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Call (08) 9487 8777

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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	Closed
Thursday	0.0364
Friday	1:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday	10:00am to 4:00pm
Sunday	10:00am to 4:00pm

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Business Advertisements (Business premises outside of the	Blo	ıck	Col	our
Shire of Yilgarn)	No Typesetting	With Typesetting	No Typesetting	With Typesetting
Full Page (A4)	\$35.00	\$55.00	\$160.00	\$180.00
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1/4 Page	\$15.00	\$25.00	\$50.00	\$60.00

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(Business premises within the Shire of Yilgarn)

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1/4 Page	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$35.00	\$40.00

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1/2 page horizontal
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90mm x 270mm
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DON'T FORGET!
Crosswords' submissions
close every 2nd Tuesday at 12.00 noon

2024 Publishing Dates

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Deadline 12 noon	Publishing Date
2/07/2024	4/07/2024
16/07/2024	18/07/2024
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2025 Publishing Dates

Deadline 12 noon	Publishing Date
14/01/2025	16/01/2025
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9/09/2025	11/09/2025

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.: 0429 498 035

2024 Anglican Services Christ Church Southern Cross All services are held at 11.00am on Saturdays Everyone is invited

Saturday 17th August 2024 Saturday 18th October 2024 Saturday 14th December 2024 ("Christmas" service)

SX SPEEDWAY

MEETS 1ST TUESDAY EVERY SECOND MONTH AT SENIORS CENTRE, 6PM—ALL WELCOME COME AND SEE WHAT IS HAPPENING WITH THE SPEEDWAY AND ANY NEW IDEAS ARE WELCOME

> July 2nd September 3rd November 5th



Shire of Yilgarn Recycle Calendar 2024-2025



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Marvel Loch, Bodallin
Moorine Rock Rubbish Only
Southern Cross
Rubbish Only

Southern Cross Rubbish

& Recycle. Marvel Loch, Bodallin and Moorine Rock recycle

Christmas Day



WHAT CAN GO INTO YOUR RECYCLE BIN

- · Glass All glass and ceramics, whole and broken
- · Plastic All plastic containers and plastic wraps (empty with lids off)
- · Paper All paper, junk mail and glossy magazines
- · Cardboard All cardboard products
- · Aluminium & Steel All metals, steel & aluminium excluding aerosol cans
- · Liquid Paperboard Milk, juice and laundry detergent cartons.

There will be no changes to the service over the Christmas Period.



INVITATIONS TO THE SHIRE OF YILGARN 2024 SENIOR'S LUNCHEON HAVE BEEN SENT OUT. IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR INVITATION, ARE 60+ YEARS OF AGE AND WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND PLEASE CONTACT THE SHIRE BEFORE 20th June 2024.

*TO RSVP TO THE EVENT PLEASE CONTACT JODIE AT THE CRC
BY NO LATER THAN 21ST JUNE 2024

PHONE: 9049 1688

OR

ASO@YILGARN.WA.GOV.AU





YILGARN TOWN TEAM

COMMUNITY IDEAS WORKSHOP

Monday 22nd July 2024 at 6:00 pm Southern Cross Senior Citizen's Centre

All members of the Yilgarn community are invited to attend the Yilgarn Town Team community ideas workshop.

The session, run by the Town Team Movement, will provide information on establishing a Yilgarn Town Team and will also seek ideas on possible community-driven projects.

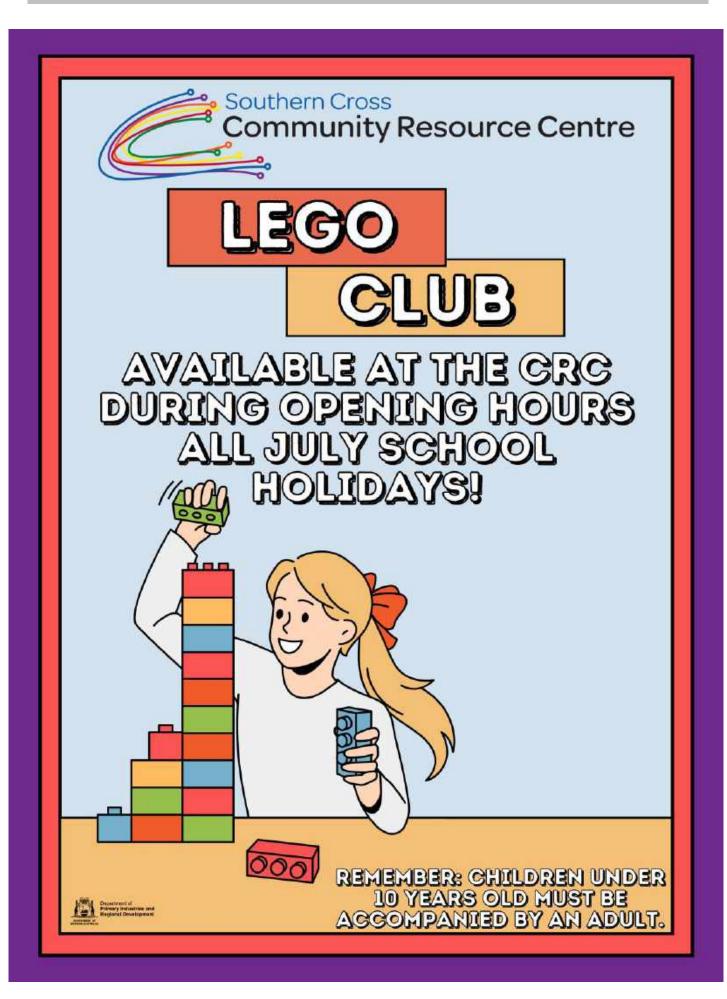
If you are interested in joining the Yilgarn Town Team and have some project ideas, please come along to the session.

Light refreshments will be provided for attendees.

Please RSVP and direct any questions about this workshop to yilgarn@yilgarn.wa.gov.au.









SAVE THE DATE

2024 YILGARN

Ladies Long Lunch

14.09.2024





Country Womens Association of WA Southern Cross Branch

Apr

19th - Meeting @ The Club Hotel

May

18th - SXFC Afternoon

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23rd – An Italian Cooking Experience with Julie Nicoletti

Jul

20th - Swap Meet @ The Moorine Rock Hotel

Aug

16th – CWA Cook Book Tasting Evening @ The Senior Citizens Centre

Sep

14th - Yilgarn Ladies Long Lunch

Oct

13th - Pots & Tangles Macrame Workshop

Nov

Dec

ist - Community Christmas Tree @ Rotary Park



2024 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

PRESIDENT: JESS STEPHEN V/PRESIDENT: LISA POWELL SECRETARY: LEAH GALE TREASURER: EMMA WARREN New members are always welcome. If you would like to join or re-join, please contact one of our executive committee members or reach out via email & we will happily assist you!

cwa.sxbranch@outlook.com



Community News

Thank you

A big thank you to Red Dog Mining & Civil for my lovely load of wood delivered to me recently.

Thank you again Anne Carnicelli

Southern Cross Golf Club

JUNE 2024

Sun 23rd Old Aprelia Day Own Partners

2 Person Ambrose

Sun 30th 3SIXT Auto

Stroke

JULY 2024

Sun 7th Westonia Della Bosca Cup Club Day Sun 14th Nokaning Cup Club Day

Sun 21st J & L Symes Trophy Stroke

Sun 28th SX Coffee Lounge Stableford

Thanks - RED DOG Mining

A big thank you to Brad Reynolds, Red Dog Mining for your kind donation of a few tonnes of firewood again this year for some of our elderly in Southern Cross.

Thank you also to your 2 truck drivers ex Perth and especially the Red Dog Cornishman crew who happily unloaded and stacked at the properties.

The wood was donated "to make sure these people stay warm" - a lovely gesture, and on behalf of the 4 recipients, I say thank you very much. Milly

BURRACOPPRI

Containers for Change

We have a large amount of returned customer bags at the CRC ready for collection—if you have picked up bags from other outlets (not from the CRC), please visit the CRC to see if any of your bags have been returned.

Alternatively you can call the CRC on 9049 1688, and we will look through the pile for you to let you know.

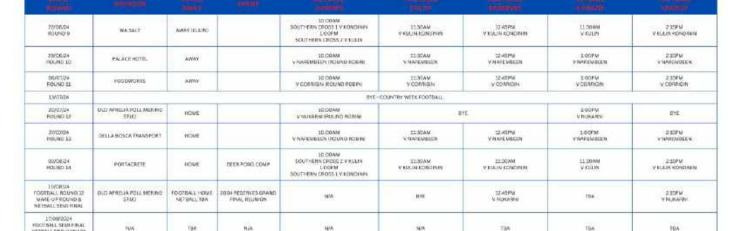
Southern Cross Football Club & Yilgarn Netball Association





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SOUTHERN CROSS GOLF CLUB NEWS

<u>Saturday 1st June</u>: The Southern Cross Golf Club hosted the Eastern Dist Mens 4s Champion ship.

Players visited from other Golf Clubs in the Eastern Golf Association

Gross Winners: Rob Gearing & Shane Avery- Merredin Golf Club

R/ups: Justin Watts & Brian Bush-Merredin Golf Club

Nett Winners: Shaun Chrisp & Dave Pasini-Southern Cross Golf Club Nett R/ups: Pom Coward & John Nicholson-Southern Cross Golf Club

Combined with this event Southern Cross Club played their Club Fours. Golf Balls sponsored By BARTO Gold Mining were given out for the 18 hole Novelty winners.

The Golf Club would like to thank Barto Gold Mining Ltd for the supporting the Golf Club with Sponsorship towards this event and enabling the printing of New Score Cards.

<u>Sunday 9th</u>: SX Hardware & News Sponsored the 1st round of the Championships.

Winner Nett: Jason Guerini, Nett R/up: Shaun Chrisp. 3rd Noel Teale.

A putting competition was combined in the game and winner was Robbie Della Bosca.

Many thanks to Nicole & Peter for their support again this year.

Saturday 15th June: Rhys Della Bosca Memorial day was held.

Approx 40 players played a 2 person Ambrose event and many others attended the evening till late.

Winners: Dave & Matthew Pasini & R/up: Rob Gearing & A Flannagan.

The day was sponsored by Greg & Ana Della Bosca.



My Aged Care

If you need some help around the house or think it's time to look into aged care homes, My Aged Care is here to help.

Visit the My Aged Care website (www.myagedcare.gov.au) to find information about how to access aged care services.

You can apply for an assessment online and search for local aged care providers that meet your needs. You can also call 1800 200 422 Monday to Friday, 8 am to 8 pm, and Saturday, 10 am to 2 pm.

For assistance please contact Donna Newbury at Southern Cross Hospital on 0417921884 or 90812222.













04' PREMIERSHIP REUNION

20th anniversary

10TH AUGUST

LAST HOME GAME OF THE 24' SEASON DETAILS TO FOLLOW

RSVP to Holly: 0488 688 333 or southerncrossfc@icloud.com



Kaylor Andrews

Bite sized CHILDREN'S NUTRITION info

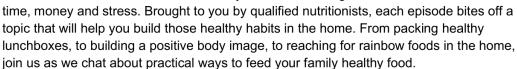
Wheatbelt Regional Education Officer Cancer Council Western Australia Kaylor.Andrews@cancerwa.asn.au

Crunch&Sip® Crunch Bites Podcast

Bite sized children's nutrition info

Aiming to provide parents with practical ideas around boosting children's nutrition in an easily accessible, grab and go format.

Crunch Bites is the newest 'grab and go' podcast for parents who want to learn how to feed their family well whilst saving on





- Episode 1: The lunchbox troubleshooting guide: packing lunches that actually get eaten
- Episode 2: Developing positive relationships with food and body image in children with Dr Stephanie Damiano
- Episode 3: From fussy eating to adventurous appetites
- Episode 4: Reaching for rainbow foods with Dr Preeya: making healthy food in the home fun
- Episode 5: Wholegrain wonders: nourishing kids' bodies and minds, one bite at a time
- Episode 6: How to create little veggie lovers
- Episode 7: Meat and greet: the low down on meat and meat alternatives
- Episode 8: Easily influenced? Overexposure to junk food advertising and how it's impacting our kids with Emma Groves
- Episode 9: Daily dairy: building strong bones and healthy teeth

Available on streaming services such as Spotify, Apple podcasts plus so many more To find out more:

https://www.crunchandsip.com.au/podcast



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For more information about cancer symptoms, visit www.findcancerearly.com.au or call the Cancer Council Information and Support Line on 13 11 20.



Call us on 13 11 20 findcancerearly.com.au



The influenza vaccine is free in May and June in 2024 for everyone in Western Australia – book your appointment now.

Southern Cross General Practice 90491147

Southern Cross Community

As you may be aware the Pharmacy has been on the market for the past 12 months due to John's health.

As there has been no interested buyers the unfortunate decision has been made to permanently close the business.

This decision has not been made lightly and understand the community is most at loss.

I would like to personally thank Maureen and team for their service along with the entire community for their support.

The Pharmacy will continue to trade until the end of the financial year 30th June 2024.

Sincere apologies.

Jordan Hall.



Yilgarn Agricultural Society

SAVE THE DATE!

The Yilgarn Agricultural Show is on Saturday, 31st August 2024. Entertainment, food and fun galore!

We need your support to keep our show going!

Want to show off your pride and joy old car or motorbike? Display it in the Show Parade!

Text 0429401045 or email yilagpresident@outlook.com to let us know to save you a space.

Photographers!

Have you got a photo you want to enter in the show promoting tourism in the Yilgarn? Your photo entry could win in not only our photography section, but it could be featured on the new tourist bins that will be put up around town.

Your artwork could be featured on the front cover of the Schedule!



YILGARN AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

DRAWING COMPETITION

Do you love to Draw? Then enter here!

Category 1 2-7 Years Old

Category 2 8-12 Years Old

The winner of each category will have their art featured inside the Show Schedule Book! Over all winner will have their art be our front cover!

1st wins \$50, 2nd wins \$30 and 3rd wins \$20

All Art must be something that represents the Yilgarn Area.

Make sure to put your Name and Age on the back of your Masterpiece!

Entries can be handed in at Southern Cross Hardware & News GET YOUR ENTRIES IN BY THE END OF THIS WEEK (SATURDAY 22ND)!

T&C's: No late Entries and all Art Entered becomes the property of the Yilgarn Agricultural Society



Yilgarn Agricultural Society

To help you prepare your entries for this year's show, we will be publishing some of the sections you can enter into the Crosswords over the coming weeks.

SECTION L - CRAFTS

Exhibitors Please Note

- All Exhibits MUST be the work of the exhibitor
- * Every exhibit MUST have a removable label affixed, with the exhibitor's name, section & class
- * Any work that has previously won a prize at the Yilgarn Show may not be entered for judging they are to labelled "for display only"

Please Note: for classes 21-24 (Art)

Only 2 entries per class

Original work preferred- please tag if work is original or a copy

All names must be covered

All art exhibits must be suitably ready for hanging or may not be judged

Class:

- 1. Coat Hanger, 1 decorated
- 2. Any article made from leather
- 3. Any Ceramics Article
- 4. Decorated Commercial Photo Frame
- 5. Tissue Box Cover, any medium
- 6. Any article made from wood
- 7. Any beaded article
- 8. Handmade Christmas decoration
- 9. Bag, any medium
- 10. Any tie-dyed article
- 11. Any tube or fabric painted article
- 12. Dressed Doll
- 13. Any article made from recycled material
- 14. Handmade Jewellery, any article
- 15. Stuffed toy
- 16. Glass hand-painted, any article
- 17. Hand-painted Article, any other
- 18. Mosaic Article
- 19. Candle making
- 20. Most useful and inexpensive article

- 21. Leadlight article
- 22. Macrame article
- 23. Diamond dots, must be framed
- 24. Model Mechano, Lego, exhibitors design
- 25. Any Article not already specified

Art

Class:

- 26. Oil/Acrylic, any subject
- 27. Water Colour, any subject
- 28. Drawing, any media & subject
- 29. Drawing, charcoal or pencil

Pottery

Class:

- 30. Hand made article,
- 31. Wheel Work article

Crafted Paper

Class:

- 32. Paper Quilled item
- 33. Paper Tolle item
- 34. Origami Item
- 35. Decorative Folded Napkin

SECTION M- COOKERY

Exhibitors Please Note

- * All exhibits MUST be the work of the exhibitor
- ★ NO PLASTIC WRAP, please
- ★ Cakes NOT to be made on the day of judging.
- ★ All exhibits MUST be in clear Oven bags, except class 1. (decorated cake)
- * All exhibits MUST be on paper plates or similar
- ★ Orange cake, class 8 MUST be cooked in a loaf tin
- NOTE: items of cookery are <u>not</u> to be iced/decorated unless specified

Cakes

Class:

- 1. Decorated Cake
- 2. Fruit Cake, light or dark
- 3. Boiled Fruit Cake
- 4. Fruit & Nut. roll or loaf
- 5. Schedule Cake Vi's Jubilee Cake
- 6. Sponge Sandwich, (custard powder allowed)
- 7. Poppy Seed Cake
- 8. Orange Cake, loaf tin
- 9. Chocolate Cake
- 10. Marble Cake
- 11. Sultana Cake
- 12. Banana Cake
- 13. Carrot Cake
- 14. Swiss Roll, jam filled, not trimmed

Afternoon Tea Cookery

Class:

- 15. Scones, plain, plate of 6
- 16. Pikelets, plate of 6
- 17. Jam Tarts, made with short pastry, plate of 6
- 18. Muffins, sweet 6
- 19. Muffins, Savoury, 6
- 20. Biscuits, homemade, 6
- 21. Shortbread, in 1 piece
- 22. Meringues, 6
- 23. Lamingtons, 6
- 24. Small Cakes, decorated, collection of 6
- 25. Slice, Plate of 6 pieces
- 26. Fruit Mince Pies, 6 (may use bought mince)
- 27. Rocky Road, 6 pieces
- 28. Rum Balls, 6
- 29. Bread, white or wholemeal, machine made

Schedule Cake

Taken from the 2006 Show Schedule

Vi's Jubilee Cake

Preparation Time: 15 minutes Cooking Time: 35 minutes (190°C - 200°C)

Ingredients:

Cake:Icing:2 tablespoons white sugar1/2 cup milkIcing Sugar1 & 1/2 cups SR flour1/2 cup currantsMilk

1 egg 1/2 cup sultanas Coconut (sprinkled on top)

lemon peel

Method:

Mix all dry ingredients. Add beaten egg and milk to make it moist (a little more milk may need to be added if it is too dry). Put in a 20cm tin and bake for 35 minutes on 190°C - 200°C. While cake is still warm, ice with icing sugar mixed with milk and sprinkle with coconut.

Recipe kindly donated by Rena Roberts - as per 2006 schedule.



Qualified Educator

We are currently seeking a dedicated and passionate Qualified Educator for our REED Yilgarn Service. The role will include planning and leading programs based on children's developmental needs, fostering positive relationships with children and families, ensuring health and safety, and maintaining regulatory compliance.

Essential Skills

- Diploma in Children's Services
- Knowledge of Licensing and Legislation for ECEC.
- Current Working with Children's Check
- Current Police Clearance

Desirable Skills

- Current First Aid, Anaphylaxis and Asthma Management Certificates.
- Cultural awareness

Remuneration & Benefits

Salary levels are dependent on qualifications and experience and all conditions are inline with the Children Services Award 2010. With the added benefits of a relocation and accommodation package of up to \$12,500.

For the opportunity to grow your professional skills and experience along with REED Yilgarn, please lodge your Resume and cover letter via email to hr.admin@reedwa.org.au

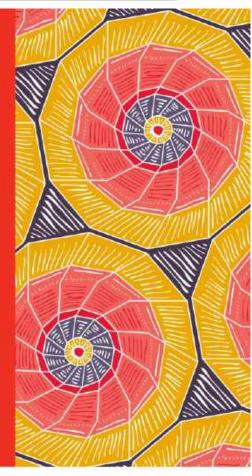
WESTPAC REMOTE SERVICES

Our Community Engagement Team will be visiting Southern Cross to help with your banking needs.

- Tuesday 25 June
- @ 9:30am 12:00pm
- Southern Cross Community Resource Centre

No cash will be available. If you have any questions, contact the Indigenous Call Centre on 1800 230 144.

We're looking forward to seeing you.



Agriculture & Agri-Business Wellbeing Factsheet

A resource for farmers, shearers, livestock transporters, as well as those involved in agribusiness.



At Holyoake, we recognise that people involved in the agriculture and agri-business are amongst the most resilient, hard working and resourceful in our regions. This resource is a guide to provide a better understanding of stress and situational distress caused by uncertainty and challenging circumstances. It also provides tips and strategies to help navigate these challenges. It is important to talk to family members, neighbours, friends, or health professionals if you are feeling overwhelmed or find yourself struggling or in crisis.

HELP IS ALWAYS AVAILABLE.

MENTAL HEALTH & WELLBEING CONTINUUM:



THRIVING	HEALTHY	SURVIVING	STRUGGLING	CRISIS
"I don't have any stressors in my life"	"I have minimal stressors in my life and can easily manage them"	"I'm managing the stressors of life"	"I don't know if I can continue to manage the stressors"	"I feel like I can no longe manage the stressors"
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Growth mindset	Calm and steady with minor mood fluctuations	Nervousness, sadness, increased mood	Persistent fear, panic, anxiety, anger, sadness	Disabling distress and los
High levels of	Marine Application and Application	fluctuations	and hopelessness	CONTRACTOR VALUE
performance	Able to manage stressors in life	Inconsistent performance	Exhaustion	Panic attacks, nightmare or flashbacks
Fully realising potential	Consistent performance	More easily overwhelmed	100	100000000000000000000000000000000000000
Actively seeking connections	Able to take advice and to	or irritated	Poor performance and difficulty making decisions or	Unable to fall or stay asteep
Solution focused	adjust to changes and plans	Increased need for control and difficulty	concentrating	Intrusive thoughts
Confident and curious	Able to communicate	adjusting to changes	Avoiding interaction with family, friends and	Thoughts of self-harm of suicide
Clear and energised	effectively	Disrupted sleep and eating	colleagues	Easily enraged or
Optimal self-awareness	Normal sleep patterns and appetite	Activities and	Fatigue, aches and pains	aggressive
High levels of motivation	Good impulse control	relationships you use to enjoy seem less interesting or even	Restless and disturbed sleep	Careless mistakes and inability to focus
Energised by challenges	Mood recovers quickly from stress	stressful	Self-medicating with alcohol and or other drugs	Feeling numb and lost
	Good self-awareness	Muscle tension, low energy & headaches	or food	Withdrawing from relationships
		Low motivation and	Inability to problem solve	2010/01/1002
		energy		Dependance on alcohol other drugs, food or othe numbing activities to cope.
				Physical and emotional exhaustion

MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING TIPS:



GET ENOUGH SLEEP AND REST

Sleep affects our physical and mental health and can be the first thing we trade in when we get busy or stressed.



SCHEDULE TIME FOR THINGS YOU ENJOY

Balance in life is important, so taking time out for things you enjoy can make a difference to how you think and feel.



BE ACTIVE AND EAT WELL

Our physical and mental health are closely linked, so ensure that you are exercising and eating nutritious food.



NURTURE RELATIONSHIPS AND CONNECT WITH OTHERS

Our connection to others is what keeps us strong, especially during challenging times. Ensure you have people to connect with (face-to-face, over the phone or virtually).



ENSURE YOU ARE ADOPTING STRATEGIES TO MANAGE YOUR STRESS LEVELS

If you have are having trouble relaxing or managing intrusive thoughts, the websites below provide an array of tips and tools that can assist you.



MAKE A 'TASKS LIST'

Break large tasks into smaller, more manageable tasks which can be prioritised in order of importance.



FOCUS ON WHAT YOU CAN CONTROL

Direct your time, energy, and resources towards things you have direct influence over, rather than things outside of your control (weather/climate, government regulations, commodity markets.



BRING OTHERS TO THE TABLE

Another set of ears and a logical brain can help with processing and retaining information.



KEEP THE LINES OF COMMUNICATION OPEN

Schedule regular farm business meetings and don't avoid making decisions.



KEEP IN REGULAR CONTACT WITH INDUSTRY PEERS, GROWER GROUPS AND CONSULTANTS

They are sources of trusted and valuable information and can also be a good social connection.



PREPARE AND PLAN FOR THE UNEXPECTED

Contingency planning can avoid further stress.



BE AWARE OF THE RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH BEHAVIOURS OR COPING STRATEGIES THAT ARE UNSAFE AND PUT YOURSELF AND OTHERS AT RISK

Unsafe alcohol consumption, misuse of prescription medication and use of illicit drugs.



TAKE TIME TO PAUSE, BREATHE AND REFLECT

A simple moment of reflection helps us connect our minds with our feelings. It enables us to connect what's happening around us with what's going on in our heads and hearts. Taking the time to ask the right questions of ourselves, and time to get a thoughtful answer, gives us perspective, direction and clarity. By taking time to pause and slow down our breathing (deep circular breaths), we slow down a racing heart, reducing the symptoms of stress headaches and muscle tension.



PARTAKE IN HELP SEEKING BEHAVIOURS

Please see below for information on Support Services and Helplines available.



ORGANISE AN INFORMATION SESSION OR WORKSHOP:

Increasing your own and others understanding of the risks, protective factors, unsafe/risky behaviours, coping strategies, wellbeing, and community resilience is a powerful tool in improving empathy, connections and the overall safety within a community. Please contact Holyoake's Prevention Team if you would like to organise an information session or workshop for your community. Email JDrayton@holyoake.org.au or Jordyn.Drayton@holyoake.org.au



CRISIS LINES		Rural West	1800 612 004
Lifeline Lifeline WA provides all Western Australians experiencing a personal crisis or thinking about suicide with access to 24-hour crisis support and suicide prevention services.	13 11 14 Lifeline WA	Rural West provide a free, confidential, mobile, independent financial counselling service to regional small businesses and all primary production enterprises in WA.	Rural West
		Wheatbelt Mental Health	9621 0999
Suicide Call Back Service Suicide Call Back Service is a free nationwide service providing 24/7 phone and online counselling to people affected by suicide.	1300 659 467	Including: Adult Mental Health Service, Child & Adolescent Mental Health Service, Aboriginal Mental Health Service & Seniors Mental Health Service.	WA Country Health Service
M1 (2) E9		Amity Health	9842 2797
Beyond Blue Beyond Blue as a reliable source of mental health Information, support, and hope.	1300 224 636 Beyond Blue	Amity Health provide a range of funded health and community programs across the Wheatbelt region.	Amity Health
mornation, support, and notice		Headspace	9621 5000
MensLine Australia MensLine Australia is a telephone and online counselling service offering support for Australianmen anywhere, anytime.	1300 789 978 MensLine Australia	headspace Northam is a free and confidential service for young people aged 12-25. Their service is designed to make it as easy as possible for a young person and their family to get the help they need for problems affecting their wellbeing.	Headspace Nurlham
Drought Response Hotline	1300 489 832	WEBSITES FOR INFORMATION & RESOURCES	
The Drought response hotline is available 24/7 notline for farmers to speak to a trained operator who will be able to connect callers with grant information and services most relevant to their needs.	Drought Response WA	ifarmwell ifarmwell is a free online tool kit to help farmers cope effectively with life's challenges and get the most out of every day, regardless of the circumstances they face.	ifarmwell
Kids Helpline	1800 551 800		U0057740765
Kids Helpline is Australia's only free, confidential 24/7 online and phone counselling service for young people aged 5 to 25.		National Centre for Farmer Health The National Centre for Farmer Health supports farmer mental health through research; education; prevention-focused mental health resources including	National Centre for Farmer Health
PLACE-BASED SUPPORTS	100	Managing Stress on the Farm, Steering Straight and	
Holyoake	9621 1055	Campfire; and support services including a farmer health trained online psychology platform.	
Holyoake give Western Australians impacted by alcohol, drugs and mental ill health the support, hope and confidence they need to live the life they choose.	Holydake	Managing Stress on the Farm walks farmers, farming families, farm workers, and farming communities through the common causes of stressors on farms and offers practical ways to deal with them. It also includes the Steering Straight plan, which helps	Free to download via: Managing Stress on the
Head to Health (co-located with Holyoake)	6383 8040	individuals manage their mental health with practical, valuable steps.	Farm Booklet
Mental health support for adults (18+ years) with their own or another's mild to moderate mental ill health.	Head to Health Northam	TIACS	0488 846 988 (Mon-Fri
Rural Aid	1300 327 624	TIACS is a free, confidential phone and text counselling service offering mental health support to farmers, blue-collar workers and those that care about	
Rural Aid provides critical support to farmers affected by natural disaster through financial, wellbeing and fodder assistance.	Rural Aid	them Australia-wide.	TIACS
er-	-	Head to Health Head to Health helps everyone access the mental	Head to Health
The Regional Men's Health Initiative The Regional Men's Health Initiative is a team of people who are passionate about raising awareness of men's health and wellbeing in regional, rural, and remote communities throughout WA.	9314 1436 The Regional Mens Health Initiative	health and wellbeing services that are right for them. It makes it easier to navigate and choose the most suitable care options, whether that's face-to-face, via phone, or online.	6





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Kellerberrin

Frequency: Fortnightly on Tuesdays

10 am - 3 pm

Mukinbudin

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Frequency: Fortnightly on Mondays

9 am - 12 pm

Southern Cross

Frequency: Fortnightly on Thursdays

10 am - 3 pm

If you have mild to moderate mental health challenges, please talk to your GP or health provider who can refer you to see our visiting mental health clinician, Nicola Granich.

For GPs and Health Providers, please forward patient referrals to:

Amity Health PO Box 5294 ALBANY WA 6332 f: 9842 2798 e: query@amityhealth.com.au

For more information please contact:

Visiting Mental Health Clinician - Nicola Granich m: 0437 588 890 or Amity Health on 9842 2797

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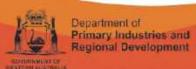
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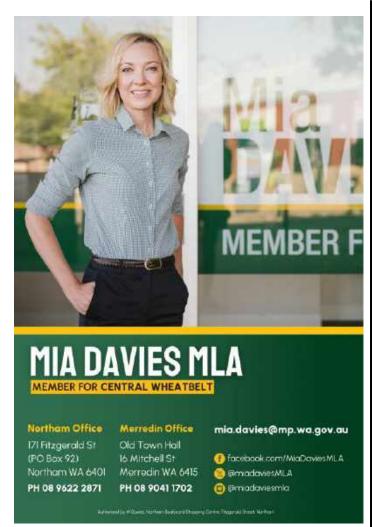




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Cc	alendar of Events				
Thu 20 Jun	Shire of Yilgarn Council Meeting @ Council Chambers, 5.00pm				
Thu 27 Jun	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town—consulting day				
Sat 6 Jul	Senior's Luncheon @ Southern Cross Community Centre, 11.30am				
Thu 18 Jul	Shire of Yilgarn Council Meeting @ Council Chambers, 5.00pm				
Fri 26 Jul	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town—surgery day				
Sun 4 Aug	Brush & Bubbles @ Senior Centre, 5:30 pm				
Thu 8 Aug	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town—consulting day				
Thu 15 Aug	Shire of Yilgarn Council Meeting @ Council Chambers, 5.00pm				
Fri 23 Aug	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town—surgery day				
Thu 5 Sep	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town—consulting day				
Thu 19 Sep	Shire of Yilgarn Council Meeting @ Council Chambers, 5.00pm				
SAVE THE DA	TE: Yilgarn Agricultural Show— Saturday, 31st August 2024!				
SAVE THE DA	TE: Yilgarn Ladies Long Lunch—Saturday, 14th September 2024				
	TE: Coodanup Clontarf vs Southern Cross All-Stars Basketball Game @ ketball Courts—Thursday, 12th September, 7pm				
	TE: Community Xmas Tree, Lighting of the Christmas Tree & Carols by @ Rotary Park, Sunday 1st December.				
TBA	A Night under the Southern Cross Skies Concert in the Park—POSTPONED				

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

- ✓ Art Group
- ✓ Country Women's Association
- ✓ P & C / P & F Organisations
- ✓ Patchworking
- ✓ Progress Associations
- ✓ Scrapbooking
- ✓ Senior Citizen's Centre activities
- ✓ Southern Cross Gardening Club

- ✓ Southern Cross Hospital Auxiliary
- ✓ Southern Cross St John Ambulance
- ✓ Southern Cross Vol. Fire & Rescue
- ✓ Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade
- ✓ Yilgarn Agricultural Society
- ✓ Yilgarn Community Support Group
- ✓ Yilgarn History Museum

- ✓ Yilgarn Men's Shed
- ✓ Yilgarn Motoring Enthusiasts

Sporting groups including:

- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Darts
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Lawn Bowls
- ✓ Motorcycle Club
- ✓ Netball
- ✓ Shooting

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Jun 28

Jul 12

Jul 26

