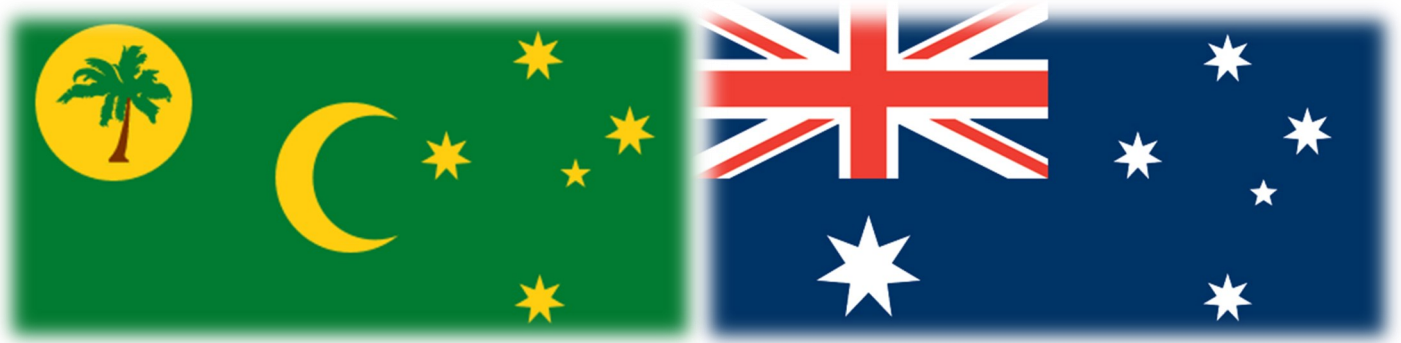




"THE ATOLL" COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER



Friday 21st April 2023 – Thursday 4th May 2023



The Cocos (Keeling) Islands comprises of 27 coral islands forming two atolls—situated 2768km north-west of Perth and 3685km due west of Darwin—and is an isolated speck in the Indian Ocean.

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Cocos (Trish Flores, Jamil Ibram, Ash James and Kylie James) and Christmas Island crew attended the Christmas Island Reptile Conservation Planning workshop in Canberra. The Cocos crew got the opportunity to reunite with Tang Mo in Taronga Zoo.

Photo Source: Trish Flores, Jamil Ibram and Kylie James.





Australia's Biggest Morning Tea

Celebrating
30 years!

Every dollar raised helps support those impacted by cancer.

When: Thursday 25th May 2023

Where: Cocos (K) Islands Community Resource Centre

Time: 9.30am

Details: Join us for a morning tea, and help us raise money!

Please bring along \$20.00 donation (or more!)

Door prizes, delicious food, community and more!

Please RSVP to the CRC E: info@cocosislandscrc.cc

biggestmorningtea.com.au



Rainfall Stats

Latest to 21 April 2023:

March Statistics

8.6mm

(not accurate)

Latest 2023 Statistics:

746.6mm

(not accurate)



LATEST WEATHER

www.bom.gov.au

BOM have advised that rainfall is currently not being recorded.

Does anyone want to start recording backyard rainfall?

Emergency Contact List

| | |
|-----------------|-----------|
| AFP | 9162 6600 |
| VHF | Ch20 |
| IOTHS WI Clinic | 9162 6655 |
| IOTHS HI Clinic | 9162 7609 |
| | VHF Ch24 |
| DFES HI | 9162 7788 |
| DFES WI | 9162 7777 |
| VMRS | VHF Ch20 |
| Shire HI | 9162 6649 |
| Watercorp | 9162 6722 |

Thumbs Up

- 👍 To everyone fasting during Ramadan
- 👍 The helpers unloading the container at the Cocos Club
- 👍 To everyone for their amazing donations to the Silent Auction
- 👍 Congratulations to the new PIPC committee.

Feel free to email your thumbs up to the CRC for inclusion.



Cocos (K) Islands Silent Auction

Along with hosting Australia’s Biggest Morning Tea, the Cocos CRC are coordinating a Silent Auction. All proceeds will be donated to The Cancer Council WA. We will be accepting donations through-out the month of April. Please email to: info@cocosislandscrc.cc

Popular Donations: Boat Trips, Dinner Parties, Catering and items not regularly found on Cocos!

Bidding will commence in May.





CEO update

From the CEO's Desk 21 April 2023



Being an ex-pat and relative newcomer to the Cocos (Keeling) Islands, it is now easy to see how Anzac Day and Hari Raya play such an important role in the life and times of the Cocos Malay population. Now that both events have passed for this year, it is back to business and back to staff working full days again. Productivity, especially from our outside workforce will increase greatly and the results begin to be seen in no time at all.

The April Ordinary Meeting of Council has come and gone, and I am pleased to say the direction the Shire is progressing towards being financially stronger by curbing expenditure and raising own source revenue continues.

As we move into May, my senior staff and I are revising our workforce planning, annual works plan, corporate business plan and budget for the 2023 – 2024 financial year. I will be inviting members of the public to attend planning sessions on both Home and West Island during May so please keep an eye on social media and the Atoll for dates and times of the upcoming meetings.

Waste management planning is still underway, and I thank the majority of the communities on both Home and West Island for their tolerance and understanding as we go through this process. It is disappointing that a small number of people have been using the ocean as a repository for green waste as opposed to taking it to the land fill, which is a free service available on both islands.

After much lobbying, the Hon Chris Bowen MP, Minister for Climate Change and Energy has agreed to a face-to-face meeting with the Shire President and Chief Executive Officer to discuss all matters relating to rising sea levels, tidal inundations, kampong flooding, foreshore degradation and so forth. This meeting has been initiated by the Prime Minister, the Hon Anthony Albanese MP and thanks to the generous assistance of Minister Bowen's staff we will also be meeting with The Hon Penny Wong MP, Minister for Foreign Affairs to discuss a delegation from the UN visiting the Cocos (Keeling) Islands for the 40-year anniversary of Self Determination Day in 2024. Minister Kristy McBain MP, Minister for Territories has also advised she will be part of the meetings and we are looking forward to these meetings as the first positive steps in the journey forward for the Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

Selamat Hari Raya everyone!

Frank Mills
Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands



CEO update

Dari Meja CEO 21 April 2023



Sebagai pendatang baru di Pulu Cocos, sekarang senang untuk melihat bagaimana pentingnya Hari Anzac dan Hari Raya di kehidupan masyarakat Pulu Cocos. Sekarang kedua-dua acara sudah berlalu untuk tahun ini, bisnis kembali seperti biasa dan pekerja kembali bekerja penuh lagi. Produktiviti, terutamanya dari pekerja luar kami akan meningkat dan hasilnya mula dapat dilihat dalam masa yang singkat.

Mitingan Konsel pada bulan April telah datang dan pergi, dan dengan senang hati saya sampaikan bahawa arah kemajuan Shire untuk menjadi lebih kuat secara keuangan dengan membatasi pengeluaran dan meningkatkan hasil sumber sendiri berterusan.

Memasuk bulan May, pekerja atasan saya dan saya sedang menyemak semula workforce planning kami, pelan rancangan kerja tahunan, corporate business plan dan budget untuk tahun keuangan 2023 – 2024. Saya akan menjemput masyarakat untuk menghadiri sesi perancangan di Kampong dan Pulu Panjang di bulan May jadi jaga social media dan Atoll untuk hari bulan dan masa pertemuan yang akan datang.

Perancangan pengurusan sampah masih dijalankan, dan saya berterima kasi kepada sebagian besar masyarakat di Kampong dan Pulu Panjang atas kesabaran dan pengertian mereka selama kami menjalani proses ini. Sangat mengecewakan bahawa sejumlah kecil orang telah menggunakan laut sebagai tempat membuang sampah green waste daripada membawanya di tempat pembuangan sampah, yang merupakan serbis percuma yang tersedia di kedua pulu.

Setelah banyak mencobah mempengaruhi, Yang Terhormat Chris Bowen MP, Menteri untuk Climate Change dan Energy telah bersetuju untuk mengadakan pertemuan secara bersemuka dengan Presiden Konsel dan Chief Executive Officer untuk membincangkan semua perkara yang berkaitan dengan naiknya ayer laut, banjir pasang surut, banjir di kampong, peruntuhan pinggir laut dan sebagainya. Pertemuan ini dimulai oleh Prime Minister, Yang Terhormat Anthony Albanese MP dan terima kasi kepada bantuan murah hati pekerja Menteri Bowen kami juga akan bertemu dengan Yang Terhormat Penny Wong MP, Menteri untuk Foreign Affairs untuk membincangkan delegasi dari UN melawat Pulu Cocos untuk 40-tahun anniversary Hari Tiga Pilihan pada tahun 2024. Menteri Kristy McBain MP, Menteri untuk Territories juga telah menasihatkan bahawa dia akan menjadi bagian dari pertemuan ini dan kami menantikan pertemuan ini sebagai langkah positif pertama dalam perjalanan ke hadapan untuk Pulu Cocos.

Selamat Hari Raya semua!

*Frank Mills
Chief Executive Officer
Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands*



Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands

Technical Fisheries Partner

CKI Fisheries Management – Technical Partner



Position Details

Summary:

The Cocos (Keeling) Islands (CKI) Shire is seeking an independent technical partner with demonstrated expertise and experience in fisheries management and marine science to support the delivery of new collaborative fisheries management arrangements at CKI.

The fisheries technical partner will effectively engage and work with key stakeholders, including the Australian government, the CKI Coastal Marine Care Committee, CKI Shire, marine scientists, local business owners, other stakeholders and the CKI community to deliver the 2023/24 fisheries management workplan, as agreed by the CKI Shire and DITRDCA.

The technical partner will support the CKI Shire and CMC in the form of policy guidance and advice, fisheries science and monitoring, community education and awareness, and program evaluation and reporting.

Term: 31 March 2024

Budget guide: AUD \$100,000 to be finalised on appointment

Roles and Responsibilities:

The CKI fisheries technical partner will work to ensure that CKI fisheries are managed for the benefit of the CKI community using an adaptive, science-based approach.

Specifically, the technical partner will:

- Guide and oversee the delivery of fisheries management policies and programs, including community engagement and education, compliance and enforcement, and fisheries science and monitoring at CKI. in line with the agreed 1-year workplan.
- Together with the Shire Governance and Risk Coordinator and CEO manage the day-to-day activities of the CI Fisheries Ranger, e.g fisheries data collection, community engagement, reporting, etc.



- Lead the management, analysis, interpretation and communication of fisheries data and translate scientific outcomes to provide timely management advice.
- Prepare and effectively communicate program results to key stakeholder groups via reports, articles, presentations, popular articles, social media, etc.
- Liaise with local community and fisheries and marine stakeholders, including government, researchers, conservation organisations and businesses, to support delivery of fisheries outcomes.
- Work closely with the CKI Shire and DITRDCA to determine and establish critical infrastructure, assets, training, resources, data management and security requirements.
- Help to build fisheries management and research capacity within the CKI CMC and Fisheries Ranger position.
- With the CKI Shire, monitor workplan progress and assist in addressing issues that will affect project performance and milestones.
- Advise the CKI CMC and CKI Shire regarding fisheries and related marine projects and policy.

Site visits:

The technical partner will be required to undertake periodic visits to Christmas Island to consult and engage with the CKI CMC, the local community and other stakeholders; establish fisheries management systems; and undertake critical science or monitoring or other relevant activities.

Capabilities and capacity:

The fisheries technical partner must have:

- Demonstrated knowledge of 'best practice' fisheries management systems and marine scientific research principles.
- Strong knowledge of CI marine environment, social and cultural setting and fisheries activities.
- Strong qualitative and quantitative data collection and analysis skills, including the use of relevant analytical applications (e.g. R, GIS).
- Demonstrated ability to effectively communicate and engage with variety of marine and fisheries stakeholders, including fishers, community groups, government, scientists, conservation groups, and private businesses, using different media and platforms (e.g. signage, community workshops, presentations, social media).
- Excellent written and oral communication skills, including ability to lead delivery of public engagement, interpretative and educational activities and materials.
- Well-developed analytical, problem solving and resolution skills.
- Ability to regularly travel to CKI, including for extended periods of time.

Other considerations:

This is an initial approx. 12-month partnership, aimed at facilitating the transition toward collaborative, community-based fisheries management at CKI.

Activities must align with the agreed 2023/24 Fisheries Management Workplan.

For further information, please contact Frank Mills at the Shire Office on 9162 6649 or alternatively email frank.mills@cocos.wa.gov.au





Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands

SYDNEY TRIP



Recently, I was truly fortunate to be part of the 2023 Christmas Island Reptile Workshop that was held in Sydney (Taronga Zoo). I was very privileged to join and be part of the team representing Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands in this workshop. On this trip I got to meet new people, we also got to see the animals behind the scenes which was organized by the Taronga staff. So lucky that the Cocos crew got to be reunited with the elephants that were quarantined on Cocos Islands, before being transferred to Taronga Zoo as their new home.

The workshop was to develop a sustainable management action plan to preserve two beautiful creatures that are close to extinct on Christmas Island. (Listers Gecko and Blue tailed skink). Cocos Islands is a much more suitable place for the lizards and geckos, rather than on Christmas Island in captivity. Also, Cocos doesn't have the introduced Asian Wolf Snake, as they are the number one predator for the lizards and the geckos.

“The blue-tailed skink and Lister’s gecko are two species endemic to Christmas Island (which means they are native and were only found on Christmas Island). The blue-tailed skink used to be commonly seen all over Christmas Island, and the Lister’s gecko was more cryptic as it blended into its environment and was only active at night. In the early 1980’s, an invasive wolf snake was accidentally introduced to Christmas Island from south-east Asia, likely brought on a cargo ship. The snake was first seen in the settlement area of Christmas Island, and as it bred and spread across the island we started to see less and less of Christmas Islands’ lizards and geckos. The lizards and geckos faced other threats too, such as introduced giant centipedes, yellow crazy ants, and cats.

By 2009, the blue-tailed skink and Lister’s gecko (as well as the forest skink and coastal skink) were on the brink of extinction. Christmas Island National Park team started up a captive breeding program to bring 66 blue-tailed skinks, 43 Lister’s geckos and 3 forest skinks in from the wild, away from predators. Soon after, there were no more sightings of blue-tailed skinks, Lister’s geckos, coastal skinks, or forest skinks left on Christmas Island and they were declared Extinct in the Wild. Unfortunately, the 3 forest skinks brought into captivity died before they could breed making it Australia’s first reptile extinction since European settlement. Taronga Zoo also breed the blue-tailed skink and Lister’s gecko in captivity, to further secure the two species from extinction.

The captive breeding programs for the skinks and geckos were very successful, and they increased in numbers. However, the predators that caused the species to go extinct in the wild still exist, so we cannot release them from captivity yet. Christmas Island National Park are working on solutions to eradicate the invasive predators threatening the native wildlife, so that one day we can release the lizards back into their wild homeland. In the meantime, two islands on the Cocos (Keeling) Islands – Pulu Blan and Pulu Blan Madar – support two healthy populations of blue-tailed skinks that were translocated in 2019 and 2020. The islands on Cocos are very important in protecting the skinks from going extinct, where they can thrive away from predators and where we can learn more about them.” (Shubert 2020).

I would like to say a big thankyou to Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Parks Australia, and Taronga Zoo for giving me this great opportunity to be part of the Christmas Island Reptile Conservation Planning Workshop. From a community perspective, I am happy to support the protection and preservation of these two beautiful creatures and hopefully one day they can get back to Christmas Island and enjoy the wilderness and live freely.

Jamil Ibram
Assistant Ranger





Community Update

Pulu Keeling National Park

Christmas Island blue tailed skinks on the Cocos Islands



Photo: Lisa Cavenagh

A team of Christmas Island scientists recently visited Cocos to carry out counts of the Christmas Island blue tailed skinks, that were brought to the Cocos Islands in 2019 and 2020 as a species saving effort. The endemic, colourful skinks are presumed extinct in the wild on Christmas Island and only exist in captivity along with two small wild populations on the Cocos Islands.

Recent capture – mark - recapture surveys on Pulu Blan and Pulu Blan Madar suggest the populations of skinks have continued to increase. On Pulu Blan we estimate the current population to be around 3180 adults, up from 1079 adults in September 2021. For Pulu Blan Madar the adult population is 745 up from 462 in October 2022.

In a planning workshop at Taronga Zoo in March, where representatives of Cocos and Christmas Island and Parks Australia met with scientists and geneticists, Cocos populations were identified as the crucial stronghold for the survival of the skink, while the causes of decline on Christmas Island are investigated.

The Cocos wild populations are critical in keeping the skinks from extinction. Along with Ash and Kylie James from Cocos Islands Adventure Tours, the Cocos Shire, Nek Fifi and Nek Fasha and their families, we need your help to continue to protect the skinks.

Keeping skink populations free from the impacts of invasive species is the key to their survival. You can help by not bringing cats, rats, chickens, roosters, geckos, wasps and giant centipedes to Pulu Blan and Blan Madar.

Thank you, as always for your cooperation.



Joint Committee for the IOT Supply Chain Review



News from the Joint Committee – Independent review of air freight, shipping and passenger services has commenced.

Number: 01/2023

Date: 17/04/2023

A priority identified in the [IOT RDO 2030 Strategic Regional Plan](#) is to *achieve reliable, competitive and cost-effective supply chains for the Indian Ocean Territories (IOT)*. An independent review of air freight, shipping and passenger services has now commenced.

The Joint Committee for the IOT Supply Chain Review has been formed to provide project governance and to take a central role in the review. The Joint Committee will participate in decision making, provide operational direction and stakeholder input, and monitor the project.

Joint Committee membership includes representatives from the Indian Ocean Territories Regional Development Organisation (IOT RDO), Christmas Island Business Association (CIBA), Shire of Christmas Island, Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands, and our local Member of Parliament Ms Marion Scrymgour.

Through the review, it is hoped that opportunities to sustainably improve the reliability and efficiency of the region’s supply chains can be identified, and recommendations developed that can be implemented, monitored and reviewed.

The IOT Supply Chain Review will:

- identify constraints and limitations, and regional supply chain adequacy, in meeting demand and needs of the islands across air freight, sea freight, and passenger services;
- make informed and realistic recommendations for long-term, sustainable improvements, including on ways to make processes and systems more efficient and transparent to stakeholders; and
- develop an implementation and review framework.

At the meeting on 3 April 2023, the Joint Committee reviewed and endorsed the project review framework, and received an update on progress with stakeholder consultations. If you have not been contacted but would like to be consulted for the review, please contact the Committee Secretariat at supplychainreview@iotprojects.com.au.

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Co-Chair

Nicholas Gan

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ASSOCIATION INC.



SHIRE OF CHRISTMAS ISLAND



COCOS
ISLANDS
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Marion Scrymgour
Labor Federal MP for Lingiari



Cocos Islands District High School Parents and Citizens Association Incorporated

CIDHS P&C Fete and Auction 2023

CIDHS P&C is very excited to announce that the beloved P&C Fete and Auction is back this year! The date is tentatively set on **Sunday 22nd October 2023** subject to approval for the additional ferry service.

CIDHS P&C is a non-profitable association run by volunteers. The Fete/Auction is the single most important fundraiser that the P&C undertakes. The P&C delivers very real benefits to the children in our school. Examples of P&C funded activities include but are not limited to:

- The year 9 Immersion Program in Perth
- School resources and workbooks
- The year 5& 6 educational camp to Perth
- Gifts/Leave Shirts for graduating students and awards
- Subsidised school uniforms and
- Other school programs and projects throughout the year

The P&C will be seeking sponsorships and donations in the next few months. The support of the broader Cocos (Keeling) Islands community is vital in ensuring a successful day. In this challenging economic climate, it is more important than ever to focus on a sense of community.

If you would like to know more about the Fete & Auction, please feel free to talk to Pak Shafeeqa, Pak Nafiz, Mak Ayub, Helen (Mak Adam) or any of our current and past members.



More hands make light work. P&C always welcome new members!



Government of Western Australia
Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety



Keep kids away from tiny killers

They may look like lollies to young eyes, but button batteries and small high-powered magnets can cause severe injuries if swallowed.

Shape shifting toys with small high-powered magnets are so dangerous they were banned from sale in Australia ten years ago. If two or more magnets are swallowed, they can stick to each other, leading to further complications like infection, sepsis and even death.

Button batteries power many products in our homes such as toys, hearing aids, remote controls and kitchen scales. If swallowed, contact with saliva can cause them to burn through the throat or stomach.

Recently, a five-year-old boy in Adelaide had magnetic beads removed, after doctors found they had connected, squeezing the top and bottom of his intestine together; and a baby girl in Queensland spent days in an induced coma after swallowing a button battery while playing with car keys.

Last year, new mandatory button battery rules came into effect, requiring warnings to be displayed on all toys or other products containing them, including medical advice if swallowed and to have a secure battery cover.

Carefully consider any toys and devices you buy and how they're powered. Should you decide to allow button batteries into your home, make sure they're kept out of reach from young children.

If you spot items containing non-compliant button batteries, or any small high-powered magnet products on shop shelves, report them to Consumer Protection at consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au or call 1300 30 40 54.

Stay informed

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Subscribe to WA ScamNet alerts www.scamnet.wa.gov.au/scamnet/Scam_prevention-Scam_Alert_Me.htm



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Jauhkan anak-anak dari pembunuh kecil

Ia mungkin kelihatan seperti bangula di mata anak-anak, tetapi bateri kancing dan besi berani kecil yang kuat boleh menyebabkan kecederaan teruk jika ditelan.

Kemainan yang bentuknya boleh ditukar yang gunakan besi berani yang kuat sangat berbahaya sehingga mereka dilarang dijual di Australia sepuluh tahun lalu. Jika dua atau lebih besi berani ditelan, mereka boleh saling melengkat, menyebabkan kesusahan lebih lanjut seperti infeksi, sepsis dan juga kematian.



Bateri kancing menyalakan banyak barang di rumah kita seperti permainan, alat bantu pendengaran, remote control dan timbangan dapur. Jika ditelan, kontak dengan ayer liur boleh menyebabkan mereka membakar gorokan atau perut.

Baru-baru ini, seorang anak lelaki berumur 5 tahun di Adelaide ada manik besi berani dikeluarkan, selepas doktor mendapati ia telah saling melengket, menjepit usut bagian atas dan bawah; dan seorang bayi perempuan di Queensland menghabiskan beberapa hari dalam induced koma selepas menelan bateri kancing saat bermain dengan kunci kereta.

Tahun lalu, peraturan bateri kancing yang wajib mulai berlaku, memerlukan peringatan untuk ditunjukkan pada semua permainan atau produk lain yang mengandungnya, termasuk nasihat perubatan jika ditelan dan mempunyai penutup bateri yang selamat.

Berhati-hati mempertimbangkan mana-mana permainan dan alat-alat yang anda beli dan bagaimana mereka dikuasakan. Sekiranya anda membuat keputusan untuk adakan bateri kancing dirumah anda, pastikan ia diletak di tempat yang anak-anak tidak boleh dapat.

Jika anda menemukan barang yang ada bateri kancing yang tidak sesuai, atau mana-mana produk yang gunakan besi berani kecil yang kuat di para-para kedeh, repot kepada Consumer Protection di consumer@dmirs.wa.gov.au atau telipon 1300 30 40 54.

Tetap terinformasi

Ingin tetap tahu apa yang mempengaruhi anda sebagai pengguna?

Suka dan ikuti halaman Facebook kami untuk semua berita terkini: www.facebook.com/consumerIOT

Subscribe ke WA ScamNet alerts www.scamnet.wa.gov.au/scamnet/Scam_prevention-Scam_Alert_Me.htm

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Fines and enforcing fines I

These are short articles about legal issues that may interest you. They are not legal advice. You should always get individual legal advice for your situation.

This article will deal with what is a fine, what your options are if you get a fine and what happens if you do not pay your fine. The next four articles will continue to look at what can happen if you do not pay your fine.

What is a fine?

A fine is an amount of money that a court orders you to pay as a penalty for an offence for which you have been found guilty. The court may impose a fine only, or may impose another penalty in addition to the fine.

As well your fine penalty, the court will usually order you to pay “court costs”. A fine is defined as including court costs. So, throughout these articles, a “fine” means a fine and court costs.

What must you do when you receive a fine?

Within 28 days of getting a fine, you must either:

- pay it in full or
- apply for a “time to pay” order from the court registry.

Applying for a time to pay order

A time to pay order can allow you to either:

- pay the fine by a date later than 28 days after you got the fine or
- pay the fine by instalments.

You can pay instalments in person, have them deducted from your bank account or have instalments deducted from your Centrelink payments.

You may have to prove that you need a time to pay order.

If you breach (break) your time to pay order it can be cancelled immediately.

What if you don't pay your fine or apply for a time to pay order within 28 days?

If you do not pay your fine or apply for a time to pay order within 28 days, or you are refused a time to pay order, the fine will be enforced against you. This means that actions will be taken to get (recover) the money from you.

Enforcement (recovery) of your fine debt can occur in one of the 2 ways below:

- A court can make an enforcement order under the Sentencing Act when it gives you your fine. We will look at this below.
- The Fines Enforcement Registry can enforce the fine under the Fines Penalties and Infringement Notices Enforcement Act (FPINE Act). We will look at this in the next four articles.

Enforcement by a court order under the Sentencing Act

When you are given your fine, the court can make an order at the same time that:

- your fine is to be enforced by a fine enforcement Work and Development order (WDO)(see below). If this order is made, you must either pay your fine within 7 days, or report to Community Corrections to be given a WDO or
- you are put in jail until you pay your fine, in certain circumstances. This can happen where the offence can only be dealt with by a court higher than the Magistrates Court or where the court believes that you might leave the IOT without paying your fine or
- you are put in jail unless you pay your fine by a certain date, in certain circumstances. This can happen where you are fined by a court higher than the Magistrates court.

What is a fine enforcement Work and Development order?

The court can make a fine enforcement Work and Development order under the Sentencing Act. This is an order that you either pay your fine in full within 7 days or you attend Community Corrections to be given a WDO order.

The court can only make this order if you are in court and it must think about various factors before making the order.

The purpose of a WDO is to allow you to “pay off” your fine by doing approved activities instead of paying money.

Community Corrections will assess you to make sure that you are suitable for a WDO.

If a WDO is made it will say that you must:

- Do a certain total number of hours of community corrections activities
- Do a certain number of hours each week
- Not leave the territory without permission of Community Corrections
- Tell Community Corrections within 2 days if you change your address or job

Community corrections approved activities can include voluntary, charity or community work, addiction treatment, counselling and educational courses to help with social, personal or life skills or work skills. The activity must be approved by Community Corrections.

If you breach your WDO (do not comply with the conditions) a hearing called a warrant of commitment enquiry can be held in the Magistrates Court, for the court to work out what is a suitable way of enforcing the fine debt against you. The court may order that you serve time in jail to “cut out” your fine.

The next 4 articles will look at enforcement of a fine debt against you under the FPINE Act (the Fines Penalties and Infringement Notices Enforcement Act).

Annie Gray, Legal Aid WA



“Serbis LAWAs IOTs dibiayai sepenuhnya oleh Kerajaan Australia”

Denda dan penguatkuasaan denda I

Ini adalah artikel pendek mengenai perkara undang-undang yang mungkin menarik untuk anda. Ini bukan nasihat undang-undang. Anda mesti selalu mendapatkan nasihat undang-undang sendiri untuk keadaan anda.

Artikel ini akan membincangkan apa itu denda, apa pilihan anda jika anda mendapat denda dan apa yang berlaku jika anda tidak membayar denda anda. Empat artikel berikutnya akan terus melihat apa yang boleh berlaku jika anda tidak membayar denda anda.

Apa itu denda?

Denda adalah sejumlah uang yang mahkamah memerintahkan anda untuk membayar sebagai hukuman atas kesalahan yang anda telah didapati bersalah. Mahkamah boleh mengenakan denda sahaja, atau boleh mengenakan hukuman lain sebagai tambahan kepada denda.

Selain hukuman denda anda, mahkamah biasanya akan memerintahkan anda untuk membayar “ongkos mahkamah”. Denda dijelaskan sebagai termasuk ongkos mahkamah. Jadi, sepanjang artikel ini, “denda” bermaksud denda dan ongkos mahkamah.

Apakah yang perlu anda lakukan apabila anda menerima denda?

Dalam tempoh 28 hari selepas mendapat denda, anda harus:

- membayar sepenuhnya atau
- memohon perintah “masa untuk membayar” daripada pejabat pendaftaran mahkamah.

Memohon perintah masa untuk membayar

Perintah masa untuk membayar membolehkan anda untuk:

- bayar denda selewat-lewatnya 28 hari selepas anda mendapat denda atau
- bayar denda secara instalmen.

Anda boleh membayar instalmen sendiri, memotongnya dari bank akaun anda atau memotong instalmen dari bayaran Centrelink anda.

Anda mungkin perlu membuktikan bahawa anda memerlukan perintah masa untuk membayar.

Jika anda melanggar perintah masa untuk membayar ia boleh dibatalkan segera.

Bagaimana jika anda tidak membayar denda anda atau memohon perintah masa untuk membayar dalam masa 28 hari?

Jika anda tidak membayar denda atau memohon perintah masa untuk membayar dalam masa 28 hari, atau anda ditolak perintah masa untuk membayar, denda akan dikenakan terhadap anda. Ini bermakna tindakan akan diambil untuk mendapatkan bayaran dari anda.

Penguatkuasaan (pengambilan) hutang denda anda boleh berlaku dengan salah satu dari 2 cara di bawah:

- Mahkamah boleh membuat perintah penguatkuasaan di bawah Undang-undang Hukuman apabila ia memberi anda denda. Kami akan melihat ini di bawah.
- Pejabat Pendaftaran Penguatkuasaan Denda boleh menguatkuasakan denda di bawah Undang-undang Penguatkuasaan Penalti Denda dan Notis Pelanggaran (FPINE Act). Kami akan melihat ini dalam empat artikel berikutnya.

Penguatkuasaan melalui perintah mahkamah di bawah Undang-undang Hukuman

Apabila anda dikasi denda, mahkamah boleh membuat perintah pada masa yang sama bahawa:

- denda anda akan dikuatkuasakan oleh perintah Work and Development (WDO)(lihat di bawah). Jika perintah ini dibuat, anda mesti sama ada bayar denda anda dalam masa 7 hari, atau repot kepada Community Corrections untuk di kasi WDO atau
- anda di kurung sehingga anda membayar denda anda, dalam keadaan tertentu. Ini boleh berlaku di mana kesalahan hanya boleh ditangani oleh mahkamah yang lebih tinggi daripada Mahkamah Majistret atau di mana mahkamah percaya bahawa anda mungkin meninggalkan IOT tanpa membayar denda anda atau
- anda di kurung kecuali anda bayar denda anda pada tanggal tertentu, dalam keadaan tertentu. Ini boleh berlaku apabila anda didenda oleh mahkamah yang lebih tinggi daripada Mahkamah Majistret.

Apa itu perintah Pekerjaan dan Pengembangan penguatkuasaan denda?

Mahkamah boleh membuat perintah Pekerjaan dan Pengembangan penguatkuasaan denda di bawah Undang-undang Hukuman. Ini adalah perintah bahawa anda sama ada membayar denda anda sepenuhnya dalam masa 7 hari atau anda menghadiri Community Corrections untuk dikasi perintah WDO.

Mahkamah hanya boleh membuat perintah ini jika anda ada di mahkamah dan harus memikirkan berbagai faktor sebelum membuat perintah.

Tujuan WDO adalah untuk memungkinkan anda “membayar” denda anda dengan melakukan aktiviti yang disetujui dan bukannya membayar uang.

Community Corrections akan menilai anda untuk memastikan anda sesuai untuk WDO.

Jika WDO dibuat akan dikatakan bahawa anda harus:

- Lakukan beberapa jam aktiviti community corrections
- Lakukan beberapa jam setiap minggu
- Tidak meninggalkan territory tanpa izin dari Community Corrections
- Kasitahu Community Corrections dalam masa 2 hari jika anda tukar alamat atau pekerjaan anda

Aktiviti yang disetujui oleh Community corrections boleh termasuk kerja sukarela, charity atau masyarakat, rawatan ketagihan, kaunseling dan course pendidikan untuk membantu dengan keterampilan sosial, peribadi atau kehidupan atau keterampilan kerja. Aktiviti tersebut harus disetujui oleh Community Corrections.

Jika anda melanggar WDO anda (tidak mengikut syarat) sidang yang dipanggil siasatan jaminan komitmen boleh diadakan di Mahkamah Majistret, untuk mahkamah mencari cara yang sesuai untuk menguatkuasakan hutang denda terhadap anda. Mahkamah boleh memerintahkan anda menjalani hukuman penjara untuk “memotong” denda anda.

Empat artikel berikutnya akan melihat penguatkuasaan hutang denda terhadap anda di bawah Undang-undang FPINE (Undang-undang Penguatkuasaan Penalti Denda dan Notis Pelanggaran).

Annie Gray, Bantuan Hukum WA



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TENNIS FOR ALL

FUN & INTERACTIVE

Tennis West will be providing opportunities for residents of both islands to get involved with tennis. Coaches from Tennis West will be delivering a multitude of FREE FUN and INTERACTIVE session for the whole family!

Friday April 28 - Tennis West Launch Tennis Session

4.30 - 5.15 pm, Home Island Tennis Courts

Saturday April 29 - Introduction to Hotshots Coaching Course

10 am - 12 pm, West Island Tennis Courts

Sunday April 30 - Round Robin Tournament followed by BBQ

3 - 5 pm, West Island Tennis Courts

Tuesday May 2 - Cardio Tennis

4.30 - 5.15 pm, West Island Tennis Courts

Wednesday May 3 - Cardio Tennis & Round Robin Tournament

Cardio - 4.30 - 5.15 pm, Tournament 5.30 - 7 pm, Home Island Tennis Courts

Thursday May 4 - Junior Coaching Tennis Clinic (7-12yr olds)

4 - 4.45 pm, West Island Tennis Courts

Registrations essential, contact Adim Hajjat
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A message from Senator Malarndirri McCarthy

Your Labor Senator for Cocos Keeling Islands

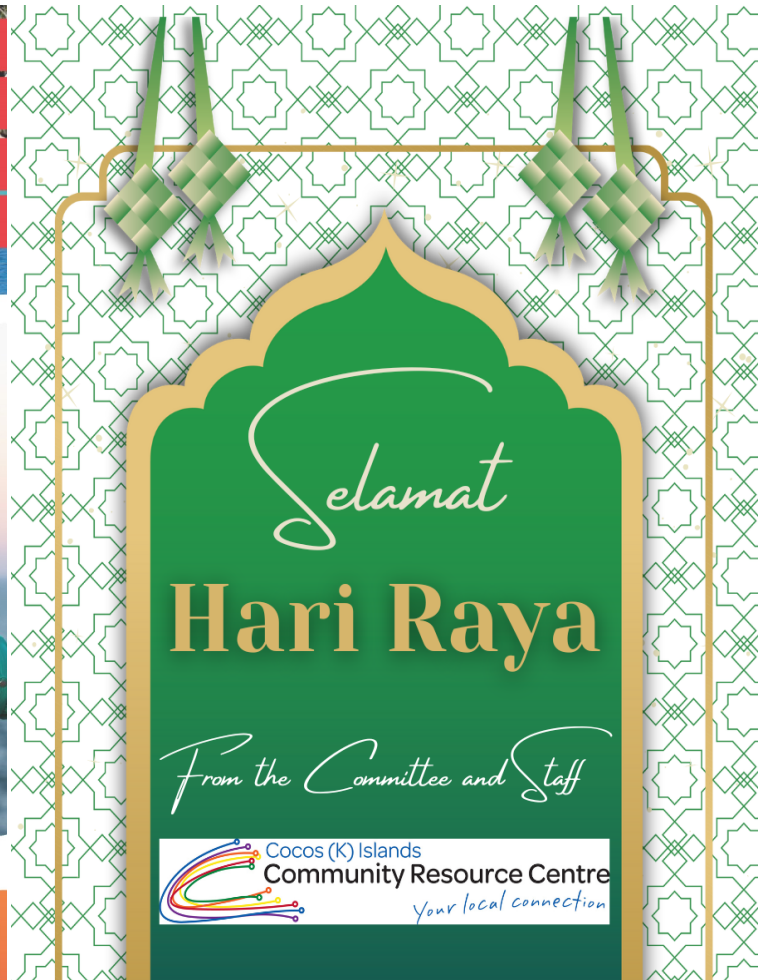
As your representative in the Australian Parliament, I want to make sure your voices are heard on the issues that matter to you and your community.

Please do not hesitate to get in touch with my office if I can be of any assistance.



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Hari Raya

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Blast From The Past



What a busy day look like for the Cocos Keeling Island Airport some time ago.

How many planes can you spot?

Photo Source: Cocos As it Was

Did You Know

On 26th April 1991, Lockheed P-3 Orion tragically crashed on ground and came to rest in shallow waters after take – off from Cocos Islands Airport. Many locals came to their assistance that day. There were 21 people that boarded the plane and sadly, there was one fatalities.

Cocos Malay Dictionary

WORDS

Forgiveness - Kemaafan
 Shake Hands - Bersalam
 Happy - Gembira
 Food - Makanan
 Raya Cookies - Kueh/Biskit Raya
 Money Gift - Selawat
 Present - Hadiah/Prezen
 Bangkuet - Jamuan Makan
 Invitation - Jumputan
 Open House - Rumah Terbuka

IDIOMS

Lazy - Berat Tangan
 Obstinate/Headstrong - Besar Kepala
 Rumour Spreader - Besar Mulut
 Pretty Good/Average - Boleh Tahan
 Wasting Time - Buang Masa
 Wrong Story or News - Kabar Bocor
 Talkative - Lawyer Buruk
 Angry/Mad - Naik Darah
 Ears dropping - Pasang Kuping
 Taking A Holiday - Makan Angin



Poem

The Two Kinds of People

There are two kinds of people on earth to-day; Just two kinds of people, no more, I say. Not the sinner and saint, for it's well understood, The good are half bad and the bad are half good. Not the rich and the poor, for to rate a man's wealth, You must first know the state of his conscience and health. Not the humble and proud, for in life's little span, Who puts on vain airs is not counted a man. Not the happy and sad, for the swift flying years Bring each man his laughter and each man his tears. No; the two kinds of people on earth I mean, Are the people who lift and the people who lean. Wherever you go, you will find the earth's masses Are always divided in just these two classes. And, oddly enough, you will find, too, I ween, There's only one lifter to twenty who lean. In which class are you? Are you easing the load Of overtaxed lifters, who toil down the road? Or are you a leaner, who lets others share Your portion of labor, and worry and care?

- By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Brainteasers

1. Paul's height is six feet, he's an assistant at a butcher's shop, and wears size 9 shoes. What does he weigh?
2. How can $8 + 8 = 4$?
3. How far can a squirrel run into the woods?
4. Guess the next three letters in the series GTNTL.
5. You are in a place called Wally's World and there is only one law. There is a mirror, but no reflection. There is pizza with cheese, but not sausage. There is pepper, but no salt. There is a door, yet no entrance or exit. What is the law?
6. I have a large money box, 10 inches wide, and 5 inches tall. Roughly how many coins can I place until my money box is no longer empty?
7. What do an island and the letter "t" have in common?
8. A sundial has the fewest moving parts of any timepiece. Which has the most?

1. Meat.
2. When you think in terms of time: 8 AM + 8 hours = 4 o'clock.
3. Halfway. After that, he's running back out of the woods.
4. I, T, S. The complete sequence is the first letter of every word in the sentence. Each word in Wally's World must contain double letters.
5. Just one, after which it will no longer be empty.
7. They are both in the middle of water.
8. An hourglass—it has thousands of grains of sand.

Answer

DIY

Make A Paper Poppy

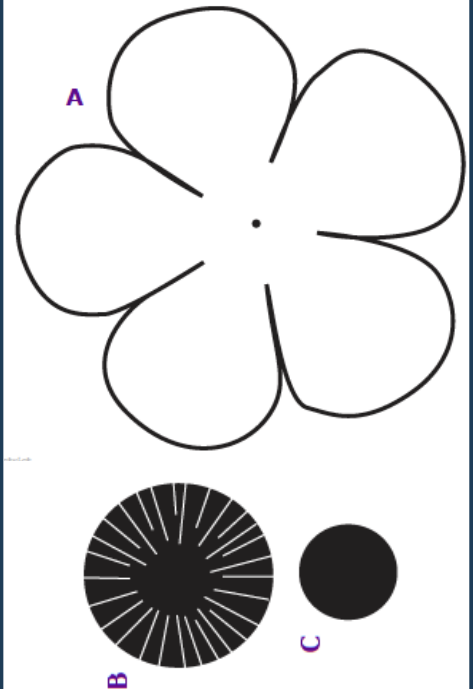
Step 1) Colour in your poppy head (A) in red.

Step 2) Cut out center of poppy (B) and cut along white fine lines. Once finished, bend up.

Step 3) Glue the center of poppy (B) to your poppy head (A)

Step 4) Cut out small center of poppy (C) and glue in place on top.

Now, create a field of poppies!



Congratulations,
you have just created your own poppy!



Cocos Resident Profile

Name: Matthew (Matt) Bennett

Kampong Name: Pak Ayana

Place of Birth: Subiaco, Perth

Besides Cocos, where have you resided or visited? Lived in London, travelled extensively in Europe, the Middle East and South-east Asia.

What were you doing before?

Teaching at Carnaby Rise Primary School in Landsdale, Perth.

What are you doing now?

Teaching the year 5/6 class on Home Island.

What are the top 3 things you love about living on Cocos?

Natural beauty, opportunity for my family to get back to what's real, working with amazing kids and colleagues at Cocos Islands DHS.

What are the things that you would like to do on Cocos that you haven't had the chance to? Take my family to DI in our boat, see the mantas, see the dolphins.

Do you have a Cocos moment/mishap/experience to share? Getting caught on a kayak at low tide and having to drag two screaming kids across slush to get them home, all the while missing West Coast's 3rd win in 2 years.

Favourite sport/activity?

AFL footy, snorkeling the beautiful spots at Cocos.

Favourite 3 places on Cocos?

Lagoon, Trannies, DI

Favourite Cocos food?

Can't choose between curry puffs and breadfruit chips

If you could change Cocos what would you do first?

Raise the shoreline two metres.

If you were stranded on North Keeling Island for 1 year, what 3 items would you require?

A radio, sriracha sauce, a well-stocked Kindle

List some of the things you are passionate about?

The environment - especially stopping big business from stealing our kids' futures.

Social justice - any form of discrimination only serves to drive a wedge between us on purpose so that powerful people can keep us weak (which suits them very nicely, thank you).

Restoring the dignity of people throughout the world by taking power back from the banks, the tech companies and the corporate media.

Is there anything else interesting you would like to share with us?

I once climbed the Great Pyramid of Cheops in the dead of night.





2023 AFL Broadcast Guide Cocos Keeling Islands Time

ROUND 6

| Match | Channel | Time |
|------------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| Friday April 21 | | |
| Fremantle VS Western Bulldogs | Channel 7 | 4.40pm |
| Sunday April 22 | | |
| West Coast Eagles VS Port Adelaide | Channel 7 | 10.15am |
| Geelong Cats VS Sydney Swans | Channel 7 | 3.55pm |
| Monday April 24 | | |
| Melbourne VS Richmond | Channel 7 | 3.55pm |
| Tuesday April 25 | | |
| Collingwood VS Essendon | Channel 7 | 11.50am |

ROUND 7

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|------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| Friday April 28 | | |
| St Kilda VS Port Adelaide | Channel 7 | 4.20pm |
| Saturday April 29 | | |
| Brisbane Lions VS Fremantle | Channel 7 | 10.15am |
| West Coast Eagles VS Carlton | Channel 7 | 4.00pm |
| Sunday April 16 | | |
| Richmond VS Gold Coast Suns | Channel 7 | 11.50am |



Across

- 1 Lab bottle
- 6 Equestrian sport
- 10 Purchases
- 14 One gentleman of Verona
- 15 Not very much
- 16 Act as lookout, say
- 17 West Indies sorcery
- 18 Harried
- 19 Set apart
- 20 Artist's plaster
- 21 Make a mosaic
- 23 Belonging to us
- 25 Rink performer
- 26 Japanese religion
- 29 Bleated
- 31 Tape holders
- 33 Dimwit
- 37 Church vestment
- 38 Literally, empty orchestra
- 41 5-centime piece
- 42 Poor dog's portion
- 44 Best Film of 1977
- 46 "The Bells of St. ____"
- 49 Gardener's need
- 50 Apparel
- 53 Ankle-knee connector
- 54 Telling of a story
- 57 Church areas
- 61 Capital of Western Samoa
- 62 Classic Icelandic poetry
- 63 "Four Quartets" poet
- 64 Rendezvous
- 65 Creep through the cracks
- 66 Large fishnet
- 67 Mahler's "Das Lied von der ____"
- 68 Mariners
- 69 Earth tremor

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Down

- 1 Pond dweller
- 2 Place for an earring
- 3 "My Cup Runneth Over" singer
- 4 "A Man for All ____"
- 5 Czech comet discoverer
- 6 Components
- 7 Member of the Winnebago nation
- 8 Striplings
- 9 Black Sea port
- 10 Romantic songs
- 11 Depth charge target
- 12 "Fiddler on the Roof" matchmaker
- 13 Give a helpful hint
- 22 ____ out a living
- 24 Roster
- 26 Analyze verse
- 27 Angel topper
- 28 Novel ID
- 29 Campfire chow
- 30 "... unto us ____ is given"
- 32 Cafeteria carrier
- 34 Middle of Caesar's saying
- 35 Breakwater
- 36 Influence
- 39 Acquaintances
- 40 Spooky condition
- 43 Too many to count
- 45 Dragon's home, in song
- 47 The Altar constellation
- 48 Assess again
- 50 Something to make for oneself?
- 51 Come to a point
- 52 Attempted
- 53 Loses control
- 55 Brainchild
- 56 European border river
- 58 Eight on some clocks
- 59 A lo-o-ong time
- 60 Blossom's support

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Crossword Answer

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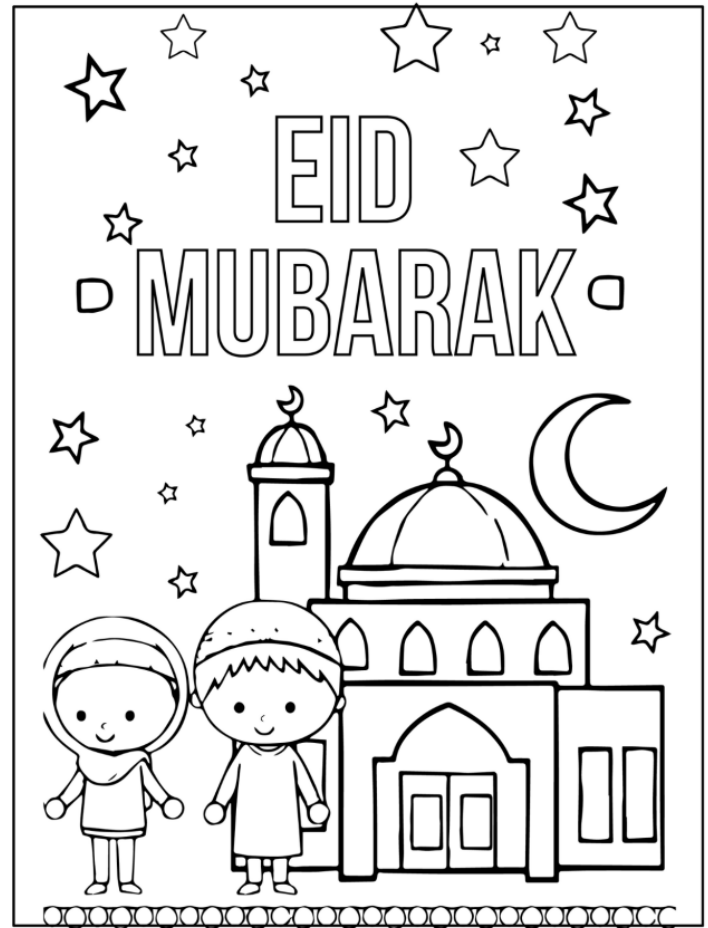
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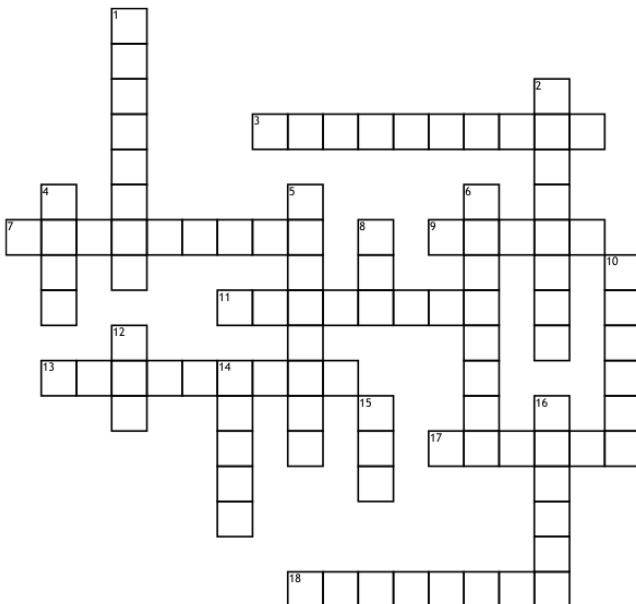
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Anzac Day



Anzac Day word search

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Across

- 3. Who were the original ANzac day services for
- 7. Where did the soldiers land?
- 9. What flower is associated with ANZAC day
- 11. What month did were the soldiers evacuated
- 13. What is one country which celebrates ANZAC day (one word)
- 17. How often do we celebrate Anzac day

18. The name of the poppy Down

- 1. What do Anzac services start with
- 2. What is played by a bugle at an Anzac service
- 4. When do most Anzac services start
- 5. What food is associated with Anzac Day
- 6. What would the soldiers make with the anzac biscuits

8. Which alcohol was used as a pre battle ration

- 10. Where is Gallipoli
- 12. What is the acronym for the Returned Serviceman Association
- 14. What is the acronym for the Australia New Zealand Army Corps
- 15. Which world war does Anzac day celebrate
- 16. Where did the poppies grow

soldier
poppy
Last Post
April digger
memorial

Anzac medals
service
peace
sacrifice
bugle

bravery
country
wreath
war
ceasefire
freedom



A Cocos Moment



Cocos “Feel Good” Stories

Reunited with elephant Tang Mo and Lucy the zookeeper at Taronga Zoo, Sydney in March 2023. Tang Mo and Lucy temporarily lived on Cocos back in 2006, before they headed to the mainland.

Photo Source: Kylie James

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Happy 18th Birthday Imannia for 13th April. Wishing you a very happy birthday. Love from CKITA & CRC staff.

Happy Birthday Pak Husaini. Love from Geng Kopi

Happy 25th Birthday Sa-Adia for 23rd April. Love from Geng Cobis

Happy Birthday Syuhaib 24th April. Love from Kakah

Happy Birthday Aznie for 30th April. Love from CKITA crew.

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2023 COCOS ISLANDS COMMUNITY EVENTS

1 – 30 APRIL

Silent Auction Donations
Cocos Islands CRC

25 - 28 MAY

Cocos Golf Open
Cocos Islands Golf Club

20 SEPTEMBER

Shire Council Meeting
Council Chambers, HI

1 DECEMBER

Christmas Tree Lighting
Shire of CKI

25 APRIL

ANZAC Day
Home & West Island

31 MAY

Shire Council Meeting
Cocos Islands CRC

15 OCTOBER

Beach Clean Up
Home & West Island

6 DECEMBER

International Day of
People with Disability
Shire of CKI

25 APRIL

ANZAC Day
Cocos Club

17 JUNE

West Island Market Day
Cocos Islands CRC

21 - 28 OCTOBER

Cocos Olympics
Cocos Club

13 DECEMBER

Shire Council Meeting
Council Chambers, HI

APRIL (TBC)

Act of Self-Determination
PKPK

28 JUNE

Shire Council Meeting
Council Chambers, HI

22 OCTOBER

CIDHS P&C Fete
Home Island School

16 DECEMBER

West Island Market Day
Cocos Islands CRC

14 MAY

Mother’s Day High Tea
Cocos Club

JUNE (TBC)

Arts Exhibition
Shire of CKI

25 OCTOBER

Shire Council Meeting
Council Chambers, HI

20 MAY

AFP Open Day
Police Station, WI

26 JULY

Shire Council Meeting
Council Chambers, HI

OCTOBER (TBC)

Sculptures By The Sea
Shire of CKI

1 - 21 MAY

Silent Auction Bidding
Cocos Islands CRC

30 AUGUST

Shire Council Meeting
Cocos Islands CRC

7-11 NOVEMBER

Celebrating Our Seniors
Shire of CKI

25 MAY

Australia’s Biggest
Morning Tea
Cocos Islands CRC

16 SEPTEMBER

West Island Market Day
Cocos Islands CRC

22 NOVEMBER

Shire Council Meeting
Cocos Islands CRC

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