



The Westonian



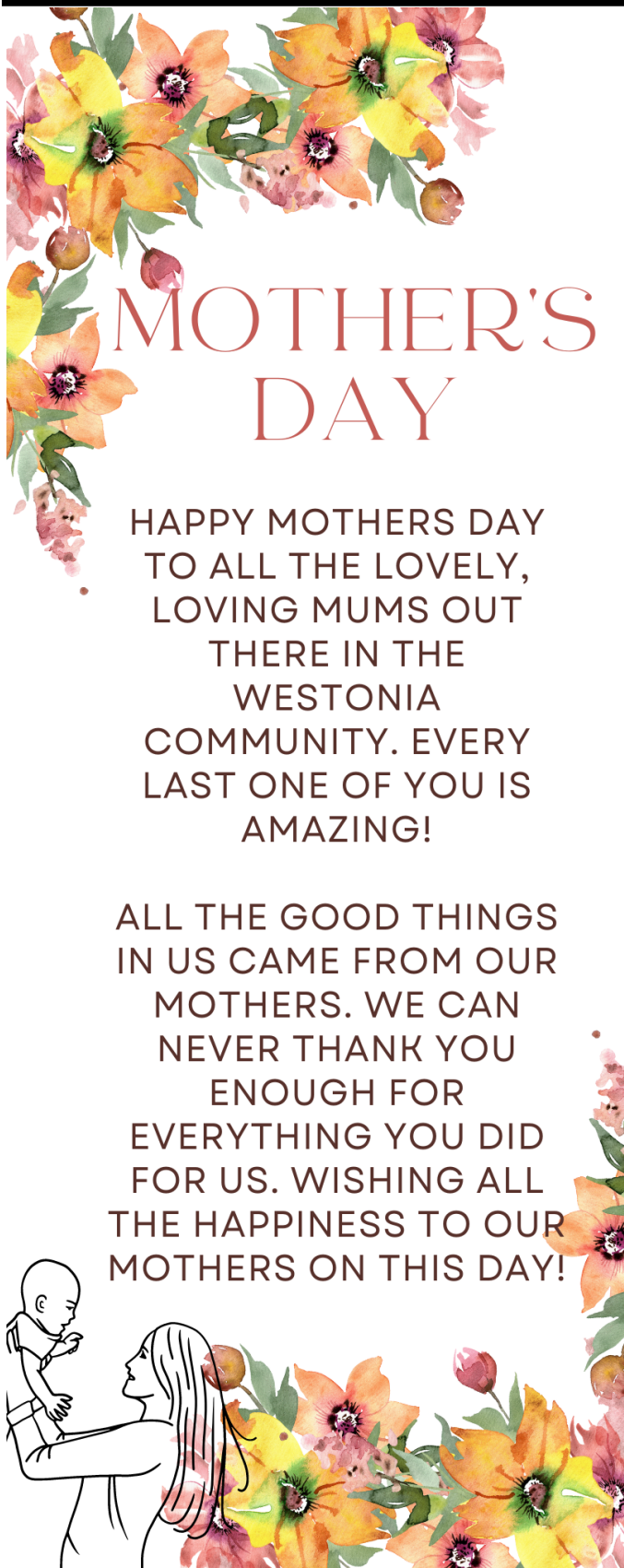
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MOTHER'S DAY

HAPPY MOTHERS DAY TO ALL THE LOVELY, LOVING MUMS OUT THERE IN THE WESTONIA COMMUNITY. EVERY LAST ONE OF YOU IS AMAZING!

ALL THE GOOD THINGS IN US CAME FROM OUR MOTHERS. WE CAN NEVER THANK YOU ENOUGH FOR EVERYTHING YOU DID FOR US. WISHING ALL THE HAPPINESS TO OUR MOTHERS ON THIS DAY!



Westonia Old Miners Hall came to life on Monday 8th May 2023 with Pre-Primary - Year 3 students from St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Southern Cross travelled to Westonia to see Snowy and the Seven Cool Dudes. Thank you to Jally Entertainment for bringing this funny production to Westonia.

The show was an interactive, educational and fun performance for children. Target audience of 3–11 years.

Snow White is becoming more beautiful every day and the Wicked Queen is not happy, so she has decided to send Snow White away, to get rid of her once and for all. The Magic Mirror has warned The Wicked Queen this is a huge mistake – Snow White is beautiful on the inside and the outside too, everyone likes her. The Queen isn't listening, and she orders The Hunter from her Palace to take Snow White into the forest and leave her there... forever!

Meanwhile, the Cool Dudes have decided it's time that they started making healthier food choices and doing some exercise – they can't sit around eating junk food and playing video games for hours on end. It's time to get outside and enjoy the day!

During this interactive production, children enjoyed the opportunity of role-play as they were invited to become a variety of characters – including The Cool Dudes – that love to rap! The off-stage action continued with song and dance for the rest of the audience.



AVAILABILITY OF ANNUAL REPORT 2021/22 and ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF ELECTORS

The Annual General Meeting of Electors will be held on Thursday 16th June 2023 at the Old Miners Hall, Wolfram Street, Westonia commencing at 6.00pm.

The purpose of the meeting of electors is to discuss the Annual Report for 2021/2022 and any other general business.

Bill Price
Chief Executive Officer

RAC STREETSCAPE LAUNCH

The community is aware of the new streetscape initiatives being carried out on Wolfram Street which has been supported by a grant from RAC.

The new installations have included the murals, little shops, street lighting, footpaths, bike racks and new seating shelters yet to be installed in front of the Old Miners Hall.

To officially launch the project, an event is scheduled for

Thursday 18 May

12.30pm

Verandah of the Westonia Community Cooperative

Community members are encouraged to attend.

ANNUAL REPORT AVAILABILITY

The Annual Report of the Shire of Westonia for 2021/22 is available for inspection at the Shire Office, Wolfram Street Westonia during office hours or via the Shire Website www.westonia.wa.gov.au.

2021-22 Annual Report

SHIRE OF WESTONIA
 A vibrant community lifestyle



Happy Birthday



3rd May: Rebecca Barnett

4th May: Zeta Mather

6th May: Kerry Townrow

7th May: Maree Le Moignan

12th May: Ian (Possum) Stevens

13th May: Ivan Paust

14th May: Jazmine Parker

16th May: Blake Parker

18th May: Walter Geier

19th May: Renae Corsini, Karin Love

22nd May: Ethan Glass

23rd May: Lewis Parker

24th May: Dave Junk

25th May: Ashley Geier

29th May: Keith Downsborough



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO LEVY DIFFERENTIAL RATES 2023/2024

PURSUANT TO SECTION 6.33 AND 6.36 OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO RATEPAYERS OF THE INTENTION OF THE SHIRE OF WESTONIA TO IMPOSE THE FOLLOWING DIFFERENTIAL AND MINIMUM RATES FOR THE 2023/2024 RATING YEAR. THIS RATE IS TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION COUNCIL'S DECISION AT APRIL MEETING TO IMPOSE A 5% RATE INCREASE.
5% RATE INCREASE.
RATE IN THE DOLLAR

Category	Rate in the \$	Minimum Rate \$
GRV General	7.9833	370.00
GRV Mining	22.4171	370.00

THE OBJECT AND REASONS FOR EACH PROPOSED RATE MAY BE INSPECTED AT THE SHIRE OFFICE, WOLFRAM STREET, WESTONIA DURING NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS OR BY VISITING OUR WEBSITE WWW.WESTONIA.WA.GOV.AU. ALL SUBMISSIONS IN WRITING WITH REFERENCE TO THE PROPOSED DIFFERENTIAL RATES OR MINIMUM PAYMENTS SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THE SHIRE OF WESTONIA NO LATER THAN 4.00PM MONDAY 22 MAY 2023.

BILL PRICE
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
SHIRE OF WESTONIA
PHONE: 9046 7063
EMAIL: CEO@WESTONIA.WA.GOV.AU

Shire Office Closure

WA DAY

Please note the Shire Offices and Public Library will be closed on the following public holidays:
Monday—5th June 2023



MAY LOCAL COMMUNITY EVENTS

THURSDAY
11

SIT DOWN EXERCISES AT REC CENTRE 10:00AM TO 11:00AM
CARPET BOWLS AT REC CENTRE 1:00PM TO 4:00PM

FRIDAY
12

MOTHERS DAY MORNING TEA AT THE OLD CRC 10:30AM

TUESDAY
16

'HEAL' EXERCISES AT THE OLD MINERS HALL STARTING AT 9:30AM

WEDNESDAY
17

SENIORS SAFETY CHAT WITH MERREDIN POLICE AT THE OLD MINERS HALL. TIME TO BE ARRANGED

THURSDAY
18

HYRDO POOL THERAPY IN MERREDIN. BUS LEAVES THE OLD CRC AT 8:45AM. RSVP TO THE SHIRE. \$7 WITH PENSIONER CONCESSION APPLIED

FRIDAY
19

BRING YOUR OWN PROJECT TO THE SEWING ROOM AND BRING MORNING TEA TO SHARE
9:30AM-12:30PM

TUESDAY
23

SCRABBLE AT OLD CRC 1PM-4PM

SUNDAY
28

BIGGEST MORNING TEA AT THE OLD MINERS HALL 10:30AM

GORGEOUS CAT IN NEED OF A NEW HOME

Lil's 3 year old marmalade male desexed cat in Westonia needs a good home. Likes people and a good purrer. Any enquiries please phone Adie on 0438 616 246.

Westonia CRC Tupperware Fundraising Party!!



The Westonia CRC are hosting a Tupperware Party to raise money for the Cancer Council's Biggest morning tea.

I will be donating 10% of sales and \$20 for every party booked back to the Cancer Council.

You can shop anytime through the ordering link below or by scanning the QR code above or by contacting Marie Bartlett on 0417 458 223.

<https://tinyurl.com/westoniacrc>

The party will run from the 8th to the 21st of May via Facebook - ask to be added to the party!!

Thank you for your support



The Westonia CRC along with Liz Richter are hosting an online Tupperware party. We are celebrating Tupperware's 62nd Birthday, but we are also raising money for the Cancer Council's Biggest morning tea! We would love for you to join the party using the link below. Please spread the word as the more Tupperware we sell, the more money we raise. Thank you for your support!
https://www.facebook.com/groups/891144928656022/?ref=share_group_link



Government of Western Australia
North Metropolitan Health Service



Have a **FREE** screening mammogram every two years. **Once is not enough.**



Women 40 years and over with no breast symptoms are eligible for a **FREE** screening mammogram. BreastScreen WA's mobile will be at:

Bruce Rock

Bruce Rock Memorial Hospital,
35 Dunstall Street

22/05/2023 - 25/05/2023

Dates may be subject to change. If visit dates are not suitable, participants are welcome to book at the clinic in a different town or at any of our [permanent clinics](#).

Book online

www.breastscreen.health.wa.gov.au
or call 13 20 50



WHEATBELT WAY OPEN GARDEN

EXPRESSIONS OF INTERESTS

We are looking for any keen gardeners willing to open their garden to the public for **"Wheatbelt Way Open Gardens"** from Thurs 12th - Sun 15th October 2023

- Gardens can be of any size and style
- Booklets and Maps will be produced to mark your garden on the trail.
- Only open on days and times that suit you
- Share knowledge and interests with like minded people

For more information or to register contact:
Sharon Kett - Bencubbin CRC Ph: 9685 1007
Donna Putt - 0428 862 031
by the 15th July, 2023



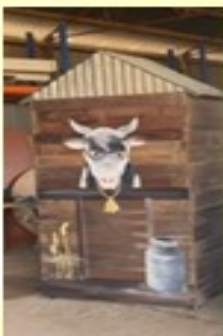
Australia's
Biggest Morning Tea

Scan the QR code to donate

FOLLOW US ON

Instagram
@shireofwestonia

What are Your Thoughts on the RAC Streetscape Project?



Do you like the freshening up of the little shop next to the Coop, the new murals, heritage lights and the 4 new little shops? What are your thoughts on how Westonia's main street looks?

Have your say in our Survey Monkey survey.

The survey is available from Monday 14th of May to Friday 19th of May. We'd love to hear your feedback and the survey is anonymous.



To access the survey just type in the below link:



<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FBMBYXP>



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



SHIRE OF
WESTONIA
A vibrant community lifestyle

Caravan Park Caretaker

An information Package is
Available on the Shire Website

*A relaxed atmosphere, wide open spaces
in a quiet country wheatbelt town.*

**Applications Closing
17 May 2023 @ 5PM**

Visit: www.westonia.wa.gov.au

Facebook: @ShireofWestonia



On-site accommodation with electricity, water & WIFI is offered. Our caravan park offers a relaxed atmosphere, wide open spaces in a quiet country wheatbelt town.

If you think this position would suit you and are interested in more information please either call Stacey Geier on (08) 9046 7063, email community@westonia.wa.gov.au or please visit the Shire Website

[https://www.westonia.wa.gov.au/Profiles/westonia/Assets/ClientData/Caravan Park Caretaker Advert PD April 2023.pdf](https://www.westonia.wa.gov.au/Profiles/westonia/Assets/ClientData/Caravan_Park_Caretaker_Advert_PD_April_2023.pdf)



GOLF NEWS

ON SUNDAY THE 30TH OF APRIL WE HELD OUR OPENING DAY WHICH WAS OUR PIP & ELSIE DELLA BOSCA SHIELD. OUR PATRON ROSS DELLA BOSCA OPENED THE SEASON WITH AN EXPLOSIVE HIT OFF NUMBER 1 TEE. UNFORTUNATELY WE HAD NO ONE TAKING A PHOTO THIS YEAR. WE HAD 7 PAIRS PLAY A 2 PERSON AMBROSE. OUR WINNERS WERE STACEY & ASHLEY GEIER WITH A GREAT NETT SCORE OF 60 1/4. RUNNERS UP WERE KARIN & HARRY DAY WITH 62 NETT. WE HAD OUR A.G.M. AND OUR NEW PRESIDENT IS PETER ANTONIO, SECRETARY - AINSLIE FAITHFULL, TREASURER—JOCELYN ANTONIO, CAPTAIN TO BE SORTED OUT BETWEEN NIGEL EDGECOMBE & STEVE HALE. THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO FILLED POSITIONS.

OUR MEMBERSHIP FEES HAVE REMAINED THE SAME AGAIN WITH:

SENIOR MEMBERSHIP \$80

SOCIAL/ HIGH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP \$50

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP \$5

GREEN FEES SENIOR \$5 JUNIOR \$2.50

BANK DETAILS : COMMONWEALTH BANK
066518 ACC NO 00901150

LAST WEEK WAS A CLUB DAY WITH 9 GOLFERS ENJOYING THE LOVELY WEATHER AND OUR WINNER WAS JOEL CORSINI WITH 41 PTS FROM HARRY DAY ON 40PTS.

THIS WEEK IS OUR MOTHERS DAY TROPHY SPONSORED BY ASH & STACEY GEIER WHICH WILL BE A 2 PERSON AMBROSE, PLEASE BRING A CASSEROLE TO SHARE FOR TEA.

NEXT WEEK THE 21ST MAY WILL BE A CLUB DAY. SEE YOU ON THE COURSE!



Government of Western Australia
North Metropolitan Health Service



Have a **FREE** screening mammogram every two years. Once is not enough.



Women 40 years and over with no symptoms are eligible for a **FREE** screening mammogram.

BreastScreen WA's mobile will be at:

Kellerberrin

Kellerberrin Memorial Hospital,
Moore Street

13/06/2023 - 20/06/2023

Dates may be subject to change. If visit dates are not suitable, participants are welcome to book at the clinic in a different town or at any of our [permanent clinics](#).

Book online

www.breastscreen.health.wa.gov.au

or call 13 20 50





WESTONIA BIGGEST MORNING TEA

Sunday 28th May 2023

OLDER MINERS HALL WESTONIA
10.30AM TO 1.00PM

GOLD COIN ENTRY: RAFFLES, WOOD RAFFLE, MONEY
BOARDS, GUESSING GAMES, TABLE QUIZ & LUCKY CHAIR

PLEASE BRING A PLATE OF FOOD TO SHARE AS WE STRIVE
TO BETTER LAST YEARS TOTAL.
ALL ENQUIRIES - LIZ RICHTER 0419199716



Scan to Donate



Morning Melodies

Featuring Sophie Jane

Cummins Theatre
Friday June 9th

Morning Tea at 10.30

Concert starts 11am

Bookings Essential
\$15

Morning Tea is included in ticket price

Get Tickets at Cumminstheatre.com.au
or Central Wheatbelt Visitors Centre



*Our
Deepest
Condolences*

Our sincere condolences goes out to the extended family of Lil Turner. We hope that you may find comfort and solace amongst family and friends.

“Rest in Peace Lil”

(Westonia Iconic Postmaster)

Councillors, Staff and Members of the
Westonia Community.



Westonia Co-Op & Cafe & Post Office



Leftover Easter Bunnies
\$6.00

Don Cabonossi 175g
\$3.50

Big 750g packs of Corn
chips **\$8.00**

Big 1kg packs of Panko
bread Crumbs **\$6.50**



Sunbeam
Currants **\$3**



**Fresh fruit & Veggies in
on Tuesdays**

**Cafe Open Monday to
Friday 8.30am to 2pm**
**Hot chips, Burgers,
Seafood, Fish & Chips**
Order ahead : 90467222

**DON'T FORGET
MOTHERS DAY THIS
SUNDAY**

Opening Hours

Mon 8.30am - 5.00pm

Tue 8.30am - 5.00pm

Wed 8.30am - 6.20pm

Thur 8.30am - 5.00pm

Fri 8.30am - 5.00pm

Sat 8.30am - 12.00pm



Cooked Chooks Monday & Friday

**DROP IN AND BROWSE OUR
SELECTION OR PLACE AN
ORDER 90467222**





HONOURING THE LIFE OF

Lillian Turner

19TH MAY 2023

GRAVE SIDE SERVICE AT
WESTONIA CEMETRY 11:00AM
FOLLOWED BY LIGHT
REFRESHMENTS AT THE OLD
MINERS HALL

RICK WILSON MP

FEDERAL MEMBER FOR O'CONNOR

Working hard for Westonia



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			10 MAY	11 MAY Sit down exercises at rec centre 10:00AM-11:00AM Carpet bowls at rec centre 1:00PM-4:00PM	12 MAY Mothers Day morning tea at old CRC 10:30AM	13 MAY
14 MAY 	15 MAY	16 MAY  Laura Black 'HEAL' exercises at Old Miners Hall starting at 9:30AM	17 MAY Seniors safety chat with Merredin Police at the Old Miners Hall. Time to be arranged	18 MAY  COUNCIL Hydro pool therapy in Merredin. Bus leave Old CRC at 8:45AM RSVP to the Shire. \$7 (Pensioner Concession)	19 MAY Bring your own project to the sewing room and bring morning tea to share. 9:30AM-12:30PM	20 MAY
21 MAY	22 MAY	23 MAY  Laura Black Scrabble at old CRC 1PM - 4PM	24 MAY	25 MAY	26 MAY	27 MAY
28 MAY Biggest Morning tea Old miners hall Starts at 10:30AM	29 MAY	30 MAY  Laura Black	31 MAY	1 JUNE	2 JUNE	3 JUNE