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MOUNT MAGNET
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Council Comments

Shire Office Hours

Open: Monday to Friday 9.00am to 4.00pm

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Councillors

Ashley Dowden	9963 5361	Wendy McGorman	9963 4702
Greg Scott	9963 5823	William Scott	9963 5824
Kevin Brand	9963 4244	Karen Williams	0400 711 615
Jorgen Jensen	9963 4839		

ALL dogs residing in the Shire of Mount Magnet MUST be registered

New Registrations AND Renewals can be made in front of the IGA Supermarket on 12th November 2011 or at the Shire Office during business hours.

<u>Unsterilized</u>	<u>Sterilized (Proof of sterilization required)</u>
1 year = \$30.00	1 year = \$10.00
3 years = \$75.00	3 years = \$18.00

A 50% concession is available for eligible pensioners

(Pension card must be shown at time of registration)

A 25% concession is available for dogs registered as working cattle or sheep dogs. (Proof must be supplied at time of registration)

-ALL Dogs over 3 months old need to be registered-



Council Elections

At the close of nominations there were twelve (12) nominations for seven vacancies on the Mount Magnet Shire Council. The twelve nominations included five sitting Councillors seeking re-election.

Of the seven (7) vacancies, five (5) vacancies are for four year terms and two (2) vacancies are for two year terms.

All residents and ratepayers whose names are listed on Council's current electoral roll are eligible to vote and are urged to do so.

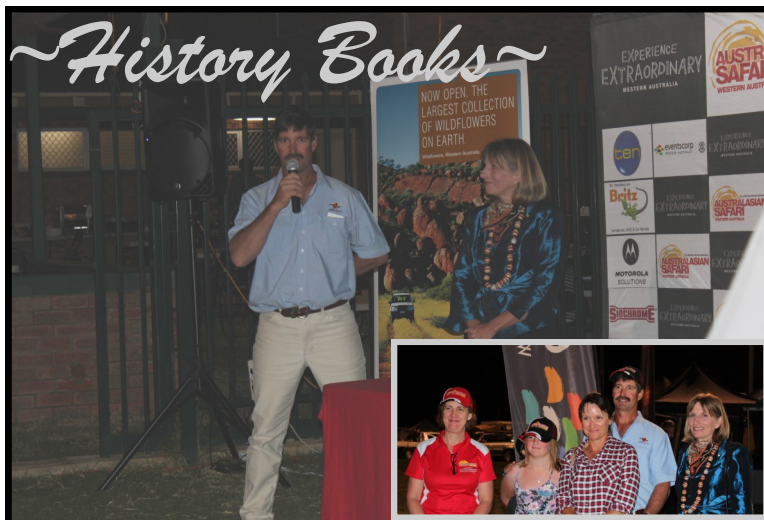
ELECTION DAY

SATURDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2011

THE CHIEF POLLING PLACE IS THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, MOUNT MAGNET AND THE HOURS OF POLLING ARE FROM 8.00AM TO 6.00PM.

Meeting with Ramelius Resources

At Council's September meeting senior officers from Ramelius Resources attended and discussed with Council the development of their mining operations. The representatives also discussed their organisations aim to be good corporate citizens in our community.



The second edition of "Drawn To Mt Magnet" by Lorna Day and Karen Morrissey was officially launched at the Australasian Rally which stayed overnight in Mount Magnet on Saturday 24th September 2011.

"Drawn to Mt Magnet" Second Edition is now available for purchase from the Shire Office & the Tourist Information Centre

\$40.00 Soft Cover

\$50.00 Hard Cover



SHIRE OF MOUNT MAGNET

NOTIFICATION OF ELECTION

It is hereby advised that an election will be held to fill seven vacancies as Councillor of the Shire of Mount Magnet. The election will be held on Saturday 15th October 2011.

Offices vacant and terms of office are as follows:-

5 Vacancies as Councillor for terms expiring in 2015

2 Extraordinary Vacancies for terms expiring in 2013

Nominations have been received from the following candidates (in ballot paper order)

Bob Ford

Kevin Brand

Greg Scott

Melissa Evans

Carole Minney

Wendy McGorman

Robby Davis

Joey OBrien

Dolly Dalgety

Ashley Dowden

Jason Homewood

Karen Williams

Hours of voting are from 8.00 AM to 6.00 PM at the Chief Polling Place being the Shire Council Chambers, Naughton Street Mount Magnet.

Murray Brown
Returning Officer
8th September 2011

STAFF CHANGES



New Chief Executive Officer Mr Geoff Brooks will commence work in Mount Magnet on 24th October 2011.

This month we welcome to the Shire Office Ms Cobie Coumbe, Ms Jerrilee Bracknell and also Ms Tracey Biggs.

We also welcome Mr Oliver Spencer to Mount Magnet. Oliver will be filling in as a Youth/ Recreation Officer for a short time.

The Outside Crew welcomes Clayton Gilbert, Neville Kelly and Michael Rigney to the team!

We farewell Ms Trish Taylor from Council.

Council has a vacancy for a person to assist our Community Development Officer and our Sports and Recreation Officer.

Interested people should apply in writing to the Council Chief Executive Officer.

WINNER!

“Beautiful Garden” Competition

It was great to see so many beautiful gardens at this time of year, however there were a few that truly stood out!

Our Winners for this year are:-



1st Prize Ms Sophie Singh
2nd Prize Ms Edna Sutherland
3rd Prize Ms Monica Watson

NATIVE GARDEN WINNER
Mr Jim Nash & Ms Marilyn Davies

ENCOURAGEMENT AWARDS
Mr Jason/Jeff Brown & Mr Dave Hinds

Congratulations!



Australasian Safari 2011

On Saturday 24th September 2011, Mount Magnet had the Australasian Safari camp the night on the town oval. The Australasian Safari is a 7 day endurance racing event in WA which takes off at Hillarys on Perth's Coast and finishes up in Kalgoorlie.

As in previous years the Safari hosted a great display of competitor rides and we were very proud to accommodate such great motorsport racers including well know V8 Supercar racer Craig Lowndes and Dakar winner Frenchman Cyril Despres.



COMMUNITY GROUPS

Bidi Bidi Centre	Michele Bentink	0417 988 729
CDEP Programme	Simon Taylor	0457 395 720
Freemasons Zenith Lodge	Karl Ibbotson	9963 4004
Magnet Girls Club	Danelle Fauntleroy	9963 4322
Mount Magnet Craft Group	Tarnyia Scott	9963 5823
Mount Magnet District High School P&C	Cathy Jones	9963 4081
Mount Magnet Gymkhana Club	Janet Jones	0407 572 208
Mount Magnet Historical Society	Kevin Brand	9963 4224
Mt Magnet Leader	Gemma Poli	9963 4195
Mount Magnet Netball	Danelle Fauntleroy	0417 177 524
Mount Magnet Op Shop	Kathy Shaw	9963 4244
Mount Magnet Playgroup	Mary O'Brien	9963 4548
Mount Magnet Pottery Group	Karin Sturges	0447 797 285
Mount Magnet Race Club	Melissa Evans	0427 199 281
Mount Magnet Scout Group	Danelle Fauntleroy	0417 177 524
Mount Magnet Seniors Group	Karen Williams	0400 711 615
Mount Magnet Sports Group	Stephen Ralph	0439 519 742
Mount Magnet Volunteer Ambulance Sub Centre	Donna McConnell	0427 824 319
Mount Magnet Volunteer Fire Brigade	Jason Homewood	0427 351 952
Mount Magnet Youth Group	Danelle Fauntleroy	9963 4322
Presbyterian Inland Mission	Pastor Bert Pierce	9963 4125
St Brigid's Catholic Church	Sr Gerri Boylan	9963 4179
Wirnda Barna Artists	Marina Baker	9963 4007

DENTAL VISITS TO MOUNT MAGNET — 2011

MONDAY 17 OCTOBER - TUESDAY 25 OCTOBER 2011

To make an appointment call 0427 386 647

MOUNT MAGNET MEDICAL CENTRE

Medical Attention is available
Monday to Friday 8.30am — 12 noon & from 1.00pm — 4.00pm

October 2011

Our Medical Team At A Glance

Sarah Haskell	Midwife
Dr Jehangir	Paediatric Specialist
Adrian	Male Mental Health
Angie Jefferys	Social Worker
Dr Mick Gibberd	General Practitioner
Dr Anna Stuart	General Practitioner
Ashlee Cross	Dietician
John Cook	Psychologist
Julie Hancock	Diabetes Nurse

Tuesdays and Thursdays every week the Mental Health Team is in town.

To make an appointment contact the Medical Centre on 9963 3100

Every Thursday Adrian visits Mt Magnet from Mental Health Meekatharra.

Monday 10/10/2011 Dr. Gibberd, Podiatrist-Ruth Sehuke, Diabetes Nurse-Julie Hancock, Dietician-Ashlee Cross

Monday 10/10/2011 Dr. Gibberd GRAMMS

Thursday 13/10/2011 Child Health Nurse

Friday 04/10/2011 Child Health Nurse (morning only)

Tuesday 08/10/2011 Physio

Wednesday 19/10/2011 Diabetic Educator GRAMMS

Monday 24/10/2011 Dr. Gibberd, Dr Anna Stuart-female doctor, Sarah Haskell-midwife, Diabetes Nurse-Julie Hancock

Monday 24/10/2011 Dr. Gibberd GRAMMS

Tuesday 25/10/2011 Dr Anna Stuart-female doctor

Mount Magnet Medical Centre Ph 9963 3100 Fax 9963 3150
After hours calls go through to Health Direct

Your child's education is very important to us so please bring your child in for dressings and non emergency treatment after school hours.

2011 Mount Magnet Art Awards

This year the Shire received 45 entries for the Art Awards, a small increase in numbers on last year but a big increase in the quality and diversity of entries. Entries were received from all over WA and there were many good comments from visitors to the exhibition over the weekend.

Winners of the various categories were –

- Overall Winner – Christy Rock (*Geraldton*)
- Painting Category – James Brockman (*Meekatharra*)
- Drawing / Mixed Media Category – Marianne Penberthy (*Geraldton*)
- Indigenous Category – Amanda Zadow (*Newman*)
- Local Artist – Cheryl Bond (*Mount Magnet*)
- People's Choice – Albert Bond (*Mount Magnet*)
- Artist Under 18 Years – Dana Anaru (*Mount Magnet*)



Left - Cheryl Bond with her winning entry
Top - Overall Winner 'Hiding amongst the Everlastings' by Christy Rock



MT MAGNET HALLOWEEN DISCO

Friday 28 October at Anzac Hall

Under 10 - 6pm to 7.30pm

Please note—under 5s will need to be accompanied by an adult.

10-17 yrs - 7.45pm to 9.30pm



Entry \$5 per child

Supervising adults free entry



Prizes for Best Costumes



Morning Tea

**10am Monday 24 October
in the Tourist Park**

Scenes from the 2011 Mount Magnet Festival



This year's Festival proved to be a successful community activity with local groups reporting it as a good awareness raising exercise as well as fundraiser. The Foster Park was the centre of activity as kids were kept busy with rides, competitions and other activities making it a good family day out.

The kids had made a terrific effort for this year's decorated bike parade which was judged by James from the Police Station. Jamie and Lydia O'Brien won with a tandem bike decorated as a ram complete with a real rams horns and wool. Congratulations to all the kids who participated in the parade.



MOUNT MAGNET CINEMA

Monday 3 October

Rango 7pm (pg)

Friday 7 October

Rio 7pm (pg)

Friday 21 October

Country Strong 7pm (M)

at the Outdoor Cinema
(weather permitting)

Adults \$10 / Children \$5

Food and drinks on sale



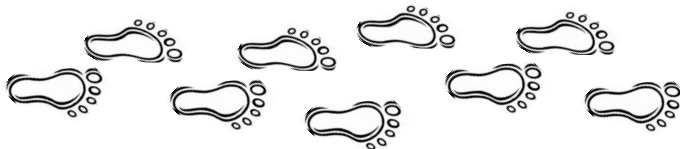
Mount Magnet Markets

Saturday 29 October

9am to 12noon

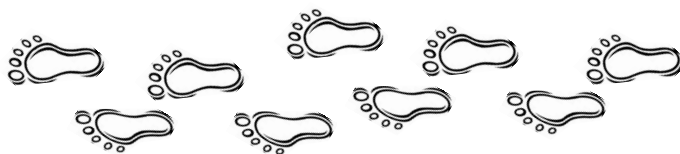
at the Tourist Park

For more information or to book a stall
contact the Shire Office on 9963 4322



Walk Over October

Join us at 9am on Thursday 6 October at the Recreation
Centre to launch the Mount Magnet Walking Group.



Community Group Fundraising Opportunities

There are fundraising opportunities for local
community groups at cinema screenings and other
community events. If your group is looking to raise
funds for new equipment, special activities or
anything else, please contact Danelle at the Shire Office
on 9963 4322.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM OCTOBER 2011

Monday 3rd October

10am to 12noon - Cinema Session - Rango @ Anzac Hall

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Soccer @ the Oval

Tuesday 4th October

10am to 12noon Girls Club - Scrapbooking

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Cricket @ the Oval

Wednesday 5th October

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Mixed Netball @ the Courts

Thursday 6th October

10am to 12noon - Girls Club - Print Making

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Basketball @ the Courts

Friday 7th October

10am to 3pm - Trip to Cue Water Park

3pm to 5pm - Youth Centre Pool Comp

Monday 10th October

10am to 12noon - Inflatable @ the Pool

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Volleyball @ the Oval

Tuesday 11th October

10am to 12noon - Girls Club - Games Day

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - T-Ball @ the Oval

Wednesday 12th October

10am to 12noon - Cooking @ the Recreation Centre

1p m to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Golf @ the Oval

Thursday 13th October

10am to 12noon - Girls Club - Cooking

1pm to 3.30pm - Youth Centre Open

3.30pm to 5pm - Inflatable @ the Pool

Friday 14th October

10am to 3pm - Trip to Yalgoo Water Park

3pm to 5pm - Youth Centre Pool Comp

Youth Centre Hours

Tuesday: 3pm - 5pm

Friday: 3pm - 5pm



MOUNT MAGNET COMMUNITY CALENDAR

OCTOBER 2011

Monday 3 rd	School Holiday Cinema Session- Rango @ Anzac Hall 10am Youth Centre Open 1pm – 3:30pm School Holiday Soccer at the oval 3.30pm – 5pm
Tuesday 4 th	Magnet Girls Club - Scrapbooking at the Girls Club Room - 10am – 12noon Seniors Group 11am to 3pm at the Recreation Centre Youth Centre Open 1pm – 3:30pm School Holiday Cricket at the oval 3.30pm – 5pm St John Ambulance General Meeting - 6pm at the Ambulance Hall
Wednesday 5 th	Interagency Meeting in Shire Chambers 10am Youth Centre Open - 1pm – 3:30pm School Holiday Mixed Netball at the courts 3.30pm – 5pm
Thursday 6 th	Walk over October walking day 9am at the Recreation Centre Op Shop Open - 9.15am to 11am at the Rural Transaction Centre Girls Club – Print Making at the Girls Club Room 10am – 12pm Youth Centre Open - 1pm – 3:30pm Basketball @ the courts 3:30pm-5pm Mount Magnet Volunteer Fire Brigade Training – 7pm at the Fire Station
Friday 7 th	School Holiday Program trip to Cue Water Park 10am – 3pm Youth Centre Pool Comp 3pm-5pm Outdoor Cinema – Rio 7pm
Sunday 9 th	Presbyterian Inland Mission Church 10am St Brigids Catholic Church 10am
Monday 10 th	Inflatable @ the pool 10am – 12pm Youth Centre Open - 1pm – 3:30pm Volleyball @ the oval 3:30pm-5pm
Tuesday 11 th	Girls Club – Games day at the Girls Club Room 10am-12pm Seniors Group 11am to 3pm at the Recreation Centre Youth Centre Open - 1pm – 3:30pm T-Ball @ the oval 3:30pm-5pm St John Ambulance Training - 6pm at the Ambulance Hall
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OCTOBER 2011

Friday 14 th	School Holiday Program Trip to Yalgoo Water Park 10am-3pm Youth Centre Pool Comp 3pm-5pm
Sunday 16 th	Presbyterian Inland Mission Church 10am St Brigids Catholic Church 10am
Tuesday 18 th	School Term 4 Starts Seniors Group 11am to 3pm at the Recreation Centre Youth Centre Open 3pm – 5pm St John Ambulance Training - 6pm at the Ambulance Hall
Wednesday 19 th	Playgroup 9:45 – 11:45am at the old Hospital Magnet Girls Club 3pm – 5pm
Thursday 20 th	Op Shop Open - 9.15am to 11am at the Rural Transaction Centre Mount Magnet Cub Scout Group 4pm - 5.30pm at the Recreation Centre Mount Magnet Scout Group 5.30pm - 7pm at the Recreation Centre Mount Magnet Volunteer Fire Brigade Training – 7pm at the Fire Station
Friday 21 st	3pm – 5pm Youth Centre open Outdoor Cinema – Country Strong 7pm
Saturday 22 nd	Mount Magnet Races
Sunday 23 rd	Presbyterian Inland Mission Church 10am St Brigids Catholic Church 10am
Monday 24 th	Pink Ribbon Day Morning Tea 10am in the Tourist Park Junior Cricket Training at the Oval 3:30-4:30pm
Tuesday 25 th	Seniors Group 11am to 3pm at the Recreation Centre Youth Centre Open 3pm – 5pm St John Ambulance Training - 6pm at the Ambulance Hall
Wednesday 26 th	Playgroup 9:45 – 11:45am at the old Hospital Magnet Girls Club 3pm – 5pm
Thursday 27 th	Op Shop Open - 9.15am to 11am at the Rural Transaction Centre Mount Magnet Cub Scout Group 4pm - 5.30pm at the Recreation Centre Mount Magnet Scout Group 5.30pm - 7pm at the Recreation Centre Mount Magnet Volunteer Fire Brigade Training – 7pm at the Fire Station
Friday 28 th	Queens Birthday Public Holiday Halloween Underage Disco at Anzac Hall – under 10's 6pm to 7.30pm, 10 to 17 year olds 7.45pm to 9.30pm
Saturday 29 th	Markets in the Tourist Park 9am-12pm
Sunday 30 th	Presbyterian Inland Mission Church 10am St Brigids Catholic Church 10am