



Newsletter



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CEO's Corner

Annual Report 2021-22

After many delays we were pleased to finalise the Annual Report and preparation is underway for the annual electors meeting to be held after the May Council meeting. There were numerous challenges in completing the 2021-22 report but we were glad to receive an unqualified audit report once again. Thank you to Kylie and the finance team for all their hard work.

The ink on the Annual Report will barely be dry when the auditors arrive next week to start the interim audit. The team are back on track this year and we are looking forward to the simplified annual reporting requirements as part of the recent local government reforms.

ANZAC Dav

It was perfect Autumn weather for the ANZAC service and a large crowd gathering for the dawn service at the War Memorial this week.

Thank you to all who were involved in the service and especially Emily and Regan for

setting up so early and organising the music.

Staff Changes

This month we welcomed Terry Barron to the role of Manager of Works and Services following the departure of Phil Burgess. Terry has been a loyal employee over the past 15 years and is well qualified for the role having acted in the job many times in the past.

Nick Darke has taken on the role of Acting Leading Hand Roads to fill the vacancy left by Terry and will oversee the road program.

Steve Comito has joined the administration team as Customer Service Officer and Jarrad has moved across to the Executive Support Officer role. Both seem to be learning very fast and are a great asset to the team.

After a busy week the administration team take a break on Fridays for lunch break and staff meeting. There was strong competition in our Finska game with Karen and Steve winning last week's round.

Council Elections

Local government ordinary elections are held every two years and the next election will be held on Saturday 21 October 2023 across Western Australia.

Local government councillors make many important decisions about the future of your community and we need to have a range of views represented on Council. You can get involved and contribute to the future of your shire by nominating for Council and making decisions about the services to the community such as: recreation buildings; parks and ovals; roads and footpaths; local planning and

development and waste management.

Councillors are elected for four year terms, with half of the Councillors' terms concluding at each biennial election. The Shire of Corrigin has seven Councillors and there are four vacancies in 2023

Meetings are currently held on the third Tuesday of the month at 3pm but the meeting date and time can be changed to suit the majority of Councillors.

Local governments review and update the Owner and Occupier's Roll for their district ahead of the election. If you would like to nominate for Council or vote in the election and are not sure if you are eligible please contact the Shire of Corrigin to check.

Nominations for the October elections open on 2 September and close at 4:00pm on 9 September 2023.

Candidates who are elected in 2023 must complete the Council Member Essentials training within 12 months.

Natalie Manton

Shire of Corrigin Chief Executive Officer

APRIL 2023 COUNCIL DECISIONS

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION – PROPOSED NEW DOMESTIC OUTBUILDING

A development application for a new outbuilding, lean-to structure, water tank and retaining wall on Kunjin Street was granted conditional approval.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATION – PROPOSED NEW FAMILY DAY CARE FACILITY

A development application to establish and operate a family day care facility on Murphy Street was granted conditional approval.

PURCHASE OF COMMUNITY BUS

Council accepted a quote submitted by Fuso Truck and Bus, authorised the Chief Executive officer to proceed with the purchase of the 2023 Rosa Standard 25 seater bus.

PROPERTY SEIZURE AND SALE

Council agreed to the sale of a property on Seimons Avenue due to rates outstanding for 3 or more years in accordance with *Local Government Act* 1995.

ANNUAL REPORT AND ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS AT 30 JUNE 2022

Council accepted the Annual Report and the audited Financial Statements, auditors report and management report for the 2021/2022 financial year. The annual report is available on the Shire website www.corrigin.wa.gov.au or from the administration office.

Council resolved to hold the Annual General Meeting of Electors on Tuesday 16 May 2023 in the Council Chambers commencing at 6pm to discuss the 2021/2022 Annual Report.

2022/2023 BUDGET REVIEW

At a Special Meeting of Council held on 26 April 2023, Council adopted the 2022/2023 Budget Review in accordance with Regulation 33a of the *Local Government (Financial Management) Regulations* 1996.

PURCHASE AND DISPOSAL OF ONE NEW WHEEL LOADER

At a Special Meeting of Council held on 26 April 2023, Council reviewed submissions received for the purchase of a new loader. The submission from CJD Equipment was accepted as the best option for the Shire and authorised the Chief Executive Officer to purchase a Volvo L90F. Council also authorised the Chief Executive Officer to reject the offer from CJD for the trade of the 2014 Volvo L90F Loader and proceed to auction the existing machine.



18 April
16 May
20 June
18 July
15 August
19 September
17 October
21November
19 December

Council meets on the third Tuesday of the month, except January. Meetings commence at 3pm in Chambers and interested members of the public are welcome to attend.

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FROM THE SHIRE

ANZAC DAY CEREMONY

A big crowd braved the cold morning to join us for our ANZAC Day Dawn Service the morning of 25 April 2023, to pay our respects to our service men and women.

Thank you to the community members who put together a great service and thanks to the school for the yummy ANZAC biscuits.

THANK A VOLUNTEER BREAKFAST

An enjoyable breakfast was had on the morning of 18 April 2023 by local volunteers and the wonderful people from Blaze Aid, who attended the "Thank A Volunteer" Event. This town would not be such a great place to live without the efforts of our many volunteers. For all the volunteers that couldn't make it this morning, a big thank you to you too.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS PROGRAM

The Corrigin Community Resource Centre hosted a fun-filled school holiday program between 11—21 April 2023. The program included movies, story time in the library, decorating glider planes and baking ANZAC biscuits. These activities were well attended by very excited and enthusiastic school children. We wish all the children a happy return to Term Two.

BLAZE AID PROGRESS

The following are words from Blaze Aid Camp Co-ordinators, Broni and Rob Edwards, in regards to their progress:

"We commenced fencing on 11 April 2023 with only a small number of volunteers. These volunteers have come from all over Australia; Queensland, New South Wales, South Australia, and Western Australia.

As of Sunday 23 April 2023 we have:

- Cleared approximately 6.2km
- · Fenced just over 22km

Your community has been wonderful in supplying a steady flow of evening meals, deserts, cakes, slices, biscuits, and eggs.

Rob and I will be leaving on Sunday 30 April 2023 heading home to South Australia however, we will leave the camp in the experienced hands of Rhonda and Kevin Pilgrim.

We wish to sincerely thank the Shire, Community, and Service groups for their support over the past couple of weeks."



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

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PATS process and forms have changed

(Patient Assisted Travel Scheme)

Your GP no longer needs to sign your PATS application form

What is the new process?

- You complete a PATS application form and include any requests for consideration outside the current guildelines.
- You submit your PATS application form in person, by post, fax or email to your local PATS office.
- Your application will be assessed internally by WACHS. Your GP may be contacted for additional information, as required to support the decision.



Ready to get started?

Contact your local PATS team or scan the QR code to visit the PATS internet page.

Wheatbelt Region 1800 728 792

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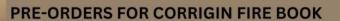
DO YOU NEED A FORKLIFT LICENCE?



The Corrigin CRC is taking **Expression's of Interest** for a forklift licence course in Corrigin.

To register for TLILIC0003 Licence to Operate a Forklift Truck please email corrigin@crc.net.au or call 9063 2778.





The photographic book, February Firestorm – Voices from the Smoke produced to collect the stories of the Corrigin Fire on Sunday February 6 2022, can be pre-ordered to ensure your copy. This is a limited-edition book, and there will only be one print run, so ensure you order earlier rather than later to avoid disappointment. To order or pay, visit the CRC at 55 Larke Crescent or call the Shire 9063 2203.





NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY

LOT 25 GRANITE RISE ESTATE

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 2 Lindsay Rise (Lot 25 Granite Rise Estate) to Euchuca Nominees Pty Ltd for \$60,000 (GST inclusive). The market value of the property as determined by Council in March 2023 is \$81,600 (GST inclusive).

Written submissions are invited and will be received up until 4.00pm Tuesday 15 May 2023 and must be addressed to:

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





UPDATING

GROUPS AND CLUBS GUIDE

The Shire of Corrigin Phonebook is compiled by the Corrigin Community Resource Centre (CRC) and the **GROUPS AND CLUBS GUIDE** (*Pink Pages*) is an important section within the Phonebook.

We rely entirely on community input to ensure correctness, so your assistance with this is appreciated.

If you have additions or changes to information about your GROUP or CLUB, please let us know.

Fill in all your Group and Club details online at www.corrigin.wa.gov.au/services/item/corrigin-phonebook

OR complete the form below and return to us before 9th Jun:

Corrigin Community Resource Centre 55 Larke Crescent (P.O. Box 221), Corrigin 6375 W.A.

Fax: 9063 2779 Email: coordinator@corrigin.wa.gov.au

Group / Club:	
Address:	
Email:	
President:	Phone:
Secretary:	Phone:
Treasurer:	Phone:
Fax:	
Description of Group / Club:	

RESIDENTIAL LISTINGS

DO YOU HAVE ANY ADDITIONS OR CHANGES? Please let us know before 9th June 2023

We are updating the Residential Listings (White Pages) in the Corrigin Phonebook.

You can enter your Residential Listing online at www.corrigin.wa.gov.au/services/item/corrigin-phonebook

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Name:	
Address:	
	Postcode:
Phone:	
Fax:	
Mobile 1 (name):	Mobile 2 (name):
Email:	
CB Number:	



BUSINESS DIRECTORY

2023-2025 PHONEBOOK

The Corrigin Community Resource Centre will now **bi-annually update** the Business Directory (Yellow Pages) in the Corrigin Phonebook. If you have started a new Business *OR* want to be included, please complete and return this form to us with payment.

BUSINESS NAME:			
BUSINESS ADDRE	SS:		
PHONE:	MOBILE:	FAX:	CB:
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	\$100 HALF PAGE		

BUSINESS ADVERTISING FOR 2 YEARS 2023-2025
Half Page OR Full Page Ads

Advertising Size: Rates for 2 years:

Half Page: 120mm W x 90mm H.....\$100.00



CORRIGIN HEATED POOL

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



WINTER SEASON 2023

OPEN MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

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CLOSED FOR ANNUAL LEAVE AND PUBLIC HOLIDAY



HEATED POOL OPEN 6AM-12AM

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL CALL OR MESSAGE KYLA ON 0491 320 482 TO SECURE YOUR PLACE!

STRICTLY NO WALKINS

DATES TO REMEMBER

11 May

HEAL Program (Additional Week)

14 May

Mother's Day

15 May

Lot 25 Granite Rise Estate written submissions close

16 May

Annual General Meeting of Electors

17 May

Corrigin Practical Driving Assessment (PDA)

TRANSPORT LICENSING HOURS			
Monday	8:30am — 4:00pm		
Tuesday	8:30am — 4:00pm		
Wednesday	8:30am — 4:00pm		
Thursday	8:30am — 4:00pm		
Friday	8:30am — 4:00pm		

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		

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