



August 29th 2024

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**ONGERUP MUSEUM BUSY BEE:** Tuesday 10th September – please come along for a busy bee in preparation for the spring season visitors. The wildflower show commences on Saturday 14th September. The helpers' roster will be available on the busy bee day to put your name down for anytime you can help during the show for a few hours or a few days! Look forward to any locals visiting while we are open for 10 days.

Contact Sandy 0428 282941 or Vicki 0428 282282

**AUSCHEM COURSE:** Expressions of interest are invited for an upcoming AusChem course to be held at Yongergnow. Please contact Priscilla ASAP Email: [manager@ongerupcrc.net.au](mailto:manager@ongerupcrc.net.au) or phone 98 282325

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**AUGUST**  
30th Lucas Baum

**SEPTEMBER**  
4th Cody Stephens  
6th Clancy O'Neill  
8th Beth Thomas  
13th Kendall Osborn  
14th Carter Kerse  
17th Angus Pittard  
18th Fred Duncan  
22nd Kiara Pittard  
25th Viktorija Kokina  
28th Rex Ogier

YONGERGNOW ART GALLERY

## OUR BACK ROADS

Yongergnow presents "Our Backroads" gallery exhibition September 6th to October 22nd and we welcome you all to see this exhibition on our opening night. This event is brought to you by our kind local sponsors that we look forward to announcing soon.



OPENING NIGHT  
6-8PM

FRIDAY SEPT. 6  
2024

YONGERGNOW  
CENTRE, ONGERUP



Ongerup P&C  
wine night  
featuring  
Shepherds Hut  
Wines

Local live  
entertainment  
Pizzas promoting  
local produce  
Live fundraising  
auction

FREE  
ENTRY

## ONGERUP GOLF CLUB

### Open Day

**21ST SEPTEMBER 2024**

**2 PERSON AMBROSE**

18 holes hit off @ 11am  
9 holes hit off @ 1pm

Come along to enjoy a fun day of golf and keep our small club going. All skill levels welcome, handicap or no handicap. 18 hole and 9 hole competitions with great prizes! Morning tea from 10am \$20 entry fee includes light lunch Creche available

**\$20 ENTRY**

PRESENTATIONS AND DINNER TO FOLLOW AT THE ONGERUP HOTEL  
\$30 ROAST LAMB AND CHICKEN AND DESSERT

**ENTRIES TO RUSSEL THOMPSON 0427 282 229** Preferably by the 18th Later entries welcome

Sponsored by Sound Life



### Justice Services

Gnowangerup Resident and Shire President Kate O'Keeffe volunteer's her services as a certified Justice of The Peace. This service provides the community with a registered witness for formal docu-mentation.

Kate will be in the Shire Office and able to witness documents every last Wednesday of the month from 12pm—1pm

## ONGERUP ASSOCIATION SPORT



*Where the whole family plays together*



2024 GRAND FINALS

JERRAMUNGUP

Saturday August 31

#### Hockey

Junior (10.30am) Lake Grace/Pingrup v Jerramungup

Senior (2.10pm) Newdegate v Lake Grace/Pingrup

#### Netball

'B' Grade (10.30am) Jerramungup v Lake Grace/Pingrup

'A' Grade (12.30pm) Gnowangerup v Jerramungup

Junior (2.30pm) Jerramungup v Lake Grace/Pingrup

#### Football

Reserves (11.00am) Jerramungup v Lake Grace/Pingrup

Juniors (12.35pm) Lake Grace/Pingrup v Jerramungup

League (2.10pm) Lake Grace/Pingrup v Gnowangerup

#### ENTRY

Adults \$10

Seniors & Pensioners \$5

Under 16 - Free

Program \$5

## We're hiring in Ongerup

We believe our staff are our greatest asset as we work together to deliver the very best in Home Care in the Great Southern.

We are looking for caring and passionate nursing and Home Care support workers in the Great Southern.

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If you would like to discuss further call 1300 244 000  
or email your CV to [homecare@catholichomes.com](mailto:homecare@catholichomes.com)



*care with  
purpose*





### Message to all Food Handlers

The Australian / New Zealand Food Standards Code requires all persons who handle food to wear clean clothing, to tie their hair back and wash their hands after visiting toilets. The Shire of Gnowangerup is required to enforce the Australian Food Standards Code in this local government area.

A copy of "health and hygiene – advice for food handlers" is available for circulation to your food business and publication in local newsletters.

All persons who handle food are required to be suitably dressed and protect food from contamination.

Llew Withers  
Environmental Health Officer



**Contact me to discuss State Government matters – let me know what is important to you**

**Hon. Shelley Payne MLC**

Member for Agricultural Region

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# BILL TILLER

## 0427 787 059

[action1@bigpond.com](mailto:action1@bigpond.com)

### Heavy Vehicle Auditor FOR WA MAINROADS

Systems setup from start to finish; Maintenance; Fatigue; Mass; Dimension & Loading Modules. Based in Ongerup.

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ACCREDITATION**

  
**TEST & TAG  
SERVICE**

**NEW**  
**JP**   
**SERVICES**

**OVERSIZE  
PILOT  
SERVICE**



### REQUEST FOR TENDER

RFT2024-8-1

**ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN SERVICES - PHASE ONE  
QUINN STREET DEVELOPMENT IN GNOWANGERUP**

The Shire is inviting tenders to provide three conceptual design options for development of two lots within the Gnowangerup townsite. The tender process aims to select a proponent based on capability (qualifications and experience), design approach, ability to meet timeline objectives, and value for money.

To obtain a copy of the tender documents please access via TenderLink [Shire of Gnowangerup - Current Tenders \(tenderlink.com\)](https://www.shireofgnowangerup.wa.gov.au/tenderlink).

Alternatively contact the Shire Office to request a copy.

Tenders will close at 12.00pm (AWST) on Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> of September 2024 and must be submitted via TenderLink. No late submissions will be accepted.

The on-site briefing will be conducted on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024 at 10.00am (AWST).

Further information can be obtained by contacting the Project Manager Matt Bowen by email [mbowen@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au](mailto:mbowen@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au) or telephone (08) 9827 1007.

David Nicholson  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

# **GNOWANGERUP POLICE September 2024 Edition**

## **What is happening in the Community**

### **Ongerup**

In August 2024 Police executed a search warrant in Ongerup and located a substantial amount of illegal drugs. The occupant will be facing court in the near future.

Coffee with a Cop is still happening in Ongerup. We encourage members of the community to sit with us to share information. This is a great opportunity for police to help you with a situation you are facing or to voice your concerns.

### **Borden**

Police visited Borden Primary School and engaged with the staff and students. It was a great day. Police recruited the students to assist them to locate three missing bears. The students participated in police search practices and learnt how to identify clues and evidence. As a team they successfully located the bears safe and well. I must say, Police and SES volunteers have some up and coming stars from Borden. Well done every one.

### **Gnowangerup**

Police have noticed a decrease in people walking the streets at night around town. Respect for your neighbours will only bring out strong community spirit.

Sgt D'Souza was fortunate to be given the honour of presenting a COVID-19 Medal to Gnowangerup's Crossing Guard Ms Helen Kitching. This opportunity was passed down from the Premier of WA and the Commissioner of WA Police Force. Ms Kitching is one of our shining stars in our community who helps our children get to school safely. Her dedication and love of the community made her a worthy recipient for this medal. Congratulations Helen, you deserve the honour and recognition.



## **General Information**

Gnowangerup Police have been very busy of late and are now targeting drug users and dealers.

### **Illicit Drugs**

Police need your help to stop the dealing of drugs in our community. Police want to thank community members who have provided us with excellent information. Police are very keen to get more. If you know who is dealing drugs in our community, police are asking you to report it to **Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000**.



You can remain anonymous. Crime Stoppers is staffed between 7am and 11pm weekdays and 8am to 8pm on weekends, but online reports can be made at any time. Go to the WA Police Website and type in **Dob in a Drug Dealer**.

If you are dealing drugs, you are harming your own community and family. Furthermore, you are creating disfunction in the homes of users and within their family circle, for self greed.

Mark my word. Under the confiscation laws your cars, house and bank accounts will be seized. Your age will not save you. Furthermore, your own clients are dobbing you in from many different towns around us. You are no longer invisible.

### **Road Policing**

Police have received information that community members are speeding through our towns. With the number of children and elderly in our community police urge drivers to drive at the speed limit of **50 km/hr**. In fact, Police have noticed community members speeding on our all our roads. Gnowangerup police will be more visible moving forward. Please drive safely.

**A driver's licence is a privilege not a right. Please obey the road rules. They are in place to save lives.**

### **Safe Driving and Vehicle Safety Month – September 2024**

Gnowangerup Police are working in partnership with The Shire of Gnowangerup and Gnowangerup Aboriginal Corporation. Jointly we want to have the safest community in the state, where everyone drives safely and we have the safest vehicles on the roads.

#### **Vehicle Safety Checks**

Police have noticed a number of vehicles in our community that need some attention to become road worthy.

When was your last time you checked your lights, brakes, tyres, water and oil?

In September 2024, join us and spend some time checking your vehicles for

- Lights that are not working.
- Tyres need replacing.
- Seatbelts need replacing.
- Brakes need replacing.

Police will be conducting vehicle stops in and around all our towns. Once you have been stopped, there will be no further warnings. No one plans to crash, so take the challenge and make time to check your vehicle. It may save your life.

#### **The Fatal Five involving a vehicle**

- Speeding
- Drink / Drug Driving
- Not wearing a seatbelt
- Fatigue
- Distractions – Mobile Phones, playing with the radios, eating etc...

We have had too many fatalities in the region due to and not limited to the list above. Police do not want to knock on your family's door and tell them you are not coming home.



### Grapevine Prices

1/4 Page Advert - \$25.00

1/2 Page Advert - \$40.00

Full Page Advert - \$70.00

### CRC/YONGERGNOW Staff

Priscilla Wheatcroft - Centre Manager

Katie Sherwood - Children events

Alyssa Dickson - Hospitality Trainee

Simone Hart - Admin/Library Officer

Alyce Langdon - Cleaner

Gail Watkins - Admin Assistant

### CRC Committee

Roz Thompson - Chairperson

Emma Spink - Secretary

Kelly O'Neill - Treasurer

Dimity Creagh

Sandy Vaux

Jane Campbell

Claire Flavel

Alyce Langdon

- Ambulance/Fire/Police - 000
- Bill Tiller heavy vehicle accreditation/Test&Tag 0427 787059
- Child Health Nurse (Gnowangerup) - Amber Crichton 98272290 or 0438 711532
- Crutching Cradle Ongerup - Lex 0458 524342
- Centrelink Access Point - Located at the Ongerup CRC.
- Davidson Occupational Therapy  
danielledavidsonot@gmail.com 0488 146457
- Fire Brigade - 000
- Hamersley Shearing - Brett 0457 620 041 or Storm 0457 620 040
- Justice of the Peace - Tom Hart 0428 282120 Bill Tiller 0427 787059
- Little Learners Friday school term - Maddie 0427 271 454
- Ongerup Bowling Club - Vicki O'Neill 0428 282 282  
ongerupbowlingclub@gmail.com
- Ongerup Caravan Park - Lex 0458 523342
- Ongerup Farm Supplies & General Store - 9828 2288
- Ongerup Golf Club - Bill Tiller 0427 787059
- 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 0428 282941 Vicki 0428 282282
- Ongerup Sporting Complex - Dimity ph 0448 233985
- Ongerup Tyres & Auto - 9828 2101
- Shearing Ongerup - Lex 0458 524342
- Sweat in the Sticks fitness Dimity 0448 233985
- Veterinarian (Albany Vet Hospital) 1st Wednesday of each month. Call 9841 1788 for appointments.
- Fuel 24 Hour - Mick 0427 641044 or Kingsley 0428 282082
- Shire community engagement 2nd & 3rd Thurs 9827 1007
- Coffee/chat with a cop - 2nd Tuesday every month 9827 2800

## Aug/Sept 2024

| Sunday     | Monday | Tuesday  | Wednesday       | Thursday                                  | Friday  | Saturday                           |
|------------|--------|--|-----------------|---|---|------------------------------------|
|            |        |  |                 | 29  | 30 Daycare<br>8.30-3.30   | 31<br>Grand final @<br>Jerramungup |
| 1<br>Golf  | 2      | 3  | 4<br>Kids club  | 5   | 6<br>Daycare<br>8:30 - 3:30<br>Art opening<br>P&C wine<br>tasting | 7<br>Boxwood<br>sports windup      |
| 8<br>Golf  | 9      | 10<br>Coffee with a<br>cop<br>Museum busy<br>bee | 11              | 12<br>Toddler Time<br>Shire<br>engagement | 13<br>Daycare<br>8:30 - 3:30                                      | 14<br>Wildflower show<br>opening   |
| 15<br>Golf | 16     | 17   | 18<br>Kids club | 19<br>Shire<br>engagement                 | 20<br>Daycare<br>8:30 - 3:30                                      | 21                                 |