

Welcome Leonard Long

The Shire of Boyup Brook welcomes Leonard Long as our new Chief Executive Officer (CEO). Leonard commenced with the Shire on the 12th June 2023 and brings with him a wealth of knowledge in local government, most recently as Chief Executive Officer at the Shire of Nungarin. Leonard has moved to town and will be residing here full time with his wife. He is looking forward to meeting local community groups and businesses, but most of all getting to know our community.



If you need to make an appointment to see the CEO or any other Officer at the Shire, please phone the Shire Administration Office to make an appointment on 9765 1200.

Disaster Ready Fund Success

The Shire of Boyup Brook is excited to announce that we have been successful in our application to upgrade our sporting clubrooms to enable their use as a Community Evacuation Centre in the case of an emergency.



In Disaster Ready Fund (DRF) round one National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) received over 300 applications nationally. All eligible applications were assessed via a robust and transparent process managed by the NEMA in accordance with the published program Guidelines. On 6th June 2023, the Commonwealth announced the twenty three (23) WA projects funded under round one. For the full list visit https://nema.gov.au/programs/disaster-ready-fund/round-one

Project Update



Drainage and structural renovations are well underway at the Town Hall and looking on track for completion by the end of August. The Lesser Hall flooring is currently in the process of being replaced along with work to the front of the hall. The exterior public toilets have remained open to the public, please ensure you continue to follow all signage when using the carpark or public toilets. No entry is permitted to the construction site.

The Cemetery project has also begun with initial ground stability and geotechnical testing completed. Phase 2 will see the Shire appoint drainage engineers to provide recommendations.



Rylington Park Field
Day - Thursday
14th September 2023





Please advise the Shire in writing of any change to your postal address. This will ensure timely delivery of correspondence.



Positions Vacant - see the Shire website for full details

General Hand / Plant Operator - Casual Pool, Shire Depot Early Learning Educator - Casual & Part-time, Early Learning Centre

Shire Office

Monday - Friday 8:30AM - 4:30PM



PO Box 2 Boyup Brook 6244 (08) 9765 1200

shire@boyupbrook.wa.gov.au www.boyupbrook.wa.gov.au

Department of Transport 8:30AM - 4:00PM

Medical Centre Monday- Friday 8:00AM - 4:30PM 9765 1026

Recycling Dates

Wednesday 5th July Wednesday 19th July Wednesday 2nd August

Transfer Station

Thursday 10:00am - 2:00pm Saturday 10:00am - 2:00pm Sunday 11:00am - 2:00pm Waste Collection Every Wednesday

After Hours Trees on Road 0448 833 102

Harvest & Vehicle Movement Ban 9765 1543



New standards have been introduced nationally by Food Standards Australia New Zealand (FSANZ) to improve food safety and prevent foodborne illness in the community. Food businesses that handle unpackaged, potentially hazardous and ready-to-eat foods will need to comply with the new standard requirements by 8 December 2023. The new requirements will improve food safety through skills, knowledge and supervision. Some food businesses will be required to implement the below food safety management tools. These tools will enable food businesses to manage food safety risks more effectively to help prevent foodborne illnesses and outbreaks, loss of revenue and reputational damage.

- 1. Food safety supervisors: You will need to appoint a food safety supervisor for your business.
- 2. Food safety training: Your food handlers will need to show they have had food safety training.
- 3. Show you are managing key food safety controls: You will need to keep records of important food safety controls or be able to demonstrate safe food handling practices.

To help you to understand what you need to do to meet the new requirements visit www.health.wa.gov.au/FSMT

If you have any questions please phone the Shire and talk to

If you have any questions, please phone the Shire and talk to the Environmental Health Officer, Wednesdays and Fridays.



Don't be 'that' person

Shire Rangers are focusing on dog owners to make sure our shared public spaces can be enjoyed by lots of different users. Please pick up your dog poothere are dog poobag dispensers in the parks. If they are empty, please advise the Shire. Whether you're a dog

owner or someone who shares these recreational spaces, let's work together to keep these areas dog-friendly.



Customer Service Requests

Do you need to lodge a Customer Service Request for road works? Please lodge all requests either by emailing the Shire at shire@boyupbrook.wa.gov.au or phone the Shire Administration Office on 9765 1200. This will ensure your request is lodged and tasked to the correct Officer for action.

Winter Grading Programme

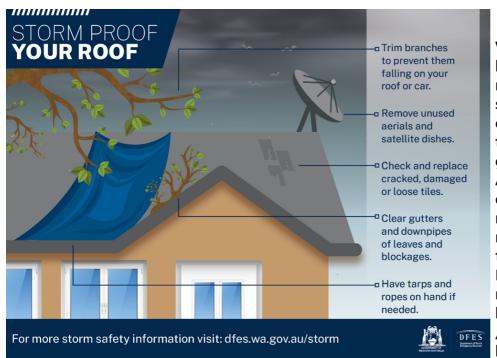
Winter grading has commenced with roads in stage 2 and 3 taking priority. Stage 2 covers the area of Mayanup, Tweed and Benjinup(a), with stage 3 covering the area of Nollajup, Benjinup(b), Wilga, McAlinden and North Boyup Brook. Works are scheduled to be completed by mid August, weather permitting, with stage 1 and stage 4 following. All urgent works will be completed first.

Boyup Brook Community Gym

As the temperature drops and winter sets in, bring your workout inside.

We have all types of equipment in our gym to keep you moving and motivated throughout the colder months.

Membership forms available at the Shire Administration Office.



Preparing for a Storm

While the dangers of a storm can't be prevented, you can prepare and reduce the amount of damage a storm can cause. Most damage is caused by flying objects, fallen trees and flooding from blocked gutters.

As storms can happen at any time and sometimes without much notice, it is best to prepare and maintain your property throughout the year.

For a storm plan template, please refer to the Storm Smart brochure https://publications.dfes.wa.gov.au/publications/storm-smart-brochure

Have you got your tip pass?

The Boyup Brook Transfer Station does not have EFTPOS facilities and are currently phasing out cash. Please ensure you have your tip pass with you when going to the Transfer Station. These are available from the Shire Administration Office.

20 pass \$47.00

10 pass \$29.00 5 pass \$21.50

One notch



1 wheelie bin or equivalent



Pricing reflects the 2022 / 2023 Fees and Charges. Please check the Shire website for up to date pricing.



Council Meetings - Shire Council Chambers 55 Abel Street, Boyup Brook



Public Briefing Sessions for 2023

Residents and Ratepayers are welcome to attend the Agenda Briefing Sessions which commence at 6.00pm in the Shire Council Chambers. The Briefing Sessions are related to information only and no Public Question is afforded at these meetings.

20 July 24 August 21 September 19 October 23 November 7 December

Ordinary Council Meetings for 2023

Residents and Ratepayers are welcome to attend the Ordinary Council meetings which commence at 6.00pm in the Shire Council Chambers.

27 July 31 August 28 September 26 October 30 November 14 December

*Dates correct at time of publication, please check the Shire website for any changes

Your Councillors

Cr Richard Walker (Shire President)	0429 661 051	Cr Helen O'Connell (Deputy President)	0427 653 146
Cr Sarah Alexander	0417 941 744	Cr Philippe Kaltenrieder	0429 700 708
Cr Steele Alexander	0457 484 881	Cr Darren King	0417 796 298
Cr Charles Caldwell	0418 913 531	Cr Kevin Moir	9766 1046
		Cr Adrian Price	0428 680 008





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