

## Shire President's Message

Hello everyone,

Our shire boasts many attractions including beautiful Lake Leschenaultia, our 'Jewel in the Crown'. The past two summers have seen the Lake closed more frequently due to changes in the Australian Fire Danger Ratings, even on days that didn't always match our local conditions.

Council listened to our community's concerns. We commissioned a bushfire risk assessment resulting in nine recommendations, which we're implementing to keep the Lake accessible and safe for our community and visitors when conditions allow. Our priority is the community's safety and well-being, while ensuring everyone can enjoy the Lake this summer.

July's introduction of FOGO will encourage us to reduce landfill waste. Similar to the plastic bag ban, the fortnightly general waste collection requires changes in our waste behaviour. Landfill sites are a source of air and water pollution so reducing the amount of waste we send to landfill will help achieve a more sustainable future. If you have questions about the changes, please call the Shire on (08) 9290 6666 (option 1).

The anticipated redistribution of Federal boundaries will see Shire of Mundaring in a new seat named in recognition of Lieutenant Colonel Vivian Bullwinkel and her dedication to honouring victims of war crimes and her service to nursing and the community. I'll be travelling to Canberra in July to attend the National General Assembly and to speak with Federal Ministers on behalf of our community.

Our recent Telecommunication Community Forums identified potential solutions to improve reliability in the Perth Hills, and I'll be presenting our case to Ministers to gain support for further investment to improve our connectivity.

With the electorate of 'Bullwinkel' pegged as a marginal and crucial Federal seat, I'm excited to seek funding for our Mundaring Townsite and new Cultural Hub, plus upgrades to our sporting pavilions and changerooms to support the growing participation in junior and senior sport across our talented Shire.

Paige McNeil  
**Shire President**



## Handy Links



Register for eRates - its quick, easy and helps our environment.

[mundaring.wa.gov.au/council/rates/register-for-erates](http://mundaring.wa.gov.au/council/rates/register-for-erates)

Not sure when your general waste bin or recycling bin will be collected? Do you want to check when the next verge collection is for your area?



Visit [my.mundaring.wa.gov.au/BinLocationInfo/Details](http://my.mundaring.wa.gov.au/BinLocationInfo/Details) and enter your address to check.

Did you know your usual bin days will not be changing. From **1 July**, you will also be able to check when your FOGO bin is collected using this link.

## JP Signing Service

A JP signing service is available from:

### Mundaring Library

Thursdays from 1pm to 2.30pm and Fridays from 10am to 12pm

### Boya Library

Tuesdays from 5.30pm to 6.45pm

Please call Mundaring Library (08) 9290 6780 or Boya Library (08) 9290 6755 for further information and to check availability.

## What's On

### 1 July Ordinary Council Meeting

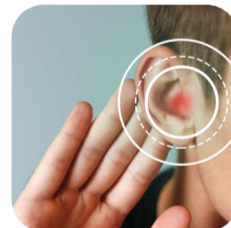
The meeting will be held on **Tuesday 9 July** at 6.30pm at the Shire Administration Centre.



The agenda will be 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](http://mundaring.wa.gov.au/council-livestreams-and-recordings).

### 2 FREE Hearing Checks

Mundaring Library  
**Friday 19 July**  
 10am to 2pm



Boya Library  
**Friday 26 July** 10am to 2pm

Call (08) 9290 6755 - Boya or (08) 9290 6780 - Mundaring to book.

### 3 Your Farewell Wishes with Julie Carlton

**Thursday 18 July**  
 10am to 12pm, Boya Community Centre

Reflect on what matters most to you, and make sure your loved ones understand your wishes. Spots are limited and booking is essential via [180724b.eventbrite.com.au](http://180724b.eventbrite.com.au)

### 4 Emotion Coaching your Child

Boya Library  
**Thursday 25 July**  
 10am to 12pm



Midvale Hub Parenting Centre present this FREE workshop to help parents of children aged three to 10 understand and support emotions in themselves and their children. This is not a suitable event for children (parents may bring babies under five months).

Bookings essential via [250724b.eventbrite.com.au](http://250724b.eventbrite.com.au)

### 5 Parenting Toddlers (18 months to three years)

Midvale Hub Parenting Service present this FREE workshop for parents and caregivers to support their toddlers. Topics include early brain development, promoting cooperation and supporting tantrums and social and emotional development.



### Thursday 1,8 and 15 August

Parkerville Baptist Church, 910 Seaborne Street, Parkerville

Registration essential via: [events.humanitix.com/parenting-toddlers-parkerville-3bv2jeds](http://events.humanitix.com/parenting-toddlers-parkerville-3bv2jeds)