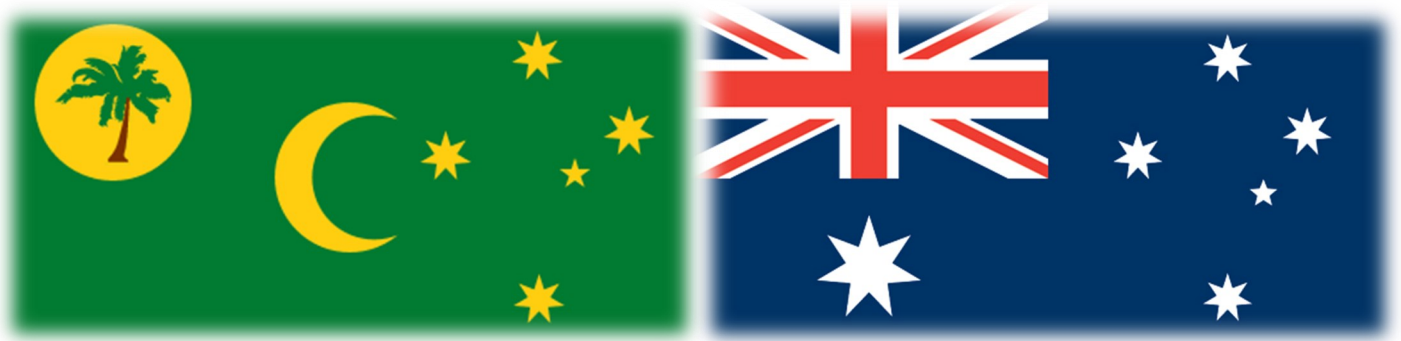


# “THE ATOLL” COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER



Friday 11th March 2022 – Thursday 24th March 2022



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.



**Fun-filled testimonial at Cocos Scroungers for our dearest friends parting. (Chelsea Burleigh, Vicki and Dave Williams). We wish them well to their future adventures**

Photo Source: Cocos Islands Golf Club

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**The Cocos Keeling Islands Tourism Association team went on the Cocos Islands Adventure Tours - Motorised Canoe tour on Sunday, the 6th of March. Feeling like a tourist, to an island they call home. It was a great experience.**



**The team had an awesome, adventurous and informative day. They even got to see the blue tailed skink lizards!**

Photo Source: Lanif Yakin

**\$2.00 per issue**



# West Island Market Day

**Saturday 26 March 2022**  
**10AM - 12PM**

*Food- Cakes- Art- Clothing- Toys*

Contact the CRC to book your FREE table  
P: 9162 7707 E: [info@cocosislandscrc.cc](mailto:info@cocosislandscrc.cc)

Registration forms must be  
completed for food stalls

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### Rainfall Stats

Latest to 11 March 2022:

March Statistics  
**56.6mm**

Latest 2022 Statistics:  
**193.4mm**



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### 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 that came and supported the Jukung and Sailing Club fundraiser .

👍 To Chelsea, Vicki and Dave for their wonderful contributions to the Cocos Community.

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



## Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands

### **Waste Changes - Commencing Monday 14 March 2022**

As directed by the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation, waste transfer stations on Home Island and West Island will be closed to unrestricted public access.

The sites will be open and managed during the following hours:

*Monday – Friday: 7:00am – 9:00am  
Sunday: 3:00pm – 5:00pm*

To reduce the need to access the transfer station, the Shire will be trialling an additional kerbside collection each week. Household collections on both Home Island and West Island will be undertaken:

*Monday and Thursday*

Household waste bins are to be placed on the road verge before 7am on day of collection.

Recycling collection will continue every second Wednesday.

### **Perubahan Urusan Sampah – Mulai Senin 14 Mar 2022**

*Seperti yang diarahkan oleh Departmen Ayer dan Peraturan Alam Sekitar, tempat sampah di Kampong dan Pulu Panjang akan ditutup kepada akses orang umum tanpa batas.*

*Tempat sampah akan dibukak dan diuruskan pada waktu yang berikut:*

*Senin – Jumaat: 7:00pagi – 9:00pagi  
Minggu: 3:00petang – 5:00soreh*

*Untuk mengurangkan keperluan untuk mengakses tempat sampah, Konsel akan mencoba tambah hari angkat sampah setiap minggu. Angkat sampah di Kampong dan Pulu Panjang akan dilakukan:*

*Senin dan Khamis*

*Bin sampah harus diletak di pinggir jalan sebelum jam 7 pagi di hari angkat sampah.*

*Pengumpulan recycling akan diteruskan setiap hari Reboh kedua.*

Martin Faulkner  
Manager Infrastructure

“LAWA's IOTs Service is fully funded by the Australian Government”

## Sentencing III – what types of punishments the court can give you

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 is the third of six articles about sentencing (where a court gives you a penalty) when you are convicted (found guilty) of a criminal offence. In this article we will first look briefly at the law about reductions in sentence if you plead guilty and the law about spent convictions. Then we will start to look at the penalties that the court can give you for state-based offences.

### Reduction in sentence for plea of guilty

For sentencing for state-based offences, the law allows a reduction in your sentence if you plead guilty. This is to recognise that there are benefits to the government and to any victim or witnesses if you plead guilty instead of going to trial.

The earlier you plead guilty, the greater the reduction allowed. The court must say if it is reducing your sentence and by how much.

If you are given a term of imprisonment, the maximum reduction allowed is 25% on what the court would otherwise have given you as your jail sentence. You can only be given the maximum reduction if you plead guilty or tell the court that you are going to plead guilty at the earliest reasonable opportunity. It is up to the court what reduction, up to the maximum, they allow for your plea of guilty.

### Spent conviction order

The court can make a spent conviction order for less serious offences. This means that your conviction is wiped away and becomes “spent” (gone). There is a test that is applied. We have looked at spent conviction orders in other articles.

We will now look at the penalties that the court can give you, from the least serious to the most serious penalty.

### No punishment

If the court finds that the offence is trivial (not serious at all) or technical (strictly an offence but not very serious) the court can decide to not give you a penalty. It must find that it is not just (which means not fair or right) to give you a penalty, taking into account your age, previous behaviour and criminal record, mental health and various other things. It is only in rare circumstances that the court will decide not to give you a penalty.

### Conditional release order (good behaviour bond)

A conditional release order (CRO) is also sometimes called “a good behaviour bond”. It is an order that you be of good behaviour for a period of time and not commit any other offences. It can have other conditions put on it. You are not supervised by Community-based Corrections when you are on a CRO.

It is an offence if you breach (break) a condition of your CRO. If you are convicted of this offence (breach of requirement of a CRO) the court can do one of the following things:

- a) take no action
- b) fine you up to \$1,000 and may or may not take other action
- c) if you are still on the order, leave the order as it is, change the order, or cancel the order and give you a new sentence for the original offence for which you were given the order or
- d) if the order is already finished, give you a new sentence for the original offence.

### Fine (money that you have to pay)

This is a very common penalty. A fine can also be suspended (see below). A fine must be paid within 28 days, or, within 28 days you must apply to the court for an order allowing you to pay the fine off by instalments.

When the court is deciding the amount of the fine you have to pay, it must take into account your ability to pay. But if the court has no information about your ability to pay, it can still give you a fine.

You can be given one fine only (called a global fine) where you have committed 2 or more offences if the same set of facts applies to the offences or where the offences are all part of the one incident.

If the fine is not paid, it can be enforced by the Fines Enforcement Registry. This can result in suspension of your driver's licence, cancellation of your vehicle licence, sale of your property or immobilisation of your vehicle.

Where the law states that the penalty is a fine only, you can instead be put on a community-based order or an intensive supervision order, which are discussed in the next article.

### Suspended fine

The court can give you a fine but suspend it for a period up to 2 years. If during the period that it is suspended you commit any offence, you will have to pay your suspended fine.

We will continue to look at the penalties the court can give you in the next article.

Annie Gray, Legal Aid WA

*“Serbis LAWA's IOTs dibiayai sepenuhnya oleh Kerajaan Australia”*

## **Hukuman III – perkara yang boleh dilakukan oleh mahkamah sebelum memberi hukuman atas kesalahan anda**

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.

Ini adalah yang ketiga dari enam artikel tentang hukuman (dimana mahkamah memberi hukuman) apabila anda dihukum (didapati bersalah) atas kesalahan anda. Dalam artikel ini kami akan melihat secara ringkas undang-undang tentang pengurangan hukuman jika anda mengaku bersalah dan undang-undang tentang hukuman yang ditunda. Kemudian kami akan melai melihat hukuman yang dapat diberikan pengadilan kepada anda untuk pelanggaran daerah.

### **Pengurangan hukuman karena pengakuan bersalah**

Untuk hukuman bagi kesalahan daerah, undang-undang membenarkan pengurangan hukuman anda jika anda mengaku bersalah. Ini untuk mengakui bahwa ada manfaat kepada kerajaan dan bagi mana-mana mangsa atau saksi jika anda mengaku bersalah dari pada di bawak ke pengadilan.

Lebih awal anda mengaku bersalah, lebih besar pengurangan yang dibenarkan. Mahkamah harus mengatakan jika ia mengurangkan hukuman anda dan berapa banyak.

Jika anda diberi hukuman penjara, pengurangan yang paleng banyak yang di bolehkan adalah 25% dari apa yang seharusnya diberikan mahkamah kepada anda sebagai hukuman penjara anda. Anda hanya boleh di kasi pengurangan yang paleng banyak jika anda mengaku bersalah atau memberitahu makamah bahwa anda akan mengaku bersalah pada kesempatan yang paleng awal. Terpulang kepada mahkamah pengurangan apa, sehingga yang paleng banyak, yang mereka izinkan untuk pengakuan bersalah anda.

### **Perintah hukuman yang ditunda**

Mahkamah boleh membuat perintah hukuman yang ditunda untuk kesalahan yang kurang serius. Ini bermakna bahwa hukuman anda terhapus dan menjadi “tertunda” (hilang). Terdapat tes yang digunakan. Kami telah melihat perintah hukuman yang ditunda dalam artikel yang lain. Sekarang kami akan melihat hukuman yang boleh diberikan oleh mahkamah kepada anda, dari hukuman yang paleng ringan hingga yang paleng serius.

### **Tidak ada hukuman**

Jika mahkamah mendapati bahwa kesalahan itu biasa (tidak serius langsung) atau teknikal (adalah satu kesalahan tetapi tidak terlalu serius) mahkamah boleh memutuskan untuk tidak memberi anda denda. Ia mesti dapatkan bahwa ia tidak cuma (yang bermaksud tidak adil atau betol) untuk memberi anda hukuman, dengan mempertimbangkan umur anda, tingkah laku dan rekod anda sebelumnya, kesehatan mental dan perkara lain. Hanya keadaan yang jarang berlaku untuk mahkamah akan memutuskan untuk tidak memberi anda hukuman.

### **Perintah pelepasan bersyarat (ikatan tingkah laku yang baik)**

Perintah pelepasan bersyarat (CRO) jugak kadang-kadang di panggil “ikatan tingkah laku yang baik”. Ini adalah perintah supaya anda berkelakuan baik untuk masa yang ditentukan dan tidak melakukan kesalahan lain. Ini boleh meletakkan syarat lain. Anda tidak diawasi oleh Community-based Corrections saat anda berada di CRO.

Adalah menjadi satu kesalahan jika anda melanggar (melanggar) syarat CRO. Jika anda dihukum karena pelanggaran ini (pelanggaran persyaratan CRO) mahkamah boleh melakukan salah satu daripada perkara berikut:

- tidak ambil tindakan
- mendenda anda hingga \$1,000 dan mungkin atau tidak mungkin mengambil tindakan lain
- jika anda masih dalam perintah, biarkan perintah itu seperti adanya, tukar perintah itu, atau batalkan perintah itu dan berikan anda hukuman baru untuk kesalahan asal yang mana anda telah diberi perintah atau
- jika perintah itu sudah selesai, berikan anda hukuman baru untuk pelanggaran asal.

### **Denda (uang yang harus anda bayar)**

Ini adalah penalti yang sangat biasa. Denda boleh juga digantong (lihat di bawah). Denda mesti dibayar dalam tempoh 28 hari, atau, dalam tempoh 28 hari anda mesti memohon dengan mahkamah untuk perintah yang memungkinkan anda membayar denda secara instalment.

Apabila mahkamah memutuskan jumlah denda yang perlu anda bayar, ia mesti memperhitungkan kemampuan anda untuk membayar. Tetapi jika mahkamah tidak mempunyai informasi tentang kemampuan anda untuk membayar, ia masih boleh memberi anda denda.

Anda boleh dikasi satu denda saja (dipanggil denda global) di mana anda telah melakukan 2 atau lebih pelanggaran jika fakta yang sama digunakan untuk kesalahan atau dimana semua kesalahan adalah sebahagian daripada satu kejadian.

Jika denda tidak dibayar, ia boleh dikuatkuasakan oleh Fines Enforcement Registry. Ini boleh mengakibatkan lesen anda di gantong, lesen kereta anda di batalkan, penjualan property anda atau imobilisasi kereta anda.

Jika undang-undang menyatakan bahwa hukuman nya adalah denda sahaja, anda boleh diletakan dalam perintah masyarakat atau perintah pengawasan intensif, yang akan dibicarakan dalam artikel berikutnya.

### **Denda yang digantong**

Mahkamah boleh memberi anda denda tapi digantong sehingga 2 tahun. Jika dalam tempoh penggantongan anda melakukan apa-apa kesalahan, anda harus bayar denda yang digantong.

Kami akan terus melihat hukuman yang boleh diberikan mahkamah kepada anda dalam artikel berikutnya.



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## **Power Services Manager**

### **Christmas Island**

#### **2 years Full Time Fixed Term Non-Ongoing Vacancy**

**(with a possibility of two further two year extensions at the department’s discretion)**

Package valued between \$187,020 to \$213,578 including:

- Base salary of \$136,534 to \$157,554 per annum
- Employer contribution to superannuation at 16% of base salary
- District allowance payable in addition to base salary
- Generous leave entitlements
- Annual return airfares assistance to Perth
- Relocation assistance may be provided if relocating to the Territories

The Indian Ocean Territories Administration (IOTA) is currently seeking a motivated, professional and suitably qualified person to join our team as the Power Services Manager (PSM) within the Indian Ocean Territories Power Service (IOTPS) based on Christmas Island.

The IOTPS is the recognised Network Operator for the Indian Ocean Territories (IOTs) and is responsible for the generation and distribution of a safe, reliable and efficient electricity supply to residential, commercial and industrial consumers on Christmas and Cocos (Keeling) Islands. IOTPS also provides regulatory compliance in collaboration with the Department of Mines, Industry Regulation and Safety.

The PSM is primarily responsible for providing leadership and operational management of the IOTPS, leading and managing the IOTPS in the provision of safe, reliable and efficient power generation, distribution and retail services, driving continuous improvement in safety, risk management, governance, resilience and accountability and developing, implementing and evaluating the strategic direction of the IOTPS in consultation with the Director, IOTA.

The PSM is a critical leadership position overseeing all functions of the IOTPS and pivotal to the success of the PSM is leading and developing a high performance team within a multi-cultural workplace and fostering a values aligned culture. The PSM also plays a key role within the Senior Executive Leadership Team of the IOTA in representing the interests of the IOTPS.

Our ideal candidate will possess professional engineering qualifications or mechanical or electrical trade qualifications and substantial relevant industry experience in a similar leadership position with responsibility for managing a power service. A demonstrated understanding and commitment to risk management and Workplace Health and Safety as it applies to the power utilities and an ability to develop and manage complex procurements and contracts are also essential. Further, our ideal candidate must have a proven ability to establish and maintain positive and productive working relationships.

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To be considered, applicants must be eligible to obtain a security clearance at baseline vetting level (must be an Australian citizen), hold a current 'C' class manual Drivers Licence transferable to the Indian Ocean Territories and will be subject to a health assessment.

For an application pack outlining how you can apply, please contact the IOTA Human Resources Team at [IOTHRTeam@infrastructure.gov.au](mailto:IOTHRTeam@infrastructure.gov.au) and quote position number **109280**.

**Applications close 4.00pm (Christmas Island local time) (CXT) (UTC+7), Wednesday, 23 March 2022**

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## What's on guide

### WEEK OF 13<sup>TH</sup> TO 19<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

#### SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup>

##### T2 SAILING REGATTA

Social Hobie Cat sailing regatta.  
1:00pm  
Kampong Atas Home Island

#### MONDAY 14<sup>TH</sup>

##### LIBRARY

**WEST ISLAND**  
3:30pm to 5:30pm  
West Island Library CKIDHS

**HOME ISLAND**  
7:00pm to 9:00pm  
Home Island Library CKIDHS

#### WEDNESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup>

##### BETTER BEGINNINGS

8:50am. **Home Island** Library CKIDHS

##### LIBRARY

**WEST ISLAND**  
3:30pm to 5:30pm  
West Island Library CKIDHS

#### THURSDAY 17<sup>TH</sup>

##### BETTER BEGINNINGS

8:15am. **West Island** Library CKIDHS

##### LIBRARY

**HOME ISLAND**  
3:30pm to 5:00pm.  
Home Island Library CKIDHS

#### SATURDAY 19<sup>TH</sup>

##### TENNIS DOUBLES

4:00pm – 7:30pm. Home Island  
Tennis Courts

### WEEK OF 20<sup>TH</sup> TO 26<sup>TH</sup> MARCH

#### MONDAY 21<sup>ST</sup>

##### LIBRARY

**WEST ISLAND**  
3:30pm to 5:30pm  
West Island Library CKIDHS

##### HOME ISLAND

7:00pm to 9:00pm  
Home Island Library CKIDHS

#### WEDNESDAY 23<sup>RD</sup>

##### BETTER BEGINNINGS

8:50am. **Home Island** Library CKIDHS

##### ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

4:00pm. Home Island Council Chambers

##### LIBRARY

**WEST ISLAND**  
3:30pm to 5:30pm.  
West Island Library CKIDHS

#### THURSDAY 24<sup>TH</sup>

##### BETTER BEGINNINGS

8:15am. **West Island** Library CKIDHS

##### LIBRARY

**HOME ISLAND**  
3:30pm to 5:00pm  
Home Island Library CKIDHS

#### FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup>

##### MARKET DAY

4:30 to 5:30  
Home Island Playground

#### SUNDAY 27<sup>TH</sup>

##### FORESHORE ACTIVATION PROGRAM

1:00pm  
Home Island Kampong Baru - pinggir laut Nek Callum  
Basket weaving with the Seniors.



# **Would you like to advertise your local business here?**

We would like to invite local businesses to advertise their services in The Atoll.

Perhaps you would like to announce any specials, new stock, business information or a  
“get to know a staff member”.

This is a great initiative for you to promote your business to the local community!

For further information, please contact the Cocos Keeling Islands Community Resource Centre.

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**Phone: 9162 7707**

## Blast From The Past



Jukung Race 2001

Jukung is a Cocos traditional boat used in the olden days as vessel to carry coconuts and for fishing. Now they are used for recreational purpose only such as jukung races for special occasions and the annual cup race.

Photo Source: Cocos As It Was

## Fun Facts

In the olden days, some of the Malay local used to collect beetles to be sold to earn extra money.

## Cocos Malay Dictionary

### WORDS

Camping - Menginap  
Tent - Pondok Tenda  
Matches - Macis  
Water - Air  
Flash light/Torch - Lampu Kilap  
Mosquitos - Nyamuk  
Fire - Api  
Air Mattress - Bolsak Angin  
Shelter (Hut) - Pondok

### PHRASES

I'm going camping - Saya pigi menginap  
Pass me the matches - Julungkan saya tu macis  
Bring the water - Bawak Air  
Lots of mosquitos here - Banyak ni nyamuk sini  
Hang the torch over there - Gantung tu lampu kilap disana  
Help me assemble the tent - Bantu saya pasang pokok tenda  
Look at that fire - Cobak diak tu api

## Quote

"The greatness of a community is most accurately measured by the compassionate actions of its members."

– **Coretta Scott King**

## Poem

### 2 MY COUNTRY

I love a sunburnt country,  
A land of sweeping plains,  
Of ragged mountain ranges,  
Of droughts and flooding rains.  
I love her far horizons,  
I love her jewel-sea,  
Her beauty and her terror,  
The wide brown land for me!

- **Dorothea Mackellar**

## Joke of the Week

What do you call a boomerang that won't come back?  
A stick.

What does a cloud wear under his raincoat?  
Thunderwear.

Two pickles fell out of a jar onto the floor. What did one say to the other?  
Dill with it.

What time is it when the clock strikes 13?  
Time to get a new clock.

How does a cucumber become a pickle?  
It goes through a jarring experience.

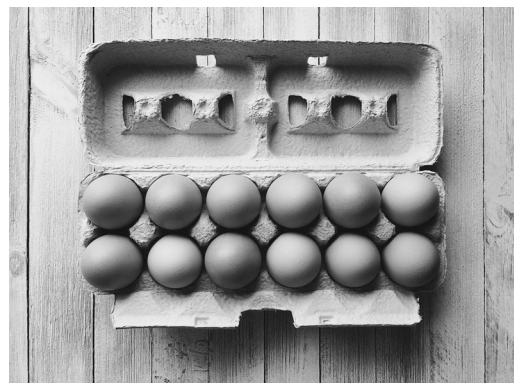


## Green Living Tips

### Re-using and Recycling Egg Cartons

Egg Cartons don't have to waste - they are others ways to use both the paper and plastic forms. Here are a few ideas.

- inquire with your local primary school if they need cartons for craft projects.
- Use for craft projects at home for your own children
- Use the cartons as seedling starters
- Handy for organising small items such as nuts, bolts and screws
- Use as packaging materials when shipping goods
- As a way of storing delicate Christmas tree bauble decorations
- Use for storing golf balls
- Plastic egg cartons can be used as trays for making ice cubes
- Transporting hard boiled eggs to picnics
- If you have neighbours with egg-laying chickens, they might greatly appreciate your egg cartons



## Cocos Resident Profile



**Name:** Rose Cummins

**Place of Birth:** Bruce Rock, WA

**Where were you living before Cocos?** Subiaco, Perth WA

**What were you doing before Cocos?** The '9 to 5'...

**What are you doing now?** Living!

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

Water, sand... and Johnny.

**Do you have a Cocos moment/mishap/experience to share?**

Did I mention I live with Johnny? Best experience yet is a day out diving, only to surface where the boat should have been. But... no boat. Lucky I'm a half decent swimmer.

**Fav. sport/activity?**

Diving, SUPing, (attempting to) surf, swimming, tennis

**Fav. 3 places on Cocos?**

The boat on a calm day, my spot 'up the hill', Yacht club for evening sunsets, (plus every other idyllic place across the atoll)

**If you could change Cocos what would you do first?**

As a change advocate I struggle with this question.

The natural beauty of Cocos, I hope, remains unchanged.

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

Flint, Fishing line and Johnny

**List some of the things you are passionate about?**

Community, enablement, empowerment, self-sustainability, inclusion, and transparency.

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

My Dad, Rod Cummins was passionate about Cocos – alongside other friends and partners he built the *Cocos Cottages* and was instrumental in bringing the *Cocos Village Bungalows* to life. As a result, I have been visiting Cocos since 1998 and now find myself living here permanently... a pleasantly unplanned but happy turn of events. Oh, and Cat McCartney and I grew up next door to each other in the middle of the Wheatbelt, we have known each other since we were kids :)



## 2022 AFL Broadcast Guide Cocos Keeling Islands Time

Match	ROUND 1	
	Channel	Time
<u>Wednesday March 16</u>		
Melbourne VS Western Bulldogs	7mate	2.30pm
<u>Thursday March 17</u>		
Carlton VS Richmond	7mate	2.30pm
<u>Friday March 18</u>		
St Kilda VS Collingwood	7mate	3.00pm
<u>Saturday March 19</u>		
Brisbane Lions VS Port Adelaide	Channel 7 / 7mate	3.30pm
<u>Sunday March 20</u>		
Adelaide Crows VS Fremantle	Channel 7	11.30pm
West Coast Eagles VS Gold Coast Sun	7mate	3.00pm

## Would you like to include your Clubs sporting updates?

We would like to invite your community group to advertise your sports updates in The Atoll.

Perhaps you would like to announce your results, upcoming events or any other information.

This is a great initiative for you to engage with the local community!

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- 61 Bygone
- 62 Australian export
- 64 Large needlepoint stitch
- 66 Singer Cherry
- 67 Prepare for publication
- 68 "The Way We \_\_\_"
- 69 Disparage
- 70 Disney dog
- 71 Plaintiff

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- 1 Greek s
- 2 Van Gogh residence
- 3 Crow
- 4 Approve
- 5 It can move mountains
- 6 Dilapidated tenements
- 7 Present starter
- 8 Singer Marie
- 9 "\_\_\_ Believer" (Monkees hit)
- 10 Author McCullough
- 11 Suddenly
- 12 Chief
- 13 River to Donegal Bay
- 18 Cut
- 22 Superlative suffix
- 25 Foolish
- 27 Slangy affirmative
- 29 Venomous snake
- 31 Brava maker
- 32 Marshes
- 33 NYC museum
- 34 Seed covering
- 35 European high spot
- 37 Oval 40 Card game for three
- 41 Sun hat
- 44 Not so big
- 46 Waves
- 48 \_\_\_ de plume
- 50 Raindrop sound
- 52 Actor Davenport
- 54 Farewell
- 55 Art category
- 56 Word of welcome
- 57 Attachment
- 58 Fencing sword
- 60 Mother of the Valkyries
- 63 Bashful
- 65 Pigpen

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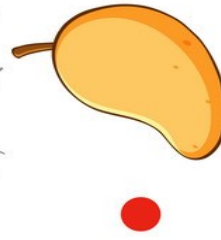
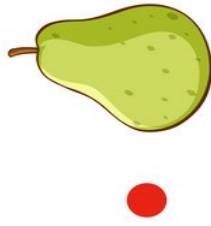
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Crossword Answer

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4	9	4	1	6	3	7	2	8
6	2	3	4	9	5	8	7	1
8	4	8	6	5	7	1	3	2
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Sudoku Solutions

Match words  
with the correct pictures



French Fries

Mango

Hotdog

Mosquito

Cup

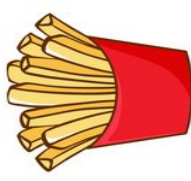
Pizza

Deer

Seals

Spider

Pear



# SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Can you spot the 11 differences between these two pictures?



## A Cocos Moment



Photo Source: Darling Elat-Rasa

The Seniors group attended the Fish Stock Assessment session on Home Island held by a member of the Cocos Marine Care and visitors from the mainland.

They were shown how to measure, clean the fish and were given an informative talk.

## Cocos “Funny” Stories

At times the boat ramp at Rumah Baru disappears, covered in layers of sand and we think, where does all these sand come from... Thank you to our Cocos ninjas for their time and effort clearing the boat ramp for the community to use. Not long after the ramp is used in the morning, mother nature decides to play some games. Coming home from a great day out on the boat or Direction Island, you would think your day couldn't get any better than that. Then you find out that the boat ramp disappears again. Mother nature wins again!

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

*Happy Birthday Besties , Siti Az-Zahra for 17th March and Iffahzurah for 24th March*

*Happy Birthday Ayah/Ibu Nek Tahanie 23rd /18th March*

*Happy Birthday sisters, Mak Shafeeqa 21st /Mak Zaheer 20th*

*Wish to send loved ones special messages on their birthdays and anniversaries? Drop an email to CRC at [Info@cocosislandsrcrcc](mailto:Info@cocosislandsrcrcc)*



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- Accurate and/or factual
- Not defamatory or inflammatory

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West Island Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

**27 JULY**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**23 NOVEMBER**

Shire Council Meeting  
Cocos Islands CRC

**27 APRIL**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**17 SEPTEMBER**

West Island Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

**10 DECEMBER**

West Island Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

**25 MAY**

Shire Council Meeting  
Cocos Islands CRC

**24 AUGUST**

Shire Council Meeting  
Cocos Islands CRC

**14 DECEMBER**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**18 JUNE**

West Island Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

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