COUNCIL TO COMMUNIT

Gingin Givilderton Lancelin

Ledge Point



Race Results - Gingin Triathlon

A massive congratulations to all our competitors in the Gingin Biennial Triathlon a couple of weekends ago! The weather sure turned on the heat but thankfully it wasn't too bad for the most part and really only started to warm up towards the end of the race.

The complete race results can be viewed online via https://my.raceresult.com/165935/.

Well done to our overall individual champions - Connor Richards (time of 0:43:27.0) and **Petra Jerejian** (time of 0:46:37.5). Congratulations also to our short course champions Chaz Gresele (time of 0:22:36.7) and Kayla Campbell (time of 0:25:45.5).

As registrations were carried over from last year due to COVID cancellations, we have become aware that a small number of competitors were in the wrong age category.

In the spirit of good faith, all placings issued on Sunday will still stand however to appropriately recognise those positioned outside the placings as a result of the oversight, we are pleased to also award Kendra Venn the Third Place in Female 13 - 16 age category and Team Cousin Sandwich Third Place in the 7 - 12 age category.

Congratulations once again to everyone who competed. It's a fantastic event and we're looking forward to hosting the event again in 2023 for Gingin. Next year the Triathlon will take place in Lancelin.

PHOTOS from the event will be available for public viewing on the Shire's Facebook page shortly and you can ask for a copy of the originals from the Shire.

If you have any queries please contact the events team via events@gingin.wa.gov.au / (08) 9575 5162.







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We're Hiring! Lancelin Office

CUSTOMER SERVICE/ADMINISTRATION OFFICER (Permanent, Part-Time up to 37 Hrs)

The Shire of Gingin is pleased to offer an excellent employment opportunity for a Customer Service/Administration Officer to join our Corporate and Community Services team working in the Lancelin Office. This position would ideally suit someone who genuinely enjoys working with people.

The primary role is to provide a professional and vibrant initial point of contact with customers. The successful candidate will have a sound understanding of the principles of customer service and accurately receive and record all monies paid to the Shire. Previous experience in a customer service and/or administrative environment will be highly regarded.

This position is being offered on the basis of permanent part-time employment within Band 4 of the Local Government Industry Award 2020, plus superannuation up to 14.5%. While designated as a 37 hour a week position, consideration will be given to a job-share arrangement for applicants seeking 2/3 a day a week role.

Applicants may view a copy of the Position Description and apply via www.gingin.wa.gov.au/employment. Alternatively written applications may be emailed to mail@gingin.wa.gov.au or posted to Mr Aaron Cook, Chief Executive Officer, Shire of Gingin, PO Box 510, Gingin WA 6503 and marked "Private & Confidential" by 4pm, Tuesday, 27 April 2021. A police clearance and medical check will be required later in the process.

Applications should include:

- · A Cover Letter outlining your interest in the position
- · A separate document (maximum of 3 pages) regarding your ability to meet the requirements of the role as outlined in the Selection Criteria (refer pages 1 & 2 of the Position Description)
- · A current CV

ENQUIRIES

- Lynley Fewster, Human Resources/Insurance (08) 9575 5124
- Ziggy Edwards, Manager Corporate Services (08) 9575 5121

Note: Canvassing of Councillors will disqualify your application.

Aaron Cook **CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

Got Questions? We've got Answers!

Local government is more than just roads, rates and rubbish - in today's modern world we handle a wide range of services and issues right across the Shire of Gingin.

We'll continue working hard to keep you informed and up-to-date with the latest happenings throughout the Shire however sometimes you may have a question on a topic we haven't talked about in a while or perhaps you want to report an issue you've noticed. In this case we more than welcome your questions, feedback and reports!

Contact the Shire on (08) 9575 5100 / mail@gingin.wa.gov.au or drop us a line on our Facebook page.



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Work/Asset Projects

The following projects have recently been **completed** by the Shire of Gingin:

- · Re-roof of Granville Civic Centre
- Installation of Beach Emergency Number signs

The following projects are **currently in progress** around the Shire of Gingin:

- Upgrade of Granville Park Ablution Block some items have been completed with re-roof and painting works. Works remaining are re-tiling of floor areas, minor plumbing replacements, external wall stone cladding. Works expected to be undertaken over 4-6 weeks.
- · Design of the renewed Gingin Weir structure
- Construction of Gingin Outdoor Activity Space
- Gingin Football Lighting Tower Partial Renewal (2 x Lights)

The following projects are **due to commence** shortly in the Shire of Gingin:

- Installation of new town entry statements for the Gingin town site
- · Upgrade of the Guilderton Foreshore Ablution Block
- Installation of two replacement water monitoring bores within the Lancelin Sporting Complex by the Department of Water & Environmental Regulation commencing the week of 1 March. This process is expected to take approximately 8 weeks

Further queries about these works may be directed to the Shire's Assets team on (08) 9575 5100, option 7.

Roadworks

The following roadworks have recently been **completed** by the Shire of Gingin:

 Maintenance grading on Wannamal Road South, Wannamal Road West, Red Gully Road, Pin Pin Road and Beermullah Road West

The following projects are **currently in progress** around the Shire of Gingin:

- Reconstruction of Cowalla Rd for 2.5km from Mimegarra Road heading towards Cowalla Bridge has been completed. Sealing works have been completed. Now awaiting linemarking
- Reconstruction of Mortimer St, Guilderton awaiting sealing

The following roadworks are **due to commence** shortly in the Shire of Gingin:

- Resealing works on Bootoo St (Lancelin), Edwards St (Seabird), Mullins Way (Guilderton) and Weld St (Gingin). Awaiting sealing contractor
- · Dingo Rd gravel resheet
- · Kendall St asphalt overlay
- Maintenance grading of Bennies Rd, Beermullah Rd West, Mimegarra Rd, Nilgen Rd and all other gravel roads across the Shire

Further enquiries about these works may be directed to the Shire's Operations team on (08) 9575 5100, option 7.

Difference between Fire Bans

We've all heard that there are different types of fire bans but do you know the difference?

There are 2 x types of bans you will hear about most commonly in the Shire of Gingin which are:

- Total Fire Ban
- · Harvest, Hot Works & Vehicle Movement Ban

Total Fire Bans are set by the **Department of Fire & Emergency Services**. Generally they will set this ban the day before it is due to commence and it will usually be put in place from midnight that night until midnight the following night.

Harvest, Hot Works & Vehicle Movement Bans are set by the Shire of Gingin. The Shire will impose this type of ban when the predicted weather conditions (as classified by the Bureau of Meteorology) are rated 'Very High', 'Severe, 'Extreme' or 'Catastrophic'.

BOTH BANS:

- Prohibit open fires for the purpose of cooking, camping or outdoor entertainment including fire pits and bonfires.
- Prohibit the undertaking of hot work such as metal work, grinding, welding and gas cutting in the open air except for business and industry if regulatory conditions are met.
- Prohibit the undertaking of off-road activity using a four-wheel drive, quad bike, motorcycle, bobcat or similar vehicle, except for agricultural purposes or by business and industry if regulatory conditions are met.
- Can be placed at any time of year.

The main difference between the 2 types of bans is that the Harvest, Hot Works & Vehicle Movement Ban also prohibits the use of harvest vehicles for harvesting operations which is not prohibited if there is only a Total Fire Ban in place.

It is **YOUR RESPONSIBILITY** to find out if there is a ban of either kind in place. Subscribe to the Shire's SMS service to receive free notifications when either type of ban is placed - visit www.gingin.wa.gov.au/harvest-vehicle-movement-bans.

Report It!

Spotted an issue around your area? Report it to the Shire and get it sorted ASAP via our easy reporting system on our website - www.gingin.wa.gov.au/forms/?formid=14.

Once reported to us, we can get onto investigating it and resolving it promptly, whether it be a pot hole, broken signage, fallen trees and more.

Save the Dates!

- 20 April Ordinary Council Meeting at 3pm at the Shire Administration Centre
- 23 & 25 April ANZAC Day Services throughout the Shire at various locations
 - Visit www.gingin.wa.gov.au/events/ for more details
- 18 May Ordinary Council Meeting at 3pm at the Shire Administration Centre