

# WATERSHED NEWS

PO BOX 60 WICKEPIN WA 6370

ABN 96 234 351 594

A fortnightly paper for the areas of  
Dudinin, Toolibin, Tincurrin,  
Harrismith, Yealering and Wickepin

*6th October 2020*

See you all at the

*Albert Facey Homestead*

*Celebrating 20 years*

Of the relocation to the Wickepin Town



**Saturday October 17, 2020**

**10am—2pm**

**ACTIVITIES \* ART & HISTORICAL DISPLAYS \* TOOLSEUM**

# Community News

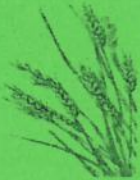


Birthday wishes to Alyce Paterson, Nathan Hill, Riley Spark, Kyle Angwin, Carly Hernaman, Kirsty Matthews, Couper Spark, Steven Podmore, Louisa White, Irene Moore, Meg Wylie, Barry Green, Rebecca Podmore, Elaine Bushby, Tasma Doncon, Brent Bennier, Gary Lang, Joanne Lewis

Congratulations and best wishes to Mulvie and Doug Corke who celebrated their 70<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on the 30<sup>th</sup> September 2020.



- Long-time past resident of Wickepin John Bartlett recently passed away. John operated a General Store on the site of the Elders building, then later became
- Manager of the Combined Districts Co-operative in Wickepin until he retired. Sympathy is extended to Debbie, Julie, Bradley, and families.



Vale John Avery. The community extends deepest sympathy to Issy, Karen, Shelly and Ken, Narelle and Greg and families on the passing of John on the 28<sup>th</sup> September 2020. A funeral service will be held on Friday the 9<sup>th</sup> October in Wickepin.

Noted in today's West, the passing of Colin Hawksley who farmed north of Narrogin. Sympathy to Jenny and the family. Jenny has managed the sale of chickens to many Wickepin residents.



Restricted burning season commenced on the 1<sup>st</sup> October 2020 and will go through to the 13<sup>th</sup> November 2020. No burning can be carried out unless you obtain a permit from your local fire control officer.

Please remember if you are walking your dog around the town **DO THE RIGHT THING** and pick up your dog poo. Bags available throughout the shire.



Don't forget that it is school holidays this week so be careful as children will be out and about. Term 4 commences next week.



# YEALERING FOOTBALL TEAM

## PREMIERS 1950



**Back Row:** Bill (Buster) Dawes, Peter Elson, Bernie Walton, Jim Carruthers, Maurice Corke, Len Beattie, Ern Woods

**Middle Row:** Bill McQueen, Laurie Carruthers, Ron Kerr, Wally Coxon, Jock Beattie, Doug Ingram

**Front Row:** Johnny Coxon, George Gilman, Bill Barber, Len Riley, Doug Corke

A reunion of the Yealering Football 1950 grand final premiers was held at Sandy Cove Tavern in South Yunderup on Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> September 2020. The six surviving team mates: Buster Dawes, Jim Carruthers, Doug Corke, Wally Coxon, Peter Elson and Jock Beattie had an enjoyable luncheon reminiscing about the game played 70 years ago, which resulted in a draw against Harrismith and had to be replayed the following week, which Yealering then won. Also in attendance were past players from the later Yealering teams who joined in the celebrations. Many stories were retold, speeches made and past glories remembered. A great day was had by all who attended!!!



# What's On In Wickepin Shire

## Mondays:

Watershed News -10<sup>th</sup> February - 14<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Fit Pursuit 6am-6.45am @ Wickepin Community Centre.

Body Pump 5pm-6pm @ Wickepin Community Centre

## Tuesdays:

She Shed He Shed - @ Old Recycling Shed Richter St- 9am-12noon

Pathology Service~ Appointment Only @ Wickepin Health Centre

## Wednesdays:

Every Wednesday- Social Arts & Crafts @ 9.30am - Joyner St

Corporate Bowls @ Wickepin Bowling Club

## Thursdays:

Fit Pursuit 6.00am to 6.45am @ Wickepin Community Centre

Yogalates @ Community Centre 9.30am-11am (Except school holidays)

Wickepin Playgroup 9.30am -11.30am

Local Vocals with Mazz – 6pm in Narrogin

## Saturdays:

Banksia Bowmen Archery- Wickepin Community Centre @ 9am  
Club Equipment Available

## Sundays:

Anglican Church every 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday @ 8am



## Shed-anigan Notes

The swap-meet held in early September proved a great success with the She-He Shed making just over \$1500 in sales from 'scrap-metal art' made by members. Some of the men also took turns to man the toolseum over the course of the day.

Doors have now been fitted on one of the sheds. The extra security means there is now room to house woodworking and automotive in the same shed and expand the metalworking space in the other.



It was Wickepin's turn to host the men's shed zone meeting in September. About thirty people attended from surrounding areas including Cuballing, Narrogin, Pingelly and Bruce Rock. The event being held at the Bowling club and run by the Men's Shed of WA, it was an opportunity to catch up, discuss what other sheds were doing and to share information. A speaker for hearing advocacy from Hearing Australia came out to speak about the importance of hearing and seeking help early. St John and the Road Safety Commission also attended and gave demonstrations and talks. The meeting concluded with a visit to the Wickepin She-He Shed with lots of photos taken of scrap-metal art members had made.

Members of the public are welcome to drop in on Tuesday mornings between 9am-1pm if they are interested in joining and for a donation the She-He Shed will accept small handyman jobs.

---

## Yealering 86 Gate Fire Brigade

There will be a refresher course on the fire truck at the Yealering town oval on Thursday the 8<sup>th</sup> October 2020 at 4pm. A DFES rep will be in attendance to show members how to use the town fire hydrants and the foaming feature on the fire engine. A defibrillator has been allocated to our brigade so this will also be demonstrated.



We hope to see you all there!!

---

## Garden Snippets.....



### .....*Simple Soil Test*

*The Size and Arrangement of soil particles – what is known as “Soil Texture” – can tell the home gardener if he/she has good or poor soil and indicate remedial action if necessary.*

*Here is a simple way of finding out what your garden soil is like.*

In a round 1 litre jar (or similar size) put about a quarter of a cup of soil and two cups of water. Seal and slosh the mixture for 30 seconds. Let it settle, then slosh again for a further 30 seconds.

Set aside and let it stand until the water clears. This may take up to 3 days, or even a week. Clay takes the longest to settle.

Study the different layers in the bottom of the jar. At the bottom will be the coarsest sand that settled first; then the fine sand; then silt; then clay. Bits of organic matter may be sprinkled over the top or floating in the water.

If it appears to be half sand, it would be called a **LIGHT SANDY SOIL**

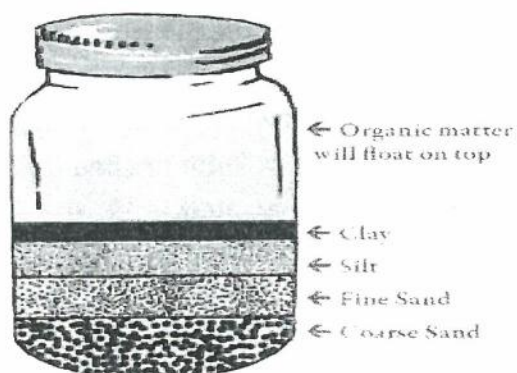
If it is over half silt, with but little clay, it is a **HEAVY SILT SOIL**

If it is more than  $\frac{1}{4}$  clay, with a large amount of silt, it is a **CLAY SOIL**

If it is about  $\frac{2}{5}$  sand +  $\frac{2}{5}$  silt and the rest clay, it is **GOOD LOAM SOIL - *Ideal!***

**LIGHT SANDY SOIL** is easy to work, quick to warm up in Spring and usually has good drainage. But it will not hold nutrients or moisture long, and so needs fertiliser and watering more often. To make it more “Moisture and Nutrient Retentive” add organic matter – *peat, compost, leaf mould, sawdust*.

**HEAVY SILT OR CLAY SOILS** may be slow to warm and dry out in Spring. They may drain poorly and be compacted easily. Do not work them when wet, or they will form lasting lumps. To make them “Lighter and More Porous”, add organic matter – *compost, chopped straw, peat moss, leaf mould, sawdust*. It may also help to dig in quantities of Coarse (not Fine) Sand, such as Pea Gravel or Coarse Perlite.





## HAVE YOU MADE A PAYMENT TO THE SHIRE VIA EFT?

On Wednesday 30 September 2020 the Shire of Wickepin received a payment via EFT. Insufficient information was provided in regards to the payment therefore the funds could not be allocated to the correct payee. If this is **YOUR** payment please contact the shire with evidence of payment so the funds can be processed.

## RESTRICTED BURNING PERIOD

The restricted burning season commenced 1 October 2020 and goes through to 13 November 2020. This means that no burning can be carried out unless you have a permit from your local Fire Control Officer.

A reminder that if you are reporting a fire you must ring 000, not the shire office. This measure will save valuable time.

## HARVEST BAN ALERTS

The SMS (text) alert service will again be in operation over the coming harvest period.

If you would like to register your number to receive these messages or have your number removed from the system, please contact the office or email your details to [admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au).

## MAGPIE NESTING SEASON

Magpies breed between August and October each year. Although magpies are quite alarming when they swoop please remember to stay calm – the clap of their wings and clacking of their bill is usually just a bluff. Like a dog, magpies seem to sense fear. The following steps can be followed to avoid or reduce the impact of a swooping magpie:

- Never deliberately provoke a magpie. Throwing sticks or stones usually makes them more defensive.
- Avoid areas where magpies are known to swoop.
- Locate the bird and keep watching it when entering its territory. If you are being swooped don't crouch or stop – continue on your way quickly but don't run.
- If you are riding a bike make sure you wear a helmet, and dismount and walk through nesting magpie territory.
- Try wearing a hat and sunglasses or carry an umbrella for protection, and
- Remember the magpies are just trying to protect their young.



## ALBERT FACEY HOMESTEAD

# CELEBRATING 20 YEARS

of the RELOCATION to the WICKEPIN TOWN CENTRE



BYO picnic to enjoy on the lawn near the homestead

ACTIVITIES • ART & HISTORICAL DISPLAYS • TOOLSEUM



10am to 2pm

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2020**

Wogolin Road, WICKEPIN (08) 9888 1005 [admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au)



Shire of Wickepin

The Shire of Wickepin invites tenders as detailed below.

**Tender RFT 3 2020/2021 Construction of One 4x2 executive home either transportable or built on site**

### **SPECIFICATIONS**

A copy of the Specifications and Conditions of Tender can be obtained from the Shire of Wickepin Administration Centre during normal office hours (8.30am-5.00pm) by telephoning Executive Support Officer on (08) 9888 1005. A copy can also be obtained by e-mailing your request to [eso@wickepin.wa.gov.au](mailto:eso@wickepin.wa.gov.au)

Tenders close at 4.00pm on 6 November 2020 and can be addressed to, The Chief Executive Officer, PO Box 19, Wickepin 6370, or delivered to the Council Tender Box at the Shire of Wickepin Administration Centre, 77 Wogolin Road, and duly marked with the relevant tender number.

**The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.**

**Mark J Hook**  
Chief Executive Officer



## WICKEPIN FLOORBALL

**ALL AGES WELCOME**  
**FREE WORKSHOP & DEMO**  
 @ the **COMMUNITY CENTRE**  
**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16**  
**3.30pm to 5.00pm**

[dorry.grzanic@police.wa.gov.au](mailto:dorry.grzanic@police.wa.gov.au) OR [cdo@wickepin.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdo@wickepin.wa.gov.au)



**FLOORBALL  
WA**



Department of  
Local Government, Sport  
and Cultural Industries

### SHIRE OF WICKEPIN

The Shire of Wickepin is seeking public comment on a proposal to request the Minister for Lands to amend the vesting order for Reserve 15782 (Williams Location 15727 Railway Dam Wickepin) to allow for recreational pursuits including camping.

Written comments are to be submitted via email to [admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@wickepin.wa.gov.au) or mailed to **PO Box 19, Wickepin WA 6370** on or before 5pm Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2020.

If you have any questions about this application, please call Mark Hook at the shire of Wickepin 08 9888 1005

**MARK HOOK**  
**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

#### UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS 2020

Tues 6 Oct	DrumMuster	8.00am
Wed 7 Oct	Lifestyle Retirement Committee Meeting	9.30am
Fri 16 Oct	Floorball Workshop & Demonstration	3.30pm
Sat 17 Oct	Albert Facey 20 year Anniversary Celebration	10.00am
Wed 21 Oct	Ordinary Meeting of Council	3.30pm
Mon 26 Oct	Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting	3.00pm

### COVID 19 - NOTICE TO ALL CLUBS (SERVICE OF FOOD)

#### Serving of Food – during and after events

All clubs must continue to stay aware of Government regulations and advice surrounding this matter, especially in an environment where the situation may change rapidly.

#### Hygiene Course

All staff and volunteers associated with service of food and/or bar service must complete the required COVID Hygiene Courses. Details of these courses are available here: <https://hospitalityhygiene.com/>

#### COVID Safety Plan

Phase 4 restrictions do require an up-to-date COVID Safety Plan, and the certificate must be on display in your Club. The plan should address the provision of food should the Club plan to do so.

The safety plan template is available here: [https://www.wa.gov.au/sites/default/files/2020-06/COVID-19-Safety-Plan-Phase-4-Food-Businesses-and-Licensed-Premises\\_0.pdf](https://www.wa.gov.au/sites/default/files/2020-06/COVID-19-Safety-Plan-Phase-4-Food-Businesses-and-Licensed-Premises_0.pdf)

#### Provision of Meals

It is suggested that all meals, including lunches provided at carnivals, be served individually plated and directly to patrons seated at their table. This should include all elements available on the one individual plate, rather than any "self-service" options like a salad bar or shared plates of food in the middle of tables.

Service directly to the table also avoids lines which are difficult to manage in a COVID friendly manner.

#### After game snacks

It is recommended that clubs should not be serving shared platters of food (sandwiches, party pies, cheese and biscuits etc) to tables while Phase 4 restrictions are in place. Should Clubs devise a method of serving any of these types of food using an individual serve approach (eg. Individually packaged cheese and biscuits, or sandwiches) then this would be appropriate, but may be a costly solution. At this time it may be prudent to leave this post game offer out until we move to Stage 5 – perhaps a free drink for the opposition may suffice.

#### Cake stalls etc

Whilst this may be a popular method of raising funds, it is recommended against the running of cake stalls or other "bring a plate" type events during this time. Unfortunately, the safe and hygienic provision of such items is unable to assured, hence this recommendation.

#### Sausage Sizzles/Barbecues

Again, avoiding lines and self-service is the advice. So having approved people doing the preparation and then serving the food directly to patrons is the recommendation.

Clearly these are recommendations, with our best advice to simply follow the Government regulations.





Local news from...

# WICKEPIN POLICE STATION

## It's back to school – remember 40km/h zones

After a fun filled couple of weeks School students will be returning to school on Monday 12th October and the Wickepin Police would like to remind everyone to take extra care and to heed the 40km/h zones around schools as children begin heading back.

As the kids heading back to school will be excited, chattering, looking at their phones, running to catch up to friends or riding their bikes – it's essential that drivers slow down and be vigilant as schools resume again.

With statistics showing that every year police detail a high number of people fined for travelling at more than 40km/h in school zones all of us as road users need to be cautious in school zones, even when doing the correct speed, to ensure that children's lives are protected.

In Western Australia 40km/hr speed zones are in place around schools from 7:30 - 9am in the morning and from 2:30-4pm in the afternoon on school days with research showing that a child hit by a car at 40km/hr has a 75% chance of surviving compared to a child hit at 60km/hr only having a 20% survival rate.

Remember - You can contact us on 9888 1100. For all other matters that require Police attendance please note the numbers below.

EMERGENCY

**000**

For life-threatening situations

POLICE ASSISTANCE

**131 444**

When police attendance is required

CRIME STOPPERS

**1800 333 000**

Report crime anonymously

POLICE DIRECT

**Online services**

Online reporting, applications and payments

Dorry GRZINIC  
Senior Constable  
Wickepin Police Station



The reason fire stations have spiral stairways dates back to when engines were pulled by horses. The horses were kept on the ground floor and worked out how to climb straight staircases.

# Peter Rundle MLA

Member for Roe

## MEDIA RELEASE

5 October 2020

### Regional drowning figures back The Nationals push to boost VacSwim

Peter Rundle says an alarming rise in the percentage of drownings in regional WA emphasises the need for greater water education across the State.

He said the disappointing figures in the National Drowning Report 2020 had galvanised The Nationals WA commitment to provide free VacSwim courses for children in regional WA if the Party was returned to Government in March.

"The report painted a tragic picture of actual and near-drownings across regional WA and showed more needs to be done to teach people of the dangers in our waterways," he said.

"Around 57 percent of WA's drowning deaths happened outside the metropolitan area and West Australians were 3.8 times more likely to drown in regional WA – and this is up from 2.3 times in last year's report.

"More needs to be done to ensure children across our regions learn the valuable lessons of water safety to reduce the rate of drownings."

Mr Rundle said The Nationals' VacSwim election policy aimed to increase enrolments from 17,000 participants to 34,000 through an increased number of courses and locations.

"Our commitment also includes increased support to Royal Life Saving WA to train more swimming instructors who can provide these important lessons to children of an early age," he said.

"The sooner our children can be educated about how to respect waterways, beaches and pools then those lessons can stand them in good stead into the future.

"One death by drowning is too many and The Nationals' VacSwim plan provide an important opportunity for more residents in Roe to work, live and play around water in a safe way."

The Nationals WA Leader Mia Davies, who is Vice-Patron of Royal Life Saving WA, said there were 80,000 regional children aged between 5 and 15 years eligible to participate in VacSwim each year but less than a quarter undertook the lessons.

"The Labor Government has made access to VacSwim more difficult for regional families by increasing fees by more than 120 per cent and threatening to remove programs without consulting with local communities," she said.

"VacSwim has been around for more than 100 years, enabling generations to learn and develop water skills and it is important to extend those lessons so regional West Australians can enjoy our waterways for sun, fitness and health."

**END**

**Please contact Peter Rundle MLA for further information. P: 9881 1225**

[peter.rundle@mp.wa.gov.au](mailto:peter.rundle@mp.wa.gov.au)

[www.peterrundle.com.au](http://www.peterrundle.com.au)

Spokesperson for Education and Training, Commerce, Citizenship & Multicultural Interests, Seniors and Ageing, Sport and Recreation, Volunteering



**THE NATIONALS** *for Regional WA*

October  
31st

# TRICK TREAT

October  
31st

## Halloween in Wicky 2020

Halloween trick or treating is becoming more popular every year with the kids of Wickepin who have so much fun dressing up and collecting lollies!!

While some love Halloween, we understand that some are uncomfortable with the idea of trick and treaters knocking, or you may just be away on holiday.

That's why this year, the Wickepin CRC is making a list of addresses for all the little ghosts, goblins and witches!

Please let us know by Thurs 29th if you would like your address included on our

'Trick or treaters welcome list' or the 'Sorry no lollies here list'


Lists of addresses (no names will be included) will be made available on the Wickepin CRC Facebook page on the 30th of October

Phone: 9888 1500 or

Email: [wickepinlibrary@westnet.com.au](mailto:wickepinlibrary@westnet.com.au)



Wickepin  
Community Resource Centre

The background of the entire poster is a twilight sky transitioning from a warm orange and yellow at the top to a deep blue at the bottom. Several strings of warm white string lights are draped across the sky, with some lights glowing brightly.

# *Twilight Markets*

**Save the Date!!**

**Saturday 28th November  
from 4pm**

**At Wickepin Community Centre**

**Book your Stall Now!**

**Contact Wickepin CRC on  
Phone 9888 1500**

**Email: [wickepintc@westnet.com.au](mailto:wickepintc@westnet.com.au)**

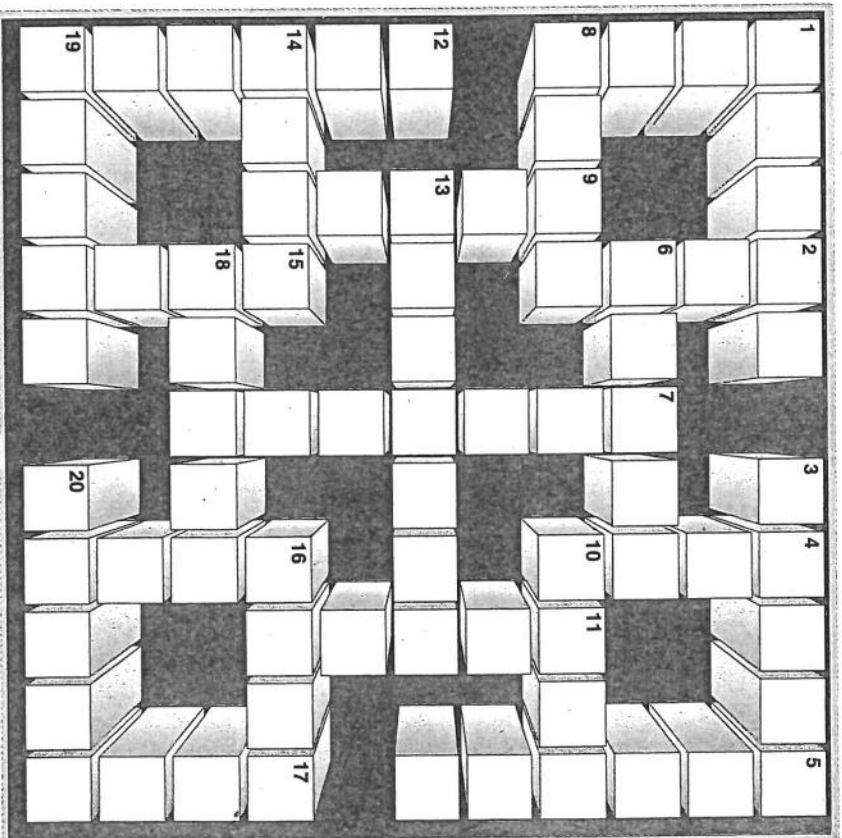
# KIDS CORNER

## SPELLBOUND

Have a go at this crossword using the words listed at the bottom of the opposite page. If you want to make it harder you can cover up the words.



- ACROSS**
1. An elephant, large plane or something giant-sized (5)
  3. You shouldn't lie, you should tell the ... (5)
  6. Sopping wet (5)
  8. Long ago, in the ... (4)
  10. Close a door noisily, ... it shut (4)
  13. Instructions for how to cook (7)
  14. Folk story, All ... *And The 40 Thieves* (4)
  16. Another word for spheres or globes (4)
  18. Sound a duck makes (5)
  19. Cold summer dish of fresh greens (5)
  20. Sweet sauce for ice cream or pancakes. It might be chocolate or maple (5)
- DOWN**
1. Leap into the air (4)
  2. Closest buddy, ... friend (4)
  4. Beams of sunlight (4)
  5. Tool for hitting nails with (6)
  7. Large ape (7)
  9. Bushy plant (5)
  11. Person who comes last in a race or game (5)
  12. Tiny tots (6)
  15. Blue-green colour (4)
  16. Handy little word you say to mean, "Yes, that's fine" (4)
  17. Sudsy bar you use to wash yourself with in the bath or shower (4)



## Word List

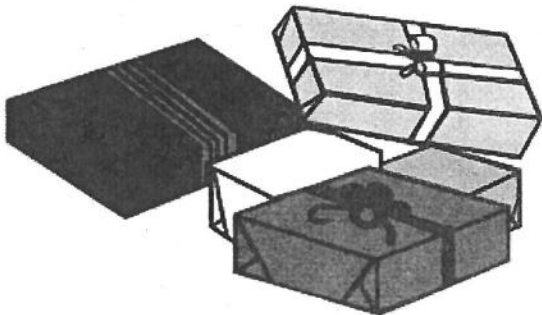
- |         |        |         |       |
|---------|--------|---------|-------|
| AQUA    | HAMMER | PAST    | SLAM  |
| BABA    | JUMBO  | QUACK   | SOAP  |
| BABIES  | JUMP   | RAYS    | SOGGY |
| BEST    | LOSER  | RECIPES | SYRUP |
| GORILLA | ORBS   | SALAD   | TRUTH |
|         |        | SHRUB   |       |

**Happy Birthday**

**Happy Birthday**

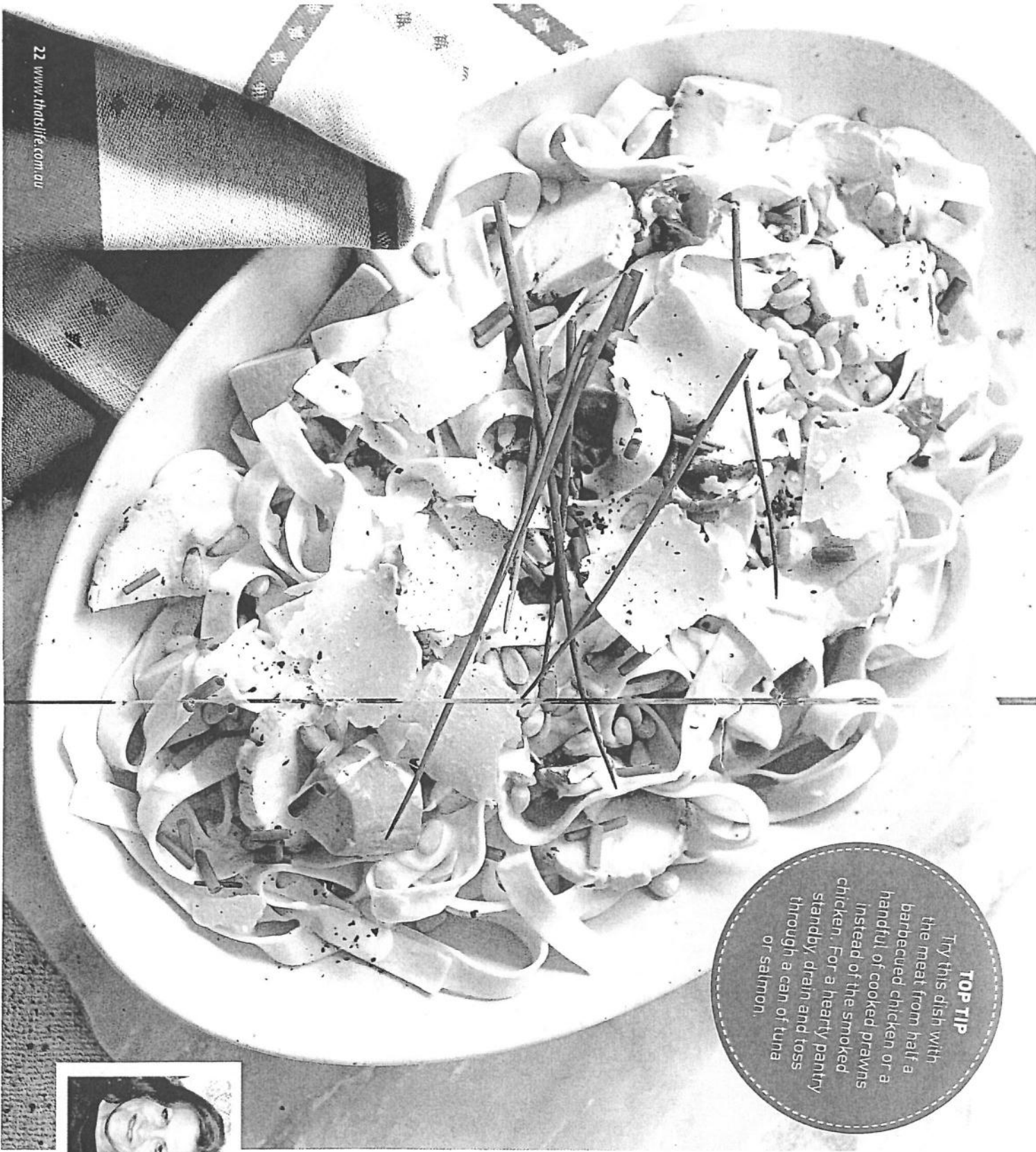


Lane Mail  
2.10.2009



# IN THE KITCHEN

22 www.thislifestyle.com.au



**TOP TIP**  
Try this dish with the meat from half a barbecued chicken or a handful of cooked prawns instead of the smoked chicken. For a hearty pantry standby, drain and toss through a can of tuna or salmon.

»»»  
**PASTA WITH SMOKED CHICKEN**

by *Yvonne Larkins*

SERVES 4  
TIME 15 MIN

- 500g dried fettuccine
- 450g smoked chicken breast, sliced
- ½ cup semi-dried tomatoes
- ¼ cup pine nuts
- 300ml light cooking or thickened cream
- 1 avocado, diced

**1** Cook the pasta according to packet directions. Drain and reserve. Place chicken, semi-dried tomatoes and pine nuts into a dry frying pan and lightly cook for about 1 min.  
**2** Add the cream and simmer over low heat for about 6–8 min. Toss together sauce, avocado and pasta. Serve topped with a generous amount of shaved parmesan and extra pine nuts. Garnish with chopped chives if desired.



**Yvonne Larkins,**  
**Blackheath, NSW**  
Add mushrooms, olives or other ingredients that you love. You can use low-fat cream or low-fat evaporated milk instead of full cream if you want to save some calories.

# IN THE KITCHEN

A COOK'S GUIDE TO

# APPLES

April is for apples, and this season is the launch of Coles' biggest range yet. From tart to sweet, fresh to cooked, here's how to enjoy - and how to spot - delicious Coles Aussie apples.



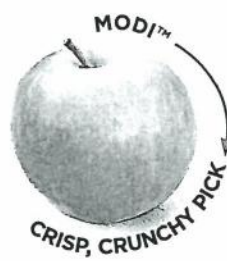
This Aussie icon is instantly recognisable thanks to its bright green skin. It has firm, tart flesh that holds its shape when stewed or baked.



Large in size with firm, sweet flesh, this juicy apple is perfect for baking (see cheat's apple pies, opposite) or making apple sauce to serve with roast pork.



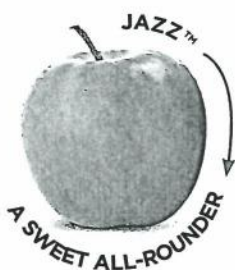
With its deep red flesh, this large variety is the ultimate fairytale apple. It has a mellow flavour and soft texture, so best to enjoy this one fresh.



Exclusive to Coles, this medium to large sized pick has bright red skin with a yellow crown. Its intensely sweet flavour works well in pies.

**EVE™ APPLES**  
Keep an eye out for another tasty apple arriving at Coles later in the season

Available in stores from mid-June, the Eve™ variety has bright red skin and crisp white flesh with a mellow flavour. The flesh is slow to oxidise (brown) so it's perfect to shred and stir through bircher muesli or thinly slice and toss into salads.



Pick one up and you'll enjoy crunchy, tangy flavour. It's small to medium in size so is great for lunch boxes, plus it's delish baked in cakes and slices.



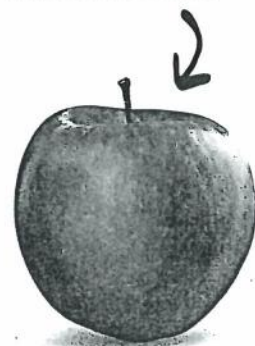
This variety is usually the first apple of the season. It's delicious enjoyed raw - core and cut one into matchsticks to toss through slaw or salad.



Fresh is best when it comes to enjoying this bright red apple. It has sweet, tangy white flesh but get in quick as it has a relatively short season.



High in sweet flavour, this medium-sized apple shines when cooked. Use it to make mouth-watering pie filling, or roast it to serve with meats.



LOVE THEM  
**apples**

This season sees the biggest ever range of apples at Coles.



**No added WAX**

All Coles apples are natural with no wax coating.



**Aussie grown**

The apples at Coles are always 100 per cent Australian grown.





# WICKEPIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

## CHECK OUT WHAT'S NEW!!

### Adult Fiction

#### The Viennese Girl—Jenny Lecoat

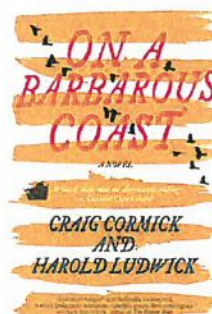
In June 1940, the horror-struck inhabitants of Jersey watch as the German army unopposed takes possession of their island. Now only a short way from the English coast, the Germans plan their invasion. Hedy Bercu, a young Jewish girl from Vienna who fled to the isolation and safety of Jersey two years earlier to escape the Nazis, finds herself once more trapped, but this time with no way of escape. Hiding her racial status, Hedy is employed by the German authorities and secretly embarks on small acts of resistance. But most dangerously of all, she falls in love with German lieutenant Kurt Neumann -- a relationship on which her life will soon depend. A remarkable novel of finding hope and love when all seems at its darkest.



### Adult Fiction

#### On a Barbarous Coast— Craig Cormick and Harold Ludwick

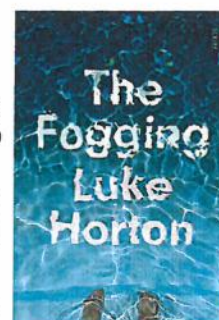
On a Barbarous Coast is an alternative retelling of Captain James Cook's story co-written by Craig Cormick and Harold Ludwick in the tradition of imagined histories. On a night of raging winds and rain, Captain Cook's Endeavour lies splintered on a coral reef off the coast of far north Australia. A small disparate band of survivors, fracturing already, huddle on the shore of this strange land - their pitiful salvage scant protection from the dangers of the unknown creatures and natives that live here. Watching these mysterious white beings, the Guugu Yimidhirr people cannot decide if they are ancestor spirits to be welcomed - or hostile spirits to be speared. One headstrong young boy, Garrgiil, determines to do more than watch and to be the one to find out what exactly they are. Fierce, intriguing and thoughtful, On a Barbarous Coast is the story of a past and future that might have been.



### Adult Fiction

#### The Fogging—Luke Horton

A compelling tale of the slow disintegration of a relationship and the unravelling of a man. Tom and Clara are two struggling academics in their mid-thirties, who decide to take their first holiday in ten years. On the flight over to Indonesia, Tom experiences a debilitating panic attack, something he hasn't had in a long time, which he keeps hidden from Clara. At the resort, they meet Madeleine, a charismatic French woman, her Australian partner, Jeremy, and five-year-old son, Ollie, and the two couples strike up an easy friendship. The holiday starts to look up, even to Tom, who is struggling to get out of his own head. But when Clara and Madeleine become trapped in the maze-like grounds of the hotel during 'the fogging' — a routine spraying of pesticide — the dynamics suddenly shift between Tom and Clara, and the atmosphere of the holiday darkens.



### Adult Non-Fiction

#### Wild Your Garden: Create a sanctuary for nature—Jim and Joel Ashton

If we all made space for wildlife in our garden, we'd transform levels of biodiversity and help combat wildlife habitat loss, plummeting pollinator numbers, and carbon emissions. But it's not just a question of letting the weeds take over - there's an art and balance to rewilding a garden well so that you can enjoy it too. The Butterfly Brothers are experts at designing wildlife-friendly gardens, and in *Wild Your Garden*, they show you how to work with nature, support wildlife, and create a self-maintaining, no-dig balance of planting. Transform a paved-over yard into a lush oasis, create refuges to welcome endangered species, or change a high-maintenance lawn into a mini-meadow with the potential to absorb carbon and air pollution. The projects don't require specialist gardening knowledge or lots of land, so whatever size space you have, you can rewild your own little corner of the planet. Most importantly, *Wild Your Garden* will show you the beauty and rewards of sharing your space with nature.

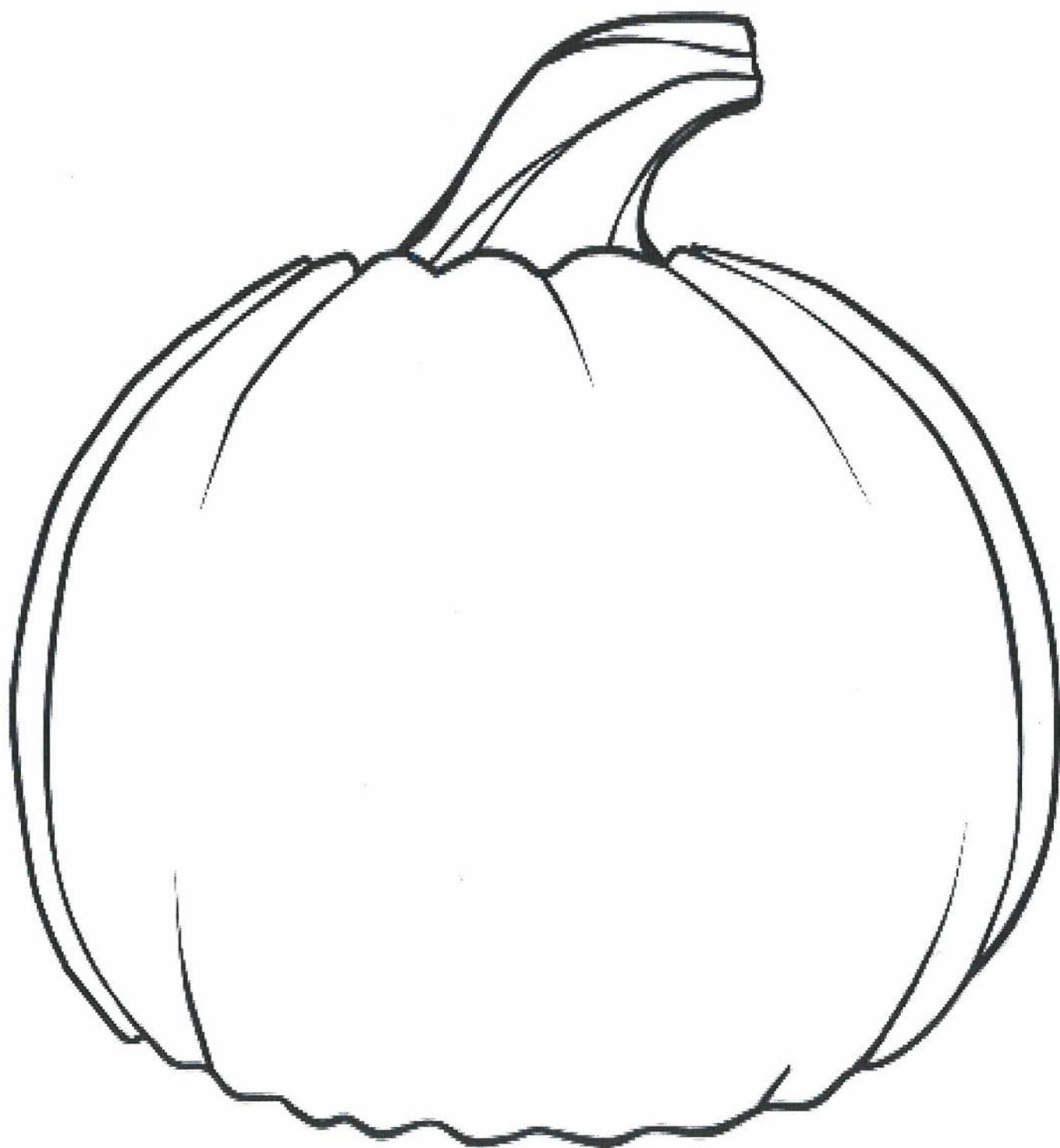


# Halloween Pumpkin Design Competition

Design and colour in the pumpkin below to win..  
Will your pumpkin be scary, funny or artistic??

**PRIZES** for the winners (age categories)

Return to Wickepin CRC by Wednesday 28th October



Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Contact \_\_\_\_\_

## Classified

**For Sale:** Fisher & Paykel stainless steel dishdrawer dishwasher  
Model DD605. One drawer only working - \$350 non negotiable  
Phone 0428 898 025

**For Sale:**

- New 50 pack contemporary Christmas cards  
4 packs available - \$3 each
- Mad Catz PC gaming steering wheel and foot pedals - \$30
- Wii games Deal or No Deal \$5 / World sports Party \$5
- Avon Anew Perfect Eye Cream 15grms \$3
- Naturals anti wrinkle cream 50g \$3
- Avon Anew 50g Advanced All In One 50g \$3
- Avon Solutions Ageless Accolade  
Day Cream 50 g \$3  
Night Cream 50g \$3
- Brand new desktop weather station, thermometer, hygrometer, barometer, clock \$20
- Phone 0429 881 077

**Found:** A pair of ear phones have recently been handed in to the shire office which were found at the Wickepin Community Centre. If you believe these belong to you, please attend the office with a detailed description as proof of ownership of the item.

### **WE WANT YOUR ADS!**

To advertise any item in the Watershed Classifieds is free for two weeks,  
so send in your ads!

Email your ads to [watershed@wn.com.au](mailto:watershed@wn.com.au), drop them at the Community Resource Centre  
or fax to 9888 1588

## **HENS for sale**

CharCol Springs laying hens, 16 months old  
Very friendly, healthy and are great foragers.  
\$10 each, \$9 for 10 or more, \$8 for 20 or more.  
Pass through Williams, Narrogin, Pingelly, Wickepin  
Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October.  
For bookings call Coleen 0439 744 200



## **Time to Smile and Laugh**

I changed my iPod's name to Titanic. It's syncing now.

England has no kidney bank, but it does have a Liverpool.

Haunted French pancakes give me the crepes.

This girl today said she recognized me from the Vegetarians Club, but I'd swear I've never met herbivore .



**PROGRESS SHEARING**



**YEALERING**

**Professional teams  
available state wide**

**Over 25 years' experience  
in the shearing industry**

**Competitive contract and cost-plus rates  
Woolpress and shearing head hire**

**If you are unhappy with your current  
shearing situation, give me a call for  
an obligation free quote.**

***CONTACT GREG***

**P: 0429 651 161**

**E: [egor@westnet.com.au](mailto:egor@westnet.com.au)**



SCANLAN WOOLS PTY LTD

SCANLAN WOOL PTY LTD



SCANLAN WOOLS PTY LTD

## ***Home of WA's own merino sweater***

### ***"The SWOOLLY"***

- Low fixed rate brokering @ 9 cents per kg
- Price on sheep's back spot and forward
- Shed clean ups
- No bulk class, interlotting or storage charges
- Hobby farmer spot purchasing
- Shearing advances
- Insurance covered from sheep's back to our store at no cost.
- Sponsors of the Wickepin "Merino Fours" event
- New packs available at cost



**TREVOR SMITH 0448 445 540**

**STEVE NOA 0417 621 659**

**PETER SCANLAN 0438 337 989**

**HEAD OFFICE 08 9 337 9891**

[wool@scanlanwool.com.au](mailto:wool@scanlanwool.com.au)

[www.scanlanwool.com.au](http://www.scanlanwool.com.au)

[www.swoolly.com.au](http://www.swoolly.com.au)

Thinking of selling or leasing  
your rural property?

**If you're considering selling or leasing property in Wickepin and the surrounding area, now is the time to get in touch with Steve Wright.**

Steve has been specialising in marketing rural property for over 38 years.

Steve holds a Triennial Certificate and has a proven track record when it comes to negotiating rural property. With deep local relationships, and a host of verified buyers and lessees looking to enter the market or expand their operations, you can be sure your property is in the best hands.

For a professional level of service & your obligation free appraisal, contact him to discuss your property needs today.



**Steve Wright**  
0427 794 500  
steve.wright@nutrien.com.au



# BENJAMIN KITLOW CONSTRUCTIONS

Registered Builder 13506

Framed Homes  
Re-Roofing  
Extensions  
Bathroom Renovations  
Asbestos Removal  
Insurance Work

Phone: 0437 378 492  
[bkconstructions@live.com.au](mailto:bkconstructions@live.com.au)

## G.S & B Madej

- Concreting
  - Bricklaying
    - Brick paving
    - Liquid Limestone / concrete



Greg: Mob: 0427 812 006 Ph: 9881 2006

Email: [gsbmadej@westnet.com.au](mailto:gsbmadej@westnet.com.au)





Servicing the  
Wickepin area  
for 18 years

- ◆ Bobcat
- ◆ Excavator
- ◆ Ditchwitch
- ◆ Post Hole Digger
- ◆ Tip Truck

## Dews Excavations

- House Pads
- Shed Pads
- Subsoil Drains
- Septic Tanks
- Leech Drains
- Trenching for Utility Connections
- Drainage
- Yard Clean Ups
- Yellow Sand
- Gravel
- Bluemetal
- Cracker Dust
- Road Base
- Garden Soil



Call Rob on 0428 836035

## Peter Rundle MLA

Member for Roe

Narrogin Office  
PO Box 378  
Narrogin WA 6312  
Ph 08 9881 1225  
Fax 08 9881 3082

Esperance Office  
107 Dempster St  
Esperance WA 6450  
Ph 08 9071 6555  
Fax 08 9071 6788

Peter Rundle MLA  
www.peterrundle.com.au  
@PeterRundleMLA  
facebook.com/PeterRundleRoe



**THE NATIONALS** for Regional WA

# Make the most from your fertilizer investment



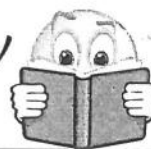
As your local Area Manager, Brett Coxon is keen to assist you with all of your fertilizer decisions this season.

So whether it's soil testing, nutritional advice, fuel gauges, or simply an on-farm appointment to discuss your requirements, give Brett a call today.

Mobile: 0427 766 506 Email: bcoxon@summitfertz.com.au







Narrogin GasworX

# NgN-Cuby Stock Feed

**ALL YOUR PET AND LIVESTOCK NEEDS**

HORSE - Feed-Nutrition-Medical-Accessories

POULTRY-Mixes-Crumbles

DOG-Kibbles -Rolls-Tins-Accessories

CAT-Biscuits

BIRD -Seed Mixes- Aviary-Parrot

SHEEP-Cubes

HAY BALES & ROLLS

DELIVERIES AVAILABLE  
WEEKLY

SPECIALIST FEEDS  
AVAILABLE ON ORDER  
FOR ANY ANIMAL

[www.narrogingasworx.com.au](http://www.narrogingasworx.com.au)

Ph:9881 2005

24 Fairway Street Narrogin

Readers

This space is reserved

for your Ad

Contact:

“The Watershed News Team”Email:

[watershed@wn.com.au](mailto:watershed@wn.com.au)

We ♥  
Advertising



**Wheat Fields Upholstery**

0427 981 577  
90632 359

## UPHOLSTERY & REPAIR SERVICES

Household, Automotive, Motor Bike Seats,  
Farm Equipment Covers & Bags in PVC Tarp  
Shock-cord Loops, Shock-cord by metre, Press Studs, Eyelets,  
other fasteners fitted while you wait.

Small patches welded to Small PVC Tarps using heat gun.

Chunky Zips in small Canopies re-placed.

*(Canopies must be clean and removed from vehicle)*

All Natural Cleaning agents for Vinyl, Fabric and Leather *(Removes wine, blood, ink and many more stains)*

Tontine Soft Fill (ideal for pillows) - Tontine 220gm wadding by the metre  
Foam cut to size available on site.

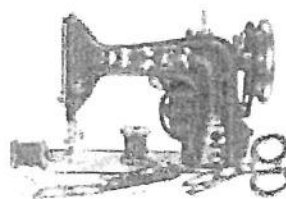
Most other requirements O/N ex Perth *(If ordered before midday)*  
Warwick Fabrics 3-4 days ex Melbourne

Contact Glynis Robinson

Mob: 0427 981 577

Email: [wheatfields@iinet.net.au](mailto:wheatfields@iinet.net.au)

50 Campbell Street West, Corrigin WA 6375



*(If searching by street view on Google Maps. They are so outdated, they still show vacant block)*



### ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

Johnston Street, Wickepin – Phone 0428 898 025

Services held at 8.00am  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays – All welcome  
Service only

## ANGWIN PLUMBING AND GAS

Do you need a plumber or gas fitter? Then call Rhys Angwin we are a friendly plumbing business operating throughout the Upper Great Southern & surrounding areas. We specialise in all types of plumbing and gas work ranging from:

- 4/7 emergency care
- Leaking taps & toilets<sup>2</sup>
- Burst pipes
- Blocked drains and pipes
- New hot water unit installations
- Ovens, hotplates, dishwashers and fridges
- Bathroom, Laundry and Kitchen reno's

And much more!!!

Call Rhys with whatever plumbing or gas problem you have.

Pensioner discounts! Call:

**PL: 8498GL: 014986**



**0400-165-265**



KYLE GUMPRICH 0472 639 345		LAURIE DUNN 0429 881 225
-------------------------------------	--	-----------------------------------

**LC & HM DUNN WOOLBUYERS**

WE SPECIALISE IN  
ODDMENT SERVICES  
AUCTION SALES AND ADVICE  
FORWARD CONTRACTS  
CALL US TODAY TO ARRANGE  
A TIME THAT SUITS YOU  
*WORKING TOGETHER WITH NUTRIEN*

Locally Owned, Locally Operated and  
Serving the Community Since 1985



121 Federal Street, NARROGIN  
9881 2288

Clinic Hours:  
Tuesday & Friday  
8.30am to 5.00pm

email: [familyeyecare@westnet.com.au](mailto:familyeyecare@westnet.com.au)

Also at: 173 Clive Street, KATANNING  
9821 1600

Clinic Hours:  
Wednesday & Thursday  
8.30am to 1.45pm and  
2.30pm to 5.00pm



**MELCHIORRE**  
PLUMBING & GAS

Brad Melchiorre  
0424 657 097  
[admin@melchiorreplumbing.com.au](mailto:admin@melchiorreplumbing.com.au)

PLC2935  
GF015227

**FOR ALL YOUR PLUMBING NEEDS!**  
Commercial • Industrial • Residential • Maintenance

FOR ALL YOUR PEST CONTROL NEEDS  
CONTACT CRAIG AT



Ph: 9880 1152 / 0429 801 152

All jobs interior and exterior  
considered at competitive prices by  
a local qualified technician based in  
Kulin.

*Specialising in termite inspections,  
termite treatments/barriers and  
reports.*

Hachzed Pty Ltd trustee for the HZE Unit Trust trading  
as:

**HARRIS** ABN:85 034 929 787 383 Walton Street  
**HUGLIAN** ACN: 141 014 306 CORRIGIN WA 6375  
**ELECTRICS** EC004116 Email: [hzelectrics@bigpond.com](mailto:hzelectrics@bigpond.com)  
Ph: 08 9063 2911

*For all your electrical Repairs  
and Installations in and  
around Corrigin*

Contact:  
**Gary** on **0417 632 289**  
or  
**Liam** on **0417 632 298**



Find us on:  
**facebook.**



## Spreading for a Sustainable Future

### WHEATBELT SPREADING SERVICE



Wickepin, Yealering, Harrismith, Tincurrin, Toolibin, Dudinin, Wagin  
and surrounding districts

Spreading Lime, Gypsum, Dolomite and Fertilizers



Multi-Spread Units



Fitted with GPS and Load Cells

Phone: Richard: 0429 137 164

Local Friendly Service

Karen : 0427 778 102

Email: [wheatbeltspreading@gmail.com](mailto:wheatbeltspreading@gmail.com)

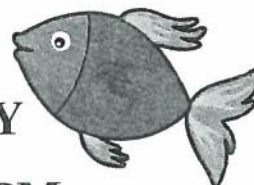
Richard & Karen Rushton PO Box 88, Wickepin, WA 6370

### *THE FRESH FISH VAN*

WICKEPIN

EVERY FRIDAY

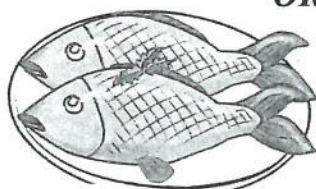
8.30AM TO 12.30PM



IN PARKING BAY OPPOSITE THE RESOURCE CENTRE

*FRESH FISH, FROZEN FISH, PRAWNS AND SEAFOOD*

*ORDERS WELCOME*



DARREL

0497 555 961

## WICKEPIN BOWLING CLUB

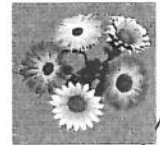
Bowls started yesterday and 22 bowlers played which is a good start to the season. A big welcome to new members Alison and Sam Horley!! Many thanks to Marj White and Eric Fleay our Patrons who sponsored the day and congratulations to the Winners Sam Horley and Alan Wyllie and also Runner-Ups Marj White and Chris Moore.



Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October is a Club Day when Bev Davidson will be there to give out a few coaching tips and also organise a few drills to improve our bowls!! This will be at 1pm so I would encourage members to go along and enjoy the afternoon.

Corporate Bowls which was in the Fixture Book starting on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> October and the following two Wednesdays has been cancelled unfortunately due to low number of teams nominating. Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October is our Vera Watson Pairs Memorial Day so hoping for a good roll-up of bowlers to support Jean and Phil in memory of Vera. Names to be in by 1.30pm.

Our thoughts are with Isobel, Karen, Shelley, Narelle and families with the loss of John who has been a valued member of our Bowling Club.



## Yealering Tennis Club

The 20/21 season commenced on Monday the 28<sup>th</sup> September with a busy bee to get the clubhouse and courts into shape and was followed by social tennis, then AGM and a barbecue. It was great to be back on the courts as last season was cut short due to the Covid19 pandemic.

The office bearers for this season remain the same as last year.

President: Emily Davey

Sec Treas: Rachael Hill

Captain Natalie Manton

Caterer : Karen Hill

Lawn Keeper: Pome Davidson

Next Sunday is social tennis which commences at 3pm and will be followed by a barbecue.

New members are always welcome!



## NOTICE OF MEETING Wickepin Football Club AGM

The AGM will be held on Tuesday 27 October 2020

Commencing at 7.15pm

At the Wickepin Community Centre

Numbers are required for a quorum

*Rowan Astbury  
Wickepin Football Club President*

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## OCTOBER

- Tue 6th Drum Muster 8am. Bookings essential.  
Wed 7th Lifestyle Retirement Committee Meeting 9.30am  
Thu 8th WCRC School holiday movie morning Paws PI 10am-12noon  
Sat 10th Macrame Wall hanging 10am-12.30pm  
Sat 10th Book Folding Workshop— Community Centre 1.30pm-4pm  
Sun 11th Vera Watson Pairs @ Wickepin Bowling Club  
Mon 12th School resumes  
Fri 16th Floorball Workshop and demo—Wickepin Community Centre 3.30—5pm  
Sat 17th Celebrating 20 years Albert Facey Homestead—10am—2pm  
Sun 18th Bowls Captain Sponsored Day 1.30pm @ Wickepin Bowling Club  
**Mon 19th Watershed News**  
Wed 21st Shire of Wickepin Ordinary Meeting of Council 3.30pm  
Mon 26th Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting—3pm  
Tue 27th Wickepin Football Club AGM—7.15pm @ Wickepin Community Centre  
Sat 31st Halloween 2020  
Sat 31st Halloween—Cuballing Tavern

## NOVEMBER

- Mon 2nd Watershed News**  
**Mon 16th Watershed News**  
Sat 28th Twilight Markets—Wickepin Community Centre from 4pm  
**Mon 30th Watershed News**

## DECEMBER

- Mon 14th Watershed News**



The Contact for the Watershed is at the CRC. Phone 9888 1500 or Fax 9888 1588

Email: [watershed@wn.com.au](mailto:watershed@wn.com.au)

Advertising Rates: Full Page \$30 ½ page \$15 ¼ page \$8 Business Card Size \$5