



**Shire President's Message**



**Rea Park/Collier Street Redevelopment**

Two focused stakeholder workshops were held on 27 and 28 April 2021 with 29 representatives of the Rea Park and Collier Street Precinct core groups, their State Sporting Associations (SSA's) and regional sporting bodies (e.g. leagues). During these workshops the project management plan was presented by the project manager, Evy Apeldoorn, to ensure all clubs have a clear understanding of the overall project, the deliverables, and the timeframes. During these workshops the dialogue was started with the core user clubs to gain input for the finalising of the concept master plan for the precinct. On 17 May 2021 a forum was held for the wider community to learn more about the project. I attended the workshops and forum along with several other Councillors. The vision for the precinct is to transform the

existing multi-use Rea Park and Collier Street Reserve into a premier level facility catering for high level sporting events, in addition to regular club usage and non-sporting events such as the Warren District Agricultural Show. The redeveloped precinct is to accommodate regional sporting carnivals and competitions that require multiple sporting fields and draw large crowds. The MRCR project consists of a large number of project components, including a new pavilion, upgraded sporting fields, new flood lighting, car parking, landscaping, power upgrade, etc. Visit [www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/mrcr](http://www.manjimup.wa.gov.au/mrcr) for more information.

**Trail Bike Hub**

The Manjimup Trail Bike Hub is about to kick up a gear with the announcement of \$980,000 funding through the Commonwealth Regional Recovery Partnerships program matched to a \$576,500 contribution from the Shire of Manjimup. The Hub aims to position Manjimup as the centre for trail bike riding in Western Australia (and

Australia), creating a significant new point of difference for visitation to the Shire district, and the region.

The funding will set the wheels in motion for the trail planning processes, implementation and commercialisation of the funded project primarily for licenced trail and enduro motorbikes on publicly managed roads.

**My Happy Place**

What's your happy place?

Mine is undoubtedly the Manjimup Heritage Park with the array of activities available to suit all ages and abilities.

Tell the story of your happy place and be in the running to win a Cannon EOS camera and a chance to star in a TV commercial. The WA Local Government Association (WALGA) are looking for the happiest places in WA, to be in the running visit [www.walga.asn.au/happyplace](http://www.walga.asn.au/happyplace). You can also be featured in the campaign by hashtagging your photos with #myhappyplacewa

*Until next time stay well and safe....Paul*

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**Northcliffe Waste Transfer Station**  
 Lot 150 Pemberton Northcliffe Road  
 Tuesday: 12pm - 5pm / Saturday: 9am - 4pm

**Northcliffe Library**  
 Lot 178 Muirillup Road - 9776 7203  
 Monday - Sunday: 9am - 4pm  
 Holidays: 9am - 4pm

**2021 Ordinary Council Meetings**  
 Meetings are held in the Council Chamber, off Brockman Street, Manjimup  
 Copies of the agenda are available via the Shire website Tuesday before the meeting.  
 The Shire of Manjimup recommends attendance from members of the public only if they have essential matters to discuss due to COVID-19 restrictions.

17 June NCF	19 August	21 October
8 July	9 September WPL	18 November
29 July	30 September	16 December

**Shire President - Paul Omodei**  
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