

# Shire of Goomalling



## Newsletter

September | Spring 2017

**"IF YOU WANT TO GO FAST  
GO ALONE.  
IF YOU WANT TO GO FAR  
GO TOGETHER."**

**– AFRICAN PROVERB**

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## RATEPAYERS & DEBTORS

Please ensure you use the appropriate reference on internet banking transfers to ensure your payment is allocated correctly. For debtors use the **Debtor Code** and for Rates payments the **Assessment Number**, both are located on the top right hand corner of the invoices/notices.

Communication is extremely important, if you're struggling to meet your payment obligations with Council please contact finance staff to make a payment arrangement that is realistic for your circumstances and minimises your stress. No communication suggests you're not going to pay therefore Council must take the necessary process to recoup the funds which may result in debt collection.

For more information, please contact Finance Officer Trudi Manera on 08 9629 1101.

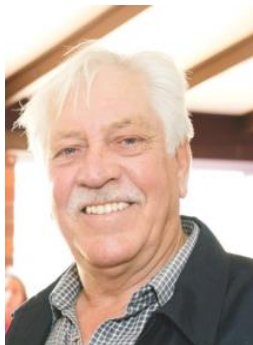
## INCENTIVES FOR EARLY PAYMENT OF RATES

Pay your rates in **full** by 4.00pm, Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September 2017 and fill out an entry form to go into the draw to win one of three rate incentive prizes:

<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>\$600 voucher</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>\$300 voucher</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>\$100 voucher</b>

Voucher can be spent with at any business in the Shire of Goomalling.

## From the Shire President



Thankfully the rain provided some much needed relief for our crops, gardens and ovals. The rolling pasture now green and gold.

Council once again will be making some difficult decisions in its 2017/18 budget with the new State Government implementing cost saving measures that will impact local governments across the state

including a reduction in road funding. In addition, the federal government has slashed financial assistance grants as a result of the declining WA population, despite the fact that Goomalling's population increased from 985 to 1033 in the latest census.

Although 2017/18 will be challenging, Council is still determined to progress and will work diligently to source funding and implement cost saving measures where feasible.

Congratulations to the enthusiastic volunteers progressing the community garden that is starting to take shape, and good luck to all the winter sports teams playing in the upcoming finals.

*Cr Barry Haywood, Shire President*

## From the CEO



The Shire President's remarks (above) are fully endorsed where Council is again finding it difficult to maintain its wide range of works and services that are delivered to its community by reducing obligatory grants from both State and Federal Governments through road and financial assistance grants respectively.

However, Council continues to look at new ways to supplement its revenue base and this financial year will be no different as Council will continue to carry out private works for a number of contractors.

It is pleasing to report that the tender contract to construct four Aged Housing residences in Wollyam Street Goomalling, has been awarded to Pindan Construction Group and is scheduled to be completed July 2018.

*Clem Kerp, CEO*

## GYM (24hr access)

### Class Hours

**Mon:** 6.30am-7.30am

**Tue:** 9.00am-10.00am  
4.30pm-5.30pm

**Wed:** 6.30am-7.30am

**Thu:** 6.30am-7.30am

**Fri:** 6.30am-7.30am  
9.00am-10.00am

### Fees

- \$6.00 per class (\$3.00 concession)
- \$25.00 per month, for classes (\$12.50 concession)
- \$180 standard 12 months 24 hr access
- \$450 standard 12 months 24 hr access + classes
- \$90 pensioner/senior standard 12 month 24 hour access
- \$150 pension/senior standard 12 month 24 hour access + classes
- \$100 BOND (Key card for 24 hour access)

Come and visit us to discuss our services and programs available which include:

- Personal Training
- Pilates
- Water Aerobics (subject to participation/weather)
- Group classes



## Goomalling Sport & Community Centre goes solar

Mortlock Sports Council and Goomalling Shire Council have invested in 30kw worth of solar panels for the Goomalling Sport & Community Centre (GSCC). With increased refrigeration for a commercial kitchen and bar the electricity consumption of the facility has significantly increased.

By installing solar panels on the GSCC Council is endeavouring to reduce its environmental impact and minimise operational costs of the facility. The exercise will provide a sound case study for transitioning other Council and community facilities to solar power.

## Large cactus find thanks to the community

Thanks to a report from the community, a large infestation of Velvet Pear has been recorded near Walyormouring Lake. This find almost doubles the number of known plants within the Shire. Please keep your notifications coming in! Apart from the extensive infestation within the town limits, we also have recordings at Jennacubbine town site, Rowles Rd, Cockerding Brook and Konnongorring town site.

**With over 60 sites of Cactus confirmed in the Shire of Goomalling, the time is getting closer to implement eradication procedures.**

1. Small plants, less than 1 metre can be dug up and disposed of at the Shire disposal pit (Not the Tip!!). As an alternative, you can spray with Roundup®. Gardening Australia has a non-chemical method: add a cup of common salt to a litre of vinegar; after it's dissolved, brush it directly onto weeds. Remember, it's not a selective weed killer. It'll kill anything it touches so be very careful how you use it.
2. Larger plants, above 1m may also be dug up; the Shire of Goomalling will make its equipment available for this. Please contact Jean Walker, phone 0428100910 or works supervisor Russell Beck: [works@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:works@goomalling.wa.gov.au) to arrange this. As always plants need to be buried more than 1 metre deep. Herbicide Chemicals listed as registered are:
  - a. **Grazon Extra® 350 mL + 500 mL Uptake oil® per 100 litres of water OR**
  - b. **Garlon® 2 L + 500 mL uptake oil® per 100 litres of oil. Please follow all safety precautions when spraying.**

A reminder that all cactus species are declared within Western Australia, and the common cactus for Goomalling – Velvet Pear- is a Weed of National Significance (WONS). This means you are required by law to manage them.

More information contact Jean Walker 0428 100 910 or email: [cactus@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:cactus@goomalling.wa.gov.au)



## Community Development update

### Community Garden

Volunteers are working hard to get the community garden up and running for everyone to enjoy. Some 120 hours have been put into planning, development and implementation of the collective vision. The permaculture course set the foundation for the garden design using techniques such as swales to maximise water capture from the lay of the land (pictured right) and a variety of planning techniques such as herb spirals, mandala and keyhole gardens to maximise limited space. The garden will demonstrate a variety of these learned techniques, providing a platform for knowledge sharing and socialising.

Hazelnuts, fig, weeping mulberry, orange, lemon, mandarin, passionfruit, pomegranates and lime create the “Food Forest” and so much more nourishing foods are still to come as we continue to establish the Noongar bush tucker garden and vegetable boxes.

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“Being part of a community garden gives kids and their families opportunities to be active together, share cultural traditions and develops a sense of belonging to the community” [www.natureplaywa.org.au/](http://www.natureplaywa.org.au/)

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Encouraging the involvement from the local kids is an integral part of the garden. Volunteers attended a planting session with the Better Beginning group where kids decorated their own cup to plant herbs and flowers. The kids had a fantastic time and donated some of their plantings to the garden. These have been planted at the site, each one labelled with their name on it so they can visit and witness the growth of “their plant”.



Congratulations to all the volunteers for achieving so much in a short space of time, without you the garden wouldn't flourish.

Thank you to **Central Ag** for donating fertiliser shuttles for wicking beds; **Noel & Martine Scattini** for donating Lilly Pillies; Judd Stead, **Wheatbelt NRM** and **Rob and Beth Boase** for support with the Noongar garden; **Darrel Weinbrecht** and **Brad McConkey** for the beautiful garden gate; and the **Goomalling Shire employees** for the path which runs through the site.

Keep up to date with what is happening at the garden, events and interesting information by following the (Goomalling) Community Garden Facebook page

[www.facebook.com/GoomaGarden/](http://www.facebook.com/GoomaGarden/).

To arrange your safety induction prior to attending the site or information regarding the project contact Tahnee Bird, Community Development Officer [cdo@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdo@goomalling.wa.gov.au) or 08 9629 1101.



### GARDEN CONTACTS

**Jules Thygesen** 0417 913 487  
**Peta Marrell** 0467 895 811

## **NEXT GARDENING SESSION**

**10am, Monday 4 September 2017**

### **SUPPORTED BY**



Government of **Western Australia**  
Department of **Communities**

### **Goomalling Community Garden**

40 Quinlan Street, Goomalling WA 6460

<https://www.facebook.com/GoomaGarden/>

## **NEW COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION OFFICE HOURS** **EFFECTIVE 6 OCTOBER 2017**

Effective Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2017 the Shire administration office will be closing 30 minutes earlier at 4.00pm every Friday.

The change is due to low patronage between 4.00pm -4.30pm.

New operating hours:

**Monday – Friday**

**8.30am – 4.00pm**

## Goomalling has a National Champion

### Kristina Perrin to represent Australia in the Karate1 Premier League Leipzig, Germany

Kristina Perrin is Council's employee; she has been working with the Shire of Goomalling for twelve months as an administrative trainee.

In 2014 (age 19) Tina established a Wadu Ryu chapter of Karate in Goomalling, the club currently has 35 active members. Tina runs classes weekly with no remuneration with the hope of sharing the life changing sport with other young people in the community.

Tina is an elite athlete in the martial arts medium of Karate, learning in the Wadu Ryu chapter in Northam from the age of six she has developed her skills to become the defending champion for Western Australia Open Women's division for the past five years. The Oceania and Australian champion for 2016 and recently defended her title in Sydney, winning Gold at the Oceania Championship.

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> August Kristina competed in the 2017 Australian Open she won two gold and one bronze, securing her place in the Australian team for the Karate 1 Premier League event, Leipzig, Germany. The K1 Premier League event will be Tina's debut on the international stage as an open competitor and her first time exposed to the European competition.

Tina's ambition is to compete on the European circuit in preparation for the Olympics in Tokyo 2020 where karate will debut. In order for Tina to compete in the Australian Team it is compulsory for her to compete in the following events:

1 x World Karate Federation, K1 Premier League Event (Northern hemisphere)  
Oceania Championships, Sydney  
Australia Open, Sydney  
5 x Australian team camps, Melbourne/Sydney

Turning 22 in September Tina will no longer be eligible for Department of Sport and Recreation subsidies which have enabled her to compete so far, if you would like to support Tina represent Australia tax deductible donations can be made to her page through the Australian Sport Foundation

Australian Sports Foundation  
[asf.org.au/athletes/kristina-perrin](http://asf.org.au/athletes/kristina-perrin)  
Facebook  
[www.facebook.com/Kristinaperrinkarate/](https://www.facebook.com/Kristinaperrinkarate/)

**RAFFLE: Tina is raffling 5kg of Cadbury chocolate to assist her to fund the long trip to Germany, tickets are available from the Shire office \$2 per ticket or 3 for \$5. – Thanks to the support of Goomalling Ladies Hockey Club for donating the chocolate.**

We are fortunate to have someone in our community with an amazing ability that she shares with the community, let's get behind Tina for #K1PL #tokoyo2020. **Council has pledged \$2000 p.a. until Tokyo2020.**

For more information, contact Tahnee Bird, Community Development Officer



Enterprising Communities

| INNOVATION | EVENTS | OPPORTUNITIES | IDEAS |

# ENTERPRISING COMMUNITIES

## *Goomalling*

A film event showcasing strategies that have been successfully developed by small towns to help their communities thrive.

**SEE HOW OTHER SMALL WA AND INTERSTATE COMMUNITIES HAVE MADE IT WORK**

All interested in having a discussion about how we might help our community thrive are encouraged to attend. Come and be inspired

### SUNDOWNER

Wednesday 6 September  
5.30pm  
Goomalling CRC



Thursday 28 September  
5.30pm  
Goomalling CRC



**REGISTER YOUR INTEREST OR FOR MORE INFO:**  
TAHNEE BIRD, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER  
CDO@GOOMALLING.WA.GOV.AU | P: 08 9629 1101 |  
M: 0400 495 173

# WHAT DO I WANT IN MY COMMUNITY?

Youth Zone



# Term 3

**FREE** weekly activities for young people, combining sport, art, culture and life skills to build capacity and enable social interaction in a safe and supportive environment.

Wk	Date	Time Year 1-5	Time Year 6-12
1	Friday 21 July	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
2	Friday 28 July	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
3	Friday 4 August	NO SESSION	NO SESSION
4	Friday 11 August	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
5	Friday 18 August	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
6	Friday 25 August	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
7	Friday 1 September	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
8	Friday 8 September	5.00-6.00pm	6.30-8.30pm
9	Friday 15 September	NO SESSION	NO SESSION
10	Friday 22 September	NO SESSION	NO SESSION

**SHARE**  
**CREATE**  
**EXPLORE**  
**PLAY**  
**LEARN**  
**CONNECT**

**Location:** Youth Rooms, Goomalling Town Hall  
 Cnr Quinlan and Hoddy Streets, Goomalling

Goomalling Youth Zone is Shire of Goomalling initiative funded by Western Australia Police Community Crime Prevention Fund



**Tahnee Bird**

*Community Development Officer*

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W: [www.goomalling.wa.gov.au](http://www.goomalling.wa.gov.au)



## Local Government Elections – CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

Nominations are called for the Shire of Goomalling in-person elections, to be held on Saturday 21 October 2017 to fill vacancies on the Goomalling Shire Council as detailed below.

### Nomination time & place

- Nominations for all vacancies open Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September 2017
- Nominations must be lodged by **4.00pm on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

Nomination must be lodged with the Returning Officer at any time during the above period at the office of the Shire of Goomalling.

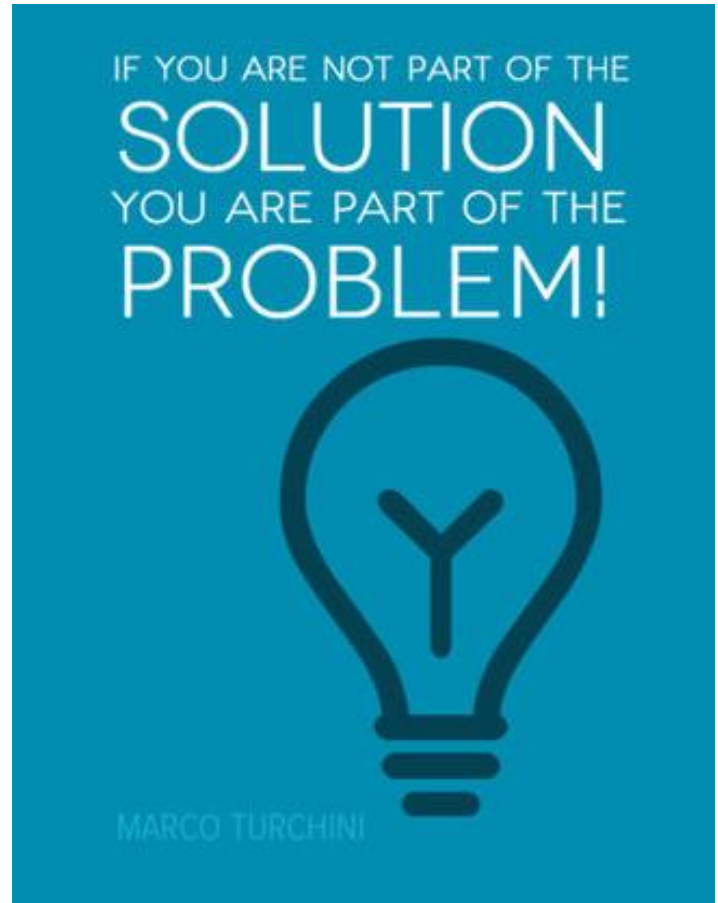
### Nomination requirements

Candidates are required to lodge with the Returning Officer:

- A completed nomination in the prescribed form, signed and witnessed. This form is available from the Shire of Goomalling.
- A single A4 page profile containing no more than 150 words of biographical information about the proposed candidate and statements of the candidate's policies or beliefs.
- A nomination deposit of \$80 (cash, postal order or bank cheque subject to Returning Officer approval)
- A recent passport sized photograph (optional)

Where an agent lodges a nomination on a candidate's behalf, it must be in the prescribed form with a written authorisation signed by the candidate.

The documents may be hand delivered; posted or faxed; or sent by any electronic means, providing a hard copy of the nomination can be printed in full including your signature; to the Returning Officer and must be received by the close of nominations. Full details about eligibility and nomination procedures for prospective candidates in the elections listed below can be obtained by contacting the Shire of Goomalling.



<b>RETURNING OFFICER</b>	Cornelis Kerp, Chief Executive Officer P: 08 9629 1101   F: 08 9629 1017   E: <a href="mailto:goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au">goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au</a>
<b>NOMINATION PLACE</b>	32 Quinlan Street (Cnr Quinlan & Hoddy Sts), Goomalling WA 6460
<b>OFFICES</b>	<b>ORDINARY VACANCY AND TERMS OF OFFICE</b> Goomalling District 3 vacancies 4-year term
<b>NOMINATION OPEN</b>	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2017
<b>NOMINATIONS CLOSE</b>	4.00pm, Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> September 2017
<b>ELECTIONS</b>	Saturday 21 October 2017

## DrumMUSTER



# drumMUSTER

## FRIDAY 22 SEPTEMBER 2017

### CONTAINERS MUST BE

- TRIPLE OR PRESSURE CLEANED
- CLEAN - NO CHEMICAL RESIDUE
- INSPECTED BY A DRUMMUSTER INSPECTOR
- LIDS MUST BE LEFT OFF
- METAL CONTAINER MUST BE PUNCTURED



### BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL - 08 96291101

Book your place and advise number of containers to the shire office by

**4.00pm, Tuesday 19 SEPTEMBER 2017**

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#### drumMUSTER depot

56 William Street  
GOOMALLING WA 6460  
[www.drummuster.org.au](http://www.drummuster.org.au)

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#### Contact

Julie Chester 0427 291 223  
Doug Sewell 0427 791 190  
Shire office 08 9629 1101



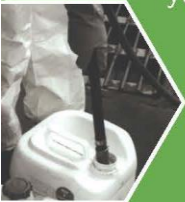
**drumMUSTER**



A step by step guide to effective and economic waste management

Proper chemical container rinsing can save you money. It's simple. Uncleaned containers with left over residue could contain up to \$10 worth of product.

*drumMUSTER* suggests the following steps to prevent you pouring money down the drain:



**1. Rinse out your *drumMUSTER* containers immediately after using them.**



**2. Pour the rinse water back into the spray tank and ensure the container is clean throughout.**



**3. Remove lids and puncture metal containers.**



**4. Allow drums to dry.**



**5. Check drums again for any left over residue and rinse if residue remains.**



**6. Return them to your nearest *drumMUSTER* site. This can be found at [www.drummyster.com.au](http://www.drummyster.com.au)**

Since the inception of the program in May 1999, **30,139,041** agvet chemical containers have been collected across Australia.

This represents **34,998** tonnes of recyclable material.

*drumMUSTER* has **811** active collection sites across Australia, provided by **497** collection agencies.

**360** local councils are participating in the program, with **137** other agencies providing collection services.

There have been **7,870** personnel trained as *drumMUSTER* inspectors across Australia and there are currently **3,818** active inspectors providing services for the initiative.



## **Nbn™ Sky Muster™ world leading<sup>1</sup>**

nbn increases peak downloads by up to 50% and doubles the maximum plan limits on Sky Muster™ satellite service

### **New wholesale plans set to deliver better value broadband for the bush**

**nbn** will deliver better value broadband to more than 240,000 homes and businesses in regional and rural Australia through new wholesale plans on the Sky Muster™ satellite service.

The company today announced it will be doubling the maximum monthly wholesale data limits and increasing average peak downloads plans by up to 50 per cent on the Sky Muster™ platform. As a result, the majority of consumers and businesses on the service are expected to receive larger peak and off-peak plans from their retailer at a similar cost to what they are paying today.

Since the launch of the service in April 2016, **nbn** technicians have been working to improve the satellite network's overall performance as well as extensively testing the total capacity it can provide. This period allowed the company to monitor and research the delivery of the service in real-world conditions and identify efficiencies which have resulted in an increase to total capacity available on the service.

The **nbn** Sky Muster™ service has been named "world-leading" by UK research firm Ovum in terms of its data allowance, download speed, upload speed and affordability. It provides access to fast broadband by delivering beams from **nbn**'s Sky Muster™ satellites to a dish on the roof of your home or business.

#### **nbn's Chief Executive Officer, Bill Morrow said:**

"We are committed to helping to bridge the digital divide by delivering a world-class broadband service to regional and rural Australians.

"Our new wholesale Sky Muster™ plans will provide more options for eligible consumers and businesses to order larger peak plans from a range of retail service providers.

"Late last year we made the decision to re-purpose our second satellite, previously slated as a dormant backup service to actively share the load in delivering more data to customers on the Sky Muster™ service. After spending the last year reviewing and testing the capabilities of the service, we are now comfortable that we have the capacity to offer increased data packages to retailers.

"We have listened to feedback from rural industry groups and the community and are confident that this announcement is a step in the right direction to improve their internet experience. We will continue to optimise the pricing model and data plans of the Sky Muster™ service with further offerings on business and education services expected to be available in the next 12-18 months."

The new **nbn** Sky Muster™ plans are expected to be available through retailers in October 2017.

Visit [nbn™ blog series](#) to learn more about the new changes to the **nbn**™ Sky Muster™ satellite service.

#### **Media Enquiries**

##### **Gina Murphy**

Mobile: 0438 416 209

Email: [ginamurphy@nbnco.com.au](mailto:ginamurphy@nbnco.com.au)

##### **nbn™ Media Hotline**

Phone: 02 9927 4200

Email: [media@nbnco.com.au](mailto:media@nbnco.com.au)

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<sup>1</sup> <http://www.nbnco.com.au/corporate-information/media-centre/media-releases/nbn-increases-peak-downloads-by-up-to-50-percent-and-doubles-the-maximum-plan-limits-on-Sky-Muster-satellite-service.html>

## Community Emergency Services Manager update



### NOTICE OF MEETING



This year's Bush Fire Advisory Committee meeting will be held:

**Wednesday 11 October 2017**  
**Sports Complex (Tennis)**  
**Commencing 6:30pm**  
 (with BBQ and refreshments)

All Bush Fire Brigade members and Bush Fire Control Officers are invited to attend.

Brigade Members are requested to attend a brief training session following the meeting regarding new respiratory protection equipment being provided to the brigades.

**Enquiries:** Robert Koch, Community Emergency Services Manager, 0458 042 104

### Will You Be Bushfire Ready?

With winter now behind us, the Shire urges all residents to ensure that their properties and families are prepared for bush fire season.

All residents should be assessing their properties and ensuring that they comply with the requirements of Shire of Goomalling [Firebreak Order](#) – this was recently sent with rate notices to property owners and is also available on the Shire's website.

Now is also a good time to ensure that all firefighting equipment and vehicles are fully serviceable. This includes pumps, fuels, hoses and fittings.

### Ranger Update

#### Pet registrations

In accordance Cat Act 2011 and Dog Act 1976 respectively

- Cats must be **registered, de-sexed and microchipped** they're **6 months old**.
- Dogs must be **registered and microchipped** before they're **3 months old**.
- If you rehome an unwanted cat or dog, they **MUST** be microchipped and de-sexed prior to rehoming regardless of how young they are.
- Owners of cats and dogs need to register/renew registration of their pets by **31<sup>st</sup> October**.

**For a fee of \$30, the ranger can complete it at your home – Contact Gloria 0408 909 356**

**ARE YOU  
BUSHFIRE  
READY?**

[areyouready.wa.gov.au](http://areyouready.wa.gov.au)

The Shire also encourages all residents to have a bushfire plan and that all family members are aware of the plan.

For further information on being prepared and staying informed in the event of an emergency go to

<https://www.emergency.wa.gov.au/prepare>.

## Dog owners – WARNING!

Council has received a number of reports of dog poo on footpaths and at the recreation ground, creating an unpleasant experience for people utilising those facilities. Council allows people to use the recreation ground as a leash free area for dog owners enabling play and exercise for their furry family members.

It is **OWNERS responsibility** to clean-up after their animals. There is a **GREEN bin** located at the recreation ground for dog faeces, with a supply of plastic bags. This will be monitored by the ranger to make sure there is an adequate supply.



If Council continues to get reports of dog poo, particularly at the recreation ground it will revoke the use of recreation ground as a dog exercise area and dogs will have to be taken outside of the town site for exercise. This will result in \$200 fine for people exercising their dogs at the recreation ground if the changes are imposed.

**\$200 FINE INFRINGEMENT applies to Owners who don't pick up their dog's poo.**

**NOTE:** the recreation ground and town streets are under **surveillance and will be monitored.**

**PLEASE REPORT INSTANCES OF OWNERS NOT PICKING-UP AFTER THEIR DOG INCLUDING A PHOTO OF DOG (IN THE ACT) TO: [goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au)**

## Road train permits

### **CLASS 2, 3 & 4 NETWORK ROAD TRAINS TRAVERSING ON LOCAL ROADS REQUIRE PERMIT FROM COUNCIL**

It has come to our attention that a number of pocket road train owners are traversing within the Shire without a current Council endorsed permit. If you hold a Main Roads WA permit you are still required to obtain a permit from Council to traverse on *local roads*.

Please be advised that the \$11.00 Administration Charge (including GST) per Pocket Road Train configuration is required to validate your permit each year and that permission will be granted on an annual basis.

Permits will not be valid unless a receipt for the appropriate amount is attached.

Should you wish to renew your permit or apply for a new permit, please apply in writing advising of all Prime Mover and Trailer Registrations, along with \$11.00 per configuration. Your permit will be valid from date of receipt of the application until the same date the following year.

Implications to consider for non-compliance

- It may implicate insurance pay out of claims on vehicle without a valid permit
- It may implicate Main Roads Heavy Vehicle Permit

Contact Executive Assistant to the CEO on 08 9629 1101 or [eaceo@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:eaceo@goomalling.wa.gov.au) for more information or to apply for a Road Train Permit.

## Council Communications

### SMS Notifications

#### \*\*\*\*IMPORTANT\*\*\*\*

To receive SMS notifications regarding IMPORTANT/URGENT Council information, such as:

- Harvest/Movement bans
- Emergency information
- Road closures
- DrumMuster

To register your mobile number or to update your information email [goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au) or phone 08 9629 1101

### Paperless correspondence

Whilst Council uses 100% post-consumer recycled paper we're still endeavouring to reduce the amount of paper we use by

### Remaining Council Meeting Dates 2017

The remaining Council Meeting dates for 2017 are as follows, subject to change:

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September**

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October**

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December**

Welcome to our new  
administration officer

**Christine Schorer**

Starting the 12 September 2017

transitioning to paperless correspondence wherever possible.

If you would like to receive your account, rates, correspondence or newsletter by email please email [goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au](mailto:goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au)

### Website/social media

For general updates including events, funding opportunities and current information see Council website [www.goomalling.wa.gov.au](http://www.goomalling.wa.gov.au) and follow us on Facebook [www.facebook.com/Shire-of-Goomalling-125250970960245/](https://www.facebook.com/Shire-of-Goomalling-125250970960245/)



	<p>Laugh Play Learn</p>
<p><b>GOOMALLING GUMNUTS INC.</b> Early Learning Centre PO Box 189, Goomalling WA 6460 (08) 9629 1188, <a href="mailto:gumnutsinc@bigpond.com">gumnutsinc@bigpond.com</a></p>	
<p>Cnr Quinlan &amp; Hoddy Streets Ph: 9629 1188</p>	<p>Accredited Long Day Care Service <i>Play based learning</i></p>
<p>Monday to Thursday 8am - 5.30pm Friday 8am - 3.15pm <i>Bookings essential</i></p>	

## Dates for your diary: everyone is welcome!

<b>1 September</b>	Mortlock Athletics Carnival, Goomalling Recreation Ground
<b>1 September</b>	Annual Rubbish Collection Day
<b>3 September</b>	Mortlock Preliminary Final – Wongan Hills (Football, Hockey & Netball – Snr & Jnr)
<b>6 September</b>	Enterprising Communities, Goomalling CRC, 5.30pm
<b>7 September</b>	Local Government Election – Nominations OPEN
<b>10 September</b>	Mortlock Grand Final – Goomalling (Football, Hockey & Netball – Snr & Jnr)
<b>14 September</b>	Local Government Elections – Nominations CLOSE, 4.00pm
<b>20 September</b>	Council Meeting, 1pm
<b>28 September</b>	Enterprising Communities, Goomalling CRC, 5.30pm
<b>29 September</b>	drumMUSTER
<b>11 October</b>	Bush Fire Advisory Committee Meeting, Sporting Complex, 6.30pm
<b>18 October</b>	Council Meeting, 1pm
<b>21 October</b>	Local Government Elections (pending nominations)
<b>11 November</b>	Remembrance Day, 10.45am, Veterans Park, Railway Terrace
<b>15 November</b>	Council Meeting, 1pm



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