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## Wildflower Watch

Annie Slarke

It is the perfect time of year to see an amazing display of banksia growing along our roadsides. *Banksia sphaerocarpa* or Round Fruited Banksias are a standout from Kukerin to Lake Grace, and on to Newdegate. They are currently prolific around the Tarin Rock area and east of Lake Grace from the Rifle Range bush reserve to Beenong Road.

*Banksia sphaerocarpa* or Round Fruited Banksia is a large, rounded, sprawling shrub, growing to 2 metres tall and 2-3 metres in width. I recently saw some old plants that were at least 4 metres wide. This species has soft yellow ball-shaped flowers that gradually mature through to gold then to reddish-brown. The flowers have a strong honey perfume and grow directly on the branches. Their soft needle-like foliage is a bluish-green colour and surrounds the flowers.

The flowers are followed by the development of the seed pods - hard, knobby balls that usually stay on the plant, waiting for a fire before they open their cases to release seed.

*Banksia sphaerocarpa* is just one of the 36 species of banksia found in our Shire. Like all our beautiful wildflowers, they are to be left where they grow. Please enjoy their beauty but do not pick them.



**Above left: New flowers**

**Above right: Flowers at different growth stages**

**Left: Fruit (called follicles) showing seed casing.**

**Right: Fruit of Banksia Sphaerocarpa, covered in old flowers**



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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 11th April

**Next Edition**  
Thursday 14th April



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    Gwen Oliver  
Annie Slarke

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# Editorial

- The Sky Muster (NBN Local) truck was in Lake Grace this week to help anyone out with connectivity. The truck itself was interesting to have a look through as it is sent to disaster areas to help emergency services and the local population with the supply of internet. As we all know once power or telecommunications are knocked out through fire, wind etc. then we really are quite stranded.
- Check out Kevin's quiz on page 19, I'm afraid (much to Kevin's glee) it's back to school for me.
- We are always looking for more news to include in the paper, if you know something that is going on then please let us know. The Lakes Link is the only regular written history of our town and what is happening, it's important to include as much as possible so that our descendants can get the same joy out of the past as we do. We also like to put in some photo stories, so if you see something interesting....think of us. Don't be afraid to have a little brag about something that's happened in your life (family, work, hobby) as we love to hear about it.
- As you know there are some restrictions to the Library / CRC building as we are on Education Department land. The school has asked that the community only access the library when there are no classes in, please avoid:
  - Monday—1:25pm to 2:30pm
  - Tuesday—11:50am to 12:30pm and 2:20pm to 3:15pm
  - Wednesday—11:50am to 12:30pm
  - Thursday—1:25pm to 2:20pm
- Thank you to Annie Slarke for putting up her hand to write some articles for us about our local wildflowers, can never get too much of that!
- Currently the CRC is working with the Visitor Centre and also Michelle Slarke to get a reprint of *Across the Lake*. Unfortunately there is no 'master copy' so we have had to start from scratch. The text is taken care of however we are needing to chase up photographs. Did you or your family provide photographs back in the early 1990's for John Bird's history of Lake Grace? I have put a complete list of the photographs we are needing on page 26-27. I have also started putting some requests up on Facebook but apart from some great reminiscing and interesting comments this venture has not borne fruit. Please help us get our mitts on these photos, otherwise we will have to scan direct from the book and that means the quality of your family photo won't be as good as we'd like.
- It just goes to show you never stop learning, we've had an issue with a gum tree in our back yard all of a sudden taking ill. At least 75% of the leaves on the tree have died but everywhere else it appeared healthy; after chatting with an expert

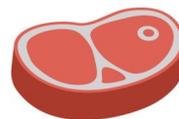
I was surprised to find out that the roots when taking in water feed the branches above it. Me thinking that it would drag all of it wanted from sprinklers going off on the lawn (that is under the 1/4 unaffected) is not quite right. Apparently the unrelenting heat from this summer, an increase in growth from the fabulous rains last winter meant it needed more water over the summer. Here's hoping it recovers.

- Easter is coming up and once again the Driver Reviver will be out. I will be looking for volunteers (to our regulars an email will be going out soon); if you would like to put your hand up then we would love to hear from you. We'll be looking for help on the Thursday (14th April), Good Friday (15th April) and Easter Monday (18th April).
- On a personal note I'm looking for half a dozen goldfish, happy to pay for them but even happier to get them for free! I did try to put onto Facebook Buy, Swap and Sell but apparently social media is sensitive to the needs of animals and my post was removed. Interesting what the behavioural parameters are for social media.

Suzanne Reeves



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- Sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Audrey Evans who passed away recently. Well known for a lively sense of humour and love of singing, Audrey will be missed by Sandy (daughter), Chris, Aaron, Debbie and Kyal Carruthers and their respective families.
- Congratulations to Marcus and Kylie O'Neill on the arrival of Ezra James (pictured below) on 25/01/22. A much loved brother for Mackenzie, Dominic and Thea.



# Happy Birthday



- 31st March Kim Slarke  
Michelle Slarke  
Kelly Callope
- 1st April Greg Meston  
Di Desmond  
Janine Watson  
Kathleen Naisbitt  
Denise Sabourne  
Madison Chircop
- 2nd April Luke Trawinski  
Trish Cameron
- 3rd April Steve Pelham
- 4th April Lois Dickins  
Ella Ward
- 5th April Chris Trevenen (jnr)  
Kristian Chatfield
- 6th April Hazel Livall
- 7th April Taj Carruthers
- 8th April Lindsay Willock
- 9th April Tayah Holmes
- 10th April Natalie Gambuti  
Graham Milton
- 12th April Cody Giles
- 13th April Zhane Robertson  
Vicki Dewson  
Brendon Callope
- 14th April Clancy Lay  
Dakota Pelham

# Anniversaries



- 3rd April Jason & Danielle Robertson
- 4th April Lawrie & Lois Dickins
- 5th April Jeff & Symone McKenzie
- 7th April Brett & Renae Willcocks  
Rex & Tracey Walker

- Congratulations to James O'Neill and Rosie Sciacca who were married recently at Ngarabup Beach, Margaret River. The border restrictions were lifted just in time to allow Rosie's family from Darwin to attend. James's groomsmen included his three brothers. From left to right- ....., Marcus, ....., Matthew, ....., the Best Man Luke. The weather was perfect and a great time was had by all.



# Fire Brigade Celebrates Their 50th

This year marks the Lake Grace Fire Brigades 50<sup>th</sup> year. We would like to invite all past and present members to join us for a celebration at Walkers Hill Vineyard, Lake Grace on the Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

On the night we will be tucking into a delicious 2 course buffet. The brigade will contribute some money towards the cost of the dinner. We ask that guests pay the remaining \$25 per person. Please see below bank details for the fire brigade:

Name – Lake Grace Volunteer Fire Brigade

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Account – 4174466

Payment is needed to secure your RSVP. Can you please send receipt of your payment and names of person attending to email [lakegracevfrs@bigpond.com](mailto:lakegracevfrs@bigpond.com) (Please also send through any dietary requirements).

We require payment to be made by 2<sup>nd</sup> April so we can confirm numbers with the Winery for catering purposes.

**Blast from Past: Photo (right) taken of the local Brigade, with visiting dignitaries, in the early 1990's. Credit: Gregson Meston.**



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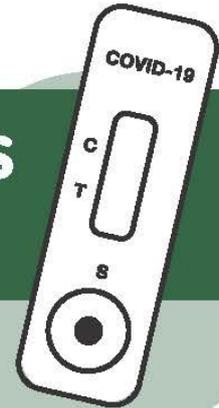


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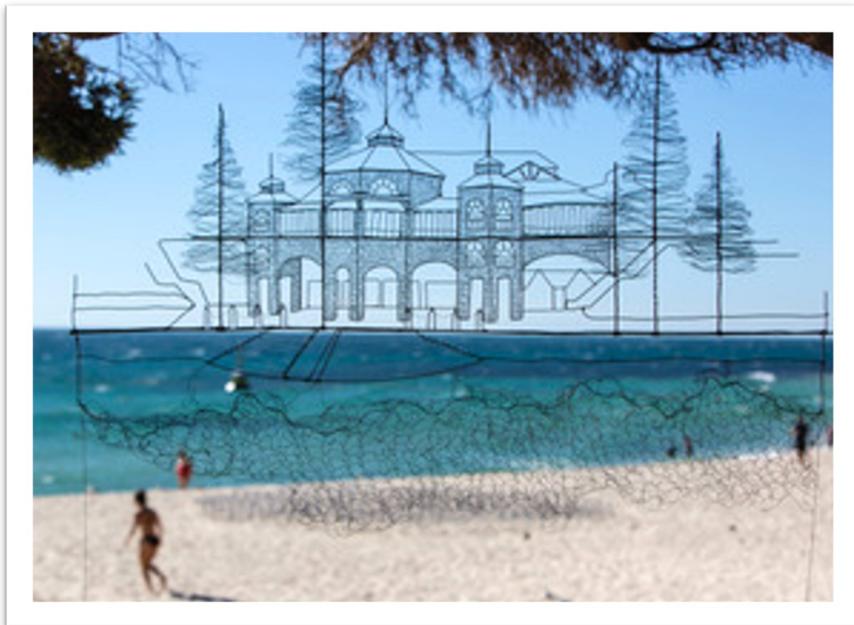
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# Photo Stories



**Local artist, Tania Spencer's entry into the recent Sculpture By the Sea, Cottesloe.**

**Her sculpture, created from copper wire and measuring 1200 x 1400 x 30 is of the Indiana Tea House.**

**Love it or hate it, this precious Western Australian icon of Cottesloe beach will finally bloom to its full potential with the forthcoming facelift.**

**photo - Martine Perrett**

**Katina and Ashley from NBN Local were in Lake Grace this week; parked up outside the CRC on Monday and in the main street (running a coffee tab) on Tuesday.**

**It was an ideal opportunity for anyone who wanted to investigate what internet and connectivity opportunities are out there that may better suit their home or organization.**



**Those early morning and weekend hit outs at the local courts are paying off bigtime for the Pelham family.**

**The Great Southern Tennis Zone Singles Championships were held in Katanning on Sunday 20th March.**

**Dakota won Champion 10 and under. Darcey at only 9 years of age went up to the 12 and under division and won champion.**

**Well done to Dakota and Darcey!**



# Why are Hollow-Bearing Trees Important?

*Wilderness Society*

## What are Hollow Bearing Trees (HBTs)?

Tree hollows are cavities formed in the trunk or branches of a living or dead tree. Hollows are found in older, mature trees.

They form as a result of wind breakage, lightning strikes, fire and/or from consumption and decay of internal wood by fungi and insects—primarily termites.

## Where are they found?

Hollows are mostly found in old eucalypt trees, and are rare in many other native and introduced species such as wattle and pine.

- Small hollows can take 120-150 years to form. Their narrow entrances are suitable for small animals, such as the Eastern Pygmy Possum
- Medium hollows can take over 200 years to form. These are favoured by animals such as Leadbeater's Possums and Swift Parrots
- Large/deep hollows are only found in old and overmature trees (deteriorating, dying or dead). They're occupied by Glossy Black Cockatoos and other larger birds such as Masked Owls

Large, old HBTs are generally more valuable to hollow-using animals than younger HBTs, although these are important as a future source of hollows. Very old mature trees like River Red Gums Gums, Jarrah and Marri Trees (two to three centuries in age) provide a dynamic supply of different-sized hollows that suit various species, supporting ecosystem diversity and abundance.

## Who lives in them?

In Australia, 303 native wildlife species rely on hollows to nest, breed, shelter and feed. This includes 31% of native mammals and 15% of native birds. Each animal species has its own requirements in terms of hollow size, location (branch or trunk), tree species and surrounding vegetation, which affects how a hollow is used.

## How do they help threatened species?

Many Australian native forest species rely on very specific hollow types to be able to breed and take shelter from native and introduced predators. These species are now threatened (or becoming so) because of a lack of appropriate hollows.

Threatened species or species of concern that rely on hollows to survive include:

- Swift Parrot (Critically Endangered, Tasmania—for breeding/nesting season)
- Leadbeater's Possum (Critically Endangered, Central Highlands, Victoria)
- Superb Parrot, Powerful Owl and Greater Glider (Vulnerable, Eastern and South-Eastern Australia)
- Carnaby's Cockatoo (Endangered, South-West Australia)
- Yellow-bellied/Fluffy Glider (Vulnerable, Queensland and NSW)
- Western Ringtail Possum (Critically Endangered, South West WA)

## What are the other benefits of old trees?

Mature trees store more carbon and often provide more flowers, nectar, fruit and seeds than younger trees. They also provide more diverse habitats for insect populations on their trunks and around their roots. When HBTs collapse or shed limbs, they also provide hollow logs that serve as important shelter sites for wildlife.

## So what's the problem?

The primary causes of HBTs disappearing from our landscape are:

- Deforestation: HBTs of all maturity levels are

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# Why are HBTs Important? (cont.)

bulldozed for urban development and agriculture, and those left behind frequently suffer from poor health ('dieback'), are blown over in storms, and have a shorter lifespan than in forested landscapes

- Logging: HBTs are felled and those retained can be burnt in high-intensity, post-logging fires or suffer dieback
- Firewood collection or pruning: This mostly happens to overmature trees, with the removal allegedly to reduce risk to surrounding human populations
- Other human-driven changes: Changed fire regimes in northern Australia lead to high intensity, late dry season burns that kill developing and current HBTs

The biggest issue outside of direct loss of HBTs is the loss of younger and developing trees that will soon develop hollows, leading to a future lack of hollows. All factors above lead to this loss of the next generation of HBTs, but this is especially an issue in logged forests where trees of 20-80 years of age are preferred by the logging industry.

This loss and lack of recruitment of new HBTs leads to either:

- a complete lack of hollows
- not enough of the right type of hollows to maintain a viable population of various species, or
- the hollows being in the wrong place (e.g. on infertile or rugged ridges) for the animals to also find food and water.

## Why is this happening?

These trees are being lost because:

- State governments are legally enabling deforestation and logging, and subsidising logging, resulting in ongoing loss of HBTs
- The Federal Government is not enforcing national environment laws and recovery plans for threatened species, and has exempted logging from national environment laws under the Regional Forest Agreements in place in WA, NSW, Victoria and Tasmania
- There is no real protection for these trees and recovery plans (where they exist) can't be enforced to stop the threats above
- Political decision-making has ensured that destruction of HBTs is not listed as a 'key threatening process' under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999, leading to no Federal plan to end the activities killing them off

## Why can't we just replace tree hollows with artificial nests?

Some success has been had, for some species, with replacing real hollows with artificial nesting boxes—but it's been very limited and has often failed totally. It's also very expensive as a solution, and is no justification for continuing to destroy natural HBTs.

## What's the solution then?

The solution is to allow forests and bushland to become old. This requires an end to the destruction of current HBTs and restoration of forest and bushland to ensure a steady supply of future HBTs of varying ages and tree species. This should happen across the country, but priority should be given to critical habitat for threatened species, such as Victoria's eastern forests, South West WA, northern and eastern Tasmania and northern NSW/south-east Queensland.

The states won't take action on their own to end the destruction of HBTs in high conservation value (HCV) forests and bushland, so we need the Federal Government to show leadership through:

- Strong national laws that end destruction of old and high conservation value (HCV) trees, and forest management rules that protect all current and future HBTs and threatened species habitat in HCV forests
- An independent Environment Protection Authority to make sure environmental decision-making is independent, based on science and free from the influence of vested interests
- Development, resourcing and enforcement of a national plan to ensure a regular supply of HBTs in future (through a mix of protected areas and protection and restoration of HCV vegetation from native forest logging/deforestation)
- Support for Indigenous ranger and traditional fire management programs in northern Australia

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## Lake Grace Weather

Date	Min	Max	Rain
16/3	13.8	28.7	0
17/3	13.9	30.8	0
18/3	17.1	38.1	0
19/3	18.3	22.2	0
20/3	15.5	29.1	0
21/3	16.5	21.4	0
22/3	12.9	23.4	0
23/3	9.6	22.5	0
24/3	11.1	25.5	0
25/3	13.3	31.0	0
26/3	17.7	28.9	0.6
27/3	17.4	19.2	12.0
28/3	13.8	19.2	2.0
29/3	15.0	22.2	0.2

### “Why English Is Hard to Learn”

We'll begin with *box*; the plural is *boxes*,  
But the plural of *ox* is *oxen*, not *oxes*.  
One fowl is a *goose*, and two are called *geese*,  
Yet the plural of *moose* is never called *meese*.

You may find a lone *mouse* or a house full of *mice*;  
But the plural of *house* is *houses*, not *hice*.  
The plural of *man* is always *men*,  
But the plural of *pan* is never *pen*.

If I speak of a *foot*, and you show me two *feet*,  
And I give you a *book*, would a pair be a *beek*?  
If one is a *tooth* and a whole set are *teeth*,  
Why shouldn't two *booths* be called *beeth*?

If the singular's *this* and the plural is *these*,  
Should the plural of *kiss* be ever called *keese*?

We speak of a *brother* and also of *brethren*,  
But though we say *mother*, we never say *methren*.  
Then the masculine pronouns are *he*, *his*, and *him*;  
But imagine the feminine . . . *she*, *shis*, and *shim*!



– Anonymous

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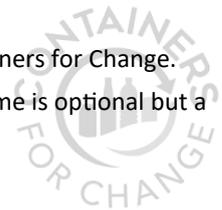
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- **St John Ambulance sub centre** - Stubbs St  
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- **Sporting Pavilion**  
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- **Lake Grace Police Station** - Stubbs St  
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- **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  
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- **AFGRI** - Absolon Street  
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- **Saltbush Inn - Griffiths St**  
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# Being Artful

Leanne Young & Suzanne Reeves

With many activities aligned with the Health Department currently off limits for the seniors due to COVID, the CRC has initiated a fortnightly art program that will be managed by Leanne Young. How lucky are we to have an artist on staff.

The group will meet to do some relaxing art work at the Seniors Village Hall; no pressure and no skills required -just a get together and have some fun.

The classes will be free for Lake Grace Seniors Group members and just \$2 per session for non members. Week one we started off colouring in just to get to feel of things and to see what everyone is interested in doing.

Next fortnight we will be moving on to basic sketching and shading for those who would like to. There is some interest in playing around with watercolours, Zen tangles, painting terracotta pots etc just to name a few.

All suggestions are welcome as we are keen to mix it up and try new genres. If you have a project at home you are working on you are welcome to bring it along.

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# Book Review: *The Way It Is Now* by Garry Disher

Suzanne Reeves

Haven't read any of this authors novels before and would have to say it was an excellent read and will be looking for more of his titles. Apparently, he does write in different genres so I'm looking forward to ordering some of his books via the library.

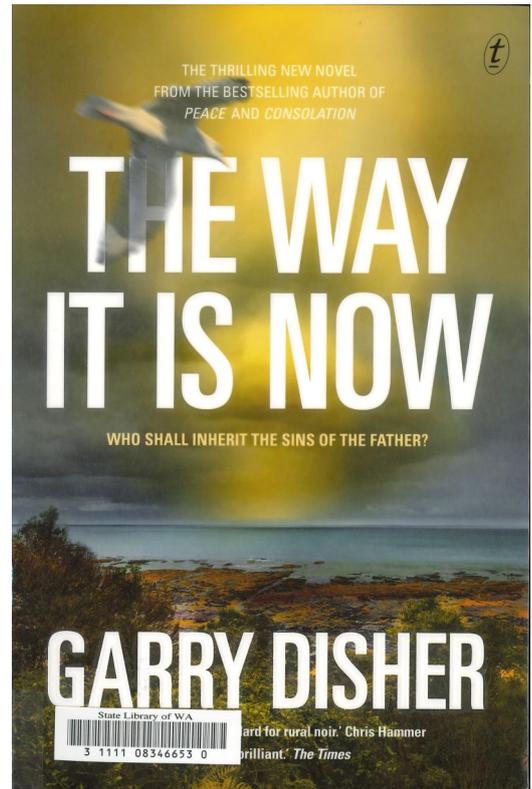
Twenty years ago Charlie Deravin's mother went missing near the family beach shack - believed murdered; body never found. His father has lived under a cloud of suspicion ever since.

The same day a young boy went missing while on school camp, presumed drowned. Charlie was a new police recruit when enlisted to help search for the missing student.

Now Charlie's back living in the shack in Menlo Beach, on disciplinary leave from his job with the police sex-crimes unit, and permanent leave from his marriage. After two decades worrying away at the mystery of his mother's disappearance, he's run out of leads.

Then the skeletal remains of two people are found in the excavation of a new building site - and the past comes crashing in on Charlie.

Available at the Lake Grace Library - well worth getting it out.





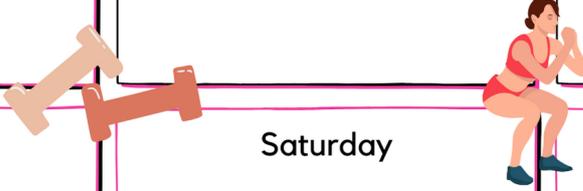
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Friday</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">6am Ignite Fire</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Saturday</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">8am BOOTCAMP</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Please confirm your attendance by messaging Debbie on 0438895101. A minimum of 3 confirmed for classes to run.</p>



# Public Health Measures to Ease

Thanks to the efforts of the WA community and based on the latest public health advice, public health and social measures will be eased to Level 1 to suit the current Omicron wave from 12.01am Thursday, March 31, 2022.

## Masks

Mask wearing will continue to be required for people aged 8 years and above (and Year 3 and over in school), other than in the home.

## Gatherings

- Indoor home gatherings limited to a total of 30 people, including household members.
- Outdoor home gatherings limited to a total of 200 people, with the 2sqm rule
- Private outdoor gatherings in public spaces limited to a total of 200 people.

## Density and capacity limits

- 2sqm rule and a cap of 500 patrons, for two weeks only, for:
  - hospitality venues
  - nightclubs
  - convention centres or function centres.
- 2sqm rule for:
  - fitness venues
  - entertainment venues

- galleries and museums
- places of worship
- hairdressers and beauty services
- Perth Crown Complex including the gaming floor.
- 75 per cent capacity for:
  - seated entertainment venues (forward facing), such as theatres and cinemas.
  - major stadia, such as Optus Stadium, RAC Arena, HBF Stadium (main area) and HBF Park.

## Contact registration

- Checking in will only be required for higher-risk venues that require proof of vaccination.
- It will not be required at retail outlets and other lower-risk sites where only casual interaction is likely to occur.

## Hospitals, residential aged and disability care facilities

- The limit of two visitors will remain per resident per day to residential aged and disability care facilities.
- There will also be no change concerning essential visitors allowed to hospitals, for:
  - compassionate reasons such as end of life
  - accompanying a child or patient with complex needs
  - birthing partner
  - carer of a person with a disability, chronic illness and frailty.

## Events

- COVID Event Checklists required for events with more than 500 patrons and less than 1,000 patrons.
- COVID Event Plans required for large events with 1,000 patrons and above.
- 2sqm rule applies.

## Community sport

- Indoor community sports as per venue requirement.
- Outdoor community sports are permitted with spectators.

## Higher education and colleges

- Higher education remains open, with masks required indoors.
- Boarding schools remain open.

## Critical worker, school and childcare settings

- These settings remain unchanged:
  - Critical worker
  - School and childcare settings.



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# I have tested positive for COVID-19

With COVID-19 in the community, it is important for you to know what to do to keep yourself and others safe. This protocol will help you know when and how long you need to isolate for if you are COVID-19 positive.

If you return a positive Rapid Antigen Test (RAT), you must register your result with the Department of Health.

Isolate at home for 7 days.



No symptoms after 7 days  
No further test is required.



Symptoms develop  
Remain in isolation until symptoms cease.



OR

You can leave home. Wear a mask indoors and outdoors for the next 7 days.



You are cleared by a medical professional.



## Your close contacts must follow these protocols:



Close contact, no symptoms



Close contact, with symptoms



Close contact and a critical worker



# I am a close contact and have no symptoms

This protocol will help you know what to do if you are a close contact but have no symptoms.

Isolate for 7 days from date of contact or from the date your household contact tests positive.

Take a PCR or RAT on day 1.

**Symptoms**  
Refer to 'I am a close contact who develops symptoms' protocol.

**Test negative**  
Continue to isolate. Take another RAT and continue to isolate, even if negative. Take another PCR on day 6 or RAT on day 7.

**Test positive**  
Refer to the 'I have tested positive to COVID-19' protocol.

If you have no symptoms on day 7, you can leave your home. For the next 7 days, wear a mask indoors and outdoors and don't visit high risk settings (exemptions apply).  
School children can continue to go to school if they are an asymptomatic close contact.



# POLICE NEWS

LAKE GRACE POLICE STATION

56 STUBBS STREET, LAKE GRACE. 6353

Phone : 9890 2000 Fax : 9865 1429

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

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



## STATION NEWS

Welcome Constable Wade Humphrey, yes for those that have not met him yet Wade has already completed his first fortnight here, and I'm sure that he will get to know you all in no time.

*G'day everyone as most of you would be aware I'm Wade the new Police Officer in town and thought it would be only fair for me to introduce myself to you and explain where I'm coming from and my reason for joining the Lake Grace community.*

*My Policing career started in Geraldton working closely with the community and youths and it appears 3 years later I find myself in a position quite similar. I moved from Geraldton to the Big Smoke that we all know as Perth and worked in both heavy populated areas such as Northbridge to smaller suburban locations such as Mundaring.*

*My most recent area of work has been an investigation background, targeting high harm offending within the Midland District. I am a proactive police officer and will always look to assist from a community and policing perspective.*

*My interests include footy (unfortunately that's NRL however that can be persuaded), camping, fishing, fitness and of course Netflix.*

*I'm a young keen police officer that looks forward to engaging in various community activities and sporting groups.*

*I look forward to meeting everyone and please don't hesitate to introduce yourself to me or email me on [pd17031@police.wa.gov.au](mailto:pd17031@police.wa.gov.au)*

*Regards,  
Constable Wade HUMPHREY.*

Josh is back from his two-week deployment in Broome, no doubt he may have a tale or two to tell in the next article, thankfully he still has a Police Station to return to, I'm pretty sure his last words were "just make sure the place doesn't burn down", so I think I can say mission accomplished...

## CRIME

It has been a bit of a mixed bag the past fortnight, we had one person stabbed, it appeared worse than initially thought and thankfully no lasting damage to the victim.

We have assisted Kondinin with some Forensic enquires as they have been subjected to a spate of recent burglaries and enquires are still ongoing in regards to the assault incident at the Newdegate Hotel.

We have been contacted by a few parents asking what powers Police have in regards to dealing with certain juvenile behaviour.

We are guided by legislation which tells us that:

- A child cannot be held criminally responsible if they are under the age of 10 years old.

# POLICE NEWS *(Cont.)*

- A child between the ages of 10 to 14 years old; Police must prove that the child understood that the act they were committing was the wrong thing to do, (proving they know right from wrong).

“Legislation contained in the Young Offenders Act 1994, gives police officers the discretionary power to use diversionary options when dealing with a young person who commits an offence. Instead of an arrest and subsequent court appearance, police officers can issue a formal written caution or refer the matter to a Juvenile Justice Team.

Where the matter is referred to a Juvenile Justice Team, the consultative process also includes a Department of Justice Juvenile Justice Team Coordinator and any other relevant persons. No criminal conviction is recorded against the young person if police use diversionary options.

This system gives young people the opportunity to come to the realisation that there are consequences to their behaviour and that they are responsible for their own actions”.

What this means is that the Police will always look at diversionary options in the first instance, open dialogue between parties would be our first option, if you have

any questions please come and see us.

## TRAFFIC NEWS

In between dealing with stabbings and forensic tasks we have still managed to get out on the road conducting traffic patrols.

As the seasons start to change to hopefully some wetter weather it's a timely reminder to check your vehicle's road worthiness.

Tyres are a good place to start, they are the only contact patch your vehicle has with the road. Please ensure that you're not driving around on slicks, the legal requirement is 1.5mm depth of tread on your tyres.

Please take care and stay safe.

Regards  
Lake Grace Police

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# Employment Opportunities

around Lake Grace

Have you been looking for work? Maybe you are after a change in industry.

Here are a list of jobs currently available in Lake Grace

- **Rosies Café & Bakery**  
Casual waitress / kitchen hand  
Open to all, students welcome to apply. Resume to [keyshandy91@gmail.com](mailto:keyshandy91@gmail.com) or contact Nutt on 0448 528 352 for further details.
  - **Lake Grace Post Office**  
Part time / casual - counter service  
Contact Jayne at the post office for more information.
  - **GS Mobile Mechanical Services**  
**Heavy Duty or Light Duty Mechanic Trade Assistant / Tyre Fitter**  
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  - **AFGRI - Full Time Service Manager**  
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Tyson Bell 0427 890 058
  - **AFGRI - Full Time Service Technician/s**  
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Tyson Bell 0427 890 058
  - **AFGRI - Full Time Parts Sales Representative**  
Contact - [tbell@afgri.com.au](mailto:tbell@afgri.com.au)  
Tyson Bell 0427 890 058
  - **Spencer Shearing**  
**Shearers & Shedhands - 2 x full time positions**  
Contact Darren Spencer - 0428 651 339
  - **Farmers Centre**  
**Salesperson**  
Contact Malcolm 0429 651 094  
[malcolm@farmerscentre1978.com.au](mailto:malcolm@farmerscentre1978.com.au)
  - **Farmers Centre**  
**Technician x 1**  
Contact Malcolm 0429 651 094  
[malcolm@farmerscentre1978.com.au](mailto:malcolm@farmerscentre1978.com.au)
  - **Lake Grace Early Learning Centre**  
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For any information please call 9865 2568
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## Rosies Café & Bakery

### Opening Hours

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# Bits and Pieces

Kevin Seaman

Remember the adage “The camera does not lie?” Well maybe in the old days with the old brownie box camera – the Kodak camera and the Pentax, just to name a few – which always recorded the image you were photographing. But with today’s modern technology who can believe what we see in print?

Also the computer: Does that also give you the correct answer or do you have to agree with what answer is given you because “it was on the computer”?

I hope I am not chasing a cat up the tree and trust that the following 20 answers to the quiz are true, otherwise guess who gets the challenge to explain your ‘answer’? So with faith in the brides u-beaut modern computer, I challenge you to test your knowledge on 20 questions. The answers are on page.... One rule, no cheating by looking at the answers!

## 20 Questions to Test Your Knowledge

1. Which sport has a penalty shot?
2. What is the name of the Apple OS X email client?
3. What is the freezing point in Fahrenheit?
4. Which fruit has the highest fiber content?
5. Which organ is responsible for regulating metabolism?
6. Food energy is expressed in what form?
7. What sea does the Jordan River empty into?
8. What is pedagogy?
9. How many calories does a bar of chocolate have?
10. What does the skin of the grape contain?
11. What year did the Titanic sink in the Atlantic Ocean?
12. What is the capital of Portugal?
13. What is the chemical symbol of silver?
14. What is the world’s smallest bird?
15. How many hearts does an octopus have?
16. Who invented the gramophone?
17. What year did World War One end?
18. What was the first Bond film in 1962 with Sean Connery playing 007?
19. What is the molecule that forms part of the human body?
20. Which actress played Mary Poppins in the 1964 film “Mary Poppins”?

## And now for the funnies

One day while a woodcutter was cutting a branch of a tree above a river, his axe fell into the river. When he cried out, the Lord appeared and asked, ‘Why are you crying?’

The woodcutter replied that his axe has fallen into water, and he needed the axe to make his living. The Lord went down into the water and reappeared with a golden axe. ‘Is this your axe?’ the Lord asked?

The woodcutter replied, ‘No’.

The Lord again went down and came up with a silver axe. ‘Is this your axe?’ the Lord asked.

Again, the woodcutter replied, ‘No.’

The Lord went down again and came up with an iron axe. ‘Is this your axe?’

The woodcutter replied, ‘Yes.’

The Lord was pleased with the man’s honesty and gave him all three axes to keep, and the woodcutter went home happy. Some time later the woodcutter was walking with his wife along the riverbank, and his wife fell into the river. When he cried out, the Lord again appeared and asked him, ‘Why are you crying?’

‘Oh Lord, my wife has fallen into the water!’

The Lord went down into the water and came up with Jennifer Lopez.

‘Is this your wife?’ the Lord asked.

‘Yes,’ cried the woodcutter.

The Lord was furious. ‘You lied! That is an untruth!’

The woodcutter replied, ‘Oh, forgive me, my Lord. It is a misunderstanding. You see, if I had said “No” to Jennifer Lopez, you would have come with Catherine Zeta-Jones. Then if I also said “No” to her, you would have come up with my wife. Had I then said “Yes”, you would have given me all three. Lord, I am a poor man, and am not able to take care of three wives, so THAT’S why I said “Yes” to Jennifer Lopez.

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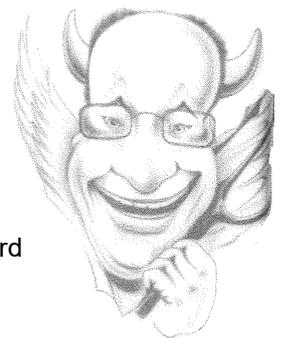
Last night while I lay sleeping  
I died or so it seems  
Then I went to heaven  
But t’was only in my dreams

But it seems St. Peter met me  
There at the pearly gate  
He said, ‘I must check your record  
So stand right here and wait’

I see where you drank whiskey  
And used tobacco, too  
Fact is you’ve done everything  
That a good person shouldn’t do

We can’t have people like you up here  
Your life is full of sin.’  
Then he read the last of my record  
Grasped my hand and said, ‘Come in.’

He took me up to the Big Boss  
Said ‘Take him in and treat him well  
He worked for a Telecommunications company, sir  
He’s already had his share of hell.





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# Community Newsletter

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## From the CEO

Council Meeting was last week and residents and ratepayers are reminded that they are all welcome to attend the meetings and observe the process of how the Shire of Lake Grace operates.

Council meetings commence at 3.30pm on the 4th Wednesday of each month (except January where there is no meeting).

Council sets aside time early in the meeting for "Public Question Time" to allow members of the public to ask questions relating to the Shire activities. The public is requested to present the questions prior to the meeting to allow the answers to be researched if necessary.

Shire Agendas are published on the shire website several days prior to the meeting where it may be viewed by the public.

Prior to the meeting last week there was a citizenship ceremony, a presentation by a representative from the RAC regarding the conducting of speed trials and a presentation from a representative of the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD) on the progress of the Regional Drought Resilience Planning project of which the Shire of Lake Grace is a member. This project is both federally and state government funded and is still in the planning stages.

Some items in the meeting last week included the location of a used sea container at the rear of 26 Stubbs St Lake Grace, the draft Shire Bushfire Risk Management Plan 2022-2027 and an access agreement to allow access through private property to a new emergency water supply soon to be up and running.

The usual monthly Financial Reports indicating the Shires healthy position and the minutes of several Committees of Council including the Shire of Lake Grace Tourism Advisory committee (SoLGTAC). The Lake Grace Library/Community Resource Centre Management Committee and the Local Emergency Management Committee (LEMC).

*Alan George*  
Chief Executive Officer

## Oximeters

The State Health Department is offering free pulse oximeters to vulnerable members of the community.

A pulse oximeter is a small peg-like device that clips onto your finger to read your heart rate and blood oxygen level.

The Department of Health WA has supplied Oximeters to distribute to community members who fit within the following categories:

- **50+ years (aboriginal descent)**
- **60+ years**
- **Pregnant**

Only collect if you are well and have not tested positive for COVID-19. If you have received a positive COVID-19 test result, the Department of Health will contact you and provide further information.

If you are eligible you can pick one up from the Lake Grace Hospital administration office, or call 9890 2222.

One per household is available.



## Coming Events

### Varley Social Nights

Sunday 3 April  
Friday 10 June  
Friday 24 June

### Ordinary Council Meeting

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on  
**Wednesday**  
**27 April 2022**  
from 2.30pm at the  
Council Chambers,  
Administration Building.

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

*Everyone  
Welcome*

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

# Community Infrastructure Service

Our staff carried out the following works:

## Roadworks

The Lake Grace Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Elliott Rd
- Old Ravey Rd
- Mallee Hill Rd
- Burngup Rd

The Newdegate Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Biddy -Buniche Rd
- Magenta Rd
- Haig Rd
- Biddy Camm Rd

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

- Hatters Hill Rd
- Fitzgerald Rd

## Parks & Gardens

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

### Lake Grace

- Mow oval
- Visitor Centre
- Lawns at unoccupied staff housing
- Railway garden maintenance
- Calthrop inspection
- Lake Grace Playgroup
- CWA McMahon St playground
- Hockey oval retic
- Street weeding in townsite
- Doctor's house retic and lawn
- Lake Grace cemetery

### Newdegate

- Water un-reticulated gardens and pots
- Remove dead rose and plant new at Gazebo
- Remove old sleepers and tree roots from lawn edges
- Levelling gravel for honor board
- Weeding main st
- Spray weeds around town



*Above: Newdegate Country Club extensions*

### Lake King

- Sports ovals maintenance
- Lake King Playground
- Lake King Toilet septic

### Varley

- General townsite maintenance

### Buildings

The Building Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work on the following facilities:

- RSL Building maintenance
- Newdegate Medical Centre
- Newdegate Pioneer Park
- Lake Grace toilet maintenance
- Newdegate Pavilion
- Newdegate Hockey toilets
- Lake King public toilets

### Operations

- Construction of Newdegate hockey toilets
- Newdegate hockey lights
- Signage
- Machinery to Lake King
- Deliver sand and blue metal to Lake King
- Lake Grace cricket pitch

*Craig Elefsen*

Manager Infrastructure Services



*Newdegate Hockey toilets*

## Extended Power Outages

The \$80 payment is an acknowledgement of the inconvenience for customers who have experienced a long unplanned outage while waiting for repairs to be completed and restoration of power to occur.

Go to: <https://www.westernpower.com.au/faults-outages/make-a-claim/extended-outage/>

# 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.

### 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 - Friday 8 April**

**Friday - Friday 6 May (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 12 April	Tuesday 5 April
Tuesday 26 April	Tuesday 19 April

**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.

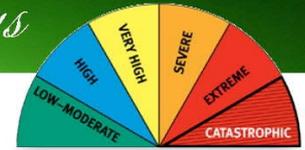
If an item is covered in food, it is not recyclable. Food is one of the worst contaminators in the recycling process. By using the yellow top recycling bin correctly you are contributing, in a combined community effort, to reduce the amount of rubbish that is directed to landfill facilities each year.

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

## Community Emergency Service News



The State Government has recently announced that new *Work Health and Safety Act 2020* will come into effect at the end of March 2022.

This sees a shift from the implied requirement for volunteers to be included in their parent organisations health and safety systems to an explicit requirement. As we navigate these amendments in legislation, we will see some changes to how we work in the Bush Fire Response space. Please bear with us as we work towards the new requirements.

The first change you will see is the requirement for volunteer fire responders to be trained.

We are able to deliver local Rural Fire Awareness training through the Shire at a venue near you. Contact your local FCO's to register your interest.

*Matt Castaldini*

Community Emergency Services Manager

## S.T.R.I.N.G.S

The Perth Symphony Orchestra has taken S-T-R-I-N-G-S, A quartet gone Rogue, on the road across WA.

Four brilliant string players from the Perth Symphony came to Lake Grace on Wednesday 23 March.

They held a workshop at 3.30pm and spoke about their instruments, the violin, viola, and the larger of the three the cello.

The participants at the workshop had the opportunity to conduct the quartet.



*Above: Elise Carruthers conducting the quartet*

The performance on Wednesday evening was presented in a rehearsal setting. They worked through a program for the upcoming concert in Lake Grace. Showing the arguments, egos, humour, and flirtations members use to get their own way, they shone a light on how concerts come together.

Their repertoire was a mixture of classical, rock, pop, electronic and jazz music ranging from composers such as Beethoven and Mozart through to Nirvana and even Britney Spears song, Toxic.

They interacted with the audience, bringing them into the conversation, making it fun, the children really got into the show, they had such appealing personalities. It was definitely accessible and appealing to a wide audience even those who thought it was not their cup of tea.

Thank you to Lake Grace Creative Events, Shire of Lake Grace, Rave About Arts, Perth Symphony Orchestra, In The House, Circuit West, and Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries for giving Lake Grace the opportunity to see performers of such a high calibre.

*By Cheryl Chappell*

The viola is bigger than the violin with an average body length of between 15.5 and 16.5 inches for adults, compared to the violin which is between 13 and 14 inches. The viola has a deeper richer sound.

The cello is normally played from a seated position with the instrument held between the legs. The violin and viola in contrast, are held between the shoulder and the chin. They look alike, but the cello is much larger (around 4 feet long), and has thicker strings than either the violin or viola.



# Looking after Ourselves in Busy Times

Regional Men's Health Initiative (08) 9690 2277 [menshealth@4blokes.com.au](mailto:menshealth@4blokes.com.au)

For farmers seeding and harvest are a couple of extremely busy times of the year. One of the most important things to consider looking after, during these times, is our most valuable resource - us.

Having to complete tasks by a set date imposes time pressure and this may make us take short cuts and if we take short cuts regarding our wellbeing it increases our risk factors dramatically. It is a time when relationships come under pressure, our physical health is ignored, and accidents can happen.

Research into truck crashes by the Truck Crash Research Centre based in South Australia has some thought-provoking outcomes. One of the research outcomes is that most truck accidents (more than 90%) happened on the outward-bound journey of the truck trip. We need to ask ourselves why is this? There are many reasons for this, but primarily it is a combination of being physically tired coming off the holiday break and/or mentally our headspace is not focused on the job at hand, we are not operating in the present.

What we blokes don't do well is consider the consequences of *risk taking* - it won't happen to me. Consequences are something we must live with, so in our seeding and harvest preparations we need to limit

our personal risk, and if what we're planning is an overstretch, reconsider the options.

In addition to the usual preparations perhaps we should follow the lead of other industries, such as mining and construction, where clear guidelines on safe parameters for work have been implemented.

Some things to reflect on when considering your wellbeing include::

- A well briefed work crew (often our partner and family). Keep those working with us briefed on daily activities, unfortunately with farming this doesn't happen as well as it could, which often leads to unnecessary disputes and increased tension and frustration;
- Fatigue management; limiting our working time to no more than 14 hours in a 24-hour period. Seeding might be over a relatively short period, but this work strategy should not be compromised. *The only solution to fatigue is taking a break and sleeping. Getting off the tractor/machine and doing other jobs is not good enough, you need to sleep.*
- Factor in regular breaks; this also reduces the impact of fatigue and increases our capacity to beat boredom, which can often lead to expensive mistakes and machine damage;
- Pre-start exercises; I would be surprised if any farmers begin a shift with some limbering up exercises. It is a known fact that this type of start to the day significantly reduces muscle injuries.
- Suitable dietary needs; how often are you eating and what are you snacking on? It is not just about good meals it is also about good snacks that are nutritious and correctly timed. A good meal is very beneficial at the beginning of a shift and a light meal at the end is beneficial in helping to promote good sleep.
- Adequate sleep; for most people this is about seven to eight hours in every 24-hour cycle. It is not possible to reduce this and still function properly. Remember this is *sleep* not just being in bed!

Seeding and harvest are hectic times of the year, a controlled and planned approach will pay dividends. Enjoy it, it is a great time.



**IT'S ON!**

2022 Junior footy  
season is underway

**BOMBERS**  
LAKE GRACE-PINGRUP  
JUNIOR FOOTBALL

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**1st training—March 31**

**Mouthguard clinic—April 7**

**Round 1—April 23**

First training for both junior footy codes on March 31. Auskick at 4.00pm, D-grade at 4.30pm. Register on the day.

Full details to follow in coming weeks.

# Across the Lake Photos: Can You Help?

As detailed in the editorial, we are currently setting up to reprint John Bird's Across the Lake, a history of Lake Grace. We are needing to find some of the photos that are in the book so that we can rescan for the best possible quality for the report. The photos we are looking for are listed below:

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18	Ernie Bennett's new 'Rhynie' homestead in 1924 with dam-sinking in the foreground
28	Causeway, Lake Grace
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121	Paddy McMahon's horse "Wishbone laddie" held by Ernie Dunham with Dick Carruthers aboard
124	Lake Grace in 1923
132	The devastation of the fire which gutted the 'Brandenburg' buildings in 1925
134	West agency and Post Office
141	Constable Fletcher chats to Headmaster Reidell as the crowd gathers for the Coronation celebrations in 1938.
143	Opening of the Australian Inland Mission Hospital 29 March, 1926
152	The 'steam navy' in operation in 1926
167	New Year's Day revellers at Jock and Cecilia McWilliam's farm at Dornock
171	Three generations of the Kershaw family (1942-43) seated Earnest Kershaw, back l-r Eric William Kealley, Maggie Doris Kealley (nee Kershaw) and Janice Joy Keally.
172	A haystack nears completion on the Kealley farm
175	The Pelham's camp 1919
191	The Carruthers family in 1922 before the tragic death of Mrs Carruthers. The occasion was the gathering of the family following the trip to Scotland of Robert (Snr.) and Agnes.
199	A picnic at White Cliffs' in the early 1930s
205	The Harvey family at 'Ormidale' in 1935. Front – Joyce Mrs Lila Harvey and Vivienne. Rear – Cliff and Jack
224	Premier James Mitchell's party driving past Mr E Bennett's 600 acre crop, which was estimated to yield 30 bushels to the acre.
224	The Premier and some of the pioneer settlers at the First Lake Grace Annual Show.
245	The Masonic Lodge Members 1937
248	Swimming at Harvey's Lake
253	Lake Grace Football Team Premiers 1933
266	The Slarke buildings in Stubbs Street
283	The offices and staff quarters at the Karlgarin railway construction camp on the northern outskirts of Lake Grace in 1930
285	The Karlgarin Railway
295	Wheat from 'Rhynie' being carted by Ernie Bennett, Roy and Mary Watson
295	Wheat lumper Bob Walker (on left) at a stack common at all sidings in the 1920's.
295	Changing times – Beenong siding 1940 (Bob and Keith Argent's truck).
296	The mechanized era – Harvesting at 'Black Hill'.
297	Slarke's woolclip leaves "Easton Neston"
308	Jack Duckworth and Bob Argent dipping sheep in Milton's "Community" plunge dip
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## Across the Lake: Can You Help? *(cont.)*

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336	Planting of one of the two commemorative palms near the railway station by Mrs E Harris to mark the Coronation celebrations in 1937.
337	Mick Quinn shearing the rams at "Comox"
342	The illuminated address presented to Robert Carruthers (Snr)
363	Lake Grace Red Cross Committee convened by Mrs Charles Robinson (front centre) who served as president for a number of years. Centre row: Mrs Albert Dunham, unknown, Mrs Bob Ellis (snr), Elaine Ellis.
369	Keith Argent's mechanical bag loader being used by Rob and Elizabeth Williamson at Comox during the 1940's.
372	The emu hunt – Christmas Day 1944 at "Comox"
373	Kealley's Hope Farm homestead after the 1943 storm
395	Wind erosion on the Lake banks at "Easton Neston" following the rabbit plague
396	A familiar sight in the 1940s – pairs of rabbits and fumigation of the burrows
408	Hospital Board Chairman, Sid Bishop speaking during the laying of the foundations tone of the new hospital.
415	Charlie and Nellie Griffin on their 50 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary
418	St Anne's Church of England
420	The Maria Regina Church
421	The Uniting Church has been refurbished over the years since 1920
437	Early gold mining on the Griffin lease
440	The processing plant of Otter Exploration
470	The splashing of the water by scores of enthusiastic children marked the opening of the pool on 18 November 1966
553	The North Lake Grace Cricket Team 1947-48
562	North Lake Grace Tennis Club in the early 1930s when joined for a picnic day by the Beenong Club.
565	The combined Tarin Rock and Lake Grace Clubs after their 1983 Pennants tie
571	The 1991 Premiers. Back (L-R) Janine de Vree, Danah Thornton, Melanie Houston, Lois Elliott, Coralie Pinney, Diane Desmond, Denise McWilliam, Caryn Fisher. Front (L-R) Jodi Pearce, Debbie Cummings, Lynette Carruthers, Paulie Taylor, Evelyn Yates, Ann Mason.
572	1990 Country Allstars. Representatives - Toowoomba. Back – (L-R) Evelyn Yates, Lynette Carruthers. Front – Melanie Houston, Corrine Naylor.
579	Mark Bairstow during his Sandover Medal season of 1986.
581	Don Gardiner leaps high above the pack to mark at Fremantle Oval.
582	Another premiership - 1982
584	Members of the 1949 Grand Final team against Kukerin at Lake Grace. Back left to right (standing): Tom Griffin (Coach), Selwyn Nicolson, Alwyn Bowen, Jack Smith, Hugh O'Neill, Arthur Bethan, Richie Ellis, Bill Carruthers, George O'Neill, Stewart Carruthers, Bob Clark, Jim O'Neill (Captain injured), Jack Carruthers (President). Front (seated): David Robinson, Hugh Carruthers, Hector Cook, Reg Betham, Gordon Pelham, George Farrell, Bob Laurie, Fergie McKay, Fred Spitz.

*"Photography is the story I fail to put into words."*

– Destin Sparks

# Puzzles and Stuff

Some words from the 17th March edition of Boggle

Answers for the 17th March edition of Sudoku

- Dramatize
- Radiate
- readmit
- Adamite
- Madeira
- Maritza
- tarazed
- Admire
- Airted
- Amazed
- Amrita
- amarid
- Dreamt
- Imaret
- Matier
- Mazard
- Mazier
- Tamari
- Tirade
- Matadi
- Merida
- tamera
- Admit
- Aider
- Aimed
- Aired
- Amaze
- Amide
- Armed
- Armet
- Derma
- Drama
- Dream
- Irate
- Maize
- Maria
- Mated
- Mater
- Mazer
- Media
- Mirza
- Ramie
- Rated
- Razed

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8	6	7	4	3	2	5	1	9
9	2	1	8	7	5	4	3	6
3	4	5	2	6	1	9	7	8
7	8	6	3	4	9	1	5	2
6	3	9	1	5	7	2	8	4
1	7	8	6	2	4	3	9	5
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B	U	X
A	E	R

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

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# Summer is Over But the UV is Not

*Cancer Council, phone: 13 11 20*

Cancer Council WA is cautioning adults in the Wheatbelt region not to be complacent with sun protection now that summer is over, with many regions in Western Australia still experiencing damaging UV levels of 3 and above.

It is important to understand that UV is different from heat, so not to base your sun protection choices on the temperature, even when it is cooler. For areas north of Perth, UV on winter days will on average exceed 3 at midday, so sun protection is needed year-round in these areas. For areas in Perth and south, the UV will be above 3 throughout autumn, but averaging maximums below 3 in June and July, when sun protection is not needed.

Skin cancers (including melanoma) are the most common cancers affecting both women and men in Western Australia. Data reveals that in 2019, almost 1600 people in WA were diagnosed with melanoma and 214 people died from skin cancer. In 2017, females in WA had a 1 in 30 chance of developing melanoma, while males had a 1 in 21 risk. In the Wheatbelt in 2019, 58 people were diagnosed with melanoma and 5 died from it.

We know people living in regional Western Australia have lower five-year relative melanoma survival, compared with people living in Perth, so we urge anyone

in the Wheatbelt experiencing a skin cancer symptom to visit their doctor, clinic nurse or Aboriginal health worker.

Common symptoms of skin cancer include:

- A new spot or mole on your skin
- A spot that is different from other spots on your skin
- Any crusty or non-healing sores
- Any spots, freckles or any moles changing in size (width), thickness (height), colour, or shape over a period of weeks to months.

It is important to know your skin and what is normal for you, particularly if you are over 40 years of age. If you notice any of these symptoms or any other unusual changes tell your doctor, clinic nurse or Aboriginal health worker. It doesn't mean you've got skin cancer – often they turn out to be something less serious. But it is important to get checked. If it is skin cancer, the earlier it is found, the greater the chance of successful treatment.

For more information about skin cancer symptoms, visit [www.findcancerearly.com.au](http://www.findcancerearly.com.au)

To find out the UV forecast in your area, visit [myUV.com.au](http://myUV.com.au) or download the free SunSmart app, and protect your skin when the UV Index is 3 or above.

## Lake Grace Bowls Notes

*Lynda Trawinski*

### 12 March

The men played against Newdegate, winning on 2 rinks. Well done Geoff and Bombs team scoring an aggregate of 98- 97, picking up 6 points.

Well done to Bomb Pelham, John Seaman, Reece Seaman and Kyle Harwood for picking up an 8. For the non bowlers this means that one team of four has all of their bowls closest to the kitty, quite an accomplishment.

### 19 March

Away this week the ladies played Newdegate in the first final aggregate 21-62. Well done to Newdegate and good luck in the Grand Final



### Crochet Workshops

**From 10am to midday, every Friday - starts 1st April.**

**Lake Grace Community Resource Centre - FREE**

**Learners welcome, some hooks available for purchase with a small range of wool to practise on.**

**Work on Wheelchairs for Kids blankets or your own project**

**Call 9865 1470 if you have any queries.**

If you prefer to work on your own project that is okay. Everyone welcome.

# Lake Grace Cricket Notes

Kael Gray

## Saturday 5th March Lake Grace v Wandering

The final series was switched up to get the season finished before Covid-19 started to interrupt future games. We went straight into semi finals and the winner would have played in the grand final the following day.

We took on Wandering who finished 4th on the ladder. We won the toss and elected to bat.

Kalan and Matt opened the batting and we got off to a slow start, losing both openers early and the innings didn't get any better. Wickets fell regularly and we could only manage a total of 71 before being bowled out.

Our bowling wasn't much better. Damon snagged an

Batting - LG	R	B	SR
K Joyce c: J Schorer b: B Hardie	12	43	27.91
M Trevenen (+) lbw: B Schorer	9	19	47.37
J Carruthers lbw: B Hardie	9	22	40.91
S. Bowron c: B Parsons b: L Parsons	17	43	39.53
K. Gray c: J Schorer b: B Hardie		2	0.00
D Pelham lbw: B Hardie		1	0.00
K Fleay c: T Livich b: Parsons	2	25	8.00
A Liddelov c: C Garrick b: L Parsons		1	0.00
C Shaw c: J Schorer b: E Barrett	12	22	54.55
R Enright © Not out	0	8	0.00
J Callope lbw: E Barrett		7	0.00

Bowling - LG	O	M	R	W
R Enright (c)	5.0	0	22	0
D Pelham	4.0	2	12	1
J Carruthers	2.0	0	12	0
K Gray	2.0	0	12	0
K Fleay	1.0	0	4	1
A Liddelov	0.5	0	12	0

early wicket but that was about all the joy we got. Wandering chasing the runs down in the 14th over.

S Bowron 17(43)

K Joyce 12 (43)

D Pelham 1/12 (4)

K Fleay 1/4 (1)

It was a very disappointing way to end the season after such a great home and away season. But that's cricket.

Batting - Wandering	R	B	SR
J Schorer (c) (+) Not out	41	48	85.42
B Hardie lbw: D Pelham	9	16	56.25
C Garrick c: ? B: K Fleay	21	24	87.50
L Parsons Not out	0	3	0.00

Bowling—Wandering	O	M	R	W
B Schorer	8.0	1	31	1
B Hardie	10.0	5	9	4
E Barrett	7.5	2	19	2
L Parsons	5.0	1	11	3

Fielding—Wandering	C	RO	ST
B Parsons	1	0	0
J Schorer (c) (+)	3	0	0
C Garrick	1	0	0
T Livich	1	0	0

## Scanning

The Lake Grace CRC can now scan up to A0

A0 - \$5     A1 - \$4

A2 - \$3     A3/A4 - \$2.50

*Discounts for members.*

Drop in with your maps, plans etc and we can do up a digital (or hard) copy for you.

9865 1470     lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au

# Lake Grace Cricket Notes (*cont.*)

*Kael Gray*

## Season Windup

Our windup was held at Walker's Hill Vineyard. We want to thank Tania and Jarrod for hosting us at their amazing venue, the food was outstanding as per usual.

## Season award winners:

**Contributor:** Aidan Liddelow, Karl Fleay

**Club Man:** Craig Shaw, Shaye Bowron

**Fielders Award:** Jackson Callope

**Captains Award:** Shaye Bowron

**Batting Ave:** Kalan Joyce 98.50

**Batting Agg:** Kalan Joyce 788

**Bowling Agg:** Dylan Brooks 19

**Bowling Ave:** Dylan Brooks 13.47

**Lamington:** Rob Enright 17 (33.443) v Pingelly 13/11/21 (Most runs off a single over throughout the year).

**Plucka Duck:** Aidan Liddelow 3 (most ducks over the season)

## Personal Development:

5fa Dylan Brooks 6/19 vs Harrismith 19/2/22

100's Kalan Joyce 108 vs Harrismith 16/10/21

Matt Trevenen 105 vs Pingelly 11/12/21

Kalan Joyce 111\* vs Cuballing 18/12/21

Kalan Joyce 106\* vs Harrismith 19/02/22

## Wes Mason Award (Cricketer of the Year):

Kalan Joyce 878 points

Many thanks to all our sponsors, patrons and life members this year. Without their support we wouldn't be able to play the game we love.

## JILAKIN EARTHMOVING

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## H4C Reefinator has arrived in Kulin



Call Jay 0429 804 027 or Mick 0427 804 050 to discuss dry hire options. Includes dolly for ease of transportation.

# Colouring In Competition

Drop your colouring into the Lake Grace CRC by Monday 11th April, to be in the draw to win a small prize.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_



# Community Reaps Grant Funding Benefit

Kevin Naisbitt

*This article was first published in 2021 and sadly no organization took up the opportunity to apply for funding, since then there has been a bumper season and the funds available have rocketed from \$20k to \$70k. Just here to remind you that there are local grant funds available.*

In 2014 the Community Crop group purchased a 120ha block of land south east of Lake Grace off Willcocks road. Previous to this the Community Crop group was partly cropping the old Newdegate Research Station farm but the distance from Lake Grace meant this location was too far away to be feasible.

With a deposit being funded from the previous cropping group the land was purchased with a loan from the Lake Grace shire and paid it back over the last 6 years. Money left over from the previous cropping was also used to put our first crop in in 2014. In 2019 the Community Crop paid the last of the instalments for the loan however with finding an extra 50ha of lease land and with 2020 not being the finest season in the Lake Grace area we have not been able to start the community grants scheme until now.

The Community Crop group falls under the umbrella of the Lake Grace Development Association. An association which allows not for profit groups to operate without the extra complication of having to be incorporated, therefore minimizing the overall startup costs and time. The Development association currently has 18 similar groups under its banner.

The management of the cropping group has been from the chair Royce Taylor for the last seven years, with his trusty second in charge organiser John O'Neill and main agronomist/operations manager Grant O'Neill.

As we all know from farming in Lake Grace, we do have sluggish years, yet with the level of support and consistent donations of time and labour from our community we have been relatively shielded from the down sides of farming. All the machinery used to seed, harvest, truck, spray and spread have been donated. Many of the inputs of chemical, seed and fertiliser are subsidised with much of these costs falling back onto individual farms and businesses. These donations of machinery and inputs have been going on every year for the last seven years of this cropping program. Without any hesitation or acknowledgement, from this generosity alone we have got to where we are now.

The Community Crop community grants are now open. This year the total funding pool available is \$70,000 and the amount available each year will be dependent on the season. The grant applications form will be available from the Lake Grace CRC and we will get them back online on the Shire website as soon as possible.

The grant applications can be accessed on an ongoing basis but will be assessed every 4 months by a committee of 6 made up from the Development

Association, Community Cropping group and two more community members. They will be assessing all grants, and monies will be distributed to applications which best fit the community. This is just the first round, but the grant fund can be fully distributed in any round until the next crop comes in.

The grants are open for any community based project from small (under \$1,000) to large (\$5,000 plus). Even if you have a project coming up within the next few years but are not ready yet, a small message of expectations will also be appreciated to help the community crop grants committee plan for the future.

I can't emphasise enough that this grant fund is only possible due to the donations of time, machinery and money made to the Community Crop from the **Community of Lake Grace**.

## Community Crop Community Grants

*Funding now available*

Small - under \$1,000  
Medium - \$1,000 — \$5,000  
Large - over \$5,000

*Drop into the Lake Grace CRC or email them on lakegracecrc@westnet.com.au for an application form.*



## Classifieds

### Rural West Financial Counselling

A free service available to regional small businesses, primary producers, not-for-profits and community clubs. For more information contact Donna Spurgeon by email [Donna.Spurgeon@ruralwest.com.au](mailto:Donna.Spurgeon@ruralwest.com.au) or phone 0408 107 326. Alternatively you can contact the information line on 1800 612 004.

### Cancer Support Coordinator

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

### CWA Bookings

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

### Community Bus Bookings

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

### Southern Agcare

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

### Men's Shed Battery Drive

The Lake Grace Community Men's Shed is continuing with their battery drive. This is an ongoing revenue raising project which will contribute to the running of the Shed. Batteries can be left at Phil Clarke's shed or you can contact Phil on 0427 651 155 or Allan Duckworth on 0427 651 567 if you require them to be picked up. Thank you for your ongoing support.

### Dr Linda Haines

Is available in Lake Grace on Wednesday 6th & Thursday 7th April. Ring 9865 1208 for an appointment.

### First Aid Kits

Are now available for purchase at CCL Hardware Lake Grace.

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

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

### Senior Citizens Lunch

Thursday 7th April @ CWA Hall  
Catered by LGDHS P&C.  
12:15pm sit down for a 12:30pm serve  
\$15 per head - would be helpful if you have correct change on the day.  
RSVP to Amanda Trevenen on 0488 216 601.

### 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.

**Lake Grace Golf Club - C10455139**

**Lake Grace DHS - C10364782**

**Lake Grace Sportsman's Club - C10379797**

**Lake Grace Lions Club - C10477141**

**R.F.D.S - C10336670**

### Lake Grace Shire Councillors

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Cr Deb Clarke	0428 654 041
Cr Ben Hyde	0428 752 042
Cr Roz Lloyd	0428 711 534
Cr Anton Kuchling	0427 206 030
Cr Jeff McKenzie	0458 694 014
Cr Steve Hunt	0427 651 585

## Community Clubs and Associations

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Early Learning Centre (Daycare)	Vicki Reynolds	08 9865 2568	lakegraceelc@gmail.com
LIFT Lakes Information and Farming Technology	Lauren Duckworth	0488 559 860	laurenalex@westnet.com.au
Lions	Craig Shaw	0427 519 400	cshaw@lgrural.com.au
Men's Shed	Wally Perry	0448 795 070	allwood93@yahoo.com.au
Playgroup	Sarah Clarke	0438 634 152	lakegraceplaygroup@mail.com
Sportsman's Club	Claire Pelham	08 9865 1239	lgsportsmansclub@bigpond.com
Toy Library	Joely Slinn	0477 014 347	lgtoylibrary@outlook.com
<b>Summer Sports</b>			
Lake Grace Cricket Club	Aiden Liddelow	0466 440 441	
Lake Grace Tennis Club	Lauren Duckworth	0488 559 860	
Lake Grace Bowls Club	Tash McHugh	0407 987 293	
Lake Grace Basketball Club	Courtney Withnell		lakegracebasketball@outlook.com

## Crisis Care Numbers

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

### Justices of the Peace

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Ron Dewson	0428 651 213
Amanda Milton	0429 654 011
Geoff Sabourne	0429 651 171

### Church Times

Catholic Church	Anglican Church
Sunday 3rd April - 6pm <i>Interim priest is Fr Jerome</i>	Sunday 3rd April -10am <i>Bishop visit</i>
Sunday 10th April - 8am	Sunday 10th April - No Church
For inquiries please phone 9865 1248.	Enquiries: St Johns Albany 9841 5015 Wally Perry 0448 795 070

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## April

Fri 1 Fish & Chips @ Sportsman Club  
Crochet @ CRC

Sat 2 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Craft @ CWA (look for flag)  
Pennant Bowls - Grand Final @ Kuk  
Steak Teas @ Sportsman Club

Sun 3 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)

Mon 4 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)  
LG Development Assoc. AGM

Tue 5 Rubbish Collection  
Playgroup 9:30am  
Art for Seniors @ Village Hall - 9:30am  
Men's Shed (morning)  
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm  
Football Training @ 6pm

Wed 6 Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
Over 55s Morning Tea @ Vineyard

Thurs 7 Men's Shed (Morning)  
Seniors Lunch  
Football Training @ 6pm  
Mouthguard clinic in Lake Grace  
Jnr Football Training

Fri 8 Fish & Chips @ Sportsman Club  
Crochet @ CRC  
Op Shop - 9am-1pm  
Driving Assessor in Lake Grace  
Move @ Village Hall for Seniors 1:30pm

Sat 9 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
Craft @ CWA (look for flag)  
Winter Sports - Borden AFLX  
Steak Teas @ Sportsman Club

Sun 10 Rubbish tip open (9am-4pm)  
LGDHS P&C Busy Bee

Mon 11 Rubbish tip open (9am-2pm)

Tues 12 Rubbish Collection  
Recycling Collection  
Playgroup 9:30am  
Men's Shed (morning)  
Op Shop - 1pm-4pm

Wed 13 Football Training @ 6pm  
Rubbish tip open (9am - 2pm)  
Containers for Change pickup

Thur 14 Lakes Link News published  
Football Training @ 6pm

### Coming Events

6th May - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace TBC

South of Kalbarri and Kalgoorlie Watering Days	
Last digit of your lot or house number	Your 2 scheme watering days are:
1	Wednesday and Saturday
2	Thursday and Sunday
3	Friday and Monday
4	Saturday and Tuesday
5	Sunday and Wednesday
6	Monday and Thursday
7	Tuesday and Friday
8	Wednesday and Saturday
9	Thursday and Sunday
0	Friday and Monday
<b>You may water only once each day either before 9am or after 6pm.</b>	

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	9	7	2			6		
	5		8	3				
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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.

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