



ONGERUP GRAPEVINE



September 3rd 2026



COMMUNITY NOTICES



Happy Fathers Day to all our amazing Dads out there. We hope you have a wonderful day

A BIG THANK YOU to our volunteers who made it to the Ongerup museum busybee. The Bloom Festival is in action now and Ongerup's Wildflower display starts on 14th September. A volunteer roster sheet is at the Ongerup Store, anyone who can help from 14th-28th Sept please write your name down. Thankyou. **HAPPY Wildflower Season!** Any enquiries please contact Mel Sclater 0448 849822

June Meredith will be holding two **Fabric Wildflower Making Workshops** this Wildflower Show at the Musuem. The dates are Monday 21st September 9am-3pm and Wednesday 23rd September 9am - 3pm. The cost is \$75 per workshop. Any interest in making these wonderful fabric flowers, please book now before you miss out. Contact Mel 0448 849822 to book your spot today.

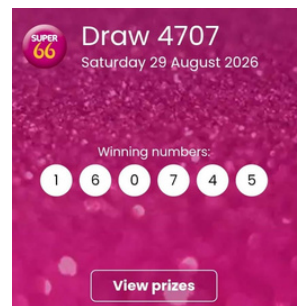
Eucalypt expert Malcolm French will be leading a walk on Friday 18th September starting at Yongergnow and ending at the Museum with eucalypt samples for identification. Malcolm has a huge knowledge of our bushland and the many eucalypt species within and will have his books for sale here.

NSPNR AGM and SUNDOWNER Tuesday 22nd September 5pm for a 5.30 start at the Ongerup Museum then at the Ongerup Pub.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

SEPT

4 th	Cody Stephens
6 th	Clancy O'Neill
8 th	Beth Thomas
11 th	Tim Spink
13 th	Kendall Osborn
14 th	Carter Kerse
17 th	Angus Pittard
18 th	Fred Duncan
22 nd	Kiara Pittard



Super 66 winners for 29th August.
1st - # 16 Jan Slee
2nd - # 07 Tina Harding
3rd - # 45 Kiara Pittard

Harvest Meals 2026 – Round One Order Form



How amazing does the pub look !! Congratulations to everyone involved in the renovations. It looks fresh, bright and welcoming. Pop in and check it out.

Thursday to Sunday 3pm til late



The Ongerup Library at the Yongergnow-Ongerup CRC has received some enchanting children’s stories in our latest delivery from the State Library of WA.

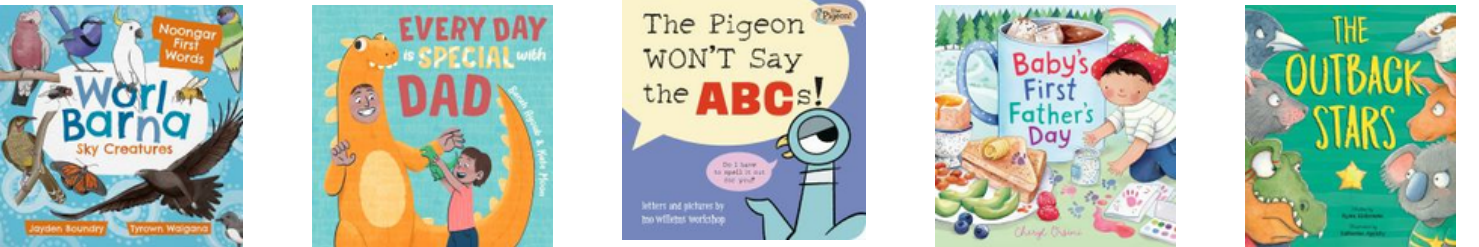
Worl barna = sky creatures is written by Jayden Boundry and illustrated by Tyrown Waigana. Babies and toddlers can discover sky creatures, big and small, and learn their names in Noongar and English. With a free, comprehensive pronunciation guide available online, families can learn to appreciate and connect with an Indigenous language.

The Pigeon won't say the ABCs! by Mo Willems Workshop. The Pigeon has at least 26 reasons and excuses why not! From absolutely no way to zero chance!

With Father’s Day just around the corner, our junior readers will love Baby’s first Father’s Day by Cheryl Orsini and Every day is special with dad by Sarah Ayoub and Kate Moon.

It’s Grand Final Fever! The Outback Stars are a brilliant team of Aussie animals who have made it into the footy grand final and hope to hold up the winning shield! Children will delight in cheering on The Outback Stars to victory!

The Ongerup Library is open whenever the Yongergnow Centre is open, so come on in to find your next favourite book! If it isn’t on the shelf, please ask our friendly staff.



The Funeral Crashers by Joanna Nell

July’s book, chosen by Caroline, was the PERFECT book to curl up by the fire alone with a mulled wine. So that’s just what we did when we came together to discuss it (except the “alone” bit)! The book got a mix of scores ranging from 5 to 8, with an average of 6.3. Some thought the story lines trailed off, while others enjoyed the subtle messaging that and a traditional and fairly simple structure- start, middle, resolution! Kelly O as always went above and beyond with her review, even “researching” the author after being frustrated that the characters ages were so ambiguous! Kelly found Johanna is a GP doctor and “chooses to write characters that accurately depict getting older and shine a light on the realities of aging and existing still in a society that often pushes them to the side”. Overall I personally would definitely recommend this book, it was a lovely story of friendship, community, helping others, ethical dilemmas, family secrets, non-traditional family structures, love, loss, grief and an overall message that kindness goes along way as you never know what someone is dealing with - no matter their age! My score was 8/10. Caroline House-Vaux



ONGERUP GOLF CLUB

OPEN DAY

— ALL WELCOME —

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Sound Life

A JOURNEY WORTH PLANNING

**SATURDAY
12 SEPTEMBER
2026**

**2 PERSON
AMBROSE**

18 HOLES HIT OFF @ 11AM
9 HOLES HIT OFF @ 1PM

GREAT PRIZES TO BE WON!

ENTRY FEE \$20
INCLUDES LIGHT LUNCH

MORNING TEA FROM 10AM

DINNER AND PRESENTATIONS TO FOLLOW
ONGERUP HOTEL

ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME
HANDICAP OR NO HANDICAP

HOLE IN 1 \$500
SPONSORED BY THE ONGERUP HOTEL

Entries to
RUSSEL THOMPSON

0427 282 229

Preferably by the 10th • Late entries welcome

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NOTICE OF MEETING
CEO REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING
23 SEPTEMBER 2026

Please be advised that the **CEO Review Committee Meeting** will be held on **Wednesday, 23 September 2026 at 3:00PM.**

Meeting Details:

Date: Wednesday, 23 September 2026

Time: 3:00PM

Location: Ongerup Town Hall
Eldridge Street, Ongerup WA

(opposite the Ongerup & District War Memorial)

David Nicholson
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



NSPNR'S 2026

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SERIES

SO FAR...

25th August 2026
Borden Pavilion

LIVESTOCK TECH: Beyond the Tag

28th August 2026
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ON-FARM HYDROLOGY SITE VISITS

Mobble

This event was part of the 5year (2025-30) TIMME project administered by the Muloon Institute. The project is funded by the Australian Government's Future Drought Fund (FDF). The aim of the FDF is "to build drought resilience, including climate resilience, for the public good of the Australian agriculture sector, landscapes and communities".

THANK YOU FOR JOINING US!

WHAT IS NEXT:

PREPARATION & GROWTH

FLY & WALK - DADS DRONE DEMO & NITROGEN TRIAL LOOK

7th September 2026

NEW Held in Boxwood, visit our climate smart nitrogen trial, hear from experts on the results so far & view DADS Drones in action & hear from Brett about the tech.

CONCEPTION & GROWTH

NSPNR SHEEP ARVO

9th September 2026

NEW with drone demo Monday, we've split the spring field day up so the 9th will be an afternoon starting at 1pm talking sheep pasture trials with Ed Riggall, confinement & the a beer at the Ongerup Pub talking data & EID's with Maeve (Mallawellup LSS - back by popular demand!)

GROWTH & RENEWAL

NSPNR AGM

22nd September 2026

Arrive at 5pm for 5:30 start - Ongerup Museum Wildflower Show

Sunset drink on arrival, private tour of the show, hear the amazing reports of our 2026 year - gold coin donation encouraged!

RENEWAL & PREPARATION

SOILS - AMELIORATION CHAT & DEMO INTRO

24th September 2026

Borden - time TBA approx 2-3hrs. Hear from Alice Butler from DPIRD about amelioration, view the site picked out for clay demo & view Bednar equipment on farm

DATE TBA: SITE VISIT TO STIRLING RANGE BEEF'S DAM CATCHMENT COVER **POSSIBLY 24TH SEPT FOLLOWING ON FROM SOILS SESSION

To RSVP or for more information send us a message on instagram @nspnr, text 0437 248 206, or email caroline@nspnr.com.au

PH: 9828 2325
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 OPEN: 9am-3pm Tues-Friday
 Saturday 10am - 2pm
published Thursday @ noon Deadline Wednesday noon

CRC/YONGERGNOW STAFF

Kiara Pittard - Centre Manager
 Alyce Langdon - Cleaner
 Mel Hawkins - Admin/Bookkeeper
 Laura Page - Library Officer
 Alyssa Dickson - Cafe Assistant
 Brooke Vlasschaert - Admin Asst
 Holly Bingham - Admin Assistant
 Nadia Reynolds - Cafe Assistant

CRC Committee

Roz Thompson - Chairperson
 Claire Flavel - Vice Chairperson
 Emma Spink - Secretary
 Kelly O'Neill - Treasurer
 Sandy Vaux
 Jane Campbell
 Alyce Langdon



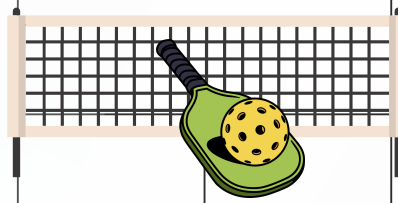
ONGERUP SERVICES

- Ambulance/Fire/Police/SES - 000
- Bill Tiller heavy vehicle accreditation/test & tag 0427 787059
- Child Health Nurse (Gnowangerup) - Amber Crichton 98 272800 or 0438 711532
- Crutching Cradle Ongerup - Lex 0458 524342
- Centrelink Access Point - located in the Ongerup CRC
- Davidson Occupational Therapy Dee 0488 146457 danielledavidsonot@gmail.com
- Fire Brigade - 000
- Hamersley Shearing - Brett 0457 620041
- Justice of the Peace - Tom Hart 0428 282120
Bill Tiller 0427 787059
- Little Learners daycare Friday School term - Maddie 0427 271454
- Ongerup Bowling Club - Vicki O'Neill 0428 282282 ongerupbowlingclub@gmail.com
- Ongerup Caravan Park - Lex 0458 524342
- Ongerup Farm Supplies and General Store - 9828 2288
- Ongerup Golf Club - Bill Tiller 0427 787059
- Ongerup Hall/gym - Ongerup CRC 98282325
- Ongerup Hotel - 9828 2749
- Ongerup Library - Yongernow-CRC Tues-Sat 9am - 3pm
- Ongerup CRC 98 282325 manager@ongerupcrc.net.au
- Ongerup Lunch Bar & Fuel 98 282747
- Ongerup Museum - Melissa Sclater 0448 849822
- Ongerup Sporting Complex - Alyce Langdon 0450 273890
- Ongerup Tyres & Auto - 98 282101
- Shearing Ongerup - Lex 0458 524342
- Veterinarian (Albany Vet Hospital) call 98 411788
- Shire community engagement 2nd & 3rd Thurs 98 271007
- Yongerknow Malleefowl Centre & Cafe 98 282325

Come and try pickleball at the Ongerup hall twice a week

Tuesday nights 6pm
Friday mornings 9am

PICKLEBALL IN THE HALL



Hall queries Yongernow-CRC 98282325

Pickleball queries Kelly 0497 282190

September 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					4 pickleball 9am Daycare	5
6 Fathers Day Golf 	7	8 pickleball 6pm	9 Fitness 5 & 6pm	10 Recycling bins	11 pickleball 9am Daycare	12 Ongerup Golf Club open day
13 Golf	14 Wildflower show starts	15 pickleball 6pm	16 fitness 5 & 6 pm	17	18 Daycare pickleball 9 am Eucalypt walk	19
20 Golf	21 Wildflower fabric workshop	22 NSPNR AGM pickleball 6pm	23 Wildflower fabric workshop Shire Meeting at Ongerup hall	24 Recycling bins	25 Daycare pickleball 9am	26 School holidays