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Trayning Aquatic Centre Pool Party

Fun Free event for the whole family
Come in and join in with the inflatable fun
Followed by Hamburgers



Where: Trayning Aquatic Centre
When: 8 March 2024
Time: 5:00pm to 9:00pm

NINGHAN NEWS DEADLINE IS 1.00pm TUESDAY 19 March 2024

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Council Meeting Dates 2024

Ordinary meetings of Council in 2024 will be held in the Council Chambers commencing at 4.00 pm, on the following dates –

Ordinary meetings of Council are open to the public unless otherwise stated.

Meeting dates 2024

- Wednesday 21 February 2024
- Wednesday 17 April 2024
- Wednesday 19 June 2024
- Wednesday 21 August 2024
- Wednesday 16 October 2024
- Wednesday 11 December 2024
- Wednesday 20 March 2024
- Wednesday 15 May 2024
- Wednesday 17 July 2024
- Wednesday 18 September 2024
- Wednesday 20 November 2024

Any variations to start times or dates will be published on the Shire of Trayning Website, Shire of Trayning Facebook page and in the Ninghan News.

Leanne Parola
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER



Please secure your loads, not only is it dangerous to other motorists, it litters the road sides and harms wildlife.



KTY Telephone Directory 2024 Entry / Advertisement Form

Name: _____ Date: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____ Mobile: _____
 Email: _____ 2-Way Channel: _____

Please give details of contacts to be added, changed or deleted from the 2024 KTY Telephone Directory (please attach a copy of the advert if applicable):

Phone Book Entry

Phone/Mobile/Email/Two-Way Channel – NO CHARGE

Colour Advert (A5 Size Pages)

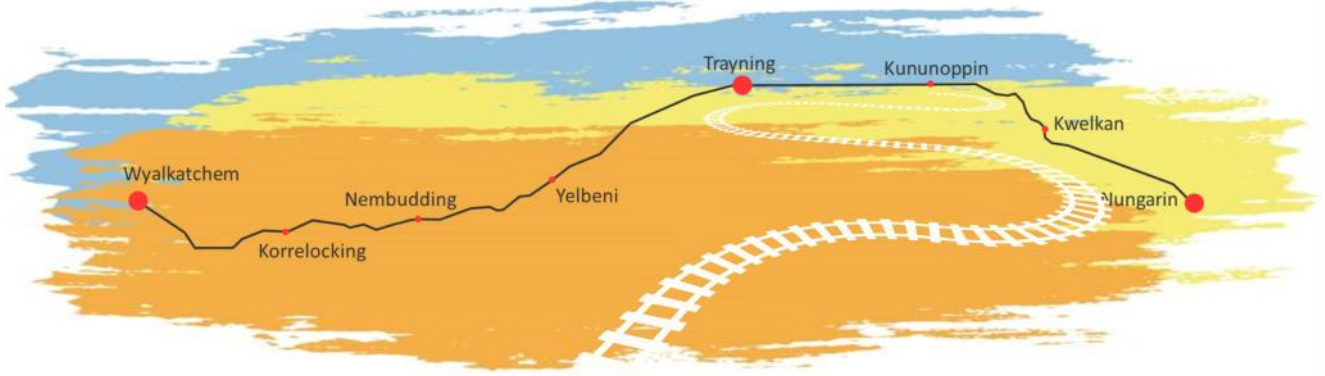
- 1/8 Page \$31.00
- 1/4 Page \$43.00
- 1/2 Page \$64.00
- Full Page \$101.00

Payment Options

- Cheque made payable to Shire of Trayning attached for \$ _____
- Cash Paid _____ Receipt # _____
- Invoice to be sent to above address

Signed

Contact:
 Shire of Trayning, PO Box 95, Trayning WA 6488
 P: 08 9683 1001
 E: admin@trayning.wa.gov.au



Wheatbelt Way

RAIL TRAIL

Have your say!

The Shires of Nungarin, Trayning and Wyalkatchem have been working with ARHJAY Consultancy to develop a feasibility on the development of a dual use trail between Wyalkatchem and Nungarin using the Railway Corridor.

We encourage individuals, local businesses and community groups to let us know what you think of the plan.

Please contact the Shire of Nungarin, Trayning or Wyalkatchem for a copy of the plan and to provide your feedback.

We have included a page that we encourage locals to complete and return to the Shire of Nungarin, Trayning or Wyalkatchem.



**Feedback required by Thursday 7th
March 2024**



TWILIGHT MARKETS

Save the Date!!

Sunday 26 May 2024

'Sip and Shop' at the Twilight Markets to be held at the Trayning & Districts Sports Club from 4 to 8 pm, be entertained and enjoy a bite to eat!

More details to come, , please contact Gwynette by email gwynettephillips@live.com if you would like to register a stall

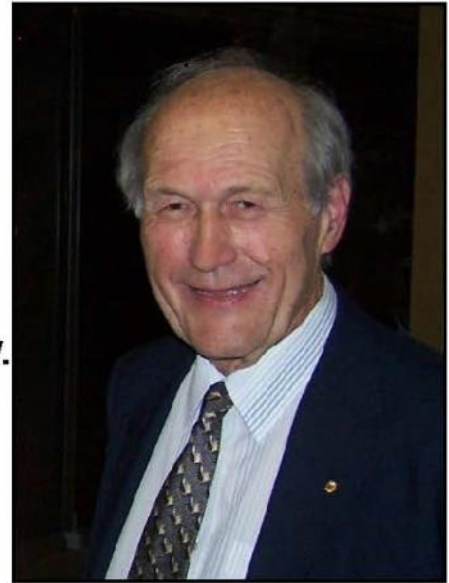


Remembering

Dr John Radunovich

1932 - 15.3.2014

A mentor in the medical world. A friend to many.



John Radunovich was born in Montenegro (Yugoslavia) in 1932. His father migrated to Australia in 1938 and by 1940 he had saved enough money to allow his wife, son and daughter to join him on his tobacco farm in Manjimup, WA.

John spoke no English when he started school in WA as an 8 year old, yet by the age of 12 he had won a scholarship to Perth Modern School. However, that school's lack of boarding facilities saw John attend Scotch College instead. With no medical school in WA, John enrolled at Melbourne University. John was a fine athlete and nearly represented Australia in shot put at the 1956 Melbourne Olympics. He remained a keen and skilful golfer all his life. John returned to WA and served his residency at Fremantle Hospital before heading to Kununoppin, intending to stay for 2 years. As it turned out, he never left Kununoppin and served the towns and the surrounding districts of Mukinbudin, Bencubbin and Beacon for 51 years.

He delivered 1600 babies and performed more than 10,000 surgical procedures. He was never known to be bad tempered or to complain no matter what hour of the day or night he was called. If there was a real emergency, he would drive the ambulance to Perth, with the kids asleep in the front with him and his wife Marie in the back keeping an eye on the patient. Ambulances were a vital component of country medicine, so with his encouragement they were eventually purchased by the local residents of the districts of Kununoppin, Trayning, Nungarin, Mukinbudin, Bencubbin and Beacon.

All of the voluntary drivers had to have a first-aid certificate, so Dr John (as he was known) travelled to each of the towns to conduct the classes. He also precipitated the upgrade of the ex-RAAF airstrip in Kununoppin to provide an all-weather 24-hour facility for the Royal Flying Doctors Service. He encouraged specialist visits so his patients would not have to travel to the city. The first such specialist visitor was Dr Don Webb, a noted orthopaedic surgeon. Their working relations and friendship lasted for more than 50 years; John would give the anaesthetic and Don would operate.

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John was a mentor to many medical students and introduced them to the knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary for safe rural practice. In 1989 he joined the Board of Trustees of the Country Medical Foundation as a representative of rural doctors. In 2007 he became the first medico to be inducted into the prestigious Agricultural Hall of Fame in recognition of his efforts to improve the provision of medical care to WA's agricultural community.

At his Kununoppin jubilee celebration in September 2008, his nearest medical neighbour for 28 years, Dr Frank Kubicek, from Wyalkatchem (60 km away), recalled that: 'In the wheat and sheep boom days, Dr Radunovich provided medical services to a district population of 4000. These days it would take five city GPs or three country doctors to manage that workload. John did it on his own. For him, medicine was a calling, not a job.'

John was a modest man, but he had a stubborn streak and was capable of a pithy anecdote. In 1992 he gave a talk to the WA Country Medical Foundation on the changes he had seen in the provision of general practice services to the country. 'When I set up practice in Kununoppin in 1958, the hospital was administered by a teenage girl working 3 days a week, the acute bed average was 20 and if I had a problem, the Health Department would solve it. Today, the bed average is 14.5, a number that includes 10 residents in the permanent facility, the hospital administration requires 3.6 full-time employees and if ever I have a problem, the Health Department has almost certainly caused it.'

John joined the RACGP in 1972 but let his membership lapse in 2001. Nevertheless, he was invited to give the 2009 William Arnold Conolly oration, the RACGP's premier speech of the year. Unfortunately, however, he left his prompt pages at home and was disappointed that this impacted on his usually polished presentation.

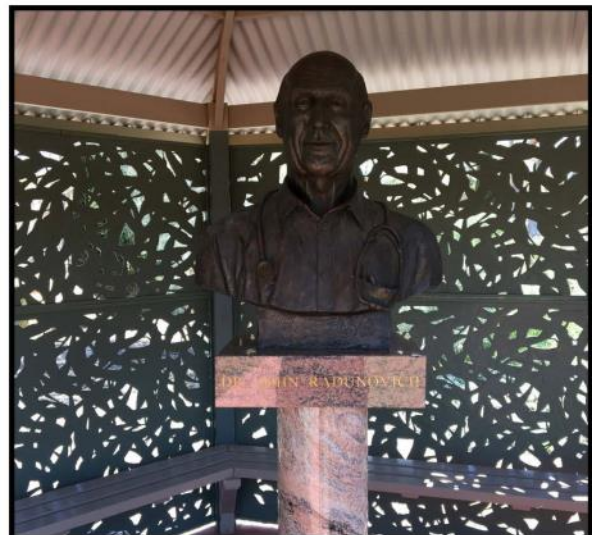
John Radunovich was one of the last of the old-style country GPs and is sadly missed by his patients, most of whom were also his friends. He is a legend of WA rural medicine.

10 years has passed since John's funeral on 28 March 2014 it was attended by more than 1500 mourners, including several people he had delivered himself.

What an amazing man and a remarkable life.
He gave so much of his time to his community and surrounding communities for so many years.

A Memorial Bust of the Late Doctor Radunovich stands proudly in the Gazebo at the front of the Kununoppin Hospital.

We Will Never Forget!





Review of Ranger Services

The Shire of Trayning is carrying out a review of the level of Ranger Services and have prepared a document for public comment which includes the following:

- Current Level of Service
- Statistics
- 2023 Community Satisfaction Survey Results
- Cost of Service
- Other factors
- Alternative methods of delivery

The review information is available at the Shire Office, or on it's website at www.trayning.wa.gov.au.

Public submissions on the Review of Ranger Services are invited by completing the below response form and posting it to PO Box 95, Trayning WA 6488 or emailing it to ceo@trayning.wa.gov.au by 4 pm on Wednesday 6 March 2024.

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

- The level of Ranger Services:
- Should stay the same
 - Should be reduced
 - Should be increased

- Rangers Services:
- Should be done by contractor
 - Should be done in house

Comments: _____



Form 2B Advertisement for a standard or complex Local Planning Scheme amendment

Regulation 38(1)
and 47(1)

Version: 1.0 (February 2020)

Planning and Development Act 2005

LOCAL PLANNING SCHEME AMENDMENT AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION STANDARD / AMENDMENT

Local Planning Scheme No. 1

Amendment No. 3

Notice is hereby given that the local government of the City/Town/Shire of
Trayning

has prepared the above mentioned planning scheme amendment for the purpose of

Plans and documents setting out and explaining the scheme amendment have been published
in the following manner:

A copy of the plans and documents are available on the Shire of Trayning website at
www.trayning.wa.gov.au or a hard copy is available for inspection at the Shire of Trayning
Administration Centre, Lot 66 Railway Street, Trayning WA 6488 during business hours.

Submissions on the planning scheme amendment may be lodged in writing and should include the amendment
number, the name and address of the person making the submission, the property affected and details of the
submission and lodged with the undersigned on or before **4 pm on 3 April 2024.**

Leanne Parola

(Chief Executive Officer)

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Are You Prepared for an Emergency?

There is a lot of information available on the DFES website about preparing for an emergency:

[Prepare - Emergency WA Warnings & Incidents \(dfes.wa.gov.au\)](https://www.dfes.wa.gov.au)

Emergency+ is a free app which uses GPS to make it easier for you to call 000. You should always call 000 first in an emergency, not the Shire or a local volunteer because the volunteers cannot attend an incident unless 000 is called.

The Shires of Nungarin and Trayning have a joint Local Emergency Management Committee and Local Emergency Management Arrangement. The arrangements set out who is responsible in different types of emergencies, for example DFES is the Hazard Management Agency and Controlling Agency in the event of a major storm. The Hazard Management Agency is the one who declares an emergency, then they or the Local Emergency Coordinator arranges an Incident Control Group to manage the emergency response. The Local Emergency Coordinator is the Officer in Charge at the Mukinbudin Police Station.

The Shire Office has a generator, during a power failure you can visit during office hours to charge your phone or devices and use the Crisp Wireless wifi for internet and phone calls. They will also let you put medication in their fridge. The Shire keeps a stock of bottled water in the case that there is no drinking water.

The Trayning & Districts Sporting Club is the Shire's evacuation centre. The Shire has a portable generator which can be plugged in to the Club to ensure it has power. The Club also has free wifi provided by an nbn satellite service which can be used to access the internet and make phone calls. The Club is open from 5 pm on Friday, Sunday and Wednesday afternoons.

The Yelbeni Store has a generator so are able to operate during power failures and sells ice. There are free gas barbecues for public use at Pioneer Park in Trayning, Kununoppin Community Centre and the Yelbeni Rest Area.

The Shire has an SMS group for sending text messages in an emergency and a facebook page which can be used for providing information in an emergency. If you would like to be added to the SMS group, please fill in the form and send it back.

If there are trees down or water over the road, please call the Manager of Works Grant Cross on 0428 831 036. For other forms of assistance, please call the office on 9683 1001 or the Chief Executive Officer Leanne Parola on 0428 831 035, we will do our best to help if we can.

People can also call the Department of Communities Disaster Response Hotline from 9 am to 4 pm on 1800 032 965.

If there is a large scale emergency, there may not be enough Shire staff to respond appropriately or provide services. If you are able to volunteer to assist, please let the Shire know at the time of the emergency.

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SMS MESSAGE SERVICE FOR FIRE & EMERGENCY NOTIFICATIONS

Dear Resident,

With the recent fires in the KTY and surrounding Shires the Shire is creating a NEW service. The service will be free of charge and will be a great benefit to all residents.

All you need to do is provide at least two contact numbers per household to the Shire of Trayning so during emergency situations you will receive relevant up to date SMS alerts.

Please complete the below form and return it via email admin@trayning.wa.gov.au or via post Po Box 95 Trayning WA 6488.

Name: _____

***Name and Mobile Number/s you wish the messages to be sent to:**
(Please Print Clearly)

(Name:)

(Mobile Number:)

(Name:)

(Mobile Number:)

Address:

Signature:

Do you wish to receive other Council notices such as **Harvest Nan Notifications** or **Council Notices** (please circle)?

Harvest Bans / Council Notices



**PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT ACT 2005
RESOLUTION DECIDING TO REVOKE A LOCAL PLANNING POLICY
Shire of Trayning**

LOCAL PLANNING POLICY No 1 MOVEABLE BUILDINGS

The Shire of Trayning resolved at its Ordinary meeting held 22 February 2024:

That Local Planning Policy No 1 be revoked and that publication of a notice of revocation by the Shire be circulated for two consecutive weeks in a newspaper circulating in the Scheme area.

SHIRE OF TRAYNING EASTER COLOURING COMPETITION

Please return your completed art work to the Shire of Trayning Administration office by end of business day 4:00pm 26 March as the competition will be drawn 12noon on 27 March 2024.

Colouring pages can be collected from the Shire Administration Office, the Ninghan News, Trayning Post Office and Yelbeni Rural.

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Name :

Age:

8-12



Name :

Age:

13-Adult



Name :

Age:



Interested in doing Tai Chi?

The Shire has been contacted by Millennium Health & Training to see if we would be interested in running online Tai Chi classes for the community.

If there are enough people interested in attending at the same time, the Shire could host a weekly session at the Don Mason Centre with a laptop/projector set up to stream the session. The cost will depend on how many people sign up (the cost is \$85 per group session, so if there were 12 people it would cost \$7 per session).

If you are interested, please complete the following and return to the Shire by Wednesday 6 March 2024:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Please tick session time/s you could attend:

- Wednesday 5.30 pm
- Wednesday 7.00 pm
- Friday 1.30 pm
- Saturday 3.00 pm



Discover
Tai Chi

TAI-CHI CHUAN

Based on an effective healing and combat system Tai Chi enhances strength and fitness training. Great for runners, athletes and body builders. Improves sense of wellbeing and energy levels. Learn how to harness internal power, taking your physical health and mind to a higher level. Suitable for all ages and fitness levels. Learn at your own pace, friendly classes.

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Contact - Terry 08 9342 0760
millenniumtaichi@mail.com
Millennium Health & Training

FREE RABBIT BAITS - EOI

The EWBG are calling for EOI's to hold bait mixing days for the landholders in the Shire's of Kondinin, Kulin, Lake Grace, Mt Marshall, Merredin, Mukinbudin, Narembeen, Nungarin, Trayning, Westonia & Yilgarn.

EWBG WILL PROVIDE:

- Assistance with and pay the cost of obtaining a Restricted Chemical Product (RCP) Permit.
- The supply of poison one shot 1080 oats that will be mixed with the landholders oats (you supply) for the landholders to trail out on your property.
- A LPMT on-site at a pre-arranged bait mix day near you.

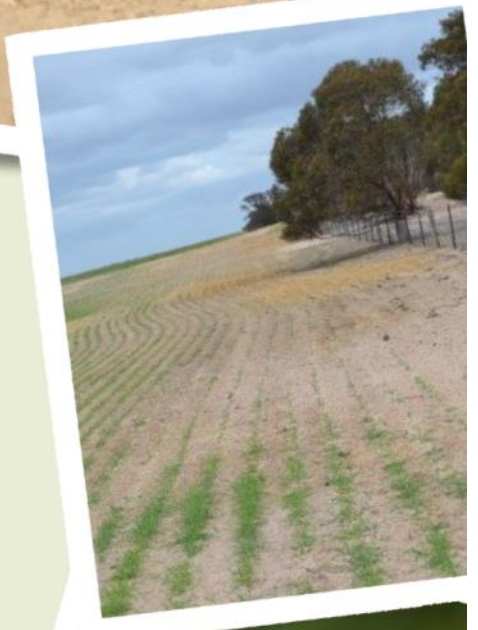
REGISTER EOI NOW

✉ admin@ewbg.com.au








☎ 04 55 724 848

EWBG EASTERN WHEATBELT
BIOSECURITY GROUP

*Mixing days are dependent on level of interest from landholders.



WARRCH

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1	2	3 Nungarin Wheatbelt Markets
4 PHOL Labour Day 	5  Pat & Chat Mobile Vet.	6 Review of Ranger Services Barefoot Bowls	7	8 Pool Party	9 Mt Marshall Show.	10 Uniting Church Trayning 9am
11 	12 Pat & Chat Mobile Vet.	13	14	15	16	17 Uniting Church Trayning 9am Kellerberrin 11am
18 	19  Shire of Trayning Ordinary Council meeting 	20	21	22	23	24
25 	26  Easter Colouring Competition Drawn.	27	28	29 PHOL Good Friday 	30	31