

#### SHIRE OPENING Hours

8.30am to 4.30pm Weekdays (closed Public Holidays) Licensing Closes 4pm

#### NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

2pm 21 September 2022 Shire Office

## CONVERSE WITH THE COUNCILLORS

5.30pm 21 September 2022 Shire Office

#### **TIP HOURS**

7.30am - 4.00pm Saturday - Monday

#### RANGER CONTACT

24 hours / 7 days Ph: 0459 678 154

## WASTE COLLECTION

**Every Tuesday** 

## RECYCLING DATES

5 SEPTEMBER 2022 19 SEPTEMBER 2022

# your Shire News

### **PEOPLE OF PINGELLY- PAST & PRESENT**

Saturday was a delight! The community of Pingelly came together for the official launch of the People of Pingelly Past & Present Project. The People of Pingelly Past & Present Project is a Shire initiative funded by Future Drought Fund and delivered by Euphorium. The aim of the project was to collect stories from community members of their connection to Pingelly. Many people have shared their stories so far, with many more yet to be collected.

Shire President Mr Bill Mulroney started the day with formalities and introductions followed by a lovely Welcome to Country by Mrs Jan Kickett. Next was the fantastic Pingelly Primary School Choir and their choir teacher Mrs Amber Moulton. The kids set the bar for the day with their beautiful singing and melodies. What a fabulous contribution the kids and Amber made to the day.

Inside the Tennis room is where the stories came alive. The launch showcased several stories from various community members. Stories of how they came to Pingelly, the work of which they used to do and of course the famous Tulip Festival. Did you know one of the story tellers grandmother used to own the tea rooms here in Pingelly? And that another was a well known ball room dancer? Also there is musician who lives in Pingelly that is part of a rock band? There really was something special about listening to these stories and watching the faces of those who told them.

Thank you to Julian, Frankie, Minna and Rosie from Euphorium for spending many hours collecting these unforgettable stories and for organising the launch. Thank you to Mrs Jan Kickett for giving the Welcome to Country. To all our unique and wonderful story tellers-Thank you for sharing your stories with us all.

New stories will be released every website. Keep an eye out for the link next week.



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### **CONGRATULATIONS ANDREW & NONDO**

The Shire of Pingelly Staff & Councillors would like to congratulate Chief Executive Officer Mr Andrew Dover and his wife Nondo on the safe arrival of their son born early Sunday morning.

With the arrival of newborn Tadhg, Andrew will be on leave as he and the family settle and adjust with the new addition.

Best wishes to Andrew, Nondo, Sean and Aisling.



### **TIDY TOWNS COMPETITION**



The Shire of Pingelly recently submitted Pingelly into six out of eight categories in the Tidy Towns Competition. These categories include General Appearance, Containers for Change, Environmental Sustainability, Heritage & Culture, Young Legends and Community Action and Wellbeing. This is a fantastic opportunity for Pingelly to showcase all the amazing things we have to offer.

Judging for the Tidy Towns Competition will take place between the 9-21 September. The Shire will continue to work to ensure that Pingelly is pleasant and well presented. We strongly encourage the community and businesses to do what they can to their premises and pick up any litter that they see the lead up to the Tidy Towns presentation, after all many hands make light work.

Sustainable Communities Winners of the competition will be announced in Perth during the month of October.

### **COMMUNITY GRANT SCHEME**

Each year the Shire holds two rounds of funding for groups, clubs and non-for-profit organisations with \$10,000 to allocate. Round 1 opened on Monday 15 August and will close on 14 September with notification of outcome to be 23 September 2022.

For more information please contact the Shire's Community Development Officer. Applications can be found on our website or collected from the Shire Office.



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