

Shire of Lake Grace

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From the Chief Executive Officer

Following what was yet another incident at the Stubb St-South Rd intersection back in the middle of February a meeting was organised several days later with four Main Roads representatives, Shire President Len Armstrong, Manager Infrastructure Services Phil Burgess and CEO Alan George.

It was held on-site to discuss some possible solution and some suggestions from the Shire representatives. A plan of attack was formulated and taken away by Main Roads to work it out.

I am pleased to advise that on the 4th of May at a further meeting with Main Roads further works have been ratified for the intersection. Superfluous signs will be removed, replaced or relocated to try and remove the visual clutter. New road markings at the intersection to further enhance the stop signs will be made, and finally they have agreed to install flashing signage announcing the stop signs ahead on both the north and south approaches to the intersection. These signs are currently in the design stage and will probably be the last to be installed.

This has come about as a result of continued pressure placed on Main Roads from the Shire, Roadwise Committee and the community. Well done to all.

The President and I had a tour of the new Newdegate CBH facility just east of Newdegate a couple of weeks ago and it was very impressive in that it has already put in place the infrastructure to cater for further expansion.

Whilst there I mentioned that we would like to have access to the water that would collect in the large retention basin they have on site. We are currently investigating pumping and piping the water to the Newdegate town dams to provide further drought proofing for the town ovals as well as providing further emergency water supply for stock and firefighting purposes. The Department of Water and Environmental Regulation is keen to help as is CBH.

It's Shire Budget preparation time again with the first round commencing on 27 May prior to the Council meeting. The current situation regarding fuel supplies and associated products pushing costs of many items up will no doubt be a factor that will be discussed.

Alan George, Chief Executive Officer
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Next Council Meeting

3.30pm, Wednesday 27 May

A minimum of 15 minutes is set aside for public question time, giving community members an opportunity to ask questions relating to Shire activities. All welcome.

Upcoming agendas, and minutes from previous meetings are available for public viewing at: www.lakegrace.wa.gov.au

the growing centre

WRAP Workshop Update



The kids at the Waste Recycle Arts Program Workshop (WRAP) have begun to practice their flower-making technique with instructor Kerrie Argent. Using yarn and a nail board they learnt how to create their desired shape.



Once they were comfortable creating flowers from yarn, they moved onto wire. Once completed, the flowers will help decorate the welcome sign at the Community Garden.

LEGO CLUB
Where: Lake Grace CRC
When: 3pm-4pm
JUNE 2ND, 9TH, 16TH, 23RD, 30TH
Email evelyn.oatridge@lakegrace.wa.gov.au or
Call 9890 2500 to enrol your child

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THE DRAW!**

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Survey



National 18-24 MAY 2026
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YOUR YEAR TO VOLUNTEER **Week**



COMMUNITY INFORMATION

Lake Grace Swimming Pool

CLOSED FOR THE SEASON

Library Services

Lake Grace Community Library

School Place

T: 08 9865 1185

E: lakegracelibrary@hotmail.com

Newdegate Public Library

Collier Street

T: 08 9871 1791

E: admin@newdegatecrc.com.au

Lake King Library

Newdegate/Ravensthorpe Road

T: 08 9874 4147

E: lklib@lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Town Planning & Building

Please contact the Shire of Lake Grace for all Town Planning and Building Surveying enquiries.

Email: shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au

Department of Transport

All licensing payments can be made in person at the Shire of Lake Grace Administration Building:

Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:00pm

Please allow a minimum of 30 minutes prior to closing to enable completion of transactions.

We process the majority of transactions including: renewals, transfers, number plate orders, boat registration renewals and new licence applications.

Driving Assessor

Lake Grace holds one assessment day each month (subject to change).

Bookings are essential for all Practical Driver's Licence Assessments as there is a wait list. Please contact the Shire office for bookings. For more information go to: www.transport.wa.gov.au

Environmental Health

Please contact the Shire of Lake Grace for all Environmental Health enquiries.

Email: shire@lakegrace.wa.gov.au.

Waste Facilities

Lake Grace

Monday & Wednesday 9am - 2pm

Saturday & Sunday 9am - 4pm

Newdegate

Wednesday 9am - 1pm

Saturday 9am - 1pm

Lake King

Open every day

Varley

Closed

Recycling Services

Household waste is collected each Tuesday in Lake Grace, Newdegate, Lake King & Varley.

Recycling is a fortnightly service, alternating between Lake Grace and Newdegate:

Newdegate	Lake Grace
Tuesday 26 May 9 June	Tuesday 2 June 16 June

Shire of Lake Grace

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