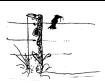
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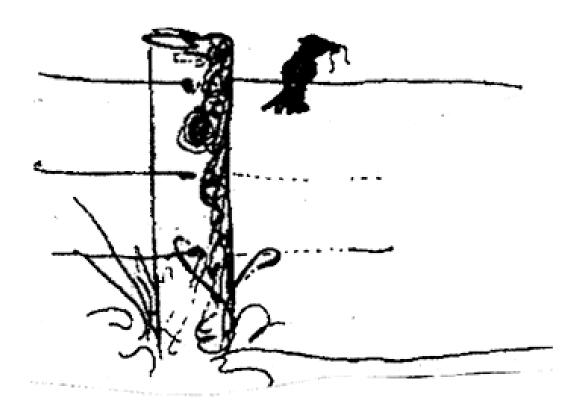
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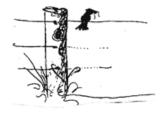
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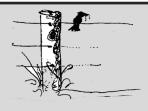
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- Life Member of The Fencepost IRIS BRISTOW -



# Over the Fence...

Well!!!! What a lot of rain we have had the last couple of days. Trust it was good for the farmers as it was not so good for people trying to get their washing dry on the lines outside. It can't have been very good for the workmen who are doing the road repairs in Latham Road or for the workmen upgrading the town hall and the old church. The completion date will have been extended out.

Don't forget to complete the survey on our Winter Sports. This will help those planning for next year to re assess the situation. Supporters and players alike are encouraged to complete the survey.

Take a glimpse of the Ultruistic August calendar that the CRC have produced, it will make for a healthier, happier Narembeen we hope.

Thank goodness Craig Gmeiner has produced some interesting football insights this week, otherwise the Fencepost would have been very light on for news.

Don't forget, if you have some news, let us know Facebook is wonderful for the younger generation but the Old folk, and not so old folk just love to read our publication.

We have been unable to get the weather from the Post Office of late. This week it is in a new format. It will need some more tweeking I think.



# from the CHIEF



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### COUNCIL RATES

Rates notices for the 2022/23 financial year have been distributed. 238 letters were posted and 140 emails were sent.

Thank you to those people who elected to receive their rates electronically, this saves on time and postage costs.

If you have not received your rates yet, or you would like to update your details to receive them electronically in the future, please contact the Shire on 9064 7308 or fo1@narembeen.wa.gov.au

### ROADWORKS - Latham Road, Longhurst Street and Currall Street

Roadworks are nearly finished in the Narembeen townsite and road closures / detours in place while safety improvements are made to the two main town intersections.

Motorists and pedestrians are requested to exercise caution while in the area and follow the directions of traffic control operators.

Please slow down and follow the directions of the traffic management staff.

Works are expected to be completed by the mid August 2022.

### SNAP SEND SOLVE

The Snap Send Solve app is a handy way to report incidents or hazards within the Shire ensuring a cleaner and safer community.

Report illegal parking, dumped rubbish, trip hazards and more.

Download free from the app from the App Store.

For more information or if you have any issues downloading the app, please call the CRC or Shire.

# from the CHIEF



# **Medical Services**

At last Tuesdays Council meeting, the Council voted to commence the search for a full time General Practitioner for Narembeen, which followed from extensive discussions with Dr Lines about his plans for the future.

Dr Lines has indicated that he will continue to service Narembeen from his surgery for 5 half days per week until a new GP can be found however, this will not include call out services to the Narembeen Hospital.

Nursing staff and Telehealth GP Services will continue to be available for emergency situations at the Narembeen Hospital.

Dr Lines has been the GP in Narembeen for more than 21 years and Council would like to thank him for his years of dedicated and continued service to the Narembeen Community.

The Council will continue to work with Dr Lines to ensure ongoing medical services are provided to the Narembeen community.

Kellie	MORT	IMORE

Shire President

# from the CHIEF



# RECRUITMENT

# **Building Supervisor**

Shire of Narembeen is seeking the services of a proactive and skilled individual to undertake the role of Building Supervisor.

The Building Supervisor is responsible for the ongoing and compliance of assets within the Shire. This role will coordinate the programming and planning of building construction and maintenance programs for preventative maintenance and future projects in accordance with the relevant standards and statutory requirements.

Working in collaboration with the Executive Management Team to deliver the Asset Management Plan, you will have sound knowledge of the Building Code of Australia, together with relevant legislation, regulations, and standards.

Total package including allowances is \$75,000 - \$85,000 dependent on skills and qualifications.

The position description is available at www.narembeen.wa.gov.au

To apply for the role, please submit a current resume and cover letter to <a href="mailto:emcs@narembeen.wa.gov.au">emcs@narembeen.wa.gov.au</a>
by 5pm 12 August 2022.

# from the CHIEF



### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

### DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION – PROPOSED OUTBUILDING 16 CHEETHAM WAY, NAREMBEEN

The owner of the abovementioned lot has lodged a planning application proposing to construct an outbuilding.

Under the Residential Design Codes the permitted aggregate size of an outbuilding on a lot is  $60m^2$  in floor area, with a 2.4 metre wall height and 4.2 metre ridge height.

The application entails a variation to the R Codes as the proposed wall height is 3.2 metres.

Prior to determining this application, the Shire would like to provide an opportunity for public comment on the proposal. The development plans can be viewed at the Shire of Narembeen administration office during office hours or on the Shire website.

Should you wish to make a submission on the proposal, your comments (in writing) will need to be lodged with Council within 14 days by 17 August 2022.

Please note, if no comments are received by the closure date, we will assume that you have no comment you wish to make and the application will be assessed and determined on its merits and without any further consultation.

Should you have any queries relating to the proposed application, please do not hesitate to contact the Shire's Planning consultant, Ms Liz Bushby on 0488910869 (Tuesday to Friday).

David Blurton

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

27 July 2022



# HIGHLIGHTS FROM 2021/2022

Narembeen-Kondinin Road - \$544K (WSFN Project)

Completion of Caravan Park Upgrades - \$38K (Drought Communities Program Funding)

Narembeen Public Hall and The Old Church - \$83K (LRCI Program Funding)

Apex Park Gardens and Information Board - \$337K (Drought Communities Program Funding)

Walker Lake Shared Pathway - \$405K Brown Street Pathway - \$90K (Partial Funding - Department of Transport)

Churchill Street Beautification - \$167K (LCRI 1 Program Funding)









# **BIG THINGS PLANNED FOR 2022/2023**

Public Hall Restoration (LCRI 1 Program Funding) Staff Housing Renewal Program Soldiers Road Gravel re-sheet and stabilisation (R2R Funding) Cramphorne Road Upgrades (RRG Funding) Thomas Street
Footpath
(LCRI 3 Program Funding)

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Church Restoration (LCRI 2 Program Funding) •

Churchill Street -Stage 2 Upgrades (LCRI 3 Program Funding)



Community Events



Corrigin-Narembeen/
South Kumminin
Intersection
improvement
(WSFN Funding)

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Narembeen-Kondinin Road Upgrades (WSFN Funding)

# WHERE ARE YOUR RATES BEING SPENT IN

2022/2023



Road Upgrades and Maintenance

Rubbish and Recycling \$300k





Recreational Facilities \$1m

**Property Upgrades and** Maintenance \$400k





Community Facilities and Events \$500k

**Tourism** \$200k





Governance \$1.4k

Health and Wellbeing \$150k



# UNDERSTANDING YOUR RATES CHARGES

# Step 1

Total rates required to run the Local Government



Cost of running the Local Government

required

To calculate non-rate rate revenue revenue (grants, fees and charges, other)

Step 2

Rate in dollar calculated



Divide the rates revenue

By the To calculate combined the rate in rental value the dollar required of all rateable properties

Step 3

What you pay







By your property's value as set by the Valuer General either Gross Rental Value (GRV) or Unimproved Value (UV)

Multiply To Calculate the rate in your rates for the dollar the year

Your 2022/2023 rates may be affected by the State Government's (Valuer General) property revaluations

# WHAT ELSE IS ON YOUR RATES NOTICE

### RUBBISH CHARGE

has increased by 7.6% to \$376.68. recycling bin.

second Tuesday.

# **EMERGENCY SERVICES** LEVY

Government increased the ESL for 2022/2023 to \$93 per

# FINANCIAL HARDSHIP **POLICY**





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Attached are some photos of the beautiful donations our Club received.

Most displayed are contributions from Gwenda Bow and Michelle Roddan.

We are very grateful to everyone for the support given to us.

Many thanks



# **CARNARVON CHRISTMAS IN JULY**

Kerry Fricker and family are in Carnarvon and have just celebrated "Christmas in July".

Kerry has forwarded a couple of photos of the event.

The Autumn Club contributed to the raffles that were drawn on the night. (Autumn Club parcels seen in the photo). The raffles raised \$778 and funds go towards the Carnarvon's One Mile Jetty Renovation.

Glenis and Lou Maringoni were there enjoying the night also.









# THANK YOU TO THE PARSON FAMILY, Syd, Nola, Brendan and Anita, FOR THEIR DONATION THROUGH THE GO NAREMBEEN CROPPING PROGRAM

The Narembeen Autumn Club would like to express our thanks and appreciation for your \$500 donation through Go Narembeen.

The Club will put it towards the many projects that our members undertake. Our little club stretches far and wide, delivering parcels of blankets, beanies, teddies and much

more to many beneficiaries throughout Western Australia and your donation means we will be able to help other worthy causes.



We would like as much feedback as possible!

This survey can be completed by members, volunteers and supporters of EDFL, MNA, CDNA, EDHA, RDHA, MDFJA and YNA





planning ideas for next year.

HTTPS://WWW.SURVEYMONKEY.COM/R/EDWS22

**SURVEY CLOSES 19 AUGUST** 



# Narembeen CRC Update

Hello everyone!

Rain, rain and more rain! I would imagine there would be some happy farmers in Narembeen at the moment. Please ensure you drive safely and adjust to the conditions this week - its wet and slippery eeeeeverywhere!

I will be out of the office Thursday + Friday this week as I am picking my sister up from Perth, who will be visiting for a little while. So if you see a 9 years younger version of me walking around town, please say hi:)

Don't forget that Spice Mistress Sarina Kamini is travelling to Narembeen all the way from Margaret River to share her fantastic knowledge about spices on Tuesday, 23rd August from 4.30pm! What an amazing opportunity for our community - don't miss it! minimum numbers apply!

Thanks to CBH, MIFWA is coming back to Narembeen later this month to host another safeTALK workshop for FREE. Registrations are open for anyone aged 15 years and above.

If there are any other workshops that interest you, please let us know and we will do our best to deliver them.

Wishing you all a great week!!

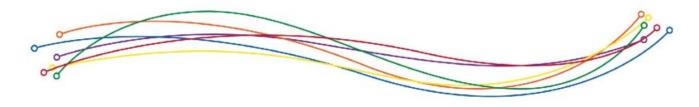
Vanessa Wittstock -CRC Coordinator



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# **Upcoming CRC Events 2022**

- Morning Coffee Club; Wed, 17 August 10.00am
- Spice Class: Tues, 23 August 4.30pm
- Forklift Course: Tue, 23 + Wed, 24 August 8.30am
- Story Time: Fri, 26 August 10.30am
- safeTALK: Tues, 30 August 5.00pm



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Narembeen Community Resource Centre

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SPICE CLASS WITH SARINA KAMINI https://www.sarinakamini.com

Join Sarina Kamini and learn how to use spice while listening to all the cultural, health and culinary knowledge that she entails from her Indian upbringing.



Tuesday, 23 August 2022

4:30pm

\$132 per person

**Bookings essential | Non Refundable** 

12 people minimum

If interested please contact the Narembeen CRC on 9064 7055 or crcreception@narembeen.wa.gov.au



# HELP SOMEONE WHEN THEY NEED IT MOST

Suicide alertness for everyone

safeTALK prepares anyone over the age of 15, regardless of prior experience or training, to become a suicide-alert helper.

Join us for a free four-hour workshop in Narembeen to learn:

- · how to identify the signs of people who may have thoughts of suicide
- the simple yet effective TALK steps: Tell, Ask, Listen, & Keep Safe
- how to connect people to life-saving resources and supports.

When: 5.00pm—9.00pm, Tuesday 30 August 2022
Where: Narembeen Community Resource Centre

**Cost:** FREE - dinner will be provided

Register: Call 9064 7055 or email crcreception@narembeen.wa.gov.au

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MONDAY - FRIDAY 08:00 - 13:00

Narembeen Medical Centre is open and continues to strive to provide the best medical care for our community.

Book your appointment today by calling Narembeen Medical Centre on <u>08 9064 7145</u> or find and book appointments online



Book your vaccination appointment



<u>SCRIPTS:</u> We encourage you to book a consultation with Dr Lines to avoid any inconvenience to yourself regarding referrals/script requests. It is important to book your review appointment with us for further scripts, soon after your pharmacist has dispensed your last repeat prescription.

Mari Geldenhuys – Practice Manager



# Narembeen Sub Centre

# NOTICE OF ANNUAL REVIEW

Monday 19th September

7:00pm

Narembeen Emergency Services Building

# Everyone welcome!

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer officer contact
Debbie Hall on 0457 758 882.

If you would like to join the committee contact Kellie Mortimore on 0427 647 090.

For more information, please contact

narembeen.subcentre@stjohnwa.com.au

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# Find the help you need with myagedcare

If you're finding it harder to do the things you used to, you might need a bit of support at home. The Australian Government's myagedcare phone line and website can help you to:

### Access services to support you with:

- Transport
   (e.g. appointments and activities)
- Household jobs (e.g. vacuuming and preparing meals)
- Modifications to your home (e.g. hand rails, ramps)
- Nursing and personal care (e.g. help getting dressed, help shaving)

### Find information in one spot on:

- Different types of services (in home support, short-term care, aged care homes)
- · Your eligibility
- · Your contribution to the cost
- Organisations that provide aged care

Connect with myagedcare on www.myagedcare.gov.au or call 1800 200 422

\*1800 calls are free from land lines; calls from mobile phones might be charged.

# **WADDERIN WILDLIFE RESERVE - EXCITING NEWS**

Wadderin Wildlife Reserve committee would like to thank and publicly acknowledge **Go Narembeen** for their generous financial support of our exciting project. Go Narembeen provided the funding for us to purchase an electric tour bus with which we can provide guided tours of the reserve for our local community, visitors, and tourists. The financial support of Go Narembeen allowed this long held objective to become a reality - we are ready to share this wonderful nature reserve with visitors who can enjoy the flora and fauna from a comfortable, quiet, purpose built vehicle.

Tours will initially be held every Saturday night; bookings are essential. The entire tour takes about 1 hour, so you will need to allow approximately 90 minutes. A guide will meet you at the Narembeen Roadhouse and will leave at 6.45pm to take you out to the sanctuary to board the electric bus.

Bookings can be made online: <a href="https://www.trybooking.com/CBMIQ">https://www.trybooking.com/CBMIQ</a> Booking links can be found on the Narembeen Shire website or the Wadderin Wildlife Reserve Facebook page.



# Ltruistic August 2022



intention to be kind to others Set an

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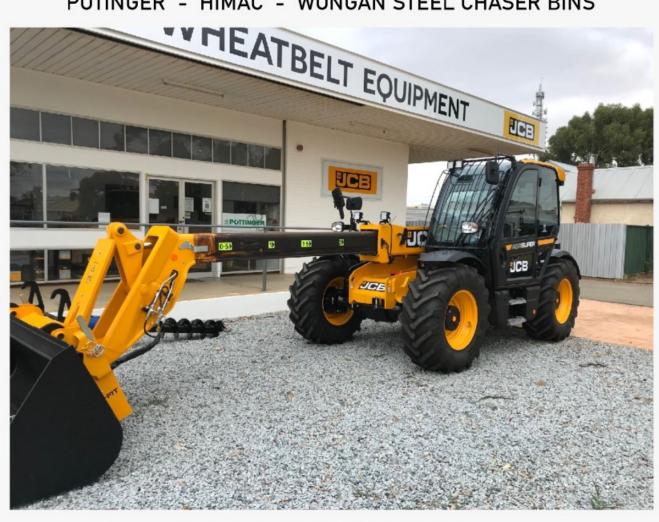
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# **HAWK TALK**

# **Craig Gmeiner**

Mojo.....



Mojo is a funny word. I don't really know where it comes from but Google defines it as being a noun that is similar to a spell or magical charm. When applied to a sporting team it is used to describe the synergy between players, the connection they have to do all work together and be all on the same page, kind of like a spell I guess. In the two weeks since the country week bye the Hawks lost their mojo, they found it hard to work together, to be all on the same page. This can happen in a footy season, as a footy season is a marathon rather than a sprint. On Saturday over at Bruce Rock however they took steps towards getting their mojo back.

Into a stiff breeze the Hawks got on top early. Ben Hislop was back to his best through the middle of the ground and forwards such as Jimmy Kennedy and Jack Hilder were finding space to move into. The return of Hilder was important to the Hawks as it gave their forward line more variety and his ability to win the ball both above his shoulders and below his knees was a stand out. Part of the mojo of a team is their willingness to sacrifice. To give rather than receive. This was a highlight of their stirring win over Hyden before country week and started to return on Saturday against the Pies.

They waited when taking a set shot inside the arc and more than once they gave the ball off to a player in a better position. When the Pies won the ball forward they worked hard to get back and win it back as soon as possible. The numbers around the contest returned and once that was their it was obvious that the players were reviving the faith they had in each other in the first half of the year. Dave Mortimore continued a strong season across half back and Heath Spinks found his dare and risk taking as well. These are good signs.

Discipline is a big part of mojo as well. Showing in your actions, not just your words, that you can hold your composure for the good of the others around. This is a facet of work that has been lacking in the Hawks in the last weeks but they found it again on Saturday. They just kept working. If they were beaten in a contest they worked harder and harder and as a result they weren't beaten in many. Tougher for longer is a great footy cliché as it is often the factor that separates good sides, it played a big role for the Hawks in their win over the Pies on Saturday.

The scoreboard was always going to be irrelevant for the Hawks on Saturday. It was always going to be about how they played. Could they get their mojo back. Could they find again their method, system and sacrifice that had served them so well earlier in the year and set them up for a real crack at it. The good news is that found.....most of it. They started to work for each other again, started to attack off half back and started to find some space forward of the ball. It wasn't a perfect effort but it was an effort that sets them up to have as good a chance as any have to find their way to the promised land.

Hawks 28-16 184

Bruce Rock 1-2 8

Best: Hislop, Hilder, Kennedy, Richardson, Duncan, Mortimore





# **Craig Gmeiner**

Value Adding......

There's a concept in education, and perhaps in lots of other places, which is called value adding. Simply put it measures whether over the period that you have had a student in your class whether they have improved or not. Have you added value to them? It really should be a concept that country footy clubs use when assessing whether their recruits have been a success or not. Have they added value? For while winning is fun, no doubt, it's much more fun to bring in people who have a crack on the field and are good people off it. Who improve what you already have no matter how good it already is. Over the last couple of years the Narembeen Footy Club has been lucky to add some immense value.

Justin and Sharon Baldwin (Hooper) both grew up in Narembeen and to my knowledge both left in their early twenties. They then spent the best part of the next twenty years in the deep south of the state, primarily around Jerramungup, indeed a read of the Jerry Footy Honour Board will see the name Baldwin pop up numerous times. About four years ago they would return to the Been and have since bought a business and settled back in.

Justin was a tremendous country footballer in his day and spent some time at South Fremantle as well. After a couple of years of quietly watching JB has got involved in the footy club as an assistant coach. He has brought with him a level of what they call Footy IQ and the club is the better for it. This IQ shows clearly when ever JB runs a drill at training or talks to the players on game day. He has a way of imparting his understanding of the game in a manner that can't help but add value to the club and the players.

The arrival of the Baldwins saw their daughter Mel and her then boyfriend now fiancé Dean Williams soon follow suit. Dean, who brought his fledging plumbing business with him, is also a footballer and was quick to slip into the league side and commit to the club. Mel is a teacher and also a devoted and highly talented hockey player. Then the connections of the family brought the club Ben Hislop.

Hislop is a quality footballer and also a quality bloke. In his second year at the Hawks he has become a popular member of the group and being a country boy, Hislop is originally from Jerramungup, he had a clear understanding of how country footy and the clubs within work. This is what country footballers need, they need to bring in people who contribute on and off the field.

Then finally the connection of the Baldwins has brought the two Spinks boys to town. Connor, the older of the two, is an apprentice out at AFGRI and arrived early in 2021. He is a smooth moving footballer who no doubt has his best footy in front of him. Heath, younger by a couple of years, came to town to work for Uncle Justin this year and has been quick to become a key part of the league side. A tough big bodied defender Heath compliments what the Hawks have beautifully and, like his brother, at only nineteen has some great footy ahead of him. More importantly than all this though is the clear and obvious fact that both the Spinks boys are good fellahs who enjoy a laugh and are good to others, they bring great value.

Country footy clubs and the communities in which they exist need the stalwarts. We need the farming families than have been in town for a century. We need the businesses who have been going for almost as long. We need the players who play hundreds of games and the trainers that arrive every week. However we also need to add to what we have. We need new ideas, new faces and new talents. For it is when people that can bring these factors into a town and a footy club arrive that you know you have really added some value.

# **HAWK TALK**



# **Craig Gmeiner**

Standing up.....

There are times in the evolution of a group that they need to draw a line in the sand. They need to take on an identity that they are proud of and that means something. It doesn't

happen with every group but the groups that it does happen with tend to be the ones that find success when success is hard to find. Last Saturday the Narembeen Ressies side made that statement and drew that line in the dirt. As a result, against their most traditional of rivals, they came from behind and found success where initially it looked it might be hard to find.

This was always going to be a tough contest. 2<sup>nd</sup> versus 3<sup>rd</sup>, the Pies sat just below the Ressies with only an inferior percentage keeping them out of second spot. The game started intensely with the big bodied Pies midfield getting on top early and the Ressies being forced to respond. Respond they did but as they were wasteful in front of goal early on the Pies took control of the term. They spread harder than the Ressies and they seemed to have a forward line that had the maroon and gold for pace.

Thirteen points down at the first change and looking at a quarter into the breeze, the question was being asked. This is where the line was drawn. Archie Saunders took responsibility for the talented Matt Cashmore in the middle of the ground and proceeded to do a wonderful job. Steve Boughton relished the freedom of running through the middle of the ground and proceeded to marshal a midfield response that was something the players should be proud of. Young Blake Davey started to get on top in the ruck and it was game on.

Four goals into the breeze was a great statement by a committed side. They would then have their chance with what was a strengthening breeze and had the game on their terms. The third quarter saw the Ressies dominate proceedings. With the wind, they locked the ball in their half of the ground and if not for some errant kicking at goal would have turned for home further in front. The further the game went the more dangerous Rihari Green became. Off a half forward flank and with a wonderful ability to go to either side of his body Green became more and more dangerous and could well have kicked five for the game by the end.

To their credit the final quarter saw the Pies respond. They attacked the contest well and started to get some more out of the clearance. However every time they scored or looked like mounting a charge this Ressies side responded. Rucking on his own all day sixteen year old Blake Davey fought back and his midfield got the ball inside fifty when he did. The boys had been genuinely challenged by a good Ressies side. They needed all to respond and all stood up to be counted. Coming from behind and going into a breeze they relished the opportunity to draw a line in the sand and take a win they deserved.

Ressies 8-12 60

Bruce Rock 7-6 48

Best: Archie Saunders, Steve Boughton, Nikau Brown, Rihari Green, Stephen Cummins, Blake Davey



# **HAWK TALK**

# **Craig Gmeiner**

These kids are alright.....

The usual progression of a yellow shorter is pretty simple. The first half of their first season usually sees them running pretty sure that many of the men they are playing against could snap them in half. Then in the second half of the season they work out that many of the men they are playing against can't catch them anyway and as such they start playing with some more confidence. Upon reflection there is usually a game or a moment where it is noticeable that these young players grow another leg. The Ressies game against Bruce Rock on Saturday could well have been one of those games.

Steven Cummins, Cameron Hills and Lauchlan Poot are three young footballers plying their trade in the Narem Ressies in season 2022. They are all at different stages in their football development and, as all young players should be given, need to be given time to continue to grow. Through the season they have all had moments of contribution and moments where they have struggled, as all young footballers should be allowed to have. They all show great promise as players and all bring different skills to the table. They have been playing in a side that has been enjoying a strong season but on Saturday they were needed to contribute strongly to a side that was missing some prime movers. To their credit they came through.

Cummins, the oldest of the three, played across half back and was not only able to negate an opponent but also showed a willingness to put his body in harms way to win the footy for his team. This is a big step for a young footballer as once a footballer can understand that they can absorb physical pressure and still contribute they grow in confidence. This was a key part of the Ressies coming from behind and enjoying a hard earned win against the Rock.

Cameron Hills in his second year of Ressies footy and has had a couple of games where he has contributed to his team. Yesterday he was placed in the unfamiliar role of a back pocket but to his credit played his role impressively. The great thing about the effort Hills was able to bring against the Pies was that he never seemed to go to ground and he showed growing dare in his ball use. Taking a risk is a big part of footy and if Hills can continue to do this as a footballer it will be a trait that serves him well. It certainly helped his team yesterday.

Lauchlan Poot came to town last year and is coming to the end of just his second full season of football. He is probably the most athletic of the three but also the most experienced. He has some real pace about him and yesterday saw him start to use that pace to put some distance between himself and his opponent which allowed him more chance to win the footy. He had two shots on goal as a result of this and as he grows as a footballer he will not only kick these goals but create many more.

Young footballers should be given time to develop and grow. Cummins, Hills and Poot are far from the finished package and have a lot more to learn and develop in themselves and their football skills. However sometimes, sometimes, it is important that we acknowledge the steps that young players take. It is important that we let them know that, while they have a long way to go and we are all prepared to wait, they are on the right track and are doing well. For as famous Eagles coach once said 'the ox is slow but the earth is patient' which in another time simply means, these kids are alright.



# NAREMBEEN HOCKEY CLUB



### A grade

Our 5-2 score line doesn't give justice to the tough game we had over at Bruce Rock. Down 2 nil at half time we were really struggling to find our feet. After a half time break, we had to reset, and we soon found our brand of hockey. Our ball movement was fantastic, and we converted on our short corners. I believe we scored 4 in the third quarter! All in all, it was a great competitive game of hockey and our determination and work rate got us over the line in the end. Great to see we have that fight especially as we come into the business end of the season. One fixtured game left, lets finish off strong!

India Nelson

### **Junior Hockey**

Narembeen went to Bruce Rock to play hockey. It was a very cold day. Narembeen started with the ball and Bruce Rock chose which was to go. Parker was in the goals. Near the end Noah almost got a goal but the ball went out instead. The final score was 4 to Bruce Rock and 0 to Narembeen. Next week is in Merredin and is the last game before the finals. See you there!

Kate Smoker

### Mens Hockey

Narembeen Men defeated Bruce Rock (5-1)

Another hard fought Adrian Smoker match on Saturday, with the good guys coming away with the win. A bolstered line up that saw both Stirratt boys back from Perth as well as semi-retired veterans Mig and Luke Smoker taking the field. We have never had so many players wanting to play!

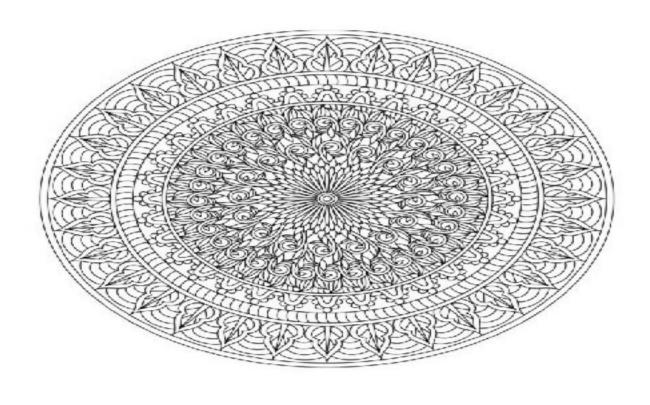
A match that had abit of everything; goals, overheads, tomahawks, interchanges, cramps and yellow cards (not mentioning any names). As was mentioned by a number of spectators and players alike, it was a very fast paced game that went from one end of the ground to the other in a matter of seconds. Uncharacteristically we managed to convert a few opportunities up forward which set us up for a big win and retain the Adrian Smoker trophy. The score probably doesn't give a good indication of how tight it was during the game, with both teams fighting it out to very end.

Thanks to all the spectators who braved the weather as well as the Smoker family for cheering us on. I'm sure Adrian would have been happy with the contest

Team line up: Layne Thornton, Sam Nation, Luke Smoker, Mig Smoker, Wes Taylor, Ethan Stirratt, Kye Stirratt, Nathan Sprigg, Jordan Sprigg, Connor Sargeant, Harry Sargeant, Rob Nolan, Josh Fushy, Cooper Sprigg, Deakon Miller, Ben Latham, Thomas Latham, Gus Latham



# Mindful Colouring

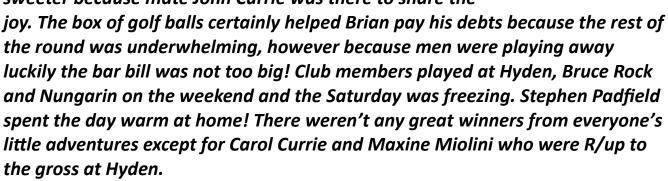


# Narembeen Golf

# Another clever/ lucky golfer! Another hole in one!

This time on #2, Brian Cusack aced the hole for his second hole in one on our course. Apparently it was much

sweeter because mate John Currie was there to share the



Back at home the men played sweepstakes and Dave Pollard had a goodie with 39 with John Currie the closest 35 and Stephen Padfield left his cocoon for 32. NP#2 (hole in one) was Brian, Dave collected Best 2<sup>nd</sup> #7 and NP #15 and John Best 3<sup>rd</sup> # 11.

On Wednesday, a good mob of women tried hard to win Gina DeLuis' trophy-a par. Always a worry about her trophy as her sense of humour is legendary. Noela Cole had a +1 on a c/b from Maree Sprigg+1, Maxine Miolini -2 and Kyla Padfield -4. NP #9 was Kyla and Jules Hayter LP #13.

Congratulations go to <u>Miranda Noack</u> on qualifying #1 and on Wednesday this week the women play their elimination rounds with an A and B grade. Quite a few will be playing in their first so good luck- as the weather looks ominous.

Elders held a successful day on Thursday with 40 clients having a swing and enjoying the ambience if not the golf. Thanks Colin.

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# THE AG SHOP ARE HIRING

Due to our expanding workload we are looking for a mechanically minded person, preferably with a truck and forklift licence (or ability to obtain) to join our team in a part-time or permanent position. Must have good communication skills, enjoy working in a team environment, have a strong work ethic and always employ workplace confidentiality.

### **About Us**

We are a locally owned, family-run business located in Hyden, Western Australia and are involved in supplying parts and services to the local Agricultural, Mining, and Industrial sectors. As part of the supply chain we also arrange logistics and operate as a freight depot. We have been in operation for 10 years and have experienced rapid growth over the past few years.

### About the Role:

This position is perfect for the all-rounder with the successful candidate being responsible for, but not limited to:

- Yard maintenance keep shop/warehouse yard organized and clean
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- Pick and pack sales orders
- Maintain machinery and vehicles to a good standard
- Ability to learn hydraulic hose assembly

This role has the potential to expand into other areas of responsibility for the right candidate.

### Remuneration:

Negotiable - based on role, qualifications, and experience.

### Skills and Qualifications:

- Ability to do manual work
- Excellent record keeping, time management and communication skills
- Enthusiastic and positive attitude with an appreciation for processes and procedures
- Reliable and self-motivated working within WHS guidelines
- Driver's licence essential, Forklift and truck licence desirable (or ability to obtain)
- Be willing to undertake alcohol and random drug testing

The successful candidate must be willing to re-locate to Hyden. Assistance with accommodation may be available for right candidate.

To find out more about the role please contact us on sales@theagshop.com.au



# NAREMBEEN RECREATION CENTRE

**AGM 2022** 

Our AGM will be held on

Monday September 12 2022

We have committee positions open to fill. We look forward to seeing you there.

### **AFGRI NAREMBEEN**

AFGRI Narembeen will be conducting a stocktake on Monday the 8<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday the 9<sup>th</sup> of August. While we will still be open, services will be limited to urgent trading only.

Thank you for your patience and understanding

Regards

The AFGRI team Narembeen

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Contact Zac Fagan 0428 340 606

ABN 626 293 883 34 Refrigerant trading authorization AU 53806

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# MT WALKER GOLF CLUB SUNDAY AUGUST 7<sup>TH</sup> 2022

MT WALKER CUP (MENS)



# COWAN CUP (LADIES) 18 HOLE STABLEFORD

\$35 PER PLAYER

Soup & Toasted Sandwiches (lunch)

**Dinner served after Presentations** 

Coffee and Tea provided

10.45am Running Draw

Further Information please contact Carolyn Fagan 0407645023

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- Nominate your requirements within the FSO period for priority access to product available for fixed supply contracts.

Speak to Steve about your fertilizer requirements for 2022









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# Birthdays

Tina Gausden

**Charles Muntz** 

Jordan Sprigg

# **AUGUST**

7th

8th

9th

10th

3rd	Nicholas Price	Greg Moppett	Clinton Hackett
	Ollie Luca DeLuis		
4th	Marj Coverley	Jasmine Major	Brock Fitzgerald
5th	Wendy Cooper		
6th	Don Cheetham	Bernie Cova	Naomi Smith
	Riley Noble		







### **AUGUST**

2nd	Ross & Helen Fidge
3rd	Ross & Jo-anne Yandle
5th	<b>Brian &amp; Kerry Cummins</b>
8th	Stephen & Sheryl Moppett

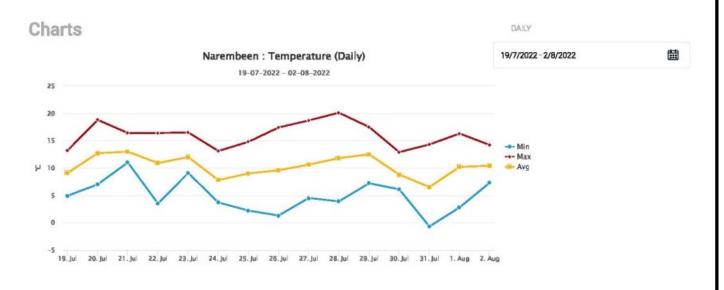
Jushua Berry

Georgia Lee

Beau Cowan

Debbie Westropp(Federici)

# Weather





# **CHURCH NOTICES**



# ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN

Sunday, August 7th 9.30am

Isaiah Chapter 1 - Verses 10-20

**Hazel Toovey** 

Hebrews Chapter 11 - Verses 1-16

**Ruth Hall** 

Luke Chapter 12 - Verses 32-40

Psalm 50

# **Church of Christ**

Thursday 4th August 7.30pm

Bible study at D & R Smoker's home Word for the evening - "follow"

Friday 5th August 3.15 - 4.30pm Kids Club at Church of Christ Hall

**Sunday 7th August 10.00am**Worship Service with Sunday school during the

**Bible Verse: Proverbs 22:6** 

Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it.

# **Seventh Day Adventist**

**105 Church Rd, Mt Walker** Saturday, August 6.

### THERE WILL BE NO LOCAL SERVICES

**10:30 am**. We have been invited to meet with Merredin members at Muntadgin for combined

"Bush Church". There is the possibility of a late cancellation if the Covid flare up over there does

not ease. If members miss further news by later in the week please double check with Yonnie, Phone 0447 578 146.

The seniors Bible Study is "Struggling With All Energy", the Key text is Colossians 1:29 and it will continue to be on your VAST TV — Channel 603 at 4 pm (Sabbath School Panel) or 7 pm (Let God Speak) on Friday.

Any queries, please to -

Terry: 0427907119, Rhonda 0417907119. Church Pastor, Douw Venter: 0458552011

# ROMAN CATHOLIC

OUR LADY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
Saturday, August 6th

6.00pm

Reader: J Cusack

Contact: R Hickey 0428 132 454

J Cusack 0408 064 727

Cleaning: C. Harper

Email: brucerockparish@gmail.com

FaceBook: Francis Mary Concepta Sacrament



# COMMUNITY HEALTH INFORMATION XXXXXX



### NAREMBEEN MEDICAL CENTRE - PHONE 9064 7145

Dr Lines consults Monday to Friday from 8am to 1pm. Please phone 90647 145 for an appointment or online with Health Engine

### 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 90813222 or Ngala 1800 111546

### CENTRAL AGCARE FAMILY COUNSELLING SERVICE

Counsellor Anne Hague 0427 133 711

PODIATRIST – PHONE 90646222

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

At Narembeen Medical Centre

# **COMING EVENTS**

**AUGUST** 2022 Wednesday 3rd LIONS CLUB MEETING NAREMBEEN GOLF - LADIES - 1st and 2nd Elimations Thursday 4th Autumn Club 10.00am-2.00pm 5th Friday Playgroup at Numbats Centre 9.30am Kids Club - Church of Christ Hall 3.15pm Saturday 6th Church - Seventh Day Adventist at Muntadgin 10.30am - Roman Catholic 6.00pm Men's Shed 9.00am HOCKEY - Burracoppin V Narembeen FOOTBALL - Burracoppin V Narembeen NETBALL - BU1 v NB1 NB2 Bye JUNIORS Bye Sunday 7th 9.30am Church - Anglican - Church of Christ 10.00am LIONS PAPER PICK UP MT WALKER GOLF - COWAN CUP/ MIOLINI TROPHY NAREMBEEN GOLF - MEN - Stableford - D Pollard Trophy - LADIES - Sweepstakes 10.30am Monday 8th Historical Busy Bee - History Centre 9.30am Circuit Gym Arts and Crafts and Book Exchange at Community Shed 10.00am-4.00pm **Senior Citizens** 2.00pm Tuesday 9th

NAREMBEEN GOLF - LADIES - Stableford - A Main Trophy

Wednesday 10th

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