# SHIRE OF KOJONUP E-NEWS

## Edition 158 - 28 June 2019

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## **COUNCIL BRIEFS**

## Sports Precinct - Stage 2

A concept design workshop was held in the Sporting Complex on 25 June between Councillors and user groups to consider options for the upgrading of key sporting facilities. A grant application will be submitted in September for the major items. Concepts being developed include:

- Upgrade netball court area (covered roof and court surface);
- Improve football oval lighting;
- Playground and outdoor gym structures;
- Improve kitchen facilities;
- Improve audio-visual equipment; and
- Extend toddler pool shade structure.

Robust discussions and a project designed with key users will ensure that the upgraded facilities serve the needs of Kojonup now and into the future.

## **Potts Lighting**

Council extends its appreciation to past members of the Potts Committee and Building Maintenance Coordinator- Paul Retallack for the work undertaken to install lighting of the Potts Statue and walk bridge.

## 'Be Connected' IT information session

21 people attended the above information session with Bec Cowie regarding computer classes, Smart Phones, I Pads, Social media apps etc., in the Reception Room on Friday, 14 June 2019.

The enormous amount of interest shown is now being collated by Bec to design sessions that run over a specific number of weeks for example sessions on computer basics, getting to know devices, getting started online, being registered on the 'Be Connected' network.

Watch this space for further details next issue as we wish to ensure sessions cater for participants needs during weekdays as well as weekends.



Shire President Ronnie Fleay

Chief Executive Officer

Rick Mitchell-Collins



## ST JOHN AND CBH WORK TOGETHER TO SAVE LIVES

The community of Kojonup received a life-saving defibrillator courtesy of CBH and the grain growers of Western Australia, in a partnership with St John WA's Community First Responder program. The defibrillator provides victims of sudden cardiac arrest with a much better chance of survival and empowers people to potentially save someone's life in the event of a sudden cardiac arrest.







The device is very easy to use even if you haven't got any knowledge of first aid training. A defibrillator is a device which delivers a therapeutic dose of electrical energy to a person's heart when it has stopped pumping.

The new defibrillator is facilitated via St John WA's Community First Responder (CFR) program, a service that aims to get defibrillators to cardiac arrest victims in the vital minutes before an ambulance arrives and the defibrillators will be available to the Community 24/7.

CBH Group Chairman Wally Newman said the funding was part of a total \$250,000 donated to 13 different charities through the co-operative's Harvest Mass Management Scheme (HMMS). The HMMS was developed in conjunction with Main Roads WA, seeking to reduce the frequency of overloaded grain trucks arriving at CBH receival sites. CBH is committed to safer roads and supporting rural communities, and through HMMS, growers are extending their support for charities that play a key role in their backyard.

Community First Responder is a St John program that enables community members to provide help before an ambulance arrives. The First Responder system is operating in 3,500 locations across Western Australia and continues to grow.

The current location of defibrillators within the Shire of Kojonup are:

#### External and available 24 hours

Shell Roadhouse
St Johns Ambulance Centre
The Shire Administration Office
Sporting Complex (entrance to function centre facing the oval)
Hi-way Sales

#### Internal and available during business hours

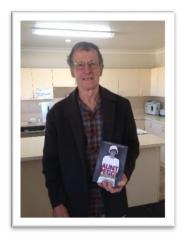
IGA Nightingale's Nest and Nursery Bowling Club The Kodja Place



First Responder is a free app and available on <u>Apple's App Store</u> and <u>Google Play</u>. You can find out more about how to use the app in our <u>First Aid Responder App Guide</u>.



## SPRINGHAVEN NEWS



Springhaven Lodge has hosted a sea of visitors over the last couple of weeks. It has been wonderful to see so many friendly faces at the facility and we are grateful for the continued support from our local community.

Last week we had one of our favourite guests, Alan 'Bear' Warburton, re-visit. He read and discussed the book, "Aunty Peggy" with residents and staff. The book, which was written by Margaret Forbes Webb, discussed the amazing life of Aunty Peggy and all the struggles, adventures and accomplishments that occurred throughout her family's lives. It was fascinating to hear her story and how she finally ended up in Kojonup. The residents loved listening to 'Bear' read and enjoyed racking his brain following the reading.

Friday, June 21 was World Music Day. We had our wonderful pianist Yooa, play the piano to commemorate the occasion! Residents and staff are always grateful for Yooa's visits.

We hosted a beautiful morning tea with our HACC friends this week at Springhaven. Our residents and visitors had a lovely morning chatting, laughing and reminiscing over a cuppa. It was a fun morning and we can't wait to do it again soon!





If anyone has a special talent, plays a musical instrument or if you have a special pet you would like to bring in for pet therapy with residents – please contact Alex on 9831 2800.

Sue Northover

Manager Aged Care Services





## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM

## Have Your Say On The Future Of Road Safety In WA

The Shire of Kojonup would like to encourage all community members to take part in the upcoming consultation process which will help shape the next state road safety strategy for Western Australia. This is an important step in the journey towards zero deaths and serious injuries.

The consultation process calls on the community to imagine zero deaths on Western Australian roads. This is an opportunity to help set the agenda for the future and save the lives of drivers, passengers, motorcyclists, cyclists and pedestrians.

The Road Safety Commission is asking all Western Australians to think about your loved ones and reflect on what you are prepared to do to support to improve road safety. Your input will guide the Road Safety Council when making the draft recommendations to the State Government.

Last year more than 2,200 people were killed or seriously injured on our roads. About 70% of crashes involve someone just like you or me, making a mistake, being distracted or having a lapse in judgement.

Visit the Imagine Zero website, <a href="https://imaginezero.rsc.wa.gov.au/">https://imaginezero.rsc.wa.gov.au/</a> to;

- Sign up to attend a local community forum;
- Complete an online feedback form;
- Learn about the Safe System approach to road safety;
- Read the consultation paper.

As well as taking part yourself, please encourage family, friends and other community members to contribute to this vitally important consultation process.

## Kojonup Visitor Centre, Counter

If you've been into the Visitor Centre recently you may have noticed that stage one of the work has commenced in installing the new Visitor Centre Counter. Last month part of the original counter was removed and given to the Men's Shed to make way for the new counter to be put in with the carpet from this area also removed. The next stage is for the electrical cabling works to be completed and the remaining carpet together with the second portion of the original counter removed before the floor covering can be installed. For this work to be completed the Visitor Centre may be required to be closed and community and visitors will be advised accordingly if this is the case.







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## Night Felds Program, Friday, 3.30pm-5.30pm

A reminder that the Stephen Michael Foundation FREE Night Fields sports program which is being piloted in Kojonup over 5 weeks has only two sessions remaining. Held at the Sports Precinct, registration is from 3.30pm with plenty of food and giveaways.

Numbers have varied over the past 3 sessions with a fabulous turnout of 33 children attending the program in week two. This was particularly a great turnout considering that there were other community events being held the same day.

Each week it is great to see new faces appearing as well the regular children who have attended every session. Over the program so far, the children have had the opportunity to pick up skills as well as play football, netball, basketball, hockey and even some ping pong.

A special thanks to the Kojonup Police, Kojonup Bakery, Kojonup IGA, KDHS, Hockey Club and individual community members for your ongoing contributions and support each week.







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## Media Visit, Thursday, 20 June 2019

Last week The Kodja Place hosted a media group organised through FORM that were covering "Undiscovered WA Attractions" in the Australia's South West region. Representing both digital and print media the group included Tiger Inflight Magazine, Escape Magazine, Australian Traveller, The Senior Newspaper (National publication travel section), Freelance journalists and online blogger Little Miss Bon and So Perth.

The media group undertook a tour with Noongar Elder Jack Cox and met with Manager Community Development and Tourism discussed the background of The Kodja Place Precinct as well as provided information about the Gisbon's Masterplan for the site. Lunch was provided by Black Cockatoo Café.

## MosAIC Database/Accessioning

Barbara Hobbs has been commissioned by the Shire to compile a procedure manual on how to accession important historical items including objects, photographs, video and documents stored at The Kodja Place using the MosAIC Database program. This will enable volunteers interested in accessioning to have a guide and reference point to refer to. It is anticipated that the manual will be completed by the end of the financial year.



#### Rose Maze Donation Box

Council has requested that a donation box be installed at the entrance of the Rose Maze to encourage visitors to contribute to the upkeep of the attraction. Craig McVee has been asked to come up with a concept for the design of the donation box to be considered by the Storyplace Work Group for implementation.

## Children's Week Community Grants Program



Children's Week 2019 runs from 18 - 27 October! This year the theme is: "Children have the right to be healthy, safe and happy". To celebrate, Meerilinga are offering Community Grants of up to \$1000 for Non-Profit and Local Government Organisations in regional, remote and Perth metro areas to host their own free Children's Week events!

Last year, they saw some fantastic community hosted events throughout the state. There were Kite Making workshops, Museum Takeovers, Family Fun Days, Teddy Bear Picnics and Creative Arts workshops. Children's Week Community Grants applications open from 1 July 2019 - 31 July 2019, so start planning your local events today.

Children's Week Community Grants are offered thanks to funding from Healthway, Lotterywest & the Department of Communities and are managed by Meerilinga.

For more information on the Grant Guidelines, please visit the Children's Week WA website: www.childrensweekwa.org.au/grants/

Zahra Shirazee

Manager Community Development & Tourism

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

#### Disposal of Property – s. 3.58 of the Local Government Act 1995

The Shire of Kojonup gives notice in accordance with the *Local Government Act 1995* that it proposes to sell Lot 3 Spring Street, Kojonup (Lot 3 on Diagram 13875, Certificate of Title Volume 1112 Folio 734) by offer and acceptance. The lot is 1,358m<sup>2</sup>.

The market sale valuation of the disposition obtained from a licensed property valuer on 28 June 2019 was \$60,000. The Shire of Kojonup proposes to sell the property for \$1.00. The other party concerned is The George Church Community Medical Centre Incorporated.

Submissions regarding this proposal may be made in writing to the Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Kojonup, PO Box 163, Kojonup, 6395 by 4.00pm, Thursday 18 July 2019.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Rick Mitchell-Collins on 9831 2400.

Rick Mitchell-Collins
Chief Executive Officer





## NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

Let's Go on a Bug Hunt

Celebrating World Environment Day 2019

Thanks to the Forest Products Commission Community Support Program on the 17 June, St Bernard's Catholic Primary School students enjoyed a trip to the Myrtle Benn Flora and Fauna Sanctuary.

With the help of Wayne Zadow and Sue O'Halloran, students hunted for bugs, animal tracks and markings and birds. They learnt how to use binoculars, identifying different species of birds, and had lots of fun in the great outdoors.

Many thanks to Melissa Shephard, science teacher at St Bernard's, accompanying teachers and education assistant's, James the bus driver and Travis from the Kojonup Bus Service for donating the bus for the day.



Year 5/6 girls looking closely at a spider they found. (L to R; Elizabeth Mathwin, Sophia Chitty, Sofia Tunui and Marietta Diallo)



Kindy and Pre-primary students looking at animal diggings.











Kindy and Pre-primary students at the end of their visit.



Master Hornby spotted a bird during the visit













Charlize Sibley and James Smith showing seed pods they found during their walk.





## FERAL CATS 'OFFICIALLY' DECLARED A PEST SPECIES IN WA



Four years ago, a meeting of the state and commonwealth Environment Ministers endorsed a national declaration of feral cats as pests. As part of this declaration the various jurisdictions agreed to review their arrangements as to how they classify and manage feral cats.

WA has now officially declared feral cats a pest in an effort to protect vulnerable native wildlife from extinction. This means further funds can be accessed to ensure strategic management of feral cats within public and private lands.

WA now joins all other jurisdictions in Australia to officially declare feral cats as a pest species. Read more via the West Australian: <a href="https://thewest.com.au/countryman/news">https://thewest.com.au/countryman/news</a>

Find out more about the national declaration of feral cats

## Sharp Rush Demonstration Sites Update

In 2017 the Natural Resource Management Advisory Committee set up demonstration sites for Sharp Rush Control along the Collie-Changerup Road and Kojonup-Broomehill Road. These sites were sprayed in September 2017 with Glyphosate 360 Bioactive (10/100L) and Pulse (2/1000L), and again in 2019. Most plants have died but the sites will be re-visited again this year as there are seedlings and some re-sprouting to control.

Collie-Changerup Road Demonstration Site 17 February 2017



11 June 2019





# Kojonup-Broomehill Road Demonstration Site 17 February 2017



11 June 2019



### Citrus Gall Wasp

Citrus Gall Wasp, a pest of citrus trees in commercial orchards and home gardens, arrived in WA in 2013 and is spreading rapidly. This wasp poses a threat to the citrus industry in WA.

While the wasp has only been found in the Perth Metropolitan area to date, we are keen to keep this pest out of commercial orchards for as long as possible and require the assistance of your residents to do this.

Residents are encouraged to check their trees and use the department's MyPestGuide Reporter app (<a href="mypestguide.agric.wa.gov.au/reporter">mypestguide.agric.wa.gov.au/reporter</a>) to report its presence or absence. These reports help us to keep track of the wasps spread.

The wasp could move into your area on infested trees from the Perth Metropolitan area. It is important to keep a close eye on any recently purchased or relocated trees and act quickly if galls appear.

See attached fact sheet for more information. Any enquiries to your local NRM/Landcare Officer.

Jane Kowald

NRM/Landcare

## **REGULATORY SERVICES**

## Lot 85 John Street – Surveying Works

The Shire has engaged the services of licensed surveyors 35 Degrees South to undertake surveying work to assist with planning for a future subdivision of Lot 85 John Street. This requires consideration of servicing, specifically the provision of sewer. The surveyors, along with Water Corporation representatives, will be accessing sewer manholes to check pipe levels. These works are planned to be conducted during the week from the **8** to the **12 July 2019**, with general feature surveys of the site and downstream drainage infrastructure also being collected during this time.

Properties where the relevant sewer manholes are located have been sent formal correspondence seeking permission for access. For further information please contact the Shire's Development Services Coordinator Michelle Dennis on 9831 2424 or email health@kojonup.wa.gov.au.

Michelle Dennis

**Development Services Coordinator** 



## **WORKS AND SERVICES**

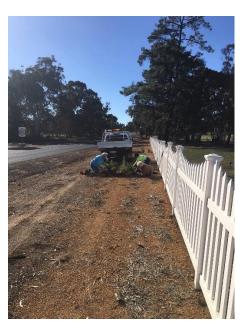
Now that we have received the opening rains, road conditions will likely be wet and slippery, contributed by the long dry spell and fine dust on gravel roads, so please drive with care and to the conditions of the roads.

Works and Services crews are currently undertaking:

- Winter grading in the Fisher Road area has commenced.
- Patching where and when necessary
- Muradup Cemetery planted 4 garden beds with volunteers at the front of the cemetery fence and 20 acacia accuminata trees (Jam trees) along the western fence.

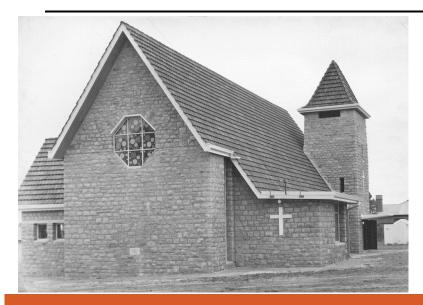






- Kojonup Cemetery completing the planting of Chinese elms.
- Apex Park Softfall being extended under the toddler play equipment.
- Old Landfill Site spraying and preparation of site for planting in conjunction with NRM and school children in the next month.

Craig McVee
Manager Works and Services



## **SOMETHING HISTORIC**

St Mary's Anglican church – Built 1958

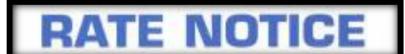
Designed by architect Marshall Clifton Stone quarried on the Webb family Property "Chamingup" Features a lych-gate facing Albany Highway and several impressive glass windows.



## CORPORATE AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

#### **Email My Rate Notice**

It's almost that time of year



The Shire is pleased to offer its ratepayers the opportunity to receive their rate notice via email. This convenient service saves paper and offers a quick and easy way for people to receive their rate notice.

To receive your rate notice via email, please contact council@kojonup.wa.gov.au with the following details.

Assessment Number:

Name:

Postal address:

Email address you would like the rates sent to:

Phone number:

#### **Pensioners and Seniors Rebates**

Ratepayers who are the holder of a Pensioner Concession Card, State Seniors Card or Commonwealth Seniors Health Care Card may be eligible for a rebate on current rate and emergency service levy charges. The rebate percentage will vary dependent upon individual circumstances and which cards are held.

To be eligible you must be the holder of one the abovementioned cards, have been the owner or part owner of the property as at 1st July and you must live at the property. Furthermore you must be registered with the Shire.

To find out more please contact Heather Marland at the Shire on 9831 2400.

## Kojonup Library

The rain has started to fall from the sky and it smells so good! It's a comfort of nature watering, healing, growing and cleansing on so many levels. Our winter has finally arrived. Those of us lucky enough to enjoy reading, it's the perfect time to stoke the fire, make a hot cuppa, snuggle on the lounge with a quilt wrapped around you and then to slip into an alternate realm ..... until the phone rings. I hope you all can find a little down time to enjoy a good book too!



**Enjoy a little time out,** We've added mindful colouring books and pens to the table in the library, so please come on in, enjoy a little time to yourself, have a cuppa, maybe a chat, plus it's nice and warm.

Remember our library is for all of us to enjoy and use.

**Renew** is one of our sponsors, with books and sand toys for Play in the Park. Remember they are open on Tuesday & Thursdays, stroll down and see what they have to offer.

Play Cafe, has been amazing with the dress-up antics of our Kat who brings so much joy to the kids and to the parents also ③. This term we've had a pirate theme, teddy bear picnic (shared with the lucky Kyan, birthday boy), thanks Jay for sharing the day with all our Play Cafe Kids. Mickey Mouse even visited us!! This week Dora the Explorer came to Play Cafe!



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Bertie was truly unsure of our giant mouse!



Dazza, getting into gluing with Macca @Awesome work dad!





Kyan (3) sharing his birthday cake with all the children.

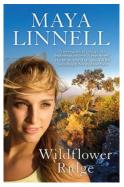
A huge thank you to *KDHS* for their continuing support of Play Cafe, *Nadine* thank you for sharing the space of the Kindy. We have so much fun creating craft, sharing stories, rhymes with the children, but also get to enjoy the conversation of adults. Our last session for this term is Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July, then school holidays and YES!! See you all again in 3<sup>rd</sup> term.





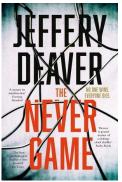
Kojonup Play Cafe & Play in Park follow us to keep up to date what's happening and where.

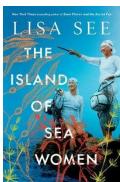
**New Book Exchange,** has arrived and we are working out fastest to have all the 198 books on our shelves for you all to enjoy in record time. Some of our new local titles include;

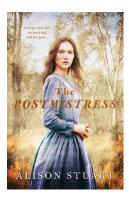


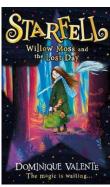




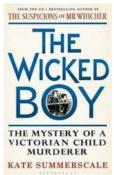


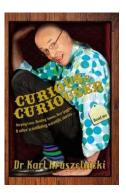












**KYC** Homework Help, a huge thank you to KYC volunteer *Sharon Malane* for her time every Tuesday afternoon, sorting afternoon tea and registering the children as they come through the door. Thank you to the incredible teachers of both our schools, helping with questions of homework, also to our parent volunteers who also help and listen to the little ones with their home reading. Power to the children that come along, get homework done for the week!



**Kojonup Women's Club.** I had the honour of presenting a talk to the Women's Club. WOW! What a beautiful gathering of ladies, so very engaging and interested in our community. Thank you all for listening to me talk away about the library & to our community, have a talk to any of the women involved, they are looking for new members (afternoon tea was divine), they present interesting presenters every month, plus so much more. Contact Brenda Taylor for interest in joining on 9821 0035.

#### Be Connected!!

Contact Bec to find the time and date that will suit you to be a part of our groups as we surf the internet, wrangle technology and bend it to work for us. Bring your own device, master it!

Find Bec on Facebook or call 0407 980 175

Anthony Middleton

Manager Corporate & Community Services

## **SmarTechEdz**

"Let technology work for you, not against you"



## Did you know?

Local Government Elections will be held on 19 October 2019.
If you are considering nominating, please come and see us as there are new requirements for prospective candidates which must be met.
See the media release on the following page for further information.

Illegal dumping is not only harmful to the environment, it is also costly to ratepayers.

Illegal dumping in Kojonup reserves to date will cost ratepayers in excess of \$7000 to clean up.
Anonymous reporting of illegal dumping can be made to <a href="https://www.kabc.wa.gov.au/report-">https://www.kabc.wa.gov.au/report-</a>



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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Community members are advised that the Shire Administration Office will be closed on 9 July 2019 from 12.30pm to 1.30pm.

## Calling all Community Groups and Committees

Have you updated your details with the Shire of Kojonup? It's a little hard for us to make contact when we don't have the right details.

Please forward the details of your President/Chairperson and any other relevant positions to <a href="mailto:council@kojonup.wa.gov.au">council@kojonup.wa.gov.au</a> so that we can update our records. Details that we need are:

- ✓ Positon title and name of office bearer
- ✓ Postal and email address and
- ✓ Telephone contact details

Thanking you all in advance for your assistance.



## Landmark Local Government Reform Brings Councils into the 21st Century

Thursday, 27 June 2019 – Media Statement

- New reforms passed by Parliament will see more local government information available online
- All candidates for the 2019 local government elections will be required to do an induction
- Third major piece of local government reform legislation for McGowan Government

Landmark local government reforms passed by State Parliament will bring councils into the 21st century as the first reforms resulting from the Local Government Act review.

These reforms target key priority areas identified by the community and local government sector to better prepare council members for their challenging role, strengthen governance, empower councils to communicate with residents using modern technology and expand the amount of information available to the public online.

Commencing at the 2019 ordinary local government elections in October, all candidates will be required to have completed an online induction. This free, online module will be available on the Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries' website in July.

Building the capacity of council members further, all council members will be required to complete a training program following their election covering key areas such as conflicts of interest, understanding financial reports and budgets, and serving on council.

#### Reforms will also:

- Improve standards of behaviour through a mandatory code of conduct for council members and candidates;
- Introduce new standards for CEO recruitment and performance management to help elected members select a CEO and assess their performance;
- Provide clarity for elected members to manage real and perceived conflicts of interest related to gifts; and
- Require local governments to publish information on their website such as local laws, approved council policies and all documents contained within a meeting agenda allowing instant access to council information for everyone 24/7.

#### Comments attributed to Local Government Minister David Templeman:

"The McGowan Government is committed to transforming local government by empowering local governments to better deliver for the community.

"This first set of reforms will ensure that all council members are equipped to take on their vital but challenging role, and that local government is able to leverage on modern technology to communicate with the public and ratepayers alike.

"The public has high expectations of government at all levels and these reforms represent an important step forward in making local government agile, smart and inclusive.

"The McGowan Government has achieved more reform in local government in two years than the Barnett Government did in eight and a half years.

"I am committed to delivering to Western Australians a modern, responsive and effective local government system."

Minister's office - 6552 5400







The draft Revitalising Agricultural Region Freight Strategy has been released (on 5 June 2019). All the documents relating to the Strategy are available at:

## https://www.transport.wa.gov.au/Freight-Ports/revitalising-agricultural-region-freight-strategy.asp

The State Government is now seeking public comment on the draft Strategy. Submissions close 12 July 2019.

The draft Strategy, identifies high priority infrastructure investments and regulatory improvements to help enhance efficiency, safety and economic growth of our key agricultural regions.

Specific infrastructure projects proposed in the Strategy will be subject to further cost benefit analysis over time, with ongoing input from industry required.

#### Revitalising Agricultural Region Freight Strategy Survey

The Strategy identifies 10 key challenges relating to the movement of high volume agricultural freight in the project area throughout the Mid West, Wheatbelt, Great Southern and Goldfields-Esperance. These challenges are addressed by five key methods.

We would like to know your level of agreement with the overall strategic direction of the Strategy and the identified challenges and proposed methods that will help ensure the best agricultural freight outcomes can be achieved for the key agricultural regions into the future.

Survey closes Friday 12 July at 5.00 pm.







## **Illegal Dumping**





Two recent media releases from the office of Hon Stephen Dawson MLC, Minister for Environment; Disability Services; Electoral Affairs, indicated that hefty fines had been imposed for illegal dumping and littering, by six men resulting in fines totalling \$34,000 plus court cost (\$16,000 in fines for dumping and littering offences in a known hotspot north-east of Perth and \$18,000, for illegally dumping waste in State Forest in the Perth Hills).

Covert surveillance was used to capture four men, each driving on separate occasions last year with vehicles loaded with waste. On each occasion, Department of Water and Environmental Regulation inspectors discovered the waste discarded at a site in Jandabup.

In the second case, the court heard the men were employed to dispose of the contents and fittings from a Northbridge restaurant which had closed down. Internal security camera footage from the restaurant persons removing the shop's contents and fittings on January 19, 2018. A few weeks later, on February 9, 2018, Water Corporation staff discovered discarded waste within a priority one drinking water source area in State Forest near Albany Highway.

The officers photographed the waste and contacted the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation. An investigation by the department traced the waste back to the restaurant and notified the owner. The owner confirmed that the waste was from his restaurant and that he had paid to have it removed and legally however, the pair opted to illegally dispose of the waste.

Environment Minister Stephen Dawson said the fines should act as a serious warning that offenders will face significant penalties. "The use of cameras and surveillance are just two of the tools used to protect our environment against illegal dumping, and these convictions and fines should serve as a warning.

"People illegally dumping may think they are saving money, however, it will ultimately cost them a lot more when they are caught and convicted by the courts. "These fines send a strong message that offenders will not get away with it lightly.

"Waste has the potential to cause health hazards and environmental harm, and should be disposed of appropriately."





Illegal dumping in a Kojonup reserve





WHERE: Kojonup Sports Complex
WHEN: Friday afternoons, 3.30pm – 5.30pm
WHAT: Free AFL, Hockey & Netball skills and matches
WHO: Boys and girls aged from 6 – 18, (split into 3 groups)

7 JUNE

14 JUNE

**21 JUNE** 

**28 JUNE** 

5 JULY

For more information please contact Zahra Shirazee on 0417 987 237















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## **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

Want to know what's happening in Kojonup? Check out this month's Community Calendar compiled by the team at the Kodja Place. Printed versions of the calendar will be available from the Kojonup Library and the Kodja Place. Want your event listed in the Kojonup Community Calendar? Please contact Kristel on 9831 0500 or via email <a href="mailto:vso@kojonup.wa.gov.au">vso@kojonup.wa.gov.au</a>

July 2019

# What's on in Kojonup

and surrounding areas\*

Kodja Place & Kojonup Visitor Centre Kojonup Community Resource Centre Kojonup Library 

 Open 7 Days, 9:00am - 5:00pm
 Ph: 9831 0500

 Monday - Friday, 10:00am - 4:00pm
 Ph: 9831 0256

 Monday - Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm, Saturday 9:30am - 11:30am
 Ph: 9831 0412



## Need more information? Or want your event listed?

Please call the Kodja Place or email: Kristel: bcc@kojonup.wa.gov.au

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|---|---|--|--|--|--|-------------------|
| Every Sunday:   | Every Monday:   | Every Tuesday:   | Every Wednesday:   | Every Thursday:  | Every Friday:  | Every Saturday:   |
| Grab a copy of the Kojonup<br>News for Church Service times | Bridge Club, Bowling Club<br>9.30am<br>Southern Singers, Uniting<br>Church 7:00pm | Renew Op shop OPEN 10:00am-2:00pm All Crafts, 10am, Hockey Club ASK Youth Group, Baptist Church 3:30pm | Play Café, KDHS Kindy Rooms<br>9.30am-11.30am (not during school<br>holidays)<br>Kojonup Men's Shed OPEN 1pm<br>Third Wednesday of every Month | Play Group & Toy Library, Old<br>School, 9.30am-11.30am (not<br>during school holidays)<br>Renew Op Shop OPEN<br>10:00am-2:00pm<br>Gallery Aura Open | Renew Op Shop OPEN 10:00am–2:00pm Diabetes Clinic – Kojonup Hospital, second Friday of every month Gallery Aura Open | Gallery Aura Open |
| Sunday  | Monday  | Tuesday  | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday          |
|   | 1   | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6                 |
|   | Child Mental Health<br>Workshop, Katanning 9.30 –<br>4pm                          | Southern Dirt Workshop, 8am –<br>5pm<br>The Tap Pack, Albany 7.30-<br>9.30pm                           |  | Rose Maze Pruning<br>Confessions of a Magician<br>performance, Narrogin<br>6.30pm-8.30pm   | Rose Maze Pruning<br>Kojonup Nightfields,3.30-5.30pm,<br>Sport Precinct<br>School holidays begin                     |                   |
| 7   |   |  |  |  |  |                   |
| NAIDOC Week Begins  | Rose Maze Pruning   | Rose Maze Pruning  | Kojonup Bakery Re-opens  |  |  |                   |
| 14  |   |  |  |  |  | 20                |
| NAIDOC Week Ends  |   |  |  |  |  |                   |
| 21  | 22  | 23   | 24   | 25   | 26   | 27                |
|   | School Returns  | Ordinary Council Meeting<br>Shire Administration Office<br>Council Chambers commencing<br>at 3.00pm    | Kojonup Men's Shed OPEN 1pm  |  |  |                   |
| 28  | 29  | 30   |  |  |  |                   |

