

#### **DIARY DATES**

20 December 2022 **Recycling Collection** 

23 December 2022 Shire Office Closes at 3pm for Christmas and New Years Break

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#### 12 December 2022

#### SHIRE OFFICE CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS OPENING HOURS

The Shire Office will be closing over the Christmas and New Years Period. Please see details below:

Friday 23 December

Monday 26 December **Tuesday 27 December** Wednesday 28 December Thursday 29 December Friday 30 January

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CLOSED 9.00 - 4.00



#### HARVEST BANS OVER CHRISTMAS - NEW YEAR PERIOD

#### \*\*REMEMBER\*\*

Monday 2 January

**Tuesday 3 January** 

The Shire of Mt Marshall imposes a Harvest & Movement of Vehicles in Paddocks Ban for the following dates: 25 December 2022 - Christmas Day 26 December 2022 - Boxing Day 1 January 2023 - New Years Day





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#### BUSH FIRE ACT 1954 PROHIBITED BURNING TIME

All burning is prohibited in the Shire of Mt Marshall from **Tuesday 1 November 2022** to **Tuesday 28 February 2023**. The Restricted Burning time will then continue until Friday 31 March 2023.

Burning which may be done during the prohibited burning time:

#### Burning to Protect a Dwelling / House

Throughout the whole of the prohibited burning times, a fire break may be burnt to protect a dwelling house or other building, or a stack of produce. All the conditions of section 18 of the Bush Fires Act must be complied with including obtaining a permit for the burning. The burning may be carried out only between the hours of 4 o'clock in the afternoon and midnight of the same day as is specified in the permit, and within two plough or spade breaks of which the outer break is not more than 100 metres from the property to be protected.

#### Burning of Garden Refuse and Rubbish

The Burning of Garden Refuse Pursuant to the powers contained in section 24G (2) of the Bush Fires Act 1954, the Shire of Mt Marshall prohibits the burning of all garden refuse within its district during the Prohibited Burning Times. This prohibition applies to all persons within the Shire's district.



• The burning of garden refuse or rubbish on the ground that would otherwise be permitted under Section 24F is prohibited absolutely on all land within the district during the Prohibited Burning Period.

Garden refuse and rubbish may still be burnt at any time, day or night, in a properly constructed incinerator designed to prevent the escape of sparks or burning material.

#### WASTE COLLECTION OVER THE CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR PERIOD



Avon Waste have confirmed there will be **NO** interruption to the waste collection services over the Christmas and New Years Period.



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#### FREE RAPID ANTIGEN TESTS

With a number of COVID cases in the community at the moment, a reminder that the Shire has supplies of free RATS available for residents and ratepayers. Tests can be collected from the Shire office during business hours.



#### EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST INVITED SURPLUS LANE ROPE REEL

Expressions of Interest closing on Wednesday 21st December 2022 are invited for the outright purchase of a lane rope reel surplus to the Shire's needs. The reel holds up to  $3 \times 50$  lane ropes or  $5 \times 25m$  lane ropes.

The reel will be in a "where is as is" condition, is located at the Mt Marshall Aquatic Centre and inspections are welcome during pool opening hours.



The highest or any offer not necessarily accepted and the canvassing of Councilors or staff will disqualify. Offers can be posted to PO Box 20 Bencubbin WA 6477 or emailed to admin@mtmarshall.wa.gov.au

> John Nuttall Chief Executive Officer

#### WELCOME PEG ADAMSON - BEACON LIBRARY OFFICER

Last week saw us welcome Peg Adamson as our new Beacon Library Officer. Peg will be continuing to staff the Library on Thursday's during Beacon Central hours. Peg is excited about her new role which sees her surrounded by books - a personal passion for her. Pop in and let her know if you have a particular title you would love to read!

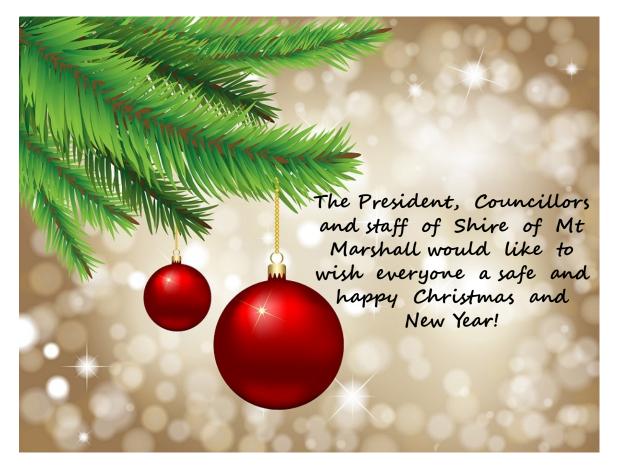


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#### WELCOME BEN MCKAY

This week we have welcomed our new CEO, Ben McKay. Ben, his wife Georgina and children have moved south from the Shire of Ashburton. We wish them all the best for their time in Mt Marshall and please give them a warm welcome if you see them out and about in the community.



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