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Join our after school craft club
4 week program
\$20 per child



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We'll see you in Mingenew

SHIRE
OF MINGENEW

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Community Resource Centre

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UPDATE

We will now be publishing fortnightly on Tuesdays.
If you would like to advertise in the Matters we need it by
12pm Monday.
Thank you for your understanding and support.
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FOR SALE

**Sea Container
Wind and Water Tight
Good Condition
\$3850**

Call 0484117966 or 0439858644

Farewell Mingeneu!

Just wanted to say ' Goodbye Mingeneu!' and, 'sorry' that I did not get to say this to some of you before our 'School Holiday Departure'.And, I also worked out that I'm terrible with 'goodbyes'!!

Thankyou to all the friendships, beaut neighbours, business partners, and, great people, that the Cobley's met,and, had the pleasure of dealing with, over my 20 years.

In many ways, I regretfully leave Agriculture, and, Mingeneu, but, it recently dawned upon me that the time was right for a 'career pivot', ...and, the new opportunities, and, the fresh start that brings !

I will miss the wildflowers, Erregulla, the Mingeneu water, the umpiring , The Expo & Race Day, and, the great community spirit of winter sport's weekends.

It's been a great place to bring up kids, and, I know Amelia, Euie & Lach, will miss their childhood home, - dearly - also.

I hope the rains are plentiful from here on in, and there are many good & prosperous seasons ahead for Mingeneu.

Regards, & best wishes to you all,

Ben Cobley



Be Connected
Every Australian online.

BE CONNECTED PROGRAM Here at Mingeneew CRC



FREE MONTHLY DIGITAL LESSONS FOR OVER 50's



****Please note Date Change
Monday 19th February**

Session 4

Getting Started Online

Navigating the online world can be a little tricky at first, but this topic will teach you some essential skills to help you get started online.

**The Exchange Mingeneew
10am-12pm
MORNING TEA PROVIDED**

LIMITED SPACES - BOOKINGS PREFERRED

If you have your own device - Laptop, ipad/tablet or smart phone you are welcome to bring that along otherwise you can borrow one from the CRC

Please contact us on 9928 1264 or email crcprojects@mingeneew.wa.au

Be Connected is an Australian Government initiative committed to building the confidence, digital skills and online safety of older Australians





ANNUAL FOX SHOOT

Friday 15th March 2024

Register by Monday 4th of March 2024

- Team Name - Max 4 People
- Team Contact Information
- Shooting Location

Teams must Source their own properties to shoot on

Contact Montana to register on 0499 245 463 or admin@mig.org.au

Tally Breakfast & Prizes

Saturday 16th of March
7:30am @ Cecil Newton Park

SUPPORTING REGIONAL MEN'S HEALTH

Sporting Shooters Association AustraliaWA is donating \$5 for every cat and fox culled to the Regional Men's Health Initiative



Thank you to the following sponsors





Government of **Western Australia**
WA Country Health Service



Mingenew

We're here for you

Hey, Mingenew! From 14 March, WA Country Health Service will begin managing the Mingenew Health Centre.

Nothing is changing – you can continue to access care like normal.

There will be no impact to services. Please continue to access care like you normally would.

We have a long and proud history of caring for communities in rural and remote WA and **we're excited to call Mingenew home.**

How to get in touch

Contact information remains the same



80 Phillip Street
MINGENEW WA 6522



(08) 9928 1043



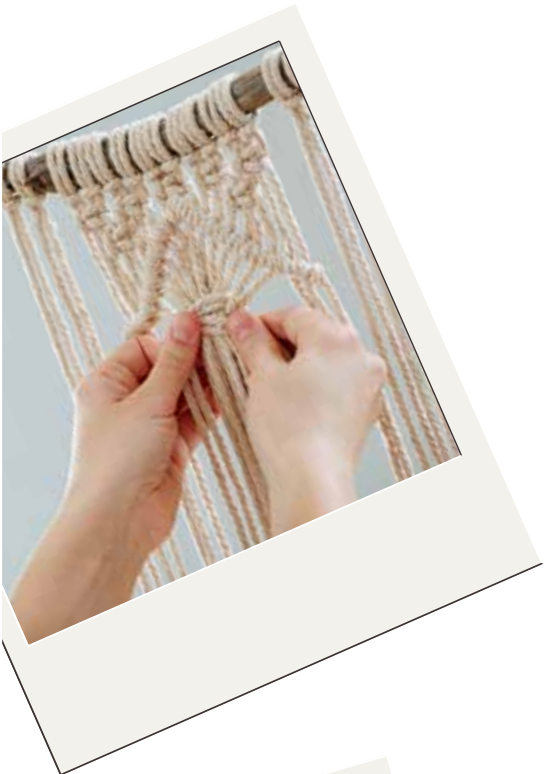
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Macrame Workshop



Join Mingenew Arts & Craft Collective
a macrame workshop.

Initial kit & nibbles provided
Additional kits & cool drinks
available to purchase



\$40 per person

10% discount for MACC members

Mingenew Railway Station

Wednesday 28th Feb

Workshop 1 - 2pm to 5pm

Workshop 2 - 6pm - 9pm

Limited spots available



Payment required for registration

Use your name as reference

BSB 633 000

ACC 175099225





2024 COUNCIL MEETING DATES

Mingenew Shire Council meetings will be held in the Council Chambers at 21 Victoria Street, Mingenev, commencing at 5:00pm on the third Wednesday of every second month, except January 2023, as per the following schedule:

January – No Meeting
 21 February
 17 April
 19 June
 21 August
 16 October
 11 December

Please visit the Shire's website at mingenev.wa.gov.au to access Council Minutes, Agendas and further information regarding Public Question Time and meeting procedures.

Erin Greaves
 Acting Chief Executive Officer

Heavy Vehicle Pilot Refresher Course

1st March

1 Day Course

Required for License renewal
 Mainroads WA (every 3 years)
 Can be done up to 6 months
 before expiry

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 **Mingenew
 CRC**

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**GENERAL HAND WORK / FARM WORK
ABLE TO START ASAP**

**CONTACT WAYNE 0484939104
(SITUATED IN MINGENEW)**

Years
4, 5 & 6

Starting
March 6th
2.45pm - 4.00pm

Craft Club

Join our after school craft club
4 week program
\$20 per child

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SCAN ME





**Midwest Aero Medical
is happy to advise that
Dr Emma Jones
will be in Mingeneu on the
following dates in 2024**
(please note dates are subject to change)

**Monday 8th January 2024
Monday 22nd January 2024**

**Monday 5th February 2024
Monday 19th February 2024**

**Appointments can be made by
calling 9956 8999**



Upcoming first aid courses

HLTAID011 - Provide First Aid

Course type: Accredited | **Duration:** 1 day in class + Online learning

Price: \$170.00

When: Thursday 8 February - 8:30AM - 4:30PM
Wednesday 13 March - 8:30AM - 4:30PM
Wednesday 10 April - 8:30AM - 4:30PM

Where: 1 Blenheim Road, Port Denison WA 6525



Understand first aid

Learn about first aid theory and action plans



CPR and defibrillation

Practise CPR skills and how to apply a defibrillator.



Injury management

Treat and manage injuries in interactive training scenarios.



Ready to make a difference?

Book a first aid course with us

 [St John First Aid Training](#)

MEPAU in the Mid West



Mitsui E&P Australia (MEPAU) is a WA-based energy provider with two facilities in the Mid West. MEPAU is a significant contributor to the development of a sustainable supply of energy for the nation and in addition to maintaining its energy resource portfolio, is pursuing new low carbon energy and carbon abatement opportunities.

MEPAU and its joint venture partner Beach Energy are working to safely deliver the Waitsia Gas Project near Dongara.



Waitsia Gas Plant Update

Waitsia Gas Project Stage 2 has completed month 37 of the 'Execute Phase'. Installation of the Northern Flowline commenced in December 2023 and Gas Plant works continue with commissioning activities.

Waitsia Stage 2B wells

Well design and campaign planning activities are underway on locations and options for five to eight development wells, which are proposed for construction and drilling in 2024. The completed and tested wells would be tied-back via new flowlines to the Waitsia Gas Plant.



Xyris Production Facility (Waitsia Stage 1)

Our Xyris Production Facility is in a steady state, producing 30 Terajoules per day of gas, which is delivered into the Dampier Bunbury Natural Gas Pipeline (DBNGP) for the WA domestic market.



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Well completions and testing

The Waitsia-11 (W-11) well testing activities were successfully completed in December 2023.

Our next well completion and testing activities will be for Gynatrix-01 well, with flaring anticipated to occur from ~6/7 February 2024.

Flaring is the part of the well testing process where gas is released and burned under strictly controlled conditions. This process provides an understanding of the types of fluids the well can produce, in addition to monitoring the pressure and flow rates of the well.

MEPAU uses a well test flare pit (see image above) which is designed and constructed to contain the flare. Well testing activity is monitored at all times and production data is continuously captured.



Well decommissioning

As part of MEPAU's planned decommissioning and rehabilitation works for wells at their end-of-life, plug and abandonment (P&A) activities are scheduled for 10 suspended wells within production licences L1, L1/L2, L4/L5 and EP413 during the first half of 2024.

The previously produced zones (in each well) will be isolated with appropriate bridging materials and cement plugs, followed by the removal of production tubulars.

Post P&A, the wellhead is cut ~2 meters below ground level. The excavated area will be backfilled, and the well location marked at the surface.

Rehabilitation of the well sites post P&A is then coordinated as part of a separate work program.



February Tennis Fixtures



MINGENEW TENNIS CLUB FIXTURES

Date	Friday	Date	Sunday
9/2	6pm Social Tennis	Please bring a salad to share. BBQ dinner & bar open.	
16/2	6pm Social Tennis		
		25/2	3pm Elders Doubles
1/3	6pm Social Tennis		

- COMMITTEE**
- Pres: Anthony Smyth
 - VP: Callum Blakey
 - Tres: Annette Thomas
 - Sec: Hellene McTaggart
 - Kate Mills (Captain)
 - Bron Criddle (Vice Captain)
 - Jess Ward (Juniors)
 - Murray Thomas
 - Rikki Smith
 - Courtney Humphrey
 - Jarrad Spencer
 - Clint Chivers
 - Zoe Jones

DOUBLES

New date

SUNDAY
25 FEB

3PM FOR 3.15PM
HIT OFF

WOMEN'S + MEN'S DRAW

- We find you a partner if you need
- All skill levels welcome
- NAMES to Bron 0429881782 or Kate 0458 281 154 by Fri 23/2

STEAK DINNER • BAR OPEN
PLEASE BRING A SALAD TO SHARE

WITH THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS

MEMBERSHIP NOW DUE

Purchase online via our [website](#) or eft

Adult \$85 Junior* \$20

Mingenew Tennis Club
 bsb: 633 000 ac: 178 360 749
 ref: your name



*free for Junior coaching participants

ALL SKILL LEVELS, AGES AND VISITORS WELCOME

More info, membership via play.tennis.com.au/mingenewtennisclub

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Opening Hours:

Monday - Friday

8am until 5pm

(Closed for lunch 12pm-1pm)

Contact Details:

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MINGENEW HOCKEY CLUB

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING +
GENERAL MEETING**

Wednesday 14th February, 2024
Mingenew Rec Centre
7pm

Email agenda items to:
mingenewhockey@gmail.com

*All senior players, junior parents, new locals and spectators are
invited to attend.*

*Please come along to support your committee members and help us
create a great season for everyone.*

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