



NEWSLETTER

WEIRD & WONDERFUL WINTER EXHIBITION NOW OPEN

The Ballidu Contemporary Art Society's Weird & Wonderful Winter Exhibition was officially opened by Shire President Stuart Boekeman on Friday 26 June, with more than 30 people attending the opening evening.

The exhibition, BCAS's third for the year, showcases a fantastic collection of works from local and community artists, each bringing their own unique interpretation of the Weird & Wonderful Winter theme.

President Boekeman acknowledged the important contribution the Ballidu Contemporary Art Society makes to the cultural life of the Shire, providing opportunities for artists to showcase their talents and helping to keep arts and creativity thriving in our region.

 On now throughout June, July and August 2026

 Open every Saturday

 10:30am – 1:30pm

 Or anytime by appointment

Congratulations to the Ballidu Contemporary Art Society, all exhibitors and the dedicated volunteers who worked hard to bring this exhibition together.

If you haven't visited yet, be sure to stop by the Ballidu Lodge Art Gallery and experience the weird, the wonderful, and everything in between! ✨





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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

Applications for the 2026/2027 Community Development Fund are now open!

The Community Development Fund supports local community groups and organisations to deliver projects, events and initiatives that strengthen our community and enhance life in Wongan-Ballidu.

If you have an idea that will make a positive difference in our community, now is the time to apply.

Applications close at 4:00pm on Friday 31 July 2026.

Before applying, be sure to read the guidelines and eligibility criteria to ensure your project meets the funding requirements.

Find out more and apply online:

www.wongan.wa.gov.au/community/community-services/community-development-fund.aspx

If you have any questions about the application process, please contact the Shire

HAVE YOUR SAY ON LOCAL LAWS

Under Section 3.16 of the Local Government Act 1995, all local governments must regularly review their local laws to ensure they're still relevant, effective, and up to date.

The following Local Laws are currently under review and open for public comment:

Local Law - Dogs (19/04/2016)
Local Law - Cemeteries (21/10/2010)
Local Law - Health (21/10/2010)
Local Law - Parking & Parking Facilities (21/10/2010)
Local Law - Property (21/10/2010)
Local Law - Meeting Procedures 2010 (21/10/2010)
Local Law - Bush Fire Brigades (21/10/2010)
Local Law - Fencing (21/10/2010)

Want to have your say?

To comment on any of the above Local Laws, please visit: www.surveymonkey.com/r/NHSVC6V
This consultation will **close on Friday 31st July 2026 at 4pm.**

Your feedback helps shape the future of our community!

**SHIRE OF WONGAN-
BALLIDU COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT FUND
GRANTS NOW OPEN**

**Local Law
Review**

**Have
Your
Say!**





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CURRENT ROADWORKS



CONSTRUCTION CREW - Hourigan Road and Rifle Range Road gravel resheet.



MAINTENANCE GRADERS –

Area 1: Craig Road and Elphin Korraling Road.

Area 2: Kokardine East Road and Kokardine West Road.



BACKHOE CREW - Various locations, drainage maintenance.



TOWN MAINTENANCE - General street and footpath maintenance, sign maintenance, and pavement repairs.

All Above Worksites Will Be Under The Direction Of Traffic Management.

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

NAIDOC Week Celebration

Thursday 16th July - 9am - CRC Function Room

Ordinary Council Meeting

Wednesday 22nd July - 3pm - Wongan Hills Council Chambers

STAY IN TOUCH

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