

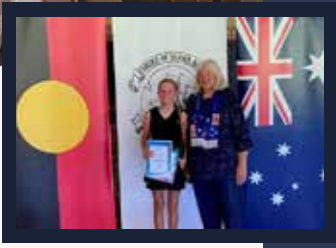
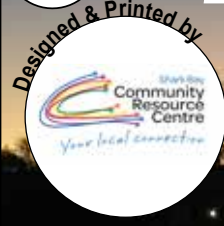
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FEBRUARY 2024

# Shark Bay Inscription Post



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## COMING EVENTS

**Mindframe**  
 Mindframe training: Public communication about suicide & mental ill-health  
 Free training  
 6<sup>th</sup> February or  
 5<sup>th</sup> March

**BreastScreen WA**  
 WA's only accredited screening service  
 Free mammograms  
 12<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> February

**fca wa**  
 FINANCIAL COUNSELLORS ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA  
 Economic Empowerment for Women Workshop  
 16<sup>th</sup> February

**ngala**  
 Raising happiness  
 Facilitators Training - Learning Early Years  
 19<sup>th</sup> February

**RSM**  
 Google Your Business  
 SEO essentials for small business  
 Free training  
 20<sup>th</sup> February

## Celebrating Community Spirit

### AUSTRALIA DAY CITIZENSHIP CELEBRATION AND AWARDS

On Friday 26th January, the Shire hosted the Shark Bay Citizen of the Year Awards. There was a fantastic turn out at the Shark Bay Bowling, Sport & Rec Club, with approximately 120 people attending to support the nominees and recipients of the Awards, and to congratulate our newest Australian Citizen, Alana Eru.

Everyone enjoyed a delicious breakfast cooked by the tireless volunteers of the Bowling Club. The Shark Bay Fish Factory once again showed their support by donating fish for the breakfast.

#### Citizen of the Year

**Janet Court - RECIPIENT**  
**Kellee Pedersen**  
**Jay Hayes**  
**Sofie Hayes**

#### Citizen of the Year - Youth

**Belle Sellenger - RECIPIENT**

#### Citizen of the Year - Senior

**Ian Dinsdale**  
**George Livesey & Sherry Baker - RECIPIENT**

#### Community Group or Event

**Christmas Lolly Run - RECIPIENT**

We would like to commend you all on your hard work and the community spirit you show. Shark Bay is a better place because of you.



# FREE Training Opportunities in February



## Mindframe training: Public communication about suicide & mental ill-health

This Mindframe training session on safe and sensitive public communication around suicide and mental ill-health will include:

- A brief overview of the Mindframe program
- The Australian context, with current data
- The guidelines in-depth
- Examples of problematic communication
- Information about help-seeking and self-care
- Opportunity for a Q&A with Everymind team members about Mindframe.

### Upcoming online trainings:

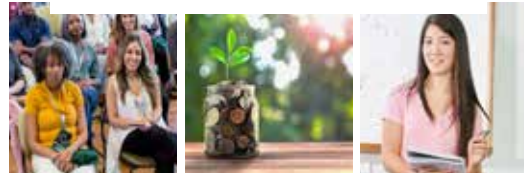
- Tuesday February 6th - 10am - 11am - [REGISTER](#)
- Tuesday March 5th - 10am - 11am - [REGISTER](#)

Learn more about Mindframe prior to this session at: [Mindframe.org.au](http://Mindframe.org.au)

Find out about upcoming training at [mindframe.org.au/news-events/events](http://mindframe.org.au/news-events/events)



FINANCIAL COUNSELLORS' ASSOCIATION OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA



## FREE ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT FOR WOMEN WORKSHOP

Me, Myself and Money

Hosted by Shark Bay Community Resource Centre

### TOPICS COVERED

- Understanding healthy financial relationships
- Understanding debt and ways to manage it
- Knowing your rights and how to protect yourself financially
- Building more financial resilience
- How to access professional financial counselling support

### DETAILS

- Friday 16 Feb 2024 – 10am-12pm
- 10 DENHAM ROAD, DENHAM, WA, 6537
- Phone: (08) 9948 1787
- Email: [sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au](mailto:sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au)

FREE lunch available



Supported by the Department of Communities



Government of Western Australia  
Department of Communities

## Facilitator's Training Workshop: Leading Early Years' Community Groups



A FREE non-accredited training opportunity to build capacity for those involved in leading community groups, targeting the support of the early years.

### Learning outcomes:

- Developing a clear purpose
- Building a safe space
- Establishing meaningful practices
- Mentorship program opportunity

Facilitated by Gail Law-Davis.  
Two workshop locations available.

### To register or learn more:

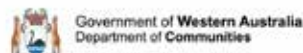
T: Gail 0409 889 720  
T: Ngala 08 9941 3869  
E: [Gascoyne.PCWA@ngala.com.au](mailto:Gascoyne.PCWA@ngala.com.au)



Monday  
9am - 12noon  
12 February 2024  
Church of Christ  
Carnarvon

Monday  
9am - 12noon  
19 February 2024  
Recreation Centre  
Francis Street  
Shark Bay

Supported by



## FREE WORKSHOP ▶

Presented by Teagan Webb  
RSM Business Local Advisor

## Google Your Business

SEO essentials for small business

Tuesday 20th February | 9.30am-11.30am  
Shark Bay CRC, 10 Denham Road, DENHAM

Does your business rely mostly on Facebook or social media posting to drive sales? You could be missing out on many potential customers who search elsewhere - people new to town or visiting, in new markets or people not on Facebook.

Learn how to reach more customers and stand out in online searches in this FREE workshop.

### BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

[rsmbusinesslocal.com.au/gascoyne](http://rsmbusinesslocal.com.au/gascoyne)  
Phone: 1800 249 562



Small Business  
Development Corporation  
Business Local

# Executive Officer's Report

There is a fantastic line up of free activities and workshops planned for February for the business and community sector.

## Mental health training

Mindframe has organised two online training sessions in Febraury and March for individuals keen to expand their knowledge and skills in regards to sharing information publicly in regards to suicide and mental health issues.

When communicating about suicide it's important to remember that suicide is a complex issue and is often not preceded by a single event or condition. Accurate information about suicide is important in order to identify those who may need more support and to debunk common myths about suicide.

Mindframe's training will be online sessions for an hour so you are welcome to register with us at the Shark Bay Community Resource Centre (SBCRC) and or join our staff as they participate in this online session.

## Financial workshop

A team from the Financial Counsellors' Association of WA is coming to Denham on the 16<sup>th</sup> February and want to meet with local ladies. They have received funding to reach out to women in communities to empower and boost their economic prowess and create their own financial independence. This

is a great opportunity to learn some financial tips to build good habits in your household finances around like minded individuals. All ages are welcome, register with us at the SBCRC. All participants will be treated to a luncheon after the training and babysitting can be sourced if required also.

## Early Years skills training

The Carnarvon based team from Parenting Connect and Ngala are keen to develop Early Years Children Leaders in our community and are offering a Facilitators Training workshop. This would be a great opportunity for anyone keen to develop their skills with children or those wanting to work in the childcare and or education sectors, those wanting to set up or be involved in playgroups, parents and childrens programs or even just parents wanting to be involved and interact more with young children. A three hour workshop will be held at the Recreation Centre on the 19<sup>th</sup> February. Register your interest at the SBCRC.

## Businesses on the internet training

Lastly have you ever conducted a Google search and have had to scroll down past several results in order to find the information or site you were looking for? If you own a business, sell a product online, or want to increase your advertising of an event for example, you would want your information to be at the top of that Google search list correct?

RSM Bird Cameron representatives are conducting on the 20<sup>th</sup> February a session titled Google your Business which will address the above. This session will teach you some tips and tricks to make sure you are maximising your results on the internet. Register your interest at the SBCRC.

## Training needs

Is there some training you would like to access? It doesn't have to be a group session it could be organised and facilitated as one on one personalised training. Let our team know at the SBCRC and we will do our best to find a resource or facilitator to assist.

*Jamie Burton - Shark Bay Community Resource Centre*

**Shark Bay Fiesta 2024**

## Fundraising & Promotion Opportunities

**Friday 17th - Friday 24th May**

**Register your interest**  
08 9948 1767  
sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au  
Shark Bay CRC

**Make some money and or promote your group**  
Nightly meal catering, quiz night, high tea organising, art and craft events or maybe you have another great idea that we can provide the venue for.

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# Shire President's Report

## Australia Day Celebrations, And Australian Citizenship Ceremony

The annual Shire Citizen Awards Ceremony was conducted on 26 January at the Shark Bay Bowling and Recreation Club which this year also included an Australian Citizenship Ceremony for Alana Eru – congratulations on your decision to become an Australian citizen. It is a lengthy process culminating in taking the pledge to become a full and formal member of the Australian community. We welcome the diversity and vitality that you bring to our nation!

Over 100 people joined the celebrations on Australia Day and reflected and respected all of the diversity of the history and stories that make us Australians. It is a day when we can all come together and celebrate our nation, our achievements and most of all its people. We are ALL part of the Story! It is a day to come together and acknowledge the past, celebrate the present and look to the future, no matter what our colour, creed or race! Australia's strength lies in its people and we are continually enriched by the cultural diversity of the many people who have chosen to live here.

## Shire of Shark Bay Citizen of the Year Awards

Nominations for these awards are open for individual residents, community groups and/or events that have made noteworthy contributions to the Shark Bay community or those that have given outstanding community service through active involvement during 2023 and acknowledges community members and groups that have contributed to the welfare of residents over the past year, donated their time and energy or been role models for others. Both nominees and recipients receive awards.

Nominees for Citizen of the Year Awards were; **Janet COURT, Jay HAYES, Kellee PEDERSEN** and **Sofie HAYES**, with the award presented to **Janet COURT**, who is a dedicated caregiver, volunteering tirelessly to assist elderly residents remain in their own homes in the Bay. She also hosts a weekly seniors' social group, volunteers with Meals on Wheels (delivering food to seniors), sacrifices family time to bring joy to residents and provides care to local seniors.

The nominee and recipient of the Youth category award was **Belle SELLENGER**, who demonstrated her leadership through her roles as the Primary School Sports Captain and as a School Leader. Although transitioning to high school in Geraldton, Belle will be an ambassador for Shark Bay, with her passion for helping others, and an inspiring figure for the entire community.

Nominees for the Senior Citizen category were; **Ian DINSDALE**, Ian has dedicated more than 10 years and 6,500 hours of personal time maintaining the Shark Bay Bowling Club's greens and facilities, in addition to generating funds via the Containers for Change initiative and utilising his culinary skills in the club's kitchen when events are held.

With **GEORGE LIVESEY** receiving the award. George's attributes include his outstanding contribution to the local SES. His jovial nature and consistent efforts beyond the call of duty make him an invaluable support to the local volunteers. He is also involved with environmental recycling, DFES training and community events. His 15 years of

service and numerous awards highlight his commitment to active citizenship.



**SHERRY BAKER**, George's significant other was also acknowledged for her dedicated service to the local community, including with the Community Resource Centre, the Denham Volunteer Brigade for 10 years, plus eight years with the Yadgalah Aboriginal Corporation committee and the creator of a Cancer Support Group in 2022.

The nominee and recipient for the Community Group or Event was the **CHRISTMAS LOLLY RUN**, which was re-established five years ago to preserve a 30 year tradition in Denham. Participants ensure that 40 kg of lollies are distributed to local and visiting children in every street on Christmas morning. The event is coordinated by two local identities, supported by four Shark Bay businesses in addition to the Volunteer Fire Brigade and Community Resource Centre.

Congratulations to ALL the nominees and recipients. Thank you for your contributions to the Shark Bay Community.

## Future Projects Planned

The following projects are either currently underway or in the planning phase;

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- Construction of a finger jetty at the northern end of Knight Terrace – contract awarded.
- Purchase of new equipment for the Recreational Centre Gym – underway
- Upgrades to the Shark Bay Discovery Centre – including recladding of rusted areas
- Replacement of the BBQs at Little Lagoon – to commence shortly
- Upgrade to George Weir public toilets
- Upgrade to the foreshore seawall
- Commencement of construction for new aged care units in Hughes Street
- Revision of the Shire's Local Planning Strategy.

Hope you all had an awesome Christmas and relaxing break!

Fingers crossed for some rain in the near future!

Cheers

*Cheryl*

Cheryl Cowell  
President

Shark Bay Arts Council

## Singing Group

The Singing Group meets every **Thursday** of school terms at **5.30 pm**, either here in the courtyard, or, if windy/inclement at the Shire Hall.

All welcome. No auditions!

We sing a variety of styles, for fun, with the possibility of participating in community events from time to time.

# Shire of Shark Bay Notices



## COMMUNITY GROUPS AND CLUBS

### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT | WORKING TOGETHER

As your Community Development Officer, I am keen to understand the needs and future plans of your group, so we can discover opportunities where we can work together.

Meeting with you on a regular basis also enables me to give you up to date information on what's happening in the Shire and to pass on funding and support opportunities to help your group reach its full potential.

I look forward to catching up at a time that works for you - days, nights or weekends!  
Let me know when your next Group meeting is scheduled so I can come along and get to know you all better.

Michelle Fanali

EMAIL: [cdoesharkbay.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdoesharkbay.wa.gov.au)  
PHONE: 9948 1218 or 0437 790 274



## Shire of Shark Bay

### REVENUE & ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

The Shire of Shark Bay is located in the Shark Bay World Heritage Area which is one of three World Heritage areas within WA. Located approximately 830 kilometres north of Perth, Shark Bay is a wonderland of world-class natural attractions, the clear turquoise waters are ablaze with multi-coloured sea life and stretching beyond the white sandy beaches are spectacular rust-red sand dunes.

The Shire is seeking a Revenue and Administration Officer to provide financial services including invoicing, accounts receivable, bank reconciliations, and other office tasks as required. A position description can be found on Council's website [www.sharkbay.wa.gov.au](http://www.sharkbay.wa.gov.au).

The ideal applicant will need to demonstrate relevant experience in the accounting functions of accounts receivable, and bank reconciliations. Strong interpersonal and communication skills with the ability to work autonomously and as part of a team is essential. This role requires high skill competency in Microsoft Word and Excel. Experience in local government and SynergySoft would be advantageous though not necessary as training will be provided.

This is a full time position subject to a 6 month probationary period. The position is offered, depending on skills and experience, with an attractive salary range of \$54,477 to \$59,718 plus \$5,112 per annum Shark Bay Allowance and superannuation guarantee of 11%.

Further information about the position is available by visiting our website [www.sharkbay.wa.gov.au](http://www.sharkbay.wa.gov.au) or by contacting Jane Green on (08) 9948 1218.

Written applications including your current CV, a covering letter with a short statement highlighting relevant experience and expertise that relates to the position should be sent to: [admin@sharkbay.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@sharkbay.wa.gov.au) or mailed to Chief Executive Officer Shire of Shark Bay PO Box 126 Denham WA 6537 "Private & Confidential".

# Shire of Shark Bay Notices



## 2024 SHARK BAY EVENTS CALENDAR

**WE ARE CURRENTLY COMPILING A COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR FOR 2024**

IF YOUR BUSINESS OR COMMUNITY GROUP HAS AN EVENT SCHEDULED ANYTIME IN 2024, DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE TO PUT IN IT THE SHARK BAY COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

EMAIL DETAILS OF YOUR EVENT TO [CDO@SHARKBAY.WA.GOV.AU](mailto:CDO@SHARKBAY.WA.GOV.AU)



### PUBLIC NOTICE - DATES & TIMES FOR THE ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETINGS FOR 2024

In Accordance with the Local Government Act 1995 Council wishes to advise that the Ordinary Council meetings for 2024 will be held as follows:

- February 2024 – Wednesday 28 Commencing at 1:00 pm in Council Chambers;
- March 2024 – Wednesday 27 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- April 2024 – Wednesday 24 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- May 2024 – Wednesday 29 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- June 2024 – Wednesday 26 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- July 2024 – Wednesday 31 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- August 2024 – Wednesday 28 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- September 2024–Wednesday 25 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- October 2024 – Wednesday 30 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers;
- November 2024 –Wednesday 27 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers; and
- December 2024 – Wednesday 11 Commencing at 1:00pm in Council Chambers.

*Dale Chapman - Chief Executive Officer*



## SHIRE OF SHARK BAY 2024 SCHEDULE OF MARKETS

MAY  
18-19

### SHARK BAY FIESTA

Contact the Shark Bay Community Resource Center for more information  
Ph: (08) 9948 1787  
Email: [sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au](mailto:sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au)

JULY  
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### WINTER MARKETS

Contact the Community Development Officer at the Shire of Shark Bay for more information  
Ph: (08) 9948 1218  
Email: [cdo@sharkbay.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdo@sharkbay.wa.gov.au)

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### BEATS IN THE BAY

Contact the Community Development Officer at the Shire of Shark Bay for more information  
Ph: (08) 9948 1218  
Email: [cdo@sharkbay.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdo@sharkbay.wa.gov.au)  
Strictly no power provided, please register your interest



### PERMITS REQUIRED

- All Stallholders must complete a Permit to Trade application form and submit this to the Shire **10 working days prior to the event.**
- If you are selling food, an application for a Temporary Food Stall Permit must be submitted with your Permit to Trade form **10 working days prior to the event.**
- If you are travelling to this region, always try book your accommodation as early as possible.  
[www.sharkbayvisit.com.au](http://www.sharkbayvisit.com.au)

Please note that event organisers reserve the right to decline an application if it is deemed unsuitable for an event



## CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY

SUNDAY 10 MARCH 2024

**JOIN THE ANNUAL DENHAM AND SURROUNDS CLEAN UP!  
FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE FOR VOLUNTEERS**

**SUNDAY 10 MAR | 8AM-9:30AM | DENHAM FORESHORE**

PRE- REGISTRATION AVAILABLE FOR BEACH CLEAN-UPS AT GOULET BLUFF, FOWLERS CAMP, WHALEBONE & EAGLE BLUFF FOR ANYONE KEEN TO GO OUT PRIOR TO THE 10TH MARCH - CONTACT [CDO@SHARKBAY.WA.GOV.AU](mailto:CDO@SHARKBAY.WA.GOV.AU) FOR MORE INFO



# Shark Bay 2024 Downwinders

26 JANUARY | DENHAM FORESHORE



*In a display of skill, determination, and adventure, the 2024 Shark Bay Downwinders event unfolded on the picturesque Denham foreshore on Australia Day leaving the community buzzing with excitement. After being postponed due to wind conditions from 6-7th Jan, the Fun 10Km Downwinder, Freestyle comp, Discovery sessions and presentation evening took place, showcasing the diverse water sports talent that resides in our coastal town. The winds, though initially lower than desired, picked up as the afternoon unfolded, creating ideal conditions for the kite freestyle event.*



## Spirit Soars

The 10Km Downwinder saw 38 kayakers, 12 kiteboarders and 7 stand-up paddleboarders (SUPs). Setting out from Ocean Park, the Downwinder enthusiasts paddled and sailed their way back to Denham, creating a captivating spectacle against the stunning backdrop of Shark Bay. Among the stand-out performers, the trio of Jeff, Elliot, and Harriet claimed the title for the first kayak across the finish line, demonstrating exceptional teamwork and skill. Meanwhile, Tony Edland showcased his determination on a SUP, securing the award for the first stand-up paddleboarder to complete the course. In the kite category, Kefford Whyte took home the honours for being the first kite across the finish line. Notably, Karen Gidley proved that age is just a number, emerging as the event's most mature participant, while Soren Manson and Fin Cooper represented our youngest 10Km Downwinder enthusiasts.

A mighty mention goes to Angela Johns, who exhibited unparalleled determination by towing her two children behind her SUP for the entire 10Km journey. Her determination and spirit encapsulate the essence of fun, community and camaraderie that defines the Shark Bay Downwinders event.

As the wind picked up in the afternoon, the kite freestyle event unfolded, showcasing the talents of Ruby Nelson, Caleb Hudson, and Ashley Byrnes, who all clinched well-deserved prizes for their impressive performances.

The Denham foreshore came alive with the spirit of community as locals and visitors alike gathered to cheer on the participants. The event not only celebrated the athleticism of the competitors but also highlighted the tight-knit community spirit that defines Denham.

Stay tuned for the re-scheduling of Australia's Longest Downwind Kite Race later this year.



# Shark Bay 2024 Downwinders

26 JANUARY | DENHAM FORESHORE



The Shark Bay Wind and Water Association Committee, volunteers, sponsors and participants alike expressed their enthusiasm with the event, emphasizing the joy of coming together as a community and enjoying the beautiful, picturesque surroundings that make Denham a unique place to call home.

## We Thank You



The 2024 Shark Bay Downwinders event undoubtedly left an indelible mark on the community, reminding us all of the power of sport to bring people together and create lasting memories.

### RAFFLE SPONSORS



A huge Thank You goes out our Volunteers, Partners, Local Businesses and Sponsors - without you all, events like these are simply not possible. Your support and commitment is immensely appreciated.







Congratulations to the Downwinder Committee for making the tough call of not holding their big event, but the events that were able to go ahead again was a great success. We even had a star Police judge, Constable Mackay, assisting with the Freestyle competition.

We have had a couple of preventable offences occur in town. Once again we need to remind you all that we need to make it 'tougher for crooks', we continue to see valuables in unlocked cars. Please don't leave valuables in cars, keep a close eye on your belongings, always secure windows and doors of your car and home, even if you are on holidays and just visiting. Together we can prevent some crimes before they happen. Visit [www.police.wa.gov.au/TougherForCrooks](http://www.police.wa.gov.au/TougherForCrooks) for more tips.

Remember if you need Police attendance or report a crime please call 131 444 in the first instance or the station on 9915 9100.

*Sergeant Dave Gannaway - Shark Bay Police  
Tel: (08) 9915 9100*

**SHARK BAY HOTEL**

**WE ARE HIRING**

**APPROVED MANAGER-BAR**

Must have current RSA and Approved Managers certificate  
Immediate start  
Accommodation available

Please forward resume to  
[enquiries@sharkbayhotelwa.com.au](mailto:enquiries@sharkbayhotelwa.com.au)



## Nearly \$26 million in improvements for WA tourism infrastructure

Nearly \$26 million will be invested by the Cook Labor Government to upgrade and improve key tourism sites across Western Australia.

- Iconic tourism sites throughout Western Australia to share in \$25.9 million of upgrades
- Rottnest Island, Cape to Cape Track and Karijini National Park to benefit
- Improvements to ensure sites remain world-class, attract interstate and overseas tourists, and support local businesses and operators

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As part of the recent 2023-24 Mid-Year Review, \$25.9 million was allocated to the following tourism attractions:

- additional \$10.7 million to enhance safe and ongoing access to Rottnest Island, under the Rottnest Island Main Jetty refurbishment and upgrade project;
- additional \$5.2 million to deliver improved facilities at Karijini National Park including sealed road and car park access to the most popular gorge and visitor sites;
- **\$4.6 million for the replacement of the Hamelin Pool boardwalk in the Shark Bay World Heritage Area;**
- \$2.7 million to undertake repairs and upgrades to the Cape to Cape track in the South West region, including updates to signage; and
- \$2.7 million to improve access to the Wellington National Park and pedestrian access to the Wellington Dam Mural.
- This investment will help to ensure these sites remain world-class and continue to attract tourists, while also supporting the local tourism sector.

Western Australia has had a booming year in tourism, with close to 2.4 million people from interstate and overseas visiting in the year ending September 2023. Of these, more than a third visited the Kimberley, Gascoyne or South West region. Rottnest Island also had a record-breaking year, with nearly 730,000 visitors to the island in 2022-23 by ferry.

**Comments attributed to Tourism Minister Rita Saffioti:**  
"Attractions and infrastructure are a critical part of tourism, and ensuring these facilities and sites remain world-class is so important.

"Places like Rottnest Island and regions like the South West, North West and Coral Coast are already tourism hotspots attracting hundreds of thousands of visitors each year, so we need to make sure they remain fit for purpose.

"Importantly, these improvements will also support our local operators, who rely on good infrastructure to keep attracting visitors."

**Comments attributed to Environment Minister Reece Whitby:**

"Western Australia's natural environment is the most diverse of any state or territory in Australia.

"Through our ongoing support for WA's iconic tourism landmarks, the Cook Government is ensuring we look after our State while making it an accessible and appealing destination for local, interstate, and overseas visitors."





# Book your first aid course today

Refresh your first aid training or learn how to provide a first aid response in any situation. You could save a life!

## Upcoming courses at your local sub centre:

HLTAID009 – CPR Refresher  
05<sup>th</sup> March 24 - 2:00pm to 4:30pm

HLTAID011 – Provide First Aid  
06<sup>th</sup> March 24 - 8:30am to 4:30pm

## You can find and contact your local sub centre here:

Shark Bay Sub-Centre – Wednesday/Thursday 8:30am to 1:00pm  
Book online at <https://stjohnwa.com.au/first-aid-training>  
Email: [SharkBay.subcentre@stjohnwa.com.au](mailto:SharkBay.subcentre@stjohnwa.com.au) Phone: 9948 3023



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EMERGENCY  
DIAL 000**

Our volunteers have responded to this many calls outs this year:

January - 10

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**Total to  
date - 10**



**St John**  
**Shark Bay Sub Centre**

Office Hours:  
Wednesday & Thursday  
8:30am - 1pm



**VOLUNTEER NOW!**

Skills, fun, friends, fulfillment & more.

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**Volunteer Support Officer -**

**Non medical capacity 5 hrs per month**

Opportunities include:

- Membership on Committee at Sub Centre (eg. Chairperson, Treasurer, general committee member)
- Gardener / Cleaner - Clean & maintain outside of building
- Cleaner - Clean & maintain inside facility
- Events / Social Coordinator

**Volunteer Ambulance Officer**

Duties include:

- Attend ambulance jobs. This includes emergency situations and routine patient transfers
- Attend public events to provide first aid services
- Attend training regularly to maintain skills
- Complete accurate records for ambulance calls
- Work effectively with you partner on ambulance calls and with other members of the sub centre

JOIN OUR LOCAL HEROES

**2024**

**First Aid  
Courses  
Denham**

**St John**

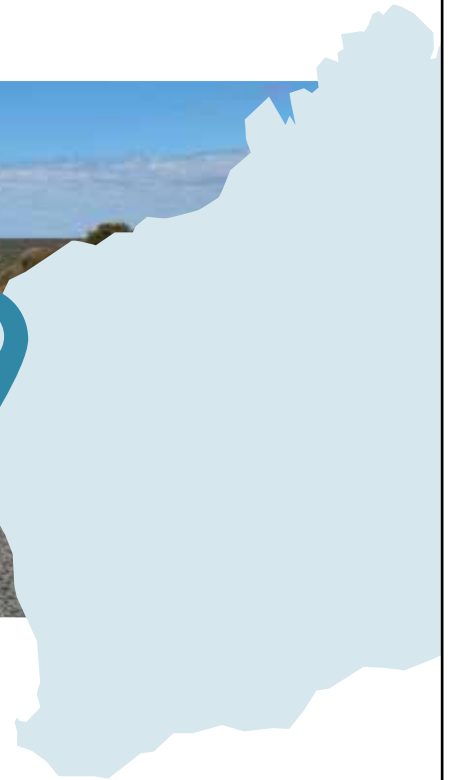
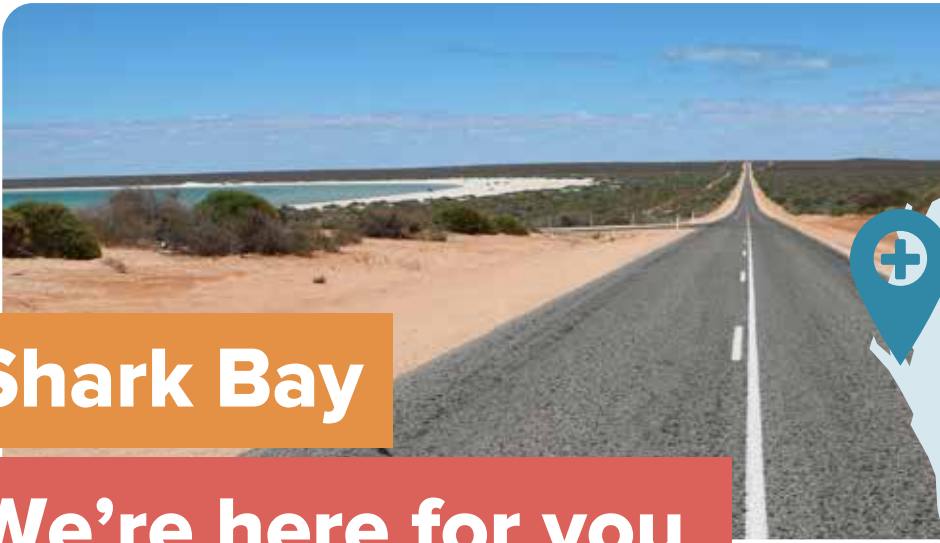
**Shark Bay Sub Centre**



**Upcoming First Aid Training for 2024**

|          |            |                    |                    |
|----------|------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 05/03/24 | HLTAID009  | CPR Refresher      | 2:00pm to 4:30pm   |
| 06/03/24 | HLTAID011  | Provide First Aid  | 8:30am to 4:30pm   |
| 15/05/24 | HLTAID009  | CPR Refresher      | 2:00pm to 4:30pm   |
| 16/05/24 | HLTAID011  | Provide First Aid  | 8:30am to 4:30pm   |
| 23/07/24 | HLTAID009  | CPR Refresher      | 8:30am to 11:00am  |
| 23/07/24 | UETDRRF004 | Low Voltage Rescue | 11:00am to 12:30pm |
| 24/07/24 | HLTAID011  | Provide First Aid  | 8:30am to 4:30pm   |
| 10/09/24 | HLTAID011  | Provide First Aid  | 8:30am to 4:30pm   |
| 11/09/24 | HLTAID009  | CPR Refresher      | 8:30am to 11:00am  |
| 07/11/24 | HLTAID009  | CPR Refresher      | 2:00pm to 4:30pm   |
| 08/11/24 | HLTAID011  | Provide First Aid  | 8:30am to 4:30pm   |

You can book online by visiting [www.stjohnwa.com.au](http://www.stjohnwa.com.au) or you can email [sharkbay@stjohnwa.com.au](mailto:sharkbay@stjohnwa.com.au) or call 08 9948 3023 between 8:30am - 1:00pm Wednesdays and Thursdays.



## Shark Bay

# We're here for you

Hey, Shark Bay! From 21 March, WA Country Health Service will begin managing the Shark Bay Health Centre.

**Nothing is changing – you can continue to access care like normal.**

There will be no impact to services. Please continue to access care like you normally would.

We have a long and proud history of caring for communities in rural and remote WA and **we're excited to call Shark Bay home.**

### How to get in touch

Contact information remains the same



53 Hughes Street  
DENHAM WA 6537



(08) 9948 1400



[wacountry.health.wa.gov.au](http://wacountry.health.wa.gov.au)



# BreastScreen WA

coming soon to

## Denham

Women aged 40 years and over, make your appointment now for a **FREE** screening mammogram.

**12/02/2024 - 15/02/2024**

(Dates may be subject to change)

Bookings open now!  
phone 13 20 50



BreastScreen WA's mobile will be located at:

**Shark Bay Recreation Centre, 30 Francis Road**



Book your free screening mammogram online  
[www.breastscreen.health.wa.gov.au](http://www.breastscreen.health.wa.gov.au)  
or phone 13 20 50



## The Golden Lens



### 2024 Photographic competition

The Golden Lens is an opportunity for WA Seniors Card members to share photos they have taken, that celebrate the lives of older Western Australians.

All winners will win a prize donated by participating businesses of the WA Seniors Card program.

Entries close **17 March 2024**

Members can submit an entry in each of the four categories.

**Active ageing**

**Cultural identity**

**Wander out yonder**

**Blast from the past**



For more information visit

[www.seniorscard.wa.gov.au/goldenlens](http://www.seniorscard.wa.gov.au/goldenlens)





# EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

## Teletrial Community Reference Group

The **Australian Teletrial Program** is a new initiative funded by the Commonwealth Government. It helps people living in regional areas of Australia take part in clinical trials without travelling a long way from home. In Western Australia, the WA Country Health Service (WACHS) is leading this project.

**We are looking for people who understand what it is like to live in regional areas** and are interested in improving healthcare access. Whether you or someone close to you has missed out on new treatment because of where you live. We believe the best insights come from those who have lived it.

### What do community reference members do?

**Advise:** tell WACHS about issues in the Teletrial Program.

**Advocate:** speak up for the community and help us include everyone, especially those who are usually left out.

**Promote:** share the information, let everybody know about the Teletrial Program.

**Collaborate:** help improve policies, strategies and best practices in conducting Teletrials in the community.



### How to express your interest?

If you are interested, please complete an Expressions of Interest (EOI) form by scanning the QR code. Contact Narelle Mullan, Project Lead for assistance with the form or for further information.



We hope to hear from you soon!

**0476 284 102** **WARCCC@health.wa.gov.au**

EOI link: <http://bit.ly/TeletrialCRG>





## Eggfruit not so Eggsellent!



Eggfruit caterpillar feeding inside a developing tomato, and the adult moth (Image source: MyPestGuide public reports).

In a world of Solanaceous garden delights such as capsicums, tomatoes, chillies and eggplants, an unwelcome pest often goes unnoticed until harvest time: *Sceliodes cordalis*, more commonly known as the eggfruit caterpillar. This common garden grub has a craving for plants belonging to the Solanaceae family and can turn your hard-earned produce into a feast for their insatiable appetite.

### Biology and management

Eggfruit caterpillars begin their journey when the small brown moth lays her tiny, white oval eggs. These eggs are predominantly laid on the stem or calyx of the developing fruit. They hatch tiny white ravenous caterpillars, which bore into the fruit through the stem or calyx. This disguises their entry point. Munching and pooing their way through the inside of the fruit, the caterpillars often turn bright pink or red in colour as they mature. Eggfruit caterpillars are particularly hard to detect as there's rarely any external signs of infestation of the fruit. These gluttonous grubs eventually chew their way out of the fruit to pupate, and later emerge as adult moths.

Controlling this pest can be challenging and requires well-timed management during all life stages. Make sure to remove any weeds from the Solanaceous family (e.g., nightshade) to reduce

their breeding sources in the garden. Moths and eggs can be controlled using light traps, or by spraying insecticidal soap on the calyx. These soaps can affect the delicate wings of the adult moth, making it too slippery for her eggs to stick to the calyx, and may also desiccate the eggs. As freshly hatched caterpillars, there is a very short window for control before they enter the fruit. Target the stems and calyx with caterpillar control products. Look for ingredients such as spinosad or the biological control 'BT' (*Bacillus thuringiensis*). These insecticides become virtually ineffective once the caterpillars burrow into the fruit, as they are well-protected inside. If infested fruit is found, remove and discard to break their lifecycle.

### Report your capsicum criminals!

Although eggfruit caterpillars are a well-established species, it's the small white caterpillars that may be confused with the larvae of the non-established and reportable Queensland fruit fly (Qfly). Qfly is a significant pest of over 300 fruits and vegetables. You can report suspicious larvae in your produce to MyPestGuide or contact the Pest and Disease Information Service by sending in photos of the larvae and cut-open fruits. Report early to keep your Solanaceous garden delights safe from unwelcome feasters!



### Report your observations

MyPestGuide® Reporter via app or online [mypestguide.agric.wa.gov.au](https://mypestguide.agric.wa.gov.au)

Pest and Disease Information Service (08) 9368 3080 | [padis@dpird.wa.gov.au](mailto:padis@dpird.wa.gov.au)



# Marine Rescue Shark Bay



Marine Rescue Shark Bay have had zero calls for assistance from the boating public so far in 2024. January and February are traditionally very quiet months in Denham as there is very low visitor numbers and the weather is generally too windy to venture out on the water.

We have kept busy with our role in helping the Shark Bay Wind and Water Association prepare for the 2024 Downwinder event. Unfortunately, this year the wind wasn't strong enough to hold the 40km kitesurfing race from Goulet Bluff to Denham, it has been postponed to a yet to be confirmed date, later in the year.

Conditions were good however for the 10km kayak, stand-up-paddle, and kite race from Ocean Park to the Denham foreshore. Over 50 competitors took part and were greeted back in town by an enthusiastic crowd of onlookers.

Looking ahead, we are expecting a visit from the Australia Maritime Safety Authority surveyor as part of their role in checking on Commercial Vessels to ensure they maintain a high standard. Our Regional Manager Simon Miller from DFES will be here on the 5<sup>th</sup> to attend our next committee meeting.

On Saturday the 3<sup>rd</sup> there will be a combined Emergency Services get together and barbecue. This will be a good opportunity to socialize and meet up with the volunteers from the other agencies. Ambos, Firies, SES and Marine Rescue members and families are all invited to attend.

Our new vessel is due to come out of the paint shed and start on the final fit out phase of the build. We are still asking for members of the community to come up with a name for the boat. Suggestions so far have been "Bay Guardian", "Cape Inscription", "Retriever", "Denham Sound", "Shelter Bay". If you have any suggestions, please email them to [vmrsharkbay@westnet.com.au](mailto:vmrsharkbay@westnet.com.au)

Marine Rescue Shark Bay



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### BAITING TO PROTECT NATIVE WILDLIFE

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Under the Parks and Wildlife Service's *Western Shield* program, baiting to control foxes and feral cats occurs on more than three million hectares of conservation lands in Western Australia.

The baits used are toxic to introduced animals but not to native animals which have an evolved tolerance to the active compound (1080). All baited areas are signposted.


Baiting occurs on a regular and ongoing basis to protect endangered native animals including the numbat, western ground parrot and western swamp tortoise.



**Attention pet owners: these baits will kill domestic dogs and cats. Baited areas must be considered dangerous for pet dogs and cats at all times.**


For more information and maps on areas baited under *Western Shield* visit [dbca.wa.gov.au/westernshield](http://dbca.wa.gov.au/westernshield) or contact your local Parks and Wildlife Service district office.

*Western Shield* is generously sponsored by Alcoa Foundation, Tronox and Western Areas.



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# The Head Stockman

When Harry returned from overseas and was discharged from his Light Horse Regiment, he headed for the Murchison where he worked as a stockman on various stations. Eventually he settled down as head stockman on Meeka Station about seventy miles north of Yalgoo.

Every year, after shearing, Harry collected his cheque and boarded the mail truck with the avowed intention of catching the train to Perth. Every year, without fail, he never got past the Yalgoo Pub.

Eventually Pat, the station boss, decided to do something about it. He banked Harry's money, gave him a cheque book with careful instructions as to its use, then drove him to town and loaded him onto the train. A phone call to a friend in Perth ensured that the old bloke was met and booked into a respectable hotel.


The next day Harry set out to explore the city. After being almost run over when pushed off the footpath by the hurrying

through, he retreated to the hotel and ensconced himself in the corner of the bar. Harry soon became popular with the bar staff and customers, for too many of whom soon took advantage of Harry's generosity.



Sadly there came a day when the publican called Harry into the office and produced a bundle of cheques marked I.S.F. and explained to him that this meant there was no money left in the bank. Harry refused to believe this and to prove his point produced his cheque book. 'There you are' he said. 'I've only used half the blanky book.' A phone call to the boss got things sorted out and Harry left for home, still convinced that the city slickers had put it over him. For the rest of his life he never travelled further than the Yalgoo Pub. He lies in an unmarked grave in the Yalgoo Cemetery.

*Extracted from the written works by Nugget McClymans (deceased)*



**Training - 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month from 5:30pm.**

**We will resume training on the 7<sup>th</sup> February.**

**All welcome!**

FRANCIS ST DENHAM

 Shark Bay Community Resource Centre  
*Your local connection*

**SHARK BAY RECREATION CENTRE**

**KIDS OPEN COURTS**  
 MONDAY 2.00- 4:30PM  
 THURSDAY 2.30-4.30PM  
**KINDY GYM**  
 TUESDAY 9.30- 11:30AM  
*Children aged 7 and under must be supervised by an adult*

**ADULTS & TEENS**  
**VOLLEYBALL/BADDY**  
 MONDAY 6:00PM  
**BASKETBALL**  
 WEDNESDAY 5:45PM

**SBCRC PH: 9948 1787**

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# Sport & Recreation

## Volleyball 4 Week Challenge:

Shark Bay CRC is looking at putting together a volleyball challenge at the Rec Centre, similar to Youth Groups sports competitions in previous years. 4 teams are required for this competition to go ahead so if you are interested please let the CRC know ASAP. Our contact email details are sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au or you are welcome to call on 08 9948 1787.

The competition will be held on Mondays from 6:00pm to 7:30pm over 4 weeks starting on the 12<sup>th</sup> February. Pencil in the 12/2, 19/2, 26/2 and Finals on either the 4/3 (which is a public holiday) otherwise to be held on the 11/3.

There will be no cost although we are seeking cash donations/gift vouchers for prize money. Please let us know if you could assist with making this happen!

Each team consists of a maximum of eight players. There are six players on the court, three players at the front near the net and another three towards the back of the court. The two remaining players are part of the rotation. Teams must have 6 players on the court. Teams can register as many players as they like but must nominate the 8 players who will play before the match starts.

*Please note: Each player must have played in a match at least once to be eligible to play in the Finals.*

## Opening Hours:

The Rec Centre will be open Monday the 29<sup>th</sup> January and Tuesday the 30<sup>th</sup> of January to coincide with the end of the school holidays. Opening hours will then go back to normal school term programs with Open Courts starting Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February from 2:30-4:30pm. The Kindy Gym program will restart on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February at 9:30am. Please bring a piece of fruit to share and a smile.

## Kiosk

For your information eftpos is now available for purchases in our Recreation Centre kiosk.

## Recreation Centre team



Thanks Shire of Shark Bay for contributing funds to our Kindy Gym Xmas party. The smiles are rewarding!



Photos are from our December Kindy Gym Xmas Party





# Other Sports & Recreation



1:30pm Tuesdays  
@ the Hall  
Starts at 1:30pm

**\$3 per session**

Any enquiries please  
ring Bron - 0407 310 052

## Shark Bay Club



**BRIDGE**

The Shark Bay (social)  
Bridge Club

Meets every Monday at 1pm in the Denham Town Hall on Hughes Street (opposite the Silver Chain building). Beginners are welcome! Session fee of \$3 which includes afternoon tea.

Why don't you come and join us for a friendly game of bridge?

For more information please contact:  
Jill: 0417 177 009



## SHARK BAY SPEEDWAY CLUB 2024 RACE CALENDAR

16th March - Practice Day

6th April - Club Meet  
Production Sedan Perpetual Trophy Day

20th April - Club Meet  
All divisions racing

11th May - Gascoyne Development Series rd 1  
in Carnarvon - all divisions racing

15th June - Gascoyne Development Series rd 2  
in Shark Bay - all divisions racing

6th July - 36th Far Western Championship

17th August - Club Meet  
All divisions racing

21st & 22nd September  
All other divisions Perpetual Trophy weekend  
22nd September - Presentation evening

SHARKBAYSPEEDWAYCLUB@OUTLOOK.COM

# SPORTS & REC

## SHARK BAY WEEKLY TIMETABLE

**Monday**  
1:00pm.....**Bridge @ Town Hall, SB Bridge Club** (fees apply)  
2:00 - 4:30pm.....**Open Courts @ Rec Centre** (excluding school holidays)  
6:00pm.....**Badminton/Volleyball @ Rec Centre**

**Tuesday**  
9:30 - 11:30am...**Kindy Gym @ Rec Centre** (excluding school holidays)

**Wednesday**  
1:30pm.....**Golf @ Boolbardie Country Club** (fees apply)  
3:00pm.....**Croquet @ SB Bowling, Sport & Rec Club** (fees apply)  
4:00pm.....**Pistol shooting @ SB Pistol Club** (fees apply)  
5:45pm.....**Basketball @ Rec Centre**

**Thursday**  
2:30 - 4:30pm.....**Open Courts @ Rec Centre** (excluding school holidays)

**Saturday**  
1:30pm.....**Golf @ Boolbardie Country Club** (fees apply)  
2:30pm.....**Bowls, Scroungers @ SB Bowling, Sport and Rec Club** (fees apply)

**Sunday**  
4:00pm.....**Pistol shooting @ SB Pistol Club** (fees apply)

# Boolbardie Country Club

## Chip Shots



Summer is in full swing and the temperature and winds have picked up and as some members have left for their southern summer pastures, playing fields have reduced to the usual suspects of Shark Bay stalwarts with the odd sprinkling of visitors. As 2023 was a very dry year (the course was last mown in February 2023), the course is now bare of grass and a number of the greens are very bony and require some additional sand and treatment. It is anticipated that the green replenishment will be completed in February ready for season 2024.

The following details the winners of the \$50 vouchers provided by the SHARK BAY FISH FACTORY for January.

| SHARK BAY FISH FACTORY STABLEFORD | Winner (Score)       | Runner-Up (Score)    | Nearest the Pin* |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Saturday 30 December              | Peter Cope (17)      | Peter Llewellyn (15) | -                |
| Saturday 6 January                | Peter Llewellyn (18) | Jill Deschamp (10)   | -                |
| Saturday 13 January               | Mick Parry (18)      | Peter Llewellyn (17) | Mick Parry       |
| Saturday 20 January               | Peter Cope (13)      | Jill Deschamp (12)   | Peter Cope       |

Wednesday Stableford Competition winners for the past month are listed below.

| Wednesday Stableford  | Winner (Score)       | Runner-Up (Score) | Nearest the Pin* |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Wednesday 20 December | Peter Llewellyn (16) | Mick Parry (13)   | Jill Deschamp    |
| Wednesday 03 January  | No Play              | -                 | -                |
| Wednesday 10 January  | Peter Llewellyn (16) | Mick Parry (14)   | Peter Llewellyn  |

\* Nearest the pin shot on Wednesdays.

The results for the 2023 Eclectic Championship have been compiled. The Eclectic Championship is when each player's best score for each hole is compiled to give a theoretical best 18 hole score after handicap. The 2023 Ladies Eclectic Champion was Jill Hill with a gross score of 78, nett 49 with runner-up Lyn Harding, gross 87, nett 52. The Men's 2023 Eclectic Champion was Peter Cope with a gross score of 68, nett 51 with runner-up Peter Llewellyn, gross 69, nett 52.

Looking forward to some important dates in the 2024 season: the AGM is tentatively scheduled for Saturday 6 April and will as usual be followed by the Bradley Deschamp Memorial Shield. The Denham Open is scheduled this year for 22-23 June. These dates will be confirmed in the March Inscription Post.


Club competitions will continue through summer (weather permitting) with 9-hole stableford events played every Wednesday and Saturday with a 1:30pm registration for a 2:00pm tee-off. The 19th Hole bar is open following the game.

Visitors are welcome at any time and visitor green fees are \$6 for 9 holes (honour system) with cards available at the clubhouse. For those who want to have a hit after work, some shorter rounds (4 or 5 holes) are possible.

Full sets of clubs (ladies, men, left and right-handed), balls and tees are available at no cost on club competition days or at any other time – ring Peter (0418 193 735) to get the combination for access to the loan clubs. Motorised buggies are available for hire on competition days at \$6 per player for 9 holes for non-members and \$4 each for members.



Peter Llewellyn - Club Captain




**DANCE CLASSES**

Seeking expressions of interest for dancers to join in our dancing classes in 2024

Please let me know if you or your child/ren are interested in joining and what ages and styles (acrobatics, jazz, ballet, adults). Enrolment and term fees apply.

Contact Mis Amy on 0438 934 000 for more information.





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11 Daniel Miller  
15 Jade Standen - Ridgley  
22 Alana Eru  
24 Jacqui Thomasz  
27 Reyce Galvin  
28 Beccy Mills

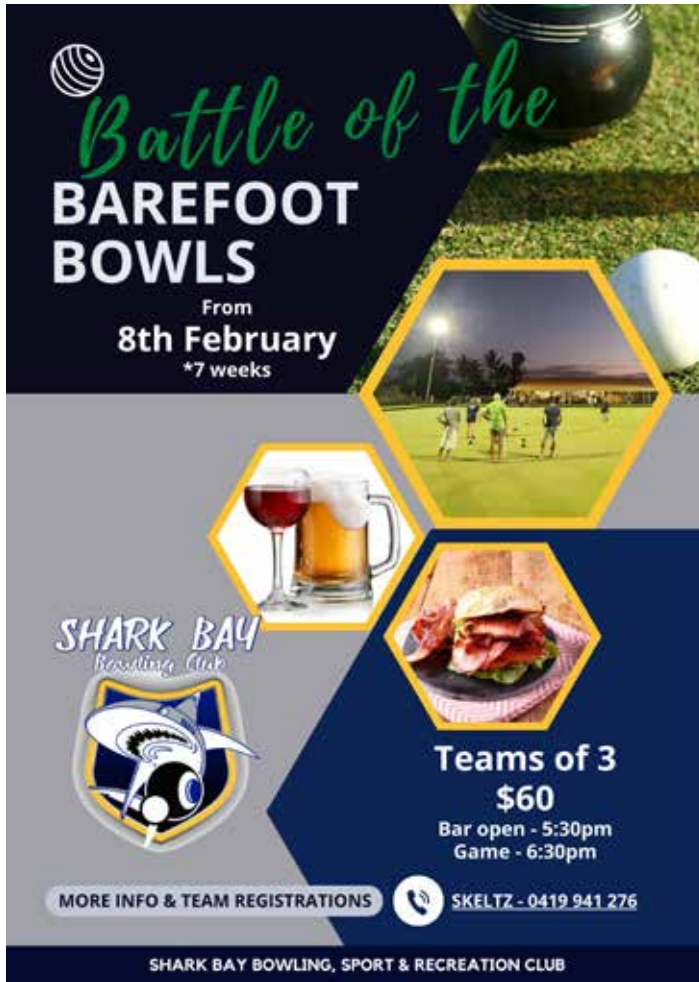


# Shark Bay Bowling, Sport & Recreation Club

## Barefoot Bowls

The battle of the Barefoot Bowls will be commencing for the 2024 season on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February. A minimum of 3 players are required per team with a registration fee of \$60 over a 7 week competition. Finals will be held the week before school holidays and Easter.

You guessed it the bar and kitchen will be open. As we are a volunteer organisation we would kindly welcome any helpers keen to assist over these 7 weeks.



**Battle of the BAREFOOT BOWLS**  
From 8th February \*7 weeks

SHARK BAY Bowling Club

Teams of 3  
\$60  
Bar open - 5:30pm  
Game - 6:30pm

MORE INFO & TEAM REGISTRATIONS SKELTZ - 0419 941 276

SHARK BAY BOWLING, SPORT & RECREATION CLUB

## Players welcome

Are you wanting to participate in a weekly sport? The Shark Bay Bowling Club welcomes two individual team sports for all ages on a Wednesday afternoon for those keen to play and or learn croquet as well as on Saturdays when a game of scrungers (lawn bowls) is played. Green fees are \$5 per game. Cheap and engaging entertainment for all ages and even better, capabilities.

For more information on participating in Bowling please do not hesitate to contact our Club Captain Skeltz on 0419 941 276. For interested croquet players you are encouraged to contact Fay on 0427 948 022 or John on 0400 625 138.

Shark Bay Bowling, Sport & Recreation Club



**CROQUET**

WEDNESDAYS 3:15PM  
FOR A 3:30PM START

Green fees apply

See you there!  
Fay Castling 0427 948 022  
John Senteneller 0400 625 138

@ the Shark Bay Bowling, Sport & Recreation Club



Join us Mondays at 10am.  
Everyone is always welcome!



Meet Wednesday & Sundays at the Pistol Club. Range fees of \$35 apply to non members with equipment provided. New members always welcome. Touch base with Vaughan the president on 0417 301 397 For more information



**OP SHOP**

Donations welcome  
During opening hours only

- Clean, quality items
- NO electrical
- NO large items

OPENING HOURS

|           |                  |
|-----------|------------------|
| Monday    | 10:00am - 1:00pm |
| Tuesday   | 10:00am - 1:00pm |
| Wednesday | 10:00am - 1:00pm |
| Thursday  | 10:00am - 1:00pm |
| Friday    | 10:00am - 1:00pm |
| Saturday  | 10:00am - 1:00pm |

OPENING TIMES MAY VARY OVER HOLIDAY PERIODS

29 Hughes st Denham





## Navigating renting when disaster strikes

West Aussies are no strangers to disasters such as bushfires, storms and floods. But if you're renting, there might be the extra stress of working with your landlord should your residence be affected by a catastrophe.

The good news is when it comes to rentals, both landlords and tenants have rights and responsibilities should a property become damaged or destroyed in a disaster such as a cyclone or bushfire.

If your house has been destroyed or deemed by the Local Government to be unfit to live in, the most practical approach is for the tenant or landlord to give a notice of intention to immediately end the lease. Tenants can give two days' notice, while the landlord must give seven days. Whichever way, a landlord should finalise the tenancy and repay the bond in the normal way, minus any mutually agreed expenses incurred by the landlord. The landlord doesn't have to provide alternative accommodation.

Following damage to a rental home, the landlord is legally responsible for necessary repairs and maintenance to bring the property back to a liveable condition. If a tenant continues to be able to live in the rental, urgent repairs required to essential services such as power, gas, water including supply of hot water, and sewage should be arranged within 24 hours. If any other issues could cause someone harm or undue hardship, or cause further damage then works need to be arranged within 48 hours.

With urgent repairs, if you cannot reach the landlord or if within 24 hours, the landlord fails to act, then you can employ a suitably qualified repairer to fix the issue to the minimum standard. Please be aware that there may be delays - it can be difficult to get tradespeople to your home as many properties may need repair after a disaster.

When services to an entire area have been impaired – such as when power poles burn down or the water supply becomes compromised – it can take the authorities some time to resolve the issues, but the landlord could consider providing a generator, potable water or if not, then a rent rebate for the duration. In these cases, Consumer Protection can assist the parties to reach a mutual agreement.

When it comes to debris, emergency services may already have a cleaning program in place, so contact the local authorities, such as the emergency services for advice.

It's also smart to be wary of travelling conmen or unlicensed traders who can target areas after a disaster going door-to-door, offering cheap cash-only deals.

For further information on renting during a disaster, including managing rent and bond payments, visit our factsheets at [www.commerce.wa.gov.au/consumer-protection/disaster-advice-while-renting](http://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/consumer-protection/disaster-advice-while-renting)

## How to save over \$1,000 on your fuel bill

We know every dollar counts to Western Australian families right now. I want to share the news that savvy motorists could save more than \$1,200 a year by using the FuelWatch

website to shop around before they fill-up.

Independent retailers dominated the top cheapest outlets across WA in 2023. Selling the cheapest fuel in the Gascoyne region was EG Ampol Carnarvon, with an average ULP price of 195.7 cents per litre (cpl), followed by Dunning's in Morgantown and Kingsford, and Ampol Foodary in Kingsford all with an average price of 195.8 cpl.

For those who travel to Perth, FuelWatch data has also revealed independent retailers Vibe, Atlas Fuel, FastFuel 24/7 and Liberty outlets occupied all spots in the top ten of cheapest non-membership outlets across the Perth metropolitan area.

Costco outlets at Perth Airport and Casuarina topped the cheapest list overall, but an annual membership is required to access these sites.

The overall average ULP price in WA last year was 187.4 cpl and for diesel we saw an average of 203.3 cpl. When it comes to diesel, we found country areas often pay less than Perth motorists due to competition. But it's always worth shopping around by using the FuelWatch service.

Long gone are the days of not knowing if the cheap fuel you saw on the way to work will be the same price on the way home. The '24-Hour-Rule', established over 20 years ago, means retailers must tell Consumer Protection by 2pm each day what their fuel price will be for the following day. They must keep that price unchanged for 24 hours from 6am the following day making FuelWatch the only service in Australia that gives you the opportunity to access tomorrow's fuel prices today.

When FuelWatch was introduced in 2001, it also required WA regional fuel retailers to display their prices on visible price boards. This is another way FuelWatch continues to help WA motorists by making sure there are no surprises when they get to the bowser.

We are currently in a weekly petrol price cycle, with Tuesday being the cheapest day to fill up but there are always bargains to be found. It's worth noting, diesel does not follow a price cycle.

It takes less than 30 seconds to check out the FuelWatch website at [www.fuelwatch.wa.gov.au](http://www.fuelwatch.wa.gov.au) to find the best deal near you, it's also worth considering signing up for personalised alerts or you can access FuelWatch through the State Government's ServiceWA app.

*A/Senior Regional Officer for Midwest, Cheryle Dennis*



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# In Memoriam

To the amazing Shark Bay community, and friends afar the family thank everyone who came to wave Footy off on Knight Terrace as we said our "see ya later mate" as he headed off to Perth.

A memorial service will be held in the coming weeks - TBA.

We are overwhelmed and appreciate all of your love and support. He really loved this place and all the people here. He called it home and certainly left his mark.

*All our love Bev, Helen, Coral, Kay and Merv.*



It is with a heavy heart that we extend our deepest condolences to Bev, Coral and Footy's extended family and friends on the sudden and extremely sad loss of Greg 'Footy' Robinson.

Footy was one of the many characters that have made up 'the old boys' of the club and with 4 Far Western Championship wins and years of laps under his belt, he was a true legend of the Shark Bay track. Footy's occasional grumpy demeanour was very quickly replaced if anyone ever needed a hand and his straight shooting 'calling a spade a spade' attitude is a rare attribute these days and one that will be dearly missed by all that knew him.

We know your up there giving them grief already and enjoying a cold Turkey mate. Fly high #77

*Shark Bay Speedway Club*



On Thursday 25/01/2024, the WA Speedway community lost a well-loved legend.

Greg 'Footy' Robinson was hailed as "one of the many characters who made up the old boys club" of our sport by Shark Bay Speedway, and never have truer words been said. Footy travelled the state to compete, making friends at every track and setting an example to the generations of drivers and crews who have since entered the sport.



Regular visitors to Karratha and Nickol Bay Speedway, Footy & Bev were members of our club for several years as, in Footy's words, "we should be supporting the tracks we race at". He viewed Speedway not just as a competition, but as a community. Though Footy could be cantankerous and cranky and grouchy at first impression, he had a heart of gold and would give the shirt off his own back to anyone who needed it. We saw this many times over the decades he competed. There were too many nights to count where he would withdraw from racing due to engine failure or an incident, only to spend the rest of the night in the pits assisting other drivers to reach the front of the A-main - even if it meant frantically stripping parts from his own car to fix theirs.

If you needed it and he had it to give, it was yours.

This generosity also extended to hospitality, with too many NBSC drivers and crews to count staying at Bev & Footy's house over the years. Whether it was to compete at the Far Western, or simply as an overnight stop on the way to or from Perth, they would welcome us all with a comfortable bed, a hot meal, and many a cold drink. The only thing they asked in return was that you take responsibility for the empty jerry-can of "Wind Turbine Fuel" that sat on the back patio in case of a town black-out (because heaven forbid Footy ever missed a chance to crack a joke).

On behalf of Nickol Bay Speedway Club, the Executive Committee, and our past & present members, we extend our deepest condolences to Bev, Helen, Coral, Kay, Merv and family, as well as to the entire Shark Bay community, on the loss of an absolute legend.

We'll miss you, Footy.

*Nickol Bay Speedway Club*





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Just as our daylight skies are ever-changing, with new sunsets and shifting cloud formations, our evening skies are constantly changing too, with the Moon, stars and planets providing a smorgasbord of stunning views. During their orbits we see lunar occultations (when the Moon, appears to move in front of another, blocking it from view) and conjunctions (when two astronomical objects, like planets, appear close together in the sky). And let's not forget the spectacle of meteor showers, there's plenty to see in our night skies!

The Alpha Centaurids meteor shower returns to WA's night skies from 28<sup>th</sup> January – 21<sup>st</sup> February, peaking around 8<sup>th</sup> February. This year's Alpha Centaurids are forecast to produce about 6 meteors per hour. With the shower reaching its highest point after dawn, your best viewing will be in the hours up to around 4am.

When and where to look: Early morning, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> February in the south-eastern sky.

On 15<sup>th</sup> February, the moon is a beautiful waxing crescent — and it's visible in conjunction with the king of the planets, Jupiter, all evening. This conjunction is a good one for naked-eye stargazing or viewing with binoculars. You'll be able to follow the conjunction until the moon sets at 10:29pm and Jupiter follows a few minutes behind.

When and where to look: 7:40pm, 15<sup>th</sup> February in the north-western sky.

Pop these dates into your cosmic diary and have a star-filled 2024!

For more stargazing tips, visit [www.astrotourismwa.com.au](http://www.astrotourismwa.com.au).

*Carol Redford and Donna Vanzetti, Astrotourism WA*

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| Crisis Centre<br>Christian Fellowship         | Tim & Maggie Hargreaves   | 08 9948 1338<br>0429 481 338                           |
| Denham Crafters                               | Bronwyn Hook  | 0407 310 052   |
| Denham Volunteer Fire and Rescue              | Brian Child - Unit Captain                                      | Call 000 for Emergency<br>Info ONLY: 9948 3289         |
| Friendly Hub                                  | Julie Robins  | 0417 976 005   |
| Kindy Gym                                     | Natalie Dul   | 08 9948 1787   |
| Marine Rescue Shark Bay (previously<br>VMR)   | Drew Wassman - President  | Call 000 for Emergency<br>Info Only: 9948 1376         |
| Shark Bay Arts Council                        | Sofie Hayes - President<br>Abby Leyendekkers - Vice President   | 0400 256 829   |
| Shark Bay Bowling,<br>Sport & Recreation Club | Peter Francis - President<br>Jamie Burton - Secretary           | 0419 109 068<br>0427 272 560                           |
| Shark Bay Bridge Club                         | Fay Castling<br>Jillian Hill                                    | 0427 948 022<br>0417 177 009                           |
| Shark Bay Business Association Inc            | Mira Vankova  | www.experiencesharkbay.com                             |
| Shark Bay Community Men's Shed                | Tony Sckardoon<br>Carlos Elissegaray                            | 0435 008 080<br>0427 010 869                           |
| Shark Bay Community Resource Centre           | Contact the office staff<br>Claire Harrower - Chair             | 08 9948 1787   |
| Shark Bay Fiesta                              | Shark Bay Community Resource Centre                             | 08 9948 1787   |
| Shark Bay P & C Association                   | Tiaza Sellenger - President                                     | 0407 129 487   |
| Shark Bay Pistol Club                         | Vaughan Beavis - President<br>Cheryl Cowell - Secretary         | 0417 301 397<br>0417 180 307                           |
| Shark Bay RSL                                 | Brad Lyons  | 0422 927 527   |
| Shark Bay Speedway Club                       | Dave Harrower - President                                       | 0429 998 944   |
| Shark Bay State Emergency Service<br>(SES)    | Shaun Burton - Local Manager<br>George Livesey - Deputy Manager | Call 132 500 for Assistance<br>Info ONLY: 0429 481 218 |
| Shukokai Karate                               | Janine Standen  | 0400 122 439   |
| St Andrew-by-the-sea Anglican Church          |   | 08 9902 6476   |
| St John Ambulance -<br>Shark Bay Sub Centre   | Alana Eru   | Call 000 for Emergency<br>Info ONLY: 9948 3023         |
| Yadgalah Aboriginal Corp.                     | Debbie Bellottie  | 08 9948 1318   |
| Daycare                                       | Marie Gamble  | 0457 040 867   |



| Email  | Day(s)  | Location   |
|--|---|--|
| pllewellyn@bigpond.com                       | Wednesday & Saturdays   | Golf Club, Monkey Mia Road                       |
| sharkbayherald@westnet.com.au                | 24/7<br>Sunday  | Foreshore about opposite the Interpretive Centre |
| hooksonline2005@yahoo.com.au                 | Tuesdays 1:30pm - 3:30pm  | Denham Shire Town Hall                           |
| denhamvfrs@bigpond.com                       | 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday every Month | Dampier Road, Fire Station                       |
| sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au                    | Wednesdays 10:00am  | Bowling Club, Francis Street                     |
| sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au                    | Tuesday 9:30am<br>(except school holidays)                              | Recreation Centre                                |
| vmrsharkbay@westnet.com.au                   | 4 <sup>th</sup> Monday of every month                                   | Marine Rescue building, Knight Terrace           |
| hello@sofieseyah.com                         |   | Arts Shed - 10 Denham Road                       |
| sharkbaybowls@westnet.com.au                 | Scrounges - Saturday, 2pm   | Bowling Club, Francis Street                     |
| hillhome@bigpond.com                         | Monday 1pm<br>MUST contact Fay or Jill in advance                       | Denham Shire Town Hall                           |
| sharkbaytourism02@gmail.com                  | 1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday of every month                                  | Recreation Centre                                |
| sbcmsshed@hotmail.com                        | Monday 10am<br>Wednesday  |  |
| sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au                    | Open Monday to Friday, 9am - 4pm  |  |
| sharkbaytc@westnet.com.au                    | 17 <sup>th</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2024                            |  |
| sharkbaypandc@hotmail.com                    | People can contact the School for meeting dates                         | School Library                                   |
| vbeavis82@gmail.com<br>chezza@westnet.com.au | Wednesday & Sundays - 4:30pm  | Pistol Club, Monkey Mia Road                     |
| bradmlyons@hotmail.com                       |   |  |
| sharkbayspeedwayclub@outlook.com             | 37 <sup>th</sup> Far Western - 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2024                | Shark Bay Speedway Club                          |
| sessharkbay@iinet.net.au                     | 1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month                | Emergency Services Building, Durlacher Street    |
| jstanden@westnet.com.au                      | Tuesday & Friday 5pm - 6pm  | Denham Shire Town Hall                           |
| standrewssb@gmail.com                        | Sunday 9am  | Anglican Church                                  |
| sharkbay@stjohnwa.com.au                     | Office opening hours:<br>Wednesday & Thursday<br>8:30am to 1pm          | Emergency Services Building, Durlacher Street    |
| yadgalah1@bigpond.com                        | Monday - Friday   | Francis Street                                   |
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| Time    | m    | Time    | m    | Time    | m    | Time    | m    |
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| 1 0344  | 0.97 | 9 0754  | 0.27 | 17 0151 | 0.57 | 25 0038 | 1.21 |
| TH 0954 | 0.59 | FR 2332 | 1.49 | SA 0610 | 0.76 | SU 0837 | 0.42 |
| TH 1718 | 1.24 | FR 1731 | 0.96 | SA 0916 | 0.69 | SU 1441 | 1.07 |
|         |      |         |      | SA 1800 | 1.50 | SU 1910 | 0.83 |
| 2 0024  | 0.73 | 10 0831 | 0.28 | 18 0311 | 0.52 | 26 0123 | 1.18 |
| FR 0425 | 0.88 | SA 1440 | 1.02 | SA 1836 | 1.48 | MO 0851 | 0.47 |
| FR 0946 | 0.64 | SA 1731 | 0.96 | SU      |      | MO 1457 | 1.13 |
| 1741    | 1.29 | ●       |      |         |      | MO 2020 | 0.78 |
| 3 0126  | 0.68 | 11 0036 | 1.46 | 19 0428 | 0.47 | 27 0201 | 1.14 |
| SA 0521 | 0.79 | SU 0902 | 0.34 | MO 1918 | 1.43 | TU 0855 | 0.52 |
| SA 0934 | 0.67 | SU 1451 | 1.10 | MO      |      | TU 1515 | 1.19 |
| ● 1806  | 1.35 | ● 1854  | 0.92 |         |      | TU 2127 | 0.73 |
| 4 0240  | 0.62 | 12 0134 | 1.40 | 20 0536 | 0.43 | 28 0236 | 1.09 |
| SA 0647 | 0.71 | TU 0927 | 0.42 | TU 2013 | 1.37 | WE 0853 | 0.58 |
| SU 0912 | 0.69 | MO 1517 | 1.20 | TU      |      | WE 1535 | 1.24 |
| 1836    | 1.40 | MO 2041 | 0.86 |         |      | WE 2219 | 0.69 |
| 5 0404  | 0.54 | 13 0229 | 1.30 | 21 0631 | 0.39 | 29 0309 | 1.03 |
| MO 1915 | 1.45 | TU 0942 | 0.52 | WE 2126 | 1.31 | TH 0856 | 0.63 |
|         |      | TU 1547 | 1.31 | WE      |      | TH 1557 | 1.30 |
|         |      | TU 2223 | 0.77 |         |      | TH 2307 | 0.66 |
| 6 0520  | 0.45 | 14 0321 | 1.17 | 22 0715 | 0.37 |         |      |
| TH 2005 | 1.48 | WE 0937 | 0.61 | TH 2241 | 1.27 |         |      |
|         |      | WE 1620 | 1.40 | TH      |      |         |      |
|         |      | WE 2331 | 0.69 |         |      |         |      |
| 7 0622  | 0.37 | 15 0413 | 1.03 | 23 0750 | 0.37 |         |      |
| WE 2107 | 1.49 | TH 0925 | 0.66 | FR 1434 | 0.98 |         |      |
|         |      | TH 1654 | 1.46 | FR 1708 | 0.94 |         |      |
|         |      |         |      | FR 2344 | 1.24 |         |      |
| 8 0712  | 0.30 | 16 0038 | 0.63 | 24 0817 | 0.39 |         |      |
| TH 2221 | 1.50 | FR 0507 | 0.88 | SA 1431 | 1.02 |         |      |
|         |      | FR 0920 | 0.68 | SA 1809 | 0.88 |         |      |
|         |      | ● 1727  | 1.50 | ○       |      |         |      |

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| 1 0412  | 1.57 | 9 0651  | 0.29 | 17 0017 | 0.75 | 25 0118 | 1.81 |
| TH 1012 | 0.67 | FR 1342 | 1.43 | SA 0609 | 1.38 | SU 0754 | 0.52 |
| TH 1649 | 1.77 | FR 1808 | 1.13 | SA 1051 | 1.03 | SU 1424 | 1.71 |
| 2315    | 0.83 |         |      | SA 1752 | 1.99 | SU 1951 | 0.96 |
| 2 0450  | 1.47 | 10 0020 | 1.89 | 18 0122 | 0.80 | 26 0155 | 1.82 |
| FR 1031 | 0.77 | SA 0731 | 0.24 | SA 0723 | 1.24 | MO 0817 | 0.55 |
| FR 1710 | 1.77 | SA 1408 | 1.56 | SU 1049 | 1.14 | MO 1445 | 1.78 |
|         |      | ● 1907  | 1.02 | SU 1834 | 1.92 | MO 2028 | 0.88 |
| 3 0000  | 0.80 | 11 0118 | 1.95 | 19 0300 | 0.82 | 27 0228 | 1.80 |
| SA 0537 | 1.35 | SU 0808 | 0.25 | MO 1930 | 1.83 | TU 0840 | 0.60 |
| SA 1050 | 0.87 | SU 1437 | 1.70 | MO      |      | TU 1504 | 1.84 |
| ● 1737  | 1.78 | ● 2001  | 0.90 |         |      | TU 2102 | 0.82 |
| 4 0054  | 0.76 | 12 0209 | 1.96 | 20 0443 | 0.76 | 28 0259 | 1.77 |
| SU 0640 | 1.23 | MO 0842 | 0.30 | TU 2050 | 1.76 | WE 0859 | 0.67 |
| SU 1107 | 0.97 | MO 1507 | 1.83 | TU      |      | WE 1522 | 1.88 |
| 1815    | 1.77 | MO 2053 | 0.81 |         |      | WE 2135 | 0.77 |
| 5 0209  | 0.72 | 13 0257 | 1.92 | 21 0543 | 0.68 | 29 0328 | 1.73 |
| MO 0817 | 1.12 | TH 0914 | 0.41 | WE 1351 | 1.43 | TH 0918 | 0.75 |
| MO 1118 | 1.06 | TU 1539 | 1.94 | WE 1620 | 1.39 | TH 1538 | 1.91 |
| 1906    | 1.76 | TU 2144 | 0.74 | WE 2228 | 1.74 | TH 2208 | 0.74 |
| 6 0348  | 0.64 | 14 0342 | 1.83 | 22 0625 | 0.60 |         |      |
| TU 2015 | 1.75 | WE 0944 | 0.56 | TH 1335 | 1.49 |         |      |
|         |      | WE 1611 | 2.02 | TH 1738 | 1.29 |         |      |
|         |      | WE 2233 | 0.71 | TH 2342 | 1.76 |         |      |
| 7 0508  | 0.51 | 15 0428 | 1.70 | 23 0658 | 0.55 |         |      |
| WE 2140 | 1.77 | TH 1010 | 0.72 | FR 1345 | 1.56 |         |      |
|         |      | TH 1644 | 2.05 | FR 1828 | 1.17 |         |      |
|         |      | TH 2323 | 0.72 |         |      |         |      |
| 8 0605  | 0.39 | 16 0515 | 1.54 | 24 0035 | 1.79 |         |      |
| TH 1323 | 1.33 | FR 1034 | 0.88 | SA 0727 | 0.52 |         |      |
| TH 1652 | 1.23 | FR 1717 | 2.04 | SA 1403 | 1.64 |         |      |
| 2310    | 1.82 | ●       |      | SA 1912 | 1.06 |         |      |



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