

COMING EVENTS

BEGA GARNBIRRINGU HEALTH SERVICE 3 MARCH 2022

STEP UP TO CLEAN UP

6 MARCH 2022

LABOUR DAY 7 MARCH 2022

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY, CRC 8 MARCH 2022

THE OUTBACK VISION VAN

9-10 MARCH 2022

COMMUNITY CATCH UP, THE GRAND HOTEL KOOKYNIE 10 MARCH 2022

RFDS16 MARCH 2022

ST. PATRICK'S DAY 17 MARCH 2022

HARMONY DAY CELEBRATION 17 MARCH 2022

BUY,SWAP& BOOT SALES

27 MARCH 2022

ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

31 MARCH 2022



Menzies Matters

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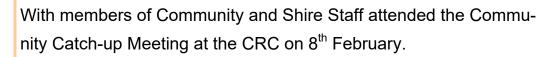


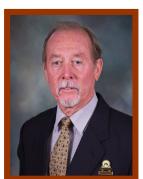
"The greatest glory in living lies not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall."

- Nelson Mandela

THE SHIRE PRESIDENT'S REPORT MARCH 2022

28th January opened the LEMC meeting.





Attended Video Conference with Horizon Power on 11th February discussion on 100% renewable energy system for Menzies, beginning the consultation process.

14th February with CEO attended Northern Goldfields Working Group Video Conference. Discussion about obtaining a booth for Caravan and Camping Show in Perth and call for volunteers to man the booth; and the invitations previously sent to John Quigley Attorney General, Simone McGurk Minister Community Services inviting them to the region to discuss social issues.

16th February with CEO attended video conference with Rick Wilson MP and other Shires to discuss the Cashless Debit Card. Discussion on a Hub and employed Co-ordinator which Menzies will share with Leonora. To be funded by the current Liberal Federal Government.

Yesterday Via Video conference from Kalgoorlie, attended Midwest Yilgarn Iron Group meeting, attended by various stakeholders. An overview was given by members of the group regarding their status to date as well as a presentation by ARC Infrastructure on the lack of space remaining for additional freight on the railway line.

Travelled home from Kalgoorlie via Yarri Road, Cranky Jack Road and Kookynie Road. The grader is working on the road between Cranky Jack Road and Kookynie. The road is in good condition. The roads are being maintained in a good condition that the travelling public have come to expect from the Shire of Menzies.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

MARCH 2022

February was a great month with a lot of community events and projects occurring. All of these events provide life into the town and make them more liveable for the residents.

The most important event, in my eyes, was the painting of the blue tree adjacent to the Goldfields Highway. This was something that I wanted to do from early last year and getting it done was really special. It was great to have such a good turnout from the community for the project.

Our projects have been moving along and the following update gives a small snapshot of a few:

- Lady Shenton Building contractors will commence work later in March or early April. This is primarily a maintenance project to keep the building in good condition.
- Old Post Office a floor plan has been developed and the detailed design will be ready for Council in March.
- Roadworks sealing of 5km of Evanston Road and the Marmion Village Road should be complete by the time this edition is published.
- New Shire Depot Building the building has been constructed and will be delivered within the next couple of weeks.
- Housing the Shire will be going out for tender for several houses. Some will be for staff and there is potential for a couple more for the Education Staff pending agreement on contracts.
- Niagara Dam Maintenance an engineering firm has been engaged to finalise the scope of works for tender.
- Mercer Street Village the tender closed for this project in February. Tender evaluations will be presented to Council in March for consideration.
- Kookynie Fencing the fence line is being detailed and land issues are being addressed. Once complete, the proposed alignment will be put out for public consultation.

As can be seen, there is a lot that we are working on delivering. A Shire is not a private enterprise, and we must follow a plethora of legislation regarding procurement and contracting. Everything is moving along but we must follow process which slows the delivery.

I have attended a heap of COVID related meetings in the last few weeks. We have done a lot of planning for the border reopening but this was accelerated with the increase in COVID cases. The Shire is working on the assumption that COVID is in the community and we have to learn to live with it and continue with our lives. Having said that, we will provide whatever support the community needs especially for those who are most at risk.

As a final note, for those who didn't see our Council Agenda or the Kalgoorlie Miner, we have a rodeo coming back to Menzies in May next year. I'm really looking forward to this event.



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 Thursday 22 December 2022.

2022

Thursday 31 March	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 28 April	1pm	Tjuntjuntjara
Thursday 26 May	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 30 June	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 28 July	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 25 August	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 29 September	1pm	Tjuntjuntjara
Thursday 27 October	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 24 November	1pm	Menzies
Thursday 22 December	1pm	Menzies

Published Council meetings are open to the public, except when stated, and prior notice will be given of any Special or Committee Meetings that are called

Brian Joiner Chief Executive Officer Shire of Menzies PO Box 4



LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1995 BUSH FIRES ACT 1954

Shire of Menzies

Adoption of Local Laws

The Council has resolved to adopt the following local laws –

- Bush Fire Brigades Amendment Local Law 2022
 - Purpose to amend the Bush Fire Brigades Local Law so as to permit greater flexibility
 - Effect amendment by removing mandatory training and specified dates to be met by bush fires brigades
- 2. Health Local Law 2022
 - Purpose to provide a statutory means of effectively controlling issues which have the potential to adversely impact on the health and well-being of the community
 - Effect to allow health related issues to be controlled so as to provide an acceptable standard for the maintenance of public health in the community, and create remedies and offences for non-compliance.
- Public Places and Local Government Property Law 2022
 - Purpose to make provisions for the management of public places, thoroughfares and all local government property
 - Effect to repeal an existing local law, establish necessary controls for public places, thoroughfares and local government property, provide for permitted and prohibited use and activities, and create offences for non-compliance.

Commencement date of each local law is 3 March 2022

A copy of the local laws may be inspected at or obtained from the Shire Office, Shenton Street, Menzies during normal opening hours. If a printed copy of information is required, please advise the Office the day prior to picking up the documents.

The local laws are also available on the Shire's website.

These local laws were published in the Government Gazette on 16 February 2022.

B. Joiner Chief Executive Officer Shire of Menzies



Public Consultation - Draft Local Heritage Survey 2022

The Shire of Menzies is seeking comment on its draft Local Heritage Survey, with updates to the Shire's Heritage Inventory.

The Heritage Act 2018 (Part 8) requires that all local governments prepare a Local Heritage Survey and prepare a Heritage List.

The Shire of Menzies undertook its original Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places in 1997.

Local Heritage Surveys (LHS) include a range of heritage sites and places of varying levels of significance. However, the LHS alone does not provide any level of protection or management for any of the places that may be recognised, assessed, and listed as being of considerable heritage value to the community.

The two highest level Categories (A and B) form the Shire of Menzies "Heritage List", which has statutory implications through the Planning Scheme and Local planning policies that will guide decisions about the appropriate degree of any future development of a place.

The listing of Categories C and D places that are NOT of the highest levels, have no implications other than advocacy for conservation, a record and recognition of cultural heritage value to the Shire of Menzies.

The Draft review has identified a total of 96 places with a recommended Heritage List of 43 places. Those places (Categories A and B) are considered of a high level of significance to the Shire of Menzies.

Community comment will be considered, and the document amended for final endorsement by Council.

A copy of the DRAFT Local Heritage Survey 2022 and its appendices may be inspected at or obtained from –

- the Community Resource Centre in Shenton Street during normal office hours
- from the Shire of Menzies website at the following link: https://www.menzies.wa.gov.au/council/council-documents/community-comments-invited.aspx
- · by contacting the Administration Centre

Submissions about the proposed local laws may be made by 4.00pm, 01 April 2022 -

- in writing to the CEO at the address below, or
- by email to ea@menzies.wa.gov.au

Brian Joiner

Chief Executive Officer

Shire of Menzies

PO Box 4. Menzies 6436

www.menzies.wa.gov.au

Arts Advisory Group

The Shire of Menzies is seeking community representatives who have experience or qualifications in the arts, for an independent Arts Advisory Group (AAG).

The Shire of Menzies CEO will facilitate the establishment of this group and provide resources for meetings.

The Arts Advisory Group will play an important role in encouraging and promoting Arts in the Shire of Menzies particularly through providing input in development of an Arts Strategy, and opinion on Arts Acquisitions.

Specific objectives of the AAG will be to:

- Provide advice towards the development of an Arts Strategy.
- Act in an advisory capacity to advocate and promote arts in the Shire of Menzies.
- Provide advice and make recommendations to the Shire for its arts acquisitions and commissions.
- Provide advice on matters generally in relation to the arts.

The Arts Advisory Group will have no decision-making authority but can make recommendations to Council through the CEO.

Advisory Group members will be acting in a voluntary capacity and will not be paid a fee for their involvement.

Applications in writing to the CEO at the address below, or by email to ea@menzies.wa.gov.au close 4pm, Friday, 18 March 2022.

Brian Joiner
Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Menzies
PO Box 4, Menzies 6436
WWW.MENZIES.WA.GOV.AU

Local Government Budgets

Local Government financials are unique, and need good comprehensive, oversight and management.

The Shire's CFO, Antonio Giometti and the accounting team provides Councillors updated monthly financial information, the key reports being a comparison and understanding of actual income received and expenditure made against the shire's, council approved, annual budget.

As a part of the budget process and to ensure good governance, as a part for the budget compliance, is the budget's half yearly review.

As Local Government financial requirements and reporting do change/are updated, both the Shire's CFO and the Team Leader Finance - Kristy Van Kuyl, attended the below workshop to know about current budget compliance and reporting requirements.

The MOORE Australia - 2022 LOCAL GOVERNMENT BUDGET WORKSHOPS, provide direction for the budget process and regulatory requirements, along with an overview of the changes to statutory budget model and template.

The workshop focused on key topics surrounding the budget process, including:

- legislative budgeting requirements
- calculating the opening and closing balances of net current assets
- rating and rating policies
- calculation template for activity based costs
- provisions
- budget adoption
- minimum disclosure
- budget review
- tips and tricks to balance cash flow and rate setting statements
- checklists to assist preparation

Members of the community can see and access the shire's financial information in the Ordinary Council Meeting (OCM) papers uploaded onto the Shire's website each month, along with the budget details post OCM budget reviews and approvals.



Kristy Van Kuyl & Antonio Giometti



2022 Annual Budget Workshop by MOORE



Shire of Menzies

Capital Funding Requests 2022/2023FY

For Council's budgetary considerations, we welcome submission of capital funding requests detailing project/community needs and benefit to our community. These requests will be considered by Council as a part of the annual budget preparation and finalisation.

Name and Address of Person Submitting the Request:	
Funding Request: (Provide as much	
information as possible)	
Benefits: (Explain how the project	
benefits the community)	
Costs: (If known)	

Requests must be submitted by Friday 18 March 2022

For submission and/or general inquiries about capital funding requests email: ea@menzies.wa.gov.au



Community Notice

The Menzies Shire administration building will be closed for general walk-in, as of 21 February 2022 due to Covid-19 restrictions. The Shire encourages all enquiries are made via phone (08 9024 2041) or email (admin@menzies.wa.gov.au) from 8.30am to 12pm and 1pm to 4.30pm.

The visitor centre will deal with all the walk-in enquiries. Mask to be worn at all times and proof of vaccinations to be shown.





Kalgoorlie Miner

Kalgoorlie Miner Regional WA

Shire of Menzies paints tree blue in support of mental health awareness in regional communities



Amber Lilley | Kalgoorlie Miner Thu, 17 February 2022 6:00AM

Amber Lilley



The Shire of Menzies has shown its support in raising awareness about mental health in regional and remote communities. Credit:

The Shire of Menzies has shown its support in raising awareness about mental health in regional and remote communities.

On Tuesday, community members gathered to do their part in painting a tree as part of the Blue Tree Project, aiming to pay tribute to those who have lost their lives to suicide and to raise awareness on suicide prevention and mental health.

Shire president Greg Dwyer said the council was proud to support the Blue Tree Project which promotes mental health awareness as well as community connectedness.

"The blue tree acts as a visual reminder for everyone to check in with one another and to initiate conversations on mental health," he said.

"This community project is an opportunity for us to come together and know that we're never alone.

"It's important to remember that it's okay to not be okay, and that it's okay to ask for help."

The Blue Tree Project was born out of a practical joke, with a young son and brother Jayden Whyte painting a tree on his Mukinbudin family farm blue.

The project was started by his sister Kendall White, WA Young Australian of the Year for 2022, after she lost her brother – Mr Whyte – to suicide in 2018.

There are now almost 700 blue trees across the world, with WA hosting the largest number of trees in the project which raises awareness and starting mental health conversations.

Lifeline: 13 11 14

Beyond Blue: 1300 22 4636

Happy Valentine's Movie Night

The Shire of Menzies' CRC hosted Movie's night for the Valentine's day on 14 February 2022. About 35 members from the community attended the event at the outdoor Ngalipaku Building (Youth Centre). The movie "Royal Treatment" was selected and watched. The attendees brought their own picnic blankets or chairs, popcorn and slushies were provided with yummy food ordered from Donna's Diner. Everyone enjoyed the movie with good food and catch up among themselves. The right weather and beautiful sunset added to the event. Feedback from the community members were that they enjoyed the event and recommended if it could be held once every month where everyone from the community can come together and enjoy their leisure time.





























If someone in your family or someone you care for is celebrating a birthday, we would love to share your special birthday messages. Please send in to

> community@menzies.wa.gov.au

> > or

come and see us at the CRC and we'll do our best to publish them and help make their day even more special.





COMMUNITY CATCH UP

THE GRAND HOTEL KOOKYNIE

THURSDAY, 10 MARCH 2022 3:00PM-4:30PM @ THE GRAND HOTEL KOOKYNIE

BRING A PLATE TO SHARE



EVERYONE IS WELCOME

CALL CRC MENZIES ON 08 9024 2702 FOR MORE INFORMATION



Sundowner Live Band Concert by Evan Ayres & the Swing Kings

The Shire of Menzies' CRC organised a live band concert by Evan Ayres and the Swing Kings on 16 February 2022 at outdoors of Ngalipaku Youth Centre building. 65 members of the community attended the event. The band performed swing jazz, classic and originals. Sausage sizzle, can soft drinks arranged by the Shire with Cheese Platter from Donna's Diner were made available for the audience to purchase and enjoy whilst watching the concert. The Shire had also organised a raffle within the event and the winner was Ms. Cath Crowley who had just travelled all way from Kalgoorlie to attend the concert. She is also believed to have bought the last raffle ticket that was left, it turned out to be a lucky day for her. The night was a great success with members of the community coming together to have some fun, catch up and dance the night away. The excellent weather and full moon contributed to a good evening, enjoyed by all the attendees of all ages.



















Happy International Women's Day

Shoutout to women heroes!!

Name: Almetra Bethlehem

My Woman Hero: My Sisters, Petra & Sashia

Reason: They fought through adversity, show strength, loyalty, outspoken and made an amazing breakthrough in the male-dominated work industry. Petra has been in the mining industry for over 10 years, in various roles including as an All-Rounder Operator, and Sashia has just started in mining as an Operator. I think they're both amazing in their own ways, and I look up to them for their fierceness and sense of adventure.



Almetra, Sashia & Petra

Name: Antonio Giometti

My Woman Hero: My Grandmother, Carmela Rifici

Reason: She came to Australia from Italy post the second world war, by herself and two children, one being my mother. With no English language known or spoken, she had to navigate a challenging and trying life by her own. I learnt the true meaning of reliance and capability in the most challenging circumstances. I live by the motto "failure is not an option", taught by her.

Some of her enduring and capable things were her ability and capability to navigate life with no partner, no English and no transport. When I was studying at Curtin Uni, there was a knock on my unit door, and there she was – checking on me. She had arranged a train ticket and taxi from Geraldton to Perth not speaking a sentence of English. She left behind a strong sense of "failure is not an option", obstacles are purely challenges and surmountable with the right attitude.



Grandma & Antonio

Name: Debbie Pianto
My Woman Hero: My Mum

Reason: I define my mum as a hero because she has provided me with guidance, motherly love, and has always been there for me, supporting me in every way possible. My mum is my hero, as she was there to listen to me without judgment, I was able to be honest with her, and she listened to me with compassion. Encouraged and helped me to choose the right path in life.

She made sacrifices for me to teach me kindness and selflessness. If I ever had a problem or a decision to be made, my mum always gave me advice never failed to solve the problem. Multitasking was her specialty.



Mom & Debbie

Name: Irene Kitts & Aiza

My Woman Hero: My Sister, Shony Warner

Reason: You are a selfless, genuine, hardworking, family-oriented, annoying (sometimes) woman. Whose incredibly supportive in all decisions I made despite the outcome and considered us and her friends as her source of strengths. Her optimism influences me regardless of how life brought us. And that woman is my sister, a cousin, our hero.



Shony Warner

Name: Tatenda Christian Rusere
My Woman Hero: My Mom, Dorothy

Reason: She has always been a pillar of strength in our family. She has sacrificed a lot for my younger brother and I to be where we are today. I have learnt a lot from her mainly respecting and caring for other people and being the best, I can be. On the 28th of March, she will be turning 49 years old so Happy Birthday to her & Happy International Women's Day to all female heroes. I LOVE YOU MOM!!!



Mom & Tatenda



Dr Margaret Amelia Corlis

Margaret Corlis supported her husband Josiah by taking in medical students as boarders while he study to become a doctor. The couple had three sons and one daughter whose death from diphtheria may have been the reason for Margaret's decision to study medicine. In 1881 she installed a housekeeper and enrolled in the medical school becoming

one of the first five females graduates of the school.

Josiah migrated to Australia from Canada in 1891. and Margaret followed in 1892. Their eldest son stayed behind to complete his veterinary studies before joining them in Australia. The two younger sons also became doctors.

On the 11th May 1892 Margaret registered in NSW and opened a practice in Elizabeth Street Sydney. Then they set up a joint practice in Bellingen NSW.

On hearing that doctors were urgently needed in the West Australian Goldfields. Josiah registered in Southern Cross in November 1894. Josiah began advertising his services as a mechanical and surgical dentist. A Typhoid outbreak in Coolgardie led Josiah moving there to help, by June 1895 Margaret had joined her husband and she registered in West Australia as a medical practitioner. Becoming the first female doctor on the Goldfields. Not only was she being the first practicing female doctor in West Australia but the second in NSW, and possibly the Australian Medical Registry.

In November 1895 it was announced that Josiah had been appointed Surgeon and Physician of the hospital and Miner's Institute at Menzies (a canvas building) Margaret was soon working at the hospital with Josiah Menzies hospital had the benefit of two doctors for the price of one.

Margaret was parted from her husband for up to a week at a time, attending out-patients and travelling by camel hundreds of miles in different directions. She had her own camel Afghan camel attendant with one particularly good bull camel of uncertain temperament. With the camel biting and leaving scars.

This little lady, who was only 5 feet (152cm) in height must have found her life on the goldfields very different to her life in Canada. Margaret had good health all her enterprising life. After a unsuccessful operation for cataracts she became blind but still successfully delivered a baby in an emergency, with the help of a neighbor.

Both Margaret and Josiah did wonderful work in helping fever-stricken prospectors, there were many of them in those trying times. One could always direct people to their house because they kept a herd of goats.

Josiah became Mayor of Menzies in 1898. In 1900 the family home was burnt to the ground along with the surgery and most of their equipment,

Margaret and Josiah returned to NSW in December 1903.

They moved back to NSW and in later years they sometimes worked as locum tenens for their sons and other doctors in NSW.

Josiah died in 1922 and Margaret lived with her son Charles at Bangalow. Margaret died in Grafton in January 1925. She is buried in the Presbyterian section of the cemetery at Bangalow.

MARGARET A. CORLIS, M.D. C.M., L.C.P.S.O., L.N.S.W., and L.W.A.

Office hours from 10 to 12 s.m. and 2 to 5 p.m.

Address—Hunt-street, second door from Wesleyan Church.



To the Editor.

Sir,—We have been requested to bring to your attention an error which appeared in an article by "Thalia" in the issue of "The West Australian" on Thursday, May 10, 1951.

It was stated that Dr. Roberta Juli registered in Western Australia in 1899. This is incorrect, as she registered in 1896 in her maiden name Stewart.

It might also be of interest to you to know that a Dr. Margaret Amelia Corlis, an American graduate, practised at Menzies with her husband (Dr. Josiah Corlis). Mrs. Corlis was the first woman medical practitioner in Western Australia, having registered in 1895.—Yours, etc.,

HUGH HANCOCK Registrar, Medical Board of W.A.







Researched & written by Debbie Pianto





Menzies Town and Tip Area

DATE 6th March 2022 TIME 9.00am to 12.00pm

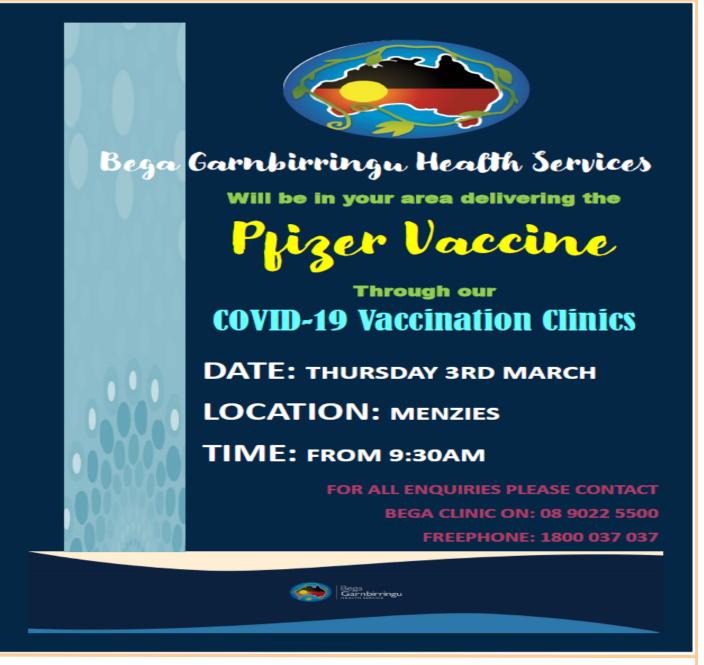
CRC Staff or Simon Poole

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Bega Garnbirringu Health services – Mobile clinic regrets to inform our contacts, clients, and other service providers that due to the evolving status of Covid 19 within the Goldfield's region that as of Monday the 21st of February 2022, that all outreach services have been suspended until further notice. We will keep you all informed as to any changes.

We are taking phone consultations from the clinic so please don't hesitate to call with any enquiries. Kalgoorlie Clinical Services 9022 5500 Free call 1800 037 037

Apologies for any inconveniences this may cause.

Menzies Community Buy, Swap & Boot Sale

WHEN: SUNDAY, 27 MARCH 2022

TIME: 8:00AM - 1:00PM

WHERE: DONNA'S DINER & CAFE

WANT TO CLEAN UP AND MAKE SOME CASH?

DONNA'S CAFE WILL TAKE DELIVERY OF GOODS FOR SALE ON FRIDAY.

HAVE YOUR ITEMS LISTED AND PRICED.

INSIDE THE SHOP - CLOTHING AND SMALL HOUSEHOLD GOODS I.E. BRIC A BRAC.

OUTSIDE IN THE CARPARK - LARGE ITEMS, BRING A CAR/ TRAILER FULL.

PLEASE CALL CHERYL TO ARRANGE DROP-OFF TIME ON FRIDAY FOR THE SHOP ONLY. PH 0457128035.

CAR BOOT SALE WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE GROUNDS OUTSIDE THE CAFE. PLEASE BE SELF SUFFICIENT ON THE DAY.

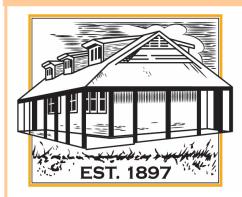
MAKE SURE YOU HAVE SMALL CHANGE ON HAND OR MAKE A DEAL TO SWAP!

CAFE WILL ONLY BE OFFERING COFFEE AND CAKE ON THE DAY.

FOR ANY MORE INFORMATION CALL AS ABOVE OR TALK TO DONNA OR MOUSE.

EVERYONE LOVES A CAR BOOT SALE SO COME AND BUY, SELL OR SWAP... GRAB A BARGAIN.





MENZIES COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Pukulpa Nintirrinkula Happy Learning

Menzies Newsletter Term 1 Week

From the principal:

We have a couple of students who are over half way of receiving enough Menzies Money to buy lunch at Donna's Café. Jaxson, Lynnese and Michael are leading the charge with Jerry, Hillary and Mason coming up close. Just a reminder that students earn money for wearing correct school uniform, arriving on time and displaying our school values.

Assessments and what they do

This week Yilpa and Wanampi students are participating in Westwood Basic facts tests. These tests are a way of assessing fluency in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. They are given every term to see how much students improve in their fluency. Fluency enables each student to build the skills needed to tackle multi-step problems.

Attendance Superstars

Our attendance superstars this month are Hillary, Shaylah and Sheldon. They have 100% attendance. Emailia, Mason and Michael are coming close at 91%. Great effort everyone.

From the Yilpa Classroom:

During our English lesson, the students are learning Phase 1 Letters and Sounds. They are learning to develop awareness of sounds and rhythms. While exploring the school, students practised listening quietly with their ears and they heard birds chirping, leaves rustling, and teachers teaching in classrooms. They also played with different musical instrument and listened to the sound each musical instrument makes while developing awareness of sounds and rhythms. They learned to make sounds using different parts of their body, like stomping with their feet and clapping with their hands.

From the Marlu Classroom:

Its never too early to start planning for your life after school. And that's why the Marlu students invited guest speakers, Reve, from The Apprenticeship Community, and Michelle, from Worklink, talk to them.

Students learnt that there are many ways to train or study to reach their career goals, that students can start studying at TAFE while still at school and that some companies even pay you to study if you choose to work for them!

With this in mind, we hope to keep talking to Reve and Michelle as they help set up the Marlu students for career success.

From the Wanampi Classroom:

This Term in Maths, the students have been learning about fractions. Using the Top 10 Maths program, they have been engaging in hands on, creative and unique mathematical experiences with fractions. The lower primary students have learned that fractions are made of equal parts and have used their knew knowledge to make fraction ice-creams. The upper primary students have been learning about equivalent fractions, the game pac-man has helped the students to apply their knew skills with fractions.







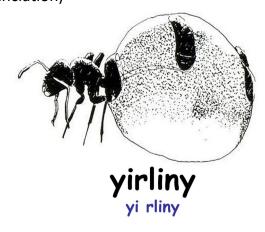




Wangkatja Language:

This term the students are learning about the honey ant and different artefacts that are still used to this day.

Word (phonetic pronunciation)



Coming up

- 3 March—Bega outreach mental health for high school students.
- 7 March—Labour Day—Public Holiday
- 14-18 March—Swimming (PP-Year 6 only)

You are not alone!

No matter the problem, there's always someone to talk to





Beyond Blue

1300 224 636

Talk with a trained mental health professional, any time, day or night. Carers
Australia
1800 242 636

Access counselling and emotional and psychological support services for carers and their families.





24 hour crisis support and suicide prevention services.



MindSpot Clinic 1800 61 44 34

Support for Australian adults with anxiety or depression.



MensLine Australia

Support for men to deal with relationship problems in a practical and effective way.



QLife

1800 184 527

3pm-12am

Nationally-oriented counselling and referral service for LGBTI people. OLife provides support to people experiencing poor mental health, psychological distress, social isolation, discrimination, experiences of being misgendered hat impact on their health and wellbeing.



Relationships Australia

1300 364 277

Relationship support services for individuals, families and communities.



SANE Australia

1800 187 263

Information about mental illness, treatments, and where to go for support.



The Outback Vision Van

The Lions Outback Vision Van is a specialist mobile eye health clinic visiting regional and remote communities is Western Australia. It contains state-of-the-art equipment for the diagnosis and treatment of most major eye diseases.

Come and see us

9-10 March 2022

Menzies - Shire Administration Building on Shenton Street

For more information, please contact: Lions Outback Vision (08) 9381 0802





HARMONY DAY

Celebrating Our Cultural Diversity

WEDNESDAY, 23 MARCH 2022 SHIRE OF MENZIES TOWN HALL 12:00PM-1:00PM LUNCH

PLEASE BRING A PLATE OF YOUR NATIONAL DISH TO SHARE EVERYONE IS WELCOME FOR THE LUNCH

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

NGALIPAKU BUILDING(YOUTH CENTRE)

1:00PM-2:30PM

CALL MENZIES CRC FOR MORE INFO ON 08 9024 2702





PUBLIC NOTICE

WARNING

The Goldfields Nullarbor Rangelands Biosecurity Association Inc. (GNRBA) has a continuous 1080 baiting program on the Nullarbor extending right through to Kalgoorlie and to the Northern Goldfields.

"1080" wild dog baits are laid throughout pastoral and adjacent crownlands including DBCA reserves.

Dog owners should keep domestic dogs muzzled and on leads when travelling as these baits will remain lethal for many months.

'1080' KILLS DOGS!!!



Michelle Donaldson

e: ceo@gnrba.com.au m: 0439 363 263

a: PO Box 417, Kalgoorlie WA 6430

GNRBA IS UNDERTAKING GROUND BAITING OPERATIONS WITH 1080 WILD DOG BAITS

Please be advised that the Goldfields Nullarbor Rangelands Biosecurity Association will shortly be undertaking its February March April Wild Dog Control – (1080 ground baiting), in the Northern Goldfields, Goldfields and Nullarbor Regions.

The baiting is undertaken to reduce the impact of wild dogs on livestock on pastoral leases.

Please note the following:

- It is planned that 1080 baits will be laid in the period between Wednesday 9th February 2022 and Friday 22nd April 2022 These baits will remain active for a longer period. Please remain aware.
- The baits will be the dried meat form, which contain 1080 Sodium fluoroacetate, which
 is a naturally occurring toxin found in some Western Australian flora species. As
 such, most native fauna species have evolved tolerance to it. DOMESTIC DOGS
 AND CATS have ZERO TOLERANCE
- Whilst these baits are laid in areas with appropriate exclusion zones/buffers (e.g. no baits within 500m of townsite boundaries or residential dwellings, or within 250m of public roads and tracks), and target specifically, wild dogs and feral cats, they may pose a risk to domestic dogs and cats, if these animals are taken into the baited
- Accordingly, please warn all visitors who may bring domestic animals into the area and post signage as attached to this email, and this letter in a prominent place for the general public to observe.

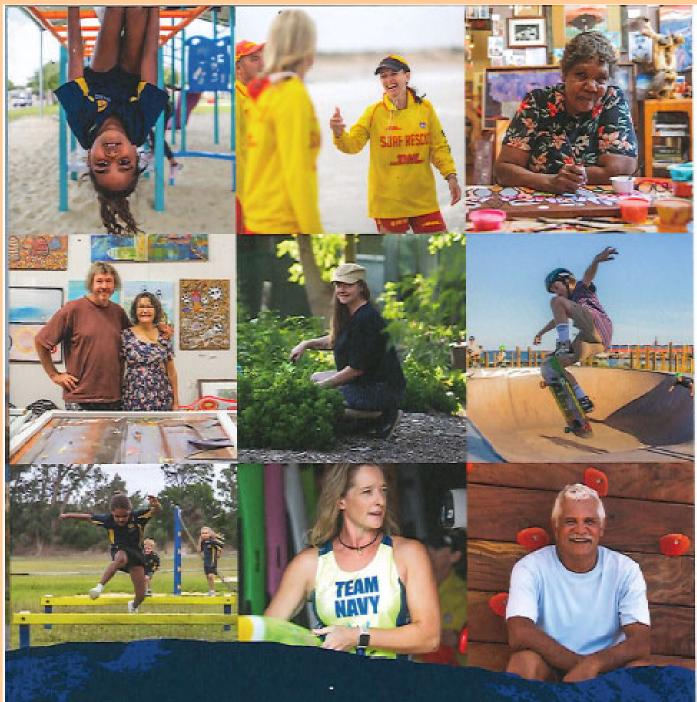
If you have any concerns associated with this baiting operation, please contact:

Goldfields Nullarbor Rangeland Biosecurity Association on:

 Amanda Day
 0487 108 255
 admin@qnrba.com.au

 Michelle Donaldson CEO
 0439 363 263
 ceo@qnrba.com.au





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

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

- Active ageing
- Artistic photography
- Aussie way of life
- Meaningful connections

Entries close Monday 4 April 2022



For more information visit



www.seniorscard.wa.gov.au/goldenlens



2022 National NAIDOC Poster Competition Now Open!

The National NAIDOC Committee invites Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists to submit their artwork for the 2022 National NAIDOC Poster Competitions

Monday, January 10, 2022 Poster



The National NAIDOC Committee invites Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists to submit their artwork for the 2022 National NAIDOC Poster Competition.

This competition represents a significant opportunity for talented Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists aged 13 years and over to have their work recognised nationally and internationally as part of the celebration of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories, cultures and achievements during NAIDOC Week.

The winning artist will receive a \$10,000 cash price (tax free) and their artwork will be used as the official 2022 National NAIDOC Week Poster. Additionally, they will receive a ticket for themselves and one guest to the National NAIDOC Awards ceremony.

The National NAIDOC Week Poster receives nation-wide exposure as the centrepiece of National NAIDOC Week 2022 and becomes part of NAIDOC history. In previous years, the winning artwork has been used to wrap public transport, been used as the backdrop for a current affairs program, and was even on display at Expo 2020 in Dubai!

The artwork must reflect this year's National NAIDOC theme: <u>Get up! Stand up! Show up!</u>
<u>Enter the poster competition.</u> (Link: https://www.naidoc.org.au/get-involved/national-naidoc-poster-competition-entry-form)

The Poster Competition closes Monday 14 March 2022 (11:59PM AEDT)

Looking for inspiration? Take a look at previous National NAIDOC week posters in the poster gallery.









Picture Top: Sarah Sullivan (Community Liaison, Australian Potash) and Sebastian (CDP Participant).

Picture Middle Left: Chris Hedlam with Sarah Sullivan (Australian Potash).

Picture Middle Right: CRTAFE Trainer Ross, Mac Jensen (LTC/AP General Manager) and Chris H.

Picture Bottom: Mac Jensen and Bianca (CDP Community Engagement)

Congratulations to CDP Participant Sebastian + **Preparations Commence for** First AP/LTC/ CDP Waaliti Industry Led Training Colab.

It was a pleasure to visit Australian Potash at the Laverton Training Centre (LTC) recently to meet with Community Liaison Officer, Sarah, General Manager Mac Jensen and CDP Participant Sebastian as we commence the beginning of a solid collaboration

The LTC is an initiative of Australian Potash providing accessible nationally accredited Vocational Training with the aim of engaging Aboriginal people living in remote Western Australia.

This model encompasses the unique training ethos from the highly successful Martu-ku Yiwarra Training Centre in Wiluna, a 4-year remote pilot program delivered through CRTAFE.

With ongoing support from diverse partners, it has quickly become an example of successful industry-led training with a strong focus around on-country Certification II in Rural (Ranger) Operations and Remote Works Package.

Congratulations Sebastian on securing ongoing employment, you are a fantastic role model to future employees and students.

The Waaliti Foundation CDP Program have been provided the opportunity to present over 20 CDP Participants from across the Laverton, Mt Margaret and Leonora communities to commence a Certificate Il Rural Operations course with a direct link to employment pathways. Training commences 1st March 2022

With the evident success of our CDP Try A Trade Pilot Project in Leonora last year, the Foundation are excited to be part of future partnerships leveraging on each other's services towards positive impact and successful outcomes for all involved.



FEB/MARCH 2022



Leonora Hydroponics Project giving back to community...

Our Hydroponics CDP Project is flourishing in Leonora, with garden gurus Garry John and Angie giving back to community with a variety of locally home-grown garden boxes.

A selection of corn, chilli's, capsicum, eggplant along with citrus trees aim to assist with healthy food promotion and will be the base for future Gardening/Eco/Horticulture Training.

Watch this space for a new Hydroponics Project in Wiluna!

Partnership Growth with MSR Leonora

A quick pop in visit for an on-site Cook Up for Staff of Minesite Recycling Leonora, Management and CDP Participants recently.

Thank you to Garry Johns (Activity Supervisor, Leonora) and host MSR for a great catch-up.

It was also great to see Brenton (Past CDP Participant) flourishing in his Senior role with MSR, providing ongoing mentorship to staff.

Picture: CDP Participants Ansell and Edwin with MSR Staff Brenton and Givarne. Picture right: Givarne cooking up a storm!



GARY WILL BE WORKING AS **ACTIVITY SUPERVISOR WITHIN THE** WILUNA COMMUNITY.

GARY HAS GRASS ROOTS KNOWLEDGE WITH NEW COMMUNITY PROJECT IDEAS, WITH CONSULTATION DATE SET TO DISCUSS FURTHER ON THE 15TH MARCH 22.

ALL THE VERY BEST GARY...

CDP ROADSHOW

We would like to advise of Community Consultation on the following Dates across the Region:

Laverton/Mt Margaret - 1st March 22

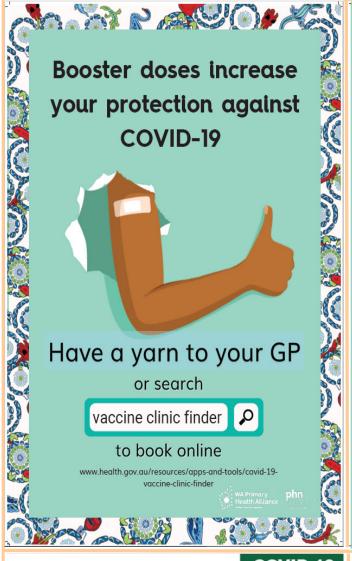
Leonora - 8th March 22

Wiluna - 15th March 22

Menzies - 16th March 22

Lunch will be provided on the day for CDP Participants.

Please contact biancac@wf.org.au for queries.





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Printed copy of certificate

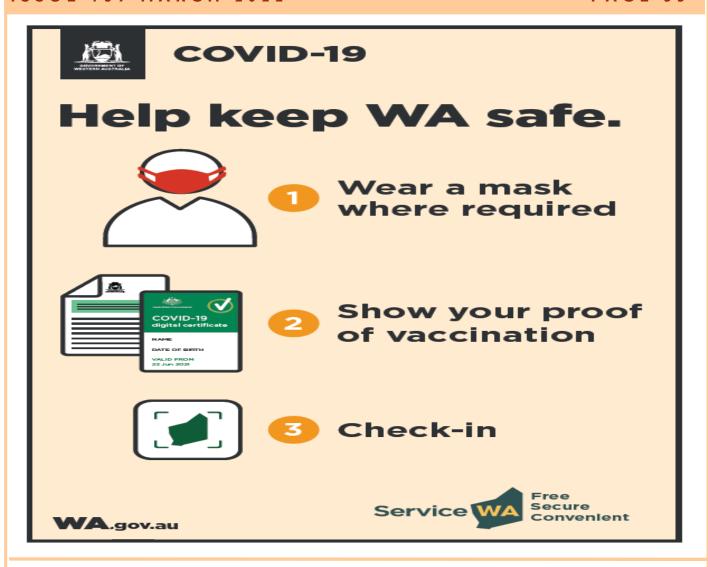


Immunisation history statement



Medical exemption (printed & digital)





MENZIES MATTERS DEADLINE FOR PUBLICATION

If you have anything you would like to have included in the Menzies Matters please contact Pema Chhunzom or Debbie Pianto on 9024 2702 or email cso@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 and we appreciate the continual support from the community.

FUN QUIZ QUE STION S FOR KIDS

- When you mix red and blue paint together, what colour does it make?
- What is the capital of Australia?
- How many stars are on the Australian flag?
- In the nursey rhyme Hey Diddle Diddle,
- In the movie finding Nem o, what is the name of Neom's father?
- How many years in a decade?
- Bees create what sweet substance?
- Name a bird that cannot fly.
- Is the sun a planet or a star?
- Name the vowels.
- 11. In what Australian State would I find the Blue Mountains?
- 12. What is the 9th letter of the alphabet?
- What r hymes with sine eze?
- 14. How many players on a netball team?
- A tomato is a fruit True/False
- 16. What is a baby horse called?
- Name the 4 M on the that have 30 days.
- 18. What does a caterpillar turn into?
- 19. Is 63 an odd or even number?
- 20. What are the 2 months of the year that start with the letter A?
- Name 5 col our In a rainbow
- 22. In what order do the lights appear on a traffic light?
- The Olympics are held every ——Years.
- 24. What season follows Autumn?
- 25. Name the planet that starts with the letter" V"?
- 26. What is the tallest animal in the world?
- 27. How many sides does as octagon have?
- 28. What object is designed to return to you after you have thrown it?
- 29. What happens on 25th December?
- Australia os a continent. True/False.

FUN QUIZ QUESTIONS

- 1. Who inverted the Light Bulb?
- 2. Which planet in our solar system is know as the Red Planet?
- 3. What is the name of the biggest planet in our solar system?
- 4. Who inverted the Telephone?
- Who discovered Penicillin?
- 6. Which is the hottest planet in our solar system?
- 7. Which is the smallest planet in our solar system?
- 8. Which planet is our solar system is know as the Blue Planet?
- 9. Who invented the Printing Press?
- 10. Who successfully built and flew the world's first Aeroplane?
- 11. How many hours are there in a day?
- 12. Haw any minutes are there in an hour?
- 13. 1L is equal to how many grams?
- 14. The length of a field can be measured in Millimeters/Meters/Kilometers?
- 15. The distance between Mumbai and Hyderabad can be measured in Centimeters/Meters/Kilometers?
- 16. When a number is multiplied by zero, the answer you get is always?
- 17. 425 x 0=____
- 18. 555x10=____
- 19. The largest 4 digit number is?
- 20. 425 +30= -___+ 425?
- 21. Who are the founders of Google?
- 22. How many continents are there, and their names?
- 23. Which is the largest continent?
- 24. Who founded Facebook?
- 26. Where were the last Olympic Games held, and when?
- 27. Where is the latest Olympic Games held
- 28. Which is the lonest river on Earth?

GRT EXPRESS TIMETABLE

Kalgoorlie to Laverton **Thursday**

EXPRESS	TIME	
KALGOORLIE RAILWAY STA- TION	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 **Friday**

EXPRESS	TIME
LAVERTON	10.00AM
MT MORGAN TURNOFF	10.30AM
MURRIN MURRIN TURNO	FF 10.40AM
LEONORA ARRI	VE 11.15AM
DEP	ART 11.30AM
KOOKYNIE TURNOFF	12.00PM
MENZIES	12.30PM
KALGOORLIE	2.00PM

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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:

cso2@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:

- n the tenement noticer 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 pasteral 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 many purposes.

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

www.dmp.wa.gov.au/prospectingwa

DID YOU KNOW .



Shire of Menzies is looking for volunteers, community champions and aspirational leaders to bring this Outback Town back to life.

As a volunteer you will have the opportunity to:-

- Meet new people and make new friends
- Have fun whilst giving back to the community
- Learn new skills that look great on your resume
- Do something you have always wanted to do
- Make a difference

We are looking for volunteers of all ages, interests and diverse background. Our aim is to create Menzies as a fun and interesting place to live. We need your help in the area of tourism, arts & culture, events, international relations and community development, plus many more!

Please express your interest to Almetra Bethlehem by emailing communitydevelopment@menzies.wa.gov.au or come and see us at the CRC.

1080 BAITING IN THIS AR-**EA IS A RISK TO DOMESTIC**

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 AP-PLICABLE, HOWEVER THEY MAY BE DAMAGED, RE-MOVED. **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 agproduction; and helping to prericultural serve the unique flora and fauna of WA. Baits are not intentionally laid in public areas such as road reserves, parking bays, rest stops or road-





Menzies Nursing Post

RFDS dates 2022

March 16th

April 13th

For future enquiries contact the Community Nurse on (08) 9080 4370

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FUN QUIZ ANSWERS FOR KIDS

Purple 2. Canberra 3. 6

The dish
 Marlin
 10 years

7. Honey 8. Emu,/Penguins 9. Star

10. A,E,I,O,U 11. NSW 12. I

Freeze, bees 14. 7
 True

Foal
 April, June, Sept & Nov 18. A butterfly

Odd
 April & August
 Red, blue, Yellow green

22. Red orange green top to bottom 23. 4

24. Winter 25. Venus 26. Giraffe

27. 8 28. A Boomerang 29. Christmas

30. True

FUN QUIZ ANSWERS

Thomas Alva Edison
 Mars

Jupiter
 Alexander Graham Bell

Alexander Fleming
 Venus

7. Mercury 8. Earth

9. Johannes Gutenberg 10. The Wright Brothers (Orville and Wilbur)

11. 24 hours 12. 60 minutes

13. 1000ml 14. Meters

15. Kilometers 16. 0

17. 425 18. 5550

19. 9999 20. 30

 Larry Page and Sergey Brin
 7 Continents (Asia, Africa, Europe, North America, South America, Australia, Antarctica)

23. Asia 24. Asia

Mark Zuckerberg
 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil in 2016

27. Tokyo, Japan were to be held in 2021 28. Nile River in Egypt

Researched & written by Debbie Pianto



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	1 Communi- ty Catch up, Men- zies Town Hall	2	3 Bega Garnbirr- ingu Health Service	4	5	6 STEP UP TO CLEAN UP
7 Labour Day	8 Interna- tional Women's Day, CRC	9 The Outback Vision Van	10 Community Catch Up, The Grand Hotel Kookynie The Out- back Vision Van	11	12	13
14	15	16 RFDS	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20
21	22	23 Harmony Day Cele- bration	24	25	26	27 Menzies Communi- ty Buy, Swap & Boot Sale
28	29	30	31 Ordinary Council Meeting			



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				1	2	3
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