

# SHIRE NEWS



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## NATIONAL POLICE REMEMBRANCE DAY

Since 1989 National Police Remembrance Day has been held on or near the 29<sup>th</sup> September of each year to honour and remember fallen policemen and women from State, Territory and Federal forces who have sacrificed the ultimate in the line of their duty and recognises the police contribution to the Australian community.



Geoff Haerewa attended Derby Pioneer Cemetery during ceremony, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September

## SEPTEMBER COUNCIL MEETING

Outcomes from the September Council meeting were as follows:

- Approved the extension of the Memorandum of Understanding between the Derby Landcare Group and Shire of Derby/West Kimberley for a further five year period commencing 31/10/2018;
- Accepted the proposal by Main Road Western Australia to implement 70km/h speed zone signage on Windjana and Lennard Road in the Hamlet Grove subdivision. Council confirmed they would continue to lobby Main Roads to lower the

speed zone on Windjana and Lennard Road in the Hamlet Grove subdivision;

- Awarded the tender for Flood Damage Repairs and Water Corporation Restoration Works - Urban Bitumen Roads to Buckley's Earthworks and Paving; and
- Approved an application to keep more than two dogs on a property on the condition that the approval be limited to a maximum of three dogs on the premises and the approval be instantly revoked should one or more of the dogs currently owned by the applicant be permanently removed from the premises.

These items, along with records of past meetings are available in full detail on the Shire's website at [www.sdwk.wa.gov.au/our-council/council-meetings/meeting-agendas-and-minutes](http://www.sdwk.wa.gov.au/our-council/council-meetings/meeting-agendas-and-minutes)

The next meeting will be held in Derby Council Chambers in Clarendon Street on Thursday the 25<sup>th</sup> October at 5:30pm.

## FIRE RATINGS

With the recent fires around Derby and other parts of the Kimberley proving to be potentially very difficult to manage, please always be mindful of the current fire ratings that can be found at:

[www.emergency.wa.gov.au/#firedangerratings](http://www.emergency.wa.gov.au/#firedangerratings)



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## UPCOMING ENTERTAINMENT



It's a highly engaging, highly approachable variety night for two sparkling, emerging Indigenous talents.

It's at the Sporties Club on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November from 7pm. Tickets will be limited so get in early.

Bookings:

Shire of Derby/West Kimberley Admin; and  
Derby Sportsmen's Club (0408 914 873)

Show & Buffet Dinner:

Adult: \$50 or Concession \$45

Show ONLY:

Adult: \$30 or Concession \$25

## CATTLE RACE WALKWAY RESURFACING

The Shire took the opportunity of the asphalt plant being here for the airport redevelopment to resurface the walkway to the port in Derby.

Further updates of this project and the heritage/tourism works associated with this project will be provided next edition.

## LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

The Derby Library is an excellent place to find a quiet space to immerse yourself in your favourite book or browse the other material that may spark your interest.

It's cool and spacious enough to spread yourself out and there are online and printing facilities also available. Individuals, and families alike are always welcome.



Please keep an eye on the Shire's website and Facebook page for information on activities and projects that you may be interested in.

## DERBY AIRPORT UPDATE

The apron pavement works at Derby Airport have been completed which, apart from the line marking and application of a fuel resistant coating, marks the end of the major components of the redevelopment project.

With the terminal, electrical and firefighting elements in place, the airport is practically ready to accommodate an air service that the Shire is hopeful may come as a result of the current tender being managed by the Department of Transport.