

Shire of Lake Grace Community News

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CEO's Corner

The end of financial year has arrived and Council is soon to adopt its 2015/16 Budget. The main focus for the coming year will be the roads program given that we have received an additional \$527,000 under the Roads to Recovery programme. Hand in hand with this focus will be some Plant renewal, in particular a new replacement grader and change-over of two of the heavy trucks. The final determination of this year's rate increase will not be made until late July, once all of the end of financial year accounts have been calculated.

Council, at its 24 June 2015 Ordinary Meeting considered the following matters:

- **Request for a Road Name Change** - A request has been received to rename a portion of Kent Road to Crook Road, and Council has agreed to advertise the proposal and request submissions.
- **Planning Application – Proposed Storage Shed at 68 Absolon Street, Lake Grace** - Council has approved this application subject to a number of conditions.

In addition to the above, Council resolved a number of administrative matters including the write-off of unrecovered debts amounting to \$14,888, appointed its Bushfire Control Officers for the 2015/16 season, including Chief Bush Fire Control Officer Brad Watson and Deputies (Lake Grace) Doug Dunham, (Newdegate) Wes Hall and (Lake King) Richard Metcalf.

Furthermore, Council completed a review of its Policy Manual, Delegation of powers to the Chief Executive

Officer and appointment of required Authorised persons.

Each of these can be found in the minutes of Council's 24 June 2015 Ordinary Meeting.



Local Laws Review

Over the past eighteen months, Council has undertaken a review of its local laws which has resulted in proposed new local laws, the amendment of some existing Local Laws, and is proposing to repeal the existing Pest Plants Local Law. At its 24 June 2015 Ordinary Meeting, Council approved the giving of state-wide public notice of the local Laws to seek public comment. The formal notice will be published in next fortnight's edition.

2015 Local Government Elections

The election will be held on Saturday, 17 October 2015 and whilst that it still some time away, it is opportune to remind everyone to ensure their enrolment details are up to date. Remember, you may be eligible to vote in more than one Ward or as a nominee of an enterprise. If you are unsure, please contact Peter Dittrich, Manager Corporate Services, at the Shire on ph: 9890 2500. The close of enrolment is 5.00 pm on 28 August 2015.

If you are considering nominating for Council, the first day for candidates to lodge completed nominations, in the prescribed form, with the Returning Officer is 3 September 2015. Nominations close eight days later on 10 September 2015 at 4.00pm. Further details regarding these matters will be made available over the coming weeks by the Returning Officer, Mr Terry Gladish.

Neville Hale

Chief Executive Officer



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Banners in the Terrace 2015

Pictured is this years Shire banner entry into WALGA's 'Banners in the Terrace' Competition. The banners will be on display along St Georges and Adelaide Terraces in Perth CDB during Local Government Convention in August.

The theme for 2015:

Local Government Switched On

Well done and thank you to the students and staff from Lake King Primary School who have produced the banner that represents the Shire of Lake Grace.

The banners will be on display from Sunday 26 July to Saturday 8 August, if you're in the city take a drive down the terrace and look at the wonderful display of Shire banners from all over the state.



Lake King Primary School students presented the banner to Shire Councillors Deb Clarke and Ross Chappell on Monday 29 July on their way to school camp. Holding the banner is teacher Peter Bartley and Principal Kaye Brownley.



KidSport enables Western Australian children to participate in community sport and recreation, no matter their financial circumstances. Eligible youth aged 5-18 years can apply for financial assistance to contribute towards club fees. The fees will go directly to the registered KidSport clubs through their participating local government.

Applicants must be aged 5-18 years and have a Health Care or Pension Concession card or be referred by a recognised referral agent. Primary place of residence must be in the local government area that they are applying to.



Ordinary Council Meeting

The next Shire of Lake Grace Ordinary Council Meeting will be held:

Wednesday, 22 July 2015, 3.00pm
Location
Council Chambers Lake Grace



Can you Help?

WANTED - OLD PHOTOGRAPH

The Shire has received a request to re-instate a water fountain and plaque that was previously located at the Lake Grace Roadhouse in celebration and recognition of the opening of South Lake Grace Water Pipeline Project.



Both the water fountain and plaque formerly located at the cnr of Stubbs St and South Rd were removed at the time of the truck bay improvements and now unfortunately cannot be located.

The Shire is looking to replicate the water fountain and plaque and is seeking community assistance in finding a photo or information to help with the process.

Is there anyone out there with a photograph of the official opening or knows of someone with a photo?

We would love to hear from you. Please contact Jeanette Bennett at the Shire Office on ☎9890 2500 if you can help.

Thank you.



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Office Opening Hours

Monday to Friday
8.30am - 4.30pm

Wednesday 8.30am- 4.00pm

Staff can be contacted by phone between 8am - 5pm.

Licensing Opening Hours

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 8.30am - 4.15pm
Wednesday and Friday 8.30am - 4.00pm

Tip Opening Hours

Lake Grace

Monday, Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday
7am - 6pm

Newdegate

Wednesday 9am - 3pm
Saturday 8am - 12pm

Lake King & Varley

Open Every Day

Waste & Recycling Pick up Dates

Household Waste Collection is weekly and collected each Monday for Lake Grace, Newdegate, Lake King & Varley.

Recycling is fortnightly and alternates between Lake Grace & Newdegate. See below for the upcoming recycling collection dates.

Please Note: There is no kerbside recycling collection service in Lake King or Varley.

Lake Grace	Newdegate
13 July	6 July
27 July	20 July

For more information on Waste Management visit the Shire's website.



Check out our website
www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Driving Assessor

The Practical Driving Assessor will be at the Shire of Lake Grace Office on:

Friday 3 July 2015

Friday 7 August - to be confirmed

Please contact the Shire's Customer Service Officer for an appointment.

You can now book your PDA online. For more information visit www.transport.wa.gov.au

Building Surveyor

Shire Building Surveyor, Josiah Farrell will be available at the Shire Office on the following dates:

Tuesday 13 July 2015, Tuesday 27 July 2015

To make an appointment please contact Josiah on 0438 811 944.

Bulk Kerbside Collection

The Shire of Lake Grace would like to acknowledge the Bulk Kerbside Collection.

There were very few people who used the opportunity in Lake Grace on the 23 June. There were no pick ups required at Lake King, Varley and Newdegate on the 24 June .

The Shire would like to advise there will be another collection held in late October/ early November 2015.

We want your photos

For people who always have their camera at hand the Shire is looking for photos to promote our area.

If you have any photos of events, infrastructure or landscape please email, with a description, to shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Your photos will be used to promote the area on our website, Facebook page and publications.

Please ensure you have permission from the people who are captured in the photo.



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I'M ALERT Food Safety

INTERACTIVE ONLINE TRAINING



Food Safety - Are you ALLERT?

Do you and your staff have the skills and knowledge required to ensure safe food for your customers?

Food Safety is your Business. It is the responsibility of a Food Business to ensure that all food sold is safe and suitable.

This information package has been developed by qualified and experienced Environmental Health professionals and is equivalent in scope to a two-day consultant delivered course.

The interactive, logical and easy learning format will assist you and your staff to develop the skills and knowledge required to ensure safe food for your customers and to comply with your obligations under the Food Safety Standards for Australia and New Zealand.

Most sections include an interactive quiz. Upon completion of the program, a training

acknowledgement form can be printed and filed as part of your food safety records.

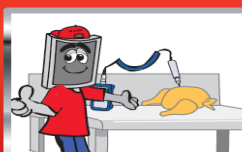
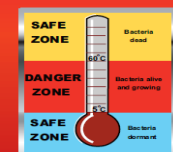
Course Index

- Overview
- Foodborne Illness
- Potentially Hazardous Food
- Contamination of Food
- Temperature Control
- Food Handling Skills and Knowledge
- Food Receipt
- Food Storage
- Food Processing
- Food Display
- Food Packaging
- Food Transportation
- Food Disposal
- Food Recall
- Health of Persons Who Handle Food
- Hygiene of Food Handlers
- General Duties of Food Businesses
- Cleanliness
- Cleaning and Sanitising of Specific Equipment
- Structure, Design and Maintenance
- Temperature Measuring Devices

- Single Use Items
 - Animals and Pests
 - Management Control Techniques (HACCP, Food Safety Programs)
- Food Safety is your Business. It is the responsibility of a Food Business to ensure that all food sold is safe and suitable.

Minimum System Requirements

- Internet Connection (Broadband Recommended)
- Adobe Flash Player version 6 or higher
- Adobe Reader version 5 or higher
- Pentium II 400MHz Processor
- 32MB of System Memory
- 256 Colour VGA Monitor
- Screen Resolution of 640 x 480
- Sound Card & Speakers (or Headphones)
- Printer



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For Public Comment

Kent Road - Road Name Change Proposal

Council, at its June 2015 Ordinary Meeting, considered an application to change the name of a portion of the road currently known as Kent Road to Crook Road.

Kent Road is located approximately 4km southeast of Pingaring and runs southeast from North Burngup Road to a T-junction with Holme Road, then continues at right angles back into T-junction with North Burngup Road.

The portion of the proposed name change is from the northernmost intersection with North Burngup Road to Holme Road.

As its first step in considering the road name change proposal, Council agreed to advertise within the Pingaring community and surrounds to:

- Seek historical information on the road named Kent Road; and to;
- Seek comment on the renaming of the road to Crook Road.

Comments are invited in writing by Friday 31 July 2015 to be addressed to:

CEO, Neville Hale
Shire of Lake Grace
PO Box 50
Lake Grace WA 6353

or via email to shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au

The report presented to Council at its June 2015 meeting can be accessed via the Shire's website www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au, follow the links to the June Council Meeting minutes - refer Item 11.1.

For further enquiries please phone Rohan Bishop at the Shire Office on ☎9890 2500