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28 JULY 2022



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# Menzies Matters

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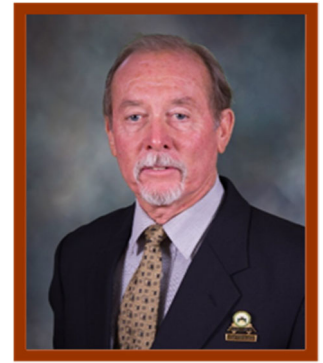
*We pay our respects to the traditional owners and elders of the  
lands on which we live and work.*



Photo Curtesy : Graham Duncan

# THE SHIRE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

## JULY 2022



Officiated at the Menzies Classic Saturday 4th June, great to see the dinner back in the Hall in 2022. Well attended and excellent feedback. The Fireworks display did not disappoint. Goldfields Classic Sunday 5th June, DJ Rev pumped up the crowd and competitors for the final leg of the race, the Leonora Golden Wheels.

A job well done by MWS. crew and Debbie Pianto for setting up the marquee and the Hall.

A Budget Workshop was held on Wednesday 8th June 9-12 noon.

Special Meeting Wednesday 8th June to adopt Corporate Business Plan, Position Description for advertisement for new CEO's position.

Independent Member for Selection Panel for CEO's Interviews.

14th June 2022

Phone call with Mayor Albert Jacobs, City of Joondalup Mayor, unable to visit Menzies and the Goldfields. Discussion on issues of importance to Menzies.

22nd June

Guest speaker from Reedy Lagoon, Burracoppin Iron Ore with an introduction to Iron Ore in the Wheatbelt of WA. Southern Ports Authority roundup. Laverton President Patrick Hill video conferencing in from Canberra with a regional roundup and Outback Way update.

24th June

With Cr Jill Dwyer we attended an evening function at the Tower Hotel, in Kalgoorlie hosted by the Eastern Goldfields Cycle Club as a thank you for the Sponsors of the Menzies Cyclclassic/Goldfields Cyclclassic Event.

27th June

CEO, Cr Ian Baird and myself met with an Officer of the City of Kalgoorlie Boulder for discussions on funding by MRDWA for roadworks on the "Cutline" and cooperation between City of Kalgoorlie Boulder and Shire of Menzies in a Tender arrangement.

29th June

With Cr Dwyer J, attended a farewell function in Laverton for retiring CEO Peter Naylor.

# CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT

## JULY 2022

We have passed the winter solstice and the days are starting to get longer. The cold has set in but the days, at this time of year, are lovely for exploring our region.

Our team, with some passionate locals, has been busy working on the Menzies Discovery Day planned for mid-October. The complete program is still being finalised but, with great sponsors, we have already signed the Mucky Duck Bush Band to perform. Anyone who wants to assist in the organisation would be most welcome.

Our Shire budget goes before Council next week and is the culmination of several months of planning for the next year and beyond. Our finance team do an enormous amount of work to produce this budget which has so many restrictions and nuances because of our local government status.

The works crew have been busy clearing some of the vacant land around town. This is an important safety activity as it reduces flying objects when there are storms and takes away the hiding spots for our legless critters.

It has been great to see expanded opening hours from all of the businesses in town with an increase in the number of people working in the area and an increase in tourist numbers. Please support every business even if it is just once a week for a beer or coffee. If you remember a year and a half ago, we had nothing open, and it made for a very dull and uninviting town. I'm also assured that there will be unleaded fuel in town shortly. I'm not getting too excited just yet but I'm sure everyone would like to see that happen.

Well, that's it for me. This is my last report as Shire CEO, and we will be sorry to leave some really great people that we have met since we arrived. I would like to thank all of the wonderful Shire staff for your efforts, and Council for the opportunity and support. I also thank the traditional owners of the lands for allowing us into their mob.

Please contribute positively to your community and be nice to each other.



## 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 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**





## Public Consultation

### Draft Menzies Tourism Development Strategy and Destination Marketing Plan

Shire of Menzies is seeking comment on its draft Tourism Development Strategy and Destination Marketing Plan.

While the Shire has an economy predominantly based on mining, it is one of the few local government areas within the Goldfields that has a world class tourism showpiece through the Lake Ballard sculptures.

That makes it ideally situated to improve its tourist visitation. Without a strategy and plan however, the Shire risks wasting resources through ill-conceived ideas.

By developing a tourism strategy that embraces the treasures the Shire of Menzies has on its doorstep, and further developing the connection of art and environment, the area will have a unique selling point that will attract visitors from across the globe.

Copies of the draft Tourism Development Strategy and Destination Marketing Plan can be found here:

- 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

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

Submissions close 4.00pm, 20 July 2022, and can be made in writing to the CEO at the address below, or email [ceo@menzies.wa.gov.au](mailto:ceo@menzies.wa.gov.au)

### **Brian Joiner**

Chief Executive Officer

Shire of Menzies

PO Box 4, Menzies 6436

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## SHIRE OF MENZIES

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL

In accordance with regulation 12 of the *Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996*, Shire of Menzies hereby gives notice of a Special Meeting of Council at 1.00pm on 11 July 2022 at the Shire of Menzies Boardroom in order for Council to consider:

- RFT 05/21 Lady Shenton Building Repairs - update
- Adoption of the draft Annual Budget 2022/23 FY.

**Brian Joiner**  
**Chief Executive Officer**  
**Shire of Menzies**

05 July 2022



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TO READ THE STRATEGY & DMP DOCUMENTS

EMAIL COMMENTS TO [CEO@MENZIES.WA.GOV.AU](mailto:CEO@MENZIES.WA.GOV.AU)

SUBMISSION CLOSE 20 JULY 2022 @ 4:00PM





# Shire of Menzies

## Fees and Charges Schedule

### FY2022-23

Commencing on 1 July 2022

The 2022/2023 Fees and Charges will come into effect on 1 July 2022.

For more information please visit the Shire's website:  
[www.menzies.wa.gov.au/documents/fees-and-charges](http://www.menzies.wa.gov.au/documents/fees-and-charges)

**Brian Joiner**  
**Chief Executive Officer**  
**Shire of Menzies**







# Happy Birthday!

**Royston Chambers - 07 July**  
**Dwayne Dimer (Snr) - 20 July**  
**Tiarnie Green - 29 July**

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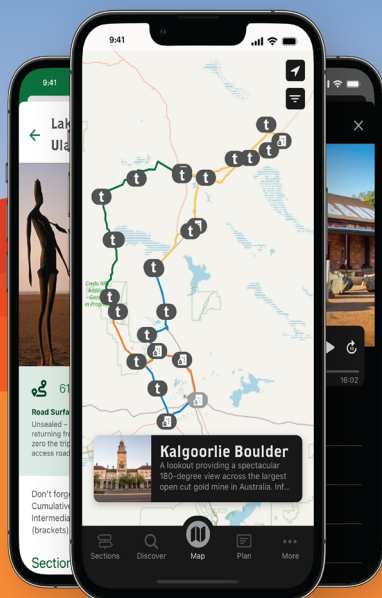
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**come and see us at the CRC and we'll do our best to publish them and help make their day even more special.**



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## Goldfields Cyclassic 2022 - 4 June and 5 June 2022

The Goldfields Cyclassic is a two-stage handicap race (the Menzies Classic and the Leonora Golden Wheels) across the Goldfields from Kalgoorlie-Boulder to Menzies and on to Leonora. For this year, it was held on 4 and 5 June.

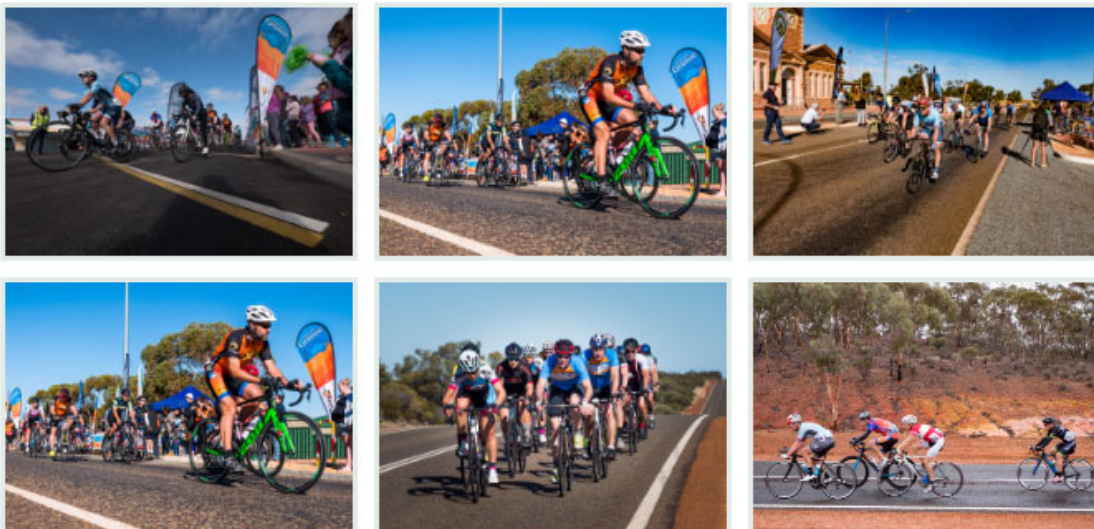
Riders raced across the beautiful and historic West Australian Goldfields as they vied for line honours in one of four grades.

Non-competitive riders competed in Community Challenge where they completed the 132-kilometre between Kalgoorlie-Boulder and Menzies in a four-person relay. Heading off from Kalgoorlie-Boulder before the Cyclassic participants and arriving in Menzies cheering on the winners, the Community Challenge was opened to a wider variety of riders and groups. Individual riders were also welcomed.

This event is one of the richest handicap cycling events in Australia with a reputation of being one of the most professional and well organised races in Western Australia. The "Goldfields Cyclassic" event is growing from strength to strength each year.

Theo Yates and Richelle Gamble have won this year's Goldfields Cyclassic contested across two stages between Kalgoorlie-Boulder and Leonora. Yates followed up his 2019 victory with the overall fastest time this year, covering the journey in 4:54:46.

The Goldfields Cyclassic thanks all of the sponsors and event partners for the generous support and contributions. A special thanks to the Dwyer Family, the Shire of Menzies, the Kookynie Volunteers Association, St Barbara, Minara Resources, the Shire of Leonora and the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder for making the event successful.



Researched & written by Pema Chhunzom



## Free Prospecting & Geological Tuition with David Randle

The Shire of Menzies CRC with David Randle organised two events on free prospecting and geology for June 2022. Both the events were successful with 24 attendees in the first and 18 in the second event at Menzies Caravan Park Camp Kitchen. The attendees were the visitors and people from the community. CRC received positive feedback from attendees regarding the event being very informative and having interest to attend similar events in near future. Due to positive feedback and recommendations similar program was organised on Saturday 2 July 2022 where 16 people attended the knowledgeable session and also enjoyed free sausage sizzle.

David Randle has been prospecting for over 20 years and has good knowledge regarding Earth sciences. He studied Geology at the University of Tasmania. The CRC thanks David Randle for volunteering in giving informative sessions and contributing towards the community.

We will be having another round of free prospecting and geology tuition with David on Saturday, 16 July 2022 from 4.00PM to 5.30PM with free sausage sizzle at Menzies Caravan Park Camp Kitchen. Everyone is welcome to join the event.



Written by Pema Chhunzom

## Business Start-up Workshop with Many Rivers

The Shire of Menzies CRC organised a Business Start - up Workshop with Shaun Atkinson from Many Rivers on Tuesday 14 June 2022. A few members from the community attended the informative session.

The CRC thanks Shaun for running the workshop for Menzies Community and encourages everyone interested in the community to attend similar kinds of workshops which would help in growth and development of community and Menzies.

Written by Pema Chhunzom



# MENZIES COMMUNITY SCHOOL

*Pukulpa Nintirrinkula*  
Happy Learning

Menzies Newsletter  
Term 2 Week10

## From the principal:

How times flies! Another term has finished, reports will be going home and school holidays are here. Term Two has been a successful term, we have seen many outreach services recommence, successful meetings with parents, an student teacher come, and many Facebook posts published.

Next term we will have school photos, a faction carnival with Mount Margaret, Interschool faction carnival and meetings about the school vision and values.

Attendance Matters! The attendance rate is dropping. Last year the attendance rate is 83.2% and currently it is 60.5%. What does that mean for us? It means that home visits will recommence next term to check that everything is ok. It also means that educationally, the educational gap will widen and that is something we don't want. The table below shows what happens when a student misses school.

If your child misses...	that equals...	or...	From Kindy to year 12 that adds up to...	Which is the equivalent of attending until:	Attendance rate
1 day per fortnight	20 days per year	1 month per year	nearly 1 ½ years	part-way through year 11	90%
1 day per week	40 days per year	2 months per year	over 2 ½ years	part-way through year 10	80%
2 days per week	80 days per year	4 months per year	over 5 years	the end of year 7	60%
3 days per week	120 days per year	6 months per year	nearly 8 years	the end of year 4	40%

## From the Yilpa Classroom:

This term, students from Yilpa classroom continues to build on their numeracy knowledge. They learned about number line. Now, they not only able to identify the missing numbers from the number line, they are starting to show fluency on counting on from any number. Students from Yilpa classroom also explored colours in with different mediums and observed the colour changes as they mix two or more colours together and discuss with their peers on the outcomes of different colour combinations.





## From the Marlu Classroom:

As the first semester draws to an end, we would like to congratulate the Marlu students for their outstanding effort in their schoolwork, their superb participation in school events and kindness and compassion they show when working with younger students. Marlu students are really stepping up as role models during our Friday cooking sessions. During the Cooking Class, Marlu students adopted a leadership role during the cooking session, guiding their teams to create delicious food which was enjoyed by both students and staff.



## From the Wanampi Classroom:

For the past two weeks, the Primary class has been participating in a Sitech STEM (science, technology, enterprise, maths) challenge. They were challenged to create a ball run using materials they found around the school and community. The students experimented with different materials and explored many different avenues of creating their ball run. This challenge encouraged students to use their team work, communication and problem solving skills. They showed great resilience and perseverance as they continued to test and reset their ball run. Overall, it was a very successful and engaging challenge!







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# Free Prospecting & Geological Tuition with Dave Randle

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**SATURDAY, 16 JULY 2022**

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# Preliminary Notice

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## Menzies Discovery Day Event, 15 October 2022

Earlier in the year, the Menzies CRC held a Community Catch-up to discuss ideas and things we like to happen for our great town. Collectively as a Community we discussed having more music-related events, where people enjoy a live band and have a little dance under the stars.

In March 2022, on behalf of our great community, the Menzies CRC applied for a Horizon Power Community Partnerships Grant to hold a Menzies Discovery Day event. In May, we were awarded an \$8,000 grant to help secure entertainment and advertisement.

We were very fortunate to secure the Mucky Duck Bushband to headline our community event, followed by Goldfields local, Marcus McGuire to open and MC our event.

The Menzies Discovery Day event to be held on 15 October 2022, is about incorporating First Nations history, European settlement (Menzies Foundation Day 14-16<sup>th</sup> October 1894) and other events (Emergency Day), this day of celebration will be utilised to extend the length of the tourism season and introduce others to the charms of our special region. A day to build on and enjoy community and connectedness. A day of discovery and rediscovery. Discover how and what makes this unique Goldfield town what it is. Discover your neighbour. Discover cultural variety and identity. Discover art.

This event aims in attracting around 300 to 750 people, we have around 150 people living in town, and know that other nearby towns in Leonora, Leinster, Laverton and Kalgoorlie-Boulder will also join the festivities. This event is a family-friendly event, and we encourage everyone to have a great day and night out. There is something for everyone and every age, the below are activities that we are organising leading up to the event and on the day of the event:

- One-week lantern art workshop with Lewis Horne and the community (8-15 October)
- Astrophotography Exhibition opening (13 October)
- Gold detecting competition with Pirates Gold Prospecting
- Jump 4 Us the rock climb, dunk tank and the hungry hippo
- Old fashion games such as a sack race, egg race and tug of war
- Emergency Day demonstration, and
- many more.

Since the start of the organising of the event, the Menzies CRC has also been fortunate enough to secure more sponsorships from Arc Infrastructure, Ardea Resources, AngloGold Ashanti, Kingwest Resources, Eagle Petroleum, Hunter Holding, Regional Development Australia Goldfields Esperance and more to follow. We are very grateful and appreciative by their generous contribution so far.

If you would like to be involved, please send an email to [cso@menzies.wa.gov.au](mailto:cso@menzies.wa.gov.au) or call 08 9024 2702, we are looking for more volunteers, ideas, stall holders and entertainment. This is going to be such an exciting event for everyone involved.



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## Wiluna Vocational Training Commences with Solid Engagement

Nationally recognised Vocational Training has commenced within the Wiluna Community, with Carey Training delivering a Certificate II in Civil Construction this month for an 8-week duration.

The first week welcomed up to 20 students taking part in training modules – all assisting each other to navigate the theoretical component of training. From Week 5 students will take part in a broader Wiluna Community Place Project using skid steer machinery, covering hands-on approaches to plant operations fundamentals.

This Project will be in partnership with the Shire of Wiluna and form part of a capacity building project that will provide a cultural element to the entrance of Wiluna.

Local employer visits have been welcomed, presenting motivational employment led discussions with students as they prepare for next steps in their career pathways.

Plans for community consultation, future training, projects and additional employment focus are in the pipeline as we head into 2023. More information via [biancac@wf.org.au](mailto:biancac@wf.org.au)



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# Waalitj

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## Waalitj Foundation and St Barbara Community Collaboration

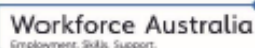
Our local Leonora artists have made some incredible progress at the St Barbara Accommodation Village in Leonora as part of our contribution in partnership with SBM to provide significant impact through storytelling, and culture.

This Leonora Community Art Mural Project brings together SBM personnel and local community members with a sense of connection and belonging to Wongatha Country.

**Phase One** of this Project will be unveiled as part of NAIDOC Week 2022 on the 7<sup>th</sup> July. **Phase Two** will see an invitation through SBM to the wider community with families and children all taking part in a longer-term project with impact.

Employment and social enterprise opportunities have positively taken place as part of this partnership, leveraging local artists with additional business opportunities.

We look forward to sharing more on this wonderful milestone during NAIDOC Week 2022.



## WORKFORCE AUSTRALIA SET TO COMMENCE IN KALGOORLIE JULY 2022

The Foundation are excited to be commencing the Australian Government's Workforce Australia program, in partnership with the [Department of Education, Skills and Employment](#), boosting employment prospects across Kalgoorlie.

"Through this program, Waalitj will deliver a range of enhanced services including building job ready skills, training and qualification support, mentoring, networking opportunities and post-placement support," Lindal Rhode (GM, Waalitj Foundation).

"As the current Community Development Program provider in the Yaaliku (Upper Goldfields) region, Waalitj has established strong connections with industry and local community alike, and we will leverage this network to provide increased opportunities for jobseekers.

"Through an individualised approach our mentors provide support for participants to not only gain meaningful employment but to lead a happy, healthy life."

For more information please contact: [dezaraep@wf.org.au](mailto:dezaraep@wf.org.au)

## NAIDOC Week 2022

### Designs are in, thank you for your entries!

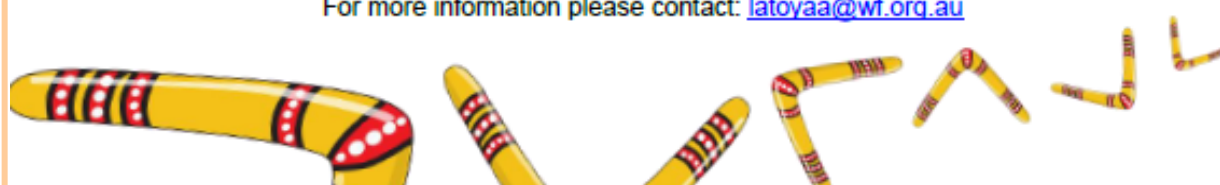
In acknowledgement of NAIDOC Week 2022, Get Up, Stand Up, Show Up we are pleased to have brought the following Competition to Communities across the Yaaliku Region.

We've received some amazing cultural designs for our NAIDOC Week 2022 T-Shirt Art Design Competition with our judging panel now in place.

A very special thanks to Laverton Primary School students for their efforts – you should be proud of your works well done!

Our Competition has now closed, with entrants chosen to be contacted over the next few weeks. Thank you again for your contribution, we can't wait to share more information

For more information please contact: [latoyaa@wf.org.au](mailto:latoyaa@wf.org.au)





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- 1 x Bathroom
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Dr John Dale by Colin Colahan for the Archibald Prize 1932

## The Mysterious Case of the Missing Doctor!!!

The mysterious disappearance of Dr Dale, who went missing on Saturday 18 September 1904 from Kookynie, this has caused great uneasiness with his friends from Kookynie. It appears that the doctor who practiced at Mr M Schneider's pharmacy during the past 5 months, went to Niagara on Saturday morning to attend a patient, and after having attended to his duties he proceeded to Jessop's Well. He stopped at the Falls Hotel for some time, and after

having had a drink, he was observed to cross the railway line about 3pm in the afternoon.

Immediately the matter was reported to police, Constable Sarori, accompanied by a black tracker, left for Jessop's Well when tracks, supposed to be those of the missing man, were picked up and followed along the railway line for six miles in the direction of Menzies, but owing to the heavy rains they could not follow further than 19 miles where there is a woodcutters camp. The men at the camp stated that they had not observed any strangers in the vicinity recently. The constable then made a detour to the right of the railway line and returned to Niagara at 7.30pm on Monday night, but without striking any fresh tracks. On Tuesday several search parties were organized, but they were unsuccessful. The search was continued yesterday but was again fruitless. Grave fears for his safety are held. However Dr Dale put in an appearance in Kalgoorlie yesterday evening after being missing for five days and was reported to be quite well. On the last occasion he walked from Kookynie to Esperance.

Jihn Dale (1885-1952), medical practitioner, was born on 2 May 1885 at Coleshill Warwickshire England. The son of James Francis Dale grocer and later chemist and his wife Mary nee Grace. He was educated at Solihull Grammar School and the University of Birmingham where he graduated M.B., Ch.B in 1908, also taking his M.R.C.S. and L.R.C.P. Next year he gained his B.Sc. (Public Health) in Birmingham where in 1911, after a two-year travelling studentship to Germany, he became assistant medical officer of health: he worked mainly in the depressed area of Smethwick. On 9 July 1914 he married Wynifred Mary Evans, a trained Montessori kindergartener. There were four children of the marriage.

Dale served with the British Army in 1915 -19 as a major in the Royal Army Medical Corps and as deputy assistant director of medical services (sanitation) to the Second and Fourth Armies and Army of the Rhine. He was appointed O.B.E. in 1918 and was awarded a French decoration for 'overcoming a typhoid epidemic'. He took his M.D. (1919) after demobilization Dale and his family migrated to Australia and in February 1920 arrived in Perth where he was appointed medical officer of health and assistant inspector of hospitals.



He retired in 1950. He was killed in a road accident at Venice Italy on 27 September 1952 and buried near Verona.

Researched & written by Debbie Pianto



# Free event!

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## NAIDOC Disco

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2022

3.00 – 5.00pm

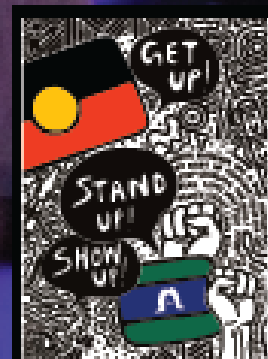
### ABOUT

Join us as we celebrate NAIDOC week!

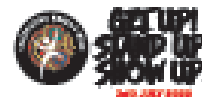
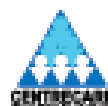
Two hours of music, dance and fun – parent supervision required.

### WHO

Ages 0 – 12



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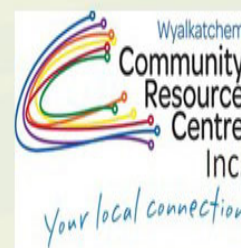
NAIDOC Week:  
Weevak: Stronger  
by My Fire. Darker.  
#Weevak

# Calling all artists



## Wyalkatchem 2022 - Arts & Crafts Expo 16 to 19 September 2022

**Expo open to ALL West Australian Artists to exhibit free:**  
All Arts mediums welcome: Judging happens on Fri 16th.



### Kalgoorlie – Goldfields Based Artists:

Artworks can be dropped off at

**Artgold Inc - 28 Burt Street, Boulder**

on or before Fri 9th September and will be returned to Artgold at the end of the Expo.

*Artists entry forms including conditions are available at*

***[www.wyalkatchemcrc.com](http://www.wyalkatchemcrc.com)***

*at the Wyalkatchem CRC or Call **08 9681 1500***

*Lot 5700, Railway Terrace, Wyalkatchem*

**Saturday to Monday 17-19 September —open 9:30am –5pm**

Members of the WSAG will be in attendance and completing artworks -

Other visiting artists are free to join them with free paints and canvases available at cost

**Morning and afternoon tea will be available for a small fee.**

**Expo to be held in the Wyalkatchem Town Hall as part of**

**“Wylie Wheels & Art weekend”**

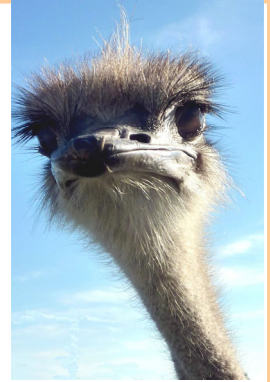


**Over  
\$2000  
in prizes**

**All  
Artists  
Welcome**

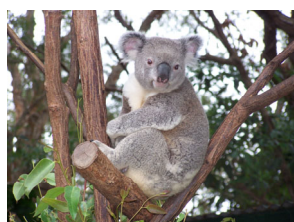


# Australian Trivia Questions



1. What year did Cyclone Yasi hit North Queensland?
2. What does ANZAC Day commemorate?
3. Which Australian Prime Minister disappeared at sea?
4. In what year was gold discovered in the area near Ballarat in Victoria?
5. What year did the Sydney Harbor Bridge open?
6. How many States make up Australia?
7. What is the Largest sand island in the world?
8. Where is the largest coral deposit in the world located?
9. What Australia's most eastern point?
10. Which strait separates Australia and Papua New Guinea?
11. Whose face is on the \$10 note?
12. How many stars are on the Australian flag?
13. What is the international; telephone code for Australia?
14. What city in Australia is hosting the Commonwealth games?
15. The platypus and echidna are only marsupials in the world that can...
16. In early 2012 the longest ever match in the Australian Open was won by whom?
17. What is Don Bradman's batting average?
18. In which year was the first Melbourne Cup run?
19. How many players have won 3 Brownlow medal awards, the highest individual honor in the Australian Rules football?
20. Retired Australian thoroughbred racehorse, Black Caviar, was undefeated in how many races?
21. Who wrote Waltzing Matilda?
22. What is country singer Keith Urban's home town?
23. Which year did neighbours begin airing in Australia?
24. Who are the hosts of My Kitchen Rules (MKR)?
25. Who was the hit Sadie the Cleaning Lady in the 1960s?
26. Where are these big things found?

The Big Banana, The Big Bull, The Big Gold Pan, The Big Hammer, The Big Murray Cod







## Menzies Nursing Post RFDS dates 2022:

- No Clinic in July
- August 10<sup>th</sup>
- September 7<sup>th</sup>
- October 12<sup>th</sup>
- November 9<sup>th</sup>
- December 7<sup>th</sup>

**Time: 9.30AM – 2PM**

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

**EMERGENCY CALL 000**

Poisons information available 24 Hours Phone  
**13 11 26**

If the Centre is unattended and you need immediate health advice call  
the Health Direct 24 Hours Hotline **1800 022 222**

### COVID-19



#### Protecting you from Coronavirus.



PRACTISE PHYSICAL DISTANCING



WASH HANDS REGULARLY WITH SOAP AND WATER



CLEAN SURFACES REGULARLY



COUGH OR SNEEZE INTO YOUR ARM



STAY HOME IF UNWELL AND GET TESTED



DOWNLOAD THE COVIDSAFE APP

#### BE COVIDSAFE

For more information about Coronavirus (COVID-19), please visit [health.gov.au](https://health.gov.au)



## Got a COVID-19 symptom? Get tested.

Anyone with symptoms, even if mild, should get tested.



fever



cough



sore throat



difficulty breathing



runny nose



loss of taste or smell

Testing at public COVID clinics is free.

[healthywa.wa.gov.au](https://healthywa.wa.gov.au)

## GRT EXPRESS TIMETABLE

Kalgoorlie to Laverton  
**Thursday**

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  
**Friday**

EXPRESS	TIME
LAVERTON	10.00AM
MT MORGAN TURNOFF	10.30AM
MURRIN MURRIN TURNOFF	10.40AM
LEONORA ARRIVE	11.15AM
DEPART	11.30AM
KOOKYNIE TURNOFF	12.00PM
MENZIES	12.30PM
KALGOORLIE	2.00PM



### BOOKINGS & ENQUIRIES

1800 620 440

OR (08) 9092 6000

PURCHASE TICKET ONLINE

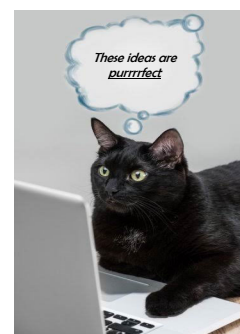
[www.goldrushtours.com.au](http://www.goldrushtours.com.au)

## 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](mailto: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.







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**

## VOLUNTEER



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](mailto:communitydevelopment@menzies.wa.gov.au) or come and see us at the CRC.

## SEVEN GOLDEN RULES FOR PROSPECTING

### 1.

#### 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.

### 2.

#### Obtain a Miner's Right permit

when prospecting on vacant Crown land (\$25 from any Mining Registrar's office).

### 3.

#### Obtain a 40E permit

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

### 4.

#### 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

### 5.

#### 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.

### 6.

#### Show respect when on Crown land

because it is used by other people or set aside for many purposes.

### 7.

#### Fill any holes

that you dug and repair ground that has been disturbed.

[www.dmp.wa.gov.au/prospectingwa](http://www.dmp.wa.gov.au/prospectingwa)

**DID YOU KNOW**

## 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 JULY 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 JULY 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 road-



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to Leonora Pharmacy direct  
or ask at the Visitor Information Centre  
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(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@iinet.net.au



## MENZIES HOTEL AND STORE



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



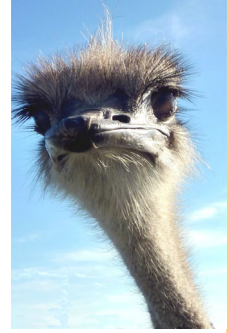
IF YOU'RE  
IN A HURRY— DON'T WORRY  
PHONE ORDERS WELCOME (08) 6102 0099



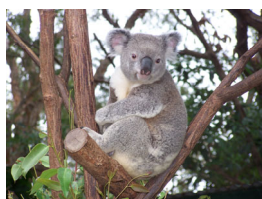


# Australian Trivia

## Answers



1. 2011
2. The first engagement of the Australian and New Zealand troops in the First World War.
3. Harold Holt
4. 1851
5. 1932
6. 6 States (2 Territories)
7. Fraser Island
8. Great Battier Reef
9. Cape Byron
10. Torres Strait
11. Banjo Paterson
12. 6
13. +61
14. Gold Coast
15. Lay Eggs
16. Novak Djokovic
17. 99.94
18. 1861
19. 4
20. 25
21. Banjo Paterson
22. Caboolture
23. 1985
24. Pete Evans & Manu Feildel
25. Jihn Farnham
26. Coffs Harbour (NSW), Rockhamton (QLD), Bathurst (NSW), Mudgee (NSW), Tocumwal (NSW)



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# July

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1	2 Free Pro- specting & Geological Tuition with David	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16 Free Pro- specting & Geological Tuition with David Randle	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28 Ordinary Council Meeting	29	30	31

# August

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10 RFDS	11	12	13	14