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Editorial

Hello,

A slightly skinnier edition for you this month (compared to the last few months at least!) but I'm sure we'll be making up for it in the next couple of issues - Kylie's covered it pretty well on page 4 so I won't repeat but there's certainly a lot coming up for June, and that's before we even look at the first weekend of July! On that note, if you're having trouble going online to get tickets for the races, come and visit us at the CRC - there's not many left, so be quick!

We sadly said goodbye to long-time CRC staff member Sharna Coffin last month. We'll certainly be missing her infectious laugh around the office, but hope that her decision to move on to the next chapter of her life brings her happiness. All the very best for the future Sharna, and feel free to drop in any time for a chat - you know where we are!

Cheers,

Amy Pfitzner
Coordinator,
Marble Bar CRC



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HELP OUR COMMUNITIES TO STAY HEALTHY...

Coronavirus
(COVID-19)

What's Cooking?

Asian Flavoured Lamb Shank



Method

1. Preheat oven to 200°C
2. Lightly coat shanks with flour. Heat 2 tsp oil in a large deep heat proof casserole over medium heat. When hot add 2 shanks and cook for 4-5 mins or until browned on all sides. Transfer to a plate. Repeat browning process for 2 remaining shanks. Transfer to a plate.
3. Add garlic and ginger to casserole and cook, stirring, for 1 minute or until light golden. Add jam, orange rind and juice, soy and five spice. Stir until smooth and mixture comes to the boil.
4. Return shanks to casserole, turning to coat with sauce. Cover and place in the oven. Cook for 1 hr or until meat is very tender.
5. Serve with steamed Asian vegetables and spoon over pan juices.

Ingredients

- 1/2 tsp five spice powder
- 1/4 cup plain flour
- Steamed vegetables (to serve)
- 4cm piece of ginger
- 1 large orange, rind shredded (plus juice)
- 1/2 cup plum jam
- 2 tbs salt reduced soy sauce
- 2 garlic cloves
- 1 tbs vegetable oil
- 4 large Frenched lamb shanks

What's Happening this June?

June the 7th is WA Day! WA Day was originally called Foundation Day and was changed in 2012 to be more inclusive of all people no matter how long they have called themselves Western Australians. WA Day celebrates all the people and cultures that make WA what it is! It is a day for everyone to celebrate together and in Marble Bar the Shire is hosting a cricket match starting at 3pm at the basketball court followed by a BBQ and then a movie under the stars. Sounds awesome, so make sure you come along!

On the 8th Calidus is doing an information session at the civic centre starting at 5.30pm. Come along and listen to how things are progressing out at their Warrawoona mine site. There will be a BBQ after the presentation and a chance to ask any questions and have a catch up. See you there!

The Shire are putting on a landscape painting class at the Civic Centre on June 20th.

The Race Club Committee have been hard at work to bring the races back this year. Make sure you get online and buy a ticket before they all sell out! There's only a few weeks to go with the Saturday Race Day falling on July 3rd this year.

June brings with it the most glorious weather so I hope everyone is taking advantage - camping on the weekends or gardening sounds like pretty great activities to be partaking in!

Enjoy your June everyone!

- Kylie James,
Marble Bar CRC



June

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	1 Basketball throwing comp	2 Bingo/prizes	3 marble painting	4 team game share & slice
7 public holid ay	8 cooking hearty stew	9 music/dance	10 free games	11 cooking lasagna
14 canvas painting	15 galaxy design	16 Drawing and Design	17 paint shoes	18 chips/dip
21 tie dye scarf	22 draw design	23 dye/tie	24 dry scarf	25 A & Q quiz
28 3D abstract drawing	29 doodle drawing	30 jewellery box designing		



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Children under 10 must be with a Parent or Guardian
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What's On At Marble Bar Library

Call 9176 1008 for more information

SEED CARTONS



Start the exciting journey of sowing, reaping and harvesting your own seeds in this exciting "Green month".

Perfect for adults and children of all ages, come to Marble Bar library to make your own seed cartons to take home!

Tues 1 June
Thurs 3 June

2pm-4pm

SEED BOMBS



Did You Know?

Seed Bombs are used in Kenya to promote plant growth in vulnerable areas!

Have a go at making your own and help promote plant growth in and around Marble Bar!

Tues 8 June
Thurs 10 June

2pm-4pm

KOKEDAMA



Kokedama is an ancient Japanese garden art technique involving moss wrapped around the roots of a plant in a ball of soil.

These appealing plants are not only fun to make, but fun to look at and are sure to bring joy to your home, office or garden!

Tues 15 June
Thurs 17 June
Tues 22 June
Thurs 24 June

2pm-4pm

JUNE 2021

Marble Bar Library

Call 9176 1008 for more information

M	T	W	T	F	S
	01 SEED CARTONS 2pm-4pm	02	03 SEED CARTONS 2pm-4pm	04	05
07	08 SEED BOMBS 2pm-4pm	09	10 SEED BOMBS 2pm-4pm	11	12
14	15 KOKEDAMA 2pm-4pm	16	17 KOKEDAMA 2pm-4pm	18	19
21	22 KOKEDAMA 2pm-4pm	23	24 KOKEDAMA 2pm-4pm	25	26
28	29	30			

Special Events

7 June

Library Pop Up - WA Day BBQ



PLEASE STOP KILLING OUR BIRDS

Native birds are being used for target practice in Marble Bar and are being killed for no purpose.

Birds have been found in agony after having been shot by slingshot and left to suffer while they wait to die. Please stop killing our birds for entertainment. Birds are an important part of the ecosystem and it is our responsibility to keep them safe.



Drop off your recyclables at the Marble Bar CRC

**8:30am - 4:30pm
Monday - Friday**



ELIGIBLE CONTAINERS

The Marble Bar Community Resource Centre has signed up with the Containers for Change (CFC) scheme!

You can help out the Marble Bar CRC by dropping off your containers here.

Otherwise, you can make sure the money gets to us by quoting our scheme ID (C10311686) or showing the barcode pictured on the right when you drop the containers off at a Refund Point.



C10311686



One drink for us, is one drink for our bub.

Women who are pregnant or planning to have a baby should not drink alcohol.



If you are concerned or would like more information, the Alcohol and Drug Support Line is available 24/7 by calling 9442 5000 or 1800 198 024 (country toll-free).

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MAKE AN OFFER

The following items will be available until July 10th



ASUS 'All-In-One' PC

- Windows 10 Installed (Windows 7 original)
- Intel Core i5-4200U
- 8GB RAM
- 'All-in-One' integrated monitor and desktop computer
- Touch screen
- In good condition, works well - a bit slow due to age
- Comes with mouse, keyboard and power cable

ASUS 'All-In-One' Windows 8 PC

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- Windows 8, Intel Core i5-2400S
- 4GB RAM
- 'All-in-One' integrated monitor and desktop computer
- Touch screen
- In fair condition, problem with headphone jack otherwise works well - a bit slow due to age
- Comes with mouse, keyboard and power cable



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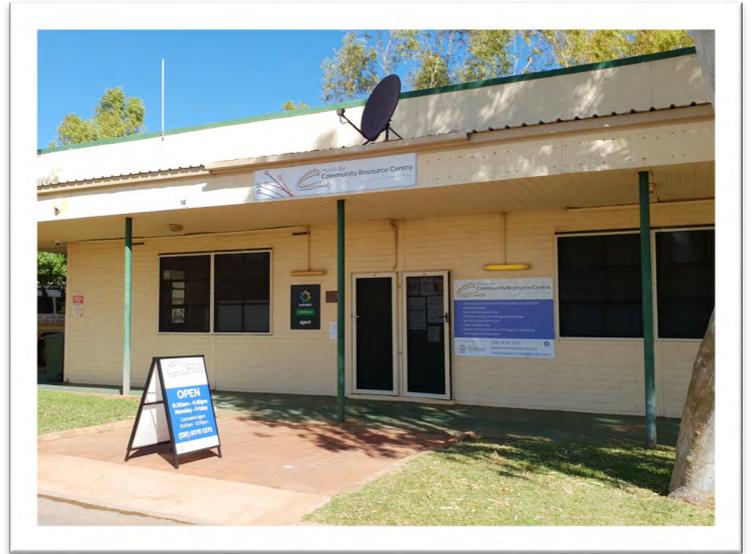
See the range at www.winningspirit.com.au | contact marblebarcrc@bigpond.com for prices



THANKS DPIRD!



Our old signs were stained, sun damaged and out of date - the new signs are waayy better!



Those who have been paying attention might recall that earlier in the year the Marble Bar CRC received a \$10,000 'Technology and Innovation' grant from the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD).

With this funding, our CRC has purchased

- Three new public access computers
- A new digital projector and projector screen
- A new trolley to help us move equipment
- Three new computer screens for staff
- New signs for the front of the building (thanks to our mates Assetlink who helped us score an excellent price and bought the signs down for us from Perth)

The \$600,000 McGowan Government grants program was aimed exclusively at CRCs across regional and rural communities in Western Australia, and aimed to provide funding to enable CRCs to invest in technology to improve or innovate our service delivery.

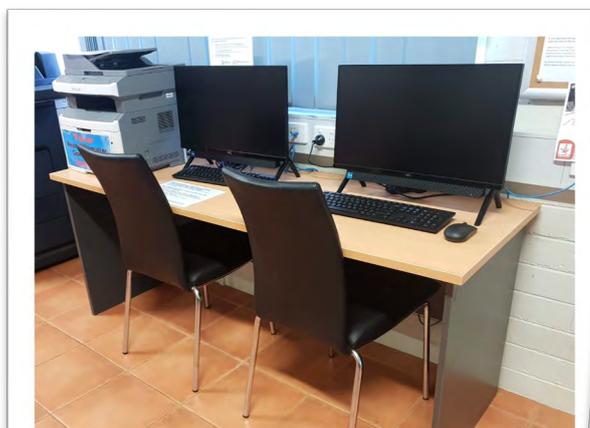
Regional Development Minister Alannah MacTiernan travelled to Shark Bay and Wellstead CRCs to make the announcements earlier in the year.

"It is vital that CRCs, as community-focused organisations operating across regional and remote parts of Western Australia, are well equipped with technology and innovations to deliver modern services to people in their communities." said Minister MacTiernan.

"Access to technology and innovation is particularly vital for those living in regional and remote areas in order to keep connected."

Thank you DPIRD, we're loving our new gear!

- Amy Pfitzner,
Marble Bar CRC



The new government access point and public access computers and are so quick and lovely to use



WARRAWOONA GOLD PROJECT UPDATE



Tank build progressing nicely

Plant construction continues at Warrawoona with crusher and tank builds underway.

Full occupancy has now been granted by the Shire of East Pilbara for the 240 room camp facility which includes a dining hall, wet mess, gymnasium and recreation room.

The team had a BBQ in the wet mess to celebrate the occasion.



Construction of the crusher is well underway



Team BBQ to celebrate!



GR Engineering Services Crane operator Terry Fripp gives the thumbs up whilst working on the crusher build.



New wet mess looks great

We are excited to be hosting a number of investor visits over the coming weeks as well as the community update meeting in town on the 8th of June.

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Fridays, 3:00pm - 4:30pm
No booking required

Training Cancelled: June 11th

See you June 4th, 18th and 25th!



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We took off and ventured into outer space last month - our library transformed into its own unique version of a space station. There were loads of activities for the kids to do including:

- sifting through moon dust looking for moon rocks
- painting and assembling their very own Milky Way solar system
- blasting off to other planets with a Lego Launch Rocket...and hiding from hideous bug aliens

The simultaneous story time day was made even more special when Gumala Play Group joined in with other kids across Australia and New Zealand for the reading of the story book "Give Me Some Space" by Philip Bunting. We also had several families of holiday-makers come in to the Marble Bar Library in May, just so they could play and learn about the wonders of space and how exciting it would be to travel there.

Calling all green thumbs!

Want to learn how easy it is to grow your own delicious vegies?

Want to get grubby making seed balls to throw out in the bush and do your bit to re-vegetate the countryside?

June is all about plants, gardening and learning to grow your own.



Junior Readers

- That's Not My Wombat
- Bluey - The Pool
- An Amazing Australian Road Trip
- Ngaginybe Jarragbe - My Story

Young Adult Readers

- Once Upon A Time - Malice
- Gold Diggers (A Novel)
- Common Ground

Adult Readers

- 50 Risks to Take With Your Kids
- Fragrance Your Home
- The Coast to Coast Murders
- How to Endo

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An introduction to GLOBAL LITHIUM RESOURCES



Hi everyone,

We are a small exploration company with a project to the north of Marble Bar. Our project is the Marble Bar Lithium Project, or MBLP for short.

We are exploring mostly for lithium, which is a key ingredient in the batteries used in electric vehicles.

At the moment we are still at a relatively early stage and most of our activities involve drilling to see if we can grow our project.

You may have already seen a drill rig in the area, particularly around our Archer lithium deposit located about 20km north of the town.

We look forward to continuing to get to know you all. We support local business where we can, so please make sure you let us know about you!

We will continue to provide updates as our project progresses.

If you want to know more about us, please visit our website at www.globallithium.com.au where you can also subscribe for news updates.

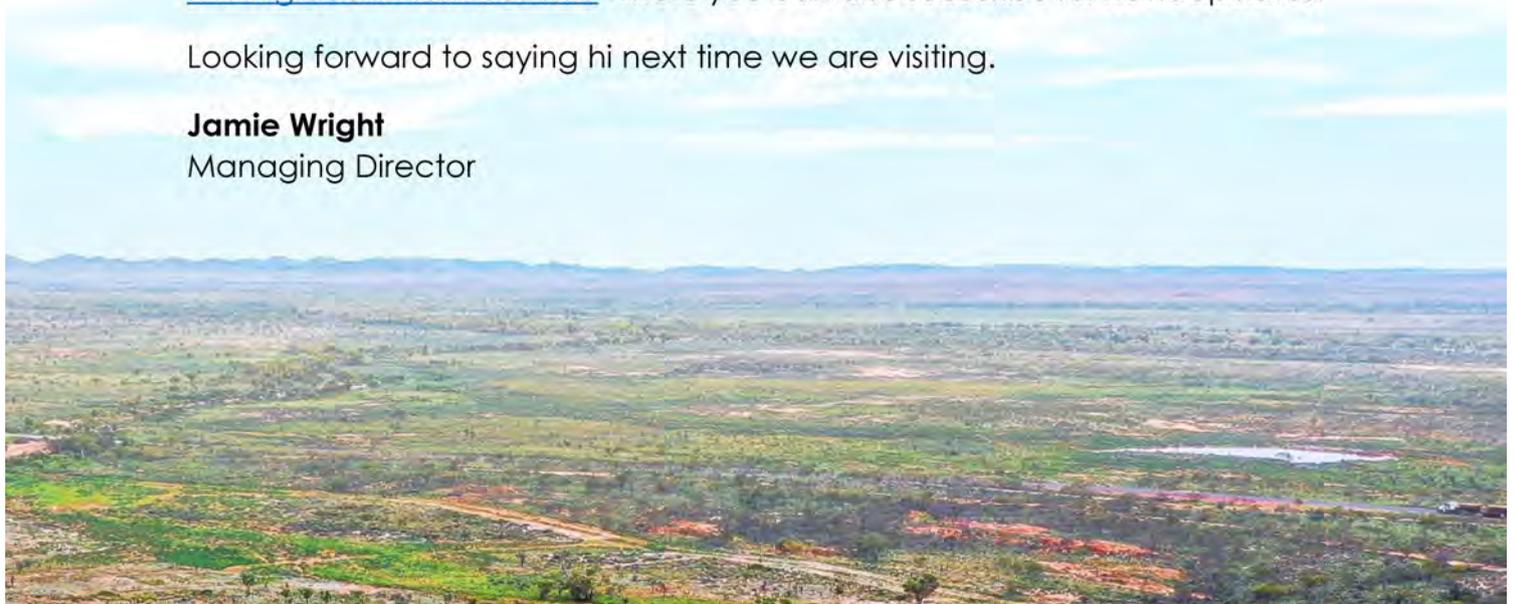
Looking forward to saying hi next time we are visiting.

Jamie Wright

Managing Director



Above – Managing Director, Jamie Wright (right) with Ian Shackleton (left) who is part of the exploration team



Need a Lift?

- Port & South Hedland
- Marble Bar
- Nullagine
- Newman



The Shire offers a bus service between the towns of Newman, Nullagine, Marble Bar, South Hedland and Port Hedland. Simply call the Marble Bar Shire office on (08) 9176 1008 to book your seat.

Town	Bus Stop Location
Newman	Outside Retravision Entrance – towards Parnawarri Retail Centre
Nullagine	Park across from Conglomerate Hotel
Marble Bar	Shire Office – Francis Street
South Hedland	South Hedland Shopping Centre Bus Stand – In front of ITP
Port Hedland	Boulevard Shopping Centre Chicken Treat Entrance

Date/Route	Est. Time Departure	Est. Time Arrival
MONDAY		
Nullagine – Marble Bar	9am	10:30am
Marble Bar – South Hedland	10:45am	1:45pm
South Hedland – Port Hedland	2:00pm	2:30pm
TUESDAY		
Port Hedland – South Hedland	11:15am	11:45am
South Hedland – Marble Bar	12 noon	2:15pm
Marble Bar – Nullagine	2:30pm	4pm
WEDNESDAY		
Nullagine – Marble Bar	7am	8:30am
Marble Bar – South Hedland	9:00am	11:30am
South Hedland – Port Hedland	11:45am	12:15pm
THURSDAY		
Port Hedland – South Hedland	11:15am	11:45am
South Hedland – Marble Bar	12 noon	2:15pm
Marble Bar – Nullagine	2:30pm	4pm
FRIDAY		
Nullagine – Newman	7am	9:30am
Newman – Nullagine	12 noon	2:30pm

Route	Price
Marble Bar – Nullagine	\$10.00
Marble Bar – Port Hedland	\$31.00
Nullagine – Port Hedland	\$41.00
Nullagine – Newman	\$31.00
Marble Bar – Newman	\$41.00
Newman – Port Hedland	\$72.00

NOTE: Pricing shown accurate to June 30, 2021. Please check pricing when you book.

Marble Bar Primary

Staff members Emilja Kiernan, Rowan Whalebone and Shane Wilson accompanied four Year 5 and 6 students to Perth for our 2021 Student Leadership Camp, Sunday 23rd May to Thursday, 27th May 2021.

The students and staff attended the Youth Leadership Academy of Australia's Primary 'Dream and Lead' Conference on Monday, 24th May 2021 at the Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre. Dream and Lead was a one-day, highly engaging event designed to support primary school students to develop their leadership potential, whilst providing them with strong foundations to succeed. Throughout the day, students participated in purposeful activities developing their problem-solving skills, and increasing their confidence and independence. Facilitated by internationally-trained young leaders, students

recognised the impact they can create as a young person. Students developed their leadership, goal setting, teamwork potential, flexibility, awareness, problem-solving, resilience and safe space. There were over 400 Year 5 and 6 students from over 50 schools at this outstanding event.

In addition to this, students had the opportunity to visit the Perth Zoo, travel across the Swan River on the Ferry, visit Kings Park, Carousel Shopping Centre, Scitech, the Aquarium of Western Australia, Hillary's Boat Harbour, travel on Perth's trains and buses, and engage in a suite of delicious foods. All had a wonderful and safe time on this trip to remember.

- Shane Wilson
Principal, Marble Bar Primary School



Marble Bar Primary



DREAM & LEAD

CRC WORKSHOP IN PERTH

The middle of May saw Kylie and me hopping on a plane down to Perth, where we were being put up at the Aloft hotel for a one-day workshop with the Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development (DPIRD). We arrived in Perth the day before the workshop and had a chance to catch up with a few other CRC coordinators, committee members and DPIRD staff as we sat down for an excellent dinner at the hotel.

To give a bit of background, the Marble Bar CRC, like all other CRCs in WA, is funded mostly by DPIRD. We get a little bit here and there from other places like Services Australia (Centrelink), applying for grants and selling services like printing, but DPIRD are the ones holding the contract that actually lets us call ourselves a 'Community Resource Centre.'

Because it's a Government contract it's all very complicated but basically the current CRC contracts are all due to expire and go through some kind of renewal process at the end of June 2022. The workshop was the first of what will likely be an ongoing process of working together with DPIRD and other stakeholders, with this session focused on starting some initial thoughts about whether any tweaks are needed to improve future service delivery to our communities. The new contracts will carry through to 2027.

The session was run by a lovely lady named Maree Gooch. First up, each CRC was prompted to quickly share one thing they were proud of. A wide variety of services are provided by CRCs throughout regional WA and many shared their successes in working with youth and seniors, business support, working with communities during disaster recovery and COVID-19, upskilling and training as well as helping other organisations with contracts and grants. Kylie and I spoke a bit about the Mirage and the Training Centre.

During the course of the day we heard from DPIRD representatives including Project Manager for CRC Programs Celia Loot, as well as a rep from the Department of Finance who spoke a bit about the complex world of Government procurement and different ways the process might work.

We 'celebrated success', standing up together to discuss what is working well with the current contracts, as well as our challenges. We talked about a lot of things but unsurprisingly the biggest difficulties faced by most of us are to do with navigating the tricky world of community support on a not-for-profit budget, keeping up to date with changing legislation and making sure we're keeping track of and reporting all the different things that we do. Overall, it was agreed that the CRCs work pretty well as they are!

We wrapped up the day by breaking down the different ways we all meet our contact deliverables, sharing different techniques and strategies used by CRCs across the state.

The impression from this session was that most CRCs are fairly happy with how the contracts work, with a few tweaks here and there. The workshop was a really valuable opportunity to network with other coordinators and committee members and see how everyone gets things done. It's fantastic to have the opportunity to have our say, and hopefully 2022-2027 will be better than ever!

*-Amy Pfitzner,
Marble Bar CRC*

Get Involved with the Marble Bar CRC!

We're always looking for new people to join the Committee and with the end of financial year coming up, elections are on the horizon!

If you've ever said the phrase "I wish the CRC would..." or "Why doesn't the CRC..." then you should join the Committee and make it happen!

Join now as a member and you can participate in the next election!

M.B.R.C & CALIDUS RESOURCES

Marble Bar Cup

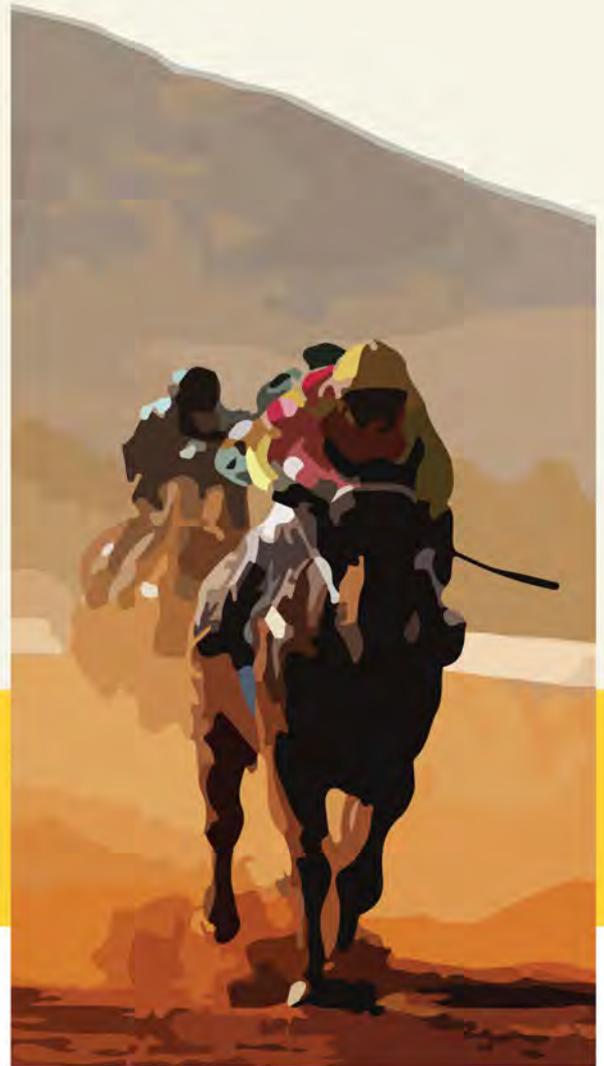
Free Camping
(Friday & Saturday)

5 Handicaps + The Cup

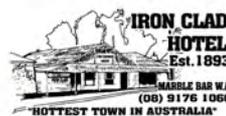
Iron Jack Undie Run

Bradley Hall Band ('til late)

July 3rd 2021



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Marble Bar

DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE

Over the last couple of months, we have had a few incidents with members of our town consuming alcohol before getting behind the wheel of the car.

These bad decisions have resulted in the drivers being charged with drink driving offence, the loss of their licences and a date with the magistrate.

I urge everyone to think of a plan before they start drinking, leave your car at home and walk or organise lifts with friends or family members instead of getting behind the wheel and putting yourself and other community members at risk.

By you making the right decision not to drink and drive could save your licence, save your money and most importantly save a life.

ROAD WORKS COMING TO TOWN

Just wanted everyone to be aware there will be repair work to the Marble Bar Road from the town

site towards the intersection to Limestone.

The road works will commence from Friday 21 May 2021 and run for approximately 3 weeks.

Traffic control works will be operational and a reminder for us all to reduce speed while travelling through.

COVID-19

Our town has been extremely lucky to avoid any cases, we just need to remember to keep up with own personal hygiene, wash our hands regularly and cover our mouths when we cough or sneeze.

These are all good habits to form and it could potentially lower the risks and keep our town safe.

Keep up the good work!

*Marc Foley,
Marble Bar Police Station*

VOLUNTEER FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES

MARBLE BAR VFES BRIGADE TRAINING

Every first and third Tuesday of the month - June 1st & 15th

If you're interested in joining the brigade or would like to find out more, speak to Amy (MBVFES Captain) at the CRC during business hours - 9176 1375

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Get involved and help keep Marble Bar safe.

MARBLE BAR VFES TRAINING



If you noticed the CRC was closed last Friday it's because Kylie and I hitting the road Thursday arvo for three days of 'manage injuries and casualty transfer' training in Newman.

The first couple of days were focused on looking after people who have been injured - pretty much next level first aid with a few extra steps like managing multiple casualties, giving oxygen and moving people with spinal injuries. On the last day we had a great time learning how to safely extract people from vehicles - something we'll be looking into a bit further as we head back to Newman in a couple of weeks to brush up on road crash rescue.

We were privileged to be shown the ropes by some really knowledgeable and passionate trainers, a huge thanks to Garth, Simon and Tony from DFES Perth and Colin from Newman SES, and to the Newman SES and VFES brigades who hosted the training.



Knowing what to do is one thing, but it's all pretty tricky if you only have a few people. Marble Bar VFES are *always* looking for volunteers - if you've ever thought about joining the brigade, stop thinking and get signed up!

- Amy Pfitzner,
Marble bar VFES



Shire President Lynne Craigie, Retired After Nearly Eighteen Years



Cr Lynne Craigie OAM

As you may already be aware, Shire of East Pilbara President Lynne Craigie OAM officially retired on the 15th of May.

Cr Craigie was originally elected to represent the South Ward (Newman) in 2003, and was elected as President in 2005. In the time since, she has also

served in many levels of Local, state and Federal organisations, committees and boards. In 2019 she was awarded an Order of Australia Medal (OAM) and was again recognised in 2020 with a Local Government Medal.

“Throughout my 18 years in Local Government,

I have watched the Shire grow and evolve to what it is today, now having a budget 5 times larger than in those early days,” Cr Craigie said.

“It has been a career that I have enjoyed immensely and I thank everyone from stakeholders, through to our residents across the Shire for the privilege this role has afforded me.”

“I will watch with pride going forward to see how the Shire continues to grow and prosper and wish everyone, and especially my fellow councilors, the very best for the future.”

Thank you to Cr Lynne Craigie for her work over the years, and all the best for the future.

- Amy Pfitzner,
Marble Bar CRC

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LANDSCAPE PAINTING CLASS

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Shire of **EAST
Pilbara**
THE HEART OF THE PILBARA



PILBARA ARTIST ANNA SPENCER WILL BE ATTENDING MARBLE BAR ON SUNDAY THE 20TH OF JUNE TO RUN A LANDSCAPE PAINTING CLASS. YOU ARE INVITED TO BRING ALONG YOUR FAVORITE LANDSCAPE PHOTO AND ANNA WILL WORK WITH YOU TO HELP YOU RECREATE IT USING PAINTS, BRUSHES AND YOUR TALENT!



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TIME: 10AM
LOCATION: MARBLE BAR CIVIC CENTRE
COST: FREE - ALL MATERIALS PROVIDED
BOOKINGS: BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL. PLEASE CONTACT THE MARBLE BAR OFFICE ON 9176 1008 TO BOOK, ONLY 10 PLACES AVAILABLE



For further information, please contact the Marble Bar Shire Office on 9176 1008

LOCAL HISTORY

~ Marble Bar Street Names ~

I was struggling a bit this issue to find something interesting to write about. I have often thought about our street names here in Marble Bar and how they came to be, so decided that is the theme for this month!

It ended up being quite interesting, which wasn't at all surprising!

Francis & Excelsior

So, let's start with Francis Street. Francis Jenkins (and party) was the first person to discover gold here in 1891, so it's pretty self explanatory as to why the street was named after him!

Francis went to take up many other leases in the near vicinity, one of them being The Excelsior. Francis and partners invested in the erection of the first battery at this mine convinced that the Marble Bar goldfield prove it's prosperity. The Excelsior battery was erected to a high standard and well ahead of schedule. Francis was certainly a pioneer at the time and many more batteries were to come thanks to him forging the way. Thus, Excelsior Street was born!

General, Augusta & Ironclad

The General and Augusta were significant mines in their day and we now have streets of the same name. The Ironclad was also a mine before it was a street and, of course, a rather historical pub!

Lynas Road

Captain William James Dalton Lynas came to Marble Bar in about 1906 during the tin rush. He enlisted in 1914 and fought in both world wars being recalled again in 1940. In between both wars he was involved in both tin and asbestos mining around Marble Bar. He and his wife eventually settled in Nullagine where he died of coronary vascular disease in 1947. He is buried in Nullagine. Both Nullagine and Marble Bar have streets named after Captain Lynas.

Does any one have anymore history behind our street names? We would love to hear from you, pop in and see us at the CRC!

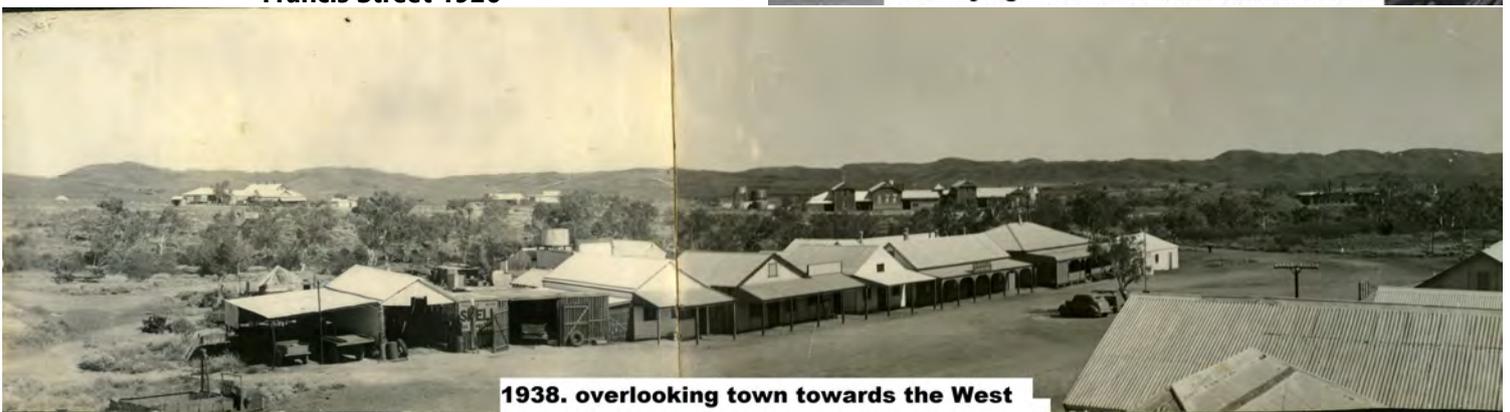
- Kylie James, Marble Bar CRC



Francis Street 1926



1940 laying water mains in Francis Street



1938. overlooking town towards the West

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ANIMAL WATCH:

CAMEL (CAMELUS DROMEDARIUS)

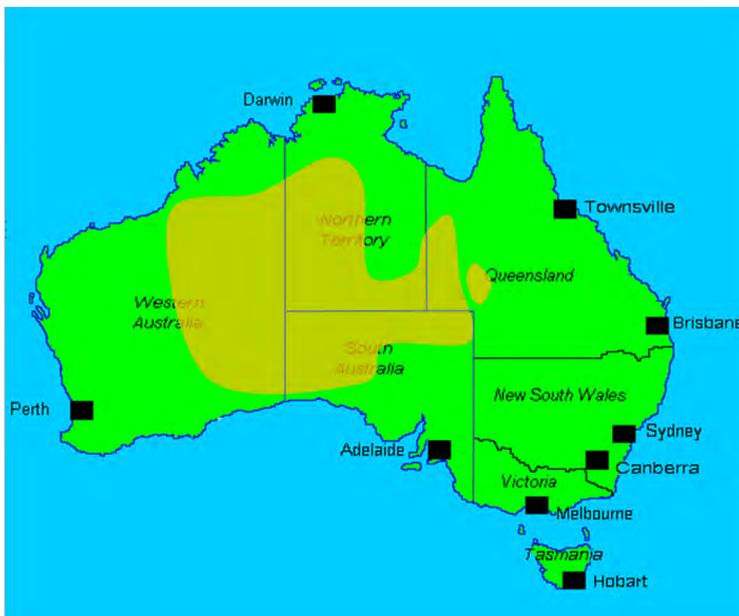
Camels are considered a feral animal in Australia, but they have a long and interesting history here and certainly contributed towards the exploration and settlement of outback Australia.

The first shipment arrived in 1840 at the Port of Adelaide and only one camel survived the journey, he was named Harry. He was used for an ill-fated inland expedition in South Australia by explorer John Ainsworth Horrocks. On the shores of Lake Dutton Horrocks was preparing to shoot a bird and leaning on the camel whilst loading the gun when Harry moved and the gun fired, injuring Horrocks' fingers and upper jaw. He subsequently died of his injuries about three weeks later, but not before requesting Harry the camel be shot.

The next major shipment of camels arrived in 1860 and with them came the Afghan Cameleers. Thus began regular imports of camels and their drivers, at least 15000 between 1870 and 1900. Camel studs were started and provided high quality animals for the cameleers. Camels could handle the harsh conditions and carried amazingly heavy

loads for long distances. A healthy bull camel could carry up to 600kg and walk 40kms a day.

By 1920 motorised transport had taken over and the cameleers mostly just released their camels into the wild where they have thrived. Australia now has the largest and only herd of dromedary (one humped) camels in the world. Their impact on the environment is not as severe as other introduced pests in Australia but they do cause damage to infrastructure such as fences, pumps, taps and troughs, particularly during times of drought when they are trying to access water.



Wikipedia - Distribution of feral camels in Australia (2010)



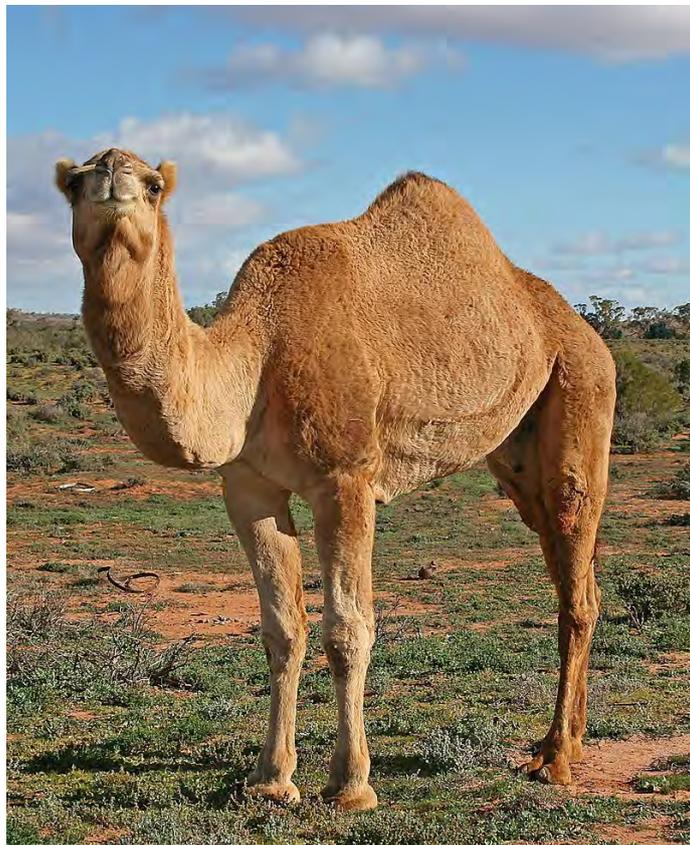
Wikipedia - Afghan Cameleers

Camels are regularly culled in the Northern Territory. There is a market for the meat both for pet food and human consumption and if you haven't tried it I can highly recommend! Camel milk is also growing in popularity. There are various locations throughout Australia where camels are used in the tourism industry, Cable Beach being just one of them. I don't know about you but I find it hard to look at the camel as just a feral pest animal when they hold a rather important place in the history of our area.

- Kylie James,
Marble Bar CRC

Let us know if you've spotted any other interesting Pilbara critters! We'd love to include them in the next edition of the Mirage (especially if you have photos!)

Article content and photos sourced from Wikipedia



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Historical Marble Bar

~ ARTICLES FROM JUNE ~

Historical newspaper articles sourced from www.trove.nla.gov.au give us a glimpse into the recent history of the Pilbara, with stories of triumph and hardship from the past 200 years.

MARBLE BAR RACE WEEK

*~Pilbarra Goldfield News~
June 8 1911*

One can scarcely realise that twelve months have almost passed since the last disastrous annual meeting of the Marble Bar Race Club, and that once again "the week of the year" is upon us. The loss the race club sustained last June, and the recovery it made six months later through the medium of a small "off" meeting are now matters of history; and now we are about to face another round of festivities which it is to be hoped will be numbered amongst the most successful of its predecessors. The "week" opens on Monday next with a dance, so that those who come up by next Sunday's train can make an early start; Tuesday, a tennis match and drives to various places; Wednesday, first day's racing; Thursday, meeting of Liberal supporters 10am-cricket match-entertainment at night; Friday, second day's racing, settling 8.30pm, plain and fancy dress ball 9pm. This should be sufficient to satisfy most people, but if not a few other impromptu events might be arranged. The racing this year promises to be very interesting, as splendid entries have been received, and from a financial point of view success is assured. Great credit is due to the secretary of the club, Mr Montgomerie, for the manner in which he has worked since his appointment to the position. When the club received such a rebuff last year, he did not take it sitting down, but was up and doing, and organised the January meeting, which proved such a great success, financially and otherwise. With a decent

credit balance at the bank, it was decided to take a risk and launch out with the biggest meeting held for a good many years, which was thought by some to be rather premature, but the step was taken and Mr Montgomerie set to work, with the result that his energies, combined with the fact that bigger prizes are being offered, will probably result in one of the most successful meetings held here. We wish the club every success.

MARBLE BAR NEWS

*~Northern Times~
June 29 1939*

A recent wedding of great interest to local residents in the district, and in particular, those of the Comet Gold Mines, was that of Miss Billie Harris, to Mr Wally Nichols, proprietor of the Comet Boarding House. The ceremony took place in the Road Board Hall, which was very prettily decorated for the occasion. The Rev. Milne, who came up from Port Hedland, officiated. After the ceremony about 25 guests attended the wedding breakfast, which was a very happy one. The bride looked charming in her white satin dress and beautiful bridal veil. The usual toasts were honoured and responded to. The toast to the brides' parents who, unavoidably were unable to be present on this special occasion, was very fittingly given by Mr Jim Ironside, and was very much appreciated by all present. The happy day culminated in a very pleasant social evening and dance in the hall. Over a hundred friends were present, all setting themselves out to make

this occasion memorable to the happy couple.

Dr Dicks, the newly appointed Resident Medical Officer and Magistrate, accompanied by his wife, arrived here on the 23rd instant, and took over from Dr. A. R. Haynes, who leaves shortly for south. Dr Dicks commenced his magisterial duties on the 28th of June, presiding in both the Police and Wardens Courts.

In the Warden's Court, on the 28th June four gold mining leases were recommended for approval, eight prospecting areas were granted, and the term of one P.A. was extended for six months. In the Police Court, W. Clarke was fined £40 on a charge of having obtained money by a false pretence. Defendant admitted the charge, and elected to be dealt summarily. G. Clifford, on a charge of being disorderly, by using obscene language, was fined £2 and costs.

On the 18th June, Mr and Mrs Alf Pook celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding at their residence. Some 20 friends assembled, amongst them Mr H. L. Bailey and Miss Maude Ashby, who are shortly to be married. Mr and Mrs Maurice Ford, who celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary at the same home, were also present. Music was supplied by Mr Bailey and Mr Pook, on their piano accordion, accompanied by Mr Alf Harrison on the guitar. An extremely enjoyable evening was spent by all. As a "quid pro quo" for the chain and medal presented to Mr and Mrs Ford, on the occasion of their twentieth celebration, this being the Wooden Wedding of Mr and Mrs Pook, Mr Ford presented them with a box of matches.

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~Northern Public Opinion~
June 24 1897

The reward battery at Talga has been running for a month. A parcel of about sixty tons from the Star of the North was put through, but the result, owing to the reticence of the manager, is unknown, still it is believed to be good. On Saturday 32 tons from what was once a protection area held by Messrs. Clarke and Gill, now held by Mr Kingsmill, M.L.A., under the name of the Phoenix, realised 75ozs. Of smelted gold. Thirty tons more will be ready for the stampers in a fortnight. A number of additional men have been put on the Star of the North, and will be supplemented later on. Another parcel from this claim will be ready for treatment shortly. Altogether the outlook at Talga is now very promising. Exemptions have been proclaimed for Marble Bar, Bamboo Creek, and Nullagine districts for the approaching racing season.

on the erection of the State Battery. He was well known in Geraldton, where he was secretary of the Carpenters and Joiners Union. He leaves a wife and two children, who are at present in the Eastern States.

MARBLE BAR

By Telegraph

~Northern Public Opinion~
June 24 1897

A brilliant meteor was observed here last evening travelling west to an easterly direction and parallel with the line of horizon.

At the last meeting of the Marble Bar progress Committee it was decided to write to the Commissioner of Crown Lands requesting a reserve of forty thousand acres to be proclaimed on the Mainland, Port Hedland, for the use of the teamsters and travelling public. The secretary was also instructed to communicate with the Captain of the schooner Lady St. Albans, asking him his opinion of Port Hedland from a seaman's point of view. In view of the adverse criticism that has been recently expressed concerning the place, the committee would be obliged if he would forward the details, giving the right also of publishing the same. Mr Eley drew attention to the fact that as Port Hedland would soon be opened up it was necessary to have roads opened up to Bamboo Creek, from Mainland, Port Hedland, and Marble Bar road, near Robinson's Coongan Station. It was decided that the Roads Board be asked to move in the matter with a view to having the track marked out and wells put down here and there along.

Mr John Angove, manager of the Just in Time property, returned to Marble Bar from an extensive trip throughout Bamboo Creek and district yesterday. He has reported on several of the leases for various English companies.

The Postal Department a week ago issued instructions to the Talga postmaster to close that office. That determination however, has been now rescinded, and in response to the forcible protests from the inhabitants, who were supported in this particular request by our new member, Mr Kingsmill, M.L.A., the town of Talga which for many months past has been quiescent from a mining point of view, revived.

MARBLE BAR FATALITY Carpenter Accidentally Shot

~The West Australian~
June 20 1913

A fatal accident occurred at Bamboo Creek on Wednesday. John Metcalf and James Saunders were examining a revolver which Saunders had in his hand, when the weapon went off. The bullet passed through Metcalf's hand and into his body two inches below the heart. All efforts to save the unfortunate man failed, and he died early this morning. The deceased was a carpenter, and had been engaged

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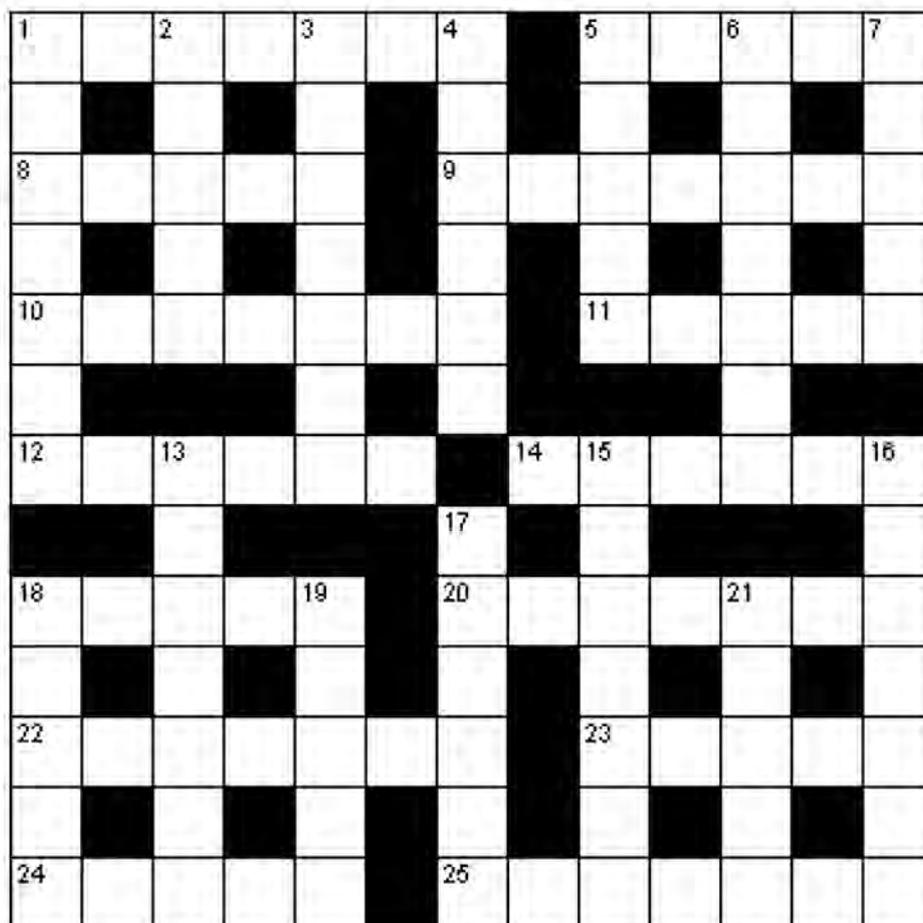
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LLOYD.—At Marble Bar, on June 6, the wife of C. B. Lloyd—a son. Both well.

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- 1 Londoner (7)
- 5 Religious factions (5)
- 8 Hard stone (5)
- 9 Roman sea god (7)
- 10 Long-necked animal (7)
- 11 Cook in an oven (5)
- 12 Mediterranean island (6)
- 14 Convent head (6)
- 18 Additional payment (5)
- 20 Everywhere (3,4)
- 22 Embellished (7)
- 23 She-fox (5)
- 24 Eagle's nest (5)
- 25 Tosh (7)

Down

- 1 Modifications (7)
- 2 Professorship (5)
- 3 Necessary (7)
- 4 Over there (6)
- 5 Excellent (5)
- 6 Bravery (7)
- 7 Bed covering (5)
- 13 Frankness (7)
- 15 South American country (7)
- 16 Odd, unusual (7)
- 17 Brigand (6)
- 18 Burn fiercely (5)
- 19 Gumption (5)
- 21 Annoyed (5)

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16th June

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Training 1st & 15th June

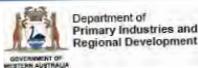
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~ Funeral Notices ~

*It is with the upmost respect to the deceased and their families that we pass on the following funeral notices.
More detailed notices can be viewed at the Marble Bar CRC.*

Yvette Joy Jones

Funeral 17th June, Service 10:00am at the Aboriginal Church of Christ,
Corner of Cottier & Kennedy Street, South Hedland

Janette Zarra Joelissa Skyla Karen Hubert (12/10/2020-25/04/2021)

Funeral 12th June, Graveside Service 9:00am at the Karratha Cemetery

Phyllis Ann Harris

Funeral 19th June, Graveside Service 3:30pm at the Roebourne/Wickham Cemetery

A FEW HANDY NUMBERS:

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9174 1900

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JUNE 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
		1 BIN DAY  MARBLE BAR VFES 5pm @The Station	2	3	4 Be Connected 3:00-4:30pm @CRC	5
6	Public Holiday WA Day WA Day Games 3pm @MB Basketball Courts	8 BIN DAY  Calidus Info 5:30pm @MB Civic Centre	9 ALLIED HEALTH @MB Nursing Post	10 RFDS @MB Nursing Post	11	12
13	14	15 BIN DAY  MARBLE BAR VFES 5pm @The Station	16	17 RFDS @MB Nursing Post	18 Be Connected 3:00-4:30pm @CRC	19
20 Landscape Painting Art Class 10am @Civic Centre	21	22 BIN DAY  MARBLE BAR VFES 5pm @The Station	23	24 RFDS @MB Nursing Post	25 Be Connected 3:00-4:30pm @CRC	26
27	28	29 BIN DAY  MARBLE BAR VFES 5pm @The Station	30			

JULY 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
				1 RFDS @MB Nursing Post	2 Marble Bar Race Ball	3  2021 M.B.R.C. & Calidus Resources Marble Bar Cup
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