

Community Newsletter

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From the CEO

Well it looks as though we may finally be getting to some warmer weather at last which means harvest can get into full swing

The warming weather also means that the opening of the Lake Grace swimming pool is getting closer.

New pool manager Aaron Franich (brother of gardener Jason Franich) has joined the team this year and is looking forward to the coming season. He is frantically trying to whip the pool into shape to enable the final water testing to be completed so that we can open the pool. This may be a week away depending on the results. We are waiting on a couple of mechanical problems to be fixed which shouldn't prove too problematic. Luckily the weather has been pretty mild so far. We will let everyone know when we are up and running.

Review of Councillor Representation

The Shire of Lake Grace Review of Councillor Representation is still underway until 25 November

This is your last chance to have a say into the number of Councillors that you will have representing you in the Shire. Public submissions to the Shire close at 10.00am on Friday 25 November. All details are available on the Shire website.

Newdegate country club

The renovations and refurbishment to the Newdegate Country Club have finally been completed after long delays brought about by the COVID 19 pandemic which affected the availability of not only workers but to supply lines.

It has been completed to a high standard by builders Trevenen Building and Glass Pty Ltd and our thanks goes out to Matt and his team. All parties involved are delighted that the project has been completed. We have received nothing but good reports on the building and it's fresh new look. What a transformation. A suitable opening will be arranged in due course.



Before



Now

Coming Events

Asbestos Awareness
1 - 30 November

November
1 - 30 November

Social Inclusion Week
19-27 November

White Ribbon Day
Friday 25 November

Lake Grace Harvest Festival
Thursday 8 December

Newdegate Christmas Tree
Saturday 17 December
Newdegate Pavilion

Ordinary Council Meeting

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on
Wednesday
21 December 2022
from 3.00pm at the
Council Chambers,
Administration Building.

The Agenda will be available on
www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au
Everyone Welcome

A minimum of 15 minutes is set aside for public question time, giving members of the public an opportunity to ask questions relating to Shire activities.

Alan George
Chief Executive Officer

Community Information

Office Open Hours

Monday - Friday
8.30am - 4.00pm

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

Licensing Payments

All licensing payments are to be made in person at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration office, 1 Bishop Street, Lake Grace, (please phone ahead to confirm availability)

Monday to Friday from 8:30am to 4:00pm

As an agency, we process the majority of transactions including: renewals, transfers, number plate orders, boat registration renewals and new licence applications. With every transaction we perform, we try to offer the best service possible.

We do ask all licensing customers to be considerate, even though we are aware of people being 'locals' it does not exempt us from following the rules set by the Department of Transport.

Driving Assessor

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

Friday - 2 December

Friday - 6 January 2023 (to be confirmed)

Bookings are essential for all Practical Driver's Licence Assessments and we advise booking in advance as there is often a waiting list.

All bookings to be made at the Shire office on 9890 2500 until further notice.

Lake Grace has one assessment day each month held on the first Friday of the month.

For more information go to: www.transport.wa.gov.au.

Libraries

Lake Grace Public Library School Place Absolon St
Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm
Closed for lunch 12.30 - 1pm

Newdegate Public Library Collier St
Monday - Thursday 8.30am - 4.30pm
Closed for lunch 12noon - 1pm
Friday 9am - 2pm

Lake King Library Newdegate/Ravensthorpe Rd
Tuesday and Thursday 8.30am - 3.30pm

Building Surveyor

Building Surveyor, can be contacted through the Shire Office on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Town Planning & Building

The Shire's Town Planner consultant Joe Douglas, can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Environmental Health

The Shire's Environmental Health Officer, Brendon Gerrard. Can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Tip Times

Lake Grace

Monday & Wednesday 9am - 2pm
Saturday & Sunday 9am - 4pm

Newdegate

Wednesday 9am - 1pm
Saturday 9am - 1pm

Lake King and Varley

Open every day

Recycling Services

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

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

Lake Grace	Newdegate
Tuesday 6 December	Tuesday 29 November
Tuesday 20 December	Tuesday 13 December

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

The recycling bins are collected by Warren Blackwood Waste and transported to a recycling facility. If items which are not recyclable are found the content can't be recycled and the load will be directed to the landfill.

If an item is covered in food, it is not recyclable. Food is one of the worst contaminants in the recycling process. By using the yellow top recycling bin correctly you are contributing, in a combined community effort, to reduce the amount of rubbish that is directed to landfill facilities each year.

For more information on Waste Management visit the Shire's website www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au.



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