

Norseman Woodlands to Eucla Coast

## **Ordinary Council Meeting**

19th October 2021



**Papers Relating** 



# 15.1.2 Request to keep 4 dogs at Property 45 Goodliffe street

#### **Peter Fitchat**

From:

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Peter Fitchat

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Dogs - Honey Family

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Mr Peter Fitchat CEO Shire of Dundas

Peter.

Good Morning. As discussed yesterday, my wife and I presently have two kelpie dogs aged 4 and 3 on property at 45 Goodliffe Street. We became aware of litter of kelpie pups and decided to purchase a third to complement our family.

However while talking with the breeder, we became aware the sister of the puppy we wanted to purchase was not sold and has no one interested in her. It was obvious to us what the outcome was going to be for this little pup, so we told the breeder we would take her rather than her face an uncertain future.

As discussed, all our dogs are vaccinated, micro chipped, and our two older ones sterilised. The two new pups will be sterilised when age appropriate. We control noise from our dogs through anti barking devices and exercise them constantly. I do not see them interfering with the health or comfort of any neighbours as we are responsible dogs owners.

Our dogs are not animals to us, they are family members.

All dogs will be registered with the Shire of Dundas.

#### Regards and thanks



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18.3.5 Officers Reports



## REPORT TO COUNCIL Ordinary Council Meeting 19th of October 2021

AREA: Tourism and Communications OFFICER: Hannah Turner

PERIOD OF REPORTING: September-October

Visitor Statistics 20/9 – 13/10

Visitor Patronage (as recorded by Woodlands Centre Statistics): 824

RV Spend:

01/09-30/09: \$3309.89

01/10-14/10: \$1417.88

#### Visitor Traffic

Visitor traffic has increased over the month with majority of tourists heading over east. This is suspected to be due to some of the eastern states coming out of their lockdowns. Visitor requests are for the most part regarding the Eyre Highway and staff have been assisting with South Australian travel declarations. Spending in town, as recorded by the RV Park, has increased demonstrating a higher volume of visitor traffic.

#### 2022 Community Calendar

Final edits for the Community Calendar are being submitted with final approval expecting to be completed before the 20<sup>th</sup> of October, following Local Government Election results. Once the designed is approved, it will be put to printing and distributed in November.

#### Night at the Museum

The Visitor Centre is partnering with the Norseman CRC and Norseman Historical Society to host a tour of the local Museum, branded as "Night at the Museum". The tour will be conducted throughout the various rooms of the museum, lead by volunteers of the Historical Society. Communications has already begun, and half the capacity of the tour is booked. We have also invited Donna Malec from GEMS WA to attend. This event is hoping to promote the museum locally (and to tourists who may be here on the day) and be a great and different kind of event for the community.

#### Communications

Current communications focusses are:

- Local Government Elections
  - o Reminder to vote and of upcoming election day
  - How to get replacement packages
- COVID-19 Vaccination
  - o The return of the vaccination clinic for second and first doses
- Norseman Timber Day
  - A great success with images and a recap for the day. This assisted in boosting followers on the Instagram page.
- Employment Vacancies
- Flower and Garden Show
  - o Promoted the Flower and Garden Show as well as pictures from the day.



#### MANAGEMENT REPORT

Prepared by: Angie Hogan 01/09/2021-30/09/2021 Norseman Community Resource Centre

#### Membership and patronage details:

Total Number of memberships: 4

New memberships this reporting period: 0

Patronage per opening hour: 6.2

September has been a rather busy month, with the CRC Annual report and reporting on outcomes to Department of Primary and Regional Development (DPIRD).

The CRC has been preparing for online week which will commence from the 14-20<sup>th</sup> October we have some exciting workshops set up for the seniors. Code club for the kids will commence in November. October 9th is the beginning of Mental Health week the CRC is running a kid's activity in Marks park on the 14<sup>th</sup> of October where the kids will be joining in on pavement chalk creations where they can express what mental health means to them. All of the creations will be posted on the CRC Facebook page and Mental health Facebook page.

The CRC will be starting Heart Foundation Walking and is designed to help people enjoy regular physical activity. Although we encourage everyone to walk on a regular basis, we've designed Heart Foundation Walking to be a group program i.e. walking in a community group because walking in an organised group gives extra benefits. We will look at starting this early November.

#### <u>Marketing strategies undertaken in the reporting period and outcomes achieved</u> Strategies undertaken:

#### **Events/courses investigated for future succession planning**

All year we will be running Free Basic computer classes-Word, Excel, and Publisher, and BeConnected for Seniors 50+ and short courses.

#### Professional development and training opportunities

Certificate II in information, Digital media and Technology.

#### Professional development opportunities undertaken within reporting period