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FROM THE CRC

Hi All,

The month of September has been quieter than the last couple of months. Although we did have in excess of 700 tourists through our doors. The Cue Heritage Discovery Centre has been a big hit and tourists are telling us that they were told to come and visit it from someone who had already been here this season. Word of mouth advertising is the best!

We didn't do much in the way of activities as things are slowly winding down for the year, but we had Consumer Watch visit on the 15th and for the regular activities we had Department of Transport visit on 2 days – the 6th and 7th and we hosted the Twilight Markets on the 26th. Regional Alliance West visited on the 24th of September as well.

For October we have Department of Transport visiting on Monday the 4th and Regional Alliance West visiting on the the 29th for any legal needs. We are not having a markets in October but we are having a Christmas Markets in November - so stay tuned.

Julie Humphreys

Manager



WE ARE HIRING

CUE HERITAGE DISCOVERY CENTRE & CUE COMMUNITY & VISITOR CENTRE

Has a casual position open for someone who has great customer service skills, is available to work weekends, is computer literate and has some knowledge of Cue and the surrounding areas.

To apply for the position
please email your resume to Julie at the
Cue Community Resource Centre at:
cue@crc.net.au



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THE DRYBLOWER



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Call or email the Cue CRC on:



08 9963 1198



cue@crc.net.au



FROM THE CEO

It is with great sadness that I acknowledge the passing of Cr Fred Spindler. Cr Spindler was a long standing resident of Cue and with the Shire of Cue for a number of years as Manager of the Tourist Park and then as a Councillor. During his time on Council he advocated for keeping the Beringarra Road a sealed road when it was proposed to return it to a gravel road and has always supported the preservation of the reserve funds for the maintenance of this road.

The Community Strategic Plan survey has now closed with the Shire receiving thirty six responses in total. This information is currently being collated and integrated into the review of the Community Strategic Plan

A new automated swipe card facility has been installed at the Marshall Street Standpipe. Swipe cards have been issued to regular users to access water twenty four hours per day. The new system provides more accurate recording of water taken and provides for easier charge back to users. At the September Council meeting, Council adopted an amendment to Fees and Charges for 2021-2022. Changes were made to the Standpipe water and Tourist Park charges. Public notices will be posted with the changes.

Cue Shire Councillors and I attended the Local Government Convention which was held in Perth from the 20 – 23 September. Those who attended enjoyed a wide array of guest speakers including opening keynote speaker The Honourable Julie Bishop. The Shire President and I attended the Heads of Agencies breakfast, which provided the opportunity to meet Directors General from various State Government Departments and discuss Local Government relevant issues with other Shire Presidents, Mayors and CEOs. The program provided updates and insights from State and Federal Government perspectives and the trade exhibition provided an opportunity to see the latest products available from our industry suppliers.

I would like to welcome Cheryl Walton who has commenced working for the Shire of Cue as our new Finance Manager. Cheryl has a wealth of experience in LG Finance and is enjoying living in Cue. Glenn Boyes has been promoted to the position of Deputy Chief Executive Officer.

The Murdoch University Vet Program will be held on Monday 18 October at the Shire Hall. Students from the university will be providing free pet checks and sterilisation under the guidance of a senior vet. Other services available include microchipping and vaccination at the owner's expense. Please note that this service is provided by the Shire of Cue and can only be provided to dogs and cats registered with the Shire. Bookings are essential and can be made through the Shire office.

I recently attended the Cue Volunteer Fire Brigade on training night and witnessed training for a "road crash rescue with a view to extricate casualties". This involved using the Jaws of Life and other equipment on a car kindly donated by Glenn Boyes our DCEO.



Patching works have been completed on the Beringarra Cue Road and stabilising works are about to be commenced near the Glenn Station. Flood damage works are still being undertaken by contractors on a number of roads between Coodardy and Austin Downs. For your own safety and the safety of the workers, please obey all traffic control signs when passing through roadworks.

A big thank you to Stormco, a non-profit organisation, for coming back to Cue. Rainer and his team of volunteers provided workshops, fun and activities during the first week of the September school holidays. Their continued support of our town is truly appreciated.



Local Government Election Voting Papers have been posted out by the WA Electoral Commission. If you are eligible to vote in the Cue electorate and haven't received one, please come into the Shire Administration Office where we can issue a replacement. Also located at the Office is the Ballot Box where you can place your completed Voting Papers.

The next ordinary Council meeting will be held at 6:30pm on Tuesday 19 October 2021.

Upcoming events:

- Cue Police Station Flag Raising Ceremony and Meet New Sergeant – 9am 11 October
- Think Mental Health Media Workshop – Tuesday 12 October
- Local Government Elections – Saturday 16 October
- Murdoch Vet Programme – Monday 18 October

Richard Towell
Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Cue



PUBLIC NOTICE

AMENDMENT TO STANDPIPE WATER CHARGES AND TOURIST PARK CHARGES

At its Ordinary Meeting held on 28 September 2021 the Council of the Shire of Cue amended the adopted Fees and Charges for 2021-2022 in relation to Standpipe Water Charges and Tourist Park Charges as follows:

That Council:

By absolute majority, amend the Shire of Cue adopted Fees and Charges for 2021-2022 for the following:

1. Standpipe water from \$90.00 for up to 10,000 litres to

Item	Cost (inc. GST)	Shire Charge (inc. GST)
Swipe Card	\$ 8.25	\$ 15.00
Water Usage per kL	\$ 8.995	\$ 12.00
Water Usage per 10,000L	\$89.95	\$120.00

2. Tourist Park charges

Caravan and Camping Sites		
Weekly rates - pay for six nights stay seven nights	Current Fee	Proposed Fee
Powered Site Multi Accommodation Unit Caravan booked for a week	\$180.00	\$210.00
Powered Site	\$27.00	\$32.00
Powered Site - per week (booked as a week)	\$162.00	\$192.00
Powered Site - Pensioners and Seniors	\$20.00	\$25.00
Powered Site - Pensioners and Seniors -per week (booked as a week)	\$120.00	\$150.00
Camp Site - per site per day	\$20.00	\$25.00
Camp Site - per site per week (booked as a week)	\$120.00	\$150.00
Overflow Sites - showers, toilets but unpowered	\$20.00	\$25.00
Gaol Cell – per night	N/A	\$55.00

And give local public notice of the amendment to the Shire of Cue adopted 2021-2022 Fees and Charges to take effect from 1 November 2021

Richard Towell
Chief Executive Officer
30 September 2021



Nominations are now open for Shire of Cues, **Citizen's of the Year.**

This is the time to recognise and thank the people that make Cue great!

www.citizenshipawards.com.au/nominate/

Community
Citizen of the
year Awards

Presented by:

Australia Day
Council of
Western Australia

Media Partners::

Nominate now

If you know someone, or a group, doing great things in our community, nominate them for a 2022 Australia Day Award, in our four categories.

- > Citizen of the Year
- > Youth Citizen of the Year
- > Senior Citizen of the Year
- > Active Citizenship (Group or Event)

citizenshipawards.com.au | Closing Date: 31 October 2021

Local Government Recognising Community Champions.



Get out and Vote!

Local Government Elections 16 October 2021



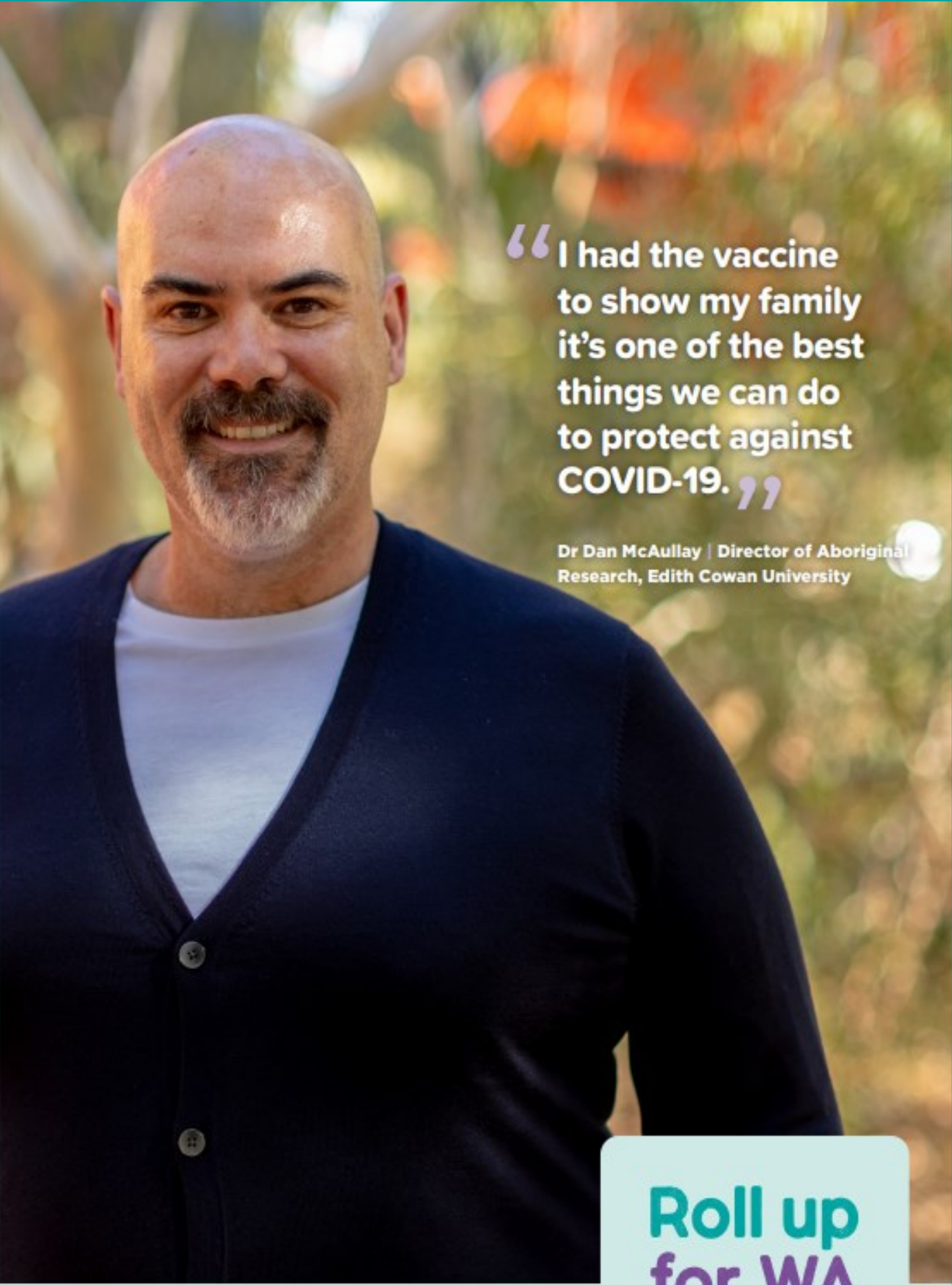
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and Cultural Industries



Local Government
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Electoral Commission



**“I had the vaccine
to show my family
it’s one of the best
things we can do
to protect against
COVID-19.”**

**Dr Dan McAullay | Director of Aboriginal
Research, Edith Cowan University**

**Roll up
for WA**

COVID-19 Vaccination

rollupforwa.com.au

THE YOUTH CENTRE

September has been very special for our youths! We have hosted a Blue Light event on R U OK Day, to remind us to be active, safe and healthy (mentally and physically). The highlight was playing net ball with our own police officers Phil and Adrian. The youths definitely enjoyed running the court wild under the disco lights and music. It's safe to say that the event was a huge success, as our youths are already asking for another disco with our officers. A huge thank you Phil and Adrian.



School holidays is on again, with two weeks of fun planned for our youths. We will be hosting StormCo, a volunteer group from Perth ('Service to Others Really Matters') first week, who will be coming over to work with our youths with lots of arts, sports and music activities. On the second week, we will have more fun things planned such as the Shire water slide for our youths.



On the second Saturday (9th October) our youths will start a brand-new swimming program! Thanks to Royal Life Saving Society WA who will sponsor our program, we will be taking our youths on



swimming lessons every Saturday to Mount Magnet pool during the whole of summer season, starting from October, until next March 2022. We have also received Swim & Survive kits for our youths, comprised of a beautiful wet bag, a water bottle, a towel and a pair of



swim goggles each for our youths who will be participating in our program. Our lovely Beth from the Shire (who is a qualified swimming instructor) will be teaching the youths the swimming skills to help make sure our youths stay safe in and near water.

We are also very excited to announce that we have successfully been granted a grant to host Cue Halloween 2021: Celebrating Go for 2 & 5 Children's Week. We will be hosting a Halloween-themed party for our youths on the 30th October, supported by Healthway, Lotterywest, the Department of Communities, and Meerilinga. Stay tuned for further details.

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as convened in WA by



As always, thank you for supporting our initiative and interest in our youths' well-being. We are committed to doing our best to cater for the needs of our young people in Cue. Please follow us on our Facebook Page @CueYouthCentre for updates and photos.

Sincerely, Sydney & Caris.





Department of
Transport

Please follow any COVID—19 safety rules the Cue CRC has in place. The rules are in place to keep everyone safe.

DoT Remote Services will be visiting **CUE**



When: Monday 4th Oct 1pm to 3pm

Where: Cue Community Resource Centre

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

- theory test
- photo card applications
- driver's licence applications
- change of address
- registration and driver's licence renewals
- vehicle transfers
- return of vehicle plates
- driving assessments

To enable us to help you, please ensure you bring your birth certificate, Medicare card, bank card and two types of proof of residency, along with cash or card for payment.

For enquiries please call: Karen 92168194

Sometimes quicker is better with **DoT Direct**

Whether you're renewing your licence, transferring vehicle ownership or checking your demerit points, **DoT Direct** is quick and easy to use wherever you are.

Start saving time by visiting www.transport.wa.gov.au/dotdirect



Keep up to date with upcoming remote services visits and stories, follow us on Facebook **Department of Transport Regional Services WA** or search **@RegionalServicesWA**

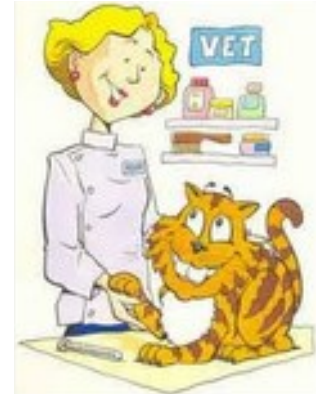
MURDOCH UNIVERSITY STERILISATION PROGRAM

Veterinary students from Murdoch University under the guidance of a senior veterinarian will be travelling to the Shire of Cue to perform sterilisations, pet checks and micro chipping for registered dogs and cats in the Shire of Cue.

DATE: Monday 18 October 2021

TIME: Monday from 8:00am – 5:00pm

VENUE: Cue Town Hall



Vaccination Costs

Vaccinations are free for pets being sterilised

\$30 for Concession card holders

\$50 for Non Concession card Holders

Murdoch students will carry out sterilisation and pet checks for **cats and dogs free of charge** to residents of Cue. Registrations are to be paid for by the owner prior to surgery or on the day and a registration tag will be issued.

Cash only is taken on the day. If paying by eftpos, this must be done during office hours at the Shire Admin Building.

Please contact the Shire by 18 October 2021 if you are interested in having your pet sterilised and micro chipped.

There are limited sterilisation opportunities available.

For further information please call the Shire office on 99638600

NOTE:

From November 1 2013, ALL cats **must** be sterilised,
Micro chipped and registered.

ALL dogs must be micro chipped and registered by 1 November 2015.



Position No: 604770

Location:	Mt Magnet
Salary:	HSW Level 1/2 \$27.41 - \$28.30 per hour inclusive of 25% loading
Closing Date:	2021-08-24 4:00 PM

Seeking Casual Home and Community Care Worker

Position Profile: We are currently seeking Casual Home and Community Care Worker to provide a high standard of home based duties of activities of daily living including cleaning, personal care and social support to approved clients in Mt Magnet, Cue and Yalgoo.

Application Instructions: Applicants are requested to apply online (www.jobs.health.wa.gov.au).

Applicants are advised to write a 1 page covering letter outlining their suitability for this position, and attach their current resume or curriculum vitae. These documents should be complete and ready to attach prior to applying online. Please ensure you allow sufficient time to complete the online application process as you will be required to answer various questions and attach your documentation.

Or Hard Copies applications can be dropped at;

Mt Magnet Nursing Post
Welcome Street, Mt Magnet WA 6638
Monday – Friday 8am to 4.30pm

For Further Job Related Information: We encourage you to contact Cindy appleton on 08 9981 0600.

It is preferable for your referee to be a current supervisor or manager.

Lodgement is system generated. Any submissions on, or after, 4:00pm will not be accepted.

WA Health is committed to growing the Aboriginal workforce as a part of WA Health's Aboriginal Workforce Policy. As a measure to achieve equality, Section 51 of the Equal Opportunity Act 1984 applies to this position. Aboriginal people are encouraged to apply.

What We Can Offer You:

Employee Benefits: In addition to the great salary our employees enjoy an amazing range of benefits which may include (in line with operational requirements):

- 25% casual loading on the ordinary rate of pay on 10% employer contributed superannuation into a fund of your choice. For further information [click here](#).
 - Flexible working arrangements
 - Flexible leave arrangements
- Other professional and location based allowances

Other Conditions: WA Health engages staff in positions of trust and responsibility. WA Health policies require applicants to undertake criminal records screening and integrity checking as part of the appointment process. Referees may also be asked to comment on an applicant's integrity and past demonstration of ethical behaviour.

Please note this recruitment process requires completion of satisfactory Pre-Employment Health Assessment (PEHA). Any offer of employment with WA Country Health Service (WACHS) is conditional on satisfactory PEHA to ensure you are able to perform the inherent requirements of the position. An unsatisfactory PEHA will result in the offer of employment being withdrawn. Please see the attached WACHS PEHA Policy for further information.

Whilst this selection process will initially be used to fill the above vacancy, it may also be used to fill other "similar" vacancies throughout the health service. In addition to this, should the successful applicant decline or vacate the advertised vacancy, then the next most suitable applicant may also be selected from this process. Both of these options remain valid for a period of six (6) months from when the authorised delegate endorses the recruitment decision.

Area Profile: The WA Country Health Service (WACHS) is the largest country health system in Australia and one of the biggest in the world, providing health services to approximately half a million people, including 45,000 Aboriginal people, over a vast two and a half million square kilometre area. The organisation comprises seven regions, with a strong network of public hospitals, health services and health centres located across rural and remote Western Australia. Our core business is the provision of quality, accessible health services to country WA residents and visitors.

WA Health is committed to eliminating all forms of discrimination in the provision of our service. We embrace diversity and strongly encourage applications from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, people from culturally diverse backgrounds and people with disabilities.

WA Health supports flexible working practices within the context of a quality health service. WA Health is committed to a smoke free environment across all buildings, grounds and vehicles. If you experience difficulties while applying online, please contact Employee Services on 13 44 77 for immediate assistance during business hours.

LATE OR EMAIL APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.



Come meet the new Sergeant
and have a bite to eat at our flag
raising!

*Sausage
Sizzle*

When: Monday 11th October 2021
9 am to 10 am

Cue Police invite the residents of Cue to join us on this historic occasion marking the first time in the 124 year history of the Cue Government Buildings that these three have flown together.



*Cue Police Station, Court House
and Mining Registry Buildings c. 1897*

**Cue Community Resource Centre
presents**



Christmas Twilight Markets

**November 20th
from 4.30pm**

Stall holders wanted

**HOME-MADE CRAFTS - CHRISTMAS GIFTS - LOCAL
JEWELRY - ARTWORKS - FOOD & DRINKS -
ENTERTAINMENT**

**IF this is you or you know someone who might be
interested, please contact us to book a stall.**

For More Information: (08) 9963 1198 - cue@crc.net.au

We're improving your water.

You can expect to notice a difference every time you turn on the tap. Upgrades to Cue's water treatment facility are now complete. Now that's refreshing news.


 Murchison Water Treatment Plants

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Regional
Alliance
West

NYARLU MIYARNUMALGU
INDIGENOUS WOMEN'S

Free Legal Information Session on:
Criminal Injuries Compensation Claims.

When: Friday 29th October 2021
Where: Cue Community Resource Centre,

Time: 9:00am

If you would like information or advice, why not come down and have a chat with Gillian.

Everyone is WELCOME to attend – FREE Resources to take away.

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Monday - Friday
9am - 5pm
&
Saturday
9am - 12pm

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with meat to please you

Mental Health Matters

Do you want to make a positive difference to the mental health of your community?

We are offering a FREE 1 hour suicide prevention training called QPR: Question, Persuade and Refer, where you learn to identify suicide warning signs and the skills to prevent a possible suicide.

Using your new knowledge, you have the opportunity to be one of the local voices for a local media campaign to promote positive mental health. We will support you to produce a radio message and create a poster.

Workshop details

Tuesday 12 October

QPR: 9.00am-10.15am

Local media workshop: 10.30am-2.00pm

(morning tea and light lunch provided)

Community Resource Meeting Room, Cue

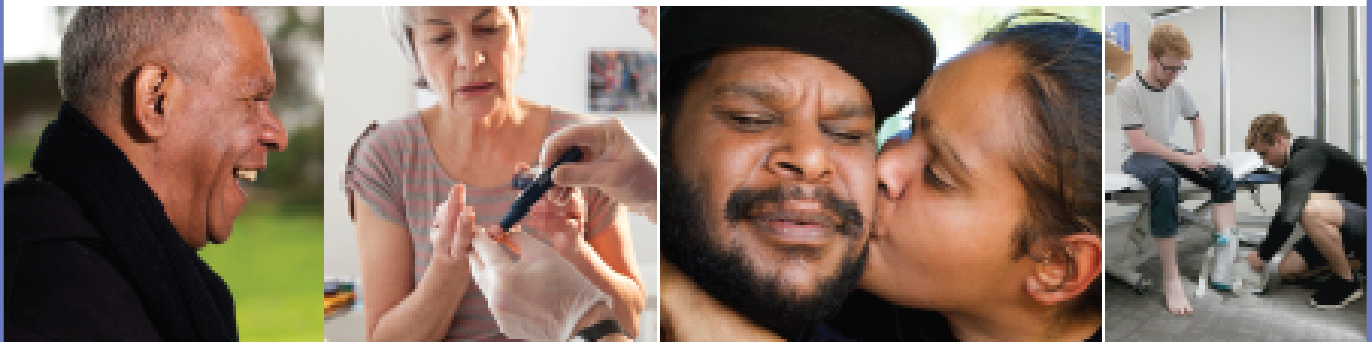
For more information and RSVP contact Dane Waters on 0439948311 or dane@h-c-r.org. Limited spaces available.





Integrated **Chronic** **Disease Care Program**

**Do you have a team that can
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cardiovascular disease or
respiratory disease?**



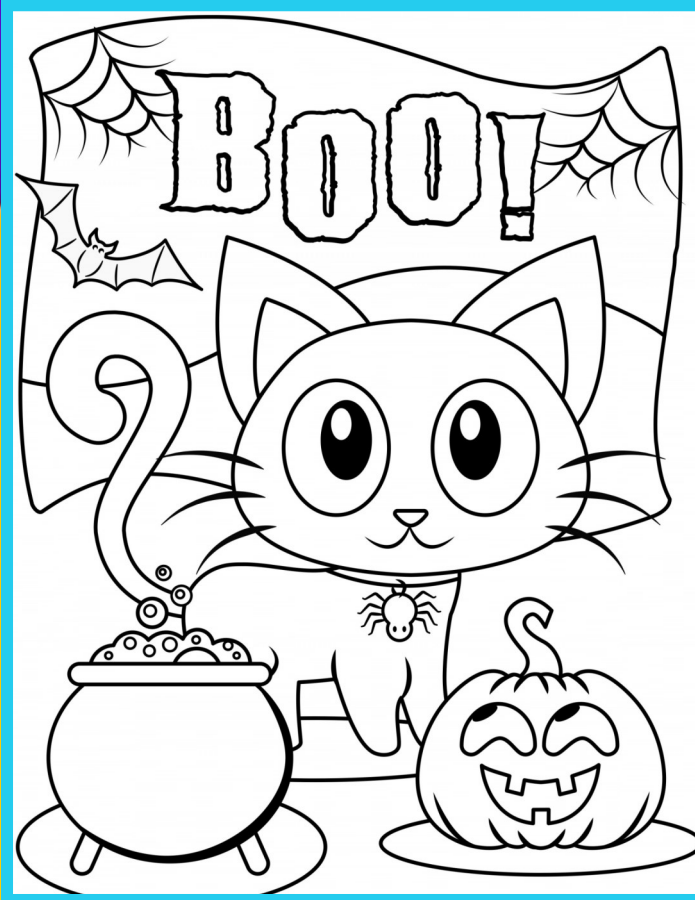
Podiatry | Dietetics | Physiotherapy | Diabetes Education

**Our Team can assist with these services and provide
care co-ordination to assist with all your health
appointments or enquiries.**

**If you suffer from Diabetes, Cardiovascular Disease or Respiratory
Disease and would like to make changes to improve your health,
call our Care Coordinators Beryl or Danielle on **0447 268 603****



COLOURING PAGE





OCTOBER LOGIC PUZZLE

ANSWERS IN NOVEMBER EDITION

		businesses					owners					ad campaigns				
		ant farms etc	books and more	pandora's box	sinful sips	tricky toys	Mr. Simmons	Mrs. Frazier	Mrs. Jackson	Mrs. Love	Mrs. Underwood	billboard	hot-air balloon	leaflet	radio ad	sandwich board
opening dates	may 5th															
	may 8th															
	may 11th															
	may 14th															
	may 17th															
ad campaigns	billboard															
	hot-air balloon															
	leaflet															
	radio ad															
	sandwich board															
owners	Mr. Simmons															
	Mrs. Frazier															
	Mrs. Jackson															
	Mrs. Love															
	Mrs. Underwood															

CLUES

- Mrs Underwood isn't using a billboard.
- Tricky Toys won't open on May 11th.
- Mr Simmons isn't using a leaflet.
- The business opening on May 8th isn't using a radio ad.
- Mrs Jackson will open 3 days after Mr Simmons.
- The five businesses are the one owned by Mr Simmons, the one using a hot-air balloon, tricky toys, the one opening on May 5th and books & more.
- Neither tricky toys nor the one opening on May 8th is owned by Mrs Underwood.
- The company using a radio ad is either owned by Mrs Love or ant farms etc.
- Ant farms etc will open 9 days before Pandora's box.
- The company using a billboard isn't owned by Mr Simmons.
- Of the business opening on May 5th and the business opening on May 11th, one is books & more and the other is owned by Mrs Love.

OCTOBER WORD SEARCH

ANSWERS IN NOVEMBER EDITION



Ahead

Aided

Annex

August

Beard

Besides

Brine

Broil

Cavort

Comic

Contemplative

Crush

Curdle

Diplomatically

Duels

Egged

Films

Flail

Greasing

Haste

Hooking

Insurmountable

Irate

Leaps

Least

Magics

Mayor

Panting

Robed

Score

Snappy

Solder

Soles

Still

Strange

Supremacy

Tight

Tries

Watched

Weirdos

Wintertime



Get behind the wheel

Emergencies don't have working hours, that's why we need more volunteer Drivers. If you're looking for a way to help, and love getting behind the wheel, this is the role for you.

You'll help with patient transfers, inter-hospital moves and RFDS transfers. And while this is mainly a driver-only role, you will still receive the training you need to assist an Ambulance Officer in an emergency.

We always need help, so to see how people exactly like you can contribute head to stjohnchangelives.com.au or give our Community Paramedic Michelle Fyfe a call on 0437 681 562, or email Michelle.M.Fyfe@stjohnwa.com.au

Help keep your ambulance service strong in Cue.

Life goes on.
Volunteer with St John.



NURSING POST

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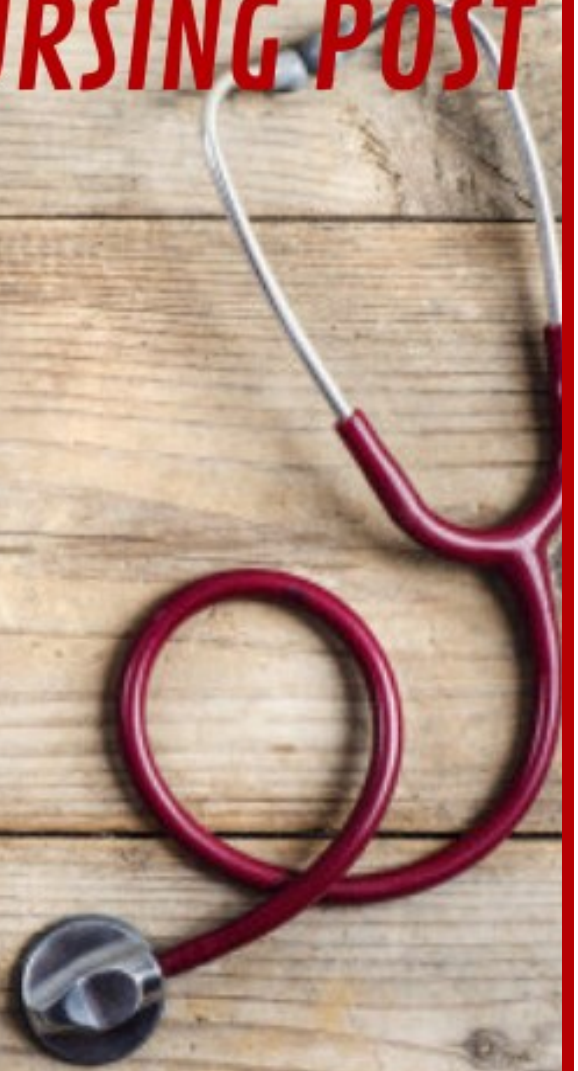
RFDS DATES:

Tuesday 12th

Tuesday 26th

Please contact the Cue Nursing Post
for GRAMS dates and to make an
appointment.

(08) 9963 0100



EMERGENCY SERVICES

Fire & Rescue, Ambulance & Police

In case of emergency please call

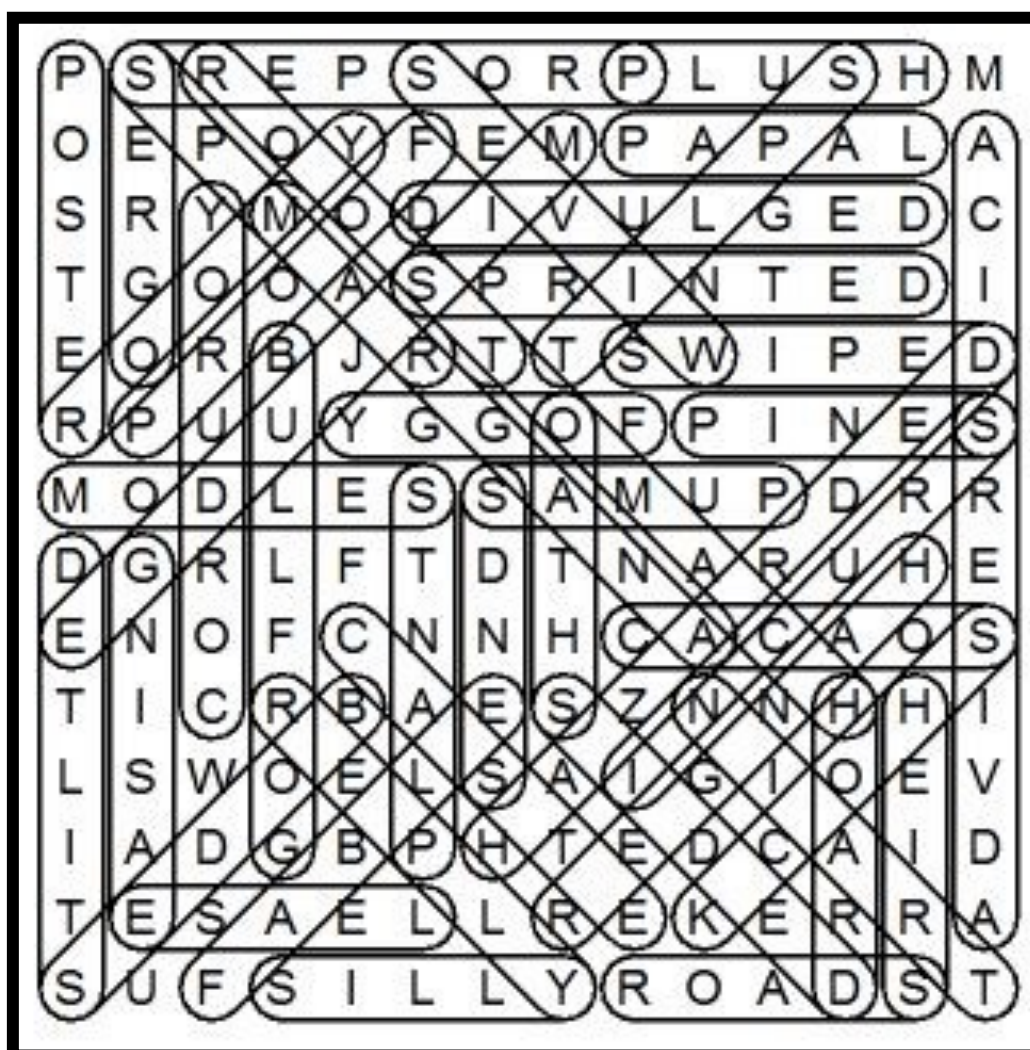
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SEPTEMBER PUZZLE ANSWERS

September Logic

salary	teachers	sports	vegetables
\$139,000	Mr Ackerman	golf	spinach
\$157,000	Mr Reinsford	bowling	collard greens
\$179,000	Mrs Koralis	basketball	bean sprouts
\$222,000	Mrs Rocek	football	asparagus
\$234,000	Mr Mockel	billiards	corn

September Word Search



October

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31 Halloween						2
3	4 DOT	5 Op Shoppe Morning Tea	6 Craft Group	7	8	9
10	11 Police Flag Raising	12 Op Shoppe Morning Tea RFDS	13 Craft Group	14	15	16 Local Election
17	18 Vet Program	19 Op Shoppe Morning Tea Council Meeting	20 Craft Group	21	22	23
24	25	26 Op Shoppe Morning Tea RFDS	27 Craft Group	28	29	30



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