

COUNCIL TO COMMUNITY

APRIL

What's on in... April

Easter Events

This Easter Long Weekend will showcase several fantastic community events throughout the Shire.

Discover Easter Art Exhibition in the Park@Gingin



Following the highly successful "Ballet in the Brook" Easter event last year, the Uniting and Anglican Churches welcome you to **Discover Easter Art Exhibition in the Park@Gingin**. This four-day event will feature a wide range of artwork from locals and out-of-towners including installations, sculptures, paintings, clay models and more.

When: Thursday 13 April to Sunday 16 April, 10am-5pm daily

Where: Granville Park, Gingin

Special guest artist Bob Booth will be exhibiting his work and giving two "Art & Religion" presentations on Friday at 11.30am and 2.00pm.

For the full program or more information contact Kim Mouritz on 0408 904 074 or kimmouritz@bigpond.com.

Lancelin CWA Easter Fair

Saturday 15 April - 9.00am to 3.00pm at the CWA Hall & Pioneer Park, Lancelin.

Loads of stalls, food and kids' activities. Support the CWA by picking up a bargain at the garage sale.

For more information and/or to book a stall, contact Jerrah on 0448 959 774 or jmenaryevents@gmail.com.

Kids Easter Craft Day

Saturday 15 April - 10.00am at Lancelin CRC.

Fun projects include Easter Bunny baskets, Easter plate mates and foam friends. Morning tea provided.

To book a spot please call the Lancelin CRC on 9655 2033.

Seabird Gala Day Sunday 16 April - starting at 1.00pm at Seabird Oval/Hall. Draw for the Monster Raffle will take place at 3.00pm.

For more information contact Frank at seabirdprogress@gmail.com.

Ledge Point Country Club Easter Weekend

Friday 14 April – Sunday 16 April

Good Friday - fish & chips takeaway from 5.30pm (bar closed)

Easter Saturday - bar open from 2.00pm, live band 6.30pm

Easter Sunday - bar open at 12.30pm and fun activities for the kids:

- Jumping Jitterbugs at 1.00pm
- Colouring competition from 3.00-4.00pm
- Easter Bunny arriving at 4.00pm

Weekend includes three Easter hampers to be won. Tickets available at the Club (and drawn on Easter Sunday).

Woodridge Farmers Markets

Support local and head to Woodridge for fresh vegetables, meat, and fish and enjoy a sausage sizzle, cake stalls and more.

When: Sunday 9 April 2017 at 8.00am – 11.30am

Where: King Drive, Woodridge

For more information contact Teena at woodridgefarmersmarket@gmail.com.

Ledge Point Polocrosse in the Park

The Ledge Point Community Association and Country Club are pleased to invite you to this year's **FREE family polocrosse event**. Come along with a picnic rug, chairs and enjoy two polocrosse matches, market and food stalls, kids' activities, and public bar (please note this is not a BYO event).

When: Sunday 23 April 2017 at 10.00am - 3.00pm

Where: Ledge Point Oval, Jones Street, Ledge Point

For more information contact Craig on 0429 853 396 or 'like' the Ledge Point Polocrosse in the Park Facebook page for updates.

For stall enquiries contact Raewyn on 0438 230 755.

ANZAC Day Services

Commemorative ANZAC Day services will be held throughout the Shire of Gingin on Tuesday 25 April at the following locations:



Lancelin

- 5:45am – meet at Harold Park
- 6.00am – Dawn Service
- 6.30am – march to the Tavern
- 7.00am – Gunfire Breakfast
- After midday – two-up

Guilderton

- 7.00am – Guilderton Country Club - morning service followed by breakfast.
- Diggers Cup Competition (golf and bowls in teams of four).

Seabird

- 6.00am – morning service at Seabird Hall followed by sausage sizzle.

Gingin

- 6.00am – meet at Gingin Craft Rooms, Walk of Reflection to the War Memorial, reading of poem/short verse.
- 6.15am – Gingin Sound Shell – Dawn Service followed by Gunfire Breakfast.

Sovereign Hill Biggest Morning Tea

The Sovereign Hill Community Association is pleased to host a 'witchy' themed Biggest Morning Tea fundraiser on **Saturday 29 April** at Sovereign House in Sovereign Hill from 10am to 12noon.

Entry is \$2.50 and includes door prize and morning tea. There will be raffles, quizzes, fun games, plant and craft sales to name a few, with all proceeds to the **Cancer Council**.

Bring your quirkiest or wickedest witch for a chance to win a prize! Children welcome.

For more information contact Dianne on 9577 1430.



Our Community News

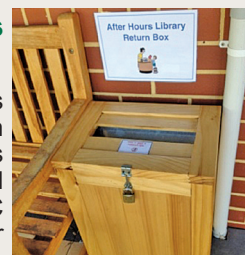
Lancelin Shire Office is now Transwa Agent



The Shire is pleased to announce the Lancelin Office has commenced operating as the Transwa ticketing agent for the local area. The ticketing service is available from **Monday to Friday**, 9.00am to 4.00pm (excludes weekends and public holidays).

If you would like to book a ticket for any of the Transwa services, including trains and buses, please call Marie or Lyn on 9575 5155.

Gingin Library After-Hours Return Box



Returning your library books to the Gingin Library has been made a bit easier! An after-hours return box has been installed near the front door of the CRC building and is ready to take your library books.

Road Projects... and a new Tractor

As part of our Annual Road Program, the Shire's Operations team recently completed major resealing work on **Gingin Brook Road** and **Bennies Road**. Road work in progress at the moment includes:

- Wowra Drive (asphalt)
- Hawcroft Place, Lancelin (drainage and asphalt)
- Cullulla Road (extending work by 2.3km)



And to help with all the operational work around our region, the Shire welcomed a new John Deere MC 6016 tractor to its fleet. This shiny addition has now replaced the old but faithful predecessor.

I'M ALERT Milestone Reached

Last year the Shire launched the I'M ALERT Food Safety Training program on its website and we are pleased to report that **100 users** have conducted food safety training with us. We even got a congratulatory email from The I'M ALERT Team for reaching this milestone.

"This is a fantastic outcome," said the Shire's Environmental Health Officer Bob Kelly. "Our food handlers should be commended for their uptake on this public health initiative."

The I'M ALERT Food Safety Training is a **free** on-line training tool and can be found on the Shire's website by going to Services/Environmental Health/I'M ALERT Food Safety Training.

Shire Notices

Office Closures – Easter and ANZAC Day

A reminder to our community that the Shire offices in Gingin and Lancelin will be closed on the following public holidays:

- Good Friday – Friday 14 April
- Easter Monday – Monday 17 April
- ANZAC Day – Tuesday 25 April