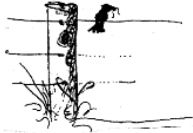


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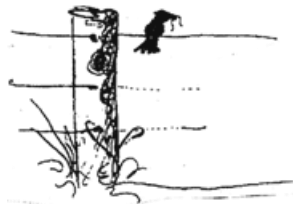
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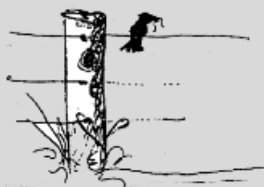
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Over the Fence....

A SPECIAL NIGHT OUT

What a wonderful night I had at the School on Wednesday 21st June for the "Parent" night. Although I am not a parent, I went to represent the Historical Society as the Year 1 class had their museum open for viewing. It was great to see our items on display and I am sure the parents enjoyed their time on the manual typewriter and using the dip and scratch pen and ink. What a surprise it was to see all the classrooms so colourful and full of exciting and informative displays. An enormous amount of work went into the night by the teachers. It is vastly different now from when I went to school (it was 60 years ago so I do hope so) we had a desk, chair, blackboard to look at and the teacher also had only a desk and chair. Now there are ipads, computer screens etc. etc. Even though it was a cold night I am sure the parents and children enjoyed it as much as I did. Makes me want to go back to school!!!

Lorraine Lethlean

BEREAVEMENT

Allen Martin, ex resident of Narembeen, passed away in Narrogin last week, aged 75.

Allen's parents farmed in West Narembeen on Damon Road many years ago. Their 6 children attended the Narembeen School.

After the farm was sold Allen worked in various jobs in Narembeen, including on the Shire Council for several years. He married Barbara Garbutt, a widow with two children, Mark and Susan, and they had two more girls together – Shelley and Caroline. The family lived in Brown Street until the girls reached senior high school, they then moved to Perth.

Allen worked for a time at the Woolstores and later for his nephew Terrence who had a contract roadside mowing and maintenance business.

Barbara died whilst undergoing heart surgery a few year ago.

Allen was a country boy who did not settle too well in Perth.

He retired to Narrogin about two years ago.

Mary Johns

Driving home the point

Here's an analogy that might help clarify the vaccine debacle and explain why older Australians are shunning the COVID-19 vaccination.

Fred has decided he wants a new car. Two models are available, the AsZenwagon and the Pfizmobile. Both models are imported with the AsZenwagon being the cheapest. However cost is not a factor as his old mate, Scotty Morrison, has offered to pay.

So Fred does his research and reads up on both models. Both were released in November 2020 and, whilst the AsZenwagon comes from Oxford (which Fred associates with reliable vehicles from his past), the reviews raise some doubts in Fred's mind.

First, reliability. The AsZenwagon only starts 70 per cent of the time, meaning that for 30 per cent of the time he'll be going nowhere. The Pfizmobile on the other hand has a reliability factor of 95 per cent — much better!

But the one ominous thing that catches Fred's eye is talk of a design flaw in the AsZenwagon. Apparently, in very rare circumstances (about one in 100,000) the throttle jams fully open and the brakes disengage meaning that there is a chance (albeit slim) that Fred could hurtle off a cliff in his shiny new AsZenwagon to his death.

"Bugger that," says Fred, "I'm not taking the chance of

buying a lemon and ending up dead." He heads off to his local Pfizmobile dealer. The Pfizmobile dealer, resplendent in his Armani suit, looks Fred up and down.

"So you'd like a Pfizmobile would you?" says the dealer.

"Yes please," replies Fred.

"How old are you," inquires the dealer peering down at Fred's wrinkled countenance.

"Sixty three, why?" Fred responds.

"I'm so sorry," says the dealer, "but we don't sell Pfizmobiles to boomers."

And with that Fred is quickly hustled out and on to the pavement.

Fred considers his now only option, the AsZenwagon, and shakes his head. He shrugs, turns up the collar of his overcoat and says: "In that case I'll bloody walk."

Colin Richardson, Cannington

SOCK WEEK 2021

Save Our Country Kids

Stay safe and alert on regional roads

28 June – 4 July 2021

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SOCK Coffee Chat
10.00am – The Co-Op

Monday
28
JUNE

Tuesday
29
JUNE

**Know Your Car –
Basic Mechanic Skills Workshop**
5.00pm – AMAC Mechanical



Wednesday
30
JUNE

Wake Up Wednesday
All day – The Co-Op &
Narembeen Roadhouse



Thursday
01
JULY

Let's talk Road Safety
7.00pm – Rec Centre



Friday
02
JULY



Fluro Friday
All day

Friday Night Memorial
6.30pm –
Rec Centre





Narembeen Police

June 2021

G'day folks,

As the new Sergeant in town thanks to those whom I've met thus far for your warm welcome and I wish to acknowledge the outgoing Sergeant Richie Conkling for his time in Narembeen.

I am my least favourite subject to write about so best trap me in the street for a chat. In short, married, 2 daughters and 3 grandkids that keep us young. 30+ years in policing with a lot of lived experience which I hope can benefit Narembeen.

Adriaan and I have taken a couple of weeks getting to know each other to establish some ground rules so you have a good understanding of what to expect from your local police moving forward.

Our focus is harm reduction, being visible and proactively engaging the various cohorts which make up our community. If there is a community event which you feel police should be aware of, or the event may benefit having a police presence I encourage you to reach out to us.

Those that should get nervous, be warned of my zero tolerance non-negotiables.

Family Violence - having so much campaigning on this matter I simply reinforce community expectations, be it physical or intimidatory behaviour police will respond with action.

Drink & Drug Driving - I do not consider your position in the community, anyone stopped in a vehicle can expect a preliminary breath test. Both officers in Narembeen are also Drug Testers with new legislation coming on board in July for drivers whom commit both offences at the same time.

Illicit Drugs - whilst gossip is common, do not assume we know everything. Crime Stoppers 1800 333 000 or pull me aside for a quiet one on one. Together we can make a difference.

We will maintain other business activities in the community that you have come to expect from local police and will continue working together on strategies to keep a healthy Narembeen community.

Kind Regards

Steve SZOKOLAI
Sergeant 8675
Narembeen Police Station
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SOCK Coffee Chat

Monday
28
JUNE

10.00am - The Co-Op
25 Churchill Street, Narembeen WA 6369

Join us for a coffee and chat with our Emergency Services Volunteers at the Narembeen Co-Op.



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Know Your Car - Basic Mechanic Skills Workshop

Tuesday
29
JUNE

5.00pm - AMAC Mechanical
2 Doreen Street, Narembeen WA 6369

Basic mechanical skills workshop, where you can learn all about your car. Everyone welcome.



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Wake up Wednesday

Wednesday
30
JUNE

All Day - The Co-Op & Narembeen Roadhouse
25 Churchill Street & 1 Currall Street, Narembeen WA 6369

Take a break and stop for a coffee at the Co-Op or Roadhouse all day Wednesday and receive a free SOCK keyring with every purchase. \$1 per coffee will be donated towards SOCK Week 2022.



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Let's Talk Road Safety

Thursday
01
JULY

7.00pm - Narembeen Recreation Centre
Currall Street, Narembeen WA 6369

Join the local sporting clubs and other community members in a conversation about Road Safety. FREE soft drinks and water bottles will be available for all drivers.



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Fluoro Friday

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JULY

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Friday Night Memorial

Friday
02
JULY

6.30pm - Narembeen Recreation Centre
Currall Street, Narembeen WA 6369

Join us for the premiere of the SOCK Week Poem Video and light a candle in memory of a loved one for the SOCK Week 2021 Finale Night.



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NAREMBEEN NETBALL CLUB

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Narembeen Netball Club 51st Anniversary was celebrated 12th June 2021 at the Narembeen Club. There were approximately 150 past & present members attend. We were overwhelmed by the amount of past members that made the effort to travel far & wide to help celebrate this milestone.

The Anniversary celebrations started at 5.30pm at the Narembeen Club. We would like to thank past member Jane Gould who Mc'd the event and kept the formal proceedings rolling Jane style. Brit Duncan welcomed everyone & Chris Arnold spoke about the clubs successful history, I have attached these speeches for those interested. Our life members, Helen Hunter, Chris Arnold, Bev Hunter, Carolyn Fagan, Amanda Hall, Jo Slade & Tenille Cole popped a bottle of Champas to toast the Netball Club & Cut the cake, they kept us entertained with few stories. The executive committee Brit Duncan, Kel Lyon, Beccy Wanless & Ashleigh Hunter presented the McCutcheon Family with a plaque, in honour of Joan McCutcheon & her dedication to the Netball Club, which will be displayed at the Netball Shed.

The venue was decorated in memorabilia dating back to 1970, perpetual trophies, honour board with majority of our records, old to current uniforms from over 25 years ago, game write ups, old poems, grand final medallions & a slideshow continued throughout the night with hundreds of photos throughout the years. The roof was draped with festoon lights & tables decorated in native flowers. There was a wooden arbor for speeches draped with a maroon & gold balloon garland with rustic neon 50 lights. The two-tiered cake that was supplied by Em Miolini was displayed proudly on a rustic wine barrel. The venue looked fantastic and was buzzing with excitement of everyone coming together to reminisce & celebrate. After main meal Sophie Jane Duo entertained us until late in the night, some spectacular dance moves were witnessed & we were even treated with our club anthem "I am women". Bet there were some sore feet and croaky voices the next day!

A Huge thanks goes to the Anniversary Committee that put this event together, even when Covid decided to postpone the event for a year, they still managed to make the night a night to remember, THANK YOU Amanda Hall, Bev Hunter, Tenille Cole & Kel Lyon for their endless hours of planning. Thanks to Gav Cole who helped with the set up & mad dash to Perth for supplies & anyone who helped in the days leading upto the event.

We would like to thank the Narembeen Club who hosted us & were very accommodating in the days leading upto the event, and to the bar staff who did a tremendous job & were kept in their toes all night.

A huge shout out to Kim Thorn who did a power of work catering for the event, the food was delicious with many compliments received by the guests. Thanks to Kim's helpers in the kitchen & to Lucy Lines & the Narembeen High School Students who did the waitressing throughout the night. Thanks to Em Miolini for making the amazing cake.

Entertainment: Sophie Jane Duo
Photographer: Em Louise Photography
Cake: Em Miolini Cakes
Catering: Kim Thorn

Thank you to Jacquie Lacy & Kim & Sue Butler for donating towards the event. And to Total Ag, Azz & Kel Lyon for organizing & paying for the Photographer, they will present the photos in a photobook to display at out 75th anniversary, these photos will be available soon. Our members are very appreciative of your support.



Speeches from the evening;

Brit Duncan, President

“Welcome Life Members, Patronesses, Past & Present Members to the 51st Anniversary of the Naremben Netball Club. It is amazing to look around and see so many familiar faces here to celebrate our club and its history. And what a history it is! Although I think it’s best I leave the history lesson to Arnold, who I’m fairly certain can remember every centre pass of every game she’s ever coached and played!

Thank you to all those who attended the official naming of The Joan McCutcheon courts in honour of all Joan’s achievements within our community and certainly towards our netball club.

A massive thank you must of course go to our committee of Kell, Mudge, Bevv & Nearly (and apparently Gav did some heavy lifting so thank you), you guys have put in an enormous amount of time, hard work and I’m sure a lot of stress thanks to covid. But congrats you guys, the night is finally here and it is amazing!

And of course along with our committee nights like this wouldn’t go ahead without support from our local businesses and families so thank you to Jacquie Lacy & Kim & Butler for you donations along with Azza & Kell at Total Ag for donating the photography. To Kim Thorn and her helpers for catering and to the Naremben Club Inc for hosting.

To all past & present members, thank you for your contributions over the last 51 years to the Naremben Netball Club. Our club is certainly one to be proud of and that’s because of you guys. I know I am honoured to have grown up here amongst you all.... Although I’m not exactly sure just how much I’ve grown up. But that’s enough out of me, let’s everyone have a ripper of a night and here’s to the next 51 years.”

Chris Arnold – Brief History of the Naremben Netball Club

“What a history, what a club, what an amazing legacy we have built! From little things big things grow. From one senior team in 1970, playing against teams in Bruce Rock, with Deidre Walker our very first President, and her husband painting netball court lines on the old tennis courts where the skate board park is now, to the successful club we have built together. I am not sure how many of us here can say this, but it is an unfortunate fact of life that I am old enough to remember playing junior netball at the Naremben school and senior netball at the old courts which became Apex Park. Many of us here will recall the names Swans, Mandarins and Bubbles for our junior teams as well as Hells Angels, Misfits, Hawkettes, Kats, Harlequins and Saints for our seniors.

A snapshot of our success in the A1 division of C & DNA is that since 1976, because although Hells Angels were Runners UP in 1972 and won the premiership in 1973, we didn’t permanently compete as a club in the association until then, Naremben has contested every A1 grand final except 1984. They have, in that time, won 35 Premierships from 44 attempts, 21 of which, from 1994 through to 2014 inclusive, were in a row, every season as undefeated champions, how good was that! This has continued since then, with five more years from 2016 – 2020 seeing us become the undefeated premiers. If we do the maths, Naremben were Runners Up on nine occasions, and twice, in 1989 and 2006, we were both Champions and Runners Up, because we played the dreaded derby grand finals, games which pitted our teams against each other, not easy but we managed it!

B Grade, was introduced to the competition in 1980, and records we have found, show that we contested 26 grand finals, some of them derby’s, and won 17 of them. There were years in these, that the B grade competition did not occur. In our A2, again with a spattering of derby grand finals we have, since 1986, contested 30 grand finals that we can find records for and, won 21 of them. That is, from the records we can find, 38 definite premierships from these two grades, B & A2, from 1980 and 86 respectively.

So, since 1976, a span of 45 years netballers from Narembeen have, over three grades, from the records we have been able to find, contested a total of 100 grand finals, and won 73 premierships, and this does not include the early U/13 wins or the U/16 premierships, of which there were many. Seriously, this is such an enviable record, which would have to make us one of the most successful clubs in WA. We have a tremendous culture and I am very proud to have involved in it for, well, the past 51 years!

Since our last reunion in 1995, we have had six new Life Members join Chris Barret and myself, Bev Hunter in '95, Helen Hunter & Carolyn Fagan in '02, Amanda Hall in '08, and just last year, Joey Slade and Tenille Cole. We did of course, lose our first Life Member, with the passing of Mum in 2012. Bev Hunter also became a Life Member of C & DNA, joining Barrrett and myself, in 2002. We now have wonderful new club members taking on every executive position that they can, doing netta, junior coaching and holding C & DNA positions, so this club is in great hands and we oldies cannot thank you enough for having the same passion as us. At this stage, I would also like to mention other stalwarts of the club, Pauline and John Kuhne, who have done a power of work over many decades, assisting us as players, coaches and administrators, without actually holding a position in the club. I would also like to recognise long serving patroness Elise Palmer, who you might not know was an original Hell's Angel and our current patroness and wonderful long time supporter, Doreen Bookham.

There are too many great winners of both club and association trophies to mention, as you can be see by checking out the honour board. On the subject of awards, you may think that it is the A1 Fairest and Best trophy, or the Beacham Most Consistent or Gould Best Position award that everyone wants to win. You would think wrong. Just this week I heard a player, no names mentioned, who was bemoaning the years of consistent effort she had put in for this award, to be pipped at the post by a one off display of excellence. She is continuing to build on her efforts, as are a few of our younger players, and develop her skills and have one more crack at the coveted trophy. The big silver mug, donated by the original role model for the award, one Helen Hunter, is the annual PP award, and it is this that we also strive for. Can you guess for instance, what myself, Gail Epiro, Helen Hunter, Jo Slade and Britt Duncan have in common, we are the only multiple year winners of this prized honour. So, I have to say, just keep trying, and take some notes from the greats! There are so many names of this trophy that bring back the best memories, Caz Copeman, Sara Duff, Bron Hooper, Kel Lyon, Kerryne Cowan, Anne Siviour and Jackie Moses just to name a few. Seriously however, netball is a great game and being a team sport, with it comes the amazing comradery that builds life-long friendships, and basically, sees us have the best of times on a Saturday evening, often leading to the worst of times on Sunday mornings. I remember the wins, the premierships and the losses, but it is the friendships I have made, the nights sliding on pool tables, commando crawling through vacant blocks at midnight, bar dancing, singing 'I am Woman' into empty champas bottles or vacuum cleaner nozzles, catching people falling off stools, being caught falling off stools or out of buses, the mystery weekends, especially ones with too much vodka and of course, the best bus trips, dressed in the weirdest gear, that are the greatest memories, the ones that mean so much to me and hopefully to those of you who have been lucky enough to be a part of them.

Narembeen Netball Club is a family, we have done so well over the years and it is my hope that it can continue to shine as a sporting club more many more to come. Be proud, stay connected and always remember our catch cry, GO HARD OR GO HOME!! "



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Any enquiries beforehand phone Jill on 0488 770 099



What you ride to the ground in....

Once described as the thing you ride to the ground in, coaches may well have never held as much importance in the EDFL as they do today. By my reckoning, as we all sit here on a chilly Sunday morning, five teams sit on five wins and all with percentages that aren't all that different to each other. These five are evenly matched and are all capable of good footy on their day. The challenge going forward could well be, how do they get the best out of what they have got.

Good coaches do a lot of things and one of them is creating an environment where they can get more out of their collective than their laid out talent suggests. What this means is they can get their group to work together in a manner which allows the way the group plays to overcome any team that has talent that is superior to their own. For those footy nuffies reading, a great example of this is the way Alistair Clarkson was able to get Hawthorn over the line in 2008.

Creating that environment can be tough as you have so many different personalities in the room. It is rare that all of the players in the side will get on which makes the juggling act even harder. In country footy this is combined with the fact the group is often split, with some in Perth and some at home, a fact that makes cohesion even harder to achieve. Coaching is tough.

Next a good coach needs to be able to react on game day. Yesterday I saw an impressive example of that. In the first half against Narembreen the Corrigin coach, Darian Smith, played his trump card off a back flank. Ex-AFL player Josh Bootsma was given the chance to zone off, read the play and use his foot skills to get the Tigers rolling. It was a good move and with the game on a knives edge it was holding true to the fact that defence is more important than attack.

Or is it? Just before half time Narembreen lost their in form centre half back Jayden Hooper. Hooper was in prime form and was just coming off a best on ground performance against Hyden. Without him though the Hawks lack size in their defence and this is where Smith made his move. He moved Bootsma forward after half time in a move that stretched the Hawks out too far. Three goals in the first seven or eight minutes after half time busted the game open and proved the importance of good coaching.

The top four in the EDFL could well go down to the wire, indeed the whole thing looks to be really close. Players will do the work, no doubt, they will put it on the line. However, with the pressure rising on every game it will be good coaches that gets sides over the line. Coaches that handle the ups and downs the best, coaches that keep their group together and wanting to move forward. Coaches who can make their group greater than the sum of it's parts suggest it is. Whichever coach can do this the best may well have a journey they will never forget. It's gonna be worth watching.



What happens next.....

What happens next is all that matters in so many things. Especially in sport. Even more so in footy. This is all that a club can control and also all that an individual can influence. What happens next. With the season getting towards the pointy end this is all that really matters.

On Saturday the Ressies achieved their third win on the trot with a strong win against a competitive Corrigin side. The boys started well early as they locked the ball in their half of the ground and if they had kicked straight could have really put the Tigers away early. Nikau Brown was proving a hard match up across half forward and Ben Hunter was finding some space across the same line.

The Tigers would prove hard to shake though as they defended well and repelled many of the Ressies forward sorties through the rest of the contest. Cooper Sprigg made a strong return to the side as he continued his development as a midfielder. He often sacrificed himself to close down opportunities for the Tigers to move the ball fast. Danny Conway showed his development as he revelled in an opportunity to get up the ground and won good contested footy on a wing.

After half time the game became a bit of an arm wrestle as the Ressies found hitting the scoreboard difficult as they fought the strong defence of their opposition. Contributors came from right across the ground though as all players played a role. Kyle Della was good in the key defensive post as he came back from a knee injury and the two Latham boys, Ben and Tom, were also influential in keeping the Ressies on top. The three yellow shorters, Cam Hills, Stephen Cummins and Nash Cheetham all did enough to suggest they are growing and improving as footballers which is a positive sign for the footy club.

This win aside though there are exciting times ahead for the boys playing at 12:30. For the first time since a Grand Final appearance in 2015 the Ressies are in the mix. With five rounds to go they sit just percentage out of second spot. So what happens next for the boys is exciting. With a big strong finish to the season they could earn themselves the double chance and a real run at playing some finals.

Ressies	9-13	67
Corrigin	3-1	19

Best: Nikau.Brown, Kyle.Della-vedova, Ben Hunter, Sheldon Miller, Marcus Dorlandt

The League competition is tightest it has been for some years, maybe twenty years. A win vaults a side while a loss brings them crashing back down to earth. After a stirring win against the league leaders last week the Hawks lost on the weekend in a tough encounter against Corrigin. Despite this they do however still have a wonderful chance to return to finals footy. It all really revolves around what happens next.

The Hawks struggled for control in the first quarter against the Tigers as they got beaten out of the middle of the ground and then lacked an avenue through half forward. The backline did thei best to hold firm and it did take some ten minutes for the Tigers to really hit the scoreboard. It seemed an arm wrestle was on the cards. In signs that a good side is building the Hawks responded in the second quarter



as they dominated possession and had seven shots on goal to go in at half time just two points down. A fine effort against a good side.

The test for both sides would come after half time. The third quarter is where so many games are won and lost simply because the likelihood of running a side down in the last is slim. The Hawks got jumped, the combination of good coaching from the opposition and injury to the Hawks saw three goals in quick succession open them up. They did fight back but the damage had been done and making up enough ground before the last quarter proved to be too much.

There were fourteen shots at goal in the last quarter and the Hawks had seven of them. They did however kick 2-5 compared to the Tigers who kicked 5-2, indeed the Tigers would kick 10-4 after half time. That's impressive stuff. I would be easy to get negative about the result. Easy to get buried in what went wrong and where the Hawks were beaten. However, to get too caught up in this would be a mistake.

The Hawks had eighteen shots at goal on the weekend and the Tigers had twenty. To their credit the Tigers kicked wonderfully straight and not for the first time the Hawks did not. The Hawks were beaten and didn't play to their capacity, but they still had nearly the same amount of shots on goal as their opposition. They are still in the four with a genuine shot at playing finals. What is interesting and what is important for the Narembeen Footy Club is what happens next.

Hawks	6-12	48
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Corrigin	14-6	90
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Best: Cody Duncan, Ben Hislop, Mitchell Miolini, Baden Kennedy,

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Achievement...

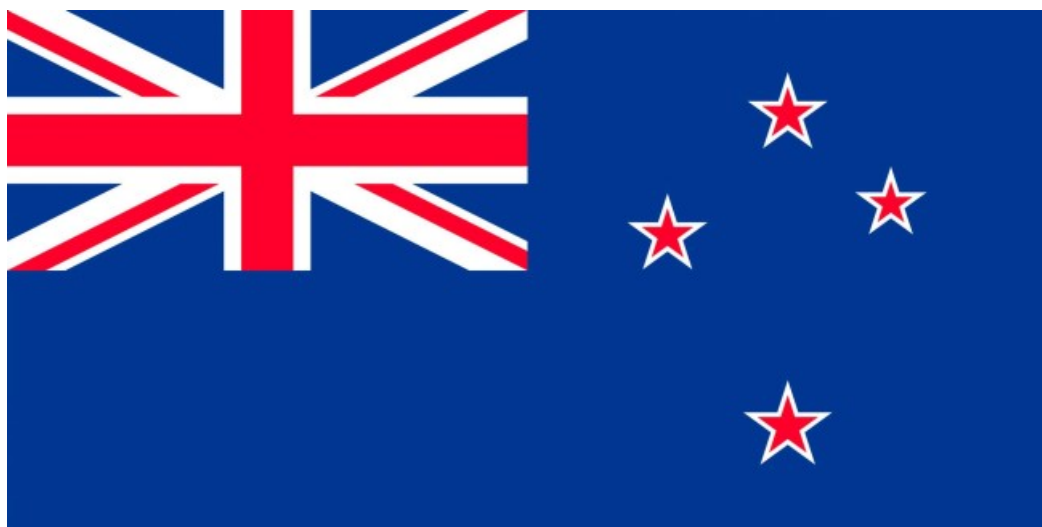
Now I could be wrong but by my reckoning Lindsay Brown came to Narembreen about ten years ago, maybe a bit longer. He would have been in his early to mid twenties. He had spent a bit of time in Mandurah but by the time he lobbed in town, again just by my reckoning, he hadn't been here all that long. It's a long way from the north island of New Zealand to a small dusty town in the wheatbelt of Western Australia, it would have been tough. Strange place, strange people and a strange game played in the winter. Last Saturday Lindsay played his 100th game of that strange game for the footy club of that small dusty town. That's a massive achievement.

Now I have only been around for a little while but try as I might I couldn't think of another player of international origins who has played that much footy for any clubs in the Eastern Districts Football League, certainly not for the Hawks. If anyone reading this knows of someone, please let me know in the comments below. Though this fact, or close to fact, speaks to what Linds has achieved. For his 100 games have included some good league football and two Ressies flags. Not just considering his start in the game but considering any start in the game, that's quite the achievement.

To just speak of games played though would sell short what Linds has not only achieved but what he brought to the footy club. Linds plays his footy with a positivity towards the game and his teammates which is infectious. He is always there for his mates when they need him and always looking to move his team forward. His eldest sons, Jeikwjuan and Nikau, play good senior footy at the club with both showing their father's class in the way they play the game.

Country footy is a wonderful thing and the Narembreen Footy Club is a wonderful club. One of the things that make this true is the achievements you see people make and what they bring to the club. 100 games in a strange game for a small footy club a long way away from your home is a massive achievement. The Narembreen Footy Club is better because of it.

Whakamihi ki a koe Lindsay Brown, I runga I to Kotahi rau Whutupaoro.





NAREMBEEN GOLF CLUB

The Ladies played a Stableford on Wednesday for the Rhonda Cole Trophy.

The scores continued..... as pretty ordinary.

However, we are out there playing and enjoying the 19th hole and that's all that really matters. (Justifying the scores!!)

The Winner with 30pts was Miranda Noack. Runner up Carol Currie with 29.

Annette Main plays 9 holes with us each week and is starting to get the gist of this game!!

It was great to have Louise Ball back playing our course.

On Sunday the Men played a Stableford for the Scott Stirrat Trophy.

The Winner with 36 pts was Robert Hayter. OK. We can all stop feeling sorry for Jack now!

He also managed a betting ball off Brian and John. This made him even happier.

Runner up Mike Currie with 33 on CB from Dan Gray.

Colin Ogilvie, Greg Vaughan and Bardy Parsons all had 31. (Hm... like the Ladies scores!)

The Men had a Busy Bee at the course on Friday. Thanks to all the guys who turned up.

Many hands certainly made light work.

The course is absolutely beautiful. Well done.

This Sunday the Men will play a Stroke round for the Tim Cusack ,Captains Trophy.

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COWAN CUP (LADIES)

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Further Information please contact Carolyn Fagan

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Mt Walker Golf News

Sunday 27th June 2021

This week the usual crowd turned up to battle the windy & cold conditions.

The winner of the day was Darren Phillips with 32 points followed closely by Carol Fagan with 31 points
Then Colin on 28 points .

The novelties were both won by Darren Phillips being LHO #6 & NP #16

This Sunday coming, July 4th, will be our annual Mt Walker Cup (mens), Peter Miolini Shield & Cowan Cup (ladies) day which will start with a running draw at 11am.

So all players are urged to be at the club early along with those playing for the Miolini Trophy to be partnered up so you can hit off together.

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Look forward to seeing you all.

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Player Statistics at the End of Elders Real Estate Round 3												
PLAYER	TEAM	GAMES PLAYED	TOTAL SCORE	TOTAL THROWS	PEGS	X'S	100'S	180'S	HI SCORE	HI PEG	AVERAGE	PEG AVERAGE
MAL HIGGINS	BRUCE ROCK	13	15,715	368	17	41	2	0	137	49	42.70	21.6
GARRY WISNEWSKI	BRUCE ROCK	3	3,191	89	1	7	2	0	100	16	35.85	89.0
PAUL HUTTON	BRUCE ROCK	13	14,307	400	5	39	1	0	125	32	35.77	80.0
MAX DOVE	BRUCE ROCK	8	9,032	241	4	18	0	0	131	42	37.48	60.3
WAYNE WISNEWSKI	BRUCE ROCK	13	14,925	362	10	29	5	0	137	36	41.23	36.2
MURRAY SMITH	BRUCE ROCK	9	8,421	276	1	28	0	0	96	12	30.51	276.0
ENERSON GAMIAO	BRUCE ROCK	10	10,159	284	7	17	1	0	121	35	35.77	40.6
GAVIN COLE	BRUCE ROCK	4	4,851	100	4	3	3	0	140	81	48.51	25.0
RORY MOORE	BRUCE ROCK	2	1,708	48	0	1	0	0	91	0	35.58	999.0
ROBBIE COLE	BRUCE ROCK	1	1,222	31	1	2	0	0	119	30	39.42	31.0
JACK CURRIE	BRUCE ROCK	1	984	24	0	0	0	0	80	0	41.00	999.0
ANN DOVE	BRUCE ROCK	1	1,080	29	0	0	1	0	100	0	37.24	999.0
GLEN PIPER	BRUCE ROCK	4	4,038	135	0	15	0	0	110	0	29.91	999.0
BRAD GOULD	BRUCE ROCK	1	1,141	29	0	0	1	0	100	0	39.34	999.0
DEAN BUTLER	JETS	11	13,743	277	17	14	18	0	140	82	49.61	16.3
KEITH BUTLER	JETS	10	12,487	257	16	16	6	0	140	84	48.59	16.1
MARK BROWN	JETS	14	14,676	406	12	33	4	0	113	100	36.15	33.8
NEVILLE BRANDIS	JETS	15	19,712	391	26	34	20	2	180	110	50.41	15.0
SALLY BRANDIS	JETS	4	3,832	124	2	13	0	0	110	36	30.90	62.0
MIKE DARBY	JETS	15	16,800	384	12	35	8	0	140	59	43.75	32.0
DES HOUSTON	JETS	3	2,841	88	3	19	0	0	83	16	32.28	29.3
BRUCE LOVEDAY	JETS	6	5,872	191	4	39	1	0	108	20	30.74	47.8
LEE GRIFFITHS	JETS	7	7,734	216	10	20	0	0	140	46	35.81	21.6
LINDSAY HILL	JETS	5	5,622	132	5	5	2	0	100	98	42.59	26.4
GAVIN BROWNLEY	MAGPIES	15	20,874	328	30	10	35	1	180	74	63.64	10.9
GREG BOND	MAGPIES	14	14,491	394	9	30	3	0	134	32	36.78	43.8
GRAYDON DAWSON	MAGPIES	8	7,964	230	5	20	2	0	156	20	34.63	46.0
STEVE McCONACHY	MAGPIES	15	20,025	393	19	34	21	1	180	58	50.95	20.7
DAMIEN BOW	MAGPIES	13	14,405	338	10	22	9	0	125	56	42.62	33.8
RILEY McGELLIN	MAGPIES	1	988	27	0	1	2	0	100	0	36.59	999.0
MARK CATTLE	MAGPIES	5	5,079	146	3	14	2	0	100	28	34.79	48.7
JACK MUNTZ	MAGPIES	4	4,334	129	4	25	0	0	121	20	33.60	32.3
ROHAN BUTLER	MAGPIES	7	6,381	183	3	8	0	0	133	36	34.87	61.0
MITCH HUNTER	MAGPIES	1	1,149	31	1	3	0	0	104	4	37.06	31.0
MATT GILBERT	MAGPIES	2	2,111	66	0	8	0	0	81	0	31.98	999.0
MARK JENSEN (M)	MAGPIES	2	2,067	60	2	5	1	0	100	28	34.45	30.0
CLIVE DAVIS	MAGPIES	1	1,149	24	0	1	0	0	99	0	47.88	999.0
ANGUS PADFIELD	MAGPIES	2	2,218	71	3	11	0	0	89	40	31.24	23.7
SHANE BUTLER	MAGPIES	1	891	22	0	2	1	0	101	0	40.50	999.0
WYATT VERHOOGT	MAGPIES	1	1,061	29	1	0	0	0	84	8	36.59	29.0
KRISS HAYDEN	MC SHARKS	9	12,119	308	16	9	24	0	140	56	58.26	13.0
KALEB ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	13	13,780	304	13	28	14	1	180	40	45.33	23.4
MICK HAYDEN	MC SHARKS	4	4,332	111	5	13	0	0	105	38	39.03	22.2
JUSTIN WATTS	MC SHARKS	14	17,289	330	18	25	22	1	180	147	52.39	18.3
NATHAN BLACK	MC SHARKS	11	11,840	317	9	39	2	0	133	57	37.35	35.2
CRAIG ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	13	14,266	312	16	22	13	0	140	84	45.72	19.5
RODNEY OAKLEY Jnr	MC SHARKS	9	8,749	193	4	14	8	0	141	32	45.33	48.3
JOSH ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	2	1,903	70	2	13	0	0	72	28	27.19	35.0
DALE McKINNON	MC SHARKS	7	6,533	150	5	13	0	0	135	55	43.55	30.0
MITCH ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	4	2,051	53	2	1	0	0	130	16	38.70	26.5
MATTY FRANCE	MC SHARKS	1	1,371	28	0	6	4	0	128	0	48.96	999.0
CHRISTIAN ROISSETTER	MC SHARKS	1	969	28	0	1	0	0	64	0	34.61	999.0
KERRY-LEE BOOTH	MC SHARKS	1	1,051	28	0	3	0	0	86	0	37.54	999.0
JOSH IRVING	ROYALS	12	14,185	342	8	23	8	0	160	42	41.48	42.8
STRAUN STEVENSON	ROYALS	3	3,371	96	0	7	0	0	93	0	35.11	999.0
WALLY PATTERSON	ROYALS	14	16,016	392	8	28	5	0	125	57	40.86	49.0
CODY DUNCAN	ROYALS	6	7,038	163	5	11	4	0	120	32	43.18	32.6
RHYS COUSINS	ROYALS	15	17,074	397	9	15	7	0	140	74	43.01	44.1
DANNY GRAY	ROYALS	12	13,208	314	9	14	8	0	160	51	42.06	34.9
GLENN JONES	ROYALS	3	1,802	50	0	0	0	0	110	0	36.04	999.0
ROXY KOEMAN	ROYALS	1	1,037	29	0	1	0	0	81	0	35.76	999.0
MARTY FARRALL	ROYALS	3	1,890	55	1	3	0	0	87	32	34.36	55.0
JAKE COLE	ROYALS	9	9,085	299	5	43	0	0	117	32	30.38	59.8
ADAM ANTUNOVICH	ROYALS	2	2,102	47	1	4	3	0	140	16	44.72	47.0
RIHARI GREEN	ROYALS	1	1,076	27	1	2	0	0	86	32	39.85	27.0
BILL STACEY	ROYALS	1	904	29	0	1	0	0	83	0	31.17	999.0
JAMES KENNEDY	ROYALS	1	1,187	40	1	9	0	0	83	32	29.68	40.0
STEVEN LILLY	ROYALS	1	915	24	1	0	0	0	81	20	38.13	24.0
DAVID BLURTON	ROYALS	1	1,167	24	1	1	1	0	100	23	48.63	24.0
PARATENE COOPER	ROYALS	2	2,034	52	1	0	0	0	140	14	39.12	52.0
DREW NATION	WIZARDS	10	10,647	250	8	8	3	0	140	93	42.59	31.3
LINDSAY BROWN	WIZARDS	15	18,505	339	19	15	18	2	180	58	54.59	17.8
DEAN WHITLEY	WIZARDS	9	10,313	227	11	13	5	0	133	57	45.43	20.6
RON ROJAS	WIZARDS	15	19,340	346	22	16	30	3	180	98	55.90	15.7
RONJIE PALOMPO	WIZARDS	13	14,459	350	9	30	2	0	133	48	41.31	38.9
JARMAN COLLARD	WIZARDS	13	14,356	319	12	16	10	0	133	60	45.00	26.6
MARCUS DORLANDT	WIZARDS	7	7,783	169	5	15	6	0	140	56	46.05	33.8
NOEL MOSELEY	WIZARDS	1	1,153	25	1	1	0	0	92	20	46.12	25.0
KEVIN COLLARD Jnr	WIZARDS	1	1,044	25	1	1	1	0	100	32	41.76	25.0
DOM SAMPI	WIZARDS	5	6,073	114	7	9	6	1	180	108	53.27	16.3
SONNY KIMURA	WIZARDS	2	1,644	53	0	8	0	0	94	0	31.02	999.0
MALACHI COLLARD	WIZARDS	1	1,027	30	0	4	0	0	85	0	34.23	999.0
SHANE BIDDULPH	WIZARDS	1	1,196	26	1	2	0	0	99	18	46.00	26.0



NAREMBEEN AND BRUCE ROCK DARTS ASSOCIATION



Results from Elders Real Estate Round 3 Week 5

Played Friday 25th June 2021

ROYALS 3 Lost to **MAGPIES** 8

JETS 6 Defeated **WIZARDS** 5

MC SHARKS Defeated by Forfeit **BRUCE ROCK**

League Ladder

TEAM	PLAYED	WON	LOST	LEGS FOR	LEGS AGAINST	LEGS DIFFERENCE	POINTS
JETS	15	12	3	108	57	+51	24
MC SHARKS	15	11	4	102	63	+39	22
WIZARDS	15	9	6	92	73	+19	18
MAGPIES	15	8	7	89	76	+13	16
ROYALS	15	3	12	53	112	-59	6
BRUCE ROCK	15	2	13	51	114	-63	4

HIGH AVERAGES (50+)

Neville Brandis (81.06); Gavin Brownley (73.5); Lindsay Brown (68.56); Steve McConachy (60.08); Keith Butler (55.24); Ron Rojas (55.00); Jarman Collard (52.81); Dean Whitley (52.17); Dean Butler (51.88)

PEGS (50+ in Bold)

Josh Irving (-,16,-); Danny Gray (-,2); Jake Cole (32,-); Gavin Brownley (20,32,30); Greg Bond (-,2); Graydon Dawson (-,4); Steve McConachy (-,38); Damien Bow (-,49,-); Wyatt Verhoogt (-,8); Neville Brandis (**68,-,46**); Keith Butler (-,4); Dean Butler (-,40); Lindsay Hill (-,48,-); Lee Griffiths (-,45); Dom Sampi (-,2,-); Jarman Collard (-,36); Ron Rojas (16,-); Dean Whitley (-,57,40)

HIGH SCORES (101+)

Lindsay Brown (**180**); Dean Butler (140); Keith Butler (140); Neville Brandis (140); Dom Sampi (140); Steve McConachy (139); Gavin Brownley (136); Greg Bond (134); Ronjie Palompo (129); Wally Patterson (125); Jarman Collard (125); Dean Whitley (120)

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Neville Brandis (5); Gavin Brownley (3); Josh Irving (3); Lindsay Brown (2); Dean Butler (1); Steve McConachy (1); Wally Patterson (1); Jarman Collard (1); Dom Sampi (1)

BEST OVER AVERAGE

Neville Brandis (+32.04); Lindsay Brown (+14.75); Gavin Brownley (+10.43); Steve McConachy (+9.75); Jarman Collard (+8.36); Dean Whitley (+7.5); Keith Butler (+7.24); Wally Patterson (+6.30)

THIS WEEKS FIXTURES

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Friday 2nd July 2021, 'Game On' 7.30pm

Magpies v MC Sharks at Bruce Rock Hotel

Wizards v Royals at Narembeen Workers Hotel Bar & Bistro

Jets v Bruce Rock at Bruce Rock District Club

Drawn Pairs Championships Saturday 10th July 2021 from 2pm for a 3pm Start at the Narembeen Workers Hotel Bar & Bistro
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HOCKEY

A Grade

On Saturday we played against Bruce Rock on their turf. Bruce Rock started strong and it was tough to get it out of the middle in the first half. We improved our short passes and put on a solid performance in the second half. There were many fast breaks on the left wing with Jess, Courtney, Gina, Taylor and Mikaela working quickly to get the ball into the D to create a lot of scoring opportunities. Mel was able to capitalise on these, scoring an impressive three goals. Caz and Nat both fired some strong balls up to the right wing and Carissa, Mel and Hannah worked well together to get it towards the goals. Sam was amazing up the other end in the goalie gear. Well done on an incredible 5-1 performance girls!

Players: Nat, Caz, Gina, Carissa, Felicity, Taylor, Mel, Courtney, Jess P, Mikaela, Taylor, Sam and Hannah K

By Hannah Kerse

B Grade

Saturday's game was against Bruce Rock. We knew it would be a tough game and while we had a lot of play in our attacking end and lots of shots on goal we were unfortunately unable to get them through the tough Bruce Rock defence. Thankfully we also had a strong backline in Kara, Han, Shae and Kylee who all worked hard to ensure the score stayed nil all. Our goalie Deakin, also had a great game and managed some brilliant saves. We were lucky to be able to pull up from our juniors side again with the two Noah's bringing speed and fresh legs to work hard on the wing—both boys had an amazing game. Sam, Lynda, Fabs and Rach all worked hard through the middle creating some brilliant passages of play. We look forward to next week!

Team: Deakin (goalie), Kylee, Shae, Kara, Han S, Sam, Rach, Fabs, Lynda, Jess S., Noah S. and Noah B.



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NAREMBEEN PUBLIC HALL

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from the CHIEF



JOB VACANCIES

Be part of growing and maintaining the community of Narembeen.

Shire of Narembeen is currently seeking suitably qualified, experienced and self-motivated individuals to fill vacancies. For the position descriptions related to the roles outlined below please visit the Shire's website www.narembeen.wa.gov.au or contact the Shire 9064 7308, in person or via email emcs@narembeen.wa.gov.au.

Building Maintenance Officer

The key objectives of this position are:

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- Undertaking property inspections, preparing maintenance programs and developing cost estimates.
- Provide guidance and advice to other Shire employees undertaking construction projects.
- Oversee Shire contractors undertaking maintenance works on building assets.

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- Traffic control.

This position is a level four position (\$67,443 annually) under the Shire's Works Staff Enterprise Bargaining Agreement and comes with a number of allowances and the potential for Shire rental accommodation depending on availability.

Roller Driver– All Rounder

The key objectives of this position are:

- Roller driving a tractor and tow behind roller or self-propelled compaction roller.
- Traffic control.

This position is a level four position (\$67,443 annually) under the Shire's Works Staff Enterprise Bargaining Agreement and comes with a number of allowances and the potential for Shire rental accommodation depending on availability.

To apply for either of these roles, please submit an up to date resume and cover letter to emcs@narembeen.wa.gov.au (state the position being applied for in the subject header) or in person at the Shire offices by 4pm on Monday 19 July 2021.

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From the Managers Desk

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SOCK Week 2021 is in full swing! To begin the week we had an SOCK Coffee Chat at the Narembeen Co-Op with the Emergency Service Volunteers.



We also did an activity with the Year 5/6 students at Narembeen District High School, creating road safety messages with pool noodles along the fences of the school. The messages were 'Stay Safe', 'Slow Down', 'Buckle Up' and 'Be Alert'.



Don't forget **Fluoro Friday** is happening this Friday 2 July! Get your best fluoro gear on and be seen for SOCK Week 2021 to SAVE OUR COUNTRY KIDS! Please feel free to tag us in social media posts, use the hashtag **#SaveOurCountryKids** and tag **Narembeen CRC** on Facebook and Instagram so we can re-share and spread the word nationwide! We will be coming around to businesses during the day to take some photos!

As per previous years our SOCK Week Finale Night happens on the Friday of SOCK Week. Please join us at the Recreation Centre to light a candle for a loved one and the premiere of the SOCK Week Poem Video—such a special night to so many in our community. We hope to see you there!

Enjoy the rest of your week and please remember to Stay Safe, Slow Down and Save Our Country Kids!

*Georgia Atkins
Administration and Communication Officer*



Upcoming CRC Events 2021

- SOCK Week: Monday, 28 June - Sunday, 4 July
- Seniors Movie: Monday, 5 July 1.00pm
- NAIDOC Week Activity: Thursday, 8 July 10.30am
- Rhyme Time: Monday, 12 July 10.30am
- School Holiday Activity - Movie: Thursday, 15 July 10.30am
- HR/HC/MC Truck Licence: Saturday, 17 July - Monday, 19 July
- Morning Coffee Club: Wednesday, 21 July 10.30am
- Rural Minds Workshop: Tuesday, 27 July 4.00pm
- Farm Safety Workshop: Thursday, 29 July 9.00am




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School Holiday Activity

NAIDOC Week

Thursday, 8 July

10:30am

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Movie Day

Thursday, 15 July

10:30am

Narembeen CRC

\$5 per child

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MEDIA RELEASE

BANK CLOSURES A FAILURE TO SUPPORT REGIONAL COMMUNITIES

29 June 2021

Nationals Wheatbelt MPs have expressed disappointment at the National Australia Bank (NAB)'s decision to close up shop in Wyalkatchem, Three Springs, Kondinin and Wagin.

Local Member for Central Wheatbelt Mia Davies said the announcement was a blow to the communities who relied on bank presence for their financial services, including household, business, and personal transactions.

"During a time of uncertainty, with a pandemic, significant weather events, and growing housing and health crises, this news adds insult to injury to regional West Australians," Ms Davies said.

Ms Davies said decisions like this were out of step with community expectations.

"NAB's decision based on decline in foot-traffic through the affected branches shows an organisation unable to adapt to changing circumstances such as a global pandemic and a callous approach to supporting communities during a time of need," Ms Davies said.

"In the wake of the Royal Commission into the banking sector which included investigation into the culture and governance of banks and financial institutions, you'd think there'd be thought given to more than the bottom line for services like this.

"I know they're not the only major bank to withdraw services from small country communities, but it's a bit rich to suggest they're making the decision off a decline in foot traffic in branches over the past 12 months."

Member for Moore Shane Love said the news was a huge blow to the community especially after parts of the Midwest and Wheatbelt were continuing to deal with the aftermath of Cyclone Seroja.

"There are many areas, people, homes and businesses that were badly affected by the cyclone – it is well-known the widespread rebuilding effort could take years," Mr Love said.

Mr Love said it was an ideal time for banks to be on the ground providing much-needed support for those experiencing devastating losses and a lack of State Government assistance.

"Banks need to have a presence in these communities to understand their situation, and instead of closing doors based on algorithms, these organisations should work humanely and lend a helping hand wherever needed."

Closing dates: Wyalkatchem – 9 September, Three Springs – 10 September, Kondinin and Wagin – 30 July

For more information contact Kath Brown on 9041 1702 or Kathleen.brown@mp.wa.gov.au.

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BIRTHDAYS



JULY

1st	Mary Knock (Menegola)	Danelle Fricker	
2nd	Harold Thorn	Callum Piccoli	Ashton Fidge
3rd	Judy Hinkley	Dina Menegola	Fallon Treloar
	Sharon Jeffery		
4th	Michael Palmer	Anthony McGhie	Teagan Wilkins
	Rose Cardinal		
5th	Ted Cusack		
6th	Ncile Campbell(Moppett)	Nigel Miller	
7th	Kylie Lawson	Chris Hayter	

ANNIVERSARIES

JULY

6th Ian and Kellie Mortimore



WEATHER

Day	Date	Max (°C)	Min (°C)	Rainfall (mm)
Tuesday	22 June	12.6	2.6	0.6
Wednesday	23 June	13.8	2.9	
Thursday	24 June	14	1.9	
Friday	25 June	15.2	0.6	
Saturday	26 June	17.2	3.0	
Sunday	27 June	17.9	6.9	2.2
Monday	28 June	18.4	10.5	1.8





CHURCH NOTICES



ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN

Sunday, July 4

9.30am

2 Samuel Ch 5—V 1-5 and V 9-10 L. Lethlean

2 Corinthians Ch 12—V 2-10 H. Toovey

Mark Ch 6—V 14-29

Psalm 48

Church of Christ

Thurs 1 July 7.30pm

Bible study at D&R Smokers' place

Topic - treasure

Friday 2 July

NO Kids Club

Sunday 4 July 10.00am

Worship service with Sunday school during the service

Bible Verse: Proverbs 13:10

Where there is strife, there is pride,

But wisdom is found in those who take advice.

Seventh Day Adventist

105 Church Rd, Mt Walker

Saturday, July 3

10:00 am. The Senior's Bible Study is starting a new series, "Present Truth in Deuteronomy" and the lesson for this week is "Living in a 24-7 Society"; Key Text is Psalm 84:2 NKJV.

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

11:30 am. Worship Service, Yonnie Willis.

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 a shorter program, "Let God Speak" at 7:00 pm Fridays.

Current phone contacts – Terry & Rhonda –

9061 7032, 0427 907 119 or 0417 907 119.

or Pastor Lomani - 0429 770 331.

ROMAN CATHOLIC

OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday, July 3

6.00pm

Reader: E.Bailey

Contact: R Hickey 0428 132 454

J Cusack 0408 064 727

Cleaning: C. Harper



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 Narembreen Medical Centre

COMING EVENTS

June			
Wednesday	30th	NAREMBEEN GOLF—Ladies Stroke—N. Parsons Trophy REED Narembreen bookings ADMIN 6832 3825 SOCK Week	8.30am - 5.30pm
July			
Thursday	1st	REED Narembreen bookings ADMIN 6832 3825 Autumn Club SOCK Week	8.30am - 5.30pm 10.00am-2.00pm
Friday	2nd	Playgroup at Numbats Centre HOCKEY—Men—Kellerberrin v Narembreen DARTS—Wizards v Royals SOCK Week—Finale at the Rec Centre	9.30am
Saturday	3rd	Church Men's Community Shed HOCKEY—Narembreen v Burracoppin FOOTBALL—Southern Cross v Narembreen NETBALL—School Holiday BYE	9.00am
Sunday	4th	Church Lions Paper pick-up MT WALKER GOLF—Mt Walker Cup/Peter Miolini Memorial and Cowan Cup NAREMBEEN GOLF—Men—Stroke Cap Trophy T. Cusack NAREMBEEN GOLF—Ladies—Sweepstakes	
Monday	5th	Seniors Movie @ the CRC Circuit Gym Arts and Crafts and Book Exchange at Community Shed	1.00pm 9.30am 10.00am-4.00pm
Tuesday	6th	Senior Citizens REED Narembreen bookings ADMIN 6832 3825 Badminton at Town Hall Lions Club meeting	2.00pm 8.30am - 5.30pm 6.30pm
Wednesday	7th	NAREMBEEN GOLF—Ladies—Stroke J. Hayter REED Narembreen bookings ADMIN 68 323 825	8.30am - 5.30pm

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