



SHIRE OPENING HOURS

8.30am to 4.30pm
Weekdays (closed
Public Holidays)

Licensing Closes 4pm

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING

2pm 19 July 2023
Shire Office

CONVERSE WITH THE COUNCILLORS

5.30pm 19 July 2023
Shire Office

TIP HOURS

7.30am - 4.00pm
Saturday - Monday

RANGER CONTACT

24 hours / 7 days
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WASTE COLLECTION

Every Tuesday

RECYCLING DATES

11 JULY 2023

WORKS REQUESTS

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NAIDOC WEEK CELEBRATIONS 2023

We are thrilled to share that the PRACC was filled with joyous laughter, as kids of all ages and visitors came together to celebrate this special occasion. This year's theme pays homage to our beloved elders, and we had an amazing line up of activities that will leave you inspired and uplifted. Kicking off the day, we were honoured to witness Cleve Humphries perform a mesmerising smoking ceremony, creating an atmosphere of spiritual significance. Following that, Mr. Malcolm Jetta delivered a heartfelt welcome to country, acknowledging the traditional custodians of this land.

Throughout the day, we were treated to captivating performances by the Pingelly School Choir, who beautifully sang an Aboriginal song, and the Pingelly Aboriginal Dance Group, led by the talented Johnny Garlett on the didgeridoo. Their dances were simply breath taking and showcased the richness of our cultural heritage.

The culinary delights continued with a scrumptious kangaroo stew and damper prepared by Somerset Catering. The flavoursome meal was a true taste of our traditional cuisine, satisfying both the body and soul.

Outside, there was an array of exciting activities for everyone to enjoy! Two Fremantle Dockers players hosted a fun-filled footy clinic, teaching our future stars some skills and tricks of the game. The laughter echoed through the air as kids engaged in friendly competition during laser tag battles. For our little animal lovers, a delightful petting zoo awaited, providing an opportunity to connect with adorable furry friends. Emergency services joined us with their vehicles, allowing the kids first hand to see all the fun gadgets. And let's not forget the joy of having faces transformed into vibrant works of art with face painting, and bouncing high on the bouncy castle.

Inside, we hosted a special stall dedicated to promoting a smoke-free lifestyle. Our kids were not only showered with fantastic goodies but also educated about the importance of being smoke free.

This initiative was made possible through a collaborative effort between the Shire of Pingelly, Pingelly Primary School, Moorditj Youth Foundation and WACHS. Today's NAIDOC Week event at the PRACC was a testament to the power of unity and celebration.

We express our heartfelt gratitude to all who made this day possible, and we extend a warm invitation to everyone to come along next year and experience the magic first hand. Let's honour our elders, embrace our heritage, and make memories that will last a lifetime.



FOR OUR ELDERS

2-9 JULY 2023

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NAIDOC WEEK & POCKET PARK OPENING

We are delighted to announce that the Shire of Pingelly will be celebrating NAIDOC Week this year in a special way. As part of the festivities, we will be officially opening the brand new Pocket Park, located at 25 Parade Street. The park promises to be a vibrant and inclusive space that will serve as a gathering point for the community.

To mark this momentous occasion, we invite everyone to join us on Thursday, 6 July, from 5pm to 7pm. The opening ceremony will be a joyous event, where we will come together to honour the rich culture, history, and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. The evening will commence with a sundowner, creating a relaxed and welcoming atmosphere. This will be a perfect opportunity for friends, families, and community members to connect,

share stories, and build new relationships. Delicious nibbles will be provided, allowing attendees to enjoy some delightful treats as they mingle and celebrate.

NAIDOC Week is a time to acknowledge and pay tribute to the invaluable contributions that Indigenous Australians have made to our nation. It is a chance for us to deepen our understanding of their culture, traditions, and ongoing struggles. By hosting this event in the new pocket park, we hope to create a lasting space that fosters inclusivity, respect, and unity within our community.

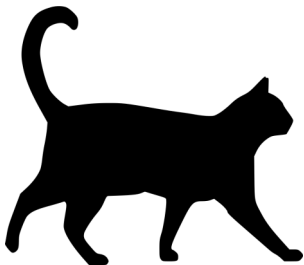
We encourage everyone to attend this momentous occasion and show their support for NAIDOC Week. Let us come together to celebrate the diversity of our nation and strengthen the bonds that unite us. Join us at 25 Parade Street on Thursday, 6 July, and be a part of this exciting celebration.

FEEDBACK ON PROPOSED CAT LAW

The Shire of Pingelly is considering making a new Cat Local Law. Adjacent local governments including the Shires of Cuballing, Narrogin and Boddington have made a local law which has effect within their local government area. It is estimated that feral cats kill 748 reptiles, birds and mammals on average a year, while pet cats kill approximately 186 of these animals each year. Australia-wide, cats have played a major role in the extinction of at least 27 mammal species and at present endanger 147 Australian mammals, birds, reptiles and frogs.

These local laws combined with feral cat control have demonstrated an impact, e.g. numbat numbers within Dryandra National Park have rebounded in recent years. However, it is estimated that there are fewer than 1,000 numbats left in the wild.

Before formally commencing the process to make a Cat Local Law, the Shire of Pingelly is seeking your input to draft the law. The initial draft proposes the following:



- Cats not to create a nuisance.
- Prohibit cats from bushland areas greater than 5,000m² – whether private property or reserve land.
- Restrict the number of cats to 2 per property with approval available for an additional 2 cats if appropriate.

For more information regarding the proposed Cat Local Law, please see the Shire's website.

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