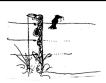
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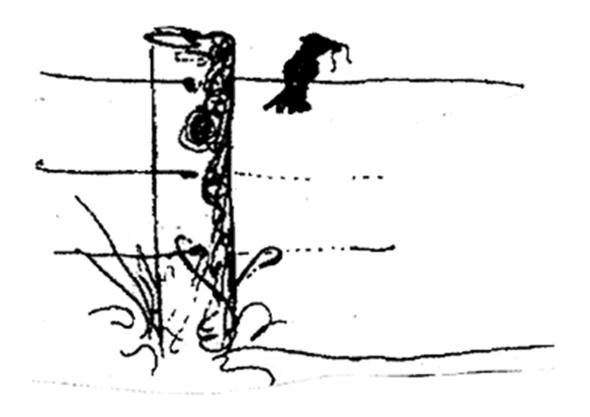
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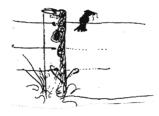
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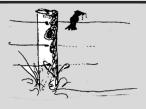
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The Roman Catholic Church will farewell Father Darek on Sunday 28th February. The Mass will be held at 11.00am followed by Brunch. All parishioners are invited to attend.

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Congratulations to Nikki-Lee Fagan and Matt Norris on the arrival of a little girl Stevie Lee. Stevie was born on 22 January 2021 weighing 2980g at Darwin Regional Hospital. Fourth grandchild for Greg and Carolyn Fagan.

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Well done to Brit Duncan who completed the Rottnest Channel Swim on Saturday 20th February. Brit teamed up with Kaidee Arnold and 2 other girls from the city and they completed the 19.71km swim in just over 8 hours. GREAT EFFORT GIRLS.

\*\*\*\*\*\*

For those of us who do not go to school, or do not have people involved in it to keep us abreast of the goings on, it is lovely to read their newsletter that is now published two weekly in our publication. Our last issue in December and the first issue in 2021 had lovely photographs of the graduating students for the 2020 year. From the Fencepost photograph in the school news from 3rd February 2021, the names of these students are listed below from left to right:-

Zac Maringoni, Lakeish Eades, Oliver Miller, Lahkeish Brown, Alicia Hills, Caleb Garlick, Zali Smeed, Levi Duffy, Leiyah Butler.

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Omitted from Historical Society notes last week:

A donation of a metal bucket found at Wadderin by Dr Peter Lines was made to the society.

Rather battered but largely intact, the bucket contained quite a residue of cement and was no doubt used in the construction of the Wadderin Dam. Thank you Peter.

#### From the Editor.

Last Tuesday, as editor, I had great intentions of contributing an editorial but things did not quite go to plan. The gremlins had been at the computer (that's what I will say anyway - not my incompetence or the fact that me and computers and becoming further and further apart in ways of thinking) and my "Outlook" wasn't operating as it should, eventually we managed to get on the same wavelength and proceed as normal to get the Fencepost published. Then off I go to the bank - it was closed - again - and the Fencepost money had to wait for a few more days until the bank opened. One of the bank staff was sick and you can't operate a branch with only 1 staff member. That was not such a great hardship but... when I went to go to the public toilet in the community precinct and found them locked - well that was a different matter. Luckily the CRC and Medical Centre toilets were able to be used. The Shire Council did not have any cleaning staff for the toilets in the precinct or in Jones Park. The Shire Council have now employed someone to do this job. We don't have to run around cross legged until the CRC opens, or run up to Apex Park. To top it all off, the telephone call from the Shire Council to say that the due to electrical problems, the Town Hall is not able to be used therefore badminton is cancelled until further notice, was just about the last straw.

Oh well life goes on and it is the joy of living in the country.

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# **Upcoming CRC Events**

- Story Time: Friday, 26 Feb 10.30am
- Rhyme Time: Monday, 8 Mar 10.30am
- Seniors Movie Day: Monday, 8 Mar 1.00pm
- Morning Coffee Club: Wednesday, 17 March 10.30am
- Ladies Long Lunch: Saturday, 20 March 11.30pm
- STEM Story Time: Friday, 26 March 10.30am
- Triathlon: Saturday, 27 March 3.00pm
- XERO Workshop: Thursday, 1 April 9.00am
- Youth Week Event: Friday, 16 April 9.00am



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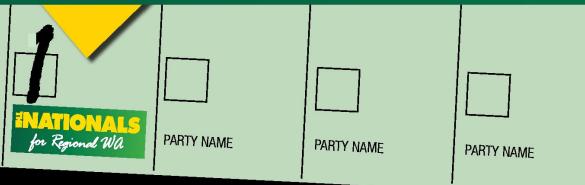
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# The WA Labor Party want to ABOLISH more regional seats in Parliament!

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**WA LABOR** 

PLATFORM

The WA Labor Party have secret plans hidden deep within a 146 page dossier outlining their policy to abolish more regional seats in the State Parliament, further diminishing your voice in the Parliament.

as a defence to certain homicide.

WA Labor commits to a full review Cousing Peath charge and the pude for ice generally.

That, consistent with Labors trad commitment to One Vote, One Va achievement of this for elections Australian Legislative Assembly, a the WA Labor Platform, Chapter Conference requests the Minister

Affairs to begin consultations immediately in order to devise and implement One Vote, One Value for the WA Legislative Council by the issuing of writs for the 2021 election.

158. W.4 Labor condemns recent attacks on places of worship in this State. Busingshing the commitment to the right to freedom of religion in 8 j) of this Chapter, WA Labor will amend

Their desire to move parliamentary seats to Perth have resulted in the loss of seven country seats and seven voices standing up for you. Regional electorates are now comparable in size to European countries with some stretching for thousands of kilometres. If Labor gains control of the Upper House on March 13, their plan is to abolish another 9 country seats relocating them to the metropolitan suburbs.

PARTY

Your Nationals team in the Legislative Council has fought hard for farmers, small business and families over the last four years. We stopped the closure of the Moora Residential College and School of the Air and fought against budget cuts to our country schools and community resource centres.

Don't risk being governed by Perth politicians. Vote 1 The Nationals on both ballot papers.

# **ENATIONALS**

for Regional WA

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Authorised by M Aldridge, 21 Binda Place Bindoon WA 6502.

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# From the Managers Desk

Happy Wednesday everyone!

The new public computers have arrived!! With successful funding from the State Library of WA the Narembeen CRC has purchased two BRAND NEW public computers. And the best thing about them? They are ready to use FREE OF CHARGE! Yes, you read this right. The CRC now offers FREE computer and internet access! Whether you need to use the internet or just the computer or need a quiet work place the Library is the perfect place for you.



We are committed to improving digital connection and technology so more people in our small regional community can access computers, the internet and online information and services.

If you would like to use the public computers but are unsure how to, that is not an issue as we can provide free One-on-One training to all community members on how to use computers, how to access information/resources, government services, online banking and social media as required and tailored to individuals.

And don't forget the first Story Time session of 2021 is happening in the library this Friday, 26 Feb at 10:30am!

A big thank you to Danny Gray, Seb Cowan, Morgan Cowan and James King who installed the new gym equipment at the Narembeen Community gym over the weekend. The gym now

has another brand new treadmill and rowing machine as well as a heavy dumbbell rack, foam roller, ab wheel and 3 in 1 foam Plyo! Enjoy the new equipment!







Please ensure the utmost care is taken in the Gym and with the equipment provided. Please report any defective or damaged equipment immediately to the CRC. Please also remember that the gym and equipment are for members only. Allowing non-members access into the facility will not be tolerated and will result in cancellation of your membership.

Vanessa Wittstock CRC Coordinator



# STORY AT CRC TIME \* STORIES AGES 1-5 \* FUN GAMES ARTS & CRAFTS

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Friday, 26 February 2021











# from the CHIEF



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## PUBLIC NOTICE

#### NAREMBEEN TOWN HALL

The public are advised that the Narembeen Town is closed until further notice, effective 16 February 2021.

A recent electrical inspection identified a number of issues relating to wiring, cabling and earthing not complying with current standards.

Council have allocated external grant funding for this project and following the necessary reports, urgent works will be undertaken.

The Shire apologises for any inconvenience the closure of this building may cause; however these works will ensure the future safety of patrons using the Town Hall.

Mr David Blurton
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

16 February 2021

## FEBRUARY COUNCIL MEETING

The first meeting of Council was held on Wednesday 17 February 2021.

As there was no meeting in January, there were several reports considered this month. Items discussed included a review of Delegations and Local Laws as well as an amendment to the 2020/21 Fees and Charges. The Mid Year Budget Review for 2020/21 was considered and adopted by absolute majority.

The minutes are available on the Shire website <a href="www.narembeen.wa.gov.au">www.narembeen.wa.gov.au</a>

# from the CHIEF



#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO DISPOSE OF LAND

In accordance with Section 3.58 (3) (a) of the Local Government Act (1995), the Council gives notice of its intention to dispose of Lots 69 and 70 Cheetham Way, Narembeen to Wayne Hooper and Holly Burns for \$50,000.

Council declares the market value of Lots 69 and 70 Cheetham Way, Narembeen to be \$44,800.

Submissions are invited from the public on the proposed disposal and will be received up to the close of business on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

Submissions can be emailed to <a href="maileo">ceo@narembeen.wa.gov.au</a> or mailed to the attention of the Acting CEO, 1 Longhurst Street, Narembeen 6369.

David Blurton
ACTING CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
19 February 2021

## **COUNCIL MEETING DATES 2021**

In accordance with Section 5.25 (1) (g) of the *Local Government Act 1995*, the Council gives notice that Ordinary Council Meetings for 2021 will be held on the third Tuesday of every month, with meetings commencing at 4.00pm to be held in the Council Chambers, 1 Longhurst Street, Narembeen.

David Blurton
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#### **COUNCILLOR TOUR**

A number of Councillors and staff attended a tour of the Ramelius Mining Camp on Wednesday 17 February 2021.

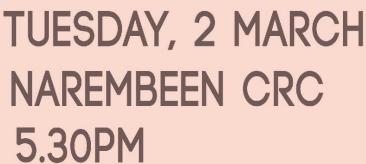
Hugh Trivett, Mine Manager, Ramelius together with the new catering and cleaning contractor, Cater Care and landscape architect, Sue McDougall provided an overview of the site requirements and answered a range of questions.

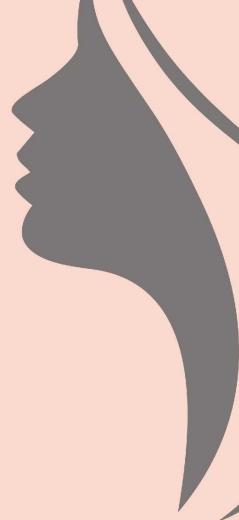
Work continues and the camp is on schedule to be operational by April 2021.



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# Mt Walker Tennis Club



It certainly was a hot hit on Sunday, the two courts we had going resembled a salt lake after members sweated it out. There were some long and competitive hits and the introduction of 'fast tennis' to help get members fitness back on track. We did end up with a few members cooling off in the coolroom after being on court and quenching their thirst with iced water only!

Junior coaching had another great week. Thanks to all the parents who helped with the K-2 group who rotated through stations to improve their hand-eye coordination and basic racquet skills. The Yr3-6 group are backing good progress and working on different shots. Thank you to Bill & Diane Cowan for the delicious watermelon straight from their garden, it was enjoyed by all. There is no coaching this Thursday due to the long weekend, but we

Thanks also to Debbie for dropping the kids at the club.

Welcome to the newest Mt Walker emu, Orla Maeve – we look forward to seeing the Hickey family at the club with Orla soon.

look forward to seeing everyone back at Mt walker the following week.

## **COMING EVENTS:**

Sunday 28 February Social from 3pm – BBQ & salad to share (Labour Day Long Weekend)

Thursday 4 March Junior Tennis Coaching from 4pm

Sunday 7 March Social from 3pm – BBQ & salad to share

Thursday 11 March Junior Tennis Coaching from 4pm

Sunday 14 March CLOSING DAY Social from 3pm – BBQ & salad to share

#### SUBS DUE NOW (Tennis Members)

Full \$120 Social \$60 Junior \$35

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#### \* NEW MEMBERS WELCOME \*

Ladies' Captain: Courtney Bormolini 0488 333 492 Men's Captain: Pete Cowan 0419 913 980 Secretary: Felicity Cowan 0428 191 083

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# Mia DAVIES MLA

# **CENTRAL WHEATBELT**

Dear Central Wheatbelt resident

At this election, every single vote will be important.

We know the way the COVID-19 pandemic has been managed is important, but how you vote at this State election is about more than one issue - especially in regional WA. If the Labor Party increase their vote they will introduce one-vote-one value in the Upper House and cut the number of regional representatives. There will be no check and balance for regional WA, we will lose our voice.

In addition to this threat, the Labor Government has slashed Royalties for Regions, short-changing our communities. They've collected record iron ore and gold royalties and are sitting on a \$3 billion budget surplus, but our region still struggles with high power and water bills, poor mobile phone connectivity, a lack of aged care services, crumbling roads and rail and no plan to fix it. Only The Nationals WA have promised to restore Royalties for Regions in full. We are fighting to return your fair share of funding to the Central

The way you vote is important - don't leave your future in the hands of Perth politicians. I'm asking for your support so The Nationals WA can keep fighting for you.

Wheatbelt for projects that are important to you and your community.

Yours sincerely

HON MIA DAVIES MLA Leader of The Nationals WA, Member for Central Wheatbelt



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Ballot Paper

Election of one member of the Legislative Assembly

# **CENTRAL WHEATBELT**

IN THE ORDER OF YOUR CHOICE NUMBER THE BOXES FROM 1 TO 9

NELSON, Michelle 6

FORSTER, Rob

GOM, Estelle

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REID, Shaun

CAHILL, Brendon

SINGLETON, Stuart

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PEASE, Dennis

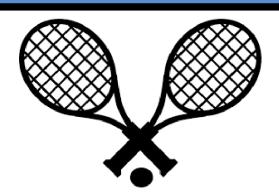
REMEMBER ...

Number every box to make your vote count

Vote 1 ENATIONALS for Regional Wa

Authorised by Mia Davies, 171 Fitzgerald Street, Northam, WA 6401.

# NAREMBEEN TENNIS HOSPITAL DAY 2021



# SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2021

**Mixed Doubles** 

# AFTERNOON TEA PROVIDED \$15 PER PLAYER

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Names to Brit Duncan by Thursday the 4th of March Ph: 0417 612 045



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Facilitator - Sarah Hyde (Facey Group)













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## NAREMBEEN BOWLING CLUB



On Wednesday the Ladies played Bruce Rock in Pennants and won.

Well done girls. Last week it was stated that we were good losers. I can tell you ,we are far better winners!

The Men played Pennants at home on Saturday against Corrigin with lots of "fill ins". Thanks to all the guys that made up the teams. They obviously did well as Maroon drew and Gold won. Maroon are now cemented in top spot with Gold in third.

One game of pennants to go before the finals.

On Sunday we hosted the Men's Champion of Champion pairs.

It ended up being a very long day as one team did not front up, so they had to play one block. Five games in very warm conditions saw survival of the fittest.

Merredin Civic were the winners.

Also a long day for the Ladies catering. Thanks to our helpers and thanks again to Sharlene, always obliging.

A few members enjoyed a social roll on the back greens later in the arvo.

Our Ladies have been on the circuit of Open Days. No news of winners but enjoyed playing different towns.

Good luck to all the Men off to Perth for the weekend to Country Week Bowls.

Congratulations to Greg Vaughan who will play for the Country side versus the State side on Thursday night.

Greg will be skippering a side and we know he will do well.

There will be social bowls this Sunday starting at 1.30pm

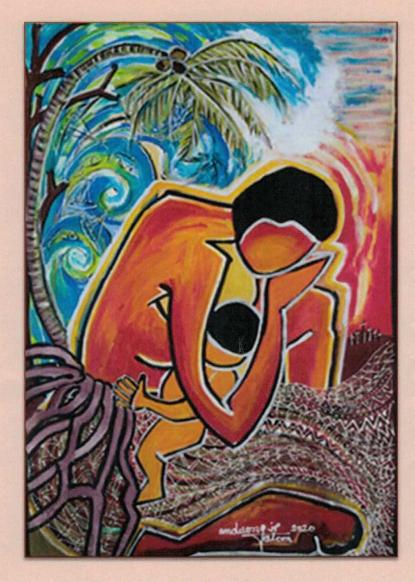
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Date: WED. 3RD MARCH 2021

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# **CHURCH NOTICES**



# ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN

Sunday, February 28th

9.30am

Genesis Chapter 17 - Verses 1-16, E Hall

Romans Chapter 4 - Verses 13-25 H Toovey

Mark Chapter 8 - Verses 31-28

Psalm 22 - Verses 24-32

# **Church of Christ**

Thursday 25th February 7.30pm

Bible study at D & R Smoker's place

Sunday 28th February 10.00am

Worship Service with Sunday school during the service

Bible Verse: Ephesians 3:12

In Christ we can come before God with freedom and without fear. We can do this through faith in Christ.

# Seventh-day Adventist

105 Church Road, Mt. Walker Saturday, February 27.

10:00 am. Senior's Bible Study, "To Serve and To Save", Key Text: Isaiah 42:1, NKJV.
Also looking at chapters 41, 42, 44 and 49.
Sabbath School for kids too when present.
Leading Elder: Yonnie Willis 60635014

11:30 am. Worship Service, Pr Lomani. 0429770331

The current Bible Study series on the book of Isaiah will continue to be available on an in depth Bible Study Program on your VAST TV, which screens on Channel 603 at 4:00 pm on Fridays, or there is a shorter program, "Let God Speak", at 7:00 pm Fridays.

If you're interested in seeing more of "God's Last Message to The World", the fourth of eight episodes will be on Channel 603 on your Vast TV decoder at 9 am this Saturday morning, and repeated at 6 pm on Tuesdays, then for the next few weeks.

# ROMAN CATHOLIC

OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Sunday, February 28th

Mass 11.00am

Followed by Brunch to farewell Father Darek

Reader: R Hickey

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I think the proper term for "senior" women should be: Queen-agers.

> That is all. Carry on.

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26th Shelley Perry(Keane) Tate Barrett John Stone

Jack Wilson Sam Wilson

27th Marion Macanas Diane DeVos Murray Dixon

Norman Forrest Jake Cole

28th Janine VanViersen Maureen Beard Damien Miller

Joel DeLuis Beryl Smith Nikita Beacham

Jarred Doney Mark Nation

# **MARCH**

1st Michael Lethlean (Mr Chick) - 60 Ali Markey

Colleen Earl Brooke Bormolini Rosemary (Tocknell)Smoker

2nd Denise Hassett Tanika Brunalli Lynette May 3rd Jake Hill Elsie Palmer Cody Fudge

Sandro De-Nuccio Savanah Stewart

# *FEBRUARY*



25th Ian & Camille Metcalf Gary & Vicki(Wasley) Sinclair

26th Bevan & Sandy Eyles

27th Justin & Simone VanViersen

**MARCH** 

1st Lawrence & Natalie(Rogers) Pini 2nd Joanne(Sloss) & Shane Cunnard

Day	Date	Max (°C)	Min (°C)	Rainfall (mm)
Tuesday	16/2/2021	-		
Wednesday	17/2/2021	41.2	ı	0.6
Thursday	18/2/2021	26	15.4	
Friday	19/2/2021	31.2	11.2	
Saturday	20/2/2021	34.4	12.6	
Sunday	21/2/2021	36.7	14.1	
Monday	22/2/2021	38	16.2	
Tuesday	23/2/2021		23	





# COMMUNITY HEALTH INFORMATION



#### NAREMBEEN MEDICAL CENTRE - PHONE 9064 7145

Dr Lines practices at the Medical Centre

Hours Mon – Thurs 8.00am – 12.30pm 1.30pm – 5.00pm Friday 8.00am – 1.30pm

PLEASE BRING CURRENT PRESCRIPTIONS, MEDICARE, PENSION AND HEALTH CARE CARDS

RURAL WOMEN'S GP SERVICE – Phone 90647145 for appointments. Dr Olga Ward visits approximately 6 weekly

NURSE PRACTITIONER – Laura Black visits fortnightly

#### HOSPITAL - PHONE 90646222 HEALTH DIRECT 1800 022 222

Accident, emergency and acute medical.

Outpatient dressing/blood pressure checks etc-Preferred times 10.30am -11.30am or 3.30pm - 4.30pm

X-Ray service available – please phone for bookings. Only emergency X-Rays will be attended out of hours

Other services include antenatal and postnatal care, palliative care, respite service, high and low level residential care. Home and Community Care (HACC), Patient Assisted Travel Service (PATS), Videoconference facilities available for consults with some Specialists. Occupation and Speech Therapy, Dietician and Aged Care Assessment (ACAT) available by referral.

#### WHEATBELT ALCOHOL AND DRUG SERVICE

Phone 90413807 or 90412928

This service provides support for individuals, couples and families affected by alcohol and drugs

#### WHEATBELT DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNIT

Call 1800 353 122 (24 hours) Free and Confidential Men's Domestic Violence Helpline 1800 000 599. Victim Support Service 1800 350 074

#### NAREMBEEN DENTAL - JOHN COBLEY

Phone 90647397 Emergencies 0419 987 397 Appointments Thursday

#### CHILD, SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES - PHONE 90647388 or 90646222

Child Health Clinic every Tuesday at the Hospital 9am – 3.00pm

Alternatively, contact Primary health in Merredin 90410444 or Ngala 1800 111546

## CENTRAL AGCARE FAMILY COUNSELLING SERVICE

Counsellor Anne Hague 0427 133 711

PODIATRIST - PHONE 90646222

Please call the hospital (office hours) for appointments

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### CENTRAL WHEATBELT OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY - PHONE COURTNEY 0488 333 492

At Narembeen Medical Centre

# **COMING EVENTS**

**February** 2021 24th BOWLS - Round 13 Narembeen verses Tammin Wednesday Numbats: Phone Bookings from 8.00am 0422 322 289 8.30am - 5.30pm Aqua Aerobics 11.30am Thursday 25th Numbats: Phone bookings from 8.00am 0422 322 289 8.30am - 5.30pm Autumn Club 10.00am-2.00pm Friday 26th Playgroup at Numbats Centre 9.30am 10.30am Story Time at CRC **Aqua Aerobics** 11.30am **BOWLS - MENS COUNTRY WEEK** Saturday 27th Church Men's Shed 9.00am **BOWLS - MENS COUNTRY WEEK** CRICKET - Bruce Rock/Shack/Ardath V Narembeen Sunday 28th Church TENNIS - NAREMBEEN - Social - Mt WALKER - Social BBQ and Salad to shared 3.00pm March 2021 **PUBLIC HOLIDAY** 1st Monday 9.30am Circuit Gym Arts and Crafts and Book Exchange at Community Shed 10.00am-4.00pm Tuesday 2nd Senior Citizens 2.00pm Numbats: Phone Bookings from 8.00am 0422 322 289 8.30am - 5.30pm Lions Meeting **BOWLS - Ladies BYE** Wednesday 3rd World Day of Prayer at Seventh Day Adventist Church 10.00am Aqua Aerobics 11.30am Numbats: Phone Bookings from 8.00am 0422 322 289 8.30am - 5.30pm

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