



BT TIMES

Shire of Broomehill-
Tambellup

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Your local newsletter covering the Broomehill and Tambellup communities.

Broomehill Hockey Club

Home Game

BLUE DAY!

Saturday August 8th 2015

Broomehill Complex

- 8 great games of hockey from 11am
- Regular Canteen from 11am
- Hot meals all day from \$5.00
- Licensed bar from 12 noon
- Bring the family in for dinner!
- Raffles



Everybody welcome



Proceeds of the day going to Prostate Cancer foundation of Australian
Enquires to Anne 98241309

The Tambellup Primary School P&C presents:



Friday 14 August

**Doors open 7.30pm—8.00pm Start
\$10 per person—Tables of up to 8**

BYO Wine Glasses and table nibblies

Licensed Bar

Slave Auction

Heaps of Prizes

Bookings—Ta Primary School 9825 1144



Daffodil Day

Tambellup Daffodil Day Fundraising Evening

Theme - A Flash of Floral

Wear a flash of something floral or make it a feature!
Prize awarded for most interesting/original outfit.

Friday 28th August Tambellup Town Hall 6.00pm Doors Open

\$35.00 - entry, dinner, door prize, guest speaker, shopping

BYO - Alcoholic drinks & Glass. Cool drink & punch - gold coin donation.

Ladies only event.

Come along and help support the Cancer Council. Come alone, with a friend or with a group. The evening includes dinner, a guest speaker, some fun little games, shopping (a number of stalls will be set up), and an opportunity to remember those who we have lost to Cancer and support those who might be fighting it now.

All money raised goes to the Cancer Council

RSVP by 21st of August

Book your place early as we need to let our caterer know numbers.

To book or for further information contact;

Carolyn Cunningham - paulncarolyn@bigpond.com 0427 251 314

Jo Taylor - nicandjot@bigpond.com 0427 509 958





SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL-TAMBELLUP

Phone: 98253555 Fax: 98251152 Email: mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au

The next meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 20th August 2015 commencing at 4.00pm in the Tambellup Council Chambers. Members of the public are welcome to attend all Council meetings.

2015-2016 BUDGET OVERVIEW

The 2015-2016 Budget was adopted by Council at the Ordinary Council meeting in July. The 2015-2016 Budget includes an increase in Rural UV rates of 5% and townsite GRV rates of 10%, with minimum rates increasing to \$415.00 per assessment. Highlights of the budget include:

ROADS

Expenditure of \$1,563,100 has been allocated to various road construction projects for the year. Council will be assisted in meeting the costs of the projects with funds from the Regional Road Group, Commodity Routes and Roads to Recovery programs.

REGIONAL ROAD GROUP – funded 2/3 State and 1/3 Shire

- Gnowangerup-Tambellup Road – reseal
- Toolbrunup Road – stabilise patches & seal
- Pallinup South Road – construction & seal

ROADS TO RECOVERY - fully Federal funded

- Pindellup Road – widen & resheet (carry over 14/15)
- Punchmirup North Road – gravel sheeting
- Norrish Road – gravel sheeting
- Toolbrunup Road – gravel sheeting
- Townscape – which includes footpath upgrades, kerbing and drainage

COMMODITY ROUTES - funded 2/3 State and 1/3 Shire

- Nardlah Road – gravel sheet (carry over 14/15)
- Beejenup Road – gravel sheeting

ROYALTIES FOR REGIONS – COUNTRY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FUND

Council received its 2012/13 allocation from the Country Local Government Fund of \$374,889 during 2014/2015. These funds have been allocated to –

Solar Energy – Broomehill Administration Building

\$50,000 is to be spent installing solar panels and equipment to provide renewable energy to the Broomehill Administration Building. This will assist with the operational costs for appropriate storage of records in the Archive Repository.

Tambellup Hall - Building Improvements

\$80,000 has been allocated to the Tambellup Hall to upgrade the ablutions and replace section of the roof.

Broomehill Hall - Building Improvements

\$50,000 has been allocated to complete the renovations to the Broomehill Hall, which will include refurbishment of the area under the stage.

Tambellup Pavilion - Redevelopment

\$194,889 will be utilised towards redevelopment of the Tambellup Pavilion. These funds will be used in conjunction with other grant funding, a loan and transfer from Councils Reserve

Country Local Government Fund – Regional component

50% of Councils allocation from Country Local Government Fund is administered via a regional pool. Broomehill-Tambellup has identified its regional grouping as the Southern Link VROC which includes the Shires of Cranbrook, Kojonup and Plantagenet. The funding is pooled for the group as a whole, and Council acts as the banker for the VROC. The intention of the regional groupings component is to provide financial assistance to

local governments to fund larger scale infrastructure projects which demonstrate wider community benefits across a region.

The following projects are carried over from 2013/14 for completion in the 2015/16 year –

- Project - Recycled Water All towns
Regional Benefit - Project planning on using recycled water and also storm water harvesting.

Councils projects funded under this program include –

- construction of additional concrete tanks at the Tambellup Oval;
- utilisation of recycled water from the Water Corporation treatment plant in Tambellup for the oval and parks;
- enlargement of the town dam in Broomehill to capture stormwater which is transferred to the Broomehill Complex for the oval, and is also used for town parks;
- utilisation of stormwater runoff from the CBH site in Broomehill and transfer to the Broomehill Complex for use on the oval.

OTHER PROJECTS

Tambellup Pavilion Redevelopment

Redevelopment of the Tambellup Pavilion has been floated for a number of years, and Council has determined that a new facility will be constructed in favour of refurbishing the existing building. Howard + Heaver Architects have been engaged to provide drawings of the new facility, and a Committee has been formed by the Council with members of community groups and sporting bodies to see the redevelopment to fruition.

Council has been successful in its application for funding through the Department of Sport and Recreation 'Community Sporting Recreation Facilities Fund' and \$700,000 has been allocated through this program.

The Great Southern Development Commission 'Regional Grants Scheme' has approved funding of \$200,000, and \$194,889 from Councils Country Local Government Fund 2012/13 allocation has been set aside for this project. Funds will be transferred from the Tambellup Recreation Ground and Pavilion Reserve, and a loan will be raised to ensure completion of this project.

Executive Residence

In 2015 Council purchased a block of land at Lot 63 Taylor Street Tambellup, where a new executive residence will be constructed. Council identified this as a priority in its Housing and Land Strategy, with the aim of providing quality, well maintained housing which will assist the Shire in attracting and retaining Staff. The construction of this residence is funded by a transfer from the Building Reserve.

CONCLUSION

The 2015/2016 budget provides for the operations of the Council for the coming financial year. The total budget for the year is \$12.7m of which \$7m (55%) will be spent on replacement, renewal or upgrade of Councils assets. At a glance, funds will be spent across the following areas –

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|----------------------------|-----------|----------------------|-------------|
| Governance | \$877,200 | Recreation & Culture | \$4,157,600 |
| Law, Order & Public Safety | \$176,300 | Transport | \$5,366,400 |
| Health | \$51,000 | Economic Services | \$231,900 |
| Education & Welfare | \$16,800 | Other | \$270,700 |
| Housing | \$503,600 | Reserve Transfers | \$473,800 |
| Community Amenities | \$586,800 | Loan Repayments | \$49,700 |

Transport (which includes road construction/maintenance and plant replacement) accounts for around 42% of the overall budget. The other area of significant expenditure is Recreation and Culture (which includes redevelopment of the Tambellup Pavilion) accounting for 32.6% of total expenditure. The planned capital works improvements represent a significant investment in infrastructure by the Shire over the next 12 months. Various funding programs for road construction, as well as community projects, have contributed considerably to this years budget.

COUNCIL WORKS

Winter colds and flus have had an impact on the works program during July, with a reduced crew on hand for much of the month. A number of road construction projects were completed, including the drainage on Tambellup West Rd, with the backfilling and compacting of the footpath, the construction of the taper at the intersection of Gnowangerup-Tambellup Rd and Great Southern Hwy, and the gravel resheeting of Nardlah Rd. The construction crew is currently working on resheeting a section of Pindellup Rd and will move to Toolbrunup Rd on completion. The maintenance graders have been working in the south eastern part of the shire. Bitumen patching has been ongoing on roads across the shire, and the maintenance crew are working on headwall repairs, signage and pothole patching. With the rain comes the new growth, and spraying, mowing and weeding have kept the gardening crew busy this month. It is disappointing to note the ongoing damage to plants around the gazebo in Holland Park and at the Tambellup Oval, and the vandalism at the toilets in Diprose Park. All incidents have been reported to the Police.

COMPULSORY MICROCHIPPING FOR DOGS

All members of the public are reminded that from 1 November 2015 it is compulsory for all dogs to be microchipped. Amendments to the Dog Act 1976 made in November 2013 provided that from 1 November 2015 the owner of a dog that has reached three months of age must ensure that the dog is microchipped. A dog is exempt from the microchipping requirement if a veterinarian issues a certificate stating that the implantation of a microchip may adversely affect the health and welfare of the dog. The certificate cannot apply in respect of a dog that is under three months of age. When a person registers their dog, they will be required to provide proof that the dog has been microchipped by providing the Shire with the microchip number. More information about the Dog Act 1976 and microchipping is available at the Department of Local Government and Communities website www.dlgc.wa.gov.au, or by contacting the Shire.

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Council elections will be held on 17 October this year, with three positions on Council becoming vacant. The Western Australian Local Government Association is offering a free webinar for anyone who is interested in becoming an Elected Member. This is to be held on **Wednesday 12 August at 5.30pm**, access is via a secure link over the internet. The webinar will run for 45 minutes, and will cover the following topics:

- About Local Government
- Becoming an Elected member
- Elected Member roles and responsibilities
- Council meetings
- Personal responsibilities of an Elected member such as conflicts of interest; and
- Impacts on home life.

We invite anyone who may be thinking of nominating for Council to register for the webinar, by going to the Shire's website www.shirebt.wa.gov.au and clicking on the WALGA Webinar link in 'News and Events'.

THUMBS UP

To all junior sportspeople in our Shire participating in state and regional carnivals over the past few weeks. This has included colts football, hockey, netball, and High School Countryweek. Special mention to the eight teams of netballers from Tambellup and surrounding towns who participated in the NAIDOC Week Netball carnival in Perth during the July holidays under the guidance of Bronnie Williams, Sonya Woods, Doris Hansen and Dionne and Melva Woods. Congratulations to Courtney Woods on winning the Josie Janz-Dowson trophy for best player in her age group.

CUSTOMER FEEDBACK

The Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup welcomes feedback from its residents and customers. If you would like to provide feedback on Shire related matters, there are a number of ways you can do this:

- Attend in person at either of our administration offices;
- Write to us at 46 – 48 Norrish St, Tambellup 6320;
- Phone us on 08 9825 3555
- Fax us on 08 9825 1152; or
- Email us at mail@shirebt.wa.gov.au

For all methods, please include your name and contact details so we are able to respond to you.

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 disability. Council Agendas and Minutes can be accessed online by browsing to www.shirebt.wa.gov.au and clicking on the "Our Shire" tab.

WASTE TRANSFER STATION REVIEW

Following the first twelve months of operation, Council recently distributed a survey by mail to all residents seeking feedback on levels of satisfaction with the Waste Transfer Stations. Four hundred surveys were distributed by mail, and forty one responses were received. The majority of respondents were satisfied with the opening hours, and level of service received.

A number of comments were received regarding changing the opening hours in a variety of configurations. In considering options it was acknowledged that changing opening times to suit some would then inconvenience others. Council has therefore determined that the opening hours will remain the same for the 2015-2016 financial year, being:

| Day | Broomehill | Tambellup |
|----------|---------------------|------------------|
| Monday | 8.30am - 12.00 noon | 1.00pm - 4.30pm |
| Thursday | 1.00pm - 4.30pm | 8.30am - 12.00pm |
| Friday | 1.00pm - 4.30pm | 8.30am - 12.00pm |
| Sunday | 9.00am - 12.00 noon | 1.00pm - 4.00pm |

The subject of the design of the facility received many comments, specifically the distance between the wheel chocks and the rail adjacent to the waste and steel bins. The facilities have been constructed in accordance with two Australian Standards. AS 1657/1992 for Fixed Platforms, Walkways and Stairways dictates the height, construction materials and fixing/anchoring of the safety rails in front of the putrescible waste and steel bins, and AS 2890.1 deals with the matter of wheel stops and their installation. If Council was to modify either of these elements the safety aspects that they are addressing would be compromised. Council is currently investigating alternatives for assisting with the emptying of bins into the bulk bins.

Other issues noted include:

Disposal of used cooking oil: Small amounts of cooking oil can simply be buried in the garden, or alternatively leave it to cool, pour into a jar or tin and dispose in the waste.

Waste Transfer Station Tip Passes: A number of comments were received regarding tip passes for people renting homes in rural areas. If you are in this position, you should contact the owner of the property, who will be able to apply to the Shire for an Annual tip pass on your behalf. If you reside within the areas of the town sites where rubbish and recycling services are available, you are able to purchase tip passes at both Shire Administration offices. New 2015-2016 tip passes were mailed to landowners along with rates notices late in July.

Council thanks those who took the time to provide feedback.



MEDIA RELEASE! MEDIA RELEASE! MEDIA RELEASE!

NOMINATE A LOCAL

Shire President Cr Garry Sheridan, Broomehill-Tambellup Shire encourages residents to nominate someone that is making a real difference in our community for a Western Australian Regional Achievement and Community Award.

"There are so many that make a significant community contribution and are integral to our community. These people deserve acknowledgement and recognition and I encourage everyone to consider making a nomination for these Awards. Don't miss your chance to nominate an organisation, club, group, business or individual for one of the Award categories" said **Shire President, Cr Garry Sheridan**.

Anyone can nominate or be nominated so why not nominate someone you know today! Nominations close on **Friday 7th August 2015**.

Categories cover the broad spectrum of community contribution including the:

Horizon Power Leadership and Innovation Award
Rinehart Development of Northern Regional WA Award

Curtin University Teaching Excellence Award
Worldwide Printing Solutions Sports Award
LandCorp Sustainability Award
Prime Super Community Group of the Year Award
Perth Airport Events and Tourism Award
Insurance Commission of Western Australia Regional Safety Award
One of the eight category winners will be named as the overall state winner of the Department of Regional Development Regional Achievement and Community Award.
 Winners will share in \$18,000 of Bank Accounts from the Commonwealth Bank.

Don't underestimate the value of nominating someone. These Awards are the perfect way to say thank you and to acknowledge achievement and community effort.

Nominations can be made online at www.awardsaustralia.com or contact the Awards Office on 08 9201 1155 or email wa@awardaustralia.com for more information.

Help us celebrate



'Op til you drop!'

Garage Sale

Saturday August 22

9am—12pm

Broomehill Petticoat Lane

Op Shop

fish&chips!

Friday 14th August
at the Broomehill Complex from 5pm

Everyone welcome,
Come and catch up with friends...

Fish & Chips on sale from 5.30pm
Bar open from 5pm

Enquiries Mark 0427383817 or Wayne 0429674182

Tambellup Uniting Church

Service Times

9th August—9.30am

23rd August—9.30am

Everyone Welcome

Tambellup Lions Club

5 August

Tambellup Hotel

7.30pm

Broomehill Historical Society

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday August 27 at 9:30am in the Museum office. Community members are most welcome to come and join us help preserve our history. Membership fees are Individual or Family - \$5.00. Broomehill and Holland Track souvenirs available from \$4.00 each.

Inquiries to Ernest Chapman – 98241378 or Carole – 0488944416 or email

broomehillhistoricalsociety@hotmail.com

Broomehill Country Women's Association of W.A.

Our next meeting will be held on Thursday August 27 at 10:30am in the Museum office. Everyone is welcome to join our little gathering. Please bring along something old in your possession.

Inquiries contact Carole 0488944416 or Margaret 98214861

Patchwork / Craft Day

15 August 2015, Tambellup Business Centre

9am—late afternoon

BYO Lunch. Tea and Coffee provided.

Everyone welcome to come and join us.

Broomehill Anglican Church

A service will be held on Sunday 30th August at 9.30am. For the parishes of Broomehill, Katanning and Kojonup.

Everyone Welcome.

Enquiries to the Reverend Lindy Rookyard on 0408 226 198

Fish and Chips
Tambellup Bowling Club
Friday 4 September
From 6pm
No August serving due to many community events



Broomehill Primary School P&C

The Broomehill Primary School P and C are excited to be coordinating the schools participation in the Woolworths Earn and Learn program. Community members can help our school by collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Points. Just collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Points when you shop at Woolworths between Monday 15 July and Tuesday 8 September 2015.

We will redeem these for awesome educational resources for our school. Simply pop your stickers onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Points Sheet and once it's completed, just drop it into the front office of the school.

The more we collect, the more we can redeem. There are thousands of products available through the Woolworths Earn & Learn program, and we'd like to get lots of new gear! Products in the range include resources for mathematics, English, science, art & crafts, through to sports gear, library supplies and more.

Tambellup Tennis Club AGM



Monday
17 August

7.30pm

@ Tambellup CRC



The Hidden Treasures of the Great Southern invites all community members of our 8 Shires to utilise the new Hidden Treasures of the Great Southern Website. The Hidden Treasures would love to add your local and community events to our 'events page' to collaborate and showcase the extensive range of events throughout our region.

<http://www.hiddentreasures.com.au/annualEvents.aspx>

If you have an event coming up in your community (outside of the Bloom Festival Events Program) which you would like to share, please send through the following details:

- Event Name
 - Date
 - Time
- Location/Venue
 - Price
- Basic description
 - Photo if you have one
- Any other relevant information

We look forward to sharing your events.

If you have any other "news" stories that you would like us to share please send them through as well. We also have a Facebook page and are in the process of developing an Instagram account so we can share stories through this forum as well.

Corner Shop Museum Inc.

Station Master's House
Norrish Street, Tambellup WA 6320

Would you like to learn more about our town's history?
What used to be where and who owned what?

Did you know that in the 1960's & 1970's there were at least 8 fuel retail outlets in Tambellup?
How many can you list?

If you are new to Tambellup, or just fancy some exercise, you may like to join us on a **Tambellup Town Walk** to discover some of our history. Everyone is welcome! D-I-Y maps will be available.

We are meeting at the



Corner Shop Museum,
Station Master's House
in Norrish Street, Tambellup
On Sunday 9th August, 2015
from 9.30am

to complete the **town walk** over 1 to 1.5 hours at a leisurely pace (weather permitting).

Tea/Coffee & scones will be available at the conclusion of the walk
Please feel free to bring your own picnic lunch to enjoy after.

If you wish to join, our Treasurer will have his receipt book handy on the day


MEMBERSHIP:

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------|
| Family... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | \$20.00 |
| Single | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | \$15.00 |
| Pensioner | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | \$10.00 |

Network Improvements



A replacement of approximately 110 power poles and 24 kilometres of overhead power lines in the Shire of Broomehill—Tambellup will begin in July. Our crews will need to complete a significant amount of work in your area so you may experience a number of power outages. You will be notified ahead of time to prepare for the outage. For more information please call 13 10 87.

 **Department of Agriculture and Food**
GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Invitation

How's your roots going?

Controlled traffic and subsoil constraints field walk

Topics include:

- Soil compaction
- Deep ripping trial with topsoil slotting incorporating chook manure pellets & lime
- Non-wetting soils
- Subsoil acidity & nutrition
- Controlled traffic farming
- Harvest weed seed control using a chaff deck

For tips on how to identify your soil constraints and the latest options for management come and chat with Paul Blackwell, Jeremy Lemon, David Hall and Chris Gazey.

Date: Tuesday 4 August 2015


Time: 1:00pm- 5:00pm

Meeting place: Scott and Lisa Thompson, 'Nardiah', 325 Nardiah Road, Broomehill

For more information or to RSVP please contact:

Bindi Isbister Telephone: +61 (0)8 9956 8532

Email: bindi.isbister@agric.wa.gov.au



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PREPARE. ACT. SURVIVE.

Community Bushfire Workshop

In partnership with Cranbrook Women in Farming Enterprises (WIFE)

A chance to get together and talk about bushfire safety and preparedness

With regional Department of Fire & Emergency staff and your local Bush Fire Brigade Captain

Time: 9am-12
Tuesday 15th September 2015
Gillamii Centre-Cranbrook
Morning Tea Provided

No cost, suitable for Farming and Non-Farming Community Members




Come along to give feedback and have questions answered.
Please *rsvp* to Sonia Addis at staddis1968@gmail.com

 **WAFARMERS**

At the next Central Great Southern Zone Meeting
Main Roads WA heavy vehicle Compliance Manager **Paul Bond** will present the facts on
Compliance and Enforcement Legislation 3 months after its introduction
"Is the dog really dead?"



Date | 3rd August 2015

Venue | DAFWA Conference Room, Dore Street, Katanning

Time | Meeting 1.30pm. Mr Bond approx. 3.45pm

Join us for Afternoon Tea 3.30pm.

Open Meeting - All Welcome

Further information - Sue McDougall ph: 98235035 (sueemcd@bigpond.com)

FOR SALE

Official AFL West Coast Eagles Men's sleeveless jersey, size L, \$1.00.
Wave Zone men's shirt, size 12, \$1.00.
GT Radial men's short sleeve shirt, size XL, black and blue, 2 front pockets, \$1.00.
Farentino men's jumper, Roma, pure wool, brown tones, size XXL, \$1.00.
Piping Hot jumper, yellow and navy, size 12, \$1.00.
Nike men's shoes, red, size 10, \$1.00.
New Yarra Trail ladies sleeveless blouse, stretch, white, size 10, \$1.00.
Trading Post ladies long sleeve jacket, 'Authentic Datchet Demin Garment' blue and green, size M, \$1.00.
Rani leather ladies long sleeve jacket, \$1.00
Timberline Ranger hooded sleep bag, 70cm x 200cm, \$5.00.

Official AFL West Coast Eagles, Rookie of the Year, size 2, \$1.00.
Official AFL West Coast Eagles children's shorts, size 2, .50c.
Skechers boy's sneakers, black and red, size 1-2, \$1.00.
A range of scarves and shawls, .50c to \$1.00 each.
Bomon sleeping bag, Australia Fair, temperature -5°C, 74cm x 188cm, \$5.00.
A range of bedspreads, single to queen size, \$2.00 to \$5.00 each.
Curtains, lace and rubber backed, .50c to \$4.00 each.
The Stig mug, Top Gear, Stig tested, \$1.
The Stig money box, Top Gear, Kinnerton, \$3.00.

**Available at the Petticoat Lane Op-Shop or
phone Carole 0488944416**

ON-FARM WASTE MANAGEMENT

PRESENTED BY GRAEME PASSMORE* & SCOTT CLEMENTS FROM CBH

Graeme has been helping farmers clean up farms for 10 years & has also worked for farmers (seasonal work) for most of that time.

WHEN: FRIDAY 14TH AUGUST 2015

STARTING AT 3PM

AT THE TAMBELLUP CRC

Join us on the day for discussions on how to strengthen farm operations, with introductions that can help you take advantage of stewardship programs.

- Limiting the unexpected and invisible risks
- Limiting risks to staff and family members
 - Improving efficiency
- Limiting impact of contamination to land and water
 - Preventing contamination to produce
 - Preventing large clean-up costs
- How waste management applies to certification such as QA and ISCC.

PLEASE RSVP BY THE 10TH AUGUST 2015 on 9825 1177

Following the information session, the CRC will provide some light finger foods for a brief sundowner.

Please BYO drinks. The rest is FREE!!!

* Director of Jaderange Enterprises Pty Ltd

INTRO TO BUSHFIRE FIGHTING

Tuesday 25th August 2015

8am – 4pm

Venue in Katanning to be confirmed

Nominations are now being sought for the above proposed one day Introduction to Bush Firefighting which will be held in Katanning. Start time 8-00am

Lunch, morning and afternoon tea will be provided during the course. For further information please contact Cindy Pearce on 0417 071 567.

Course nominations close Friday 14th August.

Please complete attached Course Nomination Form and submit by Course nomination closing date the Katanning, Broomehill Tambellup CESM Cindy Pearce.

Don't Delay, Nominate Now!

Please complete Course Nomination Form and submit by Course nomination closing date to the Katanning, Broomehill Tambellup CESM Cindy Pearce.



SHIRE OF BROOMEHILL- TAMBELLUP PROPOSED ROAD CLOSURE

It is hereby notified for public information that in accordance with section 58 of the Land Administration Act 1997, the Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup intends to make application to the Minister for Lands to close Kimberley Street and part of Old Nardlah Road Broomehill Village. Plans in respect to the proposed closure may be inspected at the office of the Council, 46-48 Norrish Street Tambellup, 30360 Great Southern Highway Broomehill or at www.shirebt.wa.gov.au. Submissions on the proposal must be lodged in writing to the undersigned by COB 10 August 2015.

IM TREZONA
Chief Executive Officer



BANNERS IN THE TERRACE

The Annual Local Government Convention will be held in August this year.

The 2015 Banners in the Terrace Competition is one of the State's largest single community arts projects. This annual event is a colourful and vibrant display with up to 70 colourful entries being displayed along St Georges Terrace and Adelaide Terrace in Perth.

If you are in Perth at any time between Sunday 26th July and Saturday 8th August it is worth going to have a look. Make sure you look out for the Broomehill-Tambellup Banner.

We would like to thank and congratulate Kellie Altus for this year's fantastic "community" entry.

Kindergarten

BROOMEHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL — ENROLMENTS 2016

Kindergarten offers great opportunities for your little one to find out what school life will be like. A year of part-time Kindergarten for 15 hours per week is available. While it is not compulsory, almost all parents send their children to Kindergarten so children get the best start to learning at school.

We are currently taking enrolments for students whose date of birth falls in the range of **1 July 2011 to 30 June 2012**.

For further information or for an Enrolment Package please contact the school on 9824 1250 or email Broomehill.ps@education.wa.edu.au by 5th August 2015.

Diabetes Telehealth
for Country WA



Diabetes Telehealth: Putting Country WA in Focus

A partnership between Diabetes WA and the WA Country Health Service's Southern Inland Health Initiative (SIHI) is bringing diabetes education and support services to country WA where local services are not available.

Diabetes Telehealth uses videoconferencing technology to deliver diabetes education and support services. Instead of having to travel to the nearest major town to see a diabetes educator, clients access the free service by using videoconferencing facilities at their local community centre or other convenient healthcare venue. The service can even be available through a computer at the patient's own home (depending on their broadband service).

The other key component of the service is the professional development of regional health care providers in terms of their diabetes management skills. Diabetes Telehealth is offering professional development videoconferencing sessions to health professionals (initially in the Wheatbelt and Great Southern but eventually to staff across regional WA) who wish to upskill in diabetes education, clinical management and diabetes self-management.

The first professional development session, focusing on Diabetes Medications (Oral and Injectable), is planned to take place via videoconference in June.

To find out more contact Diabetes WA on 1300 136 588, speak with Diabetes Telehealth team members Christine Carne, Amanda Lee or Jo Rollinson, or email telehealth@diabeteswa.com.au.



Government of Western Australia
Department of Local Government and Communities

Is your dog microchipped?

The *Dog Act 1976* provides that on and after 1 November 2015, the owner of a dog that has reached three months of age must ensure that the dog is microchipped.

How do I get my dog microchipped?

A veterinarian (vet), veterinarian nurse or a person with the relevant qualifications from a registered training provider is able to implant a microchip in your dog.

To find out how you can arrange for your dog to be microchipped, contact your regular vet or local government to obtain information on where you can take your dog to be microchipped.



My dog is old and unwell, is it still required to be microchipped?

A dog is exempt from the microchipping requirement if a vet issues a certificate stating that the implantation of a microchip in the dog may adversely affect the health and welfare of the dog.

Such a certificate cannot apply in respect of a dog that is under three months of age.

When will I be required to prove my dog is microchipped?

When you re-register your dog, you will be required to provide proof that the dog has been microchipped, by providing the local government with the microchip number.

How will microchipping my dog assist me?

If you lose your microchipped dog, it will make it easier for you to be reunited. The dog's microchip can be scanned by the ranger or a vet, which will reveal the owner's contact details.

If your dog is impounded and it is discovered that it has not been microchipped, you may be liable for a fine. As a result, it is in your best interests to ensure your dog is microchipped.

What happens if I do not get my dog microchipped?

A person who fails to ensure their dog is microchipped on and after 1 November 2015 is liable for a fine of up to \$5,000.

For more information visit
www.dlgs.wa.gov.au/dogs

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A BACK-TO-BASICS GUIDE TO CALM,
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PARENTING BIRTH-8

with Maggie Dent



A seminar for parents from Australia's "queen of common sense", parenting author and educator Maggie Dent. More children than ever are arriving in our schools with one or more developmental delays and this creates a "gap" that is almost impossible to overcome throughout the school journey. In this seminar based on her popular new book of the same name, Maggie explores the role of healthy parenting with a back-to-basics, common-sense guide to what is essential for babies and toddlers that allows children to be able to thrive and be ready for school and life.

Date: Thursday 10th September 2015
Time: 7pm-9pm
Venue: Katanning Recreation Centre - Pioneer Room
Cost: Free
RSVP: by 3rd September to Melanie Dennis at
gschiropractic1@bigpond.com or on 0427 511 451

Supper will follow the talk for those who wish to stay and have a chat and cuppa.
Please note infants are welcome to attend.



This event is supported by Katanning Child Health Inc and



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- *whingeing*
- *disobedience*
- *hurting others*
- *wandering.*

Grandparents and other carers are welcome to attend Triple P too.

Parents are invited to learn:

- *effective parenting strategies*
- *ways to encourage behaviour you like*
- *how to promote your child's development*
- *how to prevent or manage common child behaviour problems.*

- ♦ Please let one of the 'A Smart Start' committee members know if you would like to attend so we can organise dates and times.
- ♦ Committee members — Sue Sheridan, Jane Cunningham, Connie Witham, Kylie Sadler, Fiona Thorn, Carolyn Cunningham, Amanda Bradshaw and Ashleigh Ewing



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TAMBELLUP HEALTH CENTRE

Unfortunately due to hold-ups in the completion date for the renovations to the Health Centre, the Well Womens Clinics scheduled for August will again have to be cancelled. We apologise for any inconvenience.

Do you want something included in your BT Times??

Send it in by 25th of the month to the Shire of Broomehill—Tambellup.

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Tambellup Lions Club

Tambellup Lions Club held their changeover dinner on Wednesday July 8th at the Bowling Club.

Charter member Trevor Prout swore in the new office bearers Murray Cooke , president (apology), Gus Roosendaal, vice president, Andrew Bradshaw, secretary and Allan Willmott, treasurer. Great to see new members taking up the mantle

The club's newest member , Mark Diprose was inducted into the club and is pictured here with his sponsor Andrew Bradshaw, Gus and Trevor.

The Tambellup Lions Club meets at the Tambellup Hotel on the first Wednesday of the month.

If you think you may like to be a part of the largest service club in the world just speak to one of the members.

TAMBELLUP GOLF CLUB

The Russell Shield was played for over the weekend of 11 & 12 July. Eight teams competed in the combined stableford event which has been going for over 40 years.

This years winners were Shane and Kay O'Neill, 151points from Ken Schlueter and Nick Lockyer 140 points. Shane & Kay will be added to the names on the shield which reads like a passing parade of club members going back over the 40 years.

John Russell travelled over for the weekend and presented the trophies on Sunday afternoon

John was thanked by club president Shane Woods for his continued support of the club.



Tambellup VES Unit Update

It may seem that the Tambellup Volunteer Emergency Service Unit has been keeping a low profile lately - but that doesn't mean we haven't been busy!

For those who may not be aware, the Unit operates under the management of the Department of Fire and Emergency Services, and provides emergency response in areas of fire, road crash, and search and rescue.

The Unit currently has around 15 active volunteer members, with a skill set ranging from extremely well experienced to green - fresh out of the box! The membership base is a mixed bag - our oldest (read wisest!) member (without giving away secrets!) would be 'in the vicinity' of 60-ish years of age, and our youngest is 17. We have three ladies signed up as active members. We have students. We have people with disabilities. We have full time workers. We have self employed business people. And we have a retiree!

Each member is provided with the ongoing training and support they need to be an effective team member, in whichever area they choose to be involved in. Some have signed up just for fire, others for fire and road crash, and others are in it for the full ride - fire, crash and search. Most recently the Unit has been working with the Gnowangerup SES, to enhance skills in search and rescue, and our younger (fitter) members are part of a quick response team specifically formed to assist with searches at the Stirling Ranges.

Members have assisted at many incidents across the region, including the stock truck rollover which closed Great Southern Highway, a grain truck crash on Chesterpass Rd, numerous crashes on Albany Highway in particular, but also on other local and regional roads, a land search for a missing person in Kojonup, land search and rescues from Bluff Knoll, assisting at Margaret River and Roleystone fires, and attendance in an SES capacity at the Boddington fire. The Unit also attends local fire call outs, and assists local bushfire brigades when required.

Training is provided regionally by DFES, and the Unit also participates in local training sessions. Training varies from the structured sessions delivered by DFES (most recently members have participated in General Rescue, Urban Search and Storm Damage with SES volunteers from across the region) to informal Unit sessions where members might practise setting up lights and extracting a casualty from a mock 'vehicle crash' at night, using the cutting and spreading tools, or simply refresh knowledge on use of radios and equipment on the fire truck. The Unit has also participated in a multi-agency simulated vehicle crash exercise with Ambulance, SES and Police, which provided not only training in our roles, but an understanding of what the other agencies do at a crash. Regular training is required to ensure all members are provided the opportunity to familiarise themselves with equipment and processes in a non-emergency situation to then be most effective at an incident.

The Unit is always on the lookout for new members. Have you ever considered assisting your community in this way? Many people say 'oh, I couldn't do that....'. Well, you might be surprised at just what you can do to help - and not everything involves putting on yellow or orange overalls! If you would like to find out you can be involved in supporting your community, you are invited to contact Mick Trezona on 0417 099855. We would love to hear from you!

Play in the Park
Tambellup

Activities
Rhymes
Stories

Wednesday 19 August
Tambellup Library
10–12noon

Broomehill Hockey Club

Results and Fixtures

Hockey Results

27/6/2105

J – BH V KA won by BH 1-0

Goal – Sarah Buckley

Ladies - BH v KO Chicks won by KO Chicks 7-0

Mens - BH v WO2 draw 2-2

Goals – Jaydon Taylor -2

4/7/2015 – Challenge Cup Round

**** The Junior team was our only team to play for the challenge Cup.**

Our Mens team were playing a regular game.

J – BH v KO Orange won by KO Orange 3-1

Goal – Amelia Beaton

Ladies – BYE

Mens – BH v TA 2 won by TA 2 2-1

Goal - Travis Conning

18/7/2015

J - BYE

Ladies – BH v KA won by BH 5-4

Goals- Shanika Taylor 1, Bec Drake-Brockman 1, Jack Kondakov 1, Lewis Barritt 2

Mens – BH v TA2 won by TA2 2-1

Goal – Jaydon Taylor

25/7/2015

J - BYE

Ladies - BH v TA won by TA 9-0

Men - BYE

Remaining fixtures :

1st August – Woodanilling

8th August – Broomehill (our Prostrate Cancer Foundation fundraising day)

15th August – Tambellup

22nd August – Kojonup

29th August – Katanning

Finals venues TBA

Broomehill Golf Club

Saturday , 27th June 2015 – Stableford competition – sponsored by N.A.B. Katanning and special thanks to Mikayla Zilm .

18 hole winner – Dave Mathwin – 32 pts

18 hole runner-up – Charles Russell – 31 pts .

9 hole winner – Colin McAndrew – 23 pts .

Novelties winners –

Nearest the pin - No. 10 – Colin McAndrew

Best 2nd shot –No.12 – Alan Goodall

Best 3rd shot – No. 8-Alan Goodall

Nearest the pin – NO. 6 – Andrew Gibbons

Best 2nd Shot - No. 1 – Simon Hanna .

Saturday , 4th of July 2015 – Par competition –

Sponsored by Albany Golf Club , Sports shop .

18 hole winner – Kevin Winspear - + 6

18 hole runner-up –Simon Hanna - + 1

9 hole winner – stableford competition – Colin McAndrew – 20 pts .

Novelties - Best 3rd shot – No. 18 – Brant Dennis

Best 2nd shot –No. 8 – Colin McAndrew

Nearest the Pin – No. 6 – Dave Mathwin

Nearest the Pin – No. 10 – Colin McAndrew

Longest chip / putt – No. 9 – Andrew Woithe

Best 2nd shot –No. 1 – Brant Dennis

Saturday , 11th of July 2015 – Stroke competition –

Sponsored by Tyre power , Katanning and special thanks to Shane D'Aprile .

18 hole winner – Charles Russell – Nett 68 strokes

18 hole runner-up – Kevin Winspear – Nett 69 strokes

9 hole winner – stableford competition – Andrew Woithe – 20 pts .

Novelties – Best 3rd shot - No. 18 – Simon Hanna

Nearest the Pin – No.6 – Simon Hanna

Best 3rd shot – No. 8 – Simon Hanna

Best 2nd shot - No. 1 – Brad Rundle

Longest chip / putt – No. 9 – Dick Pickford

Nearest the Pin –No. 10 – Brad Rundle .

Saturday , 18th of July 2015 –Stableford

Competition – Sponsored by Edwards Motors , Katanning with special thanks to Adrian Edwards .

18 hole winner – David Mathwin – 40 pts .

18hole runner-up – Peter Dewar (on a count back from Andrew Webster) -38 pts .

9 hole winner – Ben Hewson – 24 pts .

Novelties – Best 3rd –No.18 – Alan Goodall

Best 2nd shot – No.1 – Alan Goodall

Best 3rd shot –No. 8 – Charles Russell

Longest chip / putt –No. 9 – Scott Thompson

Nearest the pin – No. 10 – Simon Hanna

Nearest the Pin – No. 6 – Andrew Woithe

Shortest Drive – No.2 – Kevin Winspear

Longest chip / putt – No. 7 – Peter Dewar

Longest chip/ putt – No.11 – Andrew Webster .



Tambellup Golf Club Results

27th June—Stableford

Winner—A Jones 38

R/Up—S O'Neill 38

9 Hole Winner—A Grant 21

4th July—Par

Winner—K O'Neill +3

R/Up—M Diprose +3

9 Hole Winner—Sonia Woods +1

11th and 12th July—Russell Sheild,
Combined Stableford

Winners—S O'Neill and K O'Neill 151

R/Up—N Lockyer and K Schlueter 140

9 Hole Winner—G Sheridan 18

18th July—Stroke

Winner—J Trezona 69

R/Up—N Sheridan 70

9 Hole Winner—A Grant 32

2015 Tambellup Men's Open Day Results

Sunday 19th July

4BBB Stableford

27 Hole Nett Winners—D Hull (Tam) & S Gibson
(Woodanilling) 68

Runner Up—N Dwyer (Denmark) & M Burke (Den) 67

27 Hole Gross Winners—R Sheridan (Brookton) & N
Sheridan (Tam) 56

Runner Up—C Rawes (Brookton) & V Blechynden
(Brookton) 55

18 Hole Nett Winners—G Burgess (Mt Barker) & D
Pomery (Mt B) 47

Runner Up—C Russell (Broomehill) & C Russell (Kat)
45

18 Hole Gross Winners—R Williams (Tam) & P Steicke
(Mt B) 36

Runner Up—S Woods (Tam) & M Coyne (Tam) 35

9 Hole Nett Winners 1-9—K Michael (Koj) & A
Michael (Koj) 22

9 Hole Nett Winners 10-18—P Brown (Denmark) & K
Williams (Denmark) 22

NAGA—B Webber (Kendenup) & P Hoad (Kendenup)
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Start Gates in Time for Interclub

Cranbrook Motocross now proudly displays 40 start gates thanks to the driving force of committee member Brian Langmead. These will be put to good use

when the club hosts our first South West Interclub Championship series on Sunday 2nd August. The gates will also enforce our club and affiliated body, Motorcycling WA goals of safety and fairness at the commencement of each competitive motocross race.

Motocross rider start gates have a foundation steel structure to which 40 individual motocross rider start gates are attached. Located in the middle of this start line, with 20 gates either side is the restricted vision start hut. When the race start official begins the race via a series of time number boards, a second official in the start hut pushes a trigger to drop the start gates. If a motorbike rider "false starts" their gate will remain standing until the rider rolls their bike backwards to let their gate drop.

Fabrication of gates, thank you to start gate designers Chad Crofts and Brian Langmead. Big thank you to the many hours Chad Crofts & Staff at Mount Barker Steel Fabrication put into building the gates and also for the supply of materials. Thank you to the following Mount Barker business who contributed personnel to manufacture the gates; Shaun & Mitch at Mount Barker Tyre & Exhaust; and Tim & Brian at Tim's Tyres & More.

Installation of gates, thank you to Cranbrook Elders who donated the cement to secure the structure. Also thank you to the following business who assisted in erecting the gates, Cranbrook business Clive at Truck & Bobcat Services; Frankland River Darren Mini Excavator; Mark Adams of Yaralla Pastoral skid steer; Magnus Bentley cement mixer; Tony Warham onsite welding; all the shovelers, Brett, Jake & Siobhan Smith, Matthew Adams, Nerrida & Aaron Watterson, Justin Shepherd, Jack Baxter, Neil Preston, John Tuckett, Paul Stickland, Nicole Tenbokker, Teela Shiels, Blair Langmead, and Mr Foreman Brian Langmead. Great club spirit everyone!

This article wouldn't be complete without mentioning our July events Club Day with 39 riders attending (this is a 2015 Club Day consistent attendance number), John Young coaching day with 11 riders attending and Ladies day with Chelsea Blakers 10 riders attending.

Nor mentioning upcoming event Club Day with guest motocross club Classic MXWA (Formerly Pre 85 MXWA) This is a progressive family orientated club formed in November 2009 to ensure the sport of vintage motocross in WA continues to evolve and all eras are catered for by one club. The clubs track is at Hillman Farm Darkan.

Club Day Sunday 16th August with guest motocross club Classic MXWA, is a competitive event where riders will compete for an end of season trophy. Don't forget for those riders on a budget who just want to have fun there are the same number of non-competitive races. Note non-competitive riders do not use the new start gates. Pits open at 7am, motorbike examination and rider sign on 7:30am – 8:45am, and riding starts 9am. Please remember that every rider needs to participate with flag duties, so bring along a volunteer helper. Canteen available and spectators welcome. See website cranbrookmx.com for more information.

Ladies day with Chelsea Blakers 18th July.



Corner Shop Museum



Looking back.....

Snippets of Tambellup's History

Gone...but not forgotten

Do you know the original location of these buildings of Tambellup?

Not sure? Want to find out? Interested in the town's heritage?

Come along and join us on the Heritage Town Walk on Sunday, 9th August, 2015 from 9.30am, departing from the Corner Shop Museum.



The first Police Station



The first State School 1948



Slee's Butcher Shop



Trathan's Saddle and Harness Shop

Information as taken from *The Stories of Tambellup*,
Corner Shop Museum, and Photo Files, Tambellup CRC.

KATANNING & DISTRICTS GARDEN CLUB.

Members gathered at Roxaine O'Toole's home for our July meeting, which was also the 45th A.G.M. for the club. Office Bearers were all returned to their respective positions with the exception of Anne Rees who has been the competition recorder for several years, this position will now be held by Maxine Potter.

Anne (Rees) presented vouchers to the competition winners for the past 12 months, winners were Gerry Watson, Karen Bessell-Browne, Leone Daw & Ailsa Thomas. Congratulations to all the winners, it is encouraging to see our newer members taking part in the monthly competitions with good results, hopefully this will continue in the future.

Competition winners for July were as follows:

FLORAL ART: 1. Norma White, 2. Maxine Potter, 3. Marj Wintanley. FLOWERS: 1. Anne Rees, 2. Ailsa Thomas, 3. Barb Groves. TREE or SHRUB: 1. Karen Bessell-Browne, 2. Norma White, 3. Barb Groves. MY BEST FLOWER: 1. Leonie Daw, 2. Ailsa Thomas, 3. Norma White. FRUIT or VEGE: 1. Anne Rees, 2. Barb Groves, 3. Norma White. POT PLANT: 1. Ailsa Thomas.

Georgie Dwyer a past & enthusiastic member recently celebrated her 100th birthday, a card of congratulations had been sent from the club. Jessie Rae another past and keen member for many years attended Georgie's celebrations and reported back on Georgie's health and her big milestone.

The Clubs August meeting will be at Leonie Daws home, 27 Carew St. on August 11th at 1.30 pm, members & guests always welcome.

Till next month, take care, Cheers Ailsa.



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Broomehill Historical Notes

Quite a few years ago Shirley MacDonald began to work through the diaries of her Grandfather, Thomas Norrish (TN) which he wrote when he first came to Eticup to take up farming and the diaries of William Henry Graham (WHG) who was also one of the first pioneers of the Eticup district. Shirley collated all the information both in alphabetical and chronological order. There are many wonderful pieces of information and anecdotes in these diaries and we are proud to share them with the community each month.

Williams, Jack – On the 19th October 1883, Jack Williams, the brickmaker, was at Goblup in the evening.

Williams, John – Leased Lady Campbell's Eticup property in the 1870s. Called at Goblup 10th August 1879, having come from the north-east, and visited again in October. On 24th August 1882, TN slept at Jack Williams' after being at Josiah Norrish's the night before to borrow a bale and called again in December with Alf Nelson. On 2nd August 1883, he came with John Garrity. On 24th December he and Alf Nelson were at the Half Mile Pool when TN was there. On 25th January 1884 John brought a paper from William Peters. It is assumed that these references are to the same man whether called Jack or John.

Williams, W – On 3rd August 1884, TN went to the paddock to see the grubbing being done by W Williams.

Willmot & Wilson – Came to Sunnyside on 17th March 1888 to see if TN could send his team to Toovey's to cart forage for the railway men. Charlie Ward started next day to go to Toovey's.

Wilson, James – On 10th December 1879, TN settled with him – no other detail.

Wilson, Richard – "King Dick". A shepherd who worked on and off for TN between 1880 and 1890. And could have been working for William Grover earlier. In 1882 his wages were £45 per annum with rations. He is first referred to on 5th July 1880 and on 5th October started for Eticup with his flock of 867 sheep. By January 1881 he was shepherding at the Gordon then shifted to Pootenup to arrive there on 8th April. On 9th June 1881 Wilson and Joe Duffen were at Goblup to get a pair of trousers and butter. On 11th August, TN counted his flock and gave it over to Joe Louthier; Wilson apparently then went to work for Van Zuilecom. On 3rd February 1882 Wilson told TN that he had left Van Zuilecom, but it was not until the 4th September that he came with Paddy Armstrong to look for a flock. He was employed and on 6th October Flynn's flock was given to him. After shearing he took the 850 sheep to Eticup. At the end of December he was at Wackenup where TN took him a cask of water and on 10th March 1883 Johnny was sent with rations and to shift Wilson to McGuire's. Two days later he came in, leaving Dina the young black woman minding the sheep. On 14th May he reported that some of his ewes had no milk and he had to kill two lambs. On 2nd July he sent Dina in as he no longer needed her – Strongfellow was still with him. TN saw King Dick at his hut on 7th September 1883. He must have been sick as on 9th TN wrote that Paddy the native was shepherding the flock that was Wilson's. He apparently returned to work but on 4th December sent in one month's notice. TN decided to let him go as soon as was clear with TN and let William Peters take the flock. However it was not until 31st December that Fred Williams took over Wilson's flock to give to William Peters.

In March 1884, Dick Wilson was shepherding for Quartermaine at the Old Police Station (Twonkwillingup) and on 18th came to Sunnyside to see if TN had got his dog licenses for him. On 1st July 1886, Richard Wilson saw TN at the lambing camp and TN wrote that "He has his arm cut off just below the elbow." Two weeks later TN saw him at Henry Townsend's below Teengerup and arranged for him to take over Kain's flock. He and his flock were shifted to McGuire's on 2nd August and on 15th September TN's son George took rations to him at Ironstone Hill. In November the flock was drafted and counted 1208. On 3rd September 1890 Sampey took rations to Wilson who sent back an order for TN to pay Jones £1.15.0. Seven days later when Nat Nelson and Martin Carrotts called at the camp they found Dick Wilson dead in his tent.



Hon Martin Aldridge MLC
Member for Agricultural Region



Media Release

15 July 2015

Tambellup Nursing Post upgrades on track for completion

Much anticipated upgrades at the Tambellup nursing post have are on track for completion after a funding injection from the *Royalties for Regions* Southern Inland Health Initiative (SIHI).

The upgrade was announced recently by Minister for Regional Development Terry Redman and Health Minister Kim Hames and is on track to be completed between August and October this year.

Nationals Member for the Agricultural Region and member of the SIHI Governance Group Hon Martin Aldridge MLC toured the facility today with members of the WA Country Health Service (WACHS) to assess the upgrades.

"A first-hand look at how the upgrade is progressing really gives you an idea of how the new facility will operate," Mr Aldridge said.

"This upgrade will support the delivery of high quality health care, improve the comfort of patients and staff and ensure the reliability of services."



Martin Aldridge MLC with staff at the Tambellup Health Centre today

The Tambellup upgrade will include a new multipurpose consult room with dual egress, allied health room, waiting area, meeting room ICT communications enclosure, an expanded treatment room, improved main entrance waiting area and addressing maintenance issues identified by a building condition audit.

Mr Aldridge said community consultation was undertaken to ensure the upgrade supported the healthcare priorities of the town and wider community.

"This upgrade is part of an integrated \$108million investment in small hospitals and nursing posts across the Wheatbelt and Great Southern," he said.

"In conjunction with hospital upgrades at Katanning, Gnowangerup and Kojonup, the Tambellup upgrade will enable the provision of improved health services across the Great Southern region."

The SIHI project has delivered a raft of health improvements since it commenced in 2011, including the establishment of the award-winning Emergency Telehealth Service, the introduction of 24/7 on call rosters for doctors at key district emergency departments, and a range of primary health programs targeting local health priorities.

For more information visit <http://oetthebigpicture.health.wa.gov.au/Great-Southern/Southern-Inland-Health-Initiative>

For media enquiries please contact Martin Aldridge MLC on (08) 9324 3155 or email martin.aldrIDGE@mp.wa.gov.au



Hon Terry Waldron MLA
Member for Wagin



Media Release

22 July, 2015

Waldron supportive of locally-driven 'footy, fun and fellowship' initiative

Member for Wagin Terry Waldron MLA likes to recognise excellent, locally-driven initiatives in the Wagin electorate and recently spoke in State Parliament about the "Old Fellas' Football League", otherwise known as OFFAL.

Mr Waldron said well-known local farmer, sportsman and community leader Justin Taylor came up with the concept and put it into place.

"It sees men of all ages from Tambellup and surrounding districts come together for football training on a Monday night, followed by an hour of fun and fellowship," he said.

"This excellent initiative is about getting blokes off their farms, out of their businesses, taking a break from the pressures and stresses of everyday life, forgetting about financial difficulties and enjoying a chinwag with other locals.

"The combination of the physical sports training and fellowship, chats and commonality offers members fitness, socialisation and a chance to be part of a welcoming group.

"This type of initiative has the potential to provide exceptional mental health benefits to participants."

People from many local communities attend, ranging in ages, with youngsters welcome. Attendances reach between 20 to 60-plus per night.

The group also invites special guests to train with and address attendees and has invited sporting identities Luc Longley, Ron Alexander, Ross Ditchburn and Mr Waldron to previously participate.

"The timing is suited to fit around the farming seasons," Mr Waldron said.

"This is a highly beneficial initiative and I am very supportive of it.

"A big well done to local man Justin Taylor who has established and driven this group. This fantastic initiative really works."

The Tambellup OFFAL has been described in the media as "like a Men's Shed, without the chisels and hammers..."

Mr Waldron said he also supported the local Men's Sheds that were achieving similar outcomes such as improving mental health, increasing men's sense of belonging and inviting them to share their concerns with others who understood in an environment that appealed to them.

Please visit the Tambellup CRC website for more information on the OFFAL club - www.tambellup.crc.net.au or visit <http://www.mensshed.org/home.aspx> to find your local Men's Shed.

For media enquiries please contact Terry Waldron on (08) 9881 1225 or email terry.waldron@mp.wa.gov.au



Hon Terry Waldron MLA
Member for Wagin
Hon Martin Aldridge MLC
Member for Agricultural Region



Media release

July 17, 2015

Waldron and Aldridge welcome assistance for four community sport projects

The Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup, Boddington Bowling Club, Shire of Cuballing and Shire of Cranbrook will share in \$92,284, as part of the latest Small Grants round of the State Government's Community Sporting and Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF).

Member for Wagin Terry Waldron MLA is delighted that the four "worthy recipients", located in the Wagin electorate, will be provided with funding, as follows –

- Shire of Broomehill-Tambellup - \$8590 for the construction of a new storage area at the Broomehill Recreation Centre;
- Boddington Bowling Club - \$25,000 for the replacement of a synthetic bowling green;
- Shire of Cuballing - \$53,777 for an upgrade of the showjumping arena, including the surface and fencing at Dryandra Regional Equestrian Centre; and
- Shire of Cranbrook - \$4917 to undertake a feasibility study for the relocation of Cranbrook Districts Motorcycle Club.

Mr Waldron continues to be very supportive of the CSRFF grants.

"Having been involved in sport in a number of different roles, I continue to have a great affinity for sport and place high importance on country people having access to good sporting and recreational facilities," Mr Waldron said.

"These are places where locals may enjoy fitness, health, socialisation and essentially where a group of people become a community."

Announced this week by Sport and Recreation Minister Mia Davies, the latest Small Grants round of the CSRFF funding allows clubs and local governments to take on small but important projects they might not otherwise have the money for.

Member for the Agricultural Region Martin Aldridge MLC said these four projects were among 28 across WA that would share in \$793,350.

"I welcome these significant grants in the Agricultural Region and have this week met with several of the recipients in Tambellup," Mr Aldridge said.

Mr Waldron said: "This important funding helps clubs undertake works to create better amenities for sport and recreation participants, encouraging them to be more active and join local clubs."

"Research showed that active people are healthier and happier. This combined with recognition of the important roles both big and small clubs play in WA, are reasons why the State Government funds a whole range of projects through CSRFF."

The 2016-17 large CSRFF grant round is currently open and closes on 30 September 2015.

For a full list of the latest recipients please visit www.dsr.wa.gov.au/successful-csrrf-small-grants

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For media enquiries please contact Terry Waldron on (08) 9881 1225 or email terry.waldron@mp.wa.gov.au



Hon Terry Waldron MLA
Member for Wagin



Media Release

22 July, 2015

Gnowangerup business helps State Government project reach milestone

Gnowangerup family-owned business Auspan is responsible for assisting the State Government's \$124.5million Groundwater Replenishment Scheme reach a major milestone recently, when the locally-made roof was raised on the building.

This building will house the Advanced Water Recycling Plant.

Water Minister Mia Davies said two cranes were used to lift sections of the 3500 square metre sheet metal roof, in a meticulously planned exercise that took two days.

The Minister said the Water Corporation project - Australia's first full scale groundwater replenishment scheme - had now reached the halfway mark, with construction due to finish mid next year.

Member for Wagin Terry Waldron MLA said the roof and steelwork for the project were manufactured by Auspan, a family-owned operation based in Gnowangerup, and Bayswater-based Westforce was responsible for its design and installation.

Mr Waldron said he was pleased the Gnowangerup-based business had played an integral role in this important State Government project.

"The total contract value for this part of the construction was around \$4 million, and I'm always pleased when local businesses are considered, rather than only relying on Perth-based companies," he said.

"Rural businesses are often just as competitive, if not more so than their city counterparts.

"Congratulations to the local team at Auspan on their success in securing this important job."

Mr Waldron said when purchasing goods and services the Water Corporation supported the State Government's Buy Local Policy where feasible.

"I understand this project has contracted 20 WA-based suppliers so far, to the value of almost \$20 million," he said.

When complete, the plant will have the capacity to inject 14 billion litres of recycled water per year into deep confined aquifers, providing an additional secure, rainfall independent water source for Perth.

This project also has the potential to supply up to 20 per cent of Perth's future drinking water needs by 2060.

Please visit <http://www.watercorporation.com.au/water-supply-and-services/ongoing-works/groundwater-replenishment-scheme> for footage of the roof installation.

Information about the scheme is available at www.watercorporation.com.au

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Aussie Backyard Bird Count (ABBC)

19—25 October 2015

Now in its second year, the Aussie Backyard Bird Count takes place each year for one week in October, as part of National Bird Week. The event is run by BirdLife Australia and the Birds in Backyards team.

Through the Aussie Backyard Bird Count we aim to:

- ☐ Engage the broader community in the natural world while getting to know the birds in their local area through participation in a simple, fun, all-ages activity that can be done anywhere
- ☐ Educate local communities and create bird-friendly spaces in gardens
- ☐ Connect with a wide range of Australians through national media coverage, communications partners, local promotion and key local/regional BirdLife Australia activities
- ☐ Create a snapshot of Australia's birds at the same time each year, providing vital information on how our local birds are faring

The Aussie Backyard Bird Count will run for 7 days from **MONDAY 19 OCTOBER - SUNDAY 25 OCTOBER 2015.**

Through research we know that over 4 million adults in Australia have a love of nature and over 1 million Australian adults enjoy learning more about birds. We know that many would like to learn more about the birds around them, but are too busy or feel they don't know where to start.

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- ☐ Spend 20 minutes in your backyard, local park, schoolyard or other favourite 'green patch'
- ☐ Participate by yourself or in a group, or you might join in with other participants at local events
- ☐ Use the Aussie Backyard Bird Count app, or the form on our website

www.aussiebirdcount.org.au to record the types of birds you see and roughly how many

- ☐ Not sure about a bird? Don't worry, there'll be a Bird ID look-up built into the app and on the website so you can easily identify the birds

- ☐ Once you've added your bird sighting information into the app or website, it will be added to the information from thousands of other Australians. You will instantly be able to see live statistics on the number of people taking part and the number of birds and species counted right across Australia!

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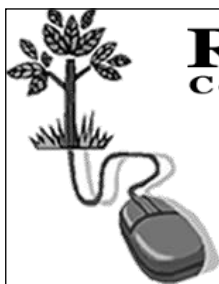
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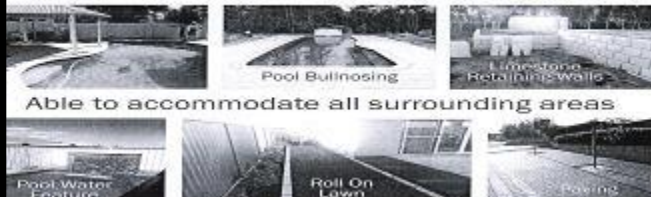
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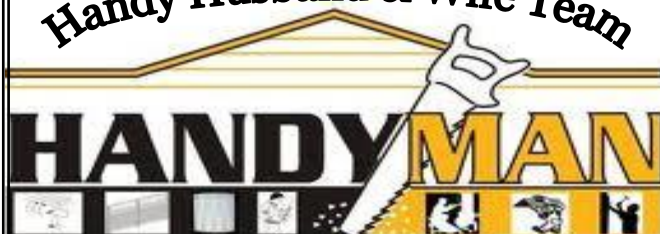
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