Welcome to the 1st Edition of Possum Post. This publication has been prepared and published by the Shire of Goomalling. Its purpose is to keep the community and visitors informed of local events and activities.

Publications will be issued fortnightly on a Friday and will be made available electronically via Shire Facebook page and Shire website.

Hard copies will be made available at Goomalling Post Office and The Village Grocer.

We welcome contributions from Community and Sporting Groups of 'goings on' in Shire of Goomalling.

Shire of Goomalling will continue to publish the newsletter G'Day Goomalling on a quarterly basis.

Pick up the Poop!

If you own a dog, you must collect and remove all droppings that they leave in a public place such as a park, on a footpath or a dog exercise area, including the Goomalling Recreation Ground.



Dog poo is offensive to others walking and enjoying our public, open spaces; and it can cause health issues, such as spreading disease and infections to other dogs.

It is an offence to not clean up after your dog, and fines may apply.

In the interests of public safety Council may be forced to close the Goomalling Recreation Ground as a dog exercise area if owners continue fail in their responsibility to keep our public areas free of the Poop.

Bags are provided around the oval for dog owners to pick up after their dogs, so carry a plastic bag or other container with you and scoop up the poo immediately before you move on.

If you see someone that fails to clean up after their dog, you can report it to the Shire via email goshire@goomalling.wa.gov.au or telephone: 08 9629 1101.



Please be aware that many of our public places have CCTV equipment and remember penalties may apply to dog owners who fail to pick up their dogs' poo.

Breaking News!

Just in from Goomalling Primary School:

"Goomalling is known as the 'Place of Possums', but how often are we lucky enough to see them out here?

Today we found a gorgeous little possum curled up in a tree right outside our classroom! The children were so excited and amazed, but the mums at school pickup were even more excited!"





We bid a very warm welcome to Village Grocer Goomalling who opened their doors for trading on 28 February 2024.

Jayson and Rachael Goldson have been working very hard get the property ready and stack the shelves.



We encourage all residents and visitors to support our local businesses.

EVENTS



GOOMALLING COMMUNITY RESOURCE

CENTRE

MATERIALS, DRINKS AND NIBBLES SUPPLIED FOR JUST \$25.00

BOOK ONLINE VIA THE CRC WEBSITE, OR RSVP TO ADMIN@GOOMALLINGCRC.ORG.AU BEFORE 8TH MARCH



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EVERY FRIDAY OF THE SCHOOL TERM 10.30AM ALL WELCOME

HayAustralia Growers Event

Join our team for an informal catch up ahead of the 2024 hay season.

<u>Brookton</u> 13th March - 2pm to 5pm Brookton Country Club Brookton Highway

RSVP by 6th March: Chris Rutherford - 0472 603 427 chris.rutherford@hayaustralia.com.au <u>Verecoin</u> 15th March - 2pm onwards Calingiri Sports Pavilion Lambert Cresent, Calingiri

RSVP by 8th March: Leanne Smith - 0402 647 195 leanne.smith@hayaustralia.com.au

- · Meet Hay Australia's new Grower Services team.
- · Discuss plans for the upcoming season.
- Understand our commitment to purchasing hay in the regions, this year and beyond.
- A re-cap of our grading criteria.
- Special guest Georgie Troup from DPIRD will be on hand to answer technical questions regarding the latest
 oat research and variety trials.

The informal afternoon will provide an opportunity for growers to provide feedback on last season and ask questions about this coming season.

This is a free event. Drinks & nibbles will be provided.

SPORT

Club

Race Dates

06 April 2024 14th May 2024 8th June 2024 13th July 2024 10th August 2024 Open Day

12th October 2024

Mortlock Winter Sports Round 1 – 7		
ROUND 2	Saturday 20th Sunday 21st April	Goomalling v Wongan Ballidu Calingiri v Gingin Dowerin v Dalwallinu BYE - Toodyay
ROUND 3	Saturday 27th Sunday 28th April	Gingin v Dowerin Calingiri v Dalwallinu Toodyay v Goomalling BYE - Wongan Ballidu
ROUND 4	Sunday 5th May	Dalwallinu v Gingin Dowerin v Wongan Ballidu Toodyay v Calingiri BYE - Goomalling
ROUND 5	Sunday 12th May	Gingin v Toodyay Goomalling v Dowerin Wongan Ballidu v Dalwallinu BYE - Calingiri
ROUND 6	sunday 19th May Beitup.	Dalwallinu v Goomalling Dowerin v Calingiri Toodyay v Wongan Ballidu BYE - Gingin
ROUND 7	Sunday 26th May	Goomalling v Calingiri Toodyay v Dalwallinu Wongan Ballidu v Gingin BYE - Dowerin



MORTLOCK TETRATHLON & EQUATHON ENTRY FORM Main gate Slater Road GOOMALLING 9th & 10th March



Enquiries: mortlockpc@outlook.com Entries close 5pm 26th February 2024 5pm