

SHIRE OF



Corrigin

Community Resource Centre

*Your local connection*

# NEWSLETTER

Keeping the Corrigin community informed and involved



*Learning the first moves of Tai Chi during the beginners class*

## Tai CHI enjoyed in Miss B's Park...

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## Corrigin CRC successful in receiving WA Seniors Week funding for TAI CHI class

On Wednesday 9th November, 27 people came along to Miss B's to participate in the "TAI CHI in the Park" Beginners class. Accredited instructor, Avril Baxter from the Taoist Tai Chi Society, travelled to Corrigin and patiently worked through the first 4 moves of the Tai Chi set, *Commencement; Left Grasp Birds Tail; Grasp Birds Tail* and *Single Whip*, giving the group plenty of practise between each set. It was surprising how the slow movements of tai chi delivered a powerful workout for the body and mind (to remember)!

A morning tea picnic of fresh Fruit Kebabs and delicious healthy 'bliss ball' snacks were enjoyed by all who attended and feedback about the morning was very positive.

*"The slow and gentle movements certainly delivered a surprising workout"*

**BEVERLEY SWITENBANK**

*The Corrigin CRC was successful in receiving funding support through the WA Seniors Week 2016 Community Grants Program*

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Recipes for the popular, healthy snacks enjoyed at the "TAI CHI in the Park" morning tea picnic.

## LEMON BLISS BALLS



- 1 cup raw cashews
- 1 cup desiccated coconut
- zest of 1 large lemon
- juice of half a lemon
- 2 tablespoons maple syrup
- extra coconut for rolling

Place the ingredients into your processor in order listed above and blend until mixture resembles a sticky crumb. Use hands to shape the mixture into balls. Roll balls in extra coconut and place in fridge to set.

## FRUIT KEBABS



- 1 Pineapple
- 1 Rockmelon
- 2 Strawberry punnets
- ½ kg Green Grapes
- ½ kg Red Grapes
- 1 pkt Wooden Skewers

Chop up pineapple and rockmelon into 2cm chunks. Cut strawberries in half. Thread the fruit pieces onto wooden skewers. *Makes approx. 50 fruit kebabs*

## NO BAKE NUT & DATE ENERGY BALLS



- 1 cup raw almonds
- 1 cup raw walnuts
- 2 cups raisins
- 6 dates pitted
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup shredded coconut

In a food processor chop the almonds and walnuts until finely chopped and then add the raisins, dates, cinnamon and vanilla. Blend up until combined and sticky. Pour coconut into a bowl. Roll the date mixture into ball, then roll in coconut.

## TIM TAM BLISS BALLS



- 1 cup dry roasted almonds
- 10 medjool dates (seeds removed)
- 2 tbsps. almond butter
- 1 tbsps. maple syrup
- 2 tbsps. cacao or cocoa
- 1/2 teaspoon concentrated natural vanilla extract

Place the almonds and dates into your processor and blend just to roughly chop. You will want to leave in some texture and crunch. Add remaining ingredients to your processor and mix to gently combine. Press and shape the mixture into balls and place in fridge to set.

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# Know *your* Councillors...



## SHANNON HARDINGHAM

When I was growing up, 'home' was our farm at Unicup, seventy kilometres East of Manjimup, where my parents farmed sheep, cattle and vegetables. Despite the hard work that came with clearing and developing our

farms, I had a beautiful childhood, with my parents, four siblings and extended family never far away.

After initially studying physiotherapy for eighteen months, I converted to a degree in primary education; a decision I'm so glad I made. I am a very proud teacher and feel privileged to make an impact on the lives of our Corrigin kids. I strongly believe that country kids have something extra special to offer and there is no limit to what they can achieve.

Since being elected to Council in October 2015, I have been on a huge learning curve to understand the ins and outs of Local Government and collaborate with my fellow councillors. I represent

Council on the Corrigin Historical Society, the Corrigin Recreation and Events Centre committee and the Giggle Pots Day Care committee, which I feel gives me an insight into the past, present and future of our Corrigin community.

*One of the most wonderful aspects of my time on Council has been understanding the power of work, committed volunteers do in and around Corrigin and the benefits we all enjoy.*

There was a time I would never had imagined I could love a place as much as 'home', but after ten years in Corrigin with Tim, I can't imagine living, working or raising our children anywhere but here.

Wishing everyone a safe and happy harvest and holiday season.

*Shannon*

Cr **SHANNON HARDINGHAM**

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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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Loading top soil for removal at Bulyee Road



Laying pipes at Bilbarin Quairading Road

## Roadworks in progress around the Corrigin Shire

The Shire of Corrigin's extensive 2016 / 2017 Capital Road program is well underway, with roadworks currently in progress at the following locations:

- **BULYEE ROAD**  
*Reconstruct, widen and seal (5kms)*
- **BILBARIN QUAIRADING ROAD**  
*Widen shoulders (4.5kms)*

Additional 'Roads 2 Recovery' federal funding was announced last year, with Council receiving an additional \$975,923 over 2015/16 and 2016/17. This funding will be invested in our rural roads, including re-sheeting, widening shoulders and other identified upgrades.



Grading up top soil for removal at Bulyee Road for realignment



Preparing for culvert installation at Bilbarin Quairading Road



# 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	6am - 8am	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	6am - 8am	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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# Council News

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



### Stevenson Scholarship for Further Education APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

The Stevenson Scholarship was established by the late Edna Stevenson (a former resident of the Shire of Corrigin) to promote and advance the education of the residents of the Shire of Corrigin. Stevenson Scholarships are administered by the Trustees of the Edna Stevenson Trust.

#### Eligibility

Stevenson Scholarships are available to students who are residents of the Shire of Corrigin and/or whose parents or guardians are not able to provide sufficient financial assistance for the student to achieve a tertiary education.

#### Resident Status

Residents are defined as:

- (a) A person residing in the Shire of Corrigin at the time of applying for the Stevenson Scholarship.
- (b) A former resident of the Shire of Corrigin (of not more than two years absence) who was a student at a school in the Shire of Corrigin for at least three years whose immediate family resides in Corrigin.

#### Student Status

Students must be enrolled in and attending any of the following:

- (a) Corrigin District High School
- (b) Any government run senior high school in Western Australia
- (c) An agricultural high school or college in Western Australia

- (d) A TAFE college in Western Australia
- (e) A university in Western Australia

#### Scholarships

Scholarships provide financial assistance to help cover the costs of text books, enrolment fees and course fees at approved educational institutions. The following amounts are indicative only, lesser or greater amounts may be awarded depending on the course of study and financial need:

- Secondary Study up to \$2,000
  - Tertiary Study up to \$5,000
- Scholarships are awarded for one year periods. Scholarship recipients may apply for further scholarships on a year by year basis.

#### Application Forms and Closing Date

Application Forms are available from the Shire of Corrigin office, 9 Lynch Street, Corrigin. Phone: 9063 2203 or Email: [shire@corrigin.wa.gov.au](mailto:shire@corrigin.wa.gov.au)

Preferred submission of Applications, before 31 January 2017. Late submissions contact the Shire office.



# Say HELLO to...



**Greg Tomlinson**  
*(Tomo)*  
**MANAGER WORKS & SERVICES**

**WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE PEOPLE TO KNOW ABOUT YOU?**

I was born and grew up in Bruce Rock. After school I worked as an Apprentice Butcher at the Bruce Rock Co-Op. I've also worked for CBH for 11 years as an RPO/Senior Operator. I joined the Corrigin Shire in 1983 as a Road Patcher and over the last 33 years have worked in most positions and roles within the outside crew. I'm married to my wonderful wife Lee and we have 2 beautiful children, Rachelle and Shaughn and 4 grandchildren.

**DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 3 WORDS?**

Easy-going, comedian.

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

I enjoy playing bowls, gardening, watching sports and spending time with family.

**WHAT CAN'T YOU LIVE WITHOUT?**

My wife Lee (*my rock*) and family.



**Heather Ives**  
**CRC COORDINATOR**

**WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE PEOPLE TO KNOW ABOUT YOU?**

I was born in the UK but grew up on Sydney's northern beaches. After school I studied Graphic Design, then started work, gaining experience within the Advertising industry. In my 20's I lived in London and worked at a Design Studio, when I met my husband, Steve.

I've travelled extensively and enjoy learning about different countries and cultures. After working as an Art Director for 15 years in Sydney, it was time for a change. In 1996 we moved to WA, to be closer to family and 'temporarily' rented a house in Corrigin (with an outside loo)! I started working at the Corrigin CRC (formerly Telecentre) in 2004 and 12 years on, I'm still here!

**DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 3 WORDS?**

Friendly, creative, practical.

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

Movies, gardening, travelling, cooking, horse-riding, markets, photography and having a good laugh with friends!

**WHAT CAN'T YOU LIVE WITHOUT?**

My menagerie, an air-conditioner through Corrigin summers and Post-it Notes (at work)



**John Reynolds**  
**WASTE TRANSFER STATION / CARAVAN PARK MANAGER**

**WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE PEOPLE TO KNOW ABOUT YOU?**

I grew up in Perth and worked for Centro Properties as an Operations Manager for many years, being a registered Builder by trade. In 2005 my wife Gwen and I moved to Corrigin to 'slow down a bit' and to take over the lease of the Caravan Park. I started working for the Shire 11 years ago, as the "Tip Manager" (now known as the Waste Transfer Station) and over this time I have seen many improvements for the better.

**DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN 3 WORDS?**

Happy go lucky!

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

I'm an avid reader of books, enjoy gardening and just relaxing.

**WHAT CAN'T YOU LIVE WITHOUT?**

My wife and my dogs.



# DATES TO REMEMBER

*1 Nov-1 Mar*

**No Burning Permitted**

*15 Nov*

**Council Meeting  
3.00pm @ Shire**

*21 Nov*

**Tidy Town Meeting  
7.00pm @ CWA**

*22 Nov*

**Practical Driving Assessment**

**SAVE THE DATE**

*16 Dec*

**End of Year Street Party**

## NOTICE BOARD

### HARVEST / MOVEMENT OF VEHICLES BAN

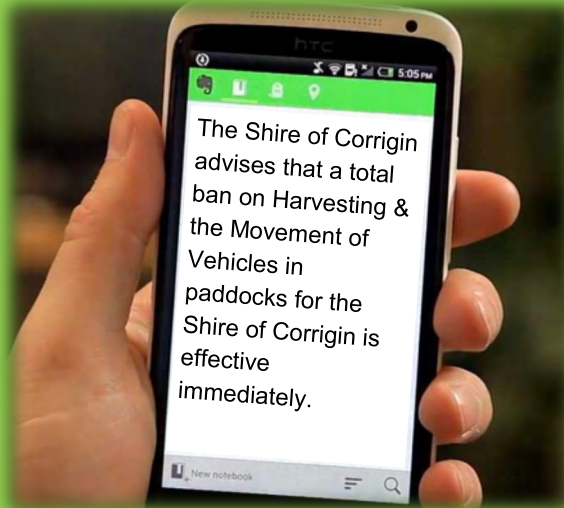
#### Text Messaging Service

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](mailto: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**

### 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.

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