

ONGERUP GRAPEVINE

February 27th 2025

COMMUNITY NOTICES



Welcome to
our community
Pippa Mary
Carpenter born 20th
Feb 2750 g and
Charlotte Elizabeth
Baum born 19th
February 4320grams
congratulations to
both sets of parents!!!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARCH

1st Sophie Thompson
5th Xanthe O'Neill
5th Lex Mundy
9th Melissa Savage
10th Georgia Hyde
10th Levi Campbell
19th Kelly O'Neill
20th Abby O'Neill
22nd Bella Ogier
24th Luka Spink
26th Emily Jaekel
26th Mitchell Thompson
28th Kingsley Vaux
29th Jason Brown
30th Danielle Campbell
31st Lottie Ogier

ONGERUP SPORTING COMPLEX: Our AGM is coming up next Tuesday 4th March !! We always welcome new locals to join our committee. We only meet twice a year, a great committee to join if you are looking to get involved but aren't sure how much time you can commit.

We require a new Secretary this year - the job only entails; advertising meetings and compiling agenda, taking minutes at 2 annual meetings, managing the handful of bookings we get each year. Kind regards, Dimity Creagh.

ONGERUP BOWLS NOTES: Huge congratulations to Jade O'Neill for winning the Central Stirling League Single championship last Saturday. What a grand effort Jade. Also it was great to have Susan Moir competing for the first time, and coming runner-up. It was a good comp all round.

Morning cuppa at the Ongerup Lunch Bar Sunday mornings, a few of us joined in last week and enjoyed a chat, so why not join in - about 10.15am every Sunday when you can make it.

Ongerup Art and Memorabilia Exhibition to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of our Primary School on March 15th we are holding an art exhibition at Yongergnow. With a theme of Blue and Gold we are seeking artists and other contributors to display their creations. We also would like any memorabilia you may have for us to display from the schools history.

Kids Club yesterday centred around the school 75th anniversary. The kids had fun making slime and decorated flags



What's on at Yongergnow Malleefowl Centre & The Ongerup Community Resource Centre

26th March 3:30pm – 4:30pm **Kids Club** see Facebook for details
Ongerup Town Hall Kindy to Year 7 All welcome registration not needed

13th March 11am – 1pm **Budgeting and Pricing**
How to register: <https://albanybusinesscentre.com.au/ccc>

15th March – 30th April **Blue n Gold for Ongerup Exhibition**
Included with entry to Malleefowl Centre or Membership

27th March 11am – 1pm **Developing a Social Media Strategy**
How to register: <https://albanybusinesscentre.com.au/ccc>

28th March 10am – 12noon **Ongerup Planning Session**
Registration details to follow

10th April 11am – 1pm **Branding for Your Business**
How to register: <https://albanybusinesscentre.com.au/ccc>

You are invited to Ongerup Primary School's

75th



10.30am - 1pm
Saturday 15th March 2025

There will be an official
ceremony at 10.30am
followed by an "old school"
fete open until 1pm.



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DANDJOO
EST 2025 CELEBRATING
OUR PEOPLE

Nominations Open

**Do you know someone doing amazing things in our
community? Nominate them now!**

This year and ongoing we will be awarding the following annual
awards across 4 categories;

- **Community Citizen of the Year**
- **Community Group or Event of the Year**
- **Senior Citizen of the Year (65 and older)**
- **Young Citizen of the Year (25 and Younger)**

**Nominations for 2025 awards are open until 28th
February 2025**

**Head to the Shire website and click on Community -
Dandjoo to nominate**



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 documentation.

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



Administration Officer

Full-Time or Part-Time (minimum of 3 days per week)

Salary: Hourly rate of \$32 - \$34

The Shire of Jerramungup is seeking an enthusiastic, motivated and customer-focused individual to fill the position of Administration Officer.

The Application Information Package and Position Description is available by visiting the website <https://www.jerramungup.wa.gov.au/council/our-shire/employment-opportunities.aspx> or contacting the Shire Administration Office on (08) 9835 1022.

The successful applicant will provide a high level of internal and external customer service and administrative support to Executive Staff, and help facilitate operational needs for the Development Services Unit, Finance team, or other areas as required. More information regarding the role specific requirements is provided in the Position Description on our website.

This position will have the flexibility of being full-time or part-time (minimum of 3 days per week).

Depending on the suitable applicant's location, this position will have the below options:

- If based in Jerramungup, subsidised staff housing is a possibility, or a staff housing allowance (pro rata) will be provided if providing own accommodation.
- If based in Bremer Bay, the successful applicant will have to provide their own accommodation, and a staff housing allowance (pro rata) will be provided. There will be a minimum of one (1) month training in the Jerramungup office on commencement, and then would be working 1 day per week in Jerramungup and then the remaining days in the Bremer Bay office.

Other benefits this position offers, include:

- 11.5% employer contributed superannuation;
- A personable team environment;
- Training and development opportunities; and,
- A great employee Health and Wellbeing Program including flu shots, skin cancer checks and an Employee Assistance Program.

Dependent on qualifications, skills and experience, an hourly rate of \$32 to \$34 will be offered to the suitable applicant.



ONGERUP DARTS ASSOCIATION AGM

TUESDAY, 18 MARCH 2025 AT 7:00PM

AT THE ONGERUP HOTEL

- Team nominations and venue are to be made at the AGM with representatives from each team in attendance.
- This is your only chance to nominate teams, so don't miss out!
- New teams welcome.
- Team format is 4 people, and must be available to travel to other towns on Friday nights.
- For more information, please contact Vice President Scott Davidson on 0448 214 007.
- Nominations for Life Memberships.
- Fixtures set to start 4 April 2025.



Ongerup Junior Football team around 1968

Back Row; Peter Shackleton, Kingsley Vaux, Wayne Rogers, Brian Hart, Grant Hart, Wayne Flint, Peter Brown
Centre; Graham Stewart, Tim Foster, Brett Flint, Mick Deering, Bevan Vaux, Norm Woods, Jeffery Thompson
Front; Paul Fife, Glen Morey, Dale Spencer, Daryl Rogers, Lester Deering, with Jim Murnane

Proposed Road Closure – - Aylmore Street - Gnowangerup townsite



The Shire is considering developing a Recreation Precinct in the centre of the Gnowangerup townsite.

It is proposed that the recreation precinct include the areas of:

- Nobarach Park;
- A portion of Aylmore Street; and
- Including an adjacent vacant lot.

See the [Attachment 1](#), which shows the proposed Recreation Precinct. The proposed recreation precinct is ideally located on a main tourist route, adjacent to a school and in the centre of the Gnowangerup townsite.

It is proposed that recreation facilities are developed on the portion of Aylmore Street and the adjacent vacant lot, to complement the existing facilities (play area and toilets) at Nobarach Park. Additional recreational facilities may include: a skate and pump rack, basketball court, seating, viewing areas, and shade structures.

In order for the portion of Aylmore Street to be developed with recreational facilities, it is proposed that the portion of road is permanently closed to traffic. The closure of the portion of Aylmore Street means local residents would need to utilise other available roads to access to and from the main street of Yougenup Road.

The closure of the portion of Aylmore Street would allow for a safe recreational space, free from vehicle movement. If the road is not closed, the recreation precinct would be smaller and there may be safety issues with pedestrians crossing the road from Nobarach to the proposed recreation facility on the adjacent vacant lot.

See the [Attachment 2](#), which shows alternative access routes connecting residents to the centre of town.

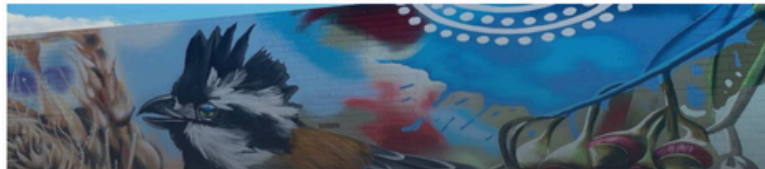
The process to permanently close a road involves Council taking into consideration neighbouring landholder comments and public and agency comments.

The Shire hereby invites members of the public to provide written comment on the proposal to close the portion of Aylmore Street. Comments will be presented to the Council and a decision made to:

- Recommend that the Minister endorse the proposed road closure; or
- Agree not to proceed with a road closure process.

Please make written comment to the Shire of Gnowangerup, 28 Yougenup Road, Gnowangerup WA 6335, or email to gnpshire@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au, on or before 4pm Thursday 17th April 2025. Members of the public will be made aware of the date this report is presented to Council and are encouraged to attend.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact David Nicholson (Chief Executive Officer) or Adrian Nicoll (Town Planner) or Penny Wells (Communications and Events Coordinator) through the Shire Office on (08) 9827 1007.



Attachment 1 – Propose Recreation Precinct



Attachment 2 - Alternative vehicle access options





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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ART IN THE PORONGURUP

Local sculpture nature trail

18-26 APRIL 2025

MEDIA RELEASE

Date: 10 February 2025

COMMUNITY EVENT NOTICE

Welcoming entries for the 2025 Art in the Porongurup

It is time to submit your entry form to have your sculptural creations in for this year's Art in the Porongurup! Event Organiser Sayah Drummond looks forward to seeing a diverse range of talented and creative individuals and groups get involved in producing unique and exciting sculptures. The 2025 committee has added an additional youth category to encourage young artists to participate in the event. Fostering community engagement and positive well-being, this free outdoor sculpture event encourages and stimulates established and emerging artists across the Great Southern to showcase their sculptures and raises funds to upgrade our local Hall.

Located in the natural bushland surrounding the Porongurup Hall, this outdoor event allows the public to view and buy one-off sculptures and art pieces and vote to help determine the People's Choice Award winner. The event focuses on motivating creative minds and creating a fun, safe, and enjoyable environment for all ages. Popular with adults and children, as there is no entrance fee, it provides an economical family day out.

Key Event Information:

- **Event Dates:** 18 April to 26 April 2025
- **Entries Open:** 1 November 2024
- **Entries Close:** 11 April 2025
- **Bump in:** 9 am to 4.30pm Thursday 17 April 2025 unless prior arrangement is made.
- **Event Times:** 9 am to 4.30 pm daily, closing midday on 26 April
- **Presentation:** Midday 26 April 2024
- **Bump out:** after the presentations on Saturday 26 April 2025.

Awards Prize Pool of \$7000:

- Open Judged Award- \$2,500 + Runner Up- \$1,500
- Open People's Choice Award- \$1,000 + Runner Up \$500
- Senior Youth Award (11-18 years old) \$800
- Junior Youth Award (Under 11 years old) \$200
- School Prize (group of youths under 18 years old) \$500

For more information, go to www.poronguruphall.asn.au/events

Contact: artintheorongurup6324@gmail.com

Media contact: Sayah Drummond 0408 423 306, Event Coordinator- 2025 Art in the Porongurup

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Community Assoc.

This event is presented by a PCA sub-committee

Thanks to our sponsors



Class Schedule

Tuesday

Ongerup

-4:30pm Group Fitness

-6:00pm Group Fitness

Wednesday

Ongerup

-5:00pm Pilates

CLASSES HELD AT THE ONGERUP SPORTING COMPLEX.

Book in to classes through Mومence app.

Sessions are child friendly. I encourage you to bring the kids along and include them in setting healthy routines.

Just Joking!

Q: How did the beauty school student do on her manicure test?

A: She nailed it.

Q: What is corn's favorite music?

A: Pop.

Q: Why can't Monday lift Saturday?

A: It's a weak day.

Q: Why was the politician out of breath?

A: He was running for office.

Q: What is a soccer player's favorite chemical element?

A: Gooooooooooooooooold!

Q: Why did the fastest cat in class get kicked out of school?

A: He was a cheetah.

Q: Where is the best place to sit when a submarine is diving?

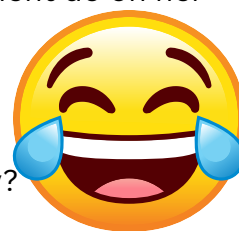
A: Inside.

Q: Why did the lawyer show up in court in his underwear?

A: He forgot his lawsuit.

Q: Why was the teenager no longer allowed online without a license?

A: He crashed the computer





- Ambulance/Fire/Police - 000
- Bill Tiller heavy vehicle accreditation/Test&Tag 0427 787059
- Child Health Nurse (Gnowangerup) - Amber Crichton 98272290 or 0438 711532
- Coffee/chat with a cop - 2nd Tuesday every month 9827 2800
- 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 2749
- Ongerup Library - FREE to join. Open Tues-Sat 9am-4pm @ Ongerup CRC. 9828 2325.
- Ongerup lunch Bar 9828 2747
- 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) Call 9841 1788
- Fuel 24 Hour - Mick 0427 641044 or Kingsley 0428 282082
- Shire community engagement 2nd & 3rd Thurs 9827 1007
- Yongergrnow Malleefowl Centre and cafe 98282325

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

Alyce Langdon - Cleaner

Mel Hawkins - Admin/Bookkeeper

Emma Spink - Events coordinator

Anne Silmer - Admin/library

Alyssa Dickson - trainee

Katie Sherwood - Events Coordinator

CRC Committee

Roz Thompson - Chairperson

Claire Flavel- Vice Chairperson

Emma Spink - Secretary

Kelly O'Neill - Treasurer

Dimity Creagh

Sandy Vaux

Jane Campbell

Alyce Langdon

February/March 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					28 daycare CRC meeting Social bowls	1
2	3	4 Sporting Complex AGM	5	6 Toddler Time	7 daycare Social bowls	8 election day
9	10	11 Shire Strategic plan workshop	12	13	14 daycare social bowls	15 Yongergrnow art exhibition school 75th
16	17	18	19	20	21 Dandjoo volunteers sundowner Borden	22