

SHIRE OF



Corrigin
Community Resource Centre
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NEWSLETTER



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Welcome to the fifth edition of the Shire of Corrigin & Corrigin CRC Newsletter. Our goal in producing the newsletter is to keep our community informed and involved.

WILDFLOWERS now in bloom...

Strengthening our community now to grow and prosper into the future

www.corrigin.wa.gov.au

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Know *your* Councillors...



TERRY PRIDHAM

I was born in Kadina, South Australia and came to W.A some 53 years ago. I lived a fair bit of my life in Perenjori and farmed with my brother. I am married to Anne and

we have two grown up children, Glencora and Xavier. While in Perenjori I served 6 years as a Shire Councillor.

Anne and I moved to Corrigin about 5.5 years ago when we retired because of family connections and we were also drawn by the services and facilities Corrigin has to offer i.e. doctor, hospital etc. I stood for Shire Council 3 years ago and I have one more year to go.

Council these days is a lot different to the early days because of the Local Government Act changing in 1995. I have enjoyed serving as a Councillor and listening to the people of Corrigin in

their comments, either good or bad. As Corrigin is predominantly a grain and sheep area, I do feel we need other ways to keep our town progressing. One way we can do this is by promoting Tourism. This has been one of my main reasons for becoming a Councillor. If we can attract more tourists to town our shops and services can expand, which will be great for our Shire. More tourists, more dollars to go around.

Council Elections will be held in 2017.

“I encourage anyone who thinks they have something to offer our Shire, don’t hesitate to apply when vacancies on Council occur, as you will be rewarded for your efforts”.

I look forward to the next 12 months on Council and am happy to discuss any issues with community members.

Terry

Cr **TERRY PRIDHAM**

Email: tap49@netspace.net.au Phone: 9063 2532

Councillors are elected by *you* to represent the town’s residents and ratepayers. If you wish to discuss a Council matter, offer any suggestions, have compliments, concerns or feedback, we want to hear from you.

SHIRE OF CORRIGIN COUNCILLORS

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Good winter rains bring wildflowers to brilliant life in the Corrigin Reserve



Purple Enamel Orchid



Spider Orchid



Jack-in-the-Box Orchid



Cone Flower

Corrigin Wildflower Drive attracts Tourists

We are seeing an increasing number of Tourists who are travelling the wildflower routes around WA. The Corrigin Wildflower Drive is one of the destinations for wildflower enthusiasts and photographers, many are returning visitors. Reports are that this season, the wildflowers and orchids are exceptional in our area.

"I've seen more wildflowers this year than on my many previous trips"

Call into the Corrigin CRC and pick-up a brochure about the Corrigin Wildflower Drive, it's worth a look.



Entrance to the Corrigin Reserve and Wildflower Drive



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Campbell St maintenance & pressure cleaning work was started by the Shire crew over the public holiday long weekend, to minimise disruptions to the businesses and community members

Report a Faulty Street Light



The street lights in Corrigin are the responsibility of Western Power, who install and maintain them on behalf of the local council. Once a fault has been reported to Western Power, their technicians will attend to fault within 9 business days (for regional areas).

To Report a Faulty Street Light, simply go online and enter the streetlight details, www.westernpower.com.au/power-outages/report-a-faulty-streetlight/

Or call Western Power on **1800 622 008**

For any dangerous hazards or faults please call 13 13 51



Harvest Mass Management Scheme - Improved Heavy Vehicle Access for 2016 / 2017

Heavy Vehicle Services of Main Roads WA (MRWA) has advised that it has amended its Harvest Mass Management Scheme (HMMS) for 2016/17 to allow ".... improved 'first mile' access to paddocks for Restricted Access Vehicles".

Heavy Vehicle Services advise that the measures are designed to assist operators in safely moving increased quantities of grain from paddock to bin, in anticipation of a bumper harvest.

The revised HMMS Business Rules and Guide to the updated HMMS has been prepared by MRWA and is effective from Monday 3 October 2016.

The HMMS webpage on the MRWA website has been updated and includes the relevant documents: [Using Roads Heavy Vehicles](#)

An HVS Update is also available on the MRWA website: [HVS Updates and Road Information Tables](#)

If you have any queries, please contact Heavy Vehicle Services on 9475 8373

Who wants to see this fun, inflatable at the Corrigin Pool this summer?

Calling for community members who have their Bronze Medallion and Senior 1st Aid, willing to volunteer their time at the Corrigin Pool, so this fun pool inflatable can be enjoyed over the upcoming summer season.

Please contact Rachel Bairstow at Corrigin Pool on 9063 2212 or 0429 634 024, if you can help out.



Looks what's happening at the Corrigin Recreation & Events Centre (CREC)

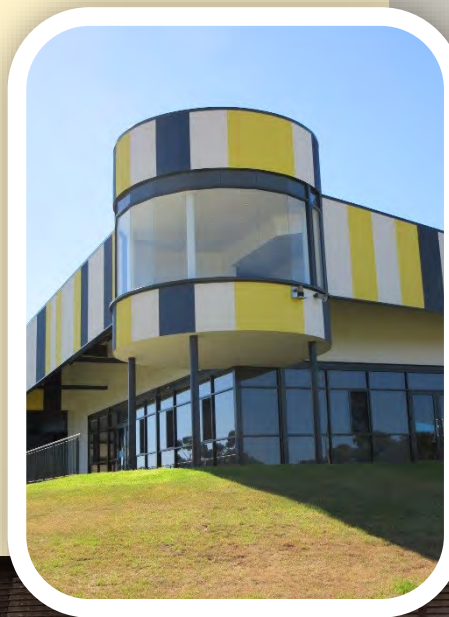
FLOORBALL

A fast, fun game which is a cross between ice hockey and field hockey, that everyone can play and enjoy!

If you're interested in a social night out, call Connor Baker on 0458 442 226

- Game Night—Friday 6pm-8pm
- \$5 game fee / person
- Non Marking Joggers essential
- Floorball equipment supplied

Like Us on Facebook [Corrigin Floorball](#)



Squash Court Membership

NOW AVAILABLE

Become a member of the CREC Squash Court and enjoy the benefits. Membership options are available for INDIVIDUALS or FAMILIES, for either 1 month, 3 months or a full year.

Call into the Corrigin CRC for further information about becoming a Squash Court Member.





SUMMER 2016 / 2017
Corrigin Memorial
Swimming Pool
OPENS
Tues 1st November
AQUA AEROBICS
SWIMMING LESSONS



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Corrigin Pools Opening Hours 2016 / 2017

SUMMER Outdoor Swimming Pool Opening Hours - 1 NOV 2016 to 2 APR 2017

	Early Morning (Laps only)	Morning	Afternoon	Evening (Laps only)
Monday	6am - 8am	8am - 1pm	3pm - 6pm	6pm - 7pm
Tuesday	6am - 8am	8am - 1pm	3pm - 6pm	CLOSED
Wednesday	6am - 8am	8am - 1pm	3pm - 6pm	6pm - 7pm
Thursday	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Friday	CLOSED	10am - 1pm	3pm - 6pm	CLOSED
Saturday	CLOSED	CLOSED	12.30 - 6pm	CLOSED
Sunday	CLOSED	CLOSED	12.30 - 6pm	CLOSED

PLEASE NOTE: Times are subject to change depending on weather



SUMMER Hydrotherapy Pool Opening Hours 1 NOV 2016 to 2 APR 2017

DAY	MORNING	AFTERNOON
Monday	6am - 11am	3pm - 6pm
Tuesday	6am - 11am	3pm - 6pm
Wednesday	6am - 12 noon	3pm - 6pm
Thursday	CLOSED	CLOSED
Friday	10am - 1pm	3pm - 6pm
Saturday	CLOSED	12.30pm - 6pm
Sunday	CLOSED	12.30pm - 6pm

WINTER Hydrotherapy Pool Opening Hours 3 APR 2017 to 3 OCT 2017

DAY	OPENING HOURS
Monday	7am - 12pm
Tuesday	7am - 12pm
Wednesday	7am - 12pm
Thursday	7am - 12pm
Friday	7am - 12pm
Saturday	CLOSED
Sunday	CLOSED

POOL FEES 2016/17

GENERAL POOL ENTRY

Adults	\$4.00
Child (4 -15yrs) / Student	\$2.00
Pensioner	\$2.00
Senior Card Holder	FREE
Under 4 years	FREE

SEASON PASSES Pay at Shire office

Family	\$185.00
Adult	\$75.00
Pensioner	\$40.00
Child	\$40.00

HYDROTHERAPY POOL ENTRY

Locals	\$5.00
Non-Locals	\$8.00

SWIMMING LESSONS

1st Child	\$12 / Half hr lesson
2nd Child	\$10.50 / Half hr lesson
Private Lesson	\$30 / Half hr lesson

AQUA AEROBICS

\$10 / Class
\$85 for 10 Classes



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AQUA AEROBICS

\$10 PER CLASS

or

10 CLASSES FOR \$85

STARTING WEDNESDAY 2nd NOVEMBER 2016



CLASS TIMES:

MONDAY 6.00pm-6:45pm

TUESDAY 12noon-12:45pm

WEDNESDAY 6.00pm-6:45pm

Contact Rachael at the Pool on 9063 2212 or 0429 634 024
for further information about Aqua Aerobics Classes

CORRIGIN SWIM SCHOOL

SWIMMING LESSONS

FOR BABIES, TODDLERS or ADULTS
(PRIVATE LESSONS ALSO AVAILABLE)



6 WEEK PROGRAMME

Half an Hour Lesson once a week

COST: \$72 for 1st child
\$63 for 2nd child or more
\$30 per Private Lessons

Pool Entry is included in these costs

PROGRAMME STARTS: Monday 7th November 2016

AGES: 6 months to 4 years / 5+ years

DAYS AVAILABLE: Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

If you are interested in becoming part of this programme, please grab an Enrolment Form & pay at the Shire office, then ring Rachel to confirm your booking on Phone: 9063 2212 or Mob: 0429 634 024.



Payments must be made prior to the 1st class to secure your Booking 9



Council News



(Left - right) Des Hickey (Deputy Shire President), Joyce Fairlie and Keith Fairlie

Australian Citizenship Ceremony for Corrigin residents, Keith and Joyce Fairlie

On Tuesday 20th September the Shire of Corrigin had the pleasure in coordinating an Australian Citizenship Ceremony for Corrigin residents, Joyce and Keith Fairlie. Joined by Councillors and friends, the afternoon ceremony was held at the Shire's Council Chambers. Originally from Zimbabwe in Africa, Joyce & Keith moved to Corrigin in June 2007, when Keith (a Fitter & Turner) was employed by Interline Sales, owned by Greg Humphries. Joyce said their reason for applying to become Australian Citizens was to belong, as they both love living in Corrigin, with family members not far away in Perth.

"We want to belong"

Josina (Joyce) FAIRLIE

ADOPTION OF LOCAL LAW

The Shire of Corrigin has made the following local law:

Shire of Corrigin Health Local Law 2016

The purpose and effect of the law is to provide for the regulation, control and management of day to day public health matters within the Shire of Corrigin. The law will establish various health standards and requirements which people living and working within the Shire must observe.

A copy of the local law may be inspected at or obtained from the Shire of Corrigin, 9 Lynch street, Corrigin between the hours 8.30am and 4.30pm Monday to Friday or on the website at www.corrigin.wa.gov.au.

The Local Law came into operation on Wednesday, 11 October 2016.

Rob Paull

**CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
Shire of Corrigin**



Council Notice

An important notice to all land owners and occupiers within the Shire of Corrigin

RESTRICTED BURNING PERIOD
19 September 2016 to 31 October 2016
BURNING PERMIT REQUIRED

PROHIBITED BURNING PERIOD
1 November 2016 to 1 March 2017
NO BURNING PERMITTED

RESTRICTED BURNING PERIOD
2 March 2017 to 15 April 2017
BURNING PERMIT REQUIRED

NO BURNING PERMITTED ON DAYS WHEN VERY HIGH OR GREATER FIRE DANGER IS FORECAST

Fire weather information is available at www.bom.gov.au or by listening to the ABC Regional Radio

HARVEST / MOVEMENT OF VEHICLES BAN

Text Messaging Service

Harvest Bans are put in place by the Bush Fire Control Officers. The Shire informs all registered persons once the BCO's notify us that a ban is in place.

To register for SMS notifications of Harvest Bans via your mobile phone, please call the Shire on 9063 2203 or Email: shire@corrigin.wa.gov.au.

If your details have changed or if you no longer want to receive Harvest Ban information via text, please contact the Shire to update your details.

Don't leave it until a fire is in progress to call and ask for this service, contact the Shire NOW



HARVEST BAN INFORMATION LINE
(08) 9063 2999



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Dog Registrations are now due...

WHY DO I NEED TO REGISTER MY DOG?

It is required under the *Dog Act 1976* for all dogs over three months of age to be registered with the local government. It's important for both the general community and their dogs that the Shire of Corrigin has a record of dogs and their owners. Registration allows the Shire to provide for better facilities and conditions for responsible dog owners. Your dog is required to wear a collar with a valid registration tag attached. This tag will be issued by the Shire when you pay your registration fee.

The benefits of registration are:

- Positive identification of your dog
- Reuniting lost or injured dogs with their owners
- Investigation and resolution of dog problems
- Encouraging desexing of dogs through discounted registration fees.

The period of registration runs from 1 November to 31 October, regardless of when the dog is actually registered. Your dog can be registered for 1 year, 3 years or a lifetime.

RESPONSIBLE PET OWNERSHIP

Responsible ownership includes caring for your pet's welfare needs, along with registration, microchipping and adequate confinement to your property

If you own a dog or a cat, you must:

- Register each dog and cat you own
- Keep your dog on a leash when walking it in public
- Keep your dog confined to your property at all other times
- **Make sure your dog doesn't bark persistently**
- **Stop your dog or cat straying onto another person's property**
- Prevent your dog chasing or attacking people or other animals

You can be fined for breaking the law relating to dogs and cats and may also have to pay a release fee if your animals are found wandering and are impounded by Shire.

[Further information on Responsible Dog & Cat Ownership is available on the Shire of Corrigin website.](#)

Being responsible for your pet protects you, your pet and members of the community.

Clean-up at the iconic Corrigin Dog Cemetery

On Sunday 9th October members of Corrigin Tidy Towns and community volunteers carried out a morning, busy bee at the Corrigin Dog Cemetery, the site for over 200 graves. The group mowed and whipper-snipped around the many graves and surrounding area, clearing the site of over-grown vegetation, wild oats, weeds and restoring this iconic attraction for the bus loads of tourists who stop and take photos at this unique location.

The Corrigin Tidy Town Committee are a dedicated group of volunteers who are always looking for new members and helpers, so if you're interested in lending a hand for a few hours on a Sunday morning, please head along to their next Busy Bee or attend one of their Meetings.

Next Meeting: Monday 17th Oct 7.00pm at CWA Hall



Volunteers cleaning up at the Corrigin Dog Cemetery



DO YOU KNOW AN OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY?



Australia Day WA
Citizen of the Year

NOMINATE NOW
FOR AUSTRALIA DAY 2017

Closing date - 31 October 2016

www.citizenshipawards.com.au



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Food Sensations® delivered via video conference

Come along to Corrigin Community Resource Centre for free, hands-on nutrition and cooking experiences. Over 4 sessions, you will learn a variety of nutrition topics and cook some tasty, easy recipes.

HEALTHY EATING

MEAL PLANNING AND BUDGETING

SESSIONS:

All sessions held at:

Corrigin CRC

Time: 11:00am-1:00pm

Dates:

Session 1 - Thursday 6th Oct

Session 2 - Thursday 13th Oct

Session 3 - Thursday 20th Oct

Session 4 - Thursday 27th Oct

Bookings Essential as places are limited.

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CORE
TOPICS

LABEL READING AND FOOD SELECTION

FOOD SAFETY, PREPARATION & COOKING



Government of Western Australia
Department of Health

To find out more information about *Food Sensations* contact:
Corrigin CRC on 9063 2778 or pop into see us at 55 Larke Cres Corrigin.

LOOK WHAT'S ON

PRE HARVEST BBQ

In light of recent frost events the Shire of Corrigin in association with the Bush Fire Brigades & CFG, invite farming families & local businesses to meet with friends and neighbours for a Sausage Sizzle BBQ and chat.

BULLARING HALL 20th OCTOBER from 5.00pm

Includes the opening of the new Bullaring Fire Shed

BULYEE HALL 21st OCTOBER from 5.00pm

Includes the opening of the new Bulyee Fire Shed

BILBARIN HALL 25th OCTOBER from 5.00pm

Before it all gets too much...Talk to a Mate!



Kindly Supported by





Low impact exercise to help with arthritis, diabetes, heart conditions, pain management, joint stiffness, knee problems, Parkinson's, MS & more

TAI CHI



IN THE PARK

HAVE YOU WANTED TO GIVE TAI CHI
A TRY BUT NEVER HAD THE OPPORTUNITY?
Well here's your chance during WA Seniors Week 2017

Wednesday 9th November 2016
Miss B's Park CORRIGIN, 9.30am - 11.00am

Come along to this FREE 1 hour class of TAI CHI for Beginners, suitable for all ages & conditions, with an instructor from the Taoist Tai Chi Society. A healthy morning tea picnic will be supplied for all participants to enjoy, before the class commences at 10am.

Call the Corrigin CRC on 9063 2778 for more information

Everyone Welcome

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Say HELLO to...



David Pratt
PLANT OPERATOR

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE PEOPLE TO KNOW ABOUT YOU?

I grew up in Castlemaine, Victoria and **then moved to Perth WA as a kid.** I've previously worked for Arteil, making office furniture and for a landscape design company, making large planter pots from reconstituted cement, some of my handiwork can be seen along the Fremantle Esplanade. My parents brought a house in Hill St., Corrigin and I moved here and rented. I've been working on the Shire for 10 years in 2017.

DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 3 WORDS?

Top notch operator !

HOW DO YOU RELAX WHEN YOU'RE NOT AT WORK?

I enjoy fishing and camping (when I get time), watching National Geographic documentaries, YouTube, working on old vehicles and engines, having fun with remote control cars.



Tom Light
CUSTOMER SERVICE COORDINATOR

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE PEOPLE TO KNOW ABOUT YOU?

Originally from the UK, I moved to WA when I was 15 years old with my family. **I've been here for almost 8 years** and worked at the Shire of Boddington before moving to Corrigin where I've been working for the Shire for 2 years. I'm soon to have a family of my own and very excited.

DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 3 WORDS?

Mischievous, Funny, Accident-prone

HOW DO YOU RELAX WHEN YOU'RE NOT AT WORK?

4x4ing, working on cars with friends, watching movies, being around anything with wheels !

WHAT CAN'T YOU LIVE WITHOUT?

Cars and my girlfriend, Kristen.



Alan Johns
(Jumbo)
PLANT OPERATOR

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE PEOPLE TO KNOW ABOUT YOU?

I grew up in Narembeen and after finishing school worked as a Farm **Hand for the Lockyer's.** I've been an orderly at the Narembeen Hospital and after moving to Corrigin, worked as a Driver, delivering groceries and supplies that arrived via train to the local shops. I've had plenty of truck driving work, travelling around the state. In 1980 I started work with the Shire of Corrigin and 36 years on, here I am !

DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 3 WORDS?

Grumpy, good humoured !

HOW DO YOU RELAX WHEN YOU'RE NOT AT WORK?

I play darts, use to play softball, enjoy watching AFL, cricket and movies.

WHAT CAN'T YOU LIVE WITHOUT?

My wife, my puppy dog & my 'Bundy' !



OCTOBER 2016

LOTTERYWEST FUNDING Furniture and Equipment

Who can Apply? These grants are available to not-for-profit organisations and local government authorities.

What can we support? We support the purchase of furniture and equipment that meet your organisation's needs.

By way of example, grants can be for office items, telephone and filing systems, resource materials, whitegoods, toys, musical instruments and workshop tools.

When to apply? Applications can be made at any time. Application Form available at:

www.lotterywest.wa.gov.au/grants/grant-types/furniture-and-equipment

RAC COMMUNITY SPONSORSHIP

Our Community Sponsorships program is designed to empower communities across WA to deliver unique and enriching initiatives that address the issues we feel passionately about.

Eligible groups are invited to apply for sponsorship through three categories:

1. Community Chest (up to \$500) Open all year round, must apply at least 3 weeks before start date.
2. Grass Roots (up to \$5,000) Open all year round, must apply at least 6 weeks before start date.
3. Projects (up to \$20,000) Open three times per year

To find out if your initiative is eligible, download our Community Sponsorships Guidelines, www.rac.com.au

OR call our Sponsorship Team on 08 9436 4584.

KIDSPORT

Is your Club registered for 'KIDSPORT' for the upcoming season??? To register for 'KIDSPORT', sport and recreation clubs will need to register to be a part of the program at ClubsOnline. **If you already registered on 'Find a Club', you will simply need to login , update details and register for 'KIDSPORT' at the same time.**

Go to www.dsr.wa.gov.au/funding/individuals/kidsport/club-information to register now!

If you require any assistance, please contact Taryn at the Shire. **Please note that no 'KIDSPORT' applications can be processed until the Club has completed its registration for the upcoming season.**



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DATES TO REMEMBER

17 Oct

Tidy Town Meeting
7.00pm @ CWA

18 Oct

Council Meeting
3.00pm @ Shire

20, 21 & 25 Oct

Pre Harvest BBQ's

20 & 27 Oct

"Food Sensations"
SESSIONS 3 & 4
11am @ Corrigin CRC

31 Oct

Citizen of the Year
NOMINATIONS CLOSE

9 Nov

TAI CHI in the Park
9.30am @ Miss B's

22 Nov

Practical Driving
Assessment



DO YOU HAVE THE LATEST PHONEBOOK?

For all the up-to-date contact details, pick up a copy from Corrigin CRC, Post Office, Newsagency or Shire Office.

WASTE TRANSFER STATION 2016

Monday	10.00am – 2.00pm
Tuesday	CLOSED
Wednesday	10.00am – 2.00pm
Thursday	CLOSED
Friday	10.00am – 3.00pm
Saturday	10.00am – 3.00pm
Sunday	9.00am – 12 noon



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