



EDITION #169

THURSDAY 1ST JUNE 2023

\$1.50

BIG WIN FOR CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS VS HUNGRY FOOTBALLERS

Sandra Moffatt

On a day when all four Wagin football teams tended to kick points instead of goals, there was one team of Bulldogs that were kicking goals all over the place and that was the merry team of volunteers in the Bulldog Canteen.

The Bulldog Canteen has a change of team line-up every home game but are always led by the ever-capable duo of Mel English and Ali Watt. Both ladies bring a wealth of food preparation experience to the role as they both have three sons each with hollow legs. English and Watt sure know how to prep large amounts of food and feed hungry masses.



Tracy 'The Chip Master' Davidson, Jordon 'The Chip Apprentice', Ali 'CWA Potential' Watt and Makesha 'The Burger Builder' Williams. Photo by Nicole Kirk.

Sunday afternoon's shift in the canteen saw a variety of skills. Emmaline Winmar displayed a beautiful handball early on as she passed her duties on to Jordon and Makesha Williams. The pair did not quite know what they were in for but within a short moment they were making burgers and Jordon was learning the art of hot chip frying under the very capable tutelage of Tracy Davidson.

All whilst leading the charge, Mel English showed deft hands and precision delivery of hot chips and gravy with at least ten serves going to her sons. It is believed Chris English is now putting another crop in just so he can pay the English boys' canteen tab. Meanwhile Ali Watt plated up the arvo tea spread with magnificent skills only rivalled by the toughest of CWA Ladies.

Continued with 7 more football stories on page 28.

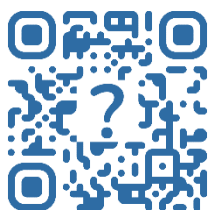


Wagin Community Resource Centre

Your local connection

It's time to resubscribe

BACK PAGE



Use QR codes by scanning them with a smartphone's camera app or QR code app (e.g., Google Lens). If reading on a device, you can just tap/click on the QR codes and most links and ads.

The Wagin Wool Press is not-for-profit and is produced locally by the staff of Wagin Community Resource Centre.

For sale every second Thursday at:

Wagin FoodWorks, Wagin IGA Xpress, Dom's Deli and Gull Wagin.

Subscribe to the digital edition by emailing news@wagincrc.net.au.

Read back issues at wagincrc.net.au.

For more information, or if you would like to contribute or advertise, please contact Wagin Community Resource Centre:

CONTACT US

Phone: 9861 1644 | Fax: 9861 1655

46-48 Tudhoe St Wagin WA 6315

GENERAL EMAIL: admin@wagincrc.net.au

WOOL PRESS: news@wagincrc.net.au

BOOKKEEPER: bookkeeper@wagincrc.net.au

HOURS

Monday – Friday | 9am – 4pm

Wagin CRC is supported by a volunteer management committee:

CHAIRPERSON: Julie Mangalavite | **VICE CHAIR:** Kayla Patuwai

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

SHIRE REPRESENTATIVE: Ann O'Brien

MEMBERS: Kristie Johansson, Heather McDougall, Jo Notley



WAGIN CRC CALENDAR

▪ <i>Closed for WA Day</i>	Monday 5 th June		
▪ Youth Art Weekly Workshops	6 th , 13 th , 20 th June	4pm-6pm	Free (must book)
▪ Camera Club	Monday 19 th June	7pm	Free
▪ Be Connected: Online Safety	Wednesday 21 st June	10am-12pm	Free
▪ Candle Making Workshop	Friday 30 th June	6pm-9pm	\$120 (must book)
▪ School Holiday Program	July School Holidays	TBA	TBA
▪ Paint & Sip	Tuesday 4 th July	6pm-8.30pm	\$40 (must book)
▪ Camera Club	Monday 17 th July	7pm	Free
▪ CRC Committee Meeting	Tuesday 18 th July	6pm	Free
▪ Marketing Your Business	Tuesday 25 th July	5.30pm-8.30pm	Free (please book)

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST WELCOME FOR COURSES & WORKSHOPS

- | | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------|
| ▪ Auschem Skillset | ▪ Flower Arranging | ▪ Snake Handling |
| ▪ Auslan Course | ▪ Forklift License | ▪ Truck Licences |
| ▪ Barista Course | ▪ Heavy Vehicle Pilots | |
| ▪ Cover Letters/Resumes | ▪ Skippers Ticket | |



Come and join us for a Family Day Out at the Wagin Historical Village Museum for W.A. Day Celebrations on Monday June 5th

Gates Open at 9am with **FREE ENTRY**

Flag Raising at 9.45am

Church Service by **Pastor Ian McDougall** at 10am

John Thompson gives a talk on local history,

Retired Police Officer Dave Lampard talks about the early days of the Wagin Police Station, followed by the Official Opening of the Wagin Historical Village Police Station

Tearooms are open so come and sample our homemade pies, pasties or apple slice

Browse the variety of stalls and Enjoy music from **“Peggie Sue & the Loose Strings”** or checkout the **Vintage Car Club** display

For more information or to book a stall at just \$5 a bay, please call **Joyce** on **9861 1347**



HOLYOAKE
FAMILY • INDIVIDUALS • YOUTH

PRESENTS...

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!

YOUTH ART WORKSHOPS WAGIN

Funded by the Alcohol & Drug Foundation, the ‘Within Your Wallet’ youth early intervention project invites local 10-18 year olds to come along and get creative!

Explore artistic concepts, learn new skills and make friends with local artist Anita Longmuir.

Limited to 10 per class so please register your interest to ensure you don’t miss out.

neatlongyehotmail.com
0427 264 826

4 WEEKS STARTING TUESDAY 30TH MAY
4:00PM - 6:00PM

Wagin CRC



Rotary

The Rotary Club of Wagin will be running their next wood raffle on Friday the 23th of June from 9am to 5pm in the Wagin Co-op foyer.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Rotary wood raffle held Friday the 26th of May.

Congratulations to the winner **Nadine** with the winning ticket **Purple A 73!**

BUSH Wicks

CANDLE MAKING WORKSHOP

Pour your very own Bush Wicks inspired candles

June 30 | 6PM
Wagin CRC

Includes:
Pour a window tin candle & large double wick candle
Grazing Platter
A glass of Sparkling

Tickets:
\$120
Purchase tickets via the Wagin CRC



RICK WILSON

FEDERAL MEMBER FOR O'CONNOR

Working hard for Wagin



 345 Hannan Street, Kalgoorlie WA 6430  9021 2044  rick.wilson.mp@aph.gov.au

 rickwilson.com.au  RickWilsonMP



Authorised by R. Wilson MP, Liberal Party of Australia, 101 Albany Hwy, Albany WA 6330.



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.

Elected members (Councillors) are entitled to be paid meeting fees and expenses. In 2022/23, Shire of Wagin elected members are currently paid \$146 per ordinary meeting and \$62.50 per committee meeting. There are 11 council meetings per year (one per month except January) and unscheduled (special) meetings can occur. Meetings are generally presided over by the President. The Shire President is paid an annual allowance to recognise the responsibilities of the role and that person's attendance at other meetings and events. The annual allowance paid to the president is currently \$12,300. The Deputy President receives 25% of that amount as an annual allowance. All councillors receive an annual communications allowance.

For more information about being a councillor, visit the Department of Local Government website at dlgsc.wa.gov.au/local-government or contact the shire office.

For more information about the Shire of Wagin, please visit the official website at wagin.wa.gov.au and look for ↪Council ↪Documents or please contact the shire office via shire@wagin.wa.gov.au or 9861 1177.

BEST WISHES AND THANKYOU

Councillors and staff would like to thank Ms Emily Edwards (former Deputy Chief Executive Officer) and Ms Julie Christensen (Community Development Officer, completing her term) for their achievements during their tenure. Their support of fellow colleagues and contributions to the community of Wagin are much appreciated.

POSITION VACANT

The Shire is seeking a part-time Community Development Officer (negotiable and flexible hours, outcomes focussed). For an in-confidence discussion and job description, please contact Donna George Acting Deputy CEO on 9861 1177 or via shire@wagin.wa.gov.au.

COUNCIL MEETING

Council held its ordinary meeting on the 23rd of May and considered the monthly financial and officer reports and made decisions about a new Bush Fire Brigades Local Law; a proposal to transfer Puntapin Dam from Water Corp to the local government; agreed to negotiate a new Memorandum of Understanding with the Shire of Woodanilling for Landcare; approved a new waste collection contract; supported a Joint Panning Strategy with the Shire of West Arthur and the Shire of Williams to be prepared by the Department of Planning Lands and Heritage; and approved the temporary use of a sea container by the Wagin cricket and hockey clubs.

The next scheduled Council meeting will be at 7pm on Tuesday the 27th of June to be held in the Council Chambers at 2 Arthur Road Wagin. Members of the public are welcome. Agendas, minutes and meeting schedules are available on the official shire website at wagin.wa.gov.au.

BUSHFIRE BRIGADES

The Shire of Wagin area has six bushfire brigades with a huge amount of commitment from the community in membership. During the winter period, all bush fire brigade volunteers are asked to check the integrity of your personal protective equipment and if it needs replacing, to visit the shire office and collect new gear. While visiting, why not check on the latest training opportunities for brigade members and organise access to the DFES Volunteer Hub which will allow you to do some of the training from home.

ROADWORKS

The Grader operators have been carrying out maintenance grading in the southwest corner of the shire when weather permits.








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

- Flagstaff Road
- Pederick Road

The cleaning out of table drains on Jaloran Road is ongoing.

WAGIN WEATHER FORECAST

Reproduced with the permission of the Bureau of Meteorology.

Thu 1 st	Fri 2 nd	Sat 3 rd	Sun 4 th	Mon 5 th	Tue 6 th	Wed 7 th
						
15°/8°	15°/5°	16°/3°	17°/5°	13°/7°	14°/4°	14°/5°
🌧️90% 1-7mm	🌧️30% 0-1mm	☁️5%	🌧️80% 0-6mm	🌧️95% 4-15mm	🌧️80% 0-6mm	🌧️70% 0-1mm

IN MEMORY OF DARRYL MANUEL

Lyn Hatherly, originally published in The Bleat 30th May 2023

Peter and Darryl Manuel have created International Goodwill by showing and teaching young backpackers from many countries about life in Australia. Recently this has included young Estonians accommodated on their property. Many local farmers and businesspeople have arranged valuable labour from them and appreciate this.

In October 2022 Peter and Darryl ran the 'Trip Down Memory Lane' event at Arthur River. This was a very successful social event to promote community and mental health. Peter and Darryl put an incredible amount of their own time and effort into making the event happen, however Darryl was very modest about this when co-writing the newspaper article.

Darryl was a long-time Volunteer Committee Member of Southern Agcare, a Rural Support and Counselling Service. She was an active member of the Arthur River Country Club and held a lunch and meeting in June 2022 for Southern Agcare. She has supported many rural people with practical help and invited 120 people to the Arthur River Hall for a morning tea in 2021. The proceeds were donated to Cancer Research. She held a lunch for 50 in the hall in July 2022. She has participated in a Mental Health Forum in 2022 and promoted positive mental health. Peter and Darryl also supported the local Football Club, and the local school's sports.

At the 2023 Australia Day Awards at Lake Towerrinning Peter and Darryl were named Citizens of the Year for West Arthur Shire and they were very worthy winners.

As well as being great community members Peter and Darryl are loving and supportive parents and grandparents. Darryl will be much missed by everyone.





Local Hearing Services for WAGIN!

Hearing has never been more important than during these challenging times as we try and stay connected with family and friends via phone or video chat. Hearing services are essential and as such we are providing much needed hearing services to Wagin.

We are conveniently located within the:

St Luke's Family Practice

LOT 299 TAVISTOCK ST WAGIN WA 6315

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY ON 1300 061 650

The range of services we provide include:

- Onsite hearing aid repairs and batteries
- **Free hearing services to eligible pension and DVA card holders***
- Industrial deafness and workcover claims
- Hearing test and hearing loss rehabilitation
- Amplification devices/Hearing aids
- Trials of the latest in hearing technology
- Wireless TV accessories/Phones
- Ear protection/Swimming plugs
- Ear wax removal
- Tinnitus management
- Private patients welcome, no referral required.

* On behalf of the Government Hearing Services Program

** Free hearing screening for over 18yrs of age



**ASHLEY YONG
LOCAL - IHEAR
AUDIOMETRIST**

I was fortunate enough to start my working career in Kalgoorlie and from then on I always knew I would come back to live.

Now I am here to set up to provide hearing care to the Wheatbelt & Goldfields. I believe this will enhance the lives of generations of locals, helping them to hear, allowing them to engage so they can be heard and helping to maintain the connection that hearing brings with friends and loved ones.

ihear
Life is worth hearing

**BOOK YOUR
FREE HEARING CHECK**
NOW ON 1300 061 650**

REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANTS NOW OPEN

Kelly Brady, Office of Hon. Shelley Payne MLC

The McGowan Labor Government has opened the sixth round of the Regional Economic Development (RED) Grants.

The RED grants provide up to \$250,000 for eligible projects that support jobs, expand or diversify industry, develop skills, increase business productivity, and attract new investment to the regions.

The previous rounds are helping to deliver 317 business and community-driven projects across regional Western Australia.

The McGowan Government has committed \$50.85 million over nine years (2018-19 to 2026-27) towards the program.

Some of the projects that have been funded through the RED grants program in the Wheatbelt include:

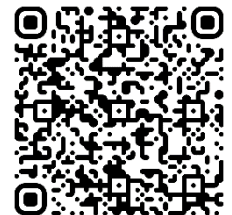
- Three Farmers Australia to develop Australian grown low gluten oats.
- Whinbin Rock Farms to establish a bespoke malt facility.
- Wheatbelt Business Network to support the Wheatbelt Innovation Ecosystem.

"The McGowan Labor Government is committed to delivering for regional communities like ours", said the Hon. Shelley Payne MLC, Member for the Agricultural Region.

"Our continued investment in the RED grants program is delivering sustainable jobs and securing the economic future of our regional communities."

Applications are now open and close on the 30th of June 2023. Shelley encourages local businesses in the Wheatbelt region to apply.

For more information about the RED Grants program, use the QR code or contact the Wheatbelt Regional Development Commission on (08) 9622 7222 or info@wheatbelt.wa.gov.au.



WHEATBELT REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANTS ROUND 6 OPEN FOR APPLICATION

www.wheatbelt.wa.gov.au/working-us/regional-economic-development-scheme/

GETTING SET TO PUT BEST FOOT FORWARD

Jenny Donehue, Awards Australia

It's almost time to think about who you would like to thank for their tireless work in the community with nominations opening soon for the 2023 Western Australian Community Achievement Awards.

If someone has impressed you with their community spirit, why not nominate them! The Western Australian Community Achievement Awards will launch on Thursday the 8th of June, and the state-wide search for local contributors who are making a real difference in your regional or rural region will begin.

Every town has:

- That inspiring individual, who we all wonder where they always find the time.
- The local business forever supporting its community whilst running the best business in town.
- The community group that is helping... well everyone and everything.



The awards celebrate those people who have contributed to their regional or rural community, no matter how big or small!

These nominees will be the selfless unsung heroes that dedicate their time to helping the lives of others within their community.

Full details of the category descriptions and the conditions of entry can be found on our website at awardsaustralia.com/wacaa or by using the QR code.

Have someone in mind that you would like to nominate? You can submit an early nomination by heading to awardsaustralia.com/wacaa and selecting 'Refer Someone'. Alternatively, make the process that much easier by calling us on (08) 9201 1155 or emailing wa@awardsaustralia.com and passing on their details and we will take it from there.



All nominees will receive a letter of congratulations and a certificate of encouragement for their nomination.

Nominations close on Tuesday the 8th of August, with judging to take place throughout September. Winners will be announced on Friday the 27th of October at the 2023 Community Achievement Awards Gala Presentation Dinner.

Dumbleyung Theatre Club Presents

Written & Directed by Michele Brown

Saturday 5 August 2023 — Dumbleyung Town Hall — Show Starts: 7.30pm

<p>Ticket Price: EARLY BIRD TICKETS \$60 per person until 7th July 2023 Online Ticket & Door Ticket \$65 per person from 8th July 2023 to 2nd August 2023 unless show sold out prior includes buffet meal and sweets by Mila</p>	<p>Doors Open: 5.30pm (meal from 6pm – 7:15pm) Beer, Wine & Spirits, Drinks and Tea/Coffee available on the night</p> <p>Online ticket and table selection bookings Use the link below to book your tickets https://www.trybooking.com/CIMVL Local live band all night - Drinks 'N' Tips</p>
---	--

vegetarian options will be available, if you have a specific dietary requirement, please select the option at booking and email us

BETTY TERRY THEATRE

📍 | 6 Trent St Wagin | Editorial by Zachary Rayne | Use the QR codes for tickets & trailers!

Love Again will be our first film with online ticketing! Simply visit trybooking.com/CICJO or use the QR code below to book your tickets now. Good old cash sales aren't going anywhere – you can still buy tickets at every movie plus snacks and treats from our kiosk.

Our thanks go to Londa Finlayson for promoting our upcoming films on radio with Triple M Great Southern's Dave Pettit. The Wagin CRC has taken over this role, but you can still hear our local star on audio with her podcast *Bold & Bright with Londa*. Thank you to both Triple M and Wagin's own station Radio Great Southern for your years of support.



LOVE AGAIN is an irresistibly cheesy romcom with a great premise: a young woman copes with the death of her fiancé by sending romantic messages to his old phone number, not realising it has been reassigned to a random journalist. He grows increasingly enchanted, but dare he text back? Starring Priyanka Chopra Jones (*The White Tiger, Isn't It Romantic, A Kid Like Jake*) and Sam Heughan (*To Olivia, The Spy Who Dumped Me*) in the lead roles. They are joined by celebrated singer and 'Queen of Power Ballads' Celine Dion. As the 'Fairy Godmother' of this tale, Dion sprinkles some magic with five new songs made especially for the film.

M | 1h 44m | Romance/Comedy

Friday – 2nd June @ 6.30pm

Saturday – 3rd June @ 2pm & 6.30pm

Monday – 5th June @ 6.30pm



BOOK CLUB: THE NEXT CHAPTER is a hilarious new adventure for four friends who have been in a book club together for 40 years and, in the previous film, spiced things up in life by reading *Fifty Shades of Grey*. If that set them free, *The Next Chapter* sees them fly as they take a tour of Italy on the fun girls trip they never had. The quartet of Diane Keaton, Jane Fonda, Candice Bergen and Mary Steenburgen are such a delight. They will have you clinking your imaginary wine glass as they deal with major life changes, get caught in all manner of scrapes, and love life in all its forms.

M | 1h 48m | Comedy

Friday – 16th June @ 6.30pm

Saturday – 17th June @ 2pm & 6.30pm

Monday – 19th June @ 2pm & 6.30pm



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

Cash only Kiosk No BYO please Doors open 30 minutes early

Children under 15 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian

NEATCARE TREE SERVICES



TREE LOPPING & PRUNING

Email: sales@neatcare.com.au
www.neatcaretreeservices.com.au

 Neatcare Tree Services

CALL 0409 782 628

Maximize your Pasture for Maximum Returns.

With a wide variety of high-quality fertilizers to choose from, you're sure to find the best product for your pasture growth with Summit Fertilizers.

Our Superphosphate has an even granule size and minimal dust for easy handling and spreading. Alternatively our Pasture and SuperPasture products have higher phosphorus levels, providing significant freight and logistical savings.

With our custom blending facilities, these products can be combined with potassium and trace elements to meet your exact requirements.

Contact your local Summit Area Manager
or visit summitfertz.com.au



PARTNERS  GROWTH





WAGIN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Providing an empowering environment for life-long learning

Principal Amber Ward Amber.Ward@education.wa.edu.au



This week our school acknowledges and celebrates Reconciliation Week. This is a special time for us to honour all Aboriginal people, our local Wilman people of the Noongar Nation, and their rich culture and heritage. We believe in fostering a diverse and inclusive environment, and Reconciliation Week gives us the perfect opportunity to reflect on our shared history and work towards a better future together.

There have been many exciting events in the school over the past weeks that have contributed to a vibrant and happy school. Opportunities to learn a new sport have been facilitated by Tennis Australia, Softball WA and the Sporting Schools Grant Program. In the spirit of celebrating achievements, we held our Good Standing celebrations which were enjoyed by students and staff. Our High School students had the opportunity to attend a Career Taster excursion to Albany TAFE and the National ANZAC Centre. These opportunities empower our students to explore different career paths and make informed decisions about their future as they get a taste of various industries and spark their curiosity about the endless possibilities out there. Narrogin Senior High School staff visited our Year Ten students this week to discuss their Year 11 and 12 schooling options, and we are happy to assist any parents to complete enrolment packages.

In recent weeks we have had some illnesses impacting our staff and students. We urge everyone to follow the recommended guidelines, prioritise their health, and seek medical attention when needed. I am grateful for the dedication and resilience demonstrated by our students, staff and parents throughout the challenges we have faced with a shortage of relief staff again impacting on the school. On a positive note, Mr Josiah Ngamo, a specialist Physical Education teacher, has joined us for the remainder of the term from the Flying Teacher Squad. Mr Ngamo brings with him a wealth of experience and expertise and we are confident that he will make a valuable contribution to our school community while he is here. Please join me in welcoming him to Wagin.

HAVING A BALL

As part of our Sporting Schools grant, our students have been learning about balls, strikes and pitching for the last three days. Students big and small and all ages in between enjoyed the visit from Softball WA and took away many new skills.

They put plenty of these into practice yesterday during a modified game undercover due to the rain.



BAKERS IN THE MAKING

The Year 7 students have spent several weeks creating 'Celebration Cakes' for the semester's practical assessment in Home Ec. Once the chocolate cakes were baked, students had to plan their designs and write shopping lists for ingredients before finally decorating their masterpieces yesterday. They should be very proud of their efforts. It has been so pleasing to see the effort and creativity demonstrated by so many of our students. The finished products look amazingly delicious! Miss Lewandowski said, "A huge thank you to our Home Ec assistant Bec West for helping us out so much every week!"



A WALK TO REMEMBER

Our Pre-Primary students were super excited to leave the school grounds and go on an excursion on Friday the 26th of May. They visited the Wagin Historical Village, where they 'celebrated the past' as part of their HASS studies. A big thanks to the volunteers from the Village for imparting their knowledge from days gone by. The students enjoyed every minute of their adventure!



FITNESS FUN

Pre-Primary and Year 4 students enjoyed their sport themed Good Standing afternoon last Thursday the 25th of May. Students came dressed in their favourite sport gear: gymnasts, hockey players, netball players and many many football stars! The afternoon was spent on the oval scoring runs, hitting hockey balls and kicking goals. Or, for those a little less sporty, there was much fun to be had building and playing in cubbies!

DO YOU WANNA BUILD A SNOWMAN?

The Year 5 class spent their Good Standing afternoon chilling out making geometric snowmen, before warming back up with yummy hot chocolates topped off with marshmallows.



FUN OUTDOORS

Students enjoyed some outdoor activities during a busy week 4! Primary students participated in a hockey clinic run by Rodney Johnson (Rocket), our local Hockey Development Officer. Our kids had a great time building their hockey skills over the two-day program. The Secondary students enjoyed some sunshine and a friendly volleyball competition.



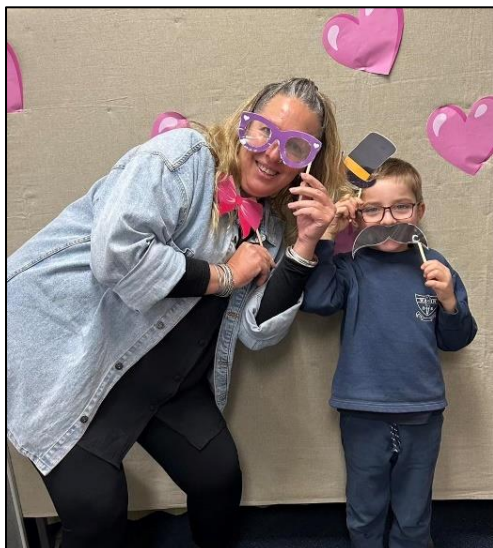
WALK SAFELY TO SCHOOL DAY

On the 19th of May we had a visit from our local police in acknowledgement of National Walk Safely to School Day. You may have seen more students and parents walking to school than normal. Our primary school-aged children walked to school to help teach road safety skills and the physical benefits that regular walking has on our mental and physical health. We hope you gave them a 'happy Friday' wave!

MUM'S THE WORD

Our Kindy students treated their mums to an early Mother's Day celebration. They decorated yummy biscuits, made fruit kebabs, enjoyed story time and made macaroni necklaces; the perfect accessory for all our stylish mums! The special visit was enjoyed by all, with plenty of smiles and cuddles.





Miss Sim's Year 2 class continued the early Mother's Day celebrations with a high tea of scones, jam and cream fit for a queen! Funny props led to plenty of smiles in the photo booth and Mums then got to take home a colourfully decorated photo frame to remember the special morning.

Capping off our 'Mother's Day moments', the Pre-Primary class from Room 18 held an afternoon pamper session. They invited someone MAGICal (a mother, aunty, grandma or important carer) and treated them to a back massage, makeup session, a manicure and even a puppet show. Completely relaxed, guests were then able

to look through their children's amazing work while enjoying a cuppa. A lovely way to end a busy week.

SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY: BE INVOLVED

On Wednesday the 7th of June Wagin DHS will be having a Cross Country Carnival. The theme for the day is 'Be Involved' and Pre-Primary to Year 3 students can dress in their faction shirt or as their favourite sporting person for the day.

Families are welcome to join their kids on the day as they find 30 on our oval. First run will start at 10am and the day will finish with a whole school award presentation assembly held at 2:30pm in the afternoon.

P-P to Year 3 start time: 10am, Laps of oval

Year 9/10 start time: 10.10am, Distance: 4km

Year 4/5 start time: 11am, Distance: 2km

Year 6/7/8 start time: 12pm, Distance: 3km

SPEECH AND DRAMA FESTIVAL

Students selected for our Arts Extension Group will be heading off to the Dumbleyung Speech and Drama Festival in Week 8. Students will represent Wagin DHS in the areas of Poetry (humorous), Poetry Australiana, Choral Speaking and Mime.

KEEP OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY SAFE

COVID-19 sickness is still going around in the Wagin community. Please keep your children home if they are unwell.

The Wagin DHS has free Rapid Antigen Tests available. If you would like some for your household, please visit the front office to collect.

If you have queries regarding up-to-date COVID-19 information, please visit healthy.wa.gov.au.

CALENDAR	
Friday 2 nd June	Pre-Primary Assembly 9am
Monday 5 th June	WA Day Public Holiday
Wednesday 7 th June	School Cross Country
Thursday 8 th June	Uniform Shop 8.45am-10am
Friday 16 th June	Speech and Drama Festival
Thursday 22 nd June	Uniform Shop 8.45am-10am
Friday 23 rd June	Year 3 Assembly 9am
Friday 23 rd June	Interschool Cross Country
Tuesday 27 th June	Dockers Shield Katanning
Saturday 1 st July	School Holidays



LAWN BOWLS AT WARATAH LODGE

Joanne Richman, Wellness Officer

The sun was shining in Wagin on Thursday the 18th of May and the residents were looking for something different to do. So, Joanne sprang into action and organised some lawn bowls outside under the hills hoist.

How Australian is that?

It wasn't long before the residents caught wind of this activity and made their way down the hallways to venture outside.

It's one for all and all for one when it comes to sports at Waratah Lodge.

Our residents really like participating in lawn bowls, as well as tennis, hockey, football, and fishing. On a lovely day when the sun is shining bright, there is nothing better than getting outside to compete against each other in a friendly game of lawn bowls. The residents eagerly watched as they all took turns, strategizing their next move in a bid to outsmart the other players and get their ball as close as they could.

The thing the residents like most about playing lawn bowls is the fact they can be played inside or outside, and on occasions the lawn bowl set is taken to the HACC Centre Base Days for the residents to compete against other members of the HACC community. Of course, they need to be using the proper 'Heneselite' weighted balls which make them easy to play with for the residents regardless of if they can walk or are wheelchair bound. The competition is very fierce, and all the residents look forward to playing or watching.

This activity forms part of the residents' 'Wellness Program' to keep them actively moving and enjoying life. This is also a great form of mild exercise which is supported by our physiotherapist.



We're hiring in Wagin

Follow your passion with a career in aged care. Catholic Homes has been providing aged care for over 50 years in Western Australia and are looking for people to join our Home Care team.



We are looking for caring and passionate nursing and support workers for our home care services in the Wheatbelt.

Our Care with Purpose people-centred care model promotes dignity, respect, privacy and independence.

As a not-for-profit organisation, we are inclusive and welcome all faiths and backgrounds. We offer competitive hourly rates, casual loading and full training. We have both permanent and casual roles available now.

If you would like to discuss further call 1300 244 000 or email your CV to homecare@catholichomes.com



care with purpose

CATH0337



SHIRE OF WAGIN

2023/24 Schedule of Fees and Charges

The Shire of Wagin Council has resolved at its Ordinary Meeting of Council 23 May 2023 to adopt the 2023/24 financial year schedule of Fees and Charges. The Schedule will take effect from 1 July 2023.

The Schedule may be viewed on the Shire of Wagin official website www.wagin.wa.gov.au or at the Shire of Wagin Library or the Shire Administration Office at 2 Arthur Road Wagin. Print copies are available on request.

IAN MCCABE

Chief Executive Officer

24 May 2023

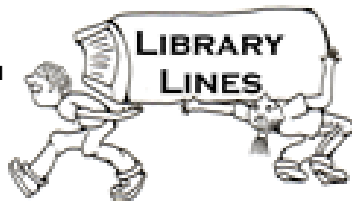


Peter Rundle MLA Member for Roe

83 Federal Street
PO Box 378
Narrogin WA 6312
(08) 9881 1225

peter.rundle@mp.wa.gov.au
 www.peterrundle.com.au
 facebook.com/PeterRundleRoe

Wagin Library & Gallery
 Your team: Tina and Monica
 3 Trent St Wagin
 Phone: (08) 9861 1247



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

Hi to all our Wagin Library & Gallery patrons and friends.

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 10th of June from 2pm to 4pm. It is free to join and new members are always welcome. What have you been reading lately?

Friends of the Wagin Library & Gallery will hold our next meeting on Thursday the 29th of June at 4.30pm. New members are welcome. Come along to see how you can help the library.

BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

📖 June is Audiobook Appreciation Month. The problem is, you can't read while driving, or when it's completely dark, can you? What if you could? Audiobooks can also be listened to when knitting or doing housework or even when you are gardening. Find your favourite book in audio format and try listening to it on your way to work.

The Favour by **Nicci French**. A fiction audio CD book. A young woman agrees to do a favour for her first love. Things go horribly wrong and one small task turns into a murder investigation that completely upends her life, ensnaring her in a deadly web of secrets and lies.

📖 We have a few different reading challenges for teenagers and adults to try for 2023. Pick them up from the library. There is the 52-Week Reading Challenge for Teenagers, the 2023 Book Challenge bought to you by Spine & Leaf Books with 50 items on the list both for teens and adults, you could try reading all the books in the library that start with the first letter of your first name including non-fiction, or there is the Top 100 Books of 2023 by Better Reading for anyone who loves a reading challenge.

Here are some of the Top 100 of 2023 by Better Reading:

The Angry Women's Choir by **Meg Bignell**. This is an adult fiction book. Once in a while, everyone needs to be heard. A heart-warming and uplifting story about a remarkable group of women who discover they are capable of incredible things, if they're strong enough and angry enough to take up the cause. What is the cause?

The Torrent by **Dinuka McKenzie**. This is an adult fiction book. A loving husband lost to the devastating floods. A teenage girl injured during a robbery. Two seemingly unconnected cases that will push a detective to the brink.

Verity by **Colleen Hoover**. This adult fiction book is from our Author of the Month. The word-of-mouth hit and psychological suspense with an unforgettable twist. Lowen Ashleigh is a struggling writer on the brink of financial ruin when she accepts the job offer of a lifetime.

Again, Rachel by **Marian Keyes**. This is an adult fiction book. Rachel Walsh was a mess. Since her spell in rehab though, she's come a long way on the road to recovery and now she's ready to go back to where it all began. But this time, the student has become the teacher. Rachel's finally got herself on track but life never stops being messy.

Tomorrow and Tomorrow and Tomorrow by **Gabrielle Zevin**. This is an adult fiction book. A wistfully nostalgic look at endings, beginnings and loving the people who will always have your back. This is not a romance, but it is about love. Over the course of three decades, the relationship between two friends, Sadie Green and Sam Masur, changes as they develop a Japanese themed game that draws critical attention.

The Couple Upstairs by **Holly Wainwright**. This is an adult fiction book. Five months after Mel told her husband to leave, a ghost moved in upstairs. A young man who reminds her, with eerie intensity, of a past lover, someone who changed Mel's life then vanished.

This Has Been Absolutely Lovely by **Jessica Dettman**. This is an adult fiction book. Family is forever and there's nothing you can do about it. Thirty-five years ago, Annie's dream of music stardom was put on hold for childbirth. Since then, her passions have been buried under her responsibilities as a mother, wife and caregiver to ailing parents. Now, Annie is finally free to live her life. Annie and her adult children find themselves under the same roof, revelations are revealed, and challenges force them to relearn what it means to be family.

Fairy Tale by **Stephen King**. This is an adult dark fantasy book. Charlie Reade is a seventeen-year-old who inherits keys to a hidden parallel world where good and evil are at war. The stakes could not be higher; for their world or ours.

📖 National Reconciliation Week is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements. It is a time to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia. How can we celebrate National Reconciliation week? We can honour the food. We can ask Aboriginal Leaders or employees to share their stories.

Mabo Day is on the 3rd of June and is celebrated annually as part of National Reconciliation Week. Mabo Day is named after Eddie Mabo who led efforts to reform rights for Indigenous Australians. You could celebrate Mabo Day by studying Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island culture.

Heroes, Rebels and Innovators – Inspiring Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People from History by **Karen Wyld and Jaelyn Biunaiwai**. This is a junior non-fiction book. Be inspired and amazed by these incredible Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander icons! Amongst these are Patyegarang, a Darug woman who worked with a British officer of the first fleet, teaching him words from local Aboriginal languages. Together they made the first written record of Aboriginal languages. Read about Jackey Jackey who led the rescue of sixty-nine people during the Gundagai floods of 1852.

Shirley Purdie: My Story Ngaginybe Jarragbe by **Shirley Purdie**. This is filled with stories of dream time, and with Shirley's culture and her life. Shirley tells us how bush tucker is found, how to catch animals, and about becoming an artist. The book is in both Indigenous language and English.

Indigenous Australian Cultures by **Mary Colson**. This is a junior non-fiction book. This beautifully illustrated book covers a vast array of subjects on Aboriginal cultures. Discover different cultures' approaches to visual arts and ceremonies, from legends to the cultures' global influence. What is a Bora ceremony? How is a Bull Roarer used?



AUSTRALIA'S BIGGEST BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK

West Arthur's resident health professional, Pam Stockley, was kept busy on Thursday the 11th of May. She checked fifteen arms for blood pressures and gave lots of helpful information to the owners of those arms about what the range of numbers mean when your blood pressure is tested as well as how to look after yourself. Recipients of the check-ups were rewarded with soup and crusty bread and/or scones so it was a great trade off. As usual our sincere thanks to Pam for another great info session at the West Arthur CRC.



Sharon Bell, Shire of West Arthur Community Development Officer with Pam Stockley.

BETTY BROWN HISTORICAL CENTRE

While not overrun with visitors on Sunday the 7th of May, a lovely group of people passed through the Centre and then had a cuppa and a chat as they watched the hypnotic spinning of Maree and Jen from the Wild Woolery at Arthur River. The centre showcases the history of women in the West Arthur district; their involvement in agriculture and the home front. The centre also holds an amazing display of handmade lace work and some great insights into days gone past. It is open from 8.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday with free entry. Enter via the West Arthur CRC.



FUTURE PLANNING

Join the West Arthur CRC for a free informational talk on advanced health planning, enduring power of eternity and enduring power of guardianship on Thursday the 15th of June from 9.30am to 10.30am. This presentation is by Wheatbelt Community Legal Centre and West Arthur CRC, followed by morning tea.

COMMUNICATION ABOUT GRIEF AND LOSS

Our special guest is Michelle Moriarty from Grief Connect and the Grief Language Project, the winner of the 2023 WA Agricultural Rural Woman's Award. The session is from 11am to 12.30pm on the 15th of June, followed by a light lunch. This event and the Future Planning event are free thanks to the Department of Communities and the Shire of West Arthur.

RESIN WORKSHOP

The West Arthur CRC will be holding a resin workshop on Friday the 16th of June at 6.30pm. The cost will be \$90 with nibbles included. On the night you will be able to make your own resin serving board to take home with you. Only two places remain available so call the CRC to book with payment by the 2nd of June.



Government of **Western Australia**
Department of **Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety**



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

TRAVELLING IN A POST-PANDEMIC WORLD

As the world shakes off the shackles of COVID-19, many Western Australians are feeling more confident about jetting off or setting sail for a holiday.

We therefore want to remind travellers about their rights under the Australian Consumer Law (ACL) if something goes wrong with a travel product or service.

Beyond what is outlined in the terms and conditions, the travel provider is bound by the ACL to deliver a cruise, flight, tour or accommodation that meets the description or advertisement.

This issue was recently highlighted when Perth cruise passengers were told shortly before departure their ship was no longer heading into open waters and would instead remain docked in WA for maintenance. Following media coverage on the issue that included commentary by Consumer Protection, our understanding is the maintenance was subsequently cancelled and the cruise proceeded as originally planned.

In addition to delivering on what was promised, travel services must also be provided with due care and skill, fit for any specified purpose and occur within a reasonable period of time (if no time was set when booking).

When one of these consumer guarantees is not met, the appropriate remedy will depend on how major the problem is. If you wouldn't have paid for the service had you known about the problem, it's considered a major failure and means you get to choose the remedy, which could include a refund, compensation or new booking. For minor failures that can be resolved, the travel provider can choose to fix the issue or provide a replacement service in a reasonable time.

Remember that while the ACL protects you within Australia, accommodation or travel booked with overseas companies may mean your entitlements are dictated by the consumer regulations in that jurisdiction.

If things don't go to plan, it's best to try to resolve any issues with your travel provider directly. If you are unsuccessful, don't forget that paying by credit card may allow you to get a chargeback through your bank if you do not receive what you pay for.

Should neither of those options prove successful, contact us for further advice on 1300 30 40 54 or consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au. There is more information about your travel rights on our website at consumerprotection.wa.gov.au.



Department of
Primary Industries and
Regional Development

Backyard Buddies

Your monthly guide to pests, weeds and diseases

SPLITTING THE DIFFERENCE



Left: Native longicorn beetle larvae, extracted from jarrah timber. Right: EHB larvae and a cross section of seasoned (dry) pine log showing larvae feeding tunnel.

Larvae in firewood: During the winter period where firewood is often collected and split, our service receives a common enquiry: "I've chopped some wood and found these grubs! Are these borers? Is this the European house borer? Is my house at risk?!" The first question we ask to split European house borer (EHB) from many other wood borers is: "What wood are you cutting? Is it pine?" If the answer is no, it's not going to be EHB. EHB larvae only reproduce in seasoned (dry) coniferous timber and wood, including pine, fir and spruce. Of these, pine trees (*Pinus* species) and pine timbers are abundant in WA. What if the answer was yes? If you notice larvae or borer emergence holes in dead pine branches, logs, or untreated pine pallets or timbers, please report this. EHB has the potential to cause major structural damage to buildings constructed with untreated pine timber. Infested wood stored in or around the home is worth investigating.

Who's on the chopping block? Most firewood burnt in WA is from native hardwood species and pictured in this article are the larvae of native longicorn beetles (*Phoracantha* species) in jarrah. These beetles attack live or recently dead/felled Eucalypt trees and do not pose a risk to the timbers in your home. If you have been chopping firewood for years but are only starting to see these borers, it's likely the trees the firewood has come from were stressed or recently felled. Trees stressed by drought or disease are particularly susceptible to borer attack.

Reporting: We can't all be insect identification specialists, but that doesn't matter. If something isn't familiar to you, it's best to report it rather than ignore it. When reporting, please include as much information as possible about what's occurring. Collect and hold onto any insect samples, and if taking photos, include things like a ruler or a pen so the dimensions of insects, holes or other symptoms can be gauged. If borers are coming out of furniture, timber, or wooden products like bowls, chopping boards or ornaments, report it as soon as possible and we will provide guidance from there. For more information on EHB and other reportable species like the polyphagous shot hole borer (PSHB), see our webpage agric.wa.gov.au and search EHB or PSHB, or contact us.



Report your observations

MyPestGuide® Reporter via app or online mypestguide.agric.wa.gov.au

Pest and Disease Information Service (08) 9368 3080 | padis@dpird.wa.gov.au



UNDERSTANDING ANXIETY

Anxiety is an umbrella term for feelings of fear, nervousness, apprehensiveness or worry such as negative thoughts and seeing potential threats where they don't exist. Everybody gets anxious at times and some anxiety helps us to function well. But anxiety can become a problem when:

- It happens too often;
- It goes on for a long time;
- It stops us from doing things that we want to do.

Symptoms can be psychological (frequently feeling worried, tired, irritable and weepy with difficulty concentrating) and/or physical (including rapid breathing, rising blood pressure and pounding heart, a sense of restlessness or feeling on edge, muscle tension, sleep disturbance and nausea/sickness).



There is no single cause for anxiety but there are several factors that may contribute to its development:

- Brain Chemistry. Most strongly implicated here are imbalances of serotonin and dopamine that regulate thought and feeling. Makes for feeling depressed and anxious;
- Heredity. Anxiety disorders run in families. Children are at higher risk if parents have an anxiety disorder;
- Life Experiences. Any distressing/traumatic experience may be grounds for developing anxiety. Exhaustion and certain medications can also be triggers for anxiety;
- Drug Use. Stimulant drugs like amphetamines and caffeine can trigger anxiety. Prolonged amphetamine use can cause feelings of panic and anxiety that last for years after the drug is stopped.

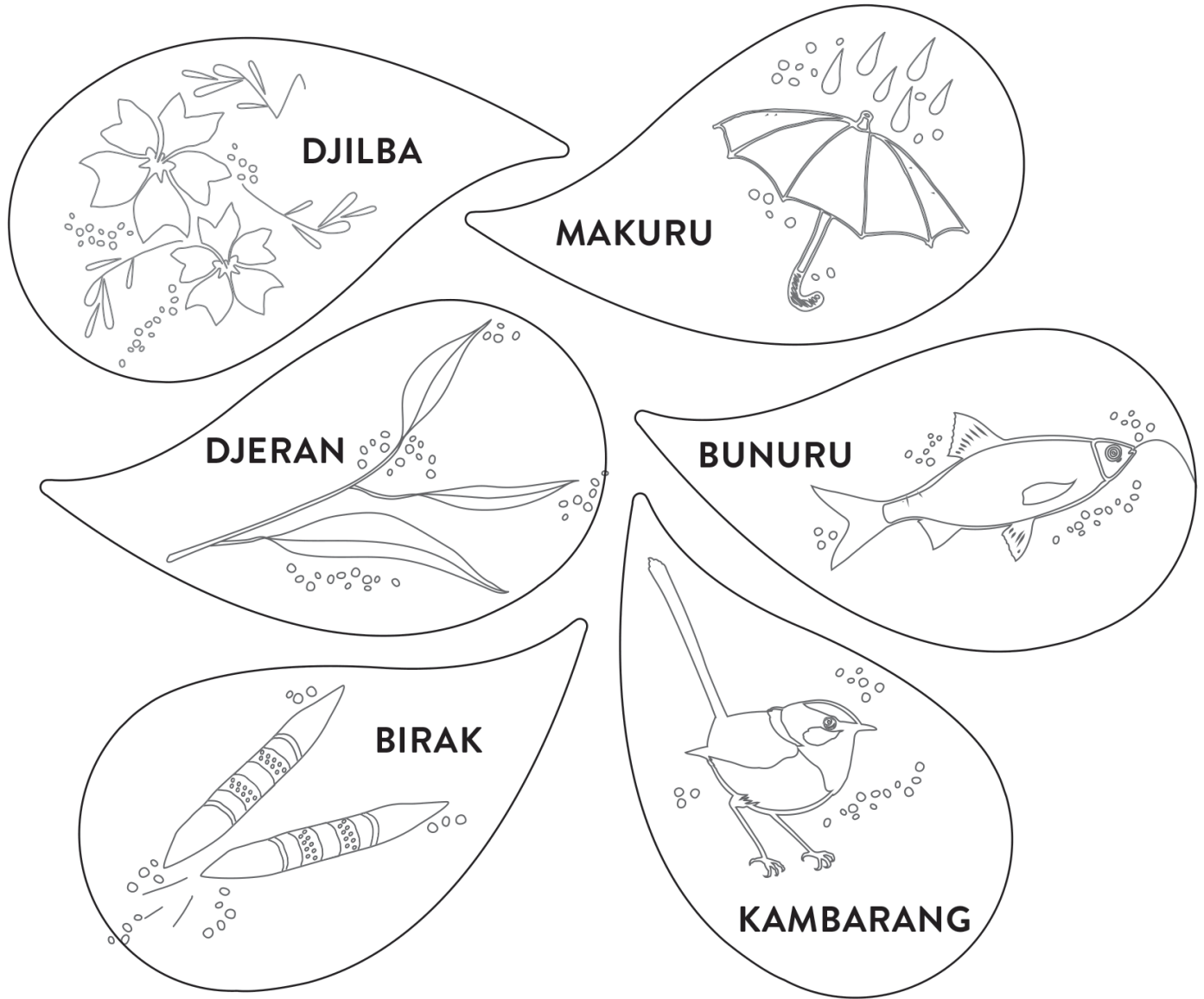
Some tips that may help you deal with your anxiety include:

- Self-awareness. Identify the symptoms early. Ask yourself, 'What is making me feel this way?' You may be able to change the anxiety-making circumstances but if not, you can deal with it better if you acknowledge it;
- Interpret it positively. Anxious about a situation? Instead of viewing it as threatening try a positive interpretation which will reduce the anxiety to a more manageable level;
- A little anxiety is a good thing. Too much is damaging but too little can mean you may not perform to your best ability. View anxiety as a resource you can manage;
- Diet. The gut flora can get out of balance i.e., use more probiotics and omega-3 foods. Research has shown maintaining a balanced diet can reduce anxiety symptoms;
- Exercise. Boosts levels of vital brain chemicals like serotonin, dopamine and norepinephrine that may reduce stress and anxiety;
- Relaxation and meditation programs. Can help reduce stress, anxiety and depression. You can find many resources for these online i.e., progressive muscle relaxation;
- Therapy. There are some good programs that are offered by psychologists and counsellors that help to re-program those unhelpful and negative ways of thinking that underpin anxiety.

Situations, or life events, can come from many places including relationship issues, financial burden, physical health, trauma, or just dealing with difficult times (like seasonal conditions). As these situations develop, we need to take steps to reduce anxiety for ourselves and for those close to us. Remember... before it all gets too much... Talk to a Mate®!

WA DAY – 5TH JUNE

Noongar Six Seasons



THANKS
FOR HELPING
US CELEBRATE
WA DAY

.....
YOUR NAME



SPORTS IN WAGIN

WAGIN BOWLING CLUB

Contacts: Ross Old on 0419 951 128, Kerry Walker on 0429 611 522 and Peter Spooner on 0447 616 063. **Club Phone:** 9861 1475. **Facebook Group:** Wagin Bowling Club.



WINTER SCROUNGERS

All Welcome
1pm Names In
For a 1.30pm Start
Every Sunday Afternoon



PIESSEVILLE DANCE CLUB

Dancing Nights: Saturday 3rd June, Piesseville, 7.30pm-11pm
Saturday 10th June, Highbury, 7.30pm-11pm
Saturday 17th June, Popanyinning, 7.30pm-11pm

For more information contact Bernie on 9861 1512 or Anne on 9881 2545 or 0429 812 545.

WAGIN FOOTBALL CLUB

CLOSE BATTLE FOR BULLDOGS VS CATS

Sandra Moffatt (C Grade – 28th of May)

Matera Oval was a magnificent sight on Sunday as all four Wagin teams faced their Williams Cats counterparts. The D Grade team had a comprehensive win and so the stage was set for the C Grade team to follow suit.

A fit looking bunch of fourteen Williams C Graders ran out to play but needed to borrow four Wagin players to even things up. Fortunately, a few Bulldogs boys volunteered which showed a great spirit of the game to ensure an even contest.

The Williams team came out firing and surprised the Bulldogs with their quick movement of the ball and dominance in the one-on-one contests. The game was a tight contest for the first quarter with both teams sitting on 7 points at the first break. The scores were still even at half time with both teams on 13 points. However, the Wagin team had started to take control in the second term but had the yips in front of goal, kicking 6 points while Williams scored a lone goal.

The second half of the game saw Wagin build on their momentum and break away. In a game that was defined by one-on-one contests it was the team's enforcers that shone. Brodie Hills was again in fine form through the midfield, applying pressure on the Cats' ball getters. With Hills' hard ball gets racking up, he was ably backed by the steadier in Jamo Davidson and the work horse in Logan Finlayson. Carter English was an absolute weapon with the tackles again. He resembles a crocodile getting a feed as he latches on and rolls the opponent up. His pace and ferocity are a huge asset to the Bulldogs team.

Zak Horley and his B-Grade-playing big brother Ryan Horley must have some decent battles at home. The two are both rapidly improving as the season progresses and both are

capable of stopping any player dead in their tracks. Zac played a brilliant game, stopping the Cats players with big giant bear holds. Deizel Barlow backed up on last's week performance with another good show through defence. Barlow, combining with Cody McIlree, provide some of the tidiest intercept marks under pressure.

The Wagin forward line shared the ball around, making hard work for the Cats' defence. The forward structure sees some tallies in Max Slawinski, Liam Robinson and Blake Simons coming in from the ruck to provide the height. Meanwhile, there are always plenty of crumbers with Shauny Boy Garlett, Hunter Finlayson, Rico Roberts and the Riley Brothers ready to pounce on anything that may fall to ground. Raymond Kapene is starting to read the play well in the forward 50m and was rewarded for his effort with his first career goal.

The game was a good tight contest for the most part and Wagin's propensity to kick points instead of goals kept the Cats in the game for longer. However, the Wagin team came through with the win in the end. Special mention goes to Jye Mouritz and Jax Moffatt who played all four quarters with the Cats and their love of footy shone through as they gave it their all. Mouritz scored a few goals for the Cats but had the Bulldogs at heart, as he had a shot for goal after the final siren but checked the scoreboard first to make sure his goal would not hand the Cats the win.

The final scoreline read Wagin 8.14.62 defeat Williams 6.4.40.

Best Players: Brodie Hills, Diezel Barlow, Cody McIlree, Carter English, Raymond Kapene, Zak Horley.

Goal Scorers: Brodie Hills 2, Todd Riley, Raymond Kapene, Max Slawinski, Rico Roberts, Shaun Garlett, Blake Simons.

The C Grade team now get a bit of a break, playing only one game in June which is at home against Narrogin on Sunday the 25th of June.

GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP AS WAGIN DOMINATES

Londa Finlayson (D Grade – 28th of May)

Wagin vs Williams: 7.16.58 vs 0.0.0.

An unfortunate score board for the opposing Williams team, but their mighty effort in not giving up on getting that ball was a big credit to them.

The teams kicked off at 9.30am on a sunny Sunday morning at Matera Oval.

Wagin fourths' skills and abilities as a team are starting to connect more and more each game. The boys are placing the ball a bit more strategically, knowing the strengths of their teammates, and the game flow keeps getting better.

Some fantastic plays out on the field, lots of encouragement from the sidelines, and the weather played its part in the game's success.

On the day, we interviewed Zealand Roberts and Whareki Kapene with two questions:

Who played a good game today?

Roberts: "I thought Will, he played good. And Evan was good in the ruck. And then Cody, he played pretty good."

Kapene: "I reckon it would be Will, Evan, Deonte, and Phillip played a pretty good game."

What was the best quarter?

Roberts: "I reckon when I was in last quarter, when me and Mitchell – we kept leading, we were playing good. And yeah, we had a good game."

Kapene: "I reckon probably the last quarter because [the teams] had both played hard. They're both good."

Well done Wagin on another big win.

Best Players: Rohan Longmuir, Mitchell Hills, Zane Baxter, Hugh Murray, Cody Ugle, Alexander Abbott.

Continued from Page 1.

Sandra Moffatt manned the till which saw her take on the occasional maths teacher role, explaining to kids why they can't have a lollipop, some chips, a can of coke and a biscuit all for 50c. However, the majority of water buyers received a discount on water as Moffatt was inadvertently charging them Wagin Gun Club water prices and not Wagin Football Club prices.

As the afternoon progressed it was obvious that chicken burgers were once again the most popular item on the menu. Word got around the Williams Football Club camp that the chicken burgers were the duck's guts and when they ran out there were a few sad faces and bulldozer bottom lips stuck right out.

Tracy Davidson as one of the most courageous on the team worked tirelessly cleaning the deep fryer. An unenviable task but one which Davidson performed admirably. She was elbows deep in the sink as the hungry masses turned up for the ritualistic League half-time arvo tea, which featured amongst other things a sensational sponge cake made by Joan Johansson.

At the end of day's play, the group of volunteers were weary and sick of dishes, but they knew they had done their bit to help cement Wagin's position as the absolute best UGSFL Canteen.

Huge thanks to Mel and Ali for coordinating the Canteen and thanks also to those who fill their rostered role as volunteers. The canteen is a huge asset to the club and it's vital that many people help out.

Best on Ground: Chicken Burgers, Chips & Gravy, Mrs Johansson's Sponge Cake, Orange Powerade.

BELT UP ROUND

Wagin Football Club

This weekend's home game was the 25th anniversary of the Belt Up Round.

To celebrate the special 25th anniversary of the WA Country Football League and Insurance Commission of Western Australia partnership, a 25 year jumper was produced and presented to the best player of each grade and team during the Belt Up Round.

Well done to the D Grade and Colts boys on their wins on Sunday.

The winners of the jumpers from Wagin Bulldogs were:

Colts: Brodie Hills

Reserves: Mitchell Adams

League: Alex Mancini

Round 8 we have a bye so as everyone enjoys the break remember to Belt Up!

See you all in Round 9 on Sunday the 11th of June. This is the 'Talk to a Mate' Round and we will be playing Wickepin.



TOUGH GAME AGAINST LADDER LEADERS

Sandra Moffatt (B Grade – 21st of May)

Coach Davies was a picture of enthusiasm on Friday evening as he had a full team of twenty-two for Sunday's B Grade clash against Narrogin. This enthusiasm vanished rather quickly on Sunday morning as a few no-shows saw his bench depleted to nothing. Not the ideal start to a game against the ladder leaders.

However, Coach Davies as a good club man always watches the junior teams play on game day so knew exactly which C Graders he would like to poach. Cody McIlree, Jye Mouritz and Zak Horley all donned the yellow shorts and lined up for their second game of the day.

The Narrogin Hawks B Grade team is a lethal mix of former Colts who now just want a kick for fun and far more senior players with stacks of experience. This results in a team that is very hard to match. They flew out of the blocks early and by quarter time Narrogin were leading by 37 to a scoreless Wagin.

As the game progressed, the Wagin team managed to ebb the flow of Hawks goals and score a few of their own. Brandon Ginn was a much welcome returnee to the Wagin team. Minus his trademark mullet, he displayed the skills that made him a star last year. Ginn combined well with Zander Arnold and across the ground they took plenty of contested marks and provided good run. Jackson Manuel also created space and saw plenty of the ball. The dynamic duo of Kade Prowse and Hugh Telfer was again on show with the pair never backing out of a contest and creating plenty of drive through the mid. They were well backed by the experienced Mitchell Adams who adds composure during hectic midfield passages of play.



Photo by Tanya Broun-Todt.

Defensively the team were under the pump, but the Wagin team are no strangers to this. Connor Watkins worked hard all day and appeared to have a bit of a magic charm to him. Whenever he was standing on the mark for the Hawks' shot at goal, the Hawks player seemed to miss. It may have been the glare of the sun from Watkins' mane of red hair or possibly the gentle mannered defender has a repertoire of sledges to rival international cricketers. It will remain a mystery but either way Watkins' efforts in defence certainly kept the Narrogin scoreline lower than what it could have been. Cody McIlree featured amongst the best in both games he played on the day for his rock-solid efforts.

The ball did venture into the Wagin forward line with more frequency as the game wore on. Dylan Coghlan is always capable of something speccy and he finished with one goal. Tank Murray and his big bucket hands took some solid marks resulting in two goals. Zander Arnold rounded out the goal scorers as he kicked one from one of his many, many possessions.

All eighteen players who took to the field never gave up. It was a long hard slog against a quality side. Quenten Robinson once again packed his hockey sticks away and played a game showing typical Robinson determination and was a quality contributor. Jye Mouritz left nothing out there and was impressive in his tackling attempts, including trying to take on one of Narrogin's far sturdier players. Mouritz's fellow C grader in Zak Horley also took on the Hawks' ever sturdy full forward and brought him to the ground like a pro wrestler. Stu Johansson was also involved in plenty of play and showed great onfield leadership. The endeavour of the Wagin B Grade team was somewhat rewarded in the last quarter as they outscored the Hawks in that term.

When the final siren sounded the scoreline read Narrogin 13.16.94 defeat Wagin 4.4.28.

Best Players: Z. Arnold, K. Prowse, M. Adams, J. Mouritz, Q. Robinson, C. McIlree.

Goal Scorers: J. Murray 2, Z. Arnold, D. Coghlan.

“TOP OF THE TABLE CLASH”

Sandra Moffatt (C Grade – 21st of May)

Round 6 of the Upper Great Southern Football League Colts competition saw Narrogin host Wagin for a top of the table clash. As both teams have many players which attend school together, there were plenty of gums flapping during the week predicting the outcome of the game.

Wagin's line up was a little depleted with a few injuries and unavailabilities. However, D Graders Mitchell Hills and Ronald Williams backed up from their win to play for the C Grade team.

The Hawks presented as a very tidy team blessed with speed and skills through midfield. Tyler Rowe was a standout for them as he displayed the talent which has seen him make his debut for the South Fremantle Colts this year. However, Rowe had to work hard for every possession as the Bulldog's Brodie Hills had him well covered at many times during the game.

Blake Simons continued his dominance in the ruck. Simons appears to grow taller by two inches every week but doesn't lose any athleticism with it. He has an insanely good vertical leap which sees him dominate hit outs and is a very strong aerial mark. He was well

supported in the guts of the ground by Hills and Captain Reliable Jamo Davidson. Brothers Todd and Johnny Riley also created some flair with their agility and precision kicks.

The Wagin defenders were involved in a lot more of the play than they have been in previous weeks. The price of diesel at the bowser is going down but the value of Deizel Barlow in the Wagin defence is skyrocketing. Barlow had a standout game presenting as a brick wall in defence taking many assured marks and turning every forward entry of the Hawks into a contest. Barlow's efforts were well backed by Cody McIlree who also played in the B Grade game. He displayed eight quarters of consistently hard football. The efforts of Devon Barlow also contributed to a strong defence which saw the Hawks have to capitalise from goals on the run as their marks and set shots were limited.

The entries into the Wagin forward 50m area were few and far between at the beginning of the game. The fitness level of the Doggies showed towards the end of the game as their final quarter saw them win most contests across the ground. Wagin scored as much in the final quarter as they had in the previous three quarters combined. Shauny Boy Garlett is always a popular target up forward and he finished the game with two goals. Rico Roberts is an asset to the forward line for the way he crumps beautifully off the packs. Roberts finished with one goal. Jax Moffatt was finding space in the forward line and scored his goal from a set shot. Hills and Davidson rounded out the Wagin goal scorers.

Although Wagin won the last quarter, they left their run all too late. The final scoreline read Narrogin 14.7.91 defeat Wagin 6.6.42.

Best Players: Blake Simons, Deizel Barlow, Cody McIlree, Brodie Hills, Shaun Garlett, Liam Robinson.

Goal Scorers: S. Garlett 2, R. Roberts, J. Davidson, J. Moffatt, B. Hills.

Unofficial Two Best Tackles of the Game: Carter English – one was paid and one wasn't. Honestly, there would be two Hawks players out there still getting Clayton Road Oval dirt out of their ears, nostrils and mouths after copping English's tackles.

HARNESSING THE HAWKS

Londa Finlayson (D Grade – 21st of May)

Bulldogs fourths opened the clash against the Hawks in fresh windy conditions at Narrogin town oval. We welcomed back Nate Rowell, Bert Williams and Ronald Williams to the line-up.

Wagin had a strong lead early in the game and kept it consistent throughout. The encouragement coming from Phillip Garlett stood out from the sidelines. Cody Ugle made sound efforts for the ball.



Blake Simons finding a passenger onboard. Photo by Tanya Broun-Todt.

Great partnership work came from cousins Evan and Flynn Robinson. A standout tackle and teamwork came from David Baxter Jnr.

Lots of pressure and hard work was put in by Lachlan Piesse. A strong defence was put in by Jagger Barlow.

Another sound performance from both Zealand Roberts and Zane Baxter. Both were zinging around the footy field keeping the game moving well.

A great game invested into the D Grade bank of wins.

Final score: Wagin 9.7.61 vs Narrogin 4.0.24.

Best players: Ronald Williams, Zane Baxter, Flinn Robinson, Lachlan Piesse, Bert Williams, Jagger Barlow.

WIN FOR YOUR MUM

Londa Finlayson (D Grade – 14th of May)

Wagin 6.6.42 vs Wickepin 1.0.6.



Wagin D Grade opened the Mother's Day first home game on Matera Oval, 14.5.23 with a big day of footy!

The boys were all raring to go, to make sure they secured a win against Wicky. The game saw great teamwork, skills being highlighted and the team getting a great flow.

Wickepin players put up a solid effort and made their one goal count with even the Wagin supporters in glee for them.

It was great to see the sportsmanship between the two clubs as well as the gameplay.

Key performances were delivered by Douglas Banks with his natural talents and swift ways, shining young gun Mitchell Hills who has stepped up to C Grade plenty of times, Hudson English who demonstrates consistency week in and week out, Alexander Abbott who was making his skills known on field, Zane Baxter who was the all-rounder that always comes through with the goods, and Evan Robinson whose height and speed makes impact where needed.

Well done Wagin D Graders. Coach Longmuir was able to give constructive advice at each quarter that you all took on board, and your game ended victorious! Keep the great sportsmanship going.

Best Players of the Day: Douglas Banks, Mitchell Hills, Hudson English, Alexander Abbott, Zane Baxter, Evan Robinson.

WAGIN GOLF CLUB

Fixtures:	Saturday 3rd June	Second Qualifying Round-Stroke – Sp. by Summit Fertilizers
	Monday 5th June	Public Holiday – Individual Ambrose – Club Day
	Saturday 10th June	Stableford – Sponsored by Miller Moments
	Saturday 10th June	Great Southern 4BBB – Katanning
	Saturday 17th June	Stableford – Sponsored by Wagin Meats
	Saturday 24th June	Sanctuary Visit – Stableford – Sponsored by McWhirter & Leong: Accountants & Business Advisors Narrogin
	Sunday 25th June	<u>Wagin Open Day</u> – 27-Hole 4BBB Liberty – Sponsored by Price's Fabrication + Steel
	Saturdays 2pm	9 Hole Competition Tee Off

For more information about Wagin Golf Club, please join the Facebook group, email wagingolf@westnet.com.au, or contact the Club President Ken Adams on 0408 947 365.

WAGIN GUN CLUB

Events:	Saturday 24th June, 10am	– Tim Catling Memorial, 100 Double Barrel Points
	Sunday 25th June, 9.30am	– ISSF State Qualifier, Trap

GREAT SOUTHERN KART CLUB

GSKC Race Meetings: Saturday 1st July – Club Race Meeting

Unfortunately, the club have had to make the decision to postpone this weekend's race day which would have been held on Saturday the 3rd of June, and a decision to be made at a later date to rerun.

Our next club day is set down for Saturday the 1st of July.

REOPENING OF DITCHFIELD PARK IN OLDBURY

Great Southern Kart Club

From everyone here at the Great Southern Kart Club we wanted to pass an enormous congratulations to Dirt Trackers Kart Club for officially reopening Ditchfield Park in Oldbury, and successfully running their first meeting this weekend. It took an incredible effort to reopen this track and we all very much appreciate the club and their sponsors for making it happen. We look forwards to joining you for many race meetings in the future!



Photo by Madison Ahlquist Graphics & Photography.

WATCH THE GREAT SOUTHERN SLAM BACK OVER

Demand It NOW Media Solutions



Another Great Southern Slam done and dusted for 2023!

It was a tough gig for us this time around with a major failure right off the cuff with our main camera monitor being dead on arrival, then some issues with the audio which were resolved with some group thinking, and then some communication issues with our production machines meant we were down to one!

We got there in the end and streamed nine hours of dirt kart racing which can be replayed on the Great Southern Kart Club's DemandPLAY channel. Use this QR code to visit the channel.



We hoped you all enjoyed the live stream. See you next time!

GREAT SOUTHERN SLAM

Great Southern Kart Club

Another Great Southern Slam brought to you by Hearthhouse Mandurah has been run and won. It was an epic final with three of the best Great Southern Kart Club produced drivers battling out till the end. Joel Ettridge, your winner, was closely followed home by James Inglis and Joe Chalmers. The three drivers put on a class display in driving skills throughout the main event which had all three well clear of the field until a red light with 5 to go. After the red Joel maintained his lead to take his Inaugural Slam win and keep the trophy locked in the GSKC cabinet for another twelve months. A dominant display with GSKC drivers filling the top five steps and Dirt Trackers Kart Club taking 6th place.

- 1st Joe Ettridge (GSKC)
- 2nd James Inglis (GSKC)
- 3rd Joe Chalmers (GSKC)
- 4th Kenneth Puddey (GSKC)
- 5th Blake Curtis (GSKC)
- 6th Nathan Walton (DTKC)

There are so many people to thank in 2023. Kim and Dolby from Hearthhouse Mandurah for again backing the great race. Justin from Turbo Signs who always delivers the goods for the Mini Slam.

Darren and the whole team from Devil Race Karts for their contribution of the 2023

predator chassis which was given away to the winner Jeremy Safrin. He was speechless and now has a brand new kart to take on the remainder of the 2023 season.



Your Great Southern Slam top six.

To all our other contributing marketing partners on the day and leading into the event, we can't thank you enough for your continued support of the Slam.

Manta Tiling – Matt and Lyssa Bain. Luke Morton, Morton Motorsport, Strike Products and Meteor Pistons. Lee and Emma from Austens Pressure Cleaning and Team 95. Megan and Harvey from Kartmart. Thomas from Thomas Unwin Racing. Kylie from Krewwear Inc. Dylan Bamford from DBM. Brad Gerts from BGH Motorsport. Joel and Daniel from Polylink Piping. James, Linda and Stu from LJS Equipment. Steve and Charlotte from Cable Beachside Villas Broome. Steph from Stephanie Risley Media. Rhiannon from Perth Lifestyle Photography. Beau, Steve and Kristy from Beau Doyle Motorsport. Kylie from Hummingbird Natural.

A full wrap up of contingency award winners can be seen in the pictures on the Facebook page 'Great Southern Slam Powered by Hearthhouse Mandurah'.

Thanks to a lot of people leading up and on the day for helping make this event. You know who you all are and we appreciate your efforts 100%. Without your support this event does not happen.

What does 2024 bring? You'll have to wait and see.



MARTIAL ARTS

RILEY WINS 2 MEDALS IN MARTIAL ARTS TOURNAMENT

Ann O'Brien

My grandson, at the ATI Martial Arts tournament held in Malaga just this weekend past, won two medals in the under fourteen division for Taekwondo. He received one gold medal for Continuous Sparring and one silver medal for Point Sparring.

His name is Riley Alessi, and he is twelve years old. Riley has been training at the Narrogin Martial Arts Centre under Sensei Daniel McGrath for nearly two years now. He has recently gained his blue belt and is working hard towards the next level.

There were a few students from the centre that competed in the tournament on the weekend and they all did really well. Congratulations to Riley and all of the other students that participated. They were all a credit to their martial arts school.



WAGIN NETBALL CLUB

 <p>WAGIN NETBALL CLUB SENIOR RESULTS ROUND 5</p> <p>A1 Wagin 1 Def Olympics Gold 61 - 22 Best Players: Felice Pocock, Courtney Webb</p> <p>A2 Wagin 2 Def Olympics Turquoise 53 - 42 Best Players: J-Jay Kapene</p> <p>A3 Wagin 3 Def Olympics Navy 55 - 31 Best Players: Tepora Hotene, Stephanie Farmer</p>	 <p>WAGIN NETBALL CLUB JUNIOR RESULTS ROUND 5</p> <p>JD2 Wagin 4 Def Olympics Cobalt 42 - 30 Best Players: Shawnesse Garlett, Kalynda Davidson</p> <p>JD4 Wagin 5 Def Waves 4 35 - 1 Best Players: Rayne Kapene, Sophie Scanlon, Imogen McInnes</p> <p>Wagin 6 Def Flames Flares 24 - 12 Best Players: Isabel King, Lyziah Smith, Moana-Faye Waihaki</p> <p>GO (10&U) Wagin 7 Def Williams 4 32 - 1 Best Players: Mariah Garlett</p>
 <p>WAGIN NETBALL CLUB SENIOR RESULTS ROUND 6</p> <p>A1 Wagin 1 Def Cuballing 1 46 - 44 Best Players: Jess Daniels, Jaelyn Ranieri</p> <p>A2 Wagin 2 Def Flame 1 60 - 22 Best Players: Sienna Lanciano, J-Jay Kapene</p> <p>A3 Wagin 3 Def Flames 3 52 - 29 Best Players: Tepora Hotene, Emmaline Winmar</p>	 <p>WAGIN NETBALL CLUB JUNIOR RESULTS ROUND 6</p> <p>JD2 Wagin 4 Def Olympics Sapphires 43 - 17 Best Players: Shona Banks, Kalynda Davidson</p> <p>JD4 Wagin 5 VS Wagin 6 To Be Played Best Players:</p> <p>GO (10&U) Wagin 7 Def Wickepin 4 12 - 4 Best Players: Letti Storer</p>

SPONSORED:

								
---	---	---	---	---	--	--	---	---

Wagin Care & Share

Contacts: waginnnetball@gmail.com [Facebook Group](#)

HAPPY HOME GAMES

Jodie Sercombe

How great are home games!? Thanks so much to Olympics for coming across for four games on Saturday the 20th of May.

What a wonderful day of netball. Pretty successful, too. Thanks also to our amazing committee and scorers, timers and umpires!



WAGIN PLAYGROUP, KINDY GYM AND TOY LIBRARY

Calendar: **Friday 2nd June 9am-11am – Messy Play Morning**
Friday 9th June 7pm – Mums Night Out

Come down to Wagin Playgroup on Friday for a messy play morning! Bring your little ones a change of clothes and towel just in case too much fun is had.

Instagram: [@waginplaygroup](#) Facebook: [Wagin Playgroup Public Page](#)

SAVE THE DATE

Wagin Playgroup

Leave the kiddies at home and come and join us for a Mums Night Out at the Wagin Palace Hotel at 7pm on Friday the 9th of June. Seeding is finished (for some) and so we thought it was time mummies get out of the house and enjoy the company of others. We'd love you to join us for a meal and a drink. You don't know how much you needed a night surrounded by other mums with a wine (or two) in hand, until you have one. Please visit the event on our Facebook page to RSVP.

POP-UP KINDY GYM

Wagin Playgroup

It was so good to get our bodies moving last Friday with Fit Pursuit by Brooke Hoskin. She showed our little ones the importance of moving and keeping our bodies strong. The kids had a blast joining in and playing on our amazing Kindy Gym equipment. Look out for our next pop-up Kindy Gym session next term.

WAGIN RIDING AND PONY CLUB

Wagin Riding and Pony Club wish to advise that we have postponed our Show Jump and Training Day until August. We will share more information about this training day soon.

You can contact the club by emailing waginponyclub@gmail.com and we are on Facebook. Follow the Facebook page 'Wagin Riding and Pony Club Events' to hear about upcoming events.

TENNIS

COMMUNITY COACHING COURSE

Megan Henry, Tennis West Regional Tennis Development Officer – Wheatbelt

A Community Coaching Course will be delivered by National Women & Girls Lead Christina Ladyman at Wagin Recreation Centre in July. This will be two face-to-face days on Monday the 24th of July 10.30am to 4.30pm and Tuesday the 24th of July 8am to 2pm.

Both days include lunch, morning tea and afternoon tea. A later start time and an earlier finish time have been factored in to allow all rural attendees the time to travel.

The course also includes a 1-hour online classroom session, on Wednesday the 19th of July from 6pm to 7pm, which has kindly reduced the hours of the face-to-face days.

In alignment with the Tennis Australia Women and Girls Strategy which supports the development of key women club volunteers, parents and trainee coaches, the cost of this course is \$0.00 and fully subsidised by Tennis Australia.

A current Police Clearance and Working With Children Check is required for all Tennis Australia coaching courses including the Community Coaching Course.

For the online enrolment link, digital information booklet, and assistance with the Police Clearance and Working With Children Check, please contact Megan Henry directly. Mobile: 0427 634 008. Email: Megan.Henry@tennis.com.au.

Volunteers in our regional and rural communities are integral for our tennis clubs to *thrive* and are directly helping to increase tennis participation in rural Western Australia. This includes the delivery of Hots Shots and Community Play.

If you are located in the Wheatbelt, Great Southern or Lower Great Southern and are wanting to learn more about delivering Community Coaching at your club, or know of someone who may benefit from this wonderful regionally located course, please share this post on your tennis clubs social media and get in touch with myself directly for further information, support and enquiries.

WAGIN TROTting CLUB

Race Dates: Friday 9th June – Sponsored by Wagin Poll Merino Breeders

Saturday 15th July – Sponsored by Spurry's Transport

Please note an important change to our Race Meeting Calendar. July's meeting date has been changed by Racing & Wagering WA. Previously Friday the 21st of July, it will now be held Saturday the 15th of July. The first race meeting time will be advertised as soon as released; however, it will be the usual evening meeting. The race meeting is sponsored by Spurry's Transport.



WAGIN TROTting CLUB

WTC

Our next meeting is coming up on Friday the 9th of June and is sponsored by Wagin Poll Merino Breeders.

For more information please 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.

WAGIN CHURCH SERVICES

ANGLICAN COMMUNITY	THE WAGIN BAPTIST CHURCH	ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH	WAGIN UNITING CHURCH	WAGIN VINEYARD CHURCH
Details to be confirmed.	Sunday Services at 10:30am	<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 4th June Darkan 9am Wendy Pederick Wagin 10.15am G & A-B Wasley</p> <p>Sun 11th June Waratah 9.15am Liz Pederick Wagin 10.15am Wendy Pederick Dumbleyung 11am Liz Pederick</p> <p>Sun 18th June Darkan 9am Holy Communion Wagin 10.15am Mission</p>	<p>Vineyard Meal and Worship</p> <p>Friday 2nd June 6.30pm</p> <p>140 Lalla Rhook Road Wagin</p> <p>Forgiveness is free but sometimes hard work</p> <p>That is worth it</p> <p>For enquiries call Wendy or Ian: 0417 145 628 0428 622 049</p>

HISTORICAL VILLAGE ROSTER

	AM	PM
THU 1	MIKE	MIKE
FRI 2	MICHAEL	MICHAEL
SAT 3	MIKE	MIKE
SUN 4	MICHAEL	MICHAEL
MON 5	MICHAEL	MICHAEL
TUE 6	ANNE	MAURIE
WED 7	JOYCE	VICKI
THU 8	MIKE	MIKE
FRI 9	MICHAEL	MICHAEL
SAT 10	MIKE	MIKE
SUN 11	MICHAEL	MICHAEL
MON 12	MICHAEL	MICHAEL
TUE 13	TBA	MAURIE
WED 14	JOYCE	TBA

WAGIN ESSENTIAL SERVICES

DOCTOR: 9861 1633
DENTIST: 9861 1400
CHILD HEALTH: 9861 1224
HOSPITAL: 9861 3444
PHARMACY: 9861 1245
VETERINARY SURGEON: 9861 1844
WAGIN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL: 9861 3200
SHIRE COUNCIL: 9861 1177
WATER SUPPLY: 13 13 75
WESTERN POWER EMERGENCY: 13 13 51
WAGIN STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE: 132 500
AMBULANCE AND FIRE BRIGADE: 000
POLICE STATION: 9852 0000 or 000 OR 131 444

WHEATBELT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

ABORIGINAL CRISIS LINE 13YARN/13 92 76
ABORIGINAL WHEATBELT HEALTH SERVICE
 Narrogin 9881 0385
ABORIGINAL WHEATBELT MEDICAL SERVICE
 Narrogin 9891 4600
AGCARE WHEATBELT 9046 5091
AMITY HEALTH 9842 2797
AVIVO 9621 7900
AVON Narrogin 9622 2612
BROTHER TO BROTHER (Aboriginal Men)
 1800 435 799
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HELPLINE
Men 1800 000 599 **Women** 1800 007 339
ELDER ABUSE HELPLINE 1300 724 679
FINANCIAL COUNSELLING Narrogin 9881 1363
HEADSPACE (Ages 12-25) 9621 5000
HELPING MINDS (Family/friends) 1800 811 747
HERE FOR YOU 1800 437 348
HOLYOAKE Narrogin (Mental health, drugs & suicide prevention/aftercare) 9881 1999
LIFELINE 13 11 14 **GRIEF/BEREAVED** 9261 4444
MENSLINE 1300 789 978
QLIFE (Queer/LGBTI) 1800 184 527
REGIONAL MENS HEALTH 9690 2277
RESPECT (Assault counselling) 1800 737 732
RURAL AID 1300 327 624
RURAL LINK (After hours care) 1800 552 002
WHEATBELT MENTAL HEALTH Narrogin 9621 0999

Joyful June 2023

MONDAY



5 Think of 3 things you're grateful for and write them down

TUESDAY



6 Get out into green space and feel the joy that nature brings

WEDNESDAY



7 Do something healthy which makes you feel good

THURSDAY

1 Decide to look for what's good every day this month

8 Find joy in music: sing, play, dance, listen or share

FRIDAY

2 Say positive things in your conversations with others

9 Ask a friend what made them happy recently

SATURDAY

3 Re-frame a worry and try to find a helpful way to think about it

10 Bring joy to others by doing something kind for them

SUNDAY

4 Take a photo of something that brings you joy and share it

11 Eat good food that makes you happy and really savour it

12 Write a gratitude letter to thank someone



13 Take a light-hearted approach. Choose to see the funny side

14 Share a happy memory with someone who means a lot to you

15 Look for something to be thankful for where you least expect it

16 Speak to others in a warm and friendly way

17 Take time to notice things that you find beautiful

18 Look for something good in a difficult situation

19 Get outside and find the joy in being active

20 Rediscover and enjoy a fun childhood activity

21 Send a positive note to a friend who needs encouragement

22 Watch something funny and enjoy how it feels to laugh

23 Create a playlist of uplifting songs to listen to

24 Bring to mind a favourite memory you feel grateful for

25 Show your appreciation to people who are helping others

26 Make time to do something playful, just for the fun of it

27 Be kind to you. Do something that brings you joy

28 Notice how positive emotions are contagious between people

29 Share a friendly smile with people you see today

30 Make a list of the joys in your life (and keep adding to it)



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

Happier • Kinder • Together



Wagin
Community Resource Centre
your local connection

SUBSCRIBE TO THE WAGIN WOOL PRESS

Subscribe to *The Wagin Wool Press* and receive a copy directly by email every second Thursday. The digital version is completely in colour!

If you purchase a membership to the Wagin Community Resource Centre, an email subscription to *The Wagin Wool Press* is included.

Memberships start at \$20 for seniors or with concession, and we have community group and business memberships available. All funds go towards supporting the Wagin Community Resource Centre, which is a not-for-profit organisation.

Please find the membership form on the back page or visit the CRC from 9am to 4pm, Monday to Friday. You can call 9861 1644 or email admin@wagincrc.net.au.

ADVERTISING RATES 2022/2023

Size	Colour or Black & White	1 Edition	3 Months (6 Editions)	6 Months (12 Editions)	1 Year (23 Editions)
FULL PAGE	B&W	\$40	\$215	\$410	\$735
	COLOUR	\$60	\$325	\$610	\$1105
HALF PAGE (LANDSCAPE)	B&W	\$25	\$135	\$255	\$460
	COLOUR	\$35	\$190	\$355	\$645
QUARTER PAGE (PORTRAIT)	B&W	\$15	\$80	\$155	\$275
	COLOUR	\$25	\$135	\$255	\$460
BUSINESS CARD	B&W	\$10	\$55	\$100	\$185
	COLOUR	\$15	\$80	\$155	\$275

If you would like to advertise your business in *The Wagin Wool Press*, please email us at news@wagincrc.net.au and we can send you our digital advertising form.

DISCLAIMER:

- 1) No liability shall be incurred by the Wagin Wool Press by reason of any amendments to, or error; inaccuracy in; partial total omission of an advertisement; by reason of delay; default or from any other cause whatsoever. If in the opinion of the Wagin Wool Press the error clearly reduces the value of advertisement and the advertiser notifies it to the Wagin Wool Press within 5 business days of the publication date, then one correction insertion will be made at no charge.
- 2) While the Wagin Wool Press aims to publish all material submitted, the Wagin Wool Press reserves the right to refuse to publish or re-publish any contribution or advertisement without giving any reason.
- 3) No articles, letters or advertisements will be accepted which may appear to be defamatory or accusatory, or to favour one side in a legal dispute.
- 4) The Wagin Wool Press reserves the right to shorten or otherwise amend any contribution other than advertisements.
- 5) The opinions, views and beliefs expressed in articles and other submissions to the Wagin Wool Press do not necessarily reflect the opinion, views or beliefs of the CRC staff or Committee.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
JULY EVENTS: 1 – School Holidays Begin 1 – Race Meeting @ GSKC 1 – Footy @ Matera Oval 1 – Little Mermaid @ Theatre 4 – Paint & Sip @ CRC 15 – 100 DB @ Gun Club	15 – Trots @ Matera Oval 18 – Committee Meeting @ CRC 24 – Tennis Coaching Course 25 – Business Marketing @ CRC	NOTES: Pot Art & Craft @ Masonic Hall 10am Book Club for Children @ Library 3.30pm Youth Art Workshop @ CRC 4pm	Pride Month Audiobook Appreciation Month Say Something Nice Day The Wagin Wool Press @ Catholic Hall 9.30am CommuniTea Hub @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm	PP Assembly @ School 9am Playgroup: Messy Play Morning @ Eric Farrow 9am Story Time @ Library 1.30pm Love Again @ Theatre 6.30pm Vineyard Church 6.30pm	Mabo Day Race Meeting @ GSKC 2nd Qualifying Round-Stroke @ Golf Club Love Again @ Theatre 2pm & 6.30pm Dance @ Plesseville 7.30pm	3
4 Catholic Church 8am Uniting Church 10.15am Baptist Church 10.30am Winter Scroungers @ Bowling Club 1pm	WA DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY World Environment Day Open Day & Police Station Opening @ Historical Village Club Day – Individual Ambrose @ Golf Club Stay Active @ Rec Centre 9am Love Again @ Theatre 6.30pm	6 Cross Country @ School 10am Arts & Craft Group @ Community Centre 10am Story Time @ Library 10am @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm	7 The Wagin Wool Press @ School 8.45am-10am Choir Exercises @ Catholic Hall 9.30am CommuniTea Hub @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm	8 Uniform Shop @ School 8.45am-10am Choir Exercises @ Catholic Hall 9.30am CommuniTea Hub @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm	9 Trots @ Matera Oval Story Time @ Library 1.30pm Playgroup: Mums Night Out @ Palace Hotel 7pm Dance Lessons @ Plesseville 7.30pm	10 Stableford @ Golf Club Book Club @ Library 2pm Catholic Church 5.30pm Dance @ Highbury 7.30pm
11 Uniting Church @ Waratah 9.15am & Wagin 10.15am Baptist Church 10.30am Winter Scroungers @ Bowling Club 1pm	12 Stay Active @ Rec Centre 9am	13 Book Club for Children @ Library 3.30pm Youth Art Workshop @ CRC 4pm SES Training 6.30pm	14 World Blood Donor Day Arts & Craft Group @ Community Centre 10am Story Time @ Library 10am	15 The Wagin Wool Press @ School 8.45am-10am Choir Exercises @ Catholic Hall 9.30am CommuniTea Hub @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm	16 Speech & Drama Festival @ School Story Time @ Library 1.30pm Book Club 2 @ Theatre 6.30pm Vineyard Church 6.30pm	17 Stableford @ Golf Club Book Club 2 @ Theatre 2pm & 6.30pm Catholic Church 5.30pm
18 Autistic Pride Day Uniting Church 10.15am Baptist Church 10.30am Winter Scroungers @ Bowling Club 1pm	19 Stay Active @ Rec Centre 9am Book Club 2 @ Theatre 2pm & 6.30pm Camera Club @ CRC 7pm	20 World Refugee Day Pot Art & Craft @ Masonic Hall 10am Book Club for Children @ Library 3.30pm Youth Art Workshop @ CRC 4pm	21 Winter Solstice Be Connected @ CRC 10am Arts & Craft Group @ Community Centre 10am Story Time @ Library 10am	22 Uniform Shop @ School 8.45am-10am Choir Exercises @ Catholic Hall 9.30am CommuniTea Hub @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm	23 Rotary Wood Raffle @ Co-op Interscholar Cross Country Year 3 Assembly @ School 9am Story Time @ Library 1.30pm Dance Lessons @ Plesseville 7.30pm	24 Sanctuary Visit – Stableford @ Golf Club Markets @ Masonic Hall 9am-12pm Tim Catling Memorial @ Gun Club 10am Catholic Church 5.30pm
25 Open Day @ Golf Club Footy @ Matera Oval Uniting Church @ Waratah 9.15am & Wagin 10.15am ISSF State Qualifier @ Gun Club 9.30am Baptist Church 10.30am Winter Scroungers @ Bowling Club 1pm	26 Stay Active @ Rec Centre 9am SES Training 6.30pm	27 Dockers Shield @ School Book Club for Children @ Library 3.30pm Council Meeting @ Shire 7pm	28 Arts & Craft Group @ Community Centre 10am Story Time @ Library 10am	29 The Wagin Wool Press @ Catholic Hall 9.30am CommuniTea Hub @ Wesley Hall 10am-1pm Friends of the Library Meeting @ Library 4.30pm	30 RED Grants Close Story Time @ Library 1.30pm Candle Making Workshop @ CRC 6pm Little Mermaid @ Theatre 6.30pm Vineyard Church 6.30pm	

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

2023 - 2024 FINANCIAL YEAR

SENIOR/CONCESSION

- UNLIMITED internet access.
- The Wagin Wool Press emailed directly to you.

MEMBER DISCOUNTS ACROSS A RANGE OF PRODUCTS & SERVICES (Exclusions Apply)

\$20

INDIVIDUAL

- UNLIMITED internet access.
- The Wagin Wool Press emailed directly to you.

MEMBER DISCOUNTS ACROSS A RANGE OF PRODUCTS & SERVICES (Exclusions Apply)

\$30

FAMILY

- UNLIMITED internet access.
- The Wagin Wool Press emailed directly to you.
- Free or discounted entry to School Holiday Programs.

MEMBER DISCOUNTS ACROSS A RANGE OF PRODUCTS & SERVICES (Exclusions Apply)

\$50

BUSINESS/COMMUNITY GROUP

- 1 FREE full page colour advertisement.
- Choice of 1 FREE room hire for the day OR 3-day pop-up shop.
- The Wagin Wool Press emailed directly to you.

MEMBER DISCOUNTS ACROSS A RANGE OF PRODUCTS & SERVICES (Exclusions Apply)

\$80

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

All Subscribers become Members of the Wagin CRC and are entitled to membership rights, as per the Constitution, including the right to vote at general meetings, and other benefits as determined by the Committee.

The Wagin CRC Constitution can be found on the website at www.wagincrc.com, or it can be emailed to you or provided in a printed format upon request. Please tick the box below if you wish to receive a copy of the Constitution:

I would like to receive a copy of the Wagin CRC Constitution by email OR printed

Declaration: I/we hereby agree to abide by the rules and Constitution of the Wagin CRC Inc., to pay all amounts owing by me/us when due and to take appropriate care in the use of the Wagin CRC and the equipment contained therein.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Account Details: WAGIN COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE

Bankwest BSB: 306 033 Account: 010 7897

Reference: Name & Last Name Payments Accepted: Cheque, Direct Banking & Cash

Proudly Supported By



Department of
 Primary Industries and
 Regional Development

Proud member of:

