

SHIRE OF EXMOUTH COMMUNITY SERVICES NEWSLETTER

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AUSTRALIA DAY 2022 CELEBRATIONS

The Shire of Exmouth welcomes the Exmouth community to celebrate Australia Day at the Paltridge Memorial Swimming Pool on Wednesday 26 January between 9 am and 12 pm.

Free pool entry, free bacon and egg rolls for breakfast, Australia Day Cake, games and free aqua run. Join us as we will welcome two new Australians with a citizenship ceremony at 11 am.

Know before you go - check the most up to date COVID-19 regulations

SHIRE OF EXMOUTH COMMUNITY GRANTS ROUND 2, 2021/2022

The Shire of Exmouth's Community Grants program aims to support the development of self-sustaining community groups and clubs and promote local economic development.

The Community and Sporting Grants Program (CSGP) offers grants of up to \$1,500 ex GST to eligible local organisations to support small-scale initiatives that take place from October 2020 to 30 June 2022.

Round 2 opens on Friday 4 February 2022 and closes on Friday 4 March 2022.

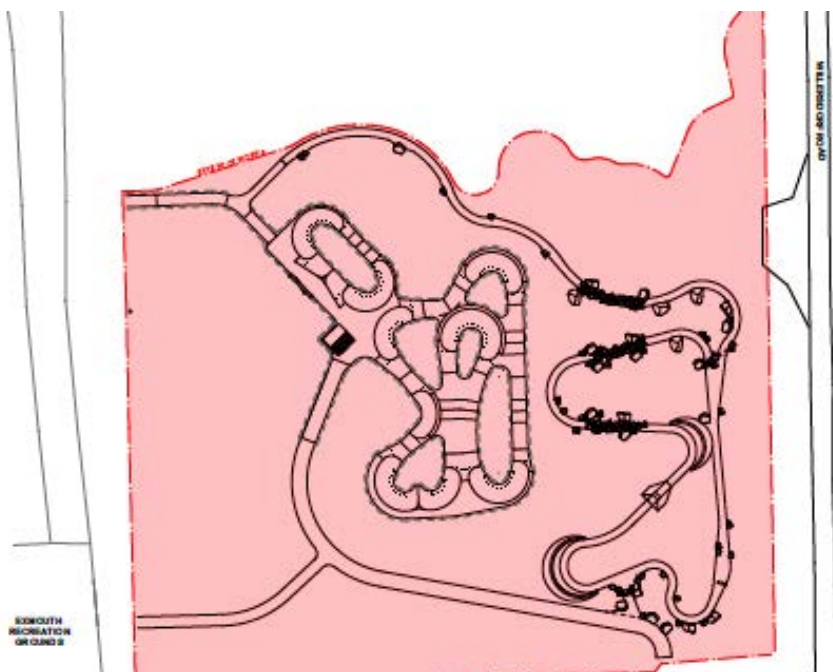
Eligible local groups may apply for support for up to two (2) events/activities per round (up to a maximum of four (4) per year) and subject to available pool funding. Applications must be submitted using the nominated Shire of Exmouth form. For more information <https://www.exmouth.wa.gov.au/community/community-services/community-grants-programs.aspx> or for assistance please email tcooper@exmouth.wa.gov.au

BUILDING STRONGER CLUBS WORKSHOP MONDAY 7 FEB 2022

Exmouth Clubs & Groups - Learn how to strengthen your club by providing choice, opportunity and personal connections to your members. This workshop will show you how to unlock the hidden assets in your club and how to communicate your message effectively.

This workshop on Monday 7 February is bought to you by Inclusion Solutions and the Shire of Exmouth Building Inclusive Communities WA Project. To register go to <https://exmouthworkshop.eventbrite.com.au>

EXMOUTH BIKE PARK STARTS CONSTRUCTION



Construction started this month on the new Bike Park at Exmouth's Recreation Precinct. The bike park, which will consist of a pump track and skills trail, is sited on land between the Community Gardens and the Tennis Club's courts. The pump track will contain an endless loop with rollers and berms designed to be ridden without pedaling, instead using a pumping motion, pulling up on the face of rollers, and pushing down on the backside of rollers. The skills trail consists of a series of features designed to challenge the rider's skills and improve their riding technique. All trails are in a single direction. The builders of the Exmouth Bike Park are Common Ground Trails Pty Ltd with funding for the construction phase of this project provided by Woodside | Mitsui and Shire of Exmouth.

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TURTLE REHABILITATION GEORGIA'S RELEASE

This month saw the release of Georgia, a green turtle approximately 15-20 years old, back into the ocean. Georgia had been rehabilitating under the guidance of the Shire of Exmouth's aquarium team and the Ningaloo Sea Turtle Rehabilitation Centre for the last six months.



SERVICE WA APP



If you want to be able to show proof of COVID-19 vaccination and check in with SafeWA, there is a one stop shop with the ServiceWA mobile application. If you're not too technologically savvy, it's a great idea to have a cup of tea or coffee ready, and ask someone you know to help work through the steps to set up the ServiceWA app. If you require assistance, please contact Shire of Exmouth on 9949 3000 or email info@exmouth.wa.gov.au for upcoming dates of information sessions or contact details for staff that can assist.

COMMUNITY VACCINATION CLINIC

Exmouth community members over 5 years can Roll up for WA and get a COVID-19 vaccine between Tuesday 1 February and Friday 4 February, 2022 and then again between Tuesday 22 February and 25 February, 2022 at the WACHS community vaccination clinic in the Shire of Exmouth's building on 24 Maidstone Cres.



For more information Ph: 132 6843 or head to rollupforwa.com.au

SPORTS MEDICINE AUSTRALIA LEVEL ONE SPORT TRAINER

The Shire of Exmouth is pleased to offer Sports Medicine Australia's (SMA) Level 1 Sports Trainer course which is designed to introduce participants to the basic knowledge and skills required by a Sports Trainer. These skills include the management of specific sporting injuries, sports taping, and transporting an injured athlete. This course educates prospective Sports Trainers, teachers, coaches, administrators, and parents on the basic principles of sports medicine.

The successful completion of the Level 1 Sports Trainer course provides an opportunity for participants to become accredited SMA Sports Trainers. This is the standard required to perform the duties of a Sports Trainer in most major Australian sporting codes. To register an expression of interest, please use the following link <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SMAttraining2022>

SHIRE OF EXMOUTH DRAFT 2022-2027 UNIVERSAL ACCESS AND INCLUSION PLAN (UAIP)

At the first Shire of Exmouth Council Meeting to be held this year on 24 February, the Shire of Exmouth 2022-2027 draft Universal Access and Inclusion Plan (UAIP) will be presented.

Following presentation of this draft UAIP, there will be a final opportunity for public consultation/feedback on the UAIP before adoption by Council at a later Shire of Exmouth Council Meeting.

HIKING PROJECT - CAPE RANGE AREA

The Shire of Exmouth is seeking expressions of interest from members of the Exmouth community who would like to be involved in a hiking project in February/March of this year. This project is being funded by a grant from Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries with equal funding from the Shire of Exmouth.

The WA Hiking Participation Grants Program of DLGSC is aimed at growing participation in hiking in Western Australia through the development and delivery of new opportunities for participation, skills development and capacity of leaders.

Upon completion of the this project, eligible participants will have access to selected hiking equipment at Exmouth Tackle & Camping Supplies by way of discounts of up to 20%.

This pilot hiking project will be aimed at developing members of a new hiking club in the Exmouth region. To discuss an interest to be being involved with this pilot project, which includes learning about hiking in the Cape Range area and also being able to gain a free Provide First Aid certificate, please contact Rod McGrath, Manager Community, Sport and Recreation, Shire of Exmouth, via email: rmcgrath@exmouth.wa.gov.au or phone: 9949-3000.

