THE KULIN UPDATE

23RD JULY 2020

07 CHILDCARE SHARES THE FUN

Kulin Childcare shares their easy to bake bread, which was tried and tested by the kids.

10 FOOTY IS BACK ON AT THE FRC

It's the first home game of the 2020 season on July 25. We hope to see you all at the FRC on Saturday to support the Blues!

13 JOIN IN ON THE CRC WORKSHOPS

The CRC is running a four day wellness workshop, run by Maureen Gillbard, our local Change Facilitator.



GET SNAPPING

JULY PHOTO COMPETITION

Get snapping and take part in our July photo competition. It is free to enter and prizes to be won.

TOPIC

Kulin town

THE COMPETITION RULES

Please email us a copy of your photo, your name, and a brief description of your photo to marketing@kulin.wa.gov.au Entries must be received by 3.00pm, Tuesday 4 August, 2020.

Entrants must agree that their entries may be featured in the Kulin Update, CRC and Shire website or social media. We will include the entrants name where possible.

Painting on left is by Belle Brandis, Head in the clouds



CONTENT CORNER



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CONTENT DEADLINES

All Articles to be submitted no later than 4pm Tuesday deadline

Next deadline 4th August Next edition 6th August

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If you would like to share your news or information with the Kulin community, please email Kari on marketing@kulin.wa.gov.au

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Please send your news in a word doc or email with photos attached.

FOR ALL SERVICES FROM:

8.30AM - 4.30PM MONDAY TO FRIDAY.

THE CRC CAN BE CONTACTED VIA THE FOLLOWING: PHONE: (08) 9880 1021

KULIN UPDATE: MARKETING@KULIN.WA.GOV.AU



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

July	
23rd	Jaxon Argent, Mitchell King
24th	Kat Carrie
25th	Anne Lewis
26th	Shirley Ledwith, David Lewis, Alecia Varone
27th	Kaye Tyson
28th	Sean Scadding, Ashton Scadding
29th	Jamie Ledwith
30th	Charlie Poletti
31st	John Wilson (Jnr)

AUGUST

1st	Kim Brandis
2nd	Elizabeth Bailey
3rd	Polly Robins
4th	Katheryn Wilson, Jenny Bartlett, Helen Tilbee
5th	Carlee Tyson
6th	Riley Noble, Edwina Lawlor
7th	Kevin Bradford. Nicole Radar. Nannette Wilson

CEO CORNER

Welcome back to another CEO Corner. School holidays have come and gone again, a bit more rainfall is keeping the crops ticking along and local footy is back. Congratulations to the Blues on a couple of first up wins against last season's premiers Nukarni.

This week, a Council meeting is being held with the 20/21 Annual Budget being considered. As mentioned in recent months, one of the fortunate outcomes of COVID19 is that the Federal and State governments have a range of funding initiatives to stimulate local economies and local government. This financial year, the community of Kulin is fortunate to receive an additional \$1.2M of funding in our budget to develop community infrastructure assets. At this stage, we also have another \$1.5M in road projects with over \$800K of external funding and potentially, an additional \$500K of funding that we are awaiting an announcement on. Hopefully, the budget will be considered and passed without too many hitches so the Shire staff can immediately commence works to get the funded projects up and running. A big thank you to all community members who have provided feedback to staff on proposed community infrastructure projects.

A special shout out to the students and staff at KDHS, as well as the Cultivating Kulin group. Whilst I mention Cultivating Kulin, it was great



The controlled burn is behind the Aquatic Centre Photo by Charly Jenks

to see the results of their initiated busy bees to resurrect the Kulin BMX track. A lot of community time and effort has gone into this over of the past month. This is certainly a great attraction for local kids and tourists alike. Well done to Brad Smoker, Tom Murphy and all the others involved in bringing

this to fruition. The question is which local kid is going to win the inaugural Kulin BMX Championship?

Also, a big thank you to members of the local Volunteer Bush Fire Brigade, who undertook a controlled burn in this area to reduce the fire load

CEO CORNER



Garrick Yandle Chief Executive Officer

on the southern edge of town. This winter sees the VBFB being proactive in identifying high fire load areas and undertaking controlled burns to reduce this load. Another area they have recently undertaken a controlled burn in is behind the Aquatic Centre. In the coming months, I believe a significant exercise is being planned to undertake an extensive controlled burn in the Jilakin Rock Reserve, which is under the management of the Shire. Local VBFB will be coordinating this as a training exercise for new and established brigade members. Shire staff have been liaising closely with Craig McInnes on this. The AGM of the local VBFB will be held on Wednesday 5th August at Pingaring. Council will also be hosting the next LEMC Meeting at Shire office earlier in the day on Wednesday 5th August. If you have any emergency management or brigade issues please contact your relevant representatives to engage in discussion with them prior to this meeting.

The Works Crew have continued to be busy the past few weeks completing their maintenance grading program in the eastern portion of the Shire. I was fortunate to witness the excellence of their exploits the other week. I believe the crew are nearing 4 weeks on camping out at Holt Rock, wouldn't we all like a four-week camping getaway at this time of the year.

Next week sees Vice President Robins, Works Manager Judd

and myself attending the Wheatbelt South Regional Road. At this meeting, there will be some significant announcements regarding Wheatbelt Secondary Freight Network funding. This is a regional wide project that consists of 42 Shires. How this affects Kulin will hopefully be outlined in a future CEO Corner.

Next month, sees the FRC host a couple of regional meetings including a 'Grain on Rail' Meeting as well as the WALGA Central Country Zone Meeting. Further information on these specific meetings will be outlined in coming weeks. They are certainly an opportunity to showcase the great community of Kulin.

Until next time, safe travels.

Garrick Yandle CEO



JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN THE SHIRE OF KULIN

COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE TRAINEESHIP (INCLUDING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT)

Shire of Kulin is a local government enterprise which offers its employees a rich and rewarding work environment where you become part of a team and work in a dynamic environment.

Shire of Kulin fosters equal opportunity, career support and a work/life balance and is known as a proactive and vibrant organisation and community

We believe in providing a professional and progressive organisation where people enjoy working together to serve the community.

Shire of Kulin are looking for a Community Resource Centre Trainee. The salary package we're offering is \$40-50K (dependent upon experience).

We offer subsidised housing. We also offer a generous superannuation scheme.

The position will be for a fixed term contract of 1 year associated with the duration of the traineeship studies.

Traineeship options will be a Certificate in either Business Administration, Marketing and Communication or Tourism.

You will learn with the best publishing software including Adobe InDesign, Adobe Photoshop, Publisher and Canva. You will develop skills and knowledge in marketing and communications, including social medial, planning events, visitor servicing, tourism and administration.

Kulin is located three hours south-east of Perth. Kulin is a great place to live because it has high quality infrastructure and fantastic services. Kulin is well serviced in terms of health care, education (District High School and childcare centre) and excellent community and recreational facilities.

WHY APPLY?

• You will gain valuable experience in real work and industry environments, giving you a head start in your chosen career

and gain valuable skills and knowledge
You will finish with a nationally recognised qualification that could provide you with a competitive difference in the job

• You will use modern software

You will live and work in a vibrant, progressive community

Written applications including a covering letter and resume will be received up to Friday 7th August 2020 Further information can be obtained by contacting Taryn Scadding cdo@kulin. wa.gov.au or 9880 1204.

Garrick Yandle Chief Executive Officer Shire of Kulin ceo@kulin.wa.gov.au



Tarkyn Lewis Life of an Emu Year 5 & 6



Isobel Noble Dog Year 7 & 8

KULIN GOLF CLUB

CLUB FIXTURES 2020

PRESIDENT

Brenton Tyson 0429 417 215

MEN'S CAPTAIN

Phil Roads 0427 801 245

LADIES' CAPTAIN

Helen King 0437 809 027

STARTING TIMES

Wednesday: 10 am

Sunday 12pm

SUBS

\$80 no fees

\$10 social member + \$5 ball fees

Players must be financial

members of both the golf club

and FRC

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	Sun 26	Stableford			
Social Golf		Hyden Cup			
Stableford					
	AUGUST				
	Sat 1	Kondinin Open Day 4BBB			
Captain's Choice	Sun 2	Captain's Choice			
Social Golf	Sun 9	Stroke 2nd Champ Round			
Stroke 2nd Champ Round	Sun 16	Par			
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KULIN CHILDCARE HAPPENINGS

HEALTHY EATING

This week, we are focusing on healthy eating. The children made their own bread and baked it. We also made a dairy free version, using dairy free yoghurt. The children loved their creations and ate them all!

RECIPE

1 cup SR Flour2/3 cup Greek yoghurt

- 1. Mix and then knead all ingredients together.
- 2. Flatten out dough. Use cookie cutters to cut out your desired shape.
- 3. Decorate with sultanas, blueberries, banana chips, seeds.
- 4. Bake at 180°C until they are just brown. The colour will change and the bread will rise slightly too.
- 5. Enjoy when they are warm!

PIRATE WEEK

During week two of the school holidays, the focus was on pirates. The children made egg carton Pirate Ships. Click this link to make your egg carton pirate ship at home: https://youtu.be/E0OJ6lKS8 g











JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN THE SHIRE OF KULIN

SHIRE OF KULIN TRUCK DRIVER / ROAD TRAIN OPERATOR POSITION

Applications are invited for the position of a full time Truck Driver (Road Train) with the Shire of Kulin.

The successful applicant will be required to hold a MC licence and completion of appropriate training as required by the Code of Practice on Fatigue Management for Commercial Vehicle Drivers. Applicants will be encouraged to undertake on the job training to become proficient in operating other items of Council plant and machinery, while appropriate off the job training will be provided as required. You will be responsible for the day to day running of council's road train side tipper setup while working a 85 hour 9 day fortnight being home each night.

Conditions of employment are in accordance with the Local Govt. Industry Award 2010.

The successful applicant will be offered a total cash remuneration package of between \$65,000 - \$70,000 for an 84-hour fortnight spread across nine days and includes an RDO and housing allowance. There is the potential for higher earnings should the applicant be willing to complete further hours of overtime. Subject to availability at the time of the offer, subsidised housing may also be available to the successful candidate.

Kulin is located three hours south east of Perth, has a district population of 1000 and is well serviced in terms of health care and schooling (to year 10), has recreation facilities second to none and an energetic community provides the opportunity for plenty of active participation and quality living.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Judd Hobson, Manager of Works, on 0427 801 241.

Applications outlining employment history and other relevant details, including the names of 2 recent referees must be received by the undersigned by Thursday 23rd July 2020 at 4pm.

J Hobson Manager of Works PO Box 125 KULIN WA 6365 works@kulin.wa.gov.au

PUBLIC NOTICE - SHIRE OF KULIN

STANDING ORDERS LOCAL LAW 2020

The Shire of Kulin is providing public notice of its proposal to make two new local laws.

Standing Orders Local Law 2020 The purpose of the proposed local law is to provide for the conduct of meetings of the Council, Committees and electors.

The effect of the proposed local law is to provide for:

• better decision-making at

meetings;

- the orderly and efficient conduct of meetings;
- greater community
 participation and
 understanding of the
 business of the Council; and
- more open and accountable local government.

A copy of the Standing Orders Local Law 2020 may be obtained from the Shire Office or viewed on the Shire of Kulin website. Submissions concerning the proposed local law can be made in person to the Shire of Kulin, 38 Johnston St Kulin, via post to PO Box 125 Kulin 6365, or email to eso@kulin.wa.gov.au, by 4.30pm 11 September 2020.

Further information can be obtained from Nicole Thompson 98801204 or email eso@kulin. wa.gov.au

Garrick Yandle Chief Executive Officer

CULTIVATING KULIN COMMITTEE

CKC CROPPING PROJECT UPDATE

With welcomed rain of late, the community crop is looking great. A huge thanks to our community members who have contributed to the project to date.

Tim Bardon Jnr & Snr Mike & Kathy Wilson Jarron Noble Don Bradford Michael, David & Peter Carmody Murphy & McInnes families for their rock picking skills Chad Frantom Ben Whisson



CULTIVATING KULIN COMMITTEE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Cultivating Kulin Committee Annual General Meeting Tuesday 28th July 2020 4.00pm

AGENDA

- 1. Meeting Open
- 2. Present
- 3. Apologies
- 4. Minutes of previous meeting
- 5. Executive Committee Reports
 - a. President's Report
 - b. Treasurer's Report
- 6. Approval of Membership Applications
- 7. Election of Executive Members
 - a. Positions are declared vacant
 - b. Nominations are declared open
 - c. Voting
- 8. General Business
- 9. Next Meeting
- 10. Meeting Close

PUBLIC NOTICE - SHIRE OF KULIN

FOR SALE BY TENDER

1998 Haulmore Side Tipper (PE114) new undercarriage 2016.

Contact Judd Hobson 0427 801 241 or email works@kulin.wa.gov.au for details.

Offers to be Received by 4pm Thursday 6th August 2020





FREEBAIRN RECREATION CENTRE

A MILESTONE

Things keep ticking along and changing almost weekly here at the FRC. This week sees us reach what we could almost term a milestone given what has been happening in the world throughout 2020. Casting my mind back, on March 23 I was putting up a 'CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SIGN' and questioning if and when we would have any Winter sports here during 2020 and even beyond!

FIRST HOME GAME

So, this weekend will be one to remember for reasons we will probably never forget. It's the first home game of season 2020 – on July 25. In a normal season this would be Round 9 of the home and away games. Instead the boys will take the field in Kulin for the first time this year! The Kulin-Kondinin team come up against Corrigin on Saturday. The Juniors will have a run first at 11.00 am followed by the Reserves at 12.30 pm and League at 2.30 pm.

KULIN NETBALL TEAM

The Kulin Netball Team will be running the canteen on the day and dinner will be available in the evening as well. So, as much as it can be, it will be a normal Saturday afternoon at the footy – so come down and give the boys your support as well as supporting the Netball girls in the canteen and the FRC as we welcome crowds back to the Centre. We will be adhering to Health Department guidelines and encouraging personal hygiene measures, social distancing and making sanitization stations available throughout the centre.

It's been great to see regular attendance at the Fitness sessions being run by the Kulin Netball Club on a Monday evening. I think everyone who has been coming along has certainly benefited from the sessions both physically and socially – so well done to the Netball girls for initiating this after their season was abandoned.

JUNIORS

After a brief break for school holidays, both junior netball and junior hockey training will re-commence at the FRC this Thursday afternoon. It's always so nice to have a buzz around the place and the buzz continues on a Friday afternoon when we have the AusKickers and Junior Footy training on. There have been good numbers at these sessions and the kids have been enjoying the traditional cool drink, juice box and bag of chips at the end of training while Mum and Dad have some Friday arvo social time.

GOLF

The buzz carries on into Sunday here – a bit of a quieter buzz

but a good group have been gathering for a round of Golf every Sunday afternoon followed by a re-cap of the holes post round over a beverage or two. Everyone is welcome so please feel free to come along for a 12-noon hit off each Sunday afternoon.

WELCOME

For those of you who have been in over the past few weeks, you will have noticed a new face behind the bar! Laura Balestrini joined us at the end of June. Laura is from Northern Italy and has spent time in Australia before. It has been lovely to welcome her to Kulin – and yes you may have seen her serving you groceries behind the counter at the IGA as well drinks behind the bar at the FRC as she keeps herself more than busy in our town.

So please, make Laura feel really welcome as she more than many of us can appreciate is certainly feeling the effects of Covid-19 and being separated from close ones back home.

Looking forward to seeing everyone out and about on Saturday!

Thanks for your support.
Until next time,
Ruth

FREEBAIRN RECREATION CENTRE

OPENING HOURS

(AT THE TIME OF PRINT)

Thursday 23 July Junior Hockey and Netball

Senior Footy Training

Friday 24 July AusKick and Junior Footy Training Bar Open 4pm

Saturday 25 July KKFC v Corrigin

Sunday 26 July Golf

KKHC Training Activity

Friday 31 July AusKick and Junior Footy Training Bar Open 4pm

Saturday 1 August CLOSED (Planned Power Outage)

Sunday 2 July Golf Bar Open 3pm

EDFL FIXTURES 2020

Saturday 25 July Belt Up Round 9 Kulin/Kondinin v Corrigin @ Kulin Saturday 1 August BASF Round 10 Southern Cross v Kulin/Kondinin Saturday 8 August Dyson Jones Round 11 Kulin/Kondinin v Narembeen @KN

Saturday 15 August Nutrien Ag Sol Round 12 Kulin/Kondinin v Hyden/Karlgaarin @ Kulin

Bar Open 7pm

Bar Open 3pm

Bar Open 6pm

Bar Open 12 noon

Saturday 22 August RSM ROund 13 Bruce Rock v Kulin/Kondinin

Saturday 29 August Talk to a mate Round 14 Kulin/Kondinin v Burracoppin @ KN

CBH GROUP FINALS SERIES

1st Semi Final and 2nd Semi Final Weekend of the 5th-6th September @ TBC

Preliminary Final Saturday 12th September @ TBC
Grand Final Saturday 19th September @ TBC



DEFRIBILLATORS ON BOARD OUR TRUCKS

Kulin and Pingaring Fire trucks will now be equipped with defribillators following the DFES roll out.

WE NEED YOUR HELP WITH THE UPDATE

We would love to hear what is happening around the community. However, due to time restraints and resources at the CRC, we are streamlining the way we produce the Kulin Update and request that contributors send us information in the following format:

- 1. Text to be sent in a Microsoft word document or email. We can no longer recieve PDFs, only as paid adverts.
- 2, Photos to be sent as attachments and not embedded in other documents.
- 3. Please ensure you have edited your submission.

If you would like to share your information with the Kulin community, please email Kari on marketing@kulin.wa.gov.au

THE DOCTOR IS AWAY

Please note that Doctor Mackie will be away and the Kulin Medical Centre will be closed on the days shown on the right. For medical emergencies please call 000. For afterhours attention, please attend the Kondinin hospital.

WOMEN'S HEALTH CLINIC

WHEN: Friday 24th July
WHERE: Kulin (AM session),
Wickepin Medical Centre (PM session)

Book your FREE cervical screen, breast check and women's health advice. A female GP and a nurse will be in attendance.

For bookings and further details, please call 9881 0385. Don't forget to bring your Medicare card.

Southern Wheatbelt Primary Health Service Phone: 9881 0385

WHERE AND WHEN?



Do you know what shop this is in Kulin and what year or decade it was taken in?

We will fill you in on the details in the next Kulin Update.

WESTERN POWER PLANNED OUTAGES

Western Power planned outages are expected next week between Tuesday 28th July and Saturday 1st August at various locations throughout Kulin.

The Shire has been notified of two locations that may affect you. For further information you can contact Western Power on 13 10 87.

FUEL FACILITY

Tuesday 28 July 8am – 5pm Thursday 30th July 8am – 4pm Saturday 1st August 8am – 4pm

FREEBAIRN RECREATION CENTRE

Tuesday 28th July 8am – 5pm Saturday 1st August 8am – 4pm

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
13 TH KONDININ	14 TH KULIN	15 TH KONDININ	16 TH HYDEN	17 TH KULIN	18 [™] CLOSED	19™ CLOSED
20 TH KONDININ	21 ST KULIN	22 ND CLOSED	23 RD CLOSED	24 TH CLOSED	25 TH CLOSED	26 TH CLOSED
27 TH CLOSED	28 TH CLOSED	29 TH KONDININ DR JOB	30 TH HYDEN DR JOB	31 ST CLOSED	1 ^{ST AUGUST} CLOSED	2 ND CLOSED
3 RD CLOSED	4 TH CLOSED	5 TH KONDININ DR JOB	6 TH KONDININ DR JOB	7 TH CLOSED	8 TH CLOSED	9 TH CLOSED
10 TH CLOSED	11 TH KULIN DR JOB	12 TH KONDININ DR JOB	13 TH CLOSED	14 TH CLOSED	15 TH CLOSED	16 TH CLOSED



TECH SAVVY SENIOR WORKSHOPS

The CRC would like to run a series of courses to help the seniors in our community become more confident in using their mobile phones, ipads or laptops.

If you would be interested or know anyone who would be, please get in touch with us by visiting us at the CRC, giving us a call on (08) 9880 1021 or send us your name and number to marketing@kulin.wa.gov.au

As soon as we have enough numbers for the course, we will finalise dates.

STEP INTO SPRING - WELLBEING WORKSHOP

The CRC will be holding a 'Step into Spring' wellbeing workshop. It will be run by our local Change facilitator, Maureen Gillbard. The workshops will focus on improving physical, emotional and mental wellbeing using a variety of interactive tools and techniques.

DATES

It's a four-day workshop held over four Sundays from 9am to 12. Sorry, we can't accept drop ins. The dates of the workshop: 30th August 6th September 13th September 20th September Venue TBC



COST

The cost of the four day workshop is \$40 (ususally valued at \$150). There is a maximum of 15 people for the workshop, so book now to avoid disappointment. The workshop is for 18 year olds and over.

BOOK NOW

If you would like to book a place in the workshop. Please get in touch asap. If you can't attend those dates, we hope to hold another one early next year. Contact Kari at

marketing@kulin.wa.gov.au

NEW COMMUNITY MEMBERS

WELCOME

The Shire of Kulin and the CRC would like to welcome Laura Balestrini to Kulin. She has just started working at the IGA and the Rec Centre.

A NOTE FROM LAURA BALESTRINI

I'm from Italy and I grew up in Saronno, which is well known for 'Amaretto', the sweet liqueur. It's just 30km from Milan, where I did my studies.

I have a Degree in Interior design and also specialised in Editorial graphics, which I worked in for almost 8 years. Even though I loved my job, I realised that something was missing from my life. I was super busy at work and I didn't have enough time for my passion - travelling.

I love travelling on my own and getting to know new cultures and people. I love hiking and I feel more comfortable in the countryside than in the city. I decided to leave my job and my life in Italy to follow my dreams.

In 2018, I travelled around Australia for one year. I lived in Melbourne for a few months working and trying to improve my English. I went to Uluru, through the beautiful desert, I travelled 'solo' from Melbourne to Cairns visiting amazing places and meeting wonderful people before stopping in Queensland to do farm work. Finally, I ended



up in WA where I did a road trip from Perth to Darwin. I fell in love with the red sand, the natural springs and the crazy wind. This trip was one of the best experiences I have ever had.

After returning to Italy for an eight month work project, I decided to continue travelling. I spent four months in New Zealand, hiking and getting to know the countryside very well. That's one place that really stole a piece of my heart.

I came back to Australia when all the Coronavirus craziness was starting up. I was travelling from Melbourne to Perth and I had just arrived in Adelaide when the government announced the closure of the borders. My travelling mates and I managed to get to WA, but we got stuck in



Mandurah for six weeks during the lock down. Luckily, we found an amazing Australian guy who hosted us, we became part of his family. After the regional borders opened, we spent another month together travelling to Margaret River and Albany.

But after all this intense, sometimes hard, and amazing experience it was time to part ways. It was also time for me to travel on my own and, of course, save some money for the next wonderful trip.

Thanks to Wout and Maddie, I found the jobs in Kulin, where I'm working at the Rec Centre and I am helping at the IGA in town. I'm enjoying Kulin and I really appreciate meeting all the friendly people who live here.

WILDFLOWER SOCIETY OF WA (INC)

AGM

THE KULIN BRANCH OF THE WILDFLOWER SOCIETY OF WA (INC)

WHEN

25 AUGUST 2020 12-1pm

WHERE

Kulin Flora Herbarium in the old Shire Office McInnes/Johnston St Kulin

11AM - 12PM

pop in and see what we do in the Kulin Herbarium

12PM - 1PM

AGM and GM

1PM - 2 PM

Wander on the Macrocarpa Trail or drive or gopher

SUGGESTIONS WELCOME

We welcome your suggestions on new directions for 2020-21 and what we can do for the Kulin and surrounding communities.

Please join us as there are many plants, yet to be found, that may have chemicals or genes that we can use in our crops, medicines or unlimited processes and most importantly for our low rainfall, low humidity, low maintenance, low cost gardens.

If your interests are photography, birds, fauna or nature, you are welcome too.

GET IN TOUCH

Please call us to join or with agenda items or your ideas

Robin Campbell 0499 624 038 Heather Gibson 08 9880 1278 Harold Proud 0429 801 024 Matt Schmook 0427 388 822 Jean Sloan 0427 891 229 Linda Turner 0427 788 992

Photos by Robin Campbell



TALES FROM KULIN KIDS NEAR AND FAR

ST MARY'S HISTORY TRIP TO GERMANY IN JULY 2019

By Alysha Sloggett

Things that I never thought I would have the chance to experience, I have experienced today. From the physical locations to the tormenting stories told of them and their immense horrors. The visuals and just thinking about what had once happened in the now visually breathtakingly beautiful place, makes me feel deeply conflicted. The solemn atmosphere made it more surreal that we were actually there. It wasn't a simulation or a rebuilt design, but the true place of a murder of over a million people. Going into today the tour leaders had told us that, we would come away either being somewhat changed or affected by our experience they also said that some people would feel like their were still staring into a textbook. I was one that was affected.

My most emotional part of our tour was as we went into a building which contained hundreds of items and parts of humans who were the Jewish people deported to Auchwitz. From children's and adults shoes, 2 tonnes of authentic human hair, pots and pans that were uniquely painted, braces and prosthetic amputations and suitcases with the names and addresses of the victims. For the memory of those people, those





small items, a normal item to all of us today, singularly takes on the role of remembering who these people were, what their fate was and is a connection between the victims of the genocide and us remembering their stories today.

Walking into auchwitz-birkenau, the eerie feeling in the air was surreal. The feeling of such a place where so many people died, made me feel a type of overwhelming emotion that is hard to pinpoint. Walking into the red brick gates along the railway track on which over a million Jews would have entered on, not knowing their fate, walking where they walked, it was an intimidating realisation for me.





My experience today has inspired me to make a change. My choices, my morals, my goals and my outlook on the world as a whole. I can see now that I am just a person in the big picture, these people were just humans like me. We may have had religious beliefs that were different, but we were the same. Just trying to get through one day at a time. Their lives were cut short from views that were inhuman and utterly brutal. This event has and forever will be a part of human history that will never be forgotten, especially by me. To discriminate and dictate, causes death.

SUPPORTING WOMEN

2020 is only the second year of my membership at the CWA in Kulin, although I used to really enjoy the companionship of the CWA group back in the early 90's when I would attend with my late Mother-in Law Nona Wilson.

A vibrant group back then and a vibrant group at present. The work currently being undertaken to stabilize and repair the CWA building is an exciting project to be involved in, although more importantly, the project is allowing the group of people involved to re-focus on the value of the Kulin CWA and the role it might play now to support women of all ages within our community and beyond.

Katheryn Wilson





With plenty of greens, fresh eggs and a few tomatoes that survived the recent frosts in Kulin, this recipe is a great one for using things from my garden and on hand in the kitchen. The breadcrumb base gives a lighter touch rather than the usual heavy pastry.

INGREDIENTS

6 slices of wholegrain bread (or equivalent sourdough, pitta, defrosted breads from the freezer etc.) – processed to crumbs 1 bunch of spinach – trim stalks off, microwave, squeeze juice out and chopped 2 spring onions - finely sliced Sprig of parsley - chopped 1 clove garlic – finely grated 6 eggs – beaten lightly 1 ½ cups of cream (partially substitute sour cream if that's what you have) ¼ cup finely grated parmesan cheese 1 cup grated cheddar cheese

2 tablespoons wholemeal SR

2 small tomatoes – finely sliced

flour

Pyrex dish pictured is 28cm x 18cm by 5cm deep

METHOD

- 1. Grease dish and preheat oven to 180°C
- 2. Process the bread to crumbs, adding a small amount of the spring onion and parsley.
- 3. Gently press crumb mixture onto base and up sides of dish.
- 4. Combine remaining spring onion, garlic, eggs, cream, flour and cheeses (keep back a small amount of each cheese for topping) and mix well.
- 5. Stir spinach into filling mixture.
- 6. Pour filling gently over crumb base. Top with tomato slices and sprinkle remaining cheese over whole lot.
- Bake uncovered quiche in a moderate oven for 40 – 45 minutes.
- 8. Serve with a mixed lettuce salad on the side although the Wilson boys prefer it with tomato sauce.







POSITIONS VACANT

Titan Engineering is looking for personnel to suit the following positions to commence in July/August 2020: 1x Ag Machinery Assembler

1x Store Person/Painter

Also expressions of interest are invited from personnel with skills in the following: Industrial Painting, Store Work, Machinery Fit-up or Machinery Maintenance.

All positions are full time with the average hours worked per week (5 days) being 41.5 hours.

Titan Engineering (formerly Middle East Engineering) has been manufacturing agriculture machinery for the past 29 years with class leading brands Accuspray Boomsprays, Chase MEE Mobile Bins and Wilkins Stubble Rakes.

Based in Kondinin, Titan Engineering would like to build on its existing team of skilled people. With a current staff retention rate of nine years Titan Engineering prides itself on treating their staff with respect. All applicants must have the following attributes:

- Be a team player,
- Be self-motivated,
- Have a passion to create metal structures,
- Willingness to learn new skills,
- Willingness to contribute new ideas,
- Be honest and reliable,
- Enjoy rural living.

Applicants are invited to email their resume to peter@titaneng.com.au or phone Peter Harvey for further information on 0428 891 200.



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