



SHIRE OF
MOUNT MAGNET

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MOUNT MAGNET
WA AUST 6638

COUNCIL COMMENTS

January 2015

Lot 163 Hepburn Street (PO Box 62)
Phone: (08) 9963 3000 Fax: (08) 9963 4133
Email: shire@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au
Website: www.mtmagnet.wa.gov.au

COUNCILLORS

Ashley Dowden	Jorgen Jensen	Kevin Brand
Bob Ford	Wendy McGorman	Jason Homewood
Carole Minney	Joe O'Brien	Eliz Morris

SHIRE OF MOUNT MAGNET Ordinary Meetings of Council

2015	
February	Friday, 20
March	Friday, 20
April	Friday, 17
May	Friday, 22
June	Friday, 19

Meetings commence at 1:00pm in Council Chambers,
Lot 163 Hepburn Street, Mount Magnet

MURCHISON REGIONAL VERMIN COUNCIL Ordinary Meetings of Council

2015	
March	Tuesday, 9
June	Tuesday, 8
August	Monday, 7
December	Tuesday, 7

Meetings commence 10:00am in Council Chambers,
Lot 163 Hepburn Street, Mount Magnet



MOUNT MAGNET FITNESS CENTRE



Phone: (08) 99633 000 Fax: (08) 9963 4133
shire@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au

Membership Fees & Charges

Annual	\$ 370.00
Monthly	\$ 36.00
Weekly	\$ 9.00

Bond - Access Card \$ 50.00
(refundable on return of access card)

7 Days: 4:00am to 10:00pm



MOUNT MAGNET VISITOR CENTRE



Phone: (08) 9963 4172 Fax: (08) 9963 4289
visitor@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au

"Hub of the Murchison"

- * Statewide Information
- * Gift Shop
- * Internet Access
- * Brochures
- * Maps
- * Rock Exhibition

Entry into the Mining & Pastoral Museum



Weekdays

9:00am to 12:00 noon



MOUNT MAGNET CARAVAN PARK



Phone: (08) 9963 4198 Fax: (08) 9963 4961
caravanpark@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au

Stop, Rest & Rejuvenate

- * Powered Sites
- * 12 Single Units
- * Potable Water
- * Unpowered Sites
- * 7 Ensuite Units
- * Pet Friendly

**Modern & Stylish
New Amenities Building**



MOUNT MAGNET LIBRARY



Phone: (08) 9963 4480 Fax: (08) 9963 4969
library@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au

"Reading is dreaming with open eyes"

- * Interlibrary Loans
- * Audio Books/DVD's
- * Oral History Program
- * e-Library
- * Book Exchange
- * Internet Access

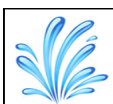


NEW

**Tuesday to Friday
From 12:30pm to 4:00pm**



Memorial Swimming POOL

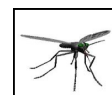


Opening Hours

Weekdays	Weekends & Public Holidays	Weekday School Holidays
6:00am - 7:00am	Closed early morning	6:00am - 7:00am
10:00am - 12:00pm	10:00am - 12:00pm	10:00am - 12:00pm
2:00pm - 6:30pm	1:30pm - 6:30pm	1:30pm - 6:30pm



Mosquito CONTROL



The Shire of Mount Magnet fogs for mosquitoes on a weekly basis (weather permitting) between 6:30 and 8:00pm. The Caravan Park grounds are fogged between 7:30pm and 8:00pm.

Please be mindful of this when you are preparing food or eating. The fogger has a plume of fog trailing from it and makes a distinctive putt putt sound (loud).



Position Vacant – Tourism Officer

An opportunity exists for a sales-oriented person to work in the Mount Magnet Visitor Centre.

Initially this would be a relieving/seasonal position.

Main requirements are:

- * Good presentation
- * Self confidence
- * Good communication skills
- * Ability to establish rapport with diverse people
- * Customer service orientation.

Training will be provided; however, previous experience in tourism sales will be highly regarded, as will knowledge of the tourist attractions of the Murchison region.

Applications addressing the requirements set out above, and including a curriculum vitae, should be sent to the CEO, Shire of Mount Magnet, PO Box 62, MOUNT MAGNET WA 6638 or by email to ceo@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au



Department of
Agriculture and Food



Proposal to Wind-Up the Mount Magnet Land Conservation District Committee

Public comment is invited in relation to the proposed wind-up of the Mount Magnet Land Conservation District Committee (LCDC).

LCDC's are statutory bodies formed under Section 23 of the *Soil and Land Conservation Act 1945*. Their functions include undertaking land conservation works, promoting soil conservation programs and providing advice to the Department of Agriculture and Food on land use issues within their districts.

The Mount Magnet LCDC is proposed to be abolished because of lack of interest.

If you wish to comment on this proposal, please write to the Commissioner by **31 March 2015**. All comments received will be presented to the Minister for Agriculture and Food before the LCDC is formally wound-up.

Commissioner of Soil and Land Conservation
Department of Agriculture and Food
Locked Bag No 4
BENTLY DELIVERY CENTRE WA 6983

For further information please contact:
Mary-Anne Bogucki
Phone: (08) 9368 3301

SKIPPERS NEW PERTH – MOUNT MAGNET TIMETABLE

(P) 1300 729 924 (W) <http://www.skippers.com>

SUNDAY – No Flights Scheduled

MONDAY

Flight no.	Depart	Time	Arrive	Time
JW3033	Mt Magnet	8:20am	Perth	9:20am
JW3034	Perth	3:00pm	Mt Magnet	4:10pm

TUESDAY – No Flights Scheduled

WEDNESDAY

Flight no.	Depart	Time	Arrive	Time
JW1941	Perth	7:35am	Mt Magnet	8:55am
	Mt Magnet	9:25am	Meekatharra	10:00am
	Meekatharra	10:30am	Perth	12:15pm

THURSDAY – No Flights Scheduled

FRIDAY

Flight no.	Depart	Time	Arrive	Time
JW3033	Mt Magnet	8.40am	Perth	9.50am
JW3034	Perth	3.00pm	Mt Magnet	4.10pm

SATURDAY – No Flights Scheduled

Skippers
WA's Truly Regional Airline

Drawn to Mt Magnet

WANNARS * DOLLY POTS * SHEARS



**Lorna Day
Karen Morrissey**

"Featuring an extensive range of photographs, the stories examine the heritage of local Indigenous, pastoral and prospecting communities which developed the township of Mount Magnet."

Soft Cover \$50

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Available at the Shire Office or the Visitor Centre

Sports Program

Basketball



Date: Every Monday
Time: From 7:00pm
Venue: Basketball Courts



Enquiries

Cecilia: (08) 9963 4144
Shire: (08) 9963 3000

Mixed Netball



Date: Every Thursday
Time: From 7:00pm
Venue: Netball Courts



Enquiries

Jessica: (08) 9963 4081
Shire: (08) 9963 3000



2014 Christmas Lights Competition



The Christmas Lights Competition was held again this year. Judging took place one week before Christmas. Congratulations to the following entries:

1st Prize	Eddie Cocot & Carol Carter
2nd Prize	Narelle & Mick Baer
3rd Prize	Brooke & Rob Young
Business Prize	Commercial Club Hotel



Special thanks to the Mount Magnet & Cue Seniors Groups for judging





2014 Shire Christmas Party

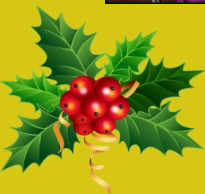


2014 Shire Christmas Party





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Australia Day 26 January 2015

One of the highlights of Australia Day is the Australia Day Awards. This year in Mount Magnet there was one award: The Premier's Australia Day Active Citizenship Award. The winner of this award was selected on the basis that they have shown active citizenship and made a significant contribution or shown great leadership.

It is a pleasure to announce that **Cecilia Kelly** has been awarded Mount Magnet Australia Day Active Citizen of the Year, "For her enormous efforts in re-kindling sports in Mount Magnet. Midwest Times - Thursday 20 November 2014 "With crime dropping in the town since the competition started, the basketball association has given the town an injection of purpose and positivity".



Australia Day 26 January 2015





Vince Catania MLA
MEMBER FOR NORTH WEST CENTRAL

THE NATIONALS
for Regional WA

16th January 2015

Media Release

North West Central projects successfully secure Mid West Community Chest Fund

Shire of Cue and Wirnda Barna Artists Inc. were amongst 16 successful Mid West projects from the first tranche of Community Chest Fund.

Welcoming this news, Vince Catania Member for North West Central said, "This is fantastic news for the individual organisations and for our region, yielding social and economic benefits to all."

In October 2014, the Minister for Regional Development, Hon Terry Redman MLA announced two new funding programs, with \$1.1 million available for a Mid West Regional Grants Scheme (RGS) and an additional \$370,000 for a Mid West Community Chest Fund (CCF).

"Congratulations to both the recipients on their success", said Vince, "Being selected amidst a highly competitive application process clearly demonstrates the high quality of project proposals including the strong evidence on the additional benefits to our remote region."

With the new funding the Shire of Cue is installing new tourism signage promoting attractions in the region whilst the new and emerging Wirnda Barna Aboriginal artists in Mount Magnet can pursue Certificate II in Aboriginal Cultural Arts.

Picture 1

Picture 2



Picture 1: Vince Catania MLA North West Central with a local artist at the opening of Wirnda Barna Artists Inc. Picture 2: Austin Street Post Office, Cue

"Mid West Development Commission has done an incredibly job in securing this funding for our community and processing applications." For further information contact Mid West Development Commission on 9921 0702 or go to www.mwdc.wa.gov.au to see the details of all successful CCF projects.

For enquiries please contact Vince Catania on (08) 99412 999 or email northwest@mp.wa.gov.au Photo courtesy — Picture 1: Mid West Development Commission Picture 2: Peter Money, Shire of Cue

BURNING PERIODS

Restrictive Burning Periods
1 October 2014 to 14 December 2014
(Permit required)

Prohibited Burning Periods
15 December 2014 to 31 March 2015
(No open fires)

Restrictive Burning Periods
1 April 2015 to 30 April 2015

Unrestricted Period
01 May 2015 - 30 September 2015
(No permit Required)



ANIMAL CONTROL

All dogs and cats residing in the Shire of Mount Magnet **MUST** be registered. ALL dogs and cats over 3 months old need to be registered.

	Sterilized		Unsterilized	
	1 Year	3 Years	1 Year	3 Years
Cats	\$20.00	\$42.50	\$50.00	\$120.00
Dogs	\$20.00	\$42.50	\$50.00	\$120.00

50% concession is available for eligible pensioners
(Pension card to 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)

VETERINARY SERVICE

For Mount Magnet
(at the Ambulance Hall in Cue)

Dr Rick Fenny

For appointments phone
0408 936 061

Email: rick@rickfennygroup.com
Website: petsandvetswa.com.au



Mt Magnet Gold Pty Ltd - 1080 Baiting

Mt Magnet Gold Pty Ltd (MMG) would like to advise the community of Mount Magnet of their intention to continue with the use of 1080 poison oats for the control of rabbits. Baiting stations have been installed within recently rehabilitated areas on MMG Mining Leases and have been fenced and signposted. Baiting will continue until at least the 16th of April 2015.

Please be advised that 1080 is highly toxic, the consumption of an animal that has ingested a lethal or sub-lethal dose of 1080 poses a serious risk of secondary poisoning to humans and animals. Access to MMG Mining Leases is restricted at all times, please ensure you do not enter these areas without authorisation from Mt Magnet Gold. The hunting or trapping of animals or removal of hides or carcasses on MMG Mining Leases is prohibited and MMG recommends pets and stock be restrained from entering baiting areas.

If you would like further information about this baiting program please contact MMG's Senior Environment Coordinator Dolly Pett, or Environmental Officer Jareth Howard, on 0417 069 828. Alternatively you can speak to a Biosecurity Officer at the Department of Agriculture and Food WA (DAFWA). More information about the use of 1080 is available from DAFWA's website: www.agric.wa.gov.au

Clean Up Day

CELEBRATING 25 YEARS
1990-2015



SUNDAY 8 MARCH 2015

Registration 8:30am at the Memorial Swimming Pool

BBQ brunch at the pool for registered participants commencing at 10:30am. Please bring a hat. All welcome

MAJOR SPONSORS



SPONSORS



SUPPLIERS





Mount Magnet MARKETS

**Last Saturday of each month
In the Senior's Park on Hepburn Street**

February	Saturday, 28
March	Saturday, 28
April	Saturday, 25
May	Saturday, 30
June	Saturday, 27
July	Saturday, 25
August	Saturday, 29
September	Saturday, 26
October	Saturday, 31
November	Saturday, 28
December	To be confirmed

Contact: Amber
Phone: (08) 9963 3000
Email: cso@mtmagnet.wa.gov.au



MT MAGNET HEALTH CENTRE

22 Welcome Street
Mount Magnet WA 6638
Phone: (08) 9963 3100
Fax: (08) 9963 3150

FEBRUARY 2015

Child Health	NA
Podiatrist	16th
Physiotherapist	24
Paediatrician	NA
Optometrist	NA
Dietician	NA
Audiologist	NA
Men's Health	NA
Psychologist	9th - 11th, 23rd - 25th
Visiting Ultrasound	2nd

Patient Assisted Travel Scheme (PATS)

PATS applications will be received by the Administration Clerk at the following times:

Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:30am to 12:30pm



MURCHISON OUTREACH SERVICES

56 Attwood Street
Mount Magnet WA 6638
Phone: (08) 9963 4111
Fax: (08) 9963 4311

FEBRUARY 2015

Dr Anna Stuart	NA
Diabetes Specialist	NA
Cardiologist	NA
Psychologist	6th & 20th
Podiatrist	NA
Diabetes Nurse	NA
Dietician	9th
Midwife	2nd & 16th
Mobile Ultrasound	2nd
Respiratory Specialist	NA



MURCHISON DENTAL SERVICES

63 Laurie Street
Mount Magnet WA 6638
Phone: 0427 386 647

VISITING SCHEDULE 2015

Town	1st Day	Final Day
Meekatharra	03 Feb	12 Feb
Mt Magnet	24 Feb	05 Mar
Yalgoo	17 Mar	26 Mar
Meekatharra	21 Apr	07 May
Mt Magnet	19 May	29 May
Sandstone	02 Jun	04 Jun
Meekatharra	23 Jun	02 Jul
Cue	21 Jul	30 Jul
Meekatharra	18 Aug	28 Aug
Burringurrah	31 Aug	03 Sep
Mt Magnet	15 Sep	24 Sep
Meekatharra	13 Oct	22 Oct
Mt Magnet	10 Nov	19 Nov
Meekatharra	01 Dec	17 Dec

Meekatharra (08) 9981 0640
Yalgoo Primary School: (08) 9962 8029
Cue & Sandstone 0427 386 647

HOW DO I CONTACT THE MOUNT MAGNET POLICE STATION?

The Mount Magnet Police Station is open to the public Monday to Friday 8.00am to 4.00pm.
Phone: (08) 9963 3222 or Fax: (08) 9963 3226

After Hours

If you need to speak to the Police after hours or report something to the Police, ring the Police Station telephone number.

If you require Police URGENTLY

Ring "000". This will be answered by Police Operations in Perth who will call the Mount Magnet Sergeant. Only use "000" if you require police to attend immediately.

What is URGENT?

- Serious danger to health or property.
- Serious traffic accident.
- Any serious crime.
- Large feuds.

OFFICER IN CHARGE



Women 50 years or over, have a FREE screening mammogram

The BreastScreen WA mobile service
will be located at:

**Mt Magnet
ANZAC Memorial Hall,
Hepburn Street
from
17/02/2015 to 19/02/2015**



**Ring 13 20 50 to make an appointment
Early detection is your best protection**



Department of
Health





COMMUNITY GROUPS

Community Group	Contact Person	Contact No.
Bidi Bidi Centre	Janine Bidois	(08) 9963 4508
Department for Child Protection	Sharon Wolgar	0429 370 525
Freemasons Zenith Lodge	Karl Ibbotson	(08) 9963 4004
Isolated Children's Parent's Association	Karen Morrissey	(08) 9963 5828
Mission Australia	Carol Carter	(08) 9963 4144
Mount Magnet Aboriginal Corporation	Carole Minney	0447 074 220
Mount Magnet District High School P&C	Wendy McGorman	(08) 9963 4081
Mount Magnet Gymkhana Club	Janet Jones	0407 572 208
Mount Magnet Historical Society	Kevin Brand	(08) 9963 4244
Mount Magnet Leader	Brendan Penzer	(08) 9963 4007
Mount Magnet Markets	Amber Seivwright	(08) 9963 3000
Mount Magnet Op Shop	Kathy Shaw	(08) 9963 4244
Mount Magnet Pottery Group	Karin Sturges	0447 797 285
Mount Magnet Race Club	Melissa Evans	0427 199 281
Mount Magnet Seniors Group	Karen Williams	0400 711 615
Mount Magnet Volunteer Ambulance	Angela Van Kints	0428 025 835
Mount Magnet Volunteer Fire & Rescue	Crystal Sirrine	0407 203 081
Mount Magnet Yamatji Church	George Taylor	0411 954 663
Presbyterian Inland Mission	Surendra Wesley	(08) 9963 4125
Rangeland Fibre & Produce Association	Anne Pilkington	(08) 9963 5827
St Brigid's Catholic Church	Sr Gerri Boylan	(08) 9963 4179
Wirnda Barna Artists	Brendan Penzer	(08) 9963 4007