



# Newsletter



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### FROM THE CEO

### **SHIRE TEAM**

The administration team enjoyed a lovely morning tea to wish Emily well as she prepares for the arrival of her new baby.

Welcome to Curtis Tomic to the outside team as a General Hand/ Plant Operator.

The Shire has recently welcomed Jaiden and Ethan to our team as part of their school work experience program. We hope they enjoy learning more about the services the shire provides to the community and gain an understanding of the variety of staff roles.

#### GYM UPDATE

Plans for the gym are moving ahead in preparation for opening in the next few months. The building has been prepared and a request for quote has been sent out to a range of equipment providers.

Expressions of interest closed last week and a new lease agreement is expected to be finalised with the successful applicant in the next few weeks.

### PLANNED RISK REDUCTION BURNING

Thank you to the Corrigin Volunteer Fire and Rescue and volunteer Bush Fire Brigades for their help with prescribed burn at the golf club and rifle range. The reserve near the shire depot is still to be done after Easter.

These planned burns will reduce the fuel load and make the town much safer for the next fire season. Follow up weed spraying is to be done in winter.

### **FIRE PERMITS**

A permit is required for ANY burning during the restricted period up until 15 April 2024. Permits can be obtained by contacting your local Fire Control Officer. Details can be found on the Shire of Corrigin website or the notice sent out with rates.

Burning is not permitted on Good Friday and Easter Sunday.

Stay up to date with latest fire danger index and warnings at www.emergencywa.gov.au

### **NEW PHOTO COLLAGE**

Well done to the Historical Society for their work in organising the new photo collage at the CWA gazebo recognising the immigrants from Europe who came to the Corrigin area after WWII. Many of the people who arrived in Corrigin as part of the Displaced Persons Program worked on government projects and made a significant contribution to the development of Corrigin.

The Shire was happy to support this project and Mr Brian Parsons would have been very proud to see the photo board completed.

### **OUT ON THE ROADS**

The outside team have been busy finishing the capital works program and general road maintenance.

The contractors have been out on the Corrigin South Road verge clearing and the reseal program has been completed.

After numerous delays, the Babakin Corrigin Road widening and floodway upgrade is almost complete.

### **Natalie Manton**

Shire of Corrigin Chief Executive Officer



### MARCH 2024 COUNCIL DECISIONS

## AUDIT AND RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING RECOMMENDATIONS

The Shire has completed the annual Compliance Audit Return, ensuring essential compliance actions are undertaken. Council endorsed the completed checklist for the 2023 calendar year.

## BUSHFIRE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING RECOMMENDATIONS

Council adopted the recommendations from the Bush Fire Advisory Committee including the election of key roles such as Chief Fire Control Officer, Deputy Chief Fire Control Officer, and various officers for the 2024/2025 season. Council also endorsed the 2024/2025 Firebreak Order

### PROPOSED LOCAL LAW - BUSH FIRE BRIGADES

Council adopted the draft Bush Fire Local Law and will now proceed with public notice advertising the local law and inviting community feedback. Council will review the results after the advertisement period.

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO DRAIN - RENDELL

Council has no objections regarding an intent to drain Lot 46 on Corrigin-Kondinin Road.

### **COMMUNITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES MANAGER MOU**

Council endorsed the three-year Community and Emergency Services Manager Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Fire and Emergency Services and the Shires of Corrigin, Brookton, and Pingelly. This agreement mirrors the terms of the previous three years.

## Local Government Act 1995 Shire of Corrigin Proposed Bush Fire Brigades Local Law

The Shire of Corrigin proposes to make a local law relating to bush fire brigades in the district.

The purpose of this local law is to provide a statutory means of effectively governing the operations of bush fire brigades within the Shire of Corrigin.

The effect of this local law is to allow bush fire brigades to be sufficiently governed so as to provide an acceptable standard for the operations of bush fire brigades within the community.

A copy of the proposed local law may be inspected at or obtained from the Shire's office at 9 Lynch Street, Corrigin between 8.30am and 4.30pm, Monday to Friday, on the Shire website <a href="www.corrign.wa.gov.au">www.corrign.wa.gov.au</a> or at the Corrigin public library/Community Resource Centre during normal opening hours.

Submissions about the proposed local law may be made to the Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Corrigin, PO Box 221, Corrigin WA 6375 or email: <a href="mailto:shire@corrigin.wa.gov.au">shire@corrigin.wa.gov.au</a> by Wednesday 15 May 2024.

Natalie Manton Chief Executive Officer

### NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given in accordance with section 3.58(3) of the Local Government Act 1995 that the Shire of Corrigin proposes to dispose of the property at 17 Hill Street by way of a lease to Ms Kelly Roberts for \$1,000 per annum with a discount of 50% for the first year to establish a new community gymnasium. The period of the lease is three years with an option of a further three years. The market rental value of the property is \$5,160 (GST Exclusive)

Written submissions are invited and will be received up until 4.00pm Monday 17 April 2024 and must be addressed to:

Chief Executive Officer Shire of Corrigin PO Box 221 CORRIGIN WA 6375 ceo@corrigin.wa.gov.au

## FROM THE SHIRE

## WHEATBELT MEDICAL SCHOOL IMMERSION PROGRAM

Corrigin once again hosted medical students from Curtin University for the annual Wheatbelt Medical School Immersion trip facilitated by Rural Health West.

They had a fantastic time visiting our community and engaging themselves in community life. They had a very busy week visiting Dr Raj and the Corrigin Hospital, holding a 'Teddy Bear Hospital' at the School, visiting Adam Rendell's farm and St John Ambulance volunteers, playing a game of mixed netball, joining our Arts Club as well as games with the Kelpies all giving an insight into what rural life and working as a doctor rurally has to offer.

As always it is a testament to the Corrigin community for being so welcoming, particularly those that host the students and the community groups and volunteers that provide the fun opportunities for the students whilst they are here.

### NOM FOODBANK COOKING CLASSES

Earlier this month the Corrigin CRC hosted two Nom Foodbank workshops. Participants learnt about healthy and affordable food options and creating nutritious meals, before cooking some delicious dishes to be shared as a group.

## SENIORS ACTIVITY AND INFORMATION DAY

A BIG thank you to the Seniors Recreation Council of WA for coming out to Corrigin and facilitating this free event. We had over 40 attendees and some wonderful static displays from local businesses and groups supporting the day. Thank you to everyone who attended we hope you had a wonderful day.



For the latest updates and news LIKE our **Shire of Corrigin** Facebook page

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## CORRIGIN POOL

## WINTER 2024

## INDOOR HEATED POOL ENTRY

Adult	\$7.00
Adult Concession	\$5.25
Child (0-4yrs)	\$3.50
Child (4-16yrs) / Student	\$5.00
Child (4-16yrs) / Student Con.	\$3.75
Bulk Pass (10 visits)	\$60
Bulk Pass (10 visits) Con.	\$45
Carer	FREE

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL CALL OR MESSAGE KYLA ON 0400 467 904 TO SECURE YOUR PLACE.

## PLEASE BE ADVISED OF THE FOLLOWING CHANGES TO POOL HOURS

Monday 1 April	CLOSED(Easter Monday)
Saturday 6 April	CLOSED(Corrigin Triathlon)

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**HEATED POOL OPEN 6AM-12AM** 

## CRICUT WORKSHOP

Get to know your Cricut machine and learn the basics about Cricut design space, accessories and consumables.



Call the CRC on 9063 2778 or email csolibrary@corrigin.wa.gov.au to register.



Made with Posts

Message us to register for the Music Workshops at facebook.com/BennyMayhem instagram.com/BennyMayhem

THIS IS AN ALCOHOL FREE EVENT

# STEVENSON SCHOLARSHIP FOR FURTHER EDUCATION

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, whose parents or guardians are not able to provide sufficient financial assistance for the student to achieve further education.



### **RESIDENT STATUS**

Applicants must be either.

- (a) a resident of 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 five years absence or such longer absence permitted in the Trustees' discretion where due to: (i) the former resident undertaking education outside of the Shire of Corrigin; or (ii) any other reason permitted in the Trustees' discretion) who was a student at the Corrigin District High School for at least three years of secondary education and whose immediate family resides in the Shire of 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) A recognised Australian tertiary or higher education institution



### **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 \$5,000
- · 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 Dates**

Applications will be accepted at any time during the year for consideration by the Trustees.

The trustees will meet on the 13 May 2024, 12 August 2024 and 11 November 2024

Applications need to be submitted at least one (1) week prior to the meeting date to be considered within the agenda of that meeting. Late applications will be considered at the next meeting.

Application forms can be found on the Shire website.

Further information is available from the Shire of Corrigin, 9 Lynch Street, Corrigin. Phone: 9063 2203 or Email eso@corrigin.wa.gov.au



Tuesday 2: Inflatable fun @ the pool

Wednesday 3: Wish (Movie)

Thursday 4: Make your own Volcano

Tuesday 9: Leo (Movie)

Thursday 11: Amazing Race

Sunday 14: Music Workshop

Contact the Corrigin CRC for more information on 9063 2778 or checkout the Shire of Corrigin Facebook Page.



# ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE

THURSDAY 25 APRIL 2024

5.45AM ANZAC MEMORIAL,

RSL LOOKOUT MCANDREW AVE,

## CORRIGIN

Join the Corrigin Community in the ANZAC spirit, by attending the Corrigin Dawn Service.

Bring along a travel mug and enjoy a hot tea or coffee and a homemade ANZAC biscuit after the ceremony has concluded.

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old; Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning.

We will remember them.



## **DATES TO REMEMBER**

### 1 April

Community Assistance Program Applications Close

### 2 April

School holiday activity - Pool Inflatable 2pm-4pm

### 3 April

CRC School holiday activity - Movie

### 4 Apri

CRC School holiday activity - Volcanos

### 6 April

Corrigin Triathlor

### 9 Apri

CRC School holiday activity - Movie

### 11 April

CRC School holiday - The Amazing Race

### 13 - 16 April

Heavy Vehicle Truck Training

#### 14 April

Monster Music Truck @ APEX Park

### 25 April

ANZAC Dav Dawn Service 5.45am @ RSL Lookout

CORRIGIN SHIRE AND 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)		

CORRIGIN 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		

### Shire of Corrigin

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