

For the week starting Monday, 31 October 2022

SHIRE OF KOORDA

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Wed 2 November

Swimming Pool Opening

Wed 9 November

Recreation Ground Upgrade Community Workshop at the Koorda Recreation Ground starting at **11.00am**

Wed 9 November

Recreation Ground Upgrade Community Workshop at the Koorda Recreation Ground starting at **6.00pm**

Wed 16 November

Ordinary Council Meeting. At the Koorda Council Chambers, starting at 6.00pm

Thurs 24 November

2022 Seniors Luncheon. At the Koorda Recreation Ground, from 12.00pm

SHIRE ADMIN OFFICE HOURS

Please see below the Shire Administration Office hours.

Monday - Friday
9.00am to 4.00pm

Licensing
9.00am to 3.30pm

The office has a message bank service. If you phone out of our office hours, please leave a message and we will get back to you.



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LOCAL ROADWORKS

Burakin-Wialki Road Maintenance Grading - Various Locations



REC GROUND UPDATE

Please see the following 'Have Your Say' pages for a Rec Ground update. We encourage all feedback.

PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD

Please note the prohibited burning period begins TUESDAY 1st November and runs through to 31 January 2023.

RATE INCENTIVE PRIZE WINNERS

1st Prize: 2 night stay for 2 people in a premium room at the Quality Hotel Ambassador Perth. Donated by Quality Hotel Ambassador Perth.

Winner: Mary Chandler

2nd Prize: 1 x 4TB External Hard Drive.

Donated by Wallis Computers Solutions.

Winner: Glenvale Farm

3rd prize: 2022/2023 Adult Membership to the Koorda Kinetic Centre. Donated by the Shire of Koorda.

Winner: Bradley Martin



SWIMMING POOL OPENING

The pool season is upon us, with it opening for the 2022/2023 season this WEDNESDAY 2 November!

We would like to welcome our new Pool Manager, Tristan. Be sure to pop down and say hello.

There will once again be FREE ENTRY for everyone.

2022 SENIORS LUNCHEON

An invitation is extended to the Senior folk in our district for the **2022 Koorda Seniors Luncheon.**

Date: Thursday 24 November

Where: Koorda Recreation Ground

Time: 12.00pm

Please RSVP to the Office on 9684 1219 by Monday 14 November.



BUSH FIRES ACT 1954 SHIRE OF KOORDA APPOINTMENT OF BUSH FIRE OFFICERS

Notice is hereby given pursuant to section 38 of the Bush Fires Act 1954, that, under delegated authority of the Council of the Shire of Koorda, I appoint the following for duty, as specified, within the Shire of Koorda.

Chief Bush Fire Control Officer	George Storer
Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer	Carl Fuchsbichler
Bush Fire Control Officers	Andrew Leeke Gary Greaves Adam Storer
Fire Weather Officer	Andrew Leeke
Deputy Fire Weather Officer	George Storer

It is also advised that the Shire of Koorda Bush Fire Advisory Committee comprises the following members:

George Storer	Chief Bush Fire Control Officer
Carl Fuchsbichler	Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer
Joshua Smith	Captain Koorda Brigade
Gary Greaves	Captain Kulja Brigade/Council Representative
Darren Simmons	CEO/Shire Representative
Lana Foote	Deputy CEO/Shire Representative

All other appointments are hereby cancelled.

Darren Simmons
Chief Executive Officer



RESTRICTED ACCESS VEHICLE (RAV) NETWORK ACCESS – SHIRE STAFF RESEARCH REQUEST

Transport operators or farmers planning to use Restricted Access Vehicles (RAVs), such as Road Trains, B-Doubles and Truck & Dog Trailer combinations to complete any transport task, must first ensure the required public roads are approved for the appropriate RAV network.

As the sole authority to approve or decline RAV access, Main Roads Heavy Vehicle Services (HVS) is responsible for administering RAV access on all public roads in the State, which includes carrying out a thorough route assessment process to determine if roads are safe and suitable for RAV access.

Using the RAV Mapping Tool on the Main Roads website at www.mainroads.wa.gov.au is the simplest way to identify the approved RAV Network and access conditions (if applicable) for a particular road.

If the road required is not approved, transport operators or farmers can apply to HVS (Heavy Vehicle Helpdesk on 138 486 or email hvs@mainroads.wa.gov.au) to have it assessed for addition to the relevant RAV Network.

Whilst acknowledging this individual ‘case-by-case’ application process remains open to transport operators or farmers, Shire staff are undertaking research to determine whether a more strategic approach to establishing a fit-for-purpose Shire-wide RAV network may prove beneficial for stakeholders involved in completing local grain freight transport tasks.

To assist in this research, Shire staff would welcome nominations of Shire roads that transport operators or farmers would like to see added to the relevant RAV network that would lead to improvements to the local grain freight transport task.

As stated above, specific applications are made to HVS so it should be noted that any nominations are for research purposes to assist in developing a strategic framework for Council to use when considering any changes to the RAV network.

Road nominations (with a brief explanation of why, if possible) may be submitted by email to shire@koorda.wa.gov.au no later than **4.00pm on Monday, 7 November 2022**.



NEW DOCTOR FOR WYALKATCHEM MEDICAL AND KOORDA HEALTH CENTRES

Following advice from the Shire of Wyalkatchem and the Wyalkatchem Medical and Koorda Health Centres, the Shire of Koorda welcomes and congratulates Dr Michael Cudjoe on his appointment as our new Doctor.

Dr Michael, who has over 10 years' experience as a General Practitioner having worked in both country and city locations, will commence at the Wyalkatchem Medical Centre on Tuesday, 1 November 2022 and at the Koorda Health Centre on Wednesday, 2 November 2022.

In welcoming Dr Michael, the Shire of Koorda thanks and acknowledges Dr Emmanuel and our Shire of Wyalkatchem colleagues for the extensive recruitment efforts and continuing service provision for our communities.

Both existing and new patients may make an appointment with Dr Michael by calling the Wyalkatchem Medical Centre on 9681 1140.



AVON WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR

October 2022						
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December 2022						
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 Rubbish  Recycling

What can go into your recycling bin?

The following items can go into your recycling bins; glass, plastic, paper, cardboard, aluminum and steel and liquid paperboard. For more information visit the Avon Waste website. <https://www.avonwaste.com.au/>

What NOT to put in your Recycle Bin



Green waste
(Belongs in the waste bin)



Nappies
(Belong in the waste bin)



Polystyrene
(Belongs in the waste bin)



Food scraps
(Belong in the waste bin)



Soft (crunchable) Plastics
(Belong in the waste bin)

KNOW YOUR COUNCILLORS

Councillors are elected to represent the Shire's residents and ratepayers. If you wish to discuss a Council matter, offer any suggestions, have compliments, concerns or feedback, please contact the Councillors below.



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