THE PASSION SHEET

Quairading's official newsletter since 1968

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COMMUNITY

SHIRE OFFICE CLOSURE

The Shire of Quairading
Administration Office will be closed
this Friday 22nd March, 2024. We
apologise for any inconvenience this
causes. The office will re-open on
Monday 25th of March.

WARNING

To the people Of Quairading, planning to get solar panels. "Sunpower Solar Solutions", don't keep their word, don't send electrician out to finish the job. They don't answer calls. I have waited for months for the job to be finished. Taken them to Consumer Affairs, it's in there hands. Liz Sampson.

RED CARD FOX SHOOT

A very successful cull was carried out over two weekends in February and March. 23 shooters took part with 325 foxes, 26 cats and 66 rabbits being culled from the shire. Well done to all.

THANK YOU

To the nurses and staff at the Quairading Hospital for caring for Marcia Collard. Thank you for making her last days comfortable. From Margaret Collard and family.

A BIG THANK YOU

To the volunteers who drive the hospital car. Your generosity, discretion, and cheerfulness are much appreciated by those who require transport to and from medical appointments in Perth, and Northam. Also, Thank You to Dougal who co-ordinates the bookings. Well done everyone!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Meals on Wheels is a federally funded program which in the country is provided by the Commonwealth Home Support Program at the Hospitals. Quairading Hospital provides healthy, nutritious meals for members of our community who are no longer able to cook a meal for themselves. This service allows people to stay in their own homes longer and maintain their independence. Without the support of local volunteers, the hospital finds it difficult to deliver the meals each day. A roster system is in place and each volunteer does one (sometimes two) deliveries a month. By bringing awareness to this wonderful community service, I am hoping we might be able to get some interest in recruiting more volunteer drivers. I would like to thank all the current volunteers for

their support and hope that we can continue to provide the community with this wonderful service for many years to come. If you would like more information about this service and volunteering, please call The Hospital on 9645 2222.

EVENTS

GARAGE SALE

Friday 22nd March 9am—4pm and Saturday 23rd March 8am—1pm. 39 Powell Crescent. Linen, clothes, shows, bags, hats, kitchen things, bric a brac, scones, pikelets and cupcakes. Everything must go!

STORY TIME

Bring the little ones along to Story Time, Monday 25th March, 10am at the Quairading CRC.

QARRAS

Monday 25th March at 2pm: Police Officer Sargent Dave Lewis has organized for 2 Mounted Police and their horses to visit us.

Monday 8th April at 2pm: Mrs Mandeep Dillon (ex QDHS) speaking about India.

Monday 22nd April at 2pm: St John's Ambulance Janet Hall, John Hards and Community Paramedic Ian Dawson.



SKATE PARK WORKSHOP & CONSULTATION SESSION -

Tuesday 26th March 3pm - 5pm | Quairading CRC. Don't miss the chance to have your say and enjoy a fun afternoon planning a Skate Park for Quairading. Join Mat from Skate Sculpture as he runs an interactive workshop where you get to have your say on what you would like to see in a potential new Skate Park in Quairading! The results from this workshop will form the basis of a concept design and drawing that we can then use to start raising the funding needed to make the concept a reality. This session is aimed at kids and families - all welcome! Afternoon tea and refreshments provided. Please RSVP here for catering:

shire@quairading.wa.gov.au or via our Facebook event page.

GARDEN LOVERS OF QUAIRADING

Next meeting is Wednesday 27th March, 9:30am at the CRC. The subject this month is "Compost". You don't have to be a gardener to enjoy the meetings, come along meet new people and enjoy the company. Enquires to Lyn 0447 450 170 or Carmela on 0403 153 661

ALCOHOL INK ART WORKSHOP

Tuesday 16th April, 10am –12pm, at the CRC. Come and give alcohol ink art with (local!) Helen Fraser from Wits Ends Studio a go. \$55 per person, includes all materials you'll need and morning tea. Book your spot via the Quairading CRC.

EN PLEIN AIR ART WORKSHOP

Saturday 20th April, 9am –11am at the CRC. This workshop with Helen will be (weather permitting) held outdoors! \$55 per person, includes all materials you'll need and morning tea. Book your spot via the Quairading CRC.

40 AND FABULOUS, LIVE COMEDY

40+ Fabulous by Emma Krause Live Comedy Night at the Quairading Town Hall, Thursday 13th June, 6:30pm - 8:30pm. Tickets online via Humanitix.

SAVE THE DATE FOR A COUPLE MORE ART WORKSHOPS!

Textured Art Workshop with Remote Society, Friday 16th August, evening, at the Quairading CRC, and: Pottery Wheel Workshop with House of Hobby, Thursday 26th September at the CRC, two classes: 1pm - 3pm and 5pm - 7pm. Tickets and more info available closer to the dates.

BUSINESS

BETTY'S OP SHOP

Will be closed next Thursday 28th March. Sorry for any inconvenience.

CLEANING SERVICES - MARZOCCHI CONTRACTING

We clean utes, tractor cabs, truck cabs, caravans and cars

- Carpet, rugs, mats
- Furniture such as lounge suites and chairs
- Windows inside/outside, frames, tracks and flyscreens
 Phone Anita - 0459 405 333

QUAIRADING CLUB MEMBERSHIP

The 1st of March marks a new financial year for the Quairading Club, meaning membership fees are now due for all! Thanks for your ongoing support. Membership is

\$20 per adult, payable at the bar or by bank transfer to Quairading Club BSB: 036 172 ACC: 761281

PHARMACY OPENING HOURS

Clinicare Pharmacy Quairading will be closed on Friday 29th March to Monday 1st April for Easter Holiday. Please come in early to avoid disappointment. Happy Holiday!

LAWN AND GARDEN WORK

Need you yard cleaned up? Lawn mowed? Or good fire wood? I live locally and have all the gear. Call Michael 0408 872 793

SHIRE

SHIRE OF QUAIRADING - JOB OPPORTUNITY

Our Works Department is looking for some new team players! Two full-time General Hand/Plant Operator positions have become available for positive and proactive people to assist in the Shire's daily town maintenance and road and civil works programs.

- Permanent, Full Time
- Immediate Start
- Supportive Team
- Discount on Pool & Gym membership

Please visit our website for a Position Description here: https://

www.quairading.wa.gov.au/my-council/employment/

Applications close 4pm, Thursday 28th March. 2024.

SHIRE PUBLIC NOTICE-BLASTING

Please note that blasting will be occurring at a property East of Quairading on the Quairading-Bruce Rock Rd over the next fortnight. You



may be able to hear some blasts from the town centre. If you have any concerns, please contact us on 9645 2400 or email shire@quairading.wa.gov.au.

PROPOSED OFF-LEASH DOG EXERCISE AREA

Did you know that there is currently no designated area in Quairading to exercise your dog off-leash? A proposed dedicated Off-Leash Dog Exercise Area (OLDEA) is currently being considered by Council at the Quairading Oval. The area would be a shared space with general oval users and include signage, more dog waste stations and a water station. Dog owners would be allowed to exercise their dogs off leash at all times, except during scheduled sporting events. As part of Council's commitment to open and transparent communication with our community, we invite you to have your say about the OLDEA proposal. Click here to take short 2minute survey: https:// www.surveymonkey.com/r/ WRCKNP9 The survey will be open until 4pm, 12th April, 2024.

ROAD WORKS NOTICE - DANGIN-MEARS RD

Contractors are replacing a large culvert on Dangin-Mears Rd.
All vehicles will be detoured via Homebush Rd and Lake Mears Rd.
All works will be conducted within the road closure. A reduced speed limit of 40km/h will be in place on Dangin Mears Rd on approach to the closure. A 60km/h speed limit will be in place on the Lake Mears Rd detour. We anticipate works to be completed by 28th March, 2024.

Please seek an alternative route or allow extra time if travelling through the area. Thank you for your patience and cooperation as these important upgrades are completed.

SHIRE COMMUNITY & BUSINESS GRANTS - ROUND 2 NOW OPEN!

If you own a business or operate a non-for-profit incorporated group or club within the Quairading Shire, you may be eligible to fund a project or event you want to get off the ground. We've made a few small changes to our grants programs, the main change being that we will now fund up to 50% of the total project cost. We will also now be running two rounds of grants per financial year. So what's available now? COMMUNITY GRANTS (SMALL GRANTS) Round 2 | \$500-\$2500 | Open Now | Closes 30th April 2024 COMMUNITY GRANTS (MAJOR GRANTS) \$2500-\$5000 | Open Now | Closes 30th April 2024 **BUSINESS GRANTS:** Round 2 | Up to \$5000 | Open Now | Closes 30th April 2024 Guidelines and Application forms are available to download on our website www.quairading.wa.gov.au/ my-council/tenders-grants/

FIRE FIGHTING TRAINING 2024

Do you volunteer in a Bush Fire Brigade, or provide farm response at a local fire? It's time to brush up on some firefighting skills at one of many training courses being run between now and September, ready for the 2024/25 fire season. You can download the full schedule which includes registration

information, requirements for volunteers plus dates and locations for all the workshops on our website here https://

www.quairading.wa.gov.au/news/fire-training-2024/

For all enquiries, please contact our Community Emergency Services Manager on 0448 008 653 or email benjamin.davies@dfes.wa.gov.au

DISPOSAL OF SHIRE ASSETS

The Shire will be disposing of several assets by way of public tender. Items include a 2019 Isuzu D -Max, pool table and various gym equipment. The assets will be disposed of in accordance with the Local Government Act. We strongly recommend a site inspection and highlight to all prospective tenderers that items subject to this notice are disposed of on a where is, 'as is' basis with no warrantees. Items must be collected by the winning bidder within seven days of notification. All offers must be received by 4pm, Friday 22nd March, 2024. For more information including inspection details, how to make and offer and a full list of items, visit our website here: https:// www.quairading.wa.gov.au/news/ disposal-of-shire-property/

SPORT

GOLF SEASON IS STARTING!

A Busy Bee will be held on Saturday 23rd March at 8am. Many hands will be appreciated. Ladies Opening/Invitation Day Wednesday 3rd April, 9 holes Ambrose. Bring a guest, and a small plate of afternoon tea.

Names in by 1pm. Mixed Opening Day Saturday 6th April, 9 Holes 2



person Ambrose Club Trophy Select Partners - bring and share nibbles. Hope to see you there.

QUAIRADING BOWLING CLUB

Last pennant practice, this Friday, 22nd March, followed by a Sausage Sizzle. Well done to all players, two teams in the Grand Final to be played at Quairading this Saturday at 2pm. Come along and the support the boys.

FOOTBALL TRAINING

Tuesday & Thursday, 6pm at the Oval.

NETBALL TRAINING

Tuesday evenings, 6pm at the Courts.

HOCKEY TRAINING

Thursday evenings, 5:30pm at the Oval.

CHURCH

CATHOLIC CHURCH Sunday 24th March, no Mass.

ST FRANCIS XAVIER CHURCH QUAIRADING EASTER SERVICES 2024

Lenten Stations Of the Cross Quairading: 22nd March 6:00pm Good Friday Stations Of the Cross Quairading: 29th March, 3:00pm Easter Sunday Quairading: Easter Mass 5:30pm

UNITING CHURCH

Sunday 24th March, 10:30am, A. West.

ANGLICAN CHURCH

Holy Week and Easter: Enter into the Drama of Jesus' Triumphant Entry into Jerusalem, the Institution of Holy Communion, the Washing of the Disciple's Feet, the Betrayal and Tragedy of his Crucifixion and the Joy of his Rising from the Dead at St Faith's Church, Quairading - Palm Sunday (anticipated) on Saturday, 23rd at 5:30pm, Maundy Thursday on Thursday, 28th March at 5:30pm, Good Friday on Friday, 29th March at 3pm and Easter Day on Sunday, 31st March at 8:30am.

FOR SALE

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Zimmerman Upright Piano For Sale. Make me an offer. Photo's available on request. Contact 0459 268 540.

FOR SALE

\$18,000 - Caravan pop-top 2004 Jayco Freedom. Great condition, dual axel, twin beds, comes with linen, kitchen items, outdoor mat & table. Photos & description on Marketplace. Ring Anita Brewer 0427 457 050

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