

The Menzies Matters



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• AUDIT COMMITTEE MEETING OF THE SHIRE OF MENZIES COUNCIL THURSDAY 20 JUNE 2019 AT 10:00AM IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS

EVENTS

- ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL THURSDAY 27 JUNE 2019 FROM 1PM IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
- FREE SKIN CANCER SCREENING SAUTURDAY 13 JULY 2019 AT THE NURSING





THE SHIRE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

On behalf of Council and the Community of Menzies, I wish to welcome Peter Money, new Chief Executive Officer to the Shire of Menzies.

Thursday 25th April

I officiated at the Anzac Commemoration Service which was followed by the Gunfire Breakfast. Pleasing to see a larger participation than last year.

Monday 29th April

I attended a Special Meeting of Council, attended by all Councillors. From which the Chief Executive Officer Rhonda Evans was released from her Contract and Council approved of the Employment Contract of the incoming Chief Executive Officer, Peter Money.

Thursday 2nd May

I welcomed the arrival of Peter Money to Menzies.

Monday 6th May

At 5pm signed and executed the Contract for the Chief Executive Officer Peter Money.

Friday 10th May

With the CEO attended the Regional Minerals Strategy in Leonora along with representatives from Leonora, Laverton and Wiluna.

Monday 13th May

Attended Menzies Classic Working Group for an update with the Secretary, Tracy Blythe of Eastern Goldfields Cycle Club. It appears numbers are down on last year.

Friday 17th May

Attended GTNA discussion/meeting at the Offices of GEDC. Discussion on draft report from Economic Transitions, Kym Hewson, at this stage the report is confidential.

At 5.30 along with available Staff and Councillors I hosted welcoming drinks and finger food at the Menzies Hotel to welcome the new CEO. A Community welcoming event will be held in the near future.

Tuesday 21st May

Along with the CEO and Cr Baird via video conference, met with Allan Hughes and Brent McIntyre from DSS regards changing of Legislation for people who wish to opt out of the Cashless Debit Card, providing they meet certain criteria. Copies available from the CEO.

Thursday 23rd May

Cyclassic Working Group meeting with the new CEO.

Saturday 25th May

Attended Tourism round table discussion with CEO and Cr J Dwyer. Minister Paul Papalia gave an overview of Tourism in WA in particular drive trails and holidays by visitors to WA and the importance of WAITOC. Following a private session with the Minister regarding the final sealing of the Menzies Northwest Road to Lake Ballard.



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THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

I attended my first Cyclassic even this June and it was quite an experience. Its great to see so many people in the town which can invigorate the community, get people talking about Menzies and also gets people visiting who may not normally do so.

The organisation of the event was excellent, the work of the Kookynie Volunteer Association was excellent and I was happy to play a small part in helping where I could.

The fireworks were excellent and its great to see fireworks live rather than on TV.

Leonora Art Show

I had the pleasure of attending the Leonora Art Show and was greatly impressed by the variety and quality of the art works presented. The overall winner was a very high class drawing which in my ignorance I was certain was actually a very clever portrait photograph.

Budget time is fast approaching so please speak to your Councillors if you have anything on your wish list.

At present the administration is dealing with a vast array of compliance matters that are imposed on local governments. These compliances and reporting are imposed in an effort to ensure local governments are transparent and compliant with Regulations in all their activities.

Local Governments must wear the cost of these compliances by employing more staff and also employing specialist services which don't exist in smaller local governments.

You could say that it creates employment in in support industries – at a cost.

MUSIC CAMP

There will be a number of children camped in the town hall attending a music camp at the school for the period of Sunday 30th June to Thursday 4th July.

They will camp in the hall, use the Shire's kitchen for cooking and hold the classes at the school.

Another reminder about:

Basketball on Tuesday nights Badminton proposed – see Kaylene in the Shire office

EMPLOYMENT

The Shire is seeking written applications for the following position: Asset Management / Administration Officer – Level 5 - Full Time \$65,000 - \$72,000

The Shire has a vast array of assets and this position will be required to support senior staff with the management of the Shire's assets which includes maintaining computer records.

Applicants should demonstrate an ability to be accountable for the collection, recording and maintenance of data associated with all Shire owned assets.

The applicant will also be required to assist with administrative work within the Shire environment including supporting the Works Supervisor with administrative tasks.

Housing is not available for this position.

Applicants must be able to provide satisfactory Police clearances and be prepared to undergo full medical tests including drug and alcohol testing prior to any appointment.

Applications with a current resume' should be sent to ceo@menzies.wa.gov.au

Applications close on 28th June 2019.

Peter Money Chief Executive Officer



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COMMUNITY NOTICE

- Audit Committee Meeting of the Shire of Menzies Council 20 June 2019 at 10:00am in the Council Chambers.
- ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL Thursday 27 June 2019 FROM 1PM in the Council Chambers.
- Free Skin Cancer Screening Saturday
 13 July 2019 at the Nursing Post

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FREE SKIN CANCER SCREENING

MENZIES COMMUNITY HEALTH As a joint project with

The Lions Cancer Institute Inc.

The team will conduct a *Free* Skin Cancer Screening in

MENZIES ON SATURDAY 13th July

If you are 20 years or older and can answer 'YES' to three (3) of the following you may be at risk.

- A family member who has had a malignant melanoma. (Mother, Brother, Sister or Grandparents)
- Five or more moles (not freckles) on your forearms.
- Previously had moles removed that were not cancers.
- Previously had skin cancer.
- A mole or freckle, which is changing, size, colour or shape.
- Fair skin that always burns rather than tans.
- Had blistering sunburn as a child enough to stay off school.
- Any inflamed skin sores that do not heal.

Please telephone (9024 2044)

Lions Cancer Institute: www.lionscancerinstitute.org.au Like us on FaceBook. REV 1 14/03/2019

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Audit Committee Meeting of the Shire of Menzies Council 20 June 2019 at 10:00am in the Council Chambers.

Drive life in Menzies.

Every beat of this ordinary life is an extraordinary thing. And we need your help to protect it.

St John Menzies urgently needs volunteer ambulance drivers to respond to call-outs, attend emergencies and perform routine patient transfers.

If you'd like to help, visit stjohnchangelives.com.au. Or, give Tania Seath a call on 0427 894 052, or email RAC.Goldfields@stjohnambulance.com.au

Life goes on. Volunteer with St John.



Notification of Roadworks - Goldfields Highway, Menzies

Main Road WA will be conducting works on sections of Goldfields Highway from Goongarrie Road working north for 70km in the Shire of Menzies.

It is intended that the works will be undertaken from mid November 2018. The works will involve resealing the existing carriageway.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact our Customer Service Officer, Nicole Sullivan, on 9080 1473.



SHIRE OF MENZIES ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

Shire of Menzies Offices are located at Lot 124 Shenton Street, Menzies PO Box 4 MENZIES WA 6436

> Phone: Fax: Email: Website

(08) 9024 2041 (08) 9024 2110 admin@menzies.wa.gov.au www.menzies.wa.gov.au

8.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday Closed for Lunch 12.00 noon to 1pm daily

LADY SHENTON BUILDING OPERATING OPENING HOURS

Lady Shenton Building is located on the corner of Shenton & Brown Streets, Menzies



8.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday Closed for Lunch 12.00 noon to 1pm *(Monday to Friday)*

10.00am to 2.00pm Saturday and Sunday



ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL

Council Meetings are held in the Shire of Menzies Council Chambers on the last Thursday of each month commencing at 1.00pm unless otherwise advised

Please note that the date for the next meeting is:

Thursday 27 June 2019 at 1.00pm

Shire of Menzies Council Chambers





on

0408 494 925

MENZIES MATTERS DEADLINE FOR PUBLICATION

If you have anything you would like to have included in the Menzies Matters please contact Debbie Pianto at the Menzies Visitor Centre on 9024 2702 or email to cso@menzies.wa.gov.au or alternatively you can contact Kaylene Tucker at the Shire of Menzies Administration Office on 90242041 or email to admin@menzies.wa.gov.au.

The deadline for each month is the LAST DAY OF THE MONTH.

General Information notices are welcome, as are notification of upcoming local events or if you have recipes, gardening tips or ideas for any other page. All suggestions are welcome.

GRT EXPRESS TIMETABLE

Kalgoorlie to Laverton

EXPRESS	TIME	
KALGOORLIE RAILWAY STATION	10.00AM	
KALGOORLIE VISITOR CENTRE	10.15AM	
MENZIES	11.40AM	
KOOKYNIE TURNOFF	12.05PM	
LEONORA ARRIVE	12.45PM	
DEPART	1.00PM	
MURRIN MURRIN TURNOFF	1.45PM	
MT MORGAN TURNOFF	1.55PM	
LAVERTON	2.30PM	

Laverton to Kalgoorlie

EXPRESS	TIME
LAVERTON	10.00AM
MT MORGAN TURNOFF	10.30AM
MURRIN MURRIN TURNOF	F 10.40AM
LEONORA ARRIV	E 11.15AM
DEPAR	T 11.30AM
KOOKYNIE TURNOFF	12.00PM
MENZIES	12.30PM
KALGOORLIE	2.00PM



BOOKINGS & ENQUIRIES 1800 620 440 OR (08) 9092 6000 PURCHASE TICKET ONLINE www.goldrushtours.com.au







Now providing a **FREE DELIVERY** service to Menzies.

Phone, fax or email your scripts / order to Leonora Pharmacy direct or ask at the Visitor Information Centre to fax your scripts / order through to the pharmacy. (*This includes non prescription items*)

> Collect and pay for your order at the Visitor Information Centre after 2pm the following day.



LEONORA PHARMACY RESPECTS YOUR RIGHTS TO PRIVACY

Please be assured that all prescription and non-prescription items will be sent in a sealed bag.

Leonora Pharmacy Phone: (08) 9037 6820 Email: leonorapharmacy@iintet.net.au





COLD BEER FROM 11AM TILL LATE

Available daily fresh sandwiches and rolls, flavoured milks, juices and soft drinks.

Pick up your General Stores and ice or have a '*Menzies Toasty*' while you wait.

EFTPOS AVAILABLE

- Meals
- takeaway foods
- Snacks
- Accommodation services
- Newspapers available daily

IF YOU'RE IN A HURRY– DON'T WORRY PHONE ORDERS WELCOME (08) 9024 2016

•	Kleenheat Gas Supplier				
	Exchange	8.5kg	\$ 46.50		
	Buy	8.5kg	\$ 95.00		
	Exchange	45kg	\$184.50 - Pick up o	nly	



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Community Resource Centre Your local connection

Menzies Community Resource Centre located at the corner of Shenton and Brown Streets in Menzies, is your local access point offering a range of services in Menzies.



Services include:

- Visitor Information and Public Library
- Community Postal Agency •
- Caravan Park Bookings
- Star Track Courier and Toll Freight Lines Agency
- Free Government Access Point •
- Internet Access Point
- Conference and Meeting Room Hire

8.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday Closed for Lunch 12.00 noon to 1pm (Monday to Friday)

> Closed Saturday and Sunday Call us today on

(08) 9024 2702 or email: cso@menzies.wa.gov.au

SEVEN GOLDEN RULES FOR PROSPECTING

Put safety first
Make sure you have enough water, fuel, maps and first aid supplies. Give serious consideration to taking some form of telecommunications and a global positioning system to fix locations, and a Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) – it may turn out to be your most important safety device.

Obtain a Miner's Right permit when prospecting on vacant Crown land (\$25 from any Mining Registrar's office)



Obtain a 40E permit prior to prospecting within an exploration tenement (if you don't have written permission from the tenement holder).

Get written permission from the tenement holder when prospecting on:

a mining lease an exploration licence (if you don't have a 40E permit) a prospecting licence

Comply with all legal requirements when prospecting on a pastoral lease. You cannot prospect within 100 metres of any occupied building or within 400 metres of any livestock watering point without the consent of the pastoralist.

Show respect when on Crown land because it is used by other people or set aside for many purposes.

Fill any holes you dug and repair ground that has been disturbed.

www.dmp.wa.gov.au/prospectingwa

DID YOU KNOW .



★ FIGHT the BITE ★

Prevent mosquito bites

★ COVER UP. REPEL. CLEAN UP. ★



REPEL

COVER UP

covered up.

Use insect repellent containing DEET (diethyltouluamide) or picaridin and always follow instructions on the label.

Wear long, loose-fitting, light coloured clothing, covering as much of the body as you can. Mosquitoes can bit through tight clothes

like jeans. Make sure children are also



CLEAN UP

Stop mosquitoes breeding in water pooling around your home or holiday accommodation by emptying water from containers.



1080 BAITING IN THIS AREA IS A **RISK TO DOMESTIC PETS**

Please be advised that baiting programs using 1080 poison are carried out across Western Australia, including this area, and are aimed at controlling wild dogs, feral cats, feral pigs, foxes and rabbits. The poison baits remain toxic for many months. You need to exercise caution. Domestic pets should be kept close and under control at all times. Owners may consider the use of leads and muzzles for their domestic pets.

DO NOT RELY ON WARNING SIGNS

WARNING SIGNS ARE PLACED WHERE APPLICABLE. HOWEVER THEY MAY BE DAMAGED, REMOVED, VANDALISED OR DESTROYED

1080 baiting is part of an integrated pest management program protecting livestock from death and injury; reducing the impact on pastoral and agricultural production; and helping to preserve the unique flora and fauna of WA. Baits are not intentionally laid in public areas such as road reserves, parking bays, rest stops or roadhouses however can be inadvertently moved into these areas by animals and birds.

1080 is an S7 Poison

CARAVAN & CAMPING



The Menzies Caravan Park is conveniently located next to the Visitor Centre which is also the booking agent. Entry via Brown Street, Menzies.

Modern amenities including twenty nine powered sites, and a two bedroom chalet, six unpowered sites, two ablution blocks and a disabled access ablution and a Camper's Kitchen. There is a black water dump point within the park and dogs are welcome but must be on leads at all times. For bookings and enquiries call **(08) 9024 2702** or

Email cso@menzies.wa.gov.au

Free camping sites are provided by the Shire of Menzies at Lake Ballard (51kms West of Menzies) and Niagara Dam (65kms North East of Menzies).

Facilities at these sites include toilets, BBQs and rubbish bins. Non-potable water is provided at Lake Ballard. Please respect these facilities and put rubbish in the bins provided, and only use facilities for the purposes they are intended.

TRAVELLING WITH PETS





Please be aware that there regular aerial drops of 1080 poison baits in the Goldfields area in attempt to combat feral animals.

Please use caution and take care when in these areas.



AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR

Located in the Shire of Menzies office, Shenton Street across from the Community Resource Centre and Caravan Park.



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42 Shenton Street Menzies, Western Australia 08 9024 2450 pioneer.store.gallery@menziesac.org.au www.pioneerstoregallery.com



Calling all...

Artists & Photographers

The Pioneer Store Gallery seeks artists & photographers, established and emerging to display and sell their works. The gallery aims to promote the works of local artists & photographers focusing on the unique aspects of Menzies.

Submissions open to any artists or photographer. We welcome a range of different mediums.

Please contact us for more information.

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SHIRE OF MENZIES

ORDINARY MEETINGS OF COUNCIL

The public is advised that pursuant to Regulation 12(1)(a) of the Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996, the following dates, times and locations have been appointed as Ordinary Council Meeting dates for the period ending 30 June 2019.

Monday 6 August 2018	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 30 August 2018	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 27 September 2018	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 25 October 2018	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 29 November 2018	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 13 December 2018	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 28 February 2019	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 28 March 2019	1pm	Menzies
Wednesday 24 April 2019	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 30 May 2019	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 27 June 2019	1pm	Menzies

The public is reminded that Council Meetings are open to the public and prior notice will be given of any Special or Committee Meetings being called.

Peter Money Chief Executive Officer Shire of Menzies PO Box 4 Menzies WA 6436

DATES TO REMEMBER IN 2018/2019

Please note that penalties apply where burning regulations are contravened or permit conditions are not complied with

Prohibited Burning Period: From 1 November 2018 to 15 March 2019 *(inclusive)*

All burning, including garden refuse is prohibited during this period. Properties to be maintained clear of flammable material until 15 March 2019.

Restricted Burning Periods 2: From 16 March 2019 to 30 April 2019 (inclusive)

Permits to burn are required during this period for hazard reduction burning. Please note that penalties apply where burning regulations are contravened or permit conditions are not complied with.

Certain climate or weather conditions may cause these periods to be extended or shortened. You must check the press for details

or call the Shire office on (08) 9024 2041 before commencing to burn.

Unrestricted Season: From 1 May 2019 to 18 September 2019 *(inclusive)*

Restricted Burning Periods 1:

19 September 2019 to 31 October 2019 (inclusive)

Permits to burn are required during this period for hazard reduction burning. Alternative firebreak applications to be submitted by 1 October 2019. Firebreaks must be installed by 15 October 2019.

Paul Warner Chief Bush Fire Control Officer 0408 494 925 **Deputy Chief Fire Control Officer** 0427 663 703 Ray McKay Ian Tucker 0417 085 336 Adelong Station (08) 9024 2150 **Bulga Downs Station** David McQuie (08) 9037 5917 No Mobile Coverage Sam White **Edjudina Station** (08) 9024 2024 0427 966 071 **Gindable Station** Stephen Tonkin (08) 9024 2070 0418 944 492 Colin O'Connor **Glenorn Station** (08) 9031 3636 0438 979 781 Andrew Smith (08) 9024 2874 0467 087 898 **Riverina Station** Perrinvale Station Not staffed (Riverina includes Perrin-Jeedamia Station Not staffed vale, Jeedamia, Kookynie Kookynie Station Not staffed and Melita Stations as all Melita Station Not staffed under one manager now) (08) 9031 3017 John Scoble Yerilla Station & No Mobile Coverage Menangina Station No Mobile Coverage John Scoble Mt Vetters Station (08) 9024 2700 0429 491 440 **Justin Stephens** Craig Harvey **Pinnacles Station** (08) 9031 3111 0427 951 120 Paul Axford **Stuart Meadows Station** (08) 9037 5910 0427 375 911 Peter Mulligan Yundamindra Station (08) 9031 3012 No Mobile Coverage Keith Mader Walling Rock Station (08) 9024 2086 0487 744 786

FIRE CONTROL OFFICERS 2018/2019 SEASON





Lyn Trembath following in her father footsteps the oldest cyclist this year



The set up begins







Eastern Goldfields Cycle Club 1939 Lyn Trembath father in the photo



St John Ambulance Sausage sizzle





All hands on desk a wide load approaches. Barriers pulled down.

Cyclist arriving



Winners of the Scooters



Awards being handed out







The New POPP World Ping Pong Table

The latest addition to the Menzies youth and community precinct.





The new Ping Pong table will be positioned outside the Youth Centre and we aim to run competitions and other activities using the table in the future.



Happy Birthday JUNE

Vashti Ashwin - 01 Kylie Smith - 06 Shenae Tucker - 06 Stacey Miller - 10 Shania Cameron - 25 Alana Cameron - 30 Let it snow!

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BLIZZARD COAT COLD DECEMBER EARMUFFS FEBRUARY FIREPLACE FLURRIES FROZEN GLOVES HOT CHOCOLATE ICE ICE SKATES ICICLE JANUARY MITTENS SCARF SHOVEL SLED SLUSH SNOWBALL SNOWFLAKE SNOWMAN SWEATER WINTER

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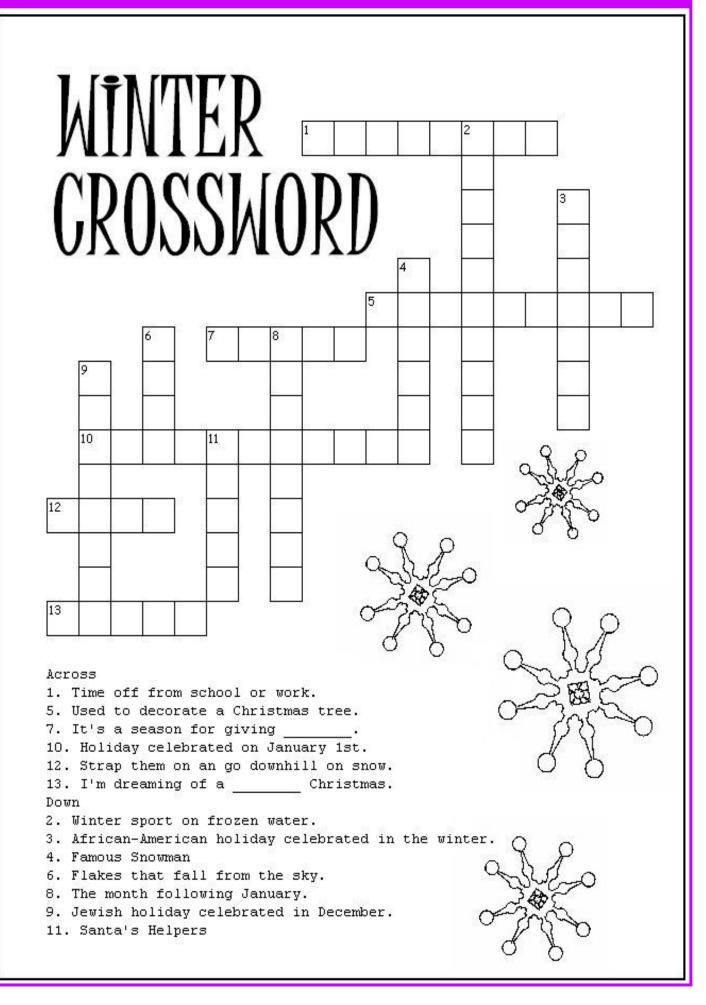
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