

# LAKES LINK NEWS

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## Howzat!

Suzanne Reeves



**Above: Lake Grace Cricket Club President, Kael Gray, with the new cricket nets.**

Members of the Cricket Club are excited but so too are the Community Cropping group as they see the first of their funding recipients bring a project to fruition. Lake Grace Cricket Club have been working toward replacing their cricket nets for some time and are now enjoying this fantastic facility at their Thursday trainings.

The previous nets were constructed as a joint project in 1980 by the Lake Grace and North Lake Grace Cricket Clubs; their Presidents at the time were Michael Gray and Arthur Starke. Although these nets have stood the test of time over 40 years of being hammered by cricket balls, it was definitely time for an upgrade.

Club President Kael Gray has been busy (and successful) with grant applications for the \$65k project.

Australian Cricket Infrastructure Fund put \$25k toward the project, the Shire of Lake Grace contributed \$10k, Community Cropping \$5k and the cricket club and local business contributed to the remainder. The Lake Grace Cricket Club would like to thank McKenzie Concreting for donating the concrete, Ed and Theresa Naisbitt for donating the sand, Ken Gray and Co for donating gravel and the mesh for the pad and Trevenen Earthmoving for constructing the sand pad and ripping down the old nets.

Undoubtedly the new nets are flash, but safety issues have also been addressed with the Club getting Astro turf over the whole surface rather than just a strip down the middle; much better and safer for the bowlers as there's none of the slip risk that can happen on

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

**Next Deadline**  
Monday 5th December

**Next Edition**  
Thursday 8th December



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

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

Dick Phillips    Annie Slarke  
Lee Duckworth

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# Editorial

- I can't believe it's nearly the end of November, only two more Lakes Links for the year before we take a bit of a break to recalibrate for 2023. We have included the subscription form in this edition, as per previous years we would love it if you could get your subs in prior to Christmas; makes it so much easier for our planning.
- A big thank you to Leanne and Liz for holding the fort while I took a few days off, by all accounts everything went well and our new printer did all the right things getting the last Links out to the readers.
- As you may be aware the CRC is looking for a new staff member, if you think this could be a good opportunity for you (see below) then drop in and have a chat.
- We have been scheduling some workshops for 2023 and at this stage we have tentative dates for the following:
  - Working at Heights (Feb 2023) - \$100.92
  - Working in confined spaces (Feb 2023) - \$113.88
  - Forklift (Feb 2023) - Cost TBC
- Other workshops we are looking at for 2023 are:
  - Superannuation information session
  - Marketing with Social Media
  - CANVA
  - Truck Driver Training/Accreditation
- If you are interested in any of the training listed above then please give us a call and put your name down. 2023 will be here before we know it!
- Now there's only two more Links left for the year, if you want to put in some Christmas wishes or advertising, now is the time to do it.
- The Lake Grace CRC is once again be taking part in the showerhead swap programme, if you missed out last time then you're getting a second chance. All we need is your water account number, if you're on farm and don't have one we will work something out.
- The Harvest Festival will be here before we know it, we have the food and music sorted...just need more stalls. If you can think of anyone that would be great to have, then let them know...Thursday 8th December!
- Don't forget we have our blanket presentation for Wheelchairs for Kids on Friday 2nd December, starts at 10am and there will be a morning tea to follow.

*Suzanne Reeves*

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The CRC is currently looking for a staff member who is passionate about community and has a long term view to growing their position within the organization while maintaining the current high standards and programmes already in place.

For more information contact Suzanne Reeves 9865 1470.

# Happy Birthday



24th November	Amber McPherson
25th November	Kim McPherson
26th November	John O'Neill
27th November	Wendy Abrahall
28th November	Konnah Holmes
29th November	Jean Seaman
30th November	Glenda Slarke
	Jodi Pearce
3rd December	Delys Smith
4th December	Emma Naisbitt
6th December	Bill Willcocks
8th December	David Fyfe
	Brady McGlenn
	Jonty Robinson

# Regional Roundabout

Some events or training coming up in the Wheatbelt and Great Southern Region that may be of interest to you. If you are needing more information please call the CRC in the appropriate town, Google or give us a call at the Lake Grace CRC.

- **Kulin Community Markets.** Saturday 26th November 9 am –1pm at the Kulin Memorial Hall.
- **Christmas Children’s workshop, Newdegate CRC.** Painting Christmas dolls or trees. 3:15pm start, Monday 5th December. \$10 per child, book tickets via Humanitix.
- **Adults Christmas Workshop, Newdegate CRC.** Spend an evening making a gingerbread house with us, whilst sipping on Mulled Wine. Friday 9th December @7pm, \$40 per person.
- **Narrogin Christmas Market.** Saturday 3rd December 8am to noon. Old Courthouse Museum Grounds.
- **Narrogin Farmers and Makers Christmas Market.** Saturday 10th December 8:30am to noon. Gnarojin Community Garden, 8 Hale Street, Narrogin
- **Christmas Lights for Cystic Fibrosis, Albany.** Friday 2nd December –Thursday 29th December. With over 2500 square metres lit and featuring 450,000 lights. Entry by donation, cash or card. 7pm-10pm @ 137 Mueller Street, Gledhow WA 6330.
- **Albany Artisan & Designer Pop Up.** December 2-3, 6-10, 13-17 and 19-22 from 10am –5pm upstairs @ the Albany Town Hall.
- **Albany Christmas Pageant and Festival .** December 3rd from 10am until 9pm, upstairs @ the Albany Town Hall.

# Anniversaries



1st December Debbie & John O'Neill

## Lake Grace Community Christmas Tree



Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December

To coincide with  
Lake Grace Harvest Festival

**Santa will be visiting on the lawn  
outside the Visitor Centre approx. 6pm**

Santa will try and deliver gifts for children 0 – 3 years first, Santa may need reminding of their age. If you would like to receive your gifts as a family please ask Santa to wrap the presents together and label with all children's names.

*Santas helpers can drop wrapped gifts at the Lake Grace Visitor Center from the 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> December.*



# Thankyou

My grateful thanks to the ambulance crew, RFDS, hospital Staff, Anne and Michelle for their attendance and help during my recent need.

They are all so wonderful.

Phyllis Dunham

# Harvest Festival

....also known as Late Night Shopping.....

Thursday 8th December  
4:30pm - 7:30pm

2022

## Entertainment

- ⇒ Face-Painting
- ⇒ Katelyn Sullivan
- ⇒ Santa
- ⇒ Photobooth

## Food and Drink

- ⇒ Sausage Sizzle (Men's Shed)
- ⇒ Mrs G's (kebabs, hot chips & gravy & chicken nuggets)
- ⇒ Gym Club—Curries & Hot Meat & Gravy rolls (take home for the freezer available)
- ⇒ Water & Soft Drink
- ⇒ Pancakes (Lions)
- ⇒ Rosies Café (Thai food, icecreams + normal menu)
- ⇒ Roma & Kay (burrito bowls & pulled beef rolls + menu)
- ⇒ Spuds & Stuff

## Stalls & Business

- ⇒ Reiki
- ⇒ Roma & Kay Candles & Giftware
- ⇒ Show bags
- ⇒ Sports Power
- ⇒ Thermomix
- ⇒ Lake Grace Pharmacy
- ⇒ Cakes - Lions
- ⇒ Timber Products
- ⇒ AFGRI toys
- ⇒ St John Sub Centre (blood pressure checks, BSLs)
- ⇒ Sand 'N' Salt
- ⇒ Artspace, Window Exhibition and Pop up Shop
- ⇒ Eggs, Honey & Crafty Creations



# New Regulations to Make Funeral Costs Clearer

Funeral companies operating in Western Australia will be legally required to publicly display prices, enabling funeral organisers to access information upfront, compare costs and avoid the need to meet with a representative of the funeral company to obtain this information.

The Funeral Pricing Code of Practice brings to an end unscrupulous sales practices relating to 'bundled packages'.

The pricing and contracts in these packages often resulted in funeral organisers not understanding the total costs involved, with some optional items misrepresented as mandatory. In many previous cases, the final cost of the funeral was unknown until after it was held, leading family and friends of the deceased to believe they were overcharged.

More information on the Funeral Pricing Code of Practice is on the Consumer Protection website. A six-month period will be allowed for companies to put measures in place to comply with the new code, but they are encouraged to comply as soon as possible.

The Code will become mandatory from 1 May 2023.

Consumer confusion over pricing led to the McGowan Government initiating funeral industry reforms and building upon the introduction of a mandatory Prepaid

Funerals Code of Practice, which came into effect in WA on 1 March 2021.

This code provides for greater clarity and certainty surrounding prepaid funeral contracts and requires all goods and services to be detailed, prices to be fixed at the time of signing the contract and a 30-day cooling off period.

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# International Men's Health Day

Suzanne Reeves. Photo Steve Lankford.

The Lake Grace Community Men's Shed celebrated International Men's Health Day on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November with guest speakers, a BBQ and social afternoon – good for the soul.

The day celebrates the positive value men bring to the world, their families and communities but takes the time to focus on looking after their health and wellbeing.

The day was funded by Men's Shed WA and although it would have been good to have more numbers, those who attended thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon.

Terry Melrose, Senior Community Educator from Wheatbelt Men's Health was one of the speakers, talking about general mental and physical health and taking the time to look after yourself.

Joshua Egan-Reid, Office in Charge of Lake Grace Police chatted about scams and what to watch out for.

Also present were volunteers from Lake Grace St John Ambulance, who conducted blood pressure readings and blood sugar level checks. They also had the ambulance present so that anyone who was there could have a look and ask any questions.

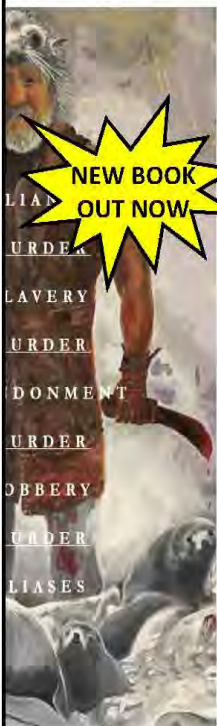
**Right: St John Ambulance volunteer Keith Higgs with Terry Melrose from Wheatbelt Men's Health.**

It was a comfortable environment with many questions asked of the speakers. It was followed by a BBQ and refreshments. A great social occasion.



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# Making Australia Home

*National Archives of Australia*—<https://www.naa.gov.au/blog/refugee-camp-mcg>

Alex Jesaulenko was born in a refugee camp near Salzburg, Austria in August 1945. Later, his family was selected for migration to Australia under the International Refugee Organisation (IRO) resettlement scheme. In the process, the family's surname picked up a 'J', becoming 'Jesaulenko' instead of the original 'Esaulenko'.

On 30 July 1949, 4-year-old Alex, his parents Wasył and Wira (Vera) and younger brother Viktor arrived in Melbourne onboard the Skaugum. The family was initially sent to the Bonegilla Migrant Reception Centre near Wodonga in northern Victoria. From there, they settled in Canberra. Alex was naturalised in 1962.

It was in Canberra that Alex's talent for Aussie Rules football was first noticed. Alex was recruited by major Melbourne team Carlton and debuted in the Victorian Football League (VFL) in 1967. His coach at Carlton was football legend Ron Barassi.

Alex went on to play 256 games for Carlton, kicking 424 goals. He was part of 4 Carlton premiership-winning teams, including as captain-coach in 1979. Alex is particularly remembered for his athleticism. Famously, during the 1970 VFL Grand Final, he took the 'mark of the century'. Alex spectacularly leapt over the back of a 6-foot-4 (193 cm) Collingwood player to grab the ball in

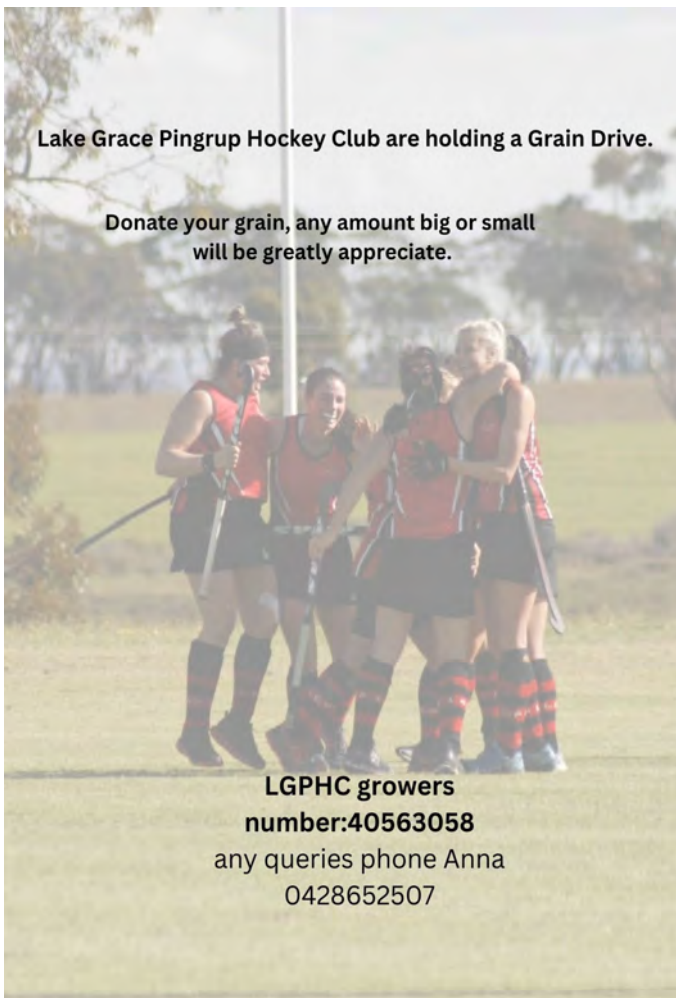
mid-air. 'Ohhh Jesaulenko, you beauty!' exclaimed commentator Mike Williamson. Alex was transformed into a household name.

In 1979, Alex was awarded a 'gong' by the Queen for services to Australian Rules football. He was inducted into the Australian Football Hall of Fame in 1996 and officially declared a legend of the game in 2008.

The National Archives would like to thank Alex Jesaulenko and his daughters Kate and Sally for their assistance with this story.

Approximately 5,000 Ukrainian 'displaced persons' found refuge in Australia between 1948 and 1954. Their homeland had been devastated by years of war and totalitarian domination. During the 'Holodomor' ('terror-famine') of 1932/33, millions of Ukrainians starved to death while the Soviets exported grain from the country. Millions more perished during the War as the Nazis, Soviets and their local allies fought for control over the resource-rich country.

By 1945, some 2 million Ukrainians were 'displaced persons', mainly in Germany. Many had been forcibly deported there by the Nazis as slave labour. Others had fled westward as the Soviet Red Army reconquered Ukraine.



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# Three Generations at Once in Narrogin



*Richard Hicks, Blake Palmer and Fiona Palmer are ready to race.*

THREE GENERATIONS IN ONE RACE! It's been a long slog to get here (just ask Pop aka Richard Hicks) but finally three generations of Hicks' hit the Narrogin track on the 12 November.

Blake Palmer (fourth generation racer) has moved on from juniors and joined his mum and pop in another EL Ford Falcon in yellow and black, racing under #730. This isn't something that happens often if ever.

Blake started rear of field all night to get used to driving a rear wheel after the front wheel Hyundai. Of course the skilled and experienced Richard got second for the night, Fiona 5th and Blake last in 9th.

Blake did manage to pass his mum and a few other cars in one heat before spinning out. But he did well for a first race with the bigger kids. The Christmas Cup in Narrogin on the 3 December will see them all race again.

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# Lake Grace Weather

Date	Min	Max	Rain
9/11	10.9	25.7	0
10/11	11.1	23.9	0
11/11	10.5	16.0	2.4
12/11	6.1	17.7	2.6
13/11	10.0	18.4	2.4
14/11	8.6	21.2	0
15/11	8.0	25.6	0
16/11	12.9	32.6	0
17/11	13.7	21.8	1.2
18/11	6.9	16.4	2.6
19/11	4.9	20.1	1.4
20/11	6.0	22.2	0.4
21/11	6.6	25.3	0
22/11	8.5	31.1	0

## Defibrillator Locations in Lake Grace

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

Dial 000 for emergencies.

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

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# Lake Grace Sportsman's Club



**Barefoot BOWLS**

Come along and have a bowl with family, friends & workmates!

**Come and support your local BOWLS Club**

Starting Thursday 24th November 6:30pm—7:30pm

Teams of 4 @ \$5 per person

Sausage sizzle to follow — \$2

Prize money to be won

Bowls are available to use

**Shoes are optional**

**NEW MENU**

*coming soon*

**SOON**

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November

- Garlic Breads
- Loaded Omelette
- Chicken Carbonara
- Spaghetti Bolognese



*Kids portions available*

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November

**BURGERS ARE BACK!!**

*Beef, Chicken, Lamb, Veggie or Fish*

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December

**PIZZA'S**

*Claire is coming in to create her pizza masterpieces – come and join us!*

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December

- Spring Rolls
- Lasagna
- Chicken Parmigiana
- Thai Beef Salad



# Stan Perron in His Own Words—Part One

*State Library of Western Australia*

This story is based on the oral history of Stan Perron AC.

My full name is Lloyd, L L O Y D, Stanley Perron. I was born in King Edward Hospital, Subiaco in November 1922.

My father's name was Anthony of unknown descent. He said his mother came from Budapest and he was born at sea. He wasn't very well educated. He could read all right but he had a shaky hand and couldn't write. He was generally a semi-labouring type. He wasn't a professional by any means.

My mother Edith was of Italian descent and her parents ran a boarding house in Fremantle. She was fairly well educated, or so she told me. In her early days, she was a waitress at the Palace Hotel in Perth and waited on people like Harry Boan, Sir James Mitchell, Tommy Chandler, and Claude de Bernales. She said it was not unusual after serving a table, to have half a sovereign left under the plate which was rather a generous tip in those days.

I don't remember much about the early days of my life living in Carlisle. We lived on the corner of Weston and Archer Streets on an acre. The streets were made of two rows of sleepers with a gap in the middle for a car to drive down. The Kersleys used to drive their trotters up and down our street for training, as it was all sand except for the sleepers.

Our home had several fruit trees, a vegetable garden, and a windmill in the yard so we always had plenty of water. I don't remember much of family life there, only that it was generally a fairly happy one. My parents would argue a fair amount but they lived together and I suppose it was the normal squabbles that went on.

I can't remember my father playing with me to any degree. At the start of the Depression he went prospecting to Kalgoorlie around Bardoc and Kookynie. So he was away from home quite a lot and I spent a lot of time with my mother. We got along fairly well and she always encouraged me to get out and do things. I'm still that way today, I always like to be busy.

My brother and some of his friends made a tin canoe, and we would carry it from Carlisle across to the Sandringham Hotel. There was a little place called The Springs to launch our canoe and sometimes we would go across to Maylands aerodrome. I can remember the old Vickers Aircraft there. It looked as though it was sheeted with small corrugated ripple iron and it was the mail plane in those early days.

Well I know things were pretty tough during the Depression. People would come and knock at the door and want to chop wood for a shilling. But as a boy I was fed and clothed all right and my mother was very economical. She was a very capable housekeeper. I don't know where the money came from but she must have had savings which we lived on. From what I remember she allowed herself 25 shillings a week.

I first started school at Carlisle Infants School when I

was five years old. I had a teacher Miss Richards and she had a single-seater Baby Austin car. I remember the best pupil in the class for the day she'd take them home in her Baby Austin car. Evidently I was one of the best pupils because I quite often rode home in Miss Richards car.

I was in first standard at school when we moved out to Statham Siding in the Helena Valley.

Helena Valley was a pleasant little valley near Helena River. We would go swimming in the river, and when we come out we always had to pull the leeches off. My brother could swim and all the other kids could, but I for some reason I never got the hang of it. Although I had a boat after that for 40 odd years, I couldn't ever swim any more than about 20 or 30 yards.

There were about twenty-odd students at school, and our room ran from infants through to sixth standard. Our teacher Miss Pollard taught us very well. We had a sunrise garden outside where each pupil had a garden to look after. It was like a ray of sunshine in the shape of an arc.

Going into Perth was always quite an event and we would park at Scotts Garage to go to the pictures. We would also sometimes picnic in Government or Queen's Gardens. The Causeway in those days was quite different, it had a big hump in the middle. The Rivervale railway crossing had lights on it and there were always accidents. The old Red Castle Brewery was just nearby.

At about fourth standard I returned to Carlisle School and then went to Perth Boys School for a few months before we moved to Beria outside of Laverton where my father got a job at Lancefield Gold Mine. I was eleven years old.

My mother had been in other mining towns before, but that was my first experience and it was tough. We had a house of sorts. Just a kitchen with a bedroom, bathroom and verandah. There were no floors, only earth covered with filter press which came from the mine. It was like a thick canvas.

Eventually my brother Keith joined us in Beria to work underground in the mine. He left to go prospecting after a fatal accident in which a couple of his mates were killed. Energetic and able to do most things like me, Keith eventually went to Darwin where he became a master plumber.

There was a hotel and a store in Laverton and they would bring our supplies out to Beria, once a week. I remember in those days you could collect Bushells tea labels and earn a tea towel. And for so many Nestles milk labels you'd get something else. I would go through the rubbish heaps and pick up all the labels, cans and bottles. Bottles were always very valuable in those days, a halfpenny each.

I worked for a greengrocer in Laverton. The same greengrocers where I would go to get thistles for my pet rabbit. I suppose that's how I got the relationship. I would ride around on the greengrocer's cart, helping him

## Stan Perron in His Own Words (*cont.*)

sell his vegetables. But life was really pretty dull really, there was no picture theatre or anything to go to, and there were no radios.

Living in Beria was a turning point in my life and made me realise how tough things could be. At aged twelve I was beginning to take notice of what went on, and beginning to think that life must be better than this, that there could be a better life. I decided that I should try and do better.

I'd learnt fretwork at Carlisle School (decorative woodwork) and used to make handkerchief boxes, letter racks and things. My prime customers were the chaps who lived in these camps. It was no big business, but I probably made five shillings a week out of it. I always keen to make money or save money. Anything to get a few extra shillings. There was not much pocket money around at home.

My fretwork business ended when I went to Boulder School for seventh standard. I boarded with Mrs Monagham a friend of my mother's until my family moved there, and was quite commonly known as the little boy from Woop Woop.

My teacher's name was Mr Wauchaup. I was pretty bright because I'd been to Perth Boys School for a few months, so halfway through seventh standard they put me into eighth standard. I topped Boulder School in 1936.

I was always keen on arithmetic and I think everybody should know their tables. I've insisted on my three children as they've been growing up to learn their tables and sometimes used them as a penalty for doing something wrong.

Still interested in earning a quid, my odd jobs in Boulder included delivering cans of cream (up to 30 cans) in a square baker's basket on a bike. You'd prop the bike up against the fence when you went in to deliver the cream and collect the money. Occasionally the bike would fall over and if you lost a can of cream well, you'd have to open all the other cans and take a little out of each to make up for the lost one. We would get five shillings for the morning's work, which being a school boy was quite good money.

My mother wanted me to do high school but I don't think

it did me any harm leaving school at fourteen, but I must say I'm a little bit different to most people. I've always believed that a person should be employed on their ability to do things and use common sense, not just on education.

On leaving school my prime objective was to get a job and earn some money. I got a job initially as an office boy with J & W Bateman. They were wholesale grocery merchants in Kalgoorlie, and I was getting 15 shillings a week.

Then I saw this other job advertised at produce merchants Allen and Brimage, and I went and had an interview with the manager Mr. Devine. He said he wanted a junior clerk and that I should go to night school and learn book-keeping, which I did for six months. He offered me a job at 25 shillings a week and a rise of five shillings a week every six months. When I left I was getting about £3.10 a week, which was reasonably good money.

*Stan's story will be continued in the next Lakes Link News.*

### Lake Grace

### CWA Cookbook

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Copies are available from the Lake Grace CRC and Lake Grace Visitor Centre.



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for an application form.



# News From Wageline

## Christmas – New Year 2022-2023 public holiday information

Wageline has published comprehensive information on public holiday pay and arrangements for state system employers and employees for the public holidays over the Christmas New Year period.

This season's public holidays are:

- Christmas Day, Sunday 25 December 2022 and Monday 26 December 2022
- Boxing Day, Monday 26 December 2022 and Tuesday 27 December 2022
- New Year's Day, Sunday 1 January 2023 and Monday 2 January 2023

## Industrial inspectors are now issuing compliance notices

In June 2022, new compliance and enforcement provisions were introduced that provided enhanced powers and a new range of compliance tools that can be used by industrial inspectors.

These new tools include the ability for industrial inspectors to issue compliance notices, infringement notices, and to enter into enforceable undertakings. Recently, industrial inspectors have commenced issuing compliance notices.

Compliance notices are only issued where an industrial inspector has a reasonable belief that an employer has failed to meet all or part of its employer obligations (such as failing to pay the minimum wage). A

compliance notice requires an employer to take specific action to rectify contraventions (such as rectifying identified underpayments) within a specified timeframe. If you receive a compliance notice, it is important that you take action. Failure to comply with a compliance notice can lead to penalties of up to \$6,000 for an individual and \$30,000 for a body corporate, in addition to any underpayment of wages that may need to be rectified.

For further information on compliance notices, or any of the other compliance tools recently introduced, visit [www.dmirs.wa.gov.au/PSLRcompliance\\_tools](http://www.dmirs.wa.gov.au/PSLRcompliance_tools)

## Underpayments recovered for WA employees in 2021-22

In the 2021/22 financial year, Private Sector Labour Relations industrial inspectors recovered \$797,977 in unpaid wages and leave entitlements for employees covered by state employment laws.

A total of 216 complaints lodged with Private Sector Labour Relations resulted in \$514,693 being recovered for employees, with a further \$197,367 recovered through ongoing proactive compliance campaigns in the café and restaurant sector, the horticulture industry and the hairdressing industry.

Four enforcement proceedings in the Industrial Magistrates Court were finalised during the financial year, resulting in civil penalties of \$25,500 and \$1,167 in disbursement costs.

Employees who believe they have been underpaid under a WA award, the state minimum conditions of employment or the state *Long Service Leave Act 1958* should visit the [Making a complaint about underpayment of wages or entitlements](#) page or contact Wageline on 1300 655 266 or via [wageline@dmirs.wa.gov.au](mailto:wageline@dmirs.wa.gov.au) for more information.

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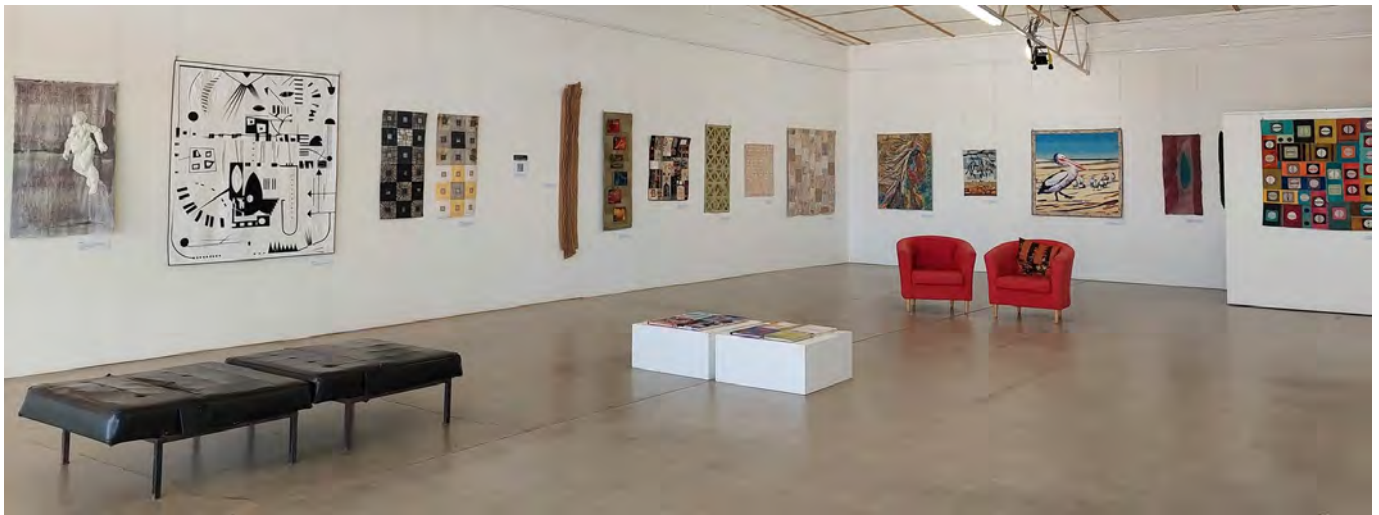


## Grow Free Cart



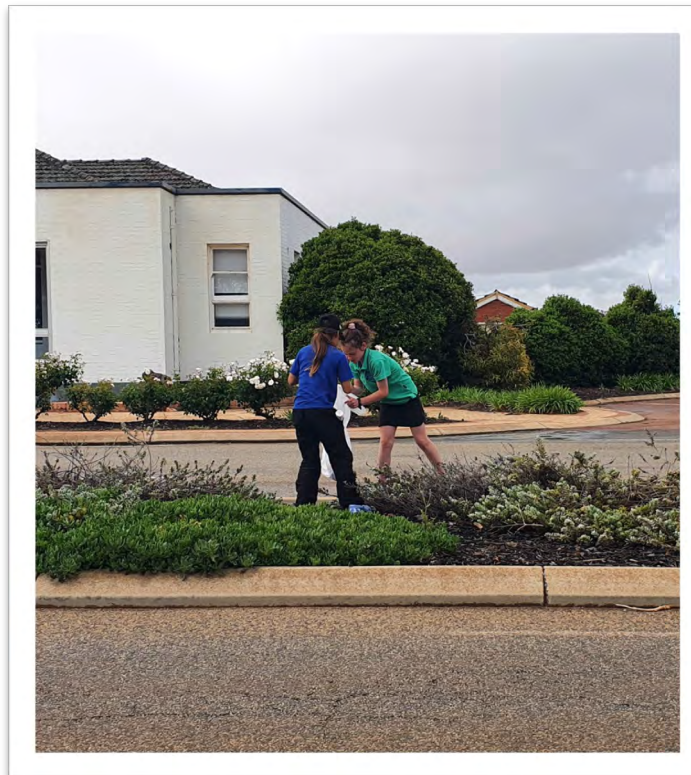
'Take what you need, give what you can'

Cart will be back out on the Visitor Centre verandah everyday.



*The Stitched and Bound exhibition opened on Sunday 13th November and there has been plenty of oohing and aahing since.*

*There's some fantastic items on display, if you haven't yet then get on down to the Lake Grace Regional Artspace as it closes this Saturday (26th November) before being packed up and moved onto it's next exhibition.*



**Spotted doing their good deed for the day were Amelia Pitcher and Charlee Bell who were picking up rubbish around town. Well done girls, great to see you setting such a positive example.**



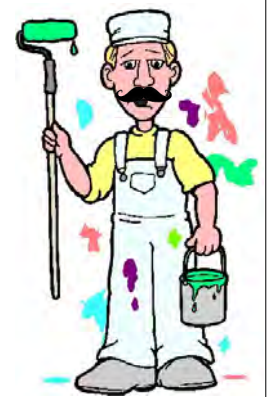
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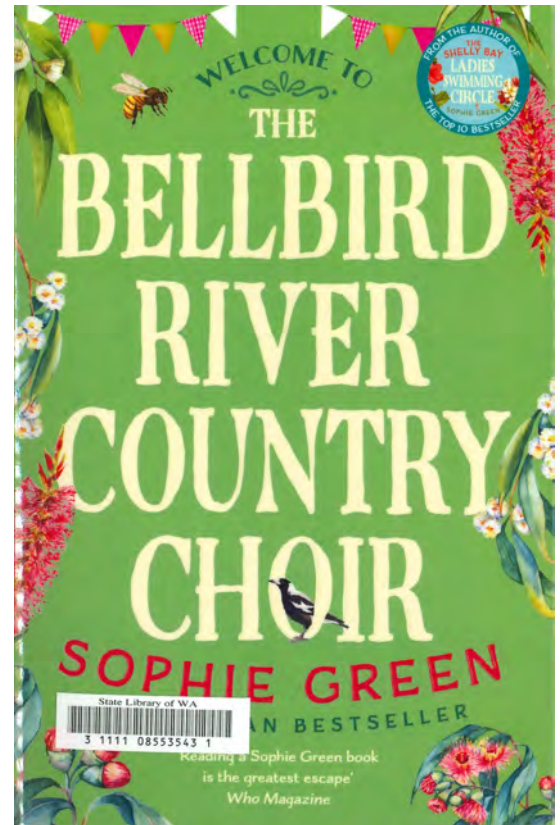
# Book Review: *The Bellbird River Country Choir* by Sophie Green

Suzanne Reeves

An excellent read that pulled together a number of characters and showed the personal growth and acceptance that came from the bonds of friendship. Would have loved to continue their life journey with them but alas THE END came around.

Bellbird River, 1998: Teacher and single mum Alex is newly arrived in the small New South Wales country town of Bellbird River after escaping the city in search of a change of pace and the chance to reconnect with her young daughter. Across the town, well-known matriarch Victoria and her globe-trotting, opera-singing cousin Gabrielle find themselves at a crossroads in their personal and professional lives, while local baker Janine and newcomer to the district Debbie are each secretly dealing with the consequences of painful pasts. With its dusty streets, lone pub and iron-lace verandahs, Bellbird River could just be a pit stop on the road to somewhere else. But their town holds some secrets and surprises – and it has a heart: The Bellbird River Country Choir.

Amid the melodies and camaraderie of the choir, each of the women will find the courage to leave the past behind. And together, they'll discover that friends are much closer to home than they'd realized.



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

## STATION NEWS

WA Police's Special Crime Division (SCD) has put out the call for old telephone books and street directories, which can help police investigating the State's oldest unsolved crimes. Leading a project to expand the Division's intelligence reference library is Detective Senior Constable George Kopsen who said the books are redundant to most people within 12 months, but they provide a valuable research tool for detectives and intel analysts working on historical cases, including homicides and sex assaults. "They provide us with a snapshot in time and can assist in the identification, location, and association (ILA) of suspects, victims, witnesses, organisations, and places," he said.

SCD has recently acquired more than 80 telephone directories dating back to 1971, including some editions not held by the State Library of Western Australia. A collection of old street directories has also been commenced, with digitization of some resources underway. "We would really appreciate donations of any telephone directories or maps issued prior to 2016, particularly Telecom/Telstra White pages, Yellow pages, Phone discs, or UBDs, whether they are from Perth metro, Regional WA, or even interstate," Det. SC Kopsen added.

If you have any of these items laying around your home we'd be happy to take them off your hands and will forward them along to SCD.

## CRIME NEWS

There has been little in the way of reported crime these last few weeks. The only one of note is a burglary at the Kondinin IGA. The suspect forced entry into the store and stole cash and cigarettes.

Scott attended the scene and a number of items of forensic value were tested. We're currently waiting to hear back on the results.

## TRAFFIC NEWS

Lake Grace Police in conjunction with Corrigin, Kondinin, and Wickpin Police conducted a heavy vehicle operation in Corrigin last week. Also present were vehicle inspectors from Main Roads and the Department of Transport. The Main Roads and the Department of Transport inspectors had a busy day and inspected close to 30 trucks and their trailers. They issued several infringements and cautions for various offences. The main issues were from trucks with roadworthiness defects that should have been rectified prior to them being used on the road.

Throughout the day we conducted 250 breath tests and several roadside drug tests. Only one driver was found to be driving under the influence of drugs and a search of their vehicle resulted in a drug seizure. The driver had their licence suspended on the spot and they will be summonsed to court.

Whilst on patrol near Katanning recently we came across a driver whose licence was suspended. They had a medical condition that required them to complete an annual medical test and forward the results to the Department of Transport. The driver had not done this prior to the required date so the Department of Transport sent them a letter giving them a short period of time to complete the assessment or their licence would be suspended. As you can guess, this wasn't done and they continued to drive. We charged the driver with No Authority To Drive and their vehicle was impounded for 28 days.

On our return trip that same day we encountered a driver leaving Lake Grace heading towards Dumbleyung. He was travelling at 134kph in the 110kph zone. After stopping him we found he had been drinking and he returned a breath alcohol result of 0.91%. His licence was suspended on the spot and he was summonsed to court for drink driving and speeding.

Please take care and stay safe.

Regards

Lake Grace Police

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# The Good News Page

Kevin Seaman

Now that we have you thinking good news stories which are helping you to keep happy through the day. So let's go one step forward and take into account something my Daddy always taught me. I may have mentioned this before but I feel it's worth repeating. Daddy said "Learn something new everyday and you will become a whole lot wiser and not just a day older."

So let's test your intelligence with the following questionnaire. Choose your answer from one of the options provided.

1. What is the height of Bluff Knoll situated in the Stirling Ranges?

A. 928 meters high B. 1099 meters high C. 1280 meters high

2. What is the distance from Lake Grace to Albany via the Chester Pass Road?

A. 247 km B. 280 Km C. 235 km

3. What is Aphonia?

A. Loss of Voice B. Loss of Hearing C. Loss of Eye Sight

4. What singer had the hit song "Take Me Home County Roads"?

A. Elvis Presley B. Marty Robins C. John Denver

5. What year did the Titanic sink in the Atlantic ocean on 15<sup>th</sup> April on it's maiden voyage from Southampton?

A. 1922 B. 1912 C. 1918

6. What is the Capital of Portugal?

A. Lisbon B. Denmark C. Hamilton

7. What is the Chemical Symbol for Silver?

A. AB B. SV C. AG

8. What is the life span of a dragon fly?

A. 24 hours B. One week C. 10 days

9. What year did world war one finish?

A. 1913 B. 1920 C. 1918

10. What 2 metals is pewter made from?

A. Tin and Silver B. Tin and Lead C. Lead and Brass

11. What is the name of the Lake Grace Shire CEO

A. Steve Hunt B. Alan George C. Len Armstrong

12. What is the freezing point of water in Fahrenheit?

A. 32F B. 30F C. 34 F

After you tally up your right from wrong answers, how did you rate?

12 right – You don't have to study anymore

8 right – Little bit more effort and you might share top spot

Less than 6 – off to the library you go for more study!

Funny story time:

Four men went golfing one day. Three of them headed to the first tee and the fourth went into the clubhouse to take care of the bill. The three men started talking and bragging about their sons.

The first man told the others, "My son is a home builder, and he is so successful that he gave a friend a new home for free. Just gave it to him!"

The second man said, "My son was a car salesman, and now he owns a multi-line dealership. He's so successful that he gave one of his friends a new Mercedes, fully loaded. "

The third man, not wanting to be outdone, bragged, "My son is a stockbroker and he's doing so well that he gave his friend an entire portfolio."

After a few minutes of taking care of business, the fourth man joined them on the tee. The first man mentioned, "We were just talking about our sons. How is yours doing?"

The fourth man replied, "Well, my son is gay and a go-go dancer in a gay bar. I'm not totally thrilled about his preferences and the dancing job, but he must be doing well. His last three boyfriends gave him a house, a brand new Mercedes, and a stock portfolio."

Answers to quiz questions:

1. B: Bluff knoll is 1099 meters tall

2. A: 247 kilometers

3. A: Loss of voice

4. C: John Denver

5. B: Titanic sank in 1912

6. A: Lisbon is the capital of Portugal

7. C: Chemical symbol of silver is AG

8. C: Life span of a dragon fly is 24 hours

9. C: First World War ended in 1918

10. A: Pewter is made from Tin and Silver

11. C: Alan George



# Howzat! (cont.)

concrete. The nets have also been offset so rather than the balls ending up on the netball courts they will now land on the oval.

The upgrade is a plus for the budget as balls were only lasting one session in the old nets but with the new surface will have at least half a dozen outings; overhead mesh at the batter's end will also contain the ball more. Improved facilities will generate interest in cricket and improve the skills of those playing, ensuring the future of the Club. Already Kael has received feedback from within the community as families make use of the

facilities outside of training; something the Club hope to see more of.

This upgrade along with a booming Junior Cricket has meant the Club have been able to form an U13 side which will represent the Lake Grace Cricket Club in the Lynch Shield, something that they have been unable to do for many years.

Well done to the Cricket Club for completing a project that will be beneficial to Lake Grace for many years to come.

## Over 55s Art Group

When: Every second Tuesday

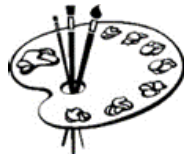
Where : The Seniors Village Hall

Who: If you are over 55 and are feeling creative.

What: Having a go at the many different types of art.

Why: Relaxing, Fun, Great social get together, Free for Senior members, non members \$2. Materials supplied

Hope to see you there!



Are you a Men's shed member? Cost is only \$11 pa. Membership renewals were sent out in July, if you haven't received a renewal notice then please drop into the CRC so that we can rectify the situation. If you would like to be a member then drop into the shed on a Tuesday or Thursday morning and fill in an application form.

Want to know how to edit a Word document? Or maybe you have a question about how to use your computer?



Call us on 9865 1470 or pop in to arrange a 30 minute session with one of us to get you started.



## Lake Grace CRC is a Department of Human Services Access Point



DHS Customers are able to:

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

*All free of charge for DHS business*

## WANTED



Bridal creeper locations for a prospective LCDC (Land Conservation District Committee) project.

Take a photo on your phone (make sure location tags is enabled) and email the image through to the Lake Grace CRC. From this we will be able to map infestations.

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# Community Newsletter

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## From the CEO

Well it looks as though we may finally be getting to some warmer weather at last which means harvest can get into full swing

The warming weather also means that the opening of the Lake Grace swimming pool is getting closer.

New pool manager Aaron Franich (brother of gardener Jason Franich) has joined the team this year and is looking forward to the coming season. He is frantically trying to whip the pool into shape to enable the final water testing to be completed so that we can open the pool. This may be a week away depending on the results. We are waiting on a couple of mechanical problems to be fixed which shouldn't prove too problematic. Luckily the weather has been pretty mild so far. We will let everyone know when we are up and running.

### Review of Councillor Representation

The Shire of Lake Grace Review of Councillor Representation is still underway until 25 November

This is your last chance to have a say into the number of Councillors that you will have representing you in the Shire. Public submissions to the Shire close at 10.00am on Friday 25 November. All details are available on the Shire website.

### Newdegate country club

The renovations and refurbishment to the Newdegate Country Club have finally been completed after long delays brought about by the COVID 19 pandemic which affected the availability of not only workers but to supply lines.

It has been completed to a high standard by builders Trevenen Building and Glass Pty Ltd and our thanks goes out to Matt and his team. All parties involved are delighted that the project has been completed. We have received nothing but good reports on the building and it's fresh new look. What a transformation. A suitable opening will be arranged in due course.



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## Coming Events

**Asbestos Awareness**  
1 - 30 November

**November**  
1 - 30 November

**Social Inclusion Week**  
19-27 November

**White Ribbon Day**  
Friday 25 November

**Lake Grace Harvest Festival**  
Thursday 8 December

**Newdegate Christmas Tree**  
Saturday 17 December  
Newdegate Pavilion

### Ordinary Council Meeting

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on  
**Wednesday**  
21 December 2022  
from 3.00pm at the  
Council Chambers,  
Administration Building.

The Agenda will be available on  
[www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au](http://www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au)  
*Everyone Welcome*

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

*Alan George*  
Chief Executive Officer

# Community Information

## Office Open Hours

Monday - Friday  
8.30am - 4.00pm

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

## Licensing Payments

All licensing payments are to be made in person at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration office, 1 Bishop Street, Lake Grace, (please phone ahead to confirm availability)

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

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

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

## Driving Assessor

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

**Friday - 2 December**

**Friday - 6 January 2023 (to be confirmed)**

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

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

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

For more information go to: [www.transport.wa.gov.au](http://www.transport.wa.gov.au).

## Libraries

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

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

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

## Building Surveyor

Building Surveyor, can be contacted through the Shire Office on 9890 2500 or email [shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au](mailto:shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au).

## Town Planning & Building

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

## Environmental Health

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

## Tip Times

### Lake Grace

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

### Newdegate

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

### Lake King and Varley

Open every day

## Recycling Services

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

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

Lake Grace	Newdegate
Tuesday 6 December	Tuesday 29 November
Tuesday 20 December	Tuesday 13 December

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

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

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

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



Check our Facebook page  
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# All Good for Winners

*Norm Chilcott*

With two years under the belt of the All Good Refund Depot in Wagin, the organisation was listed amongst the award winners for 2022 Changemaker Awards.

All Good Refund Depot came fourth in the state under the category of Small Refund Point Operator of the Year, which is huge for something that was touted as "Just a little thing to do in the back shed".

All Good Refund Depot is a locally owned and managed business that operates out of Wagin but, services other towns including but not limited to Dumbleyung, Kukerin, Lake Grace, Nyabing, Pingrup, Wickepin, Kulin, Tincurrin, Harrismith, Highbury, Beaufort and Arthur River.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> of November at roughly 11am All Good Refund Depot hit the milestone 3,000,000 items processed through the centre, that means that \$300,000 has gone back in to the community through the 10 cents per item refunds and 3,000,000 items have been saved from landfill.

The team behind All Good Refund Depot are crucial to the effective running of the business and without each individual's participation it wouldn't have done as well as it has..

Thank you to our team in no particular order: Dorrie Polack, Shane Nagle, Greg Stedman, Kassy Dwane, Riley Hunter, Merle Wilson, RJ Weir and Gloria Bliss you are amazing.

I would also like to thank our resident Super Collector Meryl Harris, who is responsible for a good portion of those 3,000,000 items by collecting from other people around town and bringing the items in.

Thank you to the local Community Resource Centres in the areas that we service for getting the word out about our collections, you are integral to our business.


While we did not win this year we are totally stoked that we came fourth in our category and we would like to congratulate the 2022 Change Maker Award winners:

- Community Group or Charity of the Year Award, sponsored by Cleanaway, is Bremer Bay Primary School P&C.
- School of the Award, sponsored by Veolia, is Albany Secondary Education Support Centre.
- Individual of the Year Award, sponsored by AV partners, is Viktor Strizek: Recycle Man Perth.
- Business of the Year Award, sponsored by Remondis, is Freshwater Quality Management.
- Volunteer Refund Point Operator of the Year Award, sponsored by The Liquor Stores Association, is Newdegate Container Exchange.
- Small Refund Point Operator of the Year, sponsored by CES, is Ashburton Aboriginal Corporation.



- Medium Refund Point Operator of Year, sponsored by Container Deposit Systems, is MR Refund.
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# Mamma Mia!

*Cheryl Chappell*

To celebrate Seniors Week 2022 twenty people travelled to Albany to see the stage show Mamma Mia! on Friday 18 November, and wow what a night it was. It was cold and wet outside but inside cosy, warm and buzzing!

The group attended opening night of Mamma Mia! at the Albany Light Opera and Theatre Company and were blown away with the stage, the costumes, the music and the talent of the local cast was simply amazing! Director, Anne Davidson, musical directors James Turner and Roger Hey and choreographer Maxine Jones had such amazing talent hitting the stage for their first performance of twelve.

Mamma Mia, set on a Greek island, with a daughter's quest to discover the identity of her father brings three men from her mother's past back after 20 years. Well known songs like Voulez Vous, S.O.S, Take a Chance On Me, and Dancing Queen, had some singing along and dancing in the aisles at the

end of the night.

Thank you to the Shire of Lake Grace for their contribution enabling some Lake Grace Over 55's to attend such an incredible live performance. Thank you to Albany Light Opera and Theatre Company and Paperbark Merchants for their help with ticketing and showcasing such talented people living in Albany.



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# Lake Grace Basketball **GRAND FINAL 2022**

**Friday  
9th December**



**Women's Grand Final**

**@ 7PM**

**Men's Grand Final**

**@ 8 PM**

*Awards to follow*

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# Puzzles and Stuff

Some words for 10th November edition of Boggle

Answers for 10th November edition of Sudoku

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

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# Junior Cricket

Annie Argent

## Name - Chase Kuchling (age – 9)

Who is your favourite cricketer – David Warner because he is good at batting.

Do you prefer bowling, wicket keeper, batting or fielding – Fielding

Who is your favourite local player – Mr L because he is a good coach and player.

Anything extra you would like to add – Cricket is a really good team sport to play, and I like playing with my friends.

## Name – Sam Stanton (age – 9)

Who is your favourite cricketer – Marnus Labuschagne because he plays silly man

Do you prefer bowling, wicket keeper, batting or fielding

– Bowling

Who is your favourite local player – Kael Gray

Anything extra you would like to add – I hate it when people throw the ball instead of bowling

## Name – Lily Stubberfield (age - 7)

Who is your favourite cricketer – Alyssa Healy because she is a wicket keeper

Do you prefer bowling, wicket keeper, batting or fielding – Wicket keeper

Who is your favourite local player – My favourite player in Lake Grace is Jed O'Neill because he is good at cricket

## Name – Hunter Bell (age – 8)

Who is your favourite cricketer – Shane Warne because he is a good spin bowler and batter

Do you prefer bowling, wicket keeper, batting or fielding – Fielding is the best

Who is your favourite local player – Kael Gray because he comes here to help



Above: Junior cricketers Chase Kuchling, Sam Stanton, Lily Stubberfield and Hunter Bell

## SAVE THE DATE

Wheel Chair for Kids Blanket Presentation

Friday 2nd December at 10am  
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# Cricket Notes

Kael Gray

## Saturday 12 November vs Wandering

It was a day that was freezing cold and Shaye lost the toss and we were sent in to bowl.

Rob and Mitch opened the bowling and bowled very well with not much luck. Eventually Mitch got the break through. After Mitch's spell, Kael came onto bowl and took a wicket in his first over. Dylan took the ball from Robs end and bowled some serious pace with the wind. Dylan picked up 2 quick wickets and Kael chimed in with another 5 wickets of his own, putting Wandering under all sorts of pressure.


We eventually bowled Wandering out in the 31st over for 119. Being short on an opening batsman this year Shaye decided to throw our debutante in the deep end. It was an inspired choice. Darcy Townsend made a quick burst 19 with Kal down the other end. Dylan came in after Darcy fell and quickly made a dent in the total belting 30 off 20 balls before getting out lbw for 33. Shaye was the next to the crease but he didn't last long because Kal ran him out before he got to face a ball. Mitch, Kael and Craig all pitched in with a few runs to help Kal get us over the line for a comprehensive win, Kal unbeaten on 37.

Top performers:

- K. Gray 6/47 (10)
- D. Brooks 2/27 (8)
- K.Joyce 36 (70)
- D.Brooks 33(27)



Photo: Shaye and Kal making up after Kal run Shaye out without scoring.

Batting - LG	R	B	4s	6s
K. Joyce <i>Not out</i>	37	70	3	0
D. Townsend C: J.Schorer b: B. Schorer	19	26	4	0
D. Brooks <i>Lbw: B. Parsons</i>	33	27	5	1
S. Bowron (c) (wk) <i>Not out (?)</i>		1	0	0
ML. Smith c: J. Schorer b: B. McMillan	9	14	2	0
K. Gray b: B. McMillan	11	14	2	0
C. Chaw <i>not out</i>	6	4	0	0

Bowling - LG	O	M	R	W
R. Enright	7	1	18	-
M.L. Smith	5	2	19	1
K. Gray	10	0	47	6
D. Brooks	8	4	27	2
A. Liddelow	1.1	0	1	1

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## Cricket Notes *(cont.)*

Batting - Wandering	R	B	4s	6s	Bowling - Wandering	O	M	R	W	
J. Schorer <i>c. D. Townsend b: D. Brooks</i>	36	-	-	-	B. Schorer	7	2	30	1	
B. Hardie <i>b: M.L. Smith</i>	12	-	-	-	B. Hardie	4	1	15	0	
B. Warburton <i>c: ? B: K. Gray</i>	10	-	-	-	L. Parsons	5	0	23	0	
B. Parsons <i>c: ? b: K. Gray</i>	4	-	-	-	B. Parsons	5	0	22	1	
B. McMillan <i>c: ? b: K. Gray</i>	24	-	-	-	B. McMillan	3	1	16	2	
L. Parsons <i>c: K. Joyce b: D. Brooks</i>	0	-	-	-	S. Knapp	1	0	5	0	
B. Schorer <i>c: S. Bowron b: K. Gray</i>	6	-	-	-	L. Dowsett	1	0	7	0	
B. Hardie <i>b: K. Gray</i>	5	-	-	-	<b>Upper Great Southern Cricket Assoc Ladder A Grade</b>					
S. Knapp <i>lbw: K. Gray</i>	0	-	-	-		TEAM	%	P	W	PTS
D. Parsons <i>not out</i>	2	-	-	-	1	Pingelly-Noonebin	1.41	5	2	12
L. Dowsett <i>c: C. Shaw b: A. Liddelow</i>	1	-	-	-	2	Wandering	1.41	5	2	10
					3	Towns	0.88	4	2	10
					4	Lake Grace	0.81	4	2	10
					5	Williams	1.17	4	1	8
					6	Cuballing	0.46	4	0	2

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# Bowls Notes

Lynda Trawinski

## Lake Grace Bowling Club: 12th November

Lake Grace men played Karlgarin away. Lake Grace 106 shots to 82 picking up 7 points.

Lake Grace Ladies played Kondinin at home. Lake Grace 25 points to 31 picking up 1/2 point having a draw on one rink

# Basketball Notes

Courtney Withnell

## Round 6:

Bush Chooks 38 defeated Mud Dogs 36

Old Stars 56 defeated Warriors 28

Hoops 41 defeated Bombettes 23

Fouls 40 defeated Hot Shots 30

## Round 7

Bush Chooks 43 defeated Warriors 18

Mud Dugs 35 defeated Old Stars 27

Hoops 57 defeated Hot Shots 12

Fouls 52 defeated Bombettes 26

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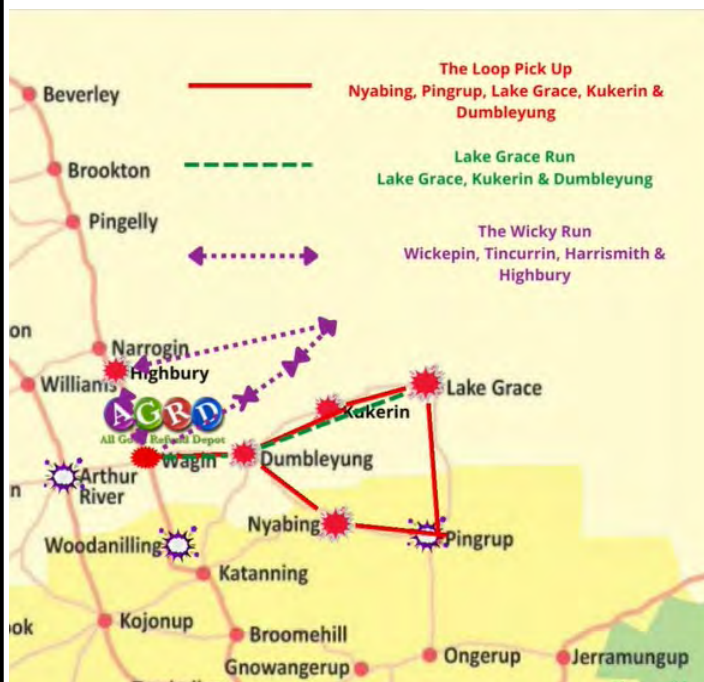
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# The Aussies open for competitors in spectacular event for WA

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The event will attract thousands of surf lifesavers from around Australia, with thousands more spectators visiting WA to cheer them on.

When The Aussies were last held in WA in 2018, more than 8,500 interstate and international visitors generated more than \$15 million in visitor spend.

Australia's 314 surf life-saving clubs, including 31 from WA, will have the opportunity to compete in 480 beach and ocean events across three age group categories - Youth, Masters and Open.

This includes the more than 24,000 members of surf life-saving clubs throughout WA.

Scarborough Beach will also host a festival zone during the competition, which will include a wide range of activities to add to the event experience.

More than 80,000 followers of Surf Life Saving Australia's Facebook page will also be able to view the action at WA's renowned beaches via a livestream of the event, which will include promotion of WA in line with Tourism WA's new global tourism brand, Western Australia - Walking On A Dream.

## New Hours for the Doctor

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup>** Dr. Toye in Lake Grace (9am-5pm) - Dr. Olu in Newdegate (9:30am—2pm)

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup>** Dr. Toye in Lake Grace (9am-1pm)

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup>** Dr Olu in Lake Grace (9am-5pm)

**Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup>** Dr Olu in Lake Grace (9am-5pm)

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup>** Dr Olu in Lake Grace (9am-5pm)

**Thursday 1<sup>st</sup>** Dr Olu in Lake Grace (9am-2pm)

\* Please note we are only in Newdegate once a fortnight now.

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### Cancer Support Coordinator

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

### CWA Bookings

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

### Community Bus Bookings

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### Men's Shed Battery Drive

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

### Dr Linda Haines

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### First Aid Kits

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### Senior Citizens Lunch

Thursday 1 December @ Lakes Village Hall  
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### Save The Date

Lake Grace CWA will be holding their Zucchini Day on Saturday 18th March 2023 so if you haven't yet planted your zucchinis, now is the time to do it. Hint: we will be looking for some weighty pumpkins also so get into the vegie patch and do your best.

### Local Containers for Change ID Numbers

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

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Sunday 4th December 8am Mass	Sunday 4th December 10am
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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## November / December

Fri 25 Op Shop - 9:30am-1pm  
 New Menu @ Sportsman Club  
 Crochet @ CRC—10am  
 Remembrance Day

Sat 26 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
 Bowls—Men's Pennants Newd v LG  
 Burgers @ the Sportsman's Club  
 Cricket—Lake Grace v Cuballing

Sun 27 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
 Roast Night @ LG Hotel

Mon 28 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)  
 Parmi & Pint Night @ LG Hotel  
 Swim Club

Tue 29 Rubbish Collection  
 Playgroup 9:30am  
 Art for Seniors @ Village Hall - 9:30am  
 Men's Shed (morning)  
 Op Shop - 1pm-4pm

Wed 30 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
 Men's & Women's Basketball - Semi Finals - 6pm & 7pm

Thurs 1 Men's Shed (Morning)  
 Senior Citizens Luncheon  
 Bowls Practise @ 5pm  
 Barefoot Bowls

Fri 2 Wheel Chairs for Kids Blanket  
 Presentation @ 10 am @ CRC  
 Driving Assessor in Lake Grace  
 Op Shop - 9:30am-1pm  
 Pizzas @ Sportsman Club

Sat 3 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
 Craft @ CWA (look for flag)  
 New Menu @ the Sportsman's Club  
 Bowls—League Pairs @ Newdegate

Sun 4 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
 Roast Night @ LG Hotel

Mon 5 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)  
 Parmi & Pint Night @ LG Hotel  
 Lakes Link News deadline

Tues 6 Rubbish Collection  
 Recycling Collection  
 Playgroup 9:30am  
 Men's Shed (morning)  
 Op Shop - 1pm-4pm

Wed 7 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
 Containers for Change pickup  
 Men's & Women's Basketball - Grand Finals - 7pm

Thur 8 Lakes Link News published  
 Men's Shed (morning)  
 Harvest Festival 4:30pm-7:30pm

### Coming Events

9th December - Basketball Grand Final  
 14th December - LGDHS Concert Night  
 6th January - Driving Assessor in LG—TBC

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**Closed Wednesday**

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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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