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Crosswords

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LIGHTING OF THE YILGARN

Christmas Tree

FRIDAY 2 DECEMBER 2022

ROTARY PARK, 7PM

FREE SAUSAGE SIZZLE
PROVIDED BY SHIRE OF
YILGARN FROM 6.30PM

POOL WILL BE OPEN
UNTIL 8PM



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Shire of Yilgarn Emergency information hotline

Call (08) 9487 8777

for information relating to bushfire issues including vehicle movement & harvest bans, road closures, flood or other local emergency matters.

Southern Cross Landfill Times

The Tip Shop will also be open during the below hours. EFTPOS available for fee payment at Shire admin office.

Monday	1:00pm to 4:00pm
Tuesday	1:00pm to 4:00pm
Wednesday and Thursday	Closed
Friday	1:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday	10:00am to 4:00pm
Sunday	10:00am to 4:00pm

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(Business premises outside of the Shire of Yilgarn)

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1/4 Page	\$15.00	\$25.00	\$50.00	\$60.00

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DON'T FORGET!
Crosswords' submissions
close every 2nd Tuesday at 12.00 noon

2022 Publishing Dates

Deadline 12 noon	Publishing Date
6/12/2022	8/12/2022

2023 Publishing Dates

Deadline 12 noon	Publishing Date
3/01/2023	5/01/2023
17/01/2023	19/01/2023
31/01/2023	2/02/2023
14/02/2023	16/02/2023
28/02/2023	2/03/2023
14/03/2023	16/03/2023
28/03/2023	30/03/2023
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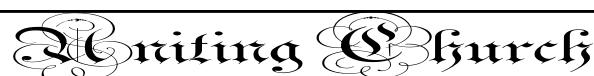
Church Notices / Updates



48 Altair Street, Southern Cross
 SX Presbytery: 9049 1049 (Sun to Mon)
 Bruce Rock Presbytery: 9061 1094 (Tues to Sat)
 Email: yilgarnwestoniacatholic@gmail.com
 Facebook: Yilgarn/Westonia Catholic Community
 YouTube: Yilgarn Westonia Catholic
CBH Grain Donations (SX): 40564452

Mass Times

Saturday 6:00pm @ Bruce Rock Parish **(live-stream)**
 Sunday 5:30pm @ OLM church



Services for the Uniting Church are held on the
 first Sunday of each month.

Contact:

Cheryl Auld 9049 8026
 Diane Della Bosca 9049 1149



Antares Street, Southern Cross

Enquiries: Leonie Gethin

Ph.: (08) **9049 1222**

2022 Christ Church Southern Cross

Anglican Services

All services are held at 11.00am on Saturdays

Everyone is warmly invited to come along

17th December (Christmas Service)

SX SPEEDWAY

MEETS 1ST WEDNESDAY EVERY SECOND
 MONTH AT SENIORS CENTRE, 6PM—ALL
 WELCOME

COME AND SEE WHAT IS HAPPENING WITH THE
 SPEEDWAY AND ANY NEW IDEAS ARE

WELCOME

7th December,
 1st February & 5th April



Christmas & NEW YEAR CLOSURES

SHIRE OF YILGARN & COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
19 Dec 2022 OPEN	20 Dec 2022 OPEN	21 Dec 2022 OPEN	22 Dec 2022 CLOSED FROM 12PM	23 Dec 2022 CLOSED
26 Dec 2022 CLOSED	27 Dec 2022 CLOSED	28 Dec 2022 CLOSED	29 Dec 2022 CLOSED	30 Dec 2022 CLOSED
2 Jan 2023 CLOSED	3 Jan 2023 OPEN	4 Jan 2023 OPEN	5 Jan 2023 OPEN	6 Jan 2023 OPEN

SOUTHERN CROSS AQUATIC CENTRE

The Southern Cross Aquatic Centre will be closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day, and Monday 2nd Jan (normal Monday closure).

SOUTHERN CROSS LANDFILL SITE

The Southern Cross Landfill Site will be closed Christmas Day, and normal closed days during the Christmas/New Year period.



Motor Vehicle Licensing

All matters pertaining to Motor Vehicle Registrations and Drivers Licences will be unable to be transacted during the above period and therefore residents are encouraged to have all their licensing requirements attended to prior to 3.00pm Wednesday, 21 December 2022. You can also perform some licensing enquiries and payments through DoTDirect

www.transport.wa.gov.au/dotdirect/dotdirect.asp or phone 13 11 56.

TRANSWA

During the Christmas/New Year closure period you will be unable to book/print train tickets at the Shire of Yilgarn office. Please visit

<https://bookings.transwa.wa.gov.au/dates> to book online, or call 1300 662 205.

Unregistered concession holders will need to ensure all tickets are booked and printed before the Shire Office closes as you are unable to purchase online or over the phone.

Library Books

Users of the Shire of Yilgarn Library are requested to exchange their books prior to 12 noon, Thursday 22 December 2022 in order that they have adequate supplies over the Christmas/New Year Holiday period.

Services Australia (Centrelink/Medicare/Child Support)

Users of the Services Australia Access Point are advised that the Access Point will be closed for the same days/hours as the CRC, and will reopen at 8.15am, Tuesday 3rd January when the CRC reopens for the year.

Containers for Change

Green bags and tags will be available at the CRC up until 12 noon, Thursday 22nd December 2022. There will be no bags available until the CRC reopens in the New Year. As we only get 50 bags per week, please note you can use your own bags for deposits. If you want further information on limits, collections or bag deposits, contact Pauline on 0429 467 178 or cashforcontainers@outlook.com.

Councillors and staff wish all residents a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

Nic Warren

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



SHIRE OF YILGARN

2023 COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

In accordance with Section 12 of the *Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996*, it is hereby notified for public information that the following dates and times have been set for the Shire of Yilgarn's 2023 Ordinary meetings of Council:-

Monthly Ordinary Council meetings to commence at 5:00pm on the following dates: -

<i>January 2023</i>	<i>No Meeting Scheduled</i>	
<i>Thursday, 16th</i>	<i>February 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 16th</i>	<i>March 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 20th</i>	<i>April 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 18th</i>	<i>May 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 15th</i>	<i>June 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 20th</i>	<i>July 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 17th</i>	<i>August 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 21st</i>	<i>September 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 19th</i>	<i>October 2023</i>	<i>Mt. Hampton Hall</i>
<i>Thursday, 16th</i>	<i>November 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>
<i>Thursday, 21st</i>	<i>December 2023</i>	<i>Council Chambers Southern Cross</i>

Prior to the commencement of the Council Meeting, a Councillor Briefing Session will be conducted at 3.00pm.

The above meetings are open to the public and commence at **5.00pm**. A 15 minute Public Question Time is allocated at the commencement of each meeting where residents are welcome to ask questions, with or without notice, or raise an issue considered relevant to the operations of Council. In some cases prior notification of a proposed question is considered prudent, particularly if the matter requires some research. Residents are also welcome to attend the whole meeting however, they are not permitted to speak (unless directed by the Shire President) or take part in debate on any agenda item.

Other meetings such as the Annual Meeting of Electors and Special Meetings of Council called for a specific issue are advertised separately.

Nic Warren
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

FRIENDLY REMINDER

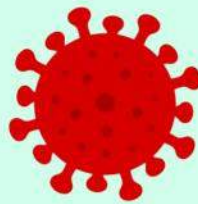


The Shire's Health Local Laws 2017
states:

73. An owner or occupier of
premises within a gazetted
Townsite shall not keep or permit
a rooster or roosters to be kept on
the premises.



FREE MASKS & RAT TESTS AVAILABLE FROM THE CRC!



Attend the CRC during business hours to collect
your free RATs and masks. There are no limits for
collection, but please don't request more than
you need.

If you suspect you have COVID-19, please stay home and
call the COVID hotline for directions on 13-COVID.

Provided by



Department of
Primary Industries and
Regional Development



NEW OPENING HOURS

**STARTING 3RD
JANUARY 2023**

**Monday &
Tuesday**

**8.15am to 12.30pm,
1.30pm to 4.30pm**

**Wednesday,
Thursday &
Friday**

**8.15am to 12.30pm
closed afternoons**

AFTER SCHOOL LEGO® CLUB

MONDAYS
(SCHOOL DAYS ONLY)

3:15 PM - 4:30 PM

FREE!

Lego Club will finish up for 2022
with our final monthly prize draw
on Monday 12th December.
We will start up again Monday
13th February 2023.



CAN YOU BUILD THE WEEKLY LEGO® CHALLENGE?

***complete it each week to get an entry into a
monthly prize draw!! Four chances each month!**



SOUTHERN CROSS CRC



Department of
Primary Industries and
Regional Development

PARENTS/GUARDIANS ARE REQUIRED TO STAY WITH THEIR CHILD/CHILDREN
ATTENDING THE AFTER SCHOOL LEGO® CLUB.
TEA AND COFFEE (FOR THE ADULTS!) AND JUICE BOXES WILL BE PROVIDED.



Can you accommodate a couple of medical students for three nights??



Wheatbelt Medical Student Immersion Program

TUESDAY 14 TO FRIDAY 17 MARCH 2023

Share what living in the Wheatbelt is like with doctors of the future

One hundred medical students will be coming to the Wheatbelt in March 2023. During their stay, they will visit local farms, industry, general practices, hospitals and schools, and participate in community activities.

We need you to provide real-life experiences that will give them an understanding of what it is like to live in the Wheatbelt and perhaps inspire them to become rural doctors.

The students will visit the following towns:

- Bruce Rock
- Kellerberrin/Tammin
- Merredin
- Southern Cross
- Westonia
- Narrogin

As a host, we will ask you to provide accommodation for two or more students, be able to assist with transporting them to/from town, and share what it is like to live in your town with the students. You are invited to come along to a Thank You dinner with the students on the Thursday night.

Why host?

Even if you need the students to roll out a swag in the living room, we want to hear from you if you can host.

This is a life-changing experience for the students, with many having no previous exposure to rural life or the Wheatbelt.

By providing these rural immersion opportunities early in their degree, it has been proven that students are more likely to explore rural career opportunities.

Some students continue to keep in touch and visit their host families, some return to do seasonal work and placements, others have joined mentoring programs, some have inspired host family members to pursue tertiary studies in health and medicine, and some students are now doctors in the Wheatbelt and other parts of rural/remote WA and Australia.

For further information, contact **Betony Dawson**:

T 08 6389 4567 | E betony.dawson@ruralhw.com.au





You're invited to the:

ST JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL AWARDS NIGHT AND CONCERT

7TH DECEMBER 2022

Commencing at 6:30pm on the
School Oval.

Please join us for a BYO Picnic after
the Concert





St Vincent de Paul



ST JOSEPHS SCHOOL CHRISTMAS HAMPER COLLECTION 2022

Our school would again like to support the St Vincent de Paul Society's Christmas Appeal. Every year, St Vincent de Paul helps individuals and families that need support. Christmas can be an especially difficult time for people in this situation and our aim is to help brighten up their lives at this time of year.

St Joseph's would like to aid those in need within the Shire of Yilgarn community. By donating food items, we can help those less fortunate than us to have a happy Christmas.

We are hoping to prepare a minimum of two hampers with a Christmas theme. We have delegated different items to different year levels. If you could please provide at least one item based on your child/s year level that would be awesome. Feel free to donate other non-perishable food items that are not listed that you think would be great for a Christmas lunch/dinner celebration.

Pre Kindy, Year 4

UHT Custard, Mince Pies, Tinned Fruit, Pancake Mix, Rice, Tea/Coffee

Kindy and Year 3

Shortbread, Milo, Tinned Vegetables, Crackers, Can of Salmon/Tuna, Mayonnaise, Spreads (jam, honey, vegemite)

Year 1 and Year 5

Cake Mix, Chocolates, Can of Beetroot, Pretzels, Jars of olives, gherkins, sundried tomatoes

PP, Year 2, Year 6

Christmas Cake, Soft Drink, Can of Tomato, pasta, 2 Minute Noodles, Long Life Juice/Milk

We will be collecting donations up until Friday 2nd December 2022. If you would prefer to donate \$5-10 instead of food, please place in an envelope and bring to the office.

Please bring your donations to your child's class and place them in the box in your child's classroom.



St Joseph's Primary School

Educating for the 21st Century
An affordable quality education

Pre Kindy – 3 year old (2 mornings a week)	\$60 per year	(\$15 per term)
Kindergarten (3 days a week)	\$100 per year	(\$5.00 a fortnight)
Pre-Primary to Year 6	\$250 per year	(\$12.50 per fortnight)
Building Levy - \$50 per family per year		

- *All stationery items are provided – no booklists
- *All excursion/incursion costs are covered by the school
- *Year 1-6 camp is covered by the school

admin@stjoessx.wa.edu.au 08 9049 2100

STEM – DANCE – PHYSICAL EDUCATION – CHINESE – DRAMA – 1:1 iPads



Indigenous Community Liaison Officer

Regional Early Education & Development Inc. (REED) is an approved child care provider providing services in a range of Wheatbelt towns. In this instance REED is seeking to employ an Indigenous Community Liaison Officer for our REED centre in Yilgarn.

Our REED Indigenous Community Liaison Officer will be an individual of Aboriginal descent, a local and trusted member of the community with a can do attitude and passion for early childhood.

This role will work towards identifying barriers and providing recommendations to REED on the service's cultural inclusivity and ways we can improve our services to be more inviting and culturally safe. The main aim is to engage with families and achieve more Aboriginal children attending child care in Yilgarn.

This position is a 2-year contract, part-time for minimum 15 hours per week. The salary for the position is based on the average salary for industry positions of Indigenous Community Liaison Officers and Community Liaison Officers.

If you are looking for an exciting opportunity in helping Indigenous families in overcoming the barriers in accessing quality Early Childhood Education and Care services you are encouraged to contact:

Greg Allard - 0408 959 308, or Adrian Azzari-Colley - 0419 915 654

or, email adrian@redochreconsulting.com.au for further information.



SOUTHERN CROSS CWA
INVITE YOU TO THE

Southern Cross Community Christmas Tree



SUNDAY THE 18TH OF DECEMBER

ROTARY PARK AT 5:30PM – SANTA ARRIVING AT 6PM

GIFTS PROVIDED FOR CHILDREN UP TO YEAR 6

BYO PICNIC DINNER AND DRINKS

\$15 PER CHILD – INCLUDES GIFT,
JUICE BOX & LOLLY BAG

PLEASE **RSVP** BY THE **1ST OF DECEMBER** WITH
NAMES AND AGES OF CHILDREN FOR GIFTS
TO TASH CREES ON 0408 447 035 OR
CWA.SXBRANCH@OUTLOOK.COM



CWA PAYMENT DETAILS

BSB: 036 128 ACC: 280026

Community News

~~Seniors walking in water and Aqua Aerobics at the Southern Cross Aquatic Centre!~~

Seniors walking in water

Time: 12.30pm (2pm start time during school swimming lessons 21/11—02/12)
These sessions will be held Tuesdays & Thursdays
Sessions are FREE
Please bring a hat and water bottle.

Aqua Aerobics with Marg

Time: 5:30pm
These sessions will be held Tuesdays & Thursdays
Sessions are FREE
Please bring a water bottle.



PLEASE NOTE

The CRC will be closed for 1 hour between 10am and 11am on Wednesday 14th December.

SOUTHERN CROSS GENERAL PRACTICE

Southern Cross General Practice would like to notify the community of upcoming COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics.

Pfizer 12yr+ vaccines will be available at Southern Cross General Practice from Tuesday 6th of December.

Please call 9049 1147 to book an appointment or to discuss eligibility.

WANT TO PLACE A FOR RENT OR HOUSE FOR SALE ADVERT?

Contact the CRC on 9049 1688 or crc@yilgarn.wa.gov.au to organise your ad to appear in our next edition!



Moorine Rock Tennis Club

Sat 26 Social Tennis
3pm start
BBQ tea & pooled salads

December

Sat 3 Social Tennis
3pm start
Pizza tea

Sun 11 Social Tennis
3pm start
BBQ tea & pooled salads

Sat 17 MRTC Christmas Party
Open Invitation to all community members
Fun Clock Tournament sponsored by Moorine Rock Ag Supplies, 3pm start
BBQ tea & pooled salads

Yilgarn Bowling Club

Mens

Sat 26 Pennants: Yilgarn v Civic Blue
Sun 27 Club Day

December

Sat 3 Pennants: Yilgarn v Westonia
Sun 4 Club Day
Sun 4 Inter league Practice Match TBC
Sat 10 Pennants: Merredin Blue v Yilgarn @ Merredin
Sun 11 Club Day
Sun 18 Club Day
Sun 25 No Bows

January

6-8 Inter League Round Robin Fours @ Quairading
Sun 8 Club Day

Ladies

Fri 25 Champ of Champ Fours
Tue 29 Social Bowls

December

Fri 2 Corrigin Carnival
Tue 6 Social Bowls
Tue 13 Pairs Championships
Tue 20 Social Bowls
Tue 27 No bowls

January

Tue 3 Social Bowls
Tue 10 Social Bowls

Thank you

TEALE – Malcolm

Put the kettle on Southern Crossites, this might end up being a long one, there are so many people we would like to thank after the recent passing of our brother, Malcolm.

Not in any special order, and we know that when listing people in this sort of situation, somebody always gets overlooked, so if it is YOU that is left out this time, we apologise.

Firstly, our thanks to the recently resurrected Yilgarn Cricket Club who, for the first match after Malc's passing, wore black arm bands as a mark of respect, we appreciate the gesture. And, although we have already thanked the Southern Cross Bombers on facebook, again, your Guard of Honour for his funeral was amazing, many thanks again.

To the team formally known as HACC; thank you for your care and consideration, and to Donna for contacting us (with his permission), when you felt he needed a little more input from family. He appreciated all your team did for him. Thank you.

To the Toot Toot ladies, you know who you are. Thank you.

To our Ambos, past and present, where would many of us be without your dedication and commitment to community. Thank you.

To Dr Nwoko and the staff at Southern Cross Medical Centre, and also, of course, the people at the hospital. Whenever we visited with him it was noticed he was always treated with great kindness and care, Thank you.

To business owners in the Cross, the Supermarket, Hardware (and PO), mechanics and servos, etc etc etc, many of you who took that extra step to help Malcolm out over the years. Thank you.

To all who sent messages, phoned us, sent cards, or stopped us in the street to offer condolences and the like, Thank you.

Malcolm expected a small funeral, he would have been very surprised and humbled by the number of people who attended, and by how many travelled to be with him one last time. Thank you for joining us on such a special day, it was a lovely, lovely send off, and he would have been well pleased. Thank you.

Malcolm's family.

Government services— closer than you think!

At the Southern Cross CRC you can access Centrelink, Medicare and other government programs and services.

We are an Australian Government Agency of Services Australia Access Point.

Using our computer, you can log in to your MyGov account and do your business on the spot.

There is a phone for you to access phone self-service or speak to an agency service officer.

If you would rather use your mobile phone or tablet, we have free Wi-Fi available 24/7.

You do not need a password so you can get online straight away.

You can also use the Wi-Fi to download and install the Express Plus mobile apps.

Our staff will even certify your identity documents for you.

So next time you need to do some government business, drop in and see us.

We are open Monday—Friday, 8.30am—12pm, 1pm—4pm at the CRC building on Canopus Street, Southern Cross.



YILGARN COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP/ ROADWISE & SHIRE OF YILGARN

Once again, it is our intention to operate the
DRIVER REVIVER VAN during CHRISTMAS.

The dates and times include:

FRIDAY 23RD DECEMBER – 12PM TO 6PM

SATURDAY 24TH DECEMBER – 10AM TO 6PM

MONDAY 2ND JANUARY – 10AM TO 6PM

We will be operating from the Pioneer
Cemetery (near the Caravan Park)

If you can help we would be very grateful if you
would sign your name on the roster which is inside
the SX HARDWARE & NEWS now!



Are you raising your Grandkids?

Hon Mia Davies MLA
Member for Central Wheatbelt
&



Grandparents Raising Grandchildren
invite you to join us for morning tea and a chat.



Learn more about the support available for
Grandcarers and meet the inspirational
Jan Standen, WA Senior of the Year 2022.

Friday 9th December 2022

10.30am - 12.30pm

Northam Country Club, 15 Wood Drive

RSVP to rhonda.lawrence@mp.wa.gov.au or
9622 2871 for catering purposes.

The Outback Vision Van

The Lions Outback Vision Van is a specialist mobile eye health clinic, visiting regional and remote communities in Western Australia. It contains state-of-the-art equipment for the diagnosis and treatment of most major eye diseases.

Come and see us in Merredin

Wed 14 December 2022

Merredin Hospital
Kitchner Road Merredin

For more information, please contact:
Lions Outback Vision (08) 9381 0802

Don't cut corners with **asbestos**



**ASBESTOS
AWARENESS
WEEK**
November 21-27 2022

Asbestos waste and disposal – do things the right way

Illegal asbestos disposal is a crime. This includes the improper disposal of asbestos in kerbside or skip bins.

- To prevent exposure, all asbestos waste must be disposed of at a landfill site licensed to accept asbestos waste.
- There are strict laws relating to illegal disposal and heavy fines apply.
- 97% of the Australian population lives within 40 minutes' travel from a waste facility that accepts domestic asbestos waste.
- Asbestos waste must be double-wrapped in 200-micron thick plastic, sealed and labelled for disposal and the licensed facilities often require prior notice or bookings to be made.
- It is not recommended that you handle, remove or dispose of asbestos yourself. It is easier, safer and often cheaper to get a professional to do the job for you.
- Asbestos causes cancer and if not disposed of properly, it puts council workers, and the community's health at risk.
- A licensed asbestos removalist has the training and the equipment needed for the safe handling, removal and disposal of asbestos. They will usually include the cost of disposing the asbestos waste legally with the cost of removal.
- Licensed asbestos removalists are listed on your Work Health and Safety Regulator's website (WorkSafe or SafeWork in your state or territory).
- Search for a licensed disposal facility at asbestossafety.gov.au

Over a third of those who have encountered asbestos admitted to illegal and dangerous disposal – mostly in their own or a neighbour's household bin.



Impacts of not doing things the right way:



Individuals/businesses: risks to future health, fines and penalties



Workers and the public (e.g. waste management workers, neighbours): fear of exposure and risks to future health



Local governments: clean-up costs



Regulatory authorities: investigation and law enforcement



Governments: long term health costs



The environment: soil contamination

**THINK TWICE
ABOUT ASBESTOS**

asbestossafety.gov.au

Don't cut corners with **asbestos**



**ASBESTOS
AWARENESS
WEEK**
November 21-27 2022

Key asbestos facts

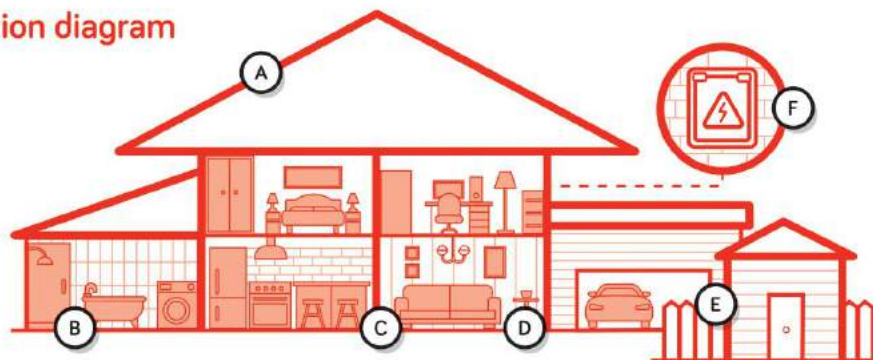
- An estimated 4,000 Australians die annually from asbestos-related diseases. This is nearly four times the annual road toll.
- Approximately 700 people die annually from the aggressive cancer mesothelioma which is caused by exposure to asbestos.

**Many homes built before 1990
contain asbestos.**



- Asbestos was completely banned in Australia in 2003 (December 31, 2003).
- An estimated 6,000 tonnes of asbestos are illegally dumped every year with around \$11.2 million per annum in clean-up costs.
- The World Health Organization says there is no known safe minimum level of exposure to asbestos fibres.
- You cannot see asbestos fibres – they are invisible to the naked eye.

Asbestos location diagram



A. Exterior

Roof sheeting, gutters, downpipes, ridge capping, imitation brick cladding and lining under eaves.

B. Bathroom, toilet and laundry

Wall and ceiling panels, vinyl floor tiles and backing for wall tiles.

C. Kitchen

Wall and ceiling panels, backing for splashbacks, vinyl floor tiles, backing of vinyl flooring and insulation in stoves.

D. Living areas

Wall and ceiling panels, carpet underlay and insulation in domestic heaters.

E. Backyard

Fences, garden sheds, garages, carports, outdoor toilets, dog kennels, buried and dumped waste materials.

F. Other areas

Backing of electrical switchboards, insulation in roof cavities, hot water pipe insulation, textured paint and plaster patching compounds.

**THINK TWICE
ABOUT ASBESTOS**

asbestossafety.gov.au

City Knowledge | Country Values



EXPERTISE IN;

- ✓ Sales of all types of Perth Residential Property and Deceased Estates
- ✓ Working with the elderly
- ✓ Always acting in the Sellers best interest
- ✓ References available
- ✓ Complimentary Advice available anytime

Former
Yilgarn
Resident

Fraser Williams
LICENSEE

0439 092 248

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Find us online: bloomwa.com.au  



BETTER MAN PROJECT

**Are you concerned about your behaviour
in your intimate relationship?**



For more information
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“These grants will enable farmer groups, agricultural businesses, and organisations to adapt their practices and enhance their farming systems to increase drought resilience.” Melissa Price said.

The objective of the program is to fund activities that support adoption of proven and existing Australian and/or internationally generated research and development practices and technology that:

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Under the program, eligible applicants can apply for grants of between \$100,000 and \$3 million per application for projects up to 24 months. Successful projects must be carried out between June 2023 and June 2025.

Applications for this funding round close Monday 9 January 2023.

For more information on eligibility and how to apply, please follow this link - [Future Drought Fund](#) or visit grants.gov.au – Future Drought Fund.

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Thu 24 Nov	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town
Fri 2 Dec	Lighting of the Yilgarn Christmas Tree @ Rotary Park 7pm
Wed 7 Dec	Merredin Veterinary Clinic in town @ oval changerooms
Wed 7 Dec	SX Speedway meeting @ Senior Centre 6pm
Wed 7 Dec	St Joseph's End of Year Concert 6.30pm
Mon 12 Dec	Last After School Lego Club for 2022!
Wed 14 Dec	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town
Fri 16 Dec	Carols by Candlelight @ Senior Citizen's Centre 6.30pm
Sun 18 Dec	Community Xmas Tree @ Rotary Park 5.30pm
Tue 3 Jan 23	CRC new opening hours from today
Wed 1 Feb	SX Speedway meeting @ Senior Centre 6pm
Mon 13 Feb	After School Lego Club starts for 2023!
Wed 5 Apr	SX Speedway meeting @ Senior Centre 6pm
<i>Shire of Yilgarn Tourism Committee Meetings are held every 1st Wednesday of each month—please come along to share ideas and input to help support our towns of the Yilgarn!</i>	

Looking to get involved in a group or club? There are many local groups you can join!

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| ✓ Country Women's Association | ✓ Southern Cross Vol. Fire & Rescue | |
| ✓ P & C / P & F Organisations | ✓ Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade | |
| ✓ Patchworking | ✓ Yilgarn Agricultural Society | |
| ✓ Progress Associations | ✓ Yilgarn Community Support Group | |
| ✓ Scrapbooking | ✓ Yilgarn Entertainers | |
| ✓ Senior Citizen's Centre activities | ✓ Yilgarn History Museum | |
| ✓ Southern Cross Gardening Club | ✓ Yilgarn Men's Shed | |
| ✓ Southern Cross Hospital Auxiliary | ✓ Yilgarn Motoring Enthusiasts | |
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