



**Shire President's Message**



**The Queen's Baton Relay**

The Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Queen's Baton Relay will be travelling through our Shire on Thursday 22 February 2018, having chosen Manjimup as one of the host communities. Plans are well underway for the ceremony and an action packed afternoon and evening in the park. Twelve community representatives will have the honour of relaying the Baton from the Manjimup Indoor Stadium to the celebration site at the Manjimup Timber and Heritage Park.

The Queen's Baton Relay started on Commonwealth Day, Monday 13 March 2017, at Buckingham Palace when Her Majesty the Queen placed her message inside of the Baton.

**Australia Day**

Australia Day celebrations were held in Walpole this year in conjunction with the Walpole Av'a G'day event. The Av'a G'Day event is in its ninth year and showcases some great Aussie demonstrations of shearing, sheep dog trials, wool classing, billy tea and damper, and more along with the stalls of the Walpole Markets.

**Back to school**

With our children returning to school for the new school year I urge you to remember the 40 kilometre an hour zone around our schools.

**Walpole SES**

On 20th January I attended the opening of the new Walpole State Emergency Service building. The building was funded through the Emergency Services Levy with the Shire of Manjimup funding the site works.

The building which is constructed on Shire of Manjimup Reserve houses two SES vehicles and a Flood Boat, and also incorporates a training room, communications room and office space for SES volunteers. The building can also be utilised as an Incident Control Centre in the event of a large incident in the Walpole area.

Until next time .... Paul

**Zone 6 is currently in a Prohibited Burning period until 28 February 2018.**

**Coastal Ward Councillor**

Cr Wendy Eiby  
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**Northcliffe Library**

Muirillup Rd Tel: 9776 7168

Thu: 1.30-4pm

Fri: 10am - 12.30pm and 1pm—4pm

Sat: 9am-12noon

**Northcliffe Waste Transfer Station**

Tue: 12noon - 5pm

Sat: 9am - 4pm

CELEBRATING OUR DIVERSITY



Recycle your old mobile phone. The shire is participating in the Mobile for a Meal campaign being run by MobileMuster and OzHarvest. Each old mobile sent in for recycling over summer will be matched by a meal for someone in need. The Shire of Manjimup has sent more than fifty old mobile phones brought in by residents to be recycled, and in the process provided a Christmas meal for over fifty needy people. Mobile for a Meal runs until the end of February 2018. Drop your old mobiles off in the MobileMuster box at any Shire Library, Shire waste facilities, the AquaCentre or the Manjimup Shire Depot. Diverting waste from our landfill is a great way to make your own contribution to a more sustainable Shire.

For more information on MobileMuster visit the website  
<https://www.mobilemuster.com.au/>



On the 22 February the Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games Queen's Baton will be passing through the Shire of Manjimup on its way to the Gold Coast for the Commonwealth Games in April.

Join us for a free, family friendly, fun filled evening in the Manjimup Timber and Heritage Park, supported by Act-Belong-Commit.

Bring your own picnic dinner or purchase something on the night from the food avenue.

- 3.30-5.30pm Children's activities, face painting, bouncy castles, live music and more.
- 5.00-5.30pm Join us for the official Queen's Baton Relay.
- 5.30-6.00pm Welcoming ceremony for the Queen's Baton to Manjimup
- 6.00-9.00pm Free Evening concert in the Park.

**Act-Belong-Commit**

**2018 Ordinary Council Meetings**

Meetings are held in the Council Chamber, off Brockman St, Manjimup (unless otherwise denoted) commencing at 5:30pm.

8 February	24 May	(Northcliffe)
1 March	14 June	27 September
22 March (Walpole)	(Pemberton)	18 October
	5 July	8 November
12 April	26 July	6 December
3 May	16 August	
	6 September	

**Club Governance Workshop**



Date: Tuesday 20 February 2018  
Venue: Manjimup Town Hall  
Time: 6pm—8pm

This free workshop is designed for any club member who assists in the effective and efficient operations of your sport or recreation club and is committed to improving the organisation and how it operates.

This informative workshop will cover the following essentials for running a successful club:

- ♦ what your key roles and responsibilities as a committee member are;
- ♦ understand the "Constitution" and how it can assist operations;
- ♦ how to develop policies and procedures to guide club operations;
- ♦ how to recruit and maintain committee members; and
- ♦ how to conduct efficient and effective meetings.

To attend register with Katie on 97717797 or email [katie.drummond@manjimup.wa.gov.au](mailto:katie.drummond@manjimup.wa.gov.au)

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**Council Meeting**

The next Ordinary Meeting of the Manjimup Shire Council will be held in the Council Chamber in Manjimup, entry off Brockman Street, commencing at 5:30pm Thursday, 8 February 2018. Copies of the agenda are available at any library within the Shire of Manjimup, the Administration Office or the Shire of Manjimup website. Any person wishing to address or ask a question of the Council is welcome to do so at the start of the meeting. The public are also welcome to attend the briefing which is held in the afternoon, prior to the Council meeting. If there are confidential items to be discussed, the public may be asked to leave the room for a period of time.

**Chief Executive Officer**

Andrew Campbell

**Administration Centre**

8.30am-5pm Monday-Friday

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