community projects intended to build vibrant regions with strong economies,” Mr Redman said.

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National Carer Gateway Launched

Media Release

The Assistant Minister for Social Services, Alan Tudge MP, today launched Carer Gateway making it easier for carers to access practical information and advice and connect with services in their local area.

Carer Gateway comprises a national telephone service, website and an interactive service finder to help carers locate their nearest existing support services.

The Federal Government has committed \$33.7 million, over four years, to deliver Carer Gateway as the first step of the Integrated Plan for Carer Support Services.

The current service system for carers is complex, fragmented and difficult to navigate, meaning carers cannot find the assistance they need. Carer Gateway provides carers with a central information gateway, making it easier to find the right services and support to assist them in their caring role.

Mr Tudge said the new Carer Gateway would make a real difference to the way carers access support, and it would also help to reach out to carers who might not currently identify as carers or know that support is available to them.

“Many carers do not have the time to go searching across multiple sites for reliable information on how to access local respite services or social support.

“Now carers will have an easy to access gateway to help connect them with the existing local services they need.

“Carer Gateway is the first step toward an integrated carer support service,” said Mr Tudge.

Carers can call 1800 422 737, Monday to Friday between 8am and 6pm, and speak to a helpful and professional Australian-based team who can help with information, and provide links to local services.

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Position title	<i>Centre Co-Ordinator</i>
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Term of employment	Full time, 12 month contract
Commencement date	Monday 8th February, 2016
Remuneration	\$24.00 - \$26.00 per hour (negotiable depending on experience)
Hours	25-35 hours a week (negotiable)
Qualifications/ Experience	Diploma/ Bachelor level (desirable but not essential)
Application Due	Friday 29th January, 2016
Application via	Application Form & Resume
To discuss role further please contact:	Renae Jury, Chairperson Mobile: 0427 426 782 Email: joshandrenae@gmail.com

This is a fantastic opportunity for a qualified applicant to gain more experience in a role that has unlimited potential. The applicant will be pivotal in implementing a defined Business Plan and delivering on the requirements of a new government contract.

The Action Plan section of the Business Plan will be provided to applicants to give insight into the events and initiatives planned by the Pingrup CRC in 2015/2016.

We are looking for an applicant who is self-motivated and driven to achieve results. You need to have good people skills and the ability to manage multiple projects. Enthusiasm and organisation skills are essential. Defined key accountabilities and performance indicators will be reviewed regularly and guide professional development opportunities.

The applicant will develop experience in:

- *Project & event management*
- *Community engagement*
- *Grant preparation and acquittal*
- *Budgets & financial management*
- *Government reporting*
- *Team work*
- *Business plans*

Please note:

Full Job Description & Action Plan available from Pingrup CRC

It's Just Rubbish (cont.)

And then there was the rubbish that some don't perceive as rubbish, cigarette butts. They may seem small, but with an estimated 4.5 trillion butts littered worldwide each year they are the most common item of littering. Well done to the volunteers who harnessed their fine motor skills to pick them up.

Some rubbish poses a very real risk to others, particularly the broken stubbies. No doubt this was a heart breaking moment for the person who dropped them on their way home from the pub but it would have been a painful moment for anyone who stepped on the broken shards or cut themselves while picking the pieces up.

However we travel from the lows of lost beer (and people too slack to pick up after themselves), to the highs of finding lost currency. The Royal Flying Doctor Service had a win when \$20.40 was discovered by some of the volunteers; people obviously kept a tighter grip on their money in the areas I was picking up.

Sixteen volunteers contributed two hours of their Sunday morning to pick up rubbish, there was no

sleep in with a 7am start, however the lure of a fabulous morning tea was enough to keep everyone motivated. Thank you to Alison Dines for those decadent chocolate passionfruit scones! Thank you also to Clem and Helen Bennett, Ian Bailey and Craig Reeves for driving around collecting the bags and larger items of rubbish and taking them out to the tip.

All of Lake Grace was covered except for the industrial and hill areas. If anyone would like to walk these areas over the next couple of weeks you are more than welcome.

The Shire and CRC initiated town site clean-up will become an annual event, though rather than run it in January it will be held in August / September when the weather is generally cooler and before tourists start arriving in the area for wildflower season.

As a follow on from the town site clean-up an entrance to town litter pick will be held in early April and will cover the area from the town entry points outwards for about 10km. We need a team leader for each of the four entries into Lake Grace; I believe we already have someone for the north road.

The team leader's job would be to break-up their areas into manageable portions, manage their volunteers, collect the bags as they are filled on the day etc. etc. If you would like to help us out by being a team leader we would love to hear from you. We will also be needing volunteers, if you would like to register we would love to hear from you; the more the merrier.

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Hotline Reveals Elder Abuse

Taken from: au.news.yahoo.com/thewest/wa/a/30585434/hotline-reveals-elder-abuse/

Chief executive Greg Mahney said there were reports of sons and daughters gaining unfettered access to their elderly parents' money using their ATM card and PIN.

Some relatives even threatened to "strangle the pet dog" if elder family members refused to hand over money.

Mr Mahney said the number of calls to the hotline, launched in September 2014, was far more than expected given it was still a relatively unknown service.

Callers included elderly people worried they were being pressured into giving money, and adult children who believed their siblings were taking advantage of their parents.

Other calls came from aged-care home staff concerned about the behaviour of family members coming to visit residents.

"Often older people themselves feel something isn't right, but they have trouble coming to terms with their own son or daughter or niece or nephew being capable

of abusing them," Mr Mahney said.

"Other calls are from people who want to do in a sibling.

"We can offer general advice but sometimes we might need to refer them to a lawyer or the police."

Mr Mahney said the calls confirmed the widespread extent of elder abuse, which University of WA research had estimated affected one in 20 elderly people.

It also showed the need for the helpline, which was funded by the Department for Local Government and Communities but operated independently.

The hotline is 1300 724 679.

Great Job Opportunity



The Shire of Lake Grace is looking for a person who is keen to operate under the direction of the Manager Corporate Services and is willing to provide high level administrative support to our team in the areas of customer service and records management. A focus of this role involves payroll and frontline customer service including Department of Transport licensing. Appropriate training will be provided.

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8:00am-5:00pm

For further information and to obtain an application package for this position please contact Lee-Anne Trevenen, Administration Coordinator on ☎ 9890 2500 or email cfa@lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Applications to be marked 'Confidential' and addressed to;

Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Lake Grace, PO Box 50 Lake Grace WA 6353

Applications for the position close 4.00pm Friday 29th January 2016

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Puzzles & Stuff

Some words from the 17/12/2015 edition of Boggle

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Answers to 17/12/2015 Sudoku

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\$3.99 million for Natural Resource Management across WA

Media Release

Natural Resource Management was given a significant boost this week, with the State Government announcing funding for more than 140 community projects across WA.

A total of \$3.99 million will be distributed through the State Natural Resource Management Community Action grants program, including \$3.19 million from Royalties for Regions.

Member for Wagin Terry Waldron MLA said the grants of between \$5000 and \$55,000 would be distributed for 142 community projects, helping to protect the State's natural resources.

"These projects conserve and restore unique ecosystems throughout WA. Without these grants much important environmental work would not be able to occur, especially in remote areas of regional WA," Mr Waldron said.

Locally funded projects in the Wagin electorate include -

- Five projects for the Katanning Land Conservation District Committee with combined funding of more than \$150,000
- Two projects run by the Dumbleyung Landcare Zone awarded funding, together worth more than \$50,000
- A project by the Wagin Woodanilling Landcare Zone, entitled 'Better habitats by battling bridal creeper in Wagin' granted \$11,600
- A grant of \$7300 for the Fitzgerald Biosphere Group Inc's 'Protecting and restoring native vegetation within Bremer River Catchment' initiative
- Gillamii Centre (Cranbrook) will utilise \$40,000 in funding to conserve and connect creek lines and roadsides
- Friends of the Fitzgerald River National Park will

be provided with \$52,400 for the 'Twertup Field Studies Centre: utilities, cooking area & nature walks' project

- Friends of the Porongurup Range Assoc. Inc. have three successful initiatives worth nearly \$48,000 in total

Further local recipients will also work towards conserving our environment in the Boddington, Quindanning and Wandering regions.

The State Natural Resource Management Community Action grants are part of a \$24 million commitment over three years towards natural resource management in WA.

"The grants support local decision-making, enabling communities to do on-ground works that are vital to their local area and encourage their continued involvement in the initiative," Mr Waldron said.

For a full list of projects visit <http://nrm.wa.gov.au>

Community Capability Grants for larger natural resource management projects are currently open until 18 January 2016. Applications for small projects close on 30 May 2016.



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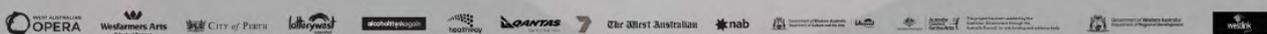
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Getting Control of Your Life

Victoria Yuen - Advertorial

Do you feel as though you have lost control over your life?

Is time flying and you keep repeating the same old life patterns?

Are you struggling with illness or sleeplessness?

I am coming to town to help you out!

I am happy to announce I am doing a wheat belt tour in February and I would like to invite you to a 3 hour workshop to help improve these areas of your life.

I have previously been a school teacher and out of necessity, due to long standing stress related illness, have had to completely change my life. I am now a 500 hour Yoga trained teacher with another year's training in Yoga therapy for trauma, specialising in therapy for breast cancer.

I have 2 books published about creating a relaxed lifestyle now, to prevent illness and stress in the future.

I have taught many workshops and retreats, and I would like to bring this knowledge to your town.

Firstly we will be chatting about how to de-clutter your homes and minds, then we will have a quick snack and move onto unwinding your beautiful body through restorative Yoga with large cushions and blankets, then I'll guide you through an amazing guided meditation.

What is restorative Yoga?

A restorative practice frequently relies on the use of props and the prolonged holding of a few simple poses to achieve a deep level of relaxation.

But what exactly makes this style of yoga unique?

Here are some of the benefits a restorative yoga practice has to offer.

Slows down the pace of life, soothing to the nervous system, encourages mindfulness, cultivates heightened body awareness, deepens self-awareness and introspection, creates deliberateness of action, strengthens acceptance and detachment, helps you feel

safe and nurtured.

What are the benefits of meditation?

Meditation lowers the blood pressure, lowers the levels of blood lactate, reducing anxiety attacks, decreases tension related pain, increases serotonin which improves your moods, emotions and behaviour, increases energy levels and immune system, increases levels of happiness, creativity, problem solving, intuition, and emotional balance.

I will only have 12 places available at each time, so please book your place as soon as you can.

To secure your spot, you can go to my website, head over to the shop tab and book under the 'wheat belt tour'. or by direct deposit: ANZ Bank. BSB: 016770 Account Number: 491 888 883.

It's only \$60 for the 3 hour workshop, workbook and gift bag. Please let your friends know they need to book in early to avoid missing out.

I look forward to meeting you. With love and light,

Victoria x N.B: the gift bags are fabulous! Just saying...



Is time running away from you, while you fill your days with meaningless tasks?

Want to learn how to de-clutter your life, work and mind? Author Victoria Yuen will be here to help you and your family.

Where? Lake Grace CRC

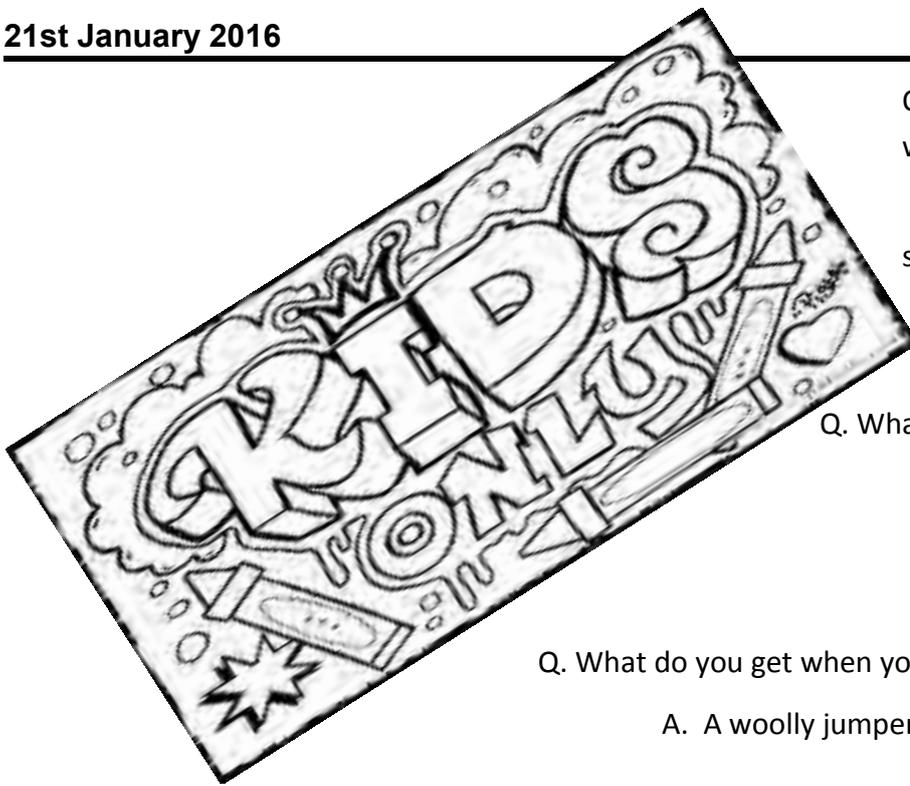
When? 21st of Feb. 5 - 8pm

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Lake Grace Community Resource Centre has a new email address

lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au



Q. Why do kangaroo mums hate bad weather?

A. Their joeys have to play inside!

Q. What's small, furry and purple?

A. A koala holding it's breath!

Q. What do you get when you cross a kangaroo with a sheep?

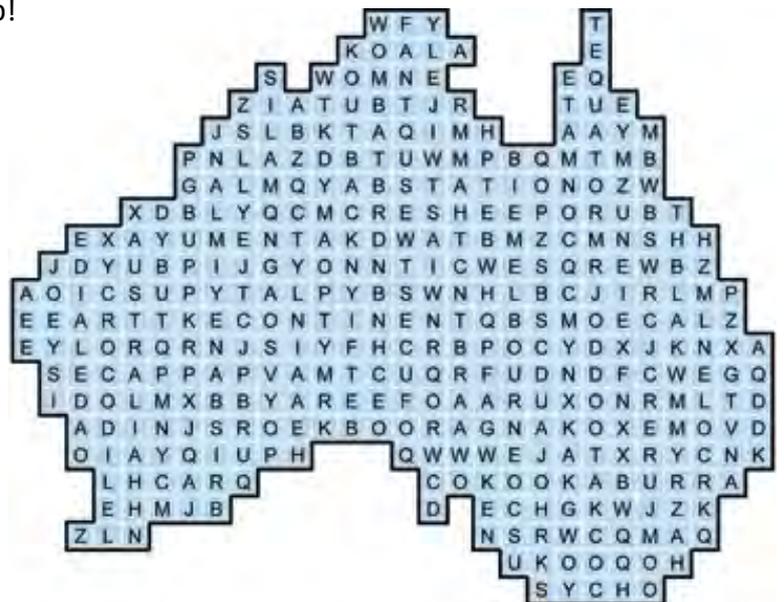
A. A woolly jumper!

Q. What animal can jump higher than the Sydney Harbour Bridge?

A. All animals—bridges can't jump!

Q. Why did the emu cross the road?

A. To prove he wasn't a chicken!



Q. Why did the dingo cross the road twice?

A. Because he was a double-crosser!

Q. What is a koala's favourite drink?

A. Coca Koala!

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| Continent | Kangaroo | Sydney |
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| Crocodile | Kookaburra | Wombat |
| Darwin | Mate | |

Cigarette Butts and the Environment

Taken from <http://www.cleanup.org.au/PDF/au/cua-cigarette-butts-fact-sheet.pdf>

Since the first Clean Up Australia Day in 1990, cigarette butts have consistently been one of the most common items found by Clean Up volunteers.

While most people are aware of the health risks involved in smoking, few seem to realise that cigarettes are also bad for the environment. Cigarette butts may seem small, but with an estimated 4.5 trillion butts (worldwide) littered every year, the toxic chemicals add up.

Butts contain hazardous chemicals such as cadmium, arsenic and lead that are partially filtered out during the smoking process. When butts are discarded, wind and rain carry them into the water supply. The toxic chemicals they contain are then leached into aquatic ecosystems, threatening the quality of the water and marine life.

What are butts made of?

Cigarette filters or butts are made from fibrous material designed to trap tar and other toxic chemicals before they reach the smoker's lungs. The filters are made from cellulose acetate (a material similar to rayon) and are coated with paper.

Each butt contains the remnants of tobacco, paper and a filter. The residue in the butts contains toxic, soluble chemicals. These chemicals are deadly and add to the existing cocktail of environmental pollution.

Environmental impacts of discarded butts:

Cigarette butts have become one of our most important litter issues. The problem has increased in recent years with government legislation for smoking restrictions in public buildings and restaurants forcing smokers outside, where butts are often littered.

An estimated 4.5 trillion cigarette butts are littered worldwide every year.¹ Not only do littered butts seriously reduce the aesthetic quality of any environment, but they can cause a great deal of harm.

Areas with a high number of littered cigarette butts look dirty and uncared for, which attracts more littering of other rubbish items.

If a butt is simply dropped, it can smoulder for up to 3 hours. Cigarette smoke contains up to 4,000 chemicals so each second the butt is left alight, dangerous toxins are released into the environment.

Flicked butts can cause fires. When thrown from a motor vehicle into dried grass butts can start a grassfire or even a bushfire.

The Australian Fire Authorities Council estimates that more than 12 fires a day are caused by cigarettes or smoking materials.

Did you know?

- Cigarette smoke contains up to 4, 000 chemicals.

- Cigarette butts take, on average, 1.5 years to break down.

- Almost 50% of all litter in urban areas is tobacco related products including butts, cellophane wrapping, foil inserts and packaging.

- An estimated 4.5 trillion cigarette butts are littered worldwide every year.

- About 24 billion cigarettes are sold in Australia each year. It is estimated that 7 billion of these cigarettes are littered.

- An estimated 100 000 tonnes of polluted air is exhaled by smokers in NSW each year.

- In some parts of Australia, if caught littering cigarette butts you can receive a fine of up to \$2,000 if the matter goes to court.

- Cigarettes accounted for 17% of the total rubbish items collected on 2004 Clean Up Australia Day.

- A cigarette butt can smoulder for up to three hours causing a grass fire or even a bushfire.

- Over 4,500 fires a year are caused by cigarettes and smokers' materials.

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Pre Season Football Training

Starts on the 27th of January at the swimming pool at 5:15pm

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Training will be on Monday and Wednesday after the 27th.

**Kulin School Centenary
12th March 2016**

REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN!

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www.kulin.wa.gov.au



Lake Grace Visitor Centre AGM

Wednesday 17th February 2016
4pm at the Lake Grace CRC

Followed by a general meeting.

- Are you interested in tourism?
- Do you want to help promote Lake Grace & the Shire?
- Not sure what we have to offer visitors to our towns.

The LG Visitor Centre Committee are looking for enthusiastic & motivated people to join us in supporting the Visitor Centre Co-ordinators & Volunteer's in promoting & marketing our Shire. Come along to our meeting and find out more. Everyone welcome.

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CWA AGM

Tuesday 9th February at the CWA Rooms
5:15pm start

Senior Citizens Luncheon

Thursday 4th February at the CWA Hall
Catered by CWA. Contact Irene McGlenn to RSVP on 9865 1148

Community Midwife

Sandy Slee the Community Midwife will be coming to Lake Grace the first Tuesday every month until further notice.

CHURCH TIMES

**Anglican Church
of Lake Grace**

Sunday 24th January

Lake Grace 9am

Sunday 31st January

Lake Grace 9am

Enquiries: Father Dave 0427 545 560
Terry Gladish 9865 1022

Lake Grace Catholic Church

Sunday 24th January

Lake Grace 9am
Hopetoun 6pm

Sunday 31st January

Hopetoun 9am
Lake Grace 6pm

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

Community Clubs and Associations

Club / Association	Secretary / Contact	Contact Number	Contact Email
Artist Group	Tania Spencer	0429 041 063	spencertania@hotmail.com
Camera Club	Nicole Argent	0428 315 773	knargent@bigpond.com
Craft Group	Meet at the CWA Building Saturdays from midday onwards		
CWA	Irene McGlenn	08 9865 1148	irenemcglenn@bigpond.com
Early Learning Centre (Daycare)	Chloe De Frenne	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	Amy Jones	0400 206 321	lakegraceplaygroup@mail.com
School	Registrar	08 9865 1207	lakegrace.dhs@education.wa.edu.au
Sportsman's Club	Claire Pelham	08 9865 1239	lgsportsmansclub@bigpond.com
Toy Library	Amy Jones	0400 206 321	
Summer Sport			
Lake Grace Bowling Club	Claire Pelham	0457 207 749	richie21claire@yahoo.com
Lake Grace Cricket Club	Shaye Bowron	0428 652 556	shayebowron97@gmail.com
Lake Grace Swimming Club	Anke Stoffberg	0439 903 411	stoffberg@westnet.com.au
Lake Grace Tennis Club	Kristie Stanton	0427 973 206	kristiehobley@hotmail.com
Tarin Rock Tennis Club	Kevin Naisbitt	0427 649 043	jenakora@bigpond.com

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Poisons Information 13 11 26	Ngala 9368 9368 www.ngala.com.au
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Justices of the Peace

Colin Connolly	0427 858 066
Ron Dewson	9865 1224
Amanda Milton	0429 654 011
Geoff Sabourne	0429 651 171

Lake Grace Shire Councillors

Councillor	Telephone	Fax
Andrew Walker (<i>President</i>)	9865 1241	
Jeanette de Landgraft (<i>Vice</i>)	9838 9062	9838 9041
Len Armstrong	9871 1334	9871 1317
Ross Chappell	9865 4058	9865 4051
Debrah Clarke	9865 4041	9865 4032
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Allan Marshall	9865 3022	9865 3012
Murray Stanton	9865 1329	9865 1223
Roz Lloyd	9871 1534	9871 1676

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

January / February

Fri 22	HACC Activity Day
Sat 23	Craft Group at CWA 12 noon onwards Rubbish tip open Bowls - Social Day
Sun 24	Rubbish tip open
Mon 25	Rubbish Collection & rubbish tip open Recycling Collection
Tue 26	Men's Shed 9.30am-12 noon Weight Watchers @ Village Hall Australia Day breakfast
Wed 27	Rubbish tip open HACC Activity & Morning Tea 10-11:30am Building Surveyor in Lake Grace Pre Season Football Training GS Chiropractic in Lake Grace
Fri 29	Christmas Day
Sat 30	Rubbish tip open Craft Group at CWA 12 noon onwards Meals at the Sportsman's Club Bowls - Social Day / Mixed Singles Bowls - ILRRP Women's—Kulin Cricket - Lake Grace v Newdegate
Sun 31	Rubbish tip open Bowls - ILRRP Women's—Kulin
Mon 1	Rubbish Collection & rubbish tip open Lakes Link News Deadline Pre Season Football Training
Tue 2	Men's Shed 9.30am-12 noon Chair Aerobics 10:45am at Village Hall SOYF Seniors Program-10am @ Shire Hall Weight Watchers @ Village Hall BACK TO SCHOOL
Wed 3	Rubbish tip open HACC Activity & Morning Tea 10-11:30am Pre Season Football Training
Thur 4	Cricket Training Bowls Training Lakes Link News Published Senior Citizens Luncheon

Coming Events

- 5th February - Toy Library reopens
- 5th February - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace
- 6th February - Opera in the Park
- 7th February - Tennis (Toolibin v Lake Grace)
- 9th February - CWA AGM - 1:30pm
- 9th February - Building Surveyor in Lake Grace
- 9th February - Men's Bowls Classic
- 10th February - Men's Bowls Classic
- 10th February - GS Chiropractic in Lake Grace
- 17th February - Visitor Centre AGM 4pm
- 21st February - Back to Basics Workshop
- 23rd February - Attracting & Retaining Younger Volunteers
- 23rd February - Volunteer Rights & Responsibilities
- 24th February - Key Issues of Volunteer Management
- 24th February - Shire Council Meeting
- 4th March - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace TBC

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.

7		9	1				
		6	3	4		2	9
	3		2			7	1
	4				6	8	5
1			7		2		6
5		7	8				9
	8	2			3		5
3	5			9	1	2	
					8	6	4

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.

	6	8					1	
3				2		9		
	2				7	4		3
				5			3	1
7	8					3		
2		1	6				7	
		9		5				8
	4						1	6