



# What's New in the Shire of Wongan-Ballidu?

## SHIRE STAFF SPOTLIGHT

*Each week meet a member of our team!*

Kim Thornton - Works Construction Supervisor Kim, who describes himself as a creature of comfort, has worked for the Shire for a total of 25 years throughout his life working in almost all the roles across the Works and Services Department throughout his tenure. Kim is now a Construction Supervisor bringing his wealth of experience to the role and our Shire Roads Program.

Kim is most loved for his sense of humour and his sarcastic nature and you can guarantee a laugh from him.

Kim originally grew up in Rockingham, moving to Wongan Hills when he was 19 years old and has lived here since. Loving the simple life, he is a true Aussie living the country life and enjoys a good country pub.

Also fond of travelling and seeing more of Australia, Kim recently enjoyed a road trip travelling the South West checking out the best of the west.

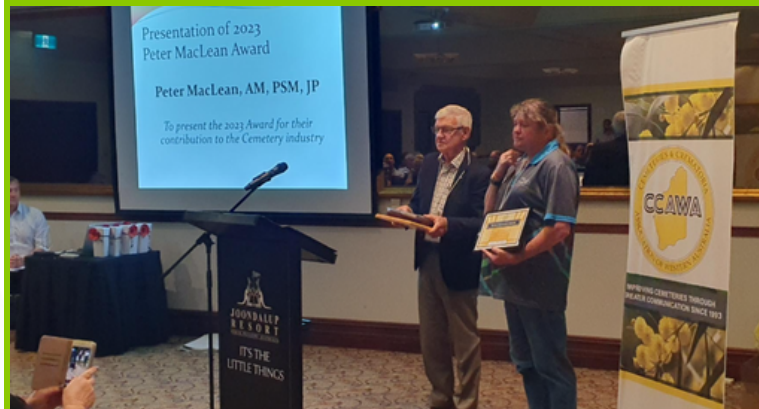


## AWARD WINNER

Our Manager of Regulatory Services, Melissa Marcon, was recently awarded the Peter MacLean Award at the Cemeteries and Crematoria Association of WA Conference.

The Peter MacLean Award is presented on an annual basis to any employee of a CCWA member who has performed above and beyond the call of duty in providing excellence in customer service.

Well done to Melissa for receiving this honour for your works at the Wongan Hills Cemetery.



## ROADWORKS



**CONSTRUCTION CREW:** Road Widening Hospital Road for 2.6km. Speed Restrictions and temporary traffic lights in place.



**MAINTENANCE GRADERS:** Area 1 – Wongan Hills. Area 2 – Wongan Hills



**BACKHOE CREW:** Culvert Replacement Kondut South East Road. Speed Restrictions and temporary traffic lights in place.



**MAINTENANCE CREW:** Guide posts and signs - Burakin, Cadoux, Wongan Hills

## CADOUX MOTHERS DAY BUS TRIP

The Shire of Wongan-Ballidu has donated the community bus to the Wongan Hills CRC and Wongan-Ballidu Seniors Recreation Centre to offer a free bus trip to community members for next week's Cadoux Mother's Day Markets to support this great local initiative. See the CRC Ad Page for more info and reserve your spot now!



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## FESTIVAL OF SMALL HALLS THIS SATURDAY!!

The Festival of Small Halls is coming to Wongan Hills this SATURDAY. Iona Fyfe and Colin Lillie will be performing along with local artist GEORGIE SADLER.

Wongan Hills Rotary Club will be cooking burgers and a sausage sizzle and Apex will be running the bar!

Support this amazing event and the community groups involved by buying your ticket now!

TICKETS SELLING FAST! Grab your tickets now from the below spots and more info at the web link:



Wongan Hills Newsagent  
Wongan Hills CRC  
Online at:

<https://smallhalls.iwannaticket.com.au/event/festival-of-small-halls-autumn-tour-2023-western-australia-Mjg0NTQ>

Tickets also available on the door on the night.



## ANZAC DAY

Lest We Forget - Last Tuesday on ANZAC Day, we reflected on those that served our country.

'They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun and in the morning We will remember them.'

ANZAC Day at Wongan Hills Civic Centre. Thank you to the ANZAC Day Committee for organising this special commemoration.

