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NEW DEPUTY CEO

This week we welcomed Melinda (Mel) Lymon to our team as the new Deputy Chief Executive Officer.

Mel comes to us with a plethora of previous local government experience, having previously worked at the City of Belmont for 8.5 years as the Governance & Compliance Advisor and manager roles.

In addition to this Mel previously held the role of DCEO at the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands for 7 years, and Accountant at the Shire of Irwin for 8 years. Mel was most recently employed by Moore Australia (WA) as the Manager of Local Government Services.

Mel has moved to Wongan Hills with her husband and we know Mel will be an incredible asset to our team and community.

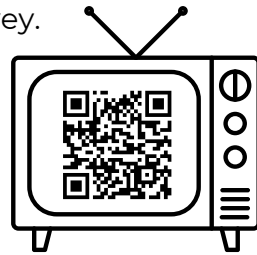


TV SERVICE SURVEY

This week a TV Service Survey will be landing in Wongan Hills townsite mailboxes as we are currently carrying our research with regards to our current Shire provided TV service.

Please return your completed surveys to the Shire Administration Office or Wongan Hills CRC. There is also the option to complete the survey online (link below). Thank you for assisting with our research and completing the survey.

www.surveymonkey.com/r/B9KRP5N to complete the survey online or scan the QR code.



ART INSTALLATION

The Shire works crew supported the Wongan Art Society with the installation of another sculpture to add to their Art Trail on Wongan Road. The Grass Trees and an Echidna were installed last week and make a great addition to our main median strip.



COUNCILLOR CATCH UP SERIES

Have you ever considered standing for Council? Nominations opened Tuesday 10th September until 4pm Tuesday 17th September. Follow our Councillor Catch Up Series in this week's Boomer or check out our Facebook page. This series provides a small insight into being a Councillor and what the role entails.

Want to find out more? Please visit our website for more information on being a Councillor at: <https://www.wongan.wa.gov.au/the-role-of-a-councillor.aspx>





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CELEBRATING 10 YEARS OF STEIGER

We recently celebrated and recognised Rob 'Steiger' Smith's 10 years of service with the Shire of Wongan-Ballidu.

At a BBQ organised at the Shire Depot, Steiger was presented with a Certificate of Recognition from CEO, Sam Dolzadelli and a small gift to thank him for his long-standing service to our organisation.

Steiger's expertise and commitment to the role as a Plant Operator have been invaluable to our Shire. We are grateful for his dedication to the job, making him an essential part of our team.

If you see him around, we hope you will join us in saying Good Job Steiger!



CURRENT ROADWORKS



CONSTRUCTION CREW - Hospital Road 2km Reconstruction. Traffic Management in use.



MAINTENANCE GRADERS - Area 1 - Mt O'Brien access track, Craig Road & White Wells Road. Traffic Management in use. Area 2 - Rabbit Proof Fence Road and Kirwan East Road. Traffic Management in use.



BACKHOE CREW - Various Locations culvert and crossover maintenance. Traffic Management in use.



MAINTENANCE CREW - Various Locations pothole, sign and guidepost maintenance. Traffic Management in use.



TOWN MAINTENANCE - Verge and Street cleaning, footpath and drainage maintenance. Traffic Management in use.

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

Cuppa with a Cop

Wednesday 18th Sept - 6pm - CRC Library

Kite Making & Flower Spinning Workshop

Wednesday 25th Sept - 10am - WH Pavilion

Ordinary Council Meeting

Wednesday 25th September - 3pm - Ballidu Hall

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