

OCTOBER 2022

THE SEARCH IS ON AGAIN
FOR OUR 2023 COMMUNITY CITIZEN OF THE YEAR,
2023 YOUNG COMMUNITY CITIZEN OR 2023 COMMUNITY EVENT



NOMINATIONS ARE NOW OPEN

Each year on Australia Day, the Community Citizen of the Year Awards give local governments around the state the opportunity to acknowledge the contribution and celebrate community engagement of people within the community.

There are four Award Categories to choose from

- Community Citizen of the Year
- Community Citizen of the Year—Youth (Under 25)
- Community Citizen of the Year—Senior (65 years or over)
- Active Citizenship Award (for a community group or event)

If you know of someone, or a group or event who you think is worthy of a nomination in any of the four categories, please contact Deb Whitehead on 96610500 or download a nomination form from our website under the **Latest News**.

Do you know a person or event worthy of nomination in any of the categories?

Go to our website under **Latest News** to download the nomination form today.

Nominations close
**15
November
2022**

Acting CEO Chit Chat



Acting CEO Ally Bryant

Jean is taking a well-earned break this week and we hope she enjoys her time off. I am acting in her absence.

Our Councillors and CEO recently attended the WALGA Conference in Perth. Our CEO Jean Knight was honoured with the prestigious Local Government Distinguished Officer Award. This is presented to an officer employed by a Local Government who has provided

outstanding contributions to the Local Government sector; and demonstrated leadership and outstanding achievements in the advancement of the Local Government sector. A well-deserved honour for our CEO.

Cr Steven Carter was also recognised and received a Merit Award in recognition of his service and commitment to the Community of Dalwallinu, serving as a Councillor and also former Shire President. He is currently the Deputy Shire President. We congratulate Cr Carter for his continuing contributions to Council.

The Street Party is planned for Friday 9 December. Don't forget about booking a stall for the event. Call Deb to discuss your needs.

We currently have two houses for sale and are seeking interested parties. Viewing can be arranged at either house by contacting Sheree at the Shire.

Don't forget we have the Black Dog Full Moon Ride here on Saturday 8 October at the Recreation Centre.

We would encourage community members to join the riders for a chat and refreshments. There will also be entertainment.

Bushfire season is approaching and all firebreaks should have been completed by 1 October.

We would also like to congratulate Aaron Mills who was recently appointed Chief Bush Fire Control Officer for the Shire. He will be assisted by his two Deputy Fire Control Officers, Gareth Barnes and James Butcher. We'd like to acknowledge and thank Gary Butcher for his long and devoted commitment as Chief Bush Fire Control officer for so many years.

The Australia Day Citizen of the Year for 2023 nominations are now open. Nominations close 15 November 2022. If you know of someone you would like to nominate, or need assistance completing the nomination form you can call Deb at the Shire for assistance.

And lastly the mozzies are on the move again. Remember to cover up to avoid being bitten.



We are currently in the process of updating our SMS Alert Register as it is vital that this remains correct.

If you wish to be on our SMS alert register please let us know by sending an email to Christie Andrews on sfo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au with your name, mobile number and township.

If you think you may have staff who are no longer working for you and wish to check whether your list is current please phone Christie who will be happy to assist you to ensure we maintain as current and correct a contact list as possible.

We consider this a vital community service which may save a life, but it is only effective if it is up-to-date.

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Community Involvement Encouraged

The Shire would like to encourage the community to get behind this cause. Take some time to drop in and have a chat with these guys. The money they raise goes to a very worthy cause. Their attendance in town will also generate some interest and help to promote Dalwallinu statewide.



Black Dog Ride's WA Full Moon Ride 2022 aims to visit & support country towns and businesses. Join in with Black Dog Riders, their family and friends, from all over Western Australia for the 2nd Annual Black Dog Ride to the Full Moon, on the 8th and 9th of October 2022.

This year we are meeting in Dalwallinu to catch up with friends & celebrate this year's awesome fundraising efforts. While there we will enjoy:

- A delicious Burger Dinner
- Karaoke & a DJ
- Fellowship at the Dalwallinu Recreation and Sporting Complex
- Licensed bar with reasonably priced drinks
- Howl at the Full Moon (after the drinks!)
- Pre Departure Breakfast & Coffee

A range of accommodation options are available from free swag sites, all the way up to ensuite rooms and cabins. Rider support vehicles with family and friends are welcome!

All Rider participants will receive a Full Moon 2022 Decal, a Full Moon 2022 Bumper Sticker, a Full Moon 2022 Patch included with their ticket.

Additional merchandise pack is available for pillions or non riding participants. Ride Coordinator: Your Coordinator for this ride is Bev Seeney, WA State Coordinator. You can reach Bev via email on wa@blackdogride.org.au if you have any specific questions about the ride.

More info and register at: www.blackdogride.org.au/view/ride-information/wa-fmr-2022

P 9661 0500

F 9661 1097

E shire@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

W www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

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The Dalwallinu Aquatic Centre is now Open

We have had a few delays with the beginning of the season but the pool is now fully operational again. Kim hopes to see you all up there shortly enjoying the fabulous facilities that we are so lucky to have here in Dalwallinu. Season opening hours are below.

Daily Pool Opening Hours

Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday to Friday	6.00am to 7.30am 10.00am to 12noon 2.00pm to 6.30pm
Saturday & Sunday	10.30am to 6.30pm
Public Holidays	10.30am to 6.30pm

If the Monday is a Public Holiday then the pool will be closed on the Tuesday.

Shire of Dalwallinu 24 Hour Gym

The Shire of Dalwallinu has a very well equipped gymnasium. Fees are reasonable and the gymnasium is accessible 24 hours a day.

If you would like to get fit, or just maintain your health, contact the Shire now on 9661 0500 to discuss your options for joining this facility.

You do need to be a financial member of the gym to utilise the gym and use the equipment.

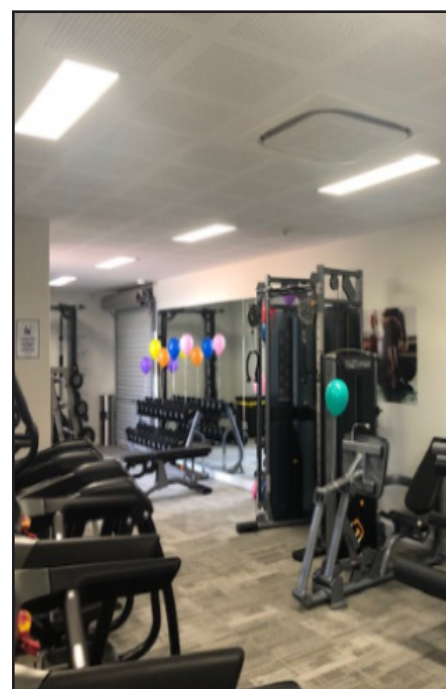
Membership is available at the Shire Administration building. Inductions take place on Mondays and Thursdays. Contact Megan Pipe or Lauren Willis for more information about enrolment.

With gym membership at a very high number we do remind users to be respectful of fellow members and wipe down all apparatus after use.

Please remember to place all wipes in the bins provided and turn off the electrical before leaving the gym.

We would also like to remind patrons that the windows need to be closed before you exit the building.

Members must not give their token to non-financial members of the gym or they risk having their membership cancelled.



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Public Notices

Appointment of Fire Control Officers

Pursuant to Section 38 of the **Bush Fires Act 1954**, the Shire of Dalwallinu advises of the following appointments:

Chief Bush Fire Control Officer
First Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer
Second Deputy Chief Bush Fire Control Officer

Aaron Mills
Gareth Barnes
James Butcher

The above appointments are for a three (3) year period.

Fire Control Officers

Gary Butcher
Michael Dodd
Ross Fitzsimons
Shaun Fitzsimons
Shannon Fry
Rowan McCreery
Bryce Hathway
Paul Burrige



Jean Knight
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
28 September 2022



Showcase in Pixels 2022

The Shire of Dalwallinu entry in the Showcase in Pixels 2022 WALGA State Competition was on display on the electronic noticeboard in Yagan Square during the week of the WALGA conference.

This is a brilliant advertisement for the Shire and was very visible from blocks away.

Our artist Merrikah Collard is only in Year 7 but she did a wonderful job of showcasing what she thought were the highlights of our Shire.

Whilst it didn't win the competition her artwork impressed the staff at WALGA communication team so much, they have a print of this hanging on their office wall now.

Thank you also to Merrikah's teacher Annabel Sinnott along with all the other pupils who participated in the competition this year. All entries were great and it was a difficult decision to choose our winner. We look forward to the continuing support of the Dalwallinu District High School in future years with this project.

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Public Notices 2 Houses for Sale



Offers from \$350,000

The Shire of Dalwallinu is seeking offers for the purchase of this property.

This property has a hardiplank three (3) bedroom, two (2) bathroom dwelling situated on a 1,477m² block.

Good opportunity to subdivide the large block for additional housing.



The Shire of Dalwallinu is seeking offers for the purchase of this property.

This property has a brick veneer four (4) bedroom, two (2) bathroom dwelling situated on a 568m² block.



Offers from \$450,000

Viewing of the properties can be arranged by contacting Sheree Sundstrom on 9661 0500.

All Offers will be taken to the October Ordinary Council Meeting to be held on 25 October 2022.

No offer necessarily accepted.
Offers in writing
will be accepted until

4pm, Friday 21 October 2022

and should be sent to either:

Sale of 1 Wasley Street, Dalwallinu

Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Dalwallinu
PO Box 141
DALWALLINU WA 6609

or email: tenders@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

Sale of 2 Dungey Road, Dalwallinu

Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Dalwallinu
PO Box 141
DALWALLINU WA 6609

or email : tenders@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

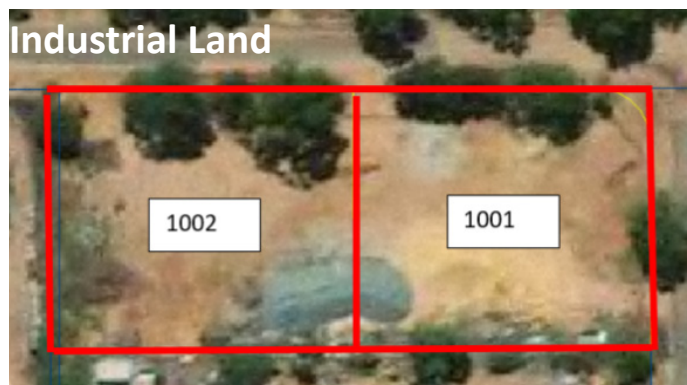
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Public Notices Land for Sale

2 Industrial Lots & 3 Commercial Lots available

Further information specifying the conditions of sale is available from the Shire Office on 08 9661 0500 or email ceo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au.

Address: Lot 1001 Deacon Street, Dalwallinu
Size: 2,600m²
Price: \$165,000 (Inc GST)
No offer necessarily accepted.



Address: Lot 1002 Roberts Road, Dalwallinu
Size: 2,599m²
Price: \$165,000 (Inc GST)
No offer necessarily accepted.



Address: Lots 12, 13 & 14 McNeill Street, Dalwallinu
Size: 1,012m²
Price: \$132,000 each (Inc GST)
(Deep sewerage available)

REGISTER
YOUR
INTEREST



**Council
needs your
assistance**

Register Now

Residential & Industrial land

To assist Council with future planning, we would like to develop a register of people interested in purchasing vacant Residential and Industrial land within the Shire.

When registering your interest please indicate your preference of lot size.

Please email Deb Whitehead on ea@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au to register your interest.

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PerthPhotography.com is coming to Dalwallinu

PerthPhotography.com team will be in Dalwallinu from 25th of October 2022 for an assignment for the Shire.

They will be in town for at least a few days with full photo studio equipment and will be offering Professional Family portraiture, Personal branding and Private portraiture shoots for a limited time.

Special prices from as little as \$90.00 will be given to the residents. Spots are very limited so please register your interest as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.



David Chong is a world class photographer who specialises in commercial, corporate head shots, advertisement, modelling portfolio, portraits, wedding, events, and real estate. He has photographed CHOGM heads of state including the late Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

David has a drone and is keen to speak with any farmers who may want to update their farm photos. He also photographs stock and farm equipment.

This is an opportunity to take advantage of David being in the Dalwallinu Shire to capture your family on film, or your business for promotional images.

In Dalwallinu from Tuesday 25 October 2022

Phone **David Chong 0411 532 843**

Dog and Cat registrations are due 31 October

Registration is not only the law, it also helps to reunite lost pets with their owners.



Help us to find your best friend

It's important to keep registration details up to date.

If you've moved, or if any of your pet's details have changed, be sure to let us know.

Email: shire@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

or Phone: 08 9661 0500



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Public Notices

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Council is seeking expressions of interest from parties who may wish to purchase the following:

Buntine Town Hall (Lot 1 & 2 (35-37) Nelson Street, Buntine) - Total Size: 2,521m²



Wubin Town Hall (Lot 42 (11) Arthur Street, Wubin) - Total Size: 1,011m²

Wubin Supper Room (Lot 43 (13) Arthur Street, Wubin) - Total Size: 1,012m²



Pithara Town Hall & Supper Room (Lot 36 & 37 (41-43) Leahy Street, Pithara) - Total Size: 2,022m²



Expressions of Interest can be forwarded to Jean Knight at ceo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au
Expressions of interest are non-binding. We are just trying to gauge interest to see if any further investigation into the possibility of disposing these halls could be an option.

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Dalwallinu Christmas Street Party 2022



**Dalwallinu
Street
Party**
9 December 2022

Save
The Date

Street Party Stall Holders still sought



**Stall Holders
Wanted!**

We are still looking for stall holders for the Street Party on 9 December 2022.

If you would like a powered site you will need to book early as these are very limited.

Please contact Deb at the Shire on 9661 0500 to reserve your spot.

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Public Notices

BUSHFIRE INFORMATION 2022/2023 FIREBREAKS

NOTICE TO ALL LAND OWNERS AND/OR OCCUPIERS OF LAND IN THE SHIRE OF DALWALLINU

BUSH FIRES ACT (AS AMENDED) SHIRE OF DALWALLINU - FIRE BREAK ORDER

A reminder that all firebreaks were to be installed by 1 October. Given the growth of vegetation during winter or spring, early attention will ensure a good result and reduce potential fire hazards.

**PLEASE NOTE: FIREBREAKS MUST NOT BE LESS THAN TWO POINT FOUR METRES (2.4) IN WIDTH
FIREBREAKS MUST BE INSTALLED AND MAINTAINED AND CLEARED OF FLAMMABLE MATERIAL
UP TO AND INCLUDING 1 APRIL.**

**THE PURPOSE OF FIREBREAKS IS TO STOP FIRE SPREADING, TO ALLOW ENTRY
FOR FIRE FIGHTING VEHICLES AND TO PROVIDE A BREAK
FROM WHICH BACK BURNING CAN TAKE PLACE TO CONTROL A FIRE.**

HOW TO OBTAIN FIRE PERMITS

Burning permits can be obtained from a Fire Control Officer.

When applying for a permit you will need to provide the
Lot Number and Street Name of the property for which the permit is to apply.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO INFORM THE SHIRE PRIOR TO BURNING WHEN TO OBTAIN PERMITS

Permits are required for burning bush and grass at any time
between 1 - 31 October and 15 February - 15 March in all areas.

No burning is allowed between 1 November - 14 February

FOR MORE BUSHFIRE INFORMATION

[bush_fire_notice_2022-2023.pdf \(dalwallinu.wa.gov.au\)](#)

FOR ALL FIRES CALL 000



If you See it, Report It!

To report Damage to the Shire

please call **9661 0500**

To report vandalism please

contact the Police **131 444**

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Dalwallinu Discovery Centre

Wildflower season is nearly over for another year. We have had a great year, with over 5000 visitors coming into the Discovery Centre between July and September. The late rains meant the season went later than usual and we opened on the September long weekend to accommodate.



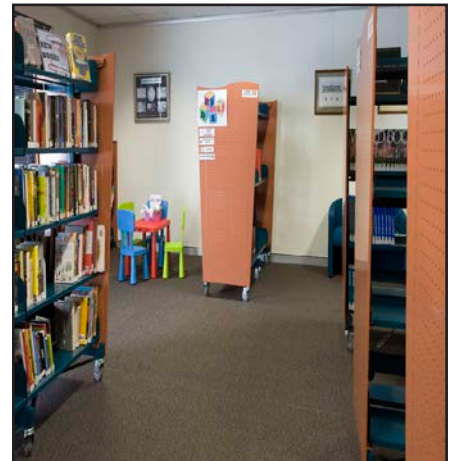
Many thanks to Kalannie CWA and our casual staff Tania and Suzanne, who made it possible for us to open 7 days per week from early August. We have received great feedback from visitors regarding the DDC and the quality of information provided, not only for our Shire but for surrounding locations as well.

Our focus now turns to other tourism related projects and we are working with Bruce Maslin from the WA Herbarium to get our town trails project underway. Watch this space as we progress with the project.

Library News

Dalwallinu Library recently received grant funding from the State Library of WA for the purchase of a cellular enabled iPad and keyboard, a MacBook and earphones to expand the range of services we offer. The items are available for use in the library and will improve the library home delivery service by making the library catalogue available to house bound patrons.

A reminder to library e-resource users that the Overdrive app will be discontinued from early in 2023, and the Libby and Kanopy apps will be expanded. If you have not already downloaded these apps you will need to do so to continue to access State Library e-resources. Call into the library with your device if you need help to install or set up the apps. The magazines that are currently available on Overdrive are now available also on Libby and in future Libby will be the app to use for all reading materials whilst Kanopy is for visual materials such as movies.



Library on Wheels



Every fortnight, the Dalwallinu library hits the road to deliver library books to people who are unable to attend the library in person. The service operates every second Tuesday and goes to the hospital, Acacia House, Pioneer House and private homes in Dalwallinu for a collection of avid readers who have eclectic tastes ranging from thrillers, romance and family sagas to history, biographies and stories about animals.

The books are available in formats from large print to audio books and normal print. It keeps us on our toes trying to find new materials for people who consume books in the way other people consume food and is the highlight of Jo's week when she succeeds.

This will also facilitate a "click and collect" for people who are able to select materials to be issued and collected at a later time by a family member or support person. New patrons to the service are most welcome, so if you or someone you know would like to join the library on wheels contact the library on 96611805 or ecdo@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

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Public Notices



Mozzies are Back in Force



How to avoid being bitten

- At home screen all doors and windows, doors should be self-opening and open outwards
- When camping screen caravans, tents, swags and other sleeping equipment
- Wear long, loose fitting and preferably light-coloured clothing
- Use repellents containing DEET (diethyl toluamide) or Picaridin
- Recognise and avoid areas of mosquito activity such as swamps, marshes, billabongs and rivers flood-plains

How to eliminate Mosquito Breeding in Your Backyard

You can take simple steps to help eliminate mosquito breeding in the community and you can do this by starting in your own backyard. Some of the things that you can do to help eliminate mosquito breeding include;

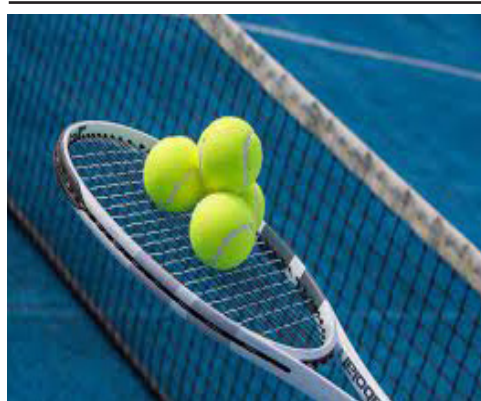
- Dispose of all containers which hold water
- Keep ornamental ponds stocked with mosquito eating fish eg goldfish
- Keep swimming pools well chlorinated and filtered and free of dead leaves
- Fill or drain depressions in the ground that hold water
- Fit mosquito proof cowls to vent pipes on septic tank systems. Seal all gaps in septic tank lids and ensure that leach drains are completely covered
- Screen rainwater tanks with insect proof mesh, including inlet, overflow and inspection ports
- Ensure guttering does not hold water



No Dirt Bikes in Shire Reserves

Just a reminder that the riding of dirt bikes in Shire Reserves is strictly forbidden.

Please do not use the Reserves as motor bike tracks.



Midweek Social Tennis

Come along for a hit of Midweek Social Tennis at the Dalwallinu Recreation Centre

First Hit Up - Wednesday 19 October 2022 from 6.30pm

\$2.00 each (to cover lighting and ball fees)
For ages 15 years onwards

For further information contact Jean Knight at the Shire or on 0427 611 001

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Shire of Dalwallinu Recycling Calendar 2022/2023

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Recycle Days

Dalwallinu & Pithara
Wubin, Buntine &
Kalannie
Christmas Day



WHAT CAN GO INTO YOUR RECYCLE BIN

- **Glass** - All glass and ceramics, whole and broken
- **Plastic** - All plastic containers and plastic wraps (empty with lids off)
- **Paper** - All paper, junk mail and glossy magazines
- **Cardboard** - All cardboard products
- **Aluminium & Steel** - All metals, steel & aluminium excluding aerosol cans
- **Liquid Paperboard** - Milk, juice and laundry detergent cartons.

There will be no changes to the service over the Christmas Period.

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NEXT RATES INSTALMENT REMINDER

The next rates instalment due date is 4 November 2022

Please contact Christie on rates@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au if you are having trouble with your payment and want to speak to the Shire about this.

If you would like next years notices emailed please download this form and return to the Shire
https://www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au/Profiles/dalwallinu/Assets/ClientData/Documents/Services/Rates/Change_of_Address_form_2022.pdf

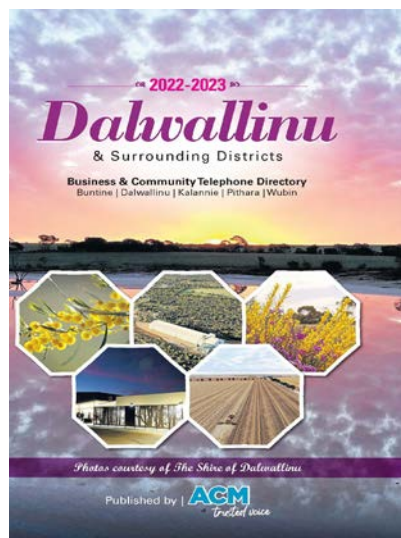
Dalwallinu Directory 2022-2023 - NOW AVAILABLE

The new 2022-2023 Directory is now available at the Shire Office or the Dalwallinu Discovery Centre. If you see an error in the numbers or addresses **PLEASE** call Kate Greaves on 0437 517 551 to advise her so that she can make all changes or updates that are needed to be amended.

This is particularly important if you know of a deceased person who should be removed from this Directory. Kate is always available to discuss any changes.

Contact Kate as soon as possible to ensure the corrections are made as it is only with your help that they can make sure the booklet remains as current as possible. This is **NOT** a Shire of Dalwallinu publication.

2022 - 2023 Dalwallinu & Surrounding Districts Directory



The Dalwallinu Directory is produced by
Australian Community Media.

If any information is incorrect in the directory please contact
Kate Greaves
Outbound Sales Manager WA
Australian Community Media
to amend and update them.

Mobile: 0437 517 551

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Next Ordinary Meeting of Council - 3:30pm Tuesday 25 October 2022

Council Chambers, 58 Johnston Street, Dalwallinu
Members of the Public welcome

Meet Your Elected Members



Shire President
Cr Keith Carter
0428 643 051
crkcarter@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au



Cr Jemma Counsel
0428 642 085
crjcounsel@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au



Cr Noel Mills
0428 611 304
crnmills@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au



Deputy Shire President
Cr Steven Carter
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Cr Diane Cream
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Cr Karen McNeill JP
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Cr Karen Christian
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Cr Melissa Harms
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Did You Know?

The public are welcome to attend any Ordinary Council Meeting to ask questions of the Shire & Councillors.

Ordinary Council Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of every month (except January) commencing at 3.30pm in the Council Chambers, Shire Admin Centre, Johnston Street, Dalwallinu.

Check out our website: www.dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

EMAILS WANTED!!

The Shire of Dalwallinu would like to share this and other relevant information with the community via an email database. If you are interested in receiving this information by email please send your contact details to ea@dalwallinu.wa.gov.au

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