

ONGERUP GRAPEVINE

11th February 2021



COMMUNITY NOTICES



CHANGE OF DATE

A Celebration of the life of Taffy (David) Jones will be held at the Ongerup hall on Friday 12th Feb at 12 pm. Taffy & family farmed on Foster Road for many years.

Bring your memories and funny stories to remember the good old days.

Taffy's funeral will be live streamed tomorrow for anyone that can not make it but would like to view it.

<https://www.dawsonsfuneral.com.au/tribute-centre/>

Ongerup Sporting Complex Committee Inc. AGM Will be held on Wednesday 24 February at 7.30pm at the Complex. Written reports from Bowls, Tennis and update info from Childcare to be presented at the meeting, representatives from these three groups and the community are welcome. Anyone with fundraising ideas or other ideas for the Complex plus apologies please email our secretary

Roz Thompson russell@wn.com.au

FOR SALE The Ongerup Tennis Club has a gas BBQ and bottle for sale. It's a little dinged at one end but otherwise in good working order. Sandy 0428282941

ONGERUP COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INC The first meeting of the year for the OCD will be on Tuesday 16th February 2021 at 7.30pm in the CWA rooms. We would love to see some new additions to our group, please come along! For apologies, questions and agenda items please email Roslynn Thompsonon russell@wn.com.au.

ONGERUP P&C – Our next AGM is on Monday, 22nd February (9am) at the school. This will be followed by a General Meeting. All school and community members welcome. Apologies to Kendall – Secretary dugganfarming@hotmail.com or 0400 225 792



What did one sheep say to the other sheep?

I love ewe

What do you call two birds in love?

Tweet hearts

What did one watermelon say to the other watermelon on Valentines day?

Your one in a melon

Who always has a date on Valentines Day?

A calendar

What flowers give the most kisses on Valentines Day?

Tulips

BIRTHDAYS

February

- 16th Montana/Lexi Hooper
- 27th Michael Long

MARCH

- 1st Sophie Thompson
- 9th Melissa Savage
- 10th Georgia Davies
- 10th Levi Campbell
- 26th Emily Jaekel
- 28th Kingsley Vaux
- 28th Ben Bruce
- 29th Jason Brown
- 30th Danielle Campbell



WOMEN IN
FARMING
ENTERPRISES
W·I·F·E

Ongerup AGM

FEB 19 2021

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

At: Ongerup Sports Complex
From: 9.15 am - 12.30 pm

WIFE Ongerup warmly welcomes our members and anyone interested in joining WIFE. 9.15 am cuppa with a 9.30 am start for the AGM.

AGM followed by:
Country Wide Insurance Brokers will be joining us to give an insurance information session/Q&A, covering workers compensation to cost-cutting measures and more. If you have any insurance-related questions please let us know and we will forward them on to be covered on the day.

Day-care will be available on the day, please contact Katie at 0427271454 to book your spot.

Please RSVP your attendance via email at ongerup@wife.org.au

Sincerely,

The WIFE Ongerup Committee



Little Learners

A weekly, **early childhood education and care service** designed to support children's development from 0-5 years. The program is developed in line with the centre's philosophy, and the **Early Years Learning Framework (EYLF)**, by **trained and passionate staff**, to ensure holistic development across the 5 learning areas:

1. Have a strong sense of identity
2. Be connected and contributing to the world
3. Have a strong sense of wellbeing
4. Be a confident and involved learner
5. Be an effective communicator

Developing life long skills such as; **Independence, communication and listening, social and emotional, resilience, problem solving, self control and regulation, physical, and health and wellbeing** through fun and inviting play-based activities.

Contact **Katie**, on **0427 271 454** for further information and bookings.



ARE YOU A WOMAN IN A FARMING ENTERPRISE ?

Are you in the paddock, in the office, in the kitchen, or the tractor? Are you keen to share and broaden your knowledge with local women? Come and be part of the Women In Farming Enterprises (WIFE) network!

WHAT IS WIFE?

The roles of women on farms are significant and varied. Professional support and training to fulfil all roles are often unavailable or attendance at events is not possible due to distance and time. This is where WIFE steps in! WIFE is about tapping into and sharing the wealth of knowledge that is your neighbour, your friend, your friend's friend or the new girl in town. If a local expert isn't available WIFE can bring one to you!

There is great benefit in discussing issues between local ladies, to help each other improve and excel in the many tasks we take on within our farming enterprises. Meetings generally take the form of organised discussions between local branch members. There are opportunities to run workshops and events with guest speakers or experts on topics of interest identified by the group. Great importance is placed on meeting the needs of members at WIFE branch meetings.

WIFE Ongerup has its meetings monthly (except over harvest) and generally coincides with the local Day Care which is held on Fridays.

For more information about what WIFE has to offer and to locate your closest branch, visit the WIFE website: www.wife.org.au/join/ or email info@wife.org.au



STALL HOLDERS WANTED

ONGERUP MARKET DAY

**MARCH 5TH 10AM – 2PM
AT ONGERUP HALL**

**TO BOOK A STALL PLEASE CONTACT
ONGERUP CRC 9828 232 OR
EVENTS@ONGERUP.NET.AU**

Autumn OFFERINGS

Taste Great Southern Long Table Lunch

Saturday 20th March, 2021

\$100pp

11am-3pm

Yongergnow Australian Malleefowl Centre, Ongerup

Tickets can be purchased at

<https://events.humanitix.com/autumnofferings2021>

Limited spots available so get in quick!

Call Ongerup CRC 9828 2325 for more information.



Our Chef

Gord Kahle trained as a chef in Vancouver, Canada, where he worked at a number of restaurants that focused on sustainability and seasonal produce. It was here that Gord's passion for local cuisine began. Upon moving to Australia Gord held leadership roles at Harvest, West End Deli, The Crowded House, Cantina 663 & Old Faithful. As the Chef/Owner of Cook & Mason in East Fremantle, Gord has continued to develop fantastic relationships with producers of seafood, local farmers and some of the state's best agriculturalists. He sees it as a privilege to be able to showcase their produce in the best possible way for his diners.



IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING ACCESS TO WASTE FACILITIES (TIPS)

The Shire of Gnowangerup wishes to advise all ratepayers and residents that the new waste facility (Tip) gates will come into operation on Monday 22nd February 2021 for the Gnowangerup, Borden and Ongerup sites.

Access to these facilities will be by Swipe Card during the advertised times ONLY. The sites will be closed at all other times.

Monday	Closed
Tuesday	7:00am - 7:00pm
Wednesday	7:00am - 7:00pm
Thursday	7:00am - 7:00pm
Friday	Closed
Saturday	8:00am - 4:00pm
Sunday & Public Holidays	8:00am - 4:00pm

Shire of Gnowangerup residents and businesses will need to obtain their swipe cards from the Shire Administration Office prior to 22nd February 2021. There is no charge for the swipe cards but charges will apply to replacement cards. One card will be issued per household.

CCTV Cameras are operational at all sites to aid in identification of persons dumping banned materials such as asbestos and tyres.

Should you require further information, please contact our Asset and Waste Management Coordinator, Geoff Carberry on 9827 1338.

Ian Graham

Deputy Chief Executive Officer

DISABILITY ACCESS AND INCLUSION PLAN SURVEY

The Shire is in the process of developing a new Disability Access and Inclusion Plan and your feedback is important to us to determine goals that the Shire can aim towards to improve the lives of people with a Disability.

If you identify as having a disability or would like to give feedback on our current Disability Access and Inclusion Plan 2017-2021, please complete the survey using this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/6ZG66NT>

A hard copy of the survey can be collected from the Shire Administration Office, Gnowangerup Library, Ongerup Library or the Borden Post Office.

Provide us with your contact details to be included in the prize draw to win an Act-Belong-Commit prize pack.

For further information, please contact our Community Development Coordinator, Kirsty Buchanan on 9827 1007 or email Kirsty.buchanan@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au.

Bob Jarvis

Chief Executive Officer



GRAND OPENING

St John WA Gnowangerup Sub Centre would like to invite you to the official opening of our new building...

Gnowangerup Sub Centre

On Saturday 27th February 2021 at 2pm

Followed by a light afternoon tea

At 20 Corbett Street, Gnowangerup WA 6335



Please RSVP by Monday 19th Feb 2021 to gnowangerup.subcentre@stjohnwa.com.au

SITUATION VACANT



Yongergnow-Ongerup CRC
PO Box 20 – Ongerup WA 6336
P (08) 9828 2325
F (08) 9828 2326
e-mail: ongerup@crc.net.au

POSITION VACANT

The Yongergnow-Ongerup CRC is inviting applications for the position of

18 Month Traineeship Part time – 13 hours/week

We are seeking a person who is well presented and keen to commit to a traineeship for a period of 18 months, commencing in March 2021.

The successful applicant will receive training in a busy office environment providing administration support to the Yongergnow-Ongerup CRC and Yongergnow Australian Malleefowl Centre. Formal training towards a certificate of your choice, in consultation with the Centre Manager will be provided. Options of traineeships include but are not limited to, Certificates in Business, Bookkeeping, Tourism & Hospitality.

Applicants from all age groups are encouraged to apply and are required to address each selection criteria separately and forward it, with a resume, cover letter and references to Mrs Roslyn Thompson, Chairperson, Yongergnow-Ongerup CRC, PO Box 20, Ongerup WA 6336, marked "Confidential". Applications close 4pm, Wednesday 24th February 2021. Late applications will not be accepted. The CRC Committee reserves the right to extend or withdraw this offer of employment, should the applications not be suitable.

Selection Criteria Essential

1. Intermediate knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite
2. Good oral and written communication skills
3. Willingness to learn
4. Commitment to undertake on and off the job training over the duration of the Traineeship
5. Ability to follow instructions
6. Ability to work both independently and in a team environment
7. Completion of Year 10 secondary schooling or equivalent

Desirable

1. Ability to work flexible hours
2. Previous cash handling experience
3. Previous experience in customer service
4. Previous experience in café operation
5. Local knowledge



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RECORDS AND RESEARCH 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 an enthusiastic individual for the position of Records and Research Officer.

As the Records and Research Officer, you will be responsible for maintaining the records management function for the Shire, ensuring compliance with the Shire's Record Keeping Plan and the State Records Act 2000, and Freedom of Information. You will also provide research and information retrieval services for Shire staff. Experience in office administration, project management, research or similar will be highly regarded. Training and development in Local Government records keeping, relevant legislation and software will be provided.

This is a fulltime (76 hours per fortnight) permanent Level 5 position under the Local Government Industry Award 2020 and salary and conditions will be in accordance with that award.

An Application Package can be obtained by contacting the Administration Office at anita.finn@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au or phone (08) 9827 1007.

Applicants are encouraged to contact the Deputy CEO, Ian Graham at ian.graham@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au or phone (08) 9827 1007 for further information.

Applications should consist of a covering letter, CV and statement addressing the selection criteria of not more than 5 pages. All applications are to be marked Private and Confidential and addressed to the Chief Executive Officer.

All applications must be received via email to gnpshire@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au or via mail to the Shire of Gnowangerup, 28 Yougenup Road, Gnowangerup WA 6335, by **4.00pm on Monday 1st March 2021**. (Canvassing of Councillors will disqualify).

BOB JARVIS
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Expression of Interest

MOBILE EQUIPMENT NATIONALLY ACCREDITED COURSES

inc.

- Bobcat
- Excavator
- Grader
- Loader
- Telehandler
- Heavy Vehicle Pilot

(And much more)

Provided by



For more information
Ongerup CRC 9828 232 or
events@ongerupcrc.net.au

PRE-SEEDING Breakfast

SATURDAY 13th MARCH
7AM – 9AM
AT YONGERGNOW-ONGERUP CRC
FREE FOR THE COMMUNITY

YONGERGNOW-ONGERUP CRC **Yongergnow Australian MalleeFowl Centre** **SUMMIT FERTILIZERS** **Elders** **NORTH STIRLING NATURAL RESOURCES**

TC.

TOM CURTAIN IN THE WEST TOUR

December 2020 - March 2021

Multiple Golden Guitar winner and horseman extraordinaire **Tom Curtain** will be performing his national award winning **Katherine Outback Experience** show of real horse training and working dog demonstrations followed by live music with special guests.

JERRAMUNGUP SPORTS GROUND
SUNDAY 14 FEBRUARY 2021 FROM 4:00PM | GATES OPEN 3:30PM
PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY THE JERRAMUNGUP COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE
ONLINE TICKETS*: ADULTS: \$25 | STUDENTS 6-17YR: \$10 | KIDS 5YR&U: FREE
DOOR TICKETS: ADULTS: \$35 | STUDENTS 6-17YR: \$20 | KIDS 5YR&U: FREE
* Small booking fee + GST applies to online bookings

FOOD & DRINKS AVAILABLE TO PURCHASE | STRICTLY NO BYO
 BRING CHAIRS & PICNIC BLANKETS | OUTDOOR EVENT
 For more information and tickets: TomCurtain.com.au

WANTED

DEAD OR ~~ALIVE~~

2021 FOX SHOOT & COMMUNITY BREAKFAST
SAVE THE DATE!
SHOOTING EVENING
FRIDAY 12TH MARCH 2021
TALLY SATURDAY MORNING @ ONGERUP TIP 6:30AM
FREE COMMUNITY BREAKFAST @ YONGERGNOW 7AM

REWARD!

CONTACT YONGERGNOW-ONGERUP CRC TO REGISTER 9828 2325

SUMMIT FERTILIZERS **FIREARMS AND ARCHERY** **Elders** **Yongergnow Australian MalleeFowl Centre** **Community Resource Centre**

Peter Rundle MLA

Member for Roe

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THE NATIONALS
for Regional WA



The Ongerup Darts Association is looking for more players and potentially new teams. If you and 4 to 6 of your mates are looking to have some fun on Friday nights during winter, contact the teams below or talk to your local pub/club to get involved. Individual players can join a team at any stage. Teams can be mixed and you are expected to travel to other venues. Team submissions need to be in by March 8 for the AGM, located at Ongerup pub 7:30pm.

Gnowangerup: Dwayne Punch 0458581940

Borden: Jamie Spence 0428898550

Ongerup: Don Sclater 0428282159

Jerramungup: Kerrin Felesina 0428351348,
Mal Osterhage 0457643893

Friends of the FITZGERALD RIVER NATIONAL PARK

AGM 13th & 14th March 2021

Saturday 13th March

9:30am onwards – arrive Twertup Field Studies Centre. Join us for a shared morning tea.
10:30am ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
12:00 noon Lunch
1:30pm Guest Speaker – Dr. Carl Gosper
2:30pm Afternoon tea
Followed by free time, dinner and social evening

Sunday 14th March

Free time with the option to join Dr Carl Gosper collect field data for his *Banksia* decline research in the Park.
8:30am -2:00pm (approx.) this activity will entail bush walking and will require that you wear sturdy boots, have sun protection and drinking water. BYO EVERYTHING weekend, including food and camping gear. There is drinking water onsite and a BBQ available for cooking.
Limited beds available: please book by emailing admin@fitzgeraldfriends.org.au
Look forward to seeing you at our AGM

Twertup Field Studies Centre

is in the north-west of the park, at the end of the Twertup Track (about 10km long, 4WD), which comes off Pabelup Dve/Quiss Rd, 25km from South Coast Hwy.

N.B. if roads to Twertup are closed due to wet weather, the alternative venue is Bush Heritage building in Red Moort Reserve 360 Monjebup Rd Accommodation/Overnight camping available.

All Committee positions available
Don't suggest - Volunteer



AGM Guest Speaker: Dr. Carl Gosper

Dr Carl Gosper has been carrying out research in the Fitzgerald River National Park in an effort to understand the susceptibility of the flora to the putative threats of drought and reduced fire-return intervals.

This research is being carried out in an attempt to manage threatening processes and to improve the recovery of Threatened Flora and Threatened Ecological Communities. Carl has specific interests in the distribution of Threatened flora, effects of fire on plant communities and vegetation dynamics. Much of his work has been conducted in the Proteaceous shrublands, mallee and eucalypt woodland vegetation.

Carl is a Senior Research Scientist in the Biodiversity and Conservation Science section of the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions. His AGM talk is titled:

Threatened flora distribution and differential exposure and susceptibility to threats as a framework informing flora conservation in the Southwest Australian Floristic Region



He will discuss the intersection of our rich and endemic flora with a diverse suite of interacting and cumulative threats. These threats have contributed to the Southwest Australian Floristic Region having exceptionally high numbers of imperilled plant taxa. Prioritizing flora conservation actions requires an understanding of:

- the spatial distribution of Threatened flora,
- the processes that endanger them, and
- how species traits affect the sensitivity of taxa to specific threats.

These patterns and processes are underpinned by natural selection over evolutionary timescales. Threatened flora are strongly characterised by narrow range endemics which are not uniformly or randomly distributed across the southwest region. Their distribution is moulded by age and extent of soil-landscape features.

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1/2 Page Advert - \$30.00

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CRC Staff

Rebecca Lalor - Centre Manager

Elisa Santina - Trainee

Sarah Stutley - Trainee

Viktorija Kokina - Admin Assistant

Alyce Langdon - Cleaner

CRC Committee

Roz Thompson - Chairperson

Melissa Savage - Vice Chairperson

Melissa Hawkins - Secretary

Kelly O'Neill - Treasurer

Sandy Vaux

Gail Vaux

Emma Spink

Jane Campbell



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OPEN: 9am-4pm Tuesday-Saturday

** Please remember this Community Newsletter is kindly produced by local volunteers who give up their time every Thursday to provide this service to the town.

**If you have a birthday or any local notices that you would like included in our town newsletter please feel free to email them through or ring us during business hours.

Ongerup Services

- Ambulance - 000
- Bill Tiller heavy vehicle accreditation 0427 787059
- Child Health Nurse (Gnowangerup) - Amber Crichton 9827 2290.
- Centrelink Access Point - Located at the Ongerup CRC.
- D&M Contract Swathing /spraying Mat 0428 131821
- Fire Brigade - 000
- Hamersley Shearing -Brett 0457 620 041 or Storm 0457 620 040
- Little Learners Friday during school term. Katie 0427 271 454
- Ongerup Bowling Club - Vicki O'Neill 0428 282 282
ongerupbowlingclub@gmail.com
- Ongerup Caravan Park - Lee & Steven Baker 0476 379 291
- Ongerup Craft Group & Op Shop - Michelle Duits 0404 188 542
- Ongerup Farm Supplies & General Store - 9828 2288
- Ongerup Golf Club - Sarah Hyde 0427 382 634
- Ongerup Hall/Gym - Contact the Ongerup CRC 9828 2325
- Ongerup Hotel - 9828 2001
- Ongerup Library - FREE to join. Open Tues-Sat 9am-4pm @ Ongerup CRC. 9828 2325.
- Ongerup Museum - Sandy Vaux 0428 282941, Judy Major 0427 356020
- Ongerup Roadhouse - 0407 031 121 (Anthony), 0457 620 040 (Storm)
- Ongerup Sporting Complex - Jan Slee 0428 503 535
- Ongerup Tyres & Auto - 9828 2101
- Shearing Ongerup - Lex 0458 524 342 or Kylie 0474 111 900
- Veterinarian (Albany Veterinary Hospital) 1st Wednesday of each month. Call 9841 1788 for appointments.

February/March 2021

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
			11	12 <i>Bowls daycare</i>	13	14
15	16 <i>OCD meeting Active farmers</i>	17	18	19 <i>Bowls Charity night daycare</i>	20	21
22 <i>P&C Meeting Shire tip closing</i>	23 <i>Active farmers</i>	24 <i>Complex meeting</i>	25	26 <i>daycare</i>	27	28
1	2 <i>Active farmers</i>	3	4	5 <i>market day Bowls daycare</i>	6	7
8	9 <i>Active farmers</i>	10	11	12 <i>foxshoot Bowls daycare</i>	13 <i>Pre seeding breakfast</i>	14