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WESTONIA AMBULANCE NEWS

A big thank you and farewell to our two highly qualified and experienced volunteer ambulance officers, Steve and Lorraine Filetti. We really appreciate the time and efforts you have put into our ambulance service for our community and you will be sincerely missed.

With the departure of Steve and Lorraine in mid August, the Westonia ambulance will be reduced to only three local driver/ assistant volunteers. 000 calls will be covered from nearby town crews until current volunteers can be higher trained and more people volunteer.

It would be great to have some new faces who reside in town to become a volunteer ambulance officer. If you would like to reaister vou can apply online vip@stjohnwa.com.au or phone Bryan Close on 0409825317.

Council would like to thank Steve and Lorraine for their contributions and wish them well for their future.



GREAT EASTERN HIGHWAY ROAD WORKS **UPDATE FROM MAIN ROADS**

Main Roads are continuing road works on Great Eastern Highway:

- 1. Walgoolan Bridge Replacement construction is continuing and a side track is in place to limit the impact on traffic. The road is being widened for around 6 kilometres and in the summer months there will be lane closures with minor delays when the new and old roads are joined. Works are due for completion in December 2023.
- 2. Bodallin 15 kilometres of Great Eastern Highway around Bodallin is being widened. Works also include a new two-kilometre eastbound passing lane between Bodallin and Moorine Rock, construction of a new westbound rest area between Bodallin and Moorine Rock and a realignment to the Bodallin townsite. Earthworks and culvert replacements are currently in progress in Bodallin. Around 8 kilometres of side tracks are in place and operational to limit the impact on traffic. In the summer months, earthworks and service relocations will be completed and the road sealed which will involve lane closures and minor delays. Works are due for completion in April 2024.
- Moorine Rock 1 kilometre of road around Moorine Rock Bridge will be widened installed. Works will and guardrail recommence around September and are due for completion in October 2023. Intersection upgrades are also planned for Parker Range Road including widening at the intersection-Works are due to commence in October 2023 and for completion by April 2024.



WESTONIA BOOK CLUB

WANDERERS STADIUM
MONDAY THE 31ST OF JULY
5:30PM
BRING TWO BOOKS AND A
PLATE OF FOOD TO SHARE

With more and more parents working outside the home, Below is the link for the expression of interest for the daycare within Westonia.

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/GHTP8HF



Happy Birthdo

1st July: Leon Guest

5th July: Jody Nicoletti-Priest

7th July: Daimon Geier

8th July: Gail Lane

12th July: Amy Corsini, Angus Townrow

13th July: Julie Nicoletti

21st July: Tash Crees

22nd July: Joan McDowall

24th July: Peter Crews

25th July: Ryan Bright

26th July: Brendon Crees

29th July: John & Frank Corsini

30th July: Kathy Paust, Stacey Price,

Sandra West

31st July: Tim Blyth





EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

A local gentleman has made a suggestion that we have a regular cards evening.

It has also been suggested we start up a Community Veggie Garden.

We are chasing expressions of interest for both of these activities. Please contact the Shire with your thoughts on this.

Thanks, Kerry



COMMUNITY WELLBEING NEWS

activities for the community.

On Friday the 7th of July, a few ladies spent the day over at the CRC building doing some dot painting. They painted coasters made out of wood cut by Doug Hermon and created some beautiful pieces!





Friday the 14th of July, a small group spent their morning at the Shire Depot to complete driving lessons on their gophers. They learnt about road rules and participated in a gymkhana course made by Jonesy and Scott. The morning was full of laughter and those who were involved were awarded a certificate of achievement. A massive thank you to Jonesy and Scott for making up the course!!





Check out the calendar on the back page for next fortnights events!



It has been a busy few weeks with a lot of GOLF NEW

SUNDAY THE 9TH OF JULY WAS A CLUB DAY, A GREAT WARM AFTERNOON GREETED THE GOLFERS. MENS WINNER WAS: ROHAN DAY WOMANS WINNER: **LESLIE DOWNSBOROUGH**

SUNDAY THE 16TH WAS THE ALLAN DAY MEMORIAL SHIELD AND THE SECOND ROUND OF CHAMPIONSHIPS, 8 MEN AND 6 LADIES PLAYED ON ABSOLUTLEY GORGEOUS AFTERNOON. ONCE AGAIN THANK YOU TO THE DAY FAMILY ROHAN, KARIN, WILL, KATIE AND HARRY FOR EVERYTHING YOU DO FOR OUR LITTLE CLUB IT DOES NOT GO UNNOTICED AND IS **GREATLY** APPRECIATED. THERE WERE SOME GREAT SCORES FOR THE DAY.. WILL DAY MADE HIS FAMILY VERY PROUD BY TAKING HOME THE SHIELD MENS WINNER: JOEL CORSINI MENS R/UP: ASH GEIER WOMANS WINNER: HEATHER LOCKYER, A VERY WARM WELCOME TO HEATHER WHO HAS JOINED US THIS SEASON AND SETTLED VERY EASILY INTO THE WESTONIAN LIFESTYLE. WOMANS R/UP: LANI HALE

> **UPCOMING EVENTS** 22 JULY EDGA FOURSOMES 23 JULY NOKANNING CUP 28 JULY HYDEN 4BBB ANY COMBINATION 29/30 WANT CUP HYDEN

SHINGLES VACCINATION **NOW AVAILABLE**

CONTACT THE SHIRE ON **9046 7063 TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT WITH NURSE PRACTITIONER** LAURA BLACK





ITS HERE! WESTONIA HOME CARE SERVICE

After many months of hardwork by Shire Staff, Westonia can now provide you with a Home Care Package. This includes Nursing, Cleaning and Gardening services available through your home care package funding.

It is possible to change over from your current provider to Westonia Home Care Service.

Please provide expressions of interest to Stacey Geier at the Shire by ringing 9046 7063

OUR SERVICES:

- Personal care (help with showering/ dressing)
- Home Maintenance Service (gardening & cleaning)
- Transport to appointments & activities
- Meals, food preparation, nutrition advice
- Nursing (managing medication)
- Allied health (podiatry, physiotherapy etc.)

CONTACT US



9046 7063



community@westonia.wa.gov.au



REGISTRATION OPEN!!

GO TO OUR WEBSITE EVENT CALENDAR WWW.WESTONIA.WA.GOV.AU OR EMAIL COMMUNITY@WESTONIA.WA.GOV.AU FOR A REGISTRATION FORM

THINGS TO KNOW:

- TEAMS WILL CONSIST OF 1-10 PEOPLE INCLUDING SUPPORT CREW.
- TEAMS WILL PROVIDE THEIR OWN SUPPORT VEHICLE.
- REGISTRATIONS CLOSE ON THE 14TH OF AUGUST. NO LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
- FREE CAMPING AVAILABLE
- IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US AFTER 5PM AT THE REC GROUND FOR THE CHARITY AUCTION, MEAL AND ENTERTAINMENT IT IS \$20/ADULT, SENIORS AND KIDS UNDER 12YRS \$10 BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE SHIRE ON 9046 7063





Westonia Co-Op & Cafe & Post Office





Pumpkin Soup \$3.50 with a bun



& slippers and if we don't have your size we are placing an order soon, please see Jocelyn



Fantastic Noodle Cups \$1.00

Cafe Open Monday to Friday 8.30am to 2pm Hot chips, Burgers, Seafood, Fish & Chips, Meat & Salad Bowls

Order ahead: 90467222

Soup Packs \$5.20

Opening Hours Mon 8.30am - 5.00pm Tue 8.30am - 5.00pm Wed 8.30am - 6.30pm Thur 8.30am - 5.00pm Fri 8.30am - 5.00pm We have a range of Uggs Sat 8.30am - 12.00pm



Cooked Chooks Monday & Friday

DROP IN AND BROWSE OUR SELECTION OR PLACE AN ORDER 90467222





Underground Fuel Tank

The Westonia Progress Association has a 30,000L (2 x 15,000L compartments) underground Fuel Tank for sale as it is surplus to needs. The tank has been refurbished, cleaned, pressure tested, new fittings (including Dura underground pipe to connect tank to bowser and line to vent) and repainted with rubber compound.

Asking Price is \$10k

Contact Bill on 0427 467 063







Dining table and chairs In good condition \$700

Contact Bill - 0427 467 063





NUNGARIN

Wheathelt Markets

Sunday 6th August 2023

8am to 12noon

A great family day out! Heaps of stalls in the main street & hall.

"Lurl's Train" will be running to entertain the children.

Sausage Sizzle - yummy bacon & egg burger or sausage in a bun.

Check out the "Op Shop" - full to bursting with all kinds of goods.

Free table out the front!

Café open in the hall - soup, sandwiches, scones, tea & coffee.

Call 90465174 or email

nungarinwheatbeltmarkets@gmail.com to book a stall.

Something for everyone at the Nungarin Wheatbelt Markets!!!



Advertising costs:

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1/4 page colour \$7.50
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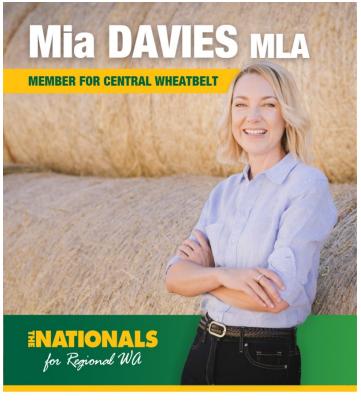
please email westonian@westonia.wa.gov.au. for more information.

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Have you got news?

If you would like to share news or information with the Westonian community, please email westonian@westonia.wa.gov.au.



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| SATURDAY | 22 JULY | 29 JULY | 5 AUGUST | 13 AUGUST |
| FRIDAY | 21 JULY | 28 JULY Movie night at the Old Miners Hall. Starting at 6:00PM \$15 burgers + chips BYO drinks Free Entry | 4 AUGUST Morning Melodies at Cummins Theatre \$15 per head Please RSVP to Shire on 9046 7063 by the 28th of July | 12 AUGUST |
| THURSDAY | council Hydro pool therapy. Bus leaving CRC at 8:30AM BINGO at CRC | 27 JULY Hydro pool therapy. Bus leaving CRC at 8:30AM BINGO at CRC 1:00PM-3:30PM | 3 AUGUST Hydro pool therapy. Bus leaving CRC at 8:30AM BINGO at CRC 1:00PM-3:30PM | 11 AUGUST Hydro pool therapy. Bus leaving CRC at 8:30AM BINGO at CRC |
| WEDNESDAY | Scenic drive through local crops and lunch at Jimmy Chinese, Merredin. Bus leaving CRC at 10:30AM | 26 JULY Christmas in July lunch at the Tavern. \$35 a head 12:00PM Lunch All are Welcome | 2 AUGUST Local government week Come find out what your Shire provides with a talk by Jasmine Geier at 10AM at the CRC | 10 AUGUST |
| TUESDAY | 18 JULY | 25 JULY Laura Black Scrabble at Old CRC 1:00PM - 4:00PM | 1 AUGUST Laura Black Scrabble at Old CRC 1:00PM - 4:00PM | 9 AUGUST Laura Black Scrabble at Old CRC 1:00PM - 4:00PM |
| MONDAY | 17 JULY | 24 JULY Westonia Craft Group with Kay Geier | 31 JULY Westonia Craft Group with Kay Geier. Book club at the Wanderers Stadium, 5:30PM. Bring 2 books and a plate of food to share. | 8 AUGUST Westonia Craft Group with Kay Geier. |
| SUNDAY | 16 JULY | 23 JULY | 30 JULY | 7 AUGUST |