



Menzies Matters

FIRE SAFETY FOR WINTER CAMPING TRIPS

Looking after your campfire:

- **Keep your fire just big enough for cooking and keeping warm**
- **Never leave your fire unattended, not even for a minute. Put your fire out properly with water not soil, even if going for a short walk or swim**
- **Extinguish your fire at night. Many children are burnt by campfires in the morning from hot ashes and embers**
- **Children and pets should be supervised at all times when near a fire**
- **Use only fallen dead wood. Branches or leaves from living trees damages the environment and can cause high levels of smoke**
- **Keep a bucket of water nearby**

Courtesy DFES



Shire of Menzies Information

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Email: admin@menzies.wa.gov.au
Website: www.menzies.wa.gov.au

Menzies CRC/Visitor Centre
Menzies Caravan Park (a/h)

Phone: (08) 9024 2702
Fax: (08) 9024 2775
0448 242 041

ORDINARY MEETINGS OF COUNCIL

Council Meetings are usually held in the Shire of Menzies Council Chambers on the last Thursday of each month at **10.00am** unless otherwise advised.

Please note that the date for the next meeting is:

Thursday 31 July 2014 @ 10.00am
Shire of Menzies Council Chambers



Shire of Menzies Fire Notice



Please ensure you observe all local fire laws for your own safety and the safety of others.

Restricted Burning Period

From 1 April to 30 April and 1 October to 31 October

Prohibited Burning Time:

From 1 November to 31 March

Unrestricted Season

From 1 May to 30 September



Incorporating:

- **Menzies Community Postal Agency**
- **Menzies Visitor Centre**
- **Public Library**
- **Internet Access Point**
- **Menzies Caravan Park Booking Agency**
- **Conference and meeting rooms**
- **History and Heritage Room**
- **Goldfields Express Bus Service**
- **Startrack Courier Agency**
- **Toll Freightlines Agency**

**Opening hours: 8.30am to 4.30pm
Monday to Friday**
and
**10.00am to 2.00pm
Weekends and Public
Holidays**



Government of Western Australia
Department of Regional Development



ROYALTIES
FOR REGIONS



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**Caravan Park Caretaker
(After Hours): 0448 242 041**



Hon Dave Grills MLC
MEMBER FOR MINING AND PASTORAL REGION

THE NATIONALS
for Regional WA

Media release

June 19, 2014

Grills promotes community crime prevention advocacy

Mining and Pastoral Region MP Dave Grills MLC is reminding regional communities throughout WA of the important role organisations such as Neighbourhood Watch play in helping keep communities safe and prevent crime.

Mr Grills met Neighbourhood Watch (NHW) Australasia chief executive Ingrid Stonhill and vice-president Bernie Durkin on Wednesday in Perth.

Based in Queensland, Ms Stonhill travelled to WA to visit Laverton earlier this week before meeting Mr Grills and Mr Durkin to discuss how youth crime can be better addressed in North West communities.

She also attended the NHW WA State board meeting and met with Police Minister Liza Harvey.

Mr Grills said recent reports of juvenile crime in towns including Broome and Kununurra showed the issue continued to be a problem and was a concern for community members.

"There have been several reports lately of serious crimes involving juveniles despite efforts being made by northern communities to curb this sort of behaviour," he said.

"I have a strong belief in community engagement and feel that operational amendments made to the NHW program will, as is their pledge, continue to enable safer and vibrant communities."

Mr Grills participated in a Youth Crime Forum in Broome in March and said he would continue to support safer communities through promoting organisations such as NHW.

"I would be pleased to work with individuals or groups who share my enthusiasm to address youth crime," he said.

WA Police is the custodian of the state's Neighbourhood Watch program, which has been successfully operating since 1982, starting in Bunbury and quickly spreading across all Australian jurisdictions.

Mr Grills, a former police officer, said there was a resurgence of Neighbourhood Watch occurring and was especially keen to promote the "ewatch" aspect of the program.

"NHW in WA has more than 260 active volunteers and 10,840 community members participating in ewatch, an online tool allowing residents to connect with local police, councils and neighbours to make their neighbourhoods safer," he said.

"I encourage householders to sign up at www.ewatch.com.au and find further information on Neighbourhood Watch programs at www.nhw.wa.gov.au."

For media enquiries please contact Dave Grills MLC on (08) 9071 1500 or email dave.grills@mp.wa.gov.au

Picture caption: Neighbourhood Watch Australasia vice president Bernie Durki, chief executive Ingrid Stonhill and Dave Grills MLC at Parliament House.



Menzies Health Centre

Mercer Street
MENZIES WA 6436

Phone: 90242044

EMERGENCIES ONLY: 000

Poisons Information available 24 hours: 131126

**If the Clinic is unattended and you need immediate health advice, call
HEALTH DIRECT 1800 022 222 any time, day or night.**



Next RFDS Doctor's Clinic

Date: To be advised

GP: To be advised

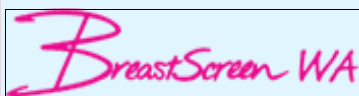
Time: 9.00am –2.00pm

Place: Menzies Health Centre

Phone: 90242044 for appointments

PLEASE NOTE:

The Nurse will be in attendance on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week. For further information, please phone the Nurse.



BreastScreen WA provides a high quality, FREE screening mammography service for women in WA over 40 with no breast symptoms.

Since it commenced service in 1989, BreastScreen WA has been recognised as a centre of excellence in screening mammography. The service aims to reduce death and suffering associated with breast cancer through early detection. BreastScreen WA has six metropolitan screening services and four mobile units which visit most country towns and the outer metropolitan area every two years. It is a centrally coordinated service which ensures all West Australian women receive the same high quality service, regardless of where they live. BreastScreen WA maintains a central registry of women aged over 50 years and ensures that each of these women receives a reminder notice to attend for mammography screening every two years.

Accreditation

BreastScreen WA has full accreditation status with the national breast screening program. This means the **service meets BreastScreen Australia's rigorous National Accreditation Requirements.** Accreditation ensures a state-of-the-art multidisciplinary approach to screening, assessment and management of screen-detected breast abnormalities. It includes all aspects of the process including technical quality assurance, community and professional education, counselling, consumer satisfaction, data management and staff training.

1. self portrait
2. busy
3. best part of your day
4. fun
5. on the floor
6. chair
7. garden
8. lunch
9. big
10. your favourite colour
11. letter
12. texture
13. open
14. building
15. finger

16. sign
17. your addiction
18. plate
19. animal/insect/pet
20. eyes
21. 9 o'clock
22. upside down
23. mirror
24. a stranger
25. heart
26. sunshine
27. on the road
28. cup
29. last thing you bought
30. calm
31. toothbrush

PHOTO — A DAY — JULY

HOW MANY OF THESE PHOTOS CAN YOU TAKE?



Christmas in July refers to Christmas-themed celebrations held in winter in the southern hemisphere.

In the southern hemisphere, winter falls in July. Therefore in countries such as Australia, New Zealand and South Africa in order to have Christmas with a winter feel Christmas in July, Christmas events are undertaken. However, celebrating Christmas in December, with the rest of the world is by far the more common practice.

In the northern hemisphere some people throw parties during July that mimic Christmas celebrations, bringing the atmosphere of Christmas but with warmer temperatures. Parties may include Santa Claus, ice cream and other cold foods, and gifts. Nightclubs often host parties open to the public. It is often used in part because July is a hot and summer month in the northern hemisphere which provides irony to the celebration of Christmas which usually takes place in the cold.

HAVE A DRY JULY



*Take a month off the booze
this July & help make a positive
difference to the lives of adults
living with cancer.*

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SHIRE OF MENZIES

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO IMPOSE DIFFERENTIAL RATES 2014/15 FINANCIAL YEAR

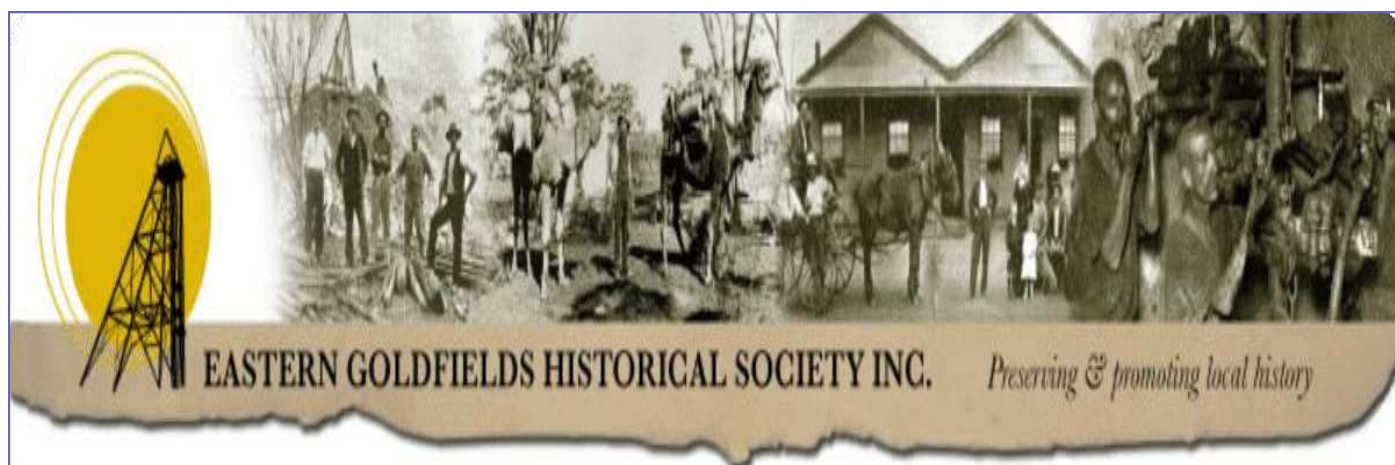
In accordance with Section 6.36 of the *Local Government Act* 1995, notice is given to ratepayers that the Shire of Menzies intends to impose the following differential rates for the "Gross Rental Value" and "Unimproved Value" rating categories as follows:

RATE CATEGORY	RATE-IN-THE-DOLLAR	MINIMUM RATE
<u>Gross Rental Value</u> Menzies Town Site	7.172¢/\$	\$200
<u>Unimproved Value</u> Mining Sector	13.99¢/\$	\$250
Kookynie Town Site	2.48¢/\$	\$200
Pastoral/Other	3.69¢/\$	\$200

Submissions by electors and ratepayers of the Shire in respect of the proposed rates are now invited. Submissions to be forwarded to the undersigned and must be received by 4.00 pm on Wednesday, 16 July 2014.

A statement of the objectives and reasons for the proposed rates is available for inspection Mon-Fri (excluding Public Holidays) 8:30am to 4:30pm at the Shire Office, 124 Shenton Street, Menzies, 6436.

PETER CRAWFORD
Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Menzies
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— STUDENT TOUR 2015 —

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This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to represent Western Australia and share the spirit of the ANZACs on ANZAC Day at Gallipoli in 2015.

This unique experience is open to 32 outstanding students in Years 8 to 11 who will travel to Turkey on this history study tour.

To find out more and apply visit education.wa.edu.au/anzac

— APPLICATIONS CLOSE FRIDAY 15 AUGUST 2014 —



Department of
Education



Jamie Briggs

Assistant Minister for Infrastructure and Regional Development

Rick Wilson

Federal Member for O'Connor

Joint Media Statement

Changes to Black Spot Programme for safer regional roads

20 June 2014: The eligibility criteria for the Black Spot Programme has been changed to make it easier for regional communities to compete for additional funding for road safety projects.

Assistant Minister for Infrastructure and Regional Development Jamie Briggs announced today that in 2015–16 and 2016–17 the Australian Government's investment in the Black Spot Programme will almost triple to \$160 million a year.

Changes to the eligibility criteria are:

- At least 50 per cent of the funding for 15/16 and 16/17 is dedicated to regional roads;
- Reducing the minimum required benefit cost ratio for funded projects from 2:1 to 1:1; and
- Reducing the crash history requirement from three to two casualty crashes in five years.

Member for O'Connor Rick Wilson MP welcomed the announcement saying the changes will deliver significant benefits for O'Connor by ensuring more economically productive infrastructure is built in regional areas whilst also delivering genuine road safety solutions.

"Broadening the criteria will significantly help small councils to successfully nominate projects that were previously ineligible under the existing guidelines.

"These changes will also help address the increased risks motorists face on regional roads with the per capita risk of death or hospitalisation following a crash in a rural area significantly higher than urban areas," he said.

Consultative Panels, consisting of representatives drawn from community and road user groups, industry and state and local government have been established in each state and territory to consider all nominated Black Spot sites.

"The criteria has also been amended so that more black spots can be fixed before they take lives and cause serious injuries. Under the new criteria, Consultative Panels will be able to allocate up to 40% of funding to sites on the basis of a road safety audit.

"I encourage everyone in O'Connor, particularly local councils, to complete the online nomination form and tell the WA Consultative Panel about our local black spots," Mr Wilson said.

The Australian Government's record \$500 million investment in the Black Spot Programme will help save lives, boost productivity and create new local jobs throughout Australia.

For more information on the Black Spot Programme and to access the nomination form, please visit investment.infrastructure.gov.au/funding/blackspots/.

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Media Contacts

For Mr Briggs:	Andrew Ockenden	0429 877 721
For Mr Wilson:	Jamila Savoy-Soubotian	0418 593 061

EYES ON THE STREET^{WA}

There have been a number of motor vehicle accidents in the Menzies area over the past few months—three on the Evanston Road in April and May and another accident more recently, near the rail crossing on Niagara Road.

Some of the reasons for accidents are alcohol, drugs, using mobile phones while driving, fatigue and one of the most common reasons—**speed**.

Speeding may not even mean travelling over the speed limit, but driving too fast for prevailing conditions, such as the weather, vehicle, road, light, traffic and of course, the driver.

Speed limits warn people to slow down before sharp curves or hazardous sections of the road. If everyone travelled at the correct speed, it would be easier for drivers to judge closing distances and understand what other drivers intend to do.

We're saying NO
to single-use plastic
in July.

PLASTIC FREE JULY



Join the challenge at
www.plasticfreejuly.org



Wendy Duncan MLA
MEMBER FOR KALGOORLIE

THE NATIONALS
for Regional WA

ROYALTIES FOR REGIONS TRAVEL ASSISTANCE FOR PENSIONERS ON THE RISE 24 JUNE 2014

Regional pensioners will again benefit from one of the most popular Royalties for Regions initiatives, the Country Age Pension Fuel Card, which is set to increase in value from July 1st.

Since being introduced in May 2009 as one of the first Royalties for Regions initiatives, the Country Age Pension (CAP) Fuel Cards have had \$112.36million allocated to help pensioner travel needs.

Member for Kalgoorlie, Wendy Duncan said that around 1000 pensioners from the Goldfields region will be better supported in their travel and transport needs when the Country Age Pension Fuel Card value is increased from \$500 to \$550 on July 1.

"This follows on from a Nationals election commitment which will see a further \$125.938million of Royalties for Regions funds committed to the program's continuation through to 2017-18," said Ms Duncan.

"The Royalties for Regions Fuel Card has been of significant value to pensioners living in the regions through assisting them with their travel and transportation requirements. Its continuance and increase in value will only further assist with the transportation needs of regional pensioners whether it is utilised to attend medical appointments, for personal reasons or to keep connected and active within their communities."

The cards are available to anyone receiving a Centrelink Age Pension, Carer Payment, Disability Support Pension, Wife Pension or Widow B Pension or a Department of Veterans' Affairs Service Pension, Social Security Age Pension or Income Support Supplement.

"From the statistics provided it appears there are still eligible pensioners who have not yet applied for their fuel card and I strongly encourage them to do so as it will greatly assist with their transportation and mobility requirements which keep them active and connected to their communities."

Applicants must be living in non-metropolitan areas and cards are limited to one per couple.

Eligible persons can call 1300 666 609 to find the nearest participating country post office and complete a Country Age Pension Fuel Card application form.

For more information visit www.drd.wa.gov.au/grantandfunding/fuel or contact my office on 1800 199 728.

For media enquiries contact Wendy Duncan MLA on 0438 782 034



Menzies hotel And store

Shop hours: 6.00am—6.00pm
Hotel hours: 11.00am – 9.00pm
Hot Counter Meals: 12.00pm to 2.00pm and
 6.00pm to 8.00pm

Fresh Sandwiches and Rolls

Soft drinks

Juices

Coffee

The MENZIES TOASTY

Cakes

Ice Creams

Flavoured Milks

Cold Beer - ALL DAY!

General Stores

Accommodation

Fast foods

Ice

Pies, Pasties, Sausage Rolls

**IF YOU'RE IN A HURRY – DON'T WORRY
 PHONE ORDERS WELCOME 90242016**

KLEENHEAT GAS is available from Menzies Hotel Shop or Bar—EFTPOS available

Pricing:	Exchange	8.5Kg	\$45.00
	Buy	8.5Kg	\$95.00
	Exchange	45Kg	????
	Delivery fee		\$10.00

Delivery time: *Wednesday afternoon between 2.00pm and 4.00pm*
Saturday morning between 10.00am and 11.00am

Public Holidays 2014

Queen's Birthday—Monday 29 September

Christmas Day—Thursday 25 December

Boxing Day—Friday 26 December

School Terms 2014

Term 2—28 April to 4 July

Term 3—21 July to 26 September

Term 4—13 October to 18 December



Goongarrie Homestead

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WILDLIFE**

**PARK
STAY WA**

Homestead and Cottage

The former Goongarrie Station homestead and shearer's cottage have a basic kitchen, hot water showers, toilets and electrical wiring to which a visitor's own generator can be connected. The homestead has 12 beds, the cottage 10.



Camping

The homestead also has an 'open' camping area with space for up to 10 regular size caravans or camper trailers, large campervans or tents. The building facilities are not available to campers. Camp fees are at the lower \$7.50 per adult per night rate. There are wood barbeques and picnic tables.



Campfires

Campfires are usually permitted between April 1 and November 30 but fire restrictions may be imposed at any time and without notice. Please bring your own firewood.



Bookings

Contact us to enquire about staying in the homestead, cottage or camping area. Bookings, which cannot be made online, are essential.

PLEASE NOTE

Contributions for the August 2014 edition of the Menzies Matters are required by **Wednesday 23 July 2014**.

Please email articles and photos to mcd@menzies.wa.gov.au or drop them off to the Visitor Centre or the Shire Office.

Let's make our newspaper something we can all be proud of!

It's story TIME



MENZIES LIBRARY

Wednesdays 3:00pm – 4:00pm

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Your parents / grandparents

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PURE GOLD MOMENTS.

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

Lifestyle 1st place prize - \$500

Landscape & Architecture 1st place prize - \$500

Facebook People's Choice 1st place prize - \$100

Instagram People's Choice 1st place prize - \$100

To enter email photos to communications@kalgoorlie.com

PHOTOS MUST BE TAKEN WITHIN THE GOLDFIELDS AND BE 300DPI OR ABOVE



parkrun

Free ☒

Weekly ☒

Timed ☒

5km ☒

Kalgoorlie-Boulder parkrun, every Saturday at 8am
Karlkurla Bushland Park, Hannans

For more information & to register visit parkrun.com.au



**Essendon Football Club
2014 Hall of Fame Inductee
Alec Epis**

(180 games including two premierships and four grand finals with The Bombers)



Raising Funds for Kids with Cancer

***Friday 12th September, 2014
Leonora Bowls Club***

Supported by the Shire of Leonora

5:30pm – 7:00pm
7:00pm – 8:00pm
8:00pm – 9:00pm
9:00pm →

Organised Bowls Competition
Barbecue Tea
Kookaburra Talks (Alec's Nickname)
Continuation Bowls Competition

Bar facilities available meaning you pay

Tickets costing **\$50.00 per person** are available from the Leonora Information Centre. Please note that sale of tickets is limited.

Auction of Memorabilia and Collectables.
All proceeds in aid of sick kids.

Anyone prepared to donate items of interest that can be auctioned?

If so, contact Jim or Tanya at the Shire Office.



Wendy Duncan MLA
MEMBER FOR KALGOORLIE

THE NATIONALS
for Regional WA

NATIONALS SERVING LOCAL GOVERNMENT SECTOR'S BEST INTERESTS

26 JUNE 2014

A motion introduced to Parliament by The Nationals WA today could help regional local governments share resources and services while remaining free of forced amalgamation.

The motion introduced the *Local Government Amendment (Regional Subsidiaries) Bill 2014*, which proposes to amend the *Local Government Act 1995* to allow two or more local governments establish a regional subsidiary.

Regional subsidiaries are body corporates formed by two or more local governments to jointly undertake the delivery of works and service activities.

Member for Kalgoorlie, Wendy Duncan MLA said the regional subsidiary model was an important tool that would allow local governments to maintain their unique identities while remaining economically sustainable.

"The Nationals have listened to the local government sector and their peak representative body WALGA and are implementing a regional subsidiaries model that will allow for greater flexibility in the creation of shared works and service entities," she said.

"This is a model that has been widely supported by regional local governments in the past and we believe is the most sensible way forward now."

The Nationals have long supported the introduction of a regional subsidiaries model in WA, dating back to 2010 when they introduced a similar bill to Parliament. The previous government introduced an updated version of the Bill in 2012 but it was terminated on the vacation of Parliament prior to the 2013 election.

"The Nationals remained resolutely opposed to any form of forced regional local government amalgamation, but a regional subsidiary model allowed for the streamlining of service delivery while maintaining communities' local identities."

"Our proposed amendments are modelled from South Australian legislation that has been in place since 1999 and proved very effective in the delivery of shared works and services through 21 existing regional subsidiaries in that state," she said.

"We want to provide local governments in WA with the tools to enhance their economic efficiency, offer greater capacity in the delivery of works and services and assist them in the pursuit of community and region-building objectives."

For media enquiries contact Wendy Duncan MLA on 0438 782 034



PURE GOLD MOMENTS.

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

Share your Pure Gold Moments with the world to go in the draw to win one of our four cash prizes. This year we have introduced two categories which are 1. Lifestyle 2. Landscapes & Architecture.

Lifestyle 1st place - \$500
Landscape & Architecture 1st place - \$500
Facebook People's Choice 1st place - \$100
Instagram People's Choice 1st place - \$100

Lifestyle entries: Photos of family, friends and people enjoying a Pure Gold experience within the region!

Landscape & Architecture entries: Photos that capture our dynamic flora, fauna, weather, as well as our city's diverse architecture.

People's Choice Award Facebook
 All entries will be uploaded onto the Kalgoorlie Boulder Visitor Centre Facebook page. The photo with the most likes will claim 1st place and the \$100 prize.

People's Choice Award Instagram
 Anyone can tag their Kalgoorlie Boulder photos using the #puregold hashtag. The photo with most likes will claim 1st place and the \$100 prize.

Photos location must be identifiable to Kalgoorlie Boulder & the Goldfields

ALL PHOTOS MUST BE 3000PI OR ABOVE TO ENTER

Submit your Pure Gold Moments entries via email to communications@kalgoorlie.com with PGM as the subject. Entries must include name, email, contact phone number & brief description of the entry.

DEADLINE 26 OCTOBER 2014

Featured Image:
 2013 Pure Gold Moments Winning Photo
 By Ron Menzies

Entrants are encouraged to enter as many times as they like. Competition entries are judged by the Kalgoorlie Boulder Visitor Centre Inc Board. Competition Terms and Conditions apply and are available from Kalgoorlie Boulder Pure Gold's website: www.kalgoorlietourism.com





Kalgoorlie Boulder Visitor Centre Inc.
 Phone: (08) 9021 1000
communications@kalgoorlie.com

Watering Days in Menzies

North of Kalbarri & Kalgoorlie Watering Days

Last digit of your lot or house number	Your scheme watering days are:
1	1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, 11th, 13th, etc
2	2nd, 4th, 6th, 8th, 10th, 12th, 14th, etc
3	1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, 11th, 13th, etc
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As Local as You

Presents

Goldfields Pipeline

10km Fun Run

Sunday 10th August 2014

Marathon start 7.00am

Half marathon 8.45am

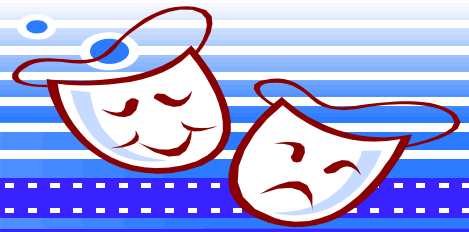
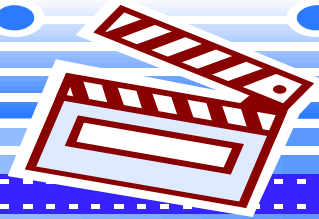
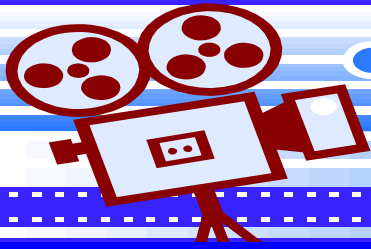
10k fun run 9.30am

All events are run on bush trails
and finish at Kalgoorlie Boulder
Golf course.

<http://kalgoorlierunners.webs.com>

goldfieldsmarathon@gmail.com





movie review

The Two Faces of January

Rated *M*

Duration: 96 mins

Language: English

Cast: Viggo Mortensen, Oscar Isaac, Kirsten Dunst

Director: Hossein Amini

Producers: Tim Bevan, Eric Fellner, Robyn Slovo, Tom Sternberg

Screenplay: Hossein Amini

Music: Alberto Iglesias

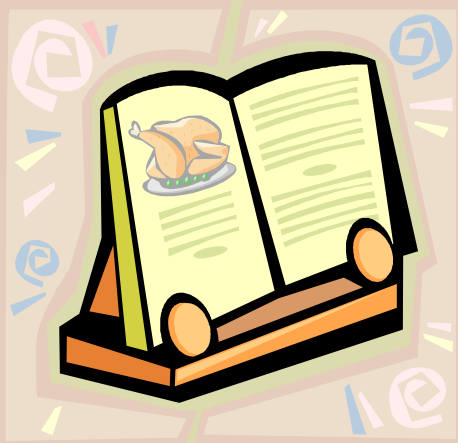


Hossein Amini, who wrote such films as *Drive* and *The Wings of a Dove*, chose to adapt a lesser-known novel by Patricia Highsmith for his directorial debut—*The Two Faces of January*.

It begins on the steps of the Acropolis in Athens in 1962 where ex-pat American Rydel (Oscar Isaac) is leading a group of tourists. He's charming, knowledgeable and fluent in Greek. He's also a scam artist. Also touring the ancient monument are husband and wife Chester and Colette (Viggo Mortensen and Kirsten Dunst) who decide to hire Rydel as their guide. Chester is slightly sceptical about Rydel but Colette really takes to him.

The less said about the plot of this film the better, but there is a sense of unease right from the start which is justified before too long. Shot by Marcel Zyskind in glorious locations in Greece, Crete and Istanbul, there is visual pleasure to be had here. Viggo Mortensen brings both a charisma and a darkness to Chester and Oscar Isaac manages to imbue Rydel with a likeability against the odds. Kirsten Dunst has the less meaty role but she handles it well. The thing about Patricia Highsmith is her lack of interest in judging her characters, they are both black and white, which makes for an interesting tension in this very admirable directorial debut from the British-Iranian writer/director Hossein Amini. It's a classic movie, shot in conventional style, a rattling good story that's been very well told.

Review by Margaret Pomeranz



Recipes

celebrate christmas in july

White Christmas Tree

- 1 topiary mould (see note) (about 20cm tall)
- 500g royal icing mix (see note)
- 4 x 100g boxes small meringues (see note) (you'll need about 170 meringues)
- 20 golden or silver cachous (see note)
- Cover mould first in plastic wrap, then foil. Sift the royal icing mix into a bowl and add 1/3 cup (80ml) warm water. Beat the mixture with electric beaters until a soft dropping consistency. Spread half the icing mixture over the mould (don't worry if it's not completely covered as the meringues will cover any patchy spots).
- Spread a little of the remaining royal icing on the bottom of each meringue and, starting at the base of the mould, start to build up in circles until tower is completely covered in meringues. Using tweezers, stick cachous here and there between meringues, pressing into the icing to stick.

Notes:

- Topiary moulds are from garden centres.
- Royal icing is a powdered pure icing suited to cake decorating, from specialty cake decorating and gourmet shops.
- Small meringues and cachous are available from supermarkets.

This meringue tower makes a stunning decorative centrepiece.

The meringues can be easily removed and served with berries and whipped cream for dessert.

taste.com.au website



REAL Hot Chocolate

(Taste.com.au website)

- 1L (4 cups) milk
 - 100g good-quality dark chocolate, (finely chopped)
 - Marshmallows, to serve
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- Place the milk in a medium saucepan over medium-high heat and bring to a simmer. Remove from heat and set aside for 1 minute.
 - Place 20g of the chocolate in each of four heat-proof serving glasses. Pour the hot milk over the chocolate and stir until the chocolate melts and is smooth. Top with marshmallows and sprinkle with the remaining chocolate.
 - Serve immediately.

K.I.D.S.

FABULOUS French Toast

Serve each person with two pieces, drizzled with maple syrup and dusted with icing sugar.



- 1/3 cup low-fat milk
 - 8 slices toast sliced bread
 - 1/3 cup maple syrup
 - 4 eggs
 - Icing sugar, for dusting
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- Whisk eggs and milk in a bowl.
 - Dip a slice of bread into egg mixture, cook in a pan on medium.
 - Repeat with remaining bread.



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pieces of French toast,
dusted with icing sugar.



BANANA Smoothies

(Taste.com.au Website)

Banana and Milo

- 4 ripe bananas, chopped
 - 4 scoops vanilla ice-cream
 - 3 tablespoons Milo
 - 250ml (1 cup) long-life milk
 - Pinch of nutmeg
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- Place bananas, ice-cream, Milo, milk, and nutmeg in a blender and blend until smooth.
 - Pour into serving glasses and serve immediately.

Banana Coconut

- 2 ripe chopped bananas
 - 1 cup coconut milk
 - 1 cup milk
 - 3-4 scoops vanilla ice-cream
 - 2 teaspoons honey (optional)
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- Place bananas, coconut milk, milk, vanilla ice-cream honey in a blender or food processor and blend until smooth. Serve immediately.

owl. Heat a non-stick frying

egg mixture to coat both
each side, until golden.
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Local Information

CAMPING AREAS



Camping sites in the Menzies area are available at Lake Ballard (51km west of Menzies) and Niagara Dam (65km north east of Menzies).

Facilities at these sites include toilets, barbecues and rubbish bins. *Potable water at Lake Ballard only.*

Please remember to preserve these areas for future generations and
'Take nothing but photographs, Leave nothing but footprints'

MENZIES CARAVAN PARK



Situated on the corner of Shenton and Brown Streets, Menzies (entrance from Brown Street).

Recently refurbished sites (powered or unpowered), new **camper's kitchen, lawn area for camping, laundry (with coin operated washing machines and dryers)**, new ablution blocks.

Rates start from \$12.00 per night.

Bookings can be made through the Menzies Visitor Centre (90242702) during business hours or after hours 0448 242041 (Park Caretaker).





July

- 1 Jill Dwyer
- 3 Kristie Tucker
- 10 Ray Pepper
- 14 Kellie Pennington
- 15 Peter Crawford
- 17 Greg Dwyer
- 21 Thomas Tucker
- 24 Sethen Sheehan-Lee
- 27 Michael Peterson

If you would like your birthday (or the birthday of a family member or friend) included on this list, please drop details in to staff at the Shire Office or the Visitor Centre.

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Western Australia is home to more than 12,000 species of wildflowers with more than 60 per cent of these found nowhere else in the world. Every year they bring a spectacle of colour and scent that needs to be experienced to be believed scattered across 2.5 million square kilometres of terrain.

The wildflower season ranks as one of WA's most fascinating and precious natural treasures, attracting thousands of tourists and scientists to the State each year.

Rain and sunshine greatly influence the timing of the wildflower season, causing it to span over several months and regions.

Generally, wildflowers will begin to appear in June in the north of the State, extending through to November in the south.

A commonly found wildflower in this region is the *Swainsona formosa*, *Sturt's Desert Pea*, an Australian plant in the genus *Swainsona*, named after English botanist Isaac Swainson, famous for its distinctive blood-red leaf-like flowers, each with a bulbous black centre, or "boss". It is one of Australia's best known wildflowers. It is native to the arid regions of central and north-west Australia, and is found in all mainland states except Victoria.

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ROYALTIES FOR REGIONS DELIVERING TO REGIONAL CLUBS AND ATHLETES

27 JUNE 2014

Goldfields sporting clubs and athletes are the winners in the second round of two State Government Supporting Community Sport schemes aimed at helping regional athletes pursue their sporting dreams and boost local club equipment stocks.

The \$2million Royalties for Regions funded Supporting Community Sport initiative, which was a Nationals WA election commitment in 2013, will see 16 Goldfields clubs and individuals supported through the most recent round.

Wendy Duncan MLA, Member for Kalgoorlie said that local athletes would receive grants under the Athlete Travel Subsidy Scheme, which supports talented regional athletes to pursue regional, State and national representation while local sporting clubs would receive a one-off \$500 subsidy to add to or upgrade sporting equipment shared by club members under the Community Sporting Club Equipment Subsidy Scheme.

Successful Goldfields Clubs to receive the equipment subsidy included:-

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| *Eastern Goldfields BMX Club | *Goldfields Horsemanship Association |
| *Mana Wahine Sports and Social Club Inc | *Souths City Junior Soccer Club |
| *Eastern Goldfields Squash Racquets Association | *Kalgoorlie College FC |
| *Kalgoorlie Amateur Swimming and Lifesaving Club Inc | *Hannans Celtic Sports Club Inc |

Successful individuals to receive a travel subsidy represented a broad range of sporting interests' including basketball, AFL, swimming, cricket and golf.

"The Supporting Community Sport initiative offers sporting clubs financial support to ensure that regional sport continues to grow and thrive and that our regional sporting stars are provided better support to compete on a wider platform," said Ms Duncan.

"I am pleased to see yet another Nationals commitment being rolled out state-wide benefiting the lives and aspirations of regional people."

In this round, 129 regional athletes across Western Australia will share in a total of \$103,950 allocated for travel subsidies, and 229 regional sports clubs across the State will be given subsidies to purchase new equipment.

Supporting Community Sport programs are administered by the Department of Sport and Recreation and delivered through its nine regional offices. Applications for the next round of both schemes will open later this year.

For information and how to apply for the Athlete Travel Subsidy Scheme visit <http://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/athlete-travel-subsidy-scheme>

For information and how to apply for the Community Sporting Club Equipment Subsidy Scheme visit <http://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/club-equipment-subsidy>

For media enquiries contact Wendy Duncan MLA on 0438 782 034

JULY 2014

JULY EYE—Nationwide Eye Health Awareness Month

DRY JULY—Take on the challenge and make a difference to the lives of Western Australians affected by Breast Cancer

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
0 JUNE Last Day of the 2013/14 Financial Year 	01	02	03	04 Last Day Term 2 American Independence Day 	05 International Day of Cooperatives Goldfields Giants play in Kalgoorlie	06 Coolgardie Race Day
07 ASK Y—Against the Silent Killer of the Young 	08	09	10	11 World Population Day	12	13 Kalgoorlie Races
14 Bastille Day 	15	16	17	18 Nelson Mandela International Day	19	20 Kalgoorlie Races
13 to 19 July—National Diabetes Week						
21 First Day Term 3	22 Fragile X Awareness Day 	23 World Sjogrens Syndrome Day	24	25	26 Goldfields Giants play in Kalgoorlie	27 Kalgoorlie Races
21 to 27 July—National Pain Week						
28 World Hepatitis Day 	29	30 International Day of Friendship 	31	01 AUGUST The Horses' Birthday 	02 AUGUST	03 AUGUST Kalgoorlie Races