



**Shire President's Message**



Even with the weather rapidly cooling off we are still enjoying many events in the region. Massive amounts of effort is put in continually and repeatedly by members of the community to bring these events to us each year. I commend you all on your dedication and commitment to the benefit of the community.

**Successful Safer Communities Grant**

We have recently been successful in securing a grant for \$307,085 from round two of the Safer Communities Fund. The funds will be used for the Manjimup Town Centre Revitalisation Project which will incorporate closed circuit

television throughout Manjin Park, the Manjimup Heritage Park and the Brockman Street precinct with a direct link to the Manjimup Police station.

A direct live link to the Manjimup Police station will reduce crime and anti-social behavior in the park and CBD with image quality being suitable as evidence.

**Lots to offer**

The weather may be cold and wet but the Shire still has a lot to offer to keep you entertained. Head down to one of the libraries and grab yourself a good book, visit the art gallery, check out some of the breathtaking waterways that are flowing so spectacularly at this time of year, or head down to the AquaCentre for some fitness classes or heated pool fun.

*Until next time .... Paul*

**Coastal Ward Councillor**

Cr Wendy Eiby  
Ph: 0434 811 474



**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, 5 July 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.

**The Northcliffe Library and Visitor Centre have moved in together!**

Since Thursday 21 June 2018 Northcliffe Library has been open 7 days a week from 9am to 4pm in the Northcliffe Visitor Centre. The relocation of shelves and books began at 9am Monday 18 June.

**Thank you** to the volunteers who assisted with the move.



**Unapproved waste water systems**

The Shire is concerned by the number of septic systems being installed either without approval or, not in accordance with their approval. The installation of these systems is controlled under State legislation which is designed to protect the health and amenity of both the users and others in the vicinity.

In many cases the Shire does not have the authority to approve the installation due to the size and or use of the system. In these cases the application must be referred to the Department of Health who will not retrospectively approve any application post installation.

Unauthorised installations can result in orders to remove and/or dig up the system, or prosecution. Heavy penalties apply for unlicensed and unapproved works.

To avoid these penalties:

- use a licensed plumber to carry out the works;
- ensure applications are in early to allow processing time, allow two weeks for a Shire approval and six



weeks for a Department of Health approval;

- to aid a speedy turnaround of your application, ensure all relevant elements of the forms are filled out and any additional documents, ie site plans have been attached;
- do not commence construction until the approval has been issued; and
- do not use the system until a 'Permit to Use' has been issued.

The Shire's Environmental Health Officers are available to discuss any concerns you have regarding the application and use of septic systems by phoning 9771 7777.

**Storm Damage**

A significant weather event with strong winds on Tuesday 5 June 2018 had works staff dealing with over 60 trees and branches that had fallen over roads. Though busy during the morning and afternoon, all roads were opened by the time school buses started their afternoon runs.



**Want to know sooner? Download Antenna Now**

View this and previous Shire Bulletins on our website <http://www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/ShireBulletin>



**Don't forget it's story and rhyme time at the Northcliffe Library every Monday at 10am.**

**Northcliffe Library**

Muirillup Rd Tel: 9776 7203  
Monday - Sunday  
9am - 4pm

**Northcliffe Waste Transfer Station**

Tue: 12noon - 5pm  
Sat: 9am - 4pm

**2018 Ordinary Council Meetings**

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

5 July	6 September (Northcliffe)	18 October
26 July	27 September	8 November
16 August		6 December

**Shire President**

Paul Omodei

**Administration Centre**

8.30am-5pm Monday-Friday  
Tel: (08) 9771 7777  
Fax: (08) 9771 7771

37-39 Rose St, Manjimup

Postal: PO Box 1, Manjimup WA 6258

Email: [info@manjimup.wa.gov.au](mailto:info@manjimup.wa.gov.au)

Website: [www.manjimup.wa.gov.au](http://www.manjimup.wa.gov.au)

**Emergencies Only A/H: 6454 4600**