



Shire of
Katanning
Heart of the Great Southern

e-Newsletter

March 2019



Shire Matters is a monthly newsletter which summarises events and news within the Shire of Katanning. Community members can subscribe at www.katanning.wa.gov.au and hard copies are available at the Shire Administration, Library, Visitors Centre, Katanning Leisure Centre and Pop Up Shop. If you have any suggestions or feedback please send them to admin@katanning.wa.gov.au

WE HAVE MOVED

We have relocated to the new Shire of Katanning Administration building located at 52 Austral Terrace, Katanning. For enquiries please contact 9821 9999 or email admin@katanning.wa.gov.au

Rates 2018/19 Reminder

The 2018/19 Rates final instalment is due on 29 March 2019. If you have any questions, please contact Breanna Green on 08 9821 9999 or rates@katanning.wa.gov.au

The Katanning Harmony Festival

Friday Food Night

Friday 15 March 2019

5pm-8pm

The Town Square,
Clive St, Katanning

-Local Cafes
-Food stalls
-Live music
-Open Mic &
Famous Sharron!

"The Satay Experience"

Come and try the
range of delicious
satays, Katanning is
famous for!

Free Event



Harmony Festival
Katanning



Harmony Festival
10 YEARS
Katanning

'Believe It Or Not' Bus Tour

FRIDAY 15 MARCH
4:30pm - 6:00pm

Let us take you on a tour of Katanning
houses of faith, public art, historical
buildings and other places of interest.

Pick up & drop off at Town Square,
Clive St Katanning



\$12
Ticket

Bookings essential. Limited tickets available.

Please book now at:

katanning.iwannaticket.com.au/event/believe-it-or-not-tour-MTcxNTg

For further information please contact the Shire of Katanning on 9821 9999



Act Belong Commit

Harmony Festival

Celebrating 10 years

Katanning

SATURDAY 16 MARCH 2019

1PM TO 7PM
Clive St, Katanning

FREE ENTRY



STREET PARADE • INTERNATIONAL FOOD • KIDS & YOUTH ACTIVITIES • CULTURAL DANCE & MUSIC • COOKING DEMO & MARKET STALLS • FRIDAY FOOD NIGHT • EXHIBITIONS & STREET ART



RACEDIA. IT STOPS WITH ME.

Experience Something Different, Learn Something New & Taste Something Delicious



Contact the Shire of Katanning on 9821 9999 for more details



Spike

the echidna

Follow a baby echidna through the world of shadow puppetry on a journey to find out where he belongs

Saturday 16 March

11:00am - 12:00pm

Katanning Town Hall

Tickets \$5



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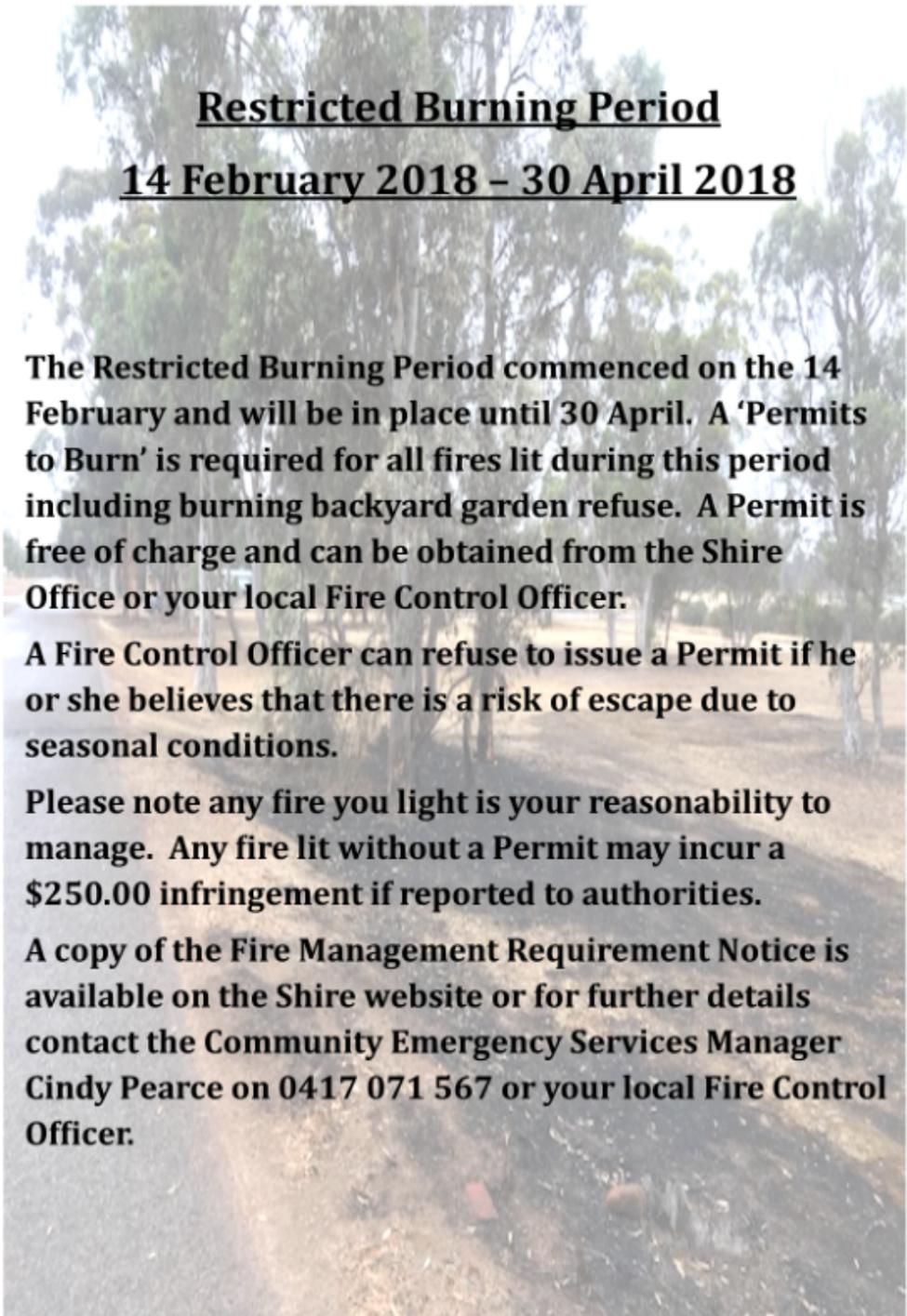
REGIONAL
ARTS
VICTORIA

Little
Wing
Puppets

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT
SHIRE OF KATANNING ADMIN
52 AUSTRAL TERRACE, KATANNING



Government of Western Australia
Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries
Department of Primary Industries and Regional Development



Restricted Burning Period
14 February 2018 – 30 April 2018

The Restricted Burning Period commenced on the 14 February and will be in place until 30 April. A 'Permits to Burn' is required for all fires lit during this period including burning backyard garden refuse. A Permit is free of charge and can be obtained from the Shire Office or your local Fire Control Officer.

A Fire Control Officer can refuse to issue a Permit if he or she believes that there is a risk of escape due to seasonal conditions.

Please note any fire you light is your responsibility to manage. Any fire lit without a Permit may incur a \$250.00 infringement if reported to authorities.

A copy of the Fire Management Requirement Notice is available on the Shire website or for further details contact the Community Emergency Services Manager Cindy Pearce on 0417 071 567 or your local Fire Control Officer.

Katanning Leisure Centre

Address: 4 Pemble Street

Phone: 9821 4399

Facebook: www.facebook.com/KatanningLeisureCentre/

Email: klcstaff@katanning.wa.gov.au

Term 1 – Group Fitness Timetable is as follows:

Monday's

6.15am	HIIT Step
9.30am	Body Attack
10.00am	CX Worx
6.00pm	Body Pump (60 minutes)
6.30pm	Body Balance

Tuesday's

9.30am	Body Pump (30 minutes)
10.00am	HIIT Step
1.30pm	Seniors Gym for Over 50's
5.45pm	RPM (30 minutes)
6.20pm	Meta Fit

Wednesday's

5.30pm	HIIT Step
6.10pm	Body Pump (45 minutes)
6.30pm	Body Balance

Thursday's

9.30am	Body Pump (30 minutes)
10.00am	Meda Fit
1.30pm	Seniors Gym for Over 50's
6.00pm	Body Attack (30 minutes)
6.30pm	CX WORX

Friday's

6.15am	RPM
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Seniors Quiz

1st Wednesday of each month: 1.00pm-3.00pm
Cost: \$3 - Lots of Prizes to be won

Seniors Pingo

2nd Wednesday of each month 1.00pm-3.00pm
Cost: \$3 - Lots of Prizes to be won

Seniors Autumn Club Luncheon

3rd Wednesday of each month 12.00pm-1.30pm
Cost: \$10 per month. Requires membership to Autumn Club for \$5 per year.

Public Library

Address: 16 Austral Terrace

Phone: 9821 4300

Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/KatanningLibraryArtGallery>

Email: katlib@katanning.wa.gov.au

March 2019

Library Club - Every Monday 2:30pm

Library Club is a free service of
the Katanning Public Library.



Library Club offers the opportunity to play and learn in a friendly environment with free play, building challenges, book based learning activities and games. It is open to the whole family and aims to inspire and engage your child's creativity and interest in books while also providing an environment to meet new people and make friends!



The activities for Library Club will include a healthy snack, a book based activity, a Lego activity, time for free play in the library and book borrowing time.



RACISM IT STOPS WITH ME



We gladly and very gratefully accept donations of genuine Duplo and Lego bricks.

Story Time- Every Tuesday 10.00am



Story Time is a free service of the Katanning Public Library

It's a fun opportunity for families to introduce their children to reading and language. At our Story Time, children listen to beautiful stories, participate in sensory activities, engaging craft projects, sing songs and interact with other children.

The Story Time session is designed to promote development and learning.



The Story Time Term 1 theme is AUSTRALIA!



Story Time is designed for carers to participate with their children.

Toy Library



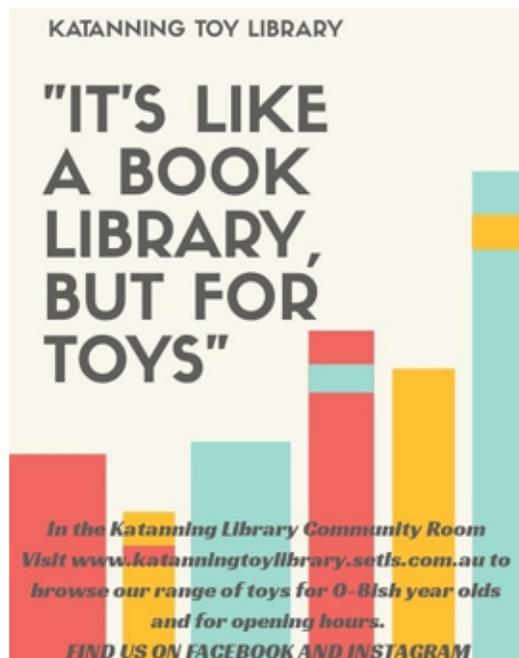
STARTS 28th MAY

PSSST!
KATANNING TOY LIBRARY HAS A BRAND NEW TOY BORROWING SESSION AFTER SCHOOL

**Mon 2.30-4pm (NEW!)
Tues & Sat 10.30-11.30**

KATANNING TOY LIBRARY

"IT'S LIKE A BOOK LIBRARY, BUT FOR TOYS"



*In the Katanning Library Community Room
Visit www.katanningtoylibrary.setls.com.au to browse our range of toys for 0-8ish year olds and for opening hours.*

FIND US ON FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM



Genealogy

Thursdays

1:00pm – 4:00pm

Have you ever wanted to trace your family history but don't know where to start?

Have you already begun the journey but have hit a wall?

Do you have the skills, time and know-how to

help others in their ancestry search?

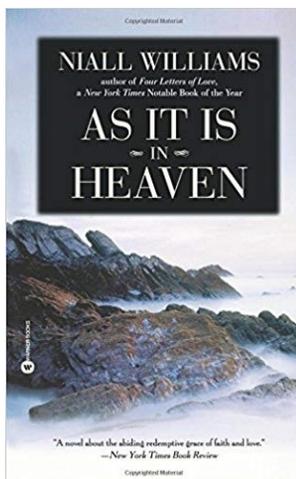
Drop in on Thursday afternoons during school terms to meet Wyn and Irene of the Katanning Genealogical Society.

Did you know...?



You can have full access to Ancestry.com **free** from within the Library!

Ancestry.com is an amazing tool for researching and mapping your family tree and normally full access requires an ongoing membership that costs \$30 a month. Come on in, grab a cuppa and get lost in ancestry.com.



Life Long Readers Book Club

Meeting Date: 1 February Friday

Time: 2:00pm - 4:00pm

Where: Library Community Room

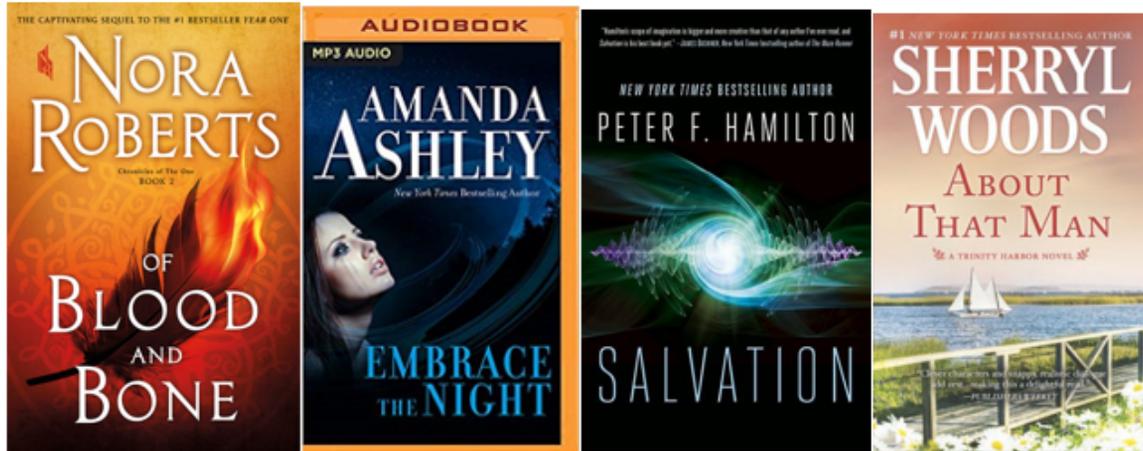
As It Is in Heaven

by [Niall Williams](#)

Set in the west of Ireland and Venice, this book features a shy and unconfident schoolteacher and his lovelorn and depressed father whose only desire is to die and join his wife and daughter in heaven.

No time to read, listen to an Audio instead. They are perfect for long drives.

Audios that have just arrived...



Become a member

A Katanning Library membership gives you free online access to free online movies, ebooks, and audiobooks. Ask us at the library, we will show you how it works.

Borrow, download
and enjoy here
Your library in one app.



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New arrivals at the library





FOR THE WHOLE MONTH OF MARCH,
KATANNING LIBRARY IS OFFERING
AMNESTY FOR ALL LIBRARY FINES

*Celebrating Harmony with
Katanning Public Library*

Bring in all your overdues, and be free of fines.



Public Art Gallery

Address: 16 Austral Terrace

Phone: 9821 4310

Facebook: http://www.facebook.com/KatanningLibraryArtGallery_

Email: polc@katanning.wa.gov.au

Gallery Opening Hours:

Monday and Friday: 10.00am - 5.00pm
Tuesday and Thursday: 10.00am - 6.00pm
Wednesday: 1.00pm - 5.00pm
Saturday: 10.00am - 1.00pm
Sunday: CLOSED

Free entry to all Gallery exhibitions- call James on 9821 4310 for more information.

Upcoming Exhibitions

Harmony 10 Year Exhibition 12 March 2019 - 18 March 2019

CHANGES TO LIBRARY & GALLERY OPENING HOURS

**As of Wednesday 13 March 2019 the library and gallery will
close at 5pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays.**

Please find the new library and gallery hours below:

Monday 10:00am – 5:00pm

Tuesday 10:00am – 5:00pm

Wednesday 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Thursday 10:00am – 5:00pm

Friday 10:00am – 5:00pm

Saturday 10:00am – 1:00pm

Please contact the Library on (08) 9821 4300 if you have any queries.

POSITIONS VACANT

The Shire of Katanning invites applications from suitably qualified and experienced people for the following positions:

- **Gardener/Mixed Duties**
- **Plant Operator/Truck Driver**

To request an application package or discuss this role further please contact Moh Aeson on (08) 98219 999 or email hr@katanning.wa.gov.au.

To be considered for this position applicants must address the Selection Criteria as detailed in the Application Package.

Applications addressed to the undersigned should be sent to hr@katanning.wa.gov.au or mailed to PO Box 130 Katanning, WA 6317 by 4.00pm Friday 16 March 2019.

Julian Murphy
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

Special Council Meeting Highlights

January 2019

The following items were approved at the Special Council meeting

1. To proceed with the Piesse Lake Residential Development.
2. Approved the tender to Jefferies Brothers for a period of 3 years with an option to extend for 2 further years.
3. Approved the tender from Evergreen Synthetic Grass (WA) Pty Ltd for the Katanning Country Club Bowling Green Construction.

Ordinary Council Meeting Highlights

February 2019

The following items were approved at the Ordinary Council meeting

1. Supports to proposal to Subdivision Lot 8 Round Drive, Katanning, subject to conditions.
2. Development Approval for a Wastewater Treatment System at the Abattoir, subject to conditions.
3. Approved Katanning Community Cinema Group for a 12 month licence to occupy the Katanning Town Hall.
4. Council approved the following grants for Round 2 of the 2018/2019 Community Financial Assistance Program

- Katanning Senior High School P&C \$881.82exGST for venue hire and decoration hire costs.
- Katanning Historical Society \$4,278.00exGST for Display Cabinets in the Katanning Museum.
- Katanning Men's Shed \$9,000exGST for the underground connection of a standard electricity supply to Western Power's LV network to their future base at the Westrail Wool Consolidation Shed (The Woolstore).

5. Accepted the tender from Tricoast Civil for the Katanning Waste Transfer Station Civil Works.

All Council Agendas and minutes can be found at <http://www.katanning.wa.gov.au/documents/>



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