

SHIRE BULLETIN



SHIRE OF
MANJIMUP



Manjimup



Northcliffe



Pemberton



Walpole

4 July 2018

A message from our Shire President Cr Paul Omodei



North Ward Election

We are currently calling for nominations to fill a vacancy on the North Ward.

If you have the time and a strong vision for the best possible outcomes for the community you should consider nominating.

The role of a Councillor is to :

- represent the interests of electors, ratepayers and residents of the district;
- provide leadership and guidance to the community;
- facilitate communication between the community and Council;
- participate in the local government's decision making processes at council meetings; and
- other functions given to them by the Act or other written law.

Draft Access and Inclusion Plan 2018-2023

The Draft Access and Inclusion plan 2018-2023 has recently been prepared. I encourage you to take the time to have a look at the plan and

provide feedback whilst in the draft stage.

Community input into plans of this nature is crucial to developing thorough plans that will adequately serve the region and provide for residents and visitors for its foreseen timeframe.

Local Tourism Organisation

I have recently been appointed as the Interim Chairman of the Local Tourism Organisation (LTO) until election of the Board in October 2018. The LTO's aim is to act as a peak body for all tourism stakeholders the within the Warren Blackwood Alliance of Councils and neighbouring regions. The LTO aims to create a sustainable, prosperous and healthy tourism industry, to attract more visitors to our region, celebrate our culture and offer a quality visitor experience.

Until *next time Paul*

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Council Meeting

The next Ordinary Meeting of the Manjimup Shire Council will be held in the Council Chambers, Cnr Rose and Brockman Streets, Manjimup. The meeting commences at 5.30pm on Thursday, 4 July 2018. Copies of the agenda are available via the Shire website, at any library within the Shire of Manjimup or the Administration Office. Any person wishing to address or ask a question of the Council is welcome to do so at the start of the meeting. Please note that if there are confidential items to be discussed, members of the public may be asked to leave the room for a period of time.

Manjimup Town Centre Revitalisation

New townsite entry roundabout

It is hoped the line marking will occur this week if weather permits.

Giblett and Blechynden Streets will remain closed until the installation of permanent lighting is complete.

The Shire is currently working on ideas for a central feature for the roundabout, including landscaping works which will be commencing soon.

Manjimup Heritage Park

SWEE

William Fiddian of OP Properties has been appointed as Project Supervisor and will remain until the project is complete.

Construction Tender expected to be released in July or August 2018.

A Request for Proposal for café lessee will close on 11 July 2018.

A grant application has been submitted to National Library of Australia for funding to hold volunteer training in conservation works.

State Timber Museum

Internal works complete, some roof works occurring. Practical completion expected 29 June 2018.

Volunteer Hub

LotteryWest grant application submitted to cover the cost of fit out. News of grant outcome expected in July 2018.

Rail and Relics

Master plan underway incorporating new rail displays, paths and drainage.

Manjin/Linear Park

Works will commence shortly on the construction of a new asphalt dual use path along the railway corridor between Ipsen and Ralston Streets.

Manjin Rec Plaza

Construction of a new 3 on 3 basketball court has commenced abutting the northern end of the skate park with the multi-coloured concrete complete and fencing to occur soon.

Brockman Street

It is anticipated that works on drainage infrastructure (this being the first phase of the works) will be commencing in coming weeks.

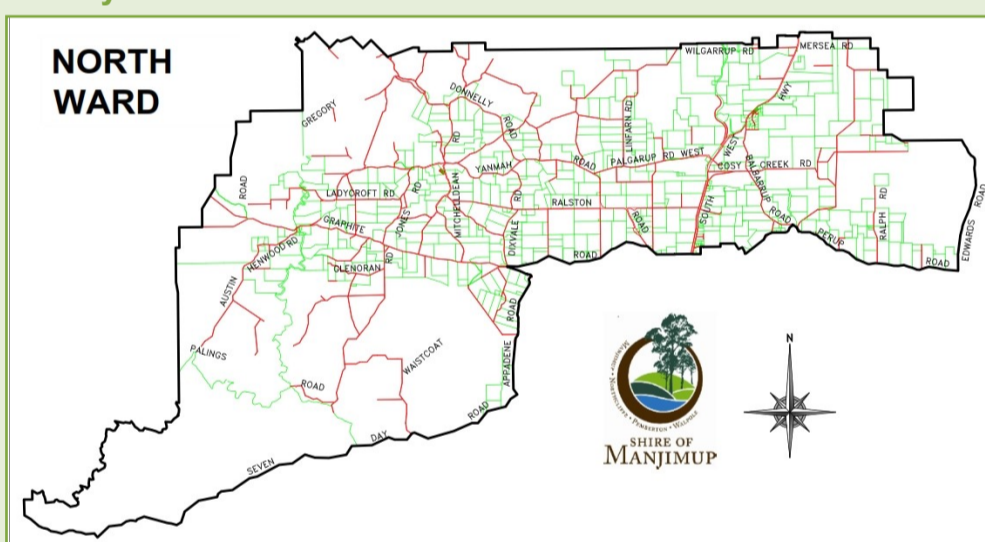
North Ward Extraordinary Election

The Shire is calling for nominations to fill a vacancy on Council for the North Ward.

Nominations close at 4pm on Wednesday 11 July 2018.

All nominations must be lodged with the Returning Officer at any time during the above period by arrangement or between 2pm and 4pm on Wednesday 11 July 2018 at the Shire of Manjimup 37-39 Rose Street, Manjimup.

If you are considering nominating as a Councillor please visit the Western Australian Electoral Commission Website for information and to download a candidates information pack. <https://www.elections.wa.gov.au/candidates-and-parties/local-government-candidates>



Draft Access & Inclusion Plan 2018-2023

Public comments are invited on the above mentioned Plan.

The Shire of Manjimup Draft Access and Inclusion Plan 2018-2023 has been prepared to guide Council's approach to addressing access and inclusion needs within our Shire.

Community feedback forums will be conducted from 6:00pm until 7:00pm on:

- Tuesday 3 July at Walpole Community Resource Centre
- Thursday 5 July at Manjimup Family Centre
- Monday 9 July at Northcliffe Town Hall
- Tuesday 10 July at Pemberton Sports Centre

Copies of the draft Plan can be found at:

- www.manjimup.wa.gov.au;
- collected from the Shire of Manjimup Administration Centre; or
- viewed in one of our libraries, and
- may be made available in alternative formats by request.

Formal submissions on the Plan are to be in writing and lodged with the Shire on or before Wednesday 11 July 2018. Council will consider all comments received when it finalises the Plan. For information on the Plan please contact Community Services Administration Officer Shammara Markotis on 9771 7713.

2018-2019 Fees and Charges

At the ordinary meeting on 14 June 2018 the Manjimup Shire Council adopted the 2018/19 Fees and Charges.

The new fees and charges are effective from 1 July 2018.

The schedule of 2018/19 fees and charges can be viewed at the Shire Administration Centre, all Public Libraries or the Shire of Manjimup website www.manjimup.wa.gov.au

At the Library...

Is your child turning 2 years old?

Collect your free Better Beginnings Sing With Me pack from one of our four Shire libraries.

Your Sing With Me pack is designed to give you the tools to help you to share songs and stories with your child, giving them the opportunity to learn and build on early literacy skills.

The Sing With Me pack includes a beautiful Australian children's picture book, a backpack, a CD of nursery rhymes and much more!



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