

# CHIDLOW CHATTER

THE NEWSLETTER FOR THE EASTERN LINE COMMUNITIES

CHIDLOW MT HELENA MUNDARING SAWYERS VALLEY WOOROLOO WUNDOWIE

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## MUNDARING LIBRARY TEMPORARILY CLOSED FOR FLOOR REPLACEMENT

**MUNDARING's Albert Facey Memorial Library will be temporarily closed to undergo urgent repair works to the timber flooring.**

The library will be closed to the public for a four-week period from Monday 8 April, reopening Monday 6 May 2019.

Manager libraries and community engagement, Shannon Foster, said measures would be taken to minimise inconvenience as much as possible.

"Mundaring Library is both an important facility and popular meeting place for our residents including parents and children, seniors and community groups," Ms Foster said.

"These replacement works will ensure our library is once again fit for the enjoyment and safety of our community.

"We would like to thank our library members for their patience and understanding while these necessary works are undertaken."

Ms Foster said standard borrowing conditions would be adjusted accordingly over the closure period:

### **What do I do with my borrowed items?**

All existing borrowed items that would ordinarily be due for return to the library during the closure period will have their loan period extended to when the library reopens on Monday 6 May 2019.

### **Returning items**

The library's afterhours return chute will be available intermittently over the closure period, with access dependent on the work being undertaken. As an alternative items can be returned to the Shire's Administration building during office hours or returned to Boya Library

### **Can I borrow new items?**

Between Friday 22 March and Saturday 6 April 2019 library members can borrow an extra ten items per membership to see them through the closure period. Items borrowed in this time will be due for return when the library reopens on Monday 6 May 2019.

A pop-up library will be held at Wooroloo Hall on 9 April and 30 April

between 9.00am and 11.30am to provide library members an opportunity to return books and borrow additional items.

Boya Library will be open for business as usual during the whole closure period Story Time, Baby Rhyme Time, and other regular events. Regular Story Time and Baby Rhyme Time events held at Mundaring Library will be suspended over the closure period to resume when the library reopens from Monday 6 May 2019.

### **More information**

Community can stay up-to-date

with Mundaring Library works via the Shire website [www.mundaring.wa.gov.au](http://www.mundaring.wa.gov.au), Shire Facebook page, and Libraries Facebook page.

Those residents eager to visit another local library during the closure are encouraged to visit the new Katharine Sussannah Prichard Library located at Boya Community Centre on Scott Street in Boya.

**Please direct any enquiries to Library Services on 9290 6780.**

## SHIRE RECEIVES \$258K BOOST FOR BUSHFIRE MITIGATION

**SHIRE of Mundaring can carry out bushfire mitigation on a larger scale this year after receiving \$258,000 from the State Government's Mitigation Activity Fund through Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES).**

The inaugural fund allows eligible local governments to apply for financial assistance to treat identified bushfire risks on Crown and Shire-managed lands in their area.

To be eligible, a local government must first have its Bushfire Risk Management Plan (*Plan*) endorsed by the Office of Bushfire Risk Management (*OBRM*).

Mundaring's Plan was endorsed by the OBRM in February this year, which enabled the Shire to propose a treatment schedule for bushfire mitigation activities across 21 sites.

*Bushfire mitigation is a priority for Shire of Mundaring's Fire Hazard Inspection Officers Dan Heptinstall (left) and Allan Entwistle (right) and Deputy Chief Bushfire Control Officers Cameron Greaves.*

Co-ordinator Community Safety and Emergency Management, Craig Cuthbert, said that sites were chosen strategically by Shire officers and mitigation works would extend across the local government area.

"Twenty-one sites have been carefully chosen based on the level of bushfire risk they pose," said Mr Cuthbert.

"Mitigation works will include operations such as woody weed removal, strategic installation of firebreaks to prepare land for future burns, updating existing

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## Chidlow Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade

All Training and New Membership applications on Saturday Mornings.



# LOCAL CONTACTS

BP Party Hire ..... 9295 4961  
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Chidlow Catholic Church *Paul Reid* .. 9572 3425  
*President : Bill Edwards* ..... 0413 431 591

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Chidlow Community Church  
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Chidlow Cricket Club  
*Peter Bradshaw* ..... 0421 966 774

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Chidlow Junior Football Club ..... 9572 3164

Chidlow Junior Motocross Club  
*Linda Frankhuizen* ..... 0478 125 450

Chidlow Marsupial Hospital ..... 9572 4165

Chidlow Netball Club  
*Dinah Bezuidenhout* .... 0427 326 262

Chidlow Night Hockey *Phil Smith* ..... 9572 3431

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**Chidlow Progress Association**  
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*Mailing Address is PO Box 85 Chidlow 6556*

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**President** : *Ian Johnstone* ..... 0413 746 405  
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**Treasurer** : *Jackie Hedges* ..... 0417 583 519  
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Chidlow Senior Football Club  
*Adam Davis* ..... 0417 505 449

Chidlow Tennis Court Hire ..... 9290 6666

Cubs/Scouts/Guides Mt Helena  
*Rhonda* ..... 9572 1429

Eastern Hills Hornets T-Ball & Baseball Assoc.  
**President** : *Aaron Cuthbert* ..... 0407 657 116  
**Registrar** : *Alison Parker* ..... 0428 914 085

Eastern Hills Scouts  
*Jennine Tabb*..... 0417 749 423

Eastern Hills Wildflower Society  
*Pam Riordan* ..... 0408 909 897

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*Hon Ken Wyatt* ..... 9359 0322

**FOR ALL FIRES 000**  
**Fire Station (Sat Mornings Only) ..... 9572 3016**  
**Secretary** *Angeline Clapp*  
Hills Weavers *Maggie Webb* ..... 9572 3045  
Karate Training  
Tues & Thurs 6pm start at the Rec Centre  
Lost Mundaring & Surroundings (*Local History*)  
*Owen Briffa* ..... 0481 169 638

Member of Parliament  
*Jessica Shaw MLA* ..... 9296 7688

Mount Helena Aquatic  
*Chris Blankley* ..... 0437 511 037

Mt Helena Little Athletics  
Club Manager -  
*Dinah Bezuidenhout* ..... 0427 326 262  
Club Coach - *Tara Witcombe* ..... 9572 4978

Mundaring Chamber of Commerce  
*Ruth Hampton* ..... 0408 947 640

Mundaring & Hills Historical Society Inc.  
Office Manager - *Trish Beaman* .... 9295 0540

Mundaring Men's Shed ..... 9295 0577

**Mundaring Shire - Ranger** ..... 9290 6666

**Shire Councillors**  
**Stephen Fox** ..... 0417 329 129  
**John Daw** ..... 0437 997 325  
**Kate Driver** ..... 0432 539 066

Police Contact Mundaring Station ..... 9290 1900

Sawyers Valley Christian Fellowship  
*Kim Tester* ..... 9572 4313



# CHIDLOW PROGRESS ASSOCIATION INC.

## CHIDLOW matters...

### Chidlow Hall

We are in need of volunteers to join a roster to help clean our hall. If we enlist enough people, only one hour a week a month is required to keep our hall spick and span. (Refer Poster)

### Busy Bee

There is a Busy Bee scheduled for 13 April. Please help us in our endeavours to maintain and update the hall. Jobs will include painting, cleaning and clearing of gutters. *All hands welcome!* If you can offer your expertise give us a call! *For more details please call Bill 9572 4875 or email woscrivener@yahoo.com.au*

### AGM

Set for Tuesday, 28 May at 6.30pm for 7.00pm start. Remember: you have to be a member to vote. (Refer Notice for details.)

### Community Garden

*At last some wonderful progress!!*

Paul Archibald of JWA Locators came to our site and mapped out the underground track of the three cables that cut across the site (*for a very reasonable price too*). *Thank you, Paul!*

We can now organise the timber for the fence for which we will need a truck and help with loading and unloading. The next step will be to build fence assemblies ready to put in place. If you can help with this, please let us know.

Chris McCole will dig most of the holes. Prior to this Greg will need some assistance to mark the ground, and afterwards to backfill.

A beekeeper has been in touch and would love to contribute some beehives and do some workshops. A chemical-free weed removal specialist would also like to give a demonstration.

The March plant stall and raffle were very successful - thanks to all those who supported them.

If you can help with any of the tasks mentioned, please contact the CCGG via Facebook.

### Activities: Regular:

**Film club:** Every second Friday night, 7.00pm for 7.30pm start. Details are displayed in a poster at the Post Office.

**Pilates classes:** Kat Hardwick (0411 167 611) Thursday mornings 9.15am-10.15am. NB: Classes are held only during school terms.

**Yoga classes:** Tarja (0409 683 412) Monday night, (6.30pm-7.45pm).

Don't forget to bring a mat and maybe a light rug for relaxation. Please follow Tarja on her Facebook page: Chidlow & Mahogany Creek Yoga.

### Upcoming:

**Markets:** Saturday, 20 April, 2019, 9.00am-2.00pm. *Contact: Abbie Connel 0403 685 247 or email on chidlowhallmarketday@hotmail.com*

All locally-produced craft from giftware, jewellery to fresh fruit and vegetables.



**WE WANT YOU! BEFORE OUR AGM**

**REMEMBER TO BECOME A CPA MEMBER FOR JUST \$2**

**Check our Facebook page**  
[www.facebook.com/Chidlowmatters/](http://www.facebook.com/Chidlowmatters/)

**Brought to you by the Chidlow Progress Association**

## THE CLEANER



*"The time has come," the CPA said,  
 "To talk of many things:  
 Of mops and brooms and cleaning cloths  
 Of people and kings."  
 "Kings won't do," they finally agreed,  
 "It's a day-to-day person we need,  
 One who can wield a broom  
 And use the broom to clean a room."  
 "How long do we need?" they thought.  
 They thought and thought some more.  
 "One hour a day, once a week,  
 That week once a month...for sure."*

If you're that person with an hour to spare, Thank you for showing that you care. No need to buy the broom or the mop. The hall has it all – just to top it off.

If you would like to receive the Chidlow Chatter via email, please send in your email address to [chidlowchatter@skymesh.com.au](mailto:chidlowchatter@skymesh.com.au), and you will be added to the e-list.

## ADVERTISING & ARTICLES

Closing Date for all advertising and articles is the 28th of each month

For all enquires, please contact **David Palmer : 0417 097 825**

**Email:** [chidlowchatter@skymesh.com.au](mailto:chidlowchatter@skymesh.com.au) **Address :** P.O. Box 165, Chidlow, W.A. 6556

Cheques can be made payable to Chidlow Chatter or David Palmer **ABN: 30 550 545 102**

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*All Letters to the Editor must have name and address.*

# PUBLIC NOTICES

## Chidlow Fire Brigade

Meetings on the Third Tuesday of EVERY Month @ 7.30pm

## Chidlow Progress Assoc. & Chidlow Hall Meetings

to be held on the 4th Tuesday of each month, 6.30pm. Your community support is greatly needed & appreciated.

## Chidlow Community Church

Chidlow Recreation Centre  
Sundays 9.30 – 11.30 followed by morning tea - All welcome.

## VISION Community Radio

Chidlow & Gidgegannup – 87.6 FM  
Wooroloo 87.8 FM

## Chidlow Spinners & Craft Group

Chidlow Rec Centre  
Monday Mornings 9 - 12noon

## Chidlow Markets

20th April 2019...  
9am - 2pm. @ Chidlow Hall

## Chidlow District RSL

Monthly RSL Meeting  
**SUNDAY 14/04/19**  
Meeting at Chidlow Hall @10.00am  
**ANZAC DAY**  
**25/4/19 Thur 8:00am**  
Gunfire Breakfast on the Village Green

## Chidlow Family Playgroup

is now open Tuesday & Thursday mornings 9am-11am. For more info contact Holly on 0420 388 375, email chidlowplaygroup@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.

## Aglow International Gidgegannup Branch

1st Thursday each month @ 10am.  
At Recreation Hall, Percy Cullen Oval, Gidgegannup (off Toodyay Road).

## C.W.A. of WA (Inc)

Mt Helena-Parkerville Branch meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at 9.30am.  
CWA Hall, Keane St East, Mt Helena.  
Visitors most welcome.  
Contact Secretary Kerry: 0409 641 017

## Glen Forrest Bowling Club

invites ladies to become members of our small friendly club.  
For information call : Jenny Hawkins 9295 3420 or Wilma Achterkamp 9298 8905 mob 0409 292 565.

## Mundaring Men's Shed

is now open Monday to Fridays from 9am to 3pm & open on the last Saturday of the month from 9am-12 noon  
'Sing Along' sessions at the Men's Shed, Jacoby Street, Mundaring...Free Entry.  
Alternate Thursdays @ 7.30pm.  
Everyone Welcome

## Mundaring Prime Movers

is now held in THE ARENA at the **MUNDARING RECREATION GROUND MONDAYS & THURSDAYS 9.30-10.30am**  
PRIME MOVERS is an exercise group available to both men & women over 50yrs of age. Fees are: \$17 annual m/ship & \$3 per session with annual donation of \$7.00 for the Kitty.  
For further information, please ring Rhonda on - 0419 924 085

## Mundaring Probus

Mundaring Probus meets at the Glen Forest Sporting Club on the second Monday of each month at 10am

## Mundaring Seniors Carpet Bowls

Enjoy a fun filled afternoon at the Hub, 8 Craig Street Mundaring, Monday or Wednesday, at 12-30pm, & try your hand at Carpet Bowls. All equipment provided, flat soled shoes the only requirement. Friendly instruction provided, also a cuppa and biscuit too.  
Try three visits for free. For info, contact Aileen Moore 9454 5054  
Mal Hedges 0478 213 311

## Mundaring Visitor Centre

is open 7 days a week, Mon - Sat 9.30am - 4pm and 10am - 2.30pm  
Sundays and most Public Holidays.

## Mundaring Sunday Markets

Second Sunday of each month  
Nichol Street Mundaring.

## Mundaring Tennis Club

All players welcome.  
contact Pam 0427526991

## The Hills Choir

The Hills Choir is looking for Sopranos, Altos, Tenors and Basses over 16 years to join us. We sing a range of sacred and secular music in four parts.  
We practice on Mondays from 7:30pm to 9:30pm at the Uniting Church in Stoneville Road, Mundaring.  
Please phone Margie on 9295 6103, email us at thehillschoir@gmail.com or visit our website www.hillschoir.org.au  
We look forward to welcoming you.

## CHIDLOW PROGRESS ASSOCIATION INC.

### NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**Tuesday, 28th May, 2019**  
**at 6.30pm for 7.00pm**  
Chidlow Hall, Chidlow  
**ONLY CPA CURRENT MEMBERS CAN VOTE**

Membership Fee \$2.00 p.a.  
payable on or before 28th May 2019.  
For payment prior 28th May,

**contact : Bev Dancey**  
**on 0408 325 115**  
bev@realestateplus.com.au

## The People Who Care Choir

Is a casual choir to cater for all, budding singers to experienced singers wishing to connect with each other & with the community, singing at retirement homes & bringing some joy & music into the residents hearts.  
We meet Wednesdays during the school term, 5pm-6.30pm, Guildford.

Contact Musical Director  
Storme for more information.  
E:info@storme.com.au M: 0402 322 184

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fire breaks, and mulching.”

Mr Cuthbert said the OBRM's endorsement of the Plan, and the Shire's success in securing State Government funding through DFES, were both excellent outcomes for the community.

“This grant will greatly assist the Shire's Emergency Management Team

and local brigades in minimising bushfire risk to our residents and their properties over the summer,” he said.

Die-back and other environmental factors will be carefully considered and monitored in all bushfire mitigation activities.

The Mitigation Activity Fund has assisted 26 local governments with more than \$6.4 million in grants this Financial Year. The Shire will apply for additional funding to undertake further mitigation works in the new financial year 2019-20.



### **DATES TO REMEMBER**

## **Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April**

Training commences for all junior teams.  
Chidlow Oval 4:30pm – 5:45pm

There will be NO training on Anzac Day

*Please Note: A parent or guardian must be in attendance at ALL times.*

**Season Commences Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> April**

## **Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April**

Auskick Commences  
Chidlow Oval 4:30pm - 5:45pm  
Canteen Available

*Please Note: A parent or guardian must be in attendance at ALL times.*

### **Roof Top Sprinkler Systems**

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for an obligation free quote **0428 500 295**  
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## **Stay in touch: Information from Parks & Wildlife**

### **Parks Alerts and Camping**

Stay in touch with the latest Parks and Wildlife news via  
[Explore Parks WA](#) on Facebook,  
[@ExploreParksWA](#) on Twitter  
and [DPaW Alerts](#).

**Alerts are now available in apps for mobile devices.**  
Download by searching for DPaW Alerts in the iTunes app store or in Google's Play Store.

## **PERTH HORSE TRIALS**

**Wooroloo Prison Farm plays host to two horse trials events run by the Perth Horse Trials Association each year, by kind permission of the Dept. of Corrective Services.**

Wooroloo 1 CCN-S takes place on Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th May, where spectators can enjoy dressage, show jumping and cross country action from over 200 riders. Admission is free and refreshments are available or bring a picnic and find a shady spot to relax and enjoy the exciting equestrian sport. Signposted from Old Northam Road, approximately 10km from Chidlow.

**Diary Date:  
Wooroloo International Three Day Event  
16-18 August 2019**

Further information:  
[www.facebook.com/perthhorsetrials/](http://www.facebook.com/perthhorsetrials/) or  
[www.perthhorsetrials.org.au](http://www.perthhorsetrials.org.au)

*Sonja Johnson on Misty Isle Valentino*



**ARE YOU  
BUSHFIRE  
READY?**  
[emergency.wa.gov.au](http://emergency.wa.gov.au)

### **Chidlow Hall Market Day- Easter Special**

20th April 9am-2pm

## **EASTER EARS/ BONNET COMPETITION**

3 prizes will be drawn

Don't worry parents it won't be more chocolate!

Come dressed in your best Easter bunny ears or Easter themed bonnet for the chance to win a prize

Competition will be held after the Easter Egg Hunt with the Easter Bunny

Prize winners will be chosen by one of our stall holders

# CHIDLOW VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE

## NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME!

MEETINGS at Chidlow and Wooroloo Brigades are held on the third Tuesday of every month.

Chidlow Fire Station is Open Saturday mornings 9am - 11am.

This is an opportunity for any local residents to pop in and discuss volunteering opportunities and bushfire readiness.

## FOR ALL FIRES please ring "000"

Our members are on standby and will be paged by the DFES call centre.

Chidlow Fire Station Number:  
**9572 3016**  
(Saturday 9am to 11am)

Wooroloo Fire Station Number:  
**9573 1166**  
(Saturday 9am to 11am)



**CURRENT SITUATION:**  
**PROHIBITED  
BURNING PERIOD**  
1st December - 14th April

## FIRE BREAKS

(Please maintain from

1st November to 31st March )

Your firebreaks should be 3 metres wide and 4 metres high and have room to turn in to and around corners . . .if our truck cannot drive on your firebreak we may not be able to manage fire on your property!

Chidlow Brigade is proud to once more be hosting the Gunfire Breakfast at the Anzac day parade in Chidlow. We start serving at 7.30 am, and the cost will be \$5.00 for a delicious bacon and egg roll. Proceeds of the breakfast will all go to the wonderful RSL. Come along and support your returned servicemen, cheer the parade, and have a tasty breakfast!

As we'd predicted, the prohibited burning period in the Shire of Mundaring has been extended to the 14th of April, and it may well continue past that date *unless we get plenty of rain in the next week*, so for now there should be no lighting of small fires and there will be no permits for larger fires issued. Keep an eye on the Shire of Mundaring's website to find out when that status will change. **Also keep your eyes peeled for smoke or flame, and be ready to call 000 to report it. Don't relax your vigilance yet!**

The dry conditions have meant that the bushfires Chidlow have attended in recent weeks have burned fast and hot, showing that the Shire's decision to delay the permit season was a good one. We have attended two large fires in Wooroloo this month, working alongside multiple brigades from Mundaring, Northam and Swan shires. As *always*, Chidlow's members were quick to turn out in defense of their community and neighbours, working as fantastic teams during multiple shifts.

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## EXTINGUISH ARSON

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**Rosedale Road Chidlow W.A. 6556**

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Our photograph today is a scene from the recent fire at Bailup Rd. It is a very good example of why we are all told to evacuate early if a fire is approaching. There are fire trucks in that smoke, directly ahead of Chidlow's 4.4, with flashing lights and headlights on, and yet you can't see

them at all!

Please remember to go slowly if you ever need to drive through smoke, to protect emergency services workers and yourself too.

**It is far safer, though, to be gone long before your emergency route looks like this!**



# Chidlow Hall Market Day



## 20TH APRIL

## 9AM-2PM

### Easter Bunny Visit & Egg Hunt @ 10:30am

### Best Easter Themed Stall competition

### Best Easter ears/ bonnet competition



ALL STALLS ARE HANDMADE OR HOMEGROWN

COME ALONG AND SUPPORT LOCAL ARTISANS AND  
THE "OLD CHIDLOW  
HALL" THAT WAS  
SAVED BY THE COMMUNITY FOR  
THE COMMUNITY

\*PRODUCTS SHOWN MAY NOT BE  
PRESENT AT ALL MARKETS



CONTACT ABBIE FOR MORE INFORMATION AND STALL  
BOOKINGS

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FACEBOOK: CHIDLOW HALL MARKET DAY



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## Chidlow Cougars Junior Football Club

### REGISTER ONLINE NOW

<http://www.chidlowjfc.sportingpulse.net/>

Register & pay fees of \$95/player before the  
third game to go into a raffle to receive your  
fees back in CASH!!

Chidlow JFC Inc.  
BSB: 633 000  
Account: 165 642 703  
Reference your Child's Name

\*\* 1 player per team only & includes Kidsport payments

CLUB REGISTRAR - Leslie 0409 104 696



~ AUSKICK ~  
Pre-primary to Year 3

~ JUNIOR ~  
Year 3 to Year 6

  
WILDFLOWER SOCIETY  
OF WA (INC.)  
EASTERN HILLS BRANCH

**Octagonal Hall**  
52 McGlew Road, Glen Forrest

**Propagation Group:**  
8th, 22nd April

Meets on Mondays twice a month to share  
knowledge about propagating native  
plants. Contact Sandy at [eastern.hills.  
branch@wildflowersocietywa.org.au](mailto:eastern.hills.branch@wildflowersocietywa.org.au)

**Seed Cleaning Group:**  
10th, 24th April

Meets fortnightly on Wednesdays to  
prepare seeds for propagation.  
Contact : [eastern.hills.branch@wildflower-  
societywa.org.au](mailto:eastern.hills.branch@wildflower-societywa.org.au)

**Wednesday 1st May 1-2pm**  
**Growing Native Plants presentation**

Boya Community Centre,  
Clayton/Scott St Boya

This is a free 1 hour presentation on a  
guide to growing native plants in domestic  
gardens. It is intended for Western Aus-  
tralian natives and will cover such topics  
as soil, water and species. It is especially  
suitable to hills residents, but all aspiring  
gardeners will learn a lot from this session.  
If you are interested please contact Lee at  
[lee.roberts205@gmail.com](mailto:lee.roberts205@gmail.com)

**Friday 26th April 8pm**  
**Monthly talk: "Our Native Bees"**  
Octagonal Hall

52 McGlew Road, Glen Forrest

Terry Houston is the author of "A Guide to  
Native Bees of Australia". Australia's abun-  
dant native bees are incredibly diverse in  
their appearance and habits. Some are yel-  
low and black but others have blue stripes,  
are iridescent green or wasp-like. Some  
are social but most are solitary. Some do  
build nests with wax but others use silk or  
plant material, burrow in soil or use holes  
in wood and even gumnuts! Terry will take  
us through the fascinating world of native  
bees.

**CONTACT DETAILS:**

**Web:** [http://www.wildflowersocietywa.org.  
au/branches/eastern-hills-branch/](http://www.wildflowersocietywa.org.au/branches/eastern-hills-branch/)

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**Email:** [eastern.hills.branch@wildflower  
societywa.org.au](mailto:eastern.hills.branch@wildflower-societywa.org.au)



**At Mundaring Christian College, we partner with parents to guide and support students on their educational journey from childhood through adolescence.** Students are encouraged to make choices that will influence their futures and voice their preferences through reasoned and justified decision making, setting them up for success in an atmosphere where they enjoy school.

Our classrooms are well designed, vibrant learning environments where students are motivated to pursue personal excellence while being moulded into lifelong learners. The development of deep understanding, critical thinking and problem-solving capabilities are at the forefront of every educational experience taught at Mundaring Christian College. Mathematics, English, Science and HASS (Humanities and Social Sci



ence) form the core of our curriculum and students have an extensive range of elective subjects to choose from to tailor their educational journey and broaden their experience. Options are available in the Arts, Health and Physical Education and Technologies; from Food Technology to Visual Art, Wood, Metal and Design, to Computer Studies and Robotics. Specialist teachers, artisans and craftspeople pursue their passions by delivering lessons that are fun, interactive and engaging, ensuring that every student gets the full benefit of every lesson.

Our students are curious to learn about the world around them and have every opportunity to understand their place in a global context. This leads to them becoming responsible and mature Australian citizens who operate effectively as members of society in a global community.

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Years 9 and 10 are a season of preparation for important future decisions and to make the most of the opportunities that senior school presents. Some of the innovations at Mundaring Christian involve developing our Basketball Academy and growing experience with Mountain Biking and the Fine and Dramatic Arts. In Year 9, students are involved in a three-day Pathways Planning Program which assists them in getting a sense of direction for future study, careers and the workforce. They are also given more responsibility in terms of leadership in assemblies and school events. Students complete a 'Keys for Life' program, which is a comprehensive, evidence-based, pre-driver program that educates young people about safer road use as well as first aid to help them think carefully about their decisions while driving. Year 10 is rounded out by Australian Business Week, a week-long adventure in operating a multi-million-dollar business simulation, where students are divided into companies and compete in teams across a variety ...continued on page 8

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# UPCOMING EVENTS...

## Thursday 11th April

### April Business Networking Sundowner

Join the Mundaring Chamber of Commers for their April Business Networking Sundowner, hosted by the Chidlow Tavern, on Thursday 11th April from 6pm until 7.30pm.

These relaxed and fun evening are designed for local businesses to network and socialise with likeminded business owners: swap ideas, connect, make plans, find out what's going on in the local business community and share your passion for your business.

This month's event will include a short presentation from the Chamber to keep you up to date with Chamber happenings and guest speaker, Jessica Shaw MLA, talking about economic development and small business in the Perth Hills. Followed by a presentation from the Chidlow Tavern, about our up and coming events including the world class Spit in the Hills-BBQ Contest this May.

Welcome drink and nibbles provided. Tickets are available now and are free for Chamber members and only \$15 for non-members. RSVP and book your tickets today via Facebook [www.facebook.com/events/850353225308456/](http://www.facebook.com/events/850353225308456/) or via the Chamber of Commers website event calendar - <https://mundaring.org.au/events/>

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We look forward to seeing you there!

### Easter Sunday (21st April 2019)

#### Golden Easter Egg Hunt

Unsure egg-sactly what to do this Easter Sunday (21st April)? Don't worry, Chidlow Tavern have been busy hatching a golden plan, our Golden Ticket Easter Family Day Out! What's included? Get the family together and hop on down to the Tavern, where our breakfast buffet awaits you. Relax and enjoy breakfast as the kids have baskets full of fun with their Easter craft kits. At 11am, We have arranged for a certain bunny rabbit to lay an egg-ceptional Easter Egg Hunt with a golden twist... one lucky child will find the golden Easter Egg and win \$100!

#### Ticket Types and Prices

The Golden Family Ticket \$60 (for 2 adults and 2 children) this includes all listed children activities and breakfast the group.

Pick and Mix Tickets If you would like to take part in some of the activities but not all, our Pick & Mix Tickets are perfect for you. Choice which of listed items (below) you would like to take part in. Prices are pre person.

### Pick and Mix Tickets

Breakfast buffet (from 9.30-11am) - \$15 per adult \$7.50 per child

Kids DIY Ice Cream Bar (following the hunt) \$2.50 per child

Kids Craft pack \$2

The Golden Easter Egg hunt (at 11am) is complimentary for all breakfast, lunch or Front bar customers of the Tavern

### To book and purchase all event tickets

By messaging us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/chidlowtavern/> or emailing [tavern@chidlowtavern.com.au](mailto:tavern@chidlowtavern.com.au) with your booking request (name, ticket option(s), amount of guests, contact details and if eating arrival time and please include children's ages) We will then then reply with payment details, once payment is received we send your tickets and confirmation. Please note booking close on Tuesday 16th of April

### Event small print

\* please note the price money will be paid via a Bendigo Child Bank Account).

\* The Easter Egg Hunt is for children aged 12 years or less

\* Please remember to inform us of any nessesary dietary requirement or allergies when booking.

### Thursday 25th April- Anzac Day

Join us in commemorating ANZAC Day 2019, and raising a glass in honour and respect. The Chidlow Tavern will open for food and drinks following the Chidlow District RSL Commemoration and service. Our kitchen will be cooking from 11.30am, to book your table please call 9572 4154.

For more information regarding the Chidlow District RSL Commemoration, please visit <https://www.rslwa.org.au/commemoration/anzac-day/event/services/chidlow/>

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dollar business simulation, where students are divided into companies and compete in teams across a variety of business contexts. Throughout the years, our students receive detailed personal support which explores their strengths and weaknesses and guides them to make good choices for success in Year 11 and 12.

Our senior secondary program for Year 11 and Year 12 caters to all student learning directions including ATAR (University bound) courses, General courses, Vocational Education and Training (VET) or Trade Training, with equal respect and encouragement for excellence in the pathways students choose. Our current students are studying over 30 different courses across ATAR, General and VET offerings in Years 11 and 12. Our perspective on senior secondary learning is to provide students with capabilities and resources for their future, not simply for the choices they make immediately after graduation; students in this phase of schooling are learning to become who they will be.

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**The 2019-20 Budget is the next stage of the Morrison Government's plan to build a stronger economy and secure a better future for all Australians.**

Federal Member for Hasluck, Ken Wyatt MP, said the Budget delivers the first surplus in more than a decade, creates more jobs, lowers taxes and guarantees essential services like schools, hospitals and roads.

*"After more than a decade of deficits, this budget forecasts a surplus of \$7.1 billion in 2019-20 – a \$55.5 billion turnaround from the deficit we inherited seven years ago,"* Mr Wyatt said.

While the Budget forecasts a surplus, it also delivers an additional \$158 billion in income tax relief for hard-working Australians, on top of the \$144 billion in tax cuts locked into legislation last year.

*"This includes immediate tax relief of up to \$1,080 for low and middle income earners and up to \$2,160 for a dual income couple to ease cost of living pressures,"* Mr Wyatt said.

*"In my electorate, 64,213 taxpayers in Hasluck will benefit from tax relief in 2018-19 as a result of the Government's enhanced personal income tax plan with 25,906 receiving the full tax offset of \$1,080."*

*"We are also backing small business by increasing the Instant Asset Write*

*Off to \$30,000 and expanding its access, benefitting 3.4 million businesses."*

*"In Hasluck, 15,693 small and medium sized businesses will benefit from the Government's instant asset write off scheme which enables businesses to invest in machinery and equipment up to a value of \$30,000."*

This Budget also guarantees the essential services people in Hasluck rely on. To assist with their next power bill and the cost of living, the Morrison Government will provide a one off, income tax exempt payment of \$75 for singles and \$125 for couples to more than 3.9 million eligible social security payment recipients.

The Budget provides record health spending of \$81 billion in 2019-20, increasing to \$89.5 billion in 2022-23.

For schools, record funding will ensure teachers have the support they need to prepare students for the future. It also includes \$30 million for the Local School Community Fund that will allow communities to fund projects such as upgrades to libraries, classrooms and play equipment.

*"Funding for all 44 public schools in Hasluck is increasing by around*

*70% per student over a decade to 2029,"* Mr Wyatt said.

The Budget will also deliver a record infrastructure investment of \$100 billion over the next decade, getting families home sooner and safer and unlocking the potential of our regions.

*"This Budget is about easing cost of living pressures, guaranteeing essential services and building new congestion busting infrastructure to ensure families in Hasluck can get home easier and safer,"* said Mr Wyatt.

*"This is all possible because of the Morrison Government's strong economic and budget management."*



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# BUSH SKILLS FOR THE HILLS

To register for the Bush Skills for the Hills workshops head to <http://ERCMPenvironment.eventbrite.com>. If you have any further queries, contact the EMRC on (08) 9424 2216 or [environment@emrc.org.au](mailto:environment@emrc.org.au).

## Plant Me Instead - Native Plants in Your Garden



A Fringe Lily  
Photo: Shire of Mundaring

**When:** Saturday, 27 April 2019, 12noon to 1:30pm

**Where:** Shire of Mundaring, 7000 Great Eastern Hwy, Mundaring

Sue McDougall will be running a workshop on behalf of the Shire of Mundaring, giving an insight into what local native plant species can be used in your garden to substitute exotic species that have potential to become weedy in our bush environment. This can be done without losing any of the appeal and, all the while, making your garden water wise by using plants that are suited to our environment.

Light refreshments will be provided.

## Close Encounters -

### Native Fauna Discovery and Rescue



An Australian Magpie  
Photo: EMRC

**When:** Saturday, 18 May 2019, 10:00am to 12:30pm

**Where:** Native Animal Rescue, 170 Camboon Road, Malaga

Get up close and personal with native fauna species of Perth's Eastern Region. Learn about how animals live and thrive in our environment today as well as what to do if you find injured, sick or orphaned wildlife.

Morning tea will be provided.



**It's that time of the year again!**  
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### This month's openers...

Fri 12th April

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Sat 13th, Sun 14th April

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Fri 19th April

**A Dog's Way Home [PG]**

Sat 20th, Sun 21st April

**Sometimes Always Never [PG]**

Mon 22nd April

**At Eternity's Gate [PG]**

Fri 26th April

**Eighth Grade [M]**

Sat 27th, Sun 28th April

**The Happy Prince [MA15+]**

**Gates open 6.15pm, show starts 7.30pm. Cost \$15 adults, children \$10**

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## MOUNT HELENA CLASSIC

*incorporating the Whim Festival and Hills Billy Cart Festival*  
**Sunday 27th October 2019 Pioneer Park, Mount Helena**

**Plans are gathering pace for the Mount Helena Classic on Sunday 27 October, incorporating the Whim Festival and the Hills Billy Cart Festival.**

This year the 'Turn back Time' segment will make it's debut. Full of nostalgia, there will be a plethora of old world attractions on show in Pioneer Park including vintage prams for the ladies and historic cycles for the gentlemen.

Children can look forward to stalls displaying old time wares, toys and collectables and the return of the popular coconut shy with a tin can alley/bean bag throw for the little ones.

There will be many photographic opportunities with backdrops provided and a special Facebook competition where the photos can be uploaded for a chance to win a prize for the best.

70 years ago in 1949, the character, Noddy, first made his appearance. To celebrate this, there will be a display of vintage Noddy toys, together with many vintage toys from 1950 to 1980, which many of the mums and dads may remember. A large Noddy figure and his car will be in place to provide another great photo opportunity.

Visitors are encouraged to enter into the spirit of the day by dressing in theme from any era from 1900 to 1980, with

roving judges handing out a large number of prizes for the most original outfits.

**On Sunday 27th October 2019 Mt Helena will TURN BACK TIME!**

Registrations are now open for anyone keen to enter a billy cart, and applications are also invited from potential stallholders via the website ([www.mounthelenaclassic.com](http://www.mounthelenaclassic.com)). Expressions of interest from willing volunteers are also warmly encouraged.

Thanks to Shannons Insurance and Hills Upholstery and Trim who have jumped on board as event sponsors. Grateful thanks also to Pedal Play who have pledged two carts as raffle prizes. They will also be running go cart rides for kids at the event.

The Mount Helena Classic promises to be a fun family day out on Sunday 27 October with free admission to spectators. **For further information see [www.mounthelenaclassic.com](http://www.mounthelenaclassic.com)**



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**On Sunday 17 March, the Blue Sky Festival celebrated its second year of successfully delivering environmental and sustainability messages to the Hills community.**

The EMRC hosted a Volunteering in Perth's Eastern Region stall in the Wildlife Corridor, supporting local Catchment and Friends Groups to raise the profile of landcare in the community. This community engagement stall was supported by grant funding from the Western Australian Government's State Natural Resource Management (NRM) Program and the Eastern Region Catchment Management Program (ERCMP).

The stall highlighted the link between Catchment and Friends Groups and showcased local groups' environmental projects and conservation success stories. Una Bell shared her knowledge of native grasses with the community through a native grass display. Local weeds also featured at the stall with community members invited to identify various invasive weed species.

The 17 group volunteers who assisted at the stall took advantage of valuable networking with other Friends and Catchment Group members and positive interactions with the public.

Feedback from the volunteers from the event was positive:

The Blue Sky Festival "was a lot of fun. Any opportunity we have to get the messages across is worth it." – Gwyn Dean – Jane Brook Catchment Group, Friends of Pioneer Park.

"We were delighted to see the huge amount of interest, and many questions that people asked about the environmentally friendly projects and results that were being achieved in the Hills." – Tina Ross – Friends of Piesse Brook.

As part of the Bush Skills 4 Youth program, Cathy Levett engaged children and families in an interactive "Quenda Quiz", sharing information about the life of a quenda and healthy contact with these friendly creatures that are well-

known across the hills. *Quinton the Quenda also made a guest appearance at the stall!*

The stall also aimed to raise the profile of the Wooroloo Brook catchment, acknowledging the significant work undertaken by the once active Wooroloo Brook Landcare Conservation District Committee (LCDC). A renewed interest in continuing landcare work in this catchment was expressed by a number of local residents which was an encouraging outcome from the festival.



Families having fun playing the Bush Skills 4 Youth "Quenda Quiz".  
Photo: EMRC

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Nicky Coniglio was the lucky winner of the nest box, a prize for signing up for the Greenpage newsletter at the event.

Once again, the Blue Sky Festival provided the perfect forum to celebrate nature and awaken the community's intrinsic interest in caring for the environment.



Una Bell sharing her knowledge of native grasses.  
Photo: EMRC

### Mundaring Library Temporary Closure

Mundaring Library will be temporarily closed for a four-week period from Monday 8 April, reopening on Monday 6 May 2019. This closure is necessary to carry out urgent repair works to the library's timber flooring. Standard conditions and timeframes for borrowing items will be adjusted accordingly to minimise any inconvenience to you over this period.

Boya Library and the Wooroloo pop-up library will operate as normal during this time. More information is available on the Shire website. We thank you for your patience and look forward to welcoming you back to Mundaring Library very soon.

**Wooroloo Mobile Library's** next two visits are Tuesday 9 April, and Tuesday 30 April. The mobile library will be open from 9am to 11.30am. The time the mobile library operates has been extended for these two dates due to allow more time for people to visit during the temporary closure of Mundaring Library. The mobile library operates out of the Wooroloo Hall. Items for all ages are available for loan, including DVDs, audiobooks, fiction and non-fiction books. This is a free service provided by the Shire of Mundaring Libraries. Everyone in Wooroloo and surrounding locales is welcome to use the mobile library. Light refreshments are available for a gold coin donation. Come along, take some time to browse and enjoy a cuppa.



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# MUNDARING ARTS CENTRE & MIDLAND JUNCTION ARTS CENTRE



## MUNDARING ARTS CENTRE

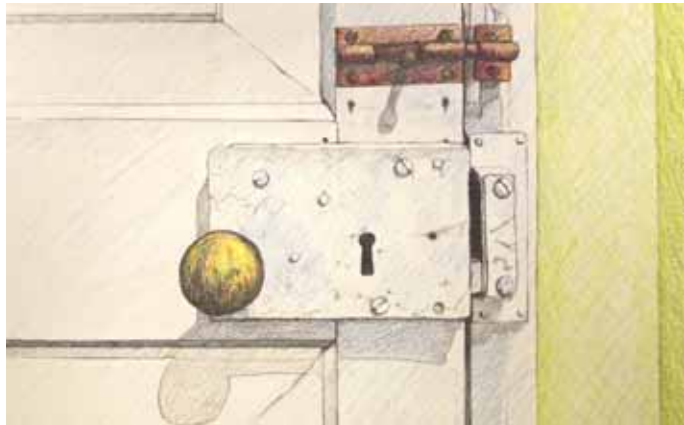
The 2019 Shire of Mundaring Art Acquisition Exhibition Place and Space is on display until 31 March. The exhibition features the work of 33 local artists as they delve into their material and intangible connections to the Shire of Mundaring as well as broader concepts of place. Notions of community, history, personal memories of the area as well as the local built and natural environment feature strongly throughout the exhibition. Congratulations to Joan Johnson, Bec Juniper, Jarrad Martyn, Lorita Schmitz and Katrina Virgona for having their work acquired into the Shire's collection.

## MIDLAND JUNCTION ARTS CENTRE

The Danjoo - Interwoven project celebrates local Aboriginal culture, Country, language and visual arts practice in Western Australia. The project includes two exhibitions, Danjoo - Interwoven presenting new and recent artworks by eighteen local Aboriginal artists and Wallkayong-a Kaardijin - To Share Knowledge which showcases art



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Denise-Brown - Siege (detail)  
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works made by Mooridj Noongar Community College children and participants of recent weaving workshops.

As part of the project you can join Wadandi/Minang/Kororeng Bibbulmun artist Lea Taylor to learn contemporary Bibbulmun weaving using bush materials, raffia, string and natural fibres. You'll cover the creation of bush

baskets, large sculpted baskets and wrapped hay forms in this 4 part course running on Thursdays from 21 March - 11 April.

Mundaring Arts Centre | 7190 Great Eastern Hwy (corner Nichol St)  
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## APRIL ACTIVITIES

### Slater Homestead, Goomalling Saturday 13th April

Entry fee, tour - \$27.50 and includes Devonshire Tea and Lunch of quiche or lasagne, salads, tea or coffee.

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Ring Doris to book on 9573 6436 as early as possible for catering purposes. Thanks.

### Committee Meeting

9.30am Wednesday 10th April

Any item for the agenda must be submitted one week prior to meeting to the Secretary or President.

### Carpet Bowls

Wednesday 3rd & 17th April

Carpet Bowls are held on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Held in the Wundowie Lesser Hall from 9:30 am to about 12 noon.

Everyone is most welcome and you do not have to be a member of Silver Wings to play. Ring Kaye Towle on 0400 95 95 95 for further information.

### Northam Boulevard Shopping Centre, Northam – Thursday 18th April

Seniors' Morning Tea and Entertainment between 10am – Noon. - Ring Nikola to book (Shopping Centre?).

Book bus at Wundowie Library or the Northam Shire, for the Shire Bus at the cost of \$2.

### Craft – Wednesday 24th April – 10am to 2pm (ANZAC Day follows)

Craft is on the 4th Wednesday of the month held in the Lesser Hall, Wundowie.

Cost is \$2 per person - Please bring your own lunch and snacks. We knit, crochet, sew, whatever, OR just come to socialize. Would you like a speaker or demo of a craft? Ring Margaret Darwood 0407 066 433 for further information.

### 2019 Footy Tipping Competition

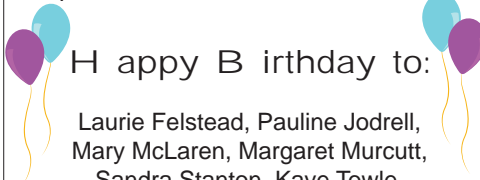
Footy had already started with some books still on hand. You have missed round 1 -3 but Better Late Than Never!!!!

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The Footy Tipping Box for your selections is at I.G.A. (just under the TV on wall near Post Office Counter). Ernie James has set up the tipping list, EMAIL: [erniejames@outlook.com](mailto:erniejames@outlook.com) with your tipping or as above.

Peter Butfield will take over after his holiday. Peters' email address will be in the next newsletter with the changeover date.

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Happy Birthday to:

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## NEWS & UPCOMING ACTIVITIES FOR 2019

### KEEP IN MIND

### The Knit In on Wednesday, 22nd May

- Get those knitting and crochet needles clicking ladies and gents!!

### BINGO – Wednesday, 29th May

Light refreshments, Tea & Coffee supplied - BYO lunch.

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### Possible outing in May to Sci-Tech

### Trash & Treasure in Wundowie Hall Saturday, 15th June – 9.30am to 11.30am

Start cleaning out all those cupboards, wardrobes and odd boxes containing all your TREASURES!!

What a great way to pass on un-used items and get a little extra cash. Lift that load off your shoulders and also help downsize the load for the KIDS, when you depart for a better place (maybe!) Devonshire Teas will be served – Entry fee Gold coin donation to Cancer Foundation.

New Date: 17th June

### Casino Bus

Monday 17th June – 8.30am.

Phone Caroline – 0488 288 379 to book by 11th June. Bus leaves Wundowie Hall at 8.30 am sharp. Cost \$10 per person, to be paid on the bus - includes lunch and return trip. Occasionally there are a few tickets available due to cancellations, so please ring Caroline to check.



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Time: 2:30pm – 5:30pm  
Location: Jorgensen Park Pavilion, Kalamunda.  
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## SAFER LOCAL ROADS SAVING LIVES ACROSS AUSTRALIA

**The Federal Liberal and Nationals Government will help keep drivers safe on local roads by delivering an additional \$2.2 billion in road safety funding.**

Federal Member for Hasluck, Ken Wyatt MP, said road safety is everyone's responsibility but the Government has a key role to play in delivering safer roads and vehicles.

"I am proud to be part of a Government that is committed to play its part in getting Australians get home safely from every journey on our roads," Mr Wyatt said.

"The Government has announced an additional \$1.1 billion in funding for local governments under the Roads to Recovery program, as well as an extra \$550 million for the successful Black Spot Program, which targets known high-risk locations and reduces serious crashes by 30 per cent on average.

"We will deliver a further \$571.1 million to improve the safety and efficiency of heavy vehicle operations through the Bridges Renewal Program, Heavy Vehicle Safety and Productivity Program and Heavy Vehicle Safety Initiatives (HVSI).

"The Budget also delivers safer roads through a variety of further initiatives, including establishing a new Office of Road Safety to facilitate a greater leadership role for the Federal Liberal and Nationals Government.

"Safer roads and bridges mean safer heavy vehicle operations, which is critical to our goal of reducing road trauma on the nation's roads."

Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Infrastructure, Transport and Regional Development Michael McCormack said 2018 saw 81 fewer deaths nationwide

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"We must push ahead with practical measures and ...continued on page 16



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infrastructure funding to drive road deaths towards zero," Mr McCormack said.

"The Government has also announced a new \$12 million Road Safety

Innovation Fund to support research and development in priority areas such as regional road safety, driver distraction from mobile devices, protecting vulnerable road users and reducing drug driving.

"In addition, a new Road Safety Awareness and Enablers Fund will offer \$4 million in targeted and competitive grants to fund road safety awareness, education and collaboration initiatives.

"We are also backing local governments to prioritise safety, providing a further \$2.55 million to the Australian Road Research Board to help councils keep abreast of the latest road safety design and maintenance innovations when managing their local road assets.


"This is in addition to renewed commitments to fostering the skills of new drivers through the Keys2drive program, continued funding to the Australasian New Car Assessment Program (ANCAP) to encourage the purchase of safer vehicles, and an ongoing commitment to safer vehicle design through rigorous and globally harmonised Australian Design Rules.

"The Government will also place road safety at the heart of its infrastructure investment program by prioritising safe system principles in line with the National Road Safety Strategy."

The Government is committed to working in a bipartisan spirit to progress the 12 recommendations made by the National

Road Safety Strategy Inquiry in September 2018.

The additional funding announced today builds on the Federal Liberal and Nationals Government's current investment of around \$2.6 billion in safety-enhancing projects, bringing the total investment to \$3.1 billion per year over the period 2019-20 to 2022-23.



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