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## **Netball Looking Forward to a Good Season**

Suzanne Reeves

Lake Grace / Pingrup Netball finished their 2017 season on a high, winning back -to-back premierships in both A and B grades. With a large number of players moving on and retiring, club president Joely Slinn was nervous as to how many numbers the club would have for the 2018 season.

Rest assured 2018 is looking good! Players have returned to the fold and new players have joined the club. Not only has the club got ample players but they really are going to look good! Thanks to the Carruthers (Greg, Paul and Justin) and Bairstow (Noel, Karen, Luke and Gemma) families the club with be launching their new uniforms. There will be an added bounce to their step as they take to the court in their up to date dress style uniforms.

Aside from the new wardrobe, the club has also received sponsorship from Gary and Helen Prater that has seen the club receive new practise and game balls. This generosity has lifted the spirits of club members and will be visible this Saturday as the Ongerup Association's winter sports programme begins. Lake Grace will be playing Boxwood at Boxwood Hills.

The return of previous premiership captains (2016) Lauren Duckworth and Sarah Allen has given the club a strength in their leadership group as they pair with Joely Slinn and Felicity Young, who captained the teams to premierships in 2017. This strength at the top promises to make Lake Grace Pingrup Netball a formidable club for the 2018 season.

Behind the scenes, Kristie Stanton offers huge support to the club with her wealth of netball knowledge and umpiring skills. Each club has to supply an umpire and Kristie has put her hand up to take care of umpiring on the club's behalf. She is currently an A Grade C badge umpire and is working on her B Badge; this will enable



Ashlyn Ridgway, Sharon Lampard, Holly Stanton, Linda Vlasich and Caylah Vlasich show off the new Lake Grace Pingrup Netball Club uniforms.

her to umpire finals as well as the weekly fixtures. Joely Slinn is currently working on her B Grade C badge.

Coaches for 2018 are Karen Bairstow for the A Grade, Linda Vlasich for the B Grade and Lisa Pearce for the juniors. Here's to a trifecta for the Lake Grace Pingrup Netball Club. Leading the teams are Lauren Duckworth (Captain) and Joely Slinn (Vice Captain) for A Grade; Felicity Young (Captain) and Sarah Allen (Vice Captain) for B Grade. The juniors have a rotating membership with each player taking a turn throughout the season.

Good luck to all of the teams as they start their 2018 winter sports season.

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Monday 23rd April

Next Edition
Thursday 26th April





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

Elsie Bishop Dick Phillips

Annie Slarke Gwen Oliver

Thank you also to our many contributors of articles.

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## **Editorial**

- It was lovely to be able to leave work behind for four weeks and take the opportunity to have a look around South Australia. A big thank you to Rosie and Danielle (and Chloe who stepped in when Danielle couldn't) who, as I knew they would, managed the CRC at full speed while I was away. Rosie was quite sure the building would implode or burn down while I was away but there was no need to ring emergency services!
- As Rosie mentioned last fortnight, we're always looking for local content; as awesome as we are we don't know everything that is going on around town and I suspect there's plenty of stuff slipping under the net.
- Good luck to the Ongerup division of winter sports that start their 2018 season this weekend. I look forward to receiving notes for the next Link.
- Rural and remote mental health is in the spotlight and this is an opportunity to have your say. The Australian government has recently announced it will be conducting a Senate Inquiry into the Accessibility and Quality of Mental Health Services in Rural and Remote Australia, and submissions to this inquiry are currently being accepted.

The Western Australian Association for Mental Health (WAAMH) is making a submission to the inquiry and they would like to hear what you think about mental health in WA's rural and remote areas.

To ensure that WAAMH is presenting a genuine perspective, we are keen to hear as many voices from rural and remote WA as possible, and to represent you in the WAAMH submission and advocacy work. As such, your input is very valuable to us. If you would like more information about this please contact the CRC and we will email the links to you or alternatively we can help you through the process at the CRC. We will be putting the Links on our Facebook page.

 Lake Grace CRC were successful in receiving funding for mental health awareness training.
 Workshops include SafeTALK, ASIST and

#### Lake Grace ANZAC Day Service

Will be held on Wednesday 25th April
11am at the RSL Hall
We welcome people to lay a wreath.
A light lunch will follow, please bring a plate of finger food
to share if you are able to.
Could attendees PLEASE NOT stand on the street.



Gatekeeper. SafeTALK is a 3-4 hour workshop and will be held in Lake Grace, Newdegate and either Lake King or Varley. The two day ASIST workshop will be held in Lake Grace and Newdegate while the single Gatekeeper workshop will be held in Lake Grace only. Dates have not been set as yet but we would love to have some community input. These courses will be free and you are welcome to register your interest now.

- Rosie is also in the process of looking for expressions of interest for a meditation and emotional empowerment workshop with Johnine Barlow from Wagin. There is a cost for this workshop, please ring or email the CRC to register your interest.
- Crochet will be starting again on Friday 4th May. Will run from 10am to midday. Is there a project you would like to do? Yarn will be available for anyone working on blankets for the 'Wheelchairs for Kids'. Attendees are welcome to bring their own projects to work on.

Suzanne Reeves

## What's Happening at the Lake Grace CRC...

**Albany Legal Centre** - Free legal Basics Workshop. Thursday 19th April. 4:00pm.

**Mental Health Workshops** - We are looking at running these between June and October. Free. Registrations of interest are welcome.

**Media Workshop** - Want to write media releases or articles? This would be the workshop for you. Free for anyone who contributes to the Lakes Link. There will be a small charge for anyone else. Date TBC.

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### What's Happening?

- A belated congratulations to Jeff and Symone McKenzie who celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary on 5th April. They travelled to Bali to celebrate and had a wonderful time.
- Congratulations to Rex Walker and Tracy Arnold who were married on Saturday 7th April at Walkers Hill Vineyard. All the best for a long and happy future to Mr & Mrs Walker.



 Farewell to Brian and Christine Kimber who after thirty plus years are leaving Lake Grace.

## **Anniversaries**



26th April Shelley & Chad Stanton

## What's Happening at the Newdegate CRC...

**Pilates** – Every Thursday 9am for a 9:15am start. Everyone welcome to join the 45 minute class to build strength and tone muscles.

**Albany Legal Visit** – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April @ 9am A free opportunity to discuss any pending legal matters.

**Lincolns Employment Workshop** – Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May @ 10am To book in call Newdegate CRC on 9871 1791.

## Happy Birthday

13th April Zhane Robertson (18)

Vicki Dewson Brendon Callope

14th April Clancy Lay

Dakota Pelham

15th April Lindsay McGlinn

Reece Lay

16th April Jackie McGlinn

17th April Matthew Argent Jodi Sabourne

18th April Doug Dunham

Adrian Duckworth

Rosey Chircop

20th April Clint Earnshaw 21st April Damian Trevenen

Phillip Clarke

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23rd April Damon Pelham

Bradley O'Neill Luke Clifford

24th April Beth Curtin

Jaspar Marshall

25th April Alan Stubberfield 26th April Bianca Zweck

## First Aid Courses at Lake Grace

- Wednesday 18th April 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
- Wednesday 12th September 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
- Wednesday 10th October 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Bookings to be made and paid for prior to class date.

For further information contact Wheatbelt Office on 9621 1613 or email:

firstaidwheatbelt@stjohnambulance.com.au



### **Easter Driver Reviver**

Suzanne Reeves

A huge thank you to our wonderful volunteers who continue to put themselves forward to help with the Driver Reviver.

The van was out on the Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Monday. Sixteen volunteers donated 44 hours of their time to demonstrate their hospitality and encourage drivers to stretch their legs and take a break.

Volunteering is being taught early in the Stubberfield family with three generations; Alan, Reid and Max 'manning' the van on Thursday evening. Well done to Greg and Jayne Argent and Geoff Sabourne for all doing two stints. The generosity of these volunteers keeps the van going.

Generally Easter is a busy time for the van with anywhere between 150-200 motorists stopping. It was quieter at the van this year though with 54 drivers and their passengers stopping in for a cuppa.



Above: Mary Naisbitt and Rosie Timperley brighten the day for some weary travelers.



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### Pop Up Bins

Suzanne Reeves

They might not be glamorous but they're there to do a job. Keep Australia Beautiful's pop up bins (as pictured) could be perfect for an event that you might be holding where you might need an extra bit of bin space.

They are rubbish and recycling bins and once used they can be folded down and stacked away ready for the next event. They aren't designed to last forever but if looked after could easily last for a number of outings.

Lake Grace CRC have 10 of each, they're free so just pop in and ask if you have an event coming up. We also have some butt bins; for those smokers who aren't quite sure what to do with their butt when they're finished, this is the perfect solution to what could be an awkward problem.

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## **Swimming Club**

Shelley Stanton

On Thursday 22 March 2018 we held our Lake Grace Swimming Club end of season celebration.

While we had only a small group of members this season, we still had 14 dedicated kids who on Mondays and Wednesdays devoted their time to the pool to improve their swimming technique and fitness. Whilst the swimming club is not intended to teach you how to swim, it is designed to improve your technique and fitness.

We held fitness training on Mondays with Shelley Stanton and Wednesday training was with Kate Zweck, who specialises in the technique and technical side of swimming. It was always great to see all the kids enthused each week and ready to take on the challenge that week.

Everyone improved in so many ways but mostly it was the positive attitude of them that shone the most.

To conclude the season we held one giant race, followed by a sausage sizzle and trophy presentations. We have 2 awards each season, and at times it can be really tough to just select 2 winners. Our awards this year went to the following:

Right: Kate Zweck and Shelley Stanton with Laura Ness.

Far Right: Kate Zweck and Shelley Stanton with Jaspar Marshall **SWIMMER OF THE YEAR** JASPAR MARSHALL

COACHES AWARD LAURA NESS

We do hope that as our next season begins in November this year that we can attract some new members to our club and keep swimming in Lake Grace alive and kicking.

Photos by Shelley Stanton and Cathy Willis







Back: Reece Duckworth, Linkin Eaton, Kate Zweck, Ariana Baine, Shelley Stanton, Stella Dines, Holly Stanton and Laura Ness.

Front: Trenton Medlen, Jack Willis, Cambell Chatfield, Lucas Robinson, Jaspar Marshall, Tess Stanton, Morgan Chatfield and Sheree Duckworth.

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Do you have photos or letters that would make a good addition to the community paper? We want to see them! We would love to make this a regular section of the paper to bring a smile to someone's face or ignite a conversation. Please make sure any photos have the permission of all photographed. Email them to lakegracrc@westnet.com.au



My daughter Lauren (Alcantara) reads the Welding Work shop article (from Lakes Link edition 6) to her 3 yr old daughter Maya and 5 yr old son Archer before bed time.

- Arthur Slarke

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# Lake Grace Weather

Date	Min	Max	Rain
28/03	9.1	24.8	
29/03	12.5	26.5	
30/03	15.3	31.4	
31/03	16.1	21.6	1.8
01/04	13.2	24.2	
02/04	10.9	27.7	
03/04	14.5	31.8	1.6
04/04	16.8	27.7	
05/04	15.9	23.0	
06/04	15.5	23.6	
07/04	14.7	26.7	
08/04	11.3	27.1	
09/04	13.4	24.9	
10/04	13.7	20.7	

## What's Happening at the Pingrup CRC...

**Yoga Classes with Tara Cook** – Every Tuesday in May, 9:30 – 11am Nyabing Pavilion.

**Kokedama Workshops for Kids** – Nyabing Pavilion, April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2:00pm – 3:30pm. Pingrup Pavilion, April 24<sup>th</sup>, 10:30am – 12pm

**Lego Days** – Thursdays 19th & 26th April, 10am – 11:30am

**Photography Workshop** – June 24<sup>th</sup>, 11am – 3pm.

Farm Dog Training Workshop – Dates TBC.

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### Jabin Allan Moore

### 29/04/1976 - 2/03/2018

#### Family Eulogy

Jabin was born on the 29th of April 1976 in Wagin. Much loved son of Allan and Lorrie, beloved brother of Gaillene, Brodie, Dearne, Monique and Kyren. He was named Jabin for the hopes no one would shorten his name however he would always introduce himself as Jay. So Jay it was.

He did all of his schooling in Lake Grace, not always a keen student however he was always up for a good laugh. He left home at 16 and went to Collie to live with his dad then Busselton to live with his Nanna Jones.

His first job was on the mines, working in the Lab at Grants Patch with his dad. He continued to work on the mines for many years and loved the lifestyle and all the friends he made along the way. When he came back to Lake Grace he did farm work, sheep work and tarping; he worked for CBH on and off and this was his final place of work.

Jabin loved music and we mean loved it. Anything from hard rock to soft country, there would not have been a day that music was not being played. When there was a song with a guitar solo he would pull out the air guitar or nearest remote and strum along.

When he was 17 he met Maggie, they were together for 20 odd years. From this union, Jay's beautiful and treasured children Harmony, Destiny, Jaida and Cade were born. He loved his children unconditionally and there was nothing he wouldn't do for them. They were the light of his life. He called all his girls Bub or Baby Doll and he always called Cade his Mate. Every night he called his four kids to say goodnight and I love you. He never failed to ask the kids if they were okay.

He shared his love of music with the kids, grabbing them for a dance or simply asking, "Hey, you wanna hear a cool song?" Every time he saw his kids, he would always give a big one armed hug, a kiss on the head and say "luv ya." Jay also has another little girl named Skyla, she will be 2 in July. He absolutely adored her and his pet name for her was Bubba.

In recent months, he met Debbie whom he was extremely fond of. She is a very special person and was a great influence on him.

Some of our fondest memories of Jay are:

When he was four, he packed Monique's baby pram, loaded it with newspaper and was running away to live with Nanna Jones and he left just wearing his jocks as mum said, "If you're leaving, you can't take anything that Dad and I bought." So he said he would return the jocks later.

His dad had done up an old car and Jay came inside one day and said "Dad, I've fixed your car." Dad went out to find that Jay had indeed fixed the newly painted car with sandpaper.

One day when Jay was around eight, he and Casey Adriens were under the house and Mum asked what they were doing. Just like that, Jay's response was, "Just smoking." This was in fact true, they had pinched a smoke and were smoking.

Jay was very loved by all of his nephews and nieces and he always made sure



they knew he loved them in return. If Jay was your mate then you knew he would have your back. One thing that will live in our memory's forever is that smile. We hope you are now resting peacefully.

#### From Mum, Lorrie

Jabin you have left a hole in my heart that is never going to mend. I love you so much and I am going to miss you dearly. I am going to miss you coming in to IGA in the mornings to get your iced coffees and your pastry and you saying 'Morning' and we would have a little chat and then you would go off to work.

When it was near your pay day, you would phone me and say, "Mum, can you lend me a tenna or a twenty to get a couple of bruskies and have you got enough to buy me a packet of durries and I'll pay you back on payday." Which you did. I will miss you doing this.

Dad is going to miss you going to his place with your six pack and sitting with him and telling him about all the things you wanted to do and your dreams. Kyren, who you referred to as Wozza, is going to miss you dropping in to have a beer or three in his shed and Benn would get a text to come over where you would put your music on and they had to listen to it because you wanted them to hear a new song you had found.

I will never forget how proud you were of Jaida and Cade at the school concert last year when they both got awards. Cade entertained the crowd with antics, you laughed so much and when you got home, you put on Facebook how you had a son who was a clown and a daughter with not much to say.

I am going to miss your hugs and your kiss on my head and you saying to me, "I love ya." I am going to miss all the phone calls and you coming to my place to talk to me and looking at yourself in the mirror. I am not going to promise you that I will look after your children as you know that's a done deal. They know I am always here for them, as you were.

I will miss your gorgeous smile and your sarcastic sense of humour. Jabin, I am going to miss you.

Love Mum

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## Jabin Allan Moore (cont.)

#### From Harmony

Dad, you were the brightest shining light in my life with a smile to match. You never failed to cheer me up whenever I was upset and you were the first person I needed to call when I had good news. There's nothing that made me happier than hearing you say, "I'm proud of you, bub." I think you called me 'bub' and 'baby doll' more than you called me Harmony. I know that is something I'm going to miss forever. I'm going to miss a lot of things.

I'll miss you whistling and singing when you walked around the house. I'll miss you playing your music so loud the whole town could hear it. I'll miss you calling me up just to tell me about a new song you've found and loved. I'll miss you staying up all night talking about anything and everything with me. I'll miss you making us big breakfasts. I'll miss you telling me you love me and miss me. But most important, Dad, I miss you. And I know I'll miss you every day until we meet again.

Thank you for giving me my brother and sisters, there's so much of you in them and I know that if I'm ever missing you too much, seeing all of my favourite traits of you in them will help me through. I promise I'll take care of them.

Thank you for always being there when we needed you. Thank you for being my dad.

I love you, Harmony

#### From Destiny

You were such a beautiful person inside and out, Dad, and you brought so much happiness into my life and I felt safe with you here. I know I could always talk to you about anything and you would support me and know how to cheer me up and make me feel better.

I truly am going to miss listening to your favourite music loud in the lounge room, going to the pub for a drink or opening up a bottle of Captain Morgan at home, having deep and meaningful conversations with you and you coming up to visit us whenever you could. Most of all I'm really going to miss you.

You will always and forever be in my thoughts Dad, and whatever decisions I make for the rest of my life, I'll be thinking of you and what you would have wanted me to do. Thank you for all that you have done for me, my brother and my sisters. We will forever appreciate the sacrifices you made to make us happy. I know you're in a better place now and at ease and that's all that matters to me.

You are my most favourite person in the world and I can't wait to see you again Dad because I already miss you so much. I'll be sure to listen to your favourite songs every night in memory of you.

I love you, Destiny

#### From Jaida

You were the most compassionate and jovial person I knew. You picked me up when I was down and I could always count on you to keep a smile on my face. I'm going to miss going to your house on the weekend and you taking us to the pub to have a squash. I'm going to

miss your delightful smile and your laugh. Seeing you happy was the best and I'm going to miss you more than anything.

You were and forever will be my idol. Words can't say how much I love you Dad.

Goodbye, until we meet again.

I love you, Jaida.

#### From Cade

Over the past few days I've been realising that you really aren't here anymore. You won't be here when it's Christmas morning. You won't be here when I have a bad day. You won't be here when I have a good day and you won't be here when we need you the most. But I know deep down that although you're gone, you still reside within all of us, in our memories and in our hearts.

You were a Dad, you were a brother, you were a son, you were an uncle and you will probably be a grandfather and although you are not here with us and the past cannot be changed, so too are these things within all of us that will forever remain the same.

Dad, we all love and miss you and that will never change. Our memories will never change. Our hearts will never change.

I love you, Cade.

#### From niece Tahnee Miles

Here we all are to say goodbye to Jabin. I know we are all thinking it is too soon.

We all now must remember the big smile of yours that lights up your face like a bright star in the night sky. Your eyes that twinkled and shone like the moon.

I wish you would have stayed longer but your sadness and choices took you over and away from us, leaving a hole in our hearts. Now I think of the things we never got to do. I have so many memories of you. I look up to you and I always will. Even when I was young, I followed you around.

I wasn't the only one who looked up to you, you were Aaron's idol too. You weren't just a cousin to us; you were the big brother we never had. How you protected us and loved us so. Now you'll watch over us from above.

There is one thing that I must mention and that is how our Nanna adored you. You were her knight in shining armour. She even asked for a tall, strong, handsome man to carry her when she was dying.

I would also love to say you were a great father; you loved your kids with all of your heart. I know you'll watch over them and keep them safe. How your time with us was cut short. I do wish we had seen each other more but you're gone, we must hold on to our sweet memories of you oh so tightly.

I hope you are looking down and see how much you were loved by so many. Jabin, you touched the hearts of us here today and the ones that couldn't be here.

Now we must say goodbye. So follow the birds

## Jabin Allan Moore (cont.)

direction. Follow the sun to where the wind blows. Soar above the clouds; you're a free angel now. No more pain for you to suffer. Goodbye our sweet Jay. We all love you and always will.

#### Tribute to Jabin from Damon Pelham

Today I wish to give a little insight to my good mate Jabin Moore or as most of us call him Jay! I suppose the relationship with Jay and the Moore's became stronger when Gundy and Gaillene came together. And of course the birth of Sky Kim Gambuti (Plane) whom we would both be proud Uncles to. Jay was your typical country boy. He wasn't one for sport though, I remember his sister Monique sticking up for him at the running carnival that he didn't want to participate in and telling the teachers in no uncertain terms that Jay just didn't want to run. And having a crack at Mr. Gibson then bolting down to his brother Brodie's!

Like most country boys of that era, Jay dreamt of leaving school and hitting the workforce. Jay is your typical Aussie bogan - boy's toys and rock music. Jeans, blue work singlet and a flannelette shirt. Jay always loved cars, especially Holdens of which he would own many. The Fat Stat! The HZ shagging wagon. Numerous Commodores. Always a V8! Jay loved his cars.

Music was also one of Jay's loves. He loved all music but his passion was rock. No doubt many of his neighbours would have realised this. Jay from an early age worked the mines. He loved operating the big machinery. I remember partying with him on a swing shift and him giving me the rundown of the new joystick operated loader at Woody Woody. Mining gave Jay the opportunity to drive Big Toys and earn the cash to buy his cars and party hard. Family was always the greatest love for Jay. He and Maggie fell in love and started a family. Jay would still work the mines but time away from his family was too much to bear and he would try to find work back in Lake Grace to spend more time with his kids. Jay worked for me tarping on and off. A job he passionately hated. He only ever did it to be close to his kids. Jay hated working in the heat and always suffered from migraines, for as long as I can remember. He would much prefer to be behind a massive CAT or carting ore in a truck with five trailers.

Now I was to talk of the real Jay and the one thing that mattered most - family! He was always proud of his older sisters Gaillene and Monique as they were always there for him. And of course all of his nephews and nieces very much. Jay was also very proud of big brother Brodie. His love and respect for his mother was unconditional. Jay would always do the chores for his mum while Kyren would kick his heels up. This frustrated Jay immensely. This was something his mates and I would always laugh about. But trying to juggle full time work and a large family is bloody tough these days and Jay always told me how proud he was to have a mum that could help him do it and help raise such wonderful kids.

Then there was Balls, Kyper, Brain and many other names I can't say. Yes, that's Kyren, the baby of the famly. Typical brothers, they were always giving it to each other but always remained best mates. Jay would be someone Kyren and I would turn to when in times of trouble. Generally after a good session at the pub. The older they grew the stronger their bond became.

Then of course there were the kids. Jay was very proud of all of his kids and always boasted of their individual beauty. I will never forget Jay belting out Harmony or Destiny across the house. "Look how beautiful all my girls turned out!" I don't know how many times I heard those words.

Then there are Cade and Jaida, or as Jay would refer to as 'the twins.' In one of his texts to me, he said he was sitting back having an AC/DC session with the twins. I told him to play "Ride On" for me and he texted back, "Haha, it's playing as I text."

I went to the school concert last year and watched young Cade doing a comedy act. Most of the family were there. All I could see was Jay. I knew at that moment that Cade had also spent many nights laughing with Jay. Jay would have you in stitches for hours and his laugh was infectious. We had so many wild nights laughing and reminiscing.

And of course there was Skyla. The reality is, not having Skyla around broke Jay's heart. But anyone with a big family knows that the youngest always remains the baby no matter how old they get. It breaks all our hearts that Skyla will never know Jay for who he was. An extremely funny, fun loving, family man. The Jay we were all fortunate to meet and love and now never to forget.

## **Thankyou**

Allan, Lorrie, Harmony, Destiny, Jaida, Cade and Kyren would like to thank everyone for phone calls, flowers, cards, food and attendance at Jabin's funeral.

We would like to thank CBH for all they have done for us but most of all we would like to thank all the beautiful people of Lake Grace - we certainly felt the love

We would also like to thank the people who have since helped with the clean up at the house, Benn, Shaye and Damon, thank you.

## Thankyou



Lorrie would like to give special thanks to Deb and especially John O'Neill. For all your help on that awful afternoon, I can never thank you enough.

### Wheatbelt Health Service Redevelopments Complete

Media Release - Minister for Health

- York and Goomalling Health Service refurbishments complete
- Part of the biggest capital works program ever completed by the WA Country Health Service

Health Minister Roger Cook today officially opened the York and Goomalling health services which have undergone redevelopments.

The redevelopments are part of a \$300 million capital works program that is improving capital infrastructure in 37 towns across the Wheatbelt, Great Southern, Mid-West and South-West regions. In the Wheatbelt region, the Merredin, Narrogin and Northam hospitals are being redeveloped, as well as upgrades to 23 small hospitals and health centres across the region.

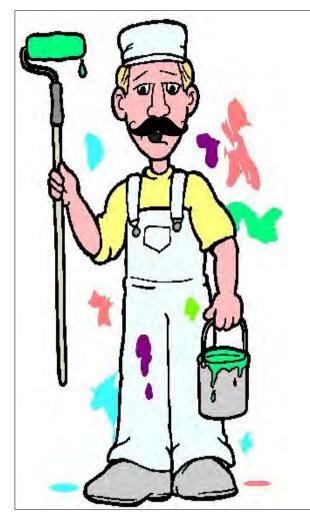
The York Health Service now has emergency department access to the Emergency Telehealth Service, a new ambulance entry and triage room, two multipurpose consultation rooms and a telehealth consulting room. Included in the upgrades are new toilets, a larger waiting room, a new staff station and upgraded kitchen.

The Goomalling Health Service redevelopment includes

an extension to the emergency department that includes a resuscitation bay and a dedicated triage room - both with access to telehealth services and a new treatment bay. There is also a new telehealthenabled consultation room, improved security for staff and patients, and a refurbished kitchen.

Complementing the capital works, York and Goomalling health services have benefited from investment in digital and information systems including the installation of electronic referral systems; the installation of WebPAS patient administration systems; and progressively increasing the Wi-Fi footprint of both facilities, enabling the health services to increase capacity for inpatient telehealth and the Emergency Telehealth System for country patients.

Other small hospital refurbishments completed recently in the Wheatbelt region include Southern Cross Health Service, Dalwallinu Health Service, Jurien Bay Health Centre, Moora Health Service, Boddington Health Service, Kununoppin Health Service



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## **Focus on Holiday Home Rentals**

ATO Media Release

The Australian Taxation Office (ATO) is setting their sights on the large number of mistakes, errors and false claims made by rental property owners who use their own property for personal holidays.

"As Australians enjoy the Easter break, they should be aware that the ATO is focusing on taxpayers who claim deductions for holiday homes that are not actually available for rent or only available to friends and family," Assistant Commissioner Kath Anderson said.

"While private use by family and friends of a holiday home is entirely legitimate, it does reduce your ability to earn income from the property. This in turn impacts the deductions you can claim. You can only claim deductions for your holiday home if your property is genuinely available for rent. You cannot claim for times when you were using it for your own personal holidays or letting friends and family stay rent-free. It's not ok to expect everyone else to pay for your holiday. Holiday home owners also need to remember that if their property is rented to friends and family at mates rates, they can only claim deductions for expenses up to the

amount of the income received."

Besides holiday rentals, the ATO is also focused on other times when a property is not rented or genuinely available for rent. Ms Anderson said some taxpayers claim their property is available for rent, but when the ATO investigates, it is clear they have little intention of renting it out.

"We see things like unreasonable conditions placed on prospective renters, rental rates set above market rates, or failing to advertise a holiday home in a way that targets people who would be interested in it," Ms Anderson said.

"Incorrect rental property claims will not go unnoticed. Whether it is a genuine mistake or a deliberate attempt to over-claim, new technology, data matching and other systems allow the ATO to identify unusual claims. Where something raises a red flag, it will be investigated. Property owners whose claims are disproportionate to the income received can expect scrutiny from the ATO."

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### Focus on Holiday Home Rentals (Cont.)

Ms Anderson said all rental property owners should double-check their claims before lodging their tax return, even if submitting through a tax agent.

"Make sure that you declare all rental income and only claim deductions for periods that the property is rented or was genuinely available for rent at market rates," Ms Anderson said. Be sure to keep accurate records of the income you receive from your rental property, expenses you incur, and evidence of the property being rented or genuinely available for rent at market rates. You should also keep records of who stayed at the holiday home and when, including the time you and your family stay at the property."

For more information on holiday homes, visit ato.gov.au/holidayhomes

For more general information on rental properties, visit ato.gov.au/rental

Deductions are available if the property is genuinely available for rent. However, different rules apply if you're renting out your private residence. For more information, visit ato.gov.au/sharingeconomy

Is your property genuinely available to rent?

Four rules to remember:

#### Advertise the property

Advertise the property to a wide audience. Advertising through a real-estate agent or an online site is not always enough evidence to demonstrate that a property is genuinely available for rent, nor is only advertising locally or by word of mouth.

#### Ensure the property is in good condition

The property must be in a location and condition that will mean tenants will want to rent it. If your property is

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run-down or in a remote location, it may not be realistic to expect that it will appeal to anyone.

#### Charge market rates

Charging rent above market rates in order to deter tenants from applying could mean your property is considered to not be genuinely available for rent. Likewise, if you, your family or your friends stay for free, your property will not meet the criteria during that time period. If the property is being tenanted at a discount (mates rates) then the allowable deductions are limited to the amount of rent charged, not market rates.

#### **Accept tenants**

If you refuse to rent out your property to interested potential tenants without a good reason, this indicates that you may not have a genuine intention to make income from the property and could be reserving it for private use. In this case, your property wouldn't meet the criteria for being genuinely available for rent.

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## Getting to Know...

By Rosie Timperley

1. Name: Rosey Chircop

2. Occupation: Jill of all Trades

**3. What made you decide to move to Lake Grace?** I felt at home when visiting, I love it here.

**4. What is one of your hobbies?** Fishing. And building things out of wood.

**5. What is something you are looking forward to in 2018?** Hoping to bring the towns people closer together.

**6.** Do you prefer summer, autumn, winter or spring and why? Summer is beautiful and I love to go swimming in the heat.

**7. What is something that really annoys you?** Negativity. Everyone needs to be more positive.



- 9. What is one thing about you that people would never guess? I used to be quiet, hahaha.
- 10. Where do you recommend as a dream holiday destination? Peppies Beach at Bremer Bay
- 11. Which actress would play you in a movie? Melissa McCarthey



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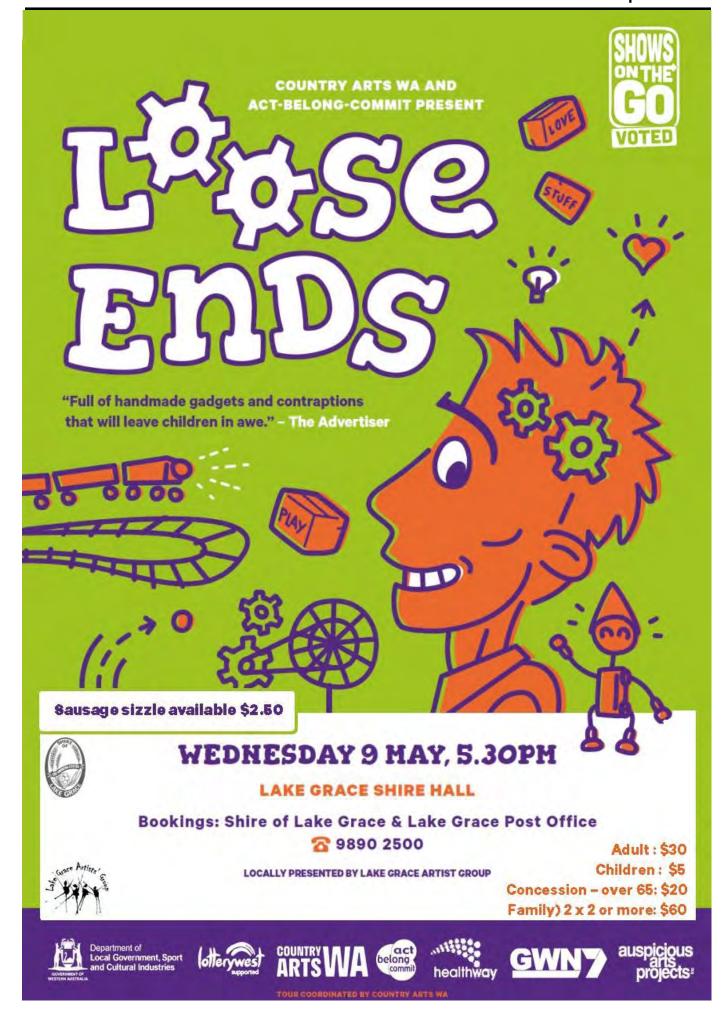
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#### Wednesday Morning Tea & Activity

Hospital Activity Room every Wednesday

Time: 10am—11.30am

For morning tea and an activity

## 4th Friday Activity Friday 27th April

Lakes Village Hall
Time: 10am—1.30pm
Activities / games /. trivia

RSVP by 24th April for catering

Ph: 9890 2222

#### **SwimAbility**

Hydrotherapy sessions at Narrogin Leisure Centre each fortnioght

#### Monday 23rd April

Leaving 8.30am from Village Hall Call the hospital to book



See the April edition of our HACC/MPS newsletter for further information and details of activities for seniors.

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## Specialist Consultations for Country Residents

Have you asked if your specialist is able to do a Videoconference or Teleconference consultation?

If you do not need the specialist to see you in person this may save you travelling long distances to have follow-up appointments.

AND...if you do need to travel for specialist treatment remember to lodge a PATS form to get some travel and accommodation assistance (if eligible).

## Physiotherapist - visiting Lake Grace every three weeks



Call Primary Health in Narrogin to make appointments **ph: 9881 0385** (also for Occupational therapists, speech therapists and dietitians who come to Lake Grace on a needs basis)

#### **Child Health Clinic**

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## CEO's Corner

#### Flooding Event

The contractors are estimated to have completed 25% of outstanding works. As this work is being carried out, the Shire would like to remind road users to be courteous and slow down within the areas crews are working, this will allow them to do their job in a safe manner and complete it sooner.

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

#### Council

Ordinary Council Meeting – Wednesday 28 March 2018

Items of business considered by Council at the meeting included:

- Annual Statutory Compliance Audit 2017
- Annual Budget Review 2017-2018
- · Lake Grace Memorial Swimming Pool repainting
- The date of the next meeting is Wednesday 18 April 2018.

#### BFAC Meeting - Thursday 5 April 2018

Highlights of the items discussed at the meeting include:

- Grants Western Power has offered grants to the Bush Fire Brigades managed through the Association of Volunteer Bush Fire Brigades. There are 11 grants in total between Lake Grace and Kent and these have been submitted to the AVBFB
- Training Training has been conducted with the Varley Volunteers and the W.I.F.E Association, with minor training sessions carried out in Newdegate and Lake King. Enquiries are now being made into an 'Introduction to Bush Fire Fighting' course and an 'Introduction to Structure Fire Fighting' course.
- Vehicles Lake Grace has received a new 4WD HSR (Hazmat, Structure and Rescue) appliance. Lake King's appliance now has a portable AVL (Automated Vehicle Locator).
- Radios After some reports of bad radio communication, DFES has now checked the towers and found that the radio equipment needed to be recalibrated, for optimum performance. The recalibration has now been carried out and this issue should now be resolved.

#### **Wheatbelt Conference 2018**

On 5–6 April 2018, Councillor Steve Hunt, Councillor Roz Lloyd and I attended the Wheatbelt Conference 2018, held in Jurien Bay. This conference focused on the theme of 'Small Towns – BIG Dreams: Transitioning Regional Economies', with keynote speaker Barry Urquhart, who is an internationally respected and in-demand business speaker, consumer behaviour analyst and facilitator of strategic planning workshops.

The question raised by Barry was "What is the Wheatbelt?"

The Wheatbelt covers 42 local government authorities, stretching from the coast lines of Guilderton to Jurien Bay, to east of Southern Cross and our most eastern boundary.

What is the story that 'The Wheatbelt' is telling given the vastness of our district with white beaches, clear turquoise waters, rolling hills, winding streams to the rugged and magnificent terrain to the north, south and east? What is it we should be famous for and what story should we tell? We need our old information looked at with a new perspective.

#### Road Works

The Construction Crew has been working on:

- Kuender bends grading, excavating and culverts
- Magenta Road final trim
- Holt Rock South Road
- Buniche Road carting gravel
- Lake Grace Tip covering waste

The Lake Grace Maintenance Grader and General Maintenance Staff have been working on:

- Kuender bends blackspot work
- Stennetts Lake Road signs and guide posts
- Bairstow Road Grading
- · Mallee Hill Road Grading
- Jarring South Road Grading
- Mechanical repairs to various machinery

The Lake King Maintenance Grader has carried out grading work on:

- Milerup Road
- Smerdon Road
- Allen Road

Continued over ..

#### Shire of Lake Grace Community News Cont.

CEO Corner Cont.

#### **Parks and Gardens**

The Town Maintenance Crew has carried out work at:

- Lake Grace Medical Centre cleaning up the car park
- Lake Grace Pavilion weeding and watering dead patches, mowing and whipper snipping rec ovals, fixed the water meter at the old doctor's surgery and watering of Townsite gardens
- Lake Grace Town Maintenance repairs to reticulation at the railway station and median strip
- Lake Grace Cemetery maintenance
- Lake Grace BBQ area
- Varley Town and Cemetery maintenance

#### **Building & Maintenance**

The Building and Maintenance team has carried out work at:

- Newdegate Golf and Bowling Club removal of roof sheeting and placement of anti-condensation insulation to rectify condensation/water issues
- Newdegate Sports Pavilion stadium roof repairs to address water leaks
- Lake King Playground replacement of unit pump and investigation of potential water leaks at tank or reticulation system
- Lake King Public Toilets replaced all toilet roll dispensers and completed lock repairs
- Lake Grace Town Clock reset time twice due to power outages.

#### **Insurance Responsibility**

A friendly reminder to any Community Groups, Organisations, Associations, Social Clubs, Sporting Groups, Senior Groups etc. that undertake any activity (e.g. fund raising, holding an event etc.) should have their own insurance coverage. The insurances to consider are Public Liability, Association & Officers Liability, Volunteer Workers and Community & Family Events. The type of coverage needed depends on the activities your group undertakes.

The Shire's insurance covers any property and contents owned by the Shire and liability to the public for areas within the Shire's responsibility. If you are a group that uses Shire owned facilities or grounds to store your equipment or goods, it is important that you have your own contents insurance to cover any loss that may occur.

The Shire policy will not cover the loss of property not owned by the Shire. I am happy to catch up with any group that is concerned about the need for insurance and the limitations of our policies.

In the year 2000, Australia's insurance industry faced a public liability crisis because of the prohibitive costs for community groups. From here the Local Community Insurance Services was established to manage the

special needs of clubs, community groups and not-forprofit associations. You can check out this risk management service at the following link https:// www.localcommunityinsurance.com.au

Denise Gobbart
Chief Executive Officer

#### Ordinary Council Meeting

The next Ordinary Council Meeting will be held:

Date: 18 April 2018

Time: 3:00 pm Wednesday
Location: Council Chambers

1 Bishop St Lake Grace
Members of the public welcome

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

#### Restricted Burning Period

We are now in the Restricted Burning Period 1 February - 30 April (all dates inclusive) Permits to burn are required for all burning during this period.

Permits can be obtained by contacting one of the Shire's Fire Control Officer.

#### Cat Trap

A cat trap is available for loan from the Shire- a \$50 deposit will be required.







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

#### Shire of Lake Grace Community News Cont.

#### Office Opening Hours

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

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

#### Transport & Licensing

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

#### Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 8.30am - 4.15pm Thursday and Friday 8.30am - 4.00pm

As an agency we process the majority of transactions, including; renewals, transfers, number plate orders, boat registration renewals and new license applications.

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

#### **Driving Assessor**

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

Friday - 4 May 2018 Friday

Friday - 8 June (to be confirmed)

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

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

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

#### Firearm Licence

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

#### **Building Surveyor**

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

Tuesday 17 April 2018 Tuesday 1 May 2018

For an appointment contact Josiah on 0438 811 944.

#### **Environmental Health Officer**

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

#### Tip Open Hours

#### **Lake Grace**

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

#### Newdegate

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

#### Lake King & Varley

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### Waste & Recycle Pickup

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

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

Lake Grace	Newdegate
16 April	23 April
30 April	30 May

**Please Note:** There is no kerbside recycling collection service in Lake King or Varley. For more information on Waste Management visit the Shire's website.

### Office Opening Hours

Lake Grace Public Library School Place / Absolon St

Monday - Thursday 9am - 5pm Closed for lunch 12.30 - 1pm

**School Holidays** 

Tuesday & Thursday 9am - 5pm Lunch 12.30 - 1pm

Newdegate Public Library Collier St

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

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# Wednesday 25th April 2018

## Lake Grace Anzac Service



Time: 11am Anzac Day Service Location: Lake Grace RSL Hall Stubbs Street, Lake Grace Followed by morning tea

## Newdegate Anzac Service



Time: 5.15am Dawn Service via ABC radio

Location: Railway Station

at the Sporting Precinct

Followed by breakfast, tea and coffee

## Varley Anzac Service



Time: Marcher's assemble at 5.25am

Dawn Service at 5.30am

Location: Memorial Hall,

Varley District Hall, Carstairs Road

Followed by breakfast at Varley Hall

Lake King Anzac Service



Time: Service at 6.30am

Location: Bicentennial Park (behind the tavern)

Varley Lake King Road, Lake King

Followed by breakfast behind the church

The Centenary of Anzac 2014 to 2018 is Australia's most important period of national commemoration. Marking 100 years since our involvement in the First World War, the Anzac Centenary is a time to honour the service and sacrifice of our original ANZACs and the generations of Australian servicemen and women who have defended our values and freedoms, in wars, conflicts and peace operations throughout a Century of Service.

### **Stations of the Cross**

Genni Curtin

Stations of the Cross was held at Lilia and Graham Nolan's farm on Good Friday. Good Friday is a significant day in the annual Easter celebrations. It is a day where Christians commemorate Jesus Christ's last day on earth as a man. It consists of 14 stations with each station focusing on specific events of His last day beginning with His condemnation to His crucifixion and burial.

This annual event is an ecumenical service where individuals and families from different denominations take turns in carrying the cross between each station and reading out about the milestones of suffering that took place during that time. Having the Stations in a paddock setting leading up to the cross on the hill really adds to the impact of the experience. Hot cross buns and a cup of tea were shared on return to the shed. The Stations are celebrated each year so a big "Thank You" to Lilia and Graham for hosting this major event.





Left: Fr Joseph Sousa, Lilia and Graham Nolan

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## **Live Export Review Applauded**

Media Release

WAFarmers has supported the announcement from Federal Minister for Agriculture David Littleproud MP for a swift review into the Australian Standards for the Export of Livestock.

Announced this afternoon, the review will occur in the next four weeks and will consider live export into northern hemisphere summer conditions. The review will be headed by Michael McCarthy from Global Livestock Solutions, and has been announced as a result of the footage aired on 60 Minutes over the weekend that showed horrific conditions on the Awassi Express ship in 2017.

WAFarmers President Tony York said many producers felt the live export industry had been misrepresented. "Like most, I had accepted the assurances that guidelines and protocols were being met; that arrangements were in place and that adequately ensure compliance of our 'best practice, standards and guidelines', however this is clearly not the case," he said.

"We feel very strongly that if conditions cannot be managed then a ship must not be allowed to sail with

our livestock on board, so we welcome any announcement into reviews and changes that would support this condition and that would see confidence restored in the industry.

"We expect exporters to prove that this loss of livestock will never happen again, and demand a collaborative and transparent review system which include the exporters releasing information regarding all voyages and vessels in the past few years so that high risk periods, such as northern hemisphere summers, can be clearly identified.

"Further, we demand that independent inspectors, which may include independent veterinarians, be on board during voyages, to monitor livestock conditions. "It is our right as producers to demand this, and it is the responsibility of government, exporters and carriers to uphold these demands."

Mr York said Mr McCarthy would be a strong representative for the live export trade, given his experience in the livestock sector and his qualifications as a veterinarian

WAFarmers Livestock Council President David Slade congratulated the Minister on taking the initiative.



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Friday 11th May - 7:30pm

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### **Puzzles & Stuff**

Some words from the 29th March edition of Boggle

Bait Bane Bare Barn Bean Bear Beat Bran Answers to 29/03/2018 Sudoku

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This week's Boggle

Coming next week in the Lakes Link puzzle section:

**Trivia Questions!** 



Get your thinking caps on!

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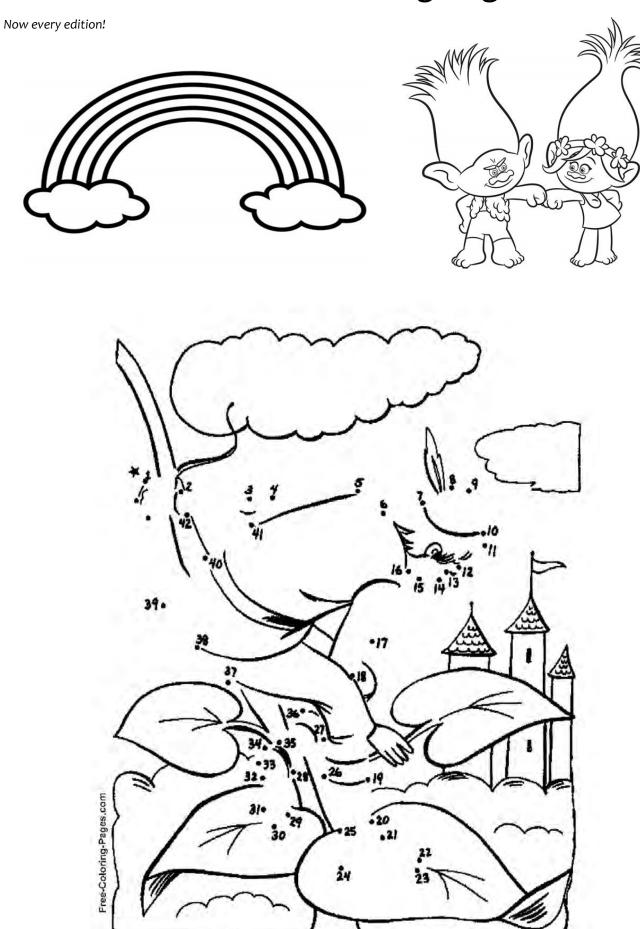
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## Children's Puzzle and Colouring Page



## Plant Bulbs Now to Have them Flower in Spring

http://www.betterpetsandgardens.com.au/gardens/seeding-and-propagating/growing-spring-bulbs/

Spring flowering bulbs have enormous value as the early flush of colour lights up a garden after winter. They are very easy to plant and almost look after themselves and of course, late March to early May are ideal times to plant spring flowering bulbs in WA.

Bulbs make an impressive display as natural drifts of colour underneath deciduous trees, scattered amongst the lawn or in bold colour groups throughout garden beds. They can be mass planted or mixed with annuals, perennials and amongst herbaceous borders to bring interest throughout the change of seasons.

#### PLANTING SPRING BULBS

Bulbs really aren't fussy at all. To plant, dig the soil to loosen any lumps and remove weeds. Apply a good amount of compost and a specific bulb fertiliser and plant each bulb at least twice as deep as the bulb is high. When purchasing bulbs, only choose those that are healthy, firm and plump. Avoid any that are soft, diseased or feel light in the hand.

Although it doesn't do any harm to other bulbs, tulips are the only ones that actually require six weeks in the crisper of the fridge. Just ensure that they are labelled carefully and that others in the family don't assume that they are edible.

Plant bulbs with the pointy end up as the roots grow out of the rounded base. The only exceptions are anemones and ranunculus which should be planted with the claws facing down. It's a good idea to mark the position of newly planted bulbs so that they won't unknowingly be dug up or disturbed.

Use a specialty bulb or general fertiliser to feed existing clumps of bulbs in autumn and water in well. Since bulbs store nutrients ready for next season, it is also important to give another feed just after flowering.

#### **GROWING IN POTS**

Growing bulbs in pots allows the wonderful colour to be brought inside for a few days at a time or moved around the garden. The colour combinations that can be created with bulbs are endless and can be extended by mixing two different varieties of bulbs or even seedlings with contrasting flowers.

The number of bulbs that can be grown in pots will vary depending on the variety and the size of the pot. The main thing to remember is that the bulbs must not touch each other and shouldn't be placed right on the outer edge of the pot as this might cause them to become too hot and not flower.

Bulbs grown in a pot one year should be planted in the ground the next year as most won't flower in consecutive years in pots.

Although there are specific bulb potting mixes, bulbs will grow very well in a premium potting mix which is open and free draining. In a shallow pot, bulbs should be planted about a centimetre below the surface but where deeper troughs are used, the bulbs can be planted at



the same depth as they would in the garden.

Once potted, place the bulbs in a cool position until the leaves have grown to about 10 centimetres. At this stage the pot can be put into a sunny spot that is sheltered from the wind. Keep the soil damp but not overwatered as this may cause the bulbs to rot.

Once the bulbs have finished flowering and the leaves begin to die down stop watering and place the pot in a cool place to die down. Once dry, remove the bulbs and store as you would those from the garden.

#### **NATURALISING BULBS**

Naturalised bulbs create lovely, natural looking drifts of colour through lawns, under deciduous trees, along the drive or a winding path. Daffodils are the traditional favourites for naturalising but bluebells, grape hyacinths, freesias, jonquils, snowflakes, ixias, Dutch iris and bearded iris work just as well.

Choose a free draining site where the urge to mow can be resisted whilst the foliage is dying off. A wild part of the garden or lawn would be ideal.

To plant a natural looking display that is not too contrived, place all the bulbs into a bucket and throw them in the general direction of where they should end up. Where the bulbs land, this is where they should be planted.

Use a bulb planter or hand trowel to dig the holes for the bulbs. Place a little fertiliser in the bottom, cover this with a thin layer of soil, place the bulb on top of that and back fill. Add another sprinkle of fertiliser on the top and water in well.

Only water naturalised bulbs whilst actively growing and allow them to dry out whilst dormant. In most cases, natural rainfall will take care of this so often reticulation is not needed at all.

Finally, stop mowing the area as soon as the bulbs begin to sprout and do not mow again until late spring when the foliage has totally died off. It is very important that the leaves are allowed to collect energy before they

### Plant Bulbs Now to Have them Flower in Spring (cont.)

http://www.betterpetsandgardens.com.au/gardens/seeding-and-propagating/growing-spring-bulbs/

are removed so that the bulbs produce an abundance of flowers the following year.

#### **HYACINTHS IN VASES**

Try growing a hyacinth in a bulb vase. Simply fill the vase to just below the "waist" and put the bulb in the top so that it doesn't touch the water. Place the vase in a dark spot such as a cupboard where the bulb will send down roots and then produce shoots in a couple of months. Then, take it out of the dark place and put it out on display in light and it will burst into flower and fill the room with beautiful fragrance.

#### **DIGGING & STORING SPRING BULBS**

Daffodils and most other bulbs may be left undisturbed to multiply for at least three years. At this point they become overcrowded and fewer flowers are produced. At this point, they should be lifted, stored and replanted next autumn.

Allow the foliage to die down before lifting. Use a fork to loosen the soil under the bulbs and gently lift them by the stems. Allow them to dry in a shady place for a few weeks. After shaking off the excess dirt, remove the flower stalks and store the bulbs in a dry, airy place ready for replanting next autumn.

#### **BULBS FOR CONTAINERS:**

Babianas, brodaieas, crocus, shorter growing daffodils, colchicum, hyacinths, tulips, freesias, dwarf ranunculus, lachenalias.

#### **BULBS FOR ROCKERIES:**

Miniature daffodils, rock tulips, hyacinths, freesias, colchicum, grape hyacinths, crocus, lachenalia, star flowers, sterbergias, blue bells, babiana, nerines, Dutch iris.



#### **BULBS FOR LIGHT SHADE:**

Daffodils, cyclamens, wood hyacinths, grape hyacinths, crocus, fritillaria, bluebells, anemondes, lachenalias, tulips, Cuban lilies, alstromeria, ranunculi, showdrops.

#### **BULBS FOR SUNNY SPOTS:**

Anemones, freesias, alliums, hyacinths, brodiaea, ranunculi, Dutch iris, daffodils, lachenalias, ixias, sparaxis, tulips, snowdrops, nerines.

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### Farmers and the Australian Consumer Law

#### Media Release

Farmers may not be aware that the price of the item or the service you purchase for the farm may affect whether you are considered a consumer or a business under the Australian Consumer Law.

On the surface it may not seem like any big deal but it is when it comes to the avenues that are open to you when something goes wrong with that piece of machinery you have bought or the service you contracted to the farm. If an item or service is under \$40,000 you are considered a consumer and all the benefits of redress under the Australian Consumer Law are available to you. Above \$40,000 and it is considered for business unless you can show that the item is ordinarily for personal, domestic or household use such as a car.

When it comes to purchasing equipment and machinery, especially where new cutting-edge technology is available overseas, there is always the temptation to cut out the middle man and import the item. This practice comes with a word of warning. By becoming the importer it becomes your responsibility to make sure the item is safe and meets any mandatory Australian Standards. So you need to weigh up the issues - who will you turn to if it does not function the way it should or it presents a significant safety risk? If not buying from an Australian supplier it is often very difficult to make any warranty claims. The Australian Consumer Law may not even be enforceable against an offshore distributor.

Acting Commissioner for Consumer Protection David Hillyard said that the Western Australian legislation that establishes Consumer Protection specifically enables the agency to provide help and assistance to primary producers. Farmers are welcome to contact Consumer Protection when it comes to matters of the Australian Consumer Law and their entitlements. "We are here to help," he said. "With some pieces of farm machinery costing many thousands of dollars and often key to enabling the farm to operate efficiently and profitably it is important for farmers to know their rights and to insist on appropriate remedies from suppliers.

"Just remember that if you become the importer by purchasing it direct from overseas there are often some hidden implications that may be lost in the pursuit of saving some costs in the purchase price. Some may see these regulations as just more bureaucratic 'redtape' but they are there for a reason and that is often related to safety. I am sure that farmers are more vitally aware than most people in the community about the dangers of machinery."

Commonly, as it becomes more efficient it also becomes larger, faster and heavier which can increase the potential danger for operators, workers and even visitors on the farm. Sadly, statistics show there have been 46 farm work-related deaths in the past ten years in WA and of course the injuries and close misses are the grim reality if equipment is not operated in a safe manner. Increasingly reports are reflecting that it is not only the farmer or operator who is put in danger but also the rising number of children who are sustaining injuries. Around 20 children under 15 are fatally injured on Australian farms every year and many more are hospitalised or treated by General Practitioners across rural Australia. Around 25 per cent of all child deaths were visitors to farms. Quad bikes often misnamed as "All-Terrain-Vehicles" have been in the spotlight recently because of their poor safety record in recreational use but also their use on farms. There have been nine deaths including three children killed using quad bikes on farms so far in 2017. There were six deaths in the first quarter, two of which were children under the age of 10.

Acting Commissioner Hillyard urged farmers to check the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission (ACCC) website if they have any doubts about a product's safety or any market recalls. "In June, quad bike supplier Polaris recalled 12 models of quad bikes due to the presence of asbestos in component parts," he said. "While the asbestos is a more long-term safety issue for quad bikes, it is an example of how departments like the ACCC and Consumer Protection act together when it comes to informing consumers about their safety." KidsafeWA recently put out a very useful animated video about keeping children safe on farms and includes a section on quad bikes. Have a look and also show your children as it will only take a few minutes www.kidsafewa.com.au Just remember, that no one expects an injury to occur, it is that momentary lapse of concentration or someone with little experience using unfamiliar equipment that can lead to a tragedy.

For more information regarding consumer rights under the Australian Consumer Law visit the Consumer Protection website www.dmirs /consumer-protection/ consumerrights or call 1300 304 054. For product safety visit www.productsafety.wa.gov.au

#### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

#### Sally Dickinson

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

#### **Dr Linda Haines**

Is available in Lake Grace on Thursday 7th and Friday 8th June. Ring 9865 1208 for an appointment.

#### **Cancer Support Coordinator**

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

#### Lake Grace Op Shop

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

#### **First Aid Kits**

Are now available for purchase at CCL Hardware Lake Grace.

#### **Lake Grace Lions Club**

Meetings every 2nd (dinner meeting) and 4th Thursday of the month at the Men's Shed. Next meeting: 26th April

#### **PRIVATE SALE**

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<u>redearthyoga@bigpond.com</u> or <u>mike000martin@gmail.com</u> for more information.

#### Golf Club Busy Bee

Sunday 15th April 11am All members and new members welcome.

#### **CWA Bookings**

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

## Holyoake Community Alcohol and Drug Service

Matthew Bejger Counsellor/Diversion Officer Ph: 08 9881 1999

#### **Community Midwife**

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

## Crisis Care Numbers

Doctor's Surgery -9865 1208	Electricity Faults - 13 13 51	
Hospital - 9890 2222	Water Faults - 13 13 75	
Ambulance/Fire/Police - 000	<b>Directory Assistance</b> - 1223	
<b>55 Central Men's Refuge</b> 9272 1333	Family Helpline 1800 643 000 / 9223 1100	
Sally Dickinson 0427 192 155 Southern AgCare Counselling	Kids Helpline 1800 551 800 www.kidshelp.com.au	
Poisons Information 13 11 26	Ngala 9368 9368 www.ngala.com.au	
Crisis Care WA - 9223 1111 / 1800 199 008 www.community.wa.gov.au	Wheatbelt Mental Health Service Northam - (08) 9621 0999 Narrogin - (08) 9881 0700	
<b>Lifeline Australia</b> - 13 11 14 www.lifeline.org.au	<b>Beyond Blue -</b> 1300 22 4636 www.beyondblue.org.au	
Seniors Information Services 9321 2133 www.cotawa.asn.au	Citizens Advice Bureau 9221 5711 www.cab.wa.com.au	
Family Court of WA 9224 8222 / 1800 199 228 www.familycourt.wa.gov.au	Youth Legal Service 9202 1688 / 1800 199 006 www.youthlegalservice.inc.com.au	
<b>Main Roads</b> - 138 138	Rural Link - 1800 552 002	
Mental Health Emergency Response Line - 1300 555 788	Suicide Call Back Line - 1300 659 467 www.suicidecallbackservice.org.au	
Alcohol & Drug Information Service - 1800 198 024 https://www.mhc.wa.gov.au/	Parent Drug Information Service - 1800 653 203	
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Community Clubs and Associations

Club / Association	Secretary / Contact	Contact Number	Contact Email
Artist Group	Tania Spencer	0429 041 063	spencertania@hotmail.com
Craft Group	Meet at the CWA Bu	ilding Saturdays	from midday onwards
CWA	Suzanne Reeves	0427 651 310	lakegracecwa@gmail.com
Early Learning Centre (Daycare)	Vicki Reynolds	08 9865 2568	lakegraceelc@gmail.com
Development Assoc	Paula Carruthers	0499 616 070	ghpmcarr@bigpond.com
LIFT Lakes Information & Farming	Lauren Duckworth	0488 559 860	laurenalex@westnet.com.au
Men's Shed	Phil Clarke	0427 651 155	philclarke@westnet.com.au
Playgroup	Rhiannon Stubberfield	0428 301 380	
School	Registrar	08 9865 1207	lakegrace.dhs@education.wa.edu.au
Sportsman's Club	Claire Pelham	08 9865 1239	lgsportsmansclub@bigpond.com
Toy Library	Lauren Duckworth	0488 559 860	laurenalex@westnet.com.au
Lions	Arthur Slarke	0429 651 015	arthurslarke@bigpond.com
Winter Sports			
Lake Grace Pingrup Football Club	Paula Carruthers	0499 616 070	ghpmcarr@bigpond.com
LGP Junior Football Club	Missy Clifford	0407 190177	lgpjfc@gmail.com
Lake Grace Pingrup Netball Club	Claire Gray		lgpnc@outlook.com
Lake Grace Pingrup Hockey Club	Donna Skerris		tameka_knill@yahoo.com
Lake Grace Kukerin Hockey Club	Tash Bowman	0407 987 293	lgkhockeyclub@outlook.com.au
Lake Grace Golf Club	Mikaela Spurr	0438 926 196	

### **CHURCH TIMES**

## Lake Grace Catholic Church

Sunday 15th April 8am Sunday 22nd April 6pm

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

## Anglican Church of Lake Grace

Sunday 15th April 9am

Sunday 22nd April No Service

Enquiries: Father Dave 0427 545 560

Wally Perry 0448 795 070

# Justices of the Peace

 Colin Connolly
 0427 858 066

 Ron Dewson
 9865 1224

 Amanda Milton
 0429 654 011

 Geoff Sabourne
 0429 651 171

## Lake Grace Shire Councillors

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Councillor	Telephone	Fax
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	0427 651 585	
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Debrah Clarke	9865 4041	9865 4032
Roz Lloyd	9871 1534	9871 1676
Allan Marshall	9865 3022	9865 3012
Murray Stanton	9865 1329	9865 1223
Peter Stoffberg	0447 281 181	
	9865 2550	
Mikaela Spurr	0438 926 196	

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### **April**

Fri 13 Last Day of School

Op Shop open 9:30am - 1pm

Sat 14 Winter Sports - Boxwood Hill v LG/P Roe Hockey Challenge Cup @ Hyden Rubbish tip open

Craft @ CWA

Sun 15 Rubbish tip open

Mon 16 Albany Legal Centre @ CRC Rubbish Collection Recycling Collection

Rubbish tip open

Tue 17 LG/P Football training
Op Shop open 1 - 4pm
Men's Shed (morning)
Building Surveyor in LG

HACC Chair Aerobics @ Village Hall

**HACC SOYF Exercise** 

Wed 18 First Aid Course in Lake Grace LG/K Hockey Training @ Kukerin Shire Council Meeting - 3pm Rubbish tip open

HACC Activity & Morning Tea 10 - 1:30am

Thur 19 Albany Legal Centre @ CRC 4pm LG/P Football training

Fri 20 Op Shop open 9:30am - 1pm Fish & Chips @ Sportsman's Club HACC Bus outing

Sat 21 Winter Sports - Jerramungup v LG/P
Old Doors & Openings workshop
Rubbish tip open
Craft @ CWA
Salt Rock Band and Steak Teas @

Sun 22 Old Doors & Openings workshop

Rubbish tip open

Mon 23 HACC SwimAbility Lessons Rubbish Collection Rubbish tip open

Sportsman's Club

Tue 24 LG/P Football training Op Shop open 1 - 4pm Men's Shed (morning)

HACC Chair Aerobics at Village Hall

HACC Foot Clinic HACC SOYF Exercise

Wed 25 Anzac Service @ RSL Hall - 11am LG/K Hockey training @ Lake Grace

Rubbish tip open

HACC Activity & Morning Tea 10-11:30am

Thur 26 LG/P Football training

**Coming Events** 

1st May - Building Surveyor in LG

1st May - School Term Begins

1st May - Lego Club @ Arts Space @ 3:30pm 4th May - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace

4th May - Crochet Begins @ CRC

8th May - Lego Club @ Arts Space @ 3:30pm

8th May - CWA meeting @ 1:30pm 9th May - Loose Ends show @ LG hall 11th May - Quiz Night at Sportsman's Club 8th June - Driving Assessor in Lake Grace TBC 12th September - First Aid Course in Lake Grace

10th October - First Aid Course in Lake Grace

### **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.

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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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