

FEBRUARY 2020 NEWSLETTER

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The Wiluna Wire

Happy Valentine's Day





EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

Hello and welcome to the February edition of the **Wiluna Wire**. In this edition we have submissions from a number of Wiluna agencies and individuals. We would love to make the **Wiluna Wire** into an informative, interesting and entertaining newsletter, that includes submissions from all sections and ages of the Wiluna community. The newsletter will only be as good as the submissions we receive!

However, under copyright law, we cannot publish material to which others own the copyright, so please make sure that any material you send in is original or else not under copyright.

If you have any feedback, suggestions and or submissions, please come into the Shire Administration Centre on Wotton Street and have a chat. Contact can also be made by phone—9981 8000 or email at—aa@wiluna.wa.gov.au with “The Wiluna Wire” in the subject line.

OPENING HOURS 2019
2020 SEASON

Monday Tuesday Thursday Friday
6:00am to 8:00am 10:0am to 12noon 1:30pm to 6:00pm

WILUNA COMMUNITY
SWIMMING POOL



Closed
Wednesdays

Weekends
10:30am to 12:30pm 1:30pm to 6:00pm

Public Holidays
10:30am to 12:00pm 1:30pm to 6:00pm



CEO's Report

Firstly, I'd like to welcome in the new decade and I hope everyone had a great festive season. I took some time off after a very busy 2019 and have come back refreshed and ready for an exciting year.

The main street furniture has arrived and will be installed during the next three weeks and it should all be finished by the end of the month. We have some artwork panels, some shaded picnic seating and shaded single seating and some interpretive bins to be installed. The Main Street Revitalisation Programme has been a major focus for Council during 2019, it has been a long time in the planning process and we are seeing the results of all the community's input into this project.

As you would all be aware, parts of the Shire were inundated with very heavy rainfall. Up to 300ml of rain was dropped on the eastern pastoral stations over a 24-hour period. This has resulted in several road closures that have now become impassable to all traffic. The rain event has been proclaimed as a disaster and we have been informed by the Minister that funding will be allocated to the Wiluna Shire for flood works on our damaged roads. In the meantime, please obey all road closed signs and exercise caution on all Shire roads.

The Shire is focusing on getting the flood damaged roads opened up so they can be used safely. Unfortunately, it will take time to repair the roads to pre flood conditions as there was considerable damage to the Shires Eastern Road Network. The Shire is still assessing the amount of damage as the pooling of water has prevented us from inspecting all the roads.

The Shire has just ordered a mobile toilet trailer which includes a disabled component. The mobile toilet is intended to be used at activities and events around the Wiluna townsite so that people have access to suitable ablution facilities.

Regards

Colin Bastow
CEO



What's on This Month

Feb-20

DATE	DAY	TIME	VENUE	ACTIVITY
03-Feb-20	Monday	3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30- 6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
04-Feb-20	Tuesday	3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
05-Feb-20	Wednesday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
		3-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
06-Feb-20	Thursday	3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6.00-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
09-Feb-20	Sunday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
		9-12-30pm	Wiluna Traders	Trash and Treasure
		3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
10-Feb-20	Monday	4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
11-Feb-20	Tuesday	4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
12-Feb-20	Wednesday	3-5pm	Youth Centre	drop in inside options
		5-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		6-8-30pm	Moonlight hall	Bingo
13-Feb-20	Thursday	3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
17-Feb-20	Monday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
		3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in- inside options
18-Feb-20	Tuesday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
19-Feb-20	Wednesday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
		3-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
20-Feb-20	Thursday	6.00-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
		4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
24-Feb-20	Monday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
		3-6pm	Pool	Swimming
25-Feb-20	Tuesday	4-30-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
26-Feb-20	Wednesday	6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		3-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
27-Feb-20	Thursday	3-6pm	Youth Centre	drop in-inside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	outside options
		6-7pm	Youth Centre	Punch fit class
29-Feb-20	Saturday	5-10pm	Moonlight hall	Community Karaoke

Ngangganawili Aboriginal Health Service

Events Calendar

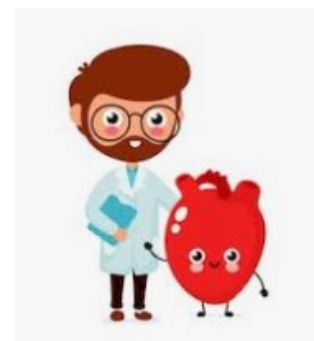
Visiting Specialists

February 2020

RFDS Dentists - 3 Feb to 7 Feb
RFDS Dentists - 24 Feb to 28 Feb



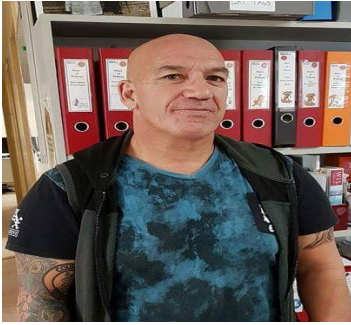
Cardiologist - 12 Feb to 14 Feb



Diabetic Educator - 24 Feb to 26 Feb

Hearing Australia - 24 Feb

Lions Eye Van - 25 Feb to 28 Feb



Youth Centre Yarn



Holiday Program

Rather a quiet time during the month of January, with lots of children away on holiday, sorry business in town, wet weather, hot weather and Flies and Mozzie's have made an inconsistent month of children and adults coming and going. The most unusual things this month has been our contact numbers which are higher than this time last year. We have been running Midday Matinees which sees our usual suspects come in to cool down, blob out, watch movies and build lego communities all over the floor in the main room.

Australia Day at the Wiluna pool: Sunday 26/01/2020

We ran Aussie day at the pool, Sunday 26th. The pool was opened at 3-30pm which meant we stayed open until 8pm, it's a rather beautiful place in the evening with the sound of water as the night takes over and the lights shine on the water.

We had around 220 locals turn up to spend the afternoon and evening with us, big thank you to Peter and Peter (Macca crew) from the Matilda mines. You guys rolled out to spend time with us all and ended up cooking up a storm on the barbeque, from the smiling faces and never-ending line of hungry folks today and we all appreciated your help and company.

Thank you, Jeremy and Harley, having you down lending a hand makes life just that little easier when feeding the hungry masses, when you bring down your smiling face and happy demeanor, your presence makes the place a little more mellow, and a lot more fun.

By the time the day was done we had feed around 200 plus locals, families got to spend a mellow afternoon together while we all relaxed enjoying our time while contemplating just what this big country has to offer us all.

Blue Boys Disco at the Wiluna Youth Centre: Thursday 30/01/2020

The Blue Boys Disco kicked off at 4-30pm with the little people wandering in to check out the place and have a boogie. Which really means the children came in sound, had a yarn, went outside to throw the basketball, back in to sit around again. By the time the place had started to fill up with children and parents, and as the night progressed the fears were lost, and the feet started to move. Throughout the night if we gauged the dancing and the laughter I could hear it sounded as if we were on Broadway and our children were dancing on the big stage. Thank you to the Wiluna Local Drug Action Group Volunteers who rolled on down to make light work of the required tasks to put on a community gig. Thank you, Sharon, (Youth Focus), Wade (Police), Ken (Pool Manager) and Sopheak (Shire), without you lot not a lot gets done. Roll on our midterm Disco.



NASCA

Amy and her crew will be back in Wiluna on Monday February 17th to run three days of games/training at the basketball courts from 6-7pm. Thursday 20 February 2020 the NASCS Three on Three Basketball tournament will be held for the young and old from 6pm.

General Information

Hayley and I have been putting together our events program for the year, at this stage we have Bingo and Karaoke kicking off in February, our main community event for the summer will be the Wiluna Harmony Family Fun Day being held on Wednesday 25th and Thursday 26th of March. The Wednesday program see's Mary G's radio show in the evening, we are planning a small community concert during the day, venue and time to be announced. Thursday will see the Shire of Wiluna Service Providers Expo kicking off on the oval at 1.30pm, the fun and games start at three pm, keep an eye out for flyers advertising this event in and around the community over the next few weeks.

TRASH & TREASURE SUNDAY

FEB 9TH 9.00 TO 12.00



AT THE FRONT OF WILUNA TRADERS

\$5.00 PER STALL - DONATED TO RFDS



Wiluna Shire

Casual Job Position 1

The Shire of Wiluna has a casual position available

Applications close on the 21st of February.

If applying for this position, please highlight on your application (resume) as
Position 1.

This position is a trial position and will be reviewed on attendance, work
performance and ongoing works programmes.

Resumes are to be delivered to the Administration
staff at the Shire Office.

Minimum Position Requirements.

Must have the Following.

Car Licence.

White Card.

Police Clearance Required Before Employment.

Duties include.

Parks and gardens.

Town Maintenance.

Refuse Maintenance.

Cemetery Maintenance.

Road Maintenance.

Airport Maintenance.

All other associated duties of the outside work staff. Other duties as directed
by Manager of Works.

Wiluna Shire

Casual Job Position 2

The Shire of Wiluna has a casual position

Applications close on the 21st of February.

If applying for this position, please highlight on your application (resume) as
Position 2.

This position is a trial position and will be reviewed on attendance, work
performance and ongoing works programmes.

Resumes are to be delivered to the Administration
staff at the Shire Office.

Minimum Position Requirements.

Must have the Following.

HR Truck Licence.

White Card.

Police Clearance Required Before Employment.

Duties include.

Parks and gardens.

Town Maintenance.

Refuse Maintenance.

Cemetery Maintenance.

Road Maintenance.

Airport Maintenance.

All other associated duties of the outside work staff. Other duties as directed
by Manager of Works.

dean contracting

civil earthworks contractors

SHORT TERM EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING OPPORTUNITY:

Dean Contracting are seeking Local Wiluna residents, Indigenous and Non-Indigenous for short term road works Project.

The following positions are available:

Traffic Controllers – Training and assessments will be arranged

Roller Drivers – Training and assessment will be arranged

Truck Drivers – MC Licence required

Wages and conditions negotiable

If you would like to discuss this Employment Opportunity

Please contact Russell Dean on phone 0419 681 895

Or

email dean.contracting@hotmail.com



Shire Roads Update

In the aftermath of Tropical Cyclone Blake there has been major destruction to the Shire of Wiluna road network, which is still currently being assessed and unfortunately some of our roads are still closed.

The Roads that are **OPEN** with restrictions are:

Wiluna North Road	Exercise Caution
Jundee Road (Jundee Mine)	Exercise Caution
Wongawol Road	Open to Station Traffic only—with Caution
Barwidgee Road	Open to Local Traffic only-with
Wonganoo Road	Exercise Caution
Windidda Road	Exercise Caution
Granite Peak—Lake Violet Road	Open to Station Traffic only
The Sandstone—Wiluna Road	Exercise Caution
The Road to Wongawol Station	Exercise Caution
Yandil Road	Open to Station Traffic only—with Caution
Prenti Downs Road	Open to Station Traffic only—with Caution
Yeelirrie Road (Yeelirrie/Wiluna)	Exercise Caution
Yeelirrie Road (Yeelirrie/Meekatharra)	Exercise Caution

The following Roads are still **CLOSED** until the Shire has assessed the damage:

Wongawol Road to Carnegie Station
Carnegie Station to Shire Boundary
Gunbarrel Highway will be closed for approx. 1 month
Carnegie—Glen Ayle Road
Sydney Heads Road

For the most current information regarding the Shire road network, please go the Road Condition Report on the Shire of Wiluna web page. www.wiluna.wa.gov.au

Some of the Road Damage



Left: Sydney Head Pass

**Right: Colin Ward Sydney
Head Pass**



Below Carnegie Road



Man survives almost a month stranded in outback on Canning Stock Route eating ants

ABC Pilbara By [Meggie Morris](#) and [Kendall O'Connor](#)



PHOTO: Phil Blampied, 61, was rescued after almost a month in the West Australian outback. (Supplied: WA Police)

It may not have been his New Year's resolution but for Phil Blampied, eating brown ants and shrubbery is what led to his survival after getting lost on the Canning Stock Rout for nearly a month.

The 61-year old left his home in Western Australia's south-west last December and travelled towards the unsealed Talawana Track, more than 1500 kilometres away.

From there he made his way to the infamous Canning Stock Route, the longest stock route in the world, which is where he ran into trouble.

"It was a bit of a story," Mr Blampied told ABC Radio Perth Breakfast following his rescue this week.

"Things didn't go quite as planned"

To begin with, this four-wheel-drive vehicle became stuck in sand dunes on the first section of the route.

After using a lot of fuel to free his car, Mr Blampied decided to make tracks to the town of Wiluna.



PHOTO: Mr Blampied is an experienced traveller and carried suitable resources. (Supplied: WA Police)

On December 30 he made it to Well Number Six, which was full of water and assuming another well 50 kilometres closer to the town site would also be full, he pushed on in his truck.

But the next well was bone dry and with his petrol supply running low, Mr Blampied made the difficult decision to double back, abandoning his vehicle in the process.

“In the truck, I had 40 litres of water, so that’s about 10 days,” he said.

“I realised that if no-one picks me up in 10 days, I’m out of water. So I walked the 18 or so kilometres back to Well Six, because you can last on water and not much food, but you can’t last without water.

Survival instincts kicked in

It was on that walk that the handyman said he subconsciously switched to survival mode.

He left his car in a clearing, draped with yellow jerry cans and a bright yellow bag, with a reflector in the window so people would be able to see it from the air and from the ground.

Mr Blampied also wrote and dated a note telling any potential passers-by where he was going.



PHOTO: Mr Blampied left a note alerting people to where he had gone and when. (Supplied: WA Police)

“I don’t normally snack on brown ants, but they’re quite nice and crunchy,” he said of his food supply.

“And some of the leaves of the various bushes were well and truly tested, I can assure you.”

He tried all sorts of vegetation in tiny bites, waiting to see how his stomach would handle the new cuisine before eating more.

“I couldn’t afford to lose anything, from either end” he said.

Telling himself not to give up under any circumstances, he could not stop his mind from wandering.

“I was making a lot of plans for the future [and] thinking ‘I’d love to do this when I get home,’ ‘I should go out a bit more, and “I haven’t had a Chinese meal in months’,” he said.

“And then of course, I would think, ‘well that’s if I get out here’.”

Nearly a very costly error

On reflection, Mr Blampied admitted to making basic mistakes, like not purchasing and travelling with an emergency position-indicating beacon (EPIRB) or a satellite phone.



PHOTO: Mr Blampied survived in temperatures exceeding 40 degrees Celsius. (Supplied: WA Police)

He said it was a major oversight and a very costly error that he said he deserved criticism for.

“People go up mountains, experienced mountaineers [and] they need rescuing, people go out to sea, they need rescuing,” he said.

“People do all sorts of things and need rescuing, but I would never say no [to contributing to rescue costs] because at the end of the day, I’m still here because of other people putting their lives at risk.”

Mr Blampied said the cost of his rescue was something he considered after watching a plane fly overhead and leave before spotting him.

“All I could hear was the noise, and the wind had been playing tricks on me all the time,” he said.

“Every now and again it would sound like a motorbike or a truck or a plane.

“I ran to a clearing, waving frantically and all I could see was the back of it disappear, and my heart absolutely sank.”

But the next day, on January 27, someone did return while he was making his morning cup of coffee.

“The noise of a chopper is unmistakable, so I ran into the clearing and there it was, straight in from of me,” he said.

“I’m waving like crazy beams — I’m not sure if I can even describe the feeling. I was absolutely stunned.

“They circled and when they obviously saw me, I carried on making my cup of coffee.”

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Celebrations, Traditions and Superstitions

Around a Leap Year

A leap year is every four years, because of the earth's orbit and the efforts of the 16th Century Pope Gregory X111 and the Roman Emperor Julius Caesar (of Gregorian Calendar Fame), we must add an extra day to the end of February to create a leap year. But neither Caesar or the Pope could have foreseen the superstitions or the strange celebrations that have come about because of it.

The leap day tradition of women proposing to men is believed to have started in Ireland, with women of the 21st Century being free to propose to their loved one at any time they choose, but for hundreds of years society believed it was solely the undertaking of a gentleman. Every 4 years, on 29 February women who have marriage on their mind can take the opportunity to ask their beau to marry them instead of waiting to be asked.

Folklore points to the tradition beginning in Ireland in about the 5th century. A deal is believed to have been worked out between St Brigid of Kildare and St Patrick, but the custom has spread across the world. In Scotland women who are going to propose are counselled to wear a red petticoat visible to their beau.

Regrettably, there isn't always a happy ever after. The story goes that Queen Margaret of Scotland passed a law which stated that any man who refused a Leap Year proposal should be given a fine, which could amount to anything from £1 to a silk gown.

In Denmark the price is 12 pairs of gloves, which the refused woman can wear to hide the awkwardness of having no ring, and in Finland a man who decides not to accept the offer must provide enough material to make a skirt.

On May Day itself in Germany, leap years see only women dancing around the maypole and in other years men join in also.

In a number of places, leap years and 29 February in particular are considered to bring bad luck. Folklore in Greece is that marriages that take place in a leap year will end in divorce, and in Scotland it's thought that those born on a Leap Day will live a life of unhappiness. Scottish farmers evidently also have concerns for their livestock. There is an old saying that alleges a "leap year was never a good sheep year." Perhaps it has something to do with the weather.

In Italy, the origins of the bad luck are more understandable. During Roman times, February was associated with the dead, and extending it only extended an already morbid month.

In 1928 Harry Craddock, a bartender who worked at the Savoy Hotel in London created a cocktail for Leap Year celebrations and it is said to have been responsible for more proposals than any other cocktail that has ever been mixed.

2 ounce gin.

1/2 ounce Grand Marnier

1/2 ounce Sweet Vermouth

1/4 ounce Fresh Lemon Juice





BINGO

NIGHT

12 FEBRUARY 2020

DOORS OPEN AT 6PM

THE SHIRE OF WILUNA
THE MOONLIGHT HALL
70 WOTTON STREET

Please call Tamihana or Hayley on
9981 8022 for more information



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Tjukurba ART GALLERY



Recap on our 2019 year to date

We had our last team meeting then cleaned up the place for closing on the 20th of December.

The Christmas party was held at the Discovery Centre with our team assisting Tamihana and Hayley in dressing up the Discovery centre over two days. The celebrations of the evening after speeches from Colin and Jim the Wiluna Shire president had everyone trying to stay cool from the heat of the day and not a spit of wind to cool the families and friends who attended the Christmas party.

Here are a few pictures for those who attended and made the night as fun and enjoyable for all





Jundee Exhibition 30th January 20

Our team are ready for the New Year start out with our first Exhibition out to Jundee mines Thursday 30th February we will take ten artist and three staff members Harley has his week off so he will be assisting as an artist learning how to set up and run a stall ,look after the artist and work alongside of management William Moore during our time out there I will be mentoring both staff members into their new roles. Sopheak will continue to staff the Art Centre until closing for the day. We will take the Rec Centre vehicle as well as the Art Centre work vehicle.

Update from the Jundee Exhibition 30th January 2020

We had another successful event at Jundee mines yesterday in the last half hour of us getting ready to pack up, we sold \$4,970.00 worth of artworks to the Jundee miners and Management team. We even took orders for the Polo shirts thanks to Vera who promoted her Polo shirt to the lovely lady who purchased Vera's' Rabbit Proof fence canvas. All the artist enjoyed their time the food was amazing, and we dressed up the Dry Mess like the Gallery at the Art centre, we have been given more space to utilize. William will talk to the Management team about having some paintings left out there to display on their walls to capture a bigger audience. Great evening for all who attended

and participated. Thanks to the Management team and our staff who did a great job setting up thanks to Sheray and Darius for assisting us in the set up and clean up.

Here are photos of the Tjukurba Birriliruru Artist at Jundee mines enjoying the fruits of the hard work and time.



Sales for works for and Merchandise for January

This is a great start to the New Year as it is the first time, we have had sales in January the team are happy and looking forward to assisting the artists to financially help their families.

January 1 st to 31st	Art and Merchandise	Sales
		\$8,995.00

Thanks to all the families who allow us to take photos to display in the Wiluna Wire 2020

Ka Kete Ano

Linaire Hodge - Manager Community Service



Australian Government
Indigenous Visual Arts Industry Support

Funded through the Australian Government's Indigenous
Visual Arts Industry Support Program

Casual cook wanted

Do you like to cook? Do you have a legal right to work in Australia? If you can answer yes to these two questions then we are interested in hearing from you.

The Shire is looking for someone to prepare food for Shire meetings, functions and events.

We have a fully kitted commercial kitchen at your disposal.



If you are interested please contact Katrina at the Shire Administration Office either in person or by ringing 9981 8000.

Showerhead Swap

Terms and conditions

It's important that you read and understand the terms and conditions before removing your showerhead/(s).

By participating in the Showerhead Swap Program, you have accepted these terms and conditions.

To be eligible for free replacement showerhead(s) under the Showerhead Swap Program:

1. You must live in one of the towns as identified on the Water Corporation's website - Showerhead Swap Program webpage; and
2. If you are a tenant, you and the landlord must agree to participate in the Showerhead Swap Program, which includes the replacement of the old showerhead(s) with showerhead(s) provided under the Showerhead Swap Program.

The process:

3. You must take your old showerhead(s) and a copy of a recent bill from Water Corporation in your name or a recent waterwise letter, if you have received one, to an exchange point identified on Water Corporation's website at watercorporation.com.au/showerheadswap ("Exchange Point") to exchange it for a new replacement showerhead(s), only while supplies last.
4. A maximum of two old showerheads can be swapped for two replacement showerheads for each household, only while supplies last.
5. At the point in time that your old showerhead is accepted by the Exchange Point, the old showerhead becomes the property of the Water Corporation and cannot be returned to you.

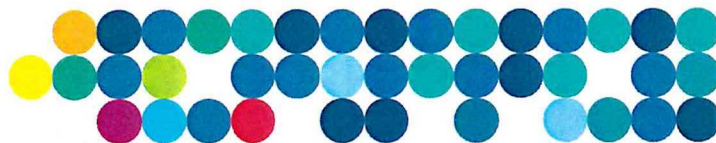
You are responsible for:

6. Removal of the old showerhead(s), including ensuring the removal of the old showerhead is compatible with existing systems, the wall fitting(s) and plumbing. If you are in any doubt or require assistance, we recommend that you ask a licensed Plumber for advice or help;
7. Installation of the replacement showerhead(s), including ensuring the installation is compatible with existing systems, the wall fitting(s) and plumbing. If you need assistance with installing the showerhead(s), we recommend you contact a licensed Plumber.
8. The condition, operation, maintenance, alteration, replacement, and/or removal of the replacement showerhead.

Water Corporation is not responsible for:

9. Removal of the old showerhead(s) or the installation of the replacement showerhead(s) or any costs, damage, loss or risk caused as a result.
10. The installation, maintenance, operation, alteration or replacement of the replacement showerhead; and/or
11. Any associated costs, loss or damage, incurred by participating in the Showerhead Swap Program.

Showerhead Swap Terms and conditions

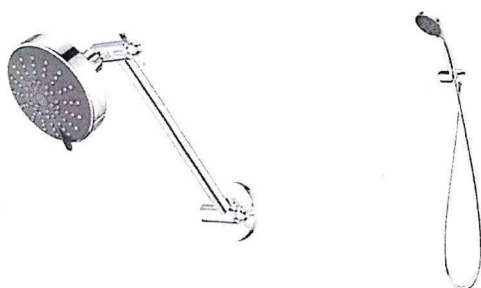


Additional terms and conditions:

12. The Water Corporation provides no warranty regarding the condition, capability, performance or suitability of the replacement showerhead for whatever purpose you intend to use the new showerhead(s).
13. The Exchange Point will act as a distribution point only for the showerhead/(s) on behalf of the Water Corporation. The Exchange Point bears no responsibility for any loss, damage, or claim arising out of the Showerhead Swap Program, including any loss, damage or claims associated with the removal, installation, plumbing, and/ or manufacturer warranties.
14. For avoidance of doubt, Water Corporation is not the manufacturer of the showerheads provided under the Showerhead Swap Program and does not provide any warranty regarding the performance of the showerhead(s).
15. To obtain your warranty and/or if you experience any product faults with your new showerhead(s), you will contact the relevant, manufacturer, directly.
 - a) If you have the Bermuda Flexispray Hi Rise pictured below, you will contact the manufacturer, Methven, on 1300 638 483 or by visiting their website at www.methven.com



- b) If you have the Posh Solus Mk3 hand-shower or Hi Rise shower pictured below, you will contact the manufacturer, Reece Plumbing Centre Myaree, on (08) 9263 1510 or by visiting their website at www.reece.com.au



16. The Showerhead Swap program ends 31 May 2020, but limited stock may still be available after this time. Please attend the Exchange Point to find out if there is any stock remaining after 31 May 2020. Any remaining stock will also be subject to these terms and conditions.

Suitability of showerheads:

17. The replacement showerheads provided under the Showerhead Swap Program are water efficient and
18. The replacement showerheads are not suitable for low pressure, gravity fed (in the roof), and some instantaneous or continuous supply hot water systems. It is your responsibility to ensure the compatibility of your existing hot water system with the replacement showerhead(s). If in doubt, we recommend contacting a licenced Plumber for advice or help.

KARAOKE NIGHT

Saturday, 29 February 2020

5 - 10.30pm

moonlight Hall

Shire of Wiluna

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GAME ON!

NASCA & SHIRE OF WILUNA SPORT & REC BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

TRAINING:

**MONDAY 17TH, TUESDAY
18TH, WEDNESDAY 19TH FEB
6PM-7PM**

3X3 COMPETITION & BBQ:

**THURSDAY 20TH FEB
6PM**

**ALL KIDS & ADULTS
ARE WELCOME TO
PLAY!**

**CONTACT TAMIHANA
OR HAYLEY FOR
MORE DETAILS**

Come down to
support and grab a
feed at the BBQ on
Thursday!

Building Strong Minds Wiluna

LEARN TO
LISTEN AND
NOT JUDGE

RECOGNISE
EARLY
WARNING
SIGNS THAT
SOMEONE
MAY

SUPPORT YOUR
COMMUNITY,
FAMILY AND
FRIENDS

GET HELP FROM
OTHER SUPPORT
NETWORKS

CONNECT WITH
LOCAL MENTAL
HEALTH SERVICES

HELP SOMEONE
WHO IS GOING
THROUGH A MENTAL
HEALTH CRISIS

FREE TRAINING
Come together,
help yourself
and your

Venue: TBC

Workshop: Dates 16-18 March 2020

You can make a significant change in another person's life. You could be the difference!

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Mental Health First Aid Training for RSAS, CDP, Night Patrol and Rangers frontline staff. Spare places will be available for other

- Developed with Aboriginal Mental Health workers
- Focusing on improving the mental health and wellbeing of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and the community

Don't miss out pre-register now!

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Some Traditions From Around the World For Valentine's Day

France

It is believed that the first Valentine's Day card started in France, when Charles, the Duke of Orleans, sent love letter to his wife from prison in 1415. Valentine's Day cards are still a popular tradition in France.

Philippines

In the Philippines, Valentine's Day is a time when lots of young people marry in an event sponsored by the government as a form of a public service. This is a gala event in the country and a special day for the couples.



Denmark

Valentine's Day is one of the new festivals in Denmark, and the country celebrates the day on the 14 February with a twist. In Denmark, Valentine's Day is not limited to roses and chocolates. Friends and lovers exchange handmade cards with pressed white flowers called snowdrops, poems and candy snowdrops. The cards and notes are referred to as joking letters and the sender signs his or her name in dots.



South Korea

Valentine's Day is a popular holiday for young couples in South Korea, and variations of the holiday are celebrated monthly from February to April. The giving of gifts starts on the 14 February, when it is up to women to woo their men with chocolates, candies and flowers. The tables turn on the 14 March, with a holiday known as White Day, when men not only shower their sweethearts with chocolates and flowers, but up the ante with a gift.

And for those who don't have much to celebrate on either Valentine's Day or White Day, there is a third holiday: Black Day, on the 14 April, it is customary for singles to mourn their solitary status by eating dark bowls of jajangmyeon, or black bean paste noodles.



DoT Remote Services will be visiting Wiluna



When: Wednesday 26th February 2020 10.30am - 2.30pm

Where: Wiluna Police Station

We will be able to help you with the following services:

- theory test
- photo card applications
- driver's licence applications
- change of address
- registration and driver's licence renewals
- vehicle transfers
- return of vehicle plates
- driving assessments

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For enquiries please call:

Karen 9216 8194

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TIMETABLE CHANGES - EFFECTIVE FROM THE 6 JANUARY 2020

Route: Perth (PER) - Mount Magnet (MMG)- Meekatharra (MKR)-Wiluna (WUN)- Perth (PER)														
MONDAY					TUESDAY					WEDNESDAY				
FLT	DEP	FROM	TO	ARR	FLT	DEP	FROM	TO	ARR	FLT	DEP	FROM	TO	ARR
HK1935	0735	PER	WUN	0935 0930						HK1935	0735	PER	WUN	0920 0930
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HK3034	1500	PER	MMG	1620										
THURSDAY					FRIDAY					SATURDAY				
FLT	DEP	FROM	TO	ARR	FLT	DEP	FROM	TO	ARR	FLT	DEP	FROM	TO	ARR
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(New additional service)						1450 1435	MKR	PER	1640 1620					
										SUNDAY				
					HK3033	0935	MMG	PER	1100					
					HK3034	1500	PER	MMG	1620					

Please be advised that the minor changes made to the air services scheduled departure and arrival times are effective from 6 January 2020. These timetable changes are essential in ensuring adequate time is allowed for the efficient and safe turn around time needed for all types of aircraft used on route.

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- No itinerary changes are permitted
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As with all fares, bookings are subject to seat availability on the desired flight (s)

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Inspiration

The most wasted
of all days
is the one
without
Laughter
-E.E.Cummings

**LIFE IS
BETTER
WHEN
YOU'RE
LAUGHING**

IF YOU
LAUGH
A LOT,
WHEN YOU GET OLDER
YOUR WRINKLES WILL BE
IN THE RIGHT PLACES.

Knock Knock
Who's there?
Olive
Olive who?
Olive you!

What did the bat say to his Valentine?
"You're fun to hang around with!"

What did the boy sheep say to the girl sheep?
"I love ewe!"

What did the girl sheep say back to the boy sheep?
'You're not so baaa-d yourself!"

Where do all the hamburgers take their girlfriends on Valentine's Day?
To a Meatball

What flowers are kissable?
Tulips

What did the stamp say to the envelope on Valentine's Day?
"I'm stuck on you!"

What did the light bulb say to the other light bulb on Valentine's Day
"I wuv you watts and watts!"

Light Summer Coleslaw

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Ingredients

- * 1/4 cabbage, finely sliced
- * 2 medium carrots, grated
- * 2 sticks of celery, finely chopped
- * 1/2 red capsicum, finely chopped
- * 1/4 cup salad seeds (sunflower seeds, pumpkin seeds, sesame seeds, poppy seeds mixed)



Dressing

- * 2 tbs lemon juice
- * 2 tbs light olive oil
- * 1/2 tsp salt

Method

1. Add all salad ingredients together in a large bowl
2. Combine dressing ingredients and toss through coleslaw just before serving

Variation: Substitute other vegetables including baby spinach, cherry tomatoes, broccoli florets, chopped asparagus or mushrooms, grated parsnip or potato and add fresh parsley, basil or dill.

Nutrition Information

	per serve
Energy	497 kj
Protein	3.0 g
Fat, total	9.0 g
- saturated	1.0 g
Carbohydrate	4.0 g
- sugars	4.0 g
Sodium	450 mg
Fibre	7 g
Sodium	235 mg
Potassium	343 mg
Calcium	42 mg
Iron	0.5 mg

Rainbow veggie slice

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Ingredients

- ◆ 6 large eggs
- ◆ 1/2 cup milk, or So Good Soy or Almond Milk
- ◆ Salt and pepper
- ◆ 3 cups frozen stir-fry veggies, slightly thawed
- ◆ 3/4 cup grated Edam cheese
- ◆ 4 Weet-Bix wheat biscuits, crushed.



Method

1. Preheat oven to 180°C. Lightly oil a rectangle (23 x 33 cm) baking dish.
2. Whisk together eggs, milk, and a pinch of salt and pepper. Stir through veggies. Fold in cheese and crushed Weet-Bix wheat biscuits.
3. Pour batter into prepared pan and smooth top. Bake 35 - 40 minutes until golden brown and cooked through.
4. Cool in pan, cut into 12 pieces

Tips: Frozen vegetables can be replaced with an equal quantity of lightly steamed fresh veg. We like green beans, broccoli, carrot, onion and red capsicum - but feel free to use any of your favourites.

Nutrition Information

	per serve
Energy	550kj
Protein	10 g
Fat, total	70 g
- saturated	3.0 g
Carbohydrate	8.0 g
- sugars	2.0 g
Sodium	179 mg
Fibre	2.8 g
Potassium	141 mg
Calcium	178 mg
Iron	1.4 mg

Valentine Holders

Things you needs

- ◆ Large Paper Plates
- ◆ Wool, ribbon or string
- ◆ Stapler
- ◆ Sticker, confetti, glitter (what every you would like to use)
- ◆ Glue stick
- ◆ Crayons, Texta's or colour pencils
- ◆ Scissors

How to make the holder

1. Get two plates and cut one of them in half going straight across.
2. Then put the plates on top of one another with the right side facing in
3. Now you can either glue or staple the plates together in both plates along the rim every couple of centimetres
4. Then put two holes in the top and thread through Wool, ribbon or string leaving a enough to put a knot into, so it can hang up.
5. Now decorate your Valentine Holder with what every you would like



Important Dates to Remember

February

12th February

Bingo 6.00pm to 8.30pm

In the Moonlight Hall

At the Shire Administration Building

26th February

Ordinary Meeting of Council

12pm O'Shaughnessy Council Chambers

Shire Administration Office

70 Wotton Street

29th February 5pm to 10.30pm

Community Karaoke

in the Moonlight Hall

at the Shire Administration

Building

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