



Shire President's Message

We have just experienced one of our driest Mays on record which can generally lead to a tough time for our farmers in keeping livestock fed and maintained in good condition through June and July. This has been right across the South West so fingers crossed we have some substantial catch up rain in the coming months so we can enjoy some much needed spring growth and good water flows to top up our dams.

The community of Preston Beach has a completed and a very much enhanced new community centre. The Preston Beach Progress Association and all the support they mustered to see this project finally come to

fruition are to be congratulated and we hope that the residents and visitors will enjoy this new facility for many years to come.

The Waroona Business Support Group which is made up of a very dedicated and enthusiastic collective of business owners in Waroona have made a start on the first stage of adding colour and some art to our Main Street. The large blank wall that has been the centre of many conversations over the years will be beautified by a large mural featuring a selection of some of the natural beauty that we have to offer in our special part of the world. The artist behind the work is Brenton See and is attributable to many fantastic works across WA. The Council has contributed to this project and the business group has more stages to follow in putting some colour and interest into our town. Can I say thank you to this group for driving this project and look forward to seeing your future initiatives.

From some of the feedback that council has

received, our three free overnight RV stops have been well utilised. These areas give our visitors a chance to stay in our Shire for a short while with the hope they enjoy what we have to offer and perhaps support our businesses while they are here. If you happen to see these travellers at these spots please make them feel welcome and help in creating an image that we are a great place to visit.

While mentioning visitors, Tracy and her great band of volunteers at the Visitors centre are calling for our artists to start nominating for this year's Sea to Art exhibition. This event has grown in stature over the past years and has showcased some amazing and talented artists in our Shire and close neighbours. I would like to encourage anyone with the creative urge to consider entering in this exhibition. Tracey would be delighted if you would kindly talk to her about nominating and she can be reached at visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au

The past few months have been particularly

busy for our exceptional St John Ambulance service. The good people that make up this group have had more than their share of incidents and as a community, we thank them for what they do as first responders and the invaluable job that you do for our community in helping in what can be peoples greatest time of need. St Johns in Waroona offers some very valuable first aid courses so please make the effort to utilise their local training centre and help support this very vital service.

At our May council meeting, we congratulated Councillor Noel Dew on achieving twenty years of service on the Council of the Shire of Waroona. Noel has held the position of President and Deputy President. He has served on many committees and delegations and has been a very staunch advocate for Preston Beach. Noel has given countless hours to his community on council and as a volunteer ranger on the beach. Thank you Noel on your commitment to our Shire.



EMERGENCY SERVICES DINNER

Last month the Shire of Waroona invited representatives from Waroona Volunteer Fire & Emergency Service, Waroona West Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade, Lake Clifton Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade, Preston Beach Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade, Waroona St John Volunteer Ambulance, Preston Beach Volunteer Rangers and Waroona Police to attend the annual thankyou dinner which was held at the Waroona Bowling and Social Club last Thursday.

Shire councillors and staff joined around 70 members and their families for a lovely meal prepared and served by Waroona Bowling and Social Club.

Cr Mike Walmsley acknowledged and thanked all of the above Emergency Services for their highly valued services and time they provide to Waroona and surrounds.



CITIZENSHIP



New Australian Citizens:

Elizabeth & Tol Homan (Above)

Sarah Wright (Right)




WAROONA
SEEKING MORE MEMBERS!

ARE YOU BETWEEN THE AGES OF 12 AND 25 YEARS OLD?
DO YOU HAVE AN INTEREST IN WHAT OPPORTUNITIES ARE PROVIDED FOR YOUTH IN THE COMMUNITY?

Join Waroona Youth Advisory Council today!

YAC provides a forum for young people to get together and discuss youth issues, initiatives and projects. We also advise the Shire of Waroona on a wide range of Youth Issues.

If you are interested in joining, please contact the coordinator on the details below, or apply on the Shire of Waroona website
Relly Nottle : 9733 7800 or cdo@waroona.wa.gov.au



Sea to Art 2019

INVITATION TO EXHIBIT

Residents of Shire of Waroona, Coolup & Yarloop are invited to exhibit in the 2019 Sea to ART Exhibition to be held throughout October

Categories include but are not limited to painting, drawing & printmaking in any medium; mixed media art; works in fine metals, jewellery & glass; works in fibres & textiles; fine wood work, etc.

For enquiries or inclusion on the email or postal list please contact
Tracy Goldsworthy 0472 595 266
email visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au

Entry forms will be available in July. Forms will need to be returned by mid September with artworks not required until towards the end of September.

Next Council Meeting

Next Council Meeting will be
25 June 2019
at 4pm at the
Shire of Waroona Council Chambers behind the administration office

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Alcoa proudly supports the Shire of Waroona Sea to Scarp Newsletter.

Waroona Licensing Centre is now located within the Shire Administration Office to the left of Reception.

9733 3021



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TROUTFEST! FISH FOR FREE

SATURDAY 31/8/19 10AM - 1:30PM AT DRAKESBROOK WEIR

FREE EVENT - REGISTRATIONS ESSENTIAL LICENCE FREE WEEKEND!

Activities include:

- Community trout release
- Freshwater fishing clinics
- Fly casting demos
- Tackle & rigging info & demos
- Bring rods if you can, picnic rug & chairs, gumboots & sun protection etc.
- Sausage sizzle & soft drinks for sale

info@recfishwest.org.au www.recfishwest.org.au

The VINTAGE MACHINERY RALLY

SUNDAY 22 SEPTEMBER 2019 : 9AM-3PM
WAROONA SHOWGROUNDS

BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE LIONS CLUB OF WAROONA

Stationary engines, vintage cars, trucks, tractors, motor bikes, tools & toys. Antiques, hand & home-made craft & interests, food stalls, children's entertainment & more. Adult \$5 entry, kids 10 & under free. For more information contact John 9733 3122 or 0407 080 671 or Ness 0432 970 057

new.waroona.vintagemachineryrally.com.au

HUGE CAR DISPLAY

Sunday 12 April
All Australian Car Day
Waroona Showgrounds

10AM TO 3PM
5TH WESTERN HWY, WAROONA

- Wine & Gourmet Hall
- Market & Food Stalls
- Kids' Entertainment
- Any & All Cars welcome

www.allaustraliancarday.com.au

WAROONA ALL YEAR, EVERY YEAR

YARN BOMB WAROONA & MOORIEL
Yarn meets street art year round with colourful works by local knitters and crocheters. Meet fashion icon Mooriel at the Visitor Centre for a selfie and follow her on Instagram @waroonacow Ph 9733 1506

GREENER PASTURES SANCTUARY
Compassion is the key to this farm that is home to over 170 rescued farm animals. Join a tour to interact and connect with these special and affectionate creatures. greenerpasturesanctuary.org.au

WAROONA FARMERS MARKETS
Fresh local produce, handicrafts, artisan works, delicious breakfast and brunch options. 1st Sunday each month (excl. January) 8am-12pm at Memorial Hall, South West Hwy. waroonaaactingroup@hotmail.com

Sea to Art 2019

ALL OCTOBER LOCAL ART WORKS FOR VIEWING AND SALE

Hosted by Waroona Visitor Centre and showcasing talented local artists and artisans in a diverse range of mediums.

WAROONA VISITOR CENTRE
37 SOUTH WEST HIGHWAY, WAROONA
9733 1506 e: visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au

89TH ANNUAL WAROONA SHOW

BIGGEST ONE DAY COUNTRY SHOW IN AUSTRALIA!

SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER 2019

Sideshow Alley, Wood Chop & Cooking Demos, Fireworks, Sheep Dogs, Food Trucks, Horse Events, Pony Rides, Bands, Farrier Competitions, Free Entertainment, Hall Exhibits, Poultry and Cattle Exhibits, Toddlers' Funland, Whip Cracking & more. Free offsite parking and shuttle from Waroona Rec Centre. Australind train service 5 minute walk to showground.

WAROONA SHOWGROUNDS
www.waroonashow.com.au

24 HOUR FREE STAY AREAS

1 MAY TO 31 OCTOBER FOR SELF-CONTAINED RVs

RV FRIENDLY TOWN

There are five designated bays for self-contained recreational vehicles at these sites:

- Waroona Showgrounds, cnr Millar & SW Hwy (onsite sullage point)
- Drakesbrook Weir, Weir Road, Waroona
- Preston Beach carpark, Mitchell Ave

CONDITIONS APPLY - see website www.waroona.wa.gov.au
Shire of Waroona (08) 9733 7800

WHILE YOU'RE HERE... THINGS TO DO & SEE

HAMEL • WAROONA • PRESTON BEACH • LAKE CLIFTON

- Head to Waroona Visitor Centre for maps & information, art & craft gallery
- Take a self-drive tour of Waroona Shire's forest & farmlands, coast & lakes
- Visit Drakesbrook Antiques & Collectables to see their fabulous range of treasures
- Spend time at beautiful Drakesbrook Weir to swim, fish, picnic or barbecue
- Take your boat to ski & biscuit at Lake Navarino then explore the area by 4WD
- Cast a line at Waroona Dam to bag yourself some trout or redfin perch
- Check out Waroona's wonderful community art projects & Heritage Trail
- Book a group tasting and vineyard experience at Drakesbrook Wines
- Centennial Park is great for the kids with a playground & wide paths for scooters & bikes
- Horse lovers will enjoy the trail rides through scenic bushland on the scarp with Langford Hill Riding Farm
- Visit the Hamel Eco Precinct for a picnic & to learn the history of the area
- Grab your golf clubs & negotiate the challenging terrain of Preston Beach Golf Course
- Explore Yalgorup National Park with its abundant wildlife & Ramsar listed wetlands
- 4WD at Preston Beach & try for herring, whiting or salmon when they're running
- View the thrombolites & walk the Lakeside Loop trail at Lake Clifton
- Discover an eclectic mix of boutique businesses, open studios and farm gate stalls
- Visit Lake Clifton Mango Winery to taste & purchase award-winning wines

GRAPEST 5KM RUN

SATURDAY 2 NOVEMBER 2019 : 2PM-6.30PM

FEATURING THE WINE WADDLE

AT DRAKESBROOK FINE WINES

Set off at your own pace making your way through 5 or 10kms of the Drakesbrook Fine Wines vineyard. For your cool down, walk a while sampling some of the vineyard's best at each of the four tasting stations.

www.grapest5krun.com.au

GYPSY JAZZ FESTIVAL

March 2020

TICKETS ON SALE SPRING 2019

A FAMILY MUSIC FESTIVAL with a Gypsy themed village including pop-up markets, stalls, food, drinks and entertainment culminating in an evening concert by the lake.

VENUE: DRAKESBROOK FINE WINES
e: info@drakesbrook.com.au
Prince Road, Waroona

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Pinjarra Bakery & Patisserie - Waroona Store - award winning pies, delicious cakes, coffee, sandwiches & wraps, gelato and more.
36 South West Hwy. Ph 9733 2278. www.pinjarrabakery.com

Lake Navarino Holiday Park - Rustic setting in jarrah forest. Cabins, cottages, park homes, shady powered and unpowered sites and camping areas, glamping tents. Fully licensed restaurant open weekends, school holidays and for bookings. A CMAA Dollar Wise Park. Invarrell Road (off Scarp Rd). Ph 9733 3000. www.navarinopark.com.au

Tasty Bite Indian Restaurant - Dine in or takeaway buffet. Authentic cuisine 82 South West Hwy. Ph 0451 915 244

Totem Rustic - Five Senses coffee & cake, juice bar. 83 South West Hwy. Ph 0439 180 188

The Hairy Lentil - Health food restaurant offering scrumptious vego & raw creations. Functions & catering. Cnr Coronation Rd & South West Hwy. Ph 0466 824 633

Waroona Caravan Village - A rural setting within walking distance of town centre and golf course. Dogs on leash welcome. 45 Logue Street. Ph 9733 1518. www.waroonavillage.com.au

Waroona Hotel - Good old fashioned pub with friendly service and in the town centre. Games room, TAB, drive through bottle shop, budget accommodation and meals Wed night - Sun. Fouracre Street. Ph 9733 1232

Vibe Roadhouse - Takeaway or dine in. Fuel, car accessories, gas, ice, groceries, wood and shower access. 89 South West Hwy. Ph 9790 7606

Puma Roadhouse - Freshly cooked takeaways or dine in, grocery lines, excellent prices on fuel. 32 South West Hwy. Ph 9733 1294

Things can change so please check opening hours with operator.

WAROONA VISITOR CENTRE ART GALLERY & GIFTS

Staff and volunteers look forward to assisting you with information on places to visit and things to see and do. The Centre is also home to a gallery featuring a beautiful range of local art, handicrafts, homewares and preserves. 37 South West Highway, Waroona, WA 6215
Closed: Good Friday, Christmas Day, Boxing Day & New Year's Day. email: visitorcentre@waroona.wa.gov.au

Daily 9.30am - 3.30pm (08) 9733 1506

www.waroona.wa.gov.au

Waroona Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporation Meeting

Some exciting news for Shire of Waroona; after a lot of thought and hard work the Commonwealth of Australia has accepted the application from Waroona Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Corporation (WAATSIC) to become an incorporated organisation.

The objectives of the Corporation are to assist in the relief of poverty, sickness, destitution, helplessness, distress, suffering and misfortune among Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander people in the Waroona Shire, through the process of supporting social and economic development.

The Corporation is guided by 8 elected directors who represent different families in the community and will also undertake a liaison approach with many community groups and organisations.

For further information, please contact Chairperson Rob Jetta on: 0477 352 266 or waatsic@gmail.com

Australian Government
Office of the Registrar of Indigenous Corporations

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION
OF AN ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CORPORATION

This is to record that
WAROONA ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CORPORATION
INDIGENOUS CORPORATION NUMBER: 9036

is a corporation registered under the Corporations (Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander) Act 2006.
The date of registration is 29 March 2019

Andrew East
Delegate of the Registrar of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporations

CORPORATIONS (ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER) ACT 2006



2019 NAIDOC SHOWCASE

TUESDAY 9 JULY 2019
10AM - 3PM
WAROONA MEMORIAL HALL

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT
SHIRE OF WAROONA (08) 9733 7800

www.wapha.org.au www.passionatelives.com.au

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Waroona Community Resource Centre
10 Henning Street, Waroona
24th and 25th June 9.30 - 4.00

STATE SPORTING ASSOCIATION & LOCAL GOVERNMENT FORUM

On Wednesday 8th May, the Peel and South West offices of the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries hosted a forum for State Sporting Associations (SSA) and Local Governments (LG) as a means of creating networks and developing relationships between the sports and the facility providers.

It has been recognised that as sports continue to grow, pressure mounts on local governments to supply the level of facilities & equipment needed. In many instances, the relationship between the two parties are minimal which can result in the misunderstanding of community need and opportunities can be missed.

The hosting of this initial forum, connected local governments from both the Peel and South West with key state sporting associations - Cricket WA, Hockey WA, Basketball WA, Football West, Netball WA and WA Football Commission. This forum provided an opportunity for the state sporting associations to present on regional servicing priorities as well as outline potential restrictions. Following the presentations, local governments were able to engage in discussion with the sports relevant to their communities. This forum provided a foundation for both sport and local government to develop appropriate networks that will benefit into the future, particularly with regards to planning of facility needs.

Following the success of this forum, it has been suggested that the forum be held twice a year, with state sporting associations hosting and presenting at one, and local governments hosting and presenting at the other