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THE GRAPEVINE



December 12th 2019

Community Notices

GRAPEVINE SURVEY we would love to have your feedback on the Grapevine please follow this link and tell us what you think

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MBH7W9J>

BIRTHDAY LIST would you like your birthdays in the calendar? Please send them into us so we can include them in the Grapevine.

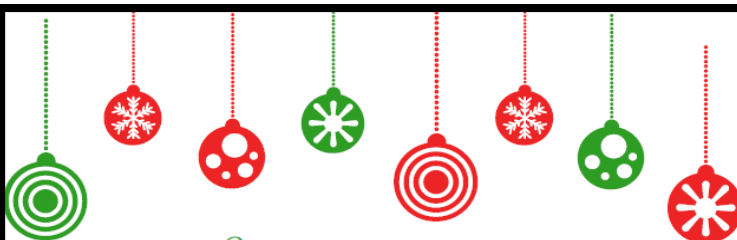
SITUATION VACANT Casual labour required to assist in piggery. 3 days a week for December only. Male or female.

Corackerup Farming. Phone 9841 8946

SUPER 66 Ongerup Primary School P & C super 66 draw - \$25 Jan Slee \$50 Storm Hamersley \$25 Rhonda Pollard

ONGERUP ROADHOUSE Ongerup Roadhouse will be closed from Monday 22nd December and reopen on Sunday 5th January. Fuel will still be available via machine 24 hrs. All of us would like to wish you all a very safe and happy Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

GRAPEVINE The last grapevine for 2019 will be Thursday December 19 and returning January 16th 2020 Thank you to everyone for your support over the past year we hope you and your families have a safe and happy Christmas and look forward to another great year in 2020.



Yongerknow Christmas Lunch \$25pp

Thursday 19th December
@ Yongerknow Cafe, 12.30pm

Please call 9828 2325 to reserve a spot and let us know your main and dessert option.

MAIN OPTIONS

Mozzarella & Sun-Dried Tomato stuffed Chicken with Pesto

Potatoes and Rocket, Tomato and Feta Salad

OR

Greek Lamb Skewers with Tzatziki and Cous Cous Salad

DESSERT OPTIONS

Apple Pie

OR

Pavlova



IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN!

Ongerup Community Christmas Tree

Once Santa has finished, the children will receive an ice-cream and have the opportunity to get their face painted.

FRIDAY 20TH DECEMBER, 2019 | 5 P.M.
ONGERUP TOWN HALL

PLEASE RSVP TO THE ONGERUP CRC ON 9828 2325
FOR CATERING PURPOSES.

Time to get STEAMy
(Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and
Mathematics)

DID YOU KNOW?

The Ongerup CRC has teamed up with Amity Health to provide the little people of our town with some fun learning resources that can be loaned out for FREE!

Program for preschool children:

- 5 different topics to choose from,
- Heaps of activities and resources,
- All have been written so parents or groups can pick up a subject and go!

The topics to choose from are:

1. Mini Beasts
2. Ribbit Ribbit
3. Rainbows
4. Munch Munch
5. How plants grow

For more info and to book out a STEAM pack, contact us on 9828 2325 or pop in!



KIDS CHRISTMAS CRAFT DAY
WITH

A CHRISTMAS FEAST

December 20, 2019 | 11:00 am-2:00 pm
Yongergnow-Ongerup CRC

Bring mum and dad along for a family day of Christmas crafts with an exciting festive lunch provided. Wear your best Christmas outfit!

RSVP essential for catering purposes.
98282325

Please let us know of any dietary requirements as well.



KIDS DANCE CLASSES

7 week program - \$110 per child

Every Wednesday - starting 15th Jan

3-5 year olds @ 3:15pm - 3:45pm

6-10 year olds 3:45pm - 4:20pm

TO BE HELD AT THE
ONGERUP TOWN HALL

CONTACT ONGERUP CRC TO PUT YOUR
CHILDS NAME DOWN
9828 2325 OR ONGERUP@CRC.NET.AU



ONGERUP GYM

2020 GYM MEMBERSHIPS DUE

Anyone wanting to renew or join the gym
please get in touch to pay or be invoiced!

2020 Gym Fees
\$10 Monthly
\$100 Yearly

Code changes monthly. This will be sent to you upon
payment and each month after.

*KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR SOME EXCITING NEW
CLASSES COMING TO ONGERUP SUCH AS ACTIVE
FARMERS, KIDS DANCE CLASSES AND YOGALATES!



WYNTER DESIGNS

MACRAME Plant Hanger Workshop

COME ALONG FOR A FUN EVENING CRAFTING UP
YOUR OWN MACRAME PLANT HANGER FOR YOUR
HOME

FRIDAY 28TH FEBRUARY 2020
YONGERGNOW-ONGERUP CRC

5:30-8PM

\$60 PER PERSON

Minimum 5 attendees for class to go ahead

Nibbles provided - BYO Refreshments

Payment to be made on the night - Cash & Card Accepted



ONGERUP TOWN CHRISTMAS LIGHT DISPLAY COMPETITION

It's your time to shine!
Decorate your house with
Christmas lights for a chance
to win.

DECEMBER 19, 2019

THURSDAY • 7.30 PM

WE WILL MEET AT WEIR PARK,
ONGERUP.

COME ALONG AND WE WILL WALK
AROUND TOWN TO VOTE ON THE BEST
HOUSES.



BEGINNERS YOGALATES

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM
Every Wednesday
Starting 15th Jan, 2020

Ongerup Town Hall
Running for 7 weeks
\$115 pp (BYO mat)

Contact the CRC to book your spot
ongerup@crc.net.au



RSM Katanning

TREASURER'S WORKSHOP

PLUS
THINGS TO BE AWARE OF ON A COMMITTEE

Thursday 6th Feb
10am
\$15
Barista coffee provided

Contact the Ongerup CRC to
book your spot
ongerup@crc.net.au



Bonnies Fruit Mince Pies

Time to do some Christmas cooking!!!

1 dessert spoon icing sugar
1 cup plain flour
¼ cup custard powder
½ cup SR flour
¼ cup cornflour
4 oz butter
Squeeze lemon juice
Water if needed



Filling

1 jar fruit mince
½ cup currants or sultanas
½ cup mixed fruit
1 granny smith apple grate
Makes about 2 dozen pies.

Mix pastry ingredients all together adding a little water if needed.

Combine all filling ingredients.

Cut rounds to fit muffin tray or similar, add a spoonful of filling. Top with a lid.

Bake in moderate oven approx 20 minutes.

Christmas Biscuits

250 g butter
75 g castor sugar
350 g plain flour
80 g butter extra
120 g icing sugar
Red food colouring



Preheat oven to 170C. Line 2 large baking trays with baking paper. Use an electric mixer to beat the butter and caster sugar in a bowl until pale and creamy. Divide mixture in half. Add a few drops of red food colouring to 1 portion and mix well. Divide the flour between the portions and use a non-serrated knife in a cutting motion to mix until a soft dough forms. Bring each dough together and flatten into a disc. Wrap in plastic wrap and place in the fridge for 15 mins or until firm enough to roll. Roll out 1 dough portion between 2 sheets of baking paper until 5mm thick. Use a 6cm star cutter to cut out stars, re-rolling when necessary. Repeat with remaining dough portion. Place on the lined trays. Bake for 15 mins or until golden underneath. Cool on trays for 5 mins, then transfer to a wire rack to cool. Use an electric mixer to beat extra butter and icing sugar until pale and creamy. Divide the icing in half. Add a few drops of red food colouring to 1 portion and combine. Place in separate small piping bags fitted with a small star nozzle. Pipe white icing onto half the red biscuits. Top with the remaining red biscuits. Repeat with red icing and plain biscuits. Dust lightly with extra icing sugar.

Make the most from your fertilizer investment



As your local Area Manager, Andrew Wallace is keen to assist you with all of your fertilizer decisions this season.

So whether it's soil testing, nutritional advice, fuel gauges, or simply an on-farm appointment to discuss your requirements, give Andrew a call today.

Mobile: 0427 083 820

Email: awallace@summitfertz.com.au





DESIGN SOME STICKERS FOR OUR TOWN BINS, THE BEST ONE WINS !!

THE ONGERUP CRC HAS TEAMED UP
WITH KEEP AUSTRALIA BEAUTIFUL TO
GET SOME STICKERS FOR OUR TOWN
BINS!

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO:

- CONTACT THE CRC TO GET YOUR TEMPLATE & GUIDELINES
- CREATE YOUR DESIGN & MESSAGE
- BRING IT BACK TO THE CRC FOR A CHANCE TO BE IN THE RUNNING

THE CRC WILL PICK THE BEST DESIGN TO BE
PRINTED
CONTACT US TO GET INVOLVED
ONGERUP@CRC.NET.AU

OPEN TO ALL AGES!



**Yongergnow/CRC
Christmas Opening Hours
Closed from:
4pm Saturday 21st Dec
Re-opening:
9am Tuesday 7th Jan**



The Gnowangerup Shire Council invites you and your family to the annual

AUSTRALIA DAY BREAKFAST

Sunday 26th January 2020

8:00am to 11:00am

GNOWANGERUP SPORTING COMPLEX

FREE AUSSIE Breakfast, Live Entertainment and Ice Cream for the Kids.

Breakfast Served between 8am-9.30am.

The Gnowangerup Community Swimming Pool will open from 11am.





Heart of the Stirlings

SHIRE OF GNOWANGERUP

The Shire of Gnowangerup would like to inform all residents that the Shire Administration Office and Depot will be closed from 11:30am on Friday 13th December 2019.

BUSINESS HOURS CHRISTMAS/NEW YEAR

The Shire of Gnowangerup Administration Office and Depot will be closed from 4:30pm, Tuesday 24th December 2019 reopening for normal business hours 9:00am Thursday 2nd January 2020.

The Gnowangerup Library will be closed from 5:00pm, Tuesday 24th December 2019 reopening 9:00am, Monday 6th January 2020.

The Ongerup Library will be closed from 4:00pm, Saturday 21st December 2019 reopening 9:00am, Tuesday 7th January 2020.

EMERGENCY CONTACTS:

Bob Jarvis: 0428 982 710

Vin Fordham Lamont: 0473 072 017

Yvette Wheatcroft: 0439 791 925


John Skinner: 0408 070 754

HARVEST & VEHICLE MOVEMENT BAN

A Shire wide Harvest and Vehicle Movement Ban applies for Christmas Day. Please phone the Harvest and Vehicle Movement Ban Hotline on 9827 1711 for updated information.

RUBBISH TIP CLOSED

The Shire of Gnowangerup Rubbish tip will be closed on Wednesday 25th December 2019.



Councillors and Staff would like to wish all residents and ratepayers a safe and happy festive season



Heart of the Stirlings

SHIRE OF GNOWANGERUP

DEPUTY CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Situated in the heart of Western Australia's Great Southern region, the Shire of Gnowangerup is an inclusive, progressive and prosperous community. The Shire includes the stunning Stirling Ranges, three towns, attractive rural landscape, and boasts a relaxed country lifestyle, yet includes all of the benefits of having a regional centre with excellent amenities. The Shire is seeking a local government professional, with qualifications in management or finance, or relevant extensive experience, to take on the role of Deputy Chief Executive Officer.

As the Deputy CEO you will provide leadership to the corporate and community services team of the Shire and provide support to the CEO. The successful applicant will have a strong and successful background as a local government manager with proven experience in managing multi-disciplinary teams, and financial management in local government, and an excellent knowledge of the legislative framework which governs local government finance and governance. Experience with risk management and Synergysoft software will be well regarded.

This position is offered under a three to five year performance based contract, with an attractive remuneration package, to be negotiated with the successful applicant, and a cash component (base salary) between \$105,000 and \$119,565 per annum depending on qualifications and experience. Salary and benefits are subject to negotiation and benefits may include, but not be limited to, a base salary, superannuation, executive home, motor vehicle, professional development allowance and water allowance.

To be considered for the Deputy CEO position with the Shire of Gnowangerup applicants must address the Selection Criteria as detailed in the Application Package. To gain a copy of the package e-mail anita.finn@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au. For more information please contact Mr Vin Fordham Lamont by calling (08) 9827 1007.

Applications close at 5:00pm on Friday, 13th December 2019. (Canvassing of Councillors will disqualify).

BOB JARVIS
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Peter Rundle MLA

Member for Roe

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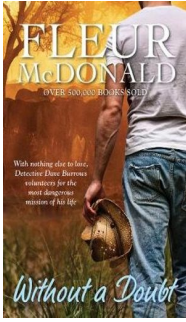


THE NATIONALS for Regional WA

DECEMBER 2019

BOOK CLUB REVIEW.

WITHOUT A DOUBT BY FLEUR MCDONALD.



Detective Dave Burrows returns in the most compelling and exciting case of his early career.

In Barrabine, as Dave's workload skyrockets, Melinda, Dave's wife, is unhappy about being left alone so much to raise their eighteen-month-old daughter, Bec. It's not how Dave wants it either, but complaints, leads and crimes all have to be investigated - it's what he joined the force for.

Melinda's interfering father isn't helping. He's never thought that Dave was right for his daughter and he's not shy about telling Dave what he's doing wrong. When things come to a head at home, Dave's policing mate, Spencer, comes up with a plan.

In the most dangerous mission of his life, Dave knows what he's risking. If he's found out, he'll never see Melinda or Bec again. Of that he's sure.



Sunday the 8th of December saw the start of the Christmas festivities, our Christmas Book Club Lunch. We had three apologies and they were missed! Eight of us gathered on May's deck, the weather was perfect, the champagne flowed and the conversation was full on. The food as usual was outstanding, everybody outdid themselves. We celebrated two birthdays, Brooke's actually on the day and Sandy's on Boxing Day. Roz made two delicious cakes and Sandy was presented with a bouquet of flowers as she was heading for a big 50. The only hiccup of the day our male stripper baulked at the doorsaid he was overdressed???

All of us had read the book and found it an easy read. We found the males dominated the story with most of the females only there in support roles. It was fairly corny and full of clichés. Some of the girls liked the suspense. Most gave it a 7 out of 10 with a couple of 8's. We then voted the best reads of 2019.

The Lost Man - Jane Harper and The Ladies in Black - Madelaine St John were equal first. Josh and Hazel's Guide to Not Dating - Christine Lauren was second, with another draw for third The Arsonist - Chloe Hooper and The Book of Dreams - Nina George.

We then exchanged our books in brown paper bags. Thank you May for a fantastic afternoon! I am sure we all enjoyed ourselves. Looking forward to another year of Book Club 2020.

Thank you Gail for another fabulous year of book club write ups I'm sure everyone has enjoyed your unique descriptions and comments on the books you have read!!!

What do you call obnoxious reindeer? **Rude-olph!**

How did the bauble get addicted to Christmas? **He was hooked on trees his whole life!**

Why are Christmas trees so fond of the past? **Because the presents are beneath them!**

What would you call an elf who has just won the lottery? **Welfy!**

What do you call a kid who doesn't believe in Santa? **A rebel without a Claus!**

Why does Santa go down the chimney? **Because it soots him!**

What did Mrs Claus say to Santa? **It looks like rain, dear!**



ONGERUP

MUM'S CLUB



Gemma Pyle Child and Infant Sleep Consultant

Over a coffee, this is a really interactive and relaxed way to go over the key points on all things sleep. We cover everything relevant to your baby/toddler based on the age-group you request, and there is the chance to ask any questions you may have along the way.

Thursday 13th February

10am

\$10pp

Ongerup CRC

Please RSVP with the age of your
child/children to 9828 2325



Children's Event is funded under the Families and Communities Programme by the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Heart of the Stirlings



SHIRE OF GNOWANGERUP

SHIRE'S MANAGER OF WORKS AND ASSET & WASTE MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR RESPONSIBILITIES

There seems to be some confusion in the community about which specific areas each of the Shire's Manager of Works and Asset & Waste Management Coordinator are responsible for. The lists below have been compiled to illustrate who to contact in the event that you have a query about a particular matter.

Manager of Works - Yvette Wheatcroft

Email: yvette.wheatcroft@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au

Mobile: 0439 791 925

Responsible for:

Managing roads programme (including maintenance)
Management of Works Crew
Culverts and drainage
Management of parks, gardens and reserves
Footpaths
Private Works (including Septic Tanks & Grease Traps)
Road signage
Standpipes
Grave Digging

Asset and Waste Management Co-ordinator - John Skinner

Email: john.skinner@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au

Mobile: 0408 070 754

Responsible for:

Land Fill Sites (Tips)
Building Maintenance (Shire Buildings)
Public Playground Equipment
Ongerup Effluent System
Public Toilets
Dams
Rubbish Collections

Bob Jarvis

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Heart of the Stirlings



SHIRE OF GNOWANGERUP

REQUEST FOR TENDER

RFT2019-2

Managed Information Technology Services

In accordance with Regulations 11(1) and 14(1) of the Local Government (Functions and General) Regulations 1996, the Shire of Gnowangerup invites tenders from appropriately qualified and experienced suppliers of Managed Information Technology Services.

Tender documents can be obtained from Anita Finn on 08 9827 1007 or at anita.finn@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au. Further details regarding this contract can be obtained from Vin Fordham Lamont on 08 9827 1007.

Tenders will be received until **Friday, 4:00pm (AWST) on 10th January 2020.**

Bob Jarvis
Chief Executive Officer



Government of Western Australia
Department of Health



For more information, call the Shire
EHO, Llew Withers on 9827 1007

18 November 2019

Timely reminder to replace asbestos roofing

WA Health is urging Western Australian homeowners to **replace – not repair** – their old asbestos roofs.

Asbestos Awareness Week (18-22 November) is a timely reminder that the asbestos cement sheeting commonly used in roofs, fences and cladding of older homes across Perth and regional WA towns is now at least of 30 years old and nearing the end of its useful life.

The use of asbestos building products was phased out in Australia through the 1980s and completely banned in 2003.

Asbestos fibres are hazardous to human health and breathing large amounts of fibres over a long period of time increases the risk of developing asbestos-related diseases including lung cancer, mesothelioma and asbestosis.

WA Health's Acting Environmental Health Executive Director Dr Michael Lindsay said of all asbestos building materials, roof sheeting was usually in the poorest condition as it is directly exposed to sun, wind, rain and hail, and often damaged by moss and lichen that grows on its surface.

"As asbestos roofs age they weaken, leading to the potential for breakage and even collapse," he said.

"Asbestos fibres loosen and blow away and can get trapped in soils where roof water drips on or flows to the ground.

"They can even accumulate in the loft-space within the building."

Dr Lindsay said while WA Health provided advice on safe methods for maintaining asbestos roofs, replacement was the preferred option.

"Cleaning and coating your roof is an expensive, and ultimately, short-term solution," he said.

"Over time, asbestos roofs become brittle and more prone to damage and asbestos contamination spreading from any damage can lead to high clean-up costs, which may not be covered by your household insurance."

Dr Lindsay reminded homeowners they should never use power tools or pressure cleaners to repair or clean an asbestos cement roof.

"This can generate large numbers of free, respirable (breathable) asbestos fibres that can contaminate both your property and properties nearby."

In addition, Dr Lindsay said tradesmen might refuse to work on asbestos roofs and they might not be strong enough to support TV aerial, satellite dish or solar panel installation.

"All good reasons to replace your asbestos roof as soon as practical," he said.

WA Health strongly recommends all asbestos roof sheeting is removed and safely disposed of by a [WorkSafe-licensed asbestos removalist](#).

Removed asbestos cement products are a controlled waste and must be wrapped, transported and disposed of in an approved manner.

Local government websites provide information about how and where to dispose of asbestos cement products locally.

Media contact: 9222 4333

Follow us on Twitter: [@WAHealth](#)

BIG THANK YOU TO ALL INVOLVED!

Yongerknow Crop has come off.

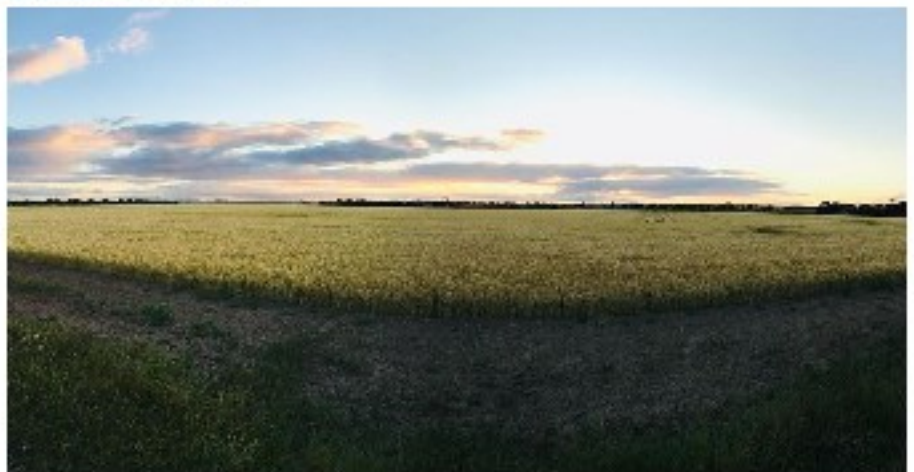
On Thursday December 5th, the Yongerknow Board spent the day harvesting the Community Block which Yongerknow has leased for 2019 from the Ongerup Community Development Group in an effort to raise money for the Yongerknow Malleefowl Centre.

None of this would have been possible without the amazing efforts from our dedicated volunteer Board Members -

Beau Vaux, Rohan Vaux, Harry Creagh, Rivers Hyde, Emily Jaekel & Ernie Jaekel.

We were blown away by the amount of support shown by people & businesses who helped this all come together.

A huge thank you to - Campbell's Transport, Beecks Transport, The Harding's, Great Southern Fuels, Gnowangerup Fuel Supplies, Ongerup Farm Supplies, CBH Fertiliser, Hyde's, Jaekel's, Vaux's, AFGRI Gnowangerup, Yongerknow Fowl Café, Tim Foster, Ongerup Community Development Group, Conquest Crop Protection, Stirling Ag, Seed Shield, Jeremy Smith.





December



Mon

Tue



Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

Sun

				13 Daycare open day bowls scroungers	14	15 Marnie bday
16	17 Don bday	18 School concert 	19 Last Grapevine Beau Rohan George Brydie bday	20 Crafts & lunch for kids. Christmas Tree	21 Merv bday	22
23	24 Mark bday	25  Matilda bday	26 Boxing Day Sandy bday	27	28	29
30	31	Happy New Year				

Neatcare tree service



Tree lopping & pruning
No job too small



Neatcare
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