

STURT PEA

SEPTEMBER

2020

**Did you know
Laverton Ambulance Service
Only has 4 Volunteers!?**



WE NEED YOU!!!

Volunteer Ambulance Officers and Comittee Members
are needed to keep this Sub Centre going

Contact Tanya: 0447 566 103

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SHIRE OF LAVERTON

Emergency Numbers

After hours GP Helpline

1800 022 222

Community Health

(08) 9031 1311

Crisis Care (free call)

1800 625 800

Department of Child Protection

(08) 9088 2900

Doctor's Surgery

(08) 9031 1093

One Tree Women's Crisis Centre

(08) 9031 1899

Police, Ambulance, Fire & Rescue

000 or 112 (mobile)

Health Direct

13 23 51

Hospital

(08) 9088 2600

Horizon Power

13 23 51

Police

(08) 9088 2777

Poisons Information

13 11 26

Royal Flying Doctor Service
(emergencies only)

1800 625 800

Water Corporation

13 13 75

Accommodation

Boomers Village

(08) 9031 1135

Desert Inn Hotel

(08) 9031 1188

Laverton Caravan Park

(08) 9031 1072

Laverton Chalet/Motel

(08) 9031 1130

Oasis Serviced Apartments

0488 613 830

Building Services & Construction

Rod Hill- Painter and Decorator

0407 079 074

Café/Fast Food/Pub

Desert Deli

0498 215 116

Great Beyond Visitor Centre

(08) 9031 1361

Desert Inn

(08) 9031 1188

Children's Services

Story & Rhyme Time

(08) 9031 1800

Youth Centre - Contact Shire of
Laverton

(08) 9031 1202

Earth Works

C&A Taylor Grading

0427 819 564

Desert Sands Cartage Contractors

(08) 9031 1326

Education

Cosmo Newberry School

(08) 9037 5943

Laverton Kindergarten

(08) 9031 1020

Laverton School

(08) 9031 1020

Mt Margaret School

(08) 9037 5959

Mulga Queen School

(08) 9031 3300

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AS Refrigeration

(08) 9031 1221

Powerchill

(08) 9031 1172

PWT Electricians

0438 444 962

Auto Electrical Repairs & Air
Conditioning

0408 092 332

Multiple Trades & Maintenance

9378 3395

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Leonora Funerals

0408 951 186

Freight

Laverton Freight Yard

0488 717 628

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0458745391

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0417 951 153

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(08) 9031 1645

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(08) 9037-5963

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Mobile Pest and Weed Control
(08) 9093 2809

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Laverton Post Office
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Laverton Race Club
0417 951 153

Laverton Sports Club Inc.
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Laverton Sporting Shooters Association
0418 935 518

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Fr Robert O'Bryan
0457980852

LA Outback Church
0497 642 260

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Laverton Auto Electrics -Mechanical
Repairs and Tyre Services-fully licensed
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0408 092 332

Shire of Laverton

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(08) 9031 1202

Great Beyond Visitor Centre
(08) 9031 1361

Laverton Community Resource Centre/
Library
(08) 9031 1800

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0419 925 371

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Laverton Outback Gallery
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Great Beyond Visitor Centre
(08) 9031 1361

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(08) 9037 5977

Bandya Station
(08) 9031 3727

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(08) 9037 5954

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(08) 9031 3954

Lake Wells Station
(08) 9037 5962

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(08) 9037 5998

Minara Station
(08) 9037 5966

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0438 188 769

Prenti Downs Station
(08) 9981 2111

0488 581 729

White Cliffs Station
(08) 9037 5950

Wonganoo Station
(08) 9037 5942

Yamarna Station
(08) 9037 5963

If you wish to add
your number to this
list, or you do not
wish to be listed,
please contact the
Laverton
Community Resource
Centre.

(08) 9031 1800
Laverton@ crc.net.au



Shire News

The Shire of Laverton would like to raise the following items that may be of interest to community members. For further information, please visit the Shire website at www.laverton.wa.gov.au or contact the CEO during office hours if the information you seek is not on the website.

Corona Virus (COVID-19)

Western Australia continue to be quite lucky and progressive in the fight against COVID-19. The State Government has deferred the introduction of Phase 5 until Saturday 24 October.

Up to date information on the COVID-19 Virus is available on the:

- Department of Health Website, health.wa.gov.au or call 1800 020 080; and
- WA Government Website, WA.gov.au

Regardless of the fact that Western Australia seems to be on top of the virus, it doesn't mean we can be complacent, and it is still very important to practice good **HEALTH AND HYGIENE**.

The best way to protect yourself and others against COVID-19 is to practice good hand and sneezing/cough hygiene, you should:

- Wash and sanitise your hands frequently
- Cover your nose and mouth with your elbow or paper tissue immediately and wash your hands
- Refrain from touching your mouth and nose
- If you develop a fever, cough or difficult breathing, contact your health provider – preferably by phone – and inform them of your symptoms
- Practice good food hygiene
- Practice social distancing

Great Beyond Visitor Centre Stage 2 Upgrade

The Great Beyond Visitor Centre, Explorer's Hall of Fame & Café has now closed its current premises for renovation and expansion works. The Visitor Centre & Café will operate from its "Pop-Up Shop" located at the Desert Inn Hotel, Augusta Street, Laverton. The Hall of Fame & Museum will remain closed until March 2021.

2020/21 Budget

The Shire's 2020/21 Budget was adopted at the Ordinary Meeting of Council on Thursday 23 July 2020. A copy of the Budget can be viewed in the Shire Office during office hours or on the website www.laverton.wa.gov.au.

Staff Updates

We would like to welcome Max Thompson who has joined our Town Services team.

Murray Tuhakarina, Leading Hand Town Services has resigned and returned to New Zealand along with his family.

Sean Wells, Engineering Technical Officer has resigned. Isaac Stout has filled the Engineering Technical Officer position.

Council Works and Services

Town Works Crew have been kept busy as usual with their daily activities, general routine maintenance, street pick up – debris and litter, mowing, airport routine inspections and reporting, repairing damage caused by vandalism.

Vandalism

- Repairing broken reticulation and damaged hand rail at the CRC
- Removing graffiti
- Repair bent and damaged goal posts at the Laverton Oval.

Strategic Community Plan

Laverton Community Workshop was held on Tuesday 25 August 2020 for the review of its Strategic Community Plan. The information received (including all comments submitted through the survey) is now being compiled and we will update the community on the developments.

Old Coach House

Work on the Coach House building is progressing well.

Next Ordinary Meeting of Council

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Thursday 17 September 2020 at 5:00pm in the Council Chambers of the Shire Administration Building. These meetings are open to all members of the public who wish to attend. Residents are reminded that they can view the forthcoming Agenda and past Minutes of meetings on the Shire website.

Peter Naylor

Chief Executive Officer



Laverton Community Resource Centre News- September 2020

Happy Fathers Day!
TO ALL THE FATHERS

Hello and welcome to the September edition of the Laverton Sturt Pea magazine.

What a busy month August was! The CRC held our 9th Annual Teddy Bears picnic on Wednesday 12 August to celebrate the easing of restrictions and recommencement of our weekly Better Beginnings Story and Rhyme Time Program - Details on pages 10-12

The CRC has commenced weekly Be Connected sessions from 10:00am-11:00am every Thursday for all seniors in Laverton. This program offers support in developing digital skills for beginners through to intermediate. We have 7 Ipads available for hire or use throughout the program and would love to see some of those friendly faces! More information on page 8.

With easing up of restrictions comes the recommencement of our Early Literacy Better Beginnings Story and Rhyme time program! Held every Wednesday Morning, 10:30am at the Laverton CRC for 0-5 year olds. Come along and enjoy a morning of rhymes, stories, dancing and crafts with your little ones! Details on page 9.

Seniors Morning Tea is also back! This month Seniors morning Tea will be held at 10:00am on September 24th at the Laverton Community Resource Centre. Details on page 9.

Compass Project Consultancy will be holding a Project Planning workshop at the Laverton CRC on Wednesday 14 September at 5:30pm. Please RSVP by Monday 7 September if you would like to attend. More details on page 7.

Have a lovely month and enjoy the read!

Jezaire Kelly

CRC Assistant, Laverton Community Resource Centre



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Alternatively the monthly magazine can be viewed online through the Shire of laverton website, www.laverton.wa.gov.au.

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COMPASS PROJECT CONSULTANCY

PROJECT PLANNING! – WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

FREE PROJECT PLANNING WORKSHOP

MONDAY 14 SEPTEMBER 2020

5:30PM

LAVERTON COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE

RSVP Monday 7 September, (08) 9031 1800 or laverton@crc.net.au



Seniors Be Connected Weekly Program

**Learning Computers does
not have to be scary...
We are here to help!**

Thursday's

10:00-11:00am

Laverton Community Resource Centre

**All Seniors are welcome, bring your own
device or use our new Ipad.**



Be Connected
Every Australian online.





Better Beginnings Story & Rhyme Time

Did You Know?
Our brains develop most rapidly during the first few years of life.

Did You Know?
Learning to read starts from BIRTH. You can help your baby learn important literacy skills by talking, singing, playing and reading to your baby.

**Better Beginnings Story
& Rhyme Time
Every Wednesday
10:30am @
The Laverton
Community Resource
Centre**

Did You Know?
Literacy is the ability to read, write, speak and listen. Literacy helps us communicate well with the people around us everyday.

Did You Know?
Attending programs like Story & Rhyme Time with your child can improve your child's chances of success in life.



Seniors morning tea

SENIORS MORNING TEA

THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER

TIME: 10:00AM

LOCATION: LAVERTON COMMUNITY
RESOURCE CENTRE

BINGO, TRIVIA, TEA AND COFFEE - HEAD ALONG TO OUR
SENIORS MORNING TEA FOR A WHOLE LOT OF FUN!
PRIZES TO BE WON!



Teddy Bears Picnic 2020

On Wednesday 12 August 2020, the Laverton Community Resource Centre celebrated our 9th Annual Teddy Bears picnic. Lots of fun was had by all who attended through face painting, rhymes, stories and even decorating our very own teddy bear biscuits!

We want to thank - Laverton School, for bringing all of our graduated story and rhyme time attendees along and dancing, singing and decorating with us! Goldfields Granny Smith Goldmine for Sponsoring our Teddy Bears this year and for sending Emily Allen and Claire Meacher to help assist throughout the morning, Laverton Police, Sergeant Jason Jenkins and Constable Russ Jafzewski for attending and being our guest readers for the day and lastly a big thank you to everyone that came along, we had an amazing turn out of 14 children and 9 parents / caregivers. We hope you had as much fun as we did!



GOLD FIELDS







Adopt a Cop!

What?!? No parents and guardians, this DOES NOT mean your children will be bringing home a police officer for you to take care of and feed.

I know everyone has probably heard enough of the 'C' word but let's be honest, it really has impacted so much of our lives in 2020.

The *Adopt a Cop* initiative commenced earlier this year but came to a grinding halt because of Coronavirus. Fortunately, since the commencement of term three at the school, we've been able to get back into it.

So, what is it and what's it all about?

I know for me, when I first started at Laverton in early February and having met many of the kids in Laverton, Mt Margaret and Cosmo Newberry, I would often ask the question, "What do you think police officers do?"

Here are examples of answers from kids as young as 5 through 17 years of age: "You put people in jail", "You lock the bad people up", "You get us if we're naughty", "You tell us off if we're bad". I find the answers they share fascinating and interestingly enough I often get very similar responses when I ask adults the same question. As police officers we do all these things, however, it is only a small part of our role.

There are three main areas of policing which are: 1) enforcing the law 2) preventing crime, and 3) managing and coordinating emergencies. Within all three areas our success comes down to how effectively we build and maintain relationships with those in the community and how effectively we communicate and share information. Moreover, in the area of preventing crime, the best way we do this is to implement strategies and work with other agencies and community members to help educate people on how to maintain personal safety and security.



This is where *Adopt a Cop* came into existence. There are two objectives to this initiative; first, to build strong relationships between the teaching staff and police so we can work together to better educate the youth within the community. Our goal is to help enable them to have more confidence, have the courage to speak up and say no to things like drugs, alcohol and sniff, as well as giving them the knowledge to maintain personal safety and be respectful of others. The second objective is to strengthen relationships between the youth and police, providing education on our support services. Police officers are people too. We have families and friends, our own personal interests and of course we have our own problems and challenges. It's important for the youth in the community to know this so we can be more relatable to them, whilst building stronger rapport.

Additionally, this initiative gives youth access to a greater network within the community that they feel comfortable to talk through their problems and challenges with. Young people need to feel safe and secure and we want them to know our role as police officers is to help protect them from harm and steer them away from getting into trouble.

With agreed commitment between Senior Sergeant Barnes and school Principal Diana Kirkland, police officers from the Laverton Police Station have been working with the teachers at Laverton and Cosmo Newberry Schools. You'll be seeing us a lot at school so when you do, don't hesitate to say hello. If you want to know which specific police officer is involved in your child's classroom be sure to ask the teacher or visit us at the police station.

Sergeant Jason Jenkins
Laverton Police Station



THE GREAT BEYOND

Visitor Centre News



POP UP VISITOR CENTRE

With the expansion of the Great Beyond Visitor set to commence in the coming weeks, the Great Beyond has set up a 'Pop-up Visitor Centre' in the old Front Bar of the Desert Inn Hotel. We would like to thank our customers for their patience and support during our move.

LAVERFEST

Due to recent COVID-19 restrictions, the Shire of Laverton sadly decided to postpone Laverfest until September 2021. Many other events in the Goldfields have been re-scheduled until September & October, conflicting with Laverfest. This gives us time to plan a bigger & better event!

SEPTEMBER LONG WEEKEND

Just a reminder that the Great Beyond's usual Public Holiday Trading hours will apply on the Queens Birthday long weekend,:

Saturday 26 Sept: 9am-1pm
Sunday 27 Sept: 9am-1pm
Monday 28 Sept: 9am-1pm

AUSTRALIA'S GOLDEN OUTBACK 2020 WILDFLOWER TRACKER

The Visitor Centre of Western Australia has launched an online platform that can show visitors where wildflowers are blooming across the state. If you have seen wildflowers around the Laverton region, why not share it with the rest of WA? Visit the online platform, complete the simple online form, and even upload a picture or two! Visit:

<https://www.wavisitorcentre.com.au/wildflowers>



Monday - Friday
9.00am - 4.30pm

Saturday - Sunday
9.00am - 1.00pm

P: 9031 1361

E: greatbeyond@laverton.wa.gov.au
Facebook: TheGreatBeyondLaverton

5 Augusta Street, Laverton, WA, 6440

The GREAT BEYOND

VISITOR CENTRE & EXPLORER'S HALL OF FAME



The Great Beyond Visitor Centre, Explorer's Hall of Fame & Cafe has now CLOSED its current premises for renovation and expansion works.

**THE HALL OF FAME & MUSEUM WILL REMAIN
CLOSED UNTIL MARCH 2020**

**The Visitor Centre & Cafe will operate from it's
Pop-Up Shop starting Thursday 27 August 2020
Find us at the Desert Inn, Augusta St, Laverton**

Contact our friendly staff to get all the information you need to travel the
Laverton & Northern Goldfields area!

THE GREAT BEYOND VISITOR CENTRE

Open 7 Days a week

Phone: (08) 9031 1361

Email: greatbeyond@laverton.wa.gov.au



Catholic Diocese of Geraldton W A

www.geraldtondiocese.org.au



A Message from the Catholic Parish of Church of the Resurrection, Laverton

Our next Mass will be Saturday the 26th September
commencing 6.00pm.

At our new premises in the Old Court House which borders
the Town Oval, in Craiggie Street Laverton.

My apologies for not being able to travel out in August as I was advised not to travel the long drive due to illness, I was able to reschedule my September commitments to allow a visit at the above date and time. I look forward to catching up with you all

The Catholic Parish of Laverton is linked to the Parish of Our Lady of Mt Carmel and there may be times, due to sickness or road conditions where I may not be able to celebrate the Eucharist so I ask that you please contact me at the on the details given below.

Kindest Regards in Christ Our Saviour

(Fr.) ***Robert O'Bryan***

Our Lady of Mt Carmel Parish Mullewa Linking with the parishes of St Joseph's Mingenew, St Finbar's Yalgoo, Church of the Holy Cross Morawa, St Joseph's Perenjori; Sacred Heart, Leonora; Church of the Resurrection, Laverton; St Francis of Assisi, (Christian Peace Centre), Leinster. For further details contact Fr Robert O'Bryan on 0457980852; Email: olmchurch@westnet.com.au

A colorful illustration of a market scene. In the foreground, there are two wooden stalls. The stall on the left has a thatched roof and is displaying various goods. The stall on the right has a green awning and is displaying several round loaves of bread. In the background, there are more stalls, a large blue tent, and a small building with a red roof. The sky is a mix of blue and green, suggesting a bright, sunny day. The overall style is a flat, modern illustration with bold colors.

Leonora Community Markets

Register by 17th September via phone on 9037 7521 or email leonora@crc.net.au

WHEN: *Saturday 19th September 2020*
10am - 1pm

WHERE: *Leonora CRC*

COST: *Free*

There will be hand washing stations available, separate entry/exit doors and marked 1.5m spacing.
Please remember the Covid-19 restrictions, which will be in place and need to be followed on the day.

CDP is back with projects on the move!

Our Wirrpanda teams have been busy behind the scenes as we prepare for the next Phase of Face-to-Face CDP Services across the Yaaliku Region!

We've been busy through the COVID period engaging with community, taking part in Clean-ups, School and Community Bus services, CDP Project Training with NESA (National Employment Services Agency) and welcomed new staff member Bianca to assist with community engagement across the Region.

The Leonora crew recently welcomed hydroponics experts from Kalgoorlie (Terry and Linda) to help bring their '**HYDROPONICS PROJECT**' back to life planting lettuce varieties, herbs, tomatoes and chillies to name a few to complement their growing garden of citrus trees!

The '**RIMQ Project**' (portable BBQ) project prototype by Activity Supervisor Garry is ready to go! The '**Creative Me Project**' with beautiful cultural artistry works by Angie involving painting, sewing, weaving and crocheting, along with '**Community Sewing Program**' using Aboriginal Print Fabrics evolving in Laverton with Thelma. '**Pallet Plants and Tyre Pots**' are about to commence across Wiluna and other areas coordinated by Jason, Al, Russel and Felicity. Additional projects include a '**Community Honey Bee Program**', '**Artistry/Screen Printing**' with '**Environmental/Ranger Programs**' and '**Mechanical Projects**' in the pipeline.

We can't wait to share the journey of working together with community, for community!

The Wirrpanda Foundation are currently offering Voluntary Face-to-Face services across the Region and look forward to updating community on the next Phase of Service Delivery from NIAA.

For more information on our CDP Projects please contact Elaine Stevens on 0477587643.

SMILES ALL ROUND WITH WIRRPANDA CDP ACTIVITY SUPERVISOR TEAM (LEONORA, LAVERTON, WILUNA, MENZIES, MT MARGARET



**LAVERTON ARTS PROJECTS –
Beautiful artistry with community
sewing, basket weaving, painting.**



**TYRE POTS PROJECT –
Bringing Arts and Design**

**Photo credit: Judy Crosson
(Pinterest)**



**PALLET PLANTS PROJECT –
Refurbing pallets into beautiful
planter boxes for community**

Photo Credit: Gardenurgreen.com



**LEONORA HYDROPONICS and GARDEN PROJECT
(AUGUST 2020)**



**PROTOTYPE OF RIMQ
PROJECT (AUGUST 2020)**



RESIDENTIAL LAND FOR SALE IN LAVERTON

DEVELOPED UNDER DEVELOPMENTWA'S REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (RDAP).

**RESIDENTIAL LOTS
AVAILABLE.**

**REGIONAL
LAND
BOOSTER**

A range of residential lots are available in Laverton, the western point on the famous 'Outback Way' into central Australia and home to the 'Great Beyond Explorers Hall of Fame'. The lots are located close to amenities, providing a great opportunity to be part of a thriving mining and tourism centre.

- 16 residential lots
- Lots range from 753sqm to 2,030sqm
- Serviced with sewer, overhead power and telephone
- All lots priced at \$10,000



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laverton](http://developmentwa.com.au/laverton)

RDAP REGIONAL
DEVELOPMENT
ASSISTANCE
PROGRAM
BUILDING REGIONAL COMMUNITIES



LAND FOR SALE

Lot	Address	Lot Area SQM	Price (Inc. GST)
519	2 Cumba Close	787	\$10,000
521	6 Cumba Close	753	\$10,000
523	10 Cumba Close	753	\$10,000
525	14 Cumba Close	1,213	\$10,000
534	4 Hann Way	753	\$10,000
535	6 Hann Way	753	\$10,000
537	10 Hann Way	753	\$10,000
538	12 Hann Way	2,030	\$10,000

Lot	Address	Lot Area SQM	Price (Inc. GST)
539	16 Hann Way	1,050	\$10,000
540	18 Hann Way	1,146	\$10,000
542	22 Hann Way	843	\$10,000
544	26 Hann Way	824	\$10,000
552	7 Hann Way	1,092	\$10,000
554	13 Hann Way	1,394	\$10,000
555	17 Hann Way	897	\$10,000
556	19 Barrett Street (Cnr Hann Way)	771	\$10,000

RDAP helps Local Governments to address the high costs associated with residential, industrial and commercial land developments in regional WA. Through these partnerships, DevelopmentWA, on behalf of the State Government, is helping to deliver the land needed to support regional growth and to build great communities.

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Camp Oven Cook-Off

**Laverton Sports Club
Saturday 19 September 2020**

**\$15 per plate
Judging and tasting at 7:00pm
Prizes to be won!**



**Competitors must be registered
by 14 September**

**Membership Renewals are due and can be
paid at the bar.**

**Reminder non-members need to be signed
in by a current member. Membership
applications are available at the bar.**

MANI-KU NINTI

MONEY TALK

Super money is a hot topic at the moment, and under Coronavirus it is easier to get out than normal.

But what is super??

It's like a way of forced saving when you are working where some of your wages goes into an account to use for when you are old. The more hours per week, the amount you get paid and the time you spend in the workforce all add up to how much money that you will have in your super account.

If for example you have been in paid fulltime employment for years (even if its in different jobs) you will have more money in your super account than someone who only works a few hours a week.

If you are on Centrelink or working in a CDP job then you are not paying into a super account unless you have arranged for some of your pension money to be paid into one. You can only get super money out if you have paid money into a fund in the first place.

You are able to easily access your super money at the moment, but the choices you make today can affect the options that you have in the future.

If you want to have a yarn about your Super or any other money problems you might have, please come and see me when I'm in town next.

Stay safe Tania and Sue

MONEY SMART - FINANCIAL COUNSELLING SERVICE

Completely FREE and CONFIDENTIAL we can help you with

BUDGETING, DEBT MANAGEMENT, TAXATION,
SUPERANNUATION, BANKING AND PROBLEM GAMBLING

We will be at the Laverton Community Resource Centre on
Tuesday 22nd through to Thursday 24th September

Financial Counselling in Laverton

From time to time most people have money worries and difficulties of some sort. Financial Counselling Centrecare can provide you with the practical assistance and support you may need.

If you have trouble managing your money or have unpaid bills or would like to get on top of your finances in any way a Financial Counsellor can help to sort through your bills, give suggestions to reduce your spending and better manage your money.

Maintaining your tenancy and paying your bills on time makes life less stressful.

A Financial Counsellor can also talk to the people you owe money to and advocate for a payment plan and to access entitlements.

Perhaps you can also apply for a No Interest Loan though NILS for a new washing machine, a fridge or other goods.

**Please contact Centrecare on
9080 0333 for any enquiries**

Call for Grant Applications

Minara Resources, supporting community projects

The Minara Community Foundation 2020 grant applications process is now open.

We invite local community groups and organisations to apply for funding by 5:00pm Friday 16 October 2020.

Consideration will be given to a wide range of projects to build community capacity in one or more of the following areas in the Shires of Laverton, Leonora and Menzies:

- Education, including training opportunities;
- Health and other social benefits;
- Economic development;
- Environment;
- Programs and initiatives for youth and future generations; and
- Culture and heritage, including the preservation of Indigenous culture.

Ideally, grant projects should commence by July 2021.

Grant applications of up to \$100,000 will be considered. Smaller projects are also encouraged to apply (e.g. less than \$10,000).



TO APPLY

read the *Grant Guidelines*
and complete the
Grant Application Form,
available at:

www.minara.com.au

CONTACT

Phone

Minara Community Foundation

c/o Minara Resources (08) 9212-8400

Email

mcf.minara@glencore.com.au

*We welcome the opportunity to discuss your
grant application, please contact us for
assistance*



Laverton Aboriginal Art Gallery

Managed by
LAVERTON CROSS CULTURAL ASSOCIATION INC.

Genuine Aboriginal Art

By Artists from Laverton and the Western Desert area

Come and see the outback through the eyes of local Aboriginal artists at Laverton Gallery. Each of the original artworks is unique and tells the stories of this beautiful country.

➤ **Eftpos facilities**

➤ **Secure payments**



The Laverton Gallery was established to display, promote and sell authentic Aboriginal art on behalf of artists from Laverton & the Western Desert.

Email: admin@lcca.org.au |

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Hon Robin Scott MLC

Member for Mining and Pastoral Region

I am the VOICE for YOUR thoughts!



For those of you that don't know me I am Hon Robin Scott MLC. I was sworn in on 22 May 2017 as a Member of the Legislative Council of Western Australia, representing Mining and Pastoral Region for Pauline Hanson's One Nation.

I would like to start by saying for the past thirty years I have been interested in politics, and just like you I have been forced to vote at every election for the best of a bad bunch. Being a father of two and grandfather of six it motivated me to maximize my contribution as a parliamentarian. I'm here for the people of my electorate not the people of the house. I am here help repair our political system, defend our Australian way of life and maximize opportunities for fellow West Australians. The major parties have condoned the deterioration of our manufacturing industries and are slowly strangling our mining, agriculture and pastoral industries. We have every natural resource the world wants and we still can't eliminate poverty in Australia, due to poor management by politicians."

✓ Achievements

- ✓ **Blocked - The State Government's proposal to raise the gold royalty** - In 2017 I was Successful with the Disallowance Motion which defeated the Government's attempt to increase the Gold Royalty by 50%. Which I think is an absolutely fantastic win. I am determined to protect and promote mining and lead the defence against water charges for prospectors and small miners.
- ✓ **Granted - License for an MRI Machine in Kalgoorlie-Boulder** -Alongside Senator Georgiou we secured the Medicare license for the MRI machine in June 2018 after leading a strong advocacy campaign alongside WA One Nation. Although our town is still waiting for the MRI Machine i reassure you that I will continue to ask the question and update my electorate as to when we can expect it to be operating.
- ✓ **Granted - Funding for Palliative Care** - I accomplished a desired result with obtaining a multi-million-dollar funding injection for Palliative care in regional WA. I was disappointed to hear that the government had again let our people down with in the health department and knew that people deserved to die with dignity.
- ✓ **Blocked Removal of Education components with School of the air** - I won the fight with members of the cross bench when the state government proposed that they wanted to remove critical education components with School.

My To Do List

- Advocating the PHON plan to subsidise apprenticeships by 75% in the first year, 50% in the second year and 25% in the third year.
- **Investigate unfair Native Title Claims**
- **Create Suitable accommodation in regional towns for remote community visitors.**
- Continue to follow up on the current status of the MRI machine for the Kalgoorlie Health Campus.
- Bring Royalties for Regions back to Regional WA.
- **Continue to monitor the age care facility in Leonora.**
- Monitor the Upgrade of the Laverton Hospital.

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One Pot Swedish Meatball Pasta

Ingredients

Serves 4

- 455g Ground beef
- 1/2 Cup seasoned breadcrumbs (55g)
- 1/2 Onion, Finely minced
- 1 Egg
- 1 Tablespoon salt divided, or to taste
- 1 Tablespoon pepper, divided
- 2 Tablespoons canola oil
- 2 Cups beef broth (480ml)
- 2 Cups Milk (480ml)
- 1 Tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
- 4 Cups egg noodles (400g)
- 1 Cup shredded parmesan cheese (110g)
- 1/2 Cup fresh parsley (15g), chopped



Preparation

1. In a large bowl, combine the ground beef, breadcrumbs, onion, egg, 1/2 tablespoon salt and 1/2 tablespoon pepper, mixing until evenly combined.
2. Heat the canola oil in a pot over medium-high heat. Take about a golf ball size of the meatball mixture and roll it into balls. Place the meatballs into the pot, cooking for one minute. Flip the meatballs.
3. Add the beef broth, milk, remaining salt and pepper and Worcestershire sauce and give it a stir.
4. Bring the liquid to a boil, then add the egg noodles. Stir constantly until the pasta is cooked and the liquid has reduced to a sauce that coats the noodles, about seven to eight minutes.
5. Add the Parmesan and the parsley, stirring until the cheese is melted.

<https://tasty.co/recipe/one-pot-swedish-meatball-pasta>

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Cockroaches can live for weeks without their heads. Their severed head can survive for hours - longer if it is refrigerated.

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97% of the earth's water is undrinkable

Arachibutyrophobia is the fear of peanut butter sticking to the roof of your mouth.

<https://www.thefactsite.com/100-strange-but-true-facts>

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LAVERTON HIP HOP PROGRAM

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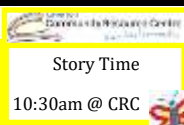

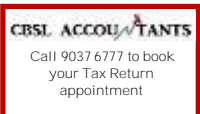


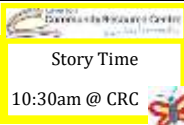





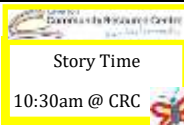


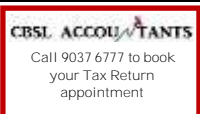



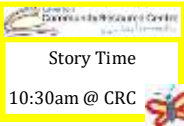








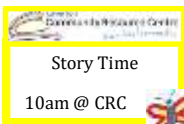
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Brians family thank you very much for all of
your help and support throughout this time

Laverton Events Calendar

September

Date	Event	Details
Tuesday 1 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Wednesday 2 September	Story & Rhyme Time	Laverton CRC- Children 0-5 years- 10:30am
Wednesday 2 September	Laverton LDAG Hip Hop (boys)	Laverton School - Years 3-12 - 4:15am to 7:00pm
Wednesday 2 September	Kungka Group	One Tree- 3:00pm- 5:00pm
Wednesday 2 September	Darts Competition	Laverton Sports Club - 6:30pm - \$5.00 per player
Thursday 3 September	Be-connected program	Laverton CRC- Seniors - 10:00am-11:00am
Thursday 3 September	Womens Group	One Tree - Women - 11:30am
Thursday 3 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Thursday 3 September	Darts Competition	Laverton Sports Club - 6:30pm - \$5.00 per player
Sunday 6 September	Men's Shed	Men's Shed - 9:00am
Tuesday 8 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Wednesday 9 September	International Literacy Day	Laverton CRC - Children 0-5 years- 10:30am
Wednesday 9 September	Laverton LDAG Hip Hop (boys)	Laverton School - Years 3-12 - 4:15am to 7:00pm
Thursday 10 September	Be-connected program	Laverton CRC - Seniors- 10:00am -11:00am
Thursday 10 September	Womens Group	One Tree - Women- 11:30am
Thursday 10 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Thursday 10 September	Darts Competition	Laverton Sports Club - 6:30pm - \$5.00 per player
Sunday 13 September	Men's Shed	Men's Shed - 9:00am
Monday 14 September	Project Planning Workshop	Laverton CRC - Free Workshop- 5:30pm
Tuesday 15 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Wednesday 16 September	Story & Rhyme Time	Laverton CRC- Children 0-5 years- 10:30am
Wednesday 16 September	Kungka Group	One Tree- 3:00pm- 5:00pm
Wednesday 16 September	Laverton LDAG Hip Hop (boys)	Laverton School - Years 3-12 - 4:15am to 7:00pm
Thursday 17 September	Be-connected program	Laverton CRC- Seniors - 10:00am-11:00am
Thursday 17 September	Womens Group	One Tree - Women- 11:30am
Thursday 17 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Thursday 17 September	Ordinary Meeting of Council	Laverton Shire Council Chambers—5:00pm
Thursday 17 September	Darts Competition	Laverton Sports Club - 6:30pm - \$5.00 per player
Saturday 19 September	Camp oven cook-off	Laverton Sports Club— 7:00pm \$15 per plate
Sunday 20 September	Men's Shed	Men's Shed- 9:00am
Tuesday 22 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Tuesday 22 September	Be-connected program	Laverton CRC - Community- 10:00am-11:00am
Wednesday 23 September	Story & Rhyme Time	Laverton CRC - Children 0-5 years- 10:30am
Wednesday 23 September	Graphic Innovation Workshop	Laverton CRC - further details coming
Wednesday 23 September	Laverton LDAG Hip Hop (boys)	Laverton School - Years 3-12 - 4:15am to 7:00pm
Thursday 24 September	Seniors Morning Tea	Laverton CRC - 10:00am
Thursday 24 September	Womens Group	One Tree - Women- 11:30am
Thursday 24 September	Nightfields Sports	Laverton Oval - Years 3 -12 - 3:00pm to 4:00pm
Thursday 24 September	Darts Competition	Laverton Sports Club - 6:30pm - \$5.00 per player
Sunday 27 September	Men's Shed	Men's Shed - 9:00am
Monday 28 September	Public Holiday/School Holidays	Public Holiday/School Holidays
Tuesday 29 September	Be-connected program	Laverton CRC - Community - 10:00am-11:00am
Wednesday 30 September	Kungka Group	One Tree- 3:00pm- 5:00pm
Wednesday 30 September	Story & Rhyme Time	Laverton CRC - Children 0-5 years- 10:30am
Wednesday 30 September	Laverton LDAG Hip Hop (boys)	Laverton School - Years 3-12 - 4:15am to 7:00pm

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
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		 <p>Story Time 10:30am @ CRC</p>	 <p>DARTS! 6:30PM</p>	 <p>CBSL ACCOUNTANTS Call 9037 6777 to book your Tax Return appointment</p>		 <p>Mens Shed 9:00am</p> 
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
 <p>PROJECT PLANNING WORKSHOP 5:30pm @ CRC</p>		 <p>Story Time 10:30am @ CRC</p>	 <p>DARTS! 6:30PM</p>  <p>SHIRE COUNCIL MEETING 5:00PM</p>	 <p>CBSL ACCOUNTANTS Call 9037 6777 to book your Tax Return appointment</p>	<p>Camp oven cook-off!</p> <p>Judging and tasting— 7:00pm</p> 	 <p>Mens Shed 9:00am</p>
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	 <p>MANI-KU NINTI Financial Councillor Tanya Robinson</p>	 <p>Story Time 10:30am @ CRC</p>  <p>MANI-KU NINTI Financial Councillor Tanya Robinson</p>	 <p>DARTS! 6:30PM</p>  <p>MANI-KU NINTI Financial Councillor Tanya Robinson</p>  <p>Seniors Morning Tea 10am @ the CRC</p>	 <p>CBSL ACCOUNTANTS Call 9037 6777 to book your Tax Return appointment</p>	 <p>Church 6:00pm</p>	 <p>Mens Shed 9:00am</p>
28	29	30				
 <p>Queens Birthday Long Weekend</p>		 <p>Story Time 10am @ CRC</p>				