



# Menzies Matters

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January 2013



... And a  
very happy  
new year!

## Shire of Menzies Information

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### ORDINARY MEETINGS OF COUNCIL

Council Meetings are usually held in the Shire of Menzies Council Chambers on the last Thursday of each month at **10.00am** unless otherwise advised.

Please note that the date for the next meeting is:

**Thursday 31 January 2013**

### Shire of Menzies Fire Notice

**Please ensure you observe all local fire laws for your own safety and the safety of others.**

**A TOTAL FIRE BAN IS IN PLACE BETWEEN OCTOBER AND MARCH EACH YEAR.**

Please be aware that bushfires have been burning recently in the Wiluna and Laverton Shires and some road closures have been reported. Contact these Shires if you require further information.





Menzies

Community Resource Centre

*Your local connection*

*Menzies Visitor Centre*

*Spinifex Art Gallery*

Not available during renovations

*Community Post Agency*

*Internet Access*

Not available during renovations

*Public Library*

Not available during renovations

*Caravan Park Bookings*



Department of  
Regional Development and Lands



**Open 9am - 4:30pm Weekdays**

**Phone: 90 242 702**

**A/H Caravan Park - 0448242041**

# Shire News



## **FROM THE ORDINARY MEETING OF COUNCIL** **FRIDAY, 21 DECEMBER 2012**

### **CAPITAL PURCHASE – ALTERATION TO BUDGET:**

Council approved an alteration to the 2012/2013 Budget to purchase a trailer in lieu of a truck which will be used to transport the septic tank pump around the Shire. This change will realise a saving of some \$90,000 and the trailer will be used to transport a fuel tank for the road crew when not in use with the septic pump.

### **2010/2012 ANNUAL REPORT:**

Council received the Annual Report for the year ended 30 June 2011. This report is well overdue and persons wishing to view this report should visit the Shire Administration Centre. An electors Meeting will be scheduled for Thursday, 31 January commencing at the Council Chambers at 11.00 am.

### **DONATION TO CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY:**

Council approved a donation of \$500 to the Menzies Youth and Community Group to assist towards the Children's Christmas Party function.

### **MENZIES COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE – FUTURE OPERATIONS:**

Following a decision by the Menzies Development Association Inc., Council agreed to continue operating the Community Resource Centre as a Shire venture. This decision followed a proposal for the MDA to take over management of the CRC, however, the logistics of such a task in a small town like Menzies proved to be too onerous.

Instead, the Shire will invite the MDA to participate in an Advisory Group which will provide feedback from the community on what they would like to see implemented through the centre.

Through this model, the CRC will have the chance to become a most valuable asset to the town.

## **COUNCIL MEETING DATES**

**The following dates, times and locations have been appointed as the Ordinary Council Meeting dates for the period ending 30 June 2013:**



|                           |          |                      |
|---------------------------|----------|----------------------|
| Thursday 31 January 2013  | 10.00 am | Teleconference       |
| Thursday 28 February 2013 | 10.00 am | Menzies              |
| Thursday 28 March 2013    | 10.00 am | Teleconference       |
| Thursday 25 April 2013    | 10.00 am | Teleconference (TBC) |
| Thursday 30 May 2013      | 10.00 am | Tjuntjuntjara        |
| Thursday 27 June 2013     | 10.00 am | Menzies              |



**SHIRE OF MENZIES**

**LOCAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ARRANGEMENTS**

The Shire of Menzies has established a LEM Committee in accordance with the Emergency Management Act 2005 guidelines.

A public meeting is being convened at the Shire Chambers on Thursday, 17 January 2013 commencing at 10.00 am to discuss:

- What the public perceives to be some of the risks as they affect Menzies and the district
- What response arrangements they see as being appropriate to deal with these risks

It is important that the public be involved in this meeting to ensure that any arrangements that are implemented are adequate and in the best interests of the community.

Please contact the undersigned should you have any questions relating to this meeting.

**PETERCRAWFORD**  
**Chief Executive Officer**  
**Shire of Menzies**

Community  
Christmas  
Party  
2012



# Menzies Health Centre

Mercer Street  
MENZIES WA 6436

Phone: 90242044

## PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DAY

Our new Registered Nurse, Jenny, will be available at the Menzies Health Centre each Tuesday and Wednesday in Doctor's week and each Wednesday and Thursday in other weeks. For further information, please phone the Health Centre on 90242044



Next RFDS Doctor's Clinic

**Date:** Tuesday 15 January 2013

**GP:** Dr Simon Evans

**Time:** 9.00am – 1.00pm

**Place:** Menzies Health Centre

**Phone:** 90242044 for appointments

**EMERGENCIES ONLY: 000**

**Poisons Information available 24 hours: 131126**

**CLINIC HOURS: Monday to Friday, 9.00am to 4.00pm**

**If the Clinic is unattended and you need immediate health advice,  
call HEALTH DIRECT 1800 022 222 any time, day or night.**

# SAVE THE DATE!



OUTSIDE THE SHIRE HALL

AUSTRALIA DAY BREAKFAST

9.00AM SATURDAY 26 JANUARY 2013

COME DOWN AND CELEBRATE OUR  
NATIONAL DAY

FOOD, DRINKS AND ENTERTAINMENT  
PROVIDED BY THE SHIRE OF MENZIES



Celebrate  
what's  
**great!**



**SHIRE OF MENZIES**

**PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

At the Ordinary Meeting of Council held Thursday 29 November 2012, Council approved both a Strategic Community Plan and Local Planning Policies.

The Strategic Community Plan is a document that outlines the future plans for the community that the Council intends to follow.

Local Planning Policies are guidelines that the Council will follow in all future planning applications both for the towns as well as the district.

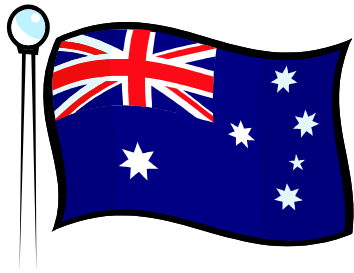
Free copies of these two documents are available by contacting the Administrative Centre. Residents are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to consider what their Council is endeavouring to achieve in building a better future for the town and its residents.

Any person wishing to make comment on these plans is invited to address that submission to the CEO. Council will then consider all comments before adopting the final plans.

Closing date for submissions is Friday 1 February 2013 at 4.00pm.

**PETER CRAWFORD**  
**Chief Executive Officer**





## Australia Day Citizenship Awards

The Premier's Australia Day Active Citizenship Awards focus on community contribution and participation rather than personal achievement.

They are run in many Councils around the State as a joint initiative of the Australia Day Council of Western Australia, the Western Australian Local Government Association (WALGA) and the Office of Premier and Cabinet.

You can nominate an inspiring community member or group from Menzies for an award to be presented at a ceremony on Australia Day - 26 January. The three awards highlight active citizenship, outstanding contribution to the local community and Australian pride and spirit. Choose the one that suits your nominee:

- outstanding community contribution by a local citizen
- outstanding community contribution by a local citizen under 25 years of age
- outstanding community contribution by a local group or community event

Submit your nomination to the CEO of the Shire of Menzies by 5.00pm on Friday 18 January 2013 and then come along to the Australia Day Festivities at the Shire Hall on Saturday 26 January 2013 to find out who is the worthy winner of this Award.



**Please note:**

Your nominees or recipients should reside or work principally within the Local Government area in which they are being recognised. You may therefore, award a person who lives outside of your local government area, but who conducts work within your area that benefits your community

## **MENZIES COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE**

**Incorporating the Visitor Centre, Spinifex Art Gallery, Post Office Agency, Computer Area and Library.**

**Services available at the Menzies CRC include photocopying, faxing, typing and other secretarial tasks.**

**Visitors can book into the Caravan Park and obtain information about the local area and beyond.**

**Mail and courier items can be sent from and delivered to the Postal Agency.**

**Please note that at present library, internet and art gallery facilities are unavailable because of renovation works being carried out on the building.**

2013: Some facts about this year:

2013 (MMXIII) will be a common year starting on a Tuesday.

In the Gregorian calendar, it will be the 2013th year of the Common Era (CE) and *Anno Domini* (AD) designations; the 13th year of the 3rd millennium and of the 21st century; and the 4th of the 2010s decade.

It will also be the first year to be denoted by four different digits in 26 years (since 1987).



How many people guessed that this lovely little boy is Thomas Tucker?

## NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS

*It is the responsibility of the owner to make sure all dogs are registered with the Council and to **ENSURE** that dogs are kept in a secured fenced environment at home unless on a leash.*

Dog registrations were due to be paid on the 31 October, 2012. If you have not yet registered your dog or renewed registration, you must do so immediately.

All dogs over the age of 3 months within the Shire of Menzies are required to be registered under the Dog Act 1976.

Failure to register the dog is an offence under the Dog Act 1976.

### REGISTRATION FEES

#### ANNUAL REGISTRATION OF UNSTERILISED

Dog or bitch \$30.00

#### CONCESSIONAL REGISTRATION RATES:-

Sterilised dog or bitch – annual registration \$10.00

Dog used for droving or tending stock ¼ of fee otherwise payable

Dogs owned by pensioners ½ of fee otherwise payable

#### THREE YEAR REGISTRATION PERIOD

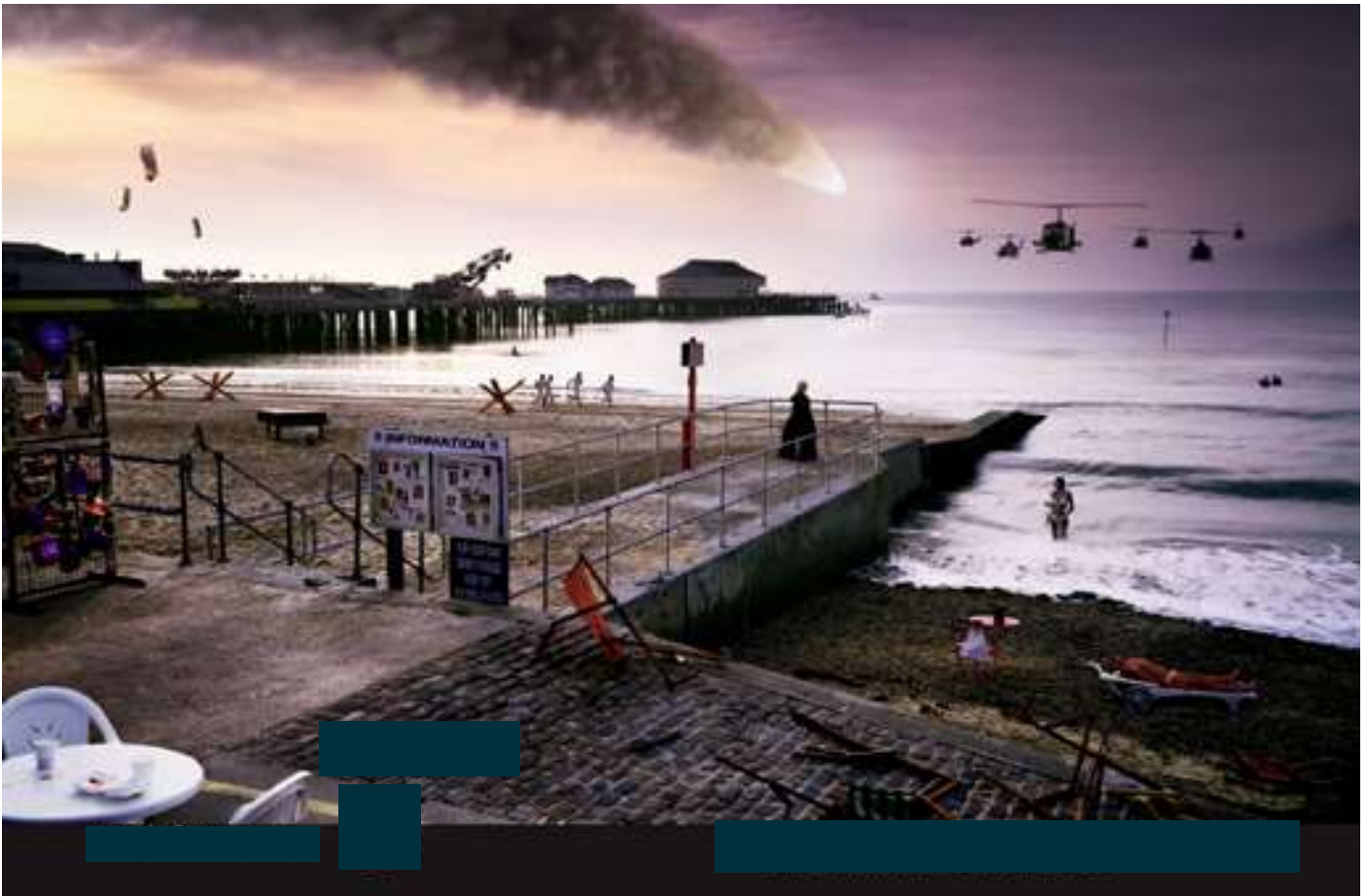
Sterilised dog or bitch \$18.00

Unsterilised dog or bitch \$75.00

**THE SHIRE RANGER WILL IMPOUND ANY DOG FOUND WANDERING. IF THE DOG IS NOT CLAIMED WITHIN 72 HOURS, THE DOG WILL THEN BE DESTROYED.**

**Peter Crawford**  
Chief Executive Officer





## MOVIE QUIZ

In the beach scene above which was printed in the December Menzies Matters, there are visual hints to twenty well known movies. How many were you able to name?

- |    |                    |    |                                      |
|----|--------------------|----|--------------------------------------|
| 1  | The Bicycle Thief  | 11 | The Piano                            |
| 2  | The Beach          | 12 | Apocalypse Now                       |
| 3  | Open Water         | 13 | Jaws                                 |
| 4  | Dr No              | 14 | Quadrophenia                         |
| 5  | Shirley Valentine  | 15 | <b>The French Lieutenant's Woman</b> |
| 6  | Sexy Beast         | 16 | Chariots of Fire                     |
| 7  | Titanic            | 17 | The Lost Boys                        |
| 8  | Kes                | 18 | Saving Private Ryan                  |
| 9  | Godzilla           | 19 | Deep Impact                          |
| 10 | Bhaji on the Beach | 20 | The Hunt for Red October             |

## Public Holidays 2013

**New Year's Day**—1 January

Australia Day—26 January

Australia Day PH—28 January

Labour Day—4 March

Good Friday—29 March

Easter Monday—1 April

ANZAC Day—25 April

Foundation Day—3 June

**Queen's Birthday**—30 September

Christmas Day—25 December

Boxing Day 26 December

## School Holidays 2013

Term 1—4 February to 19 April

Term 2—6 May to 5 July

Term 3—22 July to 27 September

Term 4—14 October to 19 December



## AUSTRALIA DAY GEOGRAPHY QUIZ

1. Name Australia's western-most point?
2. How much of Australia is classified as desert - A) 8% B) 16% C) 25% D) 35%
3. Which is the second largest city in NSW?
4. In what state/territory is the Brisbane Ranges National Park?
5. The Tamar River flows to which Tasmanian town/city?
6. What is the tallest waterfall in Australia?
7. What is the longest river in the Northern Territory?
8. The landmark *Katu Tjuta* is also known as what?
9. What is Australia's largest non-salt lake?
10. What is South Australia's largest island?



Answers in the February Edition of The Menzies Matters.

## PLEASE NOTE

Articles for the February 2013 edition of the Menzies Matters are required by **Monday 28 January 2013**. Email articles to [ceoxa@menzies.wa.gov.au](mailto:ceoxa@menzies.wa.gov.au) or drop them off to the Visitor Centre or the Shire Office. Remember—this is **OUR** community newspaper and input is always welcome from all members of the community.



## Glimpses of the Past

### Destructive Cyclone at Niagara

#### Buildings Unroofed

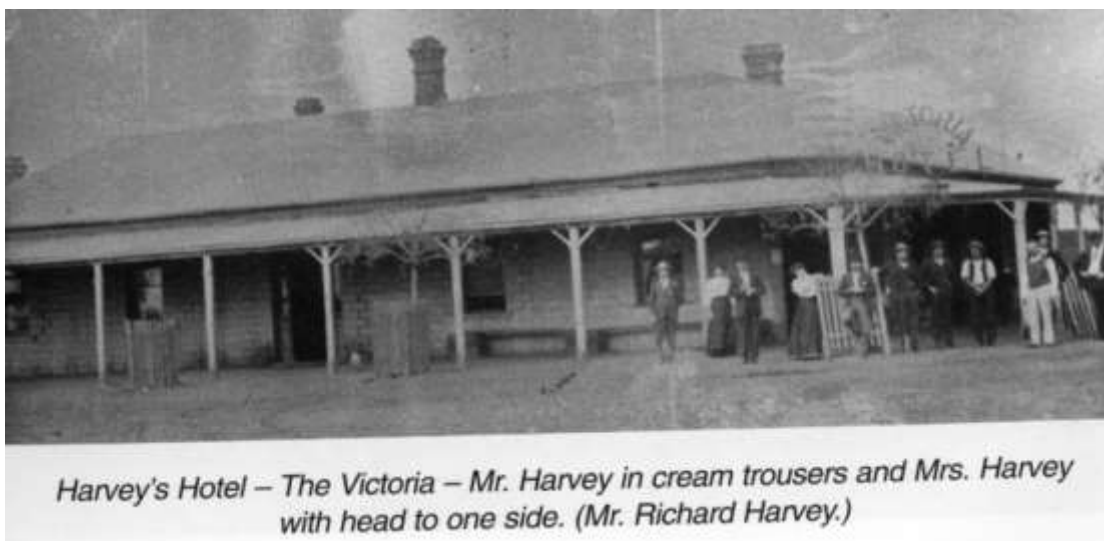
Kookynie Nov 25

On Sunday night at 6.30, the most severe cyclone that has yet been experienced in the district came from a north-westerly direction and swept through Niagara with terrific force. The town, when visited this morning, bore full testimony to the severity of the storm. Iron, timber, tanks and other debris were scattered in all directions, and in most instances at a considerable distance from the unroofed buildings.

The Miners Institute, a large hall built of sundried bricks with iron roof, was totally ruined, only portion of one wall being left standing. Messrs. Kennedy Bros store, of similar construction and size, is unroofed **and otherwise damaged. Of Mrs West's residence, also substantially built of sun dried bricks, nothing but the walls remain. The verandah of Mr Hugh Kelly's store was lifted onto the roof, which it smashed,** causing the walls to bulge out.

The Challenge Hotel, belonging to and tenanted by Mrs Coombes, had half the roof blown away, and the property was otherwise damaged. The Victoria Hotel had its verandah on the northern side swept completely away and the other damage done. Mrs Monaghan, who recently leased the Niagara Hotel is the greatest sufferer, the whole of the buildings, with the exception of the bar and billiard room, being unroofed, the walls severely damaged, and the verandah and windows smashed. The dust and rain that accompanied the tornado beat into the unroofed rooms doing much damage to furniture, clothing and fittings.

**The storm extended to Jessop's Well, where some damage was done. It also blew violently in Kookynie, but beyond turning over a few makeshift tenements and smothering the place in dust, little damage was done.**



*Harvey's Hotel – The Victoria – Mr. Harvey in cream trousers and Mrs. Harvey with head to one side. (Mr. Richard Harvey.)*

Excerpt taken from Kalgoorlie Western Argus Tuesday 4 December, 1906  
Glimpses of the Past courtesy of E.G. Historical Society.  
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# Menzies hotel And store

**Shop hours: 8.00am – 5.00pm**

**Hotel hours: 11.00am – 9.00pm**

**Hot Counter Meals: 12.00pm to 2.00pm and 6.00pm to 8.00pm**

**Fresh Sandwiches and Rolls**

**Soft drinks**

**Juices**

**Coffee**

**The MENZIES TOASTY**

**Cakes**

**Ice Creams**

**Flavoured Milks**

**Cold Beer - ALL DAY!**

**General Stores**

**Accommodation**

**Fast foods**

**Ice**

**Pies, Pasties, Sausage Rolls**

**IF YOU'RE IN A HURRY – DON'T WORRY**

**PHONE ORDERS WELCOME 90242016**

***KLEENHEAT GAS is now available from Menzies Hotel Shop or Bar—EFTPOS available***

|                 |                     |              |                 |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <b>Pricing:</b> | <b>Exchange</b>     | <b>8.5Kg</b> | <b>\$40.00</b>  |
|                 | <b>Buy</b>          | <b>8.5Kg</b> | <b>\$95.00</b>  |
|                 | <b>Exchange</b>     | <b>45Kg</b>  | <b>\$155.00</b> |
|                 | <b>Delivery fee</b> |              | <b>\$10.00</b>  |

***Delivery time: Wednesday afternoon between 2.00pm and 4.00pm  
Saturday morning between 10.00am and 11.00am***

## Advance Australia Fair

Australians all let us rejoice,  
 For we are young and free;  
 We've golden soil and wealth for toil,  
 Our home is girt by sea;  
 Our land abounds in Nature's gifts  
 Of beauty rich and rare;  
 In history's page, let every stage  
 Advance Australia fair!  
 In joyful strains then let us sing,  
 "Advance Australia fair!"

When gallant Cook from Albion sail'd,  
 To trace wide oceans o'er,  
 True British courage bore him on,  
 Till he landed on our shore.  
 Then here he raised Old England's flag,  
 The standard of the brave;  
 With all her faults we love her still,  
 "Brittannia rules the wave!"  
 In joyful strains then let us sing  
 "Advance Australia fair!"

Beneath our radiant southern Cross,  
 We'll toil with hearts and hands;  
 To make this Commonwealth of ours  
 Renowned of all the lands;  
 For those who've come across the seas  
 We've boundless plains to share;  
 With courage let us all combine  
 To advance Australia fair.  
 In joyful strains then let us sing  
 "Advance Australia fair!"

While other nations of the globe  
 Behold us from afar,  
 We'll rise to high renown and shine  
 Like our glorious southern star;  
 From England, Scotia, Erin's Isle,  
 Who come our lot to share,  
 Let all combine with heart and hand  
 To advance Australia fair!  
 In joyful strains then let us sing  
 "Advance Australia fair!"

Shou'd foreign foe e'er sight our coast,  
 Or dare a foot to land,  
 We'll rouse to arms like sires of yore  
 To guard our native strand;  
 Brittannia then shall surely know,  
 Beyond wide ocean's roll,  
 Her sons in fair Australia's land  
 Still keep a British soul.  
 In joyful strains then let us sing  
 "Advance Australia fair!"



Whilst this is the full version of Advance Australia Fair, Verses 1 and 3 are most commonly sung at events and ceremonies



# Menzies Matters

## Lamingtons Sponge Recipe

1 cup butter

1 cup sugar

4 eggs (beaten)

2 cups self raising flour\*

Icing (recipe follows)

Preheat oven to 175°C

Grease a 13 x 9 inch pan and set aside.

Cream together butter and sugar.

Gradually add the eggs, mixing well.

Add 1/3 cup of flour at a time, stirring gently and thoroughly after each addition.

Pour batter in pan and bake for 1 to 1 1/4 hours, reducing the temperature to 160°C after 30 minutes.

Let cool.

Cut into 2 inch (4 cm) squares.

## Chocolate Lamingtons Icing

500 grams of icing sugar

1/3 cup of cocoa

15 grams of butter

½ cup of milk

coconut

Melt the butter in a saucepan and remove from the heat.

Sift the icing sugar and cocoa into the saucepan, add the milk and mix through.

Dip squares of sponge cake into the icing mix. Roll in coconut.

Eat and enjoy!



**GRT EXPRESS**

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- 80 passengers must occupy a seat and be seat-belted.
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- No flammable liquids, firearms or explosives shall be carried or accepted on personal luggage, personal possession or on freight on any Goldrush Tours / GRT Express vehicle.
- Please be at your departure point at least 10 minutes prior to departure time.

GRT Express Timetable effective from 1/10/2012.  
Times are subject to traffic and weather conditions.  
\* Conditions apply.

**Booking Agents:**

**Kalgoorlie Boulder Pure  
Gold Visitor Centre**

**9021 1966**

Cnr Hannan & Wilson Street, Kalgoorlie  
Weekdays 8:30 am – 5:00 pm  
Weekends and Public Holidays 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Leonora Motor Inn**

**9037 6444**

48 Tower Street, Leonora  
Weekdays 9:00 am – 5:00 pm  
Weekends 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm

**Shire of Wiluna**

**9981 8000**

28 Scotia Street, Wiluna  
Weekdays 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

**The Great Beyond Visitor Centre**

**9031 1361**

5 Augusta Street, Laverton  
Weekdays 9:00 am – 4:30pm  
Weekends and Public Holidays 9:00am – 1:00pm

**GOLDRUSH  
TOURS**

**TIMETABLE**

**KALGOORLIE  
TO LAVERTON**

**WILUNA  
TO LEONORA**

**BOOKINGS & ENQUIRIES**

**1800 620 440**

**PURCHASE TICKETS ONLINE**  
[www.goldrushtours.com.au](http://www.goldrushtours.com.au)

**GRT EXPRESS TIMETABLE**

**Kalgoorlie to Laverton**

TIMETABLE EFFECTIVE 01/10/2012

THURSDAY

| EXPRESS                    | TIME           |
|----------------------------|----------------|
| KALGOORLIE RAILWAY STATION | 10.00am        |
| KALGOORLIE VISITOR CENTRE  | 10.15am        |
| MENZIES                    | 11.40am        |
| KOOKYNIIE TURNOFF          | 12.05pm        |
| LEONORA                    | ARRIVE 12.45pm |
|                            | DEPART 1.00pm  |
| MURRIN MURRIN TURNOFF      | 1.45pm         |
| MT MORGAN TURNOFF          | 1.55pm         |
| LAVERTON                   | 2.30pm         |

**Laverton to Kalgoorlie**

TIMETABLE EFFECTIVE 01/10/2012

FRIDAY

| EXPRESS            | TIME           |
|--------------------|----------------|
| LAVERTON           | 10.00am        |
| MT MORGANS TURNOFF | 10.30am        |
| MURRIN MURRIN      | 10.40am        |
| LEONORA            | ARRIVE 11.15am |
|                    | DEPART 11.30am |
| KOOKYNIIE TURNOFF  | 12.00pm        |
| MENZIES            | 12.30pm        |
| KALGOORLIE         | 2.00pm         |

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**1800 620 440**

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**FARE GUIDE**

Valid: 1 October 2012 to 30 June 2013

**KALGOORLIE TO LAVERTON**

(OPERATED BY GRT EXPRESS)

**ADULT FARE**

| Kalgoorlie   | Kalg |     |      |     |        |      |      |  |  |
|--------------|------|-----|------|-----|--------|------|------|--|--|
| Menzies      | 45   | Men |      |     |        |      |      |  |  |
| Kookynie/T/O | 54   | 25  | Kook |     |        |      |      |  |  |
| Leonora      | 60   | 43  | 25   | Lea |        |      |      |  |  |
| Murrin       | 66   | 52  | 38   | 30  | Murrin |      |      |  |  |
| Mt Morgans   | 66   | 52  | 38   | 30  | 30     | MtMg |      |  |  |
| Laverton     | 75   | 58  | 53   | 45  | 30     | 30   | Lavr |  |  |

**CHILD/CONCESSION FARE**

| Kalgoorlie   | Kalg |     |      |     |        |      |      |  |  |
|--------------|------|-----|------|-----|--------|------|------|--|--|
| Menzies      | 26   | Men |      |     |        |      |      |  |  |
| Kookynie T/O | 31   | 12  | Kook |     |        |      |      |  |  |
| Leonora      | 35   | 25  | 12   | Leo |        |      |      |  |  |
| Murrin       | 40   | 29  | 26   | 23  | Murrin |      |      |  |  |
| Mt Morgans   | 40   | 29  | 26   | 23  | 23     | MtMg |      |  |  |
| Laverton     | 45   | 35  | 31   | 26  | 26     | 23   | Lavr |  |  |

**WILUNA TO LEONORA**

(OPERATED BY SHIRE OF WILUNA)

**ADULT FARE**

| Wiluna   | Wiluna |          |         |
|----------|--------|----------|---------|
| Leinster | 49     | Leinster |         |
| Leonora  | 57     | 38       | Leonora |

**CHILD/CONCESSION FARE**

| Wiluna   | Wiluna |          |         |
|----------|--------|----------|---------|
| Leinster | 29     | Leinster |         |
| Leonora  | 35     | 23       | Leonora |

CONCESSION: Pensioners, Health Care Card Holders, Children 4 - 16 years, Full-time Students

**SHIRE OF WILUNA TIMETABLE**

**Wiluna to Leonora**

TIMETABLE EFFECTIVE 01/10/2012

THURSDAY ONLY

| EXPRESS   | TIME    |
|---|---------|
| WILUNA  | 8.30am  |
| ARRIVE LEINSTER                                     | 10.30am |
| DEPART LEINSTER                                     | 10.45am |
| ARRIVE LEONORA                                      | 12.30pm |
| LEONORA<br>(CONNECTING KALGOORLIE/LAVERTON SERVICE) | 12.45pm |
| DEPART LEONORA                                      | 1.00pm  |
| ARRIVE LEINSTER                                     | 2.45pm  |
| DEPART LEINSTER                                     | 3.00pm  |
| WILUNA  | 5.00pm  |

TIMETABLE EFFECTIVE 01/10/2012

FRIDAY ONLY

| EXPRESS   | TIME    |
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| WILUNA  | 7.15am  |
| ARRIVE LEINSTER                                     | 9.15am  |
| DEPART LEINSTER                                     | 9.30am  |
| ARRIVE LEONORA                                      | 11.15am |
| LEONORA<br>(CONNECTING KALGOORLIE/LAVERTON SERVICE) | 11.15am |
| DEPART LEONORA                                      | 11.30am |
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| WILUNA  | 3.45pm  |

**BOOKINGS & ENQUIRIES**

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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

## JANUARY

- 14th Qwanesha Johnson
- 18th Melissa Johnson
- 23rd Jameelah Williams
- 31st Shakira Tucker

If you would like your birthday (or the birthday of a family member or friend) included in this list, please drop details in to Bev at the Visitor Centre.



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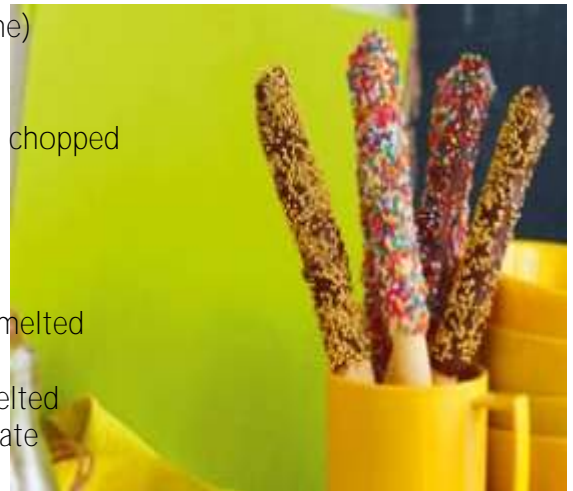
**Tips for cooking with kids**

- **Safety first! Turn in pot handles away from the edge and keep glassware, sharp knives and graters out of reach.**
- **Read the recipe and prepare to take over any parts you think could be tricky for the kids, such as chopping or frying.**
- **Set the kids up with their own counter space with items they can safely work with, such as measuring cups.**
- **Get the littlest kids involved wherever you can - ask them to push a button, stir ingredients, or just lick the bowl.**

## Magic Wands

Makes 24  
Preparation 1 hour (+ setting time)  
Cooking 25 mins

125g butter, at room temperature, chopped  
100g (1/2 cup) caster sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla extract  
1 egg  
190g (1 1/4 cups) plain flour  
375g packet milk chocolate melts, melted  
Yellow sprinkles, to decorate  
375g pkt white chocolate melts, melted  
Hundreds and thousands, to decorate



1 Preheat oven to 180°C. Line 3 baking trays with baking paper. Use an electric beater to beat the butter, sugar and vanilla in a large bowl until pale and creamy. Add the egg and beat just until combined. Stir in the flour until well combined.

2 Roll 3 teaspoons of the dough on a lightly floured surface into a 20cm-long log. Transfer to 1 prepared tray. Repeat with the remaining dough.

3 Bake 2 trays, swapping halfway through cooking, for 10-12 minutes or until pale golden. Cool completely on the trays. Repeat with remaining tray.

4 Dip half of 1 wand into the milk chocolate, allowing excess to drip off. Hold over a large plate and sprinkle with yellow sprinkles. Transfer to a lined tray. Repeat with half the remaining wands. Set aside for 30 minutes or until set.

5 Repeat with the remaining wands, white chocolate and hundreds and thousands.

Per wand **3g protein • 13g fat • (11g saturated fat) • 30g carb • 0.5g dietary fibre • 1055kJ (250 Cals)**

## Balloon rocket activity



Ever wondered how rockets fly through the sky? It is thanks to something called thrust. Find out more by completing this experiment.

### You will need

- 1 balloon (you can experiment with different shapes and sizes)
- 1 long piece of string
- 1 plastic straw
- tape

### Directions

1. Tie one end of the string to a chair, door knob or other support.
2. Put the other end of the string through the straw. Pull the string tight and tie it to another chair or door knob.
3. Blow up the balloon, but don't tie it. Remember to hold the opening tightly closed while you complete the next step (ask a friend to hold it for you if you need help).
4. Grab your tape and stick the middle of the balloon to the straw so it is attached and ready for take-off.
5. Let go and watch the balloon rocket fly.

### How did that happen?

This experiment works by using the same method of **thrust** that launches a rocket. A rocket's engine uses two kinds of liquid fuels that mix together and burn to release powerful hot gases that blast the rocket off the ground and into the air. The **thrust** is the energy created by the combustion of the fuels being released from the bottom of the rocket.

In a similar way this experiment uses the **thrust** created from the energy of the balloon forcing the air out to push the balloon along the string. A balloon weighs a lot less than a rocket, which is why it only needs air to push it along instead of a powerful blast of gas.

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## Local Information

### FREE CAMPING

Free camping sites in the Menzies area are available at Lake Ballard (51km west of Menzies) and Niagara Dam (65km north east of Menzies).

Facilities at these sites include toilets, barbecues, potable water, rubbish bins.

Please remember to preserve these areas for future generations and

**'Take nothing but photographs,  
Leave nothing but footprints'**

### Grand Hotel Kookynie

Food, accommodation, petrol and diesel.

Monday to Saturday - 9.00am to 9.00pm

Sunday - 10.00am to 9.00pm

Takeaway and counter meals, lunch and evening.

Breakfast by arrangement for travellers

Grocery lines and LPG bottle fill.

Camping ground adjacent to hotel

Ph: 90313010

Fax: 90313001

### MENZIES CARAVAN PARK

Corner of Shenton and Brown Streets, Menzies (entrance from Brown Street).

Bookings can be made through the Menzies Visitor Centre (90242702) during business hours or after hours 0448 242041 (On-site Caretaker).

Powered or unpowered sites, new ablution blocks including laundry (coin operated washing machines).

Rates from \$20.00 per night (unpowered).



### Menzies Centrelink Agent

Contact – Alana Cameron

Phone: 90242504 Fax: 90242191

Open 8am -11am weekdays

At the Menzies Aboriginal Corp.

Centre, Walsh Street Menzies



### Mobile Phone Recycling

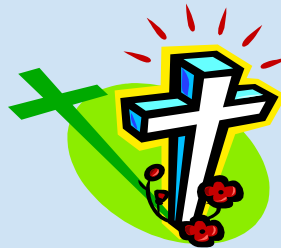
Phone recycling bags are available at the Menzies CRC. Bring in your old phones, batteries and chargers and we will bag them and send them off to Mobile Muster on your behalf.

# SAVE THE DATE!



1-2 June 2013 Kalgoorlie-Boulder Menzies Leonora **EVENT OF THE YEAR**

## ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE, MENZIES 6.00AM, THURSDAY 25 APRIL 2013



More details to follow.

### Easter Weekend:

Friday 29 March Good Friday



Saturday 30 March Easter Saturday

Sunday 31 March Easter Sunday






Monday 1 April Easter Monday

# Menzies Matters



The Menzies Matters is produced by the  
**Menzies CRC**  
 and  
**The Shire of Menzies**

## Calendar of Events for JANUARY 2013

| Mon   | Tue  | Wed  | Thu  | Fri  | Sat   | Sun  |
|---|--|--|--|--|---|--|
| <b>30 December</b><br>New Year's Eve<br>                     | <b>1</b><br>New Years Day<br> | <b>2</b><br>CRC open<br>9.00am to<br>11.00am<br><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies | <b>3</b><br>Shire Office and<br>CRC open for<br>business as<br>usual<br><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies | <b>4</b><br>World Braille Day  | <b>5</b>  | <b>6</b>   |
| SHIRE OFFICE CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS BREAK   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 19 December 2012 to 4 February 2013   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| <b>7</b>  | <b>8</b>   | <b>9</b><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies   | <b>10</b><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies  | <b>11</b>  | <b>12</b>   | <b>13</b>  |
| SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 19 December 2012 to 4 February 2013   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| <b>14</b>   | <b>15</b><br>Wikipedia Day<br><br>Doctor Evans at<br>Health Centre<br><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies           | <b>16</b><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies  | <b>17</b><br>World Religion<br>Day<br><br>LEMC Public<br>Meeting 10.00am<br>Shire Council<br>Chambers  | <b>18</b><br>Nominations<br>close for<br>Citizenship<br>Awards 5.00pm  | <b>19</b>   | <b>20</b>  |
| SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 19 December 2012 to 4 February 2013   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| <b>21</b>   | <b>22</b>  | <b>23</b><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies  | <b>24</b><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies  | <b>25</b>  | <b>26</b><br>Australia Day<br>Breakfast @<br>Shire Hall 9.00am<br><br> | <b>27</b><br>World Leprosy<br>Day<br><br>Holocaust<br>Memorial Day |
| SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 19 December 2012 to 4 February 2013   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| <b>28</b><br>Australia Day<br>Public Holiday<br><br>Data Protection<br>Day<br><br>Last day for<br>articles for<br>February Menzies<br>Matters | <b>29</b>  | <b>30</b><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies  | <b>31</b><br>Council Meeting<br>10.00am<br><br>Internet Free<br>Day<br><br>Sister Jenny in<br>Menzies  | <b>01 February</b><br>Closing date for<br>submissions for<br>Strategic<br>Community Plan<br>and Local<br>Planning<br>Policies—4.00pm | <b>02 February</b><br>Kalgoorlie<br>Speedway:<br>Super Sedans<br>5.00pm start   | <b>03 February</b>   |
| SCHOOL HOLIDAYS 19 December 2012 to 4 February 2013   |  |  |  |  |   |  |