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Finding the Scorpius Constellation

Learning to point out constellations is lots of fun, and one of the easiest to find is Scorpius the Scorpion. It's a lovely, large constellation that really does form the shape of a scorpion! It is currently visible throughout the evening, lying directly overhead at around 8pm.

When and where to look:

A great night to find Scorpio will be on the 10th September. Look for a brilliant conjunction of Venus and the crescent Moon in the north-west at sunset. Higher in the sky look for a reddish star, Antares that lies in the centre of the constellation, known as the heart of the scorpion. See if you can find the curve of Scorpio's body and the sting in its tail stretching up to the centre of the sky!

Antares is a super-giant red star several hundred times the diameter of our Sun and is about 550 light-years from Earth. It is often referred to as the 'Heart of the Scorpion', due to its location in the constellation and its reddish glow. The name Antares means 'rival of Mars' due to its similarity in colour. It is classified as a Red Supergiant and is massive, at approximately 700 times our sun's diameter!

Inspirations for Finals

"Hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard." – Tim Notke

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Day	Max Temp	Min Temp	Possible rainfall	Chance of Rainfall
Wed 25th August	21°C	4°C	1mm	40%
Thurs 26th August	17°C	7°C	5-10mm	90%
Fri 27th August	13°C	3°C	1mm	70%
Sat 28th August	15°C	3°C	1-5mm	30%
Sun 29th August	15°C	6°C	1-5mm	70%
Mon 30th August	16°C	6°C	1-5mm	40%

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		IC: Di, Sarah & Kel	
Breakfast	Self Serve	Food Prep Rooms	I.C. Jan Orr
5:30am - 8:00am	8:00am - 10:30am	8:30am - 10:30am	9:00am - 11:00am
Gaye Guelfi	Laurel Shalders	Jeanette DeLandeGrafft	Em Gilmour
Cindy Dunkeld	Kath Altham	Kelly Barr	Rachel McLean
Sandy Armstrong	Frances Maisey	Heather Quartermaine	Naomi Barrett-Lennard
Diana Gosling	Roz Lloyd	Melissa Cugley	Natalie Dunkeld
Marion Morton		Lee Newman	
Leanne McDonald	10:30am - 1:00pm	Steph Clarke-Lloyd	
Len Armstrong	Caroline Richardson	Skye O'Shannessy	11:00am - 1:00pm
Judy Walker	Eileen Ness		Melinder Dunkeld
	Helen Scott (Brennan)		Davina Hams
	Claire Ness		Nat Thompson
7:00am - 9:30am			Amanda Shalders
Laurel Shalders	1:00pm - 3:30pm	10:30am - 1:00pm	
Roz Lloyd	Rosie Allen	Rosy Sinclair	1:00pm - 3:00pm
	Anne Rick		Helen Hams
EVENING MEAL	Lee Rickard	Robyn Orr	Susan Hall
5:30pm - 8:00pm	Jasmine Offer	Stevie Lynch	Helen Scott (Bruce)
Alison Spencer	Kaye Walker		
Pauline Taylor			
Helen Scott (Brennan)	3:30pm - 5:30pm	1:00pm - 3:00pm	3:00pm - 5:00pm
Bridget Michell	Christine Gilmour	Trish Rintoul	Michele Waddell
Kerry Iffla	Fran Cuff	Tahlia Bielby	Sonia Waddell / Beau Waddell
Monica Newman	Judy Garlick	Sammy Horsfield	
	Tahlia Bielby	Barb Marchetti	

THURSDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER, 2021

PAVILION		OFFICE	
		IC: Di, Sarah & Kel	
Breakfast	Self Serve	Food Prep Rooms	IC: Jan Orr
5:30am - 8:00am	8:00am - 10:30am	8:30am - 10:30am	9:00am - 11:00am
Gaye Guelfi	Pauline Taylor	Skye O'Shannessy	Trish Rintoul
Cindy Dunkeld	Susan Hall	Frances Maisey	Aleisha McCagh
Sandy Armstrong	Alison Spencer	Lee Rickard	Helen Hams
Diana Gosling	Jasmine Offer	Sammy Horsfield	Robyn Orr
Marion Morton	Annette McNally	Rachael McLean	
Leanne McDonald		Mackenzie Turner	11:00am - 1:00pm
Len Armstrong		Gemma Lidster	Natalie Dunkeld
Judy Walker	10:30am - 1:00pm		Sandy Armstrong
	Michele Waddell		Stevie Lynch
	Sheree McDonald		
7:00am - 9:30am	Davina Hams	10:30am - 1:00pm	
Laurel Shalders	Penny Hall	Anne Rick	
Rebekah Dunkeld		Judy Stewart	1:00pm - 3:00pm
Helen Scott (Bruce)	1:00pm - 3:30pm	Cathie Kelly	Claire Walter
Idra Greyling	Lee Newman		Pom Harvey
Haylee Morton	Eileen Ness		Juliet Butcher
	Erica Wiech		
	3:30pm - 5:30pm		

NOTICE BOARD

Crichton Vale Merino Stud

Tuesday 7th September 2021

**Viewing at 11am
Sale Begins at 2pm**



Contact:

Bill Cowan (Stud Principal)
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Nathan King (Stud Classer)

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GNOWANGERUP FAMILY SUPPORT ASSOCIATION INC

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING and GENERAL MEETING

To be held on Tuesday, 7th September, 3:30pm at the Nobarach Childcare Centre (Gnowangerup)

Free crèche is available to parents who are attending the meeting, however please make a prior booking. Ph: 98271454 or 0417613847

Any business to be placed on the agenda must be submitted in writing 7 days prior to the commencement of the meeting to the GFSA Secretary Kate Humphries via email to gnpfamsupp@westnet.com.au

Anyone interested in becoming a committee member please contact the Secretary via the above email address and request an inspection of the Rules of the Association prior to the meeting.

All positions are vacant– 4 executive committee and 5 centre representatives

NOTICE BOARD

ICPA Donut Roster Wednesday 1st September

7.30-8.30am	Tim & Claire Walter	Claire Ness
8.00-10.30am	Colin Tapper	Matt Cugley
	Tania Bray	Anne Rick
10.30am -12.30pm	Vicki Bridger	Jo Brooks
	Rachael Hardey	Vicki De Landgraftt
12.30-2.30pm	Anita Penny	Graham Garlick
	K & L Brownley	Judy Walker
2.30pm-4.00pm	Tim Walter	Hayden Garlick
	Liam Thompson	Trey Westlake
4.00-5.30pm (Clean Up)	Lynette Gittos	Stacey Newman

ICPA Donut Roster Thursday 2nd September

7.30-8.30am	Tim & Claire Walter	Claire Ness
8.00-10.30am	Claire Ness	Claire Walter
	Jeanette De Landgraftt	Darren Wiech
10.30am -12.30pm	Skye O'Shannessy	Symone McKenzie
	Jodie Dunkeld	Amanda Shalders
12.30-2.30pm	Nat Thompson	Lynette Gittos
	Jane Cunningham	Nat Dunkeld @lpm
2.30pm-4.00pm	Anna Lisa Newman	G Barrett-Lennard
	Ester Barret- Lennard	Josiah Barret- Lennard
4.00-5.30pm (Clean Up)	Claire Ness	Claire Walter

Albany investment to advance new wave of renewable technology

- McGowan Government invests \$1.55 million in collaborative Ocean Wave Energy Market Demonstration site in Albany
- Project a partnership with UWA Wave Energy Research Centre, the Blue Economy Cooperative Research Centre and the Australian Ocean Energy Group
- Wave energy device to be installed in King George Sound

The first commercial Ocean Wave Energy Market Demonstration Site in the southern hemisphere is a step closer with the McGowan Government contributing \$1.55 million towards a collaborative project to further develop renewable energy technologies in the Great Southern.

The proposal is a collaboration between The University of Western Australia's Wave Energy Research Centre and the Australian Government-funded Blue Economy Cooperative Research Centre at a total project cost of \$4.8 million, with additional \$1 million of in-kind support from the Australian Ocean Energy Group.

The project aims to confirm the suitability of King George Sound as an Albany test site for wave energy devices by deploying a reduced scale wave attenuator nicknamed 'M4'.

It will test wave energy technology as a renewable energy source for local aquaculture and position Albany in the international 'blue economy' community, stimulating further research and industry investment and flow-on benefits to Great Southern businesses.

It builds on the Wave Energy Research Centre's international reputation for world-leading research and its strong regional community outreach, as well as Albany's excellent wave resource and potential to support the ocean energy industry.

Comments attributed to Regional Development Minister Alannah MacTiernan:

"This Albany Wave Energy Demonstration proposal reinforces Albany and Western Australia as a

leading research hub and test location as this important technology continues to emerge.

"This proposal will drive investment in wave energy technology, which has great potential as an alternative renewable energy source - especially as electricity grids evolve towards integrated renewable energy systems and microgrids.

"The project will prove up the wave suitability of King George Sound for smaller, floating wave energy devices for use by local industry.

"Importantly, the project will support Great Southern businesses, with more than 80 per cent of the Government contribution to the project being reinvested locally."

Minister's office - 6552 6200

NMFD EVENING MEAL

TUESDAY

31st SEPTEMBER, 2021

5:30pm - 8.00pm

Lyn Kennedy
Nicole Kennedy
Jess Rintoul
Michelle Garlick
Tahlia Tonkin
Shannon Steven
Holly McDonald

What's happening at the



Expressions of Interest Truck Driver Training

Do you or your employees need
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Proposed Dates: 20th September to 1st October 2021

Numbers are required for this to go ahead. Please
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Newdegate St John Ambulance

Annual Review Meeting (formerly known as an AGM)

ALL VOLUNTEERS, POTENTIAL VOLUNTEERS AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE INVITED.

Date: Monday 13th September, 2021

Venue: Newdegate sub-centre, May St

Time: 6.30pm



For further details, please contact Chairman – Alison Spencer 0427 631 971

GRACE'S GARDENING TIPS?

Purple Sweet Potato's

What Are Purple Sweet Potatoes?

Purple sweet potatoes are root vegetables. The tubers taper to points on both ends and are members of the Ipomoea genus, just like other sweet potatoes (yams are of the genus Dioscorea). There are two main varieties—Okinawa (white skin) and Stokes (purple skin)—though they share the characteristic of having a deep purple flesh. The color comes from anthocyanins, the same pigment that gives cherries, strawberries, purple carrots, and other vegetables their color. These sweet potatoes are easy to prepare and cook. They're not as easy to find as regular sweet potatoes and are more of a specialty item, so they will cost a little more.

Sweet potatoes that have brown, red-orange, or white skin with orange or white flesh are native to Colombia and southern Central America. After Columbus' discoveries, they were brought to Asia, and varieties with white skin and speckled pale purple flesh were developed on the Japanese island of Okinawa. Today, they are widely grown in Hawaii and exported to the United States mainland where they are popular with Asian and Latinx communities.

What Does It Taste Like?

Purple sweet potatoes have a rich, almost winey flavor with a creamy texture. They are denser and drier than regular sweet potatoes, which is why moist cooking methods and longer times are recommended.

Storage

Sweet potatoes, in general, do not store as well as regular potatoes. Avoid bruising these potatoes as the slightest damage can cause the entire sweet potato to go bad. You can keep them at room temperature for about a week. For longer storage, keep them in a dry, dark, and cool place with good ventilation and use within a few weeks. Storing any sweet potato in the refrigerator can throw off the flavor and lead to a very hard center.

Purple Sweet Potatoes vs. Purple Yams

Sweet potatoes are grown underground while yams grow on a vine above the ground, though yams do look like a tuber. The two are commonly confused and mislabeled at the market, so most people in the U.S. have never eaten an actual yam (native to Africa). There are purple varieties of both vegetables. The purple yam is the Filipino ube or ubi, and it is very rare to find it in the United States. It has a darker, rougher-looking skin that's brown and reminiscent of tree bark. This vegetable is a major crop and food source in the Philippines. It is also made into a powder, which is then used in Filipino desserts that are unmistakable with their bright purple color.



Applications open for regional event funding support

- Regional event holders encouraged to apply for funding
- Total of up to \$1 million available, including \$150,000 for the Regional Aboriginal Events Scheme

Supported by the Western Australian Government, through Tourism WA's Regional Events Program Regional event holders are encouraged to apply for funding through the 2022-23 Regional Events Scheme, which opened today.

Event holders can apply for grants between \$5,000 and \$40,000 for events held between July 1, 2022 and June 30, 2023.

The annual funding round supports smaller and developing events around Western Australia, with a total of up to \$1 million of funding available.

The funding includes \$150,000 for the Regional Aboriginal Events Scheme (RAES) to support events that showcase and celebrate Aboriginal activities and experiences through the leadership and participation of Aboriginal people.

Sixty-two regional events around the State were awarded funding under the 2021-22 scheme, including five through the RAES.

The Regional Events Scheme is supported by the Western Australian Government, through Tourism WA's Regional Events Program.

Applications close at 5pm on October 19, 2021. For more information or to apply, visit <http://www.tourism.wa.gov.au/res>

Comments attributed to Tourism Minister David Templeman:

"Our regional events play such an important role in showcasing the unique destinations that make our State such a popular holiday destination for visitors, particularly as the industry continues to recover from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

"I encourage all eligible regional event holders to apply for the Regional Events Scheme to help make

their event even bigger and better."

"These events help create a vibrant atmosphere, give people a time-specific reason to visit, and generate media coverage in our regions, which is all great news for local businesses."

Comments attributed to Regional Development Minister Alannah MacTiernan:

"It is great to see events happening around the State, which not only bring communities together but also attract visitors from near and far, supporting regional economies and jobs.

"The Regional Events Scheme provides significant help to regional event holders, especially those hit by the COVID-19 pandemic, to rebuild and pursue their program of activities with confidence.

"Events are an essential part of the fabric of Western Australia's regions, celebrating the community's diversity and talents, while providing opportunities for connection and support - essential to help maintain strong, robust

Peter Rundle MLA Member for Roe



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THE NATIONALS for Regional WA

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Whodegate? Terrie Ness

Current Occupation?

Semi Retired

How would your friends describe you?

Hardwork!

Where do you see yourself in five years?

Hopefully retired in Albany

Do you have a talent?

Yes—Annoying Hubby

Do you have a dream job?

No dream job—I’m happy doing what I do

Who is your idol?

Queen Elizabeth

Do you have a favourite book or author?

No favourites—I don’t read much. Not even my Bookclub novels.

What was your first job?

Office Duties working at Newdegate Stock and Trading with previous owner Bob Macmanon. The business was located in the building now known as ‘The Gateway’

Do you have any hobbies?

Not really—Hope to play Lawn Bowls in Albany (Too hot in this area)



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Wet season warning to monitor grains crops for pests and diseases

2021 has been a significant year for rainfall, creating ideal conditions for bumper grains crops – as well as pests and diseases.

The Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD) has harnessed its vast resources into a Season 2021 webpage to provide a one-stop-shop for information to assist grain growers navigate the crop risks as the season unfolds.

All the latest scientific research information and advice can be accessed on the department's Season 2021 webpage, while growers can stay up to date with reports of pests and diseases via its PestFax e-newsletter.

Australian plague locusts (APL) are predicted to be active this spring, after autumn hatchings in the eastern Grainbelt and reports of damage to germinating crops in the Albany, Esperance, Kwinana East and Geraldton port zones.

Department research scientist Svetlana Micic said recent modelling suggested locusts would start hatching in the northern and eastern Grainbelt from late August and in the southern Grainbelt from mid-September.

"The immature or hopper stage locusts tend to avoid established green crops, although the edges of crops can be damaged," she said.

"Growers with pastures who had APL present in autumn should consider control measures, if pasture is valued at the cost of replacement feed for livestock and locust numbers exceed thresholds of 20 hoppers per square metre.

"It is important to monitor paddocks closely as the weather warms up and take action if any crop damage is observed."

DPIRD's Season 2021 webpage has links to department advice on locust identification, control measures and spray thresholds to assist growers and other landholders.

Other pests already reported include native budworm and diamondback moth, which are expected to increase, while aphids, such as Russian wheat aphid, and armyworms, including the new fall armyworm species, will also become more active.

Mice also have potential to become a significant issue, with reports of mice activity in the Northern Agricultural Region over winter, which could pose a risk to this year's grains harvest if not managed promptly. DPIRD urges landholders to monitor regularly for mice activity, report observations

using FeralScan's MouseAlert app and to implement control measures immediately.

Links to further information are available on the department's Season 2021 webpage.

Crop diseases have also started to emerge and DPIRD urges growers to monitor crops regularly and take management action to protect crop yields and grain quality.

Senior research scientist, plant pathologist Geoff Thomas, said the favourable season could result in diseases not usually seen in drier years becoming problematic.

"As the weather warms up in coming weeks crop disease management will be crucial to protect this years expected high yield potential," he said.

"Reports of sclerotinia are widespread and DPIRD has already received several requests for information regarding control measures in canola and lupins, which could create challenges with managing the withholding periods associated with treatments."

Mr Thomas said rust could also be an issue this season, especially for oat growers.

"There have already been reports of leaf and stem rust in wild oats and regrowth, suggesting the disease could be a risk for susceptible varieties this season," he said.

Reports of powdery mildew affecting susceptible varieties of barley and wheat, particularly on the South Coast, indicate this crop disease could spread.

DPIRD has a range of digital decision support tools, including the MyCrop app, to assist with in paddock crop diagnosis, as well as the SclerotiniaCM, BlacklegCM, StripeRustWM, YellowSpotWN and the CropScout app to manage spray thresholds.

Growers and agronomists are encouraged to report pest and disease observations using DPIRD's Pest Fax Reporter app to be included in the weekly PestFax newsletter, which includes PestFax Map of pest and disease occurrences throughout the Grainbelt.

The department's Season 2021 webpage will be updated regularly as the season progresses with targeted, additional information on pests and diseases to assist growers to optimise paddock production and profitability.

While there is a lot to be optimistic about the 2021 season, DPIRD has urged landholders to remain vigilant and to act on pests and diseases to optimise crop potential.



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1st & 2nd September



Newdegate Winter Sports 2021

Netball—B Grade

1st Semi Finals Sunday the 22nd August

Newdegate *def* Jerramungup

We're through to the Prelim!

A huge congrats to the girls for our semi-final win over Jerry on Sunday!

The scoreboard certainly didn't reflect the intensity on court, with Jerry's defence putting some strong pressure on our shooters in the circle. The finals nerves kicked in and we got off to a bit of a shaky start, but still managed to get a good lead by half-time. A fantastic third quarter then put us in a good position to maintain the lead, with the score 41-26 at the final whistle.

A big thank you to Whitney for travelling down and helping us out in Naomi's absence.

Well done to all the players on another great game, and to Michelle Harris for being awarded Best on Ground from the ONA.

Looking forward to playing Boxwood in the Prelim final in Lake Grace this Saturday at 10.30am.

Please come and support our team! Go Newdy!



Netball—Juniors

Congratulations on a hard fought season. Although we didn't come away with a win in the finals, I am SO PROUD of how much every single Player has improved throughout the season and have really enjoyed my time as coach!

Goodluck to Junior Hockey and Football teams in the upcoming finals.

Till next year, Coach Robyn xx





Newdegate Winter Sports 2021

Football—Juniors

The Lions Go Marching On

1st semi final, 22nd August

Newdegate def Lake Grace-Pingrup

After a final round bye the Lion Cubs took to Sunday footy like a duck takes to water. After hosting sport on Saturday we made the journey to Jerramungup to take on arch rivals Lake Grace-Pingrup. Newdegate got off to a good start with Jack Lloyd kicking our opening goal, and we saw out the first quarter 1.2.8 to 0.0.0. The second quarter was Lake Grace-Pingrup's turn to score, which they managed to have more scoring shots which fortunately for us were only behinds. Half time NGT lead 1.2.8 to LG-P 0.4.4. The third quarter saw Jack kick his second for the game and we managed another two behinds to see out the quarter 2.4.16 to 0.4.4. The Cubs managed to finish off the final quarter with another goal through Piper Hall who took a specky mark in front of goals and another two behinds. Lake

Grace-Pingrup kept the pressure on taking the ball forward but again could only convert minor scores. The final score for the day NGT 3.6.24 to LG-P 0.7.7. This sees our juniors take on Jerramungup in Lake Grace in the Preliminary Final.

Thanks to our young club members who ran the junior boundary on Saturday: Trey, Tom, Sorren and Elise. Thanks to Michael for umpiring and Darren for waving the flags on Sunday. It takes effort from all involved to help our kids to be able to play sport, and your efforts are appreciated.

Congratulations to Sorren Humphries who was awarded joint F&B for the OFA Junior in 2021. Good work mate, your efforts on the field yesterday were worthy of this award.

Thanks for getting behind our Cubs, they love it. See you in Lake Grace. Go the Growl!



Hockey—Juniors

1st semi final, 22nd August

Newdegate (1) def Lake Grace/Pingrup (0)

We knew we had to bring our best for the finals, having been bumped down to 3rd spot in the last round of the season. The team didn't disappoint, with every player putting in their absolute best effort, fighting hard from start to finish. It was a see-sawing game, with both teams having some

good runs forward. Our defence stood strong though and we started to have more of the forward play in the 2nd half, with Ebony scoring the winning goal! Best players were Ebony and Sorren. Congratulations Newdegate on a great team win and thanks to all our supporters, we hope you will be there for the prelim final to cheer us on again!



Newdegate Winter Sports 2021

Hockey

Second Semi Final NGT (4) v GNP (1)

Saturday 21st August in Newdegate

We've started our game with a great warm up, having none of our players needing to play netball first meant we could have a whole team together from arrival to the field. The music was pumping, everyone was amped and a tad nervous but determined to make our way straight into the grand final.

Gnowangerup won the toss and took the ball. If the first quarter was how the whole game was going to go Gnowangerup had the win, scoring early & coming out hard and strong. Newde were flat as a pancake! Come the second quarter coach Ali made a couple position changes, had some words with her team and Newde came back out looking like a different side.

We got our first goal and the intensity, pressure and fight just kept rising from there. Vicki made some super saves and her fullbacks worked tirelessly to keep the ball from getting into the defensive 25.

Our halfbacks were always where they needed to be, applying pressure on the opposition as soon as they got the ball which resulted in many turnovers. They also backed up their forwards being right behind them all the way down the field into attack.

We had several short corners with two of them being executed perfectly and the ball hitting the back of the goals!! The forward line worked well together with some brilliant passages of play, nice precise passing and a few fast breaks that were dynamite to watch!

The overall picture of the game was one of team work, concentration and hard work. Gnowangerup had their fair share of the ball but

our team held strong and fought hard until the end. Special mention to Sammy Horsfield who managed to cover much of the ground to intercept and maintain pressure on players with the ball. And to another of our newer players – Rosie Allen, she was nervous going into the game but showed that by putting in the effort at training and asking questions, you can achieve great things.

Although I think there was a bit of panic in the first 10 minutes or so, the final result was a sign of the teams ability to return to the basics as well as work as a team.

Goal Scorers

Davina Hams x 1, Kelly Barr x 2, Lucy Kelly x1

Best Players

Newdegate - Kelly Barr & Lucy Kelly

Gnowangerup - Ella-Jane Bird & Taryn Smallwood

Well done to all the teams that made finals – best of luck to those competing in the preliminary final on Saturday. And we hope to see our supporters at the grand final in Boxwood on the 4th - cheering Newdegate loudly. **Go the Grow!!**

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POLICE NEWS

LAKE GRACE POLICE STATION

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Personnel: Sgt. Travis Taylor, SC Fiona Main

Spring maybe in the air but still no further news on when we will be welcoming a new Boss, although there is a good chance that we may be receive an update in a few weeks' time as there have been around 150 newly promoted Sergeant's across the WA Police Force, it's our guess that one of the newly promoted officers will apply for the vacant position here in Lake Grace. Let's hope they don't want to fix what isn't broken.

CRIME

No reported crime since the last article which is good news for everyone, however as we have mentioned recently we are to some degree reliant on the information received from you in the community.

If you have any misgivings or feel that something is happening out of the ordinary then please let us know, it may be nothing but it may a piece of information that helps us complete the missing piece of the jigsaw so to speak.

We along with the other Police Stations in our cell recently assisted Kulin Police with a Drugs Search Warrant, Constable Chase who is a drug detection dog in training, was watching eagerly as his big brother Constable Johnny showed him the ropes. Constable Johnny had a successful day sniffing around locating drugs and illegally held ammunition.

I'm sure one day Constable Chase will be just as good as his big brother.



[Who's a good boy Chase!!](#)

LOCAL NEWS

The Newdegate Field days are fast approaching, we know that there is a tremendous amount of work that goes into organising the event so well done to everyone involved, we are sure it will be a successful event.

We have received quite a few approved Occasional Liquor licences for the field days, if your business is planning on serving alcohol then you will need to apply for an occasional liquor licence: The sale and supply of alcohol in Western Australia is governed by the *Liquor Control Act 1988* (as amended). This Act is administered by the [Department of Racing, Gaming and Liquor](#). They are responsible for issuing liquor licences and can provide information on the various types of licences, probity issues and costs of licences. Lake Grace Police will be attending the event, along with other officers who are keen to assist. We are hoping to have the Police Incident Control Vehicle from Albany for the two days as this will serve as our mobile Police Station, please come and say hello if you get the chance, if not then I'm sure we will see you when we are out and about walking around the event, personally I will be trying to stay away from eating too many fresh doughnuts.

TRAFFIC

Last week we were involved in a Traffic operation in Corrigin, we are pleased to say that everyone stopped had been behaving themselves as there were no Alcohol or Drug impaired drivers detected. Locally, it has been noticed that a few of you have been in a bit of rush driving around town, it's just our observations as this invariably seems to happen when we are not on duty, so a polite reminder to slow down and stick to the speed limit, its there for a reason to keep us all safe. The speed limit throughout town is 50KPH.

The speed limit throughout town is 50KPH. Slow down at intersections, don't cut corners, pay attention to signs indicating vulnerable people may be in the area. As a driver, we are expected to take every incident into consideration, this includes pedestrians, or cyclists not paying attention, kids jumping out from their parent's grip, or someone with disabilities such as loss of hearing or sight. If an accident does occur, this may not be the driver's fault, however a pedestrian will always have right of way on a road.

That's it from us for now. Hopefully we'll have some news of a new Sergeant by the next edition. Stay Safe!

Scott and Fiona
Lake grace police




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Grain Brokers Weekly Market Report

The USDA slashes global wheat production...

The global wheat market was thrown on its head last week following the release of the latest World Agricultural Supply and Demand Estimates report. The USDA binned the measured approach and took the knife to wheat production estimates in many of the world's key exporting nations.

The trade has become accustomed to surprises from the USDA, but it has been more for its delayed reaction to production signals across the globe. That can't be said of this month's report, and global markets reacted accordingly.

The Chicago Board of Trade December 2021 wheat contract settled US\$3.58 per metric tonne higher on Friday to finish the week at US\$284.58/MT, the highest close on a continuous chart of the most traded CBOT wheat contract since February 2013. That was 6.8 per cent higher than the previous week's close of US\$266.48/MT, and 24.2 per cent higher than the most recent contract low of US\$229.19/MT set on July 9.

The Paris based Euronext December wheat futures set fresh contract highs on Thursday following the release of the WASDE report and again on Friday as the trade continued to digest the enormous reduction in global production. The benchmark December contract closed the week at €254.25/MT. That was 9.5 per cent higher than the previous Friday's close of €232.25/MT and 27.4 per cent higher than the most recent contract low of €199.50, similarly set on July 9.

Unsurprisingly, Black Sea export values have been on fire. Russian 12.5 per cent protein closed the first week of the month at around US\$270 free on board for September shipment. Last Friday, the same wheat was quoted at around US\$295FOB, with 11.5 per cent protein offered at a US\$10 discount and feed wheat another US\$10 lower. Many exporters, traders and domestic consumers entered the harvest period on the short side, but the dramatic drop in the production outlook has spawned a mad scramble for cover.

According to the USDA, the month-on-month global wheat outlook for 2021/22 is for reduced supplies, lower consumption, reduced trade, and smaller ending stocks. It slashed global production by 15.5 million metric tonne, or almost 2 per cent, to 776.9MMT with significant production downgrades in Russia and Canada. This puts the current world wheat estimate just 1MMT higher than 2020/21 production.

A month ago, analysts were talking up the Russian crop with estimates of 85MMT and higher commonplace. But a month is a long time in grain markets, and last week the USDA reacted to news of disappointing early harvest yields and a lower-than-expected planted area by cutting

12.5MMT, or 14.7 per cent out of projected output. This pegged the Russian wheat crop at 72.5MMT, a number even the most pessimistic would have thought unlikely.

All of the production decrease was in the winter wheat crop, with the USDA actually adding 1MMT to spring wheat production, taking it to 22MMT despite the dry start to the crop cycle. Winter wheat production was reduced by 13.5MMT, with the average yield forecast at 3.32 metric tonne per hectare compared to 3.77MT/ha in 2021. The area planted to winter wheat was cut by 900,000 hectares to 15.2 million hectares compared to July estimate.

The plight of the Canadian farmer has been well documented in recent months, with the drought across the Prairies the worst in living memory for most. The production drop was therefore totally expected, with the wheat crop now forecast to be the lowest since the 2010 harvest. The USDA settled on output of 24MMT, 7.5MMT, or 23.8 per cent lower than their July number, but further cuts are anticipated as the early harvest ramps up, and the weather outlook remains dry for the later crops.

Other changes in the wheat production matrix were the United States 1.3MMT, or 2.8 per cent lower at 46.2MMT, Kazakhstan 0.5MMT, or 3.9 per cent lower at 12.5MMT and Turkey 0.5MMT, or 2.9 per cent lower at 16.5MMT. Ukraine saw an upward revision of 3MMT, or 10 per cent, taking its crop estimate to 33MMT, and the Australian crop was also increased by 1.5MMT, or 5.3 per cent, to 30MMT. The Argentinian number was left unchanged at 20.5MMT, but issues are emerging in that part of the world, and India remains on track for a record 108MMT.

In the European Union, it is not so much production, but rather quality that is the primary concern at the moment. Heavy and persistent rains have slowed harvesting in France and other European Union countries, leading to a much lower proportion of the crop meeting the milling wheat criteria. The main issue is test weight, with only 35 per cent of the French harvest-to-date making the 76 kilograms per hectolitre minimum. The Hagberg falling number results are satisfactory for now, but that could easily change if the rain continues to disrupt the harvest.

With lower global production comes the need to ration demand. But that will not be easy, especially with the potential corn supply issues as US production declines. The global wheat consumer has been on a just-in-time diet all year, thinking that worldwide output was increasing and ending stocks were building.

Well, that has all changed in a very short space of time.

Grain Brokers Weekly Market Report Cont..

With global consumption set at 786.7MMT, it will exceed production by almost 10MMT. And despite some minor downward demand revisions, 2021/22 ending stocks are also forecast to decrease by nearly 10MMT.

On the global trade front, the USDA cut wheat exports by 5.7MMT to 198.2MMT, with Russia and Canada bearing the brunt of the decrease, down 5MMT to 35MMT and 5.5MMT to 17.50MMT, respectively. Countering those export falls were Ukraine up 2.5MMT to 23.5MMT, Australia up 1.5MMT to 22MMT and the European Union up 1MMT to take equal top billing with Russia at 35MMT.

How will the global consumer react? Will there be a rush to secure supplies or even build buffer stocks to ensure domestic supply and maintain social stability in some countries? A string of passes on global tenders last week suggests that many still have their head in the sand concerning global wheat production. But once reality strikes, and worldwide demand surfaces en masse, wheat markets could potentially gap even higher.

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NEWDEGATE 100 YEARS FILM

SUPER, SUPER, SUPER excited to announce that Michael Fletcher of *Fletcher Visuals* will be making his first filming visit to Newdegate for this year’s Newdegate Machinery Field Days. Mike will be filming during the event, starting to collate footage and meet the community. During the coming 12 months he will begin curating a film of Newdegate’s past 100 years. The short film (30 - 40 minutes) will focus on our community achievements and growth and involve as many community members and community groups as we possibly can. Community events and seasonal changes are high on the list of inclusions, and we will be looking for old film footage and photos to capture some of our early days.

The plan is to have the debut screening of the film on our Centenary weekend and it will form part of the Centenary celebrations. Copies will then be available for purchase (most probably on thumb-drive or similar). If you have ideas about what you would like to see featured in the film or would like to know more, please get in touch.

NEWDEGATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY CONTACTS

Please feel free to contact us on email: at.the.hainsworth@gmail.com or directly as below if you have any questions or would like to contribute – we would really love to hear from you.

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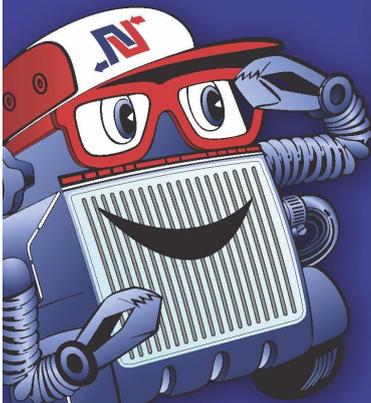
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From the CEO

The Hon Dave Kelly MLA, Minister for Water and his entourage accompanied by the Department of Water's Tracy Calvert, Sandy Turton-Parkinson and Liz Tanner came to town on the 12th August to view some of the projects that DWER is doing around the Shire. Tagging along were the Shire President Len Armstrong, Deputy President Ross Chappell, Manager Infrastructure Services Craig Elefsen and myself.

We visited North Lake Grace AA dam where Cr Allan Marshall gave a brief history on how and why it was built. It was then on to Burngup Railway Dam which has been cleaned out by DWER where Cr Chappell provided a rundown on the history.



Above: Shire President Len Armstrong, Hon Shelley Payne MLC, Deputy President Ross Chappell, Tracy Calvert, Hon Dave Kelly MLA, Sandy Turton-Parkinson, Craig Elefsen, Liz Tanner and Alan George.

The Minister took the opportunity to announce that the State and Federal Governments have combined to provide \$7.3million to upgrade 70 agricultural area dams throughout the southern half of the state. The Shire will see works carried out at North Lake Grace Dam – tank, pump and standpipe. Lake Magenta North Dam – catchment works. Burngup Railway bore- a new bore to be sunk and pipeline to the new tank recently installed. Varley North Community Dam- catchment works. Purnta Rock – negotiations are underway with the Water Corporation for new tanks.

Negotiations are underway with CBH at another site for the installation of tanks but if this falls through, we are looking at a backup plan. The Minister also announced an increase in funding through the Community Water Supply Program and we are already working on some options for this.

There was some minor disruption on the streets of Lake Grace last week when Shire engaged tree loppers arrived to remove some dead trees and trim some others in the main street.

There was a fair bit of misinformation getting around and possibly some miscommunication between all parties. One tree was removed prior to the work being brought to a halt and instructions were clarified. As a result, the contractors packed up and left without completing the works they were engaged to do.

I won't go on about the costs involved to all parties and ancillary businesses. I do however have an issue with the use of social media, in this case Facebook, to spread misinformation whether it be unintentional or intentional. Everyone has a right to form an opinion based on facts however, this is very difficult when misinformation is spread through social media.

It has been communicated many times that if you have a problem ring us and we will be happy to discuss it. The Shire has a duty of care to all residents and ratepayers and does not generally go out of its way to carry out jobs without a valid reason to do so.

Alan George
Chief Executive Officer

Coming Events

Newdegate Field Days

Newdegate Sports Facility
Wednesday 1 September
Thursday 2 September

Local Government Week

Perth
Monday 20 September to
Wednesday 22 September

Ordinary Council Meeting

An Ordinary Council Meeting will be held on
Wednesday 29 September 2021 from
3:30pm at the
Council Chambers,
Administration Building.

The Agenda will be available on
www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Everyone Welcome

A minimum of 15 minutes is set aside for public question time, giving members of the public an opportunity to ask questions relating to Shire activities.

Community Infrastructure Service

Please bear with the Shire with repairs/grading on our roads. We will get there as soon as practical, if there are any issues or concerns, please contact the Shire on 9890-2500 and speak to the Infrastructure team.

It has been noted that some farmers in the area have been taking it upon themselves to grade roads. Please do not grade the roads yourself as you could potentially be liable in case there are any incidents/accidents.

Our staff carried out the following works:

Roadworks

The Lake Grace Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- North Burngup Road
- Mordetta Road
- Fourteen Mile Road
- Jenks Road
- Mallee Hill Road
- Biddy Camm Road

The Newdegate Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Hollands Track Road
- Newdegate Airstrip
- Rodger Road
- Buniche North Road
- Lancing Road

The Lake King and Varley Maintenance Grader has carried out grading on:

- Milstead Road
- Old Newdegate Road
- Magdabah Track
- Smerdon Road

Parks & Gardens

The Parks and Gardens Crew have carried out the following work:

Lake Grace

- Spraying verges near CBH/Dewar Street
- Mallee Hill Road spraying
- Removal of tree in Apex park
- Mowing ovals, marking and weeding
- Mow Shire office, RSL and Visitors Centre lawn
- Town weed spraying / removal
- Rose Pruning
- Slashing open areas

Newdegate

- Reticulation repairs to Pioneer Park
- Mowing of sporting ovals
- Town Hall and Medical Centre gardens
- Weed Maley Street gardens
- Spray Airstrip edges
- Slash hockey oval and cricket pitch
- Cemetery gardens and slashing

Lake King

- Mowing oval
- Townsite weeds / spraying
- Public toilet gardens

Buildings

The Building Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work:

- Repairs to Newdegate Hockey toilet door
- Lake King Hall ceiling fan and front door
- Dunn Rock Tennis Club
- Fence off CWA playground as it is unsafe
- Lake Grace Medical Centre toilet
- Build pump shelter for Lake Grace oval tanks

Operators

The Machine Operator Maintenance Crew have carried out the following work:

- Rolling North Burngup Road and Jenks Road
- Rural Road inspections
- Road maintenance from Lake Grace to Pingaring
- Fill in pot holes around towns
- Grade the road to Lake Grace sports oval dam
- Road maintenance to Parsons Road and Fourteen Mile Road
- Street sweeping to start for all towns prior to Newdegate Machinery Field Days

Craig Elefsen

Manager Infrastructure Services

Local Fire Brigades

We have been experiencing a wetter than average winter this year and it will soon dry out and will be well on the way to summer.

We are proud to support our nine (9) Bush Fire Brigades in the Shire, along with the Fire & Rescue Brigade in Lake Grace who provide support to the community in the event of emergencies.

If you are interested in joining a local brigade, please feel free to contact our Community Emergency Services Manager, Matt Castaldini, or Brad Watson, Chief Bush Fire Control Officer who can directly assist you with your application.

Additionally, our Department of Fire and Emergency Services regional team will be at the Newdegate Machinery Field Day where you can also get more information on supporting your community through volunteer emergency services.

Community Information

Office Open Hours

Monday - Tuesday - Wednesday - Friday
 8.30am - 4.30pm
 Thursday 8.30am - 4.00pm
 Staff can be contacted by phone between 8am - 5pm

Transport and Licensing

All licensing payments are to be made in person at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration office, 1 Bishop Street, Lake Grace.

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday 8.30am - 4.15pm
 Thursday and Friday 8.30am - 4.00pm

As an agency, we process the majority of transactions including: renewals, transfers, number plate orders, boat registration renewals and new licence applications. With every transaction we perform, we try to offer the best service possible.

We do ask all licensing customers to be considerate, even though we are aware of people being 'locals' it does not exempt us from following the rules set by the Department of Transport.

Driving Assessor

The Practical Driving Assessor (PDA) will be at the Shire of Lake Grace Office on:

Friday - 3 September

Friday - 8 October (to be confirmed)

Bookings are essential for all Practical Driver's Licence Assessments and we advise booking in advance as there is often a waiting list.

All bookings to be made at the Shire office on 9890 2500 until further notice.

Lake Grace has one assessment day each month held on the first Friday of the month.

For more information go to: www.transport.wa.gov.au.

Libraries

Lake Grace Public Library School Place Absolon St
 Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm
 Closed for lunch 12.30 - 1pm

Newdegate Public Library Collier St
 Monday - Thursday 8.30am - 4.30pm
 Closed for lunch 12noon - 1pm
 Friday 9am - 2pm

Lake King Library Newdegate/Ravensthorpe Rd
 Tuesday and Thursday 8.30am - 3.30pm

Building Surveyor

Building Surveyor, Gary Bruhn can be contacted through the Shire Office on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Town Planning & Building

The Shire's Town Planner consultant Joe Douglas, can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Environmental Health

The Shire's Environmental Health Officer, Brendon Gerrard. Can be contacted via the Shire on 9890 2500 or email shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Tip Times

Lake Grace
 Monday & Wednesday 9am - 2pm
 Saturday & Sunday 9am - 4pm

Newdegate
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 Saturday 9am - 1pm

Lake King and Varley
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Recycling Services

Household Waste Collection is a weekly service and collected each Tuesday for Lake Grace, Newdegate, Lake King & Varley.

Recycling is a fortnightly service and alternates between Lake Grace and Newdegate. See below for the upcoming recycling collection dates.

Lake Grace	Newdegate
Tuesday 31 August	Tuesday 7 September
Tuesday 14 September	Tuesday 21 September

Please Note: There is no kerbside recycling collection service in Lake King or Varley.

The recycling bins are collected by Warren Blackwood Waste and transported to a recycling facility. If items which are not recyclable are found the content can't be recycled and the load will be directed to the landfill.

If an item is covered in food, it is not recyclable. Food is one of the worst contaminators in the recycling process. By using the yellow top recycling bin correctly you are contributing, in a combined community effort, to reduce the amount of rubbish that is directed to landfill facilities each year.

For more information on Waste Management visit the Shire's website www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINARY ELECTION
CALL FOR NOMINATIONS
Shire of Lake Grace**

An Ordinary Postal Election will be held on Saturday, 16 October 2021 in the Shire of Lake Grace to fill the following vacancies:

District	5 Councillors	4 year terms
District	1 Councillor	2 year term

Nominations Open on Thursday, 2 September 2021
Nominations Close at 4:00 PM Thursday, 9 September 2021
 Nominations must be lodged with the Returning Officer:

- at any time during the above period by arrangement; or
- between 2:00pm and 4:00 PM Thursday, 9 September 2021 (close of nominations) at the Shire of Lake Grace, 1 Bishop Street, LAKE GRACE.

Nominations Requirements

Candidates are required to lodge with the Returning Officer:

- a completed nomination in the prescribed form, signed and witnessed. This form is available from the Returning Officer or the Western Australian Electoral Commission(www.elections.wa.gov.au);
- a single A4 page profile of not more than 800 characters (including spaces) containing information about the candidate;
- a nomination deposit of \$80 (cash, bank cheque or postal order);
- (optional) a recent passport-sized photograph of the candidate’s head, or head and shoulders; and
- every candidate must have completed the online course titled *Induction for prospective candidates*, available at www.dlqsc.wa.gov.au, prior to nominating.

The Commission has developed an online system called Nomination Builder to assist candidates to complete their nomination form which includes the candidate profile. This is the preferred method of completing the nomination form and profile for elections conducted by the Commission. Candidates complete their nomination details and profile, print the completed form which has a reference number allocated and lodge it with the Returning Officer. The nomination builder can be accessed via www.elections.wa.gov.au.

Where an agent lodges a nomination on a candidate’s behalf, it must be in the prescribed form with a written authorisation signed by the candidate.

The documents may be hand delivered or posted to the Returning Officer and must be received by the close of nominations.

Information

Full details about eligibility and nomination procedures for prospective candidates can be obtained by contacting the Returning Officer, Kerry HITCHINS on 0409 764 220 or the Western Australian Electoral Commission on 13 63 06.

**ROBERT KENNEDY
ELECTORAL COMMISSIONER**





Peter RUNDLE MLA

Member for Roe

MEDIA RELEASE

19 August 2021

Rundle welcomes review of School Bus Services guidelines

Member for Roe and Shadow Minister for Education Peter Rundle MLA has welcomed the commitment made by the Minister for Transport to conduct a full inquiry into the current regulations and guidelines for School Bus Services (SBS).

Mr Rundle said the service provided transport assistance to more than 26,000 students in Western Australia, all of whom were familiar with the sight of the iconic orange school buses driving down gravel roads in rural parts of the State.

"The guidelines that decide where a bus stops and who is an eligible student were formulated in 1999 – they are outdated and unworkable," Mr Rundle said.

"My electorate offices are constantly receiving correspondence from parents, students and Principals who are distressed about how the SBS currently operates.

"We have had issues from Salmon Gums and Munglinup in the south to Wagin and Darkan in the north of the Electorate, and places in between.

"Some of the decisions about where a bus stops and who is eligible are resulting in parents being forced to leave employment because they cannot access the bus route that will take their child to school.

"It's not just the community being impacted - staff at School Bus Services are also forced to make decisions based on the outdated rules which I can only imagine would cause a lot of grief."

Before the winter break, Mr Rundle used Parliament to ask the Minister for Transport to review the regulations which the Minister agreed to and subsequently asked Mr Rundle to be part of the review process.

"I was delighted to accept being part of this process that will help many families in regional areas access quality transport assistance," Mr Rundle said.

"Education is fundamental for every child in this State, and parents and carers should not have to be worried about how their child will get to school.

"I look forward to taking part in the review and putting the issues and concerns of regional West Australia at the forefront."

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Slow-cooker Vegetable Lasagne



Ingredients

- 1 tbsp rapeseed oil
- 2 onions, sliced
- 2 large garlic cloves, chopped
- 2 large courgettes, diced (400g)
- 1 red and 1 yellow pepper, deseeded and roughly sliced
- 400g can chopped tomatoes
- 2 tbsp tomato purée
- 2 tsp vegetable bouillon
- 15g fresh basil, chopped plus a few leaves
- 1 large aubergine, sliced across length
- 6 wholewheat lasagne sheets (105g)
- 125g vegetarian buffalo mozzarella, chopped

Method

STEP 1

Heat 1 tbsp rapeseed oil in a large non-stick pan and fry 2 sliced onions and 2 chopped large garlic cloves for 5 mins, stirring frequently until softened.

STEP 2

Tip in 2 diced large courgettes, 1 red and 1 yellow pepper, both roughly sliced, and 400g chopped tomatoes with 2 tbsp tomato purée, 2 tsp vegetable bouillon and 15g chopped basil.

STEP 3

Stir well, cover and cook for 5 mins. Don't be tempted to add more liquid as plenty of moisture will come from the vegetables once they start cooking.

STEP 4

Slice 1 large aubergine. Lay half the slices of aubergine in the base of the slow cooker and top with 3 sheets of lasagne.

STEP 5

Add a third of the ratatouille mixture, then the remaining aubergine slices, 3 more lasagne sheets, then the remaining ratatouille mixture.

STEP 6

Cover and cook on High for 2½ - 3 hours until the pasta and vegetables are tender. Turn off the machine.

STEP 7

Scatter 125g vegetarian buffalo mozzarella over the vegetables then cover and leave for 10 mins to settle and melt the cheese.

STEP 8

Scatter with extra basil and serve with a handful of rocket.

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Newdegate Medical Centre	9871 1528
Wednesday, 9:30am - 3:30pm	
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Tuesdays weekly during summer. Tuesdays/Wednesdays fortnightly during winter	
Physiotherapist (Karen Rodgers-Smart)	0439 858 587
Child Health Nurse (Di Poultney)	9890 2246

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Community Calendar

August

Tue 24th	Pilates—5pm @NCRC
Thu 26th	Pilates—9.30 am @NCRC
Fri 27th	NPS Faction Athletics Carnival
Sat 28th	Winter Sports—Preliminary Final @ Lake Grace
Tue 31st	Pilates—5pm @NCRC

September

Wed 1st	Newdegate Machinery Field Day (Day 1)
Thu 2nd	Newdegate Machinery Field Day (Day 2)
Sat 4th	Winter Sports—Grand Final Boxwood Hill
Sun 5th	Father’s Day
Tue 7th	Pilates—5pm @NCRC
Wed 8th	Seafood Van @ Nutrien
Thu 9th	Pilates—9.30 am @NCRC
Tue 14th	Pilates—5pm @NCRC
Thu 16th	Pilates—9.30 am @NCRC
Thu 16th	MYOB for Beginners @NCRC
Fri 17th	NPS Interschool Athletics Carnival in Ravensthorpe
Tue 21st	Pilates—5pm @NCRC
Thu 23rd	Pilates—9.30 am @NCRC
Fri 24th	NPS—End of Term 3
Mon 27th	Queen’s Birthday Public Holiday

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