

SHIRE BULLETIN



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Manjimup



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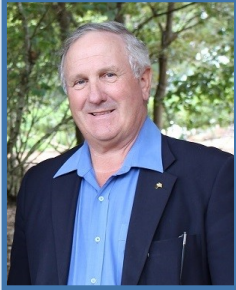


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17 October 2018



A message from our Shire President Cr Paul Omodei

Employer Excellence in Aged Care Awards

Manjimup Community Home Care has made it to the finals in the Prime Super Employer Excellence in Aged Care Awards. These awards form part of the 2018 Western Australian Regional Achievement and Community Awards. The awards aim to encourage, acknowledge and reward the valuable contributions that individuals, groups and businesses are making throughout rural and regional Western Australia.

The Awards Gala Presentation Dinner is being held on Friday 19 October 2018 at the Hyatt Regency Perth and I wish the team every success on the night.

Messy Play Day
Another very successful Messy Play Day was held at the Manjimup Heritage Park on Thursday 4 October 2018. Children and parents turned out in droves to play with slime, paint, glitter, flowers, mud and all things messy that you don't want to do at home. Messy Play Day is held annually and jointly funded by the Shire and Parenting Connections WA and partnered by 15 other groups and organisations. Congratulations to all involved in making the morning a success.

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Western Australian Disability Enterprises Expo (WADE)

Director of Works Michael Leers, Manager of Parks and Gardens Spencer Roberts and myself will be attending the WADE Expo in Perth on the 24 October 2018.

The Shire is one of eight organisations registered with WADE, providing employment opportunities for more than 2,000 Western Australians with disability and mental illness in a supported environment.

We will be manning a Shire of Manjimup booth showcasing our hardworking and dedicated Property Care Team.

Youth Festival

Saturday 27 October 2018 will see Manjin Park come alive as Manjimup has its turn at hosting the annual youth festival. The #SO_MY_FEST event will feature a range of fun activities, live music, food and stalls. In addition to Skateboarding WA workshops and mini comps, the activities will include a 7 meter stunt jump, mosaicing, kokedama, graffiti workshops, dunk tank, henna art and a petting zoo. Manjimup Volunteer Fire and Rescue Service in conjunction with St John Ambulance will also be conducting a simulated accident rescue.

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 Street, Manjimup. The meeting commences at 5.30pm on Thursday, 18 October 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.



Visit our website

www.manjimup.wa.gov.au

Manjimup Town Centre Revitalisation

Northern Intersection (Perup & Graphite Roads) Request for tender seeking suitably qualified contractors for construction closes on Friday 19 October 2018. Works are expected to be completed by May 2019.

Southern Information Bay

The information sign structure from the Northern Information Bay is to be relocated to the Southern Information Bay by December 2018. Path works linking the sign structure to Linear Park path will be completed by end of October 2018.

Linear Park

The installation of asphalt on the Linear Park path between Ralston and Ipsen Streets is almost complete. The installation of lighting and park furniture will commence shortly afterwards. Works are well progressed on the installation of the gravel base for the remainder of the path to be constructed between the new round about and Seven Day Road. The sealing of this section of the path will commence soon.



Brockman Street

The tender for construction of the roof structure over Brockman Street closed on Monday 15 October 2018. Tenders are now being reviewed. South West Energy Experience (SWEET) Instrument of Agreement with Civilcon has been signed and contract documents for the construction of the SWEET building are being prepared for Council endorsement.

Access and Inclusion

The Shire is seeking nominations for positions on the Access and Inclusion Advisory Committee. Opportunities exist for experienced and enthusiastic individuals and service organisations working within the disability sector to represent their community, provide input into future community initiatives and contribute to Council decision making.

For details please visit www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/publicnotices

**YOU CAN'T OUTRUN IT, OR OUTLAST IT.
SO TAKE 5 MINUTES TO OUTSMART IT.**

Summer is just around the corner and October is the ideal time to begin preparations for the bushfire season, including having a five minute **FIRE CHAT** with your family.

Completing a **Bushfire Preparation Toolkit** and undertaking the necessary actions around your home will give you and your property the best chance of surviving the bushfire season.

Be informed: Know the bushfire warning system, including the fire danger ratings and where to find information.

Choosing your bushfire plan: Complete the decision making plan which includes six questions to assist you in making a decision to be safe and leave early or to be prepared to stay and defend.

Be safe and leave early: *The radiant heat from a fire can kill from two football fields away. Plan to be safe and leave early!*

If you decide that your plan is to be safe and leave early, use the items in this folder to complete your action plan, prepare your property and emergency kit, including protective clothing.

Be prepared to stay and defend: *Fire is frightening, it roars as loud as a jet engine and the smoke plunges day into night!*

If you decide that your plan is to stay and defend your property, it's important to undertake additional preparedness measures, including understanding what to expect and what actions are recommended before the fire front arrives, as the fire front approaches, during the fire and after the fire front has passed. Acquire and test all items on the **Firefighting Equipment Checklist**. It's vital that you prepare your property and emergency kit, including protective clothing.

There is a very good chance you will be on your own as firefighters may be too busy fighting the fire to help defend your property.

Visit the Fire Chat website www.dfes.wa.gov.au/firechat now!

Hon. Liza Harvey
MLA

Deputy Leader of the Opposition:
Shadow Minister for Transport; Planning;
Lands
Member for Scarborough

From Manjimup to
Parliament

2018 Anne McKay Address
An initiative of the Rotary Club of Manjimup and the
Shire of Manjimup

Date: Friday 19 October 2018
Time: Doors open 5.30pm for 6.00pm start
(A light supper & networking to conclude event)
Venue: Town Hall, Manjimup
Cost: FREE

Bookings can be made via:
Rotary Club of Manjimup Text to Irene on: 0411 463 910
or Email: secretary@manjimuprotary.org.au

Citizenship Awards closing soon

Citizenship Awards for 2019 are closing soon. There must be someone that you would like to thank for their tireless work for the benefit of your community. Nominations close on 31 October 2018. Visit: <https://www.citizenshipawards.com.au/nominate/>, or pick up a nomination form from the Shire Administration office or your public library.

DO YOU KNOW AN OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY?

Australia Day Council of Western Australia

NOMINATE NOW
FOR AUSTRALIA DAY 2019

Closing date - 31 October 2018 | www.citizenshipawards.com.au