SHIRE OF CORRIGIN

Corrigin Community Resource Centre

Newsletter



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OCTOBER COUNCIL DECISIONS

BUSINESS ASSISTANCE GRANT
Corrigin Pharmacy was awarded a $2,000 grant through the Shire's Business Assistance Grant Program to assist with new external signage at its Campbell Street premises. The upgrade will enhance the appearance of the business and contribute to the presentation of Corrigin's main street.

BUSINESS CONTINUITY AND INCIDENT RESPONSE
Council has adopted the Shire's updated Incident Management and Business Continuity plans. These documents provide a clear framework for responding to incidents, maintaining essential services and supporting the recovery of operations following disruptions.

PROPOSED CHANGE TO CLASS A RESERVE
Council has advised it has no objection to additional land being added to the Kurrenkutten Nature Reserve for conservation purposes. Council also noted access and fencing considerations and will provide these comments to the relevant State Government agencies.



WA LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANTS COMMISSION
Ever wondered why rates go up, why some Councils receive more government funding than others, or how grant money is allocated across WA?

The WA Local Government Grants Commission Public Hearing is coming to Corrigin Friday 27 November 2026.

This is your opportunity to hear directly from the Commission about how Financial Assistance Grants are calculated and ask questions about Local Government funding.

The Commission makes annual recommendations to the State Minister for Local Government on the allocation of Financial Assistance Grants to local governments in WA.

All community members are welcome to attend.

Friday 27 November 2026
8.30am - 10.30am
Shire of Corrigin Administration Office



2026 COUNCIL MEETING

The final Council meeting for 2026 will be held at 4.00pm on 15 December in the Council Chambers, 9 Lynch Street, Corrigin.

2026 AUDIT, RISK & IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

The final Audit, Risk & Improvement Committee Meeting for 2026 will be held at 6.00pm on 8 December in the Council Chambers, 9 Lynch Street, Corrigin.

Members of the public are welcome to attend both Council Meetings and Audit, Risk & Improvement Committee Meetings.



COFFEE WITH COUNCIL

Everyone is welcome to pop in for a chat at Mallee Tree Café from 10:00am to 11:30am on Tuesday, 1 December 2026. It's a great opportunity to ask questions, share your thoughts and connect with the Shire team.

We'd love to see you there!

SHIRE UPDATES



WORKS UPDATE

Road reconstruction and widening works have been completed on Wickepin-Corrigin Road, with crews now working on reconstructing Corrigin South Road between Dilling Road and Connelly Road. Pothole and edge repairs have been carried out on several roads, including emergency repairs following a grain truck rollover on the Rabbit Proof Fence Road.

Maintenance grading has continued on a number of roads, including Kunjin South Road, Talbot-Clark Road and Dilling Road. Verge mulching is ongoing on Corrigin-Quairading Road and culvert cleaning has been completed on Corrigin South Road.

We understand roadworks during harvest can be frustrating. To take advantage of dry conditions, contractor availability and grant funding deadlines, these works are being completed now.

We will keep the road open wherever possible and maintain safe truck access. Thank you for your patience and cooperation while these important upgrades are completed over the coming weeks.

The Town Crew has continued maintenance across the town, including verti mowing, topdressing and fertilising the oval, weed spraying, slashing, whipper snippering, reticulation repairs, watering and raking.

The team also assisted with traffic management and clean-up operations following a truck rollover on Rabbit Proof Fence Road and the removal of a hazardous tree on Kunjin Street.



COMMUNITY BINGO

Following the success of last year's Intergenerational Bingo during Seniors Week, the CRC hosted a Community Bingo event on Monday 16 November.

It was fantastic to see so many community members come along and join in the fun. Congratulations to the lucky winners and thank you to everyone who participated and helped make the event such a success.

A special thank you to the Corrigin Hospital team for providing a wonderful morning tea, which was enjoyed by all attendees.



ANNUAL AUDIT

The Finance and Administration team has finalised the audit and annual financial statements on schedule. The Annual Report will be presented to the Audit Committee and Council in December, and the Annual Electors Meeting will be scheduled for February 2027. Stay tuned for the meeting date.

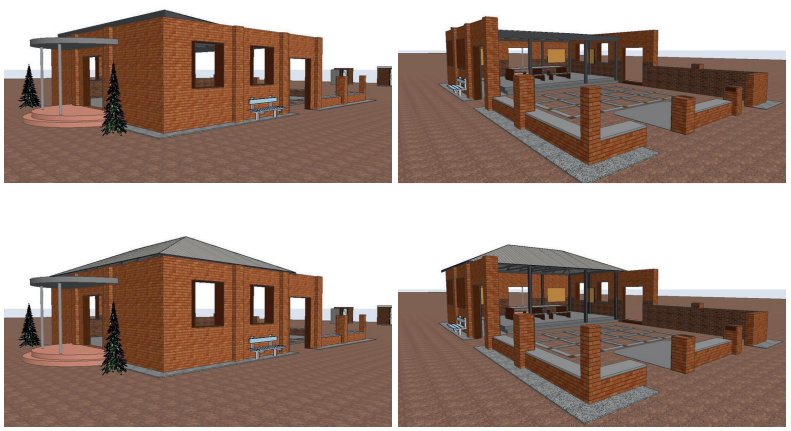
BILBARIN HALL CONCEPT PLAN: HAVE YOUR SAY

The Shire is seeking community feedback on the revised concept plan for Bilbarin Hall following the previous workshop.

We encourage community members to take a look at the plans and share your thoughts. Your feedback will help inform the future development of the hall.

A printed copy of the concept plan is available for viewing at the Shire office, where comments can also be submitted.

To receive an electronic copy, please contact the Shire on 08 9063 2203 or email ao@corrigin.wa.gov.au



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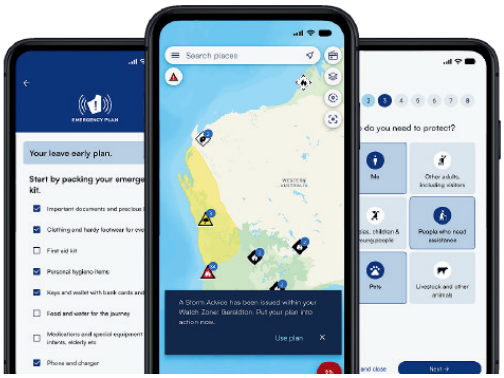


EMERGENCY WA

Prepare for a bushfire now and keep yourself and your household safe by creating your emergency plan.

The emergency planning tool within Emergency WA provides you with one place to prepare, store, print, share and update your emergency plan any time, from any device.

Creating an emergency plan in the app and attaching it to your watch zone means you'll be instantly notified when disaster strikes. Emergency WA will deliver your plan back to you, cutting out indecision when it matters most.

Bushfire safety starts with preparation, but everyone can also play a role in prevention.

Seen something? Know something? Say something.

If you observe any suspicious behaviour, call 000 immediately. If you suspect someone of arson or fire lighting, make a report online or call Crime Stoppers on 1800 333 000. All information received is treated in the strictest confidence.



HARVEST AND MOVEMENT OF VEHICLE BANS

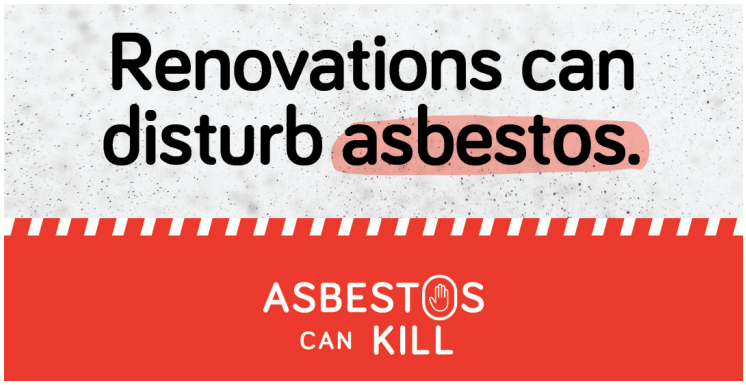
A Harvest and Movement of Vehicle Ban includes harvesting and the movement of vehicles in paddocks, except vehicles carrying water to stock.

Harvest and Movement of Vehicle Bans are imposed during periods of high fire risk. An automatic ban applies on Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New Year's Day, and when a fire is active within the Shire.

It is the responsibility of individuals to ensure they are aware when a Harvest and Vehicle Movement Ban is in place. Undertaking prohibited activities during a ban may result in prosecution.

To receive Harvest Ban SMS alerts, email shire@corrigin.wa.gov.au with your name and mobile number, or contact the Shire office on 9063 2203.

No longer need updates? Contact the Shire by phone or email to have your details removed from the SMS alert database.



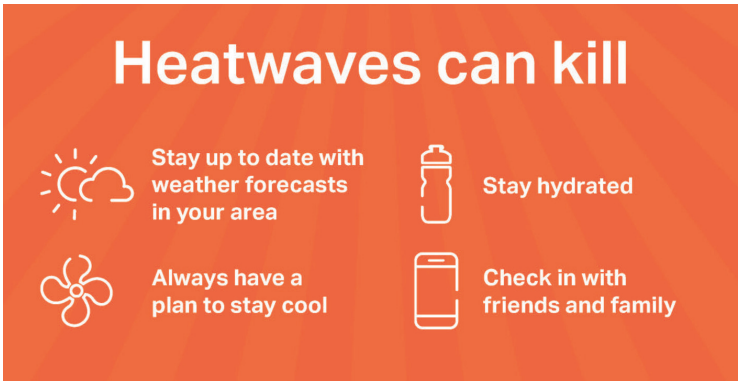
ASBESTOS AWARENESS

Asbestos Awareness Week runs from 23 to 29 November. Many older homes, sheds and buildings across the Wheatbelt, including Corrigin, may still contain asbestos in materials such as roofing, fencing and weatherboards.

Although asbestos was fully banned in Australia in 2003, it remains present in many older properties. Before starting any renovations, repairs or maintenance work, have suspected materials tested by a licensed asbestos professional or assume they contain asbestos and take appropriate precautions.

If the asbestos material is in good condition do not disturb or damage it.
If it is broken, weathered or if any renovation or maintenance work is likely to disturb or damage the asbestos, seek professional help to remove it.

Always check for asbestos before starting work. The cost of professional removal is often far less than the potential health risks of disturbing asbestos.



BEAT THE HEAT THIS SUMMER

With warmer weather on the way, it's important to take steps to prevent dehydration, heat stress and heat stroke. Extreme heat can affect anyone, especially young children, older adults, pregnant women and people with existing health conditions.

Stay hydrated, keep cool, and avoid strenuous activities during the hottest part of the day. Know the warning signs of heat-related illness and remember that heat stroke is a medical emergency.

If someone becomes seriously unwell in hot weather, call 000 immediately. Looking out for family, friends and neighbours can help keep our community safe during the summer months.

CORRIGIN
CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

Citizen of the Year
Youth Citizen of the Year
Senior Citizen of the Year
Community Group of the Year

Nominations Close 4 Dec 2026
Awards presented at Australia Day Breakfast

Nomination Packs Available:
www.corrigin.wa.gov.au
Shire Administration Office
Community Resource Centre



SHIRE OF CORRIGIN

Enquiries:
admin@corrigin.wa.gov.au
08 9063 2778



LITTLE GINGERBREAD BUILDERS

THURSDAY 10 DECEMBER 2026
3.30PM-4.30PM | CORRIGIN CRC

$20

Roll, cut and bake your very own gingerbread house, then decorate it to take home!
Children under 7 must be supervised by a parent or guardian
Afternoon tea provided

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL BY 3 DECEMBER
WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/DRLEI
IN PERSON AT THE CRC | 9063 2778
ADMIN@CORRIGIN.WA.GOV.AU

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JOIN US AT THE

2026 Corrigin Park Party

FRIDAY 18 DECEMBER

5PM-8.30PM

CORRIGIN RECREATION AND EVENTS CENTRE

LIVE MUSIC | FACE PAINTING

FOOD STALLS | AMUSEMENTS

SANTA VISIT & ENTERTAINMENT

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COLLGAR RENEWABLES

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DECK THE CUPCAKES

22 DECEMBER 2026
6PM | CORRIGIN CRC

LEARN HOW TO PIPE AND DECORATE
CHRISTMAS-THEMED CUPCAKES
WITH JESS FROM APPELBEE CATERING

$75 PER PERSON

INCLUDES

12 CUPCAKES IN A CARRY BOX
DECORATING SUPPLIES
NIBBLES

BYO DRINKS

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL BY 8 DECEMBER
WWW.TRYBOOKING.COM/DRKDB
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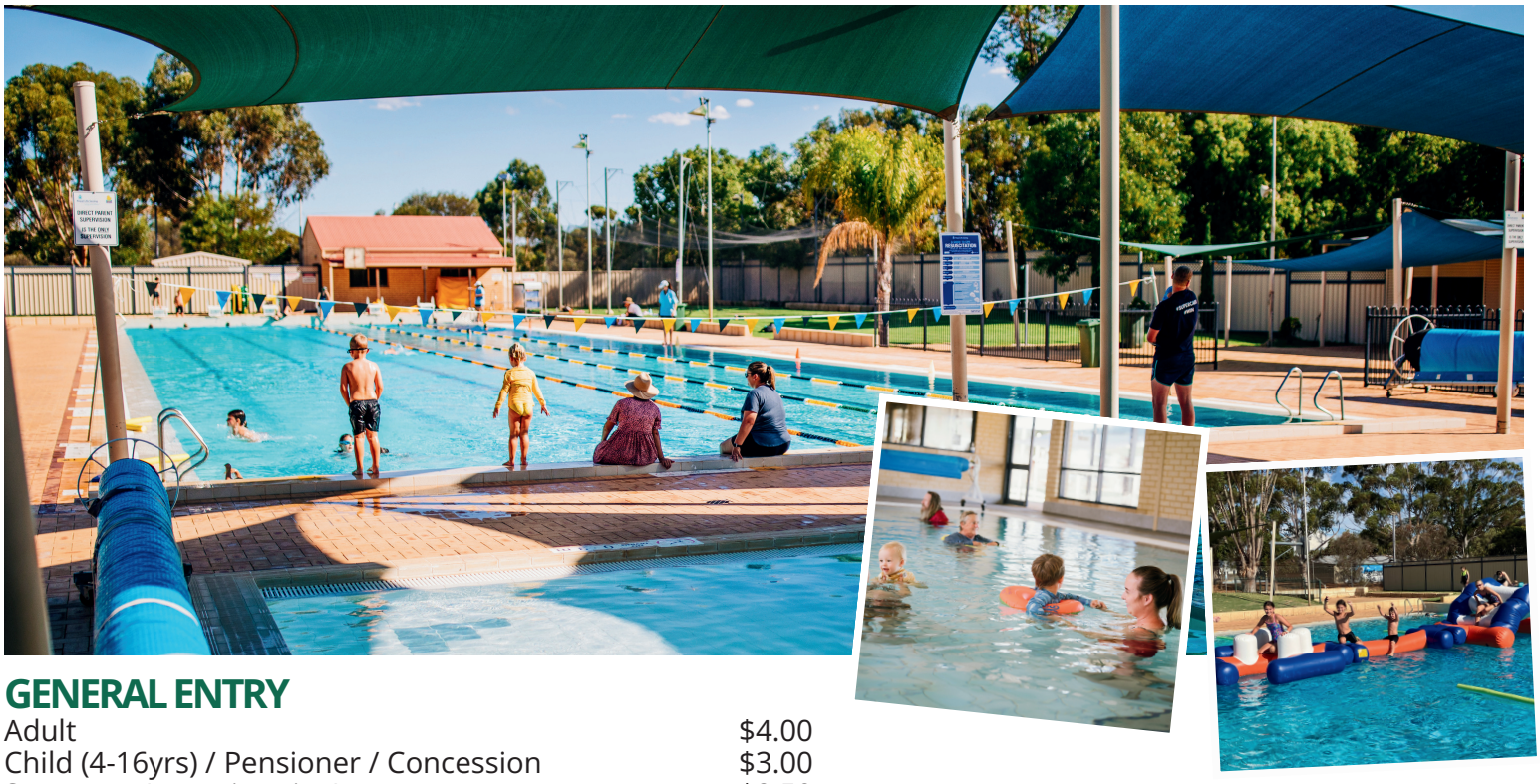
SUMMER POOL SEASON



GENERAL ENTRY

Adult	$4.00
Child (4-16yrs) / Pensioner / Concession	$3.00
Spectator (no swimming)	$2.50
Under 3 years	FREE
Carer (accompanying)	FREE

BULK 10 PASS

Adult Bulk Pass	$30.00
Child (4-16yrs) / Pensioner / Concession	$22.50
Spectator (no swimming)	$15.00

SEASON PASSES

Family (4 people)	$250.00
Family Concession (4 people)	$187.50
Family (5 or more people)	$300.00
Family Concession (5 or more people)	$225.00
Adult	$110.00
Child (4-16yrs) / Pensioner / Concession	$ 82.50

AQUA AEROBICS

Tuesdays and Thursdays 5.45pm - 6.30pm

Per class	$ 15.00
Per class - Concession	$ 11.25
10 classes	$140.00
10 classes - Concession	$105.00

SUMMER POOL HOURS

	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	6am-12pm	3pm-6pm
Tuesday	6am-12pm	3pm-6pm
Wednesday	6am-12pm	3pm-6pm
Thursday	6am-12pm	3pm-6pm
Friday	6am-12pm	3pm-6pm
Saturday	CLOSED	2pm-6pm
Sunday	CLOSED	2pm-6pm

Opening hours may vary depending on weather conditions and private bookings.

For the latest pool updates, follow the Shire of Corrigin Facebook page or call the Shire Office on 9063 2203.

KIDSPORT

We are once again participating in the State Government's KidSport Regional Pools program, which gives eligible young children and young people a three month pool pass to the Corrigin Swimming Pool!
To be eligible, the customer must be named on either their parent or guardians, or hold their own, Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card.
To apply for a free pass, see the friendly team at the Shire Administration Office from Tuesday December 1.
For more information, visit www.cits.wa.gov.au

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

To be eligible for a concession, you must hold a valid Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card.

EFTPOS is available at the pool for entry fees, bulk passes and season passes.

Season pass prices are halved from 15 January 2027.

For heated pool fees, visit www.corrigin.wa.gov.au

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DATES TO REMEMBER

25 November
Practical Driving Assessments

1 December
Coffee with Council 10am

4 December
Nominations close for Citizen of the Year Awards

8 December
Movie Club 7pm

15 December
Ordinary Council Meeting 4pm

10 December
Little Gingerbread Builders 3.30pm @ CRC

18 December
Corrigin Park Party 5pm @CREC

22 December
Deck the Cupcakes 6pm @ CRC

23 December
Practical Driving Assessments

26 January
Australia Day Breakfast from 7.30am @ CREC











OPENING HOURS

Administration Office & CRC

Monday	8.30am - 4.30pm
Tuesday	8.30am - 4.30pm
Wednesday	8.30am - 4.30pm
Thursday	8.30am - 4.30pm
Friday	8.30am - 4.30pm (closed 12.30pm - 1.30pm)

A friendly reminder that licensing services are available Monday to Friday, 8.30am to 4.00pm.

Waste Transfer Station

Monday	10.00am - 2.00pm
Wednesday	10.00am - 2.00pm
Friday	10.00am - 3.00pm
Saturday	10.00am - 3.00pm
Sunday	9.00am - 12.00pm