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Progress'*

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## CALLING ALL SENIORS

The Cunderdin Health Centre would like to hold a series of small exercise groups in Tammin on Wednesday mornings.

Regular activity is an important part of keeping healthy and reduces the risks of many health complications.

If you would like to be involved please register your interest and contact:

Joan Button 9637 1182

Mary Harrison 9637 1345





# Walk & Talk



On Wednesday 20th May Members of Council, Community Members and Shire Staff took time to walk from the Administration Office, down Booth Street to Donnan Park entrance. This gave all that attended the chance to bring forward ideas for discussion around town beautification.

Topic areas included the Kadjininy KEP, Booth Street and the Donnan Park entrance.





# COVID-19 Snapshot

To get a better understanding of any COVID-19 that may be in the community, we're inviting people who have **no symptoms** of the virus from selected employment groups and aged over 18 to come forward for free, voluntary testing.

To participate in the DETECT Snapshot program, you must be a:

- healthcare worker
- WA Police staff member
- meat worker
- retail employee
- hospitality worker.

**Call 9888 2288  
to book your test  
in the Wheatbelt**

Testing is available from Thursday 28th May to Wednesday 10th June 2020 (inclusive) at selected locations. For further information and locations, visit [www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/DETECTSnapshot](http://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/DETECTSnapshot)

Any member of the community who has symptoms of COVID-19 such as fever, or flu like symptoms including coughing, sore throat and/or difficulty breathing should be tested at a designated COVID-19 clinic. Information is available at [www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/Coronavirus](http://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/Coronavirus)



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## DETECT Snapshot

The WA Department of Health's DETECT Snapshot program will invite people from identified groups in the community who show **no symptoms of COVID-19** to be tested for the virus to get a better understanding of any COVID-19 that may be in the community.

Eligible groups include:

- **Healthcare workers**, including WA Health staff, employees in private hospitals, residential aged care facilities, general practices, pharmacies, the disability sector, or any worker employed by an organisation delivering health services
- **WA Police staff**
- **Meat workers** employed in an abattoir, meat packing or in further processing such as small goods manufacture
- **Retail workers** such as employees in supermarkets, department stores and specialty stores
- **Hospitality workers** such as employees in cafes, restaurants, pubs or hotels.

Participation is voluntary and if you fall within one of these categories and are over the age of 18, we encourage your participation. Testing is free.

Testing is available from **Thursday 28 May 2020 to Wednesday 10 June 2020** (inclusive) for all eligible workers who do not have any symptoms of COVID-19.

### Where can I be tested?

Clinic locations are available at [www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/DETECTSnapshot](http://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/DETECTSnapshot) or by calling 13 COVID (13 26843)

### What do I need to do?

When you present to the clinic you will be asked to provide identification, such as a staff identification card or pay slip from your place of employment to prove your eligibility. You will be required to confirm that you are asymptomatic (do not have any symptoms) of COVID-19 and complete a testing form.

### What do I do if I have symptoms?

Symptoms of COVID-19 include fever ( $\geq 37.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), history of fever, or flu like symptoms such as coughing, sore throat and/or difficulty breathing. If you have any of these symptoms you **do not** qualify for the DETECT Snapshot program. However, you should be tested for COVID-19. As not all clinics involved in the DETECT Snapshot program perform testing on patients with symptoms, please visit [www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/coronavirus](http://www.healthywa.wa.gov.au/coronavirus) to find an appropriate testing facility or call 13 COVID (13 26843).

### **What does the testing involve?**

A swab will be inserted into the back of your throat and through your nose by a qualified practitioner. This is a fast procedure lasting less than a minute. It may cause some mild discomfort. Your swab sample will be taken to a laboratory for testing to determine whether the virus is detectable.

### **Are the clinics safe?**

Yes. Appropriate physical distancing measures and infection control procedures are in place.

### **What happens after my test?**

You will not need to isolate after testing as people who show symptoms of COVID-19 do. You can continue going to work and doing your usual activities, in keeping with the current advice in Western Australia. If you develop symptoms of COVID-19 between testing and when your result is available, you should isolate whilst awaiting the result and seek medical advice, if needed.

### **What happens if my test is negative?**

You will be advised of a negative test via SMS within 3 business days of your test and can continue life as normal. However, you will need to be tested for COVID-19 again if you develop symptoms, regardless of how soon after the negative test that might occur.

### **What happens if my test is positive?**

A member of the Department of Health's Public Health Unit will make contact with you within 3 business days to advise you what action to take, which will include a mandatory isolation period. They will also seek to identify who you have been in close contact with whilst you were potentially infectious. This is known as contact tracing.

You will only be permitted to return to work when you are officially given clearance by the Public Health Unit.

### **What will happen to my results?**

Your results will be securely stored by the Department of Health and used for public health purposes. Your individual results will not be disclosed publicly or to your employer.

### **Where can I find more information?**

Visit [www.healthyWA.wa.gov.au/DETECTSnapshot](http://www.healthyWA.wa.gov.au/DETECTSnapshot)

Call 13 COVID (13 26843)

**This document can be made available in alternative formats on request for a person with disability.**

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[health.wa.gov.au](http://health.wa.gov.au)





## Shire of Tammin Council Meeting Dates 2020

Pursuant to Regulation 12 of the Local Government (Administration) Regulations and Section 5.25(g) of the Local Government Act 1995, it is hereby notified for public information that Ordinary Council Meetings will be held as per scheduled dates below, in the Council Chambers, 1 Donnan Street, Tammin, at 5.00pm in 2020, with public question time being held at the commencement of the meeting.

As such, the meeting dates will be:

- ~~January – no council meeting~~
- ~~27 February 2020~~
- ~~26 March 2020 (Yorkrakine Hall)~~
- ~~23 April 2020~~
- ~~28 May 2020~~
- 25 June 2020
- 23 July 2020
- 27 August 2020
- 24 September 2020
- 22 October 2020
- 26 November 2020
- 15 December 2020 (Tuesday)

The meeting on 26 March 2020 will be held at the Yorkrakine Hall, at 5.00pm

Local Public Notice will be give to any changes to date, time and place.

Council encourages openness at its meetings and the public is welcome to attend any meetings.

Items for consideration should be lodged at the Shire Office by 12 noon Wednesday, 8 days before the meeting to allow inclusion in the Agenda and appropriate research to be undertaken by all Councillors and Staff.

Neville Hale  
Chief Executive Officer  
23 October 2019





DONNAN STREET



THANK YOU TO ALL OUR  
WONDERFUL  
COMMUNITY MEMBERS  
WHO ARE  
CONTRIBUTING THEIR  
TIME TO HELP MAINTAIN  
OUR SHIRE GARDEN'S!!

*Community spirit*

## Do you have a business in the Shire of Tammin ?

If your business is not currently listed on our Website in the Business Directory and you would like your business listed please email us at [admin@tammin.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@tammin.wa.gov.au) with your business name, contact details and a brief description of your business activity.

We would love to update our website with your details!

[www.tammin.wa.gov.au](http://www.tammin.wa.gov.au).





## Maintenance Grader/ Plant Operator

Applications are invited for the position of maintenance grader/plant operator on the Shire's road construction and maintenance crew.

Tammin is located 183kms east of Perth on the Great Eastern Highway and provides a high standard of services and facilities for a small friendly community.

If you desire to live in a small and active community and you have the required skills then you should apply.

The position is based on Level 4 /5 of the Local Government Industry Award 2010 - \$48,000 to \$55,000 (depending on experience). Subsidised rental housing will be provided if required. The Shire of Tammin is an equal opportunity employer and provides a smoke free environment.

A Position Information Pack is available by contacting Keira Wirth at the Shire of Tammin ph: 9637 0300 or can be downloaded from the Shire's website: [www.tammin.wa.gov.au](http://www.tammin.wa.gov.au). Applications including a covering letter, CV outlining work history and experience and a letter addressing the Position Requirements must be forwarded to CEO, PO Box 53, Tammin or by email to [shire@tammin.wa.gov.au](mailto:shire@tammin.wa.gov.au) no later than 4pm, Tuesday, 2 June 2020.

Neville Hale  
Chief Executive Officer  
Shire of Tammin







# May 2020 Works Report

The Shire of Tammin would like to advise that the resheeting work on Wyola North rd is finished and currently work is happening on Chappell Wheeldon rd, anticipated finish date by the end of the month. Resheeting work on Cubbine Rd will happen in mid-June. Maintenance grading on unsealed road will resume as the weather conditions have brought long awaited moisture. We would like to thank you for your patience.

The Shire crew has installed the subsoil drainage under the Town Hall flooring to keep groundwater away from the building area and preserve our Town Hall for the future. The work was not easy and the crew has done a fantastic job. The brick paving between the Town Hall and the Shire office will be reinstated in the coming week.

Works on the new disabled toilet facility at the Town Hall has started and should be completed before the end of June.

The undercover area work at the Pavilion between the existing building and the transportable ablution block at the rear of the building has started and is also anticipated to be finished before the end of June.

Works and services are still looking for some existing or potential gravel pits, we will be in contact with land owners to identify and excavate some test pits in areas where gravel could be sourced for the maintenance of the road network. This gravel would be used within a radius of 10km of the pit to improve conditions of existing unsealed roads.

Take care and stay safe.

If you have any road or maintenance related issues

Please contact Fabian via email on

[works@tammin.wa.gov.au](mailto:works@tammin.wa.gov.au)

Fabian Houbrechts

Manager of Works and Services



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# Sport and Recreation **Alert**

As you aware, the State Government and all Western Australians have achieved much in countering the spread of COVID-19 in WA.

But there is still more we can all do to help limit the spread of the virus which has had such a big impact on the sport and recreation sector.

The Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries would like to encourage you, your colleagues, and members of your families to download the COVIDSafe phone app to help counter the spread of the virus.

The app will allow health officials to contact you if you have been in close contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 and thus limit further transmission.

It will help keep our community safe and help ensure the sport and recreation sector can get back to normal as quickly as possible.

You can find out how the app works by watching this [short video](#) provided by the Australian Government's Department of Health.

You can find out more information and download the app from the [COVIDSafe app](#) website.

You are receiving this email because you have opted in to receive updates from the department.

**Our postal address is:** Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries  
PO Box 8349, Perth Business Centre, WA 6849

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WiringKids in partnership with Parenting Connection presents:

## Juggling parenting and working from home

Everyone reacts differently to stressful situations.

Your children will be looking to the important adults in their life for guidance and comfort. Children and teens react, in part, on what they see from the adults around them. When parents and caregivers deal with the COVID-19 calmly and confidently, they can provide the best support for their children. This workshop provides practical tips and strategies on how parents can de-stress and reduce their own anxiety and juggle the work-parenting demand.

### THIS IS AN INTERACTIVE ON-LINE WORKSHOP

**DATE:** Wednesday 3 June 2020  
**TIME:** 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM  
**VENUE:** The comfort of your own home  
**RSVP:** By email to Jeni : JPages@wanslea.asn.au  
By Wednesday 27th May 2020.

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Cooinda Is  
Open!

COOINDA IS NOW OPENING  
POST COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS  
TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS  
9AM - 1PM

# FIRE BREAK ORDER

2019/2020



**Open Burning Period**                                      **No Permits**  
**1st May - 14th October**                                      **Required**

**Restricted Burning Period**                                      **Permits**  
**15th October - 31st October**                                      **Required**

**Prohibited Burning Period**                                      **Burning**  
**1st November - 14th February**                                      **Prohibited**

**Restricted Burning Period**                                      **Permits**  
**15th February – 30th April**                                      **Required**

The above dates may change due to seasonal fire conditions in which case the details of the changes will be published locally and on Council's website.

## Permits are available from:

Chief Bush Fire Control Officer	Simon Bell	0448 008 653
Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer	Brian Humphry	0439 995 692
Bush Fire Control Officer	Hayden Dixon	0429 045 205

**For more information contact:**  
Community Emergency Services Manager  
**0448 008 653**

# drumMUSTER collection

## COLLECTION DETAILS

### WHEN:

Thursday & Saturday

### WHERE:

Tammin Refuse Site



### CONTACT:

9637 0300

Recycle your empty eligible agvet containers. Visit the drumMUSTER website to find the nearest collection site to you. Remember, every container counts.

[drummuster.org.au](http://drummuster.org.au)

Connect with us

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**drumMUSTER**  
rise them out, round them up and run them in.

[info@drummuster.org.au](mailto:info@drummuster.org.au)  
1800 008 707

## Tammin Refuse Site

The Tammin Refuse Site is opens every **Thursday and Saturday** from **9am - 1pm**.

Don't forget to take along your tip pass!

If you have lost or didn't receive your pass, please let us know by emailing [admin@tammin.wa.gov.au](mailto:admin@tammin.wa.gov.au) or come and see us at the Administration Office.



Department of Transport



The Shire of

Tammin wishes to advise that all

licensing

transactions are available

Monday to Friday between 9am & 4pm

The Shire Office is open for any enquiries, transactions and Public Library needs.

If you wish to stay in your homes please feel free to contact the Shire office to complete transactions over the phone.

We will do our best to help.

Stay safe !!!

## **Know your Council**

President	Michael Greenwood (2021)	crgreenwood@tammin.wa.gov.au
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*\*Year in bracket denotes expiry of elected term.*

## **Know your Staff**

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Community Emergency Services Manager	Simon Bell	simon.bell@dfes.wa.gov.au

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### **Town Planning**

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