



DIARY DATES

24 November 2015

Ordinary Meeting of Council
Council Chambers at 6:45pm

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LITTLE BEES FAMILY DAY CARE - FAREWELL

It saddens us to announce that Melissa Kett, Little Bees Family Day Care Manager will be leaving us at the end of the year. Melissa joined us at the end of June this year and immediately built a fantastic rapport with all the families that use the service. Little Bees has been fully booked a majority of the last 5 months and we hope to continue its success in to 2016. If you are interested in the role, or know of anyone who may be, please see the full page advert for further information. We thank you Melissa for the great job you have done in your time here.

\$500 RATES WINNER

Congratulations to Raymond Cooper, winner of the 2015 rates incentive prize of a \$500 Bendigo Bank Savings Account. To be eligible for entry in the prize draw, rates must have been paid by the due date of 15 October 2015. Thank you to Bendigo Bank Mukinbudin Branch for sponsoring this prize.



CHANGE TO FEES & CHARGES

In accordance with Section 6.19 of the Local Government Act 1995, Council adopted the following amendment to the Schedule of Fees and Charges at its ordinary meeting held 4th November 2015.

Municipal Rates Instalments Administration Charge -\$10.00 per instalment

HARVEST BAN HOTLINE

To ensure you have up to date information regarding Harvest Bans, the Shire has three different avenues available for you to use;

SMS - if you are not registered for this service please contact the shire office on 96851202.

Harvest Ban Hotline – please note that the new message bank phone number is 9487 0671

Facebook – follow the Shire of Mt Marshall Facebook page.

CONTACT US



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BUSH FIRE UPDATE

Thank you

Once again thank you to everyone who turned out to Gavin and Jo Poole's fire on Thursday night, the fire had the potential to cause considerable damage, but the excellent response kept the damage to a minimum.

Some issues which were brought to our attention after the fire that need to be further addressed:

Two Way Radio Communications:

If you are attending a fire please switch to UHF channel 5, not the local farmers channel.

All bush fire appliances are equipped with dual use radios and should be able to communicate with all personnel on the fire ground, unfortunately this was not the case on Thursday night, possibly due to lack of knowledge by all parties.

Protective Clothing:

Unfortunately, this still appears to be an issue and people turn out to a fire in the wrong dress code. Long trousers, long sleeve shirt and boots are the minimum dress requirements if you have not been supplied with PPE by your bush fire brigade.

Use of Private Machinery:

Please be advised that the use of private earthmoving machinery at a fire must be authorised by the Officer in Charge of the fire and DFES, this will ensure that the machinery is covered by insurance in the event that it is damaged.

Alcohol:

If you have been drinking please **DO NOT** turn out to a fire.

Total Fire Bans:

Tuesday saw the first Total Fire Ban imposed by DFES, unfortunately, the weather also caused the shire to implement the first Harvest and Movement of Vehicles in Paddocks ban.

If you receive notification of Harvest Bans by SMS could you please keep your responses positive, nobody takes any pleasure in imposing a Harvest Ban.

Further Information

If you require any further information please contact the shire office, your local Bush Fire Control Officer or visit the DFES website.

Jack Walker
Regulatory Officer



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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Beacon Public Library Officer



The Shire of Mt Marshall are seeking an enthusiastic and conscientious person to fill the role of casual Library Officer who will staff our Beacon Public Library for the equivalent of one day (8 hours) each week. Remuneration for the position will be in accordance with Level 3 of the Local Government Industry Award 2010. Work days and hours will be discussed at interview and may be negotiable.

For further information and to obtain a Position Description please contact Nadine Richmond at ea@mtmarshall.wa.gov.au or 08 9685 1202.

Applications addressed to the Chief Executive Officer and marked Private and Confidential must be received before **4.00pm** on Friday 27 November 2015. They may be emailed to ea@mtmarshall.wa.gov.au, delivered to our office or arrive by post. Please address the selection criteria and provide your resume along with the names of two recent employment referees with your application.

Dirk Sellenger
Chief Executive Officer