

Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup

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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.





## Have a Dry July and help support adult cancer patients across Australia.



### HOW TO GET INVOLVED ...

Simply head to the Dry July website (dryjuly.com) and sign up to the challenge of a month off the booze.

With 31 cancer services across

every State and Territory,

we're delivering a truly 'dry'

challenge to Australia!

Create your own profile page, even set up or join a team with friends, family and work colleagues.

Let everyone know you're going Dry for July and direct them to your unique profile page where they can make a donation and leave a message of support.

### Dry July Features

Golden Tickets / Designated Dryver<sup>®</sup> Go 'Head to Head' with mates or teams and set up penalty forfeits.



Dry July is a not-for-profit organisation determined to improve the lives of adults living with cancer through an online social community giving up booze for the month of July.

Whether joining as a part of a team or as an individual, DJ's (Dry.July.er [dee-jay] noun: a person or team actively sponsored to participate in Dry July) take on the 31 days of July to raise funds and directly help adults living with cancer and their families to improve their quality of life.

This year Dry July is proud to have on board thirty-four beneficiaries across Australia and New Zealand. The campaign operates a full circle fundraising model, which gives DJ's clarity on how beneficiary funds are used within each hospital. It is important to the Dry July Team to deliver an efficient, low-cost campaign, utilising online technology to minimise administration costs.

Dry July is also a chance to raise awareness of individual drinking habits, the value of a balanced healthy lifestyle, a personal challenge, encourage positive change and an awareness of a healthy attitude to alcohol consumption.

## WWW.DRYJULY.COM

# Broomehill Primary School

## **Community Life skills**

Over the past month, volunteers from the community have been spending an hour with the senior room class, teaching them skills that will be of use throughout their lives.

Mrs Webster taught three of the girls how to create some beautiful floral art and thinks they all had the "creative touch!"

Mrs Sanger, Mrs Barb Anderson and Mrs Dewar, made soup and sweet treats with their two groups of students. At the end of each session, the guests sat down to a meal of hot soup, bread and a sweet treat, all served up by the cooking students.

Mrs Batchelor set up a highly researched and sophisticated worm farm, made from an old fridge, with her group of boys. The worms will provide the fertiliser for our school vegetable garden.

Mrs Bignell came and taught a group of students some emergency skills and basic first aid. These students enjoyed having their heads, arms and legs bandaged up and acted out several scenarios, from snake bite to broken bones!

The Senior Room have been running these sessions for the last few years and it is wonderful to have so many willing volunteers come to the school and share their skills. The students look forward to this yearly event.

Thank you to all those who helped.

Mrs Michelle Holmes Teacher

### **CROSS COUNTRY TEAM**



Sarah Buckley, Mitchell Dewer, Haydn Guerini, Lewis Barritt and Grace Witham

Last Friday a small group of our senior students travelled to Narrogin where they competed against 18 other schools in the interschool cross country event. As this was the first time Broomehill has competed in this event, it was a rather daunting prospect for us all. The students were brilliant and an absolute credit to their parents and school. They all completed the course successfully and their combined efforts resulted in Broomehill coming in equal 3<sup>rd</sup> from the seven smaller schools competing.





### SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

Phone: 98253555 Fax: 98251152 Email: mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au The next meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 18 July 2013 commencing at 4.00pm in the Tambellup Council Chambers. Members of the public are welcome to attend all Council meetings.

### Works

Residents will have noticed construction works have come to a standstill on Tambellup West Road. Additional gravel is required to be stockpiled to complete the widening of the section, prior to final trimming and sealing. In the meantime the crew have moved over to Warrenup Rd, to carry out gravel resheeting of a 3km section, and then to Nookanellup Rd, again for gravel resheeting.

Maintenance grading through June has been completed in the eastern part of the Shire, working from the north to the south.

Footpaths on India St in Broomehill and Taylor St in Tambellup were completed recently, and replacement street trees will be planted where appropriate.

### From the Council Meeting

Council had a full program for the June meeting, with the presentation of the full suite of Integrated Planning documents by the relevant consultants (Asset Management Plan, Workforce Plan, Long Term Financial Plan and Corporate Business Plan), consideration of the draft budget and then the ordinary Council agenda. The adoption of the Integrated Planning documents brings to completion the development of these plans as required by the Department of Local Government, and staff will now focus on the implementation of the

recommendations and strategies from each of the plans.

Council has scheduled a special meeting early in July to continue draft budget deliberations.

### **Council Agendas and Minutes**

Agendas and Minutes from every Council and Council Committee meeting are available at the Shire Administration Offices and Tambellup Community Resource Centre, for perusal. These documents are available in alternative formats, on request, for people with a disability.

Agendas and Minutes can be accessed online by browsing to <u>www.shirebt.wa.gov.au</u> and clicking on the "Our Shire" tab.

Joanne Trezona CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

### **Fire Control Officer Training**

Have you been elected to the position of Fire Control Officer for your brigade? Or are you in line to take over in coming years as part of the brigade succession plan?

We have been advised that the Department for Fire and Emergency Services is conducting training for present and upcoming Fire Control Officers on the following dates:

- Borden on Wednesday 14th August nominations to be submitted by 26th July
  - Kojonup on Monday 2nd September nominations to be submitted by 9th August

Any brigade member is welcome to nominate, however present Fire Control Officers are strongly encouraged to complete this training if they have not already done so. For more information and nomination forms, please contact Pam at the Shire on 98253555.

## Tambellup Independent Living Seniors Accommodation

Well, it's said nothing happens in a hurry in Local Government, and it appears the same can be said for the construction industry! We are still waiting for the tender specifications for the units to be finalised, and have been assured they will be available in the very near future. At that time, the project will be advertised for tender, and we look forward to turning the first sod to get the construction underway. The designs for the new units are on display in the Shire office foyer for anyone interested.

The inaugural meeting of the newly formed Independent Living Seniors Accommodation Committee was held on 24<sup>th</sup> June. The committee comprises Councillors, Council staff and community representatives, and at the first meeting a range of issues were considered which related to overall management of the facility and the development of a high level management handbook. Thank you to Barbara Groves and Liz Reynalds who have accepted positions on the committee as community representatives.

### **Tambellup Cemetery**

Work will be commencing shortly on the construction of a new niche wall at the Tambellup Cemetery, to replace the existing wall which is in a poor state of repair.

The new niche wall will be located just inside the cemetery gates, and will be incorporated into a gazebo which will also provide some shelter from the elements at funerals.

We are intending to contact people who have ashes of family members interred in the existing niche wall to advise of the program of works, however the works will not impact on the existing wall at any stage. Transferring of ashes to the new wall will be carried out in consultation with family members at the appropriate time.

We will also make contact with people who have reserved niches, to ensure their reservation is transferred over to the new wall.

If you would like further information about the proposed works at the cemetery, please contact the Shire office.

### **Council Website**

The Shire is committed to continually improving its services to ratepayers, resident and visitors to the Shire. Part of this process is to consult with the users of particular services to obtain feedback, determine levels of satisfaction and consider any changes necessary to improve the service. We are currently seeking feedback from users of Council's website - <u>www.shirebt.wa.gov.au</u>. The website was developed following the Shire amalgamation in 2008, and we would like to know your thoughts about its ease of use and the information presented. A <u>very brief</u> survey has been developed, and is available through the website - follow the link on the home page. We invite all residents to participate,

and welcome your feedback. The survey will be open until Wednesday 31 July 2013. For more information about the survey please contact Pam at the Shire.

### Thumbs Down - Vandalism

To the people responsible for breaking off newly planted trees in the Tambellup town centre and upending rubbish bins throughout town - we hope you are satisfied. Yes, your efforts <u>have</u> been noticed, by shire staff, members of the public, and now the Police.

It should be noted that the trees which have been destroyed were purchased as mature plants to provide immediate impact in town. Many of these trees cost in the vicinity of \$100+, and we were fortunate to be able to get them at a significantly reduced cost, however the fact remains that this cost, and the cost of replacement, is worn by the ratepayers of our shire. We have just received advice that property damage of this nature is a chargeable offence.

To the people responsible, upending rubbish bins is purely nuisance behaviour, and does not demonstrate any level of maturity, common sense, self respect, care or pride in your town.

But wait - there's more! The new garden in Broomehill has also been the target of some unwanted attention, with new plants being jumped on and destroyed. Parks and gardens in our communities only exist to enhance the appearance and liveability of our towns, and Council's parks and gardens staff go to great lengths to ensure our towns look great. Again, damage like this is senseless and immature.

Parents and carers, do you know where your young people are, what they are doing and who they are doing it with????

It is also disappointing to note the chain gate at the Broomehill Rubbish Tip continues to be damaged. The cost of this activity is again back to the community, not only for the repairs to the gate, but the use of the tip by

people and businesses who are not residents of the Shire. Council's intent on installing the gate was to restrict the use of the tip to local residents, in an effort to prolong the lifespan of the site. To the perpetrator, if you are a resident of the Shire, a Tip Access card will only cost you \$22.00, available from either of the Shire offices. If you are not a resident of the Shire, take your rubbish to your LOCAL tip!

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### **Council Elections**

Council elections will be held in October this year, with four positions on Council becoming vacant. If you have ever considered serving your community through this avenue, and would like to find out more about the role, you are encouraged to contact any of the serving Councillors, or alternatively, the Shief Executive Officer, who can provide more information.

## Cancer Survivors and people still having treatment only.

On the 18<sup>th</sup> July 2013 you are invited to the Henry Jones Building for a chat with people who are in the same situation as yourselves.

Tea and coffee can be purchased if required.

For more information contact: Lynn Dilley on 98241123 Helen Bignell on 98241270



### **Tambellup Sports Pavilion Upgrade**

Thank you to everyone who provided feedback with regard to the proposal to upgrade the Tambellup Sports Pavilion, either through the survey or directly to the consultants. The Feasibility Study has been completed, and will be considered by Council in the near future. Once a direction for the project has been determined, more information will be made available to the community.



Railway Station, Tambellup WA 6320 Phone: 98251542 Email: coralgreen@bigpond.com

FABRIC CLEARANCE Patchwork Fabric clearance table from \$5.00 per metre

BEADS SEQUINS AND FINDINGS SALE All packets of Beads and Sequins 1/2 price

> All packets of Findings 90 cents

### PATCHWORK/CRAFT DAY

Our next Patchwork/Craft day will be on the **20th July** at the Tambellup Business Centre starting around 9 am. Tea and Coffee provided, bring your own lunch. Contact us for more information. Everyone welcome even if its just for a cuppa and a chat.

## Imperial Hotel Broomehill MIXED SOCIAL DARTS

Thursday Evenings Please have names in by 7.00pm for the draw and a 7.30 start. Phone nominations ok—9824 1222 \$5 per player Includes light supper Prize for Winning and Runner Up teams

## Tambellup Business Centre

Situated on the Tambellup West Road on the old showgrounds, the Tambellup Business Centre has available short and long term leases on workshop/storage space and office space.

The facility includes a kitchen and boardroom plus toilets and showers. Inspection invited

Contact Trevor 98251220 Email waadc@bigpond.com Web www.Tambellup.biz

> The AGM of the Tambellup Business Centre Will be held at the Centre at 1730hrs July 17th 2013



Tambellup Health Centre

## Dr Wole clinic 10 & 24 JULY

Please note:- Appointments can be booked from 9am–11am.

Drop in clinic from 11am–1.30pm.

Please phone 9825 1101 for appointments or more information

Tambellup Agricultural Society next meeting on Tuesday 9th July at 10am, Tambellup Resource Centre. Any enquiries can be made to Cheryl Chambers on 0487 635 538. ALL WELCOME Tea and coffee provided



## TAMBELLUP GOLF CLUB

Are you interested in having a go.

Saturday 9 hole competition Green Fees \$2 Hit off 2.30

Contact Trevor 98251182 Before 12.00 on the Saturday If you are intending to play.

### **Broomehill CWA**

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 11:30am in the Broomehill Museum office.

Everyone is welcome to join our little gathering. Bring along you favourite winter recipe. Inquiries contact Carole 98241354, 0488944416 or Edna 98241208.

## Broomehill Historical Society

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 10:00am in the Museum office. Community members are most welcome to come and join us help preserve our history. Inquiries to Ernest Chapman – 98241378 or Carole – 98241354 or 0488944416 or email broomehillhistoricalsociety@hotmail.com

## Catholic Churches Mass Timetable

Our Lady of Fatima, Broomehill – Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm. Saint Michael's, Tambellup – Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> July at 6pm. Inquiries phone Fr Peter Njau 98241675 or 0437841173

### Tambellup Uniting Church

Service Times July 14th—9.30am July 28th— 9.30am Everyone Welcome



### <u>Congratulations</u> <u>David Thomas</u> at his Citizenship Ceremony at the Broomehill Town Hall on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June.



TAMBELLUP AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY SHOW DAY, SAT 12TH OCTOBER 2013 <u>SCARECROW</u>



1 entry each, open to clubs, schools and families.

### 1st PRIZE \$100 2nd PRIZE \$50 3rd PRIZE \$25

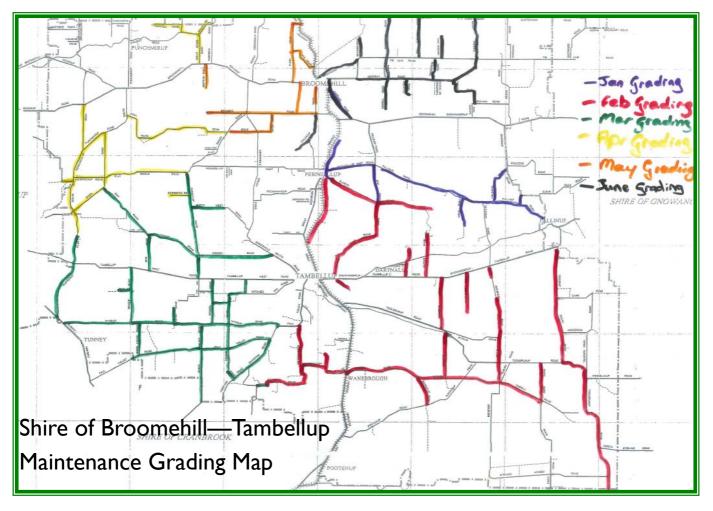
All entry forms are to be in by Friday 4th October. Scarecrows to be in at Town Hall by 9am Show Day.

Please include and empty tissue box for the public to place their votes in.

Chairs will be provided for your scarecrows or you can supply your own stand (star pickets)

Votes to be counted at 2pm

Enquiries and entry forms to Cheryl Chambers on 0487 635 538



## **REMEMBER THIS DAY????**



And what a day it was - the community planting day held in Broomehill last September to plant the new garden, located between the Imperial Hotel and the Broomehill Hall.

Council is now seeking community input to officially name the garden. It is proposed the name should reflect historical relevance to Broomehill.

Your comments and suggestions for suitable names are invited, and should be made in writing to the Shire by Monday 15th July 2013.

Submissions should be marked 'Attention Judy Stewart' and can be:

- faxed to 98251152;
- <u>mailed</u> to Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup, 46-48 Norrish St Tambellup 6320;
- emailed to mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au; or
- hand delivered to either office

Council will consider all submissions at its monthly meeting on Thursday 18th July 2013.

We look forward to your input. For more information, please contact Judy Stewart, Manager Corporate Services, on 98253555.



# cdo blog

Welcome to this month's edition of the *Talk Sporting Clubs* E-Newsletter Club Development Officer blog. Everyone is welcome

to subscribe, so please forward this month's edition to your committee and members of your club. Also, click on this link to take you to the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup website or Shire of Kojonup website where you can see more information on what's happening in your sporting community, find forms and documents.

Last month we had an overwhelming repose from people wanting to attend the Grant Writing Made Easy Workshop. The Course was extremely successful and we were fortunate enough to have the Department of Sport & Recreation and Lotterywest make presentations on their grant rounds.

I attended two Professional Development days recently which were held at Department of Sport & Recreation, Perth.

I have been working closely with helping schools get involved with the Department of Sport & Recreation supported program *Active After Schools*. This is a great initiative as this program encourages children to get active after school at the same time exposing them to many types of sports.

Work continues with a club to get their Flood Lighting Project off the ground. Therefore, if you have any questions on how I can help your club with Flood Lighting please give me a call.

As you may have noticed, my surname name has changed so please note that the CDO has not changed, just the name! Enjoy the winter sporting season!

### Amelia Simpson Club Development Officer

FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME! Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup P 9825 3555 Shire of Kojonup P 9831 2400 M 0417 484 619

## CUSTOMER SERVICE OFFICER

The Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup is seeking a team-orientated Tombelup person to fill the full-time position of Customer Service Officer predominantly based at our Tambellup Office.

The position primarily deals with motor vehicle licensing, cash receipting, records, and other general enquiries and is required to provide occasional support to other members of the administration team. While Local Government experience is preferred it is not essential; however, the ability to work effectively in a small but busy team is a must.

Please contact Judy on 08 9825 3555 or <u>mcs@shirebt.wa.gov.au</u> for an information package - applications will be accepted until the close of business on Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> July 2013.

Joanne Trezona Chief Executive Officer





Fun with shaving creamgreat to play with at bath time too!!!



having fun with scoops and funnels, animals and prickly balls. Add any objects with different shapes and sizes and texturesmake sure they are large enough they can't Be swallowed.



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The Tambellup Community came out in force to support the Cancer Council when they attended The Biggest Morning Tea fundraiser held on Tuesday 28th May at Tambellup Primary School. The Pre Primary / Year 1 children cooked a delicious array of foods with the help of parent volunteers, which was served to the parents and community members who attended the morning. The Year 3/4/5 children entertained the audience with an interactive musical quiz. This is the eleventh year that the Biggest Morning Tea has been held at the school and this year an amount of \$1100.00 was forwarded to the Cancer Council of W.A.

### Thank you!

A very big **THANK YOU** to everyone who supported the 'Biggest Morning Tea for Cancer'. Special thanks must go to the following people for their generous help and support:

\*<u>Darryl Gayle</u> – for helping with setting up & cleaning up \*<u>Staff of Tambellup Primary School</u> – for their help \*<u>The mums who helped with the cooking</u> - Marie, Carrie, Erin, Charmaine, Karessa, Emily, Jane, Lea, Jacinta, Fiona \*<u>The ladies who helped on Thursday morning</u>

- \*<u>Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup</u> use of the chairs
- \*<u>The Year 6/7 class</u> for their help
- \* Pre Primary and Year 1 children for being fantastic!
- \*<u>To everyone who donated prices for the raffle</u>

We look forward to seeing you all again next year!

## Tambellup Primary School would like to THANK the following businesses for their support of THE BIGGEST MORNING TEA.

- I.G.A. Kojonup
- Jewelpani Tambellup
- Phoenix Trading Tambellup
- Landmark Tambellup
- Tambellup C.R.C
- Nutrimetics Tambellup
- Avon Tambellup
- Tambellup Deli
- Tambellup Post Office
- Shear Class Kojonup
- Woolworths Katanning
- Guardian Pharmacy Katanning
- Katanning News and Glasshouse
- Edwards Motors Katanning
- Bunnings Albany
- Betta Electrical Katanning
- K.D's Garden Centre
- Sports Power Katanning
- Target Country Katanning
- Katanning Showcase Jewellers
- Blooms by Cindy
- Bakehouse Jeanery
- Valerie's Salon
- Elders Katanning
- Eclipse Hair Design
- Katz Restaurant
- Katanning Stock and Trading
- Loretta Federal Hotel
- Zanyacs Katanning
- Katanning Newsagency -Clive Street
- The Daily Grind Katanning
- Swags and Wags Katanning
- Downtown Shoes and Bags Katanning

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- Cut and Cote- Katanning
- Paper and Lace Katanning



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25 June 2013

#### **RDA GREAT SOUTHERN MEDIA RELEASE**

#### Great Southern Shires to share in \$922,000 through RDA Fund Round 5

The Honourable Anthony Albanese MP Minister for Regional Development and Local Government, announced on the 19 June 2013, \$150 million to be shared between all local councils and shires across Australia to help build and renew community infrastructure. This funding delivered through Round Five of the Regional Development Australia Fund and the Liveable Cities Program, is for capital infrastructure projects that will facilitate jobs and growth in regional local communities.

Councils and shires will share this funding based on the current distribution of the Financial Assistance Grants. The Australian Government has also put in place an additional protection for smaller councils by ensuring a base payment of at least \$30,000.

This funding can only be used to build and renew community infrastructure, with a focus on 'shovel-ready' projects in communities. Sporting facilities, libraries, town halls, playgrounds and essential community services, such as child care facilities, are expected to benefit from this investment.

RDA Great Southern Chair Milton Evans said "Round Five of the RDA Fund will allow individual local councils to decide on what is best for their community's needs. Our RDA committee participated in the assessment of projects for earlier rounds of RDAF. We are pleased that there is another opportunity for some of the viable and important projects to be funded."

Applications for RDAF Round Five open on 21 June 2013 and close at 5.00 pm local time on 22 July 2013. Further information and guidelines for RDA Round Five are available on the Regional Australia, Local Government, Arts and Sport website.

Great Southern allocations:

Shire	Allocation	Shire	Allocation		
Albany	\$173,942	Katanning	\$122,308		
Broomehill-Tambellup	\$98,908	Kent	\$57,281		
Cranbrook	\$65,308	Kojonup	\$71,274		
Denmark	\$75,609	Plantagenet	\$68,052		
Gnowangerup	\$66,297	Woodanilling	\$60,972		
Jerramungup	\$62,335				
TOTAL \$922,286					

MEDIA CONTACT:

Executive Officer, RDA Great Southern (08) 9842 5800

## **CBH HARVEST CASUAL WORK 2013**

APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN at careers.cbh.com.au

## **POSITIONS AVAILABLE INCLUDE:**

- Receival Point Operators
- Grain Samplers
- Weighbridge Officers

CBH are looking for people to work at our grain receival points across the state for the harvest period commencing early October. If you don't have experience, no problem, training is provided before you start.

To find out more information or to apply – visit the Careers page on our website today.

Applications close 31 July, 2013



www.cbh.com.au

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## KATANNING AND DISTRICTS GARDEN CLUB NOTES

Members and friends of the Katanning and Districts Garden Club gathered at Emerald Garden Bed & Breakfast, the home of Roxaine O'Toole for the AGM on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June. This was followed the judging of the monthly competition, afternoon tea and a walk around Roxaine's extensive garden.

Election of officers was conducted. Gerry Watson accepted re-nomination as president. Pam Garlick was happy to continue as vice president likewise Ailsa Thomas her retained her position as secretary. Irene Matthews continues as the club treasurer while Anne Rees and Karen Bessell–Browne are the official recorders for 2013 - 14. Ailsa Thomas is the public relations officer.

Points were tallied for the annual competitions and gift vouchers awarded to the winners. Floral Art: 1<sup>st</sup> Gerry Watson (17pts); 2<sup>nd</sup> Helen Bignell (12pts) Flowers: 1<sup>st</sup> Bess Parrott (13pts); 2<sup>nd</sup> Ailsa Thomas (12pts) Tree or Shrub: 1<sup>st</sup> Pam Garlick (15 pts); 2<sup>nd</sup> (equal) Ailsa Thomas & Bess Parrott. (10 pts each) My Best Flower: 1<sup>st</sup> (equal) Bess Parrott & Ailsa Thomas (18pts each) On count back awarded to Bess Parrott for most 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> placings. Fruit or Vegetable: 1<sup>st</sup> Anne Rees (19 pts); 2<sup>nd</sup> Margaret Wise (4pts) Pot Plant or Hanger: 1<sup>st</sup> Ailsa Thomas (29 pts); 2<sup>nd</sup> Bess Parrott (12pts) Most Points Overall: 1<sup>st</sup> Ailsa Thomas (69 pts); 2<sup>nd</sup> Bess Parrott (59 pts) It was noted Bess Parrott had entered all categories over the 12 months – a brilliant effort, Bess!

President Gerry Watson presented her annual report which revealed membership of the club remains the same as the previous year and that it continues to be a happy interactive and encouraging club. Membership remains at \$10 and new members are always welcome. Members have appreciated visiting various local gardens and also several lovely gardens in Albany. Special thanks to D&K Nursery, Arts & Crafts and members for making their venues/homes available for meetings.

The 2012 Katanning Show was a success. The special exhibit for the 'Year of the Farmer' was well supported and attracted a great deal of interest. Appreciation is expressed to Gary Quarmby Multiparts, Katanning for sponsoring this special section.

The club has successfully applied to once again hold the Iris Championship at the 2013 Katanning Show. The Show schedule is already available at various outlets around Katanning so pick up a copy and plan what you may be able to enter in the show this year.

**HINTS:** It's time to tidy up your garden; do some book reading and check out your pot plants. Prune roses in July. Plant some spring plants amongst your bulbs for a carpet of colour. Happy gardening!

For more info re the Garden Club feel free to contact Gerry Watson 9821 1648 or Ailsa Thomas 9821 1828. The club meets at 1:30pm on the second Tuesday of the month at various venues.



Hon Paul Brown MLC, Member for the Agricultural Region

6 June, 2013

To the Editor

The recent decision by Coles to back a campaign by Animals Australia (AA) that targets intensive farming practices by Australian farmers was a new paradigm in the way that both sides of our supermarket duopoly consider their Australian suppliers. Not only have our dairy farmers had to suffer the financial consequences of their produce being de-valued through the Coles/Woolworths \$1 per litre milk campaign, suppliers throughout the entire commodity supply chain are being relentlessly squeezed on prices to the point where many are continuing to supply below the cost of production or face being replaced on the supermarket shelf by name brand packaging. The Coles support of a campaign against Australian farmers (their own suppliers) that lacked factual information and relied on emotive marketing clearly lacked judgment.

Australian farmers lead the way in the production of meat and other commodities at world's best standards, including the abolition of sow stalls and a costly increase in free range products, so perhaps while supporting AA, Coles could also support Australian farmers by choosing to increase the prices that they pay to our producers to allow them to achieve a realistic return for the effort and cost involved in doing so.

Yesterday's announcement by AA that they will be withdrawing their emotive shopping bags from Coles stores is of interest. They are crying foul at the backlash from industry groups and citing that 'a vicious political assault' has been unleashed on Coles and that this is unfair. Unfair? This is from a group that has marketed their campaign to play on people's emotions and have done nothing less than engage in a political assault of their own on Australian farmers.

The sad fact is that this campaign may have the desired effect that AA want. Consumers may well boycott Australian meat products and choose an imported product. This product will be cheaper to buy and cheaper to produce, having most certainly not been subject to any 'best practice' standards that Australian farmers are subject to and strive for.

Both Coles and Woolworths are contributing to the divide between the city and country through their constant downward pressure on agricultural and horticultural supply prices, which has led to an unrealistic belief by consumers that Australian farmers are producing constantly low priced commodities, when they are actually facing a range of input, labour and financial pressures that are in fact making production more expensive.

While it is unrealistic to think that farmers can afford to stop supplying Coles, I would encourage everyone to support Australian farmers by choosing to shop at a supermarket chain like IGA who actively support local and Australian farmers.

Hon Paul Brown MLC Member for the Agricultural Region

> All correspondence to: U3/5 Chapman Road GERALDTON WA 6530 Phone: 08 9921 4818 Email: Paul.Brown@mp.wa.gov.au

## **BROOMEHILL HOCKEY**

We have had some good games over the last few weeks. D Grade continue their winning run and C Grade have had a couple of wins under their belts now.

On the June long weekend the CGS teams performed wonderfully at the Bunbury Carnival and from that 6 players from Broomehill got selected to participate in the regional try outs in Albany and Narrogin. Well done to Jaydon Taylor, Lewis Barritt and Danielle Perkins and Casey Perkins for getting chosen to play in the regional side during the July holidays.

State Championships is also held during the holidays and quite a few of our players will be travelling to Perth to take part and maybe get selected for state try outs.

Good luck to all who are going up for both carnivals.

Only 1 more fixture before the school holidays and then there is the Challenge Cup and all the carnivals in Perth. Good luck to all teams participating.

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Results - 25/5/13
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D Grade BH v Tambellup won by Broomehill 4-0 Goal Scorers - Zac McAndrew - 3 Lewis Barritt - 1

C Grade BH v Katanning won by Broomehill 5-0 Goal Scorers – Zac McAndrew – 1 Nicolo Guazzelli –1 Adam Taylor – 1 Jayden Taylor – 1 Bec Drake-Brockman – 1

### 8/6/13

D Grade BH v Woodanilling won by Broomehill 5-0 Goal Scorers – Lewis Barritt – 2 Zac McAndrew – 2 Tyson Evans – 1 C Grade BH v Tambellup won by Broomehill 4-0 Goal scorers – Jaydon Taylor – 1 Bec Drake-Brockman – 1 Lewis Barritt – 1 Danielle Perkins – 1

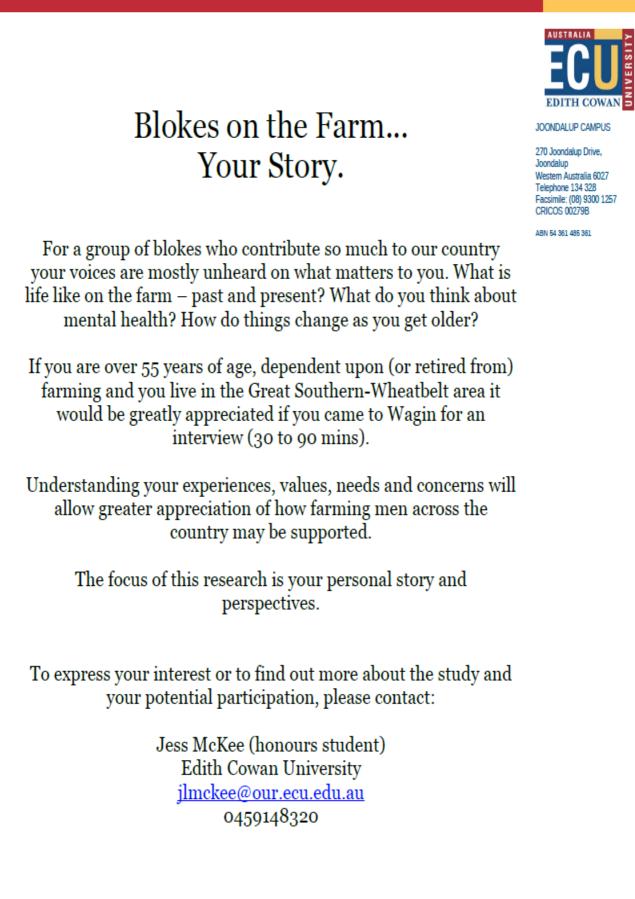
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### 22/6/13

D Grade - BH v Katanning won by Broomehill 5-1 Goal scorers - Emily Perkins - 2 Lewis Barritt - 1 Zac McAndrew - 2 C Grade - BH v Katanning won by Broomehill 7-1 Goal scorers - Jaydon Taylor - 5 Bec Dake-Brockman - 1 Adam Taylor - 1





\* If you are not a farmer aged 55 years and over , do you know someone who is?



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#### NATIONALS PLACE AGRICULTURE ON PARLIAMENT'S AGENDA

18 June 2013

Nationals WA Member for the Agricultural Region, Hon Martin Aldridge MLC moved a motion in the Legislative Council last week urging the State Government to implement The Nationals' \$300million 'Vision for Agriculture' as a matter of importance.

The \$300million dollar election commitment outlined by Mr Aldridge on Thursday provides much needed investment into the agricultural sector as farming becomes an even bigger part of the WA economy.

Mr Aldridge said that huge opportunities exist for WA to increase agricultural output.

"We are looking to enable expansion in the agricultural sector to allow our farmers to capitalise on increasing Asian demand for high quality produce that is fresh and healthy." Mr Aldridge said.

"By moving this motion, The Nationals in government have highlighted the important role that agriculture plays in underpinning our state's economy."

Implementation of the 'Vision for Agriculture' would mean a \$300million boost across five broad categories – research and development; land and water; getting produce to market; investment and trade, and skill development.

Mr Aldridge said that The Nationals were on the front foot with this initiative and that immediate action was needed.

"The Western Australian economy is changing and we as a Government need to respond accordingly." Mr Aldridge said.

"A prosperous agricultural sector will mean a prosperous WA going forward."

For more information please contact Martin on (08) 9324 3155 or email martin.aldridge@mp.wa.gov.au



#### ALDRIDGE WELCOMES SUPPORT FOR GRASSROOTS SPORT

28 June 2013

Member for the Agricultural Region, Hon Martin Aldridge MLC has welcomed the State Government's recent announcement of four recipients of the Community Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF) 2013/14 small grants in the Agricultural region.

Offered twice a year, these grants are designed for grassroots sport and recreation clubs, and councils that need financial assistance to undertake a project which might otherwise be out of reach.

Sport and Recreation Minister Terry Waldron announced earlier this week that organisations in Northampton, Dongara/Denison, Corrigin and Northam shared in \$130,000 in funding to support local projects.

Mr Aldridge said the funding was imperative to maintain a high level of sporting participation in regional communities.

"Sporting clubs in regional WA are about more than just fun and good health, they have an unparalleled ability to bring communities together."Mr Aldridge said.

"These grants are about providing clubs with some extra help so they can continue to make sport and recreation more enjoyable for everyone."

Mr Aldridge also welcomed Minister Waldron's announcement that applications for the second round of 2013/14 CSRFF small grants open on 1 July 2013, urging clubs in the Ag region to apply before the closing date of 30 August 2013.

Applications for CSRFF grants for projects exceeding \$150,000 are also open and close at 4pm, Friday 27 September 2013.

#### To apply for a CSRFF grant, visit<u>http://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/facilitiesfunding</u>.

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Hon Martin Aldridge MLC

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#### Nominations open for 2013 Australian Farmer of the Year - Aldridge

25 June 2013

Member for the Agricultural Region, Hon Martin Aldridge MLC has urgedfarmers in the Agricultural region to nominate for the 2013 Australian Farmer of the Year Awards.

Aimed at celebrating the highly professional, innovative and sustainable approach of our farmers, the Awards seek to reinforce a positive image of Australian farmers and encourage career choices and investment in Australian agriculture.

Mr Aldridge recently moved a motion in the Legislative Council urging the State government to adopt the Nationals' \$300million 'Vision for Agriculture,' which includes measures to promote the agricultural sector to potential investors and employees.

He said that there was no better time for Western Australian farmers to nominate for these awards than now.

"As the agricultural sector in WA begins to strengthen, educating people about farming becomes paramount." Mr Aldridge said.

"These awards are a step in the right direction, not just towards recognising our outstanding farmers but also towardsmarketing our agricultural industry."

At the 2012 awards, 9 out of 33 finalists were Western Australians and this year Mr Aldridge is hoping that WA will achieve similar results.

"Western Australians are some of the most innovative farmers in the world, and we would be proud to see that fact recognised on a national stage." Mr Aldridge said.

The awards are run by the Kondinin Group and ABC Rural and will be presented across eleven categories at an event in Melbourne on the 12<sup>th</sup> of September. Nominations are now open and close on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> of July at 4pm.

For details on how to enter visit http://www.farmingahead.com.au/FarmerOfYear

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