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Crosswords

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SOUTHERN CROSS AQUATIC CENTRE

OPENING FOR THE
2026/27 SEASON
ON SATURDAY 24TH OCTOBER

Opening times :

Monday to Friday	11am to 7pm
Saturday's and Sunday's	12pm to 7pm

SEE YOU ALL SOON!

The Crosswords is produced by the
Southern Cross CRC,
PO Box 178, Canopus St, Southern
Cross WA 6426
Phone: 08 9049 1688
Email: crc@yilgarn.wa.gov.au

Shire of Yilgarn

Emergency information hotline

Call (08) 9487 8777

for information relating to bushfire issues
including vehicle movement & harvest
bans, road closures, flood or other local
emergency matters.

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Southern Cross Landfill Times

The Tip Shop will also be open during the
below hours. EFTPOS available for fee
payment at Shire admin office.

Monday & Tuesday	1:00pm to 4:00pm
Wednesday & Thursday	Closed
Friday	1:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday & Sunday	10:00am to 4:00pm

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Business Advertisements (Business premises outside of the Shire of Yilgarn)	Black		Colour	
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Full Page (A4)	\$35.00	\$55.00	\$160.00	\$180.00
1/2 Page (A5)	\$20.00	\$30.00	\$90.00	\$100.00
1/4 Page	\$15.00	\$25.00	\$50.00	\$60.00

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Full Page (A4)	\$30.00	\$50.00	\$130.00	\$160.00
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1/4 Page	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$35.00	\$40.00

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1/4 page vertical	90mm x 120mm
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1/2 page vertical	90mm x 270mm
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A4 Full page	180mm x 270mm

A5 adverts which are not horizontal will be displayed in print on their side to ensure no modification to advertisements.



DON'T FORGET!
Crosswords' submissions
close every 2nd Tuesday at 12.00 noon

2026 Publishing Dates

Deadline 12 noon	Publishing Date
3/11/2026	5/11/2026
17/11/2026	19/11/2026
1/12/2026	3/12/2026
15/12/2026	17/12/2026

2027 Publishing Dates

Deadline 12 noon	Publishing Date
12/01/2027	14/01/2027
26/01/2027	28/01/2027
9/02/2027	11/02/2027
23/02/2027	25/02/2027
9/03/2027	11/03/2027
23/03/2027	25/03/2027
6/04/2027	8/04/2027
20/04/2027	22/04/2027
4/05/2027	6/05/2027
18/05/2027	20/05/2027
1/06/2027	3/06/2027
15/06/2027	17/06/2027
29/06/2027	1/07/2027
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07/09/2027	09/09/2027
21/09/2027	23/09/2027
05/10/2027	07/10/2027
19/10/2027	21/10/2027
02/11/2027	04/11/2027
16/11/2027	18/11/2027

Church Notices / Updates



48 Altair Street, Southern Cross
 SX Presbytery: 9049 1049 (Sun to Mon)
 Bruce Rock Presbytery: 9061 1094 (Tues to Sat)
 Email: yilgarnwestoniacatholic@gmail.com
 Facebook: Yilgarn/Westonia Catholic Community
 YouTube: Yilgarn Westonia Catholic

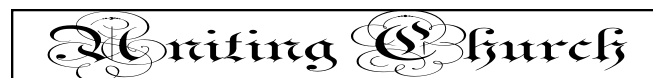
CBH Grain Donations (SX): 40564452

Mass Times

Saturday 6:00pm @ Bruce Rock Parish (**live-stream**)
 Sunday 5:30pm @ OLM church

Community Mass
 Sunday, 25th October 2026 @ 11am

Welcome to Father Paul!



Services for the Uniting Church are held on the
 first Sunday of each month.

Contact:
 Cheryl Auld 9049 8026
 Diane Della Bosca 9049 1149



Antares Street, Southern Cross
 Enquiries: Leonie Gethin
 Ph.: 0429 498 035

2026 Anglican Services Christ Church Southern Cross
 Everyone is invited
 Saturdays 11pm

November 14th
 December 19th—Christmas Service

* Dates subject to change. Dates displayed on the
 Church Notice Board

Meet our NEW
 Priest Bishop Benjamin Yugusial

Employment opportunity

FINANCE OFFICER

The Shire of Yilgarn is seeking a reliable, organised and customer-focused person to join our team as a Finance Officer on a full-time basis.

About the role

The Finance Officer will play an important role in supporting the Shire's financial and customer service functions. Key responsibilities include:

- Maintaining the Creditors and Stock Ledger;
- Reconciling bank accounts;
- Providing friendly and professional customer service; and
- Assisting the Executive Manager Corporate Services with a range of financial and administrative duties

A full list of duties, responsibilities and selection criteria is provided in the Position Description included in the application pack.

What we offer

The Shire of Yilgarn offers a range of benefits, including:

- Up to 19.5% superannuation, including a 7.5% Council matching contribution;
- Subsidised housing or housing allowance; and
- Uniform allowance.

How to apply

Interested applicants are encouraged to obtain an Application Pack, which includes the Position Description and information on how to apply.

Application packs are available from:

- Shire Administration Office, 23 Antares Street, Southern Cross WA
- Phone: HR/Payroll on (08) 9049 1001
- Email: payroll@yilgarn.wa.gov.au
- Website: www.yilgarn.wa.gov.au

Applications should be addressed to the Chief Executive Officer and marked Confidential.

Applications close at 4.00pm on Friday, 30 October 2026.



Ben Forbes

Chief Executive Officer

Shire of Yilgarn

PO Box 86

SOUTHERN CROSS WA 6426

Please note: Canvassing of Councillors will disqualify applicants. The successful applicant will be required to obtain relevant police checks and provide evidence of all claimed qualifications prior to commencing employment. This position is subject to a pre-employment medical assessment and National Police Clearance.

Employment opportunity

PLANT OPERATOR ROAD CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE

The Shire of Yilgarn currently has an opportunity for a reliable person to join our team as a Plant Operator on a full-time basis.

About the role

The primary responsibilities of the position are the construction and maintenance of Shire roads.

Key responsibilities include:

- Assist in the construction and maintenance of all civil works as required;
- Where trained and licensed, drive and operate Council's full range of plant and equipment;
- If and when required, assist parks and gardens with mowing, tree pruning, manual weed chipping, gardening and other horticultural activities;
- Must at least have a WA "HR" manual drivers' licence
- Must have a WA Construction card "White card"
- Must be physically able to undertake manual work including bending, lifting and handling various types of tools and equipment

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The Shire of Yilgarn offers a range of benefits, including:

- up to 19.5% superannuation, including a 7.5% Council matching contribution;
- Subsidised housing or housing allowance;
- 9-day fortnight, one rostered day off per fortnight;
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- Adverse working conditions allowance; and
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Employment opportunity

LEADING HAND ROAD CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE

The Shire of Yilgarn currently has an opportunity for a reliable person to join our team as a Leading Hand on a full-time basis.

About the role

Provide on-site supervision of the Shire of Yilgarn's Road Construction and Maintenance Staff;

Key responsibilities include:

- Responsible for providing supervised employees with on-the-job training and guidance;
- Responsible for productivity and efficiency of employees and work group supervised;
- Assist in the construction and maintenance of all civil works as required;
- Must at least have a WA "HR" manual drivers' licence
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Shire of Yilgarn Australia Day Awards 2027

Nominate an inspiring local community member or group for one of three awards, fostering community pride and spirit:

- Shire of Yilgarn Australia Day Active Citizenship Award
- Shire of Yilgarn Australia Day Active Citizenship Award for a person under 25 years
- Shire of Yilgarn Australia Day Active Citizenship Award for a Community group or event

Nominate a local business in the new 2027 Local Business Award category:

- Shire of Yilgarn Australia Day Local Business Award

Nomination forms are available from the Shire of Yilgarn, CRC or online at www.yilgarn.wa.gov.au

Please note nominations close:
COB Monday, 2nd November 2026

Shire of Yilgarn

Silent Auction

To place your bid, collect an auction bid form from the Shire of Yilgarn administration office or download a copy from the Shire's website.

Completed forms are to be placed in the Silent Auction box at the Shire of Yilgarn administration office.

Lot No.	Item	Lot No.	Item
1	Toyota Van 1IFP670 - Reg till Dec 2026	17	Wacker Compactor
2	Aged Care Bed Single & mattress	18	Wacker Plate Compactor
3	Aged care Bed Double & mattress	19	2 x Galaxy Tyres 12 x 16.5 on Rims (Bobcat)
4	Shower Chair	20	4 x Mudstar Tyres 265 x 75 16x16 on Rims (4WD)
5	2 Seater Lounge	21	1 x Triangle Tyre 8.5 R 17.5 on Rim
6	100cm TV with Remote	22	4 x Bridgestone Drive Tyres 235 x 85 x 16
7	Single Electric Recliner	23	4 x Kumho Tyres 265 x 75 x 16
8	Fuel Tank 800 lts	24	5 x Dunlop Tyres 265 x 65 x 17
9	Fuel Tank 20,000lts	25	7 x Mower Tyres 23 x 10.5 x 12
10	Fuel Tank 4,000lts on stand	26	Donga - 4 Room - Caravan Park
11	Water Tank 16,000lts	27	4 Drawer Filing Cabinet
12	Water Tank 14,000lts	28	4 Drawer Filing Cabinet
13	Car Trailer Yellow YL7266 - Reg till Dec 2026	29	4 Drawer Filing Cabinet
14	Car Trailer Grey 1TMF632 - Reg till Dec 2026	30	4 Drawer Filing Cabinet
15	Crommelins Plate Compactor	31	4 Drawer Filing Cabinet
16	Wacker Compactor		

Closing date for the auction is Friday 13th November.

For inspections:

Inspections – Caravan Park Donga – Call 90491212 for appointment (necessary)

Depot – Call 90491001 for appointment (all other items are at the depot)

What's been happening

at the  Southern Cross
Community
Resource
Centre



School Holiday Program

Wednesday 7 October - Craft Day! We painted things and sculpted with clay

What's been happening at the



School Holiday Program
Friday 9 October - Wool crafts

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HALLOWEEN DANCE PARTY

FEATURING



**BASS
BANANA**



**FRIDAY
30TH OCTOBER**



**YILGARN
RECREATION CENTRE**



**5 AND UNDER
4:00PM - 5:30PM**



**6 & OVER
6:00PM - 8:00PM**



**SNACKS AND SWEETS
PROVIDED**



**PRIZES AVAILABLE
ON THE NIGHT**



FREE



**ALL CHILDREN MUST BE
ACCOMPANIED BY A
PARENT/GUARDIAN**

*Come along
in your best
spooky
costume*



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Southern Cross
Community
Resource
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Visit the Southern Cross Skies



SOCIAL TENNIS

16TH OCTOBER - 11TH DECEMBER 2026
FRIDAY EVENINGS - 5:30PM ONWARDS
SOUTHERN CROSS COURTS
BYO DRINKS, MEAT & A SALAD TO SHARE

FANCY A HIT? COME ALONG FOR A FUN, RELAXED
GAME OF SOCIAL TENNIS.
ALL SKILL LEVELS WELCOME!

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT TASH 0408 447 035



Please note: Social Tennis will not be held on the 30th October or the 27th November due to other events.



Christmas Lights Competition 2026



Judging Night:

Thursday 10th December 2026

There are 2 x \$100
• gift vouchers to be
won!

How to enter:

Register your house or business by Tuesday, 1st of December at 12 noon to be included in the judging, and featured on the Christmas Lights Trail Map.

Register by calling 9049 1688 or emailing aso@yilgarn.wa.gov.au

KIDS' CHRISTMAS ART CONTEST

WHAT COULD YOU ENTER?

- ✓ Drawings and paintings
- ✓ Colouring in, paint by numbers or diamond art
- ✓ Sculptures
- ✓ Art from recycled materials

Entries must have a "Christmas" theme.

Open to children aged 4 - 17 years old.
Sections include 4 - 8 years, 9 - 12 years, 13 - 17 years.

Entries close Friday 20 November 2026 at 12.00 pm.

Winners to be announced at the Christmas in the Park on Friday, 27 November 2026.

Assorted prizes to be won!

SUBMIT ENTRIES TO:

Southern Cross CRC
Canopus St, Southern Cross



Stalls



*Live
Music*

CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK

FRIDAY, 27 NOVEMBER 2026, 5PM - 8.30PM

The Yilgarn Community Christmas Tree

**BYO PICNIC CHAIRS,
NIBBLES & DRINKS**

GIFTS PROVIDED TO CHILDREN UP TO YEAR 6

\$15 PER CHILD

INCLUDES PRESENT, JUICE BOX & LOLLY BAG

PLEASE RSVP BY **23 OCTOBER** WITH **NAMES AND AGES** OF
CHILDREN TO **CWA.SXBRANCH@OUTLOOK.COM**

CWA PAYMENT DETAILS

BSB: 036 128 ACC: 280026



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Stalls



Live Music

CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK

FRIDAY, 27 NOVEMBER 2026, 5PM - 8.30PM

Register now to hold a stall!

EMAIL CRC@YILGARN.WA.GOV.AU
OR CALL 9049 1688



CWA Community Christmas Tree



Lighting of the Christmas Tree



Facepainting by Sheree



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LEGO CLUB IS BACK!

MONDAY AFTERNOONS
FROM 3.15 PM AT THE
CRC UNTIL THE END OF
TERM 4!

*children under the age of 10 need a parent or
guardian present to attend



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Primary Industries and
Regional Development



Wheatbelt Medical Student Immersion Program

TUESDAY 16 TO FRIDAY 19 MARCH 2027

Share what living in the Wheatbelt is like with doctors of the future

One hundred medical students will be coming to the Wheatbelt in March 2027.

During their stay, they will visit local farms, industry, general practices, hospitals and schools, and participate in community activities.

We need you to provide real-life experiences that will give them an understanding of what it is like to live in the Wheatbelt and perhaps inspire them to become rural doctors.

The students will visit the following towns:

- Bruce Rock
- Cunderdin
- Kellerberrin
- Merredin
- Narrogin
- Southern Cross
- Tammin
- Westonia

As a host, we will ask you to provide accommodation for two or three students, to assist with transporting them to/from town, and share what it is like to live in your town with the students. You are invited to come along to a Thank You Dinner with the students on the Thursday night.

Why host?

This is a life-changing experience for the students, with many having no previous exposure to rural life or the Wheatbelt.

By providing these rural immersion opportunities early in their degree, it has been proven that students are:

- more likely to explore rural career opportunities; and
- better able to provide patient-centred care to rural people.

Some students previously hosted through this program continue to keep in touch and visit their host families. Some have returned for seasonal work or placements, while others have joined mentoring programs. The experience has inspired some host family members to pursue tertiary studies in health and medicine. Many former students now practise as doctors in the Wheatbelt and other parts of remote WA and Australia.

For further information, contact **Rural Health West**:

T 08 6389 4509

E futureworkforce@ruralhealthwest.com.au

We want to hear from you if you would like to host, even if you need the students to roll out a swag in the living room.



Community News

Moorine Rock Tennis Club

Thu 22/10/26	Junior Tennis Coaching 3.30 - 4.30pm
Sat 24/10/26	Open Invitation Day Sponsored by Summit 3pm start, steak & salad tea
Thu 29/10/26	Junior Tennis Coaching 3.30 - 4.30pm
Sat 31/10/26	Social Tennis 3pm start, BBQ tea & pooled salads
Thu 05/11/26	Junior Tennis Coaching 3.30 - 4.30pm
Sat 07/11/26	Social Tennis 3pm start, BBQ tea & pooled salads

Yilgarn Bowling Club

October & November 2026

Mens

Sat 24	Pennants Yilgarn v Merredin Club	Southern Cross
Sun 25	Club Day	Southern Cross
Sun 25	Dyson Jones Fours	Corrigin
Sat 31	Pennants Civic v Yilgarn Civic	

NOVEMBER

Sun 1	Club Day	Southern Cross
Sat 7	Pennants Corrigin v Yilgarn Corrigin	
Sat 8	Club Day	Southern Cross
Sun 8	Open Triples	Merredin
Sat 14	Pennants Yilgarn v Narembeen	Southern Cross
Sun15	Men's Club Singles Championships	Southern Cross
Sun 15	SEBL Trial Game	

Ladies

Sat 24	Tammin Open Day	Tammin
Tue 27	Social Bowls	Southern Cross

NOVEMBER

Tue 3	Championship 4's	Southern Cross
Tue 10	Social Bowls	Southern Cross
Fri 13	Narembeen Open Day	Narembeen

FOR SALE

2020 Toyota Camry Ascent

- Auto
- Petrol
- 110,200 km
- Full service history

\$19,800



Phone Geoff for further details
0427 491 294

AGM

YILGARN BOWLS AND TENNIS INC.
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

TUESDAY 10TH NOVEMBER 2026 AT 6.30 PM.
AT THE BOWLS AND TENNIS BUILDING
SPICA STREET
SOUTHERN CROSS

FOR FUTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT
Cheryl Auld 0427900051

WANT TO PLACE AN AD FOR RENT OR HOUSE FOR SALE ADVERT?

Contact the CRC on 9049 1688 or
crc@yilgarn.wa.gov.au
to organise your ad to appear in our next



OUR LADY OF MONTSERRAT PARISH & ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
INVITES YOU TO OUR

Community Mass

Sunday 25 October 2026

Following Mass join us for light refreshments at St Joseph's School.
Tours of the school are available and children are more than welcome
as the Playground will be open.

11.00am

Community Mass @ Our
Lady of Montserrat Church
48 Altair Street,
Southern Cross

12.30pm

Light lunch @ St Joseph's
School.
51 Altair Street,
Southern Cross

If you are able to bring a Plate of food to share it would be much appreciated.

Everyone
is
Welcome





Artwork by Leeann Kelly-Pedersen

Noticing something different about your child's posture or movement?

Our virtual team is here to help!



FREE online physiotherapy check



See a paediatric physiotherapist from home for a quick, friendly chat.

No referral needed - first come, first served.



You can ask us about developmental concerns such as:

- Tummy time, sitting, crawling
- Head shape or neck movement
- Foot or leg shape
- Walking, running or coordination
- Jumping, hopping, ball skills

For more information including clinic dates and virtual links, scan the QR code or email **WACHSCDSVirtual@health.wa.gov.au**



**** Children must be Medicare eligible and live in country WA to access services.**



The Story of Bullant McIntyre (continued)

....Miss Newport, who fooled the directors, cannot claim to have worked upon her personal charms, as she is utterly devoid of beauty and possesses a masculine appearance. She appeared in court in a straw hat and made copious notes of proceedings. She did not display the faintest symptom of nervousness or concern. If allegations are proved, Miss Newport will be branded one of the most cunning deceivers who ever bamboozled a body of cautious and wide-a-wake businessmen. During the preliminary hearing she was as calm as an arctic bear on an ice floe and handed her counsel notes with as much assurance as a person of standing, instead of a person perilously near his Majesty's prison. The resignation of the entire Directorate is called for. A fresh board and proper management in Melbourne will help popularise the stock and lead to systematic working of this good mine.'

Proving he is a man of action as well as words, the editor sets off for Melbourne:

....Mr McIntyre attended a special meeting of shareholders in Melbourne. There was a large attendance. It was moved that the action of the directors in discharging the legal manager be approved – Carried. Mr McIntyre got up and stated he was representing WA shareholders who felt they had been badly treated. He hoped the whole of the directors would tender their resignations, and several of them indicated that they would do so. Moved by McIntyre that the whole board be asked to resign – Carried. Mr McIntyre stated that for every pound spent on the mine another four or five pounds had been fooled away. Mr McIntyre's mission was to obtain legal advice with the view to the recovery of money. He had published a statement 12 months ago that the funds of the company were non-existent. Miss Newport had entered into correspondence with him but it was most ambiguous in nature. The Chairman commented that he thought the funds were in WA, while the WA shareholders thought the money was in Melbourne. The question was – where is it. The Chairman also wished that Mr McIntyre had given them a hint of what was going on.'

....Mr McIntyre is still in Melbourne shaking Hades out of the old Marvel Loch directors. A new directorate has been formed and Mr McIntyre elected to the board by a large majority. There is not the slightest question as to the board elected being all good businessmen.'

....Mrs Kennedy from the Railway Hotel also visited Melbourne to attend the shareholder's meeting. Says when Mr McIntyre called on the old directorate to resign, several of those present rose and cheered him loudly. From that psychological moment his position on the new directorate was assured by Melbourne and Adelaide shareholders. Mr McIntyre polled 54,000 votes against 15,000 votes by other WA candidates.'

An inkling where some of the money disappeared: It was never there in the first place with shares handed free to directors:

....It is a position without parallel. The greed of promoters in taking 30,000 paid up shares plus all flotation expenses as their 'cut', plus the directors allowing the cash reserves to be stolen plagues this unfortunate company.'

....With regard to missing funds, the auditor appointed by shareholders refused to sign the balance sheet. In consequence the Directorate sacked the auditor and he was replaced with a friend of Miss Newport. Undoubtedly the old Directorate is legally responsible for the sum of money that has been stolen, embezzled, or fooled away. If shareholders care to proceed against the late Board a verdict would no doubt be obtained.'

A surprise verdict:

....Miss Newport has been acquitted by the jury. No doubt the person who promoted the company and the hoodlums who sat on the directorate are responsible for the awful state of affairs. When promoters can take 150% then failure must follow. When men in good positions are bribed into a directorate with a parcel of shares the result is sure to be disastrous. The Marvel Loch is the most unsavoury mining concern that we have sniffed for some years.'

....It is probable we shall write the secret history of the Marvel Loch Company ere long. We will lay bare the greed of the promoters, the simplicity of the vendors, the folly and neglect of the first directorate, the cunning of Miss Newport, and the virtues and shortcomings of the present and past management. What a history of greed, cliquish, incompetence, fraud, and intrigue it will be. The Marvel Loch embezzlement case ended in fiasco with Miss Newport being discharged. The directors, especially Chairman Wilson, came out of this case very badly. He never put a penny into the venture but accepted 500 shares from Miss Newport as his price for becoming chairman. The mysterious shareholder Pelham was apparently concocted for the sole purpose of allowing Miss Newport and directors to pocket the profit on the shares if they rose, or to throw them back into the company if they fell. The directors are apparently a lot of curs and left Miss Newport to bear the brunt of the affair, and she did not know enough about book-keeping to straighten things up and credit Pelham with 1,500 shares which were purely mythical.'

The Story of Bullant McIntyre will be continued in the next edition of Crosswords.



Virtual Child Health Service

**Connect with a child health nurse and other parents
and carers online from a place that suits you.**

A FREE service for country WA families.

Early Parent Group

- For parents and carers of babies aged newborn to three months.
- Four one-hour sessions over four weeks – book into any session you choose.
- Meet others, share experiences and information on getting to know your baby, development and play, safety, sleep and settling.

Solid Start

- For parents and carers of babies aged three to six months.
- A one-hour session about when and how to introduce solid foods to your baby.

Let's Sleep

- For parents and carers of babies aged six to 12 months.
- A two-hour session about sleep patterns, bedtime tips and establishing good sleep routines.

Terrific Toddlers

- Two one-hour sessions for parents and carers of toddlers aged one to three years.
- Session one – behaviour and sleep.
- Session two – eating and teaching your child toileting skills.

Toilet Skills for Kindy

- A one-hour session for parents and carers of children aged 3-5 years.
- Overview of expected toilet skills for age and skills needed for independent toileting at school.
- Ideas to promote independence with toileting.
- Common road blocks and when to seek professional help.



**Scan the QR code
to book in for a
virtual group today**



ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS
EC 7509

Kevin Bartlett
0417 929 112

Email: keb7608@gmail.com

25+ years experience

Industrial, commercial,
residential
All electrical work



1/2 PRICE
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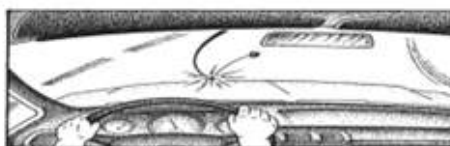


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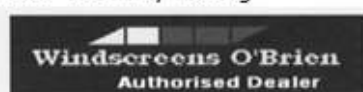
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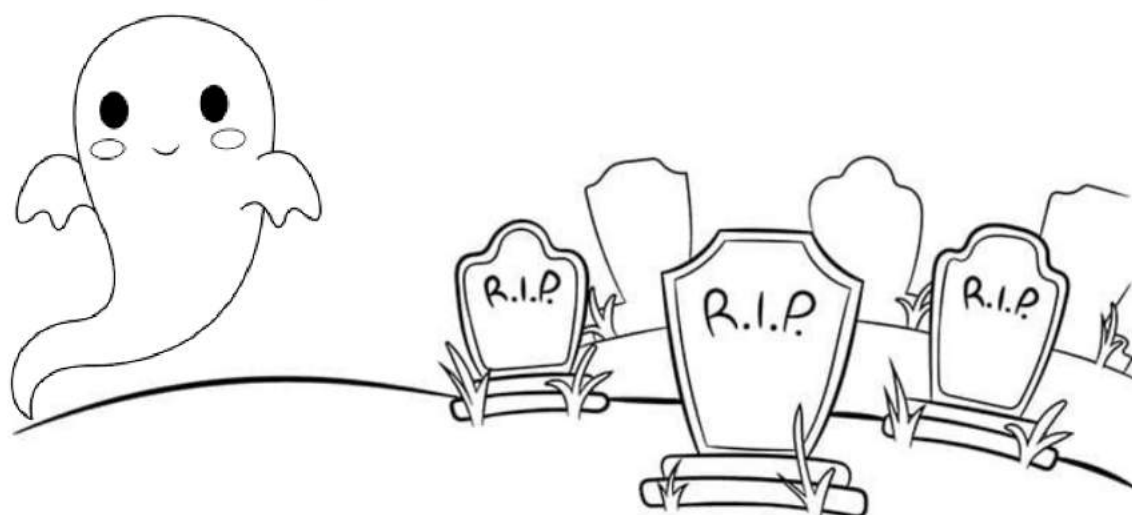
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- FRI 22 (TRIAL)

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- THU 18
- FRI 19 (TRIAL)

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- THU 16
- FRI 17 (TBA)

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- THU 6
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- FRI 11 (TBA)

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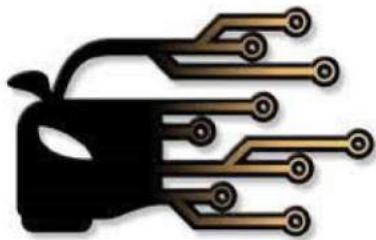


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Calendar of Events

Sat 24 Oct	Yilgarn Ladies Day
Sun 25 Oct	Community Mass @ Our Lady of Montserrat Church, 11am
Mon 26 Oct	Pat & Chat Mobile Vet in town
Mon 26 Oct	No Lego Club this afternoon at the CRC
Fri 30 Oct	Halloween Disco @ Complex Lounge - see poster for times
Tue 10 Nov	AGM: Yilgarn Bowls & Tennis Club Inc @ Bowls & Tennis Building, 6.30pm
Fri 27 Nov	Christmas in the Park— Yilgarn Community Christmas Tree, Stalls, Live Music, Facepainting, Santa @ Rotary Park from 5.00pm
Tue 1 Dec	Christmas Lights Competition Registrations close
Thu 10 Dec	Christmas Lights Judging Night
Fri 18 Dec	Kid's Christmas Craft morning @ CRC (more info to come!)

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| ✓ Southern Cross Gardening Club | | ✓ Netball |
| ✓ Southern Cross Hospital Auxiliary | | ✓ Shooting |
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Oct 23

Nov 13

Nov 27

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