

Eneabba News

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CARNAMAH TRIATHLON



Saturday, 28th March

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Community Calendar 2015

March

Tuesday 3 rd	Kerbside Pickup
Saturday 7 th	Introduction to Fire Fighting & Bush Fire Fighting Training Course
Sunday 8 th	Introduction to Fire Fighting & Bush Fire Fighting Training Course
Tuesday 10 th	Women's Health Day and Visiting Doctor, Silver Chain Eneabba Seasonal Updates & AGM, WMG, Badgingarra Community Centre, 8am
Thursday 12 th	Livestock Expo, WMG & Eneabba General Store, Eneabba Rec. & Sporting Club, 1pm
Wednesday 18 th	Shire Meeting, Eneabba Sportsman's Club 2pm Busy Bee, Eneabba Tennis Club, 4.30pm
Friday 20 th	Registrations close, Midwest Autumn Craft Round Up
Saturday 21 st	Iluka – Invitation Doubles Tennis Tournament, Eneabba Tennis Club, 1.30pm
Friday 27 th	Interschool Swimming, Eneabba Pool Coorow P&C Quiz Night, Maley Park, Coorow, 6.30pm
Saturday 28 th	Carnamah Triathlon, Carnamah Pool, 2pm

April

Tuesday 14 th	Visiting Doctor, Eneabba Silver Chain
Wednesday 15 th	Shire Meeting, Carnamah Council Chambers 2pm
Saturday 18 th	Midwest Autumn Craft Round Up, Irwin Rec Centre, Dongara 9.30am -4pm
Sunday 19 th	Midwest Autumn Craft Round Up, Irwin Rec Centre, Dongara 9.30am -4pm

May

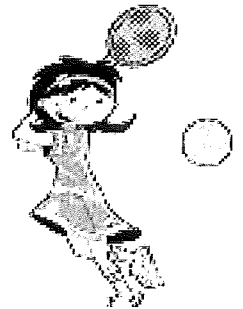
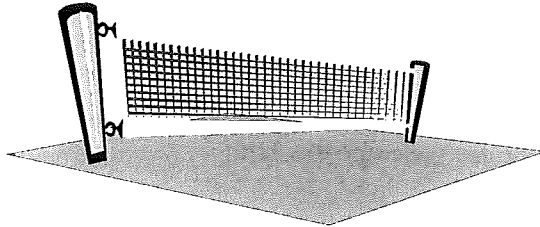
Tuesday 12 th	Visiting Doctor, Eneabba Silver Chain
Wednesday 20 th	Shire Meeting, Carnamah Council Chambers 2pm

June

Wednesday 17 th	Shire Meeting, Eneabba Sportsman's Club 2pm
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ILUKA DAY

**Saturday 21st March
at 2pm**

**Please get your
names into Jody
Morton if you are
interested in playing
on this day. Please
see Robyn re the
catering on this day.**

Kids Coaching

Jody had 10 kids for
coaching this week. It is
great to see the kids
improving each week.

BUSY BEE



4.30pm

**Wednesday, 18th March
Please come along and get
our club ready for the
Iluka Day.**

**Many Hands
Make Light Work!!**

CAN & BOTTLE DAY

21st February at 4.30pm

Jody has informed me that there were 2 courts being
played on Saturday night and that the Can & Bottle Day
was enjoyed by all that attended. Jody mentioned that
the evening meal was a great success. A couple of ladies
who did not have any chicken used their imagination and
brought along Devilled Eggs, pretty close to a chook!!

BADGY OPEN

**Saturday 7th March
Please, names to Jody
by Wednesday 4th March**

ENEABBA ECHIDNAS PLAYED BADGINGARRA

**BAD LUCK TO OUR PENNANT TEAM ON LAST FRIDAY NIGHT THEY CAME SECOND!!
98 GAMES TO 94 GAMES – 11SETS TO 9 SETS – SO CLOSE!!
6 TIEBREAKERS – TOP EFFORT TEAM!**

Ryan we hope your arm will be ok, I heard you did a power serve and it popped.
Just wanted to let all the families know that there will be no tennis coaching on
Badgy or Iluka Day as Jody will be playing in both tournaments.

Great to see Caroline Ashby come along to tennis all dressed ready to play, but
I hear she did not take to the court. Next time Liner!!

**Saturday, 28th February. Social Tennis at 4.30pm. Meat supplied please bring a
share salad.**

HAPPY TENNIS TO EVERYONE!



Shire Notices

COUNCIL MEETING MARCH 2015

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on
Wednesday 18th March 2015
at the Eneabba Sportsman's Club, Eneabba Drive, Eneabba
commencing at **2pm**.

Members of the public are welcome to attend.



ADSL2 UPGRADE CARNAMAH EXCHANGE

The Shire is pursuing the upgrade of the Telstra exchange in Carnamah from ADSL1 to ADSL2. There are currently no ports available at the exchange for residents wishing to access broadband internet. The upgrade would also improve the broadband speed that is currently available with ADSL1.

The upgrade is likely to require some funding from the Shire. The Shire is interested in ascertaining from internet users the level of interest in accessing ADSL2 if it should become available.

Please contact Jenny Hayley at the Shire office on 9951 7002 or email eso@carnamah.wa.gov.au with any feedback you would like to provide on the current situation in Carnamah and your thoughts on the possibility of accessing ADSL2.

TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF WINCHESTER EAST ROAD

It is notified for public information that the Shire of Carnamah has authorised the closure of the section of Winchester East Road from Burns Road to Rowland Road from the 18th February 2015 to the 11th March 2015 to all traffic except that generated by adjoining landholders requiring access to their properties.

The purpose of the road closure is to enable water binding and bitumen sealing works to be carried out.

Further details about the proposal may be obtained from the Shire office and any submissions may be forwarded to the undersigned.

RESTRICTED BURNING PERIOD

The Shire of Carnamah is now in a restricted burning period from 31st January—15th March 2015.

Permits are required for burning and these are available at the:

Shire of Carnamah Office, Macpherson Street Carnamah.

Monday to Friday 8.30am—4.00pm.

W T ATKINSON
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



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COUNCIL MEETING OUTCOMES FEBRUARY 2015

PROPOSED ADDITION TO HEAVY HAULAGE PERMIT NETWORK ROADS – CAMAC ROAD

A request has been made to Council that consideration be given to have the section of Camac Road within the Shire of Carnamah included on the MRWA Restricted Access Vehicle Policy as a Network 4 road.

The section of this road in the Perenjori Shire is designated as a Network 4 route.

MRWA will be requested to assess the road for suitability as a Network 4 route.

It was resolved:

- 1. That Council request Main Roads WA to assess Camac Road within the Shire of Carnamah for suitability as a Network 4 heavy haulage vehicle route.***
- 2. That should Camac Road be deemed suitable to accommodate Network 4 vehicles, that Council endorse an application to Main Roads WA to formalise the position.***

ADSL2 COVERAGE – CARNAMAH

After considering a report on the lack of an ADSL2 service to Carnamah, Council at its meeting of the 15th December resolved:

That the Shire pursue, as a matter of priority, the implementation of ADSL 2 to service the Carnamah townsite.

On the 27th of January 2015, the CEO met with Mr Gavin Treasure (CEO) and Mr Robert Smallwood (Mid West Digital Economy Strategy Manager) of the Mid West Development Commission; and Mr Ron Van Der Sluys – (ADSL Capacity Planner – WA) for Telstra to discuss how ADSL2 may be provided to service the Carnamah townsite.

The following points were discussed at the meeting:

- Parts of Carnamah have ADSL1 at present, but it is slow and unreliable. The Shire has approved a motion by Council to investigate options for improving the service that is currently available.
- The Carnamah exchange is currently on Telstra's fibre network; however the backhaul connectivity to ADSL within the exchange is limited to a data stream of 8 Mb and would require a hardware upgrade to increase this. Even if ADSL2+ equipment were available in the exchange, this is insufficient capacity to service ADSL2+ and would require an exchange upgrade.
- The Shire would like to investigate options for providing ADSL2+ or similar capability to the residents and businesses near the town centre.
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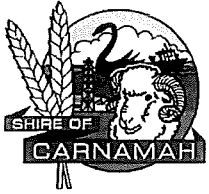
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- It was emphasised that ADSL2+ would be useful only to customers within 5km or less from the exchange and that connection speed is limited by the length of the copper wires.
- Presently, a broadband capacity upgrade or DSLAM upgrade to enable ADSL2+ at the Carnamah exchange is not on Telstra's planned exchange upgrade path and any capital works upgrades would be unlikely to occur in the short-term *in the absence of a co-contribution from the Shire or the government.*
- An exchange upgrade to enable ADSL2+ via the provision of 192-port DSLAM functionality would cost in the vicinity of \$160k, with a design architecture that would provide for future dynamic expansion of capacity. Currently, through ADSL 1, Carnamah has 70 ports which are fully taken up.
- Should external co-contribution be secured, (with an agreement signed and funding secured), 12-weeks lead time would be required to source the equipment with a 3-6 month time-frame from agreement and funding to the delivery of a final solution that is available at the customer level.
- There are no LTE700 scheduled plans for an upgrade at the Carnamah mobiles site. Things might change in the future subject to further funding allocations and capacity needs. (This refers to the 4G mobile spectrum that has been freed-up by the shutdown of the old analogue TV spectrum)
- Discussion will be initiated with Council with respect to a potential co-contribution.
- Next steps to be determined by the outcome of these discussions.
- The question of what co-contribution from the Shire may get Carnamah prioritised for ADSL2 was discussed. It was considered that a contribution of \$80,000 would enhance the chances of Carnamah having ADSL2 installed.
- At present there does not appear to be any State or Federal government funding/grant programs available for projects of this nature.

Additional discussion was had on the alternative of installing a wireless system on the Telstra tower near Lakes Lookout. The outcomes were as follows:

- Telstra to investigate how a fixed wireless solution would compare to the cost of providing ADSL2+. The advantages of this include the fact that the wireless system would provide coverage over a wider geographical area and may be cheaper. The disadvantages include the fact that it is old and slower technology.
- Independent of the immediate requirement for broadband in the town area of Carnamah, that MWDC would be interested in learning more about fixed wireless for potential applications that could address farming and other rural needs beyond the town centre.

The key question for Council is to consider is the level of priority with other competing interests for the provision of ADSL2 in Carnamah.



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Carnamah is certainly disadvantaged through not having ADSL2; however this was not identified as an issue requiring attention when the Shire's Community Strategic Plan was adopted in 2012. The availability of ports for new users wishing to access broadband has however emerged as an issue, and current users, especially businesses would welcome faster broadband speed.

While there may be some opportunity to attract contributory funding for ADSL2 in the future, if ADSL 2 was to be provided in the short term, the Shire would need to commit \$80,000 towards this project.

It was resolved that Council agree to providing a co-contribution towards the provision of ADSL2 in the current financial year through adjusting expenditure priorities in the Shire's 2014/15 financial year budget.

CARNAMAH PLAYGROUP – PROPOSED FUTURE SUPPORT AND TENANCY ARRANGEMENTS

The Carnamah Childcare Committee has taken the decision to vacate and sell its property located at Lot 3 Macpherson Street. The Carnamah Playgroup which has also been using this building is seeking an alternative venue for its operations from early 2015. It has been proposed that the Playgroup share the former Uniting Church premises (owned by the Shire) with the Cultivating Carnamah Toy Library, the members of which are agreeable to the proposal.

During December, the President, CEO and Project Officer met at the former Uniting Church building with Mrs Cherie Doust and Mrs Richelle Essers who were representing the Carnamah Playgroup, to discuss the proposal.

It was ascertained that the Playgroup currently caters for parents and caregivers of 17 children aged between 0 to 5 years of age. The group meets for two hours per week.

The building itself is fit for purpose with the only request being that some old redundant items be removed. Outside of the building in the proposed playground/activity area, the following improvements would need to be made:

- Fencing to contain the children within the area (Estimated cost \$3,000).
- Shade structure (Enquiries being made to ascertain if structure from the Childcare Centre may be transferred and erected with volunteer labour);
- Small shed to accommodate equipment; structure (Enquiries being made to ascertain if shed from the Childcare Centre may be transferred and erected with volunteer labour);
- Cubbyhouse (Playgroup likely to sell its existing cubbyhouse to help fund a more robust replacement unit);
- Removal of one cotton palm and five trees stumps (Cost \$700);



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- Removal of woodchip mulch from a 4 x 4 metre area and the placement of a suitable surface for play activities (cost of alternative surface to be ascertained).

The Playgroup has made an initial offer to contribute \$1,000 towards the fence, play surface and sand pit.

Given precedents with respect to the letting of premises to other groups by the Shire, the following tenancy arrangements are proposed:

The Shire:

- Will provide the premises at a cost of \$10.00 per weekly session;
- Will pay water, power and building insurance costs

The Carnamah Playgroup

- Will be responsible for public liability insurance relating to its activities.

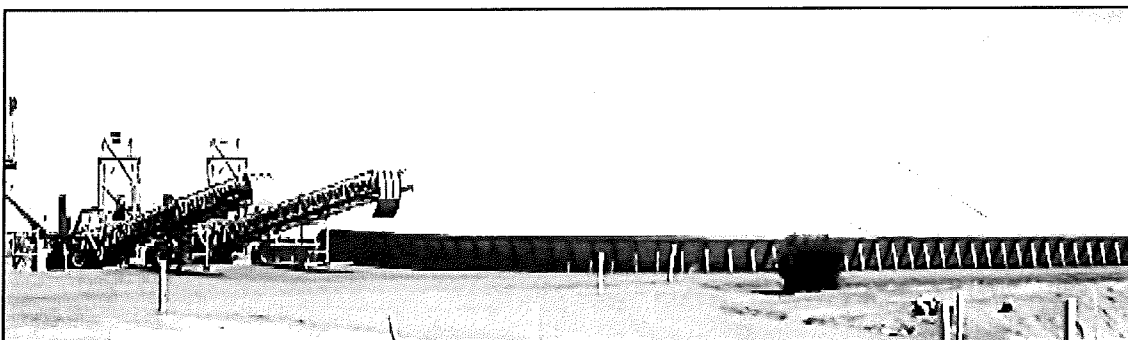
It was resolved that Council accept the proposal for the Carnamah Playgroup to occupy the former Uniting Church building in Macpherson Street, Carnamah and to assist the group in improving and making safe the external playground/activity area to support its operations.

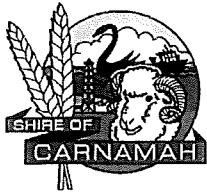
CBH LTD – APPLICATION FOR PLANNING APPROVAL - UPGRADE OF GRAIN RECEIVING AND HANDLING EQUIPMENT

The proponents intend to remove and replace redundant infrastructure and to carry out some new bitumen works at its receival facility in Carnamah. Details are shown on the attached plan. The value of the proposed work is \$1,173,213.

The proposed use of the land is consistent with the provisions of the *Shire of Carnamah Local Planning Scheme No 2*.

That Council grant approval to the proposal submitted by CBH Ltd for the upgrade of grain receiving and handling equipment in Carnamah on Lots 1 & 11, Railway Avenue & Hill Streets.





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2015 TRIATHLON – REQUEST FOR SUPPORT

Mrs Angela Dring wrote to the CEO on the 11th of February as follows:

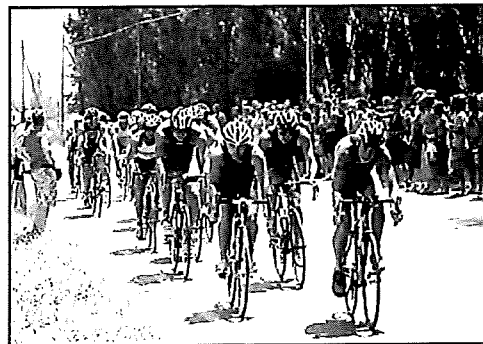
We are writing to request the support of the Carnamah Shire by way of providing free entry and use of the pool on the day. By encouraging people to participate, we are not only encouraging people to address their health and fitness, but to use the wonderful amenities provided by the Shire in the lead up to the event.

We will also liaise with Pool Manager Kevin Price in the event preparation for the pool area. Kevin's role as pool manager will not be impeded.

On the streets during the cycle and running legs, we will use the same route outlined in 2014. Some assistance from the shire to provide placards, witches hats and safety bunting would be much appreciated.

As in 2014, we will adopt a First Aid Plan and involve and circulate the safety plan to all those involved, including Pool Manager Kevin Price and Sasha Risinger our attending Doctor. We will also forward the plan to Merle Isbister for review.

The inaugural triathlon event was successfully conducted in March last year and this year's event will be conducted along the same lines. The CEO has spoken with Mrs Dring about possible routes for the running and cycling components of the triathlon. It is not intended to close any roads or streets to accommodate this event given that the run will be only about 2 kilometres and the cycle not more than 7 kilometres and therefore of relatively short duration. Some signage to the effect "Caution – Event Ahead" would be appropriate.



As it is intended to be a community event with the pool needing to be necessarily set aside for a short time for the swimming part of the triathlon and the fact that a community BBQ will be held afterwards, it has been requested that pool entry be waived for the day. This is in recognition that some members of the public may be inconvenienced due to the pool being exclusively set aside for this purpose for a few hours; the fact that several participants would hold season tickets in any event; and the fact that the triathlon will be a community event which will culminate in a celebratory BBQ to which all members of the community are invited. The applicant has also asked the Shire to waive photocopying fees for the printing of certificates (The organisers will provide the paper).

It may be necessary for the pool to be open a little earlier or later, depending when the triathlon takes place. The Carnamah Pool Manager, Mr Kevin Price has kindly offered to open the pool for the additional hours necessary, in his own time.



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With respect to the liability aspect raised by the applicant, advice has been conveyed that the Shire is not covered for issues that may arise through the holding of an event, beyond the public liability insurance cover it holds with respect to the facilities it provides and for any proven negligence caused by its employees. In other words, the auspicing body would need to assess the probabilities of a public liability claim arising from the holding of the triathlon to determine how it deals with the insurance aspect associated with such.

That the Shire support the organisers of the triathlon in Carnamah on the 28th of March 2015, by way of waiving swimming pool entry fees, providing some event signage and usage of a photocopier for the printing of certificates.

FUNDING ARRANGEMENTS: HANDOVER OF ENEABBA-COOLIMBA ROAD

Council at its ordinary meeting held on the 18th June 2014, resolved:

That Council agrees to the handover of the Eneabba-Coolimba Road from Main Roads WA to the Shire of Carnamah, effective from the 30th June 2014, subject to the formalised terms and conditions agreed to.

Concerted efforts have been made to secure a formal agreement from Main Roads WA to fund the upgrade of the road to an acceptable standard of a 7.2 metre seal of a 9.0 metre formation as described in the attached Project Proposal document.

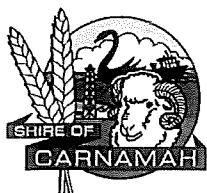
Main Roads WA has formalised the situation with a letter of agreement (attached)

The principal concern was that the Shire would have been left with a significant financial impost if the agreed staged upgrade of the road is not funded by Main Roads WA. Funding of \$400,000 has been allocated for the 2014/15 financial year by MRWA which is being applied to securing and stockpiling gravel for the project and in extending culvert pipes and installing headwalls.

The Mid West – Gascoyne Office of MRWA has applied for funding in 2015/16 to fund the first stage of the widening of the formation and bitumen sealing out to 7.2 metres.

It is important that Council ensures that every effort is made each year to apply for the funds required for each stage of the project through to completion.

That Council acknowledge and accept the letter of agreement (and attachments) as it applies to the commitment of Main Roads Western Australia to fund the upgrade of the Eneabba- Coolimba Road.

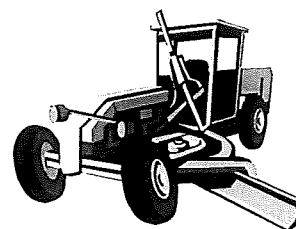


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ROADS – UPDATE

Carnamah-Bunjil Road

These works have been put on hold while the outside staff water bind and seal the Carnamah-Eneabba Road and the Winchester East Road.



Carnamah-Eneabba Road

Council's outside staff have commenced water binding on the Carnamah-Eneabba Road in readiness for sealing of 4 kilometres on Tuesday 17th February 2015.

Storm damage

The outside staff were called out after hours on Tuesday 3rd February to clean up debris on the Bunjil Road and to close Inering and Billeroo Roads due to a lack of access after a storm. The roads were reopened on Thursday morning.

Eneabba-Coolimba Road

Dudawa Haulage has commenced carting of gravel to the stockpile area at the rear of the Horseman's Oval Eneabba.

Parwood Contracting were contracted to widen culvert pipes on Eneabba-Coolimba Road approx 26km west of Brand Highway. Works have been completed.

PROJECTS – UPDATE

Eneabba Revitalisation – Garden Beds

A second garden bed of limestone blocks has been built around one of the existing beds in front of the roadhouse, and reticulation has been connected. This will bring uniformity to the area and expend the balance of the funds for this project.

Carnamah Revitalisation – Carnamah Caravan Park

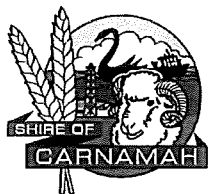
Construction of the Camp Kitchen has now commenced. The frame was erected on Friday 6th February. Brickwork will be completed in the next two weeks.

Carnamah Revitalisation – Macpherson Street Entry

Picket fencing has been installed as part of this revised project. The photo fence has also been completed and has arrived in Carnamah. The fence frame will be constructed in the next month and then the fence panels will be attached.

Community Pool Revitalisation Program

The shade shelter at the Carnamah Swimming pool has been completed. It has a Colourbond roof as opposed to the shade cloth it replaced. The Pool Manager has commented that it provides very good shade.



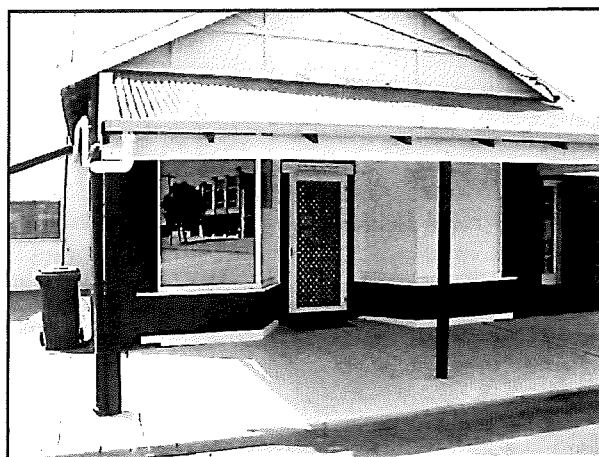
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Townscaping - Fencing of 14 Macpherson Street

Picket fencing has now been installed along the front boundary of 14 Macpherson Street. Some planting will occur when the weather cools off.

Carnamah Revitalisation – Photos in Windows

The six photos that have been waiting to be installed (very patient photos and very patient Cr Woollorton) were installed on Saturday 1 February by Mick Haines from Haines Signs. They all look amazing and thanks must once again go to Andrew Bowman for his assistance with this project as well as the landowners who agreed to have the photos displayed in their buildings.



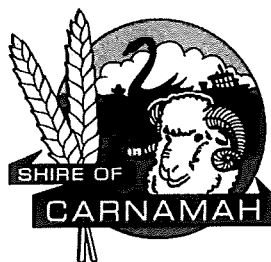
Acceptance of Tender 1/15 – Supply and Delivery of Gravel

On the 12th January 2015, Crs Bowman and Kikeros and the CEO met to consider tenders received for the supply and delivery of gravel for the Eneabba – Coolimba road job.

It was agreed that the CEO exercise his delegated authority to accept the tender submitted by Dudawa Haulage Pty Ltd for the supply and delivery of 32,400 tonnes of gravel at a cost of \$314,280.

Macpherson Homestead Recladding

The external reclad and refit of internal walls at the Macpherson Homestead is now complete.



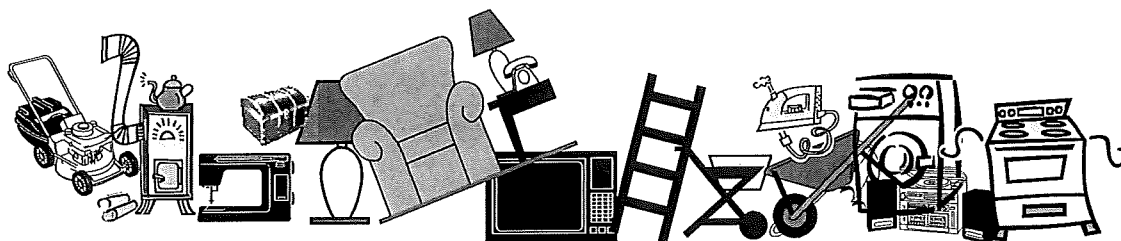
KERBSIDE PICKUP

CARNAMAH AND ENEABBA

Residents of Carnamah and Eneabba are advised that Council will be conducting a kerbside pickup on

TUESDAY 3RD MARCH 2015

- All rubbish is to be placed approximately 1 metre from the kerb.
- Lawn clippings and green waste to be bagged or boxed and kept separate from other refuse.
- All steel items to be separated from all other refuse.
- Items will ONLY be removed from the kerbside.
- **NO RUBBISH TO BE PLACED ON KERBSIDE UNTIL SATURDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2015.**



Silver Chain Eneabba Health Centre

Visiting Doctor: Midwest Aero Medical is now coming to Eneabba Silver Chain every four weeks. Please support this venture. Midwest Aero Medical offers GP services, men's health, women's health, various full health assessments, skin checks, excisions, plus more. Dr Dominic Higgs will visit next **Tuesday 10th March**. To make an appointment, please phone 9956 8999.

Women's Health Day: Midwest Aero Medical will be providing a female practitioner for a Women's Health Clinic on **Tuesday 10th March**. Lorna Jackson specialises in Pap-smears, breast checks and contraception. This will only go ahead if the day is fully booked. To make an appointment, please phone 9956 8999.

Child Health Nurse: Jan Pooley (Child Health Nurse) from Dongara has recommenced services to Eneabba now that there is a room available for her in the new clinic. For appointments, please telephone 9927 0200.

Podiatrist: I am investigating the possibility of obtain the services of a visiting podiatrist. To secure this service I need to be able to guarantee at least six clients each visit. If you would use a podiatrist, please contact me at the clinic. Podiatrist can assist with toenail cutting, general feet assessment, orthotics, sports injuries to the feet, plus more.

Diabetes Educator: Do you have diabetes? When was your last review with a diabetes educator? Eneabba Silver Chain can now offer a face to face virtual diabetes clinic via video conferencing. The clinic will occur on the second Wednesday of each month. If you are interested, please contact Jody at the clinic, as a referral will need to be completed.

Other services: I am able to provide referrals to a dietitian, psychologist and physiotherapist if required. These services are all available out of the Leeman Silver Chain.

Ladies Health Group: Are you trying to lose weight? Are you trying to lower your blood pressure? Are you trying to improve your health? There are a number of ladies that attend the clinic weekly, on a Wednesday morning for a health check. You will be seen individually and confidentially for a weight, blood pressure, pulse, blood sugar level (if required). You will be given suggestions and advice on improving your life style. If you can't attend weekly, that is fine. If you can't attend on a Wednesday, that is fine also. Give me a call at the clinic to discuss.

Flu vaccinations: We have received notification that the 2015 flu vaccine has changed significantly from 2014; therefore the development of this year's vaccine has been delayed. The vaccines are not going to be available to any health professionals until at least mid-April. At this stage I am still not even able to order them. I will let the community know when the 2015 flu vaccinations are available.



community. This is a wonderful way to give back to your community. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer, please contact one of the existing volunteers, or myself at the clinic.

Blood tests: I am happy to perform blood tests, if you have your request forms. I would appreciate it if you please telephoned ahead to make an appointment. Please remember for fasting blood tests you can not have any food or tea or coffee. The only thing you can have prior to a fasting blood test is water. There should also be no smoking during the fasting period of 10 hours! Please contact me if you have any questions.

Blood pressure & blood sugar levels: When was the last time you had your blood pressure and blood sugar level checked? Come and see me.

Clinic Opening Hours: The Eneabba Silver Chain clinic hours are:

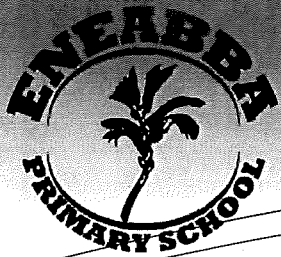
- ❖ Monday 0800 – 1200 and 1230 – 1600
- ❖ Tuesday 0800 – 1200 and 1230 – 1600
- ❖ Wednesday 0800 – 1200 and 1230 – 1600
- ❖ Thursday Clinic Closed – Nurse rostered at Leeman Silver Chain
- ❖ Friday 1300 – 1600 for emergencies only, or by prior arrangement only.

After Hours Process: After hours, the clinic telephone is diverted to Health Direct. All calls will be answered by a registered nurse. Your condition or injury will be assessed. If it is deemed an emergency, and I am on call, Health Direct will transfer the call through to me. Alternatively you will be given advice for your condition or injury. Please do not come directly to my front door to ask for help. The reasons why I ask this:

- ❖ The after hours statistic can not be put down, as I have not been notified through the correct process. This decreases the over statistics for after hours calls. These statistics are studied closely by the Head Office.
- ❖ I may be on a rostered weekend off, and spending time with my family.
- ❖ My family often over hear what the problem is – putting them in a situation of knowing information they probably shouldn't know.
- ❖ If something is contagious, you are bringing the illness to my home and to my family.

Please contact me at the clinic: If there is anything in this update you would like to discuss, or anything not in the update about your health, please feel free to call in and see me during open clinic hours.

Jody Morton
Remote Area Nurse
Eneabba Health Centre
Ph: 9955 1163



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20th February 2015

Newsletter

Challenge and Create

Eneabba Primary School
Challenge the Present; Create the future

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Important Dates

Term 1

Tuesday 24th February

P&C Meeting @ 12.00pm

S/R Assembly @ 2:00pm

Monday 2nd March

Labour Day

Friday 6th March

Faction Swimming Carnival

Wednesday 18th - 20th March

PEAC Camp Geraldton

Tuesday 24th March

J/Ctr Assembly @ 2:00pm

Friday 27th March

Interschool Swimming Carnival

Coorow PS Quiz Night

Thursday 2nd April

End of Term

Friday 3rd April

Good Friday

**Welcome Rizal Ozies to the Junior Centre, our
new Kindergarten student**



Stacey, Tim, Oliver and Connor sent us an email to say they have settled into Margaret River and are all well. First day of school for Oliver and Connor at Margaret River Primary School.

We wish you all well and miss you.

From the Principal Pen

Welcome to what has been a very hot week with the temperature reaching 44 degrees by 10am the other day. With such heat we need to congratulate Mr Coughlan on the great job he does keeping our school neat and green. Congratulations to all of our students on the great start they have made to the school year. It is great to see the students settling into their learning. The students in the senior room have been researching fish and looking at sustainable fishing.

Eneabba P&C

The Eneabba P&C AGM will be held next Tuesday at 12pm. All parents and community members are welcome. The Eneabba P&C has been very supportive of our school over the years with support towards new ipad minis, school resources and school excursions/camps, science materials, trophies and awards. I would like to thank the committee members for the work they have given to the P&C. I look forward to this supportive partnership continuing with our school. A number of volunteer P&C jobs will be vacated this year which will need to be filled at the AGM, uniforms and catering being two that come to mind. Please put this date in your calendar and come along. All enquiries should be directed to Cathy Auld.

2015 Canberra Camp

The students from years 5&6 will this year be travelling to Canberra on 26th June with students from Badgingarra for a week in the National Capital and the Snow on the Australian Alps. The flights have been booked and purchased so now we have the task of fundraising to reduce the cost to parents. Anyone with any ideas for fundraising please let us know.

Census

Last Friday was census day for Government school around WA. Eneabba has 30 students and this will be the figure on which our funding for the year will be worked out. Mrs Patmore and I yesterday attended a workshop in Geraldton to further train us in the working of the new funding system and its operation at the school level. Schools now are funded on a given amount per student with some other criteria. This money is then made available to the school who then, within set guidelines can make decisions as to the amount to be set toward staffing and goods and services. We are now more responsible for all the costs of operating the school as all monies come from that per student amount.

NAPLAN

NAPLAN testing for 2015 will take place from the 12th May to 14th May for students in years 3 and 5. These students will have an information pamphlet on the assessment attached to this newsletter.

Chaplain

Every second Tuesday this term we welcome Mark Craine to Eneabba. Mark works and assists in the classrooms with the students and teachers. He also does activities with the students to build cooperation, resilience, team work and our school values.

Student Attendance

Attendance has a significant impact on learning and we are required to ensure that we do everything we can to keep our good attendance record (94.7% in 2014). We are required to follow up on all absences and record an explanation. With the implementation of the Student Centred Funding attendance data plays an important role in the development of the school's profile and hence future funding. Thank you for the great job Eneabba parents do in informing us of their child's/children's absences.

Assembly

This Tuesday the senior room will be hosting our first assembly for the year. Assembly will take place at 2.00pm in the undercover area. We look forward to seeing you there.

Swimming Carnival

The school swimming carnival will be held at the Eneabba Swimming Pool, 6th March, with the first event commencing at 9:30am. The main emphasis of the day is on fun and participation. With the loss of the year 7 from Primary School there will be a change in the makeup of the divisions and in some event's distances. Junior yr1-2, Intermediate yr3-4, Senior yr5-6. For our faction carnival Pre-primaries will be considered Juniors.

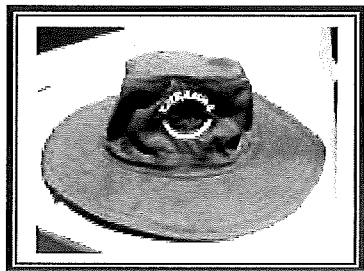
If you are able to assist on the day please contact the office to be allocated a job. A thank you to all those parents who have already volunteered to help on the day. Students are required to come to school as per usual and are asked to ensure they have their faction shirt, bathers, recess/ lunch, water bottle, towel, sunscreen and hat for the day. In addition to traditional swimming events a number of novelty games will be held throughout the day. Please also be aware that the supervision of children below compulsory school age (i.e. younger than Pre-Primary) is the responsibility of parents and staff will not be asked to take duty of care of them. The interschool carnival will be at Eneabba this year on the 27th March.

Best wishes
Allan Whittome

NEWSLETTER

NO HAT - NO PLAY
policy will be enforced.

All students need to
have their Broad
Brimmed school hat at
school.



Children who do not have
a hat will have to
stay in the shade of the
verandahs

February

Birthday wishes to:

Jessica Elliot 15th

Feb

Maddison Haskett

&

Isabelle Scott

20th Feb



Fundraising Year 5-6 Canberra Camp

Stuck On You fundraiser, thank you to all the people who have supported this fundraiser. If you need a flyer please come to the office. Letters have been sent out to businesses asking for donations, if you know of any company that may donate, would you please email the school with the contact name and address. Thank you.

Contributions & Charges – Thank you to all the families who have paid ☺

It is important that Contributions are received early in the year, so that the maximum benefit can be made with the received money being spent on consumables and other equipment that your child will use throughout the year. Please contact Mrs Patmore if you wish to discuss payment options. If you are able to do a direct payment to our school bank account that would be very much appreciated.

ENEABBA PRIMARY SCHOOL

ANZ account number 340950926 BSB 016-650

Please use your surname and fees as a reference

Kindergarten \$35.00 per a student

PP – Year 6 \$40.00 per a student

Family – (To a maximum of \$80.00 for 3 or more children)

Eneabba P&C Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting for the P&C
will be held on Tuesday, 25th February at 12.00pm in the Library.

AGENDA

Open Meeting

Election of Office Bearers

Principal's Report

Eneabba Primary School Wish List

Catering

Interschool Swimming Carnival at Eneabba

Canberra Camp

Uniforms

Fundraising

General Business

Library

Parents, can you please remind your child/ren to return their books and bring a library book bag each Tuesday for library day.

P&C Uniform Order

Please find attached to this Newsletter a P&C Uniform order form.

Personal Items

Parents can you please ensure that all your children/s belongings are **clearly** marked with their names, ie hats, lunch boxes & lids, drink bottles etc. Thank you!

Bus Notification to the school and bus drivers

Just a little reminder to parents to please advise both the school office and the bus drivers if your child/ren will be not on the bus, ie walking to the pool after school. Thank you!

Jo 0427 531 366 Gavin 0488 064 437 Channel 7.

Coorow Primary School P&C Quiz Night

Friday 27th March in Coorow please see attached flyer.

MISSION STATEMENT

To ensure students at Eneabba Primary School develop the knowledge, skills and understanding that will enable them to engage effectively with and prosper in a globalised world.



WEST MIDLANDS
GROUP

Seasonal Updates

Tuesday 10 March

Badgingarra Community Centre

Cost: \$20 for WMG members & \$50 non members includes catering

West Midlands Group AGM at 8:00am

Seasonal Updates at 9:00am

- * Variable Rate Technology (VRT) - Frank D'Emden, Precision Agronomics
- * A farmer's perspective of VRT - Erin Cahill, agVivo
- * Animal Welfare Overview - Lynne Bradshaw, RSPCA
- * Concurrent sessions on cropping & livestock
- * Agribusiness presentations



**Work life balance & stress
with guest speaker Mark McKeon**

RSVP by Wednesday 4 March to WMG Office ph: 9651 4008

Diamond Sponsors:



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Event Sponsors:





Eneabba General Store



**WEST MIDLANDS
GROUP**

Livestock Expo

1:00pm Thursday 12 March

Eneabba Recreational & Sporting Club

Free Event: light lunch provided

Key Topics:

- * The importance of reporting sheep diseases - Dr Kevin Hepworth, DAFWA
- * Scabby mouth - Paul Mahoe, Wellards International
- * Animal health treatments & With Holding Periods - Dr Susan Swaney, Virbac
- * Mini dog training demonstration - Dave Lacey
- * Yearly timetable for sheep treatments to improve efficiencies - David Mills



Sundowner BBQ & drinks

RSVP by Wednesday 11 March to Eneabba General Store ph: 9955 1524



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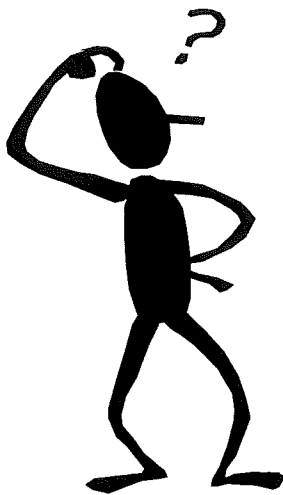


Event Sponsors:



COOROW P&C

Quiz Night



**Friday 27th March
2015**

Maley Park, Coorow

Prize for the best dressed themed table

Come along with your table of 8 dressed as your theme choice, for example a table of pirates, a table of celebrities, or a disco dressed themed table, the choice is yours

TABLES OF 8

7.00PM START - Bar opens at 6.30PM

Entry: \$10.00 per head

BYO Nibbles

Free babysitting available

Prizes Galore and Auction

RSVP: COOROW PRIMARY SCHOOL

**Jayne Cullen 9952 1043 or
jayne.cullen@education.wa.edu.au**

Aldridge calls for Department of Mines and Petroleum to prioritise public interest

There needs to be greater transparency and easier access to information regarding potential contamination of land and water in onshore gas operations, according to Nationals WA Member for the Agricultural Region Hon Martin Aldridge MLC.

Mr Aldridge tabled a series of contamination reports relating to a site near Gingin in the Legislative Council on Thursday after months of applications and an arduous Freedom of Information process.

Mr Aldridge said despite the fact that no groundwater was found to be contaminated, the process and lack of information provided to neighbouring landholders and the community was not good enough.

"After an approach from concerned residents in late 2013, it has taken until now to get important information to those concerned," Mr Aldridge said.

"It is extremely important to landholders to know that their groundwater is safe to use, and a period of time such as this can quite rightly create unnecessary concern."

The documents tabled were released by the Department of Mines and Petroleum (DMP) and Department of Water (DoW), and include an important groundwater investigation report.

In releasing the documents under the *Freedom of Information Act 1992*, the DMP ruling made reference to the importance of this information to the public and the fact that the community has the right to be informed about issues affecting water quality.

Mr Aldridge said this ruling showed the importance of providing critical information to landholders and the public.

"The more information the public has about onshore gas operations and its impact on the environment, the more easily they will be able to make informed decisions about the industry," Mr Aldridge said.

"The industry in Western Australia can only succeed with the support of the community and integral to that is transparency and accountability by industry and the regulator.

"We need to make sure the public can have confidence in what these companies do."

In addition to tabling the documents, Mr Aldridge has also had discussions about regulations surrounding the industry with the Ministers for Water and Mines and Petroleum, as well as corresponding with Parliament's Environment and Public Affairs Committee, which is inquiring into the implications of hydraulic fracturing for the State.

Three Springs Football Club is holding a battery drive on Sunday, March the 15th.

If you have any used or old car, truck or AG machinery batteries that you would like to donate to this fundraiser for new goal posts, please call Josh on 0418400277 and I will organise to have them collected on Sunday, March the 15th. Alternatively, you can also drop them off at Landmark Three Springs.



Mingenew Lions Midwest Expo

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Web www.mingenewexpo.com.au

POSITIONS VACANT

The Mingeneew Lions Midwest Expo has the following volunteer positions available.

Expo Coordinator/Chairperson

The Coordinator shall be responsible for the following;

- Chairing of meetings between February and October
- Liaise with administration staff in regards to the daily running of administration activities
- Make executive decisions with administration staff as required between committee meetings
- Be available to conduct interviews for radio and print media prior & post event
- Oversee and facilitate meetings with the section leaders to ensure all work crew are operational for the event
- Deal with any resolutions for exhibitors that may arise at the event

Vice Coordinator

The Vice Coordinator shall be responsible for the following;

- Assisting the Coordinator in any required capacity
- Chair meetings when Coordinator is not available
- Make executive decisions with the Coordinator and administration staff as required between committee meetings
- Assist with overseeing section leaders to ensure all work crew are operational for the event

**Please forward nominations for this position to the secretary by
10 March 2015.**

For further information, please visit the website www.mingenewexpo.com.au or contact the secretary 08 9928 1138 (Wednesdays & Thursdays).

Kym McGlinn

Secretary

Mingenew Lions Midwest Expo

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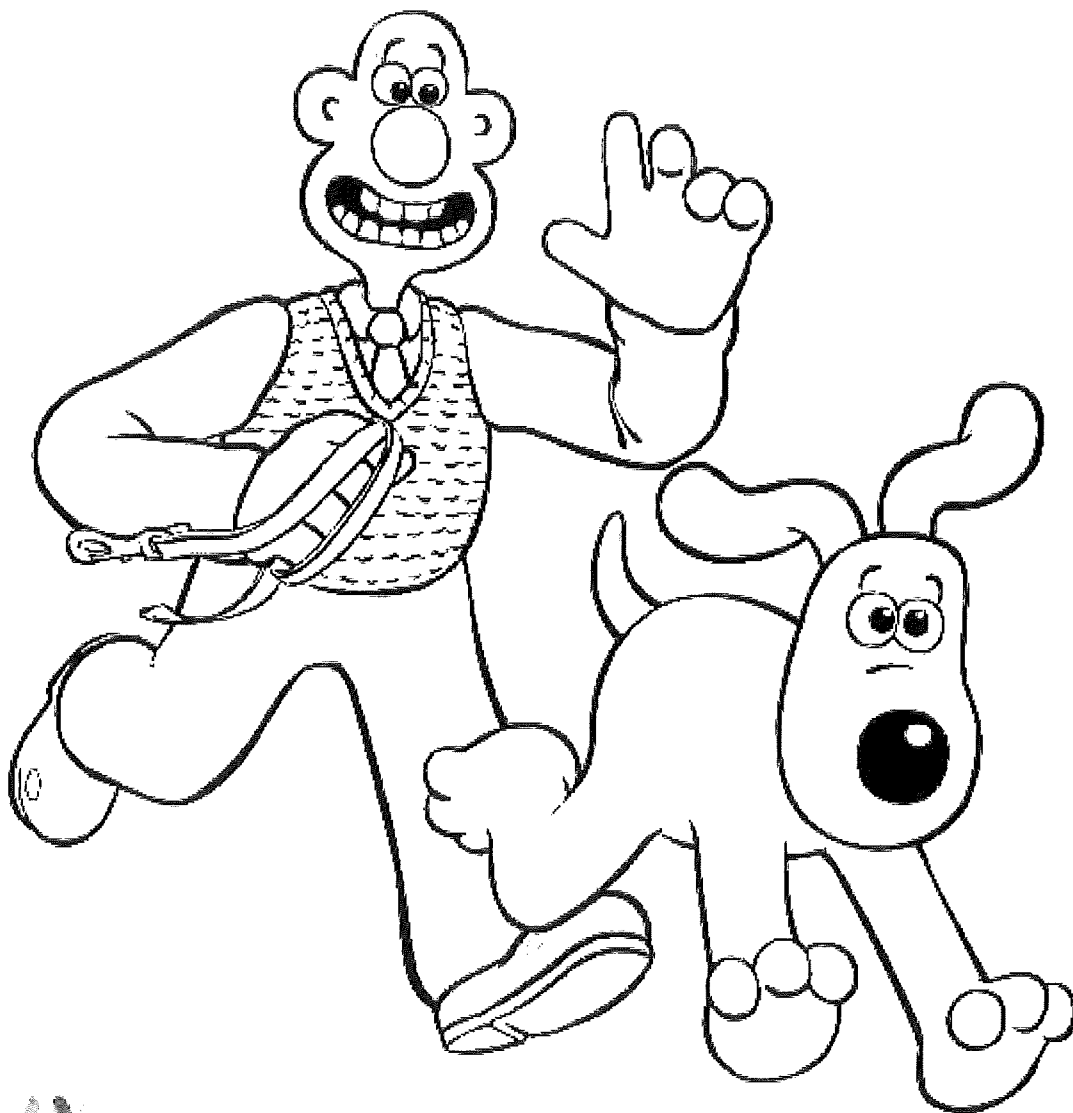
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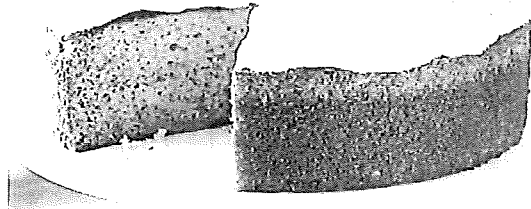
WALLACE & GROMIT



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Banana cake with cream cheese frosting



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To Cook
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SERVINGS

Use up over-ripe bananas to create a crowd-pleasing afternoon-tea cake.

Ingredients

- ☐ Melted butter, to grease
- ☐ 125g butter, at room temperature
- ☐ 315g (1 1/2 cups) caster sugar
- ☐ 1 1/4 cups mashed overripe banana (about 2 large bananas)
- ☐ 2 eggs
- ☐ 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- ☐ 100ml buttermilk
- ☐ 225g (1 1/2 cups) self-raising flour
- ☐ 1/2 teaspoon bicarbonate of soda
- ☐ 1 banana, extra, to decorate
- ☐ Fresh lemon juice, to brush

Cream cheese frosting

- ☐ 125g cream cheese, at room temperature
- ☐ 50g unsalted butter, at room temperature
- ☐ 230g (1 1/2 cups) icing sugar mixture
- ☐ 1 1/2 teaspoons buttermilk

Method

1. Preheat oven to 180°C. Brush a round 20cm (base measurement) cake pan with melted butter to grease. Line the base and side of the pan with non-stick baking paper.
2. Place the butter, sugar, banana, eggs and vanilla in the bowl of a food processor, and process for 2 minutes or until well combined. Add the buttermilk and process until combined.
3. Add the flour and bicarbonate of soda, and process until just combined. Pour the mixture into the prepared pan. Shake the pan to settle the mixture. Bake in oven for 1 hour or until a skewer inserted into the centre comes out clean. Set aside in the pan for 10 minutes to cool slightly, before transferring the cake to a wire rack to cool completely.
4. Meanwhile, to make the cream cheese frosting, use an electric beater to beat the cream cheese and butter in a bowl until well combined. Add the icing sugar and beat until well combined. Add the buttermilk and beat until the mixture is pale and creamy.
5. Place the cake on a serving plate. Spread the cream cheese frosting over the top of the cake.
6. Peel and thinly slice the extra banana. Lightly brush 1 side of each slice of banana with lemon juice. Arrange the banana slices, lemon juice side up, around the edge of the frosting to serve.

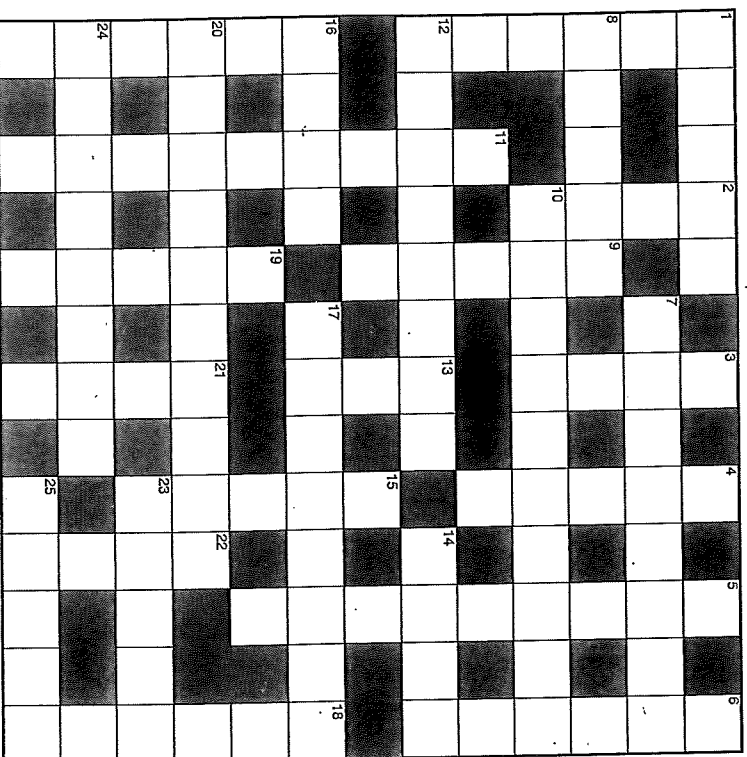
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Medium PUZZLE 61

Crossword 61



ACROSS

1. Shake with fear
7. Library cabinet
8. Surpass
10. Desert gales
12. Marine creature's home
14. Sparrow or canary
16. Bring under control
17. Clearly expressed

DOWN

20. Caving in
23. Light summer dish
24. Plain
25. Unmarried
1. Rations
2. Young goats
3. Narrow river crossing
4. Satirical routines
5. Wig
6. Halted
9. Solemn vows
11. Orange-rind spread
13. Lenient
15. Blueprints
16. Powerful businessman
18. Exchanged
19. Animals of a region
21. Type
22. Acquire

Word Search 61

Emotional

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- AFFECTION

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- DUBIOUS

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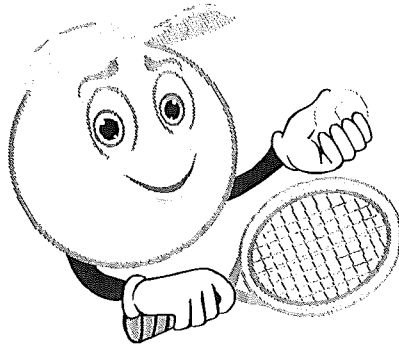
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BADGINGARRA TENNIS CLUB



MIXED DOUBLES OPEN DAY

SATURDAY, 7TH MARCH 2015

START TIME TO BE ADVISED – DEPENDS ON NOMINATIONS

\$20 PER PLAYER, INCLUDES AFTERNOON TEA AND DINNER

Please nominate pairs to Matt on 042 9652 918 or theshiralee@Activ8.net.au

By Thursday, 5th March

Late nominations will be considered, just give Matt a call.

If you can't find a partner, give Matt a call anyway because he may be able to find you one.

NEWS FROM THE BOMBERS HANGER

2015 Pre Season Commences

There was a great turnout for our first training session last Thursday - 20 keen men determined to get fit, and for some, keen to start losing a bit of excess weight! You don't have to play football to join in our training sessions. Anyone is more than welcome to attend each Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 5.30pm, with a bbq following training on Thursdays. A huge thanks to Dennis Agri Services in sponsoring refreshments on our first night and providing training footballs to start the season.

Our season kicks off on April 18th and we have a couple of scratch matches planned before then, so pre season participation is crucial if our team is to succeed this year. As many in the community may already know, Bryce Kennedy has been appointed our League Coach for 2015. Bryce comes from Geraldton and played with us last season. He brings with him a huge commitment and pledge for our club to succeed this coming season. Bryce works at Golden Grove mine and will be driving from there every Thursday for training so it is expected that there will be the same level of commitment from everyone else.

Best wishes and speedy recovery to Justin Crudeli, who is recovering in Perth from a traffic accident he was involved in recently.

Big thanks to Chad Eva who has taken on the nippers coaching role this year. He will be ably assisted by Wayne Mutter and Darren Goodes. I am sure they will carry on the fantastic work that Justin Mutter has done.

NEEDED: We require an **Under Nines Coach** or coaches for this coming season. So if your child is playing and you are up for a rewarding challenge please let me know on 0429 165 235 or FB comment your availability.

NEEDED: We are in need of a **Sports Trainer/Strapper** as Chad Eva has retired due to Nippers commitments. He has done a fantastic job not only for our footballers but also netball and hockey for many seasons. We can provide you with training courses if you are not qualified for this wonderful opportunity to be involved in your local sporting club. Call me on 0429 165 235 or FB comment your interest or call Chad on 0427 541 778 to discuss what is involved.

For the latest up-to-date news on our club happenings please like our Facebook page at *Three Springs Football Club*.

Regards

Jim Heal
President

on on again...

Carnamah Triathlon

SATURDAY 28 MARCH 2014

From 2:00pm at the Carnamah Pool

ENTRICER C: Swim: 300m/Cycle 7.5km/Run 2km

ENTRICER B: Swim: 150m/Cycle 5km/Run 1km

ENTRICER A: Swim: 50m/Cycle 2.5km/Run 500m

Get training and tackle your Entricer as an individual
or join the fun and get a team together

FREE to participate - FREE pool entry – Thanks Shire of Carnamah!

**BBQ, refreshments and a hit of Tennis held afterwards at the
Carnamah Tennis Club. Everyone welcome!**

Please call or email event coordinators for more information and your
Entry Form. All willing helpers required on the day.
Please register your interest today.

Entry Forms due by Sunday 22 March.

EVENT COORDINATORS:

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Angela Dring P: 9951 1036 E: lindum.1926@bigpond.com

ALL AGES - swim ride run
