



**Shire President's Message**



**Spring**

Spring is a spectacular time of the year in our region, paddocks are popping, blossoms are bursting, rivers are running and wildflowers are flourishing. It is a great time to get out and explore our parks, forests and coastal areas. We are lucky in WA that COVID is not restricting events and they are starting to recommence with October hosting the Djuki Mala event at the award winning Heritage Park, the SO MY FEST youth festival at RSL Park in Pemberton, the Karri Rally in Nyamup, the KTM Australia Adventure Rallye and the Blooming Wild Festival around Northcliffe and Pemberton.

**Park of the Year!**

On Thursday 27 August 2020 the Manjimup Heritage Park won "Park of the Year" at the

WA Parks and Leisure Australia Regional Awards of Excellence. The success of the Heritage Park transformation has been a culmination of years of foresight, planning, lobbying, collaboration and detailed project management. I am honoured to have accepted the award along with our Chief Executive Officer and Director of Community Services, however, this was a considerable team effort with numerous staff, volunteers, consultants and contractors contributing to an exceptional multiuse facility and a totally re-energised entry statement to the Shire from the north.

**Citizen of the Year Awards**

We have many outstanding citizens in our community and nominating someone for a Citizen of the Year Awards is a notable way of saying "thank you, we recognise you and we see what you are doing". We all know an individual or a group that deserves this recognition, the time it takes us to nominate someone is a mere snippet of the time they

give to our community. They are out there saving lives, helping others, organising events, fighting fires, raising community funds, giving to those less fortunate and much, much more, take some time to give something back.

**COVID Relief Fund**

There are still funds available in the COVID Relief Fund, if you or a friend need a helping hand or you are putting off paying bills or worried about the next one get in touch with one of the many community representatives to discuss your options. A full list of representatives is available on the Shire's COVID information webpage.

The relief fund of \$428,364 made possible through the support of Lotterywest and the work of the Shire's COVID Recovery Team to assist people living in the Shire to alleviate any hardship that is being felt due to COVID-19. Approximately \$60,000 has already been utilised to help residents with basic necessities like firewood, gas and food.

*Until next time stay well and safe....Paul*

**Access the Shire of Manjimup COVID-19 Relief Fund**

www.manjimup.wa.gov.au  
*We are all in this together.*

**SO MY FEST 2020** PRESENTED BY DRUG AWARE

SATURDAY 17/10/20 2PM - 6PM  
PEMBERTON RSL MEMORIAL

MULLET COMPETITION FASHIONS AT THE FESTIVAL

**Live Music**  
AMPHEAD  
LU GULLY  
CHARLIE YOUNGSON  
OLIVER YOUNGSON  
JEN FEET

**Activities**  
MONSTER BALL  
NINJA CHALLENGE  
BUCKING BULL  
BUNGEE JOUST  
MUSIC WORKSHOP  
HENNA

**Catering**  
SOURCE KITCHEN  
SWIRL & TWIRL

**Kids Corner**  
BOUNCY CASTLE  
FACE PAINTING  
SAUSAGE SIZZLE

**Free Event 12-25/10**

Free Transport  
MANJIMUP NORTHCLIFFE  
PH (08) 9771 7777

**EMERGING**  
*from the Darkroom*

SOUTHERN FORESTS PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB INC  
16 October - 13 November 2020  
Manjimup Art Gallery

**Rates Information**

**Due Dates**  
In full  
2 October 2020  
OR  
1st Instalment  
2 October 2020  
2nd Instalment  
7 December 2020  
3rd Instalment  
8 February 2021  
Final Instalment  
12 April 2021

**How to Pay**

Online at www.manjimup.wa.gov.au

Billpay Code - 57323  
Reference number on your notice

Billpay Code - 2631  
Reference number on your notice

PO Box 1  
Manjimup WA 6258

**Did you know?**

- You can pay weekly, fortnightly or monthly via Bpay.
- You can pay by Centrepay deductions (contact Centrelink).
- You can pay by special arrangement or payment plan (contact the Rates Officer).

**Severe Financial Hardship**  
If you are unable to pay due to severe financial hardship, please contact the Rates Officer to discuss your options.

**In Person**  
Australia Post or Shire Administration Office

**Community Citizen of the year Awards**

**KNOW SOMEONE GREAT?**

Nominate an individual or group for a 2021 Australia Day Award

Saturday, 10 October 2020

**DJUKI MALA**

www.djukimalamanjimup.eventbrite.com.au

Manjimup Heritage Park  
Sandra Donovan Sound Shell  
Gates open 6.00pm

Food stalls  
Licensed area  
Show merch

Adult \$55 - Senior \$50  
Child \$20 - Family \$135

Family-Friendly (recommended from 8yrs)

Shire Bulletins can be viewed on the Shire website: [www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/shirebulletin](http://www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/shirebulletin)

**Coastal Ward Councillor**  
Cr Wendy Eiby  
Ph: 0434 811 474

**Northcliffe Waste Transfer Station**  
Lot 150 Pemberton Northcliffe Road  
Tuesday: 12pm - 5pm / Saturday: 9am - 4pm

**Northcliffe Library**  
Lot 178 Muirillup Road - 9776 7203  
Monday - Sunday: 9am - 4pm  
Holidays: 9am - 4pm

**2020 Ordinary Council Meetings**

Meetings are held in the Council Chamber, off Brockman Street, Manjimup. Copies of the agenda are available via the Shire website Tuesday before the meeting.

The Shire of Manjimup recommends attendance from members of the public only if they have essential matters to discuss due to COVID-19 restrictions.

15 October      5 November      17 December  
26 November

**Shire President - Paul Omodei**

**Administration Centre**  
8.15am-4.30pm Monday-Friday  
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**Emergencies Only A/H: 6454 4600**