



Your Recovery Journey

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**We are visiting
you!**

The Shire of Waroona in partnership with the Red Cross are visiting all the fire effected residents, including Preston Beach between the 9th and 13th of November 2016.

This will be your opportunity to share your story and let us know how we can assist you into the future and how you and your family are travelling. Its totally confidential.

Need to know more? Contact Colin on 0427904501



**It's Okay Not to
be Okay...**

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Prioritise your wellbeing.

You are going through a highly stressful experience. It is normal that you might be having strong emotional reactions such as sadness, anger, anxiety and frustration. You may also be finding it hard to concentrate, think clearly or make decisions, this is also normal after an emergency event. It takes time, but stress reactions will fade if you have the right information and look after your wellbeing. Get more information by visiting:

<http://redcross.org.au/self-care.aspx>

Or if you feel you need more individual support contact the Emergency Service resilience officer on; **0417 457 583**

**Want to make some extra \$\$
and support local commerce?**

Downunder Farmstays has been offering unique farm stay experiences to international students since 1994. We are always on the lookout for new farm families to join our team!

Farms are urgently required within 1 hour of Pinjarra, WA; Your support to helps our local economy.

What is involved?

- Pick up and Drop off guests at arranged venue (generally in Pinjarra)
- Include them with your family and farm chores
- Feed them home cooked aussie meals
- Give them an unforgettable Australian experience in our countryside
- Average 1-3 night stay
- Get paid well for doing it

Register your interest today and we will send you a full information pack for your consideration! More information is available at

www.downunderfarmstays.com.au



**DOWNUNDER
FARMSTAYS**

Who's your next host?

Do you want to host the next sundowner or Family Night for the fire effected community of Waroona??

It's a great way to share your story, see how your fellow fire affected community is or even just an excuse to have an good old aussie chat and spin a yarn!

Contact Colin on 0427 904 501 to express your interest and allow the planning to commence.

OUR Resilient Community — *Moving forward*

Fire Volunteers and their families are invited to attend

Firey's Family Picnic



Saturday 19th November

11am to 5pm

Wheeler Field, Mounsey Road, Coolup

Free sausage sizzle and burgers

Lions choo choo train

Water bomber display

Vintage Trucks on show



BYO Chairs & picnic

Drinks, shade, sunscreen hats



Sponsored by Rotary Club of Pinjarra & Lions Club of Waroona



Get in Touch,

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Waroona

Community Resource Centre

Your local connection

The Waroona CRC continues to provide information and support for a whole range of activities.

Your community centre has regular activities for the whole family.

Email: wccsdo@westnet.com.au

Call: 9733 3011

Peel Harvey Grant Successful

Chief Executive Officer of the Peel Harvey Catchment Council has announced the successful appointment of Megan LeRoy as our NRM Officer – Fire Recovery.

This position has been funded via a successful application to the State NRM office (thank you Luke) and has enabled us to employ Megan on a part time basis for 2 years to support landowners in fire recovery across the Waroona and Harvey Regions (following the fires in January this year). Megan will also be complementing existing NRM efforts in this footprint in engagement, capacity building and on-ground works.

Megan has 13 years professional experience working in restoration, conservation and land management in the private and public sector. She lives in Waroona since moving there to work for the Department of Agriculture in 2003. Most recently she worked as an environmental research officer on restoration projects in the Jarrah forest for the mining industry.

Megan will work from the Waroona Landcare Office on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. She will be supervised by Luke Rogers (our Regional Landcare Facilitator).

And here she is.....

