



EDITION #167

THURSDAY 4TH MAY 2023

\$1.50

GLEN WARD MEMORIAL

Great Southern Kart Club

On Saturday the 29th of April the Great Southern Kart Club held the inaugural Glen Ward Memorial meeting, with a perpetual trophy being awarded to the highest points over the senior and junior classes.

This was a rerun of the first inaugural Glen Ward Memorial meeting held a month earlier on the 25th of March in memory of the late Glen Ward, a local legend and an amazing supporter, contributor and honorary Life Member of the club.



Zac and Jay Ward with the recipients of the Glen Ward Memorial trophy Tom Callaghan and Caiden Bosnjak.

There was a total of 64 nominations, which made for some great racing across all classes.

The 125 Heavy class was taken out by Tom Callaghan from Gareth Keeling and Zac Ward.

125 Lights could not have been closer, with Kenneth Puddey taking the win on a countback from Michael Hart-Jones, and with Zac Jones completing the podium in third.

Zac Jones went two better in the 100 Open class, taking the win from Brandon Bain and Nathan Chalmers.

The A grade class was taken out by Lachie Meredith from Tyler McQuilkin and Mark Davis.

Joe Chalmers took victory in KT Combined, from Bjorn Crisp and local driver Neil Morrell.

In KT Lights, Ryan Crofts proved too good for the rest, taking the win from Blake Curtis and Nathan Chalmers.

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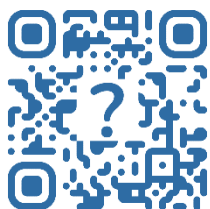
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SECRETARY: Vacant | **TREASURER:** Kathy Wilkinson

SHIRE REPRESENTATIVE: Ann O'Brien

MEMBERS: Kristie Johansson, Heather McDougall



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WAGIN CRC CALENDAR

▪ Be Connected	Wednesday 10 th May	10am-12pm	Free
▪ Camera Club	Monday 15 th May	7pm	Free
▪ CRC Committee Meeting	Tuesday 16 th May	6pm	Free
▪ Paint & Sip	Tuesday 23 rd May	6pm-8.30pm	\$40 (must book)
▪ Tax Time Info Session	Tuesday 30 th May	10.30am-11.30am	Free (please book)
▪ <i>Closed for WA Day</i>	Monday 5 th June		
▪ Forklift License	Monday 19 th -20 th June	8am-4.30pm	\$80 (must book)
▪ Camera Club	Monday 19 th June	7pm	Free
▪ CRC Committee Meeting	Tuesday 20 th June	6pm	Free
▪ Candle Making Workshop	Friday 30 th June	TBA	TBA
▪ Marketing Your Business	Tuesday 25 th July	10.30am-1.30pm	Free (please book)

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST WELCOME FOR COURSES & WORKSHOPS

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| ▪ Auschem Skillset | ▪ Cover Letters/Resumes | ▪ Skippers Ticket |
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PAINT & SIP
TUESDAY 23RD MAY
6PM - 8.30PM \$40



Come and enjoy an evening of video-guided painting that's great for beginners, with all resources provided.

Nibbles and non-alcoholic drinks included. BYO permitted.

Bookings Essential!
Please book a spot. Contact us on FB, 9861 1644 or admin@wagincrc.net.au.

Michelle the Painter





FREE INFO SESSION Presented by Theresa Lee RSM Business Local Advisor

End of Financial Year Prep for Small Business
Tuesday 30th May | 10:30am to 11:30am
Wagin CRC - 46-48 Tudhoe Street

Whether you're just starting out in business, or you've been your own boss for years, the end of the financial year is generally a busy time. Join us for this FREE information hour, where we go through the essentials to help you more easily navigate your way towards 'EOFY' and beyond.

Please register your attendance with the Wagin CRC
Phone: (08) 9861 1644
MON-FRI 9AM-4PM




PRICE REDUCED

FORKLIFT LICENSE
Monday 19th June
Tuesday 20th June
8am - 4.30pm

PRICE: Admin fee: \$30 Resource fee: \$50
All Up: \$80

Enrolment: Please collect package from Wagin CRC and return before 12th of June

Requirements: Age 18+. Prior experience is required (15-20 hrs experience driving a forklift).
Once enrolled, regulation allows you to 'practice' at a workplace while under licensed supervision.

Bring: Pen & completed workbook.

INFO & BOOKINGS:
Wagin CRC: 9861 1644
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Wagin Youth Centre AGM

Everyone is welcome to attend

Thursday 9th May
7pm - AGM
8pm - General Meeting

Wagin Youth Centre
 27 Ballagin St



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 New
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Refresher
 16th May



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WOW DAY
 WEAR ORANGE WEDNESDAY FOR SES VOLUNTEERS
May 17 2023

The Broomehill Heritage Group

Antique & Collectables Fair

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Broomehill Town Hall

Friday 19th May
 10am – 4pm
Saturday 20th May 2023
 9am – 3pm

Morning & afternoon tea available

Entry \$3 per adult, concession & under 16 free

Please bring cash as there is no ATM in Broomehill
 If you want to book a stall or for any enquiries please contact
broomehillhg@gmail.com or 0488 620 453
 Raising funds for Broomehill Heritage Precinct



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~Scalp Massage 45min

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~Facial Massage 45min

(Includes gentle cleanse & moisturiser)

~Back Massage 45min

(Includes back scrub & moisturiser)

~Pressure Point Foot Massage 45min

(Includes hard skin foot filing)

~Lower Leg & Foot Massage 45min

(Includes foot soak & scrub)

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SHIRE OF WAGIN NEWS

COUNCIL ELECTIONS

Local Government bi-annual elections will take place on Saturday the 21st of October 2023. At each election, several council positions are vacated with a call for candidates. There are expected to be four vacancies declared this year and nominations will open on Thursday the 7th of September.

In July and August of this year, the Shire of Wagin will present information sessions for persons interested in nominating or seeking to understand the election process. If you are interested in nominating and would like to have a confidential discussion before that time, please contact the CEO Ian McCabe via shire@wagin.wa.gov.au or 9861 1177.

Please check the Shire News and Shire of Wagin website regularly for more details.

POSITIONS VACANT

The Shire have is seeking a **Final Trim Grader Operator**, responsible for the operation of the Grader and other plant items and general duties as required by the Manager of Works, including road construction and maintenance work. A current HR Driver's License and experience with the use of a broad range of plant and equipment is required. This is a full-time permanent position (76 hours per fortnight) with occasional overtime. Housing assistance may be available.

The position description for this job can be obtained by contacting Ms Kayla Lloyd on 9861 1177 or emailing worksadmin@wagin.wa.gov.au. If you have any questions in relation to this position, please contact Mr Dave Hoysted on 0427 611 252.

Applications will be accepted by email to shire@wagin.wa.gov.au or hand-delivered to the Shire of Wagin at 2 Arthur Road Wagin, no later than 4.30pm Friday the 5th of May. Please submit your resume with recent work history and details of two employment referees.

Expressions of interest are called for employment as a **General Hand** with the Shire of Wagin, completing general mechanical and labouring duties. Please submit a one-page Expression of Interest headed 'General Hand' with details of one recent employment related referee and details of your availability to shire@wagin.wa.gov.au.

COMMUNITY BUDGET REQUESTS 2023/2024 – CLOSE SOON!

The Shire of Wagin is inviting Community Groups and Organisations to submit their applications for Council contributions to community projects. Shire contributions of up to \$10,000 in value will be considered by Council as Community Budget Requests for 2023/2024. Applications must be in writing and demonstrate a positive contribution to the

Wagin community. Applications over \$10,000 will only be considered on a 'one-third Council Contribution, two-thirds Applicant' Grant Contribution basis. Application forms are available at the Shire of Wagin's Administration Office or via the official website at wagin.wa.gov.au. Applications close on Friday the 12th of May 2023. Please note: due to budget timelines, no late submissions can be accepted.

ROAD SAFETY WEEK

May the 14th to 21st is National Road Safety week. This is an initiative from the Safer Australian Roads and Highways Group, partnering the road safety organisation with government to highlight the impact of road trauma and ways to reduce it.

Every year more than 1,200 people are killed and 44,000 are seriously injured on Australian roads. National Road Safety Week is a time for us to remember those people who have experienced trauma on our roads.

The Shire of Wagin urges the community to come together and make the pledge to ensure the roads are safe for everyone. Visit roadsafetyweek.com.au to learn more and make the pledge to drive so others survive.

"I pledge to drive as if my loved ones are on the road ahead. I will remove all distractions and never use my mobile phone while driving. I will not put other people at risk by speeding, driving while tired or under the influence of alcohol or drugs. I will protect all vulnerable road users, especially those whose job places them in harm's way, by slowing down and giving them the space they need to be safe."



SCALE AEROBATICS WA

Scale Aerobatics will be at the Wagin Airfield later this week, from Thursday to Sunday, free entry. Visitors are encouraged to pop out to have a look. It is well worth the short drive.

ROADWORKS

A new kerb has been installed and backfilled at the Wagin Cemetery. We have resealed a 1km patch on Jaloran Road.

The Grader operators have been carrying out maintenance grading on the following roads:

- Ball Road
- Bockaring Road
- Bolts Road
- Bullock Hills Road
- Gundaring Road South
- Puntapin Road
- Riseborough Road
- Wests Road



SHIRE OF WAGIN COUNCILLOR PROFILE

Cr Geoff West

Elected 2009; term expires 2023.

What is your day job and how does it relate to your role as a councillor?

My current day job is freelance contracting but previously I was in farming for many years. I went to Perth in the mid-90s and started a fuel additive manufacturing company which I still do and run today on a small-time basis. I am also now an apprentice retiree.

What spurred you to run for council?

Many people asked me and suggested I should go on council. I did not have the time when I was farming, so on returning to Wagin the timing was right and I needed a challenge, and coming from Perth maybe I can bring new ideas to the table so to speak.

What are the biggest challenges you have faced as a councillor?

Everyone has a different point of view and not every wish you want on council gets the vote. Then you have to rethink on how to achieve the hopefully right and correct decision.

What are some of the great positives you take from being a councillor?

There are many positives and some fantastic achievements and projects that I have been involved with over the 14-year term I have served. I did not think I would last or be there for this long period.

What advice would you give to someone considering running for council?

If I had my time all over again and knowing what I know now I would have started as a councillor at an earlier stage. It has been very rewarding for me, especially in the various projects that (as I said) I have been involved with. The big thing that I was told when going on council was to make decisions that will make the town a better place to live than when you started. That I believe I have done.

I would absolutely do it all again and am proud that it is now a better town.

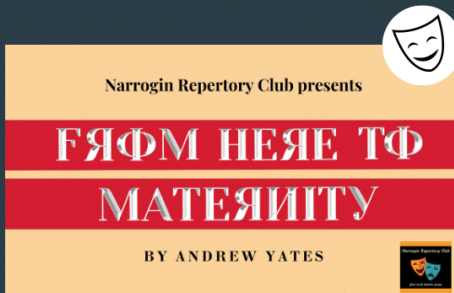
It has also been my way of giving to my town and the Wagin community and that is a good thing.



WHAT'S ON



SPACE MUSIC
Space Music (x2 shows)
Australian Baroque
29 April / Wickepin Town Hall



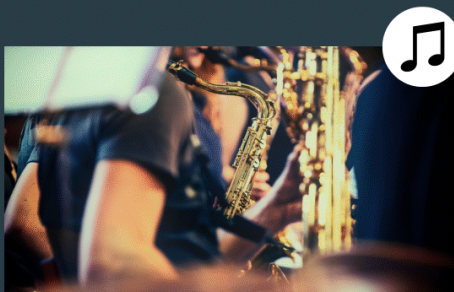
FROM HERE TO MATERNITY
Narrogin Repertory Club
4 - 13 May / Thornton Theatre



Flickerfest
18, 19, 20 May
Thornton Theatre



Cicada
Barking Gecko Theatre
29-30 May / Narrogin Town Hall



Green Shoots Ensembles
(PSO+ local musicians)
12-18 June / pop-up locations



WHOOSH
Sensorium Theatre
20-23 June / Narrogin Town Hall



Kalyakoorl, ngalak warangka
(Forever, we sing) by Gina Williams & Guy Ghouse / TBC



Narrogin Hay Bales Concert
(PSO+ local musicians)
25 Nov / secret venue Narrogin



Bogan Shakespeare
TBC

and more to be announced...

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WAGIN WEATHER FORECAST

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Thu 4th



21°/8°

0%

Fri 5th



19°/9°

5%

Sat 6th



18°/7°

40% 0-1mm

Sun 7th



19°/9°

70% 0-4mm

Mon 8th



23°/10°

50% 0-1mm

Tue 9th



22°/12°

60% 0-2mm

Wed 10th



17°/13°

90% 2-10mm

TERMITES DAMAGE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Zachary Rayne

Termite infestation has caused damage to St. George's Anglican Church in Wagin, forcing it to close for repairs until further notice.

Reverend Kevin R. Toovey of the Anglican Community of Wagin and Dumbleyung said that the church building is being treated for a termite infestation, with parishioner Fiona Dawson organising the pest control.

The damage is mainly to the floorboards in the main auditorium. The Reverend announced that, regrettably, this means the church cannot be used for significant functions for some time due to safety concerns.

While apologizing for any inconvenience, Kevin said that services and events will continue to be held in St. George's Hall which is on Trenton Street across from the church. Interested parties can find service times and event information in *The Wagin Wool Press*.



Kevin also highlighted that the funds for termite control and repairs will be taken out of parish funds, which may prove to be a costly exercise.

When asked about the significance of the church, Kevin answered, "St. George's Anglican Church is a good place for prayer and refuge. It's also good to know it's there when you really need it."

He underlined the importance of preserving parish buildings. "Not only are they for use as a centre for religious prayer and worship, but they also have cultural and historical significance for the Wagin community."

Pauleen Adrain takes care of cleaning the church and was the first to notice the damage on its floor. She was shocked to see something so important to the town

'broken' and insisted that it needs to be fixed. She knows just how much the church means to the community. In fact, Pauleen herself was married there. She said it took some time to get used to the feel of cleaning a church, but she appreciates the sense of peace and quiet. She also mentioned that Kevin's human touches make the church feel very welcoming.

Kevin further stated that termite inspection has been carried out annually, but the termites had caused damage quickly before their detection.

Termite damage is a matter of great concern as it can cause significant harm to a structure in a relatively short time. Kevin stressed that it is essential to be vigilant and have regular inspections to keep termites away, both to preserve historically significant buildings like St. George's Anglican Church and for the security of our homes and businesses.

REGIONAL EVENTS SCHEME FUNDS KATANNING FESTIVAL

Kelly Brady, Office of Hon. Shelley Payne MLC

Shire of Katanning has received funding for the 2024 Katanning Harmony Festival through the 2023-24 Regional Events Scheme.

"Thanks to the 2023-24 round of the Regional Events Scheme, 65 events across Western Australia will receive funding of between \$5,000 and \$40,000. This includes \$7,500 for the



Shire of Katanning for the 2024 Harmony Festival", said the Member for the Agricultural Region Hon. Shelley Payne MLC.

"The Regional Events Scheme supports a range of smaller or developing sporting, arts, cultural and culinary events that encourage visitation, add vibrancy and provide valuable media exposure for Katanning".

The scheme supports events that attract new visitors to Katanning, create jobs and stimulate our local economy. These events provide social, cultural, and economic benefits to regional communities and engaging experiences for visitors that will keep them coming back.

The annual Katanning Harmony Festival showcases the positive aspect of Katanning's cultural diversity and offers a festival that promotes community, culture, and connection.

The Hon Shelley Payne MLC thanked Tourism Minister Roger Cook and Minister for Regional Development Don Punch for supporting the development of regional events across Western Australia.

Citizenship and Multicultural Interests Minister Tony Buti, Katanning Shire President Liz Guidera, The Hon. Shelley Payne MLC, and Ezzard Flowers at the 2023 Katanning Harmony Festival.



Local Hearing Services for WAGIN!

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WOW DAY

SES Volunteers Association of WA

Wear Orange Wednesday 'WOW Day' will next be celebrated on the 17th of May 2023.

On this day communities across Australia will be encouraged to wear orange and thank all SES volunteers who generously give their time to help communities during natural hazard events, and to WA Police during land search, undertake aerial and cave rescues, attend road crashes and assist fire crews.

In Western Australia, Department of Fire and Emergency Services propose to once again celebrate the day with a number of iconic buildings and landmarks across the State being lit up in magnificent orange, including Kings Park, Matagarup Bridge, Perth Concert Hall and the Bell Tower.

FAIR TO RAISE FUNDS FOR BROOMEHILL'S HERITAGE

Zachary Rayne

Broomehill Heritage Group is holding an Antique and Collectables Fair in their town just 20km south of Katanning. The event will take place in the Broomehill Town Hall on Friday the 19th of May from 10am to 4pm and Saturday the 20th of May from 9am to 3pm. The fair will feature a diverse range of antique and interesting items to view and purchase.

In addition to browsing the many treasures on display, visitors can enjoy morning and afternoon tea while taking in the atmosphere of this charming country town. Entry to the fair is \$3 per adult, with concession and under 16s getting in for free. As there is no ATM in Broomehill, visitors are advised to bring cash.

An aim of the fair is to raise funds towards further development of the Broomehill Heritage Precinct. This area has been a cornerstone of the community since the Broomehill Historical Society was officially declared in 1897. The society's museum, which opened in 1979, showcases a wealth of historical items of interest to Broomehill and the surrounding area.

Today, the Broomehill Heritage Group continues the important work of preserving Broomehill's history for future generations. The group has recently re-roofed the old Roads Board Shed and has plans to create displays highlighting its many fascinating items. The group welcomes visitors to their event and to the town of Broomehill.

Their president Anne Guazzelli added, "We're delighted to have a bush poet performing at the Antique Fair. Also, a small number of classic and vintage cars will be on display." If anyone in Wagin wants to bring their classic or vintage car down, they are more than welcome. They will need to contact Anne for further details.

A famous feature of Broomehill is the Holland Track. In 1893 Mr R. John Holland, born in 1855, cut a direct cart track from Broomehill to the Goldfields. Today the southern section of the track leads to Hyden-Norseman Road and John Holland Way provides a two-wheel drive route to Coolgardie. Please consult with the local shire if you are unfamiliar with the roads and beware heavy rain. The Broomehill museum sells Holland Track souvenirs.

Do not miss this opportunity to visit Broomehill and browse unique and fascinating items while supporting the Broomehill Heritage Group. For more information or to book a stall, please contact Anne Guazzelli at broomehillhg@gmail.com or on 0488 620 453.



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Editorial by Zachary Rayne

THANK YOU, JESSICA

Wagin Community Resource Centre staff and committee bid farewell to Jessica Hamersley after her many years volunteering on the CRC's management committee. As Chairperson and Secretary Jessica helped to ensure the CRC remained a valuable community hub, especially through the challenging times of Covid-19.

Jessica has been an enthusiastic proponent for The Wagin Wool Press, which has provided valuable information and updates to our readers. Her dedication to keeping on top of government and industry developments meant that our readers and staff were always informed and up to date.

Jessica consistently demonstrated her unwavering commitment to preserving the CRC's financial stability, a challenging task amid funding difficulties. Her efforts to preserve the CRC include the recent planting of native trees, which will protect our heritage building against water damage.

Beyond her role with the Community Resource Centre, Jessica remains very active in the community through her commitments to the Wagin Arts and Crafts group and the Wagin Library. We have no doubt that she will continue her tireless efforts to help make Wagin a better place to live, and we take this opportunity to acknowledge and thank Jessica for her outstanding contributions to our community.

THANK YOU, VICKI

We say a fond goodbye to Vicki Daley, our Vice Chairperson, who has decided to move on from the Wagin Community Resource Centre Management Committee. We have been incredibly fortunate to have Vicki with us for many years.

Vicki has been a great supporter of our annual Christmas pop-up shops. Her creativity and expertise in the fields of permaculture and needlework have been an inspiration.

She is a wonderful seamstress, and the dolls and clothes she creates for her store Cyclazia are truly stunning. We recommend checking out the Cyclazia Facebook page or finding her at markets throughout the region to learn more about her work.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our heartfelt thanks to Vicki for her time, dedication, and support over the years.



BETTY TERRY THEATRE

📍 | 6 Trent St Wagin | Editorial by Zachary Rayne | Use the QR codes to watch the trailers!

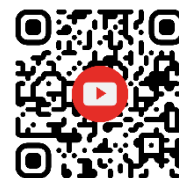
Please beware of scammers who are claiming to sell our movie tickets on social media. We do not pre-sell movie tickets... yet. Keep an eye out for an announcement!



THE SUPER MARIO BROS. MOVIE is going to be a winner. It has only just sped onto the cinema track and already raced ahead to become the highest-grossing film based on a video game. So, we are powering up this blockbuster with a bonus session. Thanks to our volunteers, we will be running on Sunday the 7th of May. *The Super Mario Bros. Movie* is a funride for the kids, and Illumination (*Despicable Me*, *The Secret Life of Pets*, *Sing*) have also made this an amusement park of nostalgia for anyone who played a Mario video game since the franchise began with *Donkey Kong* in 1981.

Rated PG | 1hrs 32mins | Animation/Adventure

Friday – 5th May @ 6.30pm
Saturday – 6th May @ 2pm & 6.30pm
Sunday – 7th May @ 4pm
Monday – 8th May @ 6.30pm



AIR You know the player. You know the brand. You know the shoe. *Air* sets its sights on Sonny Vaccaro, telling the story of the man who aimed for the sky and sought a lofty business deal with up-and-coming basketball player Michael Jordan. Nike's resulting Air Jordan sneakers are legendary to this day. Matt Damon's (*Still Water*, *Jason Bourne*, *The Martian*) magnetic performance draws you in to the behind-the-scenes world of life-changing business deals. *Air* endorses creativity and risk-taking to reach your dreams. The A-League cast includes Ben Affleck (*The Tender Bar*), Viola Davis (*The Woman King*) and Jason Bateman (*Ozark*).

Rated M | 1hrs 52mins | Biographical/Sport

Friday – 19th May @ 6.30pm
Saturday – 20th May @ 2pm & 6.30pm
Monday – 22nd May @ 6.30pm



TICKETS: Kids \$8 | Concession \$11 | Adults \$13 (only \$11 on Monday nights)

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Gen Harvey | Email: wwlandcare@westnet.com.au | Phone: 9861 2222 Mob: 0428 231 506



WAGIN / WOODANILLING LANDCARE ZONE

FERAL PIG CONTROL CONTRACTOR

Some of you will be aware that Daniel Christensen of PYNC Invasive Animal Control is now operational and out working to reduce feral pig numbers. Daniel is very professional and uses both trapping and shooting to control numbers. Baiting is not being conducted within this program for a number of reasons but largely to ensure all care is taken not to impact on any non-target species.

Using night vision and long-distance scoping, he and his father Cam are able to take out large numbers that otherwise would scatter, as the lack of light results in pigs simply milling about in the area as they do not know in which direction to flee.

We will be covering the cost of PYNC's activities for the next three years, by which time we hope the numbers have been reduced significantly and can be managed better by landholders, whether that is doing the control themselves or continuing to utilise PYNC's services.



Daniel is currently trying to reach out to landholders who have seen pigs or evidence of pigs on their property. If you have not yet heard from Daniel and are keen to get some action taken on your place, contact Gen at the office and she can get PYNC to get in touch with you.

WEEDS, WEEDS, WEEDS

It looks like the break of season is here, and so follow the weeds!

We are likely to see some of the usual suspects getting their groove back, such as bridal creeper, capeweed and Guildford grass. Then a bit later we are likely to see things like cape tulip start to emerge.

NOW is the time to get your weed plan in place... BEFORE you suddenly notice them on your property.

Do your research on HOW you want to tackle your problem (e.g., mechanical – cultivating, biological – grazing goats, chemical – spray with herbicide) so that you are prepared when you need to do the work. Organise machinery hire in advance, organise to borrow your neighbours' goats and fix the fence now ready to keep them in, purchase chemicals and appropriate equipment and PPE and store them ready to go.

Work out WHEN you want to attack your problem. Do your research on when the most effective time is to pull/plough/graze/spray etc. that species. We have detailed information on weed management in the office, so come and see Gen if you would like some suggestions and best practice.

If you need HELP to manage your weeds, perhaps ask your neighbours? Reducing your weeds helps them reduce their own, offer them something in return you can provide.

WWLZ is always happy to help out where we can, so if you have a weed you would like tackled, but cannot manage it yourself, contact Gen and we may be able to get a group together to help.

We want to highlight two weeds of special concern that have had significant management work done across Wagin and/or Woodanilling but are still present in small numbers. These two species are horrifically invasive and we need to maintain the efforts to keep the numbers at bay.

They are **Boneseed – still currently in Woodanilling**, and **Narrow Leaf Cottonbush – still currently in Wagin**. Please be vigilant on these two species within both Shires and report any sightings to either us at WWLZ or the local Shire office so that we can act on removal before seed set takes place.

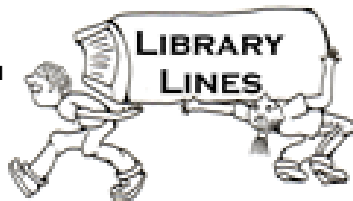
Cottonbush



Boneseed



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Mon 2pm–4pm
 Tue 2pm–5pm
 Wed 10am–12pm 2pm–5pm
 Thu 10am–12pm 2pm–5pm
 Fri 1pm–5pm
 Sat 10am–12pm

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We have a public access computer for the public to use. Do you need to do some research? Just a friendly reminder: no streaming videos from the public access computer or other devices using the library internet connection e.g. You Tube, Facebook or Skype.

We have books for sale. They are only 50 cents each. Come grab a bargain or two.

EVENTS

Story Time is for ages 0 to 5 and runs every Wednesday from 10am to 11am then again on Fridays from 1.30pm to 2.30pm. When we finish the story, we sing along to nursery rhymes.

Book Club for children is on every Tuesday from 3.30pm to 4.30pm. The book club is for primary school aged children, Pre-primary to Year 7. You can be reading any book.

Book Club will be held on Saturday the 13th of May from 2pm to 4pm. New members are always welcome. You can read any book – what have you been reading lately?

Friends of the Wagin Library & Gallery will hold our next meeting on Thursday the 25th of May at 4.30pm. It is free to join and new members are always welcome.

BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

Zachary Rayne

Petal – The Other Side of Suicide by **Tanya French**. This is an adult non-fiction book available at Wagin Library & Gallery. The ripple effect. This is what happens to families, friends, and communities when someone takes their own life. It is the devastating consequence of suicide. Tanya French was living a good life in 1998, blessed with three children and a successful business. Her husband Mark suddenly and tragically took his own life, and her world was flooded with despair.

Petal is the culmination of Tanya's efforts to wade through the layers of grief. It is an attempt to push through the pain and understand the 'why' of suicide. It is also an attempt to reach out to others who have been lost in this turmoil. Online reviews reveal a great deal of gratitude for the honesty and rawness of the book. Tanya does not hold back in asking herself the questions that pained her and which will be familiar to many who have experienced such grief. She bares all and faces the hard, personal truths for the benefit of both her and her readers, supported by extensive research. Informative and empowering, she gives hope that the weight can be lifted and shares practical tools and resources for moving forward in life.

Tanya grew up on a family farm in the small town of Poochera, South Australia, home of the 'Big Ant' and located near the coastal fishing community of Streaky Bay. She has lived in Wagin and currently manages the Community Resource Centre in Mullewa.

A percentage of royalties from the sale of *Petal* go to Lifeline Australia, "a national charity providing all Australians experiencing emotional distress with access to 24-hour crisis support and suicide prevention services". Lifeline can be called any time on 13 11 14.

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Quotations must be complete and detailed to test and tag all units and list GST as a separate line item where applicable. Please state clearly if you have an ABN and include this. Please attach a copy of your qualification to do this work or quote your electrical license number. This is required for the shire's insurance.

Quotes are subject to Council policy and suitability as assessed by the local government and no quote may be necessarily accepted.

Written quotes will be accepted until 4.30pm Thursday 11 May 2023 addressed to the CEO and may be submitted by email to shire@wagin.wa.gov.au or hand-delivered to the shire office 2 Arthur Rd Wagin.



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ANZAC SONG AND BISCUITS

A very tuneful band of people met at the West Arthur CRC to sing along to some tunes from WWI and WWII, followed by tastings of Anzac biscuits.

Songs from Vera Lynn and Gracie Fields were mingled with big band sounds and a little country and western from Patsy Cline and Gene Autry. A mostly pleasant sound came from the Hawthorn Room.

The Anzac biscuits competition provided much conversation and debate: coconut or not, chocolate or fruit or not?! And do you favour chewy or crunchy? There were many great biscuits and in the end, it comes down to personal taste.



THE NEW SHADE SHELTER

The shade shelter in the Darkan Railway reserve is nearly done. Planter boxes have been installed and plants will be put in the boxes in coming weeks. The BBQs have all been installed and the shade shelter is currently open for operation.

Though the shire is still waiting for some laser cut panels to install, the facility can now be used. It was a great asset for the cake stall held by the CWA on Anzac Day to help them get out of the damp weather.



ST JOHN FIRST AID

You can complete the Provide First Aid Certificate at the West Arthur CRC on Saturday the 6th of May. Go to the St John Ambulance webpage to book in now. If you require any assistance booking in, please contact the West Arthur CRC.

BETTY BROWN HISTORICAL CENTRE OPEN MORNING

We will be holding an open morning for the Betty Brown Historical Centre on Sunday the 7th of May from 10am to 1pm. Come along for a walk down memory lane as you browse through the museum and share your stories. There will be dress ups for the kids and spinning by Maree O'Connell.

SENIORS EXPO

We will be holding a free information day for seniors and carers on Thursday the 18th of May between 11am and 2pm. Topics will include staying well at home, accessing support, being prepared and much more. The day includes a light lunch. Please RSVP.

WOMEN'S HEALTH EVENING

The West Arthur CRC along with the Darkan CWA will be holding an event on Thursday the 1st of June, from 6.30pm to 8.30pm at the CRC, to provide all the latest information about pap smears, breast exams, bladder and bowel management and more. This event is free with a light dinner included. Please RSVP to the West Arthur CRC.



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With Acting Senior Regional Officer for the South West, Cheryle Dennis

AVOID BEING BILLED FOR PAPER BILLS

Next time you spot a bill in the letterbox, it could be worth looking into whether you are being charged extra to receive this correspondence in the mail and how you might avoid paying the fee if so.



A growing number of service providers now charge a fee to cover the costs of printing and posting your bill. That list recently expanded to include Telstra, which reportedly cited 'environmental reasons' as the reason many of its customers would need to pay \$2.20 each time they received a bill in the mail after the 20th of May 2023.

Not all of Telstra's customers will need to pay the paper billing fee; those who have a valid health care, pension concession or Department of Veteran's Affairs card are exempt. The charge will also not apply to customers who do not have an email address or access to an active internet service, as well as those who require special bill formats, such as braille or large print.

There are numerous reasons why other companies may elect to not charge fees, such as those customers who receive income support or are on a hardship program.

The best way to find out if you are eligible for an exemption is to contact each of your providers to ask if you qualify for an exemption from paper bill fees, and how to apply.

If you are not eligible, then the easiest way to avoid paying a paper billing fee is to switch to online billing and receive your bills by email or via the company's app or website.

Over the course of a year, these charges for paper billing all add up, especially for people on a low income. By opting out of paper billing or claiming the fee exemption, you could save a considerable amount each year.

Also remember to be wary about fake billing scams via phone calls or emails. Scammers sometimes try to trick consumers by sending emails that look like they are from a legitimate company. The email may ask you to send money for an overdue account.

Consumers who are eligible for an exemption but are having trouble getting their exemption request processed should contact Consumer Protection for help by emailing consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au or by calling 1300 30 40 54. For more information about paper billing visit consumerlaw.gov.au/paperbilling.



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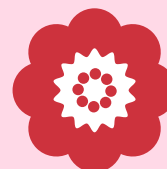


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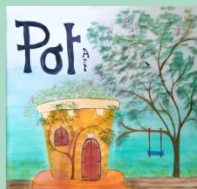
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PROHIBITED AQUATIC PLANTS

Fret over these floaters: Keep your eyes peeled for aquatic plants such as Salvinia and water hyacinth – two highly invasive weeds that we need to report and eradicate from Western Australia. They have the ability to negatively impact our local ecosystems by out-competing local species and reducing water quality.

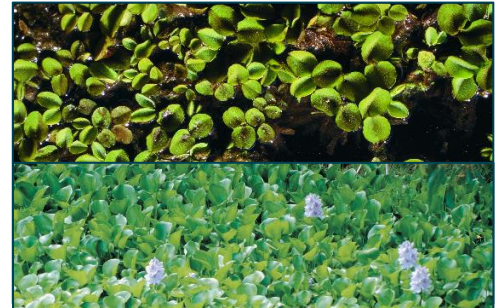
The costs and efforts taken to remove these aquatic plants once they enter our environment are massive. They can impede water flow, increase flooding and erosion, block agricultural irrigation channels, create health hazards and displace natural vegetation. Some aquatic plants can even form thick mats to resemble groundcover, creating drowning hazards for people and livestock.

Salvinia, (*Salvinia molesta*), is a non-flowering, free-floating aquatic weed that has pairs of oval leaves connected by a horizontal stem. They have a multitude of hair-like structures on top of the leaves which split and re-join at the tips to form eggbeater like structures helping them to be buoyant. They produce vegetatively, meaning that even small stems that break apart can form entirely new plants.

Water hyacinth, (*Eichhornia crassipes*), is a notorious floating weed with large funnel-shaped lilac flowers that have six petals and a yellow centre. These flower summer to early autumn. The leaves are hairless, glossy and have a spongy base that helps them to float. This weed can double in size in just two weeks via flower pollination, or vegetatively. They have submerged fruits that can carry up to three hundred seeds each, and these 1mm seeds can be viable for up to twenty years!

Don't get caught out! These plants are sometimes advertised on platforms like Facebook Marketplace, Gumtree or other channels, but they are illegal to have in WA. Salvinia and water hyacinth are prohibited species under the Biosecurity and Agriculture Management Act 2007 and cannot be sold, traded or cultivated. This also applies to several other aquatic plants including *Rotala rotundifolia*, water lettuce (*Pistia stratiotes*) and *Sagittaria* (*Sagittaria platyphylla*).

You can be a responsible gardener and report any suspect illegal plant sales, or the presence of these declared weeds in the environment. Reporting options include the Pest and Disease Information Service (PaDIS), the MyPestGuide® Reporter app or webpage, or you can anonymously report an illegal agricultural matter on crimestopperswa.com.au or phone 1800 333 000. If you are unsure about the plant, report it anyway.



Top: Salvinia (*Salvinia molesta*) and bottom: water hyacinth (*Eichhornia crassipes*).



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UNDERSTANDING STRESS

Stress is usually associated with not being in control of a situation or an environment leading us to feel uncomfortable in body and/or mind. It is a part of life and it affects everyone at one time or another. Stress is normal; a certain amount of stress energises people consequently improving performance and efficiency.

When stress levels get too high, problems can develop and start to take their toll on our mental health, physical health and social/spiritual wellbeing, sometimes with dire consequences. At RMHI we refer to *situational distress* to explain those times in our lives that create extreme stress which can start from situations that are unresolved in our lives. If we are always saying things like, "I haven't got enough time", "I must get this done before...", "I'll never finish in time", and "I can't get anything done", then we might be in danger of moving from stressed to being distressed.

It is important to remember that what might be stressful for some may not be stressful for others. We all deal with things differently and have different capacities to cope.

How do you currently cope with stress? Are your coping strategies healthy or unhealthy, helpful or unproductive? Many people cope with stress in ways that compound the problem. Below are unhealthy strategies that may temporarily reduce stress but will cause more damage in the long run:

- Sleeping too much
- Filling up every minute of the day to avoid facing problems
- Withdrawing from friends, family and activities
- Taking out your stress on others (lashing out, anger outbursts, physical violence)
- Drinking too much
- Procrastinating
- Overeating or undereating
- Over analysing
- Smoking
- Using pills/drugs to relax
- Zoning out for hours in front of the television or the computer

Here are some tips that may help to deal with stressful situations:

- *Avoid* the stressor. Learn to say *no*, limit time with those who stress you out (if possible), control your environment i.e., turn the news off if it makes you anxious, give the bookwork to the bookkeeper.
- *Alter* the stressor. Communicate your concerns i.e., *Talk to a Mate*®, ask for a behaviour change but be willing to also compromise, be more assertive, manage your time better.
- *Adapt* to the stressor. If you cannot change the stressor, change yourself, look at the stressful situation more positively, ask will it matter in the long run? If the answer is *no*, refocus elsewhere, set reasonable standards not perfectionism, look at all the good things in your life.
- *Accept* the stressor. Some stressors are unavoidable. In such cases accept things as they are. This can be difficult but easier than railing against an unchangeable situation.

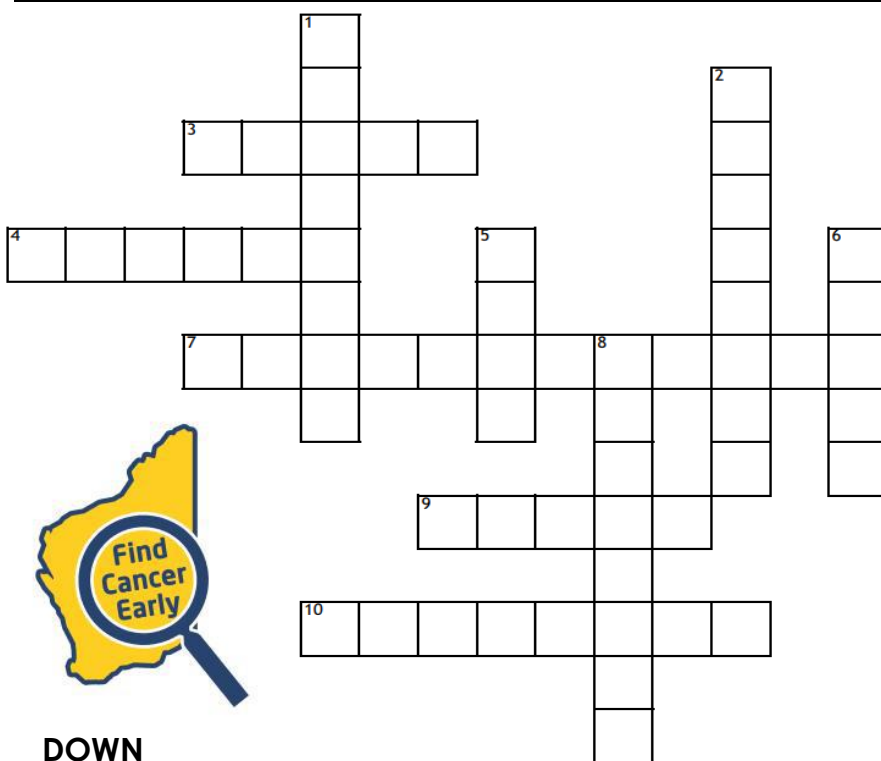
Finding and creating ways to relax when you are stressed out will also help i.e., exercise, get a massage, listen to music to calm down and/or... before it all gets too much... Talk to a Mate®!! Most importantly if you feel you are not coping, despite your efforts to do so, we recommend a visit to your GP before you reach a crisis point.

WORD QUEST

How many words of four letters or more can you make from the letters shown here? In making a word, each tile may be used once only. Each word must contain the centre letter. No plurals or verb forms ending in 's', or words that are foreign, hyphenated or have an initial capital letter. Challenge yourself to discover the nine-letter word. **9=Scholar 15=Adept 22=Sage 28=Wizard**



CROSSWORD: BOWEL CANCER SYMPTOMS



ACROSS

- 3** If you ever notice this in your poo, make an appointment to see your doctor (5)
- 4** If you notice any unexplained loss of ___ when you step on the scales, be sure to discuss it with your doctor (6)
- 7** Abnormally infrequent bowel motions or pain or difficulty passing poo is called ___ (12)
- 9** Unexplained fatigue or feeling more ___ than usual for more than four weeks can be a sign that something is not quite right (5)
- 10** Rounded enlargement of any part of the body is called a ___ (8)

DOWN

- 1** Another word for a full and tight feeling abdomen is ___. It is best to discuss this with your doctor if it has been going on for more than 4 weeks (8)
- 2** Speak to your doctor if you notice any trace of blood or experience ___ from your back passage (8)
- 5** Term used to describe extreme discomfort (4)
- 6** ___ poo is a way to describe diarrhoea. If there is no explanation for it and it has been going on for more than 4 weeks make an appointment to discuss it with your doctor (5)
- 8** An unexplained loss of ___ or feeling less hungry than usual should be discussed with your doctor to rule out anything serious (8)

SOLUTIONS
 Across: 3. BLOOD 4. WEIGHT 7. CONSTIPATION 9. TIRED 10. SWELLING
 Down: 1. BLOATING 2. BLEEDING 5. PAIN 6. RUNNY 8. APPETITE
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For more information contact Bernie on 9861 1512 or Anne on 9881 2545 or 0429 812 545.

WAGIN FOOTBALL CLUB

All grades are playing this Sunday in Katanning:

9.30am – D Grade 11am – C Grade 12.15pm – Reserves 2.30pm – League



WAGIN'S B GRADE MAKES A VALIANT RETURN

Sandra Moffatt

The Wagin Football Club B Grade team have returned for another year with coach Blake Davies at the helm. This should come as no surprise to anyone, for if you have a pulse and have been in contact with coach Davies in recent times he has probably asked you to pull on a Bulldogs jumper and have a game.



Sixteen of the best succumbed to the recruiting tactics of coach Davies and lined up for Saturday the 23rd of April's game against Boddington in Boddington. While sixteen players is not ideal for a game that should have eighteen on the field and a few on the bench, these sixteen men were experienced campaigners and were ready to give it a red hot go.

Boddington flew out of the blocks early and by the end of the first quarter had locked away 3.3.21 to take the lead over Wagin's lonely one point. However, the second quarter began and the team started to put together some impressive passages of play.

Connor Watkins was one of the standout defenders of last year's team but for this game he was allowed to escape up the ground a bit. He had the enthusiasm of a Jack Russell who had dug under the fence and escaped his yard. Watkins provided quick handballs through the midfield and found space to run. Hugh Telfer and Kade Prowse were both impressive on debut, providing good run and tenacity at the ball and both racked up the disposals.

Dylan Coghlan tried valiantly all day with plenty of quick bursts out of the middle and bombs into the forward line. However, the Boddington defenders were quick to spoil and had Wagin's forwards well covered. Jack Holt backing up from his 12-goal haul in the Colts found himself in the midfield for most of the game but provided a target when he moved up forward. John Murray held his ground well and finished the day with one goal. His game improved as the day progressed so next week he should be lethal.

Shaun Garlett Snr always shows a bit of flair up forward and scored himself two quick goals before hitting the ground hard and then rightly prioritised his body for work and not football. Garlett Snr's appearance in the B Grade game ensured that Wagin had a Garlett in every game of the day; young Phillip Garlett featured in the D Grade team's win and Shauny Boy Garlett starred in both the C Grade and the



League teams. If the five Garlett girls took up football, the Bulldogs would be unstoppable.

Meanwhile, the Wagin defence saw all too much of the ball. As the Wagin team's sixteen men grew battle weary, the Boddington team took full advantage and their forward entries were plentiful. If Connor Watkins was the escapee Jack Russell of the team, then surely Clay Simpson-Smith was the escapee Rottweiler of the team. Venturing out of his home of back pocket, Simpson-Smith went for every tackle and smother he could. Not one Boddington forward got through the game without finding themselves on the ground thanks to the big burly former rugby player. Simpson-Smith was well backed by the ever-reliable Todd Lubcke who worked hard for the four quarters.

The Wagin team ended up finishing the game with fourteen players on the ground and a scoreline that read Boddington 17.5.107 defeat Wagin 3.7.25.

Goal Scorers: S. Garlett Snr 2 and J. Murray.

Best Players: C. Watkins, C. Simpson-Smith, H. Telfer, D. Coghlan, K. Prowse and J. Holt.

CLOSE GAME IN B GRADE CLASH

Sandra Moffatt

Sunday the 30th of April started unlike any other day that the Wagin Football Club have had their home games at Darkan. Usually the trip 60km west is made during rains and wind and general doom and gloom. However, Sunday presented a day perfect for any outdoor pursuit that takes your fancy, especially football.

B Grade coach Blake Davies also started his game day preparations unlike any other game day. First of all, he woke up in his Thomas the Tank Engine pyjamas instead of his Fraser Gehrig ones. Second of all, his coach's board with all the players on it included two players

on the interchange bench. This was unheard of and Davies knew with an active interchange bench his men could really challenge the team from Kukerin-Dumbleyung.

With the C Grade team having a bye, Davies was able to play Brodie Hills and Liam Robinson with fresh legs. Both boys had just witnessed their little brothers play in a winning Wagin side in the D Grade comp so they were fired up from the first bounce. Hills ran riot through the midfield and forward line with his hard tackles and ferociousness at the ball. He finished the game with one goal. Robinson impressed in the forward line and finished with two goals including an early contender for Goal of the Year. However, Robinson's specky goal from the boundary was rivalled by teammate Cruz Roberts scoring one in similar fashion. Tank Murray also put in a solid effort in the forward line and finished the day with a goal to his name and several tidy goal assists.



Mitchell Adams was a much-welcomed return to the B Grade side with coach Davies seen crying happy tears as his much loved #17 ducked and weaved through the Kukerin-Dumbleyung opponents. Aaron Farmer has been a quality recruitment during the week and showed pace and precision disposals through the midfield and forward line. Dylan Coghlan continued his campaign as Mr Consistent putting in a solid four quarters. Meanwhile Kade Prowse displayed the great form he debuted with last week and contributed well to the dominant Wagin midfield and also chalked up a goal next to his name.

Despite some dominant displays across the ground, the accuracy in front of goals from Kukerin-Dumbleyung was proving a challenge. At 3/4 time the Wagin team were behind, having kicked 3.11.29 to the Cougars' 6.1.37. Kukerin-Dumbleyung have some power forwards and Todd Lubcke did a magnificent job to contain Jon Ward to 3 goals. Last week's Jack Russell and Rottweiler, Connor Watkins and Clay Simpson-Smith, also worked solidly all game to deny Kukerin-Dumbleyung of scoring opportunities.

Fortunately, the final quarter belonged to Wagin with their pace and efficiency along the wings the decider of the game. The last quarter also saw some straighter kicks at goal from the Bulldogs and they came away winners by nine points with the final scoreline reading Wagin 6.12.48 defeat Kukerin-Dumbleyung 6.3.39.

Goal Scorers: Liam Robinson 2, Brodie Hills, Kade Prowse, John Murray and Cruz Roberts.

Best Players: Brodie Hills, Dylan Coghlan, Kade Prowse, Mitchell Adams, Liam Robinson, and Aaron Farmer.

Injuries: Everyone stung by bees that were also out enjoying the rare sunny day.

All four Wagin Football Club teams will next face Katanning Wanderers at Quartermaine Oval on Sunday. It will be the Wanderer's Pink for Piper round so feel free to wear pink and support the cause.

C GRADE VS BODDINGTON TWO WEEKS IN A ROW

Sandra Moffatt

Hen's teeth, rocking horse excrement and West Coast Eagles having short odds are all examples of absolute rarities. However, in football the same two teams playing each other two weekends in a row is even rarer than the aforementioned things. This is what happened to the Wagin Bulldogs and Boddington Eagles C Grade teams as they were scheduled to face each other in both Rounds 1 and 2 of the UGSFL C Grade competition.

Fortunately for the talent rich team from Wagin they came into their second-round clash against Boddington as firm favourites, as they had defeated them by 150 points the previous round. However, Boddington would now have the home ground advantage and, as a week is a long time in football, anything could happen.

From the first bounce it was evident that the Boddington team were trying that bit harder to put pressure on the Wagin midfield, but they had a mighty challenge put in front of them. Blake Simon's athleticism was again on show as he dominated the ruck contests. Brodie Hills backed up a solid performance from last week and continued to rack up the centre clearances. Captain Jamo Davidson is a picture of composure as his disposal efficiency is second to none. The class that Davidson displays in his football makes it really hard to believe that he is a Collingwood fan. Logan Finlayson also spent some time through the guts of the ground and took plenty of contested possessions.

Boddington tried hard to regain possession at times but the fierce tackling of the Wagin colts stopped them in their tracks. Lucas McInnes, Jye Mouritz and Carter English are blessed with pace and vice-like tackles which saw plenty of turnovers and a reasonable amount of fear in the eyes of their Boddington opponents.

As the Wagin forward entries came thick and fast, they were spoilt for choice with plenty of quality options up forward. Jack Holt was once again impossible to contain. Holt put on an absolute clinic of well-timed leads and clean overhead marks. His accuracy from set shots also had the Boddington team offering to drive him back to his boarding school in Perth immediately at the half time break. However, Holt rounded out the game with 12 of the most beautiful goals you would ever see. This brings his two-game total to 20 goals and despite being unavailable for selection for the next few weeks he will probably be leading the C Grade goal kicking for a few weeks yet.

Despite Holt's bag of goals, there were still plenty of others to get amongst it. Max Slawinski sporting the long sleeves also slotted through four goals and was involved in plenty of creative play throughout the forward 50m. Shauny Boy Garlett put on his trademark solid four quarters and kicked three goals. He then went on and played in the Wagin League side and kicked another two, making his day out a solid eight quarter effort instead. Young Mitchell Hills backed up as one of the best on ground in the D Grade game to slot through a goal in the C Grade game. Not to be outdone, his big brother Brodie kicked two goals.

The Boddington team did manage to sneak the ball into their forward 50m on a few occasions. However, more often than not they were met by the tight Wagin defence. Bayley Marinoni took a number of beautiful clean intercept marks. Cody McIlree and Zak Horley also provided good strength and won the man-on-man contests throughout defence.

Overall, Wagin dominated across all aspects of the game and presented as a united team with great depth. They ran away 148-point victors with the scoreline reading Wagin 27.12.174 defeat Boddington 4.2.26.

Goal Scorers: J. Holt 12, M. Slawinski 4, S. Garlett 3, B. Hills 2, B. Simons 2, L. McInnes, M. Hills, C. Holt and J. Davidson.

Best Players: J. Holt, B. Hills, S. Garlett, C. English, M. Slawinski and L. McInnes.

The Wagin C Grade team will next play again this Sundayt as they take on Katanning Wanderers in Katanning.

WAGIN D GRADE VS KUKERIN DUMBLEYUNG

Londa Finlayson



What a beautiful sunshine filled day for footy on a Sunday morning at Darkan Oval.

The dew was dried up by the time the D Grade match commenced at 11am with no C Grade playing that day.

Quarter one rucked off with a swift start for Wagin, with the movement and flow from the mid field taking it down to the forward line to Zealand Roberts, who delivered several spectacular goals. Fed into the forward was hardworking Dougie Banks, who shone with athleticism and poise with his positioning and quick decision making. Hudson English (the consistent) was what the game needed to flow. It was great to see the efforts of David Baxter getting in on the action with some possessions. The backline in the first quarter did not get much of a chance on the ball, however they were able to watch and make notes for the second. Darby Ball who started with Kukerin/Dumbleyung was a valued source of skill for the opposing side, gaining several possessions and being straight in the thick of it.

The second quarter saw Evan Robinson navigating the ball early and Phil Garlett being a superstar all over, with specky kicks and plays. It was great to see Flynn Robinson and Tallan Boundy getting possessions and guiding the play for Kukerin/Dumbleyung, boosting the game play and score board. Deonte Williams was hot on the ball and swiftly sparrowing

through the crowd of defenders. Some mighty marks were taken by Charlie Turner. With all that hard work, water boy Kim Enright assisted in the hydration. Back liner Taine Finlayson was served with several tackles and possessions, but ensuring his sheer height over his opposition was taken into account when going for the ball. Jagger Barlow was assisting in the action of the backline. A few quick handballs by the back liners got the ball well out and back down to Wagin's lane.

The third quarter saw a change in water boys, with Logan and Hunter Finlayson helping out both sides with a drink or two, including the thirsty umpire Jake Putland, who not only umpired the game, but gave free shoelace tying lessons to a young fella from Kukerin/Dumbleyung that held up the start of play in the fourth. Zane Baxter was key in the third with his possessions, positions and tackles. Rohan Longmuir made the most of the loose balls and got straight on them with his quick ball to boot.

The fourth saw a steady competition between the two sides. There was great contest action by Nathan Howell. With Lauchie Piesse getting the ball back down to Wagin's goal area, Mitchell Hills' consistency throughout the whole game was noted.

Well done D Graders on both sides, for getting in on the action and making each quarter progressively competitive.

Final score: Wagin 7.8.50 vs Kukerin/Dumbleyung 2.5.17.

Best players went to: Hudson English, Zane Baxter, Dougie Banks, Flynn Robinson, Evan Robinson and Phillip Garlett.

WAGIN GOLF CLUB

2023 GOLF SEASON FIXTURES

MAY

Saturday the 6th	First Qualifying Round-Stroke (Patrons/Life Members)
Saturday the 13th	Combined Blind Stableford – Sponsored by R&C Scardetta
Saturday the 20th	Stableford – Sponsored by Galts Wagin Makit Hardware
Saturday the 27th	Par – Sponsored by Wagin Motel

JUNE

Saturday the 3rd	Second Qualifying Round-Stroke – Sponsored by Summit Fertilizers
Monday the 5th	Public Holiday – Individual Ambrose – Club Day
Saturday the 10th	Stableford – Sponsored by Miller Moments
Saturday the 10th	Great Southern 4BBB – Katanning
Saturday the 17th	Stableford – Sponsored by Wagin Meats
Saturday the 24th	Sanctuary Visit – Stableford – Sponsored by McWhirter & Leong: Accountants & Business Advisors Narrogin
Sunday the 25th	<u>Wagin Open Day</u> – 27-Hole 4BBB Liberty – Sponsored by Price's Fabrication + Steel

JULY

- Saturday the 1st** Third Qualifying Round-Stroke – **Sponsored by Wagin Mechanical Repairs**
- Saturday the 1st** Boddington Open Day – 4BBB
- Saturday the 8th** Stableford – Club Day
- Saturday the 8th** Great Southern Championships – 27-Hole Stroke – **Sponsored by Lake View Golf Club**
- Saturday the 15th** Stableford – **Sponsored by Locko's Workshop**
- Friday the 14th – Sunday the 16th** – Narrogin Cup
- Thursday the 20th** Wandering Scroungers
- Saturday the 22nd** Stableford – **Sponsored by Michael Kowald**
- Saturday the 22nd** Darkan Open Day – 4BBB
- Saturday the 29th** 2-Man Club Championships Ambrose – **Sponsored by Marley's Diesel & Ag**
- Saturday the 29th** Wickepin Open Day

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WAGIN GUN CLUB

ANZAC DAY SHOOT

Sandra Moffatt

Thirteen shooters took part in our annual ANZAC Day 100 Single Barrel event. Weather conditions were welcoming to polar bears and emperor penguins so our visitor from Townsville was suitably adorned in twelve layers.

Congratulations to Sam West and Cameron Browne who shot off for Overall with a very impressive score of 98/100. After a shortish shoot off Sam was crowned the winner.

Chris Moffatt had not shot for a very long time and returned to claim the win in the combined A and B Grade category. Chris shot 88/100 to take the win over Denmark's favourite Mr Whippy, Jim Sharpe, who shot 86/100.

Cheers to all who braved the weather to attend our shoot. The roaring fire and a nip of spiced rum were a welcome relief at the end of the day's play.



GREAT SOUTHERN KART CLUB

GSKC Race Meetings: **Saturday the 20th of May** – Great Southern Slam
Sunday the 21st of May – Club Race Meeting

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Caiden Bosnjak took a dominant victory in the Junior Heavy class from Edward Keeling and Kasey Lynch.

Adam Rane got the victory in the Junior Lights, while Jai Curtis had to settle for second and Kealan Green third.

The Glen Ward Memorial trophy for highest points was presented to Tom Callaghan for the seniors and Caiden Bosnjak for the juniors.

The next meetings for the club will be a double header on the weekend of May the 20th and 21st, and includes the Great Southern Slam for 100 Opens. There is sure to be some fast and furious action at this one, and entry is free to spectators.

VANDALISM

Great Southern Kart Club

It is with regret that the Great Southern Kart Club shares this news to all the people and friends within the areas surrounding us.

Sometime near the end of April our venue has been broken into with areas destroyed, goods stolen from our canteen supplies, sheds and support rooms broken into with doors damaged, and general malicious vandalism all occurring.

This hurts even more so as it happened ahead of the Glen Ward Memorial Race being held last weekend.

If anybody has seen or heard anything unusual, could you please help us by contacting the Wagin Police Station. Your call can remain anonymous.

We thank the local police for their help.



SLAM WEEKEND

May 20 & 21



AIDKA DIRT KARTS

Saturday May 20th

Great Southern Slam



Next Event: June 3rd June Club Day

Free Entry, Parking, Canteen, Playground



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Great Southern Highway, Wagin

WAGIN NETBALL CLUB

JUNIOR DERBY

Jodie Sercombe

What a bunch of little netball legends! Fifteen all after our first Junior Division 4 Derby. Well done Robyn and J-Jay who were fabulous coaches, and thanks to Larina and Kalynda for umpiring.



RESULTS

Round 1

21st & 22nd April

A1	Wagin 1 – Def. Cuballing 1	48 – 43
Best Players: Amelia Nolan, Felice Pocock		
A2	Wagin 2 – Def. Flames 1	62 – 25
Best Players: J-Jay Kapene, Holly Nottle		
A3	Wagin 3 – Def. Williams 2	59 – 25
Best Players: Tepora Hotene, Steph Farmer		
Junior Division 2	Wagin 4 – Def. Flames Fire	39 – 10
Best Players: Shona Banks, Shawnesse Garlett		
GO (10 & Under)	Wagin 7 – Def. Wickepin 4	16 – 1
Best Players: Shaniqua Banks		

Round 2

28th & 29th April

A1	Wagin 1 – Def. Williams 1	60 – 47
Best Players: Felice Pocock, Amelia Nolan		
A2	Wagin 2 – Def. Flames 2	67 – 29
Best Players: J-Jay Kapene, Asha Slawinski		
A3	Wagin 3 – Def. Flames 3	55 – 31
Best Players: Tepora Hotene, Emmaline Winmar		
Junior Division 2	Wagin 4 – Def. Olympics Cobalt	28 – 15
Best Players: Shona Banks, Shawnesse Garlett		
Junior Division 4	Wagin 5 – Def. Williams 3	28 – 10
Best Players: Imogen McInnis, Rayne Kapene, Sophie Scanlon		
Junior Division 4	Wagin 6 – Def. Waves 4	42 – 1
Best Players: Airynn Ugle, Isabel King, Lyric Te Kapa		
GO (10 & Under)	Wagin 7 – Def. Pingelly 5	22 – 1
Best Players: Mariah Garlett		

FIXTURES					
Round 3					
Friday 5 th May					
6pm	A3	Wagin 3	v	Waves 1	CT 3
Saturday 6 th May					
10am	GO (10 & Under)	Wagin 7	v	Flames Phoenix	CT 1
10am	JD4	Wagin 6	v	Williams 3	CT 4
11.30am	JD4	Wagin 5	v	Pingelly 4	CT 4
1pm	JD2	Wagin 4	v	Olympics Sapphires	CT 2
1.30pm	A1	Wagin 1	v	Wickepin 1	WICKEPIN
3pm	A2	Wagin 2	v	Wickepin 2	WICKEPIN

WAGIN PLAYGROUP, KINDY GYM AND TOY LIBRARY

WAGIN PLAYGROUP

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Looking for something to do with your little ones? Wagin Playgroup is on every Friday of the school term from 9am. Come and join other parents from the community for a cuppa and a chat. There are many toys for your child/ren to play with, explore and endless opportunities to interact with children of similar ages.

New members are always welcome! Your first three sessions are free. We would love for you to join us!

Follow us on Instagram (@waginplaygroup) and Facebook (Wagin Playgroup Public Page) to see session dates and any important info.

WHAT'S ON IN MAY?

We have exciting things happening this month!

We would love you all to attend our Mother's Day morning on the 12th. There is a link on our social media to RSVP.

We have Tiny Tots Music and Movement starting on Thursday the 18th for six weeks. Be sure to enrol this week to secure your spot.

Plus, there will be a pop up Kindy Gym Mums and Bubs session with Fit Pursuit on the 26th.



WAGIN TROTting CLUB

Race Dates: Friday the 12th of May – Sponsored by All Good Refund Depot

For more information visit the Facebook page, email wagintrots@bigpond.com, or contact the President Kevin on 0429 104 145 or the Secretary Fiona on 0409 693 113.

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<p>Sun 7th May Wagin Hall 9am Informal Prayer & Fellowship</p> <p>Sun 14th May Wagin Hall 9am Morning Prayer</p> <p>Sun 21st May Wagin Hall 9am Holy Eucharist Dumbleyung 11am Holy Eucharist</p> <p>Sun 28th May Wagin Hall 11am Prayer, Fellowship, Shared Lunch</p>	<p>Sunday Services at 10:30am</p>	<p>Change of Times from Saturday 13th of May:</p> <p>Mass First Sunday of each month 8am After, Saturdays at 5.30pm</p> <p>Reconciliation every third weekend before Mass from 5.30pm</p>	<p>Sun 7th May Darkan 9am Arthur Pederick Wagin 10.15am Wendy Pederick Holy Communion</p> <p>Sun 14th May Mother's Day Waratah 9.15am Liz Pederick Wagin 10.15am Wendy Pederick Dumbleyung 11am Arthur Pederick Holy Communion</p>	<p>Vineyard Meal and Worship</p> <p>Friday 5th May 6.30pm</p> <p>140 Lalla Rhook Road Wagin</p> <p>Jesus is coming again</p> <p>For enquiries call Wendy or Ian: 0417 145 628 0428 622 049</p>

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WED 10	JOYCE	VICKI
THU 11	MIKE	MIKE
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