

Shire of Manjimup

Celebrating our Diversity



SHIRE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE Jiashan County Visit

In March 2010, Council endorsed the opportunity to invite a Chinese delegation representing the Jiashan County to visit the Shire of Manjimup for the purpose of exploring the merits of establishing a Sister City relationship.

An itinerary for the delegation of six from Jiashan county visiting the Shire on Thursday 14 May & Friday 15 May 2010 will focus on promoting timber, agriculture and tourism.

This may be followed by a visit to Jiashan County. These exchanges will give Council the opportunity to gauge any ongoing merit in the possibility of forming a sister city relationship.

A Sister City relationship with Jiashan County has the potential to benefit the Shire of Manjimup given we are primarily an exporter of raw material (timber, horticulture, food, tourism) and Jiashan may be a large volume user of such products.

It would be premature however to estimate the scope or extent of any opportunities to strengthen or expand such exports, and Council will be keeping an open mind.

Wade DeCampo

COUNCIL NEWS

STATUTORY SERVICES

◆ Drinking water safety issues have been high on the list of priorities for this period with "warnings" issued to households who use certain water supplies/sources. The issues are being monitored and worked through to determine the associated problems. Some issues

appear to be the result of dry environmental conditions.

◆ Registration of food premises is progressing with inspection of food premises under the new Act also occurring. Food safety knowledge is a requirement an issue for some food businesses.

To combat this potential lack of knowledge, Council has provided a free online training program via its website.

◆ Following several months on this work, the draft Local Emergency Management arrangements (including evacuation plans) are due to be presented to the Local Emergency Management Committee for adoption.

As soon as they are approved it is proposed that an evacuation support package will be sent to all landholders within the Shire.

WORKS & SERVICES

◆ Sealing of Pemberton Town Hall car park complete.

◆ Footpath construction in Brockman and Dean Streets, Pemberton is underway.

◆ Brick paving in Pemberton has commenced (April 26). Brick paving around Brockman Park is scheduled to be completed prior to the Pemberton Autumn Festival in May.

◆ Winter maintenance grading is underway in Northcliffe and Pemberton, with the graders expected to move to Manjimup and Walpole in the next two weeks.

◆ Road edging works for Shire of Bridgetown Greenbushes is expected to commence early May.

Kerbside Hardwaste Collection

The Shire of Manjimup is providing a kerbside hardwaste collection for 2010 in May.

Hardwaste is defined as furniture and other household goods. Please have

your items out one week prior to the collection start date in your town.

Hardwaste is to be placed on the front verge of your property in the safest way possible so as not to be a danger or inconvenience to others.

Collection commences in:

◆ Northcliffe & Windy Harbour on Mon 3 May 2010

◆ Pemberton, Browns Road subdivision & Quinninup on Mon 10 May 2010

◆ Manjimup, Jardee, Deanmill & Palgarup on Mon 17 May 2010

◆ Walpole on Mon 24 May 2010.

For further information please contact Klaus Mueller Waste Management Officer on 9771 7743.

ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETINGS

An Ordinary Meeting of the Manjimup Shire Council will be held in Council Chambers at 5.30pm on Thu 6 May 2010.

Notice of Agenda Items

12.1.1 New Schedule of Planning Delegations

12.1.2 Proposed Home Business - Small Engine Repairs - Lot 1 Park Ave, Walpole

12.1.3 Addition to Existing Transport Depot (Ablution Block) - Lot 7 Miguel Place, Walpole

12.1.4 Proposed Aquaculture (Marron Ponds) - Nelson Location 10244 Hunter Road, Walpole

12.1.5 Proposed Extension to Non-conforming Use - Outbuilding - Lot 216 Wheatley Coast Road, Northcliffe

12.1.6 Proposed Holiday Cottage - Lot 404 Windy Harbour Road, Windy Harbour

12.1.7 Proposed Council Policy 1.2.9 Approach to Businesses Operating from Residential and Rural Properties Without Development Approval

12.1.8 Proposed Parking Area for Itinerant Vendors and Removal of Two Trees - Lot 12439 Windy Harbour Road, Windy Harbour

12.2.1 Review of Council Building Policy 7.1.8 Sandwich Board Signs

12.4.1 Council Financial Payments March 2010

12.4.2 Monthly Financial Activity Statement - March 2010

12.4.3 Budget Review Adjustments - March 2010

12.5.1 Review of the Manjimup Air Transport Emergencies Plan

12.5.2 Extension of Ralston Road Landfill Contract

12.5.3 Ralston Road Refuse and Recycling Centre Landfill-Fees and Charges -New charge for Compacted Commercial Waste

12.12.1 Outcome of meeting with Director General Department of Planning 26 March 2010

12.12.2 Proposed new Council Policy - Corporate 2.3.10 Complaints System

12.12.3 Key findings from the 2009 CSIRO report "Water yields and demands in south-west Western Australia"

12.12.4 Royalties for Regions 2010/11 - Local Government Initiatives Fund - Consideration of regional priorities

12.14.1 Minutes of the Northcliffe Town Hall Management Committee meeting held 19 April 2010.

12.15.1 Informal meeting notes of the Manjimup Timber and Heritage Park Advisory Committee Meeting held 13 April 2010.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Northcliffe Town Hall Management
Notice is given that a meeting of the Northcliffe Town Hall Management Committee will be held in the Northcliffe Town Hall, Zamia St, Northcliffe at 7.30pm on Mon 17 May 2010.

FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Proposed closure of portion of Middlesex Road Reserve: submissions close on Fri 14 May 2010.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Manager Works & Services: applications close on Fri 14 May 2010.

COMMUNITY UPDATE

Community Grants

Council has received 38 applications for the 2010/11 Community Grants round. A wide range of events and projects have featured in the applications. The total amount sought is \$125,000; total project value is \$615,000. Council will be considering these applications on 6 May with final notification once the budget has been adopted in July.

Public Workshop for Carers

A FREE Family Carers' Workshop will be presented by Alzheimers Australia W.A. Designed to provide the essential knowledge families need to provide care for a relative who has dementia.

Venue: Day Centre, Warren District Hospital
Date: Mon 3 May 2010
Time: 10am - 2pm

The Workshop includes information folder, morning tea and a light lunch. Please contact 1800 052 222 for bookings.

Manjimup Regional AquaCentre

Two new yoga based group fitness classes have been introduced:

◆ *Pathway to yoga* - helps to build strength, increases flexibility and promotes inner peace and wellbeing.

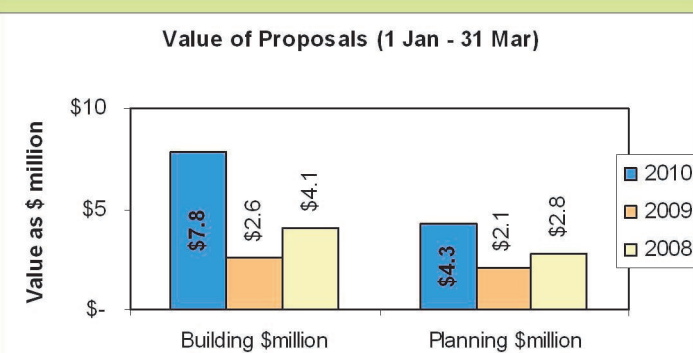
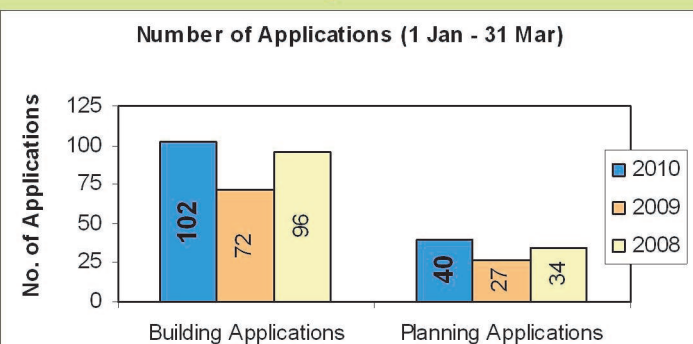
◆ *Rainbow yoga* - a class for mums and kids. Yoga based with fun pose names. Promotes supple muscles and healthy bones.

17 new centre members took up the 3+1 Easter membership promotion.

National Walk Safely to School Day - Friday 7 May 2010

Support the initiative of the Pedestrian Council of Australia to promote the road safety, health and environmental benefits of walking to school.

Cumulative Statutory Approval Statistics Comparison 1st January - 31st March



Ordinary Council Meetings 2010 5.30pm Thursdays - Open to Public

06 May Manjimup
27 May
17 Jun (W)

08 Jul
29 Jul
19 Aug
09 Sep

30 Sep (N)
21 Oct
11 Nov
09 Dec

(N)orthcliffe (P)emberton (W)alpole

Meetings are held in Council Chambers, off Brockman St, Manjimup unless otherwise advertised. Agendas and Minutes are available at our Public Libraries and on our website.

Manjimup Library
cnr Rose & Mount St Tel: 9771 2895
Mon-Wed 10.30am-5pm
Thu 10.30am-6pm
Fri 10.30am-5pm Sat 9.30am-12pm

Northcliffe Library
Muirillup Road Tel: 9776 7168
Thu 2.30-4pm Fri 9am-4pm
Sat 9am-12pm

Pemberton Library
Brockman St Tel: 9776 1311
Mon 1-5pm Wed 9am-1.30pm
Fri 10am-12.30pm & 1-5pm
Sat 9am-12pm

Quinninup Library
Mon, Wed, Fri 3-5pm Sat 9am-12pm

Walpole Library
Pier St Tel: 9840 1108
Wed 10am-1pm & 2-5pm
Fri 10am-1pm Sat 10am-12pm

Home & Community Care
Bath St, Manjimup Tel: 9777 1455

Manjimup Regional AquaCentre
cnr Rutherford & Finch St 9771 1278

Windy Harbour Camping
Tel: 9776 8398

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