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for supporting your local community
or get help to stay living at home**

PROUDLY SUPPORTING THE MINGENEW MATTERS

We'll see you in Mingenew

SHIRE
OF MINGENEW

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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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Join Mable and your CRC to hear about *Staying In Place*, locally led care with social, economic and health benefits for the community.

Mingenew CRC

Wednesday 13th March, 9:00am - 10:30am



Provide help with cleaning, lawn mowing, meal preparation, transport, care or companionship.



Choose when you work, what you offer and your pay rate.



Get help with invoicing, payments, admin and insurance.



Support your locals, choose your own clients and services you want to provide.

**For more information contact
Mingenew CRC on 9928 1392 or Brad at Mable on 0478 398 194**

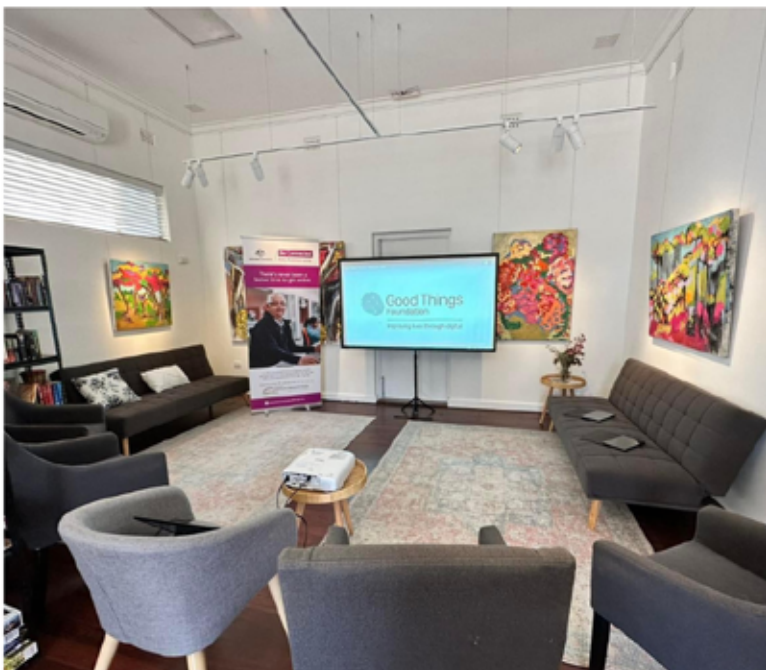


Be Connected
Every Australian online.

BE CONNECTED PROGRAM Here at Mingenew CRC



FREE MONTHLY DIGITAL LESSONS FOR OVER 50's



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

Monday 11th March

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.

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@mingenew.wa.au

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





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

Monday 18th March (Dr Tochi)

**Monday 15th April
(Shingrix Vaccine available. Please advise
when booking)**

Monday 29th April (TBC)

Monday 27th May

Monday 24th June

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

MINGENEW TURF CLUB PRESENTS

MINGENEW RACES

SATURDAY
9TH MARCH 2024

6 RACE EVENT

FASHIONS ON THE FIELD

KIDS - FREE ENTERTAINMENT

FOOD VANS

BOOKIES / TAB

LIVE MUSIC 'THE SHEDS'

GATES OPEN AT 12NOON

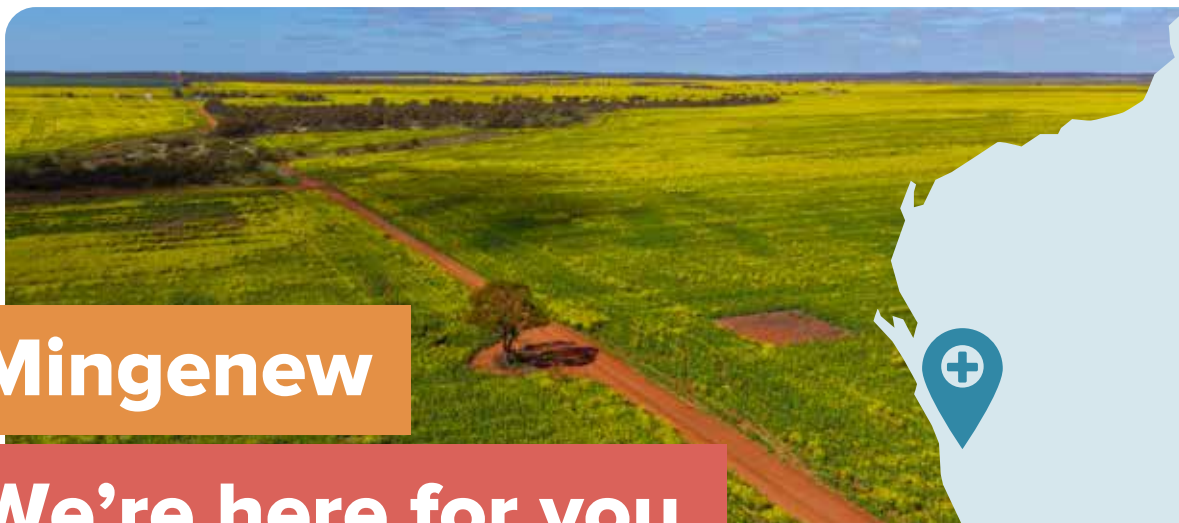
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Government of **Western Australia**
WA Country Health Service



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



wacountry.health.wa.gov.au

CLEARING SALE

Bookara

Saturday, 16th March 2024

Commencing at 10am

Nutrien Ag Solutions has received instructions from Gadara Farm to offer, by public auction on their property situated on 40 Matsen Road, Bookara - signs will be displayed, the following items:

Parto + Jo Norrish Farm

· MACHINERY · PLANT · SUNDRIES ·**MACHINERY / PLANT**

Deutz 6.38 air cooled FWA 125HP 5,200 hours, Nissan CW45 6 wheel tipper (unlicensed), Nissan Patrol ute factory turbo 4.2 single cab 260,000km, Ford Cargo truck single axles 5 in 1 bin, New Holland 1431 mower conditioner, Vintage 9G Chamberlain 3PL, Vintage 1940's Allis Chalmers model U, Massey 20 disc plough, Commander auger 41' x 10", Electric pencil auger 4.5' x 3", Millar Genset welder 10 KVA, 2 x 1000 bushel field bins, 1200 bushel silo, Suzuki 250 quad bike, Suzuki 200 ag bike, Yamaha 200 bike, 800L Fire fighter, Jenell Mister with firebreak boom, 1000L fuel trailer, 20' Sea container - chiller, Cool room 1830 x 2450 or 8' x 6' new drop in unit, Meat Bandsaw, 2 x air compressors, Himac 450L self-loading cement mixer (suit JCB Telehandler), 3 PTL Cement mixer & ripper, Telehandler pallet forks & workcage, JCB HD Skel bucket, FEL pallet forks, HD loader tree push rake, Box trailer 6' x 5' (licenced), Sheep crate suit twin cab, Truck tray hay trailer, 4 x Sunbeam shearing overheads, Wool press auto pin, Prattley sheep auto weigh crate, 2 x lick feeders, 3800L Water carting tanks, 2200L fuel tank, 200L fuel tank, 1000L water carting tanks, 2 x Fibreglass paddock tanks, Ute tray 1200 canopy (solar & fruit), 79 Series bull bar, Gasless Mig, Small oxy set

SUNDRIES

Large limestone blocks, Chains, Tie Down straps, Vintage steel wheels, Vintage discs, Vintage concrete trough with legs, 12V Crutcher hand piece, Large amount of electric fencing equipment, Ringlock strainers, Sheep yard panels, Various oils, Various greases, Various tools, 6 x Weldmesh gates, Numerous water fittings, Shed guttering, Wood thicknesser on table, 12V Chemical batch pump, Ute tray tool boxes, Car ramps, Various tyres, Cabinets, Shelving, Railway iron strainers, Poly fence posts, Various timbers, Slabs, Large jetty beams, Furniture inc dressers, tables, wrought iron bed, bar stools, bar fridge and much more

Photo's & full listing available at www.nutrien.com.au

TERMS:

Payment required by Cash or Cheque on the day of the sale, unless prior arrangements have been made with your local Nutrien Ag Solutions Branch.

EFTPOS/Credit Card Facilities.

Intending purchasers must register prior to sale commencing, ID required for registration.

Please call to check availability of items prior to the sale.

Light luncheon and refreshments will be available

Further details contact Nutrien Ag Solutions Geraldton: 08 9921 1344

Murray Paterson: 0428 310 660

Technical advise Gary Norrish 0827731022



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



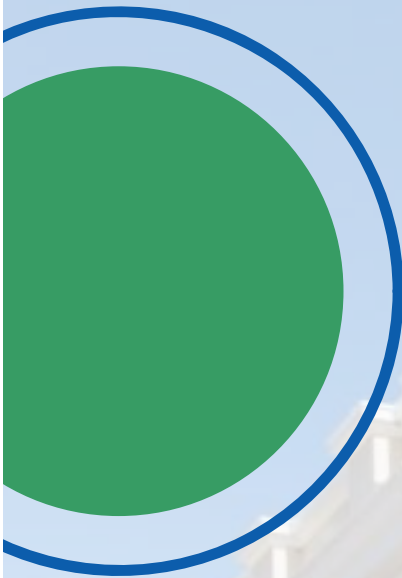
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Thursday 7th March

BUS TRIP

Geraldton Regional Art Gallery

This outing is Free of Charge to our older community residents thanks to the Shire of Mingenev Community Assistance Grant

Rsvp Required as Limited Spaces
Contact Claire at the CRC 9928 1264

Bus will depart Autumn Centre at 9.00

Bring a Water Bottle, Hat, Sunscreen and any Medication you require

Lunch will be at the Murchison Tavern after the Gallery Visit





What's Up in the Night Sky?

With Carol Redford and Donna Vanzetti

The 'Morning Star' Meets Saturn!

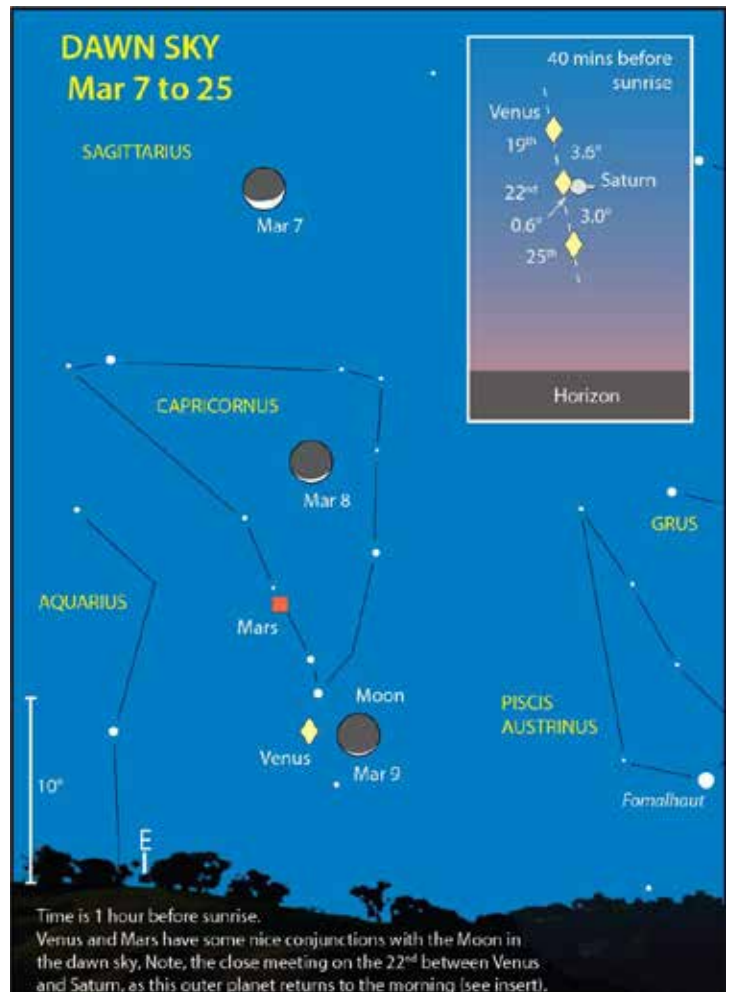
Early morning risers in March will be treated to an impressive display as the planets come together for a cosmic dance! On the 9th March, a beautiful view of the Moon, appearing as a thin slither, and Venus, are just a few degrees apart on the eastern horizon. Joining them is Mars, appearing as a red star-like object above the pair. You'll have to be up early in the morning to catch it though!

Keep watching...on following mornings, you'll see Venus appear to move further away from Mars and head towards Saturn. By the 22nd, Venus and Saturn will be just a half a degree apart!

When and where to look: 5am, from 9th March and very low to the eastern horizon.

Use the image to the right as your early morning guide.

Image: Courtesy Quasar Publishing. To find out more about what to see in the night sky, buy yourself the Astronomy Australia almanac at www.quasarastronomy.com.au.



Why Does the Date for Easter Change Every Year?

Did you know the equinox is central to the changing date of Easter each year? The date of Easter changes because it is based on the lunar calendar. Easter falls on the first Sunday following the first full moon after the March equinox. This year the March equinox falls on 20th March. The first full moon after the March Equinox is on 25th March which means Easter Sunday is on 31st March.

For more "What's Up in the Night Sky?" stargazing tips, visit www.astrotourismwa.com.au.



Mid West Community Grants

**APPLICATIONS OPEN
1 MARCH - 1 APRIL 2024**

**Grants of up to \$4,000
AVAILABLE FOR 2024 PROJECTS,
EVENTS & INITIATIVES THAT SUPPORT:**



▶ **Education, Skills Development & Training** opportunities for people living in the Mid West.



▶ **Employment and pre-employment training initiatives** for Mid West communities, especially initiatives that benefit youth and local Indigenous persons.



▶ **Community-focussed initiatives** involving social engagement, community welfare, health and fitness, or the natural environment.



Apply Online

Scan the QR code, or go to: [www.mepau.com.au/
community/mid-west-community-grants/](http://www.mepau.com.au/community/mid-west-community-grants/)

The Mid West Community Grant Program is funded by Mitsui E&P Australia (MEPAU) and joint venture partner Beach Energy.



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

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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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E: mingenewtennisclub@gmail.com



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Monday - Friday

8am until 5pm

(Closed for lunch 12pm-1pm)

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2024 COUNCIL MEETING DATES

Mingenew Shire Council meetings will be held in the Council Chambers at 21 Victoria Street, Mingenew, 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 mingenew.wa.gov.au to access Council Minutes, Agendas and further information regarding Public Question Time and meeting procedures.

Erin Greaves
Acting Chief Executive Officer

