

APRIL 2025

Community Celebration Day

On Saturday 15 March the Shire hosted a successful Community Celebration Day at the Dalwallinu Recreation Centre.

The Shire were able to host this function with assistance from grant funding from the Australian Government in partnership with the Foundation for Rural and Regional Renewal. A very worthwhile endeavour which was a hit with the locals.

Gates opened from 4pm with children's activities until 8pm. There were numerous bouncy castles and slides, facepainting, oversize tennis and miniature bouncy animals. There was something for everyone and it was all provided free.

The bar was open from 5pm and live music was performed from 7pm until 10 by Ricky Green.

The shire staff were on hand to prepare and cook the burgers, hot dogs, chicken rolls, sausage rolls and pies, all of which was provided free.



ANZAC Day 2025 Dawn Service & Gunfire Breakfast



ANZAC Day is a National Day of Remembrance in Australia and New Zealand.

It is celebrated on 25 April every year by both countries.

It is to honour the members of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps (ANZAC's) who fought at Gallipoli in the Ottoman Empire during World War I.

It now celebrates all those who served and died in military operations for their countries.

The Shire warmly invites you to congregate and honour these servicemen and women at the Dawn Service in Memorial Park.

Friday 25th April 2025
From 6:00am

Lest we forget

Memorial Park, Johnston St, Dalwallinu

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CEO Chit Chat

Thank you to the Community for coming along and enjoying the free food and entertainment provided by the Shire and partially funded by FRRR. The day was a great success, and we hope to continue with this every couple of years. A very big thank you to the Shire staff that assisted on the day. Without your help this event would not have gone off so smoothly.

The long-awaited release of both the residential and industrial subdivisions undertaken by DevelopmentWA were released for sale on 2 April 2025. These lots will sell quickly so if you are interested, please contact Brad King at Harcourt Nutrien.

We are pleased to advise that Christie Andrews is now a qualified Infant Swim Teacher. We look forward to holding Infant Swim Classes next pool season. Keep an eye out on our Social Media for further information on these classes along with the Aquafit program.

I will be attending Moora Courthouse next week to be sworn in as a Justice of the Peace. If you require any documents to be witnessed, please do not hesitate to call into the Shire Admin Centre.

This month we will be having our Council Meeting in Kalannie and it will be followed by the Annual Community Meeting. We look forward to Kalannie residents and ratepayers joining us.

At our April Toolbox meeting we will be acknowledging some employees for their service to the Shire:

- Dave Hughes
25 years in January 2025
- Steve Brindley
5 years in March 2025
- Greg Rodan
35 years in May 2025
- Tyran Herron
10 years in June 2025.

Congratulations to these employees on achieving these milestones.



CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, Jean Knight

Not too much to report this month as I had a short break to go to Victoria to see my grandson.

Just a reminder to the community to follow the Shire of Dalwallinu Facebook page.

We do advertise on our website and in the TL and Kapers, however the easiest way to follow any news from the Shire is to follow our page.

Remember we now have a weather widget on our website. Follow this link to view it.
<https://www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au/>



For your current local fire danger rating and more information, visit [emergency.wa.gov.au](https://www.emergency.wa.gov.au)



KALANNIE COMMUNITY MEETING

Tuesday 22 April 2025

5:00pm

Kalannie Sport & Recreation Club

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A Word from the Shire President

Student Immersion Program

In March the Shire and community hosted a group of medical students to our area.

This is a program that gives the students a short experience of country living. Of the 17 students only one had a country background so this program serves a very important role. If just one student is encouraged to work in the country our efforts will be rewarded.

The 3 days wouldn't happen without a big effort from shire staff and community members. The organisation mostly falls on EA Deb Whitehead's desk and now in our third year, this is running very smoothly. A big thank you to Deb.

The students are billeted out with families around Dalwallinu and a huge thank you to all those families who volunteered to provide accommodation.

Once again I must thank Gary Butcher for driving the bus to all points of the Shire. Gary does a great job and keeps the students alert by asking questions about places visited to check they are paying attention.

This year we had our final evening and farewell at the Dalwallinu Sports Club. It went very well. Despite

the heavy rainfall Marc, Julie, Lucas and Steven cooked a great barbecue. Also thanks to Hanna, Deb, and Kiera for getting the meal ready and Megan for the beautiful scones and dessert over the 3 days.

Also thank you to Jeff Cream behind the bar, the Dally Bowls Club for the use of their facility and Nutrien Ag for donating some of the drinks on the evening. The students had a great time.

Community Celebration day

The community celebration on Saturday 15th was well attended and everyone having an enjoyable time at Recreation centre. Fortunately the weather was not too hot.

In the evening the bar was open and entertainment was provided by Ricky Green singing and playing the guitar. He had a wide variety of songs and was well appreciated.

Well done Jean, Angella, Christie, Hanna, and Sheree in the kitchen. The burgers were terrific. Also thanks to Marc and Julie for keeping people hydrated serving at the bar.

Roadworks

Thanks to MWS Marc and his crew for coming up with a solution for the intersection of Wubin East road and Great Northern Highway. This

To the Community of Dalwallinu for turning out to celebrate and enjoy the Community Day hosted by the Shire. It was great to see the many happy faces enjoying a wonderful day with something for everyone.

Also to the Shire staff who were in attendance serving the Community to keep them fed and hydrated. Great job by everyone.



Cr Keith Carter, SHIRE PRESIDENT

has been a traffic hazard for many years and getting worse as trucks get longer. It was particularly bad during the grain harvest period. Hopefully this will be a success.

Also Cousins Rd looks great and the recent thunderstorm tested out the new drainage here and on Leahy St.

Richardson Park

Congratulations to Holly and the Dalwallinu CWA ladies on the opening of the new shade structure in Richardson Park. It looks great and should get lots of use in the summer months providing shade and shelter in winter if wet or windy.



Ordinary Council Meeting
22 April 2025

Kalannie Sporting
& Recreation Club Inc.
24 Stanley St, Kalannie
Commencing at 4pm

Members of the public
are welcome to attend

Thumbs Up



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Public Notices



The Shire of Dalwallinu
invites
community members to the commemoration of

ANZAC Day

on

Friday 25 April 2025

at the

ANZAC Day Dawn Service

6.00am

Memorial Park, Johnston Street

followed by

Gunfire Breakfast

provided by Shire of Dalwallinu





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EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

INDEPENDENT MEMBERS (2) FOR AUDIT, RISK AND IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

The Shire of Dalwallinu invites expression of interest for experienced professionals to join its Audit, Risk and Improvement Committee as Independent Members, in the positions of Presiding Member and Deputy Presiding Member. This committee supports the Shire in fulfilling its responsibilities for oversight in areas such as internal and external audits, financial reporting and risk management in compliance with the Local Government Act 1995 and associated regulations.

Successful candidate will need to have demonstrated understanding and experience in Financial Management and need to have strong leadership skills to guide committee discussions.

The Audit, Risk and Improvement Committee meets at least three (3) times per year. The role includes remuneration aligned by the Salaries and Allowances Tribunal for band 3 local governments and determined as per the Shire's annual budget. Reimbursement is available of expenses for travel and training if applicable.

For any other information regarding the position please contact Mrs Hanna Jolly, Manager Corporate Services on 9661 0500.

Applications, including a current resume and a statement of interest, should be sent to Mrs Jean Knight, Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Dalwallinu, PO Box 141, Dalwallinu, WA 6609 or by email ceo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au marked "Private and Confidential – Independent Members for Audit, Risk and Improvement Committee" by 4.00pm, Thursday 24 April 2025.

Jean Knight
Chief Executive Officer

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Community Celebration Day



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Student Immersion Program 2025

This year we had 17 students visit the Dalwallinu Shire as part of the joint venture with Shire of Dalwallinu, Rural Health West and Curtin University. This is the third year the Shire has participated in the program and from all reports the students appear to be gaining the exposure that the program is aimed at.

We had a total of 3 students this year we said they would definitely be considering a rural placement when they completed their studies. If only one student per year took the opportunity to live and work in a rural or remote area then this program would be a success.

We appreciate the way the students and their support team wholeheartedly threw themselves into the community. This year we aimed to finish our week with a game of bowls and a bbq dinner at the Bowling Club.

Unfortunately the weather did not cooperate as the heavens opened up just as the people were arriving at the club. The bbq proceeded (albeit with the cooks hanging out the window from inside the building) and the evening was a great finish to a successful week.



We would like to thank all the host families this year, Ben & Kirsten Strickland, Irene Mills, Gary & Kerry Butcher, Jane & Harry Hyde, Tash & Aaron Mills, Di & Jeff Cream, Heidi & Geln Carlshausen, Jude & Alan Barnes, Abbie & Will Roach and Emma & Brad mclloy. Without the host families this venture would not be possible.

We also would like to acknowledge the support of our businesses who so very kindly host our students to educate them on the merits of country life, Shermac, Liebe Group, Dalwallinu Hospital, Dr Femi, Badamia Bandi Barma, Wubin Wheatbin Museum, St John Ambulance, Dalwallinu Fire Brigade, Wendy and Rob Sawyer, Nutrien Ag and Dalwallinu District High School.



Our Shire staff also contribute to this venture and thank you to Jean, Deb, Kiera, Hanna, Megan and Marc. A thank you to Keith, Steven, Jules & Lucas who also assisted at the Thank You dinner.



We would like to thank Gary and Kerry Butcher and Nutrien Ag for their kind financial donations towards this program and to thank our very exceptional driver volunteer Gary Butcher. He not only drives our students for the four days, he educates them on all things 'country'. We look forward to another successful year in 2026. If you think you would be interested in becoming a 'host family' please contact Deb at the Shire on ea@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

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Student Immersion Program - The Host's Perspective

This year we asked both the students and the host families to give us a few lines about their experiences with the Student Immersion Program. Here are some of the extracts from the host families.

Aaron & Tash Mills - We had the opportunity of hosting another Medical Student this year. Our young Dr was very enthusiastic, polite and asked many questions about rural living. It's a good opportunity to connect with future doctors and getting them to connect with rural life. Hopefully we can inspire them to give back in some way to rural communities.

Abbie & Will Roach - It was a privilege to be able to host Nouvelle and Gubek as part of the recent Rural Immersion Program. We learnt about the processes involved in studying to be a Doctor, and enjoyed showing off the many attractions of life in Dalwallinu. A fantastic initiative to get Doctors to the country.

Di & Jeff Cream - Jeff and I had the privilege of hosting another wonderful student. Once again, our student was very interested in what our town had to offer. She was very keen in working in the country.

Gary & Kerry Butcher - Hosting the student doctors reminds us of the qualities of our chosen lifestyle and the value we place on belonging to our community. One day in the future it would be great if the value country communities have given these students will result in more rural GP placements.

Heidi & Geln Carlshausen - We decided to host students this year as we wanted to give them the opportunity to see our town and give an insight to rural living. I was impressed by the students eagerness to learn what/how/why we do things, and the dedication to their learning. Seeing our town through their eyes reminded me how lucky we are to live here.

Irene Mills - I believe the impact of hosting medical students is a sharing life experiences for us both with a vision for the future. As always, having a young positive and enthusiastic student is a rewarding experience, rural life, medicine, technology, and agriculture, the differences, and the sameness, together with living in the country v's metro, with the added advantage of being able to see the stars at night twinkling brightly. A rewarding experience for us both, I would encourage others to volunteer as a host family, you never regret it.

Jude & Alan Barnes - My husband and I were happy to host two young Medical Students. The young men were enthusiastic and grateful for the opportunity. Rural areas need medical staff. So It is important to step up and help showcase our town. The event helps remind us of our strengths as a connected community.

This is from a student's perspective.

Wai Tsun Chan - Sirens, buses, and motor bikes. These are my alarms every morning when I lived in Perth. But during my stay in Dalwallinu, I have the delight of having white cockatoos greet me every morning. The chirps of cockatoos have made me appreciate the beauty of nature and I felt more in tune with the sounds, smell, and sight of nature. As a parting gift, Dalwallinu revealed the starry night sky filled with stars despite the stormy day. I am so blessed.

A warm loving hug. That is what I would describe Dalwallinu. The kindness, openness and love I felt from everyone I met was overwhelming during my short stay in Dally. The care for each other in the small community and visitors is indescribable. Dalwallinu have shown me humanity that I haven't seen in years. Dalwallinu have healed my social and emotional scars. I hope one day I can come back as a doctor to care, love, and heal the people of Dally as Dally have done for me this trip. - Wai Tsun Chan Thank you again for the amazing week. I have learnt so much and felt so much love.



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Citizenship Ceremony - Tuesday 25 March 2025

On Tuesday 25 March we held our second Citizenship Ceremony for 2025. The ceremony was held at the DDC and the room looked very festive with Australian flags flying everywhere. It is lovely to witness whole families taking their pledges together. In attendance were Cr Jemma Counsel, Cr Di Cream, Cr Shannon Dawson, Mr Graham Sanderson (Freeman of the Shire) and his wife Joy, families and friends of the new citizens and staff of the Shire. After the pledges Mr Esterey Apit and Mrs Ellainenor Ofiaza said a few emotional words before Shire President Keith Carter concluded the ceremony. The ceremony was followed by a very Australian afternoon tea of pies and meringues.



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SHIRE OF DALWALLINU RFT2425-09 – PROVISION OF WASTE & REFUSE DISPOSAL SERVICES

The Shire of Dalwallinu is seeking an experienced Contractor to provide Waste & Refuse Disposal Services to the Shire of Dalwallinu for a five (5) year period.

All requests for tender documentation can be directed to Jean Knight on 9661 0500 via email ceo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

All tenders must be received prior to the tender deadline, contained in a sealed envelope, clearly marked with the tender number and tender name and lodged in the tender box situated in the office of Shire of Dalwallinu, 58 Johnston Street, Dalwallinu WA 6609, by post to PO Box 141 Dalwallinu 6609 or emailed to tenders@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

Tenders close at 2pm, Wednesday 16 April 2025.

Jean Knight
Chief Executive Officer



Thumbs Down



To the vandals who decided it was a good idea to uproot the jacaranda tree, break up the branches and scatter all over the skate park over the weekend of the 8 & 9 March.

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EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

LEASE OF KALANNIE CARAVAN PARK

Council is seeking expressions of interest for the lease of, and the day-to-day management of the Kalannie Caravan Park for a period of three (3) years, from 15 May 2025, with an option to renew for a further three (3) years subject to Council approval.

Further information specifying the lease is available from the Shire Office on 08 9661 0500 or email ceo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

No offer necessarily accepted.

Offers in writing will be accepted until **2pm, Wednesday 16 April 2025** and should be sent to:

Expression of Interest – Lease of Kalannie Caravan Park

Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Dalwallinu
PO Box 141
DALWALLINU WA 6609

Or

Email: tenders@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au



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Visit Emergency WA
<https://www.emergency.wa.gov.au>



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OFFERS INVITED LOTS 744 – 752 STRICKLAND DRIVE

RESIDENTIAL LAND FOR SALE IN DALWALLINU

Located in the Wheatbelt, two and a half hours north-east of Perth, Dalwallinu is the first shire along the Wildflower Way, a route that stretches north of Geraldton and showcases spectacular wildflower displays in Spring.

The residential lots are bound by Strickland Drive and Gamenya Place, close to the centre of town, close to eateries, shops and community/recreational services. Don't miss your opportunity to secure your house-ready site and build your dream home.



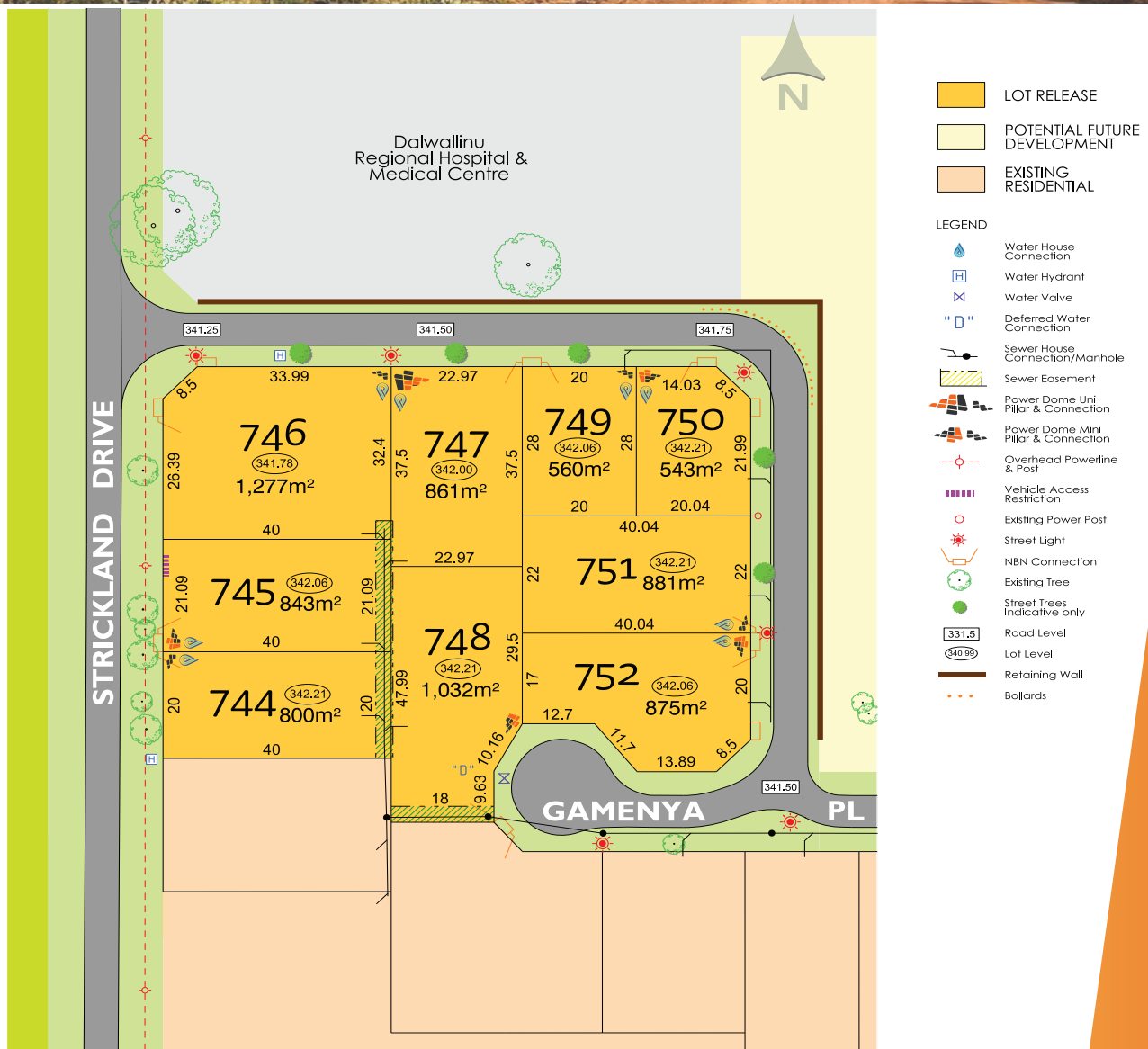
OFFERS CLOSE: 2PM (WST)
WEDNESDAY 30 APRIL 2025.



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- Lot sizes range from 543sqm to 1,277sqm
- Fully serviced lots with power, water, sewer, and NBN conduit supplied to each lot boundary
- Lots titled and ready for development

Offers are invited for the 9 new residential lots.

All offers must be submitted by 2pm (WST)
Wednesday 30 April 2025.

Nutrien Harcourts WA - Brad King 0429 911 504
brad.king@nutrien.com.au

developmentwa.com.au/dalwallinu

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OFFERS ARE INVITED FOR INDUSTRIAL LOTS 821 TO 823, 829, 830, 835, 836 AND 842 YORK STREET IN THE DALWALLINU GENERAL INDUSTRIAL AREA.

INDUSTRIAL LAND FOR SALE IN DALWALLINU

These exciting opportunities are located adjacent to the Great Northern Highway, and are zoned to allow various General Industrial uses.

Located close to amenities, they provide a great opportunity to set up a business in this thriving community.

OFFERS CLOSE: 2PM (WST)
WEDNESDAY 30 APRIL 2025.



Industrial Lands Authority

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- Lots range in size from 4,684sqm to 11,763sqm
- Fully serviced lots
- Titles anticipated May 2025

Offers are invited for the 8 new industrial lots.

All offers must be submitted by 2pm (WST)
Wednesday 30 April 2025.

Nutrien Harcourts WA - Brad King 0429 911 504
brad.king@nutrien.com.au

developmentwa.com.au/dalwallinu-industrial

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Department of Transport Licensing Hours

Monday to Friday from 8.30am to 4.00pm

The Shire of Dalwallinu offer licensing facilities on behalf of the Department of Transport. The licensing hours are set by the Department of Transport.

Please ensure you attend the offices early and allow adequate time for processing of your paperwork as the Department of Transport Licensing computers close at 4pm.

Shire staff do not have access after that time to Licensing computers.

If you wish to contact the Department of Licensing their number is **13 11 56** and their website is <https://www.transport.wa.gov.au/licensing/licensing.asp>



Containers for Change Location



The Containers for Change collection point is at the Dalwallinu Recreation Centre (near old tennis courts).

VACANT LAND FOR SALE

INDUSTRIAL - LOTS 1001 DEACON STREET & LOT 1002 ROBERTS RD - (2,600M2) - \$165,000

COMMERCIAL - LOTS 12-14 MCNEILL ST - (1,012M2) - \$132,000

Contact Us:
Shire of Dalwallinu
ceo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au



Electronic Noticeboard



The Electronic Community Noticeboard provides an avenue for local community/sporting groups and not-for-profit organisations to promote their events and activities.

The Guidelines have been established to ensure consistent quality, tone and professional standards are maintained.

Guidelines and application form are available on the Shire website.



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Youth Advisory Council - Movie Night

The Youth Advisory Council (YAC) hosted an outdoor movie night for our local year 7-12 students watching Despicable Me 4.

The Shire provided the equipment along with the ingredients for our YAC to make and hand out fresh popcorn straight to the audience.

The YAC group came together planned the night, handed out flyers at the school, brought and set up all of the movie equipment. Students from the school came around with their picnic rugs, blankets, favourite snacks and friends to enjoy the movie!

With the turn out we got we are hoping to make this a more regular event which will be open to more students and their families.



Library News

The Dalwallinu Public Library is excited to show you that we have two new and exciting feature sections to check out! This will change every month or every second month, so keep an eye out for what will be featured next. These feature sections are to show our readers what different and interesting content we have available here at our public library.

This month we have “Read A Good Movie Lately?” which is a selection of great books that have been turned into a movie. This is a great way to compare what some incredible authors wrote and how the movie world turned the words written into something visual to enjoy. Did you know that some of the best and most well-known movies have come from a book?

The second feature section that we have for this month is “Dying For A Mystery”. This shows some of the best crime and mystery novels. If you love a good page turner, suspense packed and thrilling book then this is the section for you to check out!



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Building & Planning Assistance - Retaining Walls

What are Retaining Walls?

A retaining wall is a wall or structure that is designed and constructed to support soil at a slope that cannot naturally be supported. Each landowner has an obligation to retain soil where alteration to ground levels occur on or near their property.

Adjoining owners who have both undertaken earthworks should negotiate a proportional based agreement when retaining walls are required along a common boundary.

Do Retaining Walls require Development Approval (Planning Approval)?
Development approval *is not required for retaining walls and/or site works if it complies with the following height and setback requirements:*

Height of site works and/or retaining walls	Required minimum setback
0.5m or less	0m
1m	1m
1.5m	1.5m
2m	2m
2.5m	2.5m
3m	3m

How long does the Development Application process take?

The Shire has 60 days in which to determine the application as stipulated in the Planning and Development (Local Planning Scheme) Regulations 2015. However, applications such as retaining walls normally have a quicker turn-around time.

Do I need a Building Permit from the Shire to construct retaining walls?

A Building Permit *is required to be obtained from the Shire of Dalwallinu where any retaining exceeds 0.5m in height.* Construction across property boundaries is permitted only with written agreement from all affected neighbours.

Maintaining Retaining Walls

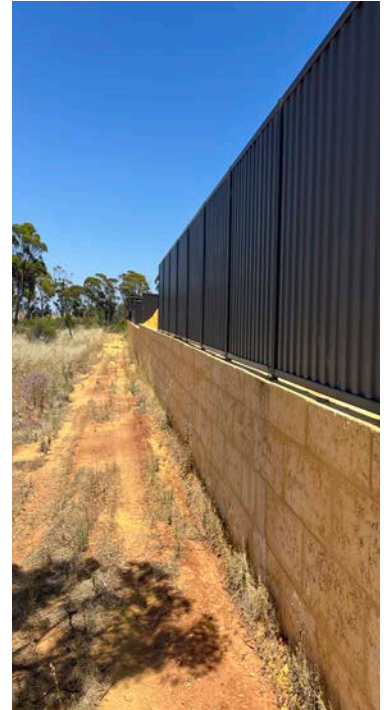
Owners are responsible for ensuring their retaining walls remain structurally sound. Should the Shire deem a retaining wall structurally inadequate, the owner must engage a practicing structural engineer to assess the situation.

Based on this assessment, the engineer will determine the necessary actions, if any, to restore the wall's structural integrity. The cost of consulting a structural engineer falls solely on the owner.

Positioning of Dividing Fences near Retaining Walls

A dividing fence is to be positioned on the higher ground of a retaining wall which abuts a common boundary.

If you are unsure of anything in relation to your build please call into the Shire and speak to Doug Burke before you proceed. It is better to obtain the correct information prior to commencement of any project. Phone on 08 9661 0500 or email to mpds@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.



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Dalwallinu Medical Centre response on Mammograms

As a response from Dalwallinu Medical Centre, we would like to emphasize the crucial role of mammograms in women's health. Mammography is a proven tool in the early detection of breast cancer, significantly improving treatment outcomes and reducing mortality rates. Below, we provide key points supported by research that highlight its importance.

- **Reduction in Mortality:** Studies have demonstrated that regular mammography screening can lower the risk of dying from breast cancer. For instance, women aged 60 to 69 who underwent mammograms had a 33% reduced risk of breast cancer mortality compared to those who did not. (Source: [komen.org](https://www.komen.org))
- **Early Detection:** Mammograms can identify tumors that are too small to be felt, detecting changes in breast tissue as minute as grains of sand. This early detection is vital, as it allows for intervention before the cancer progresses, potentially leading to more effective and less aggressive treatments. (Source: [medstarhealth.org](https://www.medstarhealth.org))
- **Sensitivity and Accuracy:** Screening mammography is effective at finding breast cancer, especially in women aged 50 and older, with an overall sensitivity of about 87%. This means mammography correctly identifies about 87% of women who have breast cancer. (Source: [komen.org](https://www.komen.org))
- **Impact Across Age Groups:** Evidence indicates that mammography screening benefits women across various age groups. For example, women aged 50 to 69 who participated in regular screenings experienced a 25% to 31% reduction in breast cancer mortality. (Source: pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov)

In conclusion, we strongly advocate for regular mammograms as an essential practice for women. Early detection significantly enhances the chances of identifying breast cancer in its early stages, leading to better survival rates and improved treatment outcomes.

For any questions or further information, please feel free to reach out to Dalwallinu Medical Centre.

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APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAY TRIP

When: Wednesday 16 April 2025

Time: Bus leaves 7am from the DDC

Who: Children 8 years and over

Cost: Free

Please contact Kiera to secure your seat.

Signed permission slips must be returned by 4pm

Friday 4 April 2025.

cdco@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au or 9661 1805



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Volunteer Bushfire Registrations



With fire season upon us, to ensure we comply with WHS and Shire processes, please ensure that you are a Registered Volunteer with the Shire of Dalwallinu and have undertaken the Shire induction. The registration process is in two parts. The PART A online registration takes up to 10 minutes and the PART B Shire induction takes about 5 minutes.

We urge you to find 15 minutes of your time and complete these registrations to ensure you are compliant when attending fires. The registration also provides you with PPE. Registration is an important part of the Volunteer process. Please contact Hanna Jolly at the Shire for further information on (08) 9661 0500 or email her at mcs@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

SMS Register for Emergency Purposes – Townsites

Do you reside in Buntine, Dalwallinu, Kalannie, Pithara or Wubin? Would you like your mobile number to be added to SMS register for emergency messaging purposes?

SMS services could be used for purposes such as evacuation of the area, extreme weather warnings, road closures etc.



This register does not include harvest ban information.

To register – please contact Shire Administration 08 9661 0500 or sfo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au with your name, address and mobile number.

This is **NOT** the same register used for Harvest Bans.

Capital Projects 2024 - 2025



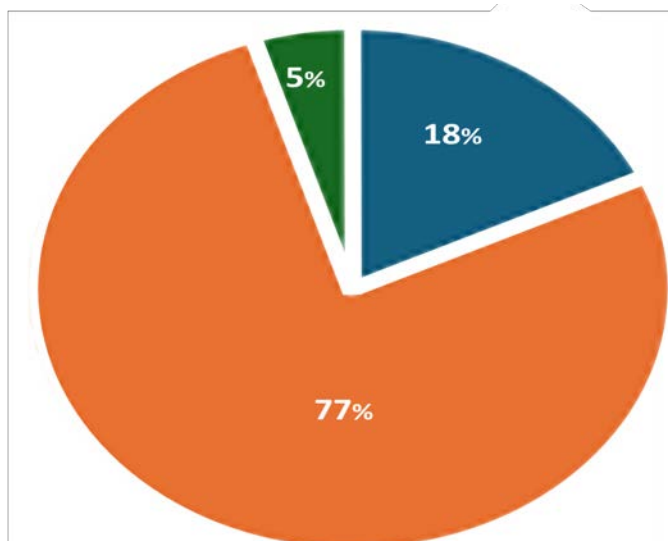
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Not Commenced 5%



Report It

**It's not OK.
If you see it
Report it**



Vandalism costs Shires throughout Australia millions of dollars each year.

Every cent spent repairing infrastructure that has been vandalised is money not able to be spent improving our current services.

If you see something, please report it to the Shire. Call 9661 0500 or email shire@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

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Bushfire Information

PLEASE RETAIN FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Bush Fire Control Permit Issuing Officers

Chief Fire Control Officer **0428 218 881**
AARON MILLS

Deputy Fire Control Officer **0427 311 584**
GARETH BARNES

Deputy Fire Control Officer **0429 370 208**
PAUL BURRIDGE

BUNTINE

Michael Dodd 0427 642 078
Shaun Fitzsimons 0427 083 105

DALWALLINU

Aaron Mills 0428 218 881
Gary Butcher 0427 621 069
Shannon Fry 0437 743 030

KALANNIE

Rowan McCreery 0408 845 711
Bryce Hathway 0427 662 000
Paul BurrIDGE 0429 370 208

WUBIN

Gareth Barnes 0427 311 584
Michael Cail 0447 150 122




DATES TO KNOW

OPEN PERIOD	
16 March to 30 September	
Restricted Burning Period - Permit Required	
1 October to 31 October	
Garden Refuse & Rubbish	See Garden Refuse & Rubbish in brochure
Bush/Grass	Permit Required
BURNING PROHIBITED	
1 November to 14 February	
Garden Refuse & Rubbish	PROHIBITED
Bush/Grass	PROHIBITED
Restricted Burning Period - Permit Required	
15 February to 15 March	


HARVEST BANS

SMS	Phone
An SMS will be sent to those registered when a ban is put in place and lifted.	A designated, pre recorded message will advise if a harvest ban is active.
	 08 9661 0555
Radio Station	Social Media
Tune your radio to ABC 531 AM Spirit 104.5 FM Red 106.1 FM	Regular updates will be posted on our website and facebook page www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au
	



Red plate. One mate.

Red P-plate Passenger Restrictions and Exemptions




Restrictions

- 1 Ordinary Passenger**
 - Red P-plate drivers may carry only one ordinary passenger.
 - This passenger can be of any age or driver's licence status.

Exemptions

- Experienced Driver**
 - A driver who has held a full C-class licence for at least four years (except P-plate).
 - If an experienced driver is present, then additional ordinary passengers are permitted.
- Immediate Family Members**
 - Additional passengers are permitted if they are immediate family members (see transport.wa.gov.au/licensing/omnibus for definition).
 - One ordinary passenger is also permitted.
- Employment Requirements**
 - Additional passengers are permitted if required to be carried for the Red P-plate driver's employment (paid or unpaid).
 - Driver must carry and produce, on request, a letter signed by their employer, confirming requirements.

Download an employer exemption letter template 

BUSHFIRE ADVICE




For current warnings visit emergency.wa.gov.au

Be Wise Sterilise

Do you need help to sterilise your pets?

RSPCA WA will pay up to 75% of the cost to sterilise your dog or cat

rspcawa.org.au/bewise

T&Cs apply




Place of wheat and wattle....

2024 - 2025 Recycle Calendar

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Recycle Days

Wubin, Buntine & Kalannie

Dalwallinu & Pithara

Christmas Day



WHAT CAN GO INTO YOUR RECYCLE BIN

- Glass - All glass and ceramics, whole and broken
- Plastic - All plastic containers and plastic wraps (empty with lids off)
- Paper - All paper, junk mail and glossy magazines
- Cardboard - All cardboard products
- Aluminium & Steel - All metals, steel & aluminium excluding aerosol cans
- Liquid Paperboard - Milk, juice and laundry detergent cartons.

There will be changes to the general waste service in Buntine, Wubin and Kalannie over the Christmas Period.

Place of wheat and wattle....



2025 COUNCIL MEETINGS



Shire of Dalwallinu Ordinary Council Meetings will be held on the following dates and times unless otherwise advised.

Please note the 22 April 2025 OCM in Kalannie will commence at 4.00pm.

DATE	DAY	TIME	PLACE
25 February 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
25 March 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
22 April 2025	Tuesday	4.00pm	Kalannie Sport & Recreation Club
27 May 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
24 June 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
22 July 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
26 August 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
30 September 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
28 October 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
25 November 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers
16 December 2025	Tuesday	3.30pm	Council Chambers

Chief Executive Officer
Jean Knight
26/11/2024

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Next Ordinary Meeting of Council - 4.00pm Tuesday 22 April 2025

Kalannie Sport & Recreation Club, 24 Stanley Street, Kalannie WA 6468

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

The public are invited to attend any Ordinary Council Meeting to ask questions of the Shire & Councillors. Ordinary Council Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of every month (except January) commencing at 3.30pm until advertised otherwise. **The April meeting will commence at 4pm at the Kalannie Sport & Recreation Club.**



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ELECTED MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

YOUR EMAILS WANTED

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If you wish to receive this newsletter electronically use the Contact Us tab on our website or email ea@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au