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Hello good people of Cue

Well we are already into the last month of winter and I for one will be happy when the warmth returns. It has been good though, at least we have had a bit of rain this year and the flowers are already starting to make their way towards the sky. Looking forward to seeing a bit of colour once again across our magnificent Murchison landscape.

Great to see the roadworks through town have commenced, once completed this will improve the experience of driving through the main street as well as saving our iconic buildings from being shaken to pieces. It's a shame nobody did a drivability test before sealing though, as the hump outside the shire office on the Northern side and the dip on the Southern side are a bit of a blight on an otherwise good job. Also a shame is that the drainage at the Robinson St intersection has been left sub-standard. Surely works could have been undertaken here to coincide with the Main Roads presence to get rid of the pools of water that gather at this point.

I did not receive an invite to the Christmas in July event that took place in Cue, however, I did for the one in Mount Magnet and what a great day it was. With about 40 or so people attending this event, laughing, playing games and eating wonderful food it is once again a credit to the wonderful organizers of WOMENS Inc for putting together another great days entertainment. Well done to you.

On another good note I was recently, overcooking, the mystery bags at the CRC's bbq for the visitors in the tourist park and was pleased with the turnout and enjoyment had by those who attended. There was some good chatter and a few laughs and all together another successful undertaking by the CRC to promote our lovely little village. It was also great to see works beginning, to add a few more desperately needed powered sites in the park. I'm sure there will be no trouble filling them up when available. Well done.

Jeff

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FROM THE DESK OF THE CEO

The Cue premiere of *The Decadent & Depraved* was a great success with approximately 120 people turning up on the night. During the night it was announced by the Director Jordon Prince-Wright they had just found out the film had won six awards at the Los Angeles Film Awards for Best Actor, Best Cinematography, Best Western, Best Support Actor, Best Independent Feature and Honourable Mention: First Time Director. Subsequently, the film has recently won awards at the New York Film Awards. We would like to thank Jordon & Jeff Prince-Wright, Michael Muntz and Dean McAskill for coming to Cue and leaving us with wonderful memories.



Keeping with the entertainment theme, on Friday 3 August we have *A Boy Named Cash* performing at the Cue Shire Hall. The kitchen is open from 6.30pm and the performance starts at 7.15pm. It promises to be a fabulous night of entertainment so get a group of friends together and join in the fun. Please call the Shire Admin to make a booking to assist with catering. Entry is free.

During the first week of the recent school holidays, Storm Co (Service To Others Really Matters Company) blessed our town with their presence. Every morning at the Shire Hall they had fun activities for the Children and every afternoon they donated their time to various civic duties around our town. Once again, thank you Simon, Rainer and your wonderful team for bringing joy and happiness to our town.



Contractors Gencon on behalf of Main Roads have undertaken the resurfacing of our main street. There were a few unexpected issues they had to contend with like ripping up Telstra copper lines and a fibre optic cable. This resulted in a portion of town being without telephone and internet facilities for two days. Despite this setback they are now finished with phase one. Main Roads have informed the Shire that the final seal won't be laid until summer, as the ground temperature is too cold at the moment.



On a very disappointing note, our children have again been seen vandalising the Cue Oasis with some disgusting graffiti. This is very disappointing as it leaves the wrong impression of our beautiful town with visitors utilizing this facility. Parents please make sure you talk to your children and explain to them this behaviour is not acceptable.



The Cue Police were successful in obtaining a 2018 Eagles jumper as a prize for the NAIDOC award "Because of her, We Can". The Shire of Cue donated the framing of the jumper and on Friday 27th July at the Cue Primary School assembly, Megan Brockman was announced the winner.

Rob Madson
Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Cue

Next Council meeting - 6:30pm Tuesday 21 August 2018



POLICE BEAT

Traffic

On Monday 23rd July 2018, Cue Police stopped a motorist for travelling at 167km/hour in a 110 zone on the Great Northern Highway, Cue Shire. As soon as you travel at 45km an hour or more, it is considered Reckless Driving and your vehicle will be seized. The male driver from Perth has been summoned to court and will appear at a later date.

Crime

On Monday 16 July 2018, Police received a complaint that a road worker had been assaulted by a male person holding a stick. As a result of inquiries a male from Cue has been charged with Assault Occasioning Bodily Harm and will appear in Cue Magistrate Court in the near future

Community Policing

Cue Police would like to officially welcome Senior Constable Martin REID to the station. Martin has transferred to Cue from Mount Magnet and has settled in nicely. If you get a chance to stop and have a chat to him, ask him to speak slowly as his thick accent can be difficult to understand. Please make him feel welcomed into this community.

We have received a number of calls lately regarding activity of juveniles around the town. Some of these relate to kids entering people's property to steal fruit from tree's, running on the Highway in front of trucks and throwing rocks at buildings. Parents need to be aware of where their children are as it may be embarrassing when we bring them home to you as a result of their behavior.

Quote of the month

"The more you weigh, the harder you are to kidnap, stay safe, eat cake"

Sergeant Clinton BRENNAN
Officer In Charge
Cue Police Station

Des Mulcahy - A Little Bit of Family History

BORN: Cue Hospital

DATE: 15th August 1928

You will notice from my Birth Certificate that my proper Christian names are Daniel Thomas and not Des as everybody knows me.

You may be interested in a little bit of family history.

My grandmother Georgina Midlin was one of the first white ladies in Cue in the 1890's. As a teenager she came from Charters Towers Queensland with her foster father, a mine manager. Her parents and two sisters died of a typhoid fever plaque in that town.

I remember Granma telling me she cried when she first arrived in Cue as conditions were very primitive and she had only a small hessian tent to live in. Her foster father a Scotsman said "Why are you crying girl. You have a house to yourself."

Georgina married Thomas Gill. They ran a wayside inn at Gabinantha which is now a big hole in the ground as it was later a mine site. After some time they moved to Cue and were licensees of the Rosscommon and Crown Hotels.

Thomas Gill died leaving Georgina with six children. She then married Arthur (Joby) Chesson. He was a member of the large well known Chesson family who lived in Cue. Arthur (Joby) was a member of the Cue Road Board Council for several terms and a prominent supporter of the local Fire Brigade. One of his brothers Jim with his brother in law Heydon were lessees of the well known Cue 1 and Big Bell mines as well as other mines in the Cue area. Another brother Tom Chesson was a member of the state parliament. Arthur (Joby) had three more children.

Mary Gill, my mother the third in Georgina's family was born in Cue in 1906. When she was a teenager she used to play the piano for the regular Cue dances and worked in the Cue Road Board Office. She married Mick Mulcahy, manager of Milly Milly Sheep Station where I lived for the first four years of my life.

I have two sisters - Sue and Sally.

I started metal detecting in the Cue area in September 2006 and found an 80z nugget in October of that year. The following 11 winters I continued metal detecting around the Cue area staying in my van at the Cue Caravan Park. It's a great way to spend your retirement years.

Des

Des turns 90 on the 15th August 2018.

Happy Birthday Des from all of your Cue friends.



Des pictured here with his son John at the old Cue Hospital ruins.

Des's Birth certificate on the next page

No.	CHILD.			PARENTS.		
	(1) When and (7) Where Born.	(3) Name and (7) Whether present at Registration or not.	Sex.	FATHER.		MOTHER.
				(1) Name and Surname, (2) Rank or Profession of the Father, (3) Age, and (4) Birth-place.	(1) When and (2) Where married, (3) Previous issue living and (4) deceased.	(1) Name and Maiden Surname of the Mother, (2) Age, and (3) Birth-place.
1	(1) 15 th August 1928 (2) 30/28 (7) General Hospital	(3) Daniel Thomas (7) not present	M	(1) Michael John Mulcahy (2) Station Manager (3) 30 years (4) Fremantle	(1) 11 th December 1925 at Maylands (2) (3) (4)	(1) Mary Gill (2) (3) 22 years (4) General

I certify that the above is a true copy of the p:
Register kept in the Office of the Registrar Ge:
Australia.

DATE

18 OCT 1937

REGISTRAR

NOTE: Any alteration of the substance of this certificate will render the c

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INFORMANT.	WITNESS.	REGISTRAR.		Name, if added after Registration of Birth. Note.—This column must not be filled in.
Signature. (2) Description; (3) Residence of Informant.	(1) Accoucher. (2) Nurse by whom certified; and (3) Names of Occupiers or other Witnesses.	(1) When registered and (2) Where.	Signature of District Registrar.	
8 certified in residence by William	9 (1) Dr J. B. Rivers	10 (1) 30 th August 1928	11 (Signature)	12
grandmother General	(2) Alice Stingers (3) Marion Stingers	General	(Seal)	

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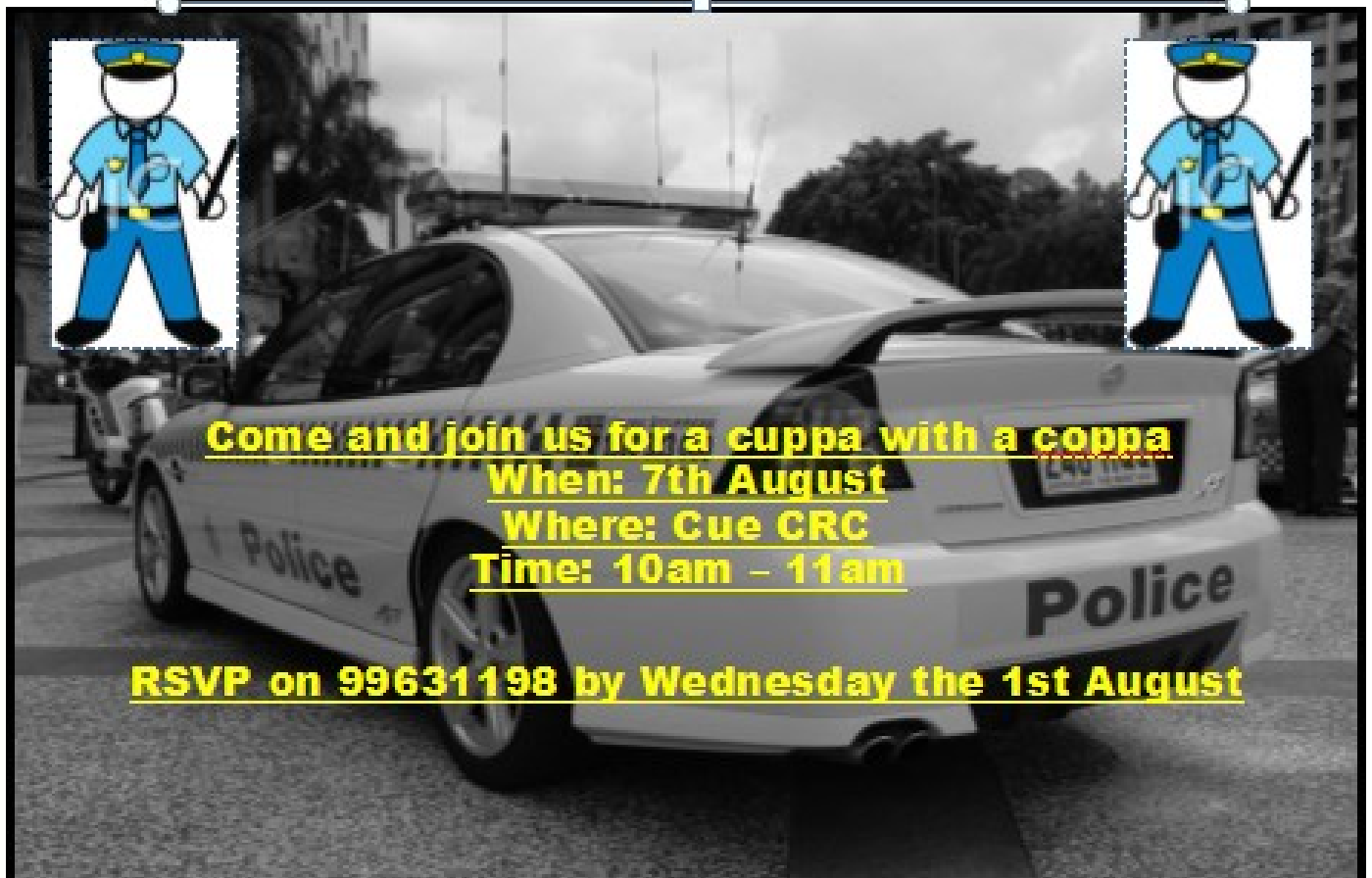


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Cue Senior Citizens



Come and join us for a cuppa with a coppa

When: 7th August

Where: Cue CRC

Time: 10am – 11am

RSVP on 99631198 by Wednesday the 1st August

Murder at Day Dawn Part 2

James Potter's statement

James Potter, Brother of Mrs Clinton, arrived at Day Dawn by train at 10:30 on Friday January 3rd. Mrs Clinton wired to her husband to notify him that her brother was leaving and he should be expecting him, unfortunately George Bloomer received the message which Henry Smith took and burnt because he did not want Mr Clinton meeting Mr Potter. Mr Bloomer and Mr Smith welcomed Mr Potter at the station and took him to a boarding house. After 8am on Saturday morning, Mr Smith, Mr Bloomer and Mr Potter went to Mr Clintons while Mr Clinton was working. they had lunch at Mr Clintons and continued to the main street of Day Dawn by 3pm. Mr Potter wanted to see Mr Clinton when he finished work but Mr Smith urged him not to do so and remarked "if Clinton goes to shake hands with you ill knock him down."

After dinner they remained in the street until 10pm, continued through the night, they then decided to go to the Railway Station and stayed until midnight before deciding to go to Mr Clintons but Mr Clinton was not at home. Mr Potter had expressed a determination to see Mr Clinton. They all continued to stay until 1am that Sunday morning. While waiting Mr Smith said to Mr Bloomer "go over and get that dolly bar and I'll settle him." Mr Bloomer then walked over and got the dolly bar shortly before giving it to Mr Smith. About 10 minutes later Mr Clinton came along with a man named Hall, when Hall left, the three men went over to the camp, which they entered.

Mr Clinton called out "who's there?" in return Mr Bloomer responded with "its Jim." Mr Clinton replied with "whose Jim?" George Bloomer called out "Potter." Mr Clinton said, "Hold on a minute and I'll be right with you." The three of them then went into Mr Smith's room, almost immediately after Mr Clinton came to the door of the room and wanted to shake hands with Mr Potter. Potter said, "Wait a minute, I've something to say to you." Mr Clinton replied with "what about?" Mr Potter responded, "About the way you've been treating Lil" (Mr Clinton's wife and Mr Potter's sister). He said, "Where have you heard it?" Mr Potter said, "Pretty crook by what I've heard of it" he said, "where have you heard that?" Mr Potter responded, "From her, and more since I came up here" Mr Clinton claimed "it's a ----- lie. What ----- right have you got to interfere?" Mr Potter replied "as much ----- right as you have" Mr Clinton responded "well you ----- keep her" Mr Potter said "I will if you leave her" Mr Clinton then argued with Mr Smith about the telegram that he heard was delivered for him at his camp. Mr Smith denied getting the telegram. Mr Clinton confronted him and said to him "did you get a telegram?" Mr Smith replied "yes." Mr Clinton said, "It should have been for me" Mr Smith denying the claim "it should not." Clinton said, "Well there was a telegram delivered at this camp for me, sent by L.Clinton" Smith said, "it's a lie." Clinton said to Mr Smith "why didn't you let me know that Jim was coming up?" Smith responded, "You like a little surprise sometimes, don't you?" Mr Clinton answered, "it was no surprise to me, as I sent his ticket down with Lil for him to come up" Mr Clinton further said, "at any rate, you had no right to open the telegram." Mr Smith responded, "It's a ----- lie, I didn't open it." Mr Clinton said, "you stand being called a ----- liar?" Smith answered, "Yes I do, because I'm too weak to do anything else." Clinton responded, "You are not a man." Smith snapped back, "don't you dare say that." Mr Clinton laughed to himself and shortly after replied, "I will and more." Smith turned to Mr Clinton and then told him, "don't drink so much beer old man, and you wouldn't have so many rows with your wife." Mr Clinton responded, "If I drink beer I pay for it. There were never any rows between me and my wife until you came to the house.

Smith replied, "You are a mongrel for saying that." Mr Clinton beckoned him and said, "Come outside and I'll show you who the biggest mongrel is out of the two of us." Mr Smith replied, "You know I'm crook." Mr Clinton replied, "You brought it all on yourself." Smith turned to Clinton, "how's that?" he asked, "Well, since my wife has been away you've treated me with contempt." Mr Clinton replied. "I haven't, I've always treated you with respect." "No you haven't I noticed a coolness ever since. Even young George will hardly speak to me now." Clinton snapped to Smith. Smith snapped back and said. "Well that's not my fault." Mr Clinton Replied, "yes it is you've been pumping me up." Mr Smith then sat on the bed and Mr Clinton beckoned Mr Potter outside. When outside he asked, "where did you get all your information from?" Potter explained, "I got the worst of it from Smith" Clinton said, "well, look he is a ----- liar. Come out here and I will tell you the strength of it." He also said, "I brought that man here as a friend and he turned out a bigger enemy. I went out the back one night and went through the back door, I saw Smith with his hands around Lil's waist. Of course that set me going..."

"In that case, I'm satisfied there's a mistake somewhere." Said Mr Potter. Mr Clinton continued, "I know it's that swine. He's been pumping young George up and Lil too." "In what way?" replied James Potter, He said, "He was putting Lil up to say when we were rowing that she had a witness to say I knocked her down if she wanted to get a separation." "I'm so sorry I spoke now, Bill." Replied Mr Potter. "Well don't take any notice of what I told you just now. I'm very quick tempered." Mr Clinton expressed. Mr Potter turned to Mr Clinton, "alright I can see things better now." Just then, George Bloomer joined them and William Clinton said to Mr Potter "you had better stop here tonight." "No Ill finish this week over there first." Replied Mr Potter. "Well, come round here for your tucker." Mr Clinton insisted. "Yes I'll do that, I think I'll go home now." Mr Potter replied. "Alright, I'm sorry we had a bit of a row, but it's all over now." Said Mr Clinton. Mr Potter agreed and told Mr Clinton he would see him in the morning for breakfast. Before leaving Mr Potter turned to Mr Clinton and gave him some advice, "you should be on the lookout tonight." He said. "What for?" replied Mr Clinton. Mr Potter continued, "I don't think things are alright." Mr Clinton brushed it off and said, "Oh that will be alright, I'll look out for that"

Mr Potter then asked George Bloomer if he could accompany him to his room. A few moments went by then Mr Bloomer left. The next day he saw Mr Bloomer with him at his room between 8am – 8:30am on the fifth. Mr Bloomer woke Mr Potter and said the following statement. "Harry has settled Bill." When Mr Potter asked how he knew Mr Bloomer replied, "Something woke me up; it must have been the shot for as soon as I woke I smelled powder." "What did you do?" Mr Potter asked. "I could not do anything, I got such a shock," Mr Bloomer stated. "I wish to God you had not been there when the shot was fired, or id go and give the game away. What are you going to do?" Mr Potter asked. "I don't know what to do I'm frightened." Mr Bloomer stated. "I don't know what to do." Mr Potter stated. He then dressed and left the room with Mr Bloomer. Outside the room, they met Mr Smith and he said, "good morning. I've settled him." "I wish to God I never knew anything about it." Said Mr Potter. When Henry Smith asked him why and told him he was all right Mr Potter replied, "Yes but there's young George there it places him in an awkward position, being in the house when the shot was fired." "Oh, that will be alright I'll get it out of the road tonight." Mr Smith stated.

Continue over the page..

Mr Smith, Mr Potter and Mr Bloomer had breakfast and spent the morning at the railway station. After dinner they returned to the camp remaining until after 6 o'clock, Mr Smith was watching the camp while the other two were sleeping and reading. After tea, Mr Smith wanted George Bloomer to go with him and get the rifle, but he refused. "This is pretty crook, leaving it all to me. Said Mr Smith. Henry Smith got the rifle and the three took it in the motor to Cue, where Mr Smith returned it to Gribble for the owner. On returning, they again went to the railway yard. About 1 o'clock on Monday morning, Mr Potter left the other two and went to the boarding house. Mr Bloomer arrived at 7 o'clock that morning and said, "Harry is going to give himself up." "How's that?" asked Mr Potter and Mr Bloomer said "Hall came there looking for Bill last night and the candle was alright." They joined Mr Smith outside and after breakfast, they kept together except for an interval when Mr Smith went to Cue for his bicycle until evening. Mr Potter suggested that they should get Mr Smith to go to the camp and see if everything was all right and they should go to the police. As soon as Mr Smith left, they went to the police station.

George Bloomers Statement.

George Christopher Bloomer, one of the accused also made a statement. He corroborates Mr Potter closely. Mr Bloomer understood that Henry Smith did not want William Clinton to see James Potter. It would "Spoil" his plans to get Mr Clinton out of the picture and allow him to take Mr Clintons Pay for himself so he can send it to Lil and Viney, he planned to tell her that her husband had cleared out and was too heavy in debt to support her. Mr Bloomer mentioned he heard Mr Smith sitting on the bed crying and groaning about Lil and Viney. He also heard him mention getting Mr Clinton "out of the road". On the Friday (January 3rd), Mr Potter arrived at the station and George Bloomer heard Mr Smith Telling Mr Potter that he should not have come to visit because it would ruin his plans to settle Mr Clinton. On that Saturday night, Henry Smith told George Bloomer to get the dolly bar, while Mr Smith went to get another hat and overcoat James Potter said, "We will wait with him and block him." Mr Clinton came along with Hall. Henry Smith was not happy about the situation "That's a nuisance, we are spoiled again." While they were waiting for Hall to leave Mr Smith said, "I wish I had the courage, id shoot him tonight." When Hall left they all went in and after some altercation William Clinton Said to Henry Smith, "I brought you here as a friend and you have no cause to go crook on me." James Potter spoke up and said to Mr Clinton, "every right for the way you have treated my sister." Mr Clinton then said, "It's a lie you have been pumped up by Harry to turn against me." Mr Smith said, "Don't you hit me old chap, because I've not stood up to Jack Cullen for ten rounds that I don't know how to settle you."

Mr Bloomers statement was quite similar to Mr Potters, they both mentioned that Mr Smith was sat on the bed and telling them he wants to get Mr Clinton "Out of the road" words indicating he had full intention to Murder Mr William Clinton.

In Mr Bloomers statement it mentions that he was in his bed and at 4 am that morning he was awoken by a loud sound he thought could've been from the Fingall Mine or the Palmers Show, he was awoken again by Henry Smith poking I'm in the ribs and declaring he shot Mr Clinton in the back of the head, Mr Bloomer looked over at Mr Clinton and then back at Mr Smith, "you better stick with me" Mr Smith said in a threatening voice. During Sunday as Mr Potter had described they spent most of their time at the railway station. That night they took the rifle back, about midnight Mr Smith took Mr Bloomer to Mr Clinton's camp. When they got to the end of the fence Mr Smith threatened Mr Bloomer and told him to watch and not to go away. Mr Smith went to the camp, Mr Bloomer heard him running towards the shaft and pulling something as if he was trying to carry it. Fred hall went to the camp and called out "Bill, are you there?" several times. Mr Bloomer told Mr Smith on his return and he exclaimed "My God !" when Mr Bloomer declined to go inside the house, Mr Smith said, "come on no nonsense I've got him down the shaft" Mr Bloomer still refused and they went to the grandstand.

Mr Smith took the rubber off the heel of his boots and wondered if they would leave any tracks. About 6:30 they went to the railway station. Henry Smith had a cloth, wet it and wiped his trousers at the bottom; he turned to Mr Bloomer and asked him if he had any blood on his back. They went to Mr Potters room and Mr Smith said they would try to find out if Mr Hall saw anything, if he did they would go to the police station and report Mr Clinton as "missing" and they found his bed in a mess, if he had not they would go in and clean the mess.

As the detectives were likely to go to the camp Mr Smith went to see if everything was alright and while he was away James Potter and George Bloomer went to the police. On the 17th instant, at the Cue Gaol, Mr Smith said to constable Kuhlman "I will tell you my defence. Clinton rushed at me with the axe, I had to defend myself and grabbed the rifle, there was a struggle in the camp, the rifle went off and shot Clinton." Mr Smith also asked "what do you think of it?" Kuhlman, in court stated that on the 21st instant Mr Smith said, referring to Mr Potter and Mr Bloomer, "they're witnesses already. One of them was in the room at the time I shot Clinton, and saw it all." Mr Smith denied saying this and added, "I think I said to you Bloomer was in my room."

Henry Smith Gives Evidence

Smith, the accused, was sworn, but after being cautioned said he did not want to give evidence. In answer to the coroner, he said he had resided at Clinton's place for about four weeks. He made no statement to the police regarding the death of Clinton. It was alleged that a statement had been made, but it was not put in as it was unsigned, He denied that he had said Mr Bloomer was in the room.

He said that he, as in his (Smith's) room. Potter was not in the house at all. 'No one saw it, or knew what had taken place.

The Coroner: what was the purpose of obtaining the bar of iron on Saturday night?

Smith: I do not remember anything about it.

The Coroner: "Where -was the gun kept?

Smith: Outside the house on the veranda, outside my room. The veranda was practically a closed-in room. I cannot remember where the gun was the night Clinton was shot.

The Coroner: At what time was Clinton shot?

Smith: I could not say. About a quarter to 5 o'clock on Sunday morning, I think. I had gone out for a drink of water. That was before the shooting happened.

Oh Friday the Coroner (Warden Troy) /reviewed the evidence. He pointed out that Mr Smith admitted shooting Mr Clinton, but said it was owing to Clinton rushing at him with a hammer; but Smith had expressed his determination on several occasions to "settle" Clinton, and had actually waited with an iron bar to attack him. There was no evidence of a row immediately prior to the shooting, and the medical testimony went to show that Clinton was shot while lying down asleep. As far as he could see, there was no evidence to make Potter an accessory before the fact. As regarded Mr Bloomer, he was more closely associated with Mr Smith, and had rendered some assistance; afterwards in the way of cleaning up. He would leave them to say 'whether there was sufficient evidence to warrant a verdict of wilful murder, murder, or manslaughter against Mr Potter and Mr Bloomer. As regards to Mr Smith, it seemed to him that the evidence was extremely strong against him, and it seemed to him that the whole evidence pointed to Mr Smith having wilfully shot Mr Clinton. The jury returned a verdict of wilful murder against Smith.

Henry Smith was sentenced to death, James Potter gave no more statements after the verdict against Mr Smith. George Bloomer went on to have three sons, he fostered out one of the sons and the other two he gave to an orphanage. Years later Malcom Bloomer (the fostered son of George Bloomer) had a daughter. Fortunately, she is still around today and making many appearances. Lisa McCune had no idea her biological grandfather was part of great history and a mystery murder.



Christmas in July



Christmas in July.
We'd like to say a big
thank you to all the
lovely local ladies of
Cue for coming in and
celebrating Christmas
in July with us.



Change of Date - 18th August 2018

Mount Magnet's

3rd Annual Ladies Day

Theme - Brassieres & Burlesque



WHAT WE HAVE SO FAR

- Inspirational Speakers
- Workshops
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- Market Stalls
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Brassiere Exhibition



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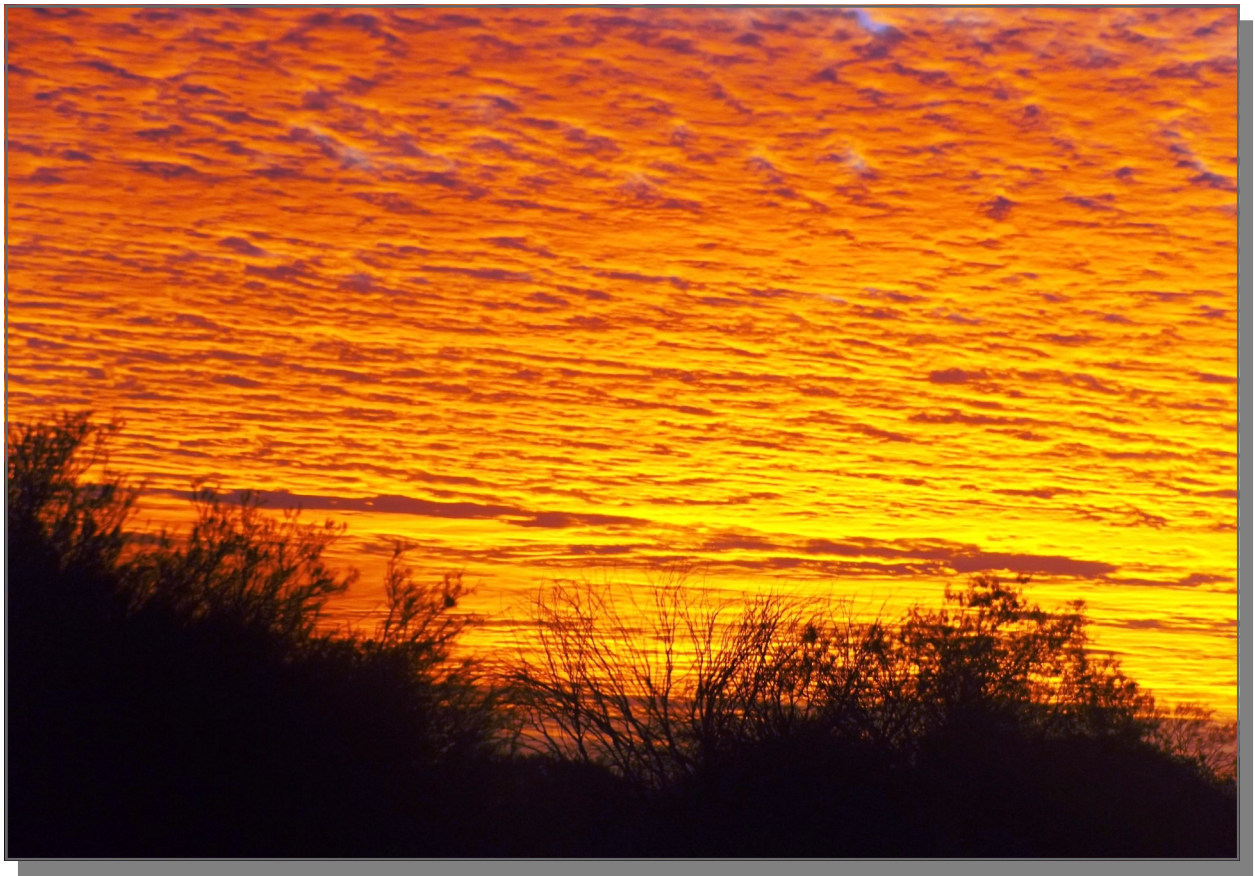
Drag out your old Brassiere
and get CREATIVE and DECORATE

Workshops to be held at the Arts Centre
More information coming soon

Bras to be displayed at the
3rd Annual Ladies Day



Embrace Engage Enjoy



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Cue, Sky of Gold.

Bottom left

Cue, Embrace the little things.

Bottom right
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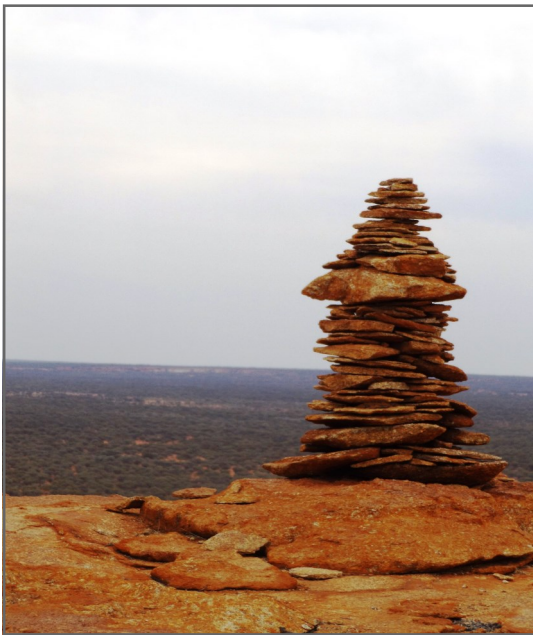
Cue, Discover the beauty in Summer





Top* & *Middle Right
Middle Left* & *Bottom right

Local Birds of Cue.
Walga Rock.



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Christmas in July

Mount Magnet

Review – Sunday 15 July 2018



A little bit of Christmas and a whole lot of fun was shared by a group of 36 at the Commercial Hotel on Sunday 15 July 2018.

Upon arrival at 11.00am everyone was in awe of the venue which was decorated with all those special touches that make it feel like Christmas.

The tree stood tall and proud surrounded by wrapped gifts of all shapes and sizes. Window decorations displayed a special wish which were asked of everyone to add to the day. Quiz questions were on every table and heads were down, discussing answers to finish their task.

Let the games begin...
'Crack ya Cracker' proved to be a laugh with Questions being asked with the knowing that you could only Crack if you knew the answer.

This was followed by the 'Left Right' game which proved that not everyone knows their Left and Right when there is a story to be told. The winner got to bust the balloon and take the prize.

HO HO HO!!! Merry Christmas... who could it be ringing that bell??
And who did we have the pleasure of visiting us for our little celebration, SANTA of course!!
All dressed up in his Christmas suit and a sack full of gifts
Santa soon found out who was naughty or nice!!

Lunch was served, and superb it was, baked ham and roast lamb with all the trimmings, the plates were soon empty and tummies were full.

With time to spare before dessert another game was needed. Where do we go from here???
Gift giving with a twist was the perfect choice, you can shake it as much as you like but do not open.
If you want to swap go right ahead but what's in the wrapping is still not to be known.

Dessert was special with a choice to be made, a treat indeed and the perfect finish to a fine meal. A huge THANK YOU we say to the managers and staff at the Commercial, who catered to our needs in every way and allowed us to hold another amazing event which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

It's getting late and we have unwrapping to go, so let's open those presents for everyone to show.
Now one last choice is what you get, do you want to swap, or just keep it for yourself.

One last thing is all we asked, after choosing a stocking off the shelf. On the back there is a Christmas Carol that each table must sing to the group. They were judged on their performance, but it was just for fun, and there were a few that gave it all their worth, some scoring the perfect 10.

We can only say that W.O.M.E.N Inc were at it again, making a whole lot of fun for another great bunch of people. We have been overwhelmed by the positive feedback that has come from this event and wish to thank everyone from our community and those who travelled and supported us by attending, without you it would not have been the success that it was.

Until the next event—Embrace, Engage & Enjoy!!



Christmas in July

Mount Magnet
Review – Sunday 15 July 2018





The Gold rush at Cue had been heard of in mining towns in the Eastern States of Australia and soon miners began to flock to the west. Among these was a man named James Chesson. He was 25 years old in 1893. He specialised in the Sheffield Handicap, a foot race over 130 yards. He began to save his money with the idea of travelling to Cue. Jim Chesson slowly made his mark at these meetings throughout the district and became well known to the followers of the sport.

With nearly sufficient money in the bank to safely undertake a trip to Cue, he decided on a killing at one of the big athletic meetings. He trained long and hard for the eagerly awaited day, and when he considered that he had been given a reasonable mark from which to run he arranged for his mates to back him to win.

The day came around and James was fighting fit and extremely confident of running well. He won his heat in comfortable time, was successful in the semi finals, having run well within himself, when the final came he stood on the mark relaxed and confident, dreaming of the money that would come from a win, and the plans that he would make for the exciting trip to the new gold fields of Western Australia. The starter called them to the line and before they knew it they were off and running side by side, shoulder by shoulder. Jim was in third place and comfortable with his position in the race, he was confident he had the men in front of him well covered and was not afraid of the runners behind him. He increased the pressure and with twenty yards to go was level with the two other runners in front of him. Running well within himself he was a stride clear as he crossed the line to the cheers of the crowd. His dream of fortune on the Western Australian Goldfield was now within his grasp. Sadly the judges declared he had placed second and was not declared the winner of the race.

He then pursued his athletic career to Cue. At Geraldton he decided to spend a few days. In making enquiries regarding his trip to Cue, it was undecided as to whether he would travel by coach from Mullewa to Cue or whether he would walk the 200 miles to save his rapidly dwindling bankroll. He caught the train from Geraldton to Mullewa and continued to make the rest of his journey on foot. He anticipated it would take him 10 days to make it to Cue. About 9 days out of Mullewa he passed a teamster his wagon back to Mullewa, he mentioned that the races in Cue would be held in 2 days.

Jim was excited even though he had 3.5 miles to walk he decided to get to Cue in time to nominate for the main race. The next day after walking about a mile and half he noticed a movement under a tree not thinking anything of it the first time he noticed it as a person, an old prospector perishing of thirst. Without food or water. Jim stopped to assist the man and saved his life by giving the man his water bag. He promised to help the prospector and continued his walk to Cue in hope to find someone to assist him. He was now faced with a 9 mile walk without water and lost valuable time with the sick man.

After reaching Cue and making arrangements for the sick man to be cared for he found that he was too late for the race, he was a betting man and prepared to take a chance at anything involving foot running. He asked if he could have a chance to run and to earn a winners title even though a winner and champion of Cue and Day Dawn had already had been declared. It was agreed to and they allowed him to race. They approached the line together and before they knew it they were off and running. Side to side, shoulder to shoulder until finally...James Chesson was declared the winner. He not only walked over 200 miles in 10 days but was now the new champion of Cue.

Information referenced from Gold On the Murchison Book By P.R Heydon. (O.A.M)

CUE

IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA THERE IS A TOWN NAMED CUE, THE OLD BUILDINGS ALONG THE AUSTIN ST. LEND CHARACTER SO TRUE. THE POLICE AND POST OFFICE BUILDINGS ARE SOMETHING TO SEE. WITH THIR BEAUTIFUL STONEMWORK, AS NEAT AS CAN BE. THE OLD FASHIONED CHARM OF THIS TOWN ITS QUITE CLEAR, TO THE VISTORS THAT COME HERE, YEAR AFTER YEAR. FOSSICKING FOR GOLD, IS THE ATTRACTION AT CUE, AND APART FROM SOM E SIGHTSEEING THERE IS LITTLE TO DO. FOSSICKING FOR SENIORS, IS A HEALTHY STYLE OF LIFE, THE AUSTRALIAN BUSH AND OUTBACK, IS GOOD FOR MAN AND WIFE.

THE GOLD THAT IS FOUND IS A BIT OF A JOKE, AND IS HARDLY LIKELY TO SEND THE BIG MINERS BROKE. CUE CARAVAN PARK, IS HAVING SOME WORK DONE, MORE VAN SITES AND ABLUTIONS BLOCK FOR EVERYONE. THIS WILL BE A BOOST FOR THIS NICE LITTLE PLACE AND FOR THE FUTUTRE FOSSICKERS, THAT MAKE THIS THEIR BASE. THE MEMORIAL GARDEN IS A DELIGHT TO THE EYE, RESPECT FOR THE FALLEN IS APPARENT, AS YOU PASS BY. THE COUNCIL HAS DONE A GREAT JOB FOR CUE, WITH THE STREET SCAPE IMPROVEMENTS CONGRATULATIONS ARE DUE.

BRIAN NOTTING – 2010

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Department of
Transport

DoT Remote Services will be visiting **Cue**



When:

13th August 2018

Where:

Cue Community Resource Centre - Old Post Office

We will be able to help you with the following services:

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- photo card applications
- driver's licence applications
- change of address
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- vehicle transfers
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St Patrick's Catholic Church



Liturgies July and August

NB change of times

All Welcome

Sun 08.July	Celebration of the Word with Communion	10.00 am
Sun 22 July	Celebration of the Eucharist (Mass)	08.00 am
Sun 12 August	Celebration of the Word with Communion	10.00 am
Sun 19 August	Celebration of the Eucharist (Mass)	08.00 am

*St Patrick's is located on the corner of Marshall and Dowley Streets.
St Patrick's is under the pastoral care of the Sisters of the Good Samaritan of the Order of
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Sr Gerri Boylan ~~sgs~~ 9963 4179*

CUE FUNDAY

Saturday 25th August

DJ REV

1pm start

Humpy Camels
and Train Rides



Mobile Laser Tag



stalls

lucky dips
face painting
showbags

HAMBURGERS
DRINKS
HOT DOGS

devonshire teas

Dinner Dance
6pm - late



Cue Shire Hall

\$20.00

bookings essential

9963 1198

Jukebox Saturday Night Dinner & Dance

25 August 2018
6pm - 11.00pm
Cue Town Hall
6640

accommodation:

Queen Murchison B&B 9963 1625
Murchison Club Hotel 9963 1020
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DJ Direct from Perth - Best dress prizes one nite only

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Call the CRC on 0899631198 for your booking

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Government of **Western Australia**
WA Country Health Service

Murchison District

To all community members of Meekatharra and surrounds. As of the 1st of August 2018, the management of the Meekatharra GP Clinic will be taken over by PSM Country Health.

Dr Charl du Plessis and Dr Damien Zilm will be the leading team of doctors who will service the clinic. The clinic will continue to have locum doctors, such as Dr Joseph Odeke, visiting on a regular basis and our visiting specialists will remain the same. The nursing and reception staff will not change, so you will still see familiar faces on your next visit.

The team at the Meekatharra GP Clinic is committed to the health and wellbeing of the community and want to assure you all that the quality of care will still be of the same high standard.

WA Country Health Service (WACHS) and PSM Country Health will endeavour to make the transition as smooth as possible to ensure quality and continuation of care.

The new contact details for Meekatharra GP Clinic are:

Phone: 086444 7890

Fax: 08 64447981

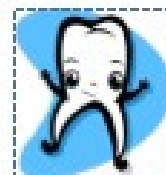
Email: reception@meekagp.com.au

Thank you

WACHS Mid West
Murchison Health Service
PO Box 82, Meekatharra WA 6642
Ph: 9981 0600 Fax: 9981 0650

CUE HEALTH CENTRE

Victoria Street
Cue WA 6640
Tel: 9963 0100



Murchison Dental

June` 2018		For appointments PH: 0427386647
R.F.D.S GP Clinic	7th & 21st August	Meekatharra
Podiatrist		Mt Magnet
Physiotherapist	13th August	For appointment 0427386647
Psychologist		Please enquire as above dates are subject to change
Grams	14th August	8:00am - 12:00pm
FLU VAC START	29TH MAY	

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FOR AFTER HOURS NURSE
PHONE: 99630100

DO NOT
VISIT THE **NURSE** or **POLICE** AT HOME

REMEMBER RING : 99630100



Cue Primary School would like to thank the Cue Senior Citizens group for the wonderful support we have received this year.

Earlier this year the ladies at the Cuerosity Op Shop not only opened up their shop at a time to suit the school but also gave our students the money to purchase items from the Op-Shop as a mathematics exercise. The students loved the items they purchased.

Today we received a \$500 cheque in the mail from the Cue Senior Citizens – money raised through the Op-Shop as a donation towards our school camp that is planned for later in the year.

Unfortunately, as a small school we do not have a Parents and Citizen's group that fundraises for the school so we really appreciate the incredible volume of community support we receive.

Thank you so much for looking after us.



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4pm-midnight

Saturday 22 Sept 2018

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Squeaky Clean Kids



Exercise classes for beginners every Thursday at 5pm

Ring the Cue CRC 08 9963 1198
For bookings

**Please wear closed in shoes
and bring a water bottle
and a hand towel
thankyou**



Table Tennis

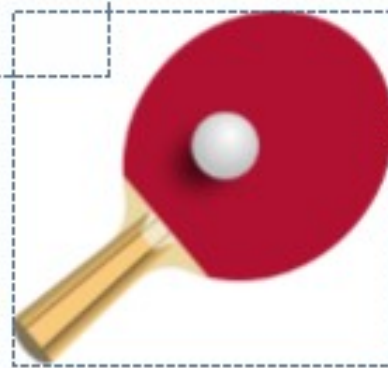
Table Tennis will be restarting **14th March 2018** all interested people should contact Ruth at the CRC on **08 9963 1198**

Time: 7pm

When: Tuesdays

Where: At the School

All interested people should contact the CRC for more details.



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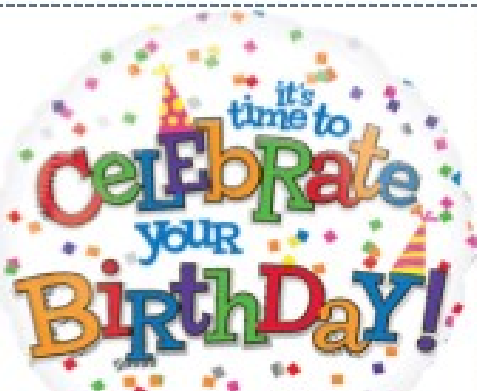
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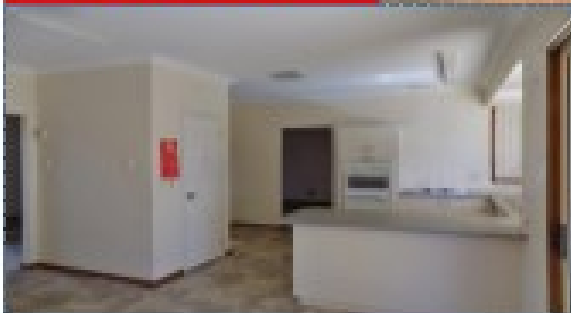
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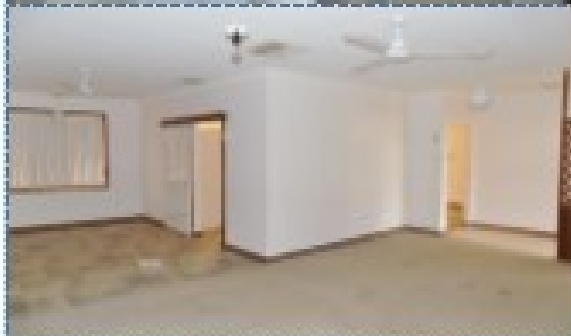


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JUST FOR KIDS

What do you call a dinosaur that is sleeping?
A dino-snore!



Why did the student eat his homework?
Because the teacher told him it was a piece of cake!

What starts with E, ends with E and has only 1 letter in it?
Envelope!

How do you make a tissue dance?
Put a little boogie in it!



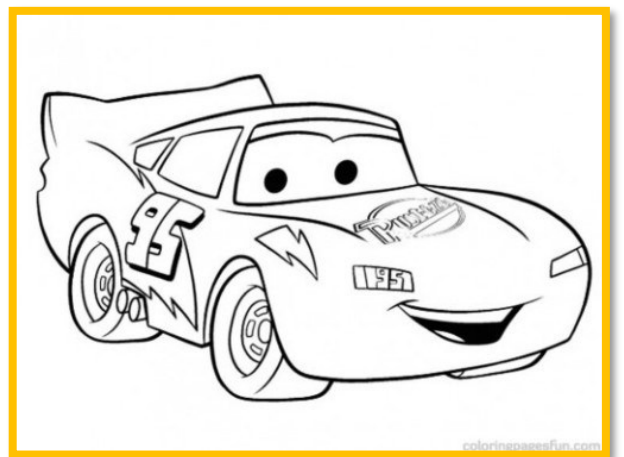
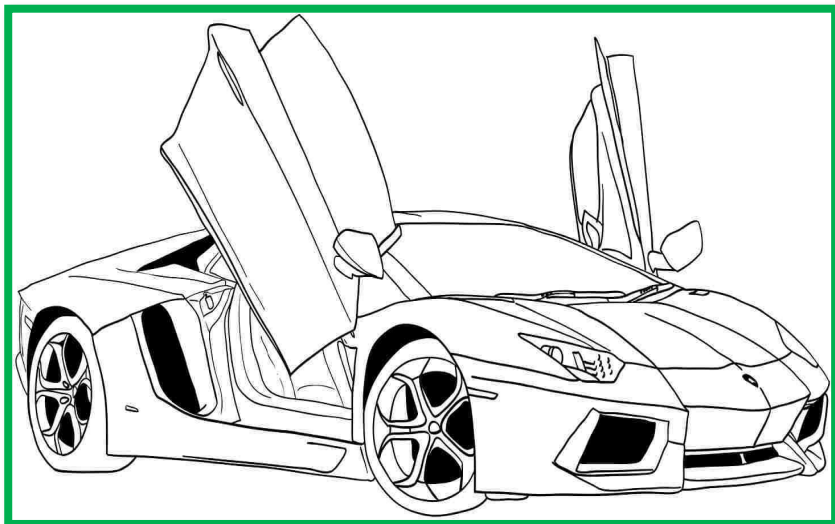
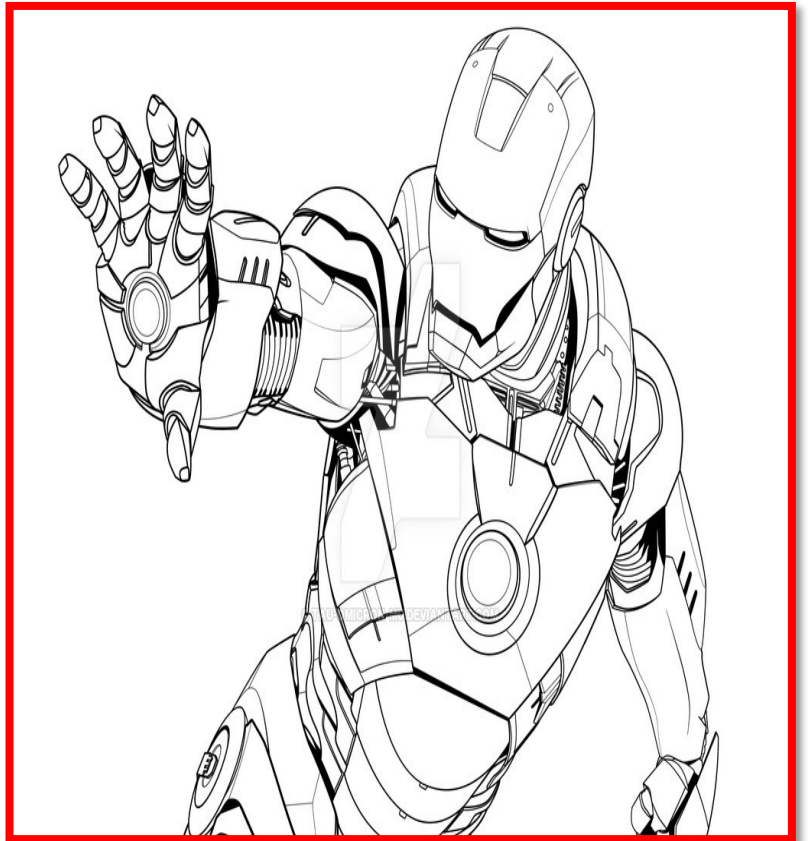
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Because it saw the oceans bottom!

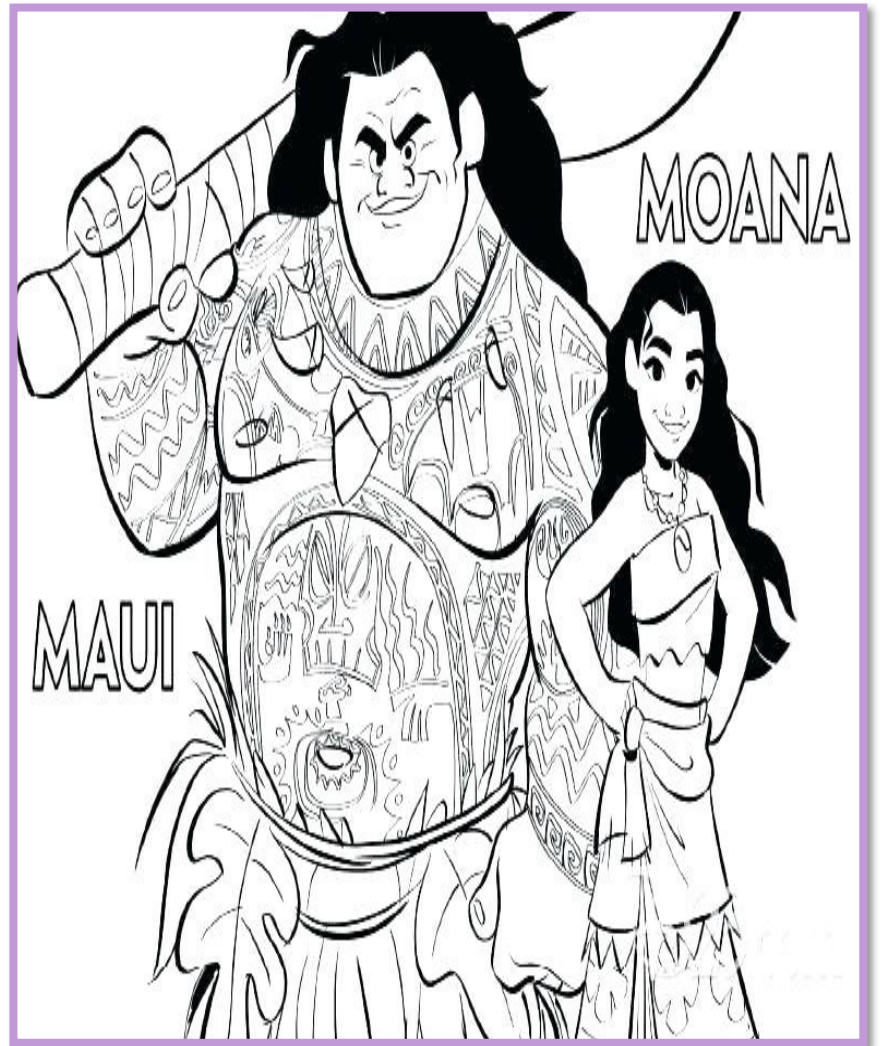
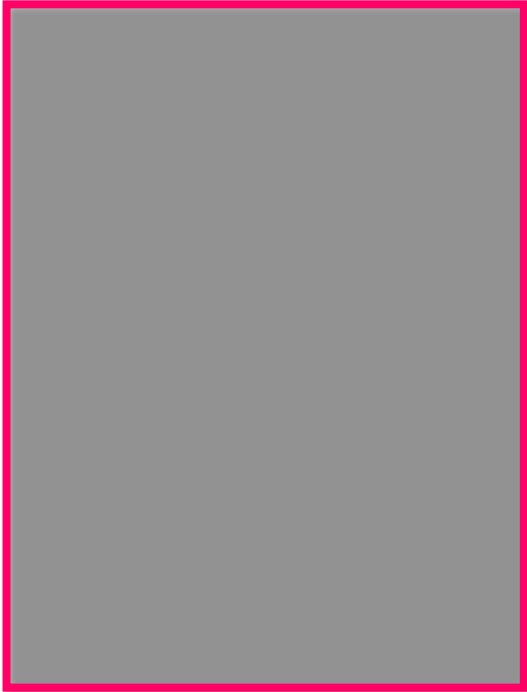


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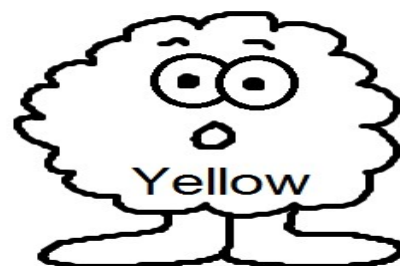
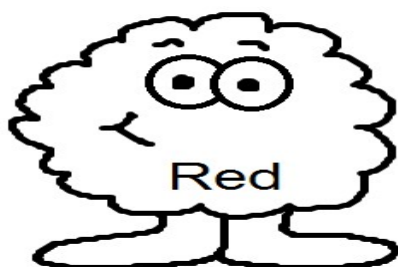


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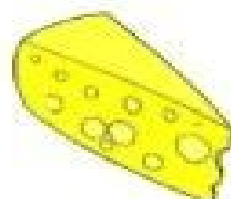
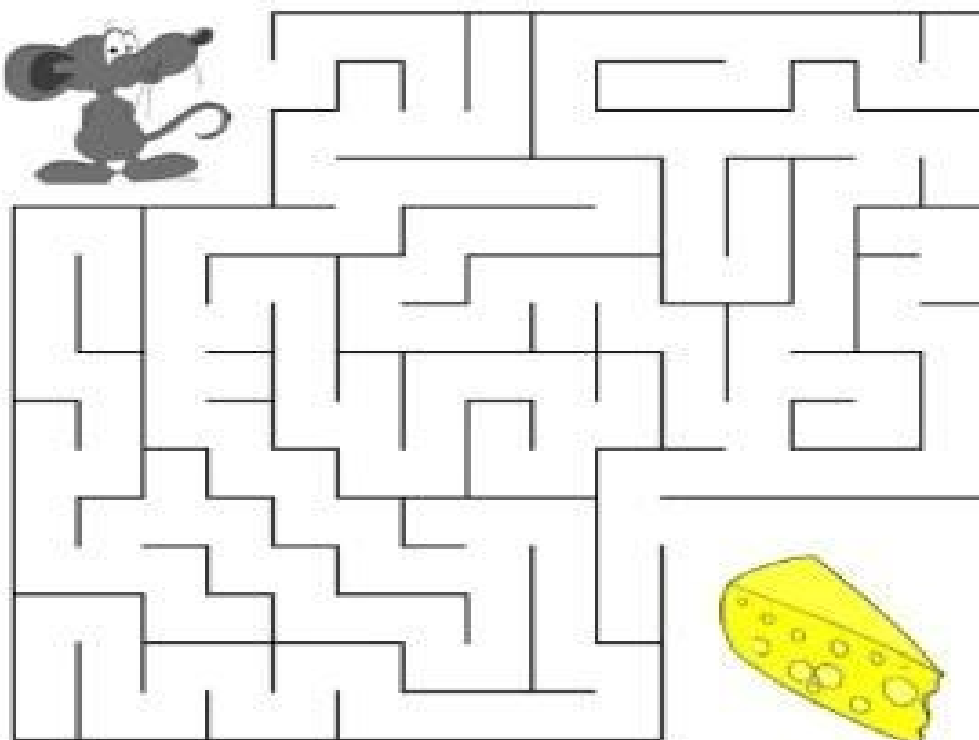


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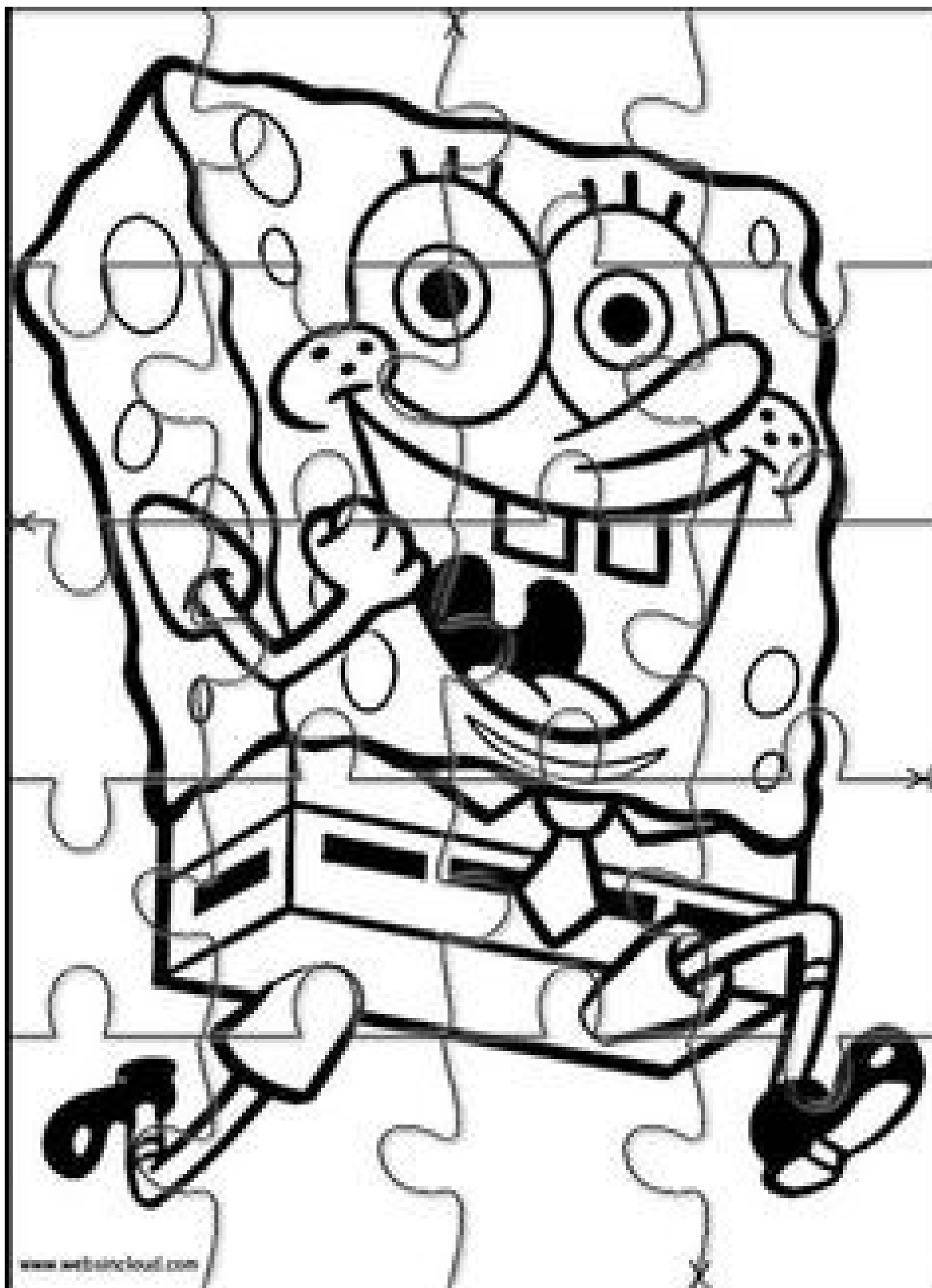
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Who has move my cheese ? Help me to find it, please.



SpongeBob cut out and colour puzzle

Ask a adult before using scissors





I Spy with my little eye ...

- 1 airplane
- 7 pieces of fruit
- 13 candy canes
- 3 green gummy bears
- 1 heart shaped lollipop

ALL ABOUT BACK PACKS

WORD SEARCH

I	B	A	C	K	P	A	C	K	S	T
K	T	T	S	E	I	L	P	P	U	S
E	C	U	O	A	K	T	T	Y	N	I
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P	K	R	A	E	L	H	W	C	T	Y
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I	T	O	L	L	O	O	H	C	S	C
U	U	T	H	G	I	L	O	L	L	E

See how many of these newspaper related words you can find in the puzzle. The words can be forward, backward or diagonal.

Created by Sue Lindlauf
Grand Forks Herald 2013

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|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| 1. BACKPACK | 5. WEIGHT | 9. BOOKS |
| 2. LIGHT | 6. SCHOOL | 10. SUPPLIES |
| 3. PADDED | 7. CORE | 11. CARRY |
| 4. STRAPS | 8. SHOULDERS | 12. LOAD |

AUGUST 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Kids activity	2 circuit Kids dance	3 A boy named Cash	4
5	6	7 craft Cuppa with a coppa	8	9 circuit Kids dance	10	11
12	13 DOT coming to Cue	14 craft Health Scents therapies	15 Kids activity	16 circuit Kids dance	17	18 Mount Magnet annual ladies day
19 Health Scents therapies	20	21 craft Council Meeting	22	23 circuit Kids dance	24	25 Cue Fun Day
26	27	28 craft	29 Kids activity	30 circuit Kids dance	31	

SEPTEMBER 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1
2	3	4 craft	5	6 circuit Kids dance	7	8 Mount Magnet Races