



Menzies Matters

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August is the eighth month of the year in the Julian and Gregorian Calendars and one of seven months with a length of 31 days. In the Southern Hemisphere, August is the seasonal equivalent of February in the Northern Hemisphere.

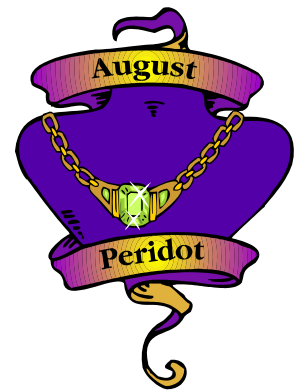
In common years no other month starts on the same day of the week as August, though in leap years February starts on the same day. August ends on the same day of the week as November every year.

This month was originally named *Sextilis* in Latin, because it was the sixth month in the original ten-month Roman calendar under Romulus in 753 BC, when March was the first month of the year. About 700 BC it became the eighth month when January and February were added to the year before March by King Numa Pompilius, who also gave it 29 days. Julius Caesar added two days when he created the Julian calendar in 45 BC giving it its modern length of 31 days. In 8 BC it was renamed in honour of Augustus. (Despite common belief, he did not take a day from February; see the debunked theory on month lengths) According to a *Senatus consultum* quoted by Macrobius, he chose this month because it was the time of several of his great triumphs, including the conquest of Egypt.

August's birthstone is the peridot or onyx.

Its birth flower is the gladiolus or poppy, meaning beauty, strength of character, love, marriage and family.

The zodiac signs in August are Leo (astrology) and Virgo (astrology).



Vale Aileen Daisy Kelly 18 July 1949 to 26 July 2012

Aileen passed away peacefully on Thursday 26 July 2012 in Kalgoorlie Hospital.

Though originally from Far North Queensland, Aileen came to live in Menzies in the early 1990s. During her time here she met and was befriended by many people from all walks of life.

She worked in a variety of positions including the School and the Shire, she was an Elected Member of the Menzies Council and she did much to help the people of Menzies and others who were less fortunate than herself.

Aileen will be sadly missed by her Menzies Family.

May she rest in peace.



Shire of Menzies Information

KLEENHEAT GAS

The Shire of Menzies has the agency for Bottled Gas.

8.5kg Exchange - \$43

45kgs Collection - \$155

45kgs Delivered - \$165

45kg prices for exchange only



Payments can be made at the Community Resource Centre

EFTPOS available.

Collection and delivery from the Shire Depot
8:30am - 4.00pm Weekdays Only

SHIRE OF MENZIES

Council Meetings are usually held in the Shire of Menzies Council Chambers on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 10.00am unless otherwise advised.

Meetings for the remainder of 2012 will be held on:

Tuesday 28th August

@ Tjuntjuntjara

Tuesday 25 September

@ Menzies

Tuesday 23 October

@ Menzies

Tuesday 27 November

@ Menzies

Tuesday 18 December

@ Menzies

Public question time 10.00am
All welcome.

Shire of Menzies Fire Notice

Please ensure you observe all local fire laws for your own and others' safety. A total fire ban is in place between October and March annually.



Shire of Menzies

PO Box 4 Menzies WA 6436

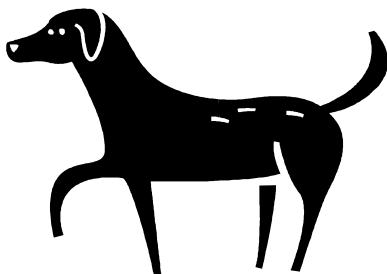
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www.goldenquesttrail.com.au



Shire Dog Registration applications and payments are now processed at the Menzies Community Resource Centre.

EFTPOS available.



Take a look around!



Menzies

Community Resource Centre

Your local connection

Menzies Visitor Centre

Spinifex Art Gallery

Community Post Agency

Internet Access

Public Library

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 HELD TUESDAY, 24 JULY 2012

GOLDFIELDS CYCLASSIC

Mr Rob Northcoat, the President of the Goldfields Cyclassic was in attendance at the meeting and presented Council with the "Yellow" jersey which was awarded to the winner of the recent cycle race. Mr Northcoat also gave a overview of the classic and discussed plans for next years event.

APPEALS COMMITTEE

The Shire of Menzies received a visit from two members of the Appeals Committee who have been appointed by the State Government to investigate submissions received in respect to the proposed mining and haulage of uranium ore along the Goldfields Highway.

Whilst the Shire of Menzies did not lodge a submission in relation to the proposal, the visit was a courtesy to enable Council to comment on the plan. Council was appreciative of the visit and requested that the CEO contact TORO, the company behind the proposal to visit Council to outline their plans in detail.

FEES AND CHARGES

Council has approved a review of its Fees and Charges for the forthcoming budget. A number of new charges have been provided for where none previously existed and some also deleted. Those changes are not expected to affect the residents to any great extent. A copy of the Fees and Charges will be advertised when Council Adopts the 2012/2013 Budget.

DIFFERENTIAL RATES

Council resolved not to apply a rates increase in the 2012/2013 financial year. This decision was as a result of the lack of progress involving certain capital projects during the past year. A shortage of staff contributed to this situation and Council felt that it would be unfair to burden rate payers with a rates increase without being able to display finalisation of some major achievements.

FIVE YEAR CAPITAL WORKS PLAN

Council has resolved to construct two new houses in Menzies rather than purchasing houses from GROH. It was felt that by building the new houses, it increased the number of dwellings in town while leaving the GROH houses available for private sale. It is hoped that tenders for these houses will be called for in the near future.

ADMINISTRATION OFFICE HOURS

Council has also reviewed the hours of business for the administration office. The new opening hours will be from **8.00 am to 4.30 pm** daily (public holidays excepted). The new hours will allow staff to carry out reconciliation tasks at the end of each day in an uninterrupted manner while still retaining the same number of opening hours.

Menzies Visitor Centre and Menzies Community Resource Centre

Many people may be aware that there are renovation works being undertaken in the Former Lady Shenton Hotel which houses the Visitor Centre and the CRC.

As some of the work is not able to be done whilst people are in the building, we ask that you be patient if the building is closed for these purposes.

Mail delivery and despatch will not be affected but will be done during significantly reduced business hours.

2012 MN

Did you know that you can purchase your own set of Local Government number plates?

These special series plates are available by placing orders for your specified number (if still available) with your local Shire and paying the required fee.

If you would like Menzies plates, please speak to Carol at the Shire office, phone 90242041.

Menzies Health Centre

Mercer Street
MENZIES WA 6436

Phone: 90242044

CLINIC HOURS
MONDAY to FRIDAY
9.00AM TO 4.00PM



**FLUVAX IS NOW
AVAILABLE**



Next RFDS Visit
Date: Tuesday 7 August 2012
Time: 9.00am –1.00pm
Place: Menzies Health Centre
For appointments, phone 90242044

**A registered Nurse
will be at the
Menzies Health
Centre every
Tuesday.**

Emergencies Only
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**If the Clinic is unattended and
you need immediate health ad-
vice, call HEALTH DIRECT 1800
022 222 any time, day or night**

**POISONS
INFORMATION
AVAILABLE
24 Hrs
13 11 26**

Menzies School Report August 2012

Term 3 began on Monday 23 July 2012.



Ms Oliver has returned from leave. Thank you to Mr Leslie who took care of the school and students while Ms Oliver was away.

The Year 11 and 12 students are away in Perth at the moment attending their SIDE Camp. We will have photos and reports in an upcoming edition of Menzies Matters.

Come into MENZIES VISITOR CENTRE and browse the wide range of historical books available. Also Golden Quest Discovery Trail guide books and Outback Way guide books in stock.



We welcomed Peter and Daphne Crawford back to Menzies in July. Peter has been appointed to the position of Chief Executive Officer for the Shire of Menzies once again and Daphne is also working for Council doing some relief work at the present time.

Olympic Games 27 July - 12 August 2012 LONDON

The 2012 Summer Olympic Games, officially the Games of the XXX Olympiad, also known informally as London 2012 (for example on the official logo), are scheduled to take place in London, United Kingdom, from 27 July to 12 August 2012.

Following a bid headed by former Olympic champion Sebastian Coe and the then Mayor of London Ken Livingstone, London was selected as the host city on 6 July 2005 during the 117th IOC Session in Singapore, defeating Moscow, New York City, Madrid and Paris. London will become the first city to officially host the modern Olympic Games three times, having previously done so in 1908 and 1948.

Construction has involved considerable

redevelopment, particularly themed towards sustainability. The main focus of this is a new 200 hectare Olympic Park, constructed on a former industrial site at Stratford in the east of London.

The Games also make use of many venues which were already in place before the bid.

Athletes from 204 National Olympic Committees (NOCs) are expected to participate. The Netherlands Antilles Olympic Committee, which had planned to continue functioning after the dissolution of the Netherlands Antilles, had its membership withdrawn by the IOC Executive Committee at the IOC session of June 2011. However, Dutch Antillean athletes who qualify for the 2012 Olympics will be allowed to participate independently under the Olympic flag. As of 12 July 2012, 201 countries have qualified at least one athlete. The 2012

Summer Olympic programme features 26 sports and a total of 39 disciplines. For the first time, women's boxing is included in the programme, with 36 athletes competing in three different weight classes. There is a special dispensation to allow the various shooting events to go ahead, which would otherwise be illegal under UK gun law.

London's bid featured 28 sports, in line with other recent Summer Olympics, but the IOC voted to drop baseball and softball from the 2012 Games two days after it selected London as the host city. The IOC reinforced its decision to drop both sports during the 2006 Winter Olympics, after they lost votes for reconsideration, and were last scheduled for a Games at the 2008 Olympics. Following the decision to drop the two sports, the IOC held a vote on whether or not to replace them. The sports considered were karate, squash, golf, roller sports and rugby sevens. Karate and squash were the two final nominees, but neither received enough votes to reach the required two-thirds majority.

Even though formal demonstration sports were eliminated following the 1992 Summer Olympics, special tournaments for non-Olympic sports can be run during the games, such as the Wushu tournament at the 2008 Summer Olympics. There were attempts to run Twenty20 cricket, and Netball tournaments parallel with the 2012 games, but neither campaign was successful.



Australian Olympic Team Mascot - BK (Boxing Kangaroo)

The Boxing Kangaroo is the Team Mascot for Australian Olympic Teams. He has a huge amount of self-confidence and epitomises the Australian fighting spirit. This unrelenting "have a go" Aussie spirit makes him hugely popular with all Australians.

BK is not a lout, nor is he aggressive or arrogant. He is, however, assertive when it comes to defending his country's glory. BK will be in London for the 2012 Olympics supporting the Team and keeping an eye out for the Team GB mascot (lion) 'Pride'.

The Boxing Kangaroo rose to prominence in 1983 when the Australia II team won the America's Cup. The Australian crew raised the Boxing Kangaroo as their sporting battle flag. The image, a red-gloved golden kangaroo on a green background, was owned by Alan Bond (owner of the Australia II yacht) who licensed it for mass production.

The National Museum of Australia in Canberra features the original Boxing Kangaroo flag from Australia II in its national historical collection.

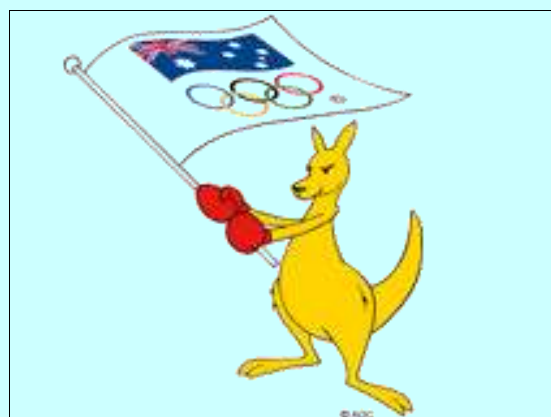
The Australian Olympic Committee bought the rights to the Boxing Kangaroo image during the late 1980s and members of the Australian Olympic Team carried a Boxing Kangaroo plush toy at the Opening Ceremony of the 2000 Olympic Games in Sydney.

This famous Aussie icon, known affectionately as "BK", has become synonymous with Australia's proud sporting heritage and as such has become arguably Australia's favourite supporter mascot. The BK flag represents a powerful green and gold visual that symbolises Australia's confident approach to sport.

The Boxing Kangaroo is not aligned to any particular sport and, although he has been adopted as the official mascot for the Australian Olympic Team, BK can be seen at any sporting event, and many cultural ones, where Australia is participating.

The Boxing Kangaroo is a unique and powerfully emotive symbol with broad appeal to Australians and tourists alike. BK is also a great symbol for the younger generation as he represents the positive values and virtues of sport: aspiration, positive attitude, sportsmanship, pride, individual responsibility, respect and expression. These same qualities are what drive Australia's pursuit of success on the international sporting stage.

BK is also the ambassador for the a.s.p.i.r.e. School Network primary schools education program and has his own website – www.bkzone.com.au





GOLDFIELDS MULTICULTURAL ASSOCIATION 10TH ANNIVERSARY



**St Barbara Square
Saturday, 4 August
10am-1pm**

For more information, please contact
Goldfields Multicultural Association on:
0431 110 528 or 0400 185 571
goldfieldsmulticultural@gmail.com

Enjoy lots of entertainments:

Multicultural performances (Balinese dance, belly dance, poems African dance and drum, etc)

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Glimpses from the Past

Kalgoorlie Miner 27th January, 1921.

News was received today from Menzies of a sad fatality which occurred at Mulline between Friday and Saturday.

Wallace David Cocking, 11 years of age and son of Mr J. Cocking, sandalwood contractor, was sent at 5am on Friday with an urgent message to his father. Mr **Cocking's camp was 25 miles west of Mulline.**

The boy had a supply of water with him on his bicycle. The father who had been expecting the message became uneasy at not receiving it and on Saturday started back to Mulline.

About three quarters of a mile from his camp, he noticed the tyre tracks of a bicycle which had turned back in the direction of Mulline and becoming alarmed he followed the tracks for some miles and found the bicycle on the side of the road but no sign of the boy.

Darkness had set in and he at once headed for Mulline where he secured a search party. The Riverina mine car was dispatched to Menzies for the police and trackers but before their arrival the boys body was found on the roadside about 12 miles from Mulline, the boys body was brought back into town.

An inquest was opened before Mr McAlpine JP acting Coroner and Messers Hyde, H. Bird and E. Giles. After hearing evidence of the parents and Sydney Jessen **the following verdict was recorded...**"That the deceased met his death on or about January 24th **from the effects of sun stroke and exposure.**" Constable Harris watched the proceedings on behalf of the Police.



Wallace David Cocking is buried in an unmarked grave in the Mulline Cemetery.

Article Courtesy of E. G. Historical Society.

The Outhouse

I grabbed the torch one real dark night and bolted down the yard.
The shadows stretched their long dark arms, my heart was beating hard.
Mum said there were no boogie men but I was not so sure.
The wind was howling through the trees as I ran for the door.

I shone the torch across the seat then shone it up the wall.
I'd hate to get a spider bite or see things creep and crawl.
When I was sure that it was safe I'd hurry up and go.
Then I was done. I'd check again for any deadly foe.

I made the dash back to the house the devil at my heels,
and once inside I'd slam the door. You don't know how that feels.
One freezing, rainy, winter night scared, I used a bucket.
When morning came I'd empty it, I'd just go and chuck it.

Alas, when I woke up next day forgetting it was there,
I kicked it over spilling it and cried out in despair.
I sure am glad that things have changed in places we reside,
'cause I'm not frightened anymore. The outhouse is inside.



Don't Rubbish Our Roads!

Keep Australia Beautiful Week 2012 runs from Monday 20 to Sunday 26 August.

This year, Keep Australia Beautiful is targeting motorists and holiday-makers, calling on all road users to stop rubbishing our highways and roads with litter.

In the annual National Litter Index, highways and roads are second only to industrial sites, in terms of volume of litter, indicating that many Australians are not doing the right thing with their waste during their travels.

Each year, tens of thousands of tonnes of takeaway wrappers, cups, cigarette butts, drink cans, water bottles, newspapers and more are being littered along our roads and highways, which can ultimately end up in our rivers and oceans.

This poses a threat to people and the environment, and can cause injury to animals and marine life, through polluted and unsafe water ways, bushfires from lit cigarette butts, and food scraps littered on or near busy roads and highways.

So, this year's campaign is reminding all Australians that litter doesn't just look ugly, but can be harmful and is costly too!



THINGS TO SEE AND DO IN MENZIES

Lake Ballard

The “**Inside Australia**” exhibition was commissioned to mark the 50th anniversary celebrations of the Perth International Arts Festival in 2003, and was the idea of internationally renowned sculptor, Antony Gormley. Apart from 2 or 3 passers-by, the 51 sculptures are derived from laser scans of the inhabitants of Menzies at that time. The sculptures are scattered over 10 square kilometres of the salt lake, named ‘**Lake Ballard**’, approximately 51km west from the townsite of Menzies.

Please note:

- Visitors must park in the designated parking area and walk onto the lake. **PLEASE DO NOT DRIVE ON THE LAKE.**
- Suitable footwear and sun protection is recommended and take plenty of water with you. Temperatures can reach scorching highs at certain times throughout the year and the lake reflects the sun's rays.
- Please be considerate of your environment and take all rubbish away with you or place in the bins provided.
- Recommended viewing times are in the early morning or late afternoon.
- Allow at least 2 hours to walk around the entire installation, and always view the work in a minimum group of two.
- Visitors to Lake Ballard should note that there are limited facilities available. An ablution block, barbecue area, seating and rubbish bins are provided and looked after by the Shire of Menzies.
- Sufficient supplies of water, fuel and food should be taken out to the Lake.
- At times it is difficult for people with limited mobility to go onto the Lake.

If you notice anything amiss at Lake Ballard, please notify the Shire of Menzies on 90242041 so that any problems may be rectified as quickly as possible.





Menzies hotel And general store

Shop hours: 8.00am – 5.30pm

Hotel hours: 11.00am – 9.00pm

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

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Soft drinks

Juices

Coffee

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Cakes

Ice Creams

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Fast foods

Ice

Pies, Pasties, Sausage Rolls

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Volunteers Needed

The Menzies sub-Centre for St John Ambulance is in need of volunteers.

If you have a little time to spare maybe you could come along and help out?

We can provide you with details of what is involved and any training that is required.

All welcome.

Phone Debbie Pianto on 0410 766 076 or 90242300

Email: menziessubcentre@bigpond.com.au

Web: www.ambulance.net.au



You can also call Debbie for new First Aid Kits or for restocking your existing kits.

Please note that there is a charge for internet usage at the Community Resource Centre.

Costs are:	15 minutes	\$2.00
	30 minutes	\$3.50
	45 minutes	\$5.00
	60 minutes	\$6.50



2012 Forum—Celebrating 20 Years—6 to 8 August

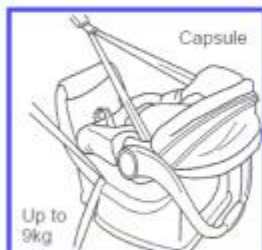
This leading annual mining conference combines presentations by listed mining and exploration companies with a large exhibition area housing exhibitors from the mining, exploration and service sectors. A world class entertainment program ensures that delegates experience the very best of the style and hospitality of Kalgoorlie, the unofficial gold mining capital of Australia.

The Forum, the most important event of its kind in the Southern Hemisphere, was the brain-child of the late Geoffrey J. Stokes. A delegation of 150 back in 1992 has now reached a record high of 2300 for the three-day and three-night event. The Forum has developed into an enduring mining industry event, thanks in no small part to the support of industry leaders worldwide.

The delegation is made up of mining and exploration companies, brokers, bankers, investors, financiers and mining service industries. A 70 strong media contingent ensures that the proceedings of the Forum are widely reported.

For more event information visit the Diggers & Dealers website here: <http://www.diggersndealers.com.au/>

A Guide to Infant and Child Restraints



Type A1—capsule

Rearward-facing restraint with a harness or other means of retaining the occupant, suitable for infants whose mass is up to 9 kg, and corresponding supine length is up to 700 mm.



Type A/B—convertible child restraint

Dual purpose rearward and forwards facing child restraint also known as a Convertible Child Restraint. Use rearward facing up to 9kg or 12 kg (check manufacturer instructions) and forward facing from 9kg to 18kg. Minimum recommendations for forward facing are 8 kg in weight and at least 6 months of age.



Type B—forward facing restraint

Forward-facing chair with harness, suitable for children whose mass is within the range 8 kg to 18 kg.



Type B/E—combination booster

Combination of forward facing restraint with internal harness that gets stowed away and restraint is used as booster. Suitable for child 8kg-18kg with harness.

Suitable for child 18kg-26kg without harness.



Type E—booster

A booster seat, which is held in place by the interaction between the child, the booster seat and the car's lap/sash belt or a child harness. Boosters are available in two basic configurations: booster cushion - a backless cushion and booster seat (chaise) – a cushion complete with backrest.



Type C—harness

Forward-facing harness without chair, suitable for children whose mass is within the range 14 kg to 32 kg.



In an Emergency

If well planned, your trip should go smoothly and safely, but if you get into difficulty, there are a few key things to remember:

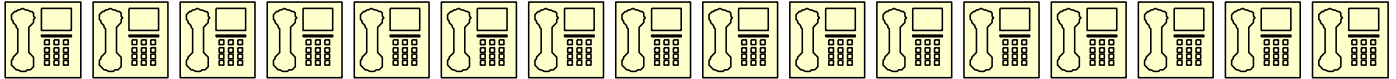
- If your car breaks down or you become lost, never leave your vehicle. Use it for shade and shelter and remember it is easier to locate a missing vehicle than a missing person in the vast Australian Outback.
- If you become lost while out walking, sit down and study your maps. Determine where you came from and slowly take that route back. If you can't find the way back, move to higher ground.
- Distribute food and water sparingly.
- If you hear rescuers, signal with three torch flashes and with your whistle.
- Light a small smoky fire with green leaves during the day and a small bright fire with dry materials at night.

Be prepared to wait.

Watch for the signs of exposure:

Heat exposure - an affected person becomes pale and clammy, breathes rapidly and should be sponged with cool water. Drink water with a little salt dissolved in it and rested in the shade.

Exposure to cold – an affected person may become slow, irritable, develop cramps, shiver, stumble and have blurred vision. Attempt to find shelter from wind and rain, wrap up as warmly as possible, share a sleeping bag and drink warm fluids.



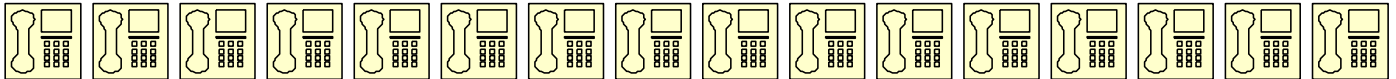
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- In person from the Goldfields Arts Centre Box Office (Monday – Friday 10am to 3pm)
- By Phone on 08 9088 6900 (Credit Card over the phone)

This 40 minute show is the most interactive show ever.... Audiences will be singing all their favourite nursery rhymes and Interactive songs with assistance from two presenters and the stars of the show Humpty, Jemima, Big Ted, Little Ted, Fergus and special appearances for the first time on stage Slush, Sam the lamb, Scrap, Meeka and Diddle (normal toy size not characters). Prince Big Ted has a royal crown, he has a royal cloak but **doesn't have a royal castle. He sets off to find one, and is joined by his friends Humpty, Jemima, Little Ted and the Play School toys as he travels through a fun filled world of nursery rhymes, songs and stories.** Get ready to sing, dance and jump for joy, with a live show that will delight and captivate all Play School fans.

Conditions of Entry: No prams or pushers in the auditorium
Normal flash cameras are fine

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Have you had any of these...

... for more than 4 weeks?

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AUGUST

Kyra Williams	1st
Kylie Gilbert	2nd
Wade Tucker	20th
Roshaun Johnson	23rd
Brenda Blizzard	27th
Ian Tucker	27th
Lynene Blizzard	28th



Kids Pages

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WHAT KIND OF FISH ARE YOU?

TO FIND OUT, CIRCLE THE ANSWER THAT BEST DESCRIBES WHAT YOU WOULD DO.



1. ONE OF YOUR BEST FRIENDS HAS JUST GOTTEN INTO A FIGHT WITH ANOTHER KID ON THE PLAYGROUND. YOU IMMEDIATELY

A. JUMP IN TO HELP YOUR FRIEND FIGHT— YOUR KARATE PRACTICE WILL COME IN HANDY!

B. RUN TO GET YOUR TEACHER TO HELP BREAK UP THE FIGHT.

C. START TELLING JOKES. HEY, A CROWD HAS GATHERED — WHAT BETTER TIME TO TRY OUT YOUR NEW COMEDY ROUTINE?



2. YOU'RE AT A SLUMBER PARTY AND EVERYONE IS GATHERED IN A CIRCLE TO PLAY A GAME OR TELL TALES. YOU:

A. TAKE OUT YOUR FLASHLIGHT AND TURN OFF ALL THE LIGHTS — YOU'RE READY TO TELL YOUR SPOOKIEST STORY!

B. GRAB A BAG OF GOODIES AND GET THE GROUP TO MAKE SOME SCRUMPTIOUS G'MORES.

C. BRING OUT THE BOARD GAMES — LET THE FUN BEGIN!

3. YOUR FAVORITE MEAL IS:

A. A THICK, JUICY, MOUTHWATERING STEAK WITH ALL THE FIXINGS.

B. A REFRESHING SALAD — YOU ALWAYS REMEMBER TO EAT AT LEAST 5 SERVINGS OF VEGGIES!

C. A HOT FUDGE SUNDAE, WITH WHIPPED CREAM AND A CHERRY ON TOP!



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Indigenous Services Australia is pleased to announce
that one of Australia's leading
Indigenous speakers **Tony Shaw** will present:

Indigenous Cultural Diversity Workshop

Kalgoorlie, Friday 31st August 2012

Venue: The Tower Hotel, Cnr Maritana and Bourke Streets, Kalgoorlie
Time: 8:30 am – 1:30pm, Registration 8:00am Sharp

Morning Tea provided

Cost: \$350.00 | Early Bird Special: \$300.00

The 1 Day Workshop Includes

- **Overview of Aboriginal Australia**
- **The need for core values in the Indigenous community**
- **Significance of the skin grouping systems**
- **Labour force participation challenges**
- **Communication with Indigenous people**
- **Significance of connection to the land – Dreamtime Beliefs**
- **Stolen generation – My own story**

"The session was one of great inspiration to me and one of the best times I have spent in life. I cannot commend the work of Tony Shaw and his team enough."
Mark Margetic, Retail Bank SA/WA ANZ

"This event is both very professionally and entertainingly presented; and also very informative. It opened my eyes to areas which I had not envisaged and as a result the workshop has increased the effectiveness of our indigenous recruitment campaign. I will be arranging for as many CPC employees as I can to attend these workshops as the value of them is incalculable."
Ken Sharpe, CPC Engineering

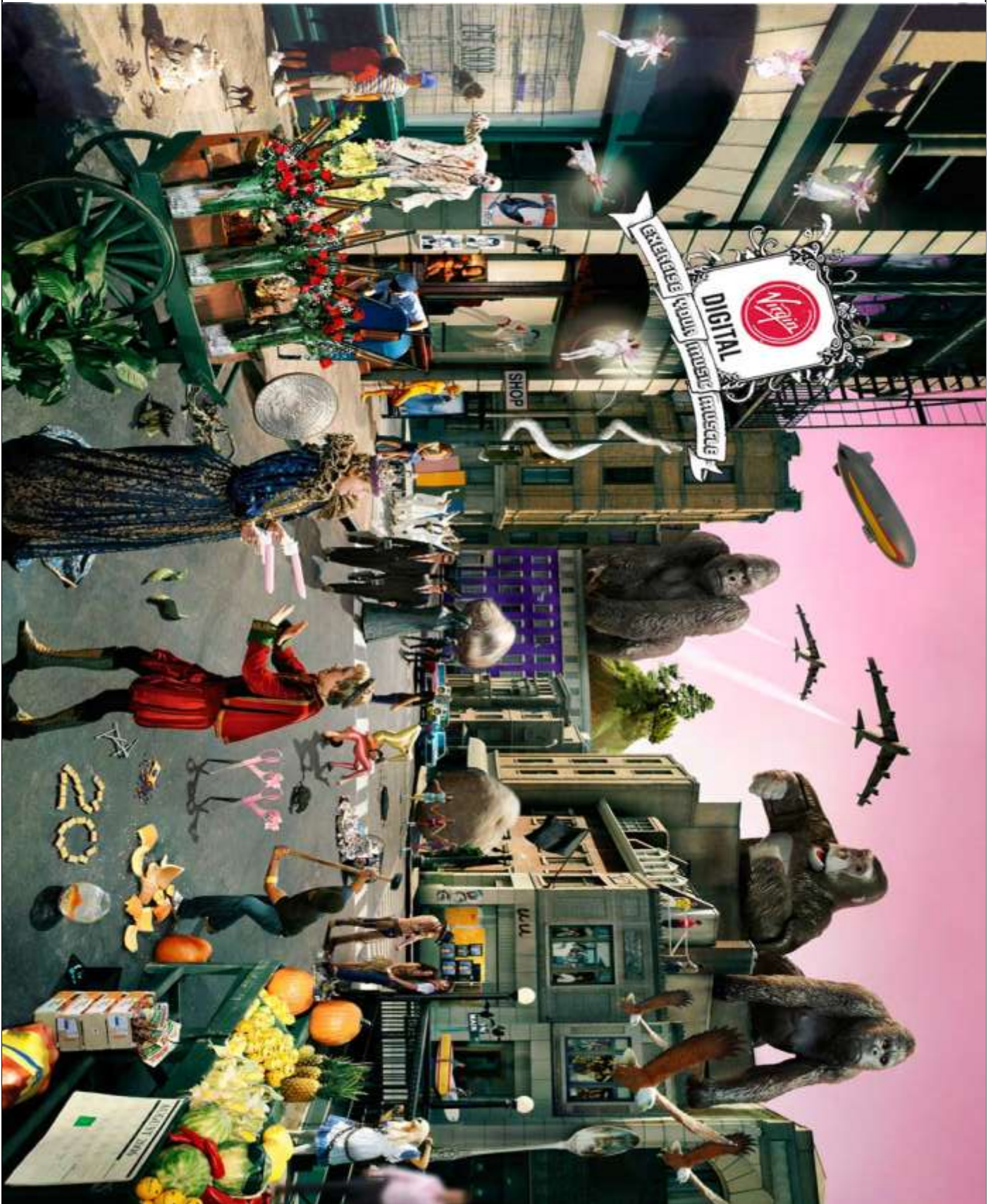
"Tony Shaw has worked hard for his people for many years. I have seen his cultural awareness seminars many times and I am always impressed by the connections he makes with all Australians in the spirit of reconciliation."
Dr Sean Gorman, Research Fellow, Curtin University

Early Bird payment by August 3rd to SAVE \$50 per delegate!

Booking form available at Menzies CRC
Telephone enquiries 9228 9192 or 0412 613 827

www.indigenousservices.com.au





Look carefully! Can you name the 75 (approximately) great bands and/or singers hidden in this picture? Answers in the September edition of Menzies Matters!

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 sites 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 (90242072) 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.

Getting about the Goldfields

BOOK HERE

Menzies Visitor Centre Ph: 90 242 702

PERTH-GOLDFIELDS EXPRESS

GOLDRUSH TOURS



VISITORS TO KALGOORLIE

Take advantage of an overnight stay in Menzies, Leonora or Laverton, returning the next day.

The new Goldrush Tours Express timetable effective 1 July 2010 has an earlier start from Kalgoorlie on the Thursday to allow visitors to the region to travel to the Northern Goldfields towns of Menzies, Leonora and Laverton for an overnight stay returning the following day. It will also remain the best method for Northern Goldfields residents to travel to and from the same towns.

NEW GOLDRUSH TOURS EXPRESS TIMETABLE

Book at Menzies Visitor Centre

GOLDRUSH TOURS

GRT EXPRESS TIMETABLE

Kalgoorlie to Laverton

TIMETABLE EFFECTIVE 01/07/2010

THURSDAY

EXPRESS	TIME
KALGOORLIE RAILWAY STATION	9.00 am
KALGOORLIE VISITOR CENTRE	9.15 am
MENZIES	10.40 am
KOOKYNIIE TURNOFF	11.05 am
LEONORA	ARRIVE 11.45 am
	DEPART 12.00 pm
MURRIN MURRIN TURNOFF	12.45 pm
MT MORGAN TURNOFF	12.55 pm
LAVERTON	1.30 pm

Laverton to Kalgoorlie

TIMETABLE EFFECTIVE 01/07/2010

FRIDAY

EXPRESS	TIME
LAVERTON	9.00 am
MT MORGANS TURNOFF	9.30 am
MURRIN MURRIN	9.40 am
LEONORA	ARRIVE 10.15 am
	DEPART 10.30 am
KOOKYNIIE TURNOFF	11.00 am
MENZIES	11.30 am
KALGOORLIE	1.00 pm

BOOKINGS & ENQUIRIES

1800 620 440

Tickets can be purchased from the Kalgoorlie Goldfields Visitor Centre or online at

www.goldrushtours.com.au



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Articles and Photos Always Welcome

Calendar of Events for August 2012

Mon

Tue

Wed

Thu

Fri

Sat

Sun

03 September <i>National Flag Day</i> 	04 September	01	02	03 <i>Jeans for Genes Day</i>	04	05
LONDON OLYMPICS 27 JULY TO 12 AUGUST						
FAMILY HISTORY WEEK 27 JULY TO 5 AUGUST						
06	07 <i>RFDS Doctor @ Nursing Post 9.00am to 1.00pm</i>	08	09 <i>International Day of the World's Indigenous People</i>	10	11	12 <i>International Youth Day</i>
LONDON OLYMPICS 27 JULY TO 12 AUGUST						
13	14	15 <i>Cupcake Day</i> 	16	17	18	19
BRAIN INJURY AWARENESS WEEK 13 TO 19 AUGUST						
20	21 <i>Council meeting 10.00am</i>	22	23	24 <i>Daffodil Day</i> 	25	26
KEEP AUSTRALIA BEAUTIFUL WEEK 20 TO 26 AUGUST						
27	28	29 <i>National Meals on Wheels Day</i>	30	31	01 September <i>Wattle Day</i>	02 September <i>Father's Day</i>
LONDON PARALYMPICS 29 AUGUST TO 9 SEPTEMBER						