

JUNE 2023

COUNCIL MATTERS

Official Newsletter of the Shire of Kellerberrin

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RECENT COUNCIL MEETING OUTCOMES

April 2023 Council Meeting Outcomes

Council held its April Ordinary Council Meeting on Tuesday, 18th April 2023. Some of Council decisions included:

- Council modified Public Question Time for all Council Meetings from 4.15pm to 4.05pm;
- Council approved the 2023/2024 Community Budget Submissions (for further information see overleaf);

May 2023 Council Meeting Outcomes

Council held its May Ordinary Council Meeting on Tuesday, 16th May 2023. Some of Council decisions included:

- Council adopted the 2023/2024 Rate Provisions to be included into the 2023/2024 Draft Budget;
- Council approved the appointment of Morgan Ware to the position of Manager of Governance.

June 2023 Council Meeting Agenda

Council held its June Ordinary Council Meeting on Tuesday, 20th June 2023. Some of Council decisions included:

- Council endorsed the Draft Roadworks Budget 2023/2024 to be included into the 2023/2024 Draft Budget.
- Council adopted the 2023/2024 Fees and Charges to be incorporated into the 2023/2024 Draft Budget.


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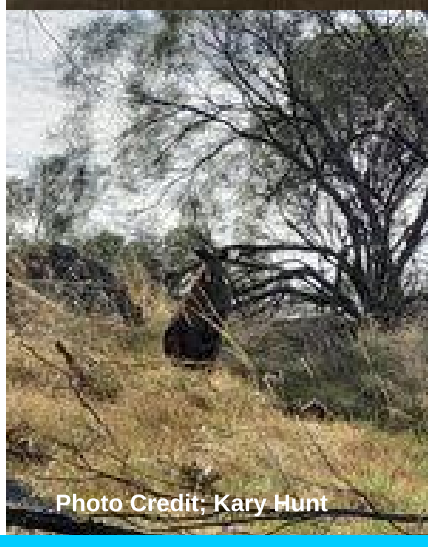

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COUNCIL UPDATES

Community Budget Submissions

The following local Community Groups were successful in receiving funding for their nominated 2023/2024 projects:

- Kellerberrin Hockey Club;
- Eastern Wheatbelt Riding Club;
- Kellerberrin Town Team;
- Kellerberrin Playgroup;
- Kellerberrin District High School;
- Kellerberrin Community Resource Centre;
- Kellerberrin Pistol Club; and
- Better Heart Aboriginal Corporation.



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Staffing

Council farewelled the following staff members:

- Natasha Giles;
- Amanda Stewart;
- Zene Arancon;
- Codi Bridley-Mullen; and
- Barry Wood

Council wishes them all the best with their future endeavours.

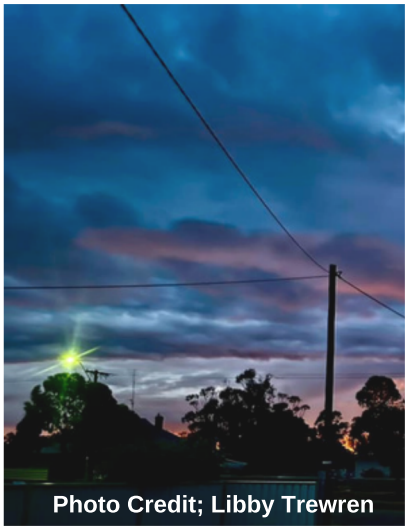


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Council warmly welcomes the following staff members:

- Administration Officer - Jacki Peak;
- Administration Assistant - Madison Fitzgerald-McIntosh;
- Community Development Officer - Madalene Court;
- Finance Officer - Nikayla Ovens;
- Builder - Toby Barker; and
- Manager of Governance - Morgan Ware

Check out the Shire's Facebook page for the 'meet the team' posts.



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COUNCIL UPDATES

New Streetsweeper



Residents may have notice Councils new street sweeper making its journey around the town streets giving them their first clean for some time.

The sweeper is doing a magnificent job however, due to the time between cleans it will take a few more times of going over before the streets are cleaned completely.

Council will also commence its contract works with surrounding Shires in the coming weeks.

We look forward to the new sweeper keeping our streets neat and tidy for years to come.



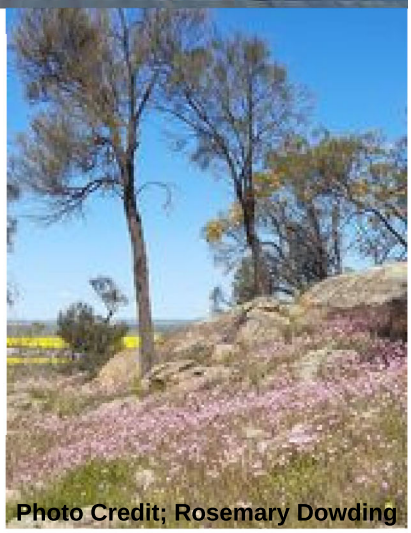


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Tourist Information Bay

Council has been hard at work with a design consultant for the new artwork and updated information for the Information Bay. The artwork has arrived and will be installed in the coming weeks.

Council are also working on Z-card brochures for additional promotion of Kellerberrin, its businesses, tourist spots and the region.



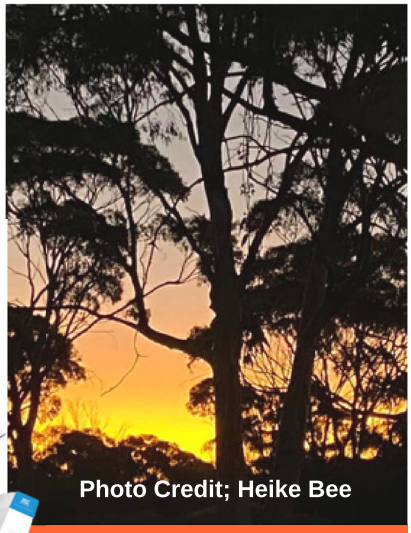


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ROADWORKS UPDATE

Shire of Kellerberrin 2023/2024 Road Program

Regional Road Group

- Doodlakine South Road–5.97 SLK to 7.90SLK(Full Reconstruction)
- Doodlakine South Road–Reseal of the following sections;
  - 0.86–1.45
  - 2.80–5.17
  - 5.49–5.95
- Doodlakine South Road–Clearing Permit Application for 9.70–12.45 SLK.
- Kellerberrin Yelbini Road–Clearing Permit Application

Commodity Route Funding

Goldfields Road–3.37 SLK-4.87 SLK (Highway heading east 1.5 kms)(Carryover funding from 2022/2023

- Goldfields Road–4.87–5.77 SLK

Roads to Recovery

Council has allocated the following works to its Roads to Recovery program;

- Sewell Street–Highway to back lane
- Connelly Street–Reconstruct between Hinckley and Moore Street

Local Community Roads Infrastructure Program – Region and Rural Roads Program

Reconstruct Hammond Street from Scott Street to Restdown St intersection renewal. Works include new road surface, kerbing and footpath construction.

Road Maintenance

Council is currently working on shoulder grading on its sealed roads to ensure the edges of the seal is maintained and provides a safe road edge for road users.



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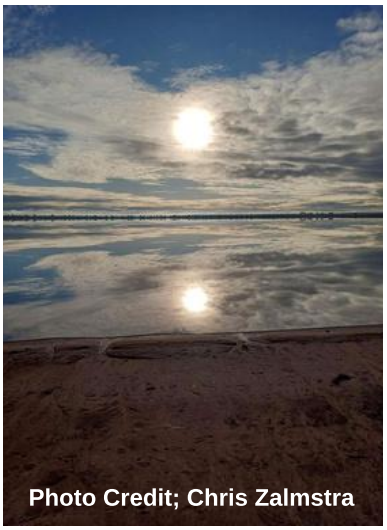


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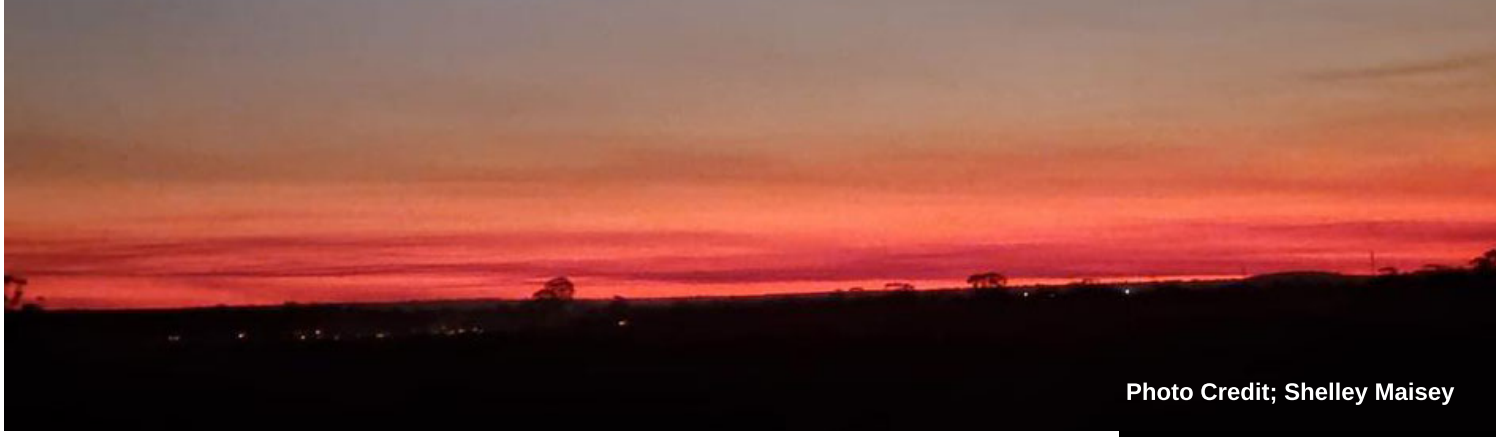


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WHATS BEEN HAPPENING AROUND THE SHIRE?

Reconciliation Week

Council held the National Reconciliation Week cooked breakfast on Thursday, 25th May 2023 at the Kellerberrin Town Hall. The breakfast started at 8am-10am with a virtual Welcome to Country followed by keynote speakers and insight to the damaged caused by natural disasters earlier this year in the Kimberley.

Council would like to thank everyone that attended the National Reconciliation Breakfast and supported this years 'Be a Voice for Generations'.







International Day of People with Disability

On Friday, 19th May 2023 Council held the Inclusive BBQ function, at Centenary Park, for the community to celebrate International Day of People with Disability.

With beautiful weather on the day the BBQ gave the opportunity to showcase services available in the community for people to access. Guest speakers from National Disability Support Partners (NDSP) and Roshana Care Group coming up from Perth to give speeches on their services available while the Central East Aged Care Alliance (CEACA) provided wonderful informational brochures on the units they have available.

Thank you to all who attended the Inclusive BBQ.

ROSHANA CARE GROUP

CEACA
Supporting Age Friendly Communities

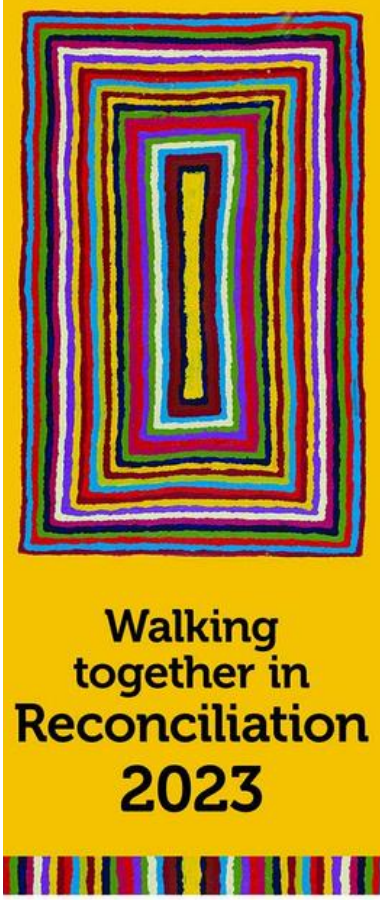
ndsp NATIONAL DISABILITY SUPPORT PARTNERS

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ReconciliationWA

Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries
GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA



Shire of Kellerberrin
Life as rich as the landscape



FATALITY FREE FRIDAY

May 2023



WHATS BEEN HAPPENING AROUND THE SHIRE?

Fatality Free Friday - 26th May 2023



Fatality Free Friday, a day to remember all those who lost their lives on our roads, a day to remember to drive the speed limit, a day to remember to wear your seat belt, a day to remember to be safe on the Australian Roads.

Be the change you want to see on our Australian Roads



Snow White & the Seven Cool Dudes

On Tuesday, 9th May 2023 Snowy and The Seven Cool Dudes written by A.J. Bailey was performed at the Kellerberrin Town Hall with a good turnout for the event. The interactive performance was aimed for children 3yrs-11yrs with it being a hit for those that attended!



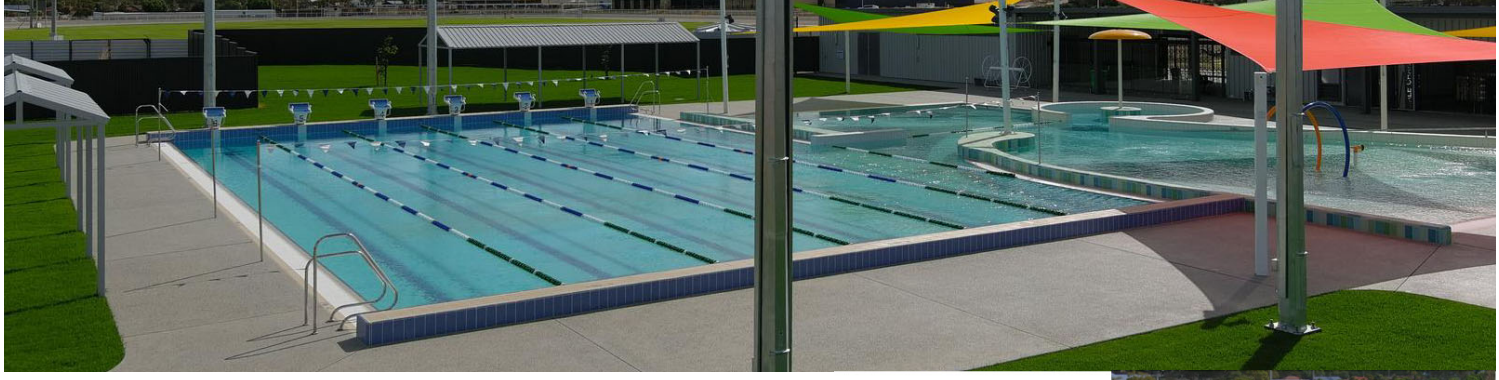


"A reimagined fairy tale, based on the book by the same name, AJ Bailey. The show is educational with regard to healthy eating messages and keeping fit with important messages of acceptance and kindness."

Keep an eye out in May 2024 for Little Red in the Hood another interactive performance coming to Kellerberrin!







KELLERBERRIN FACILITIES UPDATE

Kellerberrin Memorial Swimming Pool Redevelopment

Construction of the pool is complete and Council staff are currently finalising the licence requirements to ensure the pool is ready for the new pool season.





Swimming Pool Carpark

Council is planning for the construction of a new Car Park for the new Swimming Pool. In the construction of the car park the drainage on Hinckley Street (roadside) and Gregory Street intersection will be upgraded with concrete to replace the current damaged sections. The proposed car park will provide 60+ bays for the community to access when utilising the Swimming Pool and/or Hockey Oval facility.

The car park will also include items from the old pool complex as a reminder of the previous facility.



Official Opening

Council will be hosting an official opening of the pool in late October so keep your eye out for promotions.

Exhibitian Hall - Storage Shed



The construction of the storage facility at the Eastern End of the Exhibition Hall contains five (5) 7.2m x 3.5m bays for the Kellerberrin Agricultural Society and Sporting clubs to utilise as storage for all their equipment.





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Are you following us?

Please see details for the Shire's social media accounts

Website: https://www.kellerberrin.wa.gov.au/

Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/shireofkellerberrin/

Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/shireofkellerberrin/

We are always chasing unique photos that sum up the lifestyle and the amazing landscape that we're blessed with.

Do you have a great photo of our Shire and want to share it with the community? Feel free to tag us in your Instagram post or use the hashtag #shireofkellerberrin

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK

We would love to hear from you!

Let us know what you would like to see in the next Council Matters.

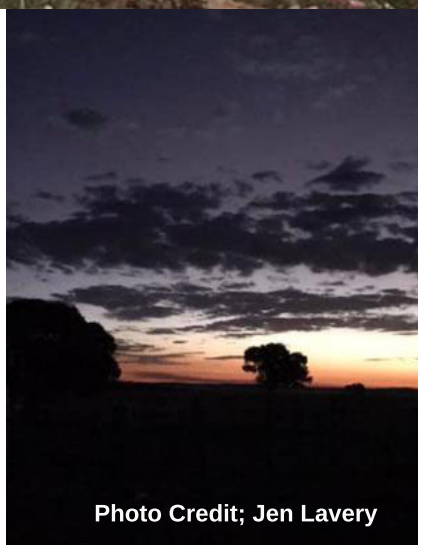


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