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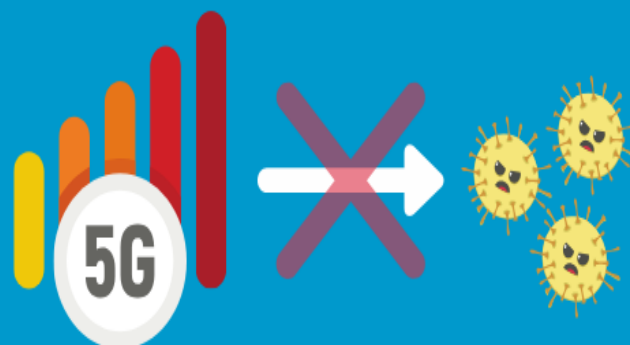
Viruses cannot travel on radio waves/mobile networks.

COVID-19 is spreading in many countries that do not have 5G mobile networks.

COVID-19 is spread through respiratory droplets when an infected person coughs, sneezes or speaks.

People can also be infected by touching a contaminated surface and then their eyes, mouth or nose.

FACT:
5G mobile networks
DO NOT spread COVID-19



#Coronavirus #COVID19

8 April 2020

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FOOD RECALL

Black Swan Crafted Basil with Cashews & Parmesan

200g

USE BY 22 May 20



The recalled product has been available for sale in
Coles in Western Australia only.

Problem: The recall is due to the presence of an undeclared allergen - peanuts

Food Safety Hazard: "Any consumers who have a Peanut allergy or intolerance may have a reaction if the product is consumed"

What to do: Consumers who have a Peanut allergy or intolerance should not consume this product

Customers should return the product to the place of purchase for a full cash refund. We apologise for any inconvenience.

Contact details: For further information contact Monde Nissin Australia Pty Ltd on 1800 007 347

See www.foodstandards.gov.au/recalls
for Australian food recall information

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The Gnowangerup CRC is a Not-for-profit community organisation that is able to provide Services to the Gnowangerup & surrounding communities by way of funding received by The Department of Primary Industries & Regional Development.

The funding is limited and does not cover all of the costs for providing these vital services, so we here at the CRC are trying to come up with ways to receive additional financial support to continue providing these

Terms & Conditions for Yearly Subscription and Advertising

Subscription and advertising rates are based upon 1st July 2019 to 30th June 2020 – fiscal year

Subscription and advertising requested before the end of December 2019 will be charged at the full yearly rate

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Yearly advertising rates are clearly displayed on the initial application, any errors made on the customers part will be the responsibility of the customer. Any errors made on the CRC's part will be the responsibility of the CRC

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No refunds, partial or otherwise, after processing of initial application

GNOWANGERUP HUB COMMUNITY GARDEN

**Do you have an interest in gardening?
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own?
Do you just like to garden?**

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**We would love to see all keen gardeners, young or
old.**

**Located behind the CRC, entrance from
Whitehead Road
Meeting room is the old Pavilion building at the
back of the Baptist Church hall.**

**From the 7th of March the Garden will be
open on the
1st and 3rd Saturday of the month. 8.30
am till 10.30 am.**

**Come along and find out what we are all about.
For further information and membership forms
please contact the Gnowangerup CRC**

How to prepare for an extended power outage



With extreme temperatures forecast this summer, the likelihood of bushfires and power outages is increased.

In response to these weather conditions, the Department of Fire and Emergency Services (DFES) can declare total fire bans that can affect how we manage your power supply. This means that planned works may be cancelled and power outages may be extended while we respond to the fault.

With this in mind, it is important to be prepared for an extended power outage.

Before the power outage (if advance notification is provided)

- Cordless phones do not operate without mains power so have a mobile phone on hand.
- Consider purchasing and charging a portable charger for your mobile phone.
- Unplug electrical appliances, especially those that have heating elements (e.g. kettle, oven).
- Switch off air conditioners so they are off when power is restored.
- Turn your fridge to the coldest setting.
- Get a fridge thermometer so you know if food is still safe to consume after a power outage.
- Consult with your service provider if you have a monitored security alarm without a backup battery. You could also investigate the use of a generator.
- Know how to manually operate automatic garage doors, or leave your car parked outside.
- Be aware that lifts and escalators may not operate during a power outage.
- Leave a light on inside your house so you know when power is restored.

During the power outage

- Have an emergency kit ready containing a waterproof torch, first-aid kit, non-perishable food, water, required medication and a radio (battery-powered) with spare batteries.
- Minimise opening and closing your fridge or freezer.
- Keep useful phone numbers on hand, such as the SES and your electricity provider.
- Unplug 'surge-sensitive' equipment such as computers and TVs to avoid potential damage.
- Keep across the news and emergency updates (on your mobile phone or radio).

After the power outage

- If you have solar panels, check that your system is back on after the outage.
- Check on your neighbours or anyone else you know who might need help.

Further advice and resources:

westernpower.com.au/faqs/outages

foodsafety.asn.au/when-the-power-goes-off/



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With Senior Regional Officer for Great Southern, Steph Marsh

Stay alert to COVID-19 scams

There's nothing scammers love more than fear and anxiety, and the COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic has created the perfect breeding ground for them to cash-in on these uncertain times.

We have already received reports of WA consumers receiving SMS messages urging them to click on fake links to reveal COVID-19 testing locations that will steal their personal or banking information, while other scammers are attempting to exploit the economic stimulus payments via bogus emails or phone calls asking for personal details to process the payments.

Consumers must remain on their guard, as a plethora of COVID-19 related scams circulating overseas are soon likely to land on our shores.

People might see online advertisements for bogus cleaning products, hand sanitisers and other items in high demand, as well as those for vaccines, pills, potions or other medication that falsely claim to cure COVID-19.

Other overseas scams involve web links to fake charities and fraudulent websites, attempting to solicit donations for relief efforts or deliver malicious software that will access the victim's bank or personal details.

Scammers are also hitting the phones, pretending to be health officials who need payment to treat a sick relative, or sending text messages impersonating government agencies with links that install malware.

Consumers should be wary of phishing emails pretending to be from health authorities, or legitimate companies, by using similar looking websites or email addresses. These emails often contain malicious links and attachments that offer to provide you with information on how to protect yourself from COVID-19.

We anticipate COVID-19 related scams will continue growing and adapting through the current crisis and so we have published a new web-link on our WA ScamNet site that will be continually updated to reflect this.

Visit www.scamnet.wa.gov.au and click on the 'COVID-19 coronavirus scams' section for more information and how to protect yourself, and please call us to report any new scams you may encounter: 1300 30 40 54, or email: consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au

Consumers should head to official government sites for the latest reliable and trustworthy COVID-19 related information:

- WA Government: www.wa.gov.au
- WA Department of Health: www.healthywa.wa.gov.au
- Australian Government Department of Health: www.health.gov.au



CHANGE OF LOCATION FOR ORDINARY MEETINGS OF COUNCILS DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Please be advised that from April 2020 on, the Ordinary Meetings of Council won't be held at the Council Chambers, 28 Yougenup Road as previously advised.

From April 2020 until further notice the Ordinary Meetings of Council will be held at
Gnowangerup Town Hall, Yougenup Road.

We would like to ask the public to contact the Shire on 08 9827 1007 if you are interested in attending a meeting or to send your questions via email to gnpshire@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au.

The change of location has become necessary to follow the social distancing rules and to protect Councillors, staff and public from the spread of the Coronavirus.

Bob Jarvis
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



DISPOSAL OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY BY TENDER

The Shire of Gnowangerup intends to dispose of the following property:

- Residential house and land situated at 3396-3410 Broomehill-Gnowangerup Road, Gnowangerup, WA 6335.

Public tenders are invited for the purchase of the property.

Market Value as per valuation from OPTEON dated 31st January 2019: \$280,000.00 (Two hundred and eighty thousand dollars).

Tender documents can be obtained from Anita Finn on 08 9827 1007 or email anita.finn@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au. Further details regarding this tender can be obtained from John Skinner on 08 9827 1007.

Tenders will be received until 4.00pm (AWST) Friday 8th May 2020.

The highest or any tender may not necessarily be accepted. Canvassing of Councillors will disqualify.

Bob Jarvis
Chief Executive Officer



Road Safety Commission

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Fatigue-related road deaths and serious injuries are not restricted to rural and regional roads, nor are they restricted to people driving long distances.

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Johnnies and the Mehmetts
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Here in this country of ours...
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Now lying in the bosom and are at peace.
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They have become our sons as well.*

1934 M. K. Atatürk

Geoff Hogan.

Hoagn Geoff

Passed away 21 years ago on 30th April..

You closed your eyes and you fell asleep.

Those sneaky angels have you to keep

And when they called we didn't ask why

We simply smiled and waved goodbye.

Watch over us while we love you forever

Edna Allan Denis

&

Terri.

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With Senior Regional Officer for Great Southern, Steph Marsh

Avoid lithium battery fires during lock-down

Life in lockdown during COVID-19 coronavirus might seem like the perfect opportunity to spend more time working from home, tackling a DIY project, or sprucing up the garden, but it's vital to ensure the equipment you're using is safe and fit for purpose.

There's a good chance some of this equipment – like whipper snippers, drills, mobile-phones and computers – contains lithium-ion batteries, which can cause fires when damaged or used incorrectly. In fact, lithium-ion batteries have so far caused 11 fires this financial year, up from a total of seven in 2018/19.

Because many of these rechargeable devices are charged in areas such as garages, sheds and patios that typically aren't fitted with smoke alarms, a resulting fire might go undetected for some time and thus cause significant damage.

Given the use of lithium-powered devices is expected to soar as more people stay at home, our colleagues at Building and Energy have teamed-up with the Department of Fire & Emergency Services to warn everyone to take a few simple steps to protect their homes and themselves from potential harm.

They're reminding us to never use batteries showing signs of swelling, overheating or damage, and to avoid over-charging batteries by removing them from the charger as soon as they're ready.

The charger and battery must be correctly matched electrically and comply with Australian standards, so they say it is vital to only use the charging equipment supplied with the device or purchased from a reputable retailer.

All battery chargers are required to undergo rigorous testing to meet Australian standards so you should also be cautious about purchasing any electrical equipment from overseas.

They also recommend consumers look for a regulatory compliance mark, such as a tick inside a triangle, or go to ees.gov.au to check whether the charger is approved for use in Australia.

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SHIRE OF GNOWANGERUP

COMMUNITY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS 2020/21

Community Groups within the Shire of Gnowangerup are now invited to apply for Community Financial Assistance Grants (CFAG) Program. There are three categories of funding available for projects taking place in 2020/21 financial year.

1. **Quick Grants** - for applications up to \$500.00, primarily for volunteer support.
2. **Community Grants**- for applications from \$501.00 - \$5,000.00 aimed at supporting community groups with small capital projects, events, projects etc.
3. **Special Requests Community Grants** - for applications from \$5000.00 - \$20,000.00 aimed at supporting community groups with large capital projects, events, projects etc. The purpose of the grant is not to fund operating costs.

Comprehensive guidelines, application forms and acquittal statements for each category can be found on our website under "Public Notices" or by contacting the Shire Office on 9827 1007.

Requests for operational funding, works-in-kind or reimbursement for expenses prior to the 2020/21 financial year will no longer be accepted under the guidelines. Furthermore, this is now the only pathway to request Council contribution for partnership funding for any project throughout the year. Please consider all events, projects or infrastructure your community group is planning for the 2020/21 year carefully, as applications will only be open once per year.

If your community group is interested in applying for assistance under any of the grant categories, please make contact with the Shire of Gnowangerup at kirsty.buchanan@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au or 9827 1007 to discuss your idea.

Step 1 - Contact the Shire of Gnowangerup to discuss your project idea on 9827 1007

Step 2 - Complete the respective Grant Application Form.

Step 3 - Submit the application form by **4:00pm 29/5/2020**.

Step 4 - Applications are assessed; Council approves suitable applicants at the Annual Budget meeting.

Step 5 - Applicants are notified in writing in August 2020.

Due to the COVID-19 situation we are currently facing there will be no Grant Writing Workshop this year. We are however working on a document to distribute to help you with writing your grant. We will advertise this on our Website and Facebook page in due course.

We look forward to supporting our fantastic community organisations in 2020/21.

Chief Executive Officer
Bob Jarvis

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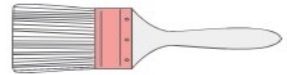
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DROUGHT COMMUNITIES EXTENSION GRANT Request for Community Projects

The Shire of Gnowangerup has access to a \$1million grant to pursue a range of eligible projects to strengthen communities affected by decreasing rainfall and water security. The Gnowangerup Shire Council is keen to see all of these funds realised for the benefit of the whole Shire, and has prioritised a number of projects to secure the water future of the Shire and current and future asset needs. In addition to those projects, it will entertain project proposals from the community which not only meet the Commonwealth's criteria for the grant, but have demonstrable community support. Persons or organisations wishing to seek inclusion in the Shire's submission should first read the Grant Guidelines, which can be found on the Shire's website:

<https://gnowangerup.wa.gov.au/latest-news/public-notice/drought-communities-programme-guidelines/>

Requests for funding should be in writing and should include;

- A one paragraph summary of the project, which includes an amount requested from the grant.
- A more detailed description of the project which identifies the eligible grant activity in the Guidelines which are addressed by your project, a reasonably detailed budget based on quotes or accurate estimates, some indication of broad community support such as letters of support and offers of financial or in-kind assistance, and how quickly the project could start and be completed (all projects applied for must be completed by the end of June 2021).
- All projects must be in the Shire of Gnowangerup and projects which can contribute to the economy and well-being of the Shire and/or the Region during the construction/implementation phase will be well regarded.
- The Shire of Gnowangerup is the applicant for all projects, and they must all be submitted to the Commonwealth at the same time. The Council will determine which grants proceed based on; the criteria above, and the funds available after key drought projects across the Shire have been costed. The Shire may seek community comment to assist its decision making – particularly if it is over subscribed.
- The minimum grant for each project is \$25,000.
- Please contact the undersigned for any clarification – in the first instance, by email to bob.jarvis@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au.

All submissions should be with the Shire for preliminary assessment by 4PM, Monday the 27th April 2020, and can be sent by email, with any attachments, to gnpshire@gnowangerup.wa.gov.au please type "Community Drought Extension" in the subject line.

Bob Jarvis
Chief Executive Officer

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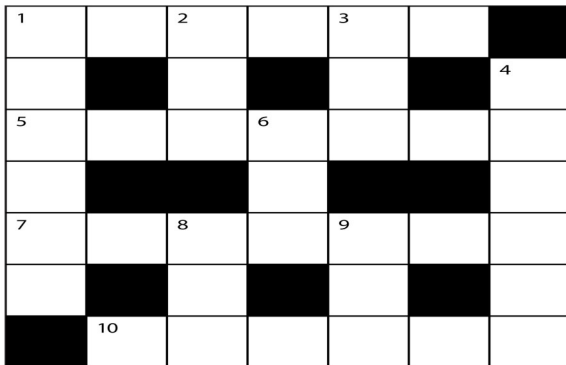
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Across

- 1 By the way, in the centre of the Earth is a dead body (6)
5 Reminder for men engrossed in cryptic tome (7)
7 Left to consume her hide (7)
10 Cold and stiff, following failure (6)

Down

- 1 Go along with company and imply I am missing (6)
2 Sheep butt? (3)
3 Alas, I never can hide an evil deed (3)
4 Drunkenly rose up and filled a glass (6)
6 Devour meaty innards (3)
8 Element of pretension? (3)
9 Gigantic, endless embrace (3)

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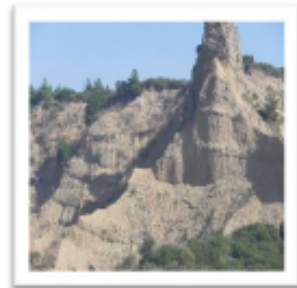


In 2013, our family, Janean, Phillip, Grace and I had the opportunity and honour to visit ANZAC Cove.

The first thing that strikes you, like a slap across the face is how small the peninsula is perhaps the length of the main road from the Top of the road to the Roadhouse.

This was the area of the peninsular where they now hold the ANZAC Day services, and when you turn around and face the cliff's and foreboding terrain that is when it really hit home to me, how up against

it the ANZAC's were when they landed there on the beach under fire from the elevated positions up in front of them, it was like a hammer in the chest.



We came to a small point in the peninsular where it was part of the first initial landing point and it had been transformed into a cemetery and memorial to the soldiers that had lost their lives right there on the beach in the initial landing on Day 1, this picture only shows a small section of the whole area and it was a sombre and sobering feeling walking through and reading the headstones of the fallen soldiers, trying to imagine what they had endured and what they had ultimately sacrificed for me and ultimately for all of us now, back then just doing their bit for the commonwealth and being there to help out and support there mates, even if they didn't know each other every ANZAC was a brother. I noticed many Australian plants had been planted in the area and this gave me a peaceful feeling knowing that those interned forever in a foreign land had the sight and smells of their home in their last resting place.

The last place we visited on our tour was Lone Pine, the walk up to the area was surreal, it is an area that is dedicated to all the soldiers from both sides of the conflict, you walked up to the top of the hill and there in front of you were rows and rows of gravestones, it was massive and such a huge tribute and recognition to all that had lost their lives. What really struck me was the silence, although the area was full of visitors and you would expect the odd nervous laughter and talking, the whole area was just quiet, and if you looked at the faces of visitors to the area you could see



in the faces the impact of visiting such a place of importance to both the Turkish, British, New Zealanders and Australians, that the whole area of the Gallipoli had impacted on both sides, although I haven't been to other major conflict memorial sites I would expect that this would be a universal feeling and reaction, showing respect to all those that have made the ultimate sacrifice.

Edinburgh Castle has a bench with a plaque on it, that says

"When you go home

Tell them of us

And say

For your tomorrow

We gave our

Today".

I understood the meaning of the words but it really never struck home, until I stood on the scared grounds of

ANZAC COVE.

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