

THE STURT PEA



*Time to start
untangling those
strands of Christmas
Lights!*

Laverton Christmas Lights Competition

FRIDAY 6 DECEMBER 2019

ENTRY FORMS ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE GREAT BEYOND
VISITORS CENTRE AND THE LAVERTON COMMUNITY
RESOURCE CENTRE

COMPLETED ENTRY FORMS ARE TO BE SUBMITTED NO
LATER THAN **WEDNESDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2019**

*It was
THE NIGHT
before
CHRISTMAS*

- Peoples Choice
- Champion of Champions
- Best Residential
- Best Business
- Highly Commended

November 2019

Emergency Numbers

After hours GP Helpline

1800 022 222

Community Health

(08) 9031 1311

Crisis Care (free call)

1800 625 800

Department of Child Protection

(08) 9088 2900

Doctor's Surgery

(08) 9031 1093

One Tree Women's Crisis Centre

(08) 9031 1899

Police, Ambulance, Fire & Rescue

000 or 112 (mobile)

Health Direct

13 23 51

Hospital

(08) 9088 2600

Horizon Power

13 23 51

Police

(08) 9088 2777

Poisons Information

13 11 26

Royal Flying Doctor Service
(emergencies only)

1800 625 800

Water Corporation

13 13 75

Accommodation

Boomers Village

(08) 9031 1135

Desert Inn Hotel

(08) 9031 1188

Laverton Caravan Park

(08) 9031 1072

Laverton Chalet/Motel

(08) 9031 1130

Oasis Serviced Apartments

0488 613 830

Building Services & Construction

Rod Hill- Painter and Decorator

0407 079 074

Café/Fast Food/Pub

Desert Deli

0498 215 116

Great Beyond Visitor Centre

(08) 9031 1361

Desert Inn

(08) 9031 1188

Children's Services

Story & Rhyme Time

(08) 9031 1800

Youth Centre - Contact Shire of
Laverton

(08) 9031 1202

Earth Works

C&A Taylor Grading

0427 819 564

Desert Sands Cartage Contractors

(08) 9031 1326

Education

Cosmo Newberry School

(08) 9037 5943

Laverton Kindergarten

(08) 9031 1020

Laverton School

(08) 9031 1020

Mt Margaret School

(08) 9037 5959

Mulga Queen School

(08) 9031 3300

Electrical and Refrigeration

AS Refrigeration

(08) 9031 1221

Powerchill

(08) 9031 1172

PWT Electricians

0438 444 962

Auto Electrical Repairs & Air
Conditioning

0408 092 332

Multiple Trades & Maintenance

9378 3395

Funeral Directors

Leonora Funerals

0408 951 186

Freight

Laverton Freight Yard

0488 717 628

Justices of the Peace

Mrs Shaneane Marjorie Weldon

0458745391

Mr Robert Martin Wedge

0417 951 153

Public Transport

Gold Rush Tours

1800 620 440

Mining/Exploration

Goldfields Australia-Granny Smith
Mine

(08) 9088 2105

Sunrise Dam Gold Mine

(08) 9080 3765

Murrin Murrin Mine Site

(08) 9212 8400

Windarra Mine Site

(08) 9031 1611

Lynas Corporation Mt Weld

(08) 9031 1645

Gruyere Project, Yamarna

(08) 9037-5963

Dacian Gold, Mt Morgans Gold Operation

(08) 6323 9100

Pest Control

Mobile Pest and Weed Control

(08) 9093 2809

Post Office

Laverton Post Office

(08) 9031 1101

Recreation Clubs

Laverton Gym—Contact Shire of Laverton

(08) 9031 1202

Laverton Race Club

0417 951 153

Laverton Sports Club Inc.

(08) 9031 1220

Laverton Sporting Shooters Association

0418 935 518

Religion

**The Church of The Resurrection -
Fr Robert O'Bryan**

0457980852

LA Outback Church

0497 642 260

Service Station/Mechanic

Laverton Motors

(08) 9031 1210

**Laverton Auto Electrics -Mechanical
Repairs and Tyre Services-fully licensed
repairer.**

0408 092 332

Shire of Laverton

Reception

(08) 9031 1202

Great Beyond Visitor Centre

(08) 9031 1361

**Laverton Community Resource Centre/
Library**

(08) 9031 1800

Shire Councillors

President Cr. Patrick Hill

0419 925 371

**Deputy President Cr. Shaneane
Weldon**

0458 745 391

Cr. Deanne Ross

0427 488 838

Cr. Robin Prentice

0409 311 442

Cr. Rex Ryles

0418 935 518

Cr. Rex Weldon

0427 348 516

Shopping

Laverton Supermarket

(08) 9031 1675

Tourist/Recreation

Laverton Outback Gallery

(08) 9031 1395

Great Beyond Visitor Centre

(08) 9031 1361

Pastoral Properties

Banjawarn Station

(08) 9037 5977

Bandya Station

(08) 9031 3727

Delita Station

(08) 9037 5954

Erlistoun Station

(08) 9031 3954

Lake Wells Station

(08) 9037 5962

Laverton Downs Station

(08) 9037 5998

Minara Station

(08) 9037 5966

Mt Weld Station

0438 188 769

Prenti Downs Station

(08) 9981 2111

0488 581 729

White Cliffs Station

(08) 9037 5950

Wonganoo Station

(08) 9037 5942

Yamarna Station

(08) 9037 5963

**If you wish to add
your number to this
list, or you do not
wish to be listed,
please contact the
Laverton
Community Resource
Centre.**

(08) 9031 1800

Laverton@ crc.net.au



Shire News

Local Government Elections October 2019

The Local Government Elections have now been finalised with Cr Robin Prentice and Cr Rex Weldon being returned to office for four year terms, and Cr Rex Ryles for a two year term. New Councillors Gary Buckmaster and Jack Carmody have each been elected for four year terms.

The Councillors' Swearing-In ceremony was conducted at the commencement of the Ordinary Meeting of Council on Thursday 24 October 2019, where Police Officer-In-Charge, Sergeant Rob Shields officiated.

At the same meeting of Council, Cr Patrick Hill and Cr Shaneane Weldon were again respectively re-elected to the positions of Shire President and Deputy Shire President for the two year period until October 2021.

Laverton Races

The annual Laverton Race Meeting was held on Saturday 26 October 2019. It was an excellent day with great fields and a wonderful crowd in attendance.

Congratulations to the Race Club Committee, race sponsors, winning trainers and connections, and of course to all of the many volunteers that helped to make the meeting such a success.

Drought Conditions

The ongoing drought conditions in the northern Goldfields have been a major source of concern and have finally, after much lobbying by local governments and pastoralists, been recognised by State and Federal politicians.

Laverton recently had a visit from Mr Vince Catania MLA, Federal Member for the North West Central, who was quite moved by the severity of the situation and has followed up with correspondence to the State Minister for Regional Development; Agriculture & Food, the Hon. Alannah MacTiernan MLC, and Federal Members Senator the Hon. Bridget McKenzie, Deputy Leader of the Nationals and Minister for Agriculture, and the Hon. David Littleproud MP, Minister for Water Resources, Drought, Rural Finance, Natural Disaster and Emergency Management.

Mr Catania's correspondence states *"Pastoralists faced with the prospect of this ongoing drought are in desperate need of assistance with items such as the provision of fodder and pellets, transport costs and freight subsidies, agistment, feral animal control, provision of water and rate/rent relief to mention a few."* He also requested the State and Federal Governments *"to urgently intervene under exceptional circumstances and acknowledge a drought in parts of remote WA, and provide some form of assistance to these businesses and families and protect this crucially important industry to both our State and Country."*

Sheila Laver Award 2019

The Sheila Laver Award for 2019 was again presented at the Laverton Race Meeting, and this year the worthy recipient was Johanna McGuire.

As the Manager of the Community Resource Centre, Johanna contributes and provides services and events to the community over and beyond her normal duties. Johanna displays qualities as a role model in various ways to the benefit of both the CRC and the community in general. Johanna has been and continues to be involved in many volunteer community activities and is always quick to lend a hand at the numerous community events when held.

Johanna has been an integral part of the CRC and wider community for more than 8 years and as mentioned her tireless efforts both in the CRC and community are of enormous benefit to Laverton, and we again congratulate her on being the recipient of the 2019 Sheila Laver Award.

Congratulations Johanna.

Airfield Apron Upgrade

This project has been advertised for tender with submissions being presented to Council for consideration on 14 November 2019.

The project is a little behind where we hoped it would be with the revised completion date now being towards the end of March 2020.

Laverton Airfield Terminal

The architects' work on this project is continuing and they have made a couple of trips to Laverton to carry out site work requirements to enable them to discuss water, power, and other essential utility needs with respective government agencies.

Great Beyond Visitor Centre Upgrade

As previously advised, when the Premier, the Hon. Mark McGowan MLA, and Minister for Regional Development, the Hon. Alannah MacTiernan MLC, were recently in Laverton they announced funding of \$1.3m towards the upgrade of the Visitor Centre.

At the recent October Council Meeting, Council formally acknowledged the funding commitment and resolved to raise funds to match the \$1.3m to enable the project to proceed. We are currently in the process of formalising a Financial Assistance Agreement with the State Government which will enable the project to be advertised for tender.

Laverton Aquatic Centre

The Aquatic Centre has now been formally opened and is proving to be a fantastic addition to the local community.

Without wanting to take the gloss from the facility, there have been a number of break-ins, attempted break-ins and damage to associated equipment and services. Whilst we want everyone to have the opportunity to enjoy the facility, the mindless efforts as mentioned above cause quite a lot of interruption to the scheduled opening times because we need to clean and repair for the safety of all.

Some of the culprits have been identified and various levels of suspensions handed out, which has included up to one month for a repeat offender. We obviously don't want to have to hand down these types of penalties, however the new facility was developed at a large cost to the local community and ratepayers and we need to protect the infrastructure and make it safe for all users alike.

Executive Manager Technical Services

Mr Les Vidovich has tendered his resignation from Council's employment and has accepted the position of Manager of Works with the Shire of Wyalkatchem.

Les has been with the Shire of Laverton a little over 2½ years and has been a loyal and committed employee for the Shire. Council congratulates Les on his new appointment and wishes him well in his new position and with his future endeavours.

Mr Wayne Butler has been appointed to the position of Executive Manager Technical Services in an Interim capacity (potentially up to six months in duration) commencing on Monday 18 November 2019, whilst the recruitment process for a permanent appointment is carried out. Wayne previously relieved in the position for six months during 2016/2017 prior to Les taking up the role.

The EMTS position was advertised on Saturday 19 October 2019.

Disability Access and Inclusion Plan

Jo Morgan, our Community Development Manager, has completed work on the Shire's Disability Access and Inclusion Plan to bring it into line with legislative requirements and this was formally adopted by Council at their October Ordinary Meeting. The Plan will be available for viewing on the Shire's website in the Public Document section from this week.

Peter Naylor
Chief Executive Officer



Government of Western Australia
WA Local Government Grants Commission

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

To be held at the:

Shire of Laverton

Thursday 5 December 2019

Commencing at 10.30am and concluding at 12.30pm

Order of Proceedings:

1. President to open the hearing.
2. Introduction by the Chair of the Commission
3. Presentation by the Commission on its role, function and the process it uses to determine Financial Assistance Grants.
4. Discussion on Submission (if submitted)
5. Close of hearing

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

In accordance with the Commonwealth Act, the *Local Government (Financial Assistance) Act 1995*, the Commission is required to conduct public hearings with local governments in connection with the Financial Assistance Grant recommendations and also to discuss any submissions made to the Commission by local governments.

Organisations or persons wishing to make a submission, in connection with the Financial Assistance Grant recommendations of the Commission, at the above hearing, are requested to register their interest with:

Ms Chloe Papasergio
WA Local Government Grants Commission
Tel: (08) 9492 9840
E-mail: chloe.papasergio@dlgsc.wa.gov.au



Addition to the Schedule of Fees and Charges 2019/2020

The Council at its meeting of the 26th September 2019 adopted the following Fees and Charges for the Collection of Domestic Waste at Mount Margaret.

Community Amenities	
Sanitation Charges – Domestic and Commercial	
Domestic Collection Service to Mount Margaret (based on \$9.64 per weekly collection per bin per annum with a travelling component added being for fuel, wear and tear and wages) – Subject to annual Perth CPI increase during budget deliberations.	Per annum per bin service \$501.28

The proposed fee applies from the 25th July 2019 (Council Adopted Budget date) and is advertised to seek comments and submissions from interested members of the public on the introduction of the fee.

The fee is advertised in accordance with section 6.19 of the Local Government Act 1995.

Submissions are welcome up until the close of business Monday 2nd December 2019 and please direct any questions you have to the Deputy Chief Executive Officer on (08) 90311202.

Peter Naylor

Chief Executive Officer




CWA OF WA

**DROUGHT
GRANTS
AVAILABLE**

OUR COLES GRANT APPLICATIONS
HAVE RE-OPENED
APPLY NOW (08) 9321 6041

#cwaofwa
#notjustteaandscones



POOL ENTRY FEES

DAILY	
Adult	\$3.00
Child (5 to 17 years)	\$2.00
Spectators	Free
SEASON TICKETS	
Adults	\$80.00
Child (5 to 17 years)	\$40.00
Family (2 adults & 2 children)	\$200.00
MONTHLY TICKETS – ITINERANT RESIDENTS ONLY	
Any individual person	\$40.00
CONCESSION TICKETS – 50 Tickets	
Adults	\$80.00
Child (5 to 17 years)	\$40.00
EXCLUSIVE HIRE (Alcohol Prohibited)	
Day.m e – per hour or part there of	\$82.50
Night m e – per hour or part there of	\$110.00
SWIMMING LESSONS	
Bronze Medallion	Full Course - \$185.00
	Requalic aon - \$85.00
Private lessons	On enquiry
AQUA AEROBICS	
45 minutes	\$5.00



POOL OPENING HOURS

MONDAY	6.30AM—8.00AM 10.00AM – 1.00PM 1.00PM – 2.00PM 2.00PM – 7.00PM	LAP SWIMMERS IN GATE BEFORE 7.30AM OPEN TO ALL LUNCH OPEN TO ALL
TUESDAY	6.30AM—8.00AM 10.00AM – 1.00PM 1.00PM – 2.00PM 2.00PM – 7.00PM 5.15PM – 6.00PM	LAP SWIMMERS IN GATE BEFORE 7.30AM OPEN TO ALL LUNCH OPEN TO ALL AQUA AEROBICS
WEDNESDAY	POOL CLOSED	
THURSDAY	6.30AM—8.00AM 10.00AM – 1.00PM 1.00PM – 2.00PM 2.00PM – 7.00PM	LAP SWIMMERS IN GATE BEFORE 7.30AM OPEN TO ALL LUNCH OPEN TO ALL
FRIDAY	6.30AM—8.00AM 10.00AM – 1.00PM 1.00PM – 2.00PM 2.00PM – 6.00PM	LAP SWIMMERS IN GATE BEFORE 7.30AM OPEN TO ALL LUNCH OPEN TO ALL
SATURDAY	10.00AM – 6.00PM	OPEN TO ALL
SUNDAY	10.00AM – 6.00PM	OPEN TO ALL

Public Holidays – 10.00am – 6.00pm

Swimming Lessons

Adult Swimming lessons
9 am Saturdays



Expression of interest

Swimming lessons for 6 month old's to 5 year old's
between 9:30 am to 12:00 pm, Saturday mornings
only.

Contact Janine

Phone: 0499 299 241

Email: pool@laverton.wa.gov.au





AMBULANCE SERVICE MEDAL (ABSM)

Eleanor HILL – Laverton

Ms Hill commenced her volunteer service with St John Ambulance Western Australia at the Sub Centre at Laverton in 1996 and in the time since has served in a wide range of roles. The impact she has had in contributing to the availability of a high-quality volunteer ambulance service for the Laverton community has been significant.



Laverton Community Resource Centre News- November 2019

Hello Readers and Welcome to the November edition of the Sturt Pea Magazine.

What is coming up?

- The Driving Assessor will be in Laverton on Tuesday 19 November - pre bookings are essential
- Seniors Morning Tea Thursday 12 December, 10:00am
- Story and Rhyme Time, Wednesday Mornings, 10:30am
- Christmas Lights Competition, applications close November 13
- St John first aid course
- Christmas Markets, Saturday 23 November

The CRC Team is busy finalising plans for the upcoming end of year Christmas events, these include;

- Christmas Markets , Saturday 23 November
- Christmas Lights Competition, Friday 6 December
- Better Beginnings Story & Rhyme Time Christmas Break-up, Wednesday 11 December
- Seniors Christmas Morning Tea, Thursday 12 December

Seniors Week will be recognised and celebrated through an exhibition celebrating Laverton's local senior citizens . The exhibition will be on display at the Great Beyond Visitor Center from Friday 15 November through to Saturday 30 November.

The launch of the Seniors exhibition on Thursday 14 November will replace November's monthly morning tea. The next Seniors Morning Tea will be held on Thursday 12 December, this will be our special Christmas celebration. All Seniors are welcome to attend.

There will be a St John first aid course held at the CRC on Saturday 16 and Sunday 17 November, pre-bookings are essential, details on page 18.

Have a Lovely Month!

Enjoy the Read,
Johanna McGuire
Manager Laverton Community Resource Centre

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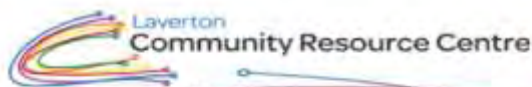
If you would like a copy of the Sturt Pea magazine emailed through to you each month, please email request through to crcassist@laverton.wa.gov.au. Alternatively the monthly magazine can be viewed online through the Shire of Laverton website, www.laverton.wa.gov.au.

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Contact :

Shop 4, Laver Place,
Laverton, WA, 6440
laverton@crc.net.au
(08) 9031 1800



Better Beginnings
Story & Rhyme Time

Did You Know?
Our brains develop most rapidly during the first few years of life.

Did You Know?
Learning to read starts from BIRTH. You can help your baby learn important literacy skills by talking, singing, playing and reading to your baby.

Laverton Story and Rhyme Time every Wednesday 10:30am @ Laverton Community Resource Centre

Did You Know?
Literacy is the ability to read, write, speak and listen. Literacy helps us communicate well with the people around us everyday.

Did You Know?
Attending programs like Story & Rhyme Time with your child can improve your child's chances of success in life.



SENIORS MORNING TEA

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**WHAT: SENIORS MORNING TEA /
SENIORS EXHIBITION LAUNCH**

TIME: 10:00AM

**LOCATION: THE GREAT BEYOND
VISITOR CENTRE**

**SENIORS MORNING TEA WILL BE HELD ON THE 14
NOVEMBER THIS MONTH AT THE GREAT BEYOND TO
CELEBRATE THE LAUNCH OF OUR SENIORS EXHIBITION!**





Better beginnings
Story & Rhyme time



STORY & RHYME TIME CHRISTMAS BREAK-UP

WHERE: LAVERTON COMMUNITY
RESOURCE CENTRE

WHEN: WEDNESDAY 11TH DECEMBER
10:30AM

WHO: KIDS AGED 0-5 AND THEIR
PARENTS / CAREGIVERS

THIS IS OUR LAST STORY AND RHYME
TIME FOR 2019 - DONT MISS OUT!

CHRISTMAS
MORNING TEA!



CHRISTMAS PASS
THE PARCEL



SANTA VISIT!





SENIORS CHRISTMAS BREAK-UP!

WHERE: LAVERTON CRC

WHEN: THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER

10:00AM

WHO: ALL SENIORS

COME ALONG AND JOIN US AT OUR LAST
SENIORS MORNING TEA FOR 2019!



St John



**4 out of 5 people
can't save a life.**



Are you one of them?

Book a first aid course today

Upcoming courses:

LAVERTON CRC

HLTAID003 Provide First Aid 2 Day Course

Saturday 16 & Sunday 17 November 2019

Time: 08:30 to 16:30

\$159.20 per person

To book

Phone: 0890262000

Email: fastgoldfields@stjohnambulance.com.au



L A V E R T O N
S P O R T S C L U B
AGM

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 07

7PM-8.30PM

**ALL FORMS FOR NOMINATIONS AND PROXY VOTES WILL BE
SENT OUT PRIOR TO MEETING**

**For any agenda items please email
lavertonsportsclub@outlook.com**



Laverton Youth Services



Youth Services had a blast during the month of October. Many thanks to the Laverton Police for kicking off the school holidays with a Blue light disco and the Curtin Volunteers for their help and support.



Many thanks for the generous donations received from Tracy and Bob. They visited Laverton from Victoria two years ago, and couldn't wait to return to our lovely community.



Check out some of our work on our YouTube channel



Laverton Youth Centre

Laverton Youth Services



Youth Services have been assisting Laverton Aquatic Centre and Royal Life Saving Australia with the Swim for Fruit program. With the aim of encouraging physical activity and promote healthy lifestyle habits. Every Tuesday and Thursday after school, children who complete a set number of laps are rewarded with fresh fruits and healthy treats followed by a fun session.



We designed and decorated bottle rockets and had a blast !



Keep an eye out for activity updates on our Facebook page



@LavertonYouthServices

Cashless Debit Card

Thank You

We would like to give the Ladies from Lynas Corp volunteers, a very big thank you for the time they have put into making a heap of small purse bags for the CDC Participants . People now have somewhere safe to put their cards in.



Community Space



What's New?

As of 12 September 2019, all participants of the Cashless Debit Card program who wish to Exit the program must complete an Exit Application.

Applications are available at the Laverton CDC office, if you require assistance with applying please feel free to ask one of our friendly staff for some help.

What do you need provide with your Exit Application?

- | | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| Copy of your ID | School attendance record for your child/children |
| Medicare Card | Support letter if you or your dependants engage in the community |
| Bank Statement (1 months) | |

St John's Reminder

For those who have signed for membership's with St Johns and is a Cashless Debit Card holder, please come into our office to check that payments are coming out regularly. If no payment plan is in place we can help set them up for you.



Joy Mason - Centrecare (Financial Advisor)

If you need any help with your Finance please come down to the CDC Office or CRC and speak to Joy.

Thursday 7 November & Thursday 21 November

Thursday 5 December & 19th December

9am -2pm

Cashless Debit Card Opening Hours

Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday & Friday

8:30am – 1:30pm

Thursday

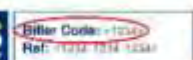
9:00am – 3:00pm

We are here to help you
with any enquiries

- ⇒ Activate your card
- ⇒ Set up email address
- ⇒ Set up MyGov accounts
- ⇒ Set up bill payments
- ⇒ Exit Application

Tel: 0456 454 447

0474 533 571



Please Note

The CDC Second hand clothing is now located in the building. Opening hours are now based on the CDC office operating hours. Please note the opening times above.

****REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR OWN BAG****



Celebrating National Seniors Month November 2019



Seniors Exhibition

**CELEBRATING THE CONNECTION OUR SENIORS HAVE TO THE
LAVERTON COMMUNITY**

Seniors make a difference in Communities every day as volunteers,
community leaders, family members and so much more.

This month we celebrate the seniors in our community and take the time to
share their stories.

Exhibition open from 15 November

THE GREAT BEYOND

Visitor Centre News



Photo courtesy of Michael McGuire

SHARE YOUR STORIES!

The Great Beyond often gets asked to provide editorials or articles for newspapers magazines, websites and social media but coming up with new content can be hard. We want to hear your stories! About your local camping trips, the places around Laverton you have seen, things you think people should know! The stories can be as long as you want. Catch up with Laurinda if you would like help or more information.

CHRISTMAS MARKETS

Held at the Great Beyond on Saturday 23 November, the Markets will be a great opportunity to buy some early Christmas presents! Don't forget to check out the Great Beyond gift shop also! If you would like to have a stall, registration forms are available at the Community Resource Centre & Great Beyond.

CHRISTMAS TRADING HOURS

The festive season is quickly approaching! Please see the Great Beyond's opening hours below;

December

20th: 9.00 - 1.00pm
21st: 9.00 - 1.00pm
22nd: 9.00 - 1.00pm
23rd: 9.00 - 1.00pm
24th: Closed
25th: Closed
26th: Closed
27th: 9.00 - 1.00pm
28th: 9.00 - 1.00pm
29th: 9.00 - 1.00pm
30th: 9.00 - 1.00pm
31st: 9.00 - 1.00pm

January

1st: Closed
2nd: Closed
3rd: 9.00 - 1.00pm
4th: 9.00 - 1.00pm
5th: 9.00 - 1.00pm

LAVERTON SENIORS EXHIBITION

During November, organisations across Australia will celebrate the role Seniors play in society as part of National Seniors Month.

To acknowledge the connection our Seniors have to the Laverton Community, the Great Beyond will be hosting an exhibition in the Hall of Fame. The exhibition will run from the 15th November until the end of December. This exhibition has been created by the Laverton Community Resource Centre & Great Beyond staff. We would encourage all local residents to visit the exhibition.

See details in this edition of the Sturt Pea.



Have you thought of joining the....

LAVERTON MEN'S SHED

Looking for something to fill in
your Sunday?

Why not head down to the
Laverton Men's Shed.

Start a new project or finish an old
one or simply just have a cuppa and
a chat.

Open Sunday's from 9.00am.

If you would like to join the Laverton Men's Shed,
membership forms are available from the Great
Beyond Visitor Centre or you can drop past the Shed
on a Sunday morning and join up. A small
membership fee applies.

lavertonmensshed@gmail.com



Government of Western Australia
WA Country Health Service



STARS Laverton 2019

Facilitated by Sexual Health Quarters

December Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th

STARS is a new course to help build knowledge, skills and confidence to

Start Talking About Relationships and Sexual Health

with young Aboriginal People

- Do you think it's important for young people to have good information around their relationships and sexual health?
- Does your role give you the chance to yarn with young people?
- Do you need more knowledge and confidence to have these conversations?
- Do you want some ideas to deal with some of the things that get in the way – like shame or worries about what other adults will say?

STARS might be the course for you!

STARS is a two day introductory course for Aboriginal community members and others working with young Aboriginal people. It is suitable a wide range of workers and volunteers, such as health / SEWB / education / youth / family support workers, liaison officers, night patrol staff, etc.

The course is fun, we learn through group activities, and do our best to make it culturally safe. Course leaders include Aboriginal Educators.

Topics include:

- Bodies and puberty
- Contraception, pregnancy and STIs
- LGBTI young people and diversity
- Consent, pleasure and effects of porn
- Starting the conversations
- Respectful relationships, sexting
- Supporting young people
- Knowing our limits and when to refer

**Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th
December**

Laverton Shire Hall

FREE for all participants

**Please RSVP by
Monday 25th November**

Get in touch

Nerissa Battye

Syphilis Outbreak Response

nerissa.lewin@health.wa.gov.au

or 9080 8200

Join us for the
**Emergency Services
0.0.0. Ball**

Tickets available online at
Eventbrite

**Supper provided and alcohol
available for purchase**

Formal Dress

**Leonora Rec Centre
7pm
16th November 2019
\$50 per ticket**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT KATHY ON
0407330345**

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Laverton Aboriginal Art Gallery

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Robin is an enthusiastic campaigner for job opportunities through creating more apprenticeships for young men and young women. The Federal Government has partially embraced the Pauline Hanson's One Nation Policy of subsidising apprentice wages 75% in the first year, 50% in the second and 25% in the third year.

Robin Scott moved the Disallowance Motion which defeated the Government's attempt to increase the Gold Royalty by 50%. Robin is determined to protect and promote mining and led the defence against water charges for prospectors and small miners.

Robin's priorities for 2019 include:

- Water pipeline south from the Kimberley
- Supply good clean water for all regional people
- Reopen the Department of Mines Industry Regulation Safety Office in Norseman
- Sealing the Wiluna-Meekatharra Road
- Insist on rapid delivery of the promised MRI machine for Kalgoorlie
- Big upgrade for palliative care in the regions
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- New hospital for Laverton
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- Ensure the Nursing posts are manned by more than one nurse and are secure and safe for staff
- Abolish fringe benefit tax to encourage FIFO workers to live locally
- Speed up dog fencing and increase the number of professional doggers
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- 455g fresh strawberry , quartered
- 4 kiwis, peeled and diced
- 2 mangoes, diced
- 2 bananas, sliced
- 340 g fresh blueberry
- 2 tablespoons honey
- 1 lime, juiced



Preparation

1. Quarter the strawberries and place into a large bowl.
2. Dice the mango and place on top of the strawberries.
3. Peel and dice the kiwi. Add into the bowl.
4. Slice bananas and place in the bowl. Add in the blueberries.
5. In a small bowl mix honey and lime juice.
6. Pour syrup over the fruit and mix. Mix well. Enjoy!

MANATEE AWARENESS MONTH



In 2005, The state of Florida declared November each year as Manatee awareness month. In 1972 Manatees became an endangered species and when Ariel surveys were taken in 1991 there were only an estimated 1267 Manatees in Florida. Due to Manatee awareness, protection and knowledge, in 2017 they were removed off the endangered species list and onto the threatened list - seeing a 400% increase of the manatee population. There is now an estimated 13,000 Manatees in the wild, and 6,300 in Florida alone.

What are Manatees?

Manatees are large marine mammals that have an egg shaped head, flippers and a flat tail. Although they are also known as a sea cow they are very closely related to the elephant. They are found in Oceans, rivers and seas along the coast of several countries. There is three different species of Manatee - the Amazonian Manatee, West Indian Manatee and the American Manatee - each one relating to where they are found.



Quick facts:

- Manatees spend their time grazing on plants in shallow water. They can only survive in warm water and cannot tolerate temperatures below 20 degrees for long periods of time.
- They have no significant natural predators.
- 25% of all Manatee deaths are caused by boat collisions.
- They must surface to breathe air every 5 minutes but can hold their breathe up to 20 minutes
- They eat around 100-250 pounds of food a day.
- Although Manatees look like Dugongs (Which live off the coast of Australia) they have a lot of significant differences.
- Manatees use farting as a swimming technique and store gas in their intestines to use as a buoyancy

How to save them:

- Promote Manatee awareness month all of November on social media! The more people know about them the more we can help keep them off the endangered species list!
- Adopt a Manatee - <https://www.savethemanatee.org/how-to-help/adopt-a-manatee/> all money goes towards helping protect Manatees and their habitat!

Matts Movie Reviews



The sadness of "Manchester by the Sea" is the kind of sadness that makes you feel more alive, rather than less, to the preciousness of things.~
Online review



Manchester by the Sea. MA15+

Summary: After the death of his older brother Joe (Kyle Chandler), Lee Chandler (Casey Affleck) is shocked to learn that Joe has made him sole guardian of his nephew Patrick (Lucas Hedges). Taking leave of his job, Lee reluctantly returns to Manchester-by-the-Sea to care for Patrick, a spirited 16-year-old, and is forced to deal with a past that separated him from his wife Randi (Michelle Williams) and the community where he was born and raised. Bonded by the man who held their family together, Lee and Patrick struggle to adjust to a world without him.

Marvel Comics continues to empty out its stable of superheroes with this entertaining tale.
~ Online review

Fantastic 4. PG

Summary: Marvel's first family of comic superheroes takes the world by storm as the longest running comic book series in history comes to the big screen. Reed Richards/Mr. Fantastic, who can elongate his body; Susan Storm/Invisible Woman, who not only can become invisible at will but can render other objects invisible; Johnny Storm/Human Torch, who can shoot fire from his finger tips and bend flame; and Ben Grimm/The Thing, a hideously misshapen monster with superhuman strength, together battle the evil Doctor Doom.



Matts Movie Reviews



A mind-bending bit of science-fiction entertainment – a trippy piece of cinema with an equal mix of style and substance.— *Online review*

Looper. MA15

Summary In the futuristic action thriller *Looper*, time travel will be invented - but it will be illegal and only available on the black market. When the mob wants to get rid of someone, they will send their target 30 years into the past, where a "looper" - a hired gun, like Joe (Joseph Gordon-Levitt) - is waiting to mop up. Joe is getting rich and life is good... until the day the mob decides to "close the loop," sending back Joe's future self (Bruce Willis) for assassination.

Kids are gonna gobble *Ratatouille* up; adults will relish its wit, and everyone will want to go out to eat after...— *Online review*

Ratatouille. PG

Summary: In the hilarious new animated-adventure, *Ratatouille*, a rat named Remy dreams of becoming a great chef despite his family's wishes and the obvious problem of being a rat in a decidedly rodent-phobic profession. When fate places Remy in the city of Paris, he finds himself ideally situated beneath a restaurant made famous by his culinary hero, Auguste Gusteau. Despite the apparent dangers of being an unwanted visitor in the kitchen at one of Paris' most exclusive restaurants, Remy forms an unlikely partnership with Linguini, the garbage boy, who inadvertently discovers Remy's amazing talents. They strike a deal, ultimately setting into motion a hilarious and exciting chain of extraordinary events that turns the culinary world of Paris upside down. Remy finds himself torn between following his dreams or returning forever to his previous existence as a rat. He learns the truth about friendship, family and having no choice but to be who he really is, a rat who wants to be a chef.



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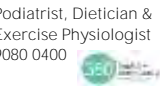

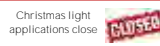
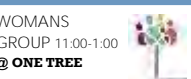





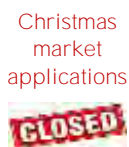
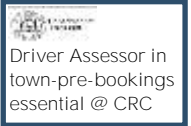
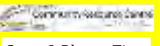

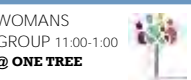





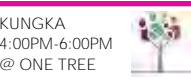
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