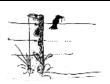
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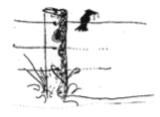
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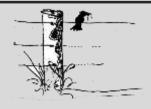
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- Life Member of The Fencepost IRIS BRISTOW -



## Over the Fence....



#### **Volunteers in Narembeen**

Last week we celebrated National Volunteer Week. A wonderful initiative from The Co-Op was recognising a great local volunteer each day and providing them with a coffee. Also our St Johns ambulance publishes articles espousing one of their volunteers each week in this

paper titled "Who Am I".

These things all add up to improve our community. Not only do we have numerous volunteers making Narembeen a better place, but we have them being recognised as well!! Please keep this up. Let us know of people you know that are doing that 'bit extra'..it is a lovely thing to hear about and hopefully inspires others to do the same...

#### **Australian Made**

The Australian Made campaign kicked off this week for the first time. It is encouraging us to spend an extra \$10 on Australian products and this in turn will create jobs and help our local businesses.

#### Valmai Bow turned 80



Congratulations and best wishes from us here at the FencePost Valmai! She asked me to include this for her today: "I would like to thank my friends, family and relations for the gifts, flowers, cards and kind wishes on my 80th birthday! And

not forgetting the delicious chocolate cake from the Autumn Club. You all made me feel very special indeed. One thing I am certain about— Narembeen is a great place to live."



#### **Babies Babies Babies**

Congratulations to Eden
O'Neill on the birth of her

little girl! Best wishes.

Also good luck to Kristie Lee, from the CRC who is on maternity leave.

#### **Alice Hardham**

Alice competed in an On Point dance competition on the weekend and achieved fifth place. She danced in the 14 years and under Lyrical section. Alice competed in the amateur competition against dancers from all around Perth. Our local dance instructor, Laura Cala (FTCK-For the Country Kids) and Alice



have been working hard to be ready for this event.

#### **Electoral Reform**

Please see the open letter to the Electoral Reform

Committee further into this edition; also an explanation of the process from Mia Davies. I urge all readers to respond with a submission on this issue of regional representation.

Submissions close June the 8th.

#### **Grader Contracting**

For all your grader requirements in Narembeen and surrounds.



Contact Digby Slade 0428635055 or 9063 5055.

## NEWS

#### Local

- More rain in the district as seeding draws to a close.
- Ramelius has 100 people on staff now
- A cold snap has us all remembering winter is coming.
- A bouquet to our local Ag Implements for their wonderful donation to the school
- The school newsletter is as interesting as always and the new format is catchy!

#### Regional

- The Wheatbelt Goldfields Regional championships were in Merredin recently. Our under 12's won in the netball.
- Trevor Badger, ex CBH board member and Pingrup famer dies in an aeroplane crash
- Sprinkle of snow on Bluff Knoll

#### State

- Labor state government has voting reform on the agenda with a working committee established.
- CBH CEO resigns.
- Nurses and GP's strike yesterday. AMA & ANU rallying together for the first time.

#### National

- Victoria records four new COVID 19 cases
- Australia to close its embassy in Kabul ahead of troop withdrawal from Afghanistan.
- Drivers caught doing extreme speeds will be jailed in SA

#### Global

- Samoa in turmoil as two rivals claim leadership
- Belarus forces a plane to divert and arrests a passenger. EU and world leaders denounce this.
- 21 ultra marathon runners die in China in an extreme weather event
- A five year old boy the lone survivor of a cable car accident in Italy
- USA warns against travel to Japan due to the pandemic





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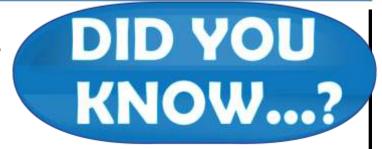
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### **Billericay Townsite**

It is difficult to imagine, when we have no rail services in our area today, that up to 1960 there were six railway sidings between Kondinin and Narembeen.

These were: Notting, Bendering, Billericay, South Kumminin, Hedges (a private siding) and Emu Hill.

This and other information is available at the Billericay Information Stop at the southern end of the Narembeen Shire.

In gathering details for this proiect we were fortunate to be put in touch with

Mr Neal Garswood whose father owned the Billericay Store in 1938 and 1939, before enlisting for WW2.

This and other aspects of this once thriving settlement are depicted at the tourist stop which we hope you will visit in the near future.

Narembeen Historical Society



Free, confidential counselling services are available to all. We offer counselling to all age groups from 5 years of age.

Face to face counselling or by phone servicing the Corrigin, Bruce Rock, Narembeen, Kulin, Kondinin, Hyden, Quairading, Brookton, Pingelly, Cuballing & Wickepin areas.

Sand play and Art Therapy is available for children at the Corrigin office.

We are qualified Family Counsellors who can help individuals, couples and families negotiate their way through distressing experiences and bring understanding to them such as:

#### **Anxiety**

Depression

Life changes (physical & mental)

Abuse (past and present)

Loss and grief and

Relationship issues (home & work)

We are here to help.

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#### Personal Care

- Bathing
- Hygiene
- Grooming and Dressing
- Continence Care / Toileting
- Help with mobility
- Help reduce the risk of slips and falls
- · Help with exercises
- Assistance with eating



#### Skilled Nursing Care

- Medication Administration
- Catheter Care
- Complex wound dressings (vac dressings)
- IV therapy, IV antibiotics
- · Tube feeding
- Rehabilitation
- · Palliative care
- Symptom Management
- Managing a rapidly changing health status



#### Companion Care

#### Homemaker Services

- Meal preparation & clean-up
- Monitor diet and nutrition
- Medication reminders
- Pet care and pet monitoring
- Prepare grocery list

#### Light Housekeeping Services

- Mop, sweep and vacuum
- Clean kitchen & appliances
- Clean bathroom(s)
- Dust, organise, tidy rooms
- · Make beds & change linen
- Laundry
- · Iron clothes
- Take out the garbage

#### **Home Activities**

- · Help with letters, read mail
- · Read (books, newspaper)
- · Rent and watch movies
- Companionship, conversation reminisce about the past
- · Play cards or board games

#### Transport & Outdoor Activity

- Transportation doctors appointments / social events
- Errands mail letters, bills
- Grocery shopping
- Outings to theatre, film, art galleries, RSL, coffee shop
- Visits with friends
- · Take walks, visit the park











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- Australia's Biggest Morning Tea: Thursday, 27 May 2021 10.00am
- STEM Story Time: Friday, 28 May 2021 10.30am
- Seniors Movie: Monday, 14 June 2021 1.00pm
- Rhyme Time: Monday, 14 June 2021 10.30am
- Morning Coffee Club: Wednesday, 16 June 2021 10.30am
- Story Time: Friday, 25 June 2021 10.30am
- SOCK Week: Monday, 28 June Sunday, 4 July



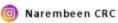
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🚺 Narembeen Community Resource Centre





## From the Managers Desk

Hello everybody!

Morning Coffee Club, we had a fun morning at the CRC playing a balloon game with pool noodles and mini golf. Thanks to the Co-Op who supplied a delicious morning tea and Gina DeLuis for the amazing sponge roll. Stay tuned for next month's activities, happening on Wednesday, 16 June. Thank you also once again to the Department of Communities for making this event happen.



As part of National Volunteer Week celebrations, we hosted the Community BBQ on Friday, 21st May. Approx. 40 people attended and enjoyed a celebratory BBQ. Thank you once again to Mia Davies, (MLA, Member for Central Wheatbelt) who contributed \$200 to the evening.

A big thank you to all volunteers, your work never goes unappreciated! Don't forget we are hosting the **Biggest**Morning Tea tomorrow, Thursday 27th
from 10.00am so if you are around, pop
down to the Community Precinct. Help us
reach our goal of raising \$500, for such an
important cause!



STEM Time is here again! Happening this Friday and we have some super fun and educational activities organised for this weeks session! Bring your little ones down for a morning of singing and fun! We hope to see you there. Thank you to the State Library of WA for their continued support.

I hope everyone has a great week.

Vanessa Wittstock CRC Coordinator

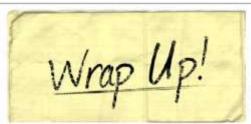


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#### COUNCIL WRAP UP - MAY 2021

#### MACHINERY FLEET REPLACEMENT

The Shire of Narembeen continues to ensure it has a suitable fleet of vehicles that contribute positively and effectively to the work performance of the Shire of Narembeen. At the May 2021 Council meeting, Council

agreed to purchase a new 18 Ton Pneumatic Roller and a Backhoe Loader from Westrac. Both items of machinery were budgeted in the 2020/2021 financial year. Council also endorsed a four year Plant Replacement Program as part of the development of the 2021/2022 Annual Budget.

#### RFT 02/2021 - APEX PARK UPGRADE

Council accepted the tender from Reality Landscapes to complete landscaping and upgrade works at Apex Park. This project has been made possible with funding from the Drought Communities Program.

#### SHIRE OF NAREMBEEN - COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM

Council accepted the following applications for funding for the 2021/2022 Community Grants Program:

- Narembeen Bowls Club \$5,082.00 replacement of 3 damaged shade sails
- Narembeen Historical Society \$3,468.90 equipment purchase desktop computer/scanner/ printer and digital camera
- St John WA Narembeen \$2,033.90 3 storage lockers

An amount of \$10,584.80 will be included in the 2021/2022 Council Budget for the above expenditure.

#### SPORT AND RECREATION FACILITIES PLAN 2021-2031

Council adopted the Sport and Recreation Facilities Plan 2021-2031. The aim of the plan is to provide a clear vision of the direction in which Council, in partnership with local sport and recreation clubs will proceed with sport and recreation facilities over the next ten years.

#### **FEES & CHARGES**

Council accepted the 2021/2022 Fees and Charges Schedule, this will be included in the 2021/2022 Annual Budget for adoption.

### from the CHIEF

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### WHAT WAS HAPPENING 20 YEARS AGO - MAY COUNCIL MEETING 2001

- Alan Wright (who is now a Shire Councillor) was the Chief Executive
   Officer and Rose Jones was the Deputy Chief Executive Officer
- Cr R Hayter congratulated Mr R Parsons on his retirement from Council for his outstanding contributions of over 19 years as a Shire Councillor.
- Council were planning a Civic Reception for retired Councillor's Ray Parsons and Juli Bailey.
- Council were giving consideration to capital items/major works to be included in the draft Council budget—these included—Town Kerbing, Churchill St Intersection, Industrial and Residential Subdivisions, Muntadgin Bin bitumen widening and the Heavy Haulage Bypass.
- The Kondinin Roe Tourism Association became incorporated and between the Shire's of Corrigin, Bruce Rock, Narembeen, Kondinin and Kulin collectively started to evolve a tourism strategy for the region. A new tourist brochure was being developed of which the RTA sought \$2,000 from each Shire for their contribution.



Several sporting clubs have requested that Council consider the establishment of a can and bottle recycling system in Narembeen

Expressions of interest were recently sought from individuals/businesses/groups who may have been interested in managing and operating a Containers for Change Depot in Narembeen.

Unfortunately no expressions of interest were received.

Due to lack of interest from a prospective parties, Council will not be pursuing the establishment of a Containers for Change Depot in Narembeen.

Nearest Containers for Change Refund Points are located in Corrigin and Bruce Rock.

Glass and aluminium cans continue to be delivered to the Lions recycling station opposite the Roadhouse for recycling.



#### FREE GROUP WEBINAR VIEWING

## PRE-DIABETES: WHAT IS IT?

At Narembeen CRC - Light snacks and refreshments provided.



DATE: TUESDAY 8TH JUNE TIME: 9.30 AM - 11.30AM

**BOOKING: AT NAREMBEEN CRC - 9064 7055** 

In this session credentialled diabetes educators, will help you understand what pre-diabetes is and what happens in your body. It will cover risk factors of developing type 2 diabetes, screen checks available, signs and symptoms and how you can reduce your risk. Extra time will be available afterwards to ask any burning questions you may have.







We thought you would like to learn a little bit about us and why we do what we do. Over the next few edition's we will tell you about our Volunteer Ambulance Officers and our Committee and other helpers.

#### WHO AM I?

Name: Debbie Hall

**How long have you lived in Narembeen:** Forever, except for a brief stay in Bruce Rock when born and time in Perth, Merredin, Geraldton and Alice Springs while nursing.

**How old are you:** I was born in 1955 (I will let you do the math's).

What do you do here (occupation and voluntary): I spend a lot of my time volunteering on the family farm, helping out at Wadderin Wildlife Sanctuary and as a Volunteer at St John's. Most important to me is as one of Jehovah's Witnesses sharing with others the good news of his kingdom. As for paid employment I drive a school bus occasionally.

**Do you have any hobbies:** When I have the time, I enjoy spending time with my horses or on the back of Peter's motorbike travelling about the countryside.

**Do you have a partner/child:** Yes, my best friend and lover, Peter Hall. We have 4 grown up children Ben, Jodie, Rebecca and Naomi and 4 grandchildren.

**Do you have any pets:** Yes, we have lovely sheepdogs and unfortunately a cat, also birds and a couple of aging horses.

How long have you been an Ambulance Volunteer: I have volunteered for 25 years.

Why did you become a Volunteer: I became an Ambulance volunteer because I appreciated some ambulance people helping me many years ago.

Do you think others in our town could give it a go: Others in town should give it a go if you want to challenge yourself and like helping others. It's also a good way for newcomers to town to get to know some fun-loving people.

"Narembeen community is built on volunteers that's why we are in a great place to live."

Anything else about yourself or volunteering at St John's: I am a Life Member of the hockey club and played for many many years predominantly as the A Grade goalie and played B Grade before retiring. I may have given netball a go too. I am also a Life Member of our St John's Sub-Centre.



### Everyday people doing everyday things for people in our Community

## Information Session



Thursday June 3<sup>rd</sup>

2pm - 3pm

#### **Narembeen Recreation Centre**

Please come and join us for a cup of tea and a brief information session.

- Do you know how to access services in your community?
- Have you heard about 'My Aged Care'?
- Do you have:
- o an Advanced Health Directive,
- an Enduring Power of Attorney or
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#### IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday May 26	'Pete the Sheep' ECE Excursion in Merredin
Friday May 28	Faction Cross Country 1:15pm. All spectators welcome.
Thursday June 3	Dockers Shield (Primary football Year 3 - 6)
	Cake Stall (Pop up shop at 9am)

#### WEEK 6 QUOTE



Together is my favourite place to be

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#### Preparing Students for a Changing World

#### FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Week 6 already!! Time is flying by in 2021! The community and the students are busy with winter sports. This year is looking good for the maroon and gold with football, hockey and netball all having reasonable success and August looks like it could be a big month for the town with all of the finals. Our Faction Cross Country will be held this Friday and more information can be found later in this Newsletter. Many thanks to all of the staff for the effort they put in to the recent events, simultaneous story time and National Family Day. The main coordinators were Lucy and Hannah K, but many staff had input and presented for the events. We continue to be very lucky with the staff we have, they are dedicated, committed to the improvement of outcomes for the students in all areas, prepared to give up their time to add to the school activities and on top of that, they are great community members, involving themselves in many different sporting and service groups. Thank you as always, for your continued enthusiastic input to all things 'Narembeen DHS'

#### THANK YOU

Huge thanks to **AG IMPLEMENTS** for their extremely generous donation of our brand new ride on lawn mower. Mr Liam Hickey dropped the new mower off last week and we greatly appreciate the donation from this business. This means more of our budget can be spent on our key business, teaching and learning.







#### CROSS COUNTRY 2021: WHO WILL WIN THE STIRRAT FAMILY SHIELD?

This Friday, all students aged 6 years and over (age as at December 31 2021) will be competing in the annual Faction Cross Country. Maroon were lucky enough to be the inaugural winners of our Stirrat Family Cross Country Shield, but can Gold get up this year? I certainly hope so!! The event will start with the 8 & Under event at 1:15pm and then run through from the lower ages through to the 14 & Over event. We would like to remind all parents that this is a compulsory carnival, part of the physical education curriculum, with all students expected to RUN the event to the best of their ability. We know that our students will continue to do their best and strive to run, not walk. The distances are the same as those run at the Interschool event later in the term. All parents and community members are very welcome to come along and watch, cheer the students on and stay for the presentation of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd medallions at the end of the last event.

#### YEAR 5/6 ASSEMBLY AND YEAR 1 CLASS REPORT

I bet Hannah C is pretty happy to have had her first assembly over and done with  $\odot$ . It is a stressful time for any teacher, but a graduate teacher's first assembly item or concert item with a class, really is an anxious time! Well done to the Year 5/6 on both their poem and song and what a wonderful bit of history the Year 1's shared with us. The community karaoke "We are Australian' was also very well done. We hope you all enjoyed the entertainment  $\odot$ .

#### SOME REMINDERS ON UNIFORM EXPECTATIONS

With winter coming I would like to remind all members of the school community about some of the expectations we have around the standard of uniform at school. Please remember the following:

- ✓ Earrings are to be small studs or sleepers only.
- ✓ No rings can be worn in other facial piercings (eg: nose or eyebrow).
- ✓ If a necklace is worn for a medical or cultural reason, it must be tucked inside the school shirt.
- ✓ Socks are to be PLAIN white, black, grey or brown.
- Only the school jumper, jacket or leavers jacket are acceptable attire. Jackets of any other type are not to be worn, they are not a part of the uniform.
- ✓ Only school beanies and school caps or hats are to be worn.

#### SCREEN TIME (THAT OLD CHESTNUT .... AGAIN!!)

Firstly, I am sure that you are all aware of the huge issue of screen time and our children. We cannot keep our children away from screens, they are a part of modern life, but we must ensure that we are keeping their screen time to a healthy amount, and we should certainly be fully aware of what our children are accessing on the screens at all times. There is a lot of research out there regarding this problem, you can access this on any one of your screens, but these simple tips are pretty handy:

Changes to your routine can make a difference. Try these tips today to help your family be the best they can be:

- ✓ Parents, be seen without a screen.
- ✓ Under two, no screens for you!
- ✓ Start a no screen-time routine.

#### Taking that first step:

Creating an engaged, positive environment by playing screen-based games with your child is the first step in building their confidence to create change. Here are some great activities that you can do with your child to help get them started.

Boredom Busters - Bust their boredom with these great ideas

Family Apptivities - Get your whole family moving with these interactive apps

#### Setting healthy limits:

The pull of screens is everywhere we turn. Teaching children to choose quality screen time, over quantity, helps to create space for families to engage in happy, healthy time together. Below are some guidelines on safe limits for using screens.

Kids aged 5-17 should have no more than two hours of screen time a day.

Kids aged 2-5 should have no more than one hour of unrestrained (as in not sitting still) screen time a day – less is better. Sedentary screen time is not recommended.

Children under 2 should have no screen time.

MRS CHRIS ARNOLD PRINCIPAL



#### ASSEMBLY HONOUR CERTIFICATE WINNERS @

Congratulations to the following Honour Certificate winners:

Student:	Year:	Student:	Year:
Rocco Federici	Pre-primary	Matthew Lopez x 2	Year 6
Theo Cheetham	Year 1	Mia Parsons	Year 6
Chase Smoker	Year 1	Wren Cheetham	Year 6
Sofie DeLuis	Year 1	Portia Fidge	Year 7
Ricardo Brown	Year 2	Aidan Whitley-Sherwood	Year 7
Xavier Pawsey	Year 3	Deakan Miller	Year 8
Sondor Tsogtgerel	Year 3	Teejay Jones	Year 8
Kobi Lyon	Year 3	Keira Butler	Year 9
Eira Palompo	Year 3	Lauchlan Poot	Year 9
Noah Smoker	Year 4	Tahlia Ashmore	Year 9
Levi Fidge x 2	Year 5	Cameron Hills	Year 9







#### MAKAYLA COLE NAREMBEEN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL

Makayla has a very positive disposition and shares her enthusiasm with others. She is supportive of other students and encourages them whenever the need arises. She has developed her leadership qualities and is an asset to our Student Council and school community.

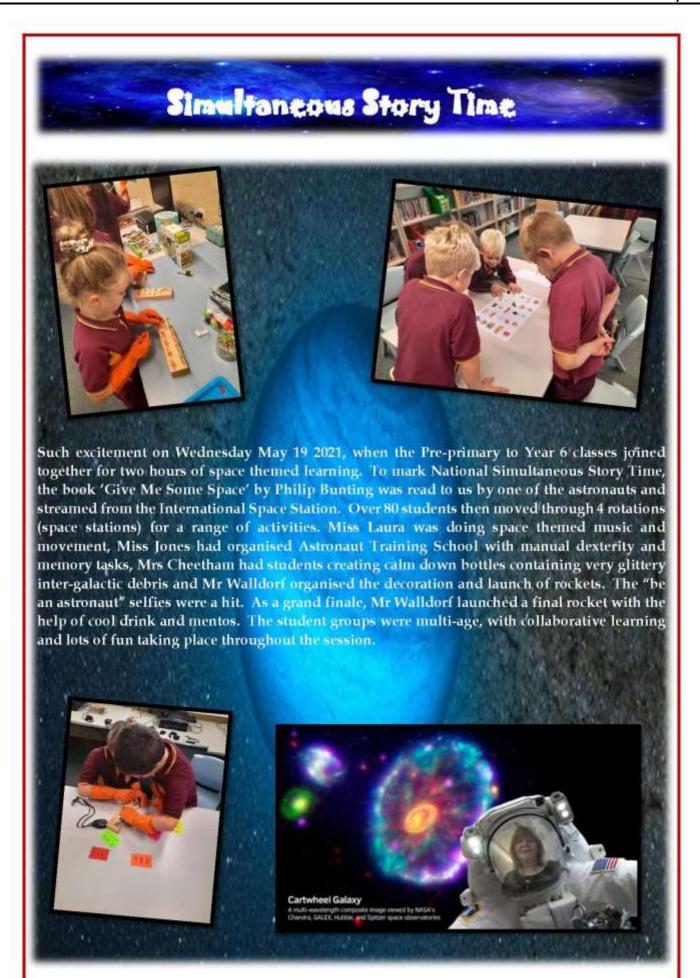
#### CASSEROLE TEA FUNDRAISER THANK YOU'S

Huge thanks to Sarah Kuhne-Munroe who took on the organisation of last Saturday night's winter sports casserole tea fundraiser. She was helped either during the day, or in the kitchen that night by Hannah Chitty, Lucy Lines, Amy Hardham, Trista Federici, Ebony Cowan, Jacquie Nikora, Pauline Kuhne, Lucy Currie, Alice Hardham, Navaeh Brown, Portia and Levi Fidge. This catering raised \$2,130 for camp and country week. It was supported so well by all of you and our terrific staff, the food was amazing, so thank you for your efforts.

#### POSITIVE REWARDS

The following students received 10 points for their faction. Well done!







Travel back in time as you step into the Year 1 classroom. The students have curated an exhibition of domestic items, many of them 100 or more years old. Their hands-on investigation of these valuable artefacts have created a real world learning opportunity that was showcased in our assembly item. The first visitors to our museum were the 9-10 class who visited this week. Thanks must go to Mrs Rhonda Hickey and Ms Lorraine Lethlean from the Narembeen Historical Society who have supported us in this learning journey.





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A huge thanks to the parents who volunteered to run a session, giving a small insight into their cultural background. Liam Hickey demonstrated how hurling is played. He hasn't lost his touch! Felicity Cowan showed us some flamboyant flamenco moves. Thank you to Crystal and Tsogtgerel for making all the students some yummy dumplings and sending us interesting facts about Mongolia. The students also loved trying Maria Lopez's delicious olives whilst they journeyed to Italy using the virtual reality headsets. Thank you also to Heather Garlick for bringing in some Polish dolls. Last, but not least, thanks to the parents who came along and joined in the fun.

#### Hannah Kerse







Reconciliation Australia's theme for 2021, 'More than a word. Reconciliation takes action', urges the reconciliation movement towards braver and more impactful action.

Reconciliation is a journey for all Australians – as individuals, families, communities, organisations and importantly as a nation. At the heart of this journey are **relationships** between the broader Australian community and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

We all have a role to play when it comes to reconciliation, and in playing our part we collectively build relationships and communities that value Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, histories, cultures, and futures

2021 marks twenty years of Reconciliation Australia and almost three decades of Australia's formal reconciliation process.

#### What is National Reconciliation Week?

National Reconciliation Week (NRW) is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures, and achievements, and to explore how each of us can contribute to achieving reconciliation in Australia.

The dates for NRW remain the same each year; May 27 to June 3. These dates commemorate two significant milestones in the reconciliation journey — the successful 1967 referendum, and the High Court Mabo decision respectively.

Reconciliation must live in the hearts, minds and actions of all Australians as we move forward, creating a nation strengthened by respectful relationships between the wider Australian community, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

We will be, as a school community, recognising National Reconciliation Week in our classrooms and across the school. Our staff have come up with a myriad of ways to learn about our shared histories and continue working towards achieving reconciliation in Australia.

More information and pictures of the activities that the students are engaged in will be on our facebook pages and in the next Newsletter.

#MoreThanAWord

Our Pre-primary centre







#### HON MIA DAVIES MLA LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION

To Whom It May Concern

#### ELECTORAL REFORM IN THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

I write to draw your attention to the McGowan Government's announcement to form a Committee to review the *Electoral Act 1907*, and the opportunity for the public and key stakeholders to engage in the consultation process.

The Government has requested the Committee to review the electoral system for the Legislative Council and provide:

- Recommendations as to how electoral equality might be achieved for all citizens entitled to vote for the Legislative Council; and
- (2) Recommendations for the distribution of preferences in the Legislative Council's proportional representation system.

The Committee have released a Discussion Paper (two weeks after the request for submissions started), and they require all submissions to be made by June 8th, 5pm.

It is vitally important that as many voices as possible are added to this conversation, whether you live, work or invest in regional WA or metropolitan Perth.

The National & Liberal Alliance Opposition (Opposition) is not opposed to sensible reforms – particularly when it comes to item (2) and the changes required to prevent preference harvesting to elect Members to the Parliament who have only accrued a handful of primary votes. The election of the Daylight Saving Party representative at the March 2021 State election is a compelling reason to support sensible reform on this front.

It is unfortunate that these reforms were not pursued by the McGowan Government in the previous Parliament as it is almost certain they would have passed without challenge.

The Opposition has grave concerns in relation to the Attorney General's instruction as it relates to item (1) and regional representation in the State Parliament. We reject the assertion by the Government and Attorney General that an equal weighting system for each region in the Legislative Council of Western Australia 'fails the democratic fairness test'.

In 2008, changes that were driven by the Labor Party and Greens WA to our electoral system delivered on both Parties long-held ambition to achieve 'one-vote-one-value' in the Legislative Assembly. It effectively means that every electorate in the State has the same number of electors with a notable exception - the reform recognised the need to compensate what are considered to be large districts by a weighting mechanism known as Large District Allowance (LDA).

The issue that needs serious consideration is whether or not the pursuit of 'one-vote-onevalue' for the Legislative Council is appropriate or needed.

In advance of the debate (in April 2005) then Professor Greg Craven, Executive Director of the John Curtin Institute of Public Policy and Professor of Government and Constitutional Law made the following comment on the One Vote Value Bill:

"I would respectfully argue that, once the Lower House of the Parliament is constituted on a more or less strict One Vote One Value basis, the case for constituting the Upper House differently as a Chamber where regional interests receive moderately enhanced representation, is strong. This follows from the necessity to ensure that the diversity of interests contained within the State are adequately reflected in the Parliament."

Similarly, Dr Harry Phillips, Parliamentary Fellow, Adjunct Professor, Edith Cowan University and Curtin University of Technology said in April 2005:

"In Western Australia, the interpretations of the Canadian Courts have tended to be used as support for the 'one vote one value' argument. However, the Canadian Courts, have given thrust to a broader concept of 'effective representation'. The latter provides scope for deviation (sometimes substantial) from voter parity. If one sought to do so I think there would be scope to argue that in many settings, other factors (such as geography), have to be considered for effective representation to prevail."

This type of reform pursued by the Labor Party in 2005 and now again in 2021 is centred on the notion of mathematical equality. It is the Opposition's view that there are inequalities in access to services and infrastructure in regional WA when compared to our metropolitan colleagues. There is a significant lack of parity in relation to health services, access to education, the cost of living and transport, access to core Government services and Departments, to name just a few. Tipping the balance to increase the number of metropolitan representatives and decrease regional representation can only make it harder to elevate these issues in the Parliament and with Government. It will only widen the gap that exists between our regional and metropolitan populations.

Given our State relies on industry, communities, and people in regional Western Australia for the wealth that underpins our economy, it would seem counterproductive to pursue changes to satisfy a mathematical notion of equality.

I'd encourage you to consider making a submission to the Committee to ensure the panel can consider this matter, particularly providing them with examples of how a reduction in the number of people from regional Western Australia in the State's Parliament may impact you, your organisation and/or community.

Yours sincerely

HON MIA DAVIES MLA

Leader of the Opposition Leader of The Nationals WA

Shadow Minister for Electoral Affairs



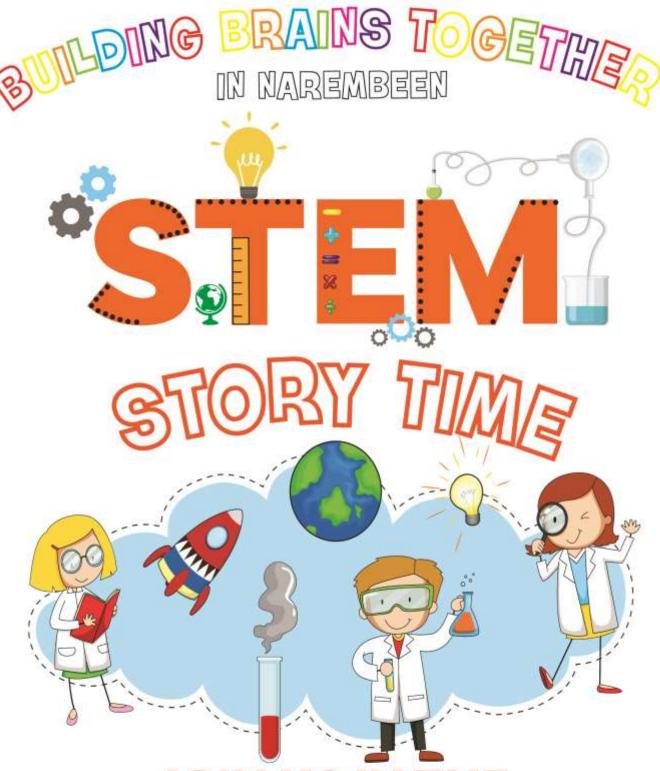
#### Submission to the Electoral Reform Committee

As a regional producer/voter I am asking you to consider favourably the value of the weighted system in the State Legislative Council. We, who live here, have for decades have had our interests overlooked and even discounted, even though a major portion of the States income comes from non-urban areas. Royalties for Regions tried to re-balance this deficit and was very beneficial to us. But not to the major parties!

If our representation is minimised, is that fair, as we in the regions fully accept that the majority of income is spent in the urban areas but wish to have some safeguard in place so we are not completely ignored. I find the current enquiry interesting as the majority of West Australians benefit from a weighted system in the Federal Senate and would look with horror if our state was sidelined in a Federal debate, due to a low representationand would use the quote of "but we are the main drivers of the Federal income with our mining industry". The hypocrisy is underwhelming to say the least.

Please, we not only need fairness in numbers but <u>in equality of benefits</u> from our government. Equity is not just a numbers game but it should mean all people of Western Australia are equally heard, supported and appreciated.

Yours sincerely, Joan Cusack



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Friday, 28 May 2021









#### ADVERTISEMENT



#### Customer Service Officer

Permanent Part Time Position

Applications are invited for the Customer Service position with the Narembeen Community Resource Centre, starting in July 2021.

This position is offered as a permanent part time position offering 28-35 hours per fortnight.

For the position description please contact the CRC by phone on 9064 7055, in person or via email.

The key objectives of this position include:

- Provide administrative and receptionist support to the CRC
- · Assist with the Coordination of Community Events and Activities
- · Develop and promote the CRC within Narembeen and the surrounding districts

To apply for the role, please submit a written application including an up-to-date resume and cover letter responding to the selection criteria listed in the position description, to:

Vanessa Wittstock Coordinator Narembeen Community Resource Centre 2/19 Churchill Street Narembeen WA 6369

or by email to:

crcmanager@narembeen.wa.gov.au

by 4.00pm, Monday, 31 May 2021

PLAYER	TEAM	GAMES PLAYED	TOTAL	TOTAL THROWS	PEGS	x's	100'S	180'5	HI SCORE	HII PEG	AVERAG
MAL HIGGINS	BRUCE ROCK	9	10,776	270	- 11	38	1	0	135	49	39.91
GARRY WISNEWSKI	BRUCE ROCK	3	3,191	89	1	7	2	0	100	16	35.85
PAUL HUTTON	BRUCEROCK	9	10,089	278	4	32	1	0	125	32	36.29
MAX DOVE	BRUCE ROCK	- 6	6,852	182	3	1.5	0	0	131	42	37.65
WAYNE WISNEWSKI	BRUCE ROCK	10	11,295	276	6	22	3	0.	137	32	40.92
MURRAY SMITH	BRUCE ROCK	8	7,663	252	1	28	0	0	96	12	30.41
ENERSON GAMIAO GAVIN COLE	BRUCE ROCK BRUCE ROCK	7	7,525	206 28	1	15	0	0	121 81	35	36.53
RORY MOORE	BRUCE ROCK	1	1,052	26	0	0	0	0	91	0	40.46
ROBBIE COLE	BRUCE ROCK	1	1,222	31	1	2	0	0	119	30	39.42
IACK CURRIE	BRUCE ROCK	1	984	24	0	0	0	0	80	0	41.00
ANN DOVE	BRUCEROCK	1	1,080	29	0	0.	1	0	100	0	37.24
MARK JENSEN (BK)	SRUCE ROCK	1	992	29	1	3	0	0	92	14	34.21
GLEN PIPER	BRUCEROCK	1	1,006	32	0	2	0	0	63	0	31.44
BRAD GOULD	BRUCEROCK	1	1,141	29	. 0	0	1	0	100	0	39.34
DEAN BUTLER	JETS JETS	- 6	7,341	157	9	10	7	0	140	40	46.76
KEITH BUTLER MARK BROWN	JETS JETS	9	11,327	236 276	15	16 18	6 3	0	100	100	48.00
NEVILLE BRANDIS	JETS	10	10,353	270	17	23	11	0	140	69	37.51 48.56
SALLY BRANDIS	JETS	2	2,098	71	2	9	0	0	81	36	29.55
MIKE DARBY	JETS	10	10,858	248	10	18	3	0	140	45	43.78
DES HOUSTON	JETS	3	2.841	88	3	19	0	0	83	16	32.28
BRUCE LOVEDAY	JETS	4	3,914	106	1	8	1	0	100	2	36.92
LEE GRIFFITHS	JETS	4	4,297	129	5	15	0	0	98	40	33.31
MARCUS DORLANDT (J)	JETS .	1	1,044	25	1	1	1	0	120	18	41.76
LINDSAY HILL	JETS	1	1,071	24	1	0	1	0	100	8	44.63
GAVIN BROWNLEY	MAGPIES	10	13,946	225	23	8	24	1	180	24	61.98
GREG BOND	MAGPIES	9	9,497	259	7	26	3	0	132	32	36.67
GRAYDON DAWSON	MAGPIES	- 4	3,931	107	1	5	1	0	156	20	36.74
STEVE MicCONACHY	MAGPIES	10	13,413	266	15	27	14	1	180	58	50.42
DAMIEN BOW	MAGPIES	9	10,591	238	5	17	9	0	125	56	44.50
RILEY McGELLIN	MAGPIES	1	988	27	0	1	2	0	100	. 0	36.59
MARK CATTLE	MAGPIES	4	3,870	113	2	12	2	0	100	8	34.25
ROHAN BUTLER	MAGPIES MAGPIES	3	3,211	100	3	5	0	0	121	18 36	32.11
MITCH HUNTER	MAGPIES	1	3,417	31	1	3	0	0	104	4	37.06
MATT GILBERT	MAGPIES	2	2,111	66	0	8	0	0	81	0	31.98
MARK JENSEN (M)	MAGPIES	1	1,075	31	1	2	1	0	100	28	34.68
CLIVE DAVIS	MAGPIES	1	1,149	24	0	1	0	0	99	0	47.88
ANGUS PADFIELD	MAGPIES	1	1,073	30	1	2.	0	0	78	10	35.77
KRISS HAYDEN	MC SHARKS	5	6,847	116	10	4	12	. 0	140	56	59.03
KALEB ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	9	10,270	221	11	20	11	1	180	40	46.47
MICK HAYDEN	MC SHARKS	3	3,346	84	4	8	0	0	96	38	39.83
JUSTIN WATTS	MC SHARKS	10	13,434	261	14	25	20	1	180	147	51.47
NATHAN BLACK	MC SHARKS	- 8	8,547	237		32	- 2	0	114	40	36.06
CRAIG ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	9	10,835	234	13	17	11	0	100	84	46.30
RODNEY OAKLEY Jnr	MC SHARKS	5	5,391	129	2	11	3	0	138	10	41.79
OSH ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	2	1,903	70	2	1.3	0	0	72	28	27.19
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MITCH ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	3	2,051	53	2	1	0	0	130	16	38.70
MATTY FRANCE	MC SHARKS	1	1,371	28	0	6	4	0	128	0	48.96
CHRISTIAN ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	1	969	28	0	1	0	0	64	0	34.61
KERRY-LEE BOOTH	MC SHARKS	1	1,051	28	0	3	0	0	86	0	37,54
IOSH IRVING	ROYALS	8	9,271	229	4	22	3	0	160	21	40.48
STRAUN STEVENSON	ROYALS	3	3,371	96	0	7	0	0	93	0	35.11
WALLY PATTERSON	ROYALS	10	11,351	284	5	21	3	0	117	54	39,97
CODY DUNCAN	ROYALS	4	4,696	107	4	9	2	0	120	32	43.89
RHYS COUSINS	ROYALS	10	11,482	279	- 6	13	5:	0	140	74	41.15
DANNY GRAY	ROYALS	- 8	8,738	203	- 5	4	5	0	140	51	43.04
GLENNJONES	ROYALS	2	1,048	27	0	0	0	0	110	0	38.81
ROXY KOEMAN	ROYALS	1	1,037	29	0	1	0	0	81	. 0	35.76
MARTY FARRALL	ROYALS	1	367	28	0	2	0	0	60	0	30.96
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ADAM ANTUNOVICH	ROYALS ROYALS	2	2,102	47	1	4	3	0	140	16	44.72
RIHARI GREEN	ROYALS	1	1,076	27	1	2	0	0	86	32	39.85
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BILL STACEY	ROYALS	1	904	29	0	1	0	0	83	0	31.17
IAMES KENNEDY	ROYALS	1	1,187	40	1	9	0	0	83	32	29.68
DREW NATION	WIZARD5	8	8,510	205	7	- 6	2	0	140	37	41.51
LINDSAY BROWN	WIZARDS	10	12,614	232	35	15	11	1	180	58	54.37
DEAN WHITLEY	WIZARDS	- 6	6,884	158	- 6	11	4	0	133	44	43.57
RON ROJAS	WIZARDS	10	13,123	234	14	10	22	3	180	83	56.08
RONJIE PALOMPO	WIZARDS	8	8,852	227	6	-25	2	0	133	48	39.00
IARMAN COLLARD	WIZARDS	9	9,988	220	8	12	6	0	133	60	45.40
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MARCUS DORLANDT (W.	WIZARDS	2	1097	25	0	1	1	0	100	. 0	43.88



## NAREMBEEN AND BRUCE ROCK DARTS ASSOCIATION



#### Results from Brownley's Plumbing & Gas Round 2 Week 5

Gala Night Played Friday 21st May 2021 at The Bruce Rock District Club

MAGPIES	v	ROYALS	
9		2	
WIZARDS	V	JETS	
4		7	
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RRIICE ROCK	V	MC SHARKS	

League Ladder

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TEAM	PLAYED	WON	LOST	LEGS FOR	LEGS AGAINST	LEGS DIFFERENCE	POINTS
JETS	10	8	2	74	36	+38	16
MC SHARKS	10	8	2	69	41	+28	16
MAGPIES	10	5	5	61	49	+12	10
WIZARDS	10	5	5	60	50	+10	10
BRUCE ROCK	10	2	8	35	75	-40	4
ROYALS	10	2	8	31	79	-48	4

#### HIGH AVERAGES (50+)

Ron Rojas (56.38); Dom Sampi (54.21); Gavin Brownley (54.07); Steve McConachy (52.42); Justin Watts (51.96)

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#### PEGS (50+ in Bold)

Gavin Brownley (40,-,10); Greg Bond (-,2,-); Steve McConachy (-,51,18); Damien Bow (56,4,8); Angus Padfield (-,-,10); Wally Patterson (-,-,54); Rhys Cousins (-,-,16); Ron Rojas (-,-,12); Lindsay Brown (-,-,16); Dom Sampi (-,24,-); Jarman Collard (-,50,-); Lindsay Hill (8,-,-); Lee Griffiths (-,-,16); Neville Brandis (38,-,16); Mike Darby (-,32,25); Mark Brown (-,-,30); Wayne Wisnewski (-,2,-); Enerson Gamiao (2,-,-); Murray Smith (-,-,12); Max Dove (-,-42); Mal Higgins (5,-,49); Justin Watts (-,-,14); Dale McKinnon (-,-,4); Nathan Black (-,40,-); Craig Roissetter (-,40,8)

#### HIGH SCORES (101+)

Gavin Brownley (180); Dom Sampi (140); Lindsay Brown (140); Rhys Cousins (135); Dale McKinnon (135); Mai Higgins (133); Greg Bond (132); Max Dove (131); Steve McConachy (121); Enerson Gamiao (121); Jarman Collard (121); Ron Rojas (105); Dean Butler (101)

#### 100 CLUE

Justin Watts (4); Craig Roissetter (3); Dom Sampi (2); Dean Butler (2); Ron Rojas (3); Steve McConachy (1); Neville Brandis (3); Josh Irving (1); Lindsay Hill (1); Mark Cattle (1); Wayne Wisnewski (1)

#### BEST OVER AVERAGE

Dale McKinnon (+11.08); Enerson Gamiao (+8.09); Josh Irving (+7.14); Lee Griffith (+7.11); Wally Patterson (+6.00)

THIS WEEKS FIXTURES Elders Real Estate Round 3 Week 1 Friday 28th May 2021, 'Game On' 7,30pm

Magpies v MC Sharks at Bruce Rock Hotel

Royals v Wizards at Narembeen Workers Hotel Bar & Bistro

Bruce Rock v Jets at Bruce Rock District Club

The Narembeen & Bruce Rock Darts Association Would Like to Thank Gavin & Malene Brownley and the Boys from Brownley's Plumbing & Gas for Their Generous Sponsorship of Round 2







#### **Better Again**

One of the great things to see in country footy, well I suppose all footy, is when you can see noticeable improvement in teams, in individuals and in whole clubs. As season 2021 rolls towards the mid point, the Narembeen Footy Club is continually ticking all these boxes. A great example of that was the effort the club was quarter. The Hawks midfield started getting beaten and able to put together as the took on Burracoppin last Saturday.

The Ressies got jumped. Really jumped. Five minutes into the second quarter they were down seven goals to none and things looked grim. It would be really easy for a Ressies side to lay down and die in such a situation. It would be easy to just accept a situation and not care about getting belted. This wasn't the case for the Narem Ressies though, as they stood up to the challenge.

The ensuing two and a half quarters proved to be an arm wrestle of the most impressive proportions. Ben Latham and Nikau Brown led a backline that refused to allow a mark for the opposition and got the ball going their way at every opportunity. Danny Conway did a wonderful job on the talented Michael Hayden and the Ressies were getting themselves back in the game.

After half time the Ressies kept their intensity up and controlled a great part of the third quarter into what was a handy breeze. Dan Waldorf once again gave a huge effort in the ruck and started to get used up as a target through the middle of the ground. Contributions were coming from all over the ground and it was really an outstanding effort. They may not have won but their ability to defend and refusal to give up was a credit to all of them.

Ressies 3-4 22

Burracoppin 10-6 66

Best Players: Latham, Waldorf, N.Brown, D.Conway, Brady Garlick

The Hawks started the contest with the breeze and looked the better side early. Their half back line was again showing an ability to get the ball back and Cody Duncan

was looking to be damaging with the ball on the turn over. New Hawk; Drew Pearman set the tone early in the middle of the ground, as he won the ball out of the contest and allowed his midfield to move the ball fast.

The Cats showed a level of resilience which was a credit to them, as they dominated the early parts of the second some intelligent use of the ball allowed the talented Corey Craine into the contest and hit the scoreboard. At half time the contest was on and the Hawks needed to keep improving.

Improvement was the best adjective for what happened after the long break. The coach played his best game since his return as he provided a taller target forward of the footy and along with the consistently improving Connor Spinks gave the Hawks a way into goal which was proving hard for the Cats to stop. The Hawks were improving as they were finding space and being damaging with the footy.

James Kennedy is a good footballer. His ability to play much taller than he is coupled with a hardness at the contest makes him difficult to stop. His move into the middle of the ground gave Pearman great assistance and had a big say in the Hawks dominating the second half. A second half where the home side kicked twelve goals and would go on to win by eleven. It was an ever improved effort.

Hawks 19-9 123

Burracoppin 8-6 54

Best: Kennedy, Spinks, Pearman, Sam Bald, Jayden Hooper, Duncan

There's a bubble around the town about the footy club that once was the norm for the Narembeen Footy Club but hasn't really been present since the heady days of the first decade of the century. People seem to be coming to watch the footy like once before and also hanging around in the club on the night of the game. While there certainly is a long way to go we should never let the result influence our judgment of improvement. For win, lose or draw the Hawks are a club that are constantly on the improve,







#### Excitement...

It's fun when things are exciting. People start finding energy easier to come by. More people come round to see what the fuss is about. There's always something to talk about as people are impatient to see what happened. Then of course, the best bit about excitement, is that people smile and laugh.

It's been a while since excitement has made it's way to the Narembeen Footy Club. It was flirted with in 2017 and 2019 but really it hasn't made it's way through the doors of Hawks Parks since the heady days of the previous decade when wins were plentiful and crowds were huge. While there is some way to go before a return to those kinds of days the start of the year has certainly reminded people around the club just how much fun footy can be.

The Hawks are up and about after some good wins and a growing brand of footy. The side seems to have gelled quickly and gelled well. The brand which was dangerously one way at the start of the year has developed a defensive aspect to it that sees the ball won back consistently through the middle of the ground and swung back the other side at pace. Simply put they have become a side that is increasingly hard to score against.

Up the other end of the ground they are building a forward line that is getting better with every run. While it lacks in height it makes up for it in mobility and options. They are growing their ability to pressure the ball that gets out and are becoming all the better at making the most of the opportunities that they are creating. Simply put they are making the most of the cattle they have.

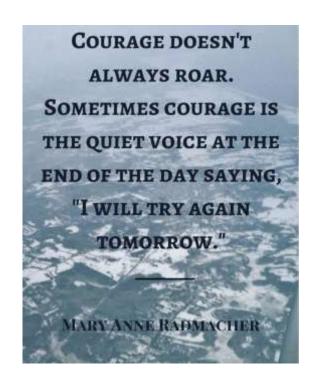
When it is all weighed up however perhaps the most exciting part about the side is that they seem to be improving every week. In a sign that the coaching staff has the players on board they are training well and getting better. Over the six weeks of the season they have improved their ability to get the ball back. They have improved their use of the ball and also their ability

to put pressure on the opposition with both physicality and also the way they work hard enough to shut down the options that their opponents are presented with when they have the ball. All of this makes for a side that is fun to watch and that's exciting.

What's also exciting is the fact that, again for the first time in a long time, the Ressies are also up and about. Ressies footy is a different beast to the League side but vitally important for so many reasons to any footy club. A band of regulars are fronting up for the Ressies as the side looks to continue to build it's numbers as we move towards the run home. There are young blokes playing good footy and the club has even found a couple of Irishmen (despite the pandemic) to introduce to our great game.

As I said before the best bit about excitement is it makes people wonder what will happen next. Wonder about result and look forward to what goes on around those results. It is exciting to wonder whether your footy club might be successful. It is exciting to look forward to what might happen after footy and its exciting to see young players keen to play for the footy club. Narembeen finds itself with all these things going on at the moment. Long let it continue.

**Craig Gmeiner** 





#### NAREMBEEN NETBALL CLUB

PO BOX 133 NAREMBEEN WA 6369

PRESIDENT: BRIT DUNCAN SECRETARY: KELLY LYON TREASURER: BEC WANLESS 0417 612 045 0427 647 635 0439 334 056

This week all teams traveled to Corrigin.

NB1 49 v CR1 35 NB2 21 v CR3 30 NB3 61 v CR4 12 NB4 17 v CR5 11

Please RSVP ASAP for the Narembeen Netball Club 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner – 12<sup>th</sup> June 2021, please see invite for details.

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#### "The Joan McCutcheon Courts"

Please find attached an invitation to the Official Naming of our netball courts.

Joan was the driving force behind the establishment of junior netball in Narembeen & surrounding towns, and the founder of the Narembeen Junior Netball Association within CDNA.

She was a respected Life member of CDNA, Narembeen Netball Club & Narembeen Junior Netball Association. Joan was a passionate advocate of netball.



## Narembeen Hockey



Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

#### A grade Burracoppin v Narembeen 3-1

Another overcast and warm day on Saturday saw us take on a tough and in form Burracoppin side. With Burracoppin winning the toss they decided to take the initial pass back. However, Hannah Kerse started us off with an interception of this and then we were in attack. Initially we found it difficult to play our own game, but with plenty of positive talk on the field and our inspirational coaches, we soon bought it back and were able to make inroads into the attacking circle and have many attempts at goals off short corners. As we moved towards the end of the first half, and Caz Robbo (Caroline Robinson) moving from the back line into a striker role, we were able to finally convert field play into a goal. However, as the second half began to unfold Burracoppin were able to answer that back with a goal of their own. Early in the fourth quarter Tayla Atkins was able to convert a short corner into a terrific goal after excellent movement around the circle. This was followed closely behind with a field goal from Caz Robbo which started with amazing play from Mel Baldwin in the back line. Nat Browning made a comeback this week and we look forward to seeing a lot more of her on the field.

B Grade Burracoppin v Narembeen 2-0

Juniors Burracoppin V Narembeen 0-2

Last Saturday we played hockey against Burracoppin. It was a good game. We had to fight hard for our goals. The game ended with Narembeen 2, Burracoppin 0. Our goals were scored by Noah Browning and Noah Smoker, both were scored off short corners. Our defense worked hard for the whole game to keep Burracoppin from getting any goals. We would like to thank Imogen Hickey for stepping up as goalie this week and we think we had such a good game because everyone worked well as a team. Thanks to Mrs Caz Robinson for coaching us, we really look forward to playing hockey every week.

@ Peaceful Mind Peaceful Life

"There are two types of tired: One that requires rest, & one that requires peace."

- UNKNOWN



## Narembeen Golf

An urgent order has gone out for some night sight glasses—only \$15 on eBay!

It was cold, wet and very dark as the last of the men found the clubhouse after their 30 hole Canadian Foursomes Championship on Sunday. Apparently the last in couldn't even find the hole!

Twenty four men hit off in balmy conditions, but the task of finding the first drives, let alone deciding which was preferred, took its toll. Not even the soup and toasties helped. One set of crafty men checked the weather radar and got in ok but we think the sledging and mind games held up the other side. The survivors and winners of the gross were Mike Currie and Damon Hayter 134 from R/up Greg Vaughan and Tim Cusack 136. The nett winners were John Currie and Dan Gray 127 from Mike and Damon 127.25. Novelty winners were Long Dong#1 Cody Duncan and Mitch Miolini, Best 2<sup>nd</sup>#7 and NP #17 Mike and Damon, Best 2<sup>nd</sup>#14 Scott Stirrat and Dave Blurton .

On Wednesday the women played for the Sherrie Heather trophy, a stableford and Gina DeLuis romped it in with a great 37 pts from Nat Kilminster on 33 on a c/b from Anita Cowan who always keeps us honest. Good scores were Julie Miller and Carol Currie 32. NP#2 was Anita and Longest Putt #18 was Gina. Then on Sunday the women managed to speed around the course and Carol Currie had a ripper 37 pts including a birdie on 11. It was good to be a spectator. Miranda Noak grabbed a 34 and Joan Cusack clawed her way to a 32!-and then the hot food was very welcome.

Please remember to pay your subs ASAP. Full-\$160, Country-\$60, Social-\$25 online at BSB 306-026 Acct No 5159579.

"Golf is a game, invented by God to punish men who retire early."

## BİRTIDƏYS



May

26th	Lynett Sabbagh(Fagan)	Maria (De stefano) Lopez	Gary Sinclair
	Steve Smith	Cobie Stirrat	
27th	Darien (Hayter) Pascoe	Gloria Smith	Kelly VanViersen
28th	Michael Thomas	Sasha Thomas	Jamee Thomas
29th	John Currie (Jnr)	Jamie Pini	Lynda Cornish
30th	Kingsley Bristow	Michael Butler	

June

1st Gordon Shattock 2nd Helen Fidge

Shana Schwartz

Justin VanViersen

Troy DellaVedova

**Mandy Tancred** 

Helena Bailey



May 28th Joe & Wendy (Aird) Wilson

29th

31st

30th Julie (Menegola) & Craig Kennedy

31st

June 1st Peter & Lucy Lines

2nd Michael & Kerry (Cheetham) Jones Vera (Cosh) & John DeLuis 1962

## Man and a second



Day	Date	Max (°C)	Min (°C)	Rainfall (mm)
Tuesday	18th May	23.8	11.9	
Wednesday	19th May	24	11.4	
Thursday	20th May	26.4	11.9	
Friday	21st May	27	8.6	
Saturday	22nd May	27.3	9.7	3.2
Sunday	23rd May	17.8	10.8	4.2
Monday	24th May	14.3	5.4	



## **CHURCH NOTICES**



#### ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN

No Service this Sunday 30th May

#### **Church of Christ**

**Sunday 10.30am at Bruce Rock** 

No service at Narembeen

#### **Seventh Day Adventist**

105 Church Rd, Mt Walker Saturday, May 29.

**10:00 am. Senior's Bible Study**, under the Current series heading, "The PROMISE". This week's lesson is "Covenant **Sign** and the Key Text is Exodus 31:16.

**Sabbath School** will be available for kids too at this time.

**11:30** am. Worship Service – Dr Lindsay – "The World Compelled to Worship", via video.

You can follow the current Bible Study series on your VAST TV on Channel 603 at 4:00 am on Mondays (if you can't sleep or would like to record it to follow this 5 part study throughout the week) before it's on again at 4:00pm on Fridays, or there is another shorter program, "Let God Speak" at 7:00 pm Fridays.

Terry & Rhonda Ashmore 9061 7032, 0427 907 119 or 0417 907 119. Pastor Lomani -0429 770 331.

### ROMAN CATHOLIC

OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday, 29th May 6pm

Reader: M. Hall

Contact: R Hickey 0428 132 454

J Cusack 0408 064 727

Cleaning: J Cusack



#### 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

ST JOHN AMBULANCE - PHONE 000 Do not call the hospital for an ambulance in an emergency.

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

At Narembeen Medical Centre

### **COMING EVENTS**

May	2021		
Wednesday	26th	REED Narembeen bookings ADMIN 68 323 825 Nb Golf– Ladies: Carol Currie Trophy Par	8.30am - 5.30pm 11.45am
Thursday	27th	Men's Shed	9.00am
		Numbats: Phone bookings from 8.00am 0422 322 289	8.30am - 5.30pm
		Autumn Club	10.00am-2.00pm
		Australia's Biggest Morning Tea at the CRC	10am
Friday	28th	Playgroup at Numbats Centre	9.30am
		STEM Storytime at the CRC	10.30am
		NDHS Cross country run at the school Darts- Royals v Wizards at Narembeen	1.15pm
Saturday	29th	Church	
		Men's Community Shed	9.00am
		Hockey– Narembeen v Merredin	11.15am
		Football– Kulin/Kondinin v Narembeen at Kulin	11am
		Netball– Nb1 Ku1, Nb2 v Hy1, Nb3 v Ku2, Nb4 v Ku3 Gala Day at Hyden	
Sunday	30th	Church	
		Nb Golf– Men: C Duncan Trophy Par, Ladies; Sweepstakes	
		Mt Walker Golf– stableford	11.45am
Monday	31st		
		Circuit Gym	9.30am
		Arts and Crafts and Book Exchange at Community Shed	10.00am-4.00pm
Tuesday	1st	Senior Citizens	2.00pm
		REED Narembeen bookings ADMIN 68 323 825	8.30am - 5.30pm
		Badminton at Town Hall	6.30pm
		Lions Club meeting	
Wednesday	2nd	REED Narembeen bookings ADMIN 68 323 825	8.30am - 5.30pm
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		Nb Golf– Ladies: Captains Trophy Stroke	11.45

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