

COOL RAMBLER

Shire Of Coolgardie
Free Community Newspaper



Bushfires strand 130 road trains in Coolgardie

On Friday, February 22, 2019 the Coolgardie to Esperance Highway was closed due to a bush fire at Widgiemooltha.

On Friday night there were 17 road trains stranded on Bayley Street and the Shire Staff and Management made the decision to open the Coolgardie Community Recreation Centre the next day to host our truckies and travelers with showers, tea and coffee, free Wifi and good ole Coolgardie hospitality. The sunrise on Saturday revealed that there were a total of 110 road trains that were now stranded and another 20 arrived during that day.



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Shire of Coolgardie

Message from the Shire President
March 2019



The 2019 year has commenced with a flurry of activity for the Shire of Coolgardie, with an extensive program of road works under construction, finalising the tender documents for the Kambalda Pool and Coolgardie Cultural and Business Hub, as well as dealing with a series of bushfire events throughout the Shire.

The road works program consists of upgrades and widening sections of Coolgardie North Road, King Street intersection works on Sylvester Street, and a Black Spot funded project on the Coolgardie North-Credo Road intersection. Bitumen resealing work is scheduled for both towns as well as continuation of the footpath program upgrades .

The Shire is negotiating with Alliance Minerals at the Bald Hill Lithium mine, to manage and maintain the Binneringie Road with support from the Shire, as they will be the major user of this road, hauling product to Esperance. The Binneringie-Esperance Highway project has been delayed due to the lag in clearing and environmental approvals from the Department of Water and Environmental Regulations. Hopefully, these applications will be approved in the near future so that this project can commence.

Tenders for both the Kambalda Pool and the Coolgardie Hub within the Post Office precinct have closed, with several tenders received for both projects. Our staff are currently assessing both tenders according to the set criteria, and once Council have secured the proposed loan from WA Treasury, will be presented to Council for endorsement in April. The Shire is planning to host a community consultation and workshop evening on March 19 at the Kambalda Recreation Centre, to inform the community on the proposed pool facility upgrades, funding modelling and timeframes for construction.

This bushfire season is shaping up as one of the worst in recent history, with the majority of the 40 or more fires being started by dry electrical storms. Combating these fire events has placed a severe strain on our resources both financially and affecting our staff ability to perform their own duties whilst dealing with managing and fighting bush fires.

Several meetings with DFES and the Shire have been held to initiate better communications between the organisations, as well as a Bushfire Strategy to investigate setting up of bushfire brigades in each town, will be prepared and presented to Council for consideration .The formulation of bushfire brigades will give the Shire much better opportunities for future funding of personnel ,equipment and facilities so as to be prepared and equipped for future bushfire seasons.

I attended the WALGA Regional Health Forum in Perth on Tuesday, February 19, during which St John presented the Kambalda Pilot Program of providing Primary Health and Medical services in regional WA. Several of the attendees showed considerable interest with the Kambalda model, expressing similar concerns with doctor and health services in their towns and communities throughout WA. According to Phil Holman the Kambalda Centre is operating above expectations with patient numbers over what they expected, with some patients actually attending from Kalgoorlie. He quoted the eco-system model being implemented in Kambalda as a model to build more resilient communities across WA.

The relocation of the proposed ambulance and community vehicle facility is still being discussed with the Kambalda Sub Branch and once all the details are finalised, the plan will be presented to Council in the near future for consideration.

Electrical contractors spent some days during January erecting the new LED lighting in various parks in both our towns and will also be installing further CCTV cameras in select locations in an endeavour to reduce vandalism and antisocial behaviour in these parks, as well as increasing safer access to residents walking around at night. The Shire was successful in securing grant funding for this initiative last year and will be applying again this year to expand both the LED lighting and camera systems throughout our communities.

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Meetings and workshops attended this period:

January:

- 10th - meeting with Mia Hicks Consulting re: 2019-20 projects strategy.
- 15th - meeting with National Deputy leader Jacqui Boydell.
- 17th - meeting with MRWA road safety auditor re: Bayley Street.
- 18th - teleconference with MRWA re: use of 60 metre road trains on Goldfields road network.
- 22nd - meeting with Max Employment re: CDP program.
- 29th - teleconference with Alliance Minerals re: Binneringie Road. Teleconference Department of Communities re: GROH housing.
- Annual Electors meeting in Coolgardie.
- 30th - site meeting Ben Prior Park re: site survey - exhibit photos.
- 31st - travel to Esperance for GVROC meeting.

February:

- 1st - Regional GVROC meeting in Esperance.
- 5th - meeting with WACHS management re: medical services in Coolgardie.
- Meeting with Coolgardie and Kambalda VFRS members re: bush fire strategy.
- 12th - Council briefing forum.
- 14th - meeting with DFES Regional Superintendent re: bush fire management and Shire responsibility.
- 18th - meeting with Department of Communities, Children and Family services re: vandalism and antisocial behaviour strategy.
- Meeting with GETS-Max Employment re: CDP program.
- 19th - attended WALGA Regional Health Summit in Perth.
- 20th - attended WALGA Special State Council meeting re: appointment of new CEO.

Malcolm Cullen

Shire President



Shire of Coolgardie

From the desk of the CEO
March 2019



Hi everyone

February has been a busy month for our Shire team with continual bushfires, stranded trucks in Coolgardie, no rain and progressive work on our roads and parks. It is anticipated the reseal road program will be completed within the next four weeks.

I wish to personally thank all the amazing volunteers that assisted in fighting the fires in the Shire both locals and those who came from outside the region. Your support and dedication was greatly appreciated. I would also like to thank all Shire staff who assisted in fighting the fires also. Furthermore the support and help provided to truck drivers stranded in Coolgardie for nearly two days by volunteers and staff was an amazing display of hospitality and humility.

It is good to see the building repair progress starting to happen in Coolgardie with repairs to houses and businesses following the December 2018 hail storms. In excess of 40 applications have been lodged with the Shire.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone for the community workshop at the Kambalda Community Recreation Facility on Tuesday, March 19, at 7pm to discuss the Kambalda Swimming Pool Upgrade. In the last four weeks we have had a number of meetings and have sent out more than 50 letters to mining companies and businesses seeking support for the re-development of the Kambalda Swimming Pool. Tenders are currently being assessed and the Shire is in conversation with State Treasury in regards to loan funds for the upgrade.

Take care,
James Trail
Chief Executive Officer

The Coolgardie Visitors Centre invites you join us for morning tea at The Old Gaol.

When: Thursday, March 28, 2019

Where: The Old Gaol, Bayley Street, Coolgardie

Time: 10am-11.30am

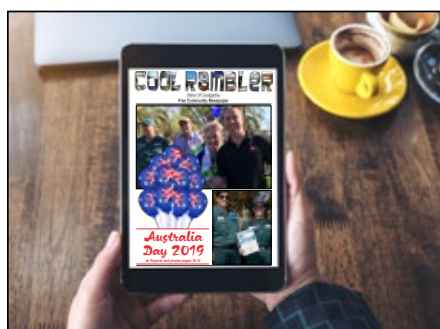
Coolgardie's Vic Dale will be attending as guest speaker.



Upcoming Shire of Coolgardie Ordinary Meetings

Meetings of Council are held on the last Tuesday of the month at 6pm. Meetings alternate between Coolgardie Council Chambers and the Kambalda Community Recreation Facility function room.

Day	Date	Time	Location
Tuesday	March 26, 2019	6pm	Kambalda
Tuesday	April 23, 2019	6pm	Coolgardie
Tuesday	May 28, 2019	6pm	Kambalda
Tuesday	June 25, 2019	6pm	Coolgardie
Tuesday	July 23, 2019	6pm	Kambalda
Tuesday	August 27, 2019	6pm	Coolgardie
Tuesday	September 24, 2019	6pm	Kambalda
Tuesday	October 22, 2019	6pm	Coolgardie
Tuesday	November 26, 2019	6pm	Kambalda
Tuesday	December 17, 2019	6pm	Coolgardie



See the CoolRambler in full colour online!

You can view each month's issue (as well as loads of other Shire information) in full colour from the Shire website on your computer, tablet and phone. To find the online version of the Rambler go to: <http://www.coolgardie.wa.gov.au/documents/coolrambler>



Coolgardie Volunteer Fire & Rescue

From the desk of the Coolgardie Volunteer
Fire and Rescue Lieutenant Steven Forward



Community responds to fire emergency

Bushfire road closure brings fire fighters and volunteers together

When the Coolgardie to Esperance Highway was closed between Coolgardie to Norseman from the afternoon of Friday, February 22 until the morning of Sunday, February 24, 2019 due to the Widgiemooltha/Burra Rocks Bushfire, we had an overflow of visitors and truckies stopped in Coolgardie.

The community all rallied together and with the support from the Shire, local volunteers, local businesses, Coolgardie VFRS and St John Ambulance Coolgardie members we were all able to make the stay a comfortable one by providing free food, water, tea and coffee to those stranded.

Sunday night our brigade was able to say thank you to some of the crews who have been fighting the current bushfire with some much-needed home cooking and light refreshments. A fun night was had by all with games of pool, darts and fire telling stories from far and wide. A big thank you to Patsy and Rick from Moran's IGA, Woolworths Kalgoorlie and the Shire of Coolgardie for donating food and providing assistance.

Our brigade would like to personally thank two of our very own members in Apparatus Officer Wayne Bird and Fire Fighter Jayden Cox for their deployment roles away from Coolgardie in assisting with other bushfires in Balladonia, Higginsville, Norseman and Widgiemooltha, on top of normal brigade duties and call outs they attend to.

Also just a friendly reminder to keep an eye out on the DFES and Emergency WA pages for all current alerts and warnings. We are still in the prohibited fire season, so no fires can be lit in the open air unless for cooking purposes only, unless a total fire ban has been declared.

Fire Has a Plan. DO YOU? In WA, bushfires can happen anywhere, at any time. You can't outrun or outlast it, so take 5 minutes to outsmart it. Please take 5 minutes to put together your fire plan, which can be found on the D.F.E.S. website.



Try the Coolgardie gym - for free!

Did you know that Coolgardie has a gym? Have you ever wanted to give it a try?

Coming up on Monday, March 18, the Coolgardie gym will be having a FREE open day! Why not give it a go and see if it could be for you?

Included in this open day will be, prizes, competitions, freebies and more!

Free child care will also be available from 1pm–2pm for our busy parents.

■ **Come on down to the Coolgardie gym between 1pm-6.30pm on March 18 to take advantage of our free open day! Coolgardie gym is located within the recreation centre on Sylvester Street.**

Worklink and TAFE share advice on services

On Thursday, February 21, Coolgardie was very fortunate to have ladies from Worklink and TAFE Kalgoorlie come out for the morning to have a chat with everyone about their services.

Michelle and Tracey from Worklink offer a range of free services, including resume writing, interview techniques,

job seeking and more. Melita and Kaitlyn from TAFE offer student support, course guides and course information about what courses might suit you.

Want to know more? Come in to the Coolgardie Community Recreation Centre for a referral or contact Worklink on 13 64 64 or TAFE on 9088 6700.



Colourful entries for 2018 Christmas competition

The Coolgardie Visitors Centre had its annual Christmas colouring-in competition. There were some very cool prizes up for grabs, ranging from a much-needed misting fan to help cool yourself down in the blistering Goldfields heat, to a children's gardening kit.

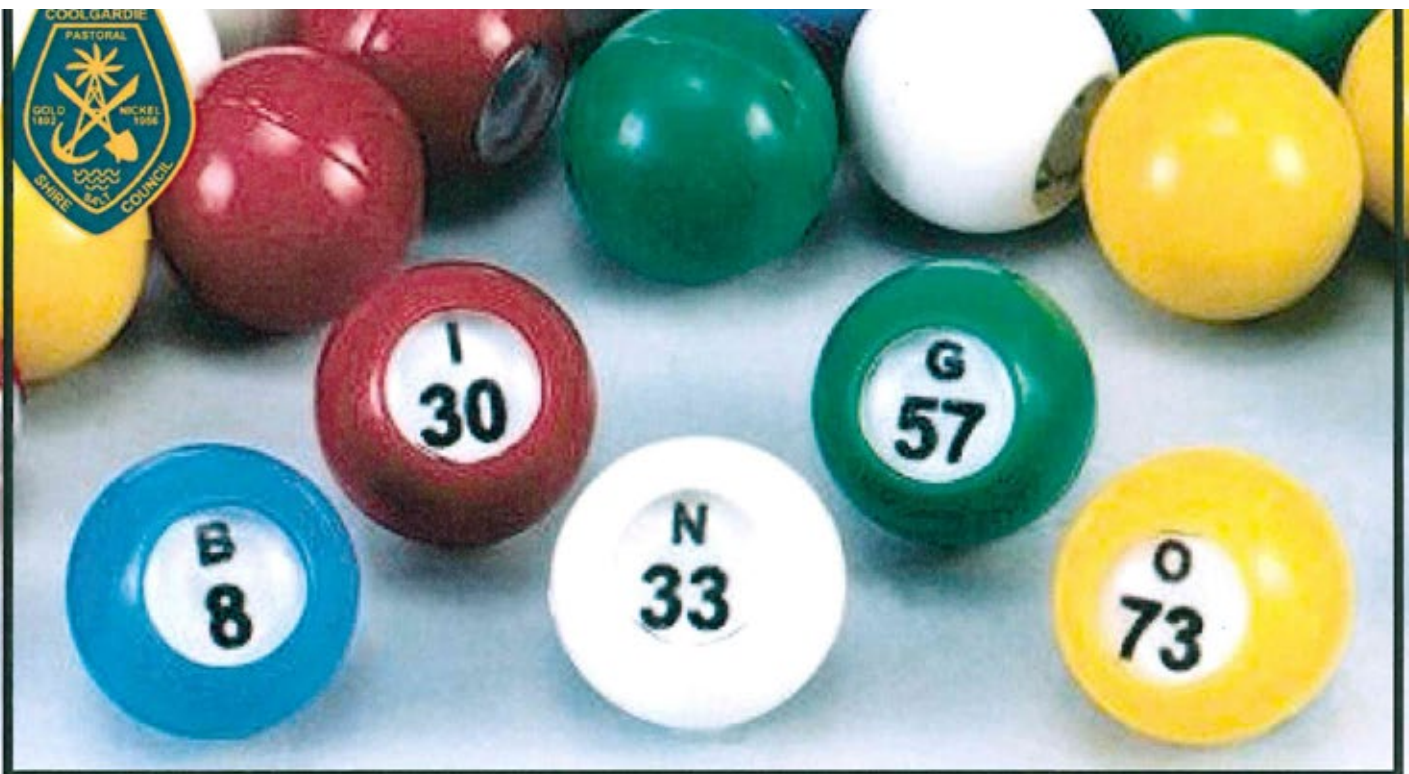
Although we didn't receive many entries, what we did get was very impressive. The judge we recruited to choose our winners was our very own Kevin Caldwell – our ranger.

The winners were:

Willow Neill (0–5 yrs); Jasmine Neill, Brayden Wells, and Zackiah – (6–10 yrs); and Krystal Donaldson and Kevin Knapp (11–15 yrs).

Thank you to all the children who entered the competition, and congratulations to our winners! We hope you all had a Merry Christmas and a wonderful start to the New Year.





COOLGARDIE PINGO

BYO FOOD PLATTERS
GREAT PRIZES TO
BE WON

DAY: Monday
DATE: 25th March 2019
OPENS @ 6:00PM
EYES DOWN @ 6:30PM

Dabbing Pens \$3.50each	One 10 Game Book \$2.00each
Two 10 Game Book \$3.00each	Three 10 Game Book \$4.00each
Four 10 Game Book \$5.00each	Six 10 Game Book \$6.00each

For more information please contact Coolgardie Rec
Centre Staff on 9080 2111

Coolgardie Post Office upgrade gets the 'go ahead'

The Shire of Coolgardie has just received the welcomed news from Liberal Member Rick Wilson that they have been successful through the Building Better Regions Federal Funding for a \$916,000 grant.

This money will go towards the upgrade of the 1894 heritage-listed Coolgardie Post Office building and the end result will be "The Coolgardie Innovation and Economic Development Centre" which will house businesses and exciting community and cultural initiatives.

Shire President Mal Cullen is excited to see this project go ahead and appreciates the positive vibrancy that it will bring to the beautiful historical building in the middle of Coolgardie, not just for locals but also for the visiting travellers to encourage them to stay in Coolgardie longer.



Mal would like to acknowledge the hard work that Mia Hicks, our Grants and Business Case consultant, provided, along with the input from Shire CEO, Managers and staff in bringing about a successful outcome. This is a continuation of the previous work that commenced in 2006 in order to be able to preserve these historic buildings for future generations.



FREE GYM OPENING DAY

Come on down to the Coolgardie Community Recreation Facility on Monday 18 March 2019 between 1pm and 6.30pm and try the local gym for free!

Loads of competitions and information; gym care available from 1pm-2pm.

ARRIVE ON THE DAY AND
GO IN THE DRAW TO WIN A
THREE-MONTH GYM MEMBERSHIP
VALUED AT \$180

For further information, please
contact 9080 2111.



FREE Developmental Drop In Clinic

Wednesday 20th March
12pm-3pm - 0-4years

Recreation Centre Coolgardie
Conference Room

Speech Pathologist - Brittany Bates
Occupational Therapist - Hayley
Willis

If you have any questions or concerns about your child's speech, language, social, emotional, or physical development, drop in and talk to your friendly local Speech Pathologist and Occupational Therapist for free advice and information (come with or without kids).





Stranded truckies treated to Coolgardie hospitality

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The stranded trucks' destinations were Sydney, Brisbane, Adelaide and Melbourne, so they were all along way from home.

Jan Vallis from ChurchWest rallied around and thanks to donations from Caltex Coolgardie was able to cook a delicious hot breakfast with assistance from Steve and Sheree Forward, Chris Burke and a group of ladies from Wongutha Caps Esperance, who were on toast duty. Leanne Shilton and Aleysha Elmer quickly set up the rec centre to accommodate our visitors with tables in the foyer and down the hallway.

Brian, the Manager from Woolworths Kalgoorlie, turned up at approximately 8am that morning with a car full of snacks, fruit and bottled water and then organised food for lunch and dinner that day and night. Patsy and Rick from Moran's IGA also kindly donated food supplies that were gratefully received. Thank you to Toni and Derek Gale who went into Moran's and Kalgoorlie to pick up the groceries and then jumped into the action with Kath and Norm Parks, Clint Parks, David Nogar, Daniel Hanson, Tahlia Humphreys and Emma Mayall to make delicious fresh lunch sandwiches for the large group.

The fresh food, showers and a nice air conditioned building to relax in on the 43 degree Goldfield's day was highly appreciated. Kathy Brooking at the Coolgardie Pool hosted those that embraced the nice refreshing swimming with the free entry, and Kathy supplying the towels. David Shilton was the bus driver for the weekend with the Shire shuttle bus, and picked up and dropped off the visitors during the day and evening. We had more donations turn up from Kalgoorlie, with Watson's Kalgoorlie Express donating a huge amount of cold water bottles and Goldfields Ice Works donating a pallet of ice.

On the Saturday afternoon the Coolgardie team went home for a rest for a couple of hours and the Shire crew from Kambalda came over and did the dinner preparation and helped with serving and the clean-up. Thank you to Councillors Tracey Rathbone, Sherryl Botting and Eugen Winter, and Laura Dwyer, Bec Horan, Bree Crawley, Sam Mazza from Kambalda, as well as Aleysha Elmer, Braden Shilton and Peter Churchy Walker from Coolgardie for popping in to assist.

The dinner was delicious with a big range to choose from and a great way to end the very hot day. The truckies also surprised us with a very unexpected \$500 donation to go towards the community and its

groups and programs. Sunday Breakfast was cooked again by Jan Vallis, Chris Burke, Steve and Sheree Forward, Gaynor Jefferies and Tina Kippin from St John Ambulance Coolgardie, and a few of the truckies that assisted with the cooking of the bacon and sausages at the fire station.

At the breakfast serving we were met with lots of smiling and hopeful faces that the roads would be opened that day so they could continue their journeys - and just after lunch the roads were opened and they were on their way.

The police allowed the trucks to go through in intervals so there was no congestion and the Coolgardie VFRS Fire Truck, St John Ambulance Coolgardie and Shire Bus were parked on the Coolgardie Esperance Highway to wave our new friends goodbye. Anyone outside at the time would have heard the trucks tooting as they turned the corner and took off.

The Shire Kambalda crew of Leesa Treen and Bernie Christie, with Coolgardie Staff Katherine and Paige Fox and Lily Money, quickly packed up and cleaned up the Rec Centre so we were all organised once again and ready for the Monday morning opening.

Later that night the Coolgardie Volunteer Fire and Rescue Service along with St John Ambulance Coolgardie hosted the fire fighters, DFES Personnel, Fire Mitigation Crew and the Department of Parks and Wildlife staff who had returned to Coolgardie from fighting the Burra Rocks fires that day. They certainly appreciated the beautiful dinner, refreshments and hospitality. Again this was from the supplies and donations made during the weekend.

A huge thank you to everyone who helped, donated or popped in to check on us on that massive weekend. It was a situation that could not be helped or changed and we were all really proud of how everyone in Coolgardie pulled together to assist and the support of the Shire staff at Kambalda was greatly appreciated. We may be in two separate towns but we are one team.

Coolgardie is a small town with a huge heart and because of that we now have another two hundred new travelling friends.

- Leanne Shilton
Recreation and Community Development Team Leader





Come and join us for a Community Sundowner at Warden Finnerty's Residence

With storytelling and film about life at the
Residence from the 1920s to the 1950s

- ✦ FREE entry to Warden Finnerty's Residence
 - ✦ Bottle Collectors Auction
 - ✦ Sausage sizzle
- ✦ Angie the Fairy and other Mischief face painting
 - ✦ Kay Chlo La's ice cream

It's a fun night for all the family!

When: Sunday, April 21, 2019

Time: 6pm-10pm

**Where: Warden Finnerty's Residence,
2 McKenzie St, Coolgardie**

Please note this is an alcohol-free event



Coolgardie snake handlers kept busy



Snake handlers Allana and Aleysha have been busy these past few months with multiple snake call-outs in Coolgardie.

Their first incident involved a yellow-faced whip snake trapped inside an ATM. This was only a small snake, about 30cm long, and mildly venomous. The snake was swiftly bagged by Allana and released in a remote location out bush.

Aleysha responded to her second call-out, where a 1.2m long carpet python (non-venomous) was asleep in a tree at a property. These pythons are fairly easy going and he went into the bag with no troubles, then got released into bushland.

Allana continued with her trend of getting venomous snakes for her call-outs and was required to catch and release a medium-sized yellow-faced whip snake that was at the Coolgardie Pool.

The next job for Aleysha was a large 1.5m woma python. These pythons are often mistaken for tiger snakes due to their size and stripes, but this guy was only a non-venomous python. He was at the Coolgardie Bowls Club and gathered quite the crowd, due to his large size. He wasn't too keen on being caught but went into the bag eventually and was also released in a remote bushland area.

Allana also discovered a large king brown snake at the horse blocks near Coolgardie, which she caught and released to a different location. The recent building going on in the area is likely to disturb these snakes and cause them to find a new place to live. If you visit the Coolgardie horse blocks, please remain vigilant.

Please keep your eye out for snakes and do not kill them as this can result in a large fine. If you see a snake, call the Shire of Coolgardie on 9080 2111 to report the snake and get a qualified snake handler to come out and catch the snake.



Expert shares tip on avoiding scams



On Wednesday, February 20, Centrecare made their regular weekly visit to the Coolgardie Community Recreation Centre for a cuppa, craft and a tasty lunch. But this time, they had a very special guest who came to speak with everyone about scams and being safe online.

Mark Ing, Senior Regional Officer from Consumer Protection, shared his knowledge with the group and taught them the basics of recognising scams, how to tell if you're safe on the internet, what to do if you're being scammed and more. Everyone shared some of their experiences and stories with Mark, while having a good laugh and learning. Mark gave them some helpful hand-outs and brochures to read through until his next visit.

Mark Ing will be visiting Coolgardie and Kambalda regularly to talk about scams and online safety. Keep an eye out on Facebook and around town for the next session. We would all like to thank Mark for his contribution and sharing his knowledge with the Centrecare group and can't wait to have him next time.



COOLGARDIE TELEPHONE CONTACT DETAILS

Shire Administration Building, Bayley Street, Coolgardie	9080 2111
Coolgardie Community Recreation Centre	9080 2111
Coolgardie Community Resource Centre	9080 2111
Coolgardie Cashless Debit Card Shop Front	9080 2111
Coolgardie Visitors Centre	9026 6090
Coolgardie Swimming Pool	9026 6081
Warden Finnerty's Residence	9026 6028





Hunt for the hidden golden feather

Guess what is coming to the public libraries of the Shire of Coolgardie? A fun competition with libraries across Western Australia hiding feathers in children's and young adult books with rewarding prizes to be won.

Children visiting participating libraries can join in 'The Scribblers Golden Feather Treasure Hunt' for five 'golden feathers' and 20 'silver feathers' hidden in books.

Feather-shaped bookmarks will be hidden from March 14, 2019 in public libraries across the state and the Coolgardie and Kambalda public libraries are proud to be part of it.

The lucky reader that finds one of the five 'golden feathers' will win a major prize, with an iPad, two-nights' stay in a local hotel, a VIP pass to attend Scribblers Festival and a customised book package all up for grabs. There will be runner-up prizes for children who find one of the 20 'silver feathers' while those who find the remaining feathers can colour, paint and decorate them before sharing their artwork on social media to win a prize.

The Scribblers Festival is an initiative encouraging young residents to visit their local library and discover the wonderful world of books. For more information on the Scribblers Festival visit: www.scribblersfestival.com.au or ask your local library staff to find out more. Watch out for the flyers and advertising in the next few weeks.

The Coolgardie and Kambalda Public libraries are looking forward to this exciting treasure hunt to begin.



PUBLIC NOTICE

Please be advised that due to staff training the
Coolgardie Public Swimming Pool will
OPEN at 1pm on Friday 15 March 2019

Thank you.

James Trail
Chief Executive Officer

6 March 2019



Kambalda recreation stadium open for weekend fun

The Kambalda Community Recreation Facility Stadium is now open in the weekends from 9am–1pm. Come down and participate in the free sporting fun for all ages.

Good news is the Oil and Spice Café is also open at the same time!

Activities include netball, basketball, and all sorts of kids fun – one big space of opportunities. Parental supervision is required for children 10 years of age and under.

There have been mums and dads with their children having a fantastic time out of the elements of the weather; while adults playing social netball the centre is also drawing the teenagers in too.

There has been a lot of positive feedback from the community and here are some of the reviews that we have received.

“Its great having a safe undercover area for the kids to play in during the hot summer weather.” - Jess Vodden

“It has been fantastic having something to do for the kids on the weekends, especially in the hot weather.” - Jade Hood

“Fantastic idea keeping the kids out of the elements. My three-year-old loves it and we have been every day. Thanks Coolgardie Shire.” - Kareen Hardisty

“What an amazing idea! My 2 boys love coming down for a play and keeping out of the heat. Nice change from being at the playground.” - Kristy Watson



Quirky Quilters need your help!

Once again, the amazing ladies have been working hard to create amazing quilts for “Comfort Quilts Against Cancer”

Do you have any fabric you have laying around?

Quirky Quilters would love for you to donate it towards helping them make amazing Quilts for those who need it!

Or even better if you love sewing come down on a Thursday morning and join in on the fun and laughter.

Please contact the Kambalda Community Recreation Facility on 9080 2111 if you would like more information.





Story TIME

When: Thursdays (during school term)
Time: 9:30 am
Cost: \$ 2.00 per child

Hear great stories and join in on songs and rhymes, before you make a masterpiece of craft to take home. You don't need to register, just turn up!

Kambalda Community Recreation Facility
Kambalda Public Library

Please contact us on 08 9080 2111
E-Mail: krc-counter@coolgardie.wa.gov.au
for further information



KINDY GYM

Starting
Friday 1 March, 2019

11.30am to 12.15 pm

3 YEARS OLD TO 5 YEARS OLD

Cost: \$5 per session

To register please contact KCRF Front counter on

Ph: 9080 2111 or

Email on krc-counter@coolgardie.wa.gov.au

WHAT WE LEARN BECOMES A PART OF WHO WE ARE

Free Community Event

Gold Fields St Ives

together with

Shire of Coolgardie

are proud to present

**suicideTALK:
suicide awareness session**

Date: Monday 18th March 2019

Time: 7pm – 8:30pm

Where: Kambalda Recreation Centre

Irish Mulga Drive, Kambalda West

Who: Anyone 15 years or older who wants to learn more and help make a difference!

Cost: free

Delivered by: Mates in Mining

For more information, please visit
www.matesinconstruction.org.au/mining/



GOLD FIELDS

 Kambalda
Community Resource Centre
Your local connection



 Kambalda
Community Resource Centre

PROVIDED BY
WORKLINK

**CAREER
GUIDANCE
INFO SESSION**

**Monday 11th March
@ 9am**

**PLEASE CONTACT
KAMBALDA REC CENTRE ON
9080-2111
FOR FURTHER INFO**



MEDIA RELEASE – SHIRE OF COOLGARDIE

KAMBALDA AQUATIC FACILITY MISSES OUT ON GOVERNMENT FUNDING

Monday 18/2/2019

The Shire of Coalgardie has missed out on Federal and State Government Funding for the retention and redevelopment of its much-loved community pool with both governments indicating that there was a significant oversubscription to their funds. It is disappointing that both funding requests have been overlooked to revitalise what is the only outdoor 50 metre pool in the Coalgardie-Kalgoorlie area.

Estimated costs of refurbishment to the Aquatic Facility is \$3.4M which includes renovations to the 50m Pool, new change rooms and expanded first aid room and universal access pool. In order to fund the project, the Shire will require additional funding to just loan borrowings.

Both funding requests were made in September 2018 for the Sport Australia's Move it Australia – Community Sport Infrastructure grant for \$500,000 and the State Government's Community Sporting and Recreation Facilities Funding for \$808,175.

Correspondence received from Sport Australia, Federal Government, indicated that the "\$28.3 million grant program experienced overwhelming interest with over 2,000 applications submitted totalling more than \$390 million in grant requests." Whilst feedback on the application for state funding was deemed of good quality, further comments indicated that the CSRFF program was also considerably oversubscribed and that the project fell over due to funding not being secured through Sport Australia.

The Shire has applied for a loan from the Western Australian Treasury Corporation (WATC) which is currently being assessed with the Shire liaising with officers to provide information in support of the application for funds. The process is rigorous and a decision from WATC will be made on the 30th April.

Kambalda Aquatic Facility was originally constructed in 1970 by Western Mining, as a standard outdoor aquatic centre comprising: outdoor 50M, Children's and Learn to Swim Pools, change rooms, First Aid room, kiosk, large recreation areas, and shade structures. In the early 2000's, the Shire inherited the asset when Western Mining withdrew its operations in the townsite. Due to the age of the facility it now falls short on a number of operational and compliance requirements and needs significant repairs. Any works that commence in the future for the pool must then meet health, building and safety standards at the time they are completed.

Tenders for the Kambalda pool closed Friday 1st February. The assessment process will take 4-5 weeks to ensure requirements stipulated by WATC are met. A community workshop is proposed for Tuesday 19th March 2019 at the Kambalda Recreation Centre commencing at 6.00pm. Council consideration of the tenders received was set for the February Council Meeting on the 26th February. Given WATC

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requirements and timing Council will consider tenders at the March Council Meeting on 26th March or at a Special Council Meeting in early April. Shire staff will work with the successful tenderer to try opening the Kambalda Pool in November

The process of applying for government funding has been a catalyst for Council to assess the Shire's asset renewal position and ensure that investments in major infrastructure upgrades such as the Kambalda Aquatic Facility are included in the Shire's long-term financial plan. It is acknowledged that planning for investment in infrastructure is vital to managing risk which ensures that the long-term viability of projects do not hamper the Shire's ability to function or progress key projects for the interest of the community.

Council intends to continue discussions with business, mining companies and the community to seek options and funding avenues to support its major infrastructure investments. It is strongly encouraged that community members contact Ministers and local members in support of works to the Kambalda Swimming Pool. The Shire is also progressing discussions with the Federal and State Governments to continue to lobby for funding support.

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Shire of Coolgardie Community Workshop Kambalda Swimming Pool Update

Notice is hereby given of the Shire of Coolgardie's intention to hold a Community Workshop on:-

Tuesday 19th March 2019
Kambalda Recreation Centre
Commencing at 7.00pm

Topics to be discussed at the workshop:-

- **Kambalda Swimming Pool Upgrade**

James Trail
Chief Executive Officer

18th February 2019



BRIGHT MINDS THERAPY *In partnership with* THE SHIRE OF COOLGARDIE Paediatric Allied Health Services Parent Information Sheet

Bright Minds Therapy in partnership with The Shire of Coolgardie are providing 1 day of service per fortnight in Coolgardie and Kambalda. This service is being provided exclusively to residents of the Shire of Coolgardie and are able to access both Occupational Therapy and Speech Pathology. This service aims to increase the access to Allied Health services for local families, by decreasing need to travel to Kalgoorlie for services and increase community engagement with Allied Health Professionals, for the wellbeing of the families and children in our community.

PROPOSED SERVICES

Bright Minds Therapy will be engaging with the community in order to plan their therapy services in line with the communities expressed needs; however prospective services may include:

- Assessment of Children aged 0-18
- Individualised and Group Therapy Programs
- Planned Family/Community Education and Development Sessions
- Drop In Clinics/Sessions - advice, education and capacity building
- Park Play Dates and Playgroups

If you would like to know more about what is on offer and provide your input into the services you desire then please complete and return the questionnaire provided and return at your local park play date as advertised; or drop to Coolgardie or Kambalda Community Recreation Facilities or via email to admin@brightmindsot.com.au.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be eligible for the Shire of Coolgardie funded Allied health Services:

- Children must be under 18 years of age
- Children must live full time within the Shire of Coolgardie and have a physical address within the Shire.
- Parents will be required to evidence of address with a drivers licence and/or a current utility bill.
- Children must have a parent/caregiver/guardian who is available and willing to engage with the service.
- Children must have a parent/caregiver/guardian who is available to attend for the duration of all services.

HOW TO REFER

Referrals can be made to the service by families, teachers/schools, child health nurses, doctors or other health professionals using an online referral form available at www.brightmindsot.com.au



Read Aloud Interactive Story Time



Kambalda Community Library

Wednesday 13th March 2019

Wednesday 10th April

Wednesday 22nd May

Wednesday 5th June

9:30-10:00am



Therapists:

Hayley Willis – Occupational Therapist

Brittany Bates – Speech Pathologist

Come join our interactive story time to help your child develop language and pre-literacy skills; and a look of books and stories!

You will be provided a handout and tips and strategies from your friendly local therapists to assist your children's development at home!

KAMBALDA WEST



PLAYGROUP

MARCH 2019

A new playgroup year has just started! You may wonder what we have been up to? After we finished off the old year with an epic Christmas party including Christmas presents from Santa for every child we started fresh into 2019 with fun ideas to make it another successful and eventful year. If you have been part of it, a big thank you for all your support and contributions in 2018.

In January we took the opportunity to meet up for a "busy bee" clean-up day, decluttering and cleaning all toys and equipment, and if you have not seen our playgroup room yet - there is plenty of that. The little ones were all hands-on, equipped with brushes and buckets, cleaning their favourite toys and didn't mind getting wet in the warm weather.

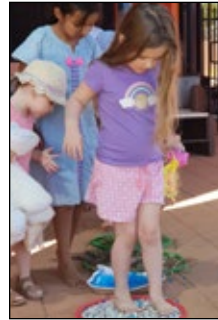
With the start of school term one, we farewelled three of our regular playgroup friends and are wishing them all the best for their adventures ahead in pre-primary. We hope to see you sometime in your school holidays and are hoping that you are looking back proudly on those fun times with us. We gifted them with a certificate each to remind them of what once was the highlight of their week.

After celebrating Australia Day in style with delicious food platters brought from our fellow mums and dads and setting up one of our favourite activities - painting with puffy shaving foam paint - we coloured in Australian flags, put on flag tattoos and taught the kids a good old game of cricket.

During another session we went on a sensory "nature morning walk" walking on rocks, cotton balls, branches, leaves, water beads and grass to explore texture with our feet. We ended the morning with a party, singing karaoke and dancing like no one was watching, celebrating Lilly's fifth birthday.

Chinese New Year was celebrated with lots of red and yellow, a dragon craft and messy noodle play, while our Valentine's Day session in February had everything red, and the kids made beautiful candle jars to take home for their loved ones.

You may have seen us in the paper as we attended the KBCCI Explore the Goldfields Community Expo in Kalgoorlie on February 9. It helped us promote our playgroup in the wider community and gave us an opportunity to chat to other groups such as Kalgoorlie Playgroup and Toy Library and exchange ideas and experiences.



Thank you all for making our Open Day on March 1 such a fun event. We had a lot of pretty painted faces thanks to Super Sarah & Friends, as well as sensory play set ups and food for the eye.

The Kambalda West Playgroup committee is always busy working in the background keeping the ideas coming as well as working on new projects and opportunities to fundraise for and promote our group. We are currently working on cancelling our Monday sessions as numbers have decreased and are looking to apply for a grant through WA Playgroup.

We will also make an appearance at the Golf Ball Drop on March 16 and will have a stall in the rec centre.

It is never too late to join playgroup. If your child is 0-5 years old or home schooled, we would like to meet you and show you what playgroup is all about! You will meet like-minded families from near and far, exchange experiences and give your little one a safe and fun environment to explore, discover and build friendships. Find and like our page on Facebook (Kambalda West Playgroup) or keep an eye out for our events on the facebook Kambalda Community Noticeboard and in the local community.

Why go to playgroup?

Playgroups offer babies, toddlers and young children a wide variety of early learning experiences. Playgroup develops physical skills, teaches problem solving, communication and social interaction and, of course, it's great fun!

■ If you would like to join us, come and meet Kambalda West Playgroup Mon/Wed/Fri from 9am-11.30 am, at the Kambalda Community and Resource Centre.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Tuesday, March 5, 2019: Pancakes at the rec centre and playdate at the park

Friday, March 15, 2019: St. Patrick's Day fun

April 12-19, 2019: Easter Egg hunt and craft

April 22-26, 2019: Anzac Day crafts



SHIRE OF COOLGARDIE

FREE GYM OPENING DAY

Come on down to the Kambalda
Community Recreation Facility on
Wednesday 13 March 2019 between
10.30am and 4pm and try the local
gym for free!

Loads of competitions and information
stalls; gym care available from
10.30am-11.30am

**ARRIVE ON THE DAY AND
GO IN THE DRAW TO WIN A
THREE-MONTH GYM MEMBERSHIP
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For further information, please
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AGM Coolgardie Day Celebrations Inc

Monday March 11,
2019 at 6pm

Old Roads Board Building,
Bayley St, Coolgardie

Phone 9026 6637



FREE Developmental PlayGroups

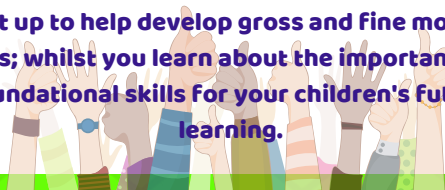


Strengthening Our Bodies, Brains and Hands

Kambalda Recreation Centre
Basketball Court
Wednesday 13th March 2019
Wednesday 10th April
10:15-11:00am

Therapists:
Hayley Willis – Occupational Therapist
Brittany Bates - Speech Pathologist

Bring your kids along for a play, with activities
set up to help develop gross and fine motor
skills; whilst you learn about the importance of
foundational skills for your children's future
learning.



FREE Developmental Drop In Clinic

Wednesday 13th March
Wednesday 27th March
3pm-4pm

Recreation Centre Kambalda
Playgroup Room

**Speech Pathologist - Brittany Bates
Occupational Therapist - Hayley
Willis**

If you have any questions or concerns
about your child's speech, language,
social, emotional, or physical
development, drop in and talk to your
friendly local Speech Pathologist and
Occupational Therapist for free advice
and screening.





WHAT'S ON @ THE KAMBALDA REC CENTRE

-MARCH-

11/3/19- Career GuidanceWorkshop @9am

13/3/19- Bright Minds Interactive Story Time
@9.30am

Bright Minds Developmental Play Group
@10.15am

Bright Minds Developmental Drop in Clinic @3pm

18/3/19- Suicide Talk with MatesInMining @7pm

Bright Minds Developmental Play Group
@10.15am

Bright Minds Developmental Drop in Clinic @3pm

PLEASE CONTACT THE REC CENTRE ON
9080 2111 FOR MORE INFORMATION



WHAT'S ON @ THE KAMBALDA REC CENTRE

TERM 1

Wednesday & Friday- Playgroup @9.30am

Thursday- QUIRKY QUILTERS @9am

Thursday- STORY TIME @ 9.30am

Friday- KINDY GYM @11.30am

Saturday & Sunday- Sports in the stadium
@9am

PLEASE CONTACT THE REC CENTRE ON
9080 2111 FOR MORE INFORMATION

Public Notice

Scheme water cannot be guaranteed during a bushfire

Water Corporation is prepared for bushfire season. However, we cannot guarantee that water pressure or water supply will be maintained in the event of a bushfire. Extreme demand, fire damage and power cuts can all result in a total loss of water.

If you plan to stay and defend your property during a bushfire. you must have your own independent water supply and pumping capability, and must not rely on scheme water.

Full details about how to prepare for bushfire season can be found at
firechat.wa.gov.au



Government of **Western Australia**
Department of **Communities**



How can we help you in 2019?

The Department of Communities (Housing Division) will be visiting Coolgardie to answer your questions and supply information about our business in these following areas:

-  Public Housing
-  Bond Assistance
-  Tenancies
-  Application Updates
-  Identification
-  Debt Discount
-  Applications for Rental Housing, Transfers, and Priority.
-  Other Housing Options

Where to find us?

GETS:

25 February 2019, at 10am

Recreational Centre:

11 March 2019, at 12pm

For more questions, please call the Department of Communities, Kalgoorlie on 9093 5200 or email on kalgoorlie@communities.wa.gov.au

1 in 7 Aussie men get prostate cancer.

MYTH 1



IF I TALK TO MY GP
ABOUT MY PROSTATE
HEALTH IT WILL LEAD
TO A FINGER EXAM

BUSTED

A digital rectal examination (DRE) is no longer the recommended first line test for prostate cancer. Your GP will discuss whether testing is the right course of action for you. If you decide to get tested, then it is likely to be a PSA test. This is a simple blood test. You can keep your trousers on.

MYTH 2



PROSTATE CANCER
ISN'T A BIG DEAL
– NO NEED TO
BOTHER MY GP

BUSTED

Once you are over 50 (or over 40 if you have a family history) then please talk with your GP about your prostate health. We know men often resist going to the doctor, but in this case, having the conversation really could save your life. And don't worry – your GP is a professional and has heard it all before.

MYTH 3



IF I GET A PROSTATE
CANCER DIAGNOSIS IT
AUTOMATICALLY MEANS
I'LL NEED SURGERY

BUSTED

Surgery is only one of the treatment options available for localised prostate cancer. Your specialist will talk with you about your treatment options. And remember, the more informed you are the better – it's always ok to get a second opinion.

Conversations can save lives.

If you are a man over 50 (or 40 with a family history)
please talk to your GP about your prostate health.

PCFA.org.au/getchecked



Prostate Cancer
Foundation of Australia
#getchecked

Community Transport

Coming soon to Kambalda

Do you or a friend need this service?

Do you have a few hours to volunteer as an occasional driver?

Visit:

stjohnhealth.com.au/community-transport



Emergency contacts for the Shire of Coolgardie

In the event of an emergency situation where police, ambulance or fire and rescue services are needed, please contact **000** immediately.

For all other emergencies use the following contacts:

Coolgardie Police	9093 8400
Kambalda Police	9027 1555
SES	132 500
Main Roads	138 138
For power issues and faults - Western Power	13 13 51
For water or sewer issues - Water Corporation	13 13 75
For sewer issues - Coolgardie only	9080 2111
Dog attacks	9080 2111





KAMBALDA AMATEUR SWIMMING CLUB
 PO BOX 236
 KAMBALDA WEST WA 6442
 ABN: 98 035 691 856
March 2019



KAMBALDA Long Course Qualifying Meet

SWIMMERS

Buszan Lucas
 Tibbles Annabella
 Buszan Lachlan
 Buszan Lynkon
 Clark Molly
 Day Marli
 Horan Ava
 Kearns Allan
 King Christina
 Matulin Kyle
 Matulin Rianna
 Russell Lily
 Stevenson Baylee
 Tibbles William
 Vodden Jameson
 Warner Jake

Saturday & Sunday 15/16th December 2018 at the Norseman Pool
 Swimmers from Kambalda, Esperance and Kalgoorlie attended this year, albeit low numbers a great time was had by all. Huge thanks to our Technical Officials and parents for their ongoing support and help.

Congratulations to all medal and trophy winners:
 Champion Senior Male: **Ben Murgatroyd**
 Champion Senior Female: **Madyln McGrinder**
 Champion Junior Male: **Tariq Billingham**
 Champion Junior Female: **Anika Sargeant**
 Champion Kambalda Male: **Jameson Vodden**
 Champion Kambalda Female: **Rianna Matulin**
Champion Club: - Kalgoorlie

Thank you to the Norseman Community, a great night at their Annual 'Xmas Carols in the Park' and support in general for us to host this event in their town.

Thank you to all that attended and supported our annual Swim Meet and to our Sponsors (below)

Lucas Buszan	27
Annabella Tibbles	26
Christina King	40
Molly Clark	46
Lynkon Buszan	38
William Tibbles	22
Allan Kearns	32
Lachlan Buszan	49
Kyle Matulin	52
Jake Warner	44
Matchy	48
Total Laps swum	424

1 Hour Lapathon — Norseman Pool
 Fantastic effort from our swimmers at the Lapathon.
Congratulations



Fabulous support again and a huge thank you to all the people who sponsored each swimmer and assisted in fundraising to send them to Karratha Country Pennants in March. Thank you to our sponsors (below)





EXPRESSION OF **INTEREST**

Thursday 14th March 3pm to 7pm
&
Saturday 16th March 10am to 2pm

INSIDE THE KAMBALDA PLAZA

Suitable for ages from 5yrs & up
(Must be turning 5 this year)

Show your interest Thursday 14th
& Saturday 16th March

President - Bianca Johnston 0410 300 949 or
beeturfrey@hotmail.com

Registrar - Terina Wiki 0439 361 167 or
terina.john@gmail.com



Coolgardie Community Men's Shed Inc

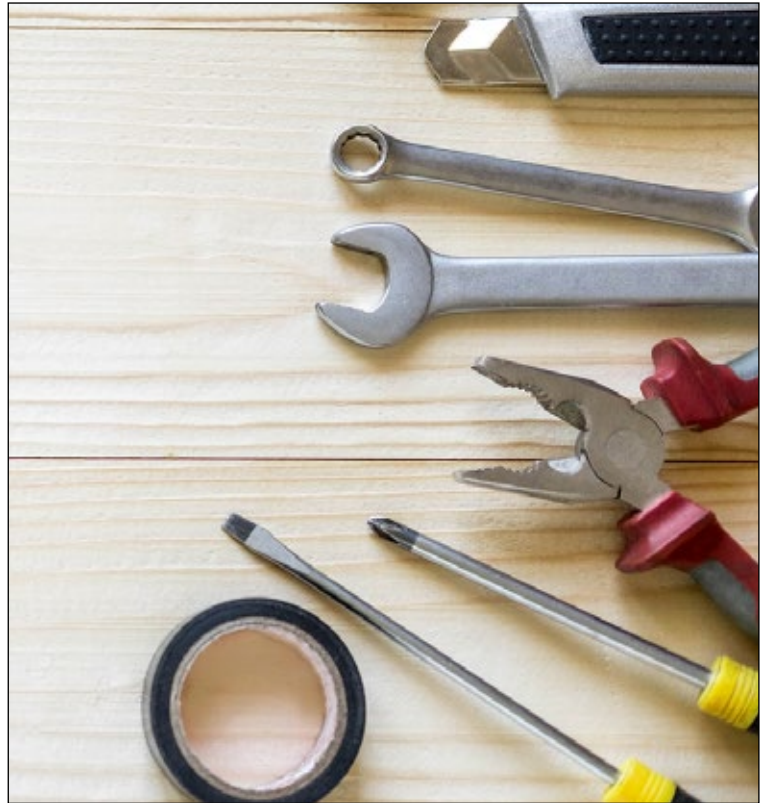
Hi everyone

The Coolgardie Community Men's Shed Inc has been a bit quiet this month with people being away. And Wayne Bird, our President, has been deployment firefighting with DFES to help with the fires at Balladonia, Higginsville and Norseman over the past few weeks.

It has been a huge bushfire season but a big thank you to all of our volunteers and firefighters who are out there dealing with the fires.

The Coolgardie Community Men's Shed Inc is here for the community and if you need any jobs done give us a call. We are situated in the Old Goods Shed at the Coolgardie Railway Station.

Everyone is welcome and if you wish to join the shed, come down and see us or phone Wayne Bird on 0438 267 180.



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Tax Time is still here. Please call 9367 1400 to secure an appointment
To ensure your appointment goes smoothly, please visit our website under News/Updates for information to assist you in compiling your paperwork prior to your appointment

www.ausminer.com.au



Shire of Coolgardie Councillors



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(Marzolo)**
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President
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Justice of the Peace
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Term Ends 2019
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yahoo.com.au



Coolgardie Community Recreation Centre



- Would you like your child to start interacting with other children?
- Looking for a bit of adult conversation?
- Structured and free play for your under 5s.
- Come down for a coffee and a chat while your little ones play.
- A healthy morning tea will be provided. Commencing Monday the 8th of October.

Every Monday morning.

9:30am - 10:30am

\$2 per supervised child.

Please call 9080 2111 for further information.



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8 Granby Road, Kambalda WA 6442

Operations: 0448 548853
Admin: 04539 548853

Email: operations@littleindustries.com
Email: admin@littleindustries.com



Support in your community

Do you know someone in your community that needs help doing everyday tasks?

What is the NDIS?

The National Disability Insurance Scheme or NDIS, is a government program to help people with disabilities have a good life, like everyone else.

People with a disability want to be part of their community and do the same things as everyone else.

How can the NDIS help people?

- If you have a disability,
- you care for someone with a disability, or
- have a family with a disability.

The NDIS can help make a plan so you can live the best life and get things like:

- support to live at home
- help to get out in your community
- equipment to help you do things.

Talk to your NDIS representative about how the NDIS can help you. Phone us today on 1800 800 110.

ndis.gov.au



SUPPORT GUIDE

FOR AOD RELATED SERVICES IN KALGOORLIE-BOULDER, COOLGARDIE & KAMBALDA

EMERGENCY / INTOXICATED	<p>Emergency/Ambulance 000 Kalgoorlie Hospital 9080 5888 Bega Sobering Up Shelter 9022 5500 MEEDAC Patrol (Monday-Friday 10am-2pm & 4pm-12am, Saturday 4pm-12am, Sunday 4pm-8pm) 0499 341 005</p>	<p>Kalgoorlie Police 9021 9777 Coolgardie Police 9093 8400 Kambalda Police 9027 1555</p>
ALCOHOL AND DRUGS	<p>Counselling & Services Community Alcohol & Drug Service 9021 3069 Goldfields Rehabilitation Services 9021 4732 Bega Social Support Unit 9022 5500 Bega Tobacco Action Team 9022 5500</p> <p>Volatile Substance Use Incident Reporting Community Alcohol & Drug Service 9021 3069 Email Reports receptionkalgoorlie@hopecs.org.au</p>	<p>24 Hour Support Lines Alcohol & Drug Support Line 1800 198 024 Parent & Family Drug Support Line 1800 653 203 Meth Helpline 1800 874 878 Quitline (smoking) 13 78 48</p> <p>Needle Syringe Exchange Program Population Health 9080 8200 9am-12pm & 1-4.30pm Mon, Thu, Fri</p>
HEALTH	<p>Bega Gambirringu Health Clinic 9022 5500 360 Healths + Community 9080 0400 Goldfields Women's Health Centre 9021 8266</p>	<p>Population Health 9080 8200 Integrated Team Care (Hope) 9021 3096 Kalgoorlie Hospital 9080 5888</p>
MENTAL HEALTH	<p>Services Kalgoorlie Hospital 9080 5888 Goldfields Community Mental Health 9088 6200 Centrecare 9080 0333 Anglicare 9068 1845 Red Cross PHaMS 9026 1605 Bega Social Support Unit 9022 5500 headspace (12 – 25 years) 9021 5599 Goldfields Women's Health Care Centre 9021 8266</p>	<p>24 Hour Support Lines Rural Link 1800 552 002 Lifeline 13 11 14 Beyond Blue 1300 224 636 Suicide Call Back 1300 659 467 Crisis Care 1800 199 008 MensLine 1300 789 978</p>
YOUTH	<p>Services headspace Kalgoorlie 9021 5599 SMYL 9093 1350 Bega Social Support Unit 9022 5500 Centrecare 9080 0333 Goldfields Child & Adolescent Mental Health 9088 6200 Eastern Goldfields YMCA 9021 1035 Kalgoorlie PCYC 9021 1076 Department of Communities 9022 0700</p>	<p>24 Hour Support Lines Kids Help Line 1800 551 800 Lifeline 13 11 14 Beyond Blue 1300 224 636 eheadspace www.eheadspace.org.au</p>
HOUSING	<p>Department of Housing 9093 5200 Goldfields Women's Refuge 9021 2836 Trilby Cooper Hostel 9021 5549 Salvos Emergency Accommodation 9021 2615</p>	<p>Red Cross Outridge Terrace 9026 1605 Anglicare Housing Support 9068 1845 Crossroads West Youth Hostel 9091 1016 Redcross Short Stay (restricted) 9026 1620</p>
SEXUAL ASSAULT/HEALTH	<p>Sexual Assault Emergency/Ambulance/Police 000 Sexual Assault Resource Centre 9091 1922 Sexual Assault 24hr Support 1800 688 922</p>	<p>Sexual Health Pop Health Sexual Health Advice 9080 8200 Goldfields Women's Health Centre 9021 8266</p>
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	<p>Services Emergency/Ambulance 000 Goldfields Women's Refuge 9021 2836 Anglicare 9068 1845 Centrecare 9080 0333 Aboriginal Family Law Service 9021 0244 Goldfields Community Legal Centre 9021 1888</p>	<p>24 Hour Support Lines Men's DV Helpline 1800 000 599 Women's DV Helpline 1800 007 339 MensLine 1300 789 978</p>
GAMBLING & FINANCIAL	<p>Gambling Gambling Helpline 1800 858 858 Centrecare 9080 0333 Online Support www.gamblinghelponline.org.au</p>	<p>Financial Support Centrelink 13 62 40 Centrecare Financial Counselling 9080 0333 Salvos Emergency Relief 1300 371 288 Red Cross Emergency Relief 9026 1605</p>
EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING	<p>MAX Employment Kalgoorlie 9025 1200 G.E.T.S Kambalda 9027 0794 Nindila Training Centre 9022 5500 Skill Hire 9026 4777 Worklink 9022 7551 Forrest Personnel 9091 1564</p>	<p>Centrelink 13 62 40 G.E.T.S Coolgardie 0419 774 719 Stirling Transition to Work Program 6002 1025 SMYL Community Services 9093 1350 Aboriginal Workforce Development 9093 8650 Activ 9021 2537</p>

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Serving the Goldfields Community



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Shire of Coolgardie refuse site opening hours



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The Pastor's Pen with Bill Kirkland

The apostle Paul not only knew what he believed but just as importantly whom he believed (2 Timothy 1:12). What we believe is largely formed by our environment, what we have been taught and hopefully by a discernment of what is true and what is false. Unfortunately today many believe a narrative despite facts clearly contradicting that belief. Any facts presented that expose the false narrative are responded to with anger. If a famous actor or celebrity endorses someone or something then in many people's eyes it is taken that they must be right. Who and what we believe is determined largely by what we want to believe and whom we trust.

At Jesus' trial the infamous man who betrayed Jesus (Pilate) asked 'what is truth?' When you read the dialogue you begin to understand that Pilate did not really want the true answer to his question. Jesus had just told Pilate that everyone who desired truth would hear His voice (John 18:37).

The apostle Paul was a vehement opponent of those who were then known as "people of the way" (followers of Jesus). He was a very religious man and highly educated. After an encounter with Jesus Christ (Acts 9), he became a dedicated follower of Jesus Christ, and also a teacher in the early church. Now he had come into contact with Truth personified. He was now able to say that he knew whom he believed in.

The apostle knew the Man (Jesus) who spoke of either eternal life or eternal separation from God and he knew that Jesus only ever spoke the truth. He knew the Man who offered His life for the forgiveness of sins also rose from the grave. He knew that after His encounter with Christ that his life was to be ever changed. Paul knew whom he believed.



Storytime

at the library

Come on down... and Jess will take you on an adventure through stories, songs and craft.

Every Monday at the Coolgardie Community Recreation Centre.

Cost: \$2 per supervised child.

Time: 11.30am-12.30pm

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**KAMBALDA CULTURAL AND ARTS GROUP
PO BOX 97, KAMBALDA WEST WA 6442**

Arty News March 2019

“Save the Kambalda Arts Centre”

We have been without a Secretary for two years

Notice of AGM

Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Saturday 20th April

At Kambalda Arts Centre, 10am sharp.

We are calling on nominations from our members for all committee positions, but could use some help from the community, who can join us, or volunteer.

Officer holder positions are—Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer.

There are possibly eight more officers required who do not hold official office positions, but constitute an essential component of our operational management:

Craft day coordinator, Pottery coordinator, or could be Workshop Coordinator, Project Officer, Gallery Curator, Gallery Attendee, Performing Arts Officer, Publicity Officer., Social Media, IT expert, Handyman etc. You could choose.

Even if you are not interested in the office holder positions, there is a lot of scope to fill another role at the Kambalda Arts Centre, with all the possibilities being created through diversity and creativity.



Here's an example of how you may be able to assist us to keep the dream alive for our community and move forward instead of the possibility of closing the doors.

If You can help out in any way on a voluntary basis, just visit us on Saturdays as advertised on the opposite page.

<< —This is setting up an area in the house (Originally the BP West Service

Station caretaker's residence), to hang historical photos as an attraction for visitors.

Eventually they will need to be catalogued and you may be able to help.

Or if we had a Secretary, this could be done by another committee member.



KAMBALDA CULTURAL AND ARTS GROUP
PO BOX 97, KAMBALDA WEST WA 6442

Kambalda Art Gallery

Saturday open days

2 Marianthus St, Kambalda West, ph 90273089

Every week 10am—2pm

Or by appointment

View our Art Gallery

Historical Photos and publications

Come on down and view & purchase a beautiful piece of art by our members, craft, Goldfields gems display, cutting boards by Peter MacDougall, books, Jeff Gresham's book "Kambalda, History of a mining town" personally endorsed.

Enjoy the art, have a chat, or even bring your art or craft project to this art space.



Art exhibition.



Cutting boards



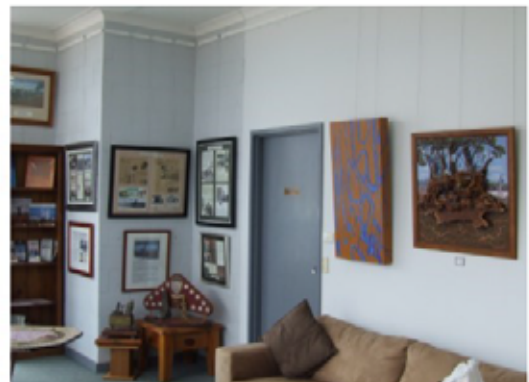
Gemstones

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There are many types of portable pools, ranging from small plastic or inflatable paddling pools, specifically designed for young children, to larger more solid inflatable pools or flexible sided pools with frames that can accommodate adults.

Young children can drown in portable pools in a matter of seconds if left unsupervised.

Any pool that is designed for swimming, wading and paddling that contains water more than 30cm deep, must be enclosed by an effective safety barrier that complies with the laws. Please refer to the summarised checklist overleaf.



Help save young lives in and around water

- ✓ Never prop a pool gate open.
- ✓ Ensure you always actively supervise children within arm's reach whenever they are in, or around the water regardless of how much water is in the pool.
- ✓ Never rely on older children to supervise younger children, no matter how confident you are about their ability.
- ✓ For smaller pools ensure they are emptied and stored safely away from young children after use.
- ✓ Ensure the pool cannot fill with rainwater or water from sprinklers.
- ✓ Ensure the barrier is clear of climbable objects.

i Find out more at: www.dmirns.wa.gov.au/portable-pools

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Rules for PORTABLE POOLS



Did you know?

By law, swimming and spa pools containing water more than 30cm deep must have effective safety barriers that restrict access by young children.

This includes portable pools.



Does your safety barrier tick all the boxes?

If not, you risk the lives of young children and may face substantial fines or prosecution.

This summarised checklist is not exhaustive and should be read in conjunction with the **Rules for Pools and Spas** brochure.

Check the pool gate

- Does the pool gate close by itself from any open position?
- Does the gate have a self-latching device?
- Does the gate open away from the pool?
- Is the latch release mechanism at least 1.5 metres above the ground?

Check the pool fence

- Is the fence fixed securely in place?
- Is the outside of the fence at least 1.2 metres high?
- Are all vertical uprights in the fence spaced less than 10cm apart?
- Is there at least 90cm between handholds and footholds?
- Is the bottom of the fence 10cm or less from the ground?
- Is the surface directly beneath the fence stable and not easily eroded?
- If a boundary fence forms part of the pool safety barrier, is it at least 1.8 metres high?

Check climbable objects

Barbecues, flower-pots, trees, retaining walls, plumbing, cubby houses, toys, outdoor furniture, pool pumps etc. may all help a young child to climb into the pool area.

- Is the pool area clear of any items that would assist a child to climb over the fence or reach the latch on the gate that provides access to the pool area?

Check windows

Is the openable portion of a window that forms part of a safety barrier:

- permanently restricted to open no more than 10cm by a device that requires the use of a tool to remove it?
- or
- covered by bars or a metal screen, fixed in place by a device that requires the use of a tool to remove it?

Please note that key locks are not considered to be a permanent restriction.

Doors

- Doors with direct access to the pool area require local government approval.
- Pet doors are not permitted.

More information

Visit www.dmirns.wa.gov.au/portable-pools to download the Rules for Pools and Spas brochure, which provides further comprehensive guidance on the pool safety barrier requirements in Western Australia.

A hard copy is available by calling the Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety, Building and Energy Division on 1300 489 099 or email bcinfo@dmirns.wa.gov.au





Scroungers Page

One man's junk is another man's gold, it has been said, so with this in mind we would like to collect your left over scrap metal. This could include such things as -

- Aluminium cans
- Copper pipes
- Car batteries
- Lead flashings
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Street Van Outreach

Coolgardie

Street Van DESCRIPTION

Who: Young people between 12 and 25 years of age
When: Wednesday from 3.00pm to 5.00pm
Where: Coolgardie Rec Centre

Questions? Call 08 9021 5599

Key Dates & Topics

5th of February

12th of February

19th of February

26th of February

5th of March

12th of March

19th of March

26th of March

2nd of April

Rec Centre Activities

BBQ and Computer Activities

Dot Painting

Edible Art

Make your own healthy sandwiches

Friendship Bracelet Making

Day at the park

Rec Centre Activities

Arts and Craft





Coolgardie Community Swimming Pool



HOURS OF OPERATION

2018 Swimming Season:

Saturday, October 13, 2018 to Saturday, April 6, 2019 (dependant on weather)

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday, 12pm–6pm

Weekends and Public Holidays: 11am–6pm

School Holidays Hours: December 14, 2018 to February 3, 2019

Seven days 11am to 6pm (Monday to Sunday)

Public Holidays: 11am-6pm. The pool manager will determine to stay open until 7pm due to weather temp above 36 degrees (school holidays only)

EVENTS FOR COOLGARDIE POOL 2018/2019 SEASON

- **Christmas Day:** Tuesday, December 2018: POOL CLOSED
- **Australia Day:** Saturday, January 26, 2019
- **Closing date:** Saturday, April 6, 2019 (weather permitting)



POOL ENTRY As per 2018/19 fees and charges

- Tip vouchers **will not** be accepted for entry payment.
- Cash payments at the pool office - child, concession and spectator \$2.50 each; adult \$5 each.
- Cash and EFTPOS payments at the Coolgardie and Kambalda Recreation Centres for the below listed passes:
 - Child/Concession 10-pass card: \$25
 - Child and Concession monthly pass: \$30
 - Child and Concession half season (13/10/2018 to 31/12/2019): \$60.
 - Child and Concession full season (13/10/2018 to 6/04/2019): \$85.
 - Adult 10-pass card: \$35.
 - Adult monthly pass: \$40
 - Adult half season (13/10/2018 to 31/12/2019): \$90.
 - Adult full season (13/10/2018 to 6/04/2019): \$130.
 - Family 10-pass card: \$70.
 - Family monthly pass: \$80
 - Family half season (13/10/2018 to 31/12/2019): \$150.
 - Family full season (13/10/2018 to 6/04/2019): \$250.
 - Single parent concessions, 10-pass cards and season memberships are available; please provide a copy of the required documentation.

POOL BOOKINGS

Please send all enquires to kampool@coolgardie.wa.gov.au and Kathy will confirm all bookings directly with you. The pool bookings will be based on staff availability. Phone 9080 2111 for further information.





Prohibited burning time

NO FIRES are to be lit in the open air between November 1, 2018 and March 31, 2019. The ban applies throughout the whole of the Shire of Coolgardie.

Do not put yourself, your family or your community at risk!