



## Shire President's Message

A big thank you to over 3000 community members who provided feedback in the MARKYT Community Scorecard 2024. I'm excited to share that 97% of participants agree that our shire is an outstanding place to live! Of course there are areas for improvement and together with the Shire team, Council is committed to addressing your priorities as we create our Plan for the Future. You are welcome to attend one of the community workshops on **Thursday 18 April** at the following venues:



**9am - 11am** at the Mundaring Administration Building or  
**6pm - 8pm** at the Swan View Youth Centre.

Please visit [bit.ly/MundaringWorkshops](https://bit.ly/MundaringWorkshops) to register. The full results of the scorecard will be published following these workshops.

As the sunny, dry weather continues, making it perfect for outdoor school holiday adventures at our parks, trails and Lake Leschenaultia, it also necessitates an extension of the Prohibited Burning Period. Stay informed and sign up for our Shire's Bushfire Information SMS alerts via [bit.ly/3PCG6e6](https://bit.ly/3PCG6e6) to ensure you are well prepared and up to date.

At its April meeting, Council adopted the 2024 Emissions Reduction Strategy aspiring to a 70% reduction (from 2016/17 emissions) by 2030. This is a collective call to action to shape our sustainable future. Council also recommended to the WA Planning Commission to repeal Local Planning Strategy 4, paving the way for a new and contemporary local planning strategy within our shire.

As ANZAC Day approaches, a day that holds a very special place in my heart, I sincerely hope you will be able to join us as we honour those who sacrificed so much in service to our country. There are several services to attend and we warmly welcome you at the local ANZAC commemorative events supported by the Shire. Details can be found in the 'What's On' section and on our [website](#). As we honour those fallen, Lest We Forget.

Paige McNeil  
**Shire President**

## Handy Info

For your convenience, we now have FREE Containers for Change collection bags available at the Shire Administration Centre.



Register for eRates - its quick, easy and helps our environment.  
[mundaring.wa.gov.au/council/rates/register-for-erates](https://mundaring.wa.gov.au/council/rates/register-for-erates)

## FOGO Drop-in Sessions

Come along to a drop-in session to learn more about the new Food Organics Garden Organics (FOGO) waste system.

### The Hub of the Hills

Tuesday 21 May - 9.30am to 11am

### Mundaring Village Shopping Centre

Saturday 25 May 11am to 2pm

Saturday 22 June 11am to 2pm

### Mundaring Arena

Tuesday 28 May - 6pm to 8pm

Saturday 8 June - 11am to 1pm

### Swan View Shopping Centre

Thursday 13 June - 10am to 1pm



## What's On

### 1 May Ordinary Council Meeting

The meeting will be held on **Tuesday 14 May** at 6.30pm at the Shire Administration Centre.



The agenda is available on the website, Administration Centre or at our libraries. Meetings will be live streamed via the Shire's website [mundaring.wa.gov.au/council-livestreams-and-recordings](https://mundaring.wa.gov.au/council-livestreams-and-recordings)

### 2 FREE Hearing Checks

Our libraries are pleased to host Hearing Australia who are conducting adult hearing tests:



#### Boya Library

Monday 15 April, 10am to 2pm  
 Bookings (08) 9290 6755  
 or email: [gills@mundaring.wa.gov.au](mailto:gills@mundaring.wa.gov.au)

#### Mundaring Library

Friday 19 April, 10am to 2pm  
 Bookings (08) 9290 6780  
 or email: [mills@mundaring.wa.gov.au](mailto:mills@mundaring.wa.gov.au)

### 3 An Evening with Dr Alex Boyd

**Thursday 18 April**  
 6pm to 7.15pm  
 Boya Community Centre

Photographer and artist Dr Boyd will discuss his work in the Islands and remote communities of the North Atlantic and his latest book.



Bookings essential via [Eventbrite](#).

### 4 A Morning Tea with Folker Krueger

**Monday 22 April**, 10.30am to 11.45am  
 Boya Community Centre  
 Folker shares stories from his eventful life as a German immigrant who never stopped exploring what the world presented to him.

Bookings essential via [Eventbrite](#).

### 5 ANZAC Day Ceremonies

**Wednesday 24 April**

ANZAC Day Sunset Service - 5.30pm,  
 Blackboy Hill Commemorative Site  
 Innamincka Road, Greenmount



**Thursday 25 April**

ANZAC Day Dawn Service - 6.15am,  
 Blackboy Hill Commemorative Site,  
 Innamincka Road, Greenmount

ANZAC Day Service - 7.30am,  
 Chidlow Village Green

ANZAC Day Service - 11.30am,  
 Elsie Austin Pavilion, Chidlow Street,  
 Mt Helena

ANZAC Day Service - 2.45pm,  
 Memorial Garden, Great Eastern Highway,  
 Mundaring

### 6 Member Recruitment Workshop

**Tuesday 7 May**, 6pm to 8pm  
 Shire Administration Building  
 (Civic Reception Room)

Designed for community groups and sporting clubs, learn the strategies for attracting and recruiting new members.

Book via [Eventbrite](#) [bit.ly/3U1tHCY](https://bit.ly/3U1tHCY)