# MONTHLY NEWS FROM YOUR COUNCIL

ANTHONY LAMOND

#### Rates Reminder

A reminder to all Pensioners that all Rates & Charges need to be paid by June 30<sup>th</sup> to be entitled to claim the Pensioner rebate.

#### **Battery Collection**

Deliver your batteries to the Old Shire Works Depot (Redmond Street) & we will dispose of them for you.

#### Shire of Tammin

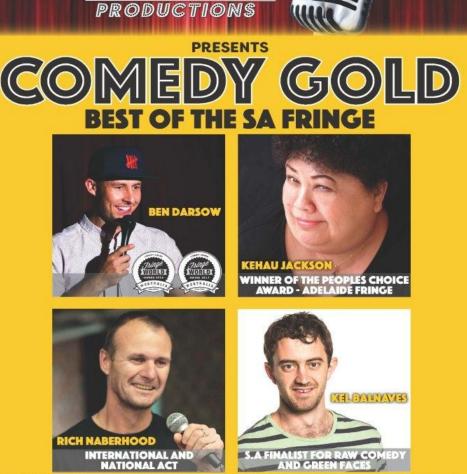
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Office hours: Monday - Friday 9.00am - 4.00pm 'Our Aim is Progress'

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### **1.5 HOURS OF HILARIOUS STAND UP COMEDY**

Tammin Town Hall Thursday, August 17 Doors open 6:30pm. Show starts 7:00pm. Price: Adults \$25 / Seniors \$15 BYO Drinks and Nibblies For tickets visit www.TryBooking.com/QERH



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Refuse Site Opening Hours Thursday & Saturday 9.00am - 1.00pm

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# What's Been Happening in Tammin

## Hydrology Model

Our Hydrology Model at the Kadjininy Kep is back up and running. Feel free to visit the 'Kep' and listen to the interactive Model that explains the loss of farming land to salt and offers some long term solutions.

There are ideas and plans being considered for the other areas of the 'Kep'- have your say by completing our online survey.



### https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/GNSH5V3



KidSport enables kids aged 5-18 years to apply for financial assistance for club fees to participate in community sport and recreation, no matter their financial circumstances.

Because every WA kid deserves a fair go

#### What is the Kidsport Program?

The Department of Sport and Recreation and the Shire of Tammin understand the important role clubs and sport play in creating a positive and active community and feel that all children should have the opportunity to be involved.

KidSport makes it possible for eligible children to join a not-for-profit sport or recreation club, by contributing up to \$200 towards club registration fees.

#### What is the eligibility criteria?

- Live within the Shire of Tammin
- Be aged 5 18 years
- Have a Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession Card or if in financial hardship be referred by a Kidsport Financial Assessor.

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#### How do I apply?

- Check you meet the eligibility criteria.
- Ensure you have an electronic copy of your Health Care / Pensioner Concession Card (scanned or photographed copy is fine). The file is required to be uploaded onto the online form in any of the following formats .doc,.docx,.pdf,.png,.jpg,.jpeg (Max: 5 MB).
- Go to the Department of Sport and Recreation (DSR) website and click on the KidSport link on the right hand side.
- On the KidSport homepage, click on the 'Apply for KidSport Online' link, to open online form.
- Complete all the fields on the online form and upload a copy of your Health Care / Pensioner Concession Card.
- An automated email confirmation of your application will be sent through to the email address that you provided on the form. If you do not receive this email after a few hours, please contact the Shire.

The Shire of Tammin will now assess the application and you will be informed, via email, if it has been approved or rejected.

#### I don't have access to a computer to apply online?

Alternatively you can still complete a paper-based form and submit it to the Shire for processing.

Please contact the Shire Administration Office if you require more information or would like an application form.







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# **Coming Soon to Tammin**



# Movie Night Under the Stars

The Cunderdin Community Resource Centre has been ever so generous to choose Tammin as a place to hold another one of their successful movie nights.

The movie will be held at the Kadjininy Kep, is for all ages and is FREE!

Popcorn and drinks will be available to purchase on the night.

BYO blankets, pillows, mattresses and any other snacks you may like!

# **Goodbye Stephen and Michelle**

The Shire Staff and Councillors would like to say farewell and good luck to Stephen and Michelle Jefferies.

Stephen, Michelle, their daughter Taneika and her partner Cam have moved to Woodanilling to run the local Pub - we're sure you will all do a fantastic job!

## Library Closure

The Library will be closed on Friday 9th June due to our yearly stocktake. If you have any books you'd like to return or would like to borrow more books, please do so before the 9th of June.

Please note that the Shire will still be open, however no one will be able to access the Library.



We thankyou for your understanding and apologise for any inconvenience.



# Shire of Tammin

**Residential Verge Waste** 

# **Collection 2017/18**



## Junk, Whitegoods and Metals

- ✓ Whitegoods (fridges, stoves, microwaves etc.)Doors must be removed from fridges and freezers
- ✓ Scrap metal
- ✓ General junk (furniture and other household items)
- ✓ Timber products (up to 1.5m long)
- ✓ Two trailer loads, 6' x 4' or 3m3 excess waste will not be removed



- ✓ 1.5m in length
- ✓ 300mm in diameter
- ✓ Two trailer loads, 6' x 4' or 3m3 excess green waste will not be removed

### Car Bodies

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Area	Location	Green Waste	Junk, Whitegoods and Metal
1	North Side of Great Eastern Highway	Monday 25th September 2017	Wednesday 27th September 2017
2	South Side of Great Eastern Highway	Tuesday 26th September 2017	Thursday 28th September 2017

For more information please collect a brochure from the Post Office or the Shire Administration Office.

Please Note - Rubbish can only be placed on the verge <u>14 days prior</u> to the collection date.



# What's happening on our local roads??

### Road Verge Slashing

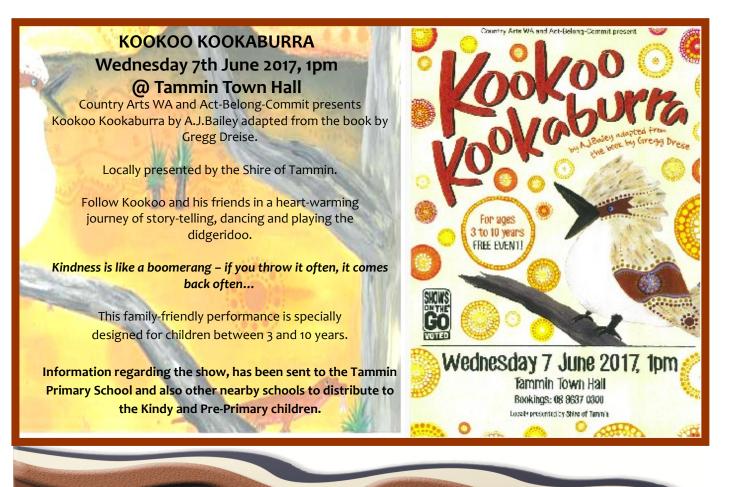
• Verge slashing along rural roads have commenced- please be aware of road signs etc.

### Road Repairs

• Tremlett Road remains closed however works to repair the road will commence next week.



<u>Greg Stephens</u> Works Supervisor / 0437 371 101 / works@tammin.wa.gov.au





**Mia Davies MLA** Member for Central Wheatbelt

May 15, 2017

#### Nuffield Scholarship program an opportunity for Wheatbelt farmers

Member for Central Wheatbelt Mia Davies MLA is encouraging future leaders in the agricultural industry to apply for the 2018 Nuffield Scholarship program.

Ms Davies said the awards afforded primary producers scholarships to research a topic that would add value to the Australian agricultural industry by supporting their overseas travel and study.

"The Nuffield Scholarship program has proven to be a launching pad for scholars from Australia and across the world who are passionate about growth and innovation in the agricultural sector," Ms Davies said.

"The program has enabled scholars to make a significant impact at a regional and local level, both in their communities and in farm management.

"Here in WA we boast many talented and passionate agricultural professionals and I encourage these bright individuals to take advantage of the opportunities that often arise from participating in the program."

The Nationals WA spokesperson for Agriculture and Food and 2014 Nuffield Scholar Hon Colin De Grussa MLC said the program built the capacity of industry, enabling farmers and agriculture professionals to remain competitive in an ever changing global landscape.

"Scholars undertake extensive research in order to produce a written report and communicate their knowledge and experience to others in the industry," Mr De Grussa said.

"The Nuffield program, which extends across many countries, allows scholars to gain a truly global perspective of their industry.

"Ongoing communication, networking and events with fellow Nuffield scholars ensures the learning experience continues even after their participation in the program concludes.

"This is a fantastic opportunity for interested applicants to advance their knowledge and contribute to the continued progress of industry and its people."

Applications for the 2018 program close June 16, 2017.

For more information visit: http://nuffield.com.au/scholarships/

For more information contact Mia Davies on 08 9041 1702 (Merredin office). 08 9622 2871 (Northam office) or email mia.davies@mp.wa.gov.au

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Next Council meeting: Thursday, 22nd June 2017, 5:00pm, Council Chambers

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### **Licensing Transactions**

The Shire of Tammin wishes to advise that all licensing transactions are available every Monday - Friday 9am - 4pm.



