

From everyone here at Yongergnow
and the Ongerup Community
Resource Centre we wish
You all a very Happy Christmas and a
safe and happy 2020

Merry
Christmas



The final Super 66 fundraiser draw for the Ongerup Primary School
P & C \$25 Jane Campbell \$50 Storm Hamersley
\$25 Rhonda Pollard. Well done to all the
winners and thank you
everyone who supported this fundraiser



Yongergnow/CRC Christmas Opening Hours
Closed from: 4pm Saturday 21st Dec
Re-opening: 9am Tuesday 7th Jan
Grapevine starting 16th Jan



Meeting with the CEO

Do you have any questions or anything you would like to discuss with the Shire? Bob Jarvis, your CEO will be in Ongerup every week and is available for meetings. No need to book an appointment, you can just turn up. If for any reason he is unavailable another officer or councillor will attend, the change will be advised in advance.

Yongergnow-Ongerup Community Resource Centre
Every Thursday commencing 6th February 2020 from
10.00am to 11.00am

For more information, contact Bob Jarvis
bob.jarvis@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au



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.



Christmas Quiz!!



1. Name Santa's Reindeer
2. What type of pie do we leave out for Santa on Christmas eve?
3. What do you call the day after Christmas?
4. What present do you get if you are naughty?
5. What plant do you get a kiss under at Christmas?
6. What is the colour of Santa's belt?
7. How many doors does an advent calendar have?
8. Which fruit tree is in the song 12 days of Christmas?
9. What three gifts did the Wise Men take to baby Jesus?
10. Who makes all of Santas presents?

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8 metre AMT Stark scoop,
Steiger and loader Can clean with
water in the mud
No job too big or too small
Based north Ongerup
Phone Bob
0428 612 338



1. Prancier Dancker Rudolph Donner Vixen Dasher Comet
Cupid Donner Blitzen 2. Fruit Minice 3. Bounding Day 4.
Nostalgia 5. Mistletoe 6. Black 7. 24 8. Peary 9. Gold
Frankincense and Myrrh 10. The Elves

Psychic Readings

With Selva, Life Translator

Selva Dutton is returning to the Ongerup CRC to do one-on-one psychic readings!
Appointments available from Tuesday 18th Feb 2020
9am - 4pm
(She will be here for a few days depending on demand)
\$100pp (cash)

Call Selva on 0457 159 276 to book your appointment!



Ongerup Tyres & Auto

Thank you for your support over the past year.
From all of us here, we wish everyone a Merry Christmas and
safe Happy New Year!



TRADING HOURS – CHRISTMAS: NEW YEAR

TUES 24 DEC

OPEN TILL NOON

WED 25/THURS 26 DEC

CLOSED

FRI 27 DEC

STAFF ON CALL

SAT 28 DEC

STAFF ON CALL

MON 30 DEC

OPEN 8-5PM

TUES 31 DEC

OPEN TILL NOON

WED 1 JAN

CLOSED NEW YEAR'S DAY

THUR 2 JAN

NORMAL TRADING

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.

Merry Christmas

ONGERUP FARM SUPPLIES

From everyone at the Ongerup Farm Supplies and Store have a very Merry Christmas and a safe and happy 2020

Below are our opening hours over Christmas:

24th December: Open 8am-5:30pm

25th December: CLOSED

26th December: CLOSED

Open usual hours from 27th-31st December

1st January: CLOSED

Open as usual from 2nd of January



2019 @ YONGERGNOW - ONGERUP CRC

What a year we have had at the Ongerup CRC! Every financial year we are required to do a certain number of events such as business training workshops, community training workshops & community development sessions. Within the first three months we had already met our quota for the year. We had over 130 people attend our business events & over 400 attend our community events so, a huge THANK YOU to everyone who has supported us over the year, this has helped us not only reach our targets but excel at them!

Some of our successful events included another Quiz Night hosted by Andrew Collins, our ever popular pre-seeding & pre-harvest breakfasts (thanks to our reliable vollies), parenting workshops by Holly Beeck and some new events such as a brushes & bubbles night, a psychic dinner party & a pasta lab!

Staff wise, we have been very lucky to have such an amazing team here at the CRC. Unfortunately Hayley left us when she moved to Perth earlier in the year, Jayde started a traineeship before ultimately deciding to postpone her studies for a future time & Nadia took a break when she welcomed her beautiful baby boy Lucas to the world!

Throughout the year we have had Dimity who has continued doing an amazing job as admin officer in the office and as kitchen manager for Yongergnow (supplying very popular pie packs for harvest time). We have two wonderful Saturday employees Elisa & Viktorija and without them the Centre would more than likely have to close on Saturdays so for them we are extremely thankful. We also had Brittnee join our team who has been a massive help during busy period when we numerous buses coming to the Centre for tours during the wildflower season. Alyce has been our cleaner for the past few years now and always has the Centre sparkling every week for us!

Last but not least, we have had our trusty Grapevine Girls (Jane & Sandy) who volunteer their time every Thursday to produce this wonderful newsletter for our community and are always there to lend a hand when needed!

The CRC has been very lucky in successfully obtaining another grant for a traineeship so watch this space in 2020 when we will be advertising for a new member to join our team!

In November, the Department informed CRC's that there would be guaranteed funding up until June 2022 so this has been a huge relief.

Coming up in 2020, we have another huge range of events from macramé workshops, one-on-one psychic readings, kids dance classes, a sleep consultant visiting, outlook & time management workshops and lots more.

Our door is always open (Tuesday – Saturday 9am – 4pm) if you have any requests for events or workshops you'd like us to hold in the future or any feedback in general we'd love to hear from you.

From all the Staff & Committee @ the CRC we would like to thank everyone who has supported us over the last year from coming to events, completing online surveys, volunteering for events & even helping sponsor some of our events, your support is invaluable to us.

We wish you all a very Merry Christmas & Happy New Year.

*Rebecca Brady
Centre Manager*

A few pictures from throughout the year:

Psychic Dinner Night



Car Restraint Talk @ Mums Club



Pre-Harvest breakfast



2019 @ YONGERGNOW

We've had a busy year at Yongergnow not only with visitors through the door but with chick releases, a trip to the vet for our Malleefowl & the addition of some new little chicks!

September & October is often our busiest time here at Yongergnow as we get numerous buses passing through stopping for lunch and/or a tour of our Centre. This year was no exception and we were definitely kept us on our toes once again with over 1000 people through the door across the 2 months.

This year saw us release 6 chicks which hatched from the mound late 2018 early 2019. Three chicks were flown from Albany to Frances Peron National Park, Shark Bay where they were later released. Another three were driven to Dryandra Woodland and released there.

We had a bit of a scare with our female Malleefowl as one morning we noticed she was limping. After a trip to the vets we first thought she would need surgery, however, the fracture she obtained turned out to be too bad for surgery and so the vet had to place a splint on her little leg and we hope a lot of rest will allow it to mend itself. There was some urgency to get her back on her mound, as when the vet did an x-ray she noticed some eggs in her. So watch this space for some new little additions coming soon.

In all the chaos of looking after our injured Malleefowl, we were shocked to discover in another one of our aviaries it turns out we have another active pair of Malleefowl as we noticed two unexpected little chicks! Make sure to pop into Yongergnow to check them out they are definitely worth a visit!

The last year Yongergnow was lucky enough to have some local farmers join the Board. This then lead to the ability to lease the community block from the OCD (Ongerup Community Development Group) and put in & harvest a crop to raise funds for the future of Yongergnow.

This venture turned out to be more successful than we could have ever imagined and we are eternally grateful to everyone who helped make this happen by donating seed, equipment, fuel & their time. We are especially grateful to our Board Members who put in numerous hours behind the scene to make this all happen.

Dimity has been very busy in our café creating some harvest packs for people to bulk buy for harvest time. She has also been creating fresh sandwiches every week which have been flying out. Keep an eye out next year for some yummy salads & fruit bowls that will be available mid-January.

We recently re-stocked our retail area and have a selection of homemade jams, handcrafted tea towels, table runners & bags available to purchase. We are teaming up with more businesses next year to have an even wider range of products available!

Yongergnow is still home to the Ongerup Library which is open Tuesday – Saturday 9am – 4pm. The library is free to join and if we don't have a specific book or DVD in stock we are happy to order them in for you!

If you would like to further support Yongergnow by becoming a member and receive our quarterly newsletter and unlimited free admission to Yongergnow please let us know.

Thank you to everyone who has supported us over the years, after the recent cropping venture we are more hopefully than ever for a prosperous future for Yongergnow.

Our first chick of the season
The library room
Mother and father Malleefowl
The Yongergnow crop





December



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| 23 | 24 Mark bday | 25  Matilda bday | 26 Boxing Day Sandy bday | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | 31 | Happy New Year | | | | |
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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.

