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**Come and have your say on the Duffys  
Store and Silo Projection Project**

**Three Springs Tourism  
Business Case Development**

**Time: 6-8pm | Tuesday 13th of July**

**Location: Community Hall**

**Light Refreshments Provided**

For those unable to attend, there is an online survey  
(Scan the QR code or type the link)

RSVP:  
Josh at NAJA on  
0426 807 456  
Or for further details:  
Paul at NAJA on  
0419 930 467

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# The Three Springs Gym Is now Open

The Shire of Three Springs has a unsupervised gym, accessible to members 24/7.

MEMBERSHIPS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE SHIRE OF THREE SPRINGS ADMIN CENTRE. YOU MUST BE OVER 18 TO BE A MEMBER OF THE GYM.

Type	Full	Concession
12 Month	\$192.00	\$120.00
6 Month	\$108.00	\$60.00
3 Month	\$48.00	\$30.00
1 Month	\$20.00	\$10.00

Access Fob Key Bond (Cash Only) \$30.00 **Please Note** : correct cash amount for bond is required , we can not split cash much appreciated.



# Three Springs Telephone Directory



*Are you in the  
local telephone directory?*

*Phone, fax, mobile numbers, UHF  
or e-mail addresses are welcome.*

*If you would like to make an addition,  
alteration or deletion  
please call 9954 1001 or via email  
[general@threesprings.wa.gov.au](mailto:general@threesprings.wa.gov.au)*

*Any changes need to be advised  
by Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2021*





# Three Springs 360-2021

Western Australian Off Road Racing Association (WAORRA) is pleased to announce the Three Springs 360 on the long weekend of  
*25 -27<sup>th</sup> September 2021*



## Catering expressions of interest

*Breakfast (Saturday & Sunday)*

*Lunch (Saturday & Sunday)*

*Dinner (Friday, Saturday)*

Opportunities also exist for organisations to hold raffles.

Please contact Shire CDO Sharon Bell on 9954 1001 or email  
[cdo@threesprings.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdo@threesprings.wa.gov.au) to register your interest.

*“First in, best dressed”*





In accordance with section 5.25 of the *Local Government Act 1995* and regulation 12 of the *Local Government (Administration) Regulations 1996* Council wishes to advise that the Ordinary Council meetings for 2021 are as follows:

MONTH	DATE	DAY	TIME
January	No Meeting		
February	24	Wednesday	5pm
March	24	Wednesday	5pm
April	28	Wednesday	5pm
May	26	Wednesday	5pm
June	23	Wednesday	5pm
July	28	Wednesday	5pm
August	25	Wednesday	5pm
September	22	Wednesday	5pm
October	27	Wednesday	5pm
November	24	Wednesday	5pm
December	15	Wednesday	5pm

Meetings are held in Council Chambers, 132 Railway Road, Three Springs.

Keith Woodward PSM  
Chief Executive Officer

## INDOOR BOWLS

**PLEASE “ WE NEED YOU “** New & Old Players welcome

PUT ON YOUR BOWLING SHOES & HEAD ON DOWN

WHERE \* TS COMMUNITY HALL

WHEN \* TUESDAYS 9-12 NOON

COST \* \$2 PER PLAYER

If you would like more information please

Ring : **Adele** on 0458 090 839



## SHREDDED PAPER

Available at : **The Shire of Three Springs**

*Great for worm farms, Compost heap, chooks and Garden Mulch*



## **YAKABOUT**

The Yakabout is now free of charge & it is on the Shire website! There will be limited number of printed copies available from the Shire Office and Post Office.

Check out the new webpage with the issues from 2020 & 2021. To place an advert please email the Three Springs Shire Yakabout [yakabout@threesprings.wa.gov.au](mailto:yakabout@threesprings.wa.gov.au) , Or call the Shire on 9954 1001.

### **Yakabout Issue Dates & Charges 2021**

19/7/2021 - 2/8/2021 - 16/8/2021 - 30/8/2021 - 13/9/2021 - 27/9/2021 - 11/10/2021 -  
25/10/2021 - 8/11/2021 - 22/11/2021 - 6/12/2021

<b>Non-Business</b>	<b>Attachments (copies provided \$8)</b>	<b>Business</b>	
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Quarter Page B/W	\$8.00	Quarter Page B/W	\$10.00
Quarter Page Colour	\$20.00	Quarter Page Colour	\$40.00

**Adverts need to be in by noon the Friday before publishing on the Monday.**

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Mondays	\$2 per player	Badminton	@6.00pm– 8.00pm	Community Hall
Tuesdays	\$2 per player	Indoor Bowls	@9.00am–12.00pm	Community Hall
Tuesdays	\$2 Entry	Yoga	@2.00pm-3.30pm	Community Hall
Tuesday	13th July	Dongara Vet	@9.00am –12pm	Community Hall
Friday	16th July	Wildflower Country Meeting	@10.30—1pm	Council Chambers
Saturday	17th July	TS Winter Sports home game	All Day	Pavilion
Wednesday	28th July	Ordinary Council Meeting	@ 5.00 pm	Council Chambers
<b>26th-29th</b>	August	Wildflower Show & Art Exhibition	9am—4pm Daily	Community Hall

Do you have an event that you would like to add to the community calendar?

If so, please contact the Shire Office on 9954 1001



## EMERGENCY CONTACTS

(IN THE CASE OF AN EMERGENCY PLEASE CALL 000 FIRST)

DOCTOR ..... 9954 1013

FIRE REPORTING ..... 000

SHIRE OFFICE..... 9954 1001

A/H – C.E.S.M..... 9954 1001

HARVEST BAN INFORMATION ..... 9487 6519

HOSPITAL..... 9954 3200

INFANT HEALTH CLINIC..... 9954 3213

MIDWEST MENS HEALTH..... 9690 2277

*(Talk to a mate) Mensline Australia* ..... 1300 789 978

POISONS INFORMATION ..... PMH 13 1126

### POLICE

EMERGENCY ..... 000

NON EMERGENCY .....9954 4222 OR 13 1444

### SCHOOLS

THREE SPRINGS PRIMARY SCHOOL..... 9954 3700

THREE SPRINGS PRE-PRIMARY..... 9954 3700

CARNAMAH DISTRICT HIGH..... 9951 1266

MORAWA DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL ..... 9971 0900

SHIRE ADMINISTRATION OFFICE..... 9954 1001

VETERINARY (DONGARA) ..... 9927 1329

RSPCA (MAUREEN ROGERS)..... 0411 079 376

WATER CORPORATION .....13 1375

WESTERN POWER.....13 1351

# **Shire of Three Springs**

**Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8am- 4:00pm**

132 Railway Road, Three Springs WA 6519

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Email: [general@threesprings.wa.gov.au](mailto:general@threesprings.wa.gov.au)

Website: [www.threesprings.wa.gov.au](http://www.threesprings.wa.gov.au)



## **Services Offered:**

Library: DVD's, Audio Books, Large Print Books

**Department of Transport Licensing, Boat Licensing**

**(Tuesdays - Thursdays)**

Community Hall & Sports Pavilion, Sports Amenities

Community Bus Hire

Community Gym

Public Computer Internet Access, WIFI Hotspot

Dog and Cat Licensing, Cat Traps

Photocopying Service

Ranger and Emergency Services

Visitor's Centre opens approx. July to October **(CLOSED)**

Shredded paper available @Shire of Three Springs

**Three Springs Aquatic Centre is Closed**

**Also based at the Shire Offices on a part time basis:**

Environmental Health Officer

## **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT TRANSACTIONS**

**CLOSED MONDAYS & FRIDAYS**

***Department of Transport (DoT) Services At Shire Admin Centre***

***Only Available 3 DAYS A WEEK***

- \* Licensing Hours: **Tuesdays —Thursdays** 9:00am to 3:00pm
- \* Theory Test hours: **Tuesdays —Thursdays** 9:00am to 2:00pm
- \* PDA Assessor: Geraldton



# Community Group Information



## Churches

Anglican / Uniting		See Church notices	Trinity Church Carter Street	Morris Van Buerle – 9954 5043 Peter Whale - 0427 541 080
Catholic		4pm	St Paul's Catholic Church Touche Street	Fr Brian Ahearn 9927 1451 0427 271 452

## Community Groups

Community Action Group	3rd Tuesday of the month	4pm	Aquatic Centre Function Room	9954 1001
Craft Group	Wednesdays	9am–3pm \$1.00	Old Nurses Quarters	
Friends of the North-Midlands Health Service				Brenda Bowman 0427 511 339
Historical Society				Judy and Roy Mutter 0427 547 733
Mingenew Painting Club	1st Wednesday of the month (March-August)			Terri Traylen-Witt 9954 1213
North Midlands Agricultural Society			Carnamah	9951 1036
Returned Serviceman League				Ray Morgan 9954 1014
RSL Women's Auxiliary				Lorraine Morgan 9954 1014
Tourists Information		10am - 2pm	Visitors Centre 9954 1590	Cathy Reed 9954 7012
Three Springs Lions Club				Cathy Reed

## Emergency Services

St Johns Ambulance				Merle Isbister 0428 511 030
Volunteer Fire Brigade	Training twice a month out of fire season			Rod Ennor 0458 246 531

## Youth

Coderdojo	Carnamah			Richelle Essers 0428 921 464
Playgroup				Lauren Cruickshank 0429 620 201
Three Springs Parents & Citizens				President: Nadine Eva 0427 541 014 Catering Kellie Thomas 0418 902 108

# Community Group Information



## Sporting Groups

Basketball			Coorow-Carnamah	Bruce Chisholm 0428 591 318
Bowls	Saturday - Pennants Sundays - Club events		Three Springs Sporting Club	Adrian Stokes 0448 483 476
Cricket	TBC			
Badminton	Tuesdays	5pm—7pm	Three Springs Community Hall	Phil Berry 0432 758 770
Golf	Friday - Scroungers Saturday - Pennants Sunday - Club Day		Three Springs Golf Club	David Mutter 0427 547 035
Football	Training Tuesdays and Thursdays	5.30pm - 7.00pm	Three Springs Sporting Complex Pavilion	Jim Heal 0429 165 235
Netball	Training Wednesday		Three Springs Sporting Complex Pavilion	Sulwyn Mutter 0409 699 019
Hockey	Training Thursday		Three Springs Sporting Complex Pavilion	President: Heidi Taylor 0429 051 428 Secretary: Kylie Dennis 0438 238 171
Indoor Bowls		9am - 12pm	Three Springs Community Hall	Adele Metsemakers 0458 090 839
Rifle Club	Sundays			Chris Connaughton 0427 547 007
Sporting Clay Target Shooting	Summer - Saturdays Winter - Sundays			Gary Turley 0428 888 075
Squash Tennis				Bill McGree 0459 057 580
Yoga		2 - 3.30pm	Red Room Three Springs Community Hall	Lorraine Morgan 9954 1014



## Consumer Watch

**Consumer Protection** 50-52 Durlacher Street, Geraldton 6530

Tel: (08) 9920 9800 Email: [candice.evans@dmirs.wa.gov.au](mailto:candice.evans@dmirs.wa.gov.au)

Web: [www.dmirs.wa.gov.au](http://www.dmirs.wa.gov.au)

### Extra time to apply for rent relief

As the COVID-19 coronavirus pandemic continues to cast a shadow over our lives, there may be some Western Australians who are still struggling to stay afloat financially due to job losses or having their work hours reduced.

Renters who are unemployed, or who have lost more than half their income, should know that the State Government's Residential Rent Relief Grant scheme will now remain open until the end of the year.

Originally due to close on 28 June 2021, the existing scheme has so far made around 8,300 grant payments worth more than \$11.6 million to help struggling tenants and their landlords.

Extending the program to 31 December 2021 will provide further targeted assistance for those tenants in financial hardship, including those who rely on Centrelink as a primary income.

We're aware that rental prices have risen right across the state. Tenants who are struggling financially and facing a significant rent increase may be eligible to receive a rent support grant. The grant offers up to \$2,000 per tenancy, so long as their landlord agrees to a lease of at least six months.

Other tenants may be in rental arrears, in which case they could be entitled to have up to 75 per cent of the debt – up to a maximum of \$4,000 – paid directly to eligible landlords. In return, the landlord and tenant must enter into a minimum six-month lease agreement.

Even though some tenants may fit the criteria for both rent arrears assistance and rent support, it's important to know that they cannot receive both grants. In this situation, our processing officer will work out which grant will be of the greatest benefit, and this will be paid to the landlord on the applicant's behalf.

Previous grant applicants can apply again under the extended scheme if they are still struggling financially due to COVID-19.

Further details about the scheme, including a two-minute eligibility check, are on our website at [www.dmirs.wa.gov.au/covidrentgrant](http://www.dmirs.wa.gov.au/covidrentgrant).



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### Renters entitled to timely repairs

There's no place like home, so when unexpected damage occurs to a rental property it's important for tenants to be across their rights and know that they can come to us when issues aren't fixed in a reasonable time.

Regardless of whether damage to a rental property occurs due to wild weather or a structural issue, the landlord is legally responsible for necessary repairs and maintenance to bring the property back to a liveable condition.

Consumer Protection recently became aware of one family who had been living under a tarpaulin for three weeks after a large part of their rental property's ceiling spontaneously collapsed, and we are currently helping the parties to reach an agreement.

Issues that could damage the property or cause someone harm or undue hardship require landlords and property managers to initiate urgent repairs within 48 hours. For damage to essential services, like water, gas electricity or sewerage, the time limit is 24 hours. If damage to the property has reduced the facilities available, tenants may be entitled to a rent reduction.

If no action is taken, the tenant may serve a notice for the repairs to be carried out as soon as practicable, or they may directly employ a suitably qualified repairer to carry out the works to a minimum standard, with the landlord being required to reimburse them for the costs.

Should the landlord fail to cover these costs, the tenant can apply to the Magistrates Court for an order. For this reason, tenants should keep receipts and a record of contact with the landlord.

We know that travelling commensurate target storm-damaged areas, so both tenants and landlords should avoid employing tradespeople who contact them out of the blue offering to complete work at cheap rates.

We have more information about how to spot the signs of a possible [ceiling collapse](#) on our website, as well as further guidance on managing urgent repairs at [www.commerce.wa.gov.au/consumer-protection/urgent-repairs-rental-home](http://www.commerce.wa.gov.au/consumer-protection/urgent-repairs-rental-home). Tenants who believe their landlord or agent has failed to initiate repairs within a reasonable timeframe should contact Consumer Protection on [consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au](mailto:consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au) or by calling 1300 30 40 54.



29 June 2021

### Bank closures a failure to support regional communities

Nationals Wheatbelt MPs have expressed disappointment at the National Australia Bank (NAB)'s decision to close up shop in Three Springs, Wyalkatchem, Kondinin and Wagin.

Moore MP Shane Love said the announcement was a blow to the communities who relied on the bank's presence for their financial services, including household, business, and personal transactions.

"During a time of uncertainty, with a pandemic, significant weather events, and growing housing and health crises, this news adds insult to injury to regional West Australians," Mr Love said.

Mr Love said decisions like this were out of step with community expectations.

"NAB's decision based on decline in foot-traffic through the affected branches shows an organisation unable to adapt to changing circumstances such as a global pandemic and a callous approach to supporting communities during a time of need," Mr Love said.

"In the wake of the Royal Commission into the banking sector which included investigation into the culture and governance of banks and financial institutions, you'd think there'd be thought given to more than the bottom line for services like this.

"I know they're not the only major bank to withdraw services from small country communities, but it's a bit rich to suggest they're making the decision off a decline in foot traffic in branches over the past 12 months."

Mr Love said the news was a huge blow to the community especially after parts of the Midwest and Wheatbelt were continuing to deal with the aftermath of Cyclone Seroja.

"There are many areas, people, homes and businesses that were badly affected by the cyclone – it is well-known the widespread rebuilding effort could take years," he said.

"Now is an ideal time for banks to be on the ground providing much-needed support for those experiencing devastating losses and a lack of State Government assistance.

"Banks need to have a presence in these communities to understand their situation, and instead of closing doors based on algorithms, these organisations should work humanely and lend a helping hand wherever needed."

**Closing dates:** Wyalkatchem – 9 September, Three Springs – 10 September, Kondinin and Wagin – 30 July

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**THE NATIONALS** *for Regional WA*





**MELISSA  
PRICE MP**  
Federal Member for **Durack**



## Cheers to Cheaper Power for Durack Hotels

22 June 2021

Small and medium hotels across Durack are receiving support from the Morrison Government's Hotel Energy Uplift Program to cut their energy costs so they can invest in their business and get ahead.

Federal Member for Durack, the Hon. Melissa Price has welcomed the energy saving benefits for 9 Durack grant recipients.

"I am particularly pleased to see the cross section of outlets benefitting from this program across Durack, like the community run Bolgart Hotel to Wyndham's Parry Creek Farm - Tourist Resort & Caravan Park," Ms Price said.

"Through the \$10.2 million Hotel Energy Uplift Program, the recipients will be able to lower their energy bills by upgrading to more energy efficient air-conditioning, refrigeration and equipment, improving the building through double glazing and insulation, carrying out energy audits or installing energy monitoring equipment," she said.

The Hotel Energy Uplift Program was announced in the 2020-21 Budget and is part of the Government's \$1.9 billion investment in new energy technologies which will create new jobs now and into the future, reduce emissions and ensure all Australians have access to reliable and affordable energy.

The list of successful Durack applicants is available on my webpage.

<https://www.melissapricemp.com.au/latest-news>

Ends;

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**MELISSA  
PRICE MP**  
Federal Member for **Durack**



## Major Project Status to Durack Potash Project

29 June 2021

The Morrison Government is supporting development of a major potash production and export project in a remote part of Western Australia's Pilbara, expected to bring hundreds of jobs to the region.

Federal Member for Durack, the Hon. Melissa Price has welcomed the project's recognition of Major Project Status.

"It emphasises the importance of the project to Australia's economy and exports and will help the project deal with Government approvals for this crucial agricultural fertiliser ingredient," Ms Price said.

Reward Minerals has been granted the status for its \$450 million Lake Disappointment Brine and Sulphate of Potash project, located about 320 kilometres east of Newman in northern Western Australia.

"It is expected that the Durack project will produce around 400,000 tonnes of sulphate of potash a year from mining and brine evaporation facilities at Lake Disappointment, providing employment of 230 jobs during construction and 200 direct jobs during operations," she said.

Minister for Industry, Science and Technology, Christian Porter has also welcomed this decision.

"The Lake Disappointment project will strengthen the security of Australia's agriculture sector and support the Government's Ag2030 agenda to boost Australia's agricultural production to \$100 billion a year by 2030 once completed," he said.

The Lake Disappointment project has an initial life of 25 years. The project is also expected to create new opportunities to export potash to expanding markets in Southeast Asia, India and potentially East Africa.

Major Project Status helps companies access extra support, coordination, and information services from the Major Projects Facilitation Agency which acts as a single-entry point into the Australian Government regulatory approvals pathway.

Ends;

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**MEDICAL CENTRE**  
**OPENING TIMES**

**THREE SPRINGS**

Monday: 8am - 4.30pm

Tuesday: 8am - 4.30pm

Thursday: 8am - 4.30pm

Friday: 8am - 2pm

**CARNAMAH** Wednesday:

8am - 4.30pm

**COOROW**

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**July 2021**

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## **BADMINTON**

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WHEN\* MONDAYS 6pm – 8pm

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## **SPOT AND STOP FRAUDSTERS**

**Westpac Staff are hosting a**

**Scam information night,**

**Where: Carnamah Bowling Club**

**On the 15<sup>th</sup> July @ 5:30pm**

**(Finger food, coffee and tea will be provided)**

**RSVP: 12<sup>th</sup> July @ [carnamahbranch@westpac.com.au](mailto:carnamahbranch@westpac.com.au) or**

**phone 08 99517155**



# GOT DOGS?

**PROTECT YOUR STOCK. REPORT FERAL PESTS.**

The presence of wild dogs is often discovered by seeing their tracks in the soil, but sometimes the tracks of other species look similar to those of wild dogs. Use the graphics below as a guide to identifying tracks on your property.



**WILD DOG**

**FOX**

**QUOLL**

**CAT**

Relative size and shape of wild dog, fox, quoll and cat prints.



**WILD DOG**

**FOX**

**CAT**

Usual foot print placement for wild dogs, foxes and cats.

*Images courtesy of pestsmart.org.au*

## REPORT WILD DOG ACTIVITY

Report any evidence of wild dogs to our Licensed Pest Management Technicians for assistance in trapping and baiting.

MBG Coordinator | Chris O'Callaghan

M: 0429 446 515

E: eo@wmgroup.org.au

LPMT | Paul Pitaro

M: 0438 337 642

E: paul@vpma.com.au

LPMT | Andy Lockey

M: 0459 200 004

E: andy@wafam.com.au

## BECOME A MEMBER

Become a member of the Midlands Biosecurity Group for regular updates on our activities and feral pest control management.

Membership is free and can be done via our website.



## Fun Fact

### Venus - A Strange World Indeed

Astronomers often refer to Venus as the nearest thing to hell in our Solar System! It is the hottest planet with a scorching surface temperature of about 470°C, even hotter than Mercury which is closer to the Sun!

The thick cloud cover, made of sulphuric acid and carbon dioxide, traps the heat onto the surface, creating a runaway greenhouse atmosphere. The intense pressure of the atmosphere is 90 times that of Earth, so standing on Venus would feel as if you were 900m deep in an ocean.

Venus spins the opposite way to Earth, so the Sun rises in the west and sets in the east. Even more curious, because of its slow rotation, its day is longer than its year! A day on Venus takes 243 Earth days and one year is equal to 224 days.

Venus is the brightest planet to see in the sky due to that thick cloud cover, reflecting back about 70% of the sunlight striking it. |

So, from down here on Earth, Venus appears to be a beautiful and sparkling world!



Venus – NASA Solar System Exploration  
Diagram Credit: [NASA](#)

For more things to see in the night sky visit [www.astrotourismwa.com.au](http://www.astrotourismwa.com.au).





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2021

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

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## School Holiday Program



# CYBER BOOTCAMP

CYBER BOOTCAMP is open to anyone between 12-18 years of age with an interest in cyber security, defence, creative puzzles and code breaking.

Develop your skills and consider joining our team for the CyberTaipan competition later this year.

CyberTaipan is an Australian cyber security competition that is modelled on the US Air Force Association's CyberPatriot program.

This is a free school holiday program for youth in the North Midlands.



**WEDNESDAY 7TH TO FRIDAY 9TH JULY  
NOON - 4PM EACH DAY**

**THE EXCHANGE  
4 MACPHERSON STREET CARNAMAH**



Bookings are a must to participate in this free event.

**Please book by Thursday 1st of July.**

To book or for more info, contact Richelle on 0428 921 464 or [richelle@northmidlands.org.au](mailto:richelle@northmidlands.org.au)

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# CBH GROUP

## HARVEST CASUAL WORK 2021

Applications are now open - apply today!

We are looking for hard working, safety-conscious people to work at our receival points across the WA grain growing region during harvest this year.

We are inviting applications for the following casual positions:

- Receival Point Operators, including grain sampling, and
- Plant Operators at selected port terminals

Depending on weather conditions, the season will generally commence around October and finishes in December.

No experience? No worries! Full training is provided - no need for qualifications or experience, just a great attitude.

To find out more about the CBH Group, what harvest is like and where to apply, simply scan the below QR code or visit:

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# Sport

<b>G1 Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> May</b> Mi v Mo @ Mi (night game) Do v Cw @ Do Ca/Pj v TS @ Ca	<b>Bye 5<sup>th</sup> June (Long weekend)</b> <b>Netball Championships</b> <b>G6 Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> June</b> Mo v Mi @ Mo Cw v Do @ Cw TS v Ca/Pj @ TS	<b>G11 Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> July TMH</b> Mi v Mo @ Mi Do v Cw @ Do Ca/Pj v Ts @ Pj
<b>G2 Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> May Pink Round</b> Ca/Pj v Mo @ Pj Cw v Mi @ Cw TS v Do @ TS	<b>G7 Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June TTAM</b> Mo v Ca/Pj @ Mo Mi v Cw @ Mi Do v TS @ Do	<b>G12 Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July</b> Ca/Pj v Mo @ Pj Cw v Mi @ Cw TS v Do @ TS
<b>G3 Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b> Mi v Do @ Mi Cw v Ca/Pj @ Cw Mo v TS @ Mo	<b>G8 Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> June</b> Mi v Do @ Mi Ca/Pj v Cw @ Pj TS v Mo @ TS	<b>G13 Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> August</b> Do v Mi @ Do Cw v Ca/Pj @ Watheroo Mo v TS @ Mo
<b>G4 Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May Belt Up</b> Ca/Pj v Mi @ Ca Do v Mo @ Do TS v Cw @ TS	<b>G9 Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> July</b> Mi v Ca/Pj @ Mi Mo v Do @ Mo Cw v TS @ Cw	<b>Perenjori Show 14<sup>th</sup> August</b> <b>G14 Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August</b> Ca/Pj v Mi @ Ca Do v Mo @ Do TS v Cw @ TS
<b>G5 29<sup>th</sup> May</b> Mo v Cw @ Mo Do v Ca/pj @ Do Mi v Ts @ Mi	<b>Nutrien Ag Football Championships 10<sup>th</sup> July</b> <b>G10 Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> July</b> Cw v Mo @ Cw Ca/Pj v Do @ Ca TS v Mi @ TS	<b>G15 Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> August</b> Mo v Cw @ Mo Do v Ca/Pj @ Do Mi v TS @ Mi



Vote Count Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> August – Dongara

2<sup>nd</sup> Semi final Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> August – Coorow

1<sup>st</sup> Semi final Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> August - Carnamah

Preliminary Final Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> September – Three Springs

Grand Final Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> September – Mingenew

**PLEASE NOTE :**

**SAT 26th June 2021**

**G8- TS V MO**

**Will now be played in Morawa**

## North Midlands Football League

### NMFL 2021

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	FF	FA	B	F	A	%	PTS
1	Carnamah/Perenjori	7	5	2	0	2	0	0	379	289	131.14	20
2	Coorow/Latham	7	5	2	0	1	0	0	532	435	122.30	20
3	Mingenew	8	5	3	0	1	0	0	576	471	122.29	20
4	Dongara League	8	5	3	0	2	0	0	355	435	81.61	20
5	Morawa	8	3	5	0	2	0	0	336	548	61.31	12
6	Three Springs	8	0	8	0	0	8	0	0	0	0.00	0

### NMFL Juniors 2021

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	FF	FA	B	F	A	%	PTS
1	Carnamah/Perenjori	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	526	130	404.62	28
2	Dongara Nippers	6	5	1	0	1	0	0	286	121	236.36	20
3	Morawa	8	5	3	0	0	0	0	221	370	59.73	20
4	Mingenew	7	3	4	0	0	0	0	395	308	128.25	12
5	Three Springs	7	1	6	0	0	1	0	139	301	46.18	4
6	Coorow/Latham	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	136	473	28.75	0



# Sport

## North Midlands Football League NMFL 2021



MINGENEW v. DONGARA LEAGUE  
Round 8 - 26/06/2021

Dongara League 1.5, 5.10, 7.10, 9.10 (64)  
Mingenew 0.5, 0.7, 2.14, 5.17 (47)

GOALS, Dongara League:

L. Drummond 2, J. Giles 1, B. Philipps 1, D. Thorne 1, M. Renwick 1, S. Gundling 1,  
R. McGuinness 1, M. Phillips 1

Mingenew:

H. Little 2, M. Bickford 1, J. Vandershuit 1, J. McTaggart 1

BEST, Dongara League:

B. Philipps, D. Stephens, S. Gundling, S. Royce, D. Philipps

Mingenew:

J. Vanderschuit, H. Pullbrook, M. Vanderschuit, R. Poultney, B. Broad

THREE SPRINGS v. MORAWA  
Round 8 - 26/06/2021  
Morawa won by forfeit.

## NMFL Juniors 2021

MINGENEW v. DONGARA NIPPERS  
Round 8 - 26/06/2021

Dongara Nippers 2.3, 4.3, 7.6, 9.6 (60)  
Mingenew 2.1, 4.4, 5.4, 6.8 (44)

CARNAMAH/PERENJORI v. COOROW/LATHAM  
Round 8 - 26/06/2021

Carnamah/Perenjori 3.3, 5.5, 8.7, 11.7 (73)  
Coorow/Latham 0.2, 3.2, 7.3, 9.4 (58)

MORAWA v. THREE SPRINGS  
Round 8 - 26/06/2021

Morawa 2.3, 3.3, 5.6, 5.7 (37)  
Three Springs 0.1, 1.2, 1.2, 3.3 (21)

North Midlands Football League

NMFL 2021

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	FF	FA	B	F	A	%	PTS
1	Mingenew	9	6	3	0	1	0	0	684	537	127.37	24
2	Coorow/Latham	8	6	2	0	2	0	0	532	435	122.30	24
3	Dongara League	9	6	3	0	2	0	0	493	476	103.57	24
4	Carnamah/Perenjori	8	5	3	0	2	0	0	445	397	112.09	20
5	Morawa	9	3	6	0	2	0	0	377	686	54.96	12
6	Three Springs	9	0	9	0	0	9	0	0	0	0.00	0

NMFL Juniors 2021

Pos	Team	P	W	L	D	FF	FA	B	F	A	%	PTS
1	Carnamah/Perenjori	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	707	164	431.10	36
2	Dongara Nippers	9	6	3	0	1	0	0	436	245	177.96	24
3	Morawa	9	6	3	0	0	0	0	275	397	69.27	24
4	Mingenew	9	3	6	0	0	0	0	450	486	92.59	12
5	Coorow/Latham	9	2	7	0	0	0	0	226	519	43.55	8
6	Three Springs	9	1	8	0	0	1	0	161	444	36.26	4

# North Midlands Football League NMFL 2021



MINGENEW v. CARNAMAH/PERENJORI  
Round 9 - 03/07/2021

Mingenew	2.1, 7.6, 12.8, 16.12 (108)
Carnamah/Perenjori	0.3, 3.4, 7.4, 10.6 (66)

GOALS, Mingeneew:

H. Little 5, J. Dempster 4, J. Roberts 3, M. Bickford 2, B. Mudge 1, I. Damme 1

Carnamah/Perenjori:

R. Barham 3, B. Walton 2, A. Solomon 1, A. Joss 1, B. Haeusler 1, J. Tremlett 1,  
J. Camac 1

BEST, Mingeneew:

R. Poultney, J. Greaves, H. Little, M. Bickford, H. Pullbrook

Carnamah/Perenjori:

A. Bone, R. Sutherland, J. Tremlett, N. Haeusler, R. Barham

MORAWA v. DONGARA LEAGUE  
Round 9 - 03/07/2021

Dongara League	6.1, 8.4, 14.9, 21.12 (138)
Morawa	0.1, 2.6, 2.9, 5.11 (41)

GOALS, Morawa:

R. Simpson 2, C. Dongara 1, B. Porter 1, A. Egan 1

Morawa:

B. Porter, B. Payne, K. Egan, A. Egan, R. Hutton

MATCH

COOROW/LATHAM v. THREE SPRINGS

Round 9 - 03/07/2021

Coorow/Latham won by forfeit.

## NMFL Juniors 2021

MINGENEW v. CARNAMAH/PERENJORI  
Round 9 - 03/07/2021

Carnamah/Perenjori	6.3, 8.5, 11.7, 12.7 (79)
Mingenew	2.0, 4.0, 4.1, 5.4 (34)

MORAWA v. DONGARA NIPPERS  
Round 9 - 03/07/2021

Morawa	2.1, 3.3, 5.3, 8.6 (54)
Dongara Nippers	0.4, 1.5, 2.9, 3.9 (27)

COOROW/LATHAM v. THREE SPRINGS  
Round 9 - 03/07/2021

Coorow/Latham	2.7, 2.8, 4.10, 5.11 (41)
Three Springs	1.0, 2.1, 2.2, 3.4 (22)

# NORTH MIDLANDS WOMEN'S HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

North Midlands Women's Hockey Association had two teams participate in the CBH Country Week Championships. The Masters Team (below) had 3 draws, 1 win and 1 loss to finish third out of the six teams in their group. The Division 4 team (right) had 2 pools as there were 8 teams in the competition. They were third in their pool with 1 win, 2 losses. In the next round of games they had a draw and a loss so finished sixth out of the eight teams.



Season action so far has been great with a number of draws between teams. Mingenew has pulled ahead on the ladder with no losses yet this season. Three Springs and Coorow are on equal points, but Three Springs with the higher goal difference. Dongara has yet to record a win but each week they improving and narrowing the goal difference.



## SENIOR LADDER

Team	P	W	D	L	F	A	D	PTS
MINGENEW	7	5	2	0	23	8	15	12
THREE SPRINGS	8	4	3	1	14	5	9	11
COOROW	8	4	3	1	16	9	7	11
CARNAMAH	7	2	2	3	15	11	4	6
MORAWA	7	1	1	6	5	14	-9	3
DONGARA	7	0	1	6	7	33	-26	1

## JUNIOR RESULTS – JUL 3

MI 1 draw CA 1

CW 5 def TS 1

MO -bye

## JUNIOR LADDER

Team	P	W	D	L	PTS
MORAWA	7	6	1	0	13
CARNAMAH	8	3	3	2	9
MINGENEW	7	3	2	2	8
COOROW	7	2	1	4	5
THREE SPRINGS	7	0	1	6	1



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