THE DALLY NEWS



JULY 2025

Citizenship Ceremony 16 June 2025

The Shire hosted an intimate Citizenship Ceremony in June to witness members of the Santiago/Aguinaldo family as they became Australian Citizens.

Lelanie Santiago and two of her children Stefan and Zack Aguinaldo took their pledge in front of Shire President Cr Keith Carter. Ms Santiago's other family members were in attendance to witness the ceremony which was also attended by CEO Jean Knight.









New Signage Pinpoints Xantippe

New Signage has been installed on the Dalwallinu-Kalannie Road at the entrance to the Xantippe Tank track.

The work was commissioned by the Shire of Dalwallinu and produced locally by Zage Pty Ltd which is Brett Davies.

The impressive artwork will be a drawcard for tourists and locals visiting the area.

Are your Contact Details Current?

Rates time is upon us and now is the time to check if your contact address or email are correct with the Shire.

The onus is on the Ratepayer to ensure the details remain current. Late payments or fines may be incurred due to incorrect addressing. Avoid this now by being proactive and checking your details today.



CEO Chit Chat



CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, Jean Knight JP

It was nice to receive some muchneeded rain recently. It has certainly brightened the Shire up. Nothing better than green paddocks at this time of year.

And just like that it's a new financial year. Officers and Council have been working on the 2025-2026 budget and a Special Council Meeting will

be held on Tuesday 15 July 2025 at 3:30pm to adopt the budget. Just when we think we should have a consolidation year, we have several large projects that we intend to commence in the new budget, which is great for our community. More details to follow once the budget is adopted by Council.

The two new modular houses have arrived at 68 Annetts Road, Dalwallinu. Construction of the carport, porch and alfresco areas is to be completed in the coming weeks. Unfortunately, we are still waiting for Western Power to reconnect power to the site and a date for this is unknown at this stage.

Uptake of the recently released residential lots on Strickland Drive, Dalwallinu has been slow. To date, two (2) lots are under offer. The industrial lots have moved faster

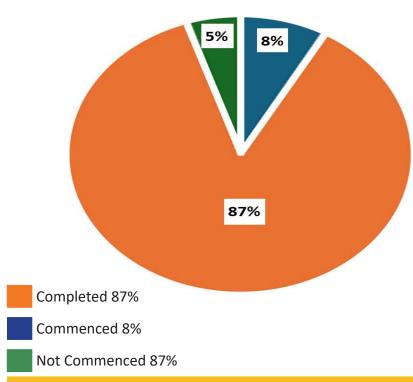
with only three (3) lots remaining. Further information can be found on our Facebook page or you can contact Brad King at Harcourts Nutrien on 0429 911 504.

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.

This month we welcome Paul Jeffreys to our team as the Building Maintenance Officer (BMO). Unfortunately, our previous BMO, Preston Knight, had to resign due to ongoing medical issues. We wish Preston all the best for the future.

We continue to advertise for a General Hand. If you know of anyone interested, please get them to contact Marc at the Shire.

Capital Projects 2024 - 2025



Local Government Elections 2025



The 2025 Local Government elections will take place on Saturday 18 October 2025.

Keep an eye out for nomination forms later this year if you are interested in becoming a part of the Shire of Dalwallinu Council.



A Word from the Shire President



Cr Keith Carter, SHIRE PRESIDENT

Rain

There has been some nice rain for most of the shire which is great. We are still a long way below average but who knows what average is now.

I am mindful that areas north and east are very light on for rain and I hope a system comes through soon to assist these farms.

Roads

With the wet weather I will give my usual reminder to treat our shire roads with respect and avoid damaging the unsealed roads if possible.

The works crew keep our roads in very good condition and if we can help minimise their task we can focus more on other items in the shire than repairing damaged roads.

Because our roads are so good and vehicles are getting better there is a tendency for motorists to be driving

at higher speeds. Please slow down at crossroads and other dangerous points, and drive to stay alive.

Cr Dawson has raised this point at Council and I agree that many motorists are driving too fast with a "it won't happen to me" attitude.

The state road toll is at an alarming total and I feel more speed restrictions are going to be forced on drivers if we don't drive more cautiously.

Some of the stories of overtaking over double white lines are very scary and mean that we need to alert at all times while behind the wheel. We want all of our community getting home safe every trip.

CALLING ALL COMMUNITY/SPORTING GROUPS!!!

We are seeking expressions of interest from community and/or sporting organisations to provide visitor information coverage at the Discovery Centre during the 2025 visitor season.

It is anticipated the work will be for a 6 week period between August-September from 9am - 3pm (Saturday and Sunday). Remuneration will be \$500 per weekend.

Please contact Kiera at the Discovery Centre on 9661 1805 or email cdco@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au to register your interest







Notice of Proposed Road Closure

Land Administration Act 1997

At the general meeting of the Shire of Dalwallinu Council held on 24 June 2025 the following motion has been adopted as per s.58(1) of the *Land Administration Act*:

- Request that the Chief Executive Officer advertise the proposed permanent road closure of those portions of the Right-of-Way located between the following properties:
 - a. Lots 1-3 Great Northern Highway, Wubin
 - b. Lots 15-16 Great Northern Highway, Wubin
 - c. Lots 18-19 Arthur Street, Wubin
 - d. Lots 98-100 Arthur Street, Wubin; and
- 2. Request the Chief Executive Officer report to Council any submissions at the conclusion of the advertising period.

Prior to the proposed road closure being submitted for Ministerial consideration, submissions are invited from the general public. Plans and documents explaining the proposed road closure are able to be viewed at the Shire office and on the Shire's website.

Submissions are to be lodged in writing to the Chief Executive Officer and provide the Amendment number, contact details and the reasons for the submission. Submissions will be received until the close of business, <u>Tuesday 12 August 2025</u>.

Jean Knight JP Chief Executive Officer

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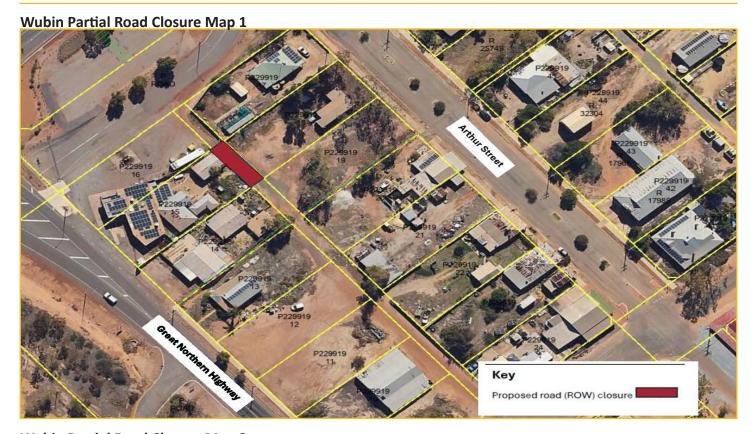
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To view the Planning Report for this proposal please click this link or copy and paste into your browser. https://www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au/Profiles/dalwallinu/Assets/ClientData/Images/Public_Notices/Planning_Report_-_Wubin_Partial_Road_Closure.pdf

Public Notices









Notice of Proposed Amendment to the Scheme

Shire of Dalwallinu Town Planning Scheme N° 2

The Shire of Dalwallinu Council have adopted a proposed amendment (Amendment N° 9) to the Planning Scheme for the purpose of:

Rezoning the following allotments:

Property: Lots 12, 13 & 14 McConnell Street, Pithara

Current Zoning: Reserve

Proposed Zoning: Townsite

Prior to the proposed amendment being submitted for Ministerial consideration, submissions are invited from the general public. Plans and documents explaining the Planning Scheme amendment are able to be viewed at the Shire office and on the Shire's website.

Submissions are to be lodged in writing to the Chief Executive Officer and provide the Amendment number, contact details and the reasons for the submission. Submissions will be received until the close of business, **Monday 18 August 2025**.

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To view the attachment for this proposed amendment please click this link or copy and paste into your browser. https://www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au/Profiles/dalwallinu/Assets/ClientData/Images/Public_Notices/Amendment_No_9_document_ATTACHMENT.pdf





NOMINATIONS OPEN NOW

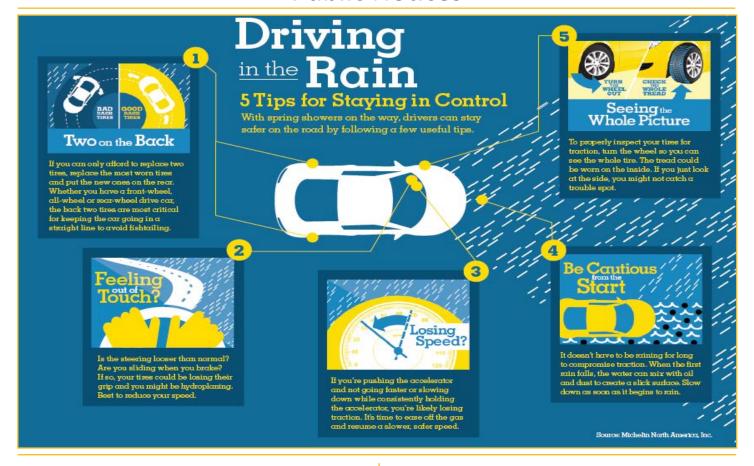
The Youth Advisory Council are looking for six youth members between the ages of 12-24

For any further information please contact Kiera at the Discovery Centre or via email cdco@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

Nominations close Friday 11th July 2025 at 2pm



Public Notices



Shire of Dalwallinu 24 Hour Gym

The Shire of Dalwallinu have a fully equipped gymnasium which is available 24 hours per day with the use of a fob entry. Use is restricted to gym members only. The gym in under 24 security surveillance and if you are identified assessing the gym and using the equipment without membership you will be identified.

The Shire welcomes new members and reminds current members to wipe all equipment down after use for hygiene purposes, and to be respectful to other users. If you seen anything that needs reporting or repairing please phone the Shire Administration on 9661 0500.



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



Fire Danger Ratings and Bushfire Warnings

Moderate: Plan and Prepare.

High: Be ready to act.

Extreme: Take action now to protect your life and property.

Catastrophic: For your survival, leave the bushfire risk areas.

Be Aware and Prepare



Where there is minimal risk, Fire Danger Ratings will be set to 'No Rating". On these days you still need to remain alert and abide by local seasonal laws and regulations.



Have you updated your Details lately?

Emailing Rates Notices

You can elect to have your Rates Notice issued via email. This service currently does not extend to Instalment Reminders. To register for this option you need to be a ratepayer on the assessment and put your request in writing. You can apply online through the Shire website https://www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au/contact-us/erates-registration.aspx or by completing a Change of Address form which can obtained from the Administration office. If you own properties in multiple names a separate form is required for each individual/company Notices can only be sent to one nominated email for each assessment and you will not receive a paper notice if this option is selected. You still need to keep your residential and postal addresses up to date.

Mailing Address not Correct?

It is your responsibility to advise the Shire in writing of any changes of address. Incorrect addresses may cause unnecessary delays in the delivery of your rates notice. Change of addresses must be made in writing by the ratepayer/s. An online form is available on the Shire website https://www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au/contact-us/change-of-details.aspx or by contacting our Customer Services team.

Pensioner/Senior Rebate

If you are an eligible* pensioner or senior card holder who does not currently claim the rebate, you can apply through the Water Corporation, even if you are not a Water Corporation customer. The Shire are unable to receive applications direct from pensioners or seniors, applications must be made to Water Corporation.

To apply go online to https://www.watercorporation.com.au/Bill-and-account/Apply-for-a-concession. This is effective for both Local Government and Water rates. If you do not have access to the internet please bring your concession card to the Shire Office and we will help you apply for the concession. Unsure if you already claim the concession on your property within the Shire of Dalwallinu? If you are already claiming the concession you will have the line "State Government Rebate Allowed" on your Rates Notice. Your rates MUST be paid in full prior to 30 June 2026 to receive the rebate.

^{*} To be eligible you must own and reside in the residential property for which you are claiming the rebate and hold the relevant concession cards.

2025-2026 Recycle Calendar Dates

Shire of Dalwallinu Recycle Calendar 2025-2026



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Recycle Days

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 service over the Christmas Period, will advise closer to date.



2025 Council Meeting Dates

Shire of Dalwallinu Ordinary Council Meetings will be held as follows unless otherwise advised.

Note: the 22 April 2025 OCM in Kalannie will commence at 4.00pm. Note: from 28 May 2025 all OCM will commence from 5.00pm

Item 9.3.3 - 27/5/2025 MOTION 10405

That Council change the scheduled commencement time for all future Ordinary Council Meetings from 3:30pm to commencing at 5:00pm in the Shire of Dalwallinu Council Chambers, 58 Johnston Street, Dalwallinu;

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	5.00pm	Council Chambers
22 July 2025	Tuesday	5.00pm	Council Chambers
26 August 2025	Tuesday	5.00pm	Council Chambers
30 September 2025	Tuesday	5.00pm	Council Chambers
28 October 2025	Tuesday	5.00pm	Council Chambers
25 November 2025	Tuesday	5.00pm	Council Chambers
16 December 2025	Tuesday	5.00pm	Council Chambers

Dog and Cat registrations are due 31 October

Registration is not only the law, it also helps to reunite lost pets with their owners.

Help us to find your best friend

It's important to keep registration details up to date.

If you've moved, or if any of your pet's details have changed, be sure to let us know. Email: shire@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

or Phone: 08 9661 0500









If you see Vandalism or destruction of Shire property please contact the Shire.

The Shire and Ratepayers should not have to pay for vandalism repairs.

Next Ordinary Meeting of Council - 5.00pm Tuesday 22 July 2025

Dalwallinu Council Chambers, 58 Johnston Street, Dalwallinu WA 6609

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 5.00pm unless advertised otherwise.



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YOUR EMAILS WANTED

The Shire of Dalwallinu like to regularly share relevant information with the community. Follow us on facebook (Shire of Dalwallinu), visit our website (www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au) or phone us 08 9661 0500 if you require any assistance.

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