



Yakabout



Photo by Tony Tropiano

Act-Belong-Commit TS Community Day

Saturday 17 October 11am to 2pm

All are invited to the TS Community Day at Byrne Park in Three Springs.
This is a FREE event. No booking is required, just come along!

What's happening...

See the digging up and opening of a time capsule buried in McAleer Gardens 20 years ago.

Take part in creating the next generation's time capsule to be buried in the park!

Live DJ with chill out weekend sounds

Wool spinning

Free youth, family and adult art workshops

Talc rock painting

Polished gemstone display

Vintage cars

Book, DVD and CD exchange

Delicious food and drinks for sale and all other activities free of charge

If you're a community group that would like to contribute something to the day,
please get in touch with Stacey Pajich on 0476 659 612.



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**North Midlands
Project**

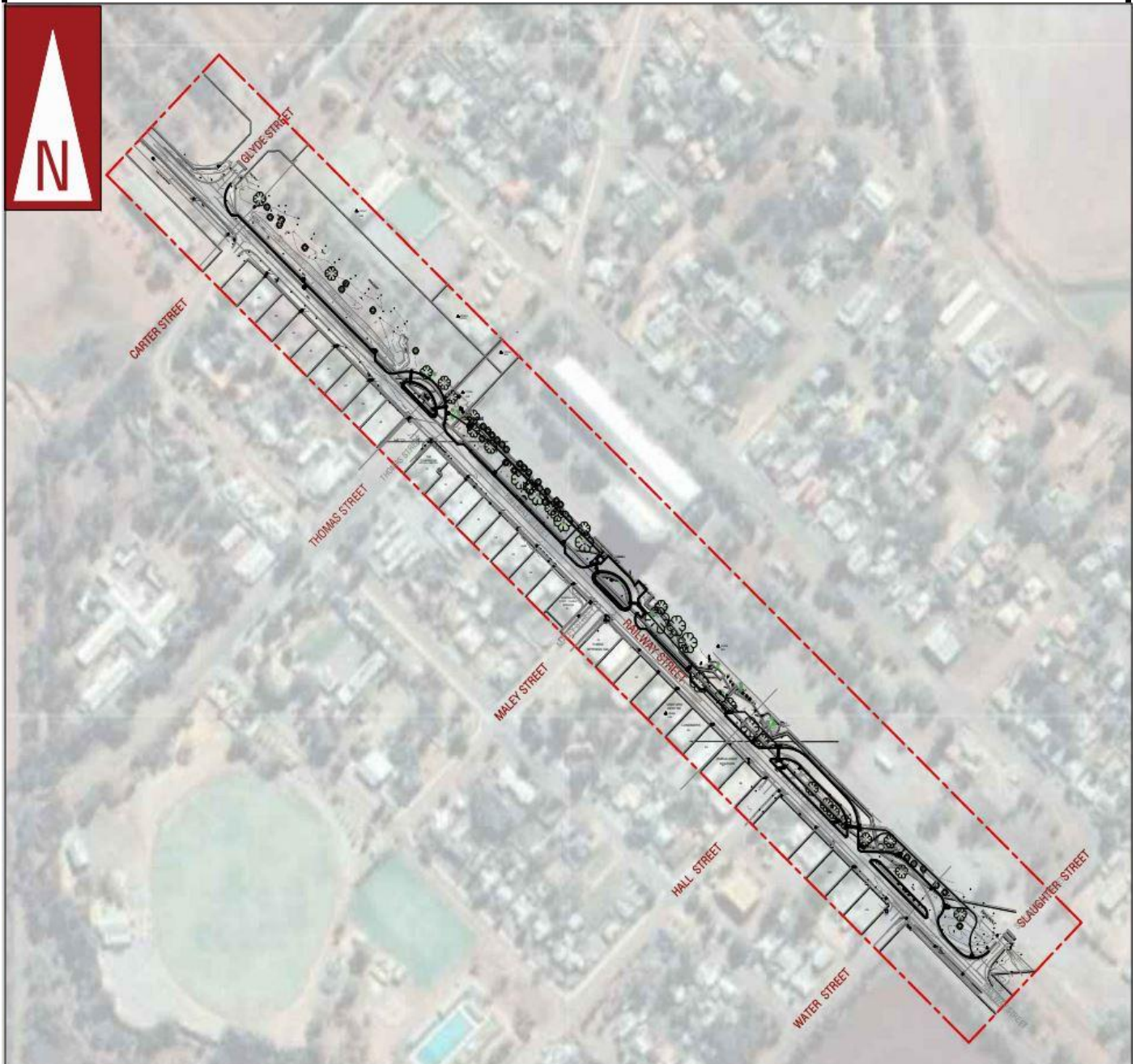
Shire of Three Springs

Three Springs Revitalisation Project:

The original Three Springs Revitalisation Project commenced in 2013, following community consultation. In April 2020, Council endorsed the recommencement of the project to revitalise Railway Road. The revitalisation works are due to commence in Nov/Dec 2020.

Aspects of the project include:

- Upgrades to the Tourism Parking, War Memorial, Information and Truck Parking areas
- Kerbing and drainage
- Tree planting and planter boxes
- Bench seating
- Sealing





Shire of Three Springs

Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8am- 4:00pm

132 Railway Road, Three Springs WA 6519

PO Box 117, Three Springs WA 6519

Telephone: 08 9954 1001 Fax: 08 9954 1183

Email: general@threesprings.wa.gov.au www.threesprings.wa.gov.au

Services Offered:

Library: DVD's, Audio Books, Large Print Books

Department of Transport Licensing, Boat Licensing

(Tuesdays - Thursdays)

Community Hall & Sports Pavilion, Sports Amenities

Community Bus Hire,

Public Computer Internet Access, WIFI Hotspot

Dog and Cat Licensing, Cat Traps

Photocopying Service

Ranger and Emergency Services

Visitor's Centre opens approx. July to October (CLOSED for 2020)

Shredded paper available @Shire of Three Springs

Three Springs Aquatic Centre is Closed

Also based at the Shire Offices on a part time basis:

Environmental Health Officer



NOW CLOSED

Enquiries: Shire of Three Springs on 9954 1001



Shire of Three Springs Notices

Fire Breaks

Notice is hereby given to all landowners / occupiers within the Shire of Three Springs that fire breaks must be installed on or by 1st October and maintained of flammable material up to and including 15th March as per requirements in relation to Section 33 of the Bush Fires Act 1954.

The penalty for failing to comply with this notice is a fine of up to \$400 and a person in default is also liable, whether prosecuted or not, to pay the cost of performing the work in this notice, if it is not carried out by the Owner or Occupier by the date required in this notice.

Emergency Text Messaging Service

The Shire of Three Springs has a text messaging service that enables people to receive important notifications, including road closures, harvest bans and emergency warnings from the Shire. If you would like to receive this service, please call into the Admin Centre or email general@threesprings.wa.gov.au to register your mobile number.

Bush Fire Advisory Committee Pre-Harvest Meeting

The BFAC Pre-Harvest meeting is being held on Tuesday 29 September at the Fire Shed on Franklin St, commencing at 7pm. This enables local emergency services and agencies to identify any potential hazards as we move into fire season.

COVID-19

A reminder to the community that WA is still in a state of emergency, and that social distancing and hygiene measures are still in place. If your community group or organisation is in need of hand sanitizer please call into the Admin Centre to collect a bottle.

Keith Woodward PSM
Chief Executive Officer

Community Group Information

Churches

Anglican / Uniting	See Church notices	Trinity Church Carter Street	Morris Van Buerle – 9954 5043 Peter Whale - 0427 541 080
Catholic	4pm	St Paul's Catholic Church Touche Street	Fr Brian Ahearn 9927 1451 0427 271 452

Community Groups

Community Action Group	3rd Tuesday of the month	4pm	Aquatic Centre Function Room	9954 1001
Craft Group	Wednesdays	9am–3pm \$1.00	Old Nurses Quarters	
Friends of the North-Midlands Health Service				Brenda Bowman 0427 511 339
Historical Society				Judy and Roy Mutter 0427 547 733
Mingenew Painting Club	1st Wednesday of the month (Mar–August)			Terri Traylen-Witt 9954 1213
North Midlands Agricultural Society			Carnamah	Angela Dring 044 927 800
Returned Serviceman League				Ray Morgan 9954 1014
RSL Women's Auxiliary				Lorraine Morgan 9954 1014
Tourists Information		10am - 2pm	Visitors Centre	Cathy Reed 9954 7012
			9954 1590	
Three Springs Lions Club				Jon Addison 0428 541255

Emergency Services

St Johns Ambulance				Merle Isbister 0428 511 030
Volunteer Fire Brigade	Training twice a month out of fire season			Rod Ennor 0458 246 531

Youth

Coderdojo	Carnamah			Richelle Essers 0428 921 464
Playgroup				Lauren Cruickshank 0429 620 201
Three Springs				President: Nadine Eva 0427 541 014
Parents & Citizens				Catering Stacey Pajich 0476 659 612

Community Group Information



Sporting Groups

Basketball			Coorow-Carnamah	Bruce Chisholm 0428 591 318
Bowls	Saturday - Pennants Sundays - Club events		Three Springs Sporting Club	Bill McGree 0459 057 580
Cricket	TBC			
Badminton	Tuesdays	5pm—7pm	Three Springs Community Hall	Phil Berry 0432 758 770
Golf	Friday - Scroungers Saturday - Pennants Sunday - Club Day		Three Springs Golf Club	David Mutter 0427 547 035
Football	Training Tuesdays and Thursdays	5.30pm - 7.00pm	Three Springs Sporting Complex Pavilion	Jimmy Heal 0429 165 235
Netball	Training Wednesday		Three Springs Sporting Complex Pavilion	
Hockey	Training Thursady		Three Springs Sporting Complex Pavilion	
Indoor Bowls		9am - 12pm	Three Springs Community Hall	Adele Metsemakers 0458 090 839
Rifle Club	Sundays			Chris Connaughton 0427 547 007
Sporting Clay Target Shooting	Summer - Saturdays Winter - Sundays			Gary Turley 0428 888 075
Squash Tennis				Bill McGree 0459 057 580
Yoga		2 - 3.30pm	Red Room Three Springs Community Hall	Lorraine Morgan 99541014



Glyde St Rail Crossing

Rail renewal work is being carried on the

12th to 14th October 2020

by ARC Infrastructure.

Hours of work are 6am – 6pm.

- **12th October** – Crossing open as site preparation carried out
- **13th October** – Crossing / road closure as rehabilitation of the crossing, including removal of asphalt and rail, and reinstatement of rail is carried out. Crossing open to traffic overnight
- **14th October** – Crossing / road closure as asphalt sealing of crossing and welding of rail carried out.

Please use Slaughter St crossing.

Church Notices



NORTH MIDLANDS ANGLICAN UNITING PARISH

Trinity Church, Carter St, Three Springs

Sunday 18 Oct. 10:00 am

Lay service led by Hendrik Greyling

All are welcome. We offer hand sanitiser and practise social distancing but give warm encouragement.

Contacts: Hendrik 0497 224 004; Diana VB 0429 888 558

YAKABOUT



The Yakabout is now free of charge & it is on the Shire website! There will be limited number of printed copies available from the Shire Office and Post Office.

Check out the new webpage with the issues from 2020. To place an advert please email the Three Springs Shire Yakabout yakabout@threesprings.wa.gov.au , Or call the Shire on 9954 1001.

Yakabout Issue Dates & Charges 2020

26/10/20 Issue #204, 09/11/20 Issue #205,
23/11/20 Issue #206, 7/12/20 Issue #207

Non-Business	Attachments (copies provided \$8)	Business
Full Page B&W	\$30.00	Full Page B&W \$40.00
Full Page Colour	\$80.00	Full Page Colour \$160.00
Half Page B&W	\$15.00	Half Page B/W \$20.00
Half Page Colour	\$40.00	Half Page Colour \$80.00
Quarter Page B/W	\$8.00	Quarter Page B/W \$10.00
Quarter Page Colour	\$40.00	Quarter Page Colour \$40.00

Adverts need to be in by noon the Friday before publishing on the Monday.

PLEASE SEE BELOW

LICENSING CLOSED MONDAYS & FRIDAYS

Department of Transport (DoT) Services

Only Available 3 DAYS A WEEK

- * Licensing Hours: **Tuesdays —Thursdays** 9:00am to 3:00pm
- * Theory Test hours: **Tuesdays —Thursdays** 9:00am to 2:45pm
- * Next Practical Driving Assessments (PDA) 29th October 2020
- * PDA Assessor: Murray Moore Geraldton

INDOOR BOWLS

20TH OCTOBER 2020

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ROLL UP ROLL UP



Badminton

Tuesday Nights

5pm – 7pm

Three Springs Community Hall

\$2.00

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RUBBISH COLLECTION DAY

Monday Morning's including Public holidays



COMMUNITY CALENDAR



12th	Mon	TSPS School resumes Term 4 Week1		TSPS
12th -14th	Mon-Wed	Rail renewal work	6am—6pm	Glyde Street
13th	Tuesdays	Badminton	5pm-7pm	Community Hall
18th	Sun	Trinity Church	10am	Trinity Church
20th	Tues	Indoor Bowls	9am-12	Community Hall
20th	Tuesdays	Badminton	5pm-7pm	Community Hall
21st	Wed	Ordinary Council Meeting	5pm	Shire Chambers

2020 COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Do you have an event that you would like to add to the community calendar?

If so, please contact the Shire Office on 9954 1001

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

DOCTOR 9954 1013

FIRE REPORTING000

SHIRE OFFICE9954 1001

A/H - C.E.S.M. 0400 42 4545

HARVEST BAN INFORMATION9487 6519

HOSPITAL9954 3200

INFANT HEALTH CLINIC9954 3213

MIDWEST MENS HEALTH9690 2277

(Talk to a mate) Mensline Australia..... 1300 789 978

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NON EMERGENCY..... 9954 4222 OR 13 1444

SCHOOLS

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THREE SPRINGS PRE-PRIMARY9954 3700

CARNAMAH DISTRICT HIGH9951 1266

MORAWA DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL.....9971 0900

SHIRE ADMINISTRATION OFFICE9954 1001

VETERINARY (DONGARA).....9927 1329

RSPCA (MAUREEN ROGERS) 0411 079 376

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Three Springs to North Midlands Health service - \$434.00

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Coorow Townsite to North Midlands Health Service - \$707.52

Coorow townsite to Moora Health Service - \$1117.80

Eneabba townsite to Eneabba Silver Chain - \$434.00

Eneabba townsite to Dongara Health Service - \$1044.16

NB: Distance Calculation includes the distance travelled to return to Sub Centre Depot

If you have Private Health Insurance, please check to ensure ambulance transport is covered

Your annual membership fee : \$95. 00 Family or \$57.00 Single

If you are not sure of your ambulance benefit fund membership status please phone Merle 99511030/ 0428511030

Email: Merle.Isbister@bigpond.com to confirm your membership

Benefit Fund Application

Surname	Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms	First Name	Initial	Date of Birth
1.....

2.....
[Spouse/Partner]				

Address

Suburb/Town PostCode

Contact Phone Number [Home] Work.....

DEPENDANT CHILDREN

First Name	Surname	Date of Birth.
3.....
4.....
5.....

Please forward this form and your membership payment to :

North Midlands Sub Centre, PO. Box 95, Carnamah 6517

Family Membership covers your spouse/partner and all dependent children until they turn 18

The above membership prices are valid until 30/6/2021

08/09/20

Please note: this is not Australian Wide coverage as SJA WA does not have a reciprocal agreement with QLD., ACT., or SA.

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P&C General Meeting 19th October 2020

Agenda

Meeting opened:

Present:

Apologies:

Previous minutes: Moved:

Seconded:

Business arising from previous minutes:

Correspondence: Inward/Outward

Moved:

Seconded:

Reports:

Treasurer's

Principal

Uniform

Fundraising/Catering

Seconded:

General Business:

MEDIA RELEASE



THE HON MELISSA PRICE MP
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MINISTER FOR POPULATION, CITIES AND URBAN INFRASTRUCTURE
ACTING MINISTER FOR IMMIGRATION, CITIZENSHIP, MIGRANT SERVICES AND
MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS

MEDIA RELEASE

5 October 2020

Options for backpackers to stay in WA

The Morrison Government has made it easier for backpackers on Working Holiday Maker (WHM) visas to stay in northern WA during COVID-19.

WHMs can already stay in the region for up to three years if they spend time working in specific industries, including tourism and hospitality for some visa holders.

WHMs in their first year in Australia can do three months of specified work to get a visa for a second year. If they do a further six months of specified work in that second year, they can qualify for a third year visa.

Specified work includes agriculture, fishing, mining and construction in northern WA. For subclass 462 visa holders, tourism and hospitality in northern Australia can also be counted as specified work.

Recent changes also mean WHMs can now count critical COVID-19 related healthcare work in WA towards a second or third WHM visa.

WHMs working in tourism and hospitality in northern Australia are exempt from the usual restriction on working with one employer in one location for more than six months, as are those working in aged care and disability services, agriculture, construction and mining. During COVID-19, this has been extended to 12 months for those working in critical industries like food processing, health care and childcare, to give certainty and flexibility to workers and employers.



MEDIA RELEASE cont...

WHMs can now also apply for an additional twelve-month COVID-19 Pandemic Event visa, if their visa is close to expiring and they want to continue to work in these critical sectors.

Member for Durack, Melissa Price, said backpackers should look closely at their options so they can stay in the region.

“What a great opportunity for young people from around the world to spend time working and holidaying in one of the most unique places on earth,” Ms Price said.

“We have great tourist sites, wonderful people and plenty of great work opportunities right across the region that backpackers can use to fund an extended holiday here. Why would you want to go anywhere else?”

Acting Minister for Immigration, Citizenship, Migrant Services and Multicultural Affairs Alan Tudge said the Government was listening to regional businesses and making it easier for WHMs to continue supporting them.

“There are still tens of thousands of Working Holiday Makers still in Australia, many do not want to or cannot go home and they are desperately needed in the agriculture sector and other industries,” Mr Tudge said.

“Australia loves backpackers. We love the cultures they bring from their home countries, we love the work they do to help our farmers and we love the economic boost they give to our regional towns.”

Full details on the Working Holiday Maker program and the COVID-19 Pandemic Event visa are available on the Department of Home Affairs [website](#).

For further information:

Minister Tudge: Steve Kidner 0466 385 097

Minister Price: Rosemea.Crane@aph.gov.au , 0427 587 395

Sport

BOWLS

Men' Pennant started off with a great day. Red started with 9 but it wasn't a problem. Black had a full field.

Sorry I wasn't there guys but we had a great 60 year school reunion.

Black at home, 6/0 to Coorow. 72 shots to 51.

Jim Heal defeated Durwin Melbin 29 12

Chad Eva defeated Charles Wass 21 18

Jack Antonio defeated Doug Brenton 22 21

An away win is a very good win and RED defeated Mingenew 5/1 58 shots to 46 at Mingenew

Paul Bone defeated Sam Greaves 26 10

Christian Kenworthy Defeated Ross Tindle-Powell 22-13. Great start as a Skipper Prickle.

Bill McGree lost to Kevin Hagar (?) 10-22

THREE SPRINGS PRIMARY SCHOOL P & C

Canteen Roster for Term 4 2020

WEEK 1	Monday 12 th October 2020	Linda Mutter	Camille Stokes
WEEK 2	Monday 19 th October 2020	Chontelle Nichols	Anne-Marie Connaughton
WEEK 3	Monday 26 th October 2020	Nadine Eva	Kylie Dennis
WEEK 4	Monday 2 nd November 2020	Chontelle Nichols	Camille Stokes
WEEK 5	Monday 9 th November 2020	Linda Mutter	Linley Green
WEEK 6	Monday 16 th November 2020	Chontelle Nichols	Kylie Dennis
WEEK 7	Monday 23 rd November 2020	Stacey Pajich	Chris Lane
WEEK 8	Monday 30 th November 2020	Chontelle Nichols	Anne-Marie Connaughton
WEEK 9	Monday 7 th December 2020	Nadine Eva	Linley Green
WEEK 10	Monday 14 th December 2020	Chontelle Nichols	Chris Lane

**** If your name is not on the roster but you would like to volunteer in the Canteen, please contact Chontelle Nichols on - 0427 442 661. ****

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Check and compare when grocery shopping

With many people experiencing financial hardship due to the COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic, one way consumers can save money is by checking and comparing unit prices when grocery shopping.

Unit pricing shows consumers the value of grocery products as a cost per standard unit of measurement on shelf labels.

Large grocery stores and some online grocery retailers must display the unit price when selling packaged food and other grocery products, such as bread, eggs, fruit and vegetables and toilet paper.

This can be helpful for consumers to check and compare the unit price of an item to see if a product is right for their circumstances.

Ask yourself whether a big pack of cereal would be more cost effective for your family than a small pack. With unit pricing on shelf labels, or when shopping online, you can quickly and easily compare the value for money of different package sizes and select the one that best fits your budget and needs.

Keep these money-saving tips in mind for your next grocery shop:

The unit price of large packs is usually – but not always – lower than small or medium size packs, so it pays to check.

Avoid buying a bigger pack if it's likely to go to waste.

Compare the unit price of different sizes of the same brand's product, as well as different brands of the same product.

Look out for special offers which might temporarily have the lowest unit price.

If a product is available loose or pre-packaged, check the unit price of both.

Compare unit prices in different parts of the supermarket - the same product may be sold in different sections, eg. cheese, meats, seafood, nuts, fruit and vegetables.

For more information on unit pricing and how the Unit Pricing Code visit the Australian Competition and Consumer Commission's website: www.accc.gov.au/consumers/groceries/grocery-unit-prices



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Nominate now for Consumer Protection Awards

Are you a consumer champion or do you know one? If so, then I would urge you to consider nominating for the Consumer Protection Awards 2021.

Every day across Western Australia there are many individuals, organizations, businesses and media professionals working tirelessly to advocate for the consumer rights of others, many of whom are considered vulnerable.

These unsung heroes often receive little recognition, which is why the annual Consumer Protection Awards are an important opportunity to highlight their incredible achievements.

With nominations for the CP Awards 2021 now open, submissions are invited for an individual or organisation that has contributed to raising community awareness of consumer rights and safety as an advocate, educator or in another relevant role.

A new online submission tool this year makes it easy to enter and there are four categories to choose from, three of which are named after prominent past advocates Rona Okely, Richard (Dick) Fletcher and Ruby Hutchison, while the Kidsafe WA category focuses on promotion of product safety and injury prevention for children.

Winners will be presented with a trophy and cash prize by the Commerce Minister, before being further recognised with their names engraved on a perpetual shield.

The 2020 winners, which were announced at a 'virtual' event on Facebook due to COVID-19 restrictions, were Executive Director Sharryn Jackson who oversees 28 community legal centres; not-for-profit organisation Indigo Junction for its work in providing homelessness services; Red Nose for creating a safe sleeping product for babies; and journalist Callum Hunter who reported on scams.

Nominations for the 2021 Awards close 11.59pm on Monday 30 November 2020 – so don't be shy about nominating someone you know or putting your own name forward. Winners will be announced at a presentation luncheon on Tuesday 20 April 2021.

Visit www.commerce.wa.gov.au/cpawards for further information about the conditions, categories and to access the nomination form.

SITUATION VACANT



HSEQ Officer - Three Springs Operations

We are currently seeking a Health Safety Environment & Quality Officer for our Three Springs Talc Operation, willing to learn and develop in more than one area for purposes of multi-tasking.

Job Description:

The HSEQ Officer is responsible for the design, implementation, communication, and co-ordination of all environmental, health, safety and quality assurance programs for Imerys Talc – Three Springs site.

This position will develop and provide technical and administrative direction on all HSEQ decisions, which bear critical importance to overall company and site objectives, operations and profitability. Primary work area is within Administration areas but some time will be spent on project and other areas around site; including but not limited to pit, processing plant, workshop, warehouse and administration areas as required. Some travel may be required.

Shift Cycle:

Monday to Friday 8.00am to 4.30pm

Key Responsibilities:

- HSEQ System Communication, Advice and Administrative Support - Assist in the development, maintenance and implementation of HSEQ initiatives and programs.
- Reporting, Investigation, Assessment and Audit - Promote and facilitate the completion of HSEQ Plans, scheduled activities and corrective actions.
- Address specific reporting and record keeping requirements of Dept of Mines Industry Regulation & Safety, Dept of Water and Environmental Regulation, EPA etc. as well as other pertinent safety/regulatory compliance matters, to ensure projects and site are compliant with requirements as relates to HSEQ.
- Training - Develop, co-ordinate, supervise and deliver HSEQ training programs, including inductions to site, external training opportunities and site competencies.
- Support management and personnel to create a culture of productivity and safety including community liaison, general and mental health and wellbeing and professional development.

Licence or Skill Requirements :

- WA Drivers Licence (essential)
- HSEQ, Legal or Management qualifications (desirable)
- Imerys Three Springs specific training.

Various internal training and competency assessments, and/or external training resources will be undertaken by all personnel in this role.

To be considered for this role, you will need to possess the following skills and experience:

- A pre-employment medical will be required for the successful applicant.
- Excellent written and verbal English communications skills
- Strong communication, organizational and problem-solving skills
- Capable of building strong relationships across all levels of the business
- An ability to work well in an unsupervised, autonomous role within a broader team environment
- Flexibility and proactive attitude
- Willing to learn new skills

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Please forward your application by close of business Tuesday 20th of October 2020 to:

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Email / Post: gary.turley@imerys.com PO Box 116, Three Springs WA 6519

Inquires: Gary Turley 0428 888 075

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Veterinary Services In Three Springs 2020

Dongara Veterinary Hospital visits on the 2nd Tuesday of every month.

(or dates as advertised)

13th October,

10th November & 8th December 2020

Venue: Community Hall – End Closest To Shire Offices

(Large animal visits can be arranged)

For Appointments Telephone: 99271329

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Eneabba Merry Markets

Saturday 17th October 2020

at the Eneabba Hall

9am - 1pm

Look who's coming: White Sands, Nutrimetics, Lorraine Lea Linen, Jenny's clutches and earrings, Kim's Solar Lights, Bin Bombs and Rawleighs, Marg's Jams and Preserves, Kim's Crafts, Drummonds View Olives, Siobhan's Resin Boards, Joyce's Healing Hands, Mother Earth's Produce, Scrunchies Handmade by Shan, Blooms by the Beach plus raffles, morning tea, lunch and tea and coffee!

Entry by gold coin donation from 9am until 1pm

Majority of stalls are CASH ONLY

Please come along to get an early start on your Christmas shopping, enjoy some lunch and/or morning tea and support a great cause: raising funds for Eneabba Community Groups! Then head over to watch the Campdraft.

For enquiries please contact Chloe Scott

Ph: 0408 140 520 email: chloe_shack@westnet.com.au

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**MELISSA
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Federal Member for **Durack**



Federal Budget 2020 to Help Drive Economic Growth in Durack

7 October 2020

The Federal Member for Durack, the Honourable Melissa Price has welcomed the Morrison Government's budget as a plan to support hard working Durack constituents with a plan for future employment opportunities and tax relief that will benefit many.

I believe the focus on minimising the impact on younger workers across my electorate coming out of the COVID-19 crisis and building a local economy for jobs growth reflects a budget focused on recovery.

"There is no budget recovery without a jobs recovery. This Budget is all about jobs. The new JobMaker hiring credit to encourage businesses to hire younger Australians will have a positive impact across Durack," Ms Price said.

The Jobmaker hiring credit will be payable for up to twelve months and immediately available to employers who hire those on JobSeeker aged 16-35. It will be paid at the rate of \$200 per week for those aged under 30, and \$100 per week for those aged between 30-35. New hires must work for at least 20 hours a week.

"We have also committed an additional \$1.2 billion to create 100,000 new apprenticeships and traineeships, with a 50 per cent wage subsidy for businesses who employ them," she said.

There has also been \$39.8 million to improve the education and employment prospects for up to 12,500 young Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men, by funding additional places with the Clontarf Foundation.

Our support for apprentices and trainees includes the \$1.2 billion Boosting Apprenticeship Commencement Scheme with 50 per cent wage subsidy to all businesses who take on new apprentices from 5 October 2020 and will support 100,000 new apprentices and is available until 30 September 2021.

"I also believe the \$16.3 million over two years from 2020-21 to create temporary incentives in the income support system to encourage recent school leavers to undertake seasonal horticultural work and help address the expected critical workforce shortages for the upcoming harvest season, is very helpful for Durack," she said.

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As well as those employment incentives, many already working in Durack will benefit from the more than 11 million taxpayers who will get a tax cut backdated to 1 July this year. Lower- and middle-income earners will this year receive tax relief of up to \$2,745 for singles, and up to \$5,490 for dual income families compared with 2017-18.

Building on the successful expansion of the Instant Asset Write Off during the COVID crisis, the Morrison Government will now provide the largest set of investment incentives any Australian Government has ever provided. Over 99 per cent of businesses will be able to write off the full value of any eligible asset they purchase for their business.

Around 7 million Medicare subsidised mental health services have been delivered since March. Access has been improved for Durack residents with a doubling of the number of Medicare funded psychological services through the Better Access Initiative, from 10 to 20. We are also providing more funding for Lifeline, headspace, Beyond Blue and Kids Helpline.

I welcome the extra 2 payments for pensioners who will receive an additional \$250 payment in December and a further \$250 payment in March next year, while for those in Durack with the dream of homeownership, can receive more assistance with an additional 10,000 first home buyers being able to purchase a new home sooner under our First Home Loan Deposit Scheme.

Indigenous Business Australia will receive an additional investment of \$150 million over three years to deliver 360 home loans for new housing construction in regional Australia. The extension of Indigenous Business Australia's Indigenous Home Ownership Programme will support over 1,000 jobs by unlocking financing for shovel-ready construction projects in regional Australia and increase the proportion of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people living in appropriately sized housing.

Tourism support and infrastructure will benefit from the next round of Building Better Regions Fund announced in the budget along with recent changes to make backpacker visa requirements working in the north more flexible.

For Durack agriculture, the Secondary Freight Network has had another \$80 million committed, while the On-Farm Emergency Water Infrastructure scheme has been extended. The Bureau of Meteorology has received extra funding of \$254.6 million to be provided over four years from 2020-21 to help ensure the long-term financial sustainability of Durack's farmers.

Ends;

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ADVERTISEMENTS

FRIENDS OF THE NORTH MIDLANDS HEALTH SERVICE INC.

The next meeting of the

FRIENDS OF THE NORTH MIDLANDS HEALTH SERVICE INC.

will be held in the

Barbecue Area

of the

North Midlands Health Service

9.30am for morning tea followed by a 10.00am meeting.

FRIDAY 9th October 2020

Apologies to

Brenda Bowman 0427 511339

Media Release



The Hon Michael McCormack MP

Deputy Prime Minister
Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development
Leader of The Nationals
Federal Member for Riverina

The Hon Alan Tudge MP

Minister for Population, Cities and Urban Infrastructure
Federal Member for Aston

The Hon Melissa Price

Minister for Defence Industry
Federal Member for Durack

MEDIA RELEASE

INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT LAYING THE FOUNDATIONS FOR DURACK'S ECONOMIC RECOVERY

7 October 2020

The Morrison Government will continue supporting job-creating, economy-boosting infrastructure, as part of our Economic Recovery Plan for Australia, rebuilding our economy to secure Durack's future.

The Government's record \$110 billion transport infrastructure program will support local jobs and businesses at the time it is needed most.

Federal Member for Durack, the Honourable Melissa Price, said the Government would invest an additional \$2 billion for a new road safety program which will support upgrades.

"Improving road safety in Durack is a core priority for the Government and that is why this additional investment builds on the \$500 million we are already delivering for targeted road safety works," Melissa Price said.

"Our community-led recovery plan empowers local governments nation-wide to deliver roads and community infrastructure through an additional \$1 billion for the Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program.

The Hon Michael McCormack MP

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“Across Durack, all 51 Shires will share in more than \$25 million to build shovel-ready local priorities, supporting local jobs and local business, commencing in 2020-21. This investment, together with the new Road Safety Program will support around 10,000 jobs nationally over the life of the projects and I look forward to locals in Durack benefiting from the local procurement this investment brings,” Ms Price said.

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development Michael McCormack said the Budget delivered on our economic plan for a stronger and more resilient Australia.

“The Budget includes new and additional funding in the 2020-21 Budget for projects and initiatives, supporting more than 30,000 direct and indirect jobs over the life of the projects, to get Australia back to work and back in business following the pandemic,” the Deputy Prime Minister said.

Minister for Population, Cities and Urban Infrastructure Alan Tudge said the Government was driving the delivery of major infrastructure projects to build the economy and provide certainty for business over the long term.

Ends.

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Ride On Lawn Mower for Tender Three Springs Primary School

We currently have a Yardman Ride On Lawn Mower (2007) open for tender. Engine is in working order, Cutter bar requires some repairs.

All expressions of interests / offers are due in by Tuesday 13 October 2020.

Please call the front office on 9954 3700 or e-mail your name, contact details and tender price to: threesprings.ps@education.wa.edu.au



Bush Fire Brigade Fire Control Officers

Permit Issuing Officers *

Three Springs Town

Rod Ennor

0458 246 531

Three Springs East

Robbie Weir

9954 5044

0428 545 044

Michael Verrall

9954 7042

Christian Haeusler

0429 954 506

Arrino

David Mutter

0427 547 035

Three Springs West

Jimmy Heal

9955 2022

0429 165 235

Adam Thomas

9954 1103

0427 541 152

Chad Eva

9954 1778

0427 541 778

Three Springs Shire Office

Chief Executive Officer* 9954 1001

Tree plantations of more than 3 hectares but less than 10 hectares

Construct a 10m wide mineral earth firebreak with a vertical clearance of 4m high; clear of all inflammable material immediately surrounding the plantation (adjacent areas of the same property subject to provisions as for rural land)

Plantations larger than 10 hectares

Must comply with the Code of Practise for Timber Plantations in the Western Australia Guideline for Plantation Fire Protection, A copy is available from the Shire of Three Springs upon request

PERMITS

Chief Bush Fire Control Officer

Craig Morgan

9955 2001

0429 377 991

Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer

Christian Haeusler

0429 954 506

Fire Weather Officer

Craig Morgan

9955 2001

0429 377 991

Emergency & Ranger Services

Grant Fidock*

9951 7000

0400 424 545



Fire Break Notice Section 33 B F A

Prohibited Burning Period

1st November to 28th February

STRICTLY NO BURNING

Restricted Burning Period

15th October to 31st October

1st to 15th March

PERMITS ARE REQUIRED



FIRST AND FINAL notice is hereby served to all residents and ratepayers

Failure to install and maintain firebreaks in accordance with this notice may result in a \$5,000

PENALTIES

Failure to maintain a firebreak as per firebreak order	\$250
Offence relating to lighting a fire in the open air	\$250
Setting fire to bush during prohibited burning period	\$250
Failure of Occupier to extinguish a bushfire	\$250
Refusal to state name and abode or stating a false name and abode	\$100
Failure to produce permit to burn	\$100

Fire Control Officers are not obliged to issue permits. Permits cannot be issued over the phone and should a Fire Control Officer refuse to issue a permit, it is a breach of the Bush Fires Act 1954 to request a permit from another Fire Control Officer.

You **MUST** have a copy of the permit on you during the burn

Harvesting Operations

No harvesting operations are permitted on **Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Years Day**. A separate fire fighting fire appliance is required to be present in any paddock being harvested, churning, raking stubble, straw baling and associated allied activities during restricted and prohibited periods. The fire fighting unit must be in a state of readiness and have a minimum capacity of 400 litres of water, a powered pump and at least 15 metres of hose with a minimum diameter of 19 mm and capable of delivering water through an adjustable nozzle is to be readily available to any paddock being harvested. All vehicles or machinery operating in a paddock during Restricted or Prohibited burning times must have a Fire Extinguisher as defined in the Act. A Fire Extinguisher means a device which comprises— a. a container filled with at least 7.5 litres of water and a pump capable of discharging that water, and which is in a sound and efficient condition.

A Harvesting and Movement Ban and Use of Internal Combustion Engines (except for the watering and movement of stock) will be imposed when the actual weather conditions reach a Fire Danger rating of thirty five (35). All such bans are at the discretion of the Chief Bush Fire Control Officer or a duly appointed person

HARVEST BAN INFORMATION LINE

9478 5677.

If a ban has been imposed, all persons registered will be sent a text message advising of details. All bans will still be broadcast on radio

ABC State wide AM

Note – Attention of landowners is drawn to the fact that this order allows for provision of firebreaks in situations other than immediately with property boundaries subject to approval. The Chief Bush Fire Control Officer and appointed Fire Control Officers have been authorised to act for Council in this matter

Failure to install and maintain firebreaks in accordance with this Notice may result in a \$5,000 fine.

BUSH FIRES ACT 1954 AS AMENDED

Notice is hereby given to all landowners/occupiers within the Shire of Three Springs that fire-breaks must be installed on or by 1st October and maintained of flammable material up to and including 15th March as per requirements in relation to Section 33 of the above

PROPERTIES WILL BE INSPECTED TO ENSURE THEY COMPLY WITH COUNCILS REQUIREMENTS

1. TOWNSITES

On or before 1st October all town lots within the town sites of Three Springs and Arino are required to be treated as follows. Where the area of land is less than 3,000m², the property must be cleared, mowed, slashed to a MAXIMUM height of 7.5 cm of all flammable material.

Where the area of the land is 3,000m² or more, a firebreak must be provided not less than 3 metres in width inside and along the whole of the external boundaries of the properties owned or occupied and all flammable material must be cleared a distance of 2.7m from all buildings and/or haystacks situated on the land and maintained free of such material until the 15th March.

FUEL STORAGE AREAS

On or before the 1st October all grass and similar material is to be cleared from such places where drum ramps are located and where drums, empty or full, are stored and such areas to be maintained cleared of grass and similar flammable material until 15th March

FARM BUILDINGS AND UNATTENDED ELECTRIC MOTORS AND HAY STACKS

Fire breaks at least 3 metres in width completely surrounding and not more than 20 metres from the perimeter of any building, group of buildings or haystacks, All flammable material must be removed from an area 2.7 metres in width immediately surrounding the building. All flammable material must be removed from an area 3 metres in width immediately surrounding an unattended electric motor site

UNATTENDED FUEL OPERATED MOTORS

All flammable material must be removed from an area 3 metres in width immediately surrounding an unattended fuel operated motor whether the motor is intended to be used or not.

RURAL LAND

Firebreaks must be provided not less than 3 metres in width inside and along the whole of the external boundaries of the properties owned or occupied; where this is not practicable the firebreaks must be provided as near as possible to, and within, such boundaries

BARBEQUES AND INCINERATORS

Gas and electric barbeques are permitted any time. Solid fuel barbeques and incinerators are **PROHIBITED** on days of **VERY HIGH FIRE DANGER** or above.

PENALTY

The penalty for failing to comply with this notice is a fine of up to \$400 and a person in default is also liable, whether prosecuted or not, to pay the cost of performing the work in this notice, if it is not carried out by the owner or Occupier by the date required by this notice

