Gnowangerup Shire News

June 2023



SHIRE NOTICES

COMMUNITY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS 2023/24

Thank you to al the groups who submitted a Community Financial Assistance Grant application. We had a fantastic range of projects and events. Council will consider your application and advise you of the outcome in August. Good Luck!

FROM THE OFFICE CEO VISIT TO ONGERUP AND BORDEN

Did you know a member from our Shire visits Ongerup and Borden to talk to the community??

Yongergnow Centre

Every Thursday from 10am to 11am

Borden NSPNR Office

The first Thursday of every month from 10:00am to 11:00am.

WELCOME: We would like to welcome to new staff members.

Deputy Chief Executive Officer-

Chiara Galbraith has extensive experience with the Office of the Auditor General having worked in a number of senior positions including Assistant Director. Chiara has a Accounting Degree and a Masters in Forensic Accounting.

NEW Executive Assistant- Bobbie van Rensburg currently lives in Nyabing (so is almost a local) and has extensive experience in a range of industries and roles. Bobbie has a solid background in office management, business administration and customer service, all essential skills for the role.

STAFF MOVEMENTS

Skeigh– Building Maintenance Officer covers Borden, Ongerup and Gnowangerup

Sophie– Library Officer and Customer Service Officer

FROM THE COMMUNITY ONGERUP ASSOCIATION SPORT 2023 WINTER SPORT FIXTURES

ROUND 8: Saturday June 24

Jerramungup v Gnowangerup Lake Grace-Pingrup v Boxwood Hill Newdegate bye

Round 10: Saturday July 1

Boxwood Hill v Newdegate Gnowangerup v Lake Grace-Pingrup Jerramungup bye

Saturday July 8: GENERAL BYE

Nutrien Ag Solutions Country Football Championships (Perth Metro area)

Great Southern Hockey Carnival (Mount Barker)

FROM THE DEPOT

UPGRADE OF ONGERUP SPORTING COMPLEX CARPARK.

Our wonderful team at the Works Depot have started to upgrade the carpark in between the Complex and Bowling Club.



JOB VACANCY COMMUNITY EMERGENCY SERVICES MANAGER (CESM)

Full-time (2 years fixed term contract with the possibility of an extension)

Salary Package includes a cash component of between \$88,000 - \$95,000, plus superannuation, availability allowance, commuting use of a vehicle, mobile phone and uniform allowance. Accommodation is provided at a subsidised rent.

An opportunity exists for an enthusiastic person with an interest in and ability to learn about emergency services, to join the Shires of Cranbrook, Kojonup and Gnowangerup. You will work with the Shires' respective local communities and emergency services groups to support and deliver emergency services. This is a local government employed position that is jointly funded by DFES and the three Shires, and it will provide the opportunity to work and live in an attractive regional area that is only one hour from Albany and three hours from Perth.

Please submit your CV, a cover letter and a written response addressing the Selection Criteria, either by email to admin@cranbrook.wa.gov.au or by mail to PO Box 21, Cranbrook WA 6321. Applications are to be received no later than 4.00pm on Monday, 26 June 2023.



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Upcoming Events

June Council Meeting June 28 at 3:30pm



FROM THE LIBRARY **NEW BOOKS AT THE LIBRARY**

FREE MEMBERSHIP

Did you know it is FREE to join the Gnowangerup and Ongerup Libraries? Each library holds a fantastic range of books, audiobooks, puzzles, games and DVD's. Follow their Facebook pages for updates and events.

Important Notice

Due to impending changes to the State Library's Inter-Library Loan system and associated courier service, we will temporarily suspend consortium reservations and Inter-library Loan requests from 1st June 2023.



Have you explored our new library webpage? https://gnowangerup.spydus.com Search our entire catalogue, become a new member, reserve a book.....Check it out today!

Check out our Facebook page for all the latest news and updates!

LIBRARY PICK OF THE MONTH

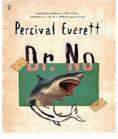
A sly, madcap novel about supervillains and nothing, really, from an American novelist whose star keeps rising

The protagonist of Percival Everett's puckish new novel is a brilliant professor of mathematics who goes by Wala Kitu. (Wala, he explains, means "nothing" in Tagalog, and Kitu is Swahili for "nothing.") He is an expert on nothing. That is to say, he is an expert, and his area of study is nothing, and he does nothing about it. This makes him the perfect partner for the aspiring villain John Sill, who wants to break into Fort Knox to steal, well, not gold bars but a shoebox containing nothing. Once he controls nothing he'll proceed with a dastardly plan to turn a Massachusetts town into nothing. Or so he thinks.



With the help of the brainy and brainwashed astrophysicist-turned-henchwoman Eigen Vector, our professor tries to foil the villain while remaining in his employ. In the process, Wala Kitu learns that Sill's desire to become a literal Bond villain originated in some real all-American villainy related to the murder of Martin Luther King Jr. As Sill says, "Professor, think of it this way. This country has never given anything to us and it never will. We have given everything to it. I think it's time we gave nothing back."

Dr. No is a caper with teeth, a wildly mischievous novel from one of our most inventive, provocative, and productive writers. That it is about nothing isn't to say that it's not about anything. In fact, it's about villains. Bond villains. And that's not nothing.







Act. Do something. Belong. Do something with someone. Commit. Do something meaningful.

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