



The Shire Flyer

Friday 13 April 2018



Banners in the Terrace

Today is the last day to submit your designs for our Banners in the terrace competition. Do you have a creative mind and want to show off Esperance? We'd love to see your design! Councillors will vote for the best local design which will be digitally printed on a banner and exhibited in the City of Perth.

Our banner, along with 80 other West Australian Local Governments, will be displayed along St Georges Terrace and Adelaide Terrace during the Annual Local Government Convention in July this year. There is a \$100 gift voucher from a local business up for grabs for the winner and \$50 gift vouchers for two runners-up. Further information and entry forms are available on the Shire website.

Pool Gate Recall

A voluntary recall is underway of unsafe components of gate latches for swimming pool fences which can cause the gate to be locked in an open position, posing a potential drowning risk for children.

An investigation into the imported products found that they do not comply with Australian standards relating to safety barriers for swimming pools. If the gate is open, turning the key in the striker component of the gate latch may cause the gate to remain locked in the open position which will not prevent unsupervised access to the pool area.

There are quite a few installed in Esperance so please check to see if your gate latch is on the recall list. at www.commerce.wa.gov.au/announcements/recall-unsafe-pool-gate-latches-pose-drowning-risk-children



7.30pm Sunday 15 April 2018
ESPERANCE CIVIC CENTRE

Menopause

The Musical™

WOMEN ON FIRE!

"IT'S IMPOSSIBLE NOT TO LAUGH!"
New York Times

The #1 Girls' Night Out!
Men love it too!

Directed by Allie Pope-Bailey
The Hilarious Celebration of Women and the Change!

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Tickets available at the Shire, Library and Visitor Centre or online at www.esperance.wa.gov.au

Infill Sewerage Program

The Water Corporation will be starting work on the Infill Sewerage Program next week in parts of Castletown. This work allows properties using septic tanks to decommission them and connect to the wastewater system. This removes potential public health and environmental risks and supports the development of residential areas. Traffic management will be in place as required to direct pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles safely around work areas. Work is expected to be completed by the end of this year. For more information visit www.watercorporation.com.au/esperance15B

Upcoming Meetings

Agenda Briefing: 1pm, 17 April, Council Chambers
Ordinary Council Meeting: 4pm, 24 April, Council Chambers

Want to know what is happening in Council each month? The agenda includes all reports Council will make decisions on, minutes from Council and committee meetings, monthly financials and an operational report. To read the full the Agenda and Minutes please go to the Shire's website.

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Community Program

MONDAY 16 - FRIDAY 20 APRIL

 WHEELCHAIR SPORTS Monday 16 April 10am - 12pm Indoor Sports Stadium	 SOCCER Tuesday 17 April 2:30 - 4:30pm Soccer Fields, Jane St	 BRICK CLUB Wednesday 18 April 10am - 12pm Civic Centre Foyer
 VOLUNTEER PEOPLE PAINTING Thursday 19 April 10am - 12pm Civic Centre Foyer	 BEATBALL - 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL Friday 20 April 10am - 12pm Victoria St Park, Nulsen	

This program is all about making sport and recreation fun with a variety of activities, games and challenges. It's free and suitable for all ages and abilities. Come dressed to participate and don't forget to slip, slop and slap!

To register, please contact Shane Tobin on 0418 557 397 or email esperanceinclusive@gmail.com

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Building Workshop

The Building Commission provided an informative and interactive free seminar in Esperance this week which was well attended by local Builders, Engineers, Architectural Draftpersons, Tafe Lecturers and Shire Staff.

The day covered topics including the National Construction Code amendment relating to fire safety in high rise buildings, recent amendments to the Building Regulations 2012 and the improved CodeMark Scheme.

Specific bushfire construction methods and common construction issues were addressed, as well as a snapshot of systemic failures that have been investigated by the Building Commission including roof tie-down failures, engineering detail deficiencies, works affecting adjoining properties and ceiling collapses.

There were also discussions on reasons why more documentation is required on approved plans, liability of construction, the outcome of local building inspections in Esperance and resolving payment disputes in the building and construction industry. The day was a great opportunity for everyone to learn something new and to share ideas.

